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NEWS DIGEST



A mighty cut taken in summer's game

Gary Young swings at the ball as catcher Blake Weaver watches, while the two were playing a game of street baseball along 6th Street Tuesday morning. Tennis balls were used instead of real baseballs.



Practice has begun

A BSBS player carries the ball during a recent practice, as coaches and teammates look on. Area teams began two-a-day practice recently, with players donning pads for full-contact drills soon.

Ceramic trimmings

Katherine Barnfield uses a small scraper to clean the greenware before it is fired as she and others were working on the nativity scene at the Senior Citizens Center recently.



Do you have control?

Do you have control over your actions? Billy Patton, minister of Birdwell Lane Church of Christ, says God gave us all the power of choice. See Inspiration, page 1B.

World

Serbs to lift siege: Faced with the threat of NATO air strikes, Bosnian Serb leaders have pledged to lift their devastating 16-month siege of Sarajevo. See page 5A.

Nation

Budget bill approved: A divided Senate prepared for the final showdown on President Clinton's deficit reduction bill today after Democrats wrung out the narrowest of victories in the House. See page 3A.

Texas

Police hand out trading cards: The newest trading cards to hit the Beaumont market this month won't picture Major League stars on the front, or contain their batting averages and home run totals on the back. See page 2A.

Sports

Boat races this weekend: Professional drag boat racers from Texas and beyond have flocked to Big Spring for this weekend's West Texas Drag Boat Races and Lakfest at Moss Lake. See page 3B.

Weather

Mostly cloudy, chance of storms: Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the upper 60s. See extended forecast, page 6A.

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Stenholm explains tax bill vote

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

A gas tax, not enough spending cuts and a disincentive for agricultural technology development combined to convince U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm to vote against the tax bill Thursday.

"We had a different opinion, we proposed it," the Stamford Democrat said. "We ran into problems with the leadership."

The \$496 billion, five-year deficit-reduction bill passed the House by two votes, 218-216, Thursday night. It's supposed to push the deficit down to \$213 billion. Half of the reduction will be taxes, the other half cuts. Those earning more than \$200,000 a year will pay four-fifths of new taxes.

"It just hope it works, I pray it works," Stenholm said. None of 175 House Republicans voted for the bill. The Senate is considering it today.

"We are extremely disappointed that our efforts to garner bipartisan cooperation ... were entirely thwarted," Stenholm said.

Efforts to curb entitlement spending, including caps on Medicare and Medicaid, was derailed earlier by Senate Republicans, he said, adding that President Clinton's announced forthcoming executive order to take entitlement spending off automatic pilot helps, but is not as strong.

"It is a step back from House-passed statutory lan-

guage which already had represented a significant compromise from our original position," Stenholm said.

The bill proposes to slow Medicare growth by \$56 billion over five years by cutting reimbursements to hospitals and doctors, according to wire reports. Stenholm wanted another \$53 billion in Medicare cuts, the Dallas Morning News reported last week.

A 4.3-cents per gallon gas tax, the only new tax to hit the middle class, was also opposed by Stenholm. It would cost the average driver \$29.39 a year. That's 15,000 miles in a vehicle getting 21 miles per gallon. The federal gas tax now is 14.1 cents.

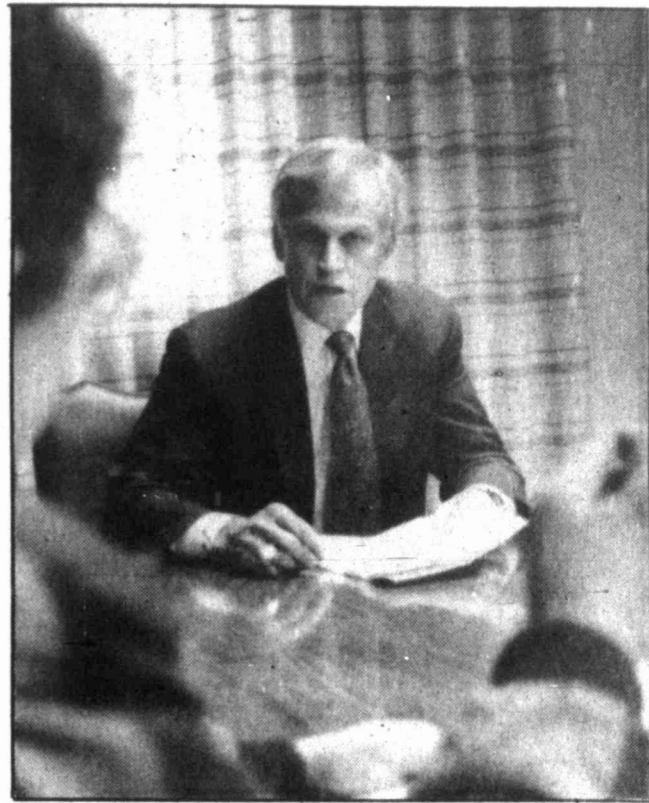
"I continue to believe that the gas tax, as well as all tax retroactivity, should be entirely eliminated from the package and replaced with spending cuts," he said.

Stenholm in the past has advocated more than \$2 of spending cuts for each \$1 of new taxes.

In addition, Stenholm noted the bill includes a disincentive to agriculture technological development and moves away from job-creating tax incentives. That "further tilts the balance of this package toward a negative result."

The bill also raises income tax on individuals making more than \$140,000 and couples making more than \$180,000; raises taxes on Social Security recipients making more than \$34,000 a year for individuals, \$44,000 for couples, which affects 13 percent of beneficiaries.

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STENHOLM



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Construction work?

Under the hot Thursday afternoon sun, Jessica Flores pushes a tire up on top of others tires as she makes a tower to play in on the playground at Jack and Jill Day Care Center.

Texas Democrats split 15-6 backing Clinton's package

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — During his fourth telephone conversation of the day with President Clinton, Congressman Bill Sarpalius finally tipped his hand which way he'd vote on the deficit-reduction package Democrats were scrambling to pass.

Moments before the Texas Democrat strode to the House floor Thursday night to cast his ballot, Sarpalius told the president "he could put me in his corner."

"And he told me I was the call he was waiting on," Sarpalius recalled a few hours later.

"I felt very strongly that I cannot let this thing go down by one vote, that he at least deserves an opportunity to try to implement his plan," the Amarillo lawmaker said.

While Sarpalius wasn't among the last four Democrats who cast their ballots — and decided the outcome — his vote surely was crucial. The \$496 billion deficit-reduction measure squeaked by 218-216 without a single Republican vote.

And it marked a change of direction for Sarpalius, who had voted against the original budget package when it first came up for consideration in May.

Sarpalius, who was visited in his office Thursday by Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen and Energy Secretary Hazel O'Leary, said a major factor in his switch was the expanded benefits for the working poor.

The expanded Earned Income Tax Credit will mean an additional \$109 million for the 62,219 families in his Panhandle district that make less

than \$25,300 a year. A full 42 percent of all households in the 13th District will be eligible for the benefits, he said.

The EITC benefits also helped sway Corpus Christi Democrat Solomon Ortiz and San Antonio Democrat Frank Tejeda — whose districts could see \$80 million and \$85 million respectively.

"I would like to see people begin to buy cars, homes, (and) appliances and this is why I voted for this bill," said Ortiz. "We need to get our economy going again. We need to put people to work."

Sarpalius, Tejeda and Ortiz were among the 15 Texas Democrats who helped ram the economic program through the House. Six Texas Democrats were among the 41 nationwide who voted against the measure.

The House's 175 Republicans, including the nine from Texas, unanimously spurned a plan that would mean higher gasoline prices and more income taxes for the wealthy but also help for the working poor and incentives for small business.

"This plan is not a recipe for new jobs, more opportunities for our young people or more secure retirement for our parents," charged Lewisville Republican Dick Arney. "It's a recipe for disaster."

While the GOP members marched in lock-step, there was much soul-searching for some Democrats.

Ortiz' indecision prompted conversations with Clinton, Bentsen, Defense Secretary Les Aspin, Navy Secretary John Dalton and other administration officials.

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Arizona parolee dies in custody of private firm

By CONNIE SWINNEY
Staff Writer

An Arizona state parolee died Thursday morning in Big Spring in the custody of private/prisoner transport agents, according to reports.

Local Pathologist David Hoblit performed an autopsy Thursday afternoon, reporting the unidentified prisoner died as a result of myocardial infarction, a heart attack.

"He died from natural causes," said Justice of the Peace China Long.

Transcor America officials had obtained the deceased prisoner in Oklahoma, said Jack May, president of the transport company.

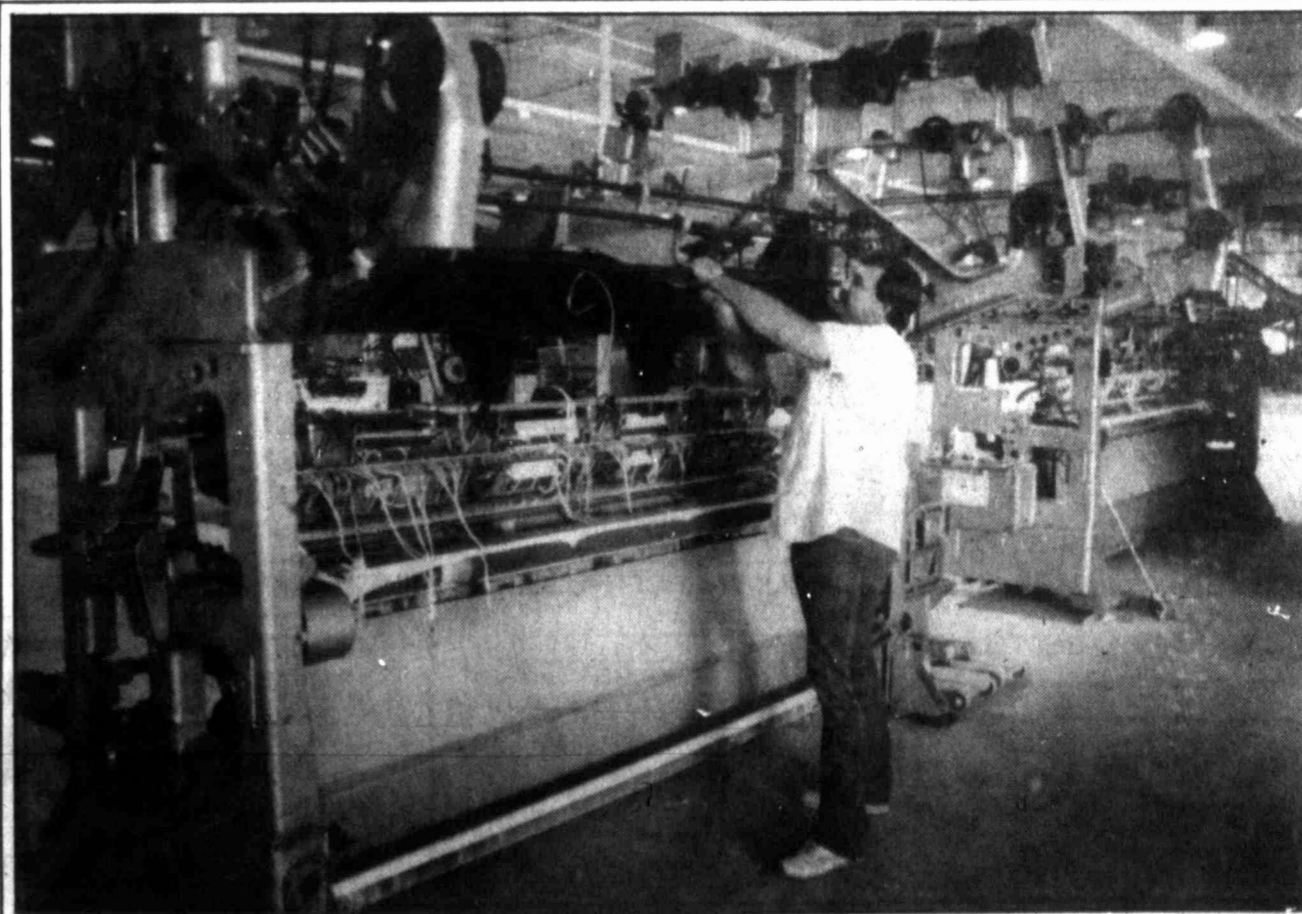
En route to Arizona, agents stopped overnight Wednesday in Colorado City, 45 miles east of Big Spring. The agents reportedly added another prisoner to their trip.

"The (now deceased) prisoner was housed at 5 p.m. Wednesday at (Mitchell County Jail)," May said. "Around 10:30 p.m., they reported the prisoner had stomach pains."

In the Mitchell County Hospital emergency room, hospital workers treated and released the prisoner, said Janie McVain, a medical records technician.

"His condition was stable when he left," McVain said. "We did not treat a patient under any name that night for chest pains," said hospital administrator Wendell

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

Getting things straight

Thomas Hodges knocks an axle into place before adjusting the tension bar on one of the knitting machines inside the Wright Fibers building Thursday morning. Dozens of other knitting machines will be shipped to the plant in the near future, with limited production beginning in September.

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Harris County Judge Jon Lindsay listens intently at a session of the Harris County Commissioners Court in Houston Tuesday. Lindsay is being investigated for possible wrongdoing while in office.

Allegations trip Harris County's chief politician

The Associated Press

HOUSTON — It's a messy political nightmare that any elected official would dread.

Longtime Harris County Judge Jon Lindsay, commander of a government that serves 2.8 million constituents and the leading local Republican, has become mired in a burgeoning controversy surrounding claims he accepted more than \$100,000 in bribes to reroute a road.

One man who allegedly bribed Lindsay is dead, and the other has pleaded guilty to bank fraud. The man steering one probe is an old political adversary who has used his own money in the case, while the attorney defending the powerful Republican judge is a confirmed Democrat.

"Welcome to Texas," said David Berg, the judge's attorney. "This is quintessentially Texan."

Lindsay has denied the accusations, but Harris County Attorney Mike Driscoll has vowed that his office's investigation will continue.

"County government is at a crossroads right now. I think it is incumbent on us to do everything we can to clear the air," he said.

Driscoll, who once ran for Lindsay's seat in 1978 but lost in the Democratic primary, also said his probe has expanded to include Lindsay's involvement in other actions by the county commissioners' court.

He has refused to elaborate, but Driscoll said he has used \$3,000 of his own money to enlist the help of a prominent private investigator.

Although the statute of limitations has expired on criminal charges, Driscoll's office could file a lawsuit seeking to have Lindsay removed from the office he has held for nearly 20 years.

The FBI, meanwhile, has launched its own investigation. However, the federal agency has not said what, if any, charges it is pursuing.

Lindsay, 57, has steadfastly denied the claims and contends he is the victim of a political vendetta.

The judge is the county government's chief executive, and he presides over the five-member commissioners court. The government is responsible for such items as road maintenance and the administration of justice in county areas surrounding Houston, the nation's fourth-largest city.

It is one road that lies at the center of the scandal, which broke in mid-July and quickly took its political toll on the judge.

Lindsay, the first Republican elected to that office, called a news conference last Saturday at which he solemnly announced he would not seek re-election to another four-year term.

Instead, he would wrap-up work on several major county projects during the final 1 1/2 years of his term and continue to fight the allegations.

"And if it hurts some other people, then so be it," he said.

The controversy erupted when Billy Wayne Chester, a former banker and real estate developer, said he and his business partner, Robert Corson, bribed Lindsay to reroute a north county road through a 220-acre development in 1985 to increase the land's value.

Chester said some \$30,000 was given to Lindsay during a trip to Las Vegas. Lindsay has acknowledged taking the trip, but he said he never accepted a bribe.

Chester pleaded guilty to bank fraud and was sentenced to five years' probation earlier this year. Corson died in 1991 while awaiting trial.

Cops give kids novel trading cards

The Associated Press

BEAUMONT — The newest trading cards to hit the Beaumont market this month won't picture Major League stars on the front, or contain their batting averages and home run totals on the back.

Instead, the cards will feature photographs of local police officers on the front with their career histories and the Beaumont Police Department's emergency and non-emergency telephone numbers on the back. Officers will begin distributing the cards to local children — or even to adults who collect trading cards — sometime in August, Beaumont police Lt. Sid Smith said.

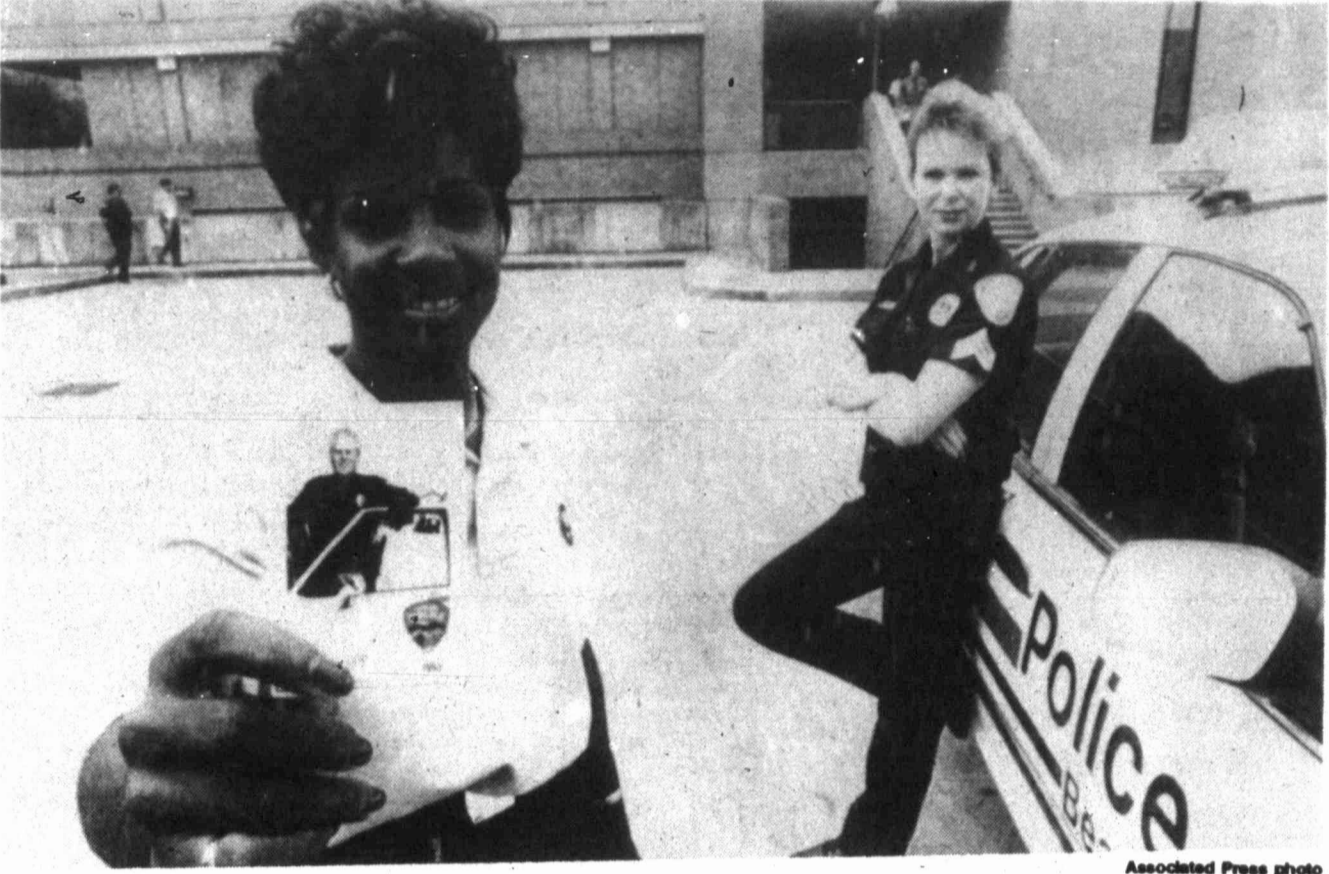
"It's a way to build a relationship with the kids," Smith said. "The main thing is to personalize the officers. That goes along with the Community Oriented Policing concept — to get to know the people you work (for). It makes police a part of the community."

A total of 36 officers volunteered to have their pictures and personal information on the cards. BPD is printing 1,000 cards of each officer for the first edition, BPD spokeswoman Zena Stephens said.

"There was a lot of enthusiasm in the station. We had more volunteers than we needed," Smith said. "If they go over real well, we'll print more."

Police said the cards also serve to distribute information to the public and allow children to hold officers in admiration, like athletes, rather than see them as officials they should shun. The officers personalized their cards by including their hobbies and safety tips or inspirational messages.

Officers offer tidbits of advice on the cards, like "Stay in school and make a difference," "Education is the key to success" and "Get high on



Beaumont Police Department spokeswoman Zena Stephens holds a sample trading card of local police officers as Office Crystal Holmes watches. The cards feature photos and career histories on the front with police department phone numbers on the back.

life, not drugs."

Sex crime detectives Joe Ball and Sgt. Bill Davis caution children to tell an adult if someone "touches" them in an inappropriate manner in their messages on the cards.

Some of the traffic officers offer the messages, "Drive slower and live longer," and "Buckle up for safety."

Traffic officer Robert LeBlanc's advice, "Watch your speed. I am!" might best apply to older "kids."

Patrol officers will distribute the free cards to children in neighbor-

hoods. Residents also can get the collectors' cards at the Beaumont police station.

BPD spokeswoman Crystal Holmes said the department got the idea for the trading cards from the De Soto police, who distributed similar cards in Dallas County. Beaumont police hope their trading cards will be as successful as those in De Soto and other police departments in Texas, California and the Midwest.

"I think it's a great program. That's why I volunteered," patrol

officer Anthony Barker said. "It's a good way to communicate with the community."

Crime Stoppers officer Billy Blankenship, who will be featured on a trading card, said he collected thousands of baseball cards as a youngster. "I had the only Mickey Mantle in Nederland at the time," Blankenship said.

Blankenship said he gave the card to a kid down the street after he got too old to play with the cards. He said the boy's mother threw the cards away when he got too old.

Briefs

Prison fight leaves dozen inmates hurt

ROSHARON (AP) — Two prison inmates were hospitalized and 10 others were injured when a fight erupted at the Darrington Unit, the prison warden said.

The fight broke out around 10 p.m. Wednesday when a few inmates accused several other prisoners of stealing some property, warden Fred Becker said. Prison guards had to use tear gas to stop the brawl.

Becker said many of the 42 inmates in the television room at the time joined in the fist fight. They divided up along racial lines with Hispanics fighting blacks.

"It was not a racial dispute. It was a property dispute," he said. "When the fighting took place, people took sides based on their friendships, and many friendships are based on iden-

tification with their own racial group."

Two inmates were hospitalized overnight for observation at the prison hospital in Galveston and both were in fair condition this morning, he said. On had been hit over the head with a trash can lid and the was hit with a crutch.

The other 10 inmates suffered cuts inflicted by glass from a broken window and other less severe injuries, he said.

"It was about a seven-minute disturbance, but it took us about four hours to clean up everything," Becker said.

The prisoners were treated and taken back to their cells. The unit was "locked down" for the night, meaning prisoners were confined to their cells, Becker said.

Elderly man injured fighting carjacker

DALLAS (AP) — A 72-year-old Dallas man was alive but in serious con-

dition at Parkland Memorial Hospital Thursday after battling with a man who stole his car, police and hospital reports said.

Meanwhile, 26-year-old Cornelius Cornell Johnson was in Lew Sterrett Justice Center on \$100,000 bond on

a charge of aggravated robbery. Bonds also were set on several misdemeanor charges.

The U.S. Attorney's Office also was investigating the incident to determine if it meets the criteria for federal carjacking charges, police said.

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WASHINGTON prepared for the President Clinton bill today after the narrowest House. The White House, under a single, undecided administration. The administration of Bob Kerrey, a primary opponent of the bill, has assured that the spending cut House Budget said today.

"We hope that Senator Kerrey will vote for the bill," Panetta said at a news conference. "We've got to get the bill passed."

"We think the bill counts," Panetta said. In the House, Kerrey assured Thursday that he would vote for the bill. Kerrey had voted for the bill in the Senate. Kerrey had voted for the bill in the Senate. Kerrey had voted for the bill in the Senate.

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We salute:

The Big Spring Herald, each week, recognizes local citizens or groups who have been singled out for special honors or who have helped make a difference in the quality of life in and around our community:

- Susie Combs for being one of 21 Texas teachers selected to participate in a geography seminar at Southwest Texas State University.
- Rudy Gutierrez for being named co-chair of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce's Minority Involvement Committee.
- Officer Joe Robert Morales for being chosen the city's "Star" for the month of July.
- Staff writer Patrick Driscoll for winning a second place in news writing in the West Texas Press Association contest.

Legislative sneakiness leaving him gasping

In what I would call an underhanded move, our very own Texas legislators passed information-restricting laws, threatening the health and even the very lives of you and your loved ones.



Gary Shanks

I was absolutely aghast. There are consumer protection, watchdog groups making sure this kind of thing doesn't happen. But some weasel legislators passed amendments, tagged on to obscure pieces of legislation. In effect, sneaking it through the vote.

I'm not trying to pick on all the legislators. These amendments were so well hidden, I'm sure many didn't even know what they were voting for.

But now, we're all shafted. Denied by the Legislature, is your right to information on dangerous health trends and inspections of nursing homes, according to stories in The Dallas Morning News. The restrictions also apply to financially shaky insurance companies, which, in the case of serious injury or illness, could leave you and your family in dire condition.

In this back-door legislating, lawmakers expanded confidentiality to include additional records maintained by the Texas Department of Insurance.

Rather than amend the closely monitored Open Records Act, they changed the administrative statute that governs day-to-day operation of the insurance department. Except to insurance industry insiders, the affected laws are virtually unknown, according to The Dallas Morning News.

So now, even though you and I are entitled to this information, under the Open Records Act, we can't have it. Because of this amended obscure law, an insolvent insurance company can sell us worthless insurance, and we'll never know it until it's too late.

This is a blatant violation of the spirit of the Texas Open Records and Open Meetings acts. They call these "sunshine laws" because they force government to conduct its affairs in full public view.

The State Finance Commission, the State Banking Board, municipal hos-

pital boards and other sections of government were granted additional immunity from public scrutiny.

The legislators that passed this and the government offices covered under these Orwellian amendments, are funded by tax dollars. I'm not prepared to accept government that refuses general information on how tax dollars are spent. Color me radical if you must.

This trend of sneaking in legislation, watering down the freedom of information laws, is being seen in other states as well. It's being carried out in the same underhanded way, tagging amendments onto the most boring of housekeeping bills, because these are not closely monitored.

There are very strong consumer protection and freedom of information organizations watching for any changes in freedom of information laws, but lawmakers are circumventing these groups, thereby avoiding the obvious public outcry that would ordinarily accompany changes in sunshine laws.

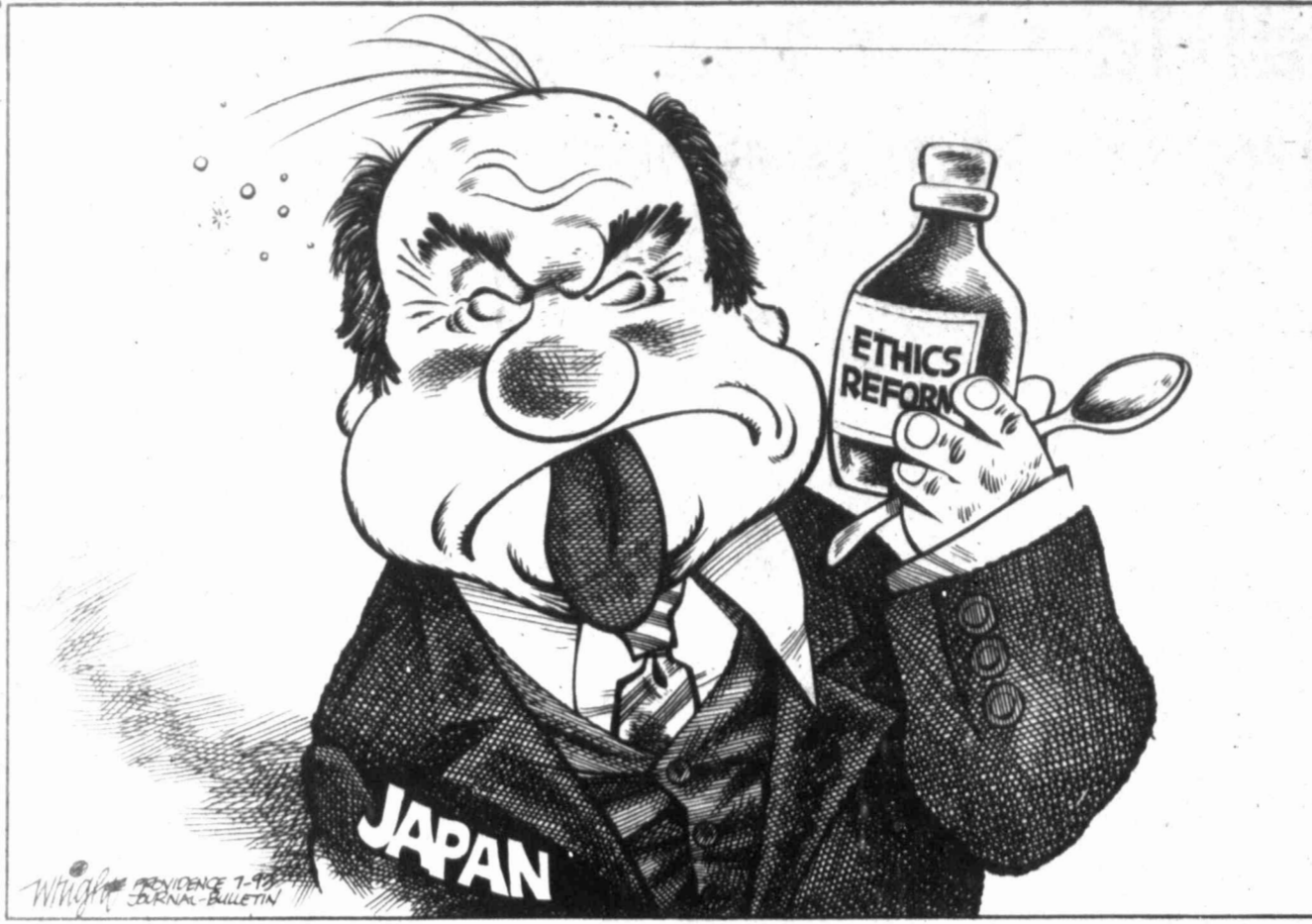
How can one be a representative and not listen to those one represents?

I don't want to sound like a rabble rouser, but this kind of thing is a blatant stab in the back to the American public. Elected officials should not be allowed to overlook the desires of those they represent.

No, it's worse than that. Some of our elected officials are actually threatening lives to protect the profits of a few medical and insurance conglomerates.

This is not government of the people, by the people and for the people, the very cornerstone of the United States Constitution. This is more like, we've got your money — shut up and sit down!

This is a very good time to make use of representative's addresses, regularly printed on this page.



The 10 best for the ears

A reader wrote, asking about my voice and sending a blank tape to fill.

Something stopped me. No sense losing a reader because he doesn't like my voice. I have heard myself on my answering machine, and it's Smurfette with a cold.

The sound of a voice is a powerful thing. I am as drawn to voices as to eyes, though voices never show up in surveys when people are asked what attracts them to another, and eyes always do.

The 10 best, all-time famous speaking voices for my money are:

Rip Torn. He sounds like a charming reprobate, the kind who would steal a man's money and wife but the man wouldn't care so long as Rip showed up for their next fishing date.

In the movie "Cross Creek" Rip's voice steals only the show, booming across the Florida Hammock, as wild and primitive as the scenery. From the moment he opens that mouth, you know he has to die. Just something in his voice.

Barbara Jordan. Hers is full of wisdom, biblical authority, as hard to ignore as a clap of thunder. Other politicians pale when she speaks. They look and sound foolish. Next to Barbara Jordan, everyone else is a Trent Lott.

John Huston. He is known for his directing, but I loved him for his voice. He sounded like twilight, as sad and deep as the end of day.

When he narrated "Cannery Row" I got chill bumps. "Once again the world is spinning in greased grooves." It took him 10 minutes to pronounce "grooves."

Franklin D. Roosevelt. There used to be a Memphis restaurant that



Rheta Grimsley Johnson

played recordings of old Roosevelt speeches in the restrooms. I spent a lot of time powdering my nose there.

I like to ponder how other presidents might have sounded, the ones never recorded. What if Abraham Lincoln had a high and nasal sound? Would we feel the same way about his words? And George Washington? Suppose he sounded like George Will? I hope that Robert E. Lee sounded a little like Shelby Foote.

Bailey White. Bailey is a Georgia school teacher who writes essays and reads them on National Public Radio. She sounds much older than she looks. Her voice is a bored school marm's, so familiar that when she starts to read you want to say, "Mama?"

I think the best thing about Bailey's voice is the contrast it provides to all other voices on NPR. The other announcers sound as if they went to the same graduate school and occupied the same dean's list. Bailey is so Southern and stolid she sounds like she might go to sleep between words.

Walter Cronkite. We've heard it grow old.

Huey Long. To appreciate Huey's voice you really need video, so he almost didn't make the list. His wild gesticulating was part of the deal, as well as his comical facial expressions. But, what the heck, this is my list.

Jesse Jackson. No matter how you feel about what the man says, you have to agree that he purrs. So far as poetic delivery goes, he has surpassed even his mentor, Martin Luther King, all on the strength of a golden throat.

At the 1988 Democratic National Convention — where Michael Dukakis and Bill Clinton sang long lullabies — Jackson gave the best, most beautiful political speech I've ever heard: "They take the early bus...."

Patricia Neal. I like it because it never really fit her pretty face. The delight was his mentor, Martin Luther King, all on the strength of a golden throat.

Ben Johnson. This slot almost went to Robert Duvall, who could say "Lorie, darling," and charm a rattlesnake.

But for some reason I prefer gentle Ben, whose vocal performance in "The Last Picture Show" made the whole thing work. He sounded like every old man who ever had a young love and lost it, or outlived it or fully appreciated it.

I'll slap my hand to my forehead as soon as this goes to press, because some important voice will whisper in my ear. "Hey, you forgot about me."

So maybe I'll do this again. And maybe you'll have some suggestions about Great Voices, The Sequel. If so, speak up.

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Jessica's DeBoer's painful passage

Scripps Howard News Service

Anyone who has seen divorce snatch one parent from a bewildered child knows Shakespeare erred: There is no sweetness in the sorrow of some partings. Now the nation observes an even more tragic legal rendering, the removal of Jessica DeBoer, all of 2-1/2, from both parents — or at least the only ones she ever knew.

Perhaps the tears glistening on Jessica's cheeks as she was taken from her Michigan home Monday were preordained when two pairs of adults made her the prize in a legal battle covering almost her entire young life. Ours is not to judge the relative purity of the couples'

motives. But to the extent that love is the abnegation of self, all fell short.

The facts are not in dispute. In February 1991 a 28-year-old Iowa woman, Cara Clausen, gave up for adoption her newborn daughter. Almost at once the girl was placed with a Michigan couple, Roberta and Jan DeBoer, who named her Jessica.

Three weeks later, however, Miss Clausen informed her ex-boyfriend, Daniel Schmidt, that he was the baby's father, and the two sought Jessica's return. The DeBoers refused — though they had been with Jessica barely a month and the adoption was not final.

What ensued was a two-year legal chess match. Unlike the board game, however, this contest was bereft of kings, queens and certainly knights. In their places were implacable par-

ents, lawyers on a mission and short-sighted judges. The only traditional piece present was a pawn named Jessica. Her one move came Monday, after the Supreme Court ruled for the Schmidts.

If any good is to come from this heart-breaking case, all 50 states must adopt a compact allowing prompt settlement of interstate adoption disputes, buffering the innocent as much as possible.

When two Biblical women claimed the same child, Solomon, touching his scabbard, proposed giving half to each. He rightly believed that the real mother would surrender her claim rather than see harm befall her child. It is grim when neither side surrenders, and jesters sit on the judgment throne.

Auburn State Prison in New York. In 1914, Austria-Hungary declared war against Russia and Serbia declared war against Germany.

In 1926, Warner Brothers premiered its Vitaphone sound-on-disc movie system in New York.

In 1926, Gertrude Ederle of New York became the first American woman to swim the English Channel, in about 14 1/2 hours.

In 1962, Jamaica became an independent dominion within the British Commonwealth.

In 1965, President Johnson signed the Voting Rights Act into law.

In 1978, Pope Paul VI died of a heart attack in his summer residence at Castel Gandolfo at age 80.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Robert Mitchum is 76. Entrepreneur Sir Freddie Laker is 71. Actor Peter Bonerz is 55. Actress Soleil Moon Frye is 17.

Thought for Today: "The life of every man is a diary in which he means to write one story, and writes another; and his humblest hour is when he compares the volume as it is with what he hoped to make it." — Sir James Matthew Barrie, Scottish dramatist-author (1860-1937).



Lewis Grizzard

Let's play 'what if?'

Like a lot of other people I sat in front of my television not long ago and watched the Great Fire of '93 at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium.

It is when there is a breaking local story like this one that television news really shows us it knows how to roll up its sleeves and go after it.

Talk about being on the cutting edge of journalism. The first thing the stations had to do was let us know what a great job they were doing.

"We want to thank (insert name) for the great job he or she has done covering this breaking local story live out there at the stadium," the anchor desks continued to say during the fire and after it.

See, the rest of us didn't know what a great job (insert name) was doing.

The guy I saw simply said something like, "Look, there's a fire," and the camera-person pointed a camera at it and we saw a fire.

In my mind doing a great job covering a fire would have been something like the guy on the scene when the Hindenburg burst into flames and getting live interviews with the pilots a few seconds after the big balloon hit the ground.

But, judging from the in-house congratulations, I suppose there will be a round of Peabodys handed out for the Great Fire coverage.

Another station did do a terrific job of interviewing children who had seen the fire, however.

"There was a fire," one explained. Meanwhile, teenagers in the background with their hats on backwards made funny faces at the camera.

What is it about being on television that makes, not only teenagers, but adults as well, want to act like idiots? I think it's the waves that are being bounced off those satellites during television transmissions.

They get into people's brains and they think if they act idiotic enough their mothers will see them and think they are cute or somebody will give them a job with local TV news.

The helicopter shots were dramatic. In one helicopter shot from above the stadium, I saw another helicopter.

There are so many news helicopters these days I worry about one running into another one.

Said a television helicopter pilot after his report, "There are helicopters all over out here. I think I'll leave." He deserves some sort of award for obviously being one of the most intelligent persons on the scene.

I don't remember who said this, but either a reporter or a politician offered, "I think the fire started in both number 7."

Number 7? I think some of the "what-ifs" were on target, too. What if the stadium had been full? What if the fire department couldn't have found a place to park?

A satellite fell to earth somewhere several years ago and a local television station did a report on "What if a satellite fell on Atlanta?"

You've got to cover "what-ifs" in a news story. The papers did it, too, but I thought the "what if" broadcaster Don Sutton's hair had caught on fire?" angle was a little too much.

And this thing, as far as television is concerned, is far from over. Channel 11 says Channel 2 stole its signal during the coverage.

"They didn't have a camera in position and it was an act of desperation," said the program director of Channel 2, adding, "They got their butt kicked and it was a sort of cheap shot."

Channel 11 is threatening to send Channel 2 a nasty letter from its attorney.

What if this thing broke out into an all-out war and Channel 11 and Channel 2 burned each other down?

What if the Braves' Fred McGriff hadn't hit that home run after the fire was put out? What if the Giants' Bobby Bonds' earlobe becomes infected from that jewelry store hanging off it and he can't play, and the Braves, starting from the Great Fire, did win the 1993 pennant after all?

Channel 5 would probably take credit for it all, that's what.

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Berry's World



"I HATE wasting all this time in court before I go free, again!"



This date in history

The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Aug. 6, the 218th day of 1993. There are 147 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Aug. 6, 1945, the United States dropped an atomic bomb on Hiroshima, Japan, killing an estimated 140,000 people in the first use of a nuclear weapon in warfare.

On this date: In 1787, the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia began to debate the articles contained in a draft of the United States Constitution.

In 1825, Bolivia declared its independence from Peru.

In 1890, the electric chair was used for the first time as murderer William Kemmler was executed at



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By The Assoc

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Briefs

Some remains found in Laos MIA search

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — American searchers in Laos have found human remains that could be those of U.S. servicemen from the Vietnam War, a U.S. official said today.

About 30 members of the Pentagon's Joint Task Force Full Accounting Unit are conducting a monthlong search with their Laotian counterparts at crash sites where Americans were lost.

The search is concentrated in the central province of Xieng Khoang, about 75 miles north of the capital, Vientiane.

A task force employee in Bangkok, speaking on condition of anonymity, said some remains have been found but was unable to give a number. He said some aircraft wreckage was found, but also refused to give details.

Of the 2,252 servicemen listed as missing throughout Southeast Asia, 514 — almost all airmen — are listed as missing in Laos.

Laos was the scene of a Communist insurgency in the 1960s and 1970s. No U.S. ground troops were committed to the conflict, but the country was heavily bombed by Americans.

The joint search will end on Aug. 16. Any remains believed to be those of American servicemen will be taken to the U.S. Army's Central Identification Laboratory in Hawaii for further investigation.

Hiroshima remembers atomic bomb in silence

TOKYO (AP) — Trains came to a halt, bells tolled and 45,000 people gathered at ground zero to pray as Hiroshima remembered the atomic bombing.

"Since the tragedy that befell Hiroshima and Nagasaki, nuclear weapons have not been used, nor have they been exploded accidentally," Hiroshima Mayor Takashi Hirooka said during today's ceremony.

"Yet there is no guarantee that such things will never happen in the future."

The U.S. bombing devastated Hiroshima at 8:15 a.m. on Aug. 6, 1945, and ushered in the age of nuclear weapons.

The 4-ton bomb that exploded over Hiroshima with the power of about 13 kilotons (13,000 tons) of TNT was the first atomic weapon used in war. About 140,000 people were killed by the blast, the firestorm or radiation.

A second atomic attack on Nagasaki three days later killed 70,000 people.

Japan surrendered unconditionally to the United States on Aug. 15, ending World War II.

Israeli soldier abducted, murdered in West Bank

JERUSALEM (AP) — An Israeli soldier was kidnapped and murdered in the occupied West Bank, the army said today.

The killing occurred as U.S. Secretary of State Warren Christopher was winding up a Middle East shuttle mission aimed at reviving Arab-Israeli peace talks.

The body of the soldier, identified as Pvt. Yaron Chen of the Ramot quarter of Jerusalem, was found before dawn today in an Arab village near the city of Ramallah, the army said.

News of the kidnapping, which occurred Thursday evening, was held for about 15 hours by the military censor while family were notified and searches conducted.

The abduction was witnessed by another soldier, the army said. He noticed a struggle inside a commercial vehicle that had picked up Chen at the Al Ram intersection just north of the Jerusalem city limits, it said. Chen had been on his way home from an army base, it added.



Bosnian Serb soldiers move self-propelled howitzers to new positions on Igman Mountain surrounding Sarajevo Thursday. Faced with the threat of Western air strikes, Bosnian Serbs appeared to be retreating when they promised to lift the 16-month siege of Sarajevo. But the move may actually be another victory.

Under threat of strikes, Serbs agree to lift siege

By The Associated Press

PALE, Bosnia-Herzegovina — Faced with the threat of NATO air strikes and intent on resuming talks on how to divide up the republic, Bosnian Serb leaders have pledged to lift their devastating 16-month siege of Sarajevo.

But the U.N. commander for Bosnia said he was skeptical the siege would actually end.

"I've become a bit of a doubting Thomas. Actions speak louder than words," Gen. Francis Briguemont said after meeting with Serb leaders for three hours Thursday. But he added,

Preparations for air strikes continued. NATO officials said today that combat planes began making practice flights over Bosnia last weekend.

The Serbs promised to allow free flows of aid and civilian travel in and out of the Bosnian capital, and withdraw their forces from two strategic mountains overlooking the besieged city.

The promises appeared to meet terms set by the Muslim-led government for returning to peace talks in Geneva. Bosnian President Alija Izetbegovic indicated he would be willing to meet Monday with Bosnia's Serb and Croat leaders, said John Mills, a spokesman for international mediators.

The Serbs' professed goal is to negotiate a division of Bosnia along ethnic lines. Croats, former enemies of the Serbs but now allies in Bosnia, also seek partition. Muslims, once 44 percent of Bosnia's people, fear they will be squeezed into a small landlocked territory.

By agreeing to lift the siege, the Serbs have left the Muslim-led government with little choice but to return to the talks — from a position of weakness — or stand accused of wrecking the peace process.

Some Western officials expressed cautious optimism about the Serb promises. Nevertheless, White House officials said preparations were continuing for air strikes to end the siege of Sarajevo. "We need more than words," White House Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers said.

In Brussels today, officials said NATO Secretary-General Manfred Woerner would meet U.S. Secretary of State Warren Christopher this afternoon at an Italian air base for a briefing on preparations for possible action in Bosnia.

Christopher, who has been in the Middle East since Monday, was scheduled to stop at the Aviano base on his way back to Washington.

Nonetheless, divisions among the allies over action in Bosnia remain. Any air strikes would be the first offensive military action in the 44-

year history of the 16-nation North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

In Geneva, meanwhile, Izetbegovic met with mediators Lord Owen and Thorvald Stoltenberg on Thursday to discuss proposed maps of a divided Bosnia, said sources close to the talks.

The mediators presented detailed Serb-Croat proposals that would give Muslims 30 percent of the land, Serbs 53 percent and Croats 17 percent, a Bosnian delegation member said.

But Izetbegovic demanded more territory for the Muslims, who have been pushed back to about 10 percent of Bosnia. The Serbs control 70 percent of Bosnia, and Croats the rest.

Bosnia's civil war has left up to 200,000 people dead or missing and more than 2 million people homeless.

Izetbegovic reluctantly agreed a week ago to partition Bosnia, but when he stalled on discussing borders for the three mini-states — Serb, Croat and Muslim — Mladic moved in on Bjelasnica and Igman.

Izetbegovic then boycotted the talks. The United States, meanwhile, pressured NATO allies into threatening the air strikes.

Washington is cautioning Izetbegovic not to be emboldened by the threat of air strikes.

At least eight confirmed dead as explosions rip Chinese city

The Associated Press

HONG KONG — Firefighters used powdered cement today to extinguish a huge blaze caused by two explosions in the southern Chinese city of Shenzhen. At least eight people were killed and more than 100 were injured.

More than 24 hours after the disaster in Shenzhen, the centerpiece of China's economic liberalization program, rescue workers were still searching through rubble and no final official death toll was available.

Reports said as many as 70 people may have been killed and up to 1,000 injured in the blasts, which blew out a crater about 300 feet wide.

Shenzhen government spokeswoman Sun Jing said eight people, including two deputy police chiefs, were confirmed dead and more than 100 were hospitalized. Lan Yuechun, another spokesman, said earlier that 160 were injured, including 11 critically.

"The situation is unclear," Lan said. "We are still counting because the fire was only recently put out."

Vice Premier Zou Jiahua arrived by plane from Beijing today to survey the wreckage, he said. Shenzhen is the city where China's drive toward capitalism began, and in less than two decades has blossomed from a village to a showcase of the Communist regime's experiment with a market economy.

Thursday's explosions reportedly were sparked by a discharge of nitric acid at the Anmao Dangerous Goods Shipping and Storage Co., a warehouse park in the city of about 2.5 million people on the Hong Kong border.

The China-run Hong Kong China News Agency said earlier that 70 people were feared dead, mostly firefighters and police killed by the second, much larger explosion when a natural gas reservoir blew up.

Reports from official Chinese newspapers put the total number of injured at more than 1,000. The

China News Service said blood supplies were flown in by helicopter from the provincial capital, Canton.

Firefighters, guided by helicopters, used powdered cement to smother the flames, Lan said in a telephone interview. At least 200 firefighters, police and soldiers were called in and took more than 15 hours to put out the blaze, he said.

A reporter with the China-run Wen Wei Po newspaper said the fires at one point covered an area as big as 20 football fields.

Lan said farmers around the explosion site had been warned not to draw well water for fear it was contaminated. Environmental officials were planning to test the area later in the day, he said.

Authorities in British-controlled Hong Kong offered help. Though the assistance was not needed, the offer was significant because Hong Kong reverts to Chinese sovereignty in 1997, and many fear a bumpy transition.

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Herald National Weather
The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Saturday, Aug. 7.

Perman Basin Weather
Saturday: Mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms. High around 90. Low in the mid 60s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph.
Sunday: Mostly sunny and fair. Low around 70. High in the mid 90s.
Monday: Mostly sunny and fair. Low around 70. High in the mid to upper 90s.

Oil/Markets

October cotton futures is \$56.05, down 45; September crude oil \$17.36, down 21; cash hog is steady at 47.25; slaughter steers is steady at 75.50; August live hog futures 49.05; down 7; August live cattle futures 76.40, up 58 at 10:00 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

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Amoco	53%		-%
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Vote

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Ortiz, whose district has a large military presence, said he requested no concessions but noted: "This is a very crucial vote, and all I know is Mr. Clinton will be naming the next base closure commission."

The dissenting Democrats said they couldn't endorse a package they considered too short on spending cuts and too long on tax increases.

"Before we ask Americans to pay higher taxes, Congress must prove it is willing to make major cuts in spending," said Waco Democrat Chet Edwards.

He didn't oppose the plan lightly. "I'm a big boy and this is a major vote and I would expect the president and the leadership will reward those who stayed with them on the vote," said Edwards, also courted by Clinton, Bentsen and Aspin.

Edwards was one of seven Texas Democrats who voted against the original budget package last May. Of

the seven, two — Sarpalius and Charlie Wilson of Lufkin — endorsed the measure Thursday.

Wilson, whose East Texas district is home to a bevy of petrochemical manufacturers, was soothed when the unpopular BTU tax was replaced with a more modest 4.3 cent gasoline tax increase.

The gas tax, projected to cost the typical household \$30 to \$50 more a year, was one reason Sulphur Springs Democrat Jim Chapman voted against the plan. "I still have a problem with the regressivity of the gas tax and its unfair impact on specific places like my district," he said.

Joining Edwards and Chapman in opposition were Democrats Charles Stenholm of Stamford; Ralph Hall of Rockwall; Pete Geren of Fort Worth; and Greg Laughlin of West Columbia.

Stenholm, a leader of conservative Democrats, reluctantly voted for the package last time, but voiced his opposition when additional spending restraints weren't imposed.

Deaths

Julie Gillihan
Julie Jacqueline Gillihan, 37, Irving, formerly of Big Spring, died Thursday, Aug. 5, 1993, in Irving.

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

Omar Pitman Sr.
Omar Pitman, Sr., 91, McAllen, died Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1993.

Graveside services will be 10 a.m. Monday, at Mount Olive Cemetery, Big Spring, with the Rev. Omar Pitman Jr., officiating. Masonic services under the auspices of the Staked Plain Lodge #598 A.F. & A.M. Arrangements by Porter Loring Mor-

tuary, 1101 McCullough, San Antonio.

Mr. Pitman was born in Meridian. He grew up in Big Spring, graduating from Big Spring High where he was elected to the Football Hall of Fame. He and his wife, the late Daphne, owned and operated Pitman's Jewelry and Gift Shop for 32 years. Following his retirement, they lived in San Antonio where she preceded him in 1971. He married Helen Buell of McAllen in 1973. She preceded him in 1990. He was a member of the Staked Plains Lodge #598 A.F. & A.M.

Survivors include one son, the Rev. Omar Pitman Jr., San Antonio; one daughter, Mrs. Christian M. Lohner, Corpus Christi; one stepdaughter, Mrs. James Henderson; one stepson, Richard Buell; both of McAllen; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and five step-grandchildren.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL
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Bruce (Oly) Olson, 50, died Tuesday. Services will be 2:00 P.M., Saturday at Goodfellow Air Force Base Chapel.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel
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Ione Nelda Howell, 79, died Wednesday. Graveside services will be 10:00 A.M. Saturday at Trinity Memorial Park.
Julie Jacqueline Gillihan, 37, died Thursday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Little responds to council complaints

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

City requests for cleaner water now is being heard by water board members representing Big Spring. But what can or will be done is not decided.

"We serve at the pleasure of the city council, whatever they want, that's what the Big Spring directors do," said Jim Bill Little, one of four Big Spring representatives on the Colorado River Municipal Water District.

But Big Spring must work within water district guidelines set by member cities Odessa, Snyder and Big Spring, as indicated by Little's responses to several recent requests from the Big Spring City Council.

The requests were sent in a council letter to the water district last week.

Those requests and Little's responses are as follows:

Build a water line from Glasscock County to Big Spring to bring in cleaner water from Lake O.H. Ivie near Ballinger, the letter asks. The district should fund the project and pass costs on in water charges as it is the \$115 million line from Lake Ivie to serve Midland/Odessa. Including Big Spring would add 30 miles to the 158-mile pipeline.

"Right now there's no plans to do it, but that doesn't mean it can't be done," Little said. "Probably, their criteria would be, whether it would be needed."

Asked if need is based on population, quality of water or both, he said, "I don't know what it would be based on."

Provide maximum amount now of

cleaner water from Lake J.B. Thomas in Borden County, the council requested. Don't wait until Lake Thomas water is made available after Midland and Odessa get Lake Ivie water in 1995.

"As it becomes available, it will be put into the system," Little said.

Provide the maximum amount of water from the O'Barr well field southwest of town, it was requested. The city would need to put in a water line from Comanche Trail Park to the water plant, said Councilman Mark Sheedy. Use could be intermittent, so the wells won't dry up. It would eventually improve quality, he believes.

"The well field is not a stable source of water," Little said. "Its output would be very minor."

Give a price break on polluted

water from Lake Spence at Robert Lee, the council asked. Lake Spence water contains as much as three times the state standard for chloride - used to measure salt content. It's not fair that Big Spring's paying the same price as other cities getting district water, but is water of lesser quality.

"That'll pretty well be an impossibility," Little said. "The city is not paying us for the water, they're paying us for the capital expenditures and cost of containing the water." Decreasing a charge for one city would be unfair to other cities.

The letter also requested a town hall meeting to discuss water quality and what the water district is doing about it.

"We'd certainly be glad to have one," Little said.

Tejano award winner to perform Sunday

MARTHA E. FLORES
Regional Editor

Tejano Music Awards Male Entertainer of the Year Emilio Navaira will perform in Big Spring Sunday.

The concert will be at 5 p.m. in the Big Spring Amphitheater. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Spaces can be reserved for \$3 and children under 12 will be admitted free with parents.

"I want this to be a family concert," said Raul Marquez, La Favorita program manager and concert coordinator. "Food and drinks will be sold. I want people to feel they can bring

their family and enjoy an evening at the park listening to good music."

The award-winning performer, whose awards include Album of the Year Conjunto, performed at the Howard County Fair Barns last year.

"I have been working with these people to come to Big Spring for six months," Marquez said. "It is not an easy process. Hopefully, we will have a good turnout."

"There is a market here. I convinced them the amphitheater is the place to come."

Marquez has been the forerunner in bringing big name Tejano acts to

Big Spring. Among the talent that has performed locally is Mazz, a continuous Tejano award winner for more than three years; Female Entertainer of the Year Selena Quintanilla; Most Promising Band Xcelencia; and La Fiebre.

The roots of Tejano music developed from Conjunto music, originating in the South Texas in the 1930s and 1940s. Conjunto is synonymous with a distinctive accordion sound with a folk flavor. As it evolved, the music was redefined with added instrumentation.

After decades of transition with names such as Chicano music, onda

Chicana (the Chicana sound) and Tex-Mex music, the term "Tejano" was coined.

In the last decade, the popularity of the South Texas-based musical genre skyrocketed, penetrating markets throughout the United States, Mexico, Europe and the Pacific Rim.

Navaira tickets are sold at T. Marquez and Sons Radio and Television Service, Jimmy Marin's Exxon, David Dominguez One-Stop Grocery, La Favorita at KBYG and Tony Dominguez Texaco.

Houston-based band Divino will open for Navaira.

Making lake safer will cost city significantly

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

Making the city's Moss Creek Lake safer costs money and gate fees could be raised to pay for it.

Police patrols on weekends, just one idea, would cost from \$9.39 to \$22.11 an hour, depending on officers used and whether overtime is involved, according to recent figures provided by the Big Spring Police Department. Using a cross section of officers for the two 16-hour days the lake is open on weekends ranges from \$758 to \$1,137.

"It's expensive," said Mayor Tim Blackshear. "It's something we're definitely going to have to look at, but the lake's going to have to pay its own way."

Increased fees for lake attendance is being considered by the Big Spring City Council to pay for increased security. Fees are currently set at \$2 a carload. More than 8,000 vehicles enter annually, according to Councilman Chuck Cawthon. Compensating for patrol costs would add less than 15 cents a vehicle.

However, the lake is already losing

money, says city parks and recreation board member Max Coffee. It costs \$40,000 annually to operate, but brings in only \$7,000 revenue. Cawthon's figures indicate \$16,000 is generated annually, but that's still short of the break-even point.

The council is considering several measures to make the lake safer, including an alcohol ban - except by permit. Regulations on boating and fishing, as well as raising fees, are other issues. In June, because of rowdy drunkards, the lake's front gate was moved back from a nearby home at a cost of \$5,000.

The alcohol ban is by far the most controversial measure. The council in June unanimously approved one of two readings for the ban but tabled it in July for additional study, in part because of public reaction. More than 300 signatures on petitions protesting the ban proposed were collected.

Those opposed to the ban say everyone's being punished for actions of a few and lake attendance could drop with a ban. The parks board also believes attendance could drop, according to Coffee.

United Blood Services schedules two drives in Big Spring Saturday

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

To provide for West Texas hospitals' dwindling stocks of blood and blood products, United Blood Services' mobile collection unit will be in town Saturday.

Even with a smaller population than some West Texas cities, Big Spring has traditionally been a good source of blood donations, according to UBS officials in San Angelo.

The mobile collection unit will be at the Big Spring Mall from 1 to 4:30 p.m. and at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, at 508 N. Aylford, from 6 to 8 p.m.

"As many as 90 percent of all people who live to age 72 will need blood or blood products during their lives," said Janet E. Gallagher, community relations director of UBS.

"While most of us receive blood, only a few donate it," Gallagher said.

"Approximately five percent of (West Texas) population donates blood."

In times past, people could wait until blood was needed before donation, but this is not the case today, Gallagher said.

Years ago, blood was collected on demand, but was often transfused before some very important tests could be run, according to Gallagher. "Before your donation is usable for a patient, it must be fully tested, which takes between 24 and 72 hours," she said.

UBS makes blood collections almost every day across West Texas, ensuring area hospital patients are never jeopardized because of an absence of blood or blood products.

Appointments to donate blood during Saturday's drive can be made either by contacting the Big Spring Mall office or, for the Catholic church, by contacting Margie Rodriguez at 263-7884.

Police

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- Eusebio Saiz, 54, of Big Spring was arrested and charged with public intoxication.
- Juan Gilbert Hinojosa Jr., 20, of Big Spring was arrested on warrants.
- Larry Wayne Riggins, 19, of Big Spring was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated.
- Elvis Eugene Lang, 17, of Big Spring was arrested on warrants.

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Alford.

"The gentleman said he hadn't had a bowel movement in three days," Mays said. "They treated him gave him a shot, some medication. The report said he was constipated."

Almost two hours later, the prisoner was taken back to the jail, he said.

On Thursday, the group began traveling westbound on Interstate 20, according to reports.

The prisoner did not give any indication he was ill as the group traveled on the interstate for about an hour, Mays said.

"The man was lying down on the seat," he added. "They stopped when one inmate in the back said the man

fell out of the seat."

"They left the interstate and stopped at 3rd and Birdwell and called an ambulance at a pay phone," said patrol officer Victor Brake of the Big Spring Police Department.

Police and Emergency Medical Transport workers arrived on the scene at 8:42 a.m.

"They worked on him for about an hour" en route to Scenic Mountain Medical Center and in the emergency room, Brake said. "The other two prisoners were placed in our facility until such time the private company could pick them up."

The company obtained the other inmates following a death ruling, and reportedly continued their trip.

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It also boosts taxes on most profitable corporations and extends tax breaks for research and some equipment; increases tax breaks for working poor; provides more funding for food stamps, children's immunizations and family services; and promises reductions in defense and some domestic programs.

If the bill falls in the Senate, Stenholm said Congress should forgo a break scheduled to start today. "I would strongly recommend that we all go back to work Monday."

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Springboard

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ATTENTION CALENDAR USERS: Bingo listings appear on Sunday Springboard.

Today
•Need 10 people to travel with RSVP tour by bus to Washington D.C., Williamsburg, Va., and Nashville, Tenn. Oct. 12-23rd. For information call Mary Garner at 264-2397 or 267-6750.

•Friday night games of Dominoes, Forty-two, Bridge and Chickentrack from 5-8 p.m., Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn Dr. Public invited.

•Spring City Senior Center will have a Country/Western Dance from 8-11 p.m. Area seniors invited.

•Spring City Senior Center: Fashion painting classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Free. Ages 55 and older.

•Sunset tales and nature trails at the Scenic Mountain State Park. Meet at the Pavilion at 8 p.m. for trail walk; at 9 p.m. for tale talk. Fridays and Saturdays. For more information call 267-8255.

•Big Spring Model Aircraft Association will have their monthly meeting at 7 p.m., in the Bridge room at the Days Inn. For information call 263-6148 after 5 p.m.

•There will be a car wash from 8-4 p.m. at the Corral, 611-E. 3rd St. All proceeds benefit Corral's activities. \$5.00 per vehicle.

Saturday
•Spring City Senior Center will have a Country/Western Dance from 8-11 p.m. Area seniors invited.

•The West Texas Orchid Society will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Joella Olson, 5205 Leisure, Midland. For information call 699-1840.

•Howard County Coalition will be collecting aluminum cans, steel cans and bagged or boxed newspaper from 10-2 p.m. in the Big Spring Herald parking lot. Due to a change in the plastic market the Coalition can only accept "clear or green" soft drink containers and milk or water jugs. For information call Chris Pierce at 263-8744.

•The Coahoma High School class of 1973 will have a 20 year reunion today. 1972 and 1974 classes are also invited to the dance at the Big Spring Country Club from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Cost is \$5.00 per person.

•Big Spring Squares will dance at 8 p.m. in the Squarena on Chapparel Rd. For information call 267-7043 or 393-5693.

•Big Spring Humane Society will have a rummage sale from 1-4 p.m. at 4th & Galveston. Public invited.

Sunday
•The Glasscock County ISD serves meals each school day. Children may buy lunch for elementary for \$0.75 and secondary \$1.00. Breakfast is \$0.50. Children also may be eligible for free or at a reduced price. You may pick up an application in the elementary principals or secondary principals office at the school in Garden City.

Monday
•There will be gospel singing at the Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr. at 7 p.m. For information call 393-5709.

•The 2nd meeting of the Big Spring Area New Voice Club has been changed to Monday the 16th at the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, at 6:30 p.m.

•Howard County NAACP will meet at 7 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce conference room. For information call Clarence Hartfield at 267-1806.

Tuesday
•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.

•Big Spring Senior Citizen Center has ceramics classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Age 55 and older invited.

•High Adventure Explorers Post 519 will meet at 7 p.m. at the VA Medical Center, room 212. Ages 14-20.

Wednesday
•Coahoma Junior High registration and schedule pick-up will be from 1-3:30 p.m. Please bring copies of Social Security card. New students can register anytime.
•Signal Mountain Quilting Guild will take a field trip to Midland for a demonstration in fabric stenciling. For information call Polly St. Clair at 264-7107 or Jean Money at 267-1037.

•The Rap Group will meet 6-7 p.m. at the VA Medical Center, room 212. All veterans of Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama and Persian Gulf invited.



Nursery director Jeanette Mansfield watches as two youngsters work on decorating projects in East Fourth Street Baptist Church's new children's unit. The church recently furnished and decorated several rooms to hold young people from birth to preschool age.

East Fourth Baptist stems overflow with youth wing

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Features Editor

At East Fourth Street Baptist Church, children were overflowing their classroom and nursery space.

"We just had too many, and their numbers are growing all the time," said Jeanette Mansfield, nursery coordinator. Mansfield's job is now headquartered in a bright new preschool unit consisting of four rooms with individual restrooms and decorated play areas.

"There is no comparison with what we had," Mansfield said.

Church secretary Latrice Davis agreed.

"This is so nice," she said. "We had just outgrown the old rooms."

Three years ago, the church - led by the Rev. Bob Farrell - began planning construction of the unit. They resolved not to face debt because of it.

After starting a special building fund, the congregation added to it

bit by bit - including memorial gifts and special offerings.

"People really sacrificed for this," Davis said.

Space for the rooms was found in the church's 1961 addition to its historic building, which dates to 1929. Once planned for office space, the addition was thought a good fit for the children's unit.

So work began, progressing slowly at times while the congregation reached a little deeper into their pockets or pitched in with hours of donated labor. In all, \$68,650 was spent on the new area, but in many cases, time and elbow grease were free of charge.

Overseen by the church trustees and long-range planning committee, the construction project is considered a complete success.

"We couldn't have done it without what so many church members did," Davis said. "They came when they were needed."

Now families at East Fourth Street have a joyful, child-friendly place for their young ones to worship. Rooms are filled with the usual toys, tiny tables and chairs, walkers and rockers. Walls are partially carpeted for comfort, then bedecked with bright printed bands of rainbows, teddy bears and rocking horses.

Toddlers do more than play with toys during church at East Fourth Street. Their curriculum includes Bible lessons, stories, music and art projects.

At a recent vacation Bible school, children filled the new rooms. Average attendance during worship services and special programs is 20-30 children.

Mansfield, who works with three other paid childcare staffers, is excited about the new unit's possibilities.

"It's just what we need," she said.

Club News

Quilting guild features video demonstration

The Signal Mountain Quilting Guild met Friday, July 23, in the parish hall of St. Mary's Episcopal Church. There were 12 members present. The program presented was an instructional video prepared by the New England Quilting Guild. The ladies in that guild demonstrated how they selected the pattern and fabrics for a quilt to be taught in a quilting workshop.

During the business meeting, it was decided to take a field trip for the first meeting in August and attend a demonstration of fabric stenciling. The demonstration will be held at the Needle Nook in Midland. The Signal Mountain quilters will be the guests of the Midland Quilting Guild.

The second meeting in August will be a workshop on applique quilting. Jean Roberts of Midland will teach the workshop. All members are asked to bring a dish for a salad luncheon that day.

The project for the day was the Blue Star quilt that is being created by the group. The purpose of making

this quilt is to have it available to give to a deserving child who may have need of a special "comforting" quilt at a time of tragedy. When this quilt has been given away, another will be made for a similar situation.

Members present at the July meetings were Willie Campbell, Nell Clark, Maria Leahanna, Gene Puckett, Kathleen Marnien, Bridgett Marnien, Christina Batterton, Johnnie Bennett, Vevagene Williams, LaRue Deviney, Pauline Hilger, Jean Money, Polly St. Clair, Ellie Pearce, Mary Grummett and new member Edna Faye Smith.

The next meeting will be the field trip to Midland on Aug. 11.

BSSH officials honor long time volunteer

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

Big Spring State Hospital officials regret the loss of 35-year volunteer Coila "Tup" Ferguson, who is retiring and moving to Bryan.

"For 35 years, she drove the 80-mile round trip from Midland to Big Spring to help out wherever she was needed," said BSSH Director of Community Services Kathy Higgins.

Ferguson spent most Fridays in the past 35 years giving manicures and pedicures to patients. She worked in many areas of the hospital, always in direct patient contact, according to Higgins.

"It will be difficult to replace her caring and devotion, and her quiet manner of handling whatever she was asked to do," said BSSH Superintendent Robert von Rosenberg. "Tup has a rapport with patients that is therapeutic, and in a beautiful and quiet way, she touches their lives."

"We can never express our appreciation to her for the many years of service she has given to us at BSSH," von Rosenberg said.

"She assisted in giving and teaching facial techniques," Higgins said. "She took patients on shopping trips, on walks. She worked on the information desk and she was the first volunteer to participate in the Adopt-A-Patient program. When her jobs were finished, there was always a patient waiting to play a game of dominoes with her."

Ferguson also performed many of her 17,000 volunteer hours serving on various hospital committees. She served on the Capital Improvement Committee, responsible for construction of the Tollett All Faith Chapel; and on the first Public Responsibility Committee, which began at BSSH and later was adopted by the state for use system-wide.

Ferguson organized a volunteer group called the Midland Auxiliary, to serve BSSH patients, and she was officially recognized by the Governor's Office in 1982 for her volunteer services. She was honored numerous times by BSSH for her volunteer efforts.

God has always given everyone power of choice

By BILLY PATTON
Birdwell Lane Church of Christ

Genesis 2:15-17: "Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it. And the LORD God commanded the man, saying, 'Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die.'"

God gave, and has always given, people the power of choice. Every person of sound mind has the power, ability, intellectual and reasoning faculties to make their own choices. Each person can choose directions to go, attitudes to live with, choose behavior that is right and/or wrong. You cannot always choose the consequences, but you can choose the actions you take. You cannot always avoid the results of choices made, but each person still has the right of choice and is accountable to God for actions taken - and in some cases action not taken.

God has given to human begins the ability to think and reason. God has given absolute control to us over only one thing - the ability to control our thoughts and attitudes. But he has not given us the authority, right and control over all the consequences, rewards and punishments resulting from our thoughts, attitudes and actions... that prerogative belongs only to God.

God has stated, explained and stipulated his requirements for us, but he will not force anyone to submit and/or obey his law, will and commands. That choice is left up to each person. And each person does indeed make a choice (even procrastination is a choice). We exercise the ability to choose to obey or disobey, submit or rebel, respond or ignore. And every person is answerable to God for that choice.

God, in the creation process, made the normal healthy brain with the capacity and function to think accurately. The mind is a person's greatest asset. One must separate fact from non-fact, bring forth facts that prove conclusions, and give logical reasoning from the conclusions drawn. One must separate fact from fiction and separate facts into two classes: important and unimportant. And all information received must be searched for accuracy. One thing is true: You sow a thought and you reap an act, sow an act and you reap a habit, sow a habit and you reap character, sow character and you reap a destiny. There can be no fixed price on the value of accurate organized thinking.

All of this is to say: (1) "Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter:



"No one's choice changes God's standard of right and wrong, nor the consequences."

fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. For God will bring every work into judgment, including every secret thing, whether it is good or whether it is evil." (Ecclesiastes 12:13, 14) (2) "For it is written: 'As I live, says the LORD, every knee shall bow to Me, and every tongue shall confess to God.' So then each of us shall give account of himself to God." (Romans 14:11, 12).

What choice have you made? What choices are you making? What choices are you going to make? Sometimes people blame others in an effort to eliminate their own feelings of guilt. At times people find what they feel justifies their sinful actions, therefore think they have the right to sin. But the fact remains that sin is always sin. There is never a time when sin is not sin if God said it is sin. Sin is a transgression of God's law (1st John 3:4), and God's law is absolute and will forever remain unchanged. If it was sin once it will be sin the next time. No human being has the power or right to change God's law or change sin so that it will no longer be sin. Every person will be judged by what God's word actually says (John 12:47-50), like it or not, choose to obey it or not. The choice is yours, the consequences are not, consequences are fixed by the choice and they come based upon chosen actions.

Society nor culture determine what is sin and what sin is, and neither established the consequences or punishment of sin. Human desires, wishes, authority, and position do not determine the right to set aside God's law - it is forever established and settled in Heaven (Psalm 119:89). A million or a billion people cannot demand God change his law and thus force him to do so - it remains the same. Even if everyone in the world joined hands and hearts and said, "We will choose to live the way we want to live and God will just have to accept it" - it will not change one thing within the law of God, or God's mind about the matter. No one's choice changes God's standard of right and wrong, nor the consequences. Just because society says something is sin or not sin, this does not make it right or wrong - only God can do that. We have the right of choice but not the right of changing God's laws.



PATTON



Message to churches
Pro-life speaker and former abortion provider Carol Everett spoke to a crowd of supporters at Trinity Baptist Church last weekend. It was among several engagements the anti-abortion movement activist had planned during a visit to the community sponsored by West Texans for Life.

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Church's first black pastor

The Rev. Curtis Hayes, the first black pastor of a predominately white congregation at the United Methodist Church in Abilene, poses for a picture. Previously, Hayes had been a high school speech teacher, a Baptist and a non-denominational missionary in Africa.

Russians move to curb invasion create protest

The Associated Press

Questions, alarm and uncertainty have arisen about a new measure passed by the Russian parliament that would restrict religious activities by foreigners who now swarm that land with their varied messages. But the anxiety was tempered somewhat Thursday when President Yeltsin reportedly asked changes.

The potential new regulations have evoked keen concern from Western church leaders, ranging from denunciations to inquiries about the implications.

"Religious liberty is at stake," said Don Kammerdiener, executive vice president of the Southern Baptist Foreign Missions Board, calling the move a "step back toward the totalitarian control of the communist era."

The Rev. Joan B. Campbell, general secretary of the National Council of Churches, including most major Protestant denominations, asked Russian church leaders what the measure would do to "our longstanding partnership."

Rabbi Arthur Schneier, president of the interfaith Appeal of Conscience Foundation, said much would "depend on how the legislation is enforced," but "any statute that restricts religious freedom... is a setback and cause for apprehension."

The legislation is an amendment to a 1990 law that guaranteed religious freedom and ended seven decades of communist repression. Yeltsin this week declined to sign it, objecting to a provision barring foreign missionaries, U.S. sources said.

But it had passed parliament overwhelmingly, and Baptist Press said it would become law if approved twice more. It could be revived when parliament reconvenes this fall.

It would require that foreign church workers be attached to Russian churches, or else obtain special accreditation from the state, authorizing it to determine what other religions are permitted on Russian soil.

The legislation, which passed parliament July 14 with only one dissenting vote, was seen as a backlash against the torrent of religious groups that have flooded Russia in its new era of freedom.

An estimated 1,000 religious orga-

nizations of all sorts have thronged the country — a stream of American evangelists, Mormon missionaries and groups such as Hare Krishna devotees and disciples of Sun Myung Moon.

Leaders of the Russian Orthodox Church, long the dominant faith there, have been highly critical of the current religious free-for-all, accusing it of divisive proselytizing and spreading confusion.

Russian Orthodoxy has supported the restrictive measure. But opposition has come from Russian Protestant churches such as Baptists and Seventh-day Adventists which also have endured through years of communist persecution.

Western church voices, as well as

protests of several U.S. Congressmen, were raised against the possible new restrictions.

The Rev. James Dunn, executive director of the Baptist Joint Committee, representing eight Baptist denominations in Washington, said Baptists are "shocked and alarmed" by the proposed restrictions.

He said they would empower the state "to evaluate theological doctrines and to sanction and control religious organizations," reversing recent advances in religious freedom.

In a milder reaction, the United Methodist mission executive said the measure restricting outside groups was not likely to alter dramatically United Methodism's cooperative ministries with Russian Christians.

Church News

Wesley UMW plans upcoming bazaar

The United Methodist Women of Wesley United Methodist Church met Tuesday with President Sue Born presiding.

The opening prayer was worded by Geri Smith. The minutes were read by Nita Taylor, secretary and Ms. Smith gave the treasurer's report. Reports were given on the birthday party and picnic sponsored for units of the Big Spring State Hospital.

The upcoming bazaar to be held in Memorial Hall on Saturday, Oct. 16, was discussed. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Hours for the bazaar are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tickets for the meal will be \$4 for adults and \$2.50 for children 10 and under. Monies from the bazaar and meal will go to outreach missions.

After business was completed, Wavie White led the group in a study on dreams taken from the book entitled "Something More" by Catherine Marshall. Sylvia Lovelace shared two dreams from the Bible taken from 1 Kings Chapter 3 and Matthew 1-18-25. Dot Anderson shared two dreams quoted by Catherine Marshall.

The meeting closed with the friendship circle and the repeating of the Lord's Prayer.

Refreshments were served by the Lydia Circle to fourteen members.

Church welcomes new pastor, wife

The College Park Church of God, 603 Tulane, welcomed a new pastor recently: the Rev. and Mrs. J.W. Hill, who come to Big Spring from Weatherford.

Rev. Hill will have his first service this Sunday morning. The Hills come to the church from the field of evangelism. He serves his church as state evangelist for the Church of God.

A long time pastor and evangelist who has held numerous positions at the state administrative level, the Rev. Hill has served on the State

Council for eight years, State Home Mission Board eight years, District Pastor for 16 years, and as a State Trustee for 16 years.

Hill began his theology at Hockley County Junior College (Bible Chair) in Levelland, and then moved to the Church of God Bible School known as Lee College in Cleveland, Tenn. Rev. Hill took correspondence courses in 1960 and moved to Fort Worth as a pastor in 1961. Hill finished his theology studies in 1973 with Universal Bible Institute.

The Hills have five children, four of them living in the Dallas/Fort Worth area.

Outreach Aglow slates luncheon for Aug. 11

Big Spring Outreach Aglow will sponsor its monthly Harvest Luncheon from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 11, at the LaPosada Restaurant. The Mexican buffet from 11 a.m. to noon, is priced at \$5.75. Sandy Cox will discuss "Letting Go and Letting God" following the meal.

A resident of Big Spring since 1959, Mrs. Cox and her husband, Dewain, have three children and two grandchildren. She works at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Special music will be presented by her daughter-in-law, Kim Cox. All ladies are invited to attend and bring a friend.

First Nazarene pastor return from assembly

Gary Smith, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene, and his family will be returning next week from a combined trip to the denomination's General Assembly, followed by a vacation in Washington, D.C., West Virginia and Tennessee.

In the pastor's absence, the church has been treated to sermons from a variety of speakers. Last Sunday morning, Dr. J.D. Bilbro completed a three-part series on the 23rd Psalm, highlighted with insights from the book "A Shepherd Looks at the 23rd Psalm." Next Sunday, Jerry McGuire of Midland will fill the pulpit for morning and evening services.

After last Sunday evening's service, the Senior Adult Ministry enjoyed its monthly meeting with refreshments of watermelon and cantaloupe and a program provided by Don Williams who displayed his collection of Native American artifacts.

The church's youth group and its sponsors are in the Dallas/Fort Worth area this weekend to spend a day at Wet 'n' Wild and to view the play "The Promise."

The singles group will meet Aug. 17 at 7 p.m. for a hot dog roast at Scenic Mountain State Park.

All area pastors have received information in the mail about the "Turning Point" seminar to be held in the Fellowship Hall of the Nazarene Church Aug. 27-28 (Friday evening from 7 p.m. to 9:30, and Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.).

All members of the community who feel a special calling or gift to help hurting people are invited to ask their pastor or church office about the seminar and make plans to attend.

"Turning Point" is designed to equip pastors and laity to help people struggling with life controlling problems, which may be anything from overeating or pride to alcohol or drugs. The ministry of any church could be enhanced by having several or many of its members furnished with this information.

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Amateurs give drag boat racing bright future

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

Professional drag boat racers from Texas and beyond have flocked to Big Spring for this weekend's West Texas Drag Boat Races and Lakefest at Moss Lake. Don't forget, though - there's a slower but equally intriguing group out there:

The lake racers.

The professionals can run at speeds exceeding 200 mph, but the lake racers - the amateurs - are prohibited from going faster than 100 mph.

"If an amateur can go faster than 100 miles an hour, it's time for them to move up to the pros," said Robert Sanders, race director. "There was a time when some of the amateurs were going so fast they were beating pros, and that's when the rule was

made."

The Southern Drag Boat Association never liked the idea of inviting amateur competition, Sanders said, but that changed in Big Spring. Sanders, a member of the SDBA's board of directors, decided to invite lake racers to the first West Texas Drag Boat Races and Lakefest in 1990, and 28 amateur racers showed up to compete.

The high number of amateur racers was exciting enough, but an even better number was 13 - that's about how many of those amateurs became SDBA professionals within the next year, Sanders said.

The SDBA had to take notice.

"Twelve or 13 of those lake racers joined the Southern Drag Boat Association - they just made their boats better and joined the pro classes, because of this race," Sanders

"I invite everyone I can who has a boat to come out to the lake, race, and just have a good time. Those are the future racers, they are the people we need. When guys like me get tired or burned out and leave, we'll still have people coming up."

Robert Sanders

said. "The next year, we had 28 lake racers again, even with all of the others having gone pro.

"We had a lot of lookers that first year

that really felt intimidated to come. I think once they saw those amateurs in the water, they said, 'Shoot, I can do that,' and they came out the next year.

"After that first year," Sanders continued, "the SDBA saw what was happening, and the next race they had they invited the lake racers."

Rick Morrow, who has raced drag boats professionally for 10 years, warns prospective lake racers, though. It's not as easy as it may look. Still, Morrow said lake racing is the way to get started.

"That's where we started out, too, was racing a lake boat," he said. "But people have to realize - it's a lot harder out there on the water than it is on the bank. I've seen people say they've got a boat that can go 100 miles an hour, then they get out there, barely go 60 and say there's something

wrong with the clock. They don't realize how much horsepower it takes to go 100 miles an hour."

Advancements in safety features have made life easier for lake racers, Sanders said, and he expects a large turnout tomorrow at Moss Lake for qualifying. At each drag boat race Sanders goes to during the season, he personally invites any amateurs he can find to come to Big Spring for this race. As exciting and as talented as the professionals are, Sanders said the lake racer may be the most important person in drag boat racing.

"I invite everyone I can who has a boat to come out to the lake, race, and just have a good time," he said. "Those are the future racers, they are the people we need. When guys like me get tired or burned out and leave, we'll still have people coming up."

Texas topples Chicago

By The Associated Press

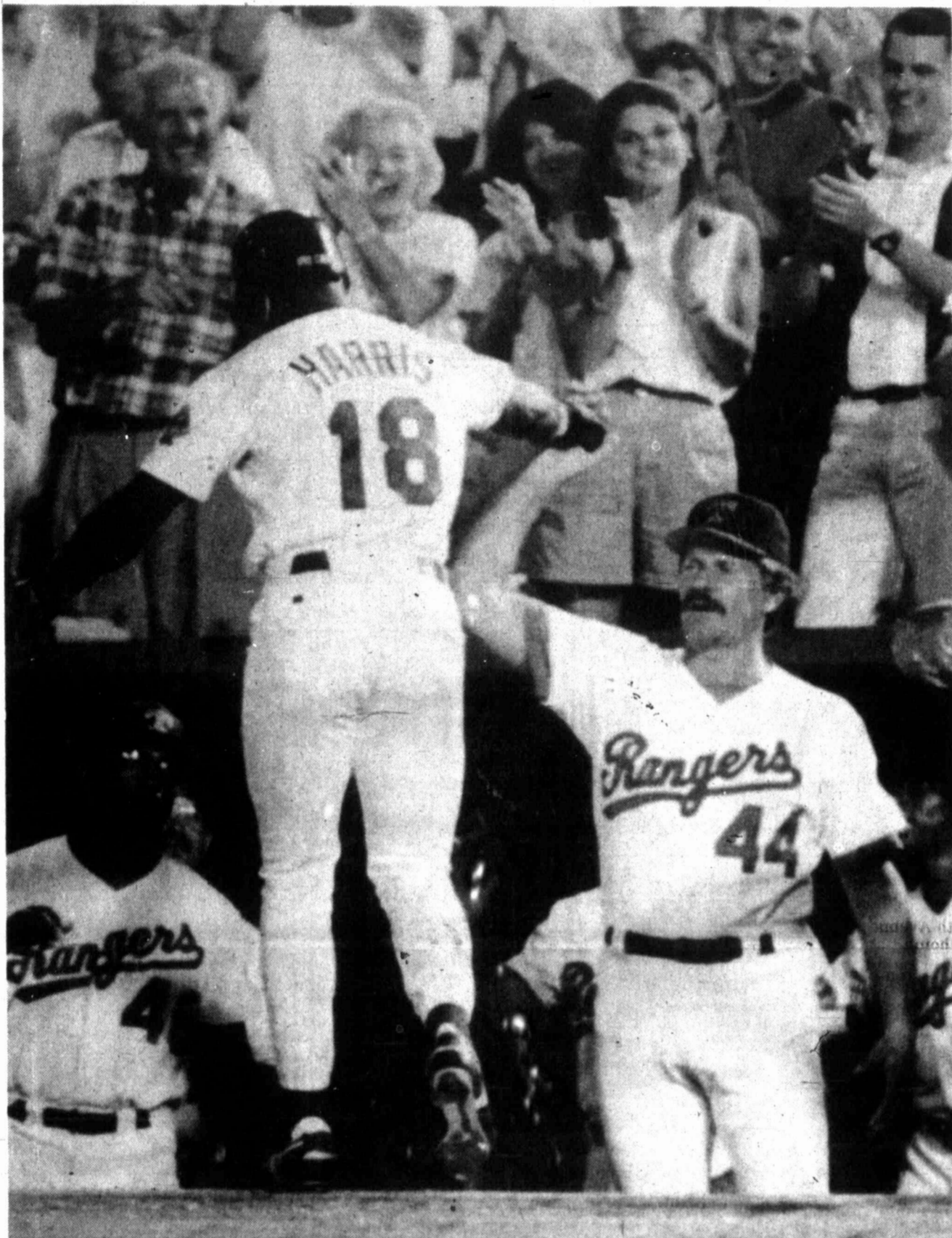
A day after Nolan Ryan beat up Robin Ventura, the Texas Rangers again beat the Chicago White Sox.

Ivan Rodriguez hit a tiebreaking two-run double and drove in four runs, leading the Rangers past Chicago 7-1 Thursday night. Texas took three of four in the series at Arlington Stadium and closed within 4 1/2 games of the AL West leaders.

Tim Belcher (0-1) gave up four runs on seven hits in seven innings. He was 9-6 for the Cincinnati Reds before they traded him on July 31.

Kevin Brown (9-7) struck out eight in 7 2-3 innings. Cris Carpenter, acquired last month in a trade with Florida, got his first AL save.

Rodriguez, 15-for-26 in his last nine games, put Texas ahead 3-1 with a two-run double in the sixth. Donald Harris hit a solo homer in the seventh, and he and Rodriguez had RBI singles in the eighth.



Donald Harris (18) of the Texas Rangers is congratulated by manager Kevin Kennedy after he hit a solo home run against the Chicago White Sox Thursday. Texas won 7-1 to move within 4 1/2 games of the first-place White Sox.

Orioles 3

Brewers 1

Ben McDonald won his fifth straight start at Camden Yards and Baltimore finished off a four-game sweep.

McDonald (9-9) gave up eight hits, walked none and struck out four in his second complete game. He has a 2.14 ERA at home, best in the AL.

Yankees 5

Blue Jays 4

Paul O'Neill homered in the sixth inning to tie the score, then had an RBI grounder in the seventh that helped New York salvage a four-game split with Toronto.

A crowd of 52,493, the largest since opening day at Yankee Stadium, saw New York beat the Blue Jays for the second straight day.

Red Sox 2

Twins 1

Frank Viola won at the Metrodome for the first time, and Boston won for the 31st time in the last 40 games.

Viola (7-8) is 2-1 against Minnesota since the Twins traded him to the New York Mets in 1989. He gave up

four singles in seven innings, and Jeff Russell worked the ninth for his 30th save.

Angels 5

Royals 4

Chili Davis homered and drove in four runs, leading California over visiting Kansas City.

Davis hit a three-run shot, his 16th, in the second inning and singled home a run in the seventh. He has 800 career RBI, and leads all

designated hitters with 82 RBIs this season.

Mariners 3

Athletics 2

Dave Fleming won his seventh straight decision and Norm Charlton earned a save in his first appearance since coming off the disabled list as Seattle won at Oakland.

Fleming (7-1) allowed two runs on six hits in seven innings. He set career highs with eight strikeouts

Indians 8

Tigers 4

Wayne Kirby, hitting leadoff because of an injury to Kenny Lofton, had a bases-loaded triple that sent Cleveland past Detroit.

The Tigers have lost four of five overall and two of three at Cleveland. They are 6-15 since the All-Star break.

Division leaders win; Dodgers down Astros

By The Associated Press

Only 17 days (maybe) until the NL West divisional race heats up.

There hasn't been much pennant race excitement in the Senior Circuit this summer, especially in the West. The San Francisco Giants have been in first place since May 11, and their lead hasn't dipped below six games since June 11.

In the East, the Philadelphia Phillies have been in first since Opening Day, and their lead hasn't been less than three games since April 27.

The Giants and the second-place Atlanta Braves still have six games remaining against each other - three at Candlestick Park on Aug. 23-25, three at Fulton County Stadium from Aug. 31 to Sept. 2.

Until then, the Braves will have to keep trying to whittle away the

Giants' lead. They didn't have any luck Thursday night, losing 10-4 to the Philadelphia Phillies a few hours after the Giants beat the San Diego Padres 5-3.

San Francisco's lead now stands at 8 1/2 games.

Mets 12

Expos 9

At Montreal, the Expos rallied from a 9-1 deficit and tied the game 9-all, but the Mets rallied in the 13th against John Wetteland (7-2).

Dodgers 5

Astros 2

At Houston, Los Angeles got its second straight victory at the Astrodome after 11 consecutive defeats, prompting a Lasorda-esque quote from the Dodgers' manager. "It's like a woman having a baby,"

Tom Lasorda said. "After the nine months are over and she's had the baby, she doesn't remember the agony. She's just glad it's over."

Giants 5

Padres 3

At San Diego, Will Clark homered twice and Bill Swift (16-5) tied teammate John Burkett for the NL lead in wins. Dave Martinez and Matt Williams also homered for San Francisco.

Tony Gwynn, who went 6-for-7 on Wednesday, had his 1,996th career

hit - a two-run homer to right in the fourth.

Cardinals 16

Marlins 6

At St. Louis, Rene Arocha pitched the first complete game of his career and was supported by a season-high 19-hit barrage.

Brian Jordan had four hits and Tom Pagnozzi, Todd Zeile and Bernard Gilkey each had three. The Cardinals also received nine walks and batted around in the fourth and fifth innings, scoring nine runs to blow the game open.

Briefs

BSHS tennis tryouts start Wednesday

Anyone interested in playing tennis at Big Spring High School this fall should be at the Figure Seven Tennis Center in Comanche Trail Park at 10 a.m. Wednesday. For more information, call 263-2275.

Steers schedule scrimmage

The Big Spring High School football team will host a scrimmage with Lamesa on Thursday, Aug. 19.

The junior varsity scrimmage will start at 6 p.m., with the varsity to follow at 7:30. The public is welcome free of charge.

Volleyball practice starts Monday

Two-a-day workouts for the Big Spring High School volleyball team start Monday.

All players should be at the 7-9 a.m. workout. Players will be divided into the following groups for the afternoon workouts:
All setters - 1 p.m.
Freshmen - 1:30 - 3 p.m.
Sophomores - 2:30 - 4 p.m.
Juniors and Seniors - 4:30 - 6 p.m.

Stanton honors star athlete

Tuesday will be Jeremy Stallings Day in Stanton.

Stallings, who graduated from Stanton High School this year, placed third at the Junior Pan-American Track and Field Championships in Winnipeg, Canada in the 800-meter run on July 17.

Tickets to a lunch in Stallings' honor are available for \$5. Reservations for the lunch must be made by noon Monday by calling the office of Martin County Judge Bob Deavenport (756-2231).

This summer the Amarillo Globe News named Stallings as the Outstanding Track Athlete in Texas. He will attend the University of Florida on a full track scholarship.

SPORTS EXTRA

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	63	47	.573	—
Boston	61	47	.565	1
New York	62	48	.564	1
Baltimore	59	49	.546	3
Detroit	54	56	.495	8 1/2
Cleveland	51	57	.472	11
Milwaukee	42	65	.393	19 1/2

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	59	48	.551	—
Kansas City	55	53	.509	4 1/2
Texas	55	53	.509	4 1/2
Seattle	53	55	.491	6 1/2
California	50	57	.467	9
Minnesota	45	60	.429	13
Oakland	45	60	.429	13

Wednesday's Games

Oakland 5, Seattle 4
Detroit 8, Cleveland 3
New York 6, Toronto 2
Baltimore 8, Milwaukee 6
Boston 5, Minnesota 4
Texas 5, Chicago 2
Kansas City 3, California 2

Thursday's Games

New York 5, Toronto 4
Boston 2, Minnesota 1
Cleveland 8, Detroit 4
Seattle 3, Oakland 2
California 5, Kansas City 4
Baltimore 3, Milwaukee 1
Texas 7, Chicago 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	69	40	.633	—
St. Louis	62	46	.574	6 1/2
Montreal	58	51	.532	11
Chicago	54	53	.505	14
Pittsburgh	50	59	.459	19
Florida	45	63	.417	23 1/2
New York	38	70	.352	30 1/2

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	73	36	.670	—
Atlanta	65	45	.591	8 1/2
Los Angeles	56	51	.523	16
Cincinnati	57	54	.514	17

Houston	55	53	.509	17 1/2
San Diego	42	67	.385	31
Colorado	36	72	.333	36 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh 6, Chicago 5
Montreal 3, New York 1
Cincinnati 9, Colorado 3
Atlanta 9, Philadelphia 8
Los Angeles 4, Houston 2
St. Louis 10, Florida 2
San Diego 11, San Francisco 10, 12 innings

Thursday's Games

Cincinnati 11, Colorado 4
Los Angeles 5, Houston 2
New York 12, Montreal 9, 13 innings
Pittsburgh 5, Chicago 2
San Francisco 5, San Diego 3
Philadelphia 10, Atlanta 4
St. Louis 16, Florida 6

TEXAS LEAGUE

Second Half

Eastern Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Shreveport (Giants)	24	19	.558	—
Jackson (Astros)	21	21	.500	2 1/2
Arkansas (Cards)	20	22	.476	3 1/2
Tulsa (Rangers)	19	24	.442	5

Western Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
El Paso (Brewers)	28	16	.636	—
Midland (Angels)	24	20	.545	4
Wichita (Padres)	20	24	.455	8
San Antonio (Dodgers)	17	27	.386	11

Thursday's Games

El Paso 10, Midland 1
Wichita 8, San Antonio 4
Shreveport 6, Jackson 4, 10 innings
Tulsa at Arkansas, ppd., rain

Friday's Games

El Paso at Midland
Wichita at San Antonio
Jackson at Shreveport
Tulsa at Arkansas, 2

Saturday's Games

El Paso at Midland
Wichita at San Antonio
Jackson at Shreveport
Tulsa at Arkansas, 2

Sunday's Games

El Paso at Midland
Wichita at San Antonio
Jackson at Shreveport

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Jacqueline Bigar - Horoscope

FOR SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 1993

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Maintain a steady course of action despite interference. Follow your instincts but realize you might have to defer to a relative. Use your ability to negotiate to find a midpoint. Worry less about what others think. Tonight: Make it happen. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You might be more comfortable if you distance yourself from immediate problems. When exhaustion hits, take the day off and get out of town. Feel free not to respond to calls or news from a distance. Tonight: Keep up the vanishing act. **

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are going full steam ahead when suddenly a friend or loved one on whom you depend lets you down. Make it a "people day" in which you join friends and indulge loved ones. Tonight: Wherever you are, the party is. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Bring others together for a barbecue or other fun event. Count on juggling many elements to keep things in sync. Be more aware of a partner's needs. Tonight: Take the lead. ***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Ideas are nearly as abundant as activities today. Recognize your limits, don't try to cover all bases. Make plans for a trip or excursion. Choose the unusual. A foreigner or stranger could have impact on your choices. Tonight: Movie, play or concert. ***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You could be disappointed by someone's response. Loosen up and be less demanding of others. Creative brainstorming with an associate opens up a new door. Your instincts are right about a money matter. Tonight: You are in the mood for togetherness. ***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Another is calling the shots today. Let go and relinquish the need to be in control. Deal with variables as they show up. A jealous family member may be causing upheaval. Tonight: Giggle the night away. ***

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Make the best out of potential changes. You might be involved in a misunderstanding, so stay cool and let the facts come out. Make time to complete an important work-related project. Another lets you know how much you are respected. Tonight: Make a must appearance. ***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Use your ingenuity to get past financial restrictions. Your playful side emerges, and a child is clearly drawn to you. Indulge in a hobby. Tonight: Let it all hang out. ***

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You can either resist changes or flow with them. You'll feel much better if you let go. Being honest and sincere with a partner helps you move through a problem. Tonight: Rent a movie. ***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): It could be an exciting day. Talks build a better sense of trust and allow you to overcome insecurities. Plan to visit with friends and catch up on news. Tonight: Put your best foot forward. ***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You fear that you don't have enough money to accomplish what you want. Let go of previous restrictions and allow yourself to get more in touch with your potential. Be imaginative in dealing with a friend. Tonight: Whatever you want. ***

IF AUGUST 7 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: Plan to break new ground this year. Be receptive to offers of travel or education. A foreigner could play a significant role in your year. Your daily life will be hectic but happy, with plenty of opportunities to meet new people and broaden your horizons. Family will become a priority by winter, when a new option is likely to pop up. Be an explorer. ARIES cheers you along.

THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

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I WAS RATHER SMALL AS A CHILD. HOW SMALL WERE YOU? INSTEAD OF THE STORK, I WAS DELIVERED BY A SPARROW.

GASOLINE ALLEY

Got him! OK! Explain yourself! The dinos went wild! Why were you hitting them with a metal detector? Testing their mettle?

BEETLE BAILEY

MY WIFE SAYS I NEVER LISTEN TO ANYONE... YOUR WIFE EVER TELL YOU THAT? AMOS! I'M NOT MARRIED! MINE, TOO! ALL THE TIME! I'VE NEVER BEEN MARRIED! I GUESS IT'S SOMETHING ALL HUSBANDS FACE

SNUFFY SMITH

THEN SAIRY FLOUNCED IN WEARIN' A PAIR OF YALLER STILTED SHOES, A OSTRICH PLUME HAT AN'...

PEANUTS

DID YOU KNOW OUR NAME IS IN THE PHONE BOOK? SEE? THERE'S OUR NAME, OUR ADDRESS AND OUR PHONE NUMBER... YOU NEVER TOLD ME WE WERE FAMOUS.

WIZARD OF ID

MY CLIENT PLEADS TEMPORARY INSANITY! THAT'S TOUGH... HE COULD HAVE PICKED ANY ATTORNEY

CALVIN AND HOBBS

NOW THIS IS SUPPOSED TO LOOK LIKE A CODED MESSAGE FROM ME TO YOU, BUT WELL LEAVE IT FOR SUSIE TO FIND. OBVIOUSLY, THE CODE WILL HAVE TO BE EASY TO BREAK, SO SHE CAN READ THE DISINFORMATION WE'RE GIVING HER. HOW ABOUT IF WE WRITE BACKWARDS? YEAH, THAT'S GOOD! GOSH, I HOPE SUSIE'S NOT TOO DUMB TO FIGURE THIS OUT. CRACKING CODES IS SECOND NATURE TO COOL SPIES LIKE US.

GEECH

HURRY UP, ARTIE, WE'RE GOING TO BE LATE! I'M HAVING TROUBLE WITH MY HAIR. WHAT HAIR? THAT'S THE TROUBLE.

HI & LOIS

WHAT'S FOR DINNER? I PICKED UP THIS DELICIOUS TOFU-VEGGIE CASSEROLE AT THE HEALTH FOOD STORE. OK... BUT THEN WE GET JUNK FOOD FOR DESSERT

BLONDIE

THIS ARTICLE SAYS THAT MOST PEOPLE NEED ABOUT SEVEN HOURS OF SLEEP PER DAY... THAT'S ABOUT WHAT I GET, SO I GUESS I'M AVERAGE. ARE YOU REALLY SURE? TO BE FAIR, YOU SHOULD ADD IN ALL THE SLEEP YOU GET AT NIGHT, TOO

Dear Abby - Letters...

Fiance's confessions hurting her

DEAR ABBY: I am going to be married in a few months to a man I love very much. He told me recently that he wanted to be totally honest with me, then he launched into a series of "confessions" about the women he had been intimate with. There were literally dozens of them! He said many were one- or two-night flings that didn't mean anything. I am confused and disturbed, not only because he has been intimate with so many women, but that he is still in contact with them and plans to invite some of them to our wedding because "now they are just friends." He insists that what he did before he met me has nothing to do with me, but I am very uneasy about this. What are your feelings about this? Now I am having second thoughts. — DEEPLY TROUBLED

DEAR TROUBLED: I wonder if your future husband was confessing or bragging. In either case, only a cad would name names. (He could also be lying.) I think you are wise to have second thoughts. You'd be even wiser to have third and fourth thoughts about this man. He has shown a glaring lack of sensitivity for your feelings. (P.S. In view of these revelations, I hope you will give serious thought to being tested for sexually transmitted diseases.)

DEAR ABBY: I am in my mid-40s, still attractive, and know that the odds of finding a partner drop tremendously at my age. I am engaged to a man that I'm not "in love" with. I admire, respect and love him — as a friend. We have a lot of fun together and the companionship is great. He supports me in my career and accepts me exactly as I am. He's handsome and treats me like a queen, but there is no chemistry. — DENNIS THE MENACE

I have been married before and I have also been in relationships where incredible electricity flowed, but one of them turned out to be the most personally destructive situation I've ever been in. (He was handsome, charismatic and abusive.) I have come to the conclusion that intensity often characterizes sick relationships, and I won't get into another one if I can avoid it. But I also know I'm missing that wonderful feeling of being in love. Any advice, Abby? — ANONYMOUS, PLEASE

DEAR ANONYMOUS: Although it is not necessarily true that intensity often characterizes sick relationships, the intensity seldom lasts in any relationship. Your fiance sounds like a first-class "catch." And you appear to be an intelligent woman who knows herself well. You have a decision to make: Do you want to remain single on the chance that "the man who has everything" will come along, or will you settle for a man who has everything — except sex appeal? Only you can answer that question.

DEAR ABBY: Re the grandfather in Scottsdale who did not get a thank-you note for the check he sent his grandchildren: Tell him to send the check unsigned next time, and he will get a response in a heck of a hurry. Believe me, it works. — VERNE W. TERWILLIGER, ROSEBURG, ORE.

Good advice for everyone — teens and seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

"Whew! I'm all hugged out!"

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lodges 025

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge #1340, AF & AM, 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2101 Lancaster, Terry Shankles, W.M., Carl Conway, Sec.

Personal 030

EFFECTIVE 8-3-93 I (ALICE BROUGHTON) am no longer responsible for any debts made by (Jack Broughton) pass or previous.

BUSINESS

Business 049

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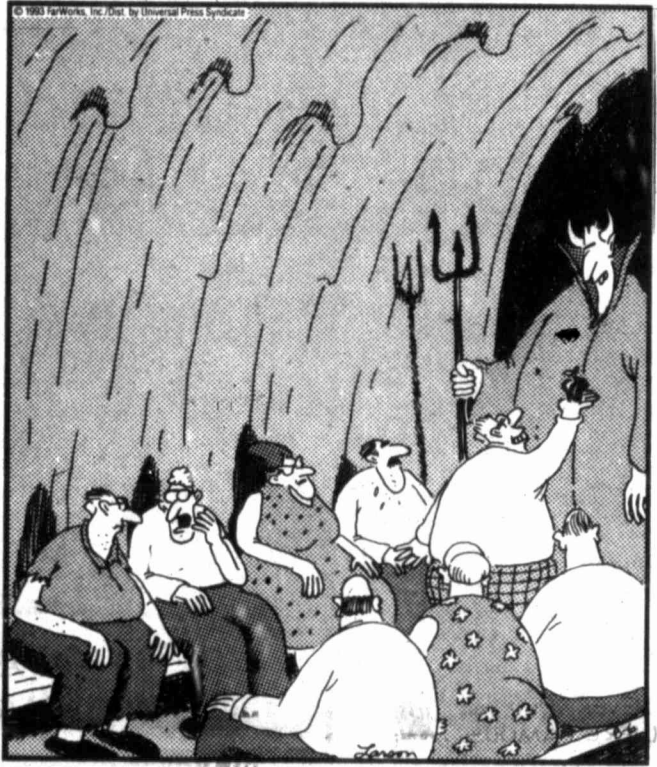
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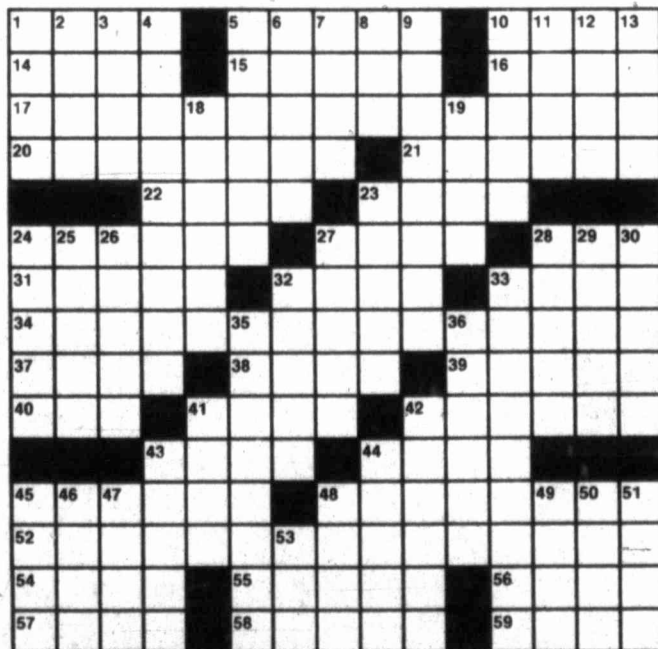
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- 10 Departed
- 14 General Bradley
- 15 "Just — in the neck" (Lee Thayer)
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- 48 Extents of farmland
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- 54 Lhasa —
- 55 Rejoice
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- 57 Adolescent
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- 59 Medicine measure



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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

AMONG ARAB LIMA
SAMOA TACO ENID
SMARTMONEY STILO
TAR HANG DASHER
VERGEN REESE
WAFERS REDEEM
ETUII ESSEN ODA
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- 4 Lawn starter
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- 6 Raised
- 7 Asian country
- 8 Domino dot
- 9 Silly
- 10 Very foolish
- 11 Raison d'—
- 12 Enemies
- 13 Assay
- 14 Table linens
- 15 Arduous journey
- 16 One-time TV comic, George
- 17 Flavor
- 18 Love, Italian style
- 19 Plant part
- 20 Sounds of laughter
- 21 Site of witch trials
- 22 Twenty
- 23 Bakery treats
- 24 Building material
- 25 Amusingly eccentric
- 26 Tangled up
- 27 High nests
- 28 Countenance a crime
- 29 Proofreader's symbols
- 30 Firebug's felony
- 31 Racing boat
- 32 Tiff
- 33 It springs eternal
- 34 Church section
- 35 Greenish color
- 36 Helicopter, briefly
- 37 50 Years and years
- 38 Snick and —
- 39 English river

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SPAS 431
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1973 SUPER BEETLE. Great Condition. Also parting out '68/'70 VW's. 263-5941.

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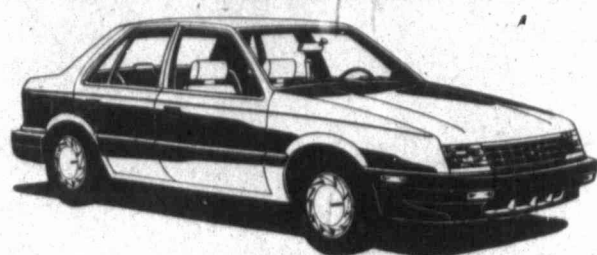
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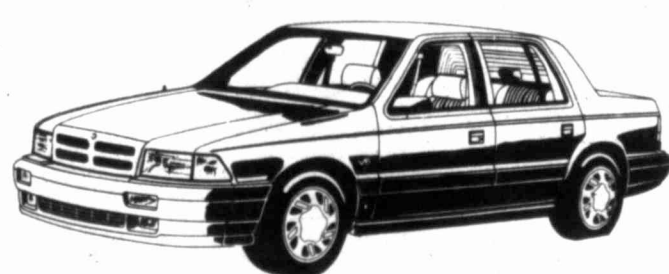
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	Big Spring Chrysler Discount including rebate.....	\$ 1,995
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★ LAST BIG DAY YARD SALE

4003 Wasson Road. Thursday, Friday. Clothes, Winchester 30-30, 20 gauge, \$1 jewelry (nice), Shelled pecans, ceiling fan with light, Golf Clubs, Decorator items, boys, womens clothes, Nike shoes, jewelry, lots of miscellaneous.

703 E. 14TH

YARD SALE. Lots of back to school clothes and miscellaneous. Saturday only. 9:00am-1:00pm.

BACK YARD SALE

Saturday only. Lots of miscellaneous. No sales before 8:00. 403 Ramsey.

BACK YARD SALE

302 N. 1st, Coahoma. Boys-girls-some baby clothes, desk chair, child's vanity, bird cage, new boots, 1983 Olds 2 door, 410 rifle, doll house, bicycle, baby car seat, lots of misc. Sat-Sun 8-7.

ESTATE SALE

Furniture, linens, glassware, books, tools. 2304 Roemer. Saturday 8-5.

GARAGE SALE

1757 Purdue Saturday 7-6pm. Stair stepper, electric range, small evaporative air conditioner, BBQ, large clothes rack, waterbed drawers, kerosene heater, large gas heater, Junior clothes, miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE

207 E. 8th. Friday and Saturday only. Everything from A to Z.

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Lots of children and big men clothes, miscellaneous. 2312 W. Hwy 80. Watch for sign. Saturday only. 8-6pm.

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Refrigerator, solid wood kitchen table, bunk beds, microwave carts, toys & clothes. Saturday Only. 1738 Purdue.

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Ladies and mens clothes, furniture, radios, dishes, miscellaneous. Saturday 8:00am-2:00pm.

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2-FAMILY Garage Sale

603 Edwards Circle. Dishwasher, stove, furniture, bedspreads, miscellaneous. Saturday 7-4pm.

3 FAMILY SALE

Becker Rd., S. Service Rd. Teen & girl's clothing, and lots of misc. Friday.

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE, 1605 Kiowa (in Indian Hills)

Friday-Saturday from 7:30-12:00.

GARAGE SALE

1806 E. 15th St. Thursday and Friday 7:30 to 6:00. Large variety of assorted miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE

705 Settles. Saturday-Sunday 8:00-5:00. VCR, stereo, bicycles, drapes, bedspread, kids-ladies-men's clothes - all types and sizes, lots of misc. Most items \$1.00.

GARAGE SALE

Saturday, August 7th, 1993, at 408 North East 11th. 8:30-3:30.

GARAGE SALE

2400 Morrison. Friday 8-11:5, Saturday 8-11-12. Men's and women's clothing, shirts 50¢ each. Lots of good miscellaneous items.

GARAGE SALE

Children's, clothes, toys, goodies. Deer meat, bed sheets. 2611 Chanute. Saturday 8-1pm.

GARAGE SALE

Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Antique buffet, desk, step tables, toys, clothes, and miscellaneous. 2405 Allendale.

GARAGE SALE

1104 Lloyd Friday-Saturday 8-12. Girls clothes, canning jars, toddler bed, books, cookbooks.

GARAGE SALE

Saturday only. 3235 Duke. 8:00am till 7. Lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE

1000 Baylor. 3-Family Sale. X-large men's clothes, lots of miscellaneous. Saturday 8am-2pm.

GARAGE SALE

Saturday, 1612 Harding. Clothes, Home decorations, microwave, etc. Starting at 8:00am.

GARAGE SALE

Saturday only 8:00-5:00. Furniture, used carpet, baby clothes, and toys. 4035 Alma Circle.

GARAGE SALE

Friday and Saturday 8:00-5:00. 105 N.E. 10th. Clothes, toys, furniture, kitchen items, misc.

SATURDAY

9:00-Noon, 2616 Ann. Toys, children's-adults clothes, furniture, dining table/chairs, broken freezer, misc.

SATURDAY 9:00-1:00

Truck tool box, tow bar, tires, boom box, ropers, clothes, books, girls Schwab bicycle, living room furniture. 2707 Larry.

YARD SALE

Saturday only 8:00-3:00 3212 Drexel. Chest of drawers, night stands, dishes, etc.

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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE

1707 Alabama. Saturday morning 8:00-7.

402 DALLAS

Saturday only. Jeans, sweaters, TV's, stereos, books, Rattan chair, and much more. Cheap!

4 FAMILY YARD SALE

Furniture, clothes, dishes, toys, and lots of miscellaneous. 1600 Main, Thursday-Sunday.

701 S. GOLIAD

Girls and boys clothes, drawers, twin beds, lots of miscellaneous. Friday-Saturday.

BACKYARD MOVING SALE

4203 Muir. Friday-Saturday, 8:00am. Refrigerator, full size bed, clothes, lots of misc.

BACK YARD SALE

1730 Purdue. Saturday 8:00-7:00, Sunday 12:00-6:00. Tools, guns, shotgun loader, washing machine, bed, clothes.

BACK YARD SALE

2505 Lynn. Saturday 8:00-2:00. No Early Sales.

BIG YARD SALE

Thursday, Friday, & Saturday. 1003 E. 16th. 8:00am. Bikes, clothes, miscellaneous.

ESTATE SALE

Friday 6th-Saturday 7th. 2805 Coronado. Queen water bed, fireplace insert, men's clothing size 1x-2x, bike, childrens clothing. 267-1714.

FLEA MARKET

Saturday August 7th from 9:00-1:00. Jewelry, tupperware, new gift items, kitchen items, small appliances, back to school clothing, golf clubs, miscellaneous. Salvation Army 811 W. 5th.

GARAGE SALE

1401 Austin. 8:00am Thursday, Friday, Saturday. TV's, cloth, and misc.

GARAGE SALE

Clothes, toys, household goods, lots of miscellaneous. Saturday only. 8:30-2:00. 3241 Drexel.

YARD SALE

Saturday 7-7? Infants-adults clothes, lots of miscellaneous. 1604 Lincoln.

GARAGE SALE

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 8-? 2720 Larry Dr. EARLY BIRDS WELCOME!

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4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE

3306 Drexel, Saturday 8:00 to 7. Sewing machine, large women's clothes, and lots of miscellaneous.

5 FAMILY BACK TO SCHOOL GARAGE SALE

3007 Cactus, 10am-? Saturday August 7, computers, typewriters, furniture, nice boys & girls clothes assorted sizes, toys, stereo, TV, lots miscellaneous.

INSIDE SALE

Thursday-Saturday 10:00-8:00. 1008 Blue Bonnet (1 block north of Sycamore off State). Everything!!! More Added!

MOVING SALE

3701 Dixon. Saturday, Sunday 8:00-1:30. Everything priced to sell!

RUMMAGE SALE FUND RAISER

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SATURDAY 8:00-5:00

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GARAGE SALE

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2609 Albrook. Saturday only - all day. Tools, clothes, miscellaneous.

INSIDE SALE

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HEARING FOR 1993-94 BUDGET FOR COAHOMA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT: A budget hearing will be held in the Board Room of the Coahoma Independent School District on August 16, 1993, at 7:00 p.m. All interested persons are encouraged to be present and participate in the hearing. The hearing will be on item on the agenda and the budget will be considered for adoption after the hearing. 8472 August 6, 1993

PUBLIC NOTICE

Grady I.S.D. will have a preliminary budget hearing on its 1993-1994 budget in the administration board room on Monday, August 9, 1993, at 7:00 p.m. 8461 August 1-9, 1993

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Big Spring State Hospital, P.O. Box 231, Lamesa Hwy, Big Spring, Texas 79720, at Plant Management, until 2:00 PM, August 20, 1993, for Project No. 886-05-93, installing sidewalks. A MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE will be held at 10:30 A.M., Plant Management, Big Spring State Hospital. A bid will NOT be accepted from any bidder that has not attended the August 11, 1993, Pre-Bid Conference. Scope of work consists of Curb Cuts, Ramps, and Sidewalks. Plans and specifications will be available at the Pre-bid Conference, at Plant Management, 915-267-8216 Extension 446. Bids will be received in accordance with State Procedures. 8471 August 6 & 8, 1993

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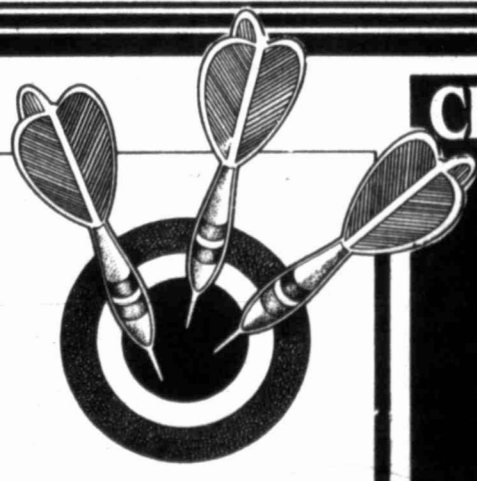
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