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Beal's Creek

funding moves

Another chunk of federal money

was recently earmarked for the

Beal's Creek flood control project in

A Senate appropriations bill

approved 81-10 last week, now

headed to a Senate/House confer-

ence committee, provides \$600,000

for a diversion channel here and a

railroad bridge over it in the annual

budget for the U.S. Army Corps of

Engineers and other agencies. An

aide in Congressman Charles Sten-

holm's office this morning was

checking to see if the House bill

The Senate bill also includes other

water projects throughout the nation

as well as \$640 million for the

Superconducting Super Collider in

Ellis County. Both Texas senators,

Phil Gramm and Kay Bailey Hutchi-

son voted for it. Actual funding for

the Beal's Creek project could be

available this month, according to a

spokeswoman in Gramm's Washing-

The total cost of the flood control

project is \$4.7 million, of which the

city is paying \$1.4 million. Local vot-

ers approved bonds in October, to be

paid with an added city property tax

rate of about 3 cents per \$100 valua-

An original completion date of mid

1995 has been moved back by the

Corp of Engineer's to mid 1997.

according to city Public Works Direc-

tor Tom Decell. Construction that

was to begin next fall is scheduled to

Local survey work for relocation of electric, telephone, gas and water

lines continues, Decell said. "We're doing preliminary survey work, find-

ing property corners ... just getting our basic details down."

handbook project

Sen.

Montford, D-

Lubbock was

recently

appointed by Lt.

Gov. Bob Bul-

lock to a com-

mittee to write a

"plain-lan-

guage" hand-

book for jurors.

Montford, an attorney and former

State Bar of Texas in the Jurors'

Handbook Project. It will deal with

juror duties and responsibilities, trial

procedures, legal terminology and

John

Sen. Montford

appointed to

begin in January 1995.

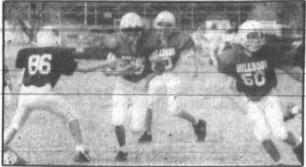
includes the flood control funding.

to committee

By PATRICK DRISCOLL

Big Spring by the U.S. Senate.

Staff Writer



On his way to the goal for a touchdown

A running back for the Bulldogs bursts through an opening in the Buffaloes line en route to a touchdown during Crossroads Little Football League action near Howard College Saturday.



Make it go in

Holding her golf club in an unorthodox style, Kayli Newell scoots the golf ball towards the hole as she and family members were playing a round of miniature golf at Park n Putt Saturday afternoon.

Ready to recycle

Workers use feet and hands to smash food and drink cans for recycling during the recycling drive sponsored by Howard **County Coalition for** the Environment.



Time to cool down

After going through the Fitness Center circuit, Aaron Luke cools down by walking around the gym at Howard College Wednesday afternoon.

•New fighting: New fighting erupted today in Somalia in the second day of a major U.N. assault aimed at shattering the military command structure of a fugitive warlord. See page 2

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Top officials resign:

Two top federal agents have resigned following a government report that accused them of lying and misleading the public after the failed Branch Davidian raid. See page 2.

Texas = Church robbed:

An armed robber who burst into a church took about \$550 from members of the congregation, police say. See page 2.

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·Braves are in:

After winning game No. 104, the Braves waited and watched. And, finally, on the last day of the best pennant race in years, the San Francisco Giants cracked. See page 6.

Weather =

Partly cloudy and warmer: Today, mostly sunny, high mid 80s, south winds 5-15 mph; tonight, fair, low mid 50s. See extended forecast page 5.

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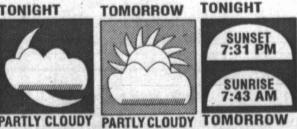
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Full-scale attack launched against **Yeltsin's forces**

The Associated Press

MOSCOW — Battle tanks shelled the Russia White House and commandos fired AK-47s in a full-scale assault by President Boris Yeltsin's forces on hardliners holding the parliament building.

Streaks of orange flame erupted from the barrels of the T-72 tanks as they pounded the white marble office building. Papers came floating out of the shattered windows, followed by heavy black smoke.

Soldiers dragged away bodies while machine guns blasted from a neighboring hotel and apartment house. At least 20 people were reported killed and dozens wounded, including a U.S. Marine who was hit by a stray bullet at the American Embassy, across the street from the White House. About 400 embassy employees took shelter underground.

The hardline leaders, Vice President Alexander Rutskoi and parliament speaker Ruslan Khasbulatov, remained inside the burning building. The Interfax news agency said they offered to negotiate, but the government insisted on unconditional surrender.

"The time for talks is over," Yeltsin spokesman Anatoly Krasikov told The Associated Press. "Now the only thing they can do is to hang out the white flag.' The ITAR-Tass news agency reported that govern-

ment forces had captured the first four floors of the 19story building. It said at least 20 people were killed. Hundreds of spectators, some holding children by the hand, watched from a bridge over the Moscow River.

Riveted by the scene, they ignored attempts by soldiers to wave them back out of danger. Yeltsin had promised not to use force to end a twoweek standoff with lawmakers who defied his Sept. 21

decree dissolving parliament and calling new elections. But he changed his mind after Russia's long political crisis exploded into riots by parliament supporters on Sun-

At least 24 people were reported killed when the crowds smashed through police lines Sunday afternoon,

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Luis Rios sits at a table in the Big Spring Boys Club Saturday and constructs cars out of blocks as others work on the computer in the background. The facility is open for the youths through Saturday, providing recreation

Boys' Club works for boys and city

By DAVE HARGRAVE Sports Editor



The Big Spring Boys' Club is just another example of the United Way at work in Big Spring.

The Boys' Club is a place where boys can hang out with friends, but it's so much more. There are computers with educational programs. There's a trampoline and a small gymnasium, great for relaxing after the long

school day. There's a wood shop, and plenty of pool and table tennis tables. If a boy thinks he has too much homework to play games or work with the computers, he can walk upstairs to the Boys' Club's study hall. All of this comes at the whopping membership cost of

\$1 per year, said Boys' Club director Bert Andries. "The purpose of the fee is just to reinforce the idea of membership to the boys," Andries said. "It gives them the privileges of membership, but it also gives them the

responsibility of taking care of the club, too.

Andries said the United Way has funneled about \$35,000 to the Boys' Club in the past year. The Boys' Club sits at 212 E. Third St., where it's been since 1971. The boys who belong to the Boys' Club get support from the community, but they give back as well. The boys participate in various city cleanups, and they regu-larly clean up a stretch of the Snyder Highway, just north of Interstate 20.

Andries said the typical after-school turnout at the club these days is about 20 boys, but that should pick up when colder weather arrives.

"We're more or less growing slowly," said Andries, who been working with Boys' Club members for more

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Moscow violence

Events leading up to the violent showdown in Moscow (All times given are local):

Hundreds of stone-throwing hard-liners battled police in central Moscow near Foreign Ministry and set up burning

3 p.m. Parliament speaker Ruslan Khasbulatov condemned police actions from inside parliament, where he and other hard-line awmakers have been holed up since President Boris Yeltsin disbanded parliament Sept. 21.

Demonstrators dispersed, leaving behind piles of debris which were bulldozed to the side of the Garden Ring

Several dozen hard-line supporters of parliament attempted to rebuild the barricades on the Garden Ring Road, but were dispersed by police.

About 10,000 parliament supporters gathered at October Square under a giant statue of Soviet founder Vladimir I Lenin. Riot police attempted to block the demonstration, but were overwhelmed by protesters. 2:30 p.m.

Demonstrators left the square and headed down Garden Ring Road toward the Parliament, known as the White House. They punched through police lines with clubs, metal pipes, and wooden planks and pelted officers with a steady rain of rocks and bottles.

4 p.m. Demonstrators reached the White House, and volleys of gunfire erupted. Much of the firing was in the air. Volunteer parliament guards stormed the nearby city government building after driving captured army trucks through the plate glass front doors, and sprayed the building with bullets.

Ostankino Television and Radio Center Parliament Bldg. (White House) U.S. Embassy Moscow Comecon Bldg. **Defense Ministry** (Mayor's office) Government armored vehicles took key positions outside the Defense Ministry and near the

At the urging of Khasbulatov, thousands of parliament supporters gathered at the main television complex and attempted to storm the building, which was guarded by elite government troops stationed

Kremlin to defend

against hard-line

6:30 p.m. Yeltsin declared a state of emergency in Moscow.

Three television channels went off the air after demonstrators fired rocket-propelled grenades at the television center, starting a fierce gunbattle. Dozens of protesters stormed the building, but were repulsed by the troops inside. Government forces at the television center were reinforced by troops in 12 personnel carriers.

School to approve 90.7 cent tax rate at Oct. 14 meeting

By GARY SHANKS

Staff Writer

Tax payers of the Big Spring Independent School District provided no input at a public hearing for the 1994 tax rate recently.

No citizen appeared to contest the tax rate Thursday, advertised as a large increase, but will result in no additional taxes because of the disolution of the County Education District (CED).

The BSISD's Board of Trustees will officially set a tax rate with an increase of 90.7 cents per \$100 property valuation in their regular meeting on Oct. 14, 5:15 p.m. at the board room at Big Spring High

Property owners will pay the same rate as last year. "They paid \$1.42 last year and they'll pay \$1.42 this year," said BSISD Superintendent W.A. McQueary in a recent meeting of the board.

The paper increase stems from the school district's absorption of the CED. Because of truth in taxation laws, the school board must post the increase in their tax rate, as the CED tax rate was originally designed as that of a separate taxing entity. So although there will be no actual

All area residents, but especially

those families with a history of neu-

rological disorders, are urged to par-

ticipate in a research project, con-

ducted locally by the Texas Tech

The project is under the direction of Dr. Shirley Poduslo of Texas Tech,

and is designed to gather critical

information on Alzheimer's disease,

Parkinson's disease, amytrophic lat-

eral sclerosis (Lou Gehrig's disease),

Huntington's Chorea and multiple

People in their 20s with Down's

syndrome would be exceptionally

All participants are asked to come

to St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001

Goliad, between 3 p.m. and 5:30

Blood samples will be collected

from each participant and the data

from a battery of tests on each sam-ple will provide valuable information

valuable participants in the study.

University Health Sciences Center.

By GARY SHANKS

Staff Writer

sclerosis.

Participants needed for study

nators say.

tax increase to the local property owner, the BSISD tax rate will technically jump from 50.5 cents per \$100 property valuation to 142.2 cents per \$100, while the CED tax rate will be reduced from 90.7 cents to 0.0 cents.

"The bottom line is, we paid \$1.42 last year and \$1.42 this year," said Assistant Superintendent Ron Plum-

Other school boards across the state are setting tax rates similar to that of BSISD, McQueary explained.

Thursday's hearing was mandated by state laws, as well as local advertisements proclaiming the move. The Texas Legislature passed laws governing these CED tax-rate absorptions, but did not adapt the truth in taxation laws governing the process.

The overall tax rate puts the school district well short of the \$1.50 per \$100 tax-rate limit. Above this amount, a referendum must be established and voter approval given for the tax increase, Plumlee

Keeping the overall tax rate the same, while faced with area property devaluations, led to the board's adoption of a deficit budget this year, budgeting into the red at year's

in the search for treatments for

these disorders. Slides will be pre-

pared so that researchers can refer

to this data base for decades, coordi-

There is no charge for the testing

and all information will be kept con-

fidential, between Poduslo's

research group and those tested. Information and family history forms

may be completed at the collection

Consent forms for blood samples

must be signed by a guardian or

family member in situations such as

for Alzheimer's patients who are not

able to make decisions for them-

Participants must be 15 years old

or older. Persons interested in par-

ticipating in the project should con-

tact Connie Fowler, local chairper-

son, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 263-

Local medical and clerical person-

nel will be assisting with the project

7361, extension 7383.

on a voluntary basis.

By PATRICK DRISCOLL Staff Writer

district attorney in Lubbock, joins four other senators and five House representatives to work with the

> other practical information. "Trial jurors across this state particularly in criminal courts - have a critical need to know in exact terms what their duties are and what the consequences are of their decisions," Bullock said in a press

> > Whether that includes instructions on early releases was not mentioned in the release. An aide in Bullock's Austin office this morning was checking.

Bullock did tout Montford's abili-

"John Montford has the legal expertise and good judgment Texas needs," he said. "I have total faith in his ability to bring rhyme and reason to the courts."

A Spanish language version of the book will be made. State law requires the State Bar to review and update it annually.

In addition, Montford joins two other senators in a Family Code study. It will look at laws governing marriage, divorce, property division, child custody and support. Montford also recently was appointed to a committee charged with studying pros and cons of home equity lending and three state arts committees.

Montford chairs the Senate Finance Committee, serves on the Legislative Budget Board, Legislative Audit Committee, Legislative Reference Library Board and Legislative Criminal Justice Board.

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Resignations come out of raid report

The Associated Press

DALLAS — Two top federal agents have resigned following a government report that accused them of lying and misleading the public after the failed Branch Davidian raid.

Dan Hartnett, associate director of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, and Dan Conroy, deputy associate ATF director, quit Saturday, according to The Dallas Morning News' Sunday editions. They were the top ATF officials in Waco after the Feb. 28 raid.

Hartnett, 53, had been with the ATF for 24 years, and Conroy, 50, was with the agency for 26 years. They were among five ATF officials placed on administrative leave last week after release of a Treasury Department review into the raid. The Treasury Department oversees the ATF.

"We are resigning because we do not agree with the findings of the Waco administrative review," Hartnett and Conroy said in a statement. "The report does not reflect the facts of what occurred in the aftermath of the Waco tragedy.

Four ATF agents and six cult members died in the shootout. A standoff lasted 51 days, ending April 19 when fire consumed the compound, killing Koresh and more than 80 of his followers.

The Treasury report said the raid should have been canceled after an undercover ATF agent told commanders that the Branch Davidians knew the government was coming.

The report said Hartnett, Conroy, and others in Washington failed to take into account the inexperience of raid commanders in planning the assault, and did not recognize the need for less risky contingency

The report also said the men made misstatements to the public or allowed them to be made, and failed to keep superiors fully apprised of key reasons for the raid's failure.

In their first public comment since release of the report, the men said they never lied or intentionally misled anyone. Hartnett and Conroy were unable to be reached Sunday night.

Dick DeGuerin, a Houston attorney who represented Koresh, said Sunday that further investigation was needed.

"Conroy was caught in many lies. He was lying through his teeth and knew he was when he was meeting with the press in Waco," DeGuerin told The Associated Press. "He doesn't have any choice but to turn tail and run.

"I assume there will be referral of findings to the Justice Department and that Justice will treat their misleading statements and testimony as seriously as it would if someone, not a government agent, had lied under

Two religious scholars who analyzed a manuscript Koresh was writing told Newsweek that they believed the cult leader intended to keep his word to authorities and surrender when he had finished the work, according to the magazine.

"I agree wholeheartedly," DeGuerin said. "That is what he put in writing to me.

Hartnett and Conroy said before the Waco operation that they had planned to retire at the end of the year. Their resignations, delivered to Treasury Department officials in Washington, were effective immediately.

Stephen Higgins, the former ATF director, announced his resignation Monday before release of the report. Another report is being prepared on the FBI's April 19 tear-gas

assault on Koresh's compound.



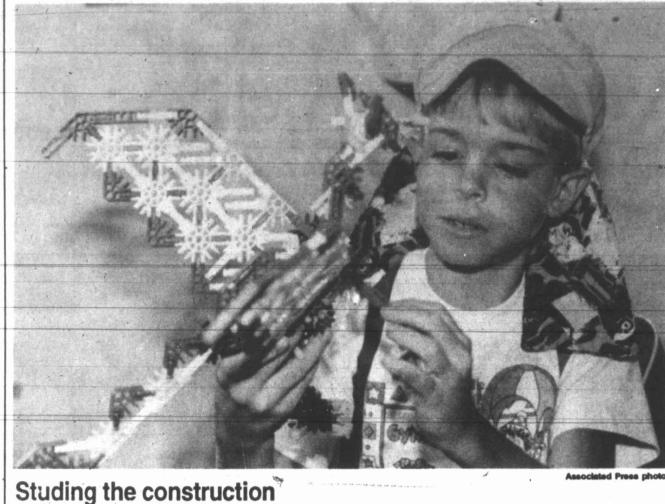
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Kevin Ramier, 9, of Combine, Texas, studies a pterodactyl made from a K'Nex color-coded plastic construction set at the Science Place Museum at the State Fair of Texas Grounds in Dallas. Donations for a children's charity wore collected based upon the weight of the materials used in the kids' creations. The state fair opened Friday and continues through Oct. 24.

Assault on Somali warlord continues

The Associated Press

NAIROBI, Kenya — New fighting erupted today in Somalia in the second day of a major U.N. assault aimed at shattering the military structure. We did not command structure of fugitive war- expect to find Aidid.' lord Mohamed Farrah Aidid.

The fighting followed Sunday's deaths of five American soldiers and the shooting down of two U.S. Blackhawk helicopters in the early hours of the search for Aidid's key lieu-

The fighting died down overnight in the Somali capital of Mogadishu. but shooting could be heard from the area where Sunday's battle took place, including apparent cannon fire from U.S. helicopters.

"We consider the operation to be ongoing," Maj. David Stockwell, the chief U.N. military spokesman in Mogadishu, said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press in Nairobi.

the renewed fighting. He said officials were investigating reports that some U.S. soldiers had been taken

The mission started Sunday was the biggest military operation launched by the United Nations since it took over the humanitarian effort in May and brought the largest single day's toll of American deaths.

An undetermined number of U.N. peacekeepers were wounded Sun-

'We were going after Aidid's military lieutenant

> Maj. David Stockwell U.N. Spokesman

Stockwell said Sunday's fighting erupted after hundreds of U.N. troops, including two U.S. army infantry companies and 70 elite Rangers, captured 24 Somalis in a search for Aidid's aides. Stockwell said several key aides were among those rounded up.

"We were going after Aidid's military lieutenant structure," Stockwell said. "We did not expect to find

Stockwell said three of the Somali detainees died of wounds sustained in the shooting that broke out as they were being led out of the area where they were captured. A spokesman for Aidid said at

least 30 Somalis were killed in the fighting, including a number of civil-

ians caught in the crossfire. The two Blackhawks were shot

down by rifle-propelled grenades a mile east of the Bakara Market in southern Mogadishu, injuring crew members.

The area is a stronghold of Aidid, blamed by the United Nations for the deaths of 61 peacekeepers and the wounding of more than 180 in clashes since June. Sixteen U.S. soldiers have been killed to date in Somalia.

Earlier Sunday, a Somali U.N. employee was killed and three U.S. Marines were wounded when their military vehicle was ripped apart by a detonated land mine, Stockwell

President Clinton said the United States must not waver from its commitment to help erase "brutality and anarchy" in the East African coun-

But Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J., said Sunday: "I think we ought to leave

Bradley said Congress may cut off money for U.S. involvement in Somalia if the Clinton administration doesn't change course in Mogadishu, where U.N. troops have been caught up in an urban guerrilla war against Aidid's forces.

Relief groups such as France's **Medecins Sans Frontieres (Doctors** Without Borders) have sharply criticized U.N. and U.S. forces in Soma-~ lia, saying the humanitarian mission has degenerated into a repressive military campaign.

who was robbed of his wallet, called

the incident "unreal" and said he

could never envision the robbery of

'It seemed more like a dream

The robber was described as a

white male, 6 feet tall and 25 to 30

years of age. He was wearing a red

and blue wind breaker, blue jeans

than anything," he said.

a church.

Bar-codes being used to avoid body mix-ups

MIAMI (AP) - Those black-andwhite bar codes that help speed customers through store checkout lines now may help ensure they make it to their funerals on time, too.

In an effort to avoid those embarrassing body mix-ups, the Dade County Medical Examiner this week begins a trial run of bar-coded toe tags to identify corpses.

The system — similar to one already in use in Los Angeles should be fully operational in Janu-

The bar codes look like the ones at stores that are read by computer scanners. "We have scanners just like Home Depot," said Scott J. Hanks, forensic morgue supervisor.

Instead of coming up with a price, the morgue computer will print out a name and other pertinent information. Workers then will make sure it matches the name and case number written on the tag attatched to the body's big toe.

The only problem so far has been with the label adhesive, which loses its stickiness in the morgue's varying temperatures. Officials are now testing a new glue.

While praising the new system, Dade officials point out the county has had only three misplaced corpses out of 118,437 bodies handled since

Yeltsin promises to use restraint

WASHINGTON (AP) - Russian President Boris N. Yeltsin told the Clinton administration he would use restraint and "as little force as possible" though he is determined to put down the rebel uprising.

That promise, made just hours before Yeltsin's tanks attacked the parliament building, was reassuring to the administration, which has preached restraint while publicly offering unwavering support to the Russian leader.

On Sunday night, Clinton stood firmly in Yeltsin's corner, telling an audience in Sacramento the Russian president "has bent over backwards not to have the soldiers fire on anybody, not to promote any violence. And he may be thinking today he went too far. Because they basically got up a head of steam and the situa-

said that he was receiving regular updates on the situation and that the Yeltsin forces were moving "to world.

secure the area where the trouble occurred."

Disgruntled employee kills co-workers

LA VERNE, Calif. (AP) — A former department store employee who felt he was unfairly passed over for pro-motion allegedly killed two co-work-

Sergio Nelson, 19, of Pomona, was arrested at home Saturday night and booked for investigation of murder. He was being held early today without bail, Lt. Jim Strona said.

Robin Shirley, 32, and Lee Thompson, 22, both of Pomona, were shot in the back of the head early Saturday as they sat in a car outside the Target store before their shifts,

Nelson walked up to the car and allegedly fired six or seven shots from a handgun through the open back window, Strona said

Shirley recently had received a promotion in the stockroom that Nelson felt he should have been given, Detective Carl Brubaker said. Thompson, a new employee, "was at the wrong place with the wrong person at the wrong time," Brubaker

More Americans pushed over the poverty line

SUITLAND, Md. (AP) — Lingering unemployment amid a slow recovery from the recession pushed hundreds of thousands of more Americans into poverty last year, analysts say.

The Census Bureau planned today to release poverty and income statistics for 1992, the first full year of the economic recovery and the last year Republicans were in the White

In 1991, 35.7 million Americans lived below the poverty line, the highest number since 1964. Altogether, 14.2 percent of the population was poor, the highest rate since

Robert Greenstein, executive director of the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, a Washington public issues group, projects the 1992 poverty rate was near 15 percent, outting the number of poor near the 1962 level of 38.6 million.

Clinton pleads for plan at town meeting

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - Presi-Even as troops and tanks advanced statewide town meeting with pleas on the parliament building, Clinton for a health-care reform plan he held out as a salve for the myriad insecurities facing Americans in a changing

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Robber hits church just before sermon starts church for the past six years and

The Associated Press

LUBBOCK - An armed robber who burst into a church took about \$550 from members of the congregation, police say

Officers said the man entered the Calvary Full Gospel Church Sunday morning just as the Rev. Marvin James was preparing for his sermon and demanded wallets and purses from those attending the service.

"It happened so fast," James said. 'This guy just came in, told people to hush up and demanded money from everybody.

The masked robber, holding what appeared to be a sawed-off shotgun wrapped in a towel, forced the 17 people present to gather at the altar. He tossed the 66-year-old pastor a pillowcase and demanded that James collect purses and wallets from the parishioners, James said.

The robber at first also asked for watches and jewelry but changed his mind, James said. The thief allowed



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some people to remove their drivers licenses and credit cards before tossing their wallets into the pillowcase. Police estimated the total taken at

A Sunday school teacher with children in another room started to come out into the main hall but the robber warned her to close the door and stay inside. The man collected the money and

told the victims to go into the pastor's office until he left and not to call the police, the minister said. James, who has been pastor of the Pentecostal church since it was built

in 1980, said he was appalled that such an crime could happen. 'For someone to rob a small

church," James said. "That's getting pretty low." Ikey Green, a member of the

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day, Officer Victor Quintana said.

and new high-top tennis shoes. The car that witnesses saw leaving the church following the robbery matched the description of the getaway car used during a grocery store robbery at Lubbock on Satur-

In the grocery store robbery, someone took \$350 at knifepoint from a cash registered at the Arnett-Bentson Grocery, police said.

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'If a little knowledge is dangerous, where is the man who has so much as to be out of danger?"

Thomas Henry Huxley, English biologist, 1877

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How much further can the country's morals drop?

Even given this day and time of random killing and robbery of almost everything, it still seems unbelievable - a church robbed while services where going on.

That's right. Just as the minister is getting ready to start his sermon, an armed gunman walks in and steals \$550 from the members of the congregation.

As the 66-year-old minister Marvin James said "For someone to rob a small church, that's getting pretty low."

Pretty low indeed. A church assaulted during the middle of a We have been asking ourselves for a long time what is wrong

with this country and trying many different ways to fix what is wrong. Some of it has worked and, obviously, most of it has not. But, where do you start to fix the wrong when a church is no

longer considered taboo, especially when there are people inside It is an unbelievable drop in character this country has taken.

Use some common sense First things first. The Big Spring Woman's Club kicked off its annual

coat drive last Friday. Last year the club collected and distributed over It was a collective effort between

the club members, several area cleaners and businesses and of course the citizens of Big Spring. The coats went to the state hospital, the Northside Community Center, the Westside Daycare Center, various schools and individuals.

While last year's drive was a around the corner and there is a back in a month. need again this year. There are three drop-off locations. The follow- she is only eligible for \$209 per ing businesses have graciously month from the New Mexico General allowed drums to be set up. They assistance fund. We called HUD to are Don's in College Park Plaza (the see if we could put the property on old Furr's). Harris Lumber on FM the rental property listing. We were 700, and Sun Country Coldwell told most certainly. Banker Realty on Gregg Street. A&E, Comet, Gregg Street and Quality Cleaners have volunteered to clean the coats. So, please check your closets and do a good deed for someone.

You know it's strange, Paul Harvey had a column in the paper a couple of weeks ago about how a woman on welfare was collecting over \$3,000 a month in benefits. Ironically, my renter called the same week to ask my assistance in helping her with her struggle to get some assistance from a couple of government agencies.

This woman is in her early fifties and has rented from me for the last four years. She has worked as a wiatress for the last 12. On several occasions, she has had to work two or three part-time jobs just to make ends meet.

The point here is the woman has always worked and worked hard.

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publishing them we neither imply nor guarantee the accuracy of



Disaster struck though a couple of months ago when she became ill and unable to work. She went to the welfare office and they gave her some tremendous success, winter is right food stamps and told her to come

Since she doesn't have children,

However, there was only one catch, they were not taking applications for rental assistance until November, and then there would be a six month to a year wait before she would receive a housing allowance.

I asked the woman at the HUD office, what was my renter suppose to do until then? She didn't have any suggestions. We're waiting to hear from Social Security, maybe they can

The whole situation has really made me wonder. Here's a woman who can't work and there's no help available, and there are people who are getting help and don't want to work. Now don't get me wrong. I've said it before, I'm a die-hard liberal. I believe the government has a moral obligation to help its citizens. I just think it should exercise a little more sense in which citizens it

Brenda Brooks

Selling NAFTA a job for the president Scripps Howard News Service

On a cool morning with the early

Or at least we buried the miscella-

neous bones that my new dog, Pete,

had brought one by one from some

secret spot in the woods I had

I try not to hold it against Pete.

this macabre mission he made of

delivering Barney piecemeal in such

an unbecoming, triumphant manner.

I stumbled over Barney's skull on

the way to the mailbox one day, and

Pete danced about me excitedly,

The rest of Barney appeared a

bone at a time; I collected the

remains in a box in the barn, which

at first seemed silly, or at best ghoul-

ish. But then I warmed to the idea of

The late, wise editor Michael Grehl

once told me never to write about

my dogs or my children, and that's

the only one of his newspaper tenets

I ever knowingly and flagrantly vio-

"My" children all belong to some-

one else and therefore I can main-

tain a veneer of objectivity and sense

of humor when chronicling their

And Barney was too wonderful not

to share with the world. Like Jack

London's Buck, Barney did not Fead

the newspapers. Thus he never com-

plained about what I wrote, and that

I am sorry for people who don't

own dogs, who don't know that

inimitable dog gift of total loyalty

and friendship. You cannot get the

alone is worth something.

a decent burial for Barney

wanting praise. Pete is young and

unschooled, never knew Barney and

searched for and never found.

squealed like a girl.

must be forgiven.

fall sun at our backs, we buried Bar-

ney, the dog.

On the NAFTA team at the White House, there is a young Clintonite with the title "surrogate scheduler." Her job? To line up stand-ins for the president, who is too busy selling his health care reforms to crusade for free trade.

Favorite administration surrogates include Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen and Secretary of State Warren Christopher. The secretaries of labor and commerce are doing their part, as is, of course, trade representative Mickey Kantor. The latest outside celebrity to join the effort for the North American Free Trade Agreement is Lee Iacocca, who met with the president Thursday. The former Chrysler chairman joins all five living former presidents -Bush, Reagan, Carter, Ford and Nixon — and 41 of the 50 governors, not to mention talk show cult figure Rush Limbaugh, in embracing NAFTA's opening of the Mexican market to American goods and ser-

The trouble is, the lineup on the other side of the issue includes not just surrogates but also principals.

Barney at rest, in peace and pieces

Rheta Grimsley Johnson

same treatment from other humans

People are all right in a pinch and

periods of prosperity, as are cats.

But their loyalty is conditional. A dog

will stick by you when the bottle is

That wonderful Tennessee writer

Tom T. Hall put it into perfect

words, a precious few, when he

wrote of old dogs, children and

watermelon wine, the only things

selves when menfolk ain't around,

they discover that you down.

when you make mistakes.

they're still too young to hate.

pen and copied down that line

young and in my natural prime;

He said women think about they-

And friends are hard to find when

He said I tried it all when I was

Now it's old dogs, children and

Old dogs care about you even

God bless little children while

When he moved away, I found my

Bout old dogs and children and

The world without dogs would be

barren as a moonscape, and litera-

ture and music would miss them a

lot, too. Think. There would be no

"Call of the Wild," no "Dog of Flan-

ders," fewer Robert Service poems,

no "Three Dog Night," no "101 Dal-

dry and the ammunition wet.

worth a "solitary dime"

watermelon wine.

watermelon wine.

House Democratic leader Dick Gephardt of Missouri announced his opposition to NAFTA this week, and he will actually cast a vote on the agreement's fate. He is, to say the least, well placed to influence unde-

cided colleagues.

Gephardt is not alone in the Democratic leadership in Congress to oppose his president on this issue. David Bonior, D-Mich., majority whip, is leading the anti-NAFTA charge. Their allies in organized labor are the backbone of the protectionist lobby and an important source of campaign funding for Hill

In the House, where NAFTA is expected to face a decisive vote in November, about 100 Democrats have taken no stand. Some twothirds of Republicans were considered pro-NAFTA last summer, but support frayed when labor activists

and Ross Perot enthusiasts and Pat Buchananite isolationists descended on town meetings back in their districts. The president has scores of converts to make to carry the House.

Dogs are heartfelt poetry, the kind

Even the names of the great dogs I

have known, or known about, reek

of uncomplicated love and trust:

Barney, Sport, Buster, Jack, Ol'

Yeller, Wheeler, Randy, Humphrey.

It makes me feel good just to list

Mutts usually are the best dogs

because they are free of human

interference; people have not

arranged their marriages and tried

to mold their looks and personalities.

A dog that comes home with you as

a puppy abandoned at a garbage bin

is a mystery unraveling and loyal as

Barney's grave is up on a modest

hill where an old log house used to

sit. I call the spot "the old home

place. Fime has almost buried the

chimney bricks and closed the root

cellar, but my imagination still can

Each spring the hillside is covered

with daffodils that propagate and

make a glorious statement in butter

meaning, and Barney will never

want for a fresh bouquet. Pete and I

of the American Society of Newspa-

per Editors' Distinguished Writing

Award, the National Headliners

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Ernie Pyle Award, is author of

"Good Grief: The Story of Charles M.

Rheta Grimsley Johnson, winner

the ever-spreading flowers.

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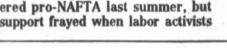
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This is no work for surrogates alone. The president himself, with his famous capacity for empathy, must address grass-roots fears and convince Americans that increased exports to Mexico will temper, not aggravate, inevitable labor adjustments here.

Equally, the president must change politicians minds. He must deploy the full range of arguments he made so powerfully in his White House speech last week justifying increased trade with our neighbors and with the world.

The priority the president places on reforming health care is understandable, but it must not be allowed to drown NAFTA out. To lose this one for lack of commitment at the top would corrode respect for the president's seriousness across the



Ten years ago: President Reagan proposed that the United States and he Soviet Union each destroy at least 5 percent of their strategic nuclear warheads every year. The Soviets dismissed Reagan's "builddown" proposal as a public relations

Mithileshwar Singh, freed the day before by his kidnappers in Lebanon, told reporters in Damascus, Syria, that his captors had treated him well during his 20 months of imprison-

One year ago: 43 people were killed when an Israeli El Al 747 cargo jet crashed into a suburban apartment complex after taking off

from Amsterdam. Today's Birthdays: Critic Brendan Gill is 79. Comedian Jan Murray is 76. Actor Charlton Heston is 70. Former Louisiana Gov. Buddy Roemer is

Susan Sarandon is 47. Thought for Today: "The only real legance is in the mind. If you've got that, the rest really follows from it."
— Diana Vreeland, American fash-



Lewis Grizzard

Sneering service

was checking into a hotel one late night recently. The desk clerk didn't give me a key, he gave me a rectangular plastic card. This wasn't my first rodeo. I had

stayed at hotel rooms before, and I knew most hotels now give you a plastic card to open the door to your room, not a key. There was no bellman on duty at the hour I checked in. It was a small

town. The bellman got off at 6 p.m. and went over to eat dinner with Aunt Bee and Opie. So up the elevator—it wasn't that

to my room. I read the instructions carefully on

the rectangular plastic card. Insert card into slot in door, it read. When green light appears,

I inserted the card into the slot in the door. I am good at following directions. A green light did appear, then disappeared. I took the card out and turned the door handle. The door wouldn't open.

I figured it out. I had to remove the card while the green light was still on in order to get the door to

I inserted the card into the slot again. The green light appeared again. I tried to yank the card out before it disappeared again. I wasn't fast enough. The door still

wouldn't open. "Fast light," I said to myself. Actu-

ally I said something else, but they wouldn't allow that kind of language on the Andy Griffith Show. I tried a third time.

No luck.

Wyatt Earp wasn't fast enough to outdraw that stupid green light.

yellow. It is one of springtime's most Then, I suddenly had to go to the pleasant duties to make the walk up bathroom. Why is it that whenever you can't unlock a door you immedithe hill and check on the progress of ately have to go to the bathroom? Now the trek will have double

It never fails. You can't find your keys to your house and all of a sudden you feel like you drank a Poland ter truck for lunch. I'm tired. I'm sleepy. I have to go

to the bathroom, and I'm standing outside a hotel room with a silly rectangular plastic card that supposed to open my door, but won't.

I know what I have to do. I have to get back on the elevator, go back down to the lobby, use the lobby restroom and then tell the desk clerk

my card won't open my door. He will, of course, be skeptical. He

will look at me like, here is a grown man who can't do anything as simple as insert a card in a slot, wait for the green light, then take out the card and open the door. And he will be correct.

I found the lobby bathroom, then went to the desk clerk. "I can't get my card to open my

door," I said.

"Did you read the instructions on the card?" he asked me, skeptically. Distain covered his face. I thought for a moment how good it would feel to remove a portion of that, the portion near his nose.

"I read the instructions," I said. This card won't open my door."

He gave me a new one. The second card didn't work either, so, finally, the desk clerk had to accompany me to my room. He inserted the first card into the slot and my door opened. It took him three seconds. I had to go to the bathroom

There," he said. "That wasn't so hard, was it?" he sneered. And he did sneer. It was a hotel desk clerk's sneer, the same kind you get from a waiter in a spiffy restaurant when you ask if you can have some ice cream on top of the pie a la mode.

I have brought up this situation before. Hotel people tell me that cards keep thieves from stealing keys and breaking into rooms. Of course they do. The thieves couldn't figure out how to work one of those cards, either.

I went to the hotel restaurant for lunch the next day. I ordered pie a la

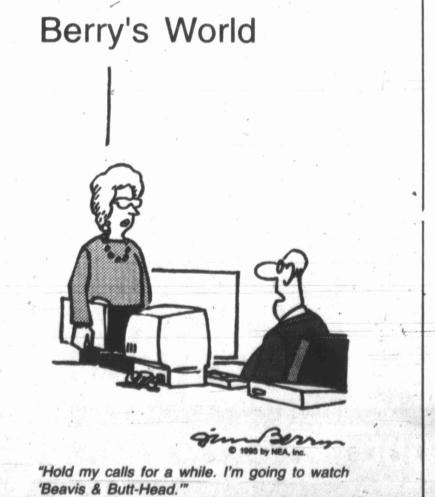
'Want some ice cream on top of that?" the waiter asked. The hotel and I are even on

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The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Oct. 4, the 277th day of 1993. There are 88 days left

Today's Highlight in History: On Oct. 4, 1957, the Space Age began as the Soviet Union launched Sputnik, the first manmade satellite, into orbit around the Earth.

On this date: In 1777, George Washington's troops launched an assault on the British at Germantown, Pa. The attack lost momentum, and the Americans suffered heavy casualties. In 1822, the 19th president of the United States, Rutherford B. Hayes,

was born in Delaware, Ohio In 1887, the first issue of the International Herald Tribune was pubished as the Paris Herald Tribune.

In 1931, the comic strip "Dick Tracy," created by Chester Gould, made its debut. In 1940, Adolf Hitler and Benito

Mussolini conferred at Brenner Pass in the Alps, where the Nazi leader sought Italy's help in fighting the

In 1958, the first trans-Atlantic passenger jetliner service was begun by British Overseas Airways Corporation with flights between London and New York.

In 1965, Pope Paul VI became the first reigning pontiff to visit the Western Hemisphere as he addressed the U.N. General Assem-

In 1970, rock singer Janis Joplin, 27, was found dead in her Hollywood hotel room.

In 1976, Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz resigned in the wake of a controversy over a joke he'd made about blacks. In 1978, funeral services were

held at the Vatican for Pope John In 1985, the Shiite Muslim group Islamic Jihad issued a statement claiming it had killed American

Five years ago: Indian professor

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Thursday: Partly cloudy, high mid 80s; fair night, low mid 50s.

Boys.

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than two decades. "The Boys' Club is not nearly as active as it was 20 years ago, but our membership stays about the same.

Bill Diaz, 20, is a big help to Andries. Diaz, the Boys' Club's program director, got a lot from the

Boys' Club in his youth, and now he's giving back.

"I spent almost forever here, because I never did anything at home," Diaz said. "The club taught me how to get along with everybody and go by the rules. I really learned

Russia

Continued from page 1

stormed the mayor's office and attacked the state television compa-

The two days of bloodshed were the worst political violence in Moscow since the 1917 Bolshevik Revolution, but their impact — particularly in Russia's far-flung provinces — was unclear. While the storming of the White

House could break the hard-line opposition, it also could provide Yeltsin's opponents with martyrs and ruin his reputation as a man of

When Yeltsin stood up to the Communist coup attempt in August 1991, his opponents either balked at storming the White House or were unable to get the military to attack the building, ringed with civilian demonstrators.

On Monday, the army struck with overwhelming force, including at least 10 heavy tanks, 7 light tanks, and 25 armored personnel carriers.

Yeltsin immediately went on nationwide television to explain the assault, while it was still raging. "All that was and still is going on

in Moscow — was an armed revolt planned in advance," he said. "It was organized by Communists seeking revenge, by fascist leaders and some of the former lawmakers.'

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"There can be no forgiveness, because they lifted their hand against peaceful people" in Sunday's rioting, he added.

The attack came after Yeltsin's government gave the hard-line lawmakers one last chance to surrender their arms and leave the building.

When they refused, Yeltsin issued a decree ordering the ministries of defense, interior and security to restore order. That was the official sanction for the assault.

Elite commandos of the Interior Ministry's KGB Dzerzhinsky Division, wearing plain clothes but riding on armored personnel carriers, approached the building from two directions at about 7 a.m.

They were followed by tanks and diers from the Russian army's Taman Division and by paratroopers from the Tula Division. The units apparently had come into Moscow overnight from bases around the



A 32-year-old woman was stabbed twice after midnight Sunday on the Northside following an argument with a known person, reported the Big Spring Police Department.

She was admitted with wounds to her upper back and arm to Scenic Mountain Medical Center and was listed in stable condition. No arrests were made. It's still under investigation.

Also reported by police: · A money box with coins, worth \$30, was taken from the 2100 block of South

• A \$25 electric meter was taken from the 3200 block of West U.S. 80.

 An oilfield truck worth \$20,000 was taken and burned at the 100 block of

. Shots were reported at Sixth and Owens and the 1200 block of Mobile.

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Paul Ballentine, 81, died Friday. Services will be 2:00 P.M., Tuesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel, with burial at Coahoma Cemetery.

Raymond Pribyla

Raymond Pribyla, 75, Tarzan, died Friday, Oct. 1, 1993, in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. Services are pending with

Alex Torres

Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Rosary for Alex Torres, 53, Big Spring, will be 7:30 p.m. tonight at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Services will be 2 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 5, 1993, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Deacon Horace Yanez, Sacred Heart Catholic Church officiating. Burial will follow in Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Mr. Torres died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1993, in a local nursing home. He was born April 24, 1940, in Stockton, Calif. He moved to Big Spring as a child. He had worked for West Texas Auto Parts and for George Martinez Body and Paint Shop. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include four sons: Sammy Torres, Joe Torres, both of Big Spring, Alex Torres Jr., Fort Worth, and Andy Torres, Los Angeles, Calif.; three daughters: Janie DeLavega, Cynthia Wilkersham, both of Fort Worth, and Elvira Torres, Dallas: three sisters: Maria Rendon, Carmen Chavarria, both of Big Spring, and Antonia Compos, San Antonio; four brothers: Joe Torres, Austin, Santos Mendoza, Jesus Mendoza, both of Big Spring, and Isabel Torres, San Jose, Calif.; 16 grand-

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 Addresses needed for some Big Spring High School participants in the State UIL Marching Bands of 1986 and 1987 for Hall of Fame Induction Nov. 6. Call Craig Fischer,

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

•The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the Planetarium at the high school.

•The TOPS Club - a non-profit weight loss organization will meet at 6:30 p.m., at Canterbury South. For information call Genay Bertran at 263-8633 or Virginia Collins at 263-

 Howard County Youth Horsemen will meet at 7 p.m. at the Youth Horsemen Arena Clubhouse. For information call Paula Perry at 393-

•The Coahoma Elementary PTA is having a meeting in the elementary cafetorium at 7 p.m. Program presented by the elementary music classes

•The Big Spring Singles Association will have their business

meeting at 7 p.m. at Days Inn. •Big Spring Outreach Aglow will meet at La Posada Restaurant with meal at 6:30 p.m. and meeting at

7:30 p.m. Terry Kinard is the speaker. Men welcome. Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209

Wright St., has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon. •The Big Spring Senior Citizens

Center will have ceramics classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited. •The Coahoma Senior Center Project Group will meet at 11 a.m.

306 North Ave. Visitors welcome. For information call 394-4439. •AARP will meet at 10 a.m. at the Kentwood Center. For information

at the Coahoma Community Center,

call Lucille Hopper at 267-7046.

•The Big Spring Bass Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Elks Lodge.

•Big Spring Art Association Annual Membership Show, through Friday at the Heritage Museum. Some pieces for sale. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

children and several nieces and

Henry Booth

Services for Henry Patrick Booth, 82, Big Spring, will be 10 a.m., Wednesday, Oct. 6, 1993, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Bob Farrell, pastor of East Fourth St. Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park, Midland, under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch

Funeral Home Mr. Booth died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1993, at his residence. He was born March 17, 1911, in Austin. He married Jeanne Jenkins on Sept. 20, 1968, in Odessa. He had lived off and on in this area for the past 50 years. He had been a long time employee of Sinclair Prairie Oil & Gas Co. as a production superintendent, retiring in 1971. He served in the US Army during World War II. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Jeanne Booth, Big Spring; four daughters: Dana Beckman, St. Louis, Mo., Janice Kerby, Sand Springs, Pamela Hibbs, Wichita Falls, and Paula Hallmark, Texas City; two sons: Will Jones, Odessa, and Russell Jones, Southaven, Miss.; two sisters: Bertha Bowen, Fort Worth, and Virginia Pickett, Midland; 17 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews

He was preceded in death by five brothers and one sister.

Alta Dykes

Graveside services for Alta Taylor Dykes, 75, formerly of Big Spring, were 11 a.m., today at Trinity

Memorial Park under the direction

of Rix Funeral Directors. Mrs. Dykes died Thursday, Sept.

30, 1993, in a Lubbock hospital. Spring. She married Billy Dykes on Sept. 28, 1936, in Lubbock. He preceded her in death in 1969. She was

a graduate of Big Spring High. Survivors include one son, Spike Dykes, Lubbock; two sisters: Bobbie Lebkowsky, Midland, and Winona Edwards, San Angelo; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchil-

Memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

The family will be at the John Currie residence, 903 Dallas St., Big Spring, after the services.

Clifton Yater

Services for Clifton H. Yater, 83, Big Spring, will be 10 a.m., Tuesday, Oct. 5, 1993, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of First Baptist Church officiating. Graveside services will be 3 p.m. at Cedar Hill Cemetery, Abilene, under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mr. Yater died Saturday, Oct. 2, 1993, in a local hospital. He was born Aug. 18, 1910, in Tyler. He married Opal Laverne Alexander on Oct. 31, 1934, in Colorado City. She preceded him in death on Sept. 11, 1981. He was a longtime resident of Big Spring and had retired as a construction engineer for PONA Engineering Company of Houston. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

He is survived by one daughter, Mary Helen Yater Clennis, Rye, Colo.; two sisters: Niel Yater Miller

and Kanna Yater Phillips, both of Richland Hills; four step-grandchildren: Richard G. Clennin III, James

She was born Oct. 27, 1917, in Big Clennin, Linda Hadden and Roy E. Clennin; nine step-great-grandchildren: Justin Clennin, Austin Clennin, George Clennin, Jason Clennin, Jobey Clennin, Taylor Layne Harvet, Becky Clennin, Kyle Stinchcomb and Keri Stinchcomb; two aunts: Sadie Myers and Lillie Lewis; several nieces and nephews: Don Reese, Shirley Ruth Stags, Lousie Callens, Ima Jean Yater, Fred Sporer Jr., Rose Murphy, Minnie Pickett, J.M. Yater III, Travis Yater, Carol Yater, Wesley Yater, David Yater, Bill Yater, Paul Miller Jr., Rod Miller, Dora Phillips, L.P. Alexander Jr., Barbara Carpenter, Jessie Myers, Ray Myers, Art Alexander and Flourene Gordon Kimbrough.

Honorary pallbearers will be John Wesley Yater, Shane Yater, Richard G. Clennin Jr., Don Reese, Fred Sporer Jr., J.M. Yater III, Travis Yater, Carrol Yater, Wesley Yater, David Yater, Bill Yater, Paul Miller Jr., Rod Miller, L.P. Alexander Jr., Ray Myers and Art Alexander.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, 306 W. 3rd, Big Spring, 79720.

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Correction

Mistakes were made in the printing of the Griffin-Brooks engagement announcement in Sunday's paper. It should have read as follows: Suzy Griffin, Lamesa, and Ron Brooks, Big Spring, will exchange wedding vows on Nov. 20, 1993, at the First Christian Church, Big Spring. Her mother is Nelle Baker, Austin.

Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The Glasscock County Independent School District conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 378.26 percent on September 30, 1993, in vitano aur bar

The Glasscock County Independent School District is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on October 7, 1993 5:30 p.m. at The Glasscock Co. ISD School Administration Office, Garden City, Texas.

Explanation of Conversion from County Education District Taxes

County Education Districts have been abolished. In order to compare school tax rates from last year to this year, it is necessary to compare the combined school tax rate below to the school district's proposed tax rate for this year.

Last year the Glasscock County School District's tax rate was .2875.

Last year the Howard-Glasscock District 7 County Education District's tax rate was .907.

The combined School District and County Education District tax rate was 1.1945.

The proposed tax rate for Glasscock Co. School District for this year is 1.375.

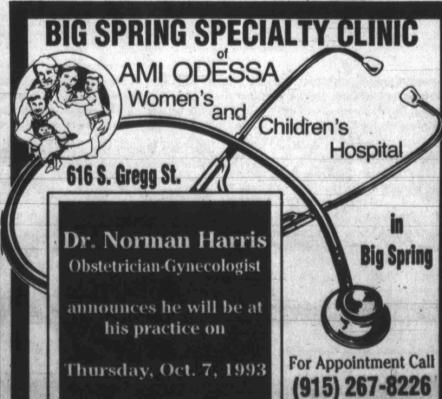
BIG SPRING Clifton H. Yater, 83, died

Saturday. Services will be at 10:00 A.M. Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Graveside services will be at 3:00 P.M. Tuesday at Cedar Hill Cemetery, Abilene.

Alex Torres, 53, died Saturday. Rosary will be at 7:30 P.M. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Services will be at 2:00 P.M. Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow

in Mt. Olive Memorial Park. Henry Patrick Booth, 82 died Saturday. Services will be at 10:00 A.M. Wednesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park, Midland.





Sports

Braves win NL West as Giants fall in

By The Associated Press

ATLANTA — After winning game No. 104, the Braves waited and watched. And, finally, on the last day of the best pennant race in years, the San Francisco Giants cracked.

The Braves won their third straight NL West title Sunday - but it didn't happen tice, who hit his 40th homer. "They showed until three hours after their 5-3 victory over the Colorado Rockies.

With players watching on a big-screen television in the trainers' room, and about 8,000 fans watching on the scoreboard television in Atlanta Fulton-County Stadium, the title finally came when the Los Angeles Dodgers beat the Giants 12-1 a continent away. Only then, after an marathon stretch drive that baseball will never forget, did the party finally began.

'Three in a row is great," manager Bobby Cox said in the midst of a boisterous champagne celebration. "This was the toughest one. We had to win so many games, it was unbelievable.

Atlanta and San Francisco began the day

in a tie for first, only the second time since divisional play began in 1969 that teams were even going into the final day. But the Braves made the Giants the first team since the 1954 New York Yankees to win 103 games and finish second.

"We showed character," said David Jusa lot of character, too. It's unfortunate one of us had to go home. I'm just happy it's them."

The two-time NL champions needed a remarkable comeback to win the race. The Braves, in a hitting slump throughout the first half of the season, trailed the Giants by 9 1/2 games on Aug. 8.

The July 18 acquisition of Fred McGriff helped Atlanta's offense get going, and the Braves won 39 of their final 50 games. "He made everyone in the lineup better,"

said Tom Glavine, who beat the Rockies for his 22nd win. "The day he stepped in the clubhouse we became a better team. San Francisco, however, kept up the pres-

off game Monday night. Atlanta players had their bags packed in the clubhouse for a possible flight to San Francisco on Sunday night. Glavine (22-6) won for the eighth time in

nine starts, allowing three runs and six hits in 6 2-3 innings with four strikeouts and one walk. Greg McMichael pitched the final two innings for his 19th save in 21 chances, giving the Braves a 13-0 sweep of the Rockies. the first time this century an NL team swept GLAVINE a season series from a

Atlanta took control of the day early, going ahead 2-0 in the third on RBI singles by McGriff and Terry Pendleton off David Nied (5-9), a former Brave who was the first player taken in the expansion draft last fall. sure by winning 14 of 16 before Sunday's Pendleton had nine RBI in the three-game loss. A Giants win would have forced a play-

Otis Nixon opened the third with a single and took second on Jeff Blauser's grounder. Gant walked before McGriff's single scored Nixon. Gant was thrown out trying for third by center fielder Chris Jones, but Justice and Pendleton followed with singles for the second run.

Atlanta made it 4-0 in the fourth. Nixon walked with two outs and Blauser singled him to second before Gant followed with a liner to center that Jones misplayed into a triple, allowing two runs.

Glavine faced only 13 hitters in the first four innings, giving up only a bloop single to Jerald Clark in the second.

San Francisco Giants manager Dusty Baker staked an entire season's worth of sweat and toil on a 21-year-old rookie. Salomon Torres welcomed the challenge but couldn't handle the task.

And since six relievers couldn't do much better, San Francisco saw its pennant hopes expire. Pitching, which had been the Giants' weak spot all season, failed them with the NL West title on the line.

said Baker, whose relievers gave up eight runs on homers. "Everybody that went out there today was extremely exhausted because they had pitched so much."

Baker made so many trips to the mound, he ended up exhausted, too.

The first-year manager's controversial decision to start Torres (3-5), who gave up three runs and walked five in 3 1-3 innings, turned out not to matter much after Dave Burba was tagged with three more runs on two homers in the fifth. The Dodgers were up 6-1, and San Francisco never threatened

For days, Baker had mulled over whether to go with Torres' talent or the experience of Scott Sanderson or Jim Deshaies. He chose Torres, who began the season with the Giants' Class AA Shreveport club.

"Sometimes you've got to go with ability over veteran," he said.

Baker gave Torres the ball even though the right-hander was 1-4 with a 4.44 ERA in his previous five starts.

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Dallas Cowboy cornerback Kevin Smith, left, breaks up a pass intended for Green Bay wide receiver Sterling Sharpe in the third quarter Sunday. Dallas won 36-14.

By The Associated Press

IRVING. Texas — Just when there was hope in the outside world that the world champion Dallas Cowboys had a fatal flaw, they fixed it.

Remember Eddie Murray, the 14year veteran of five NFL teams? On Sunday, he tied the best perfor-

mance of his NFL career with five field goals in a 36-14 victory over the Green Bay Packers. The 37-year-old Murray tied a club

record with five field goals, including long-distance 48 and 50 yarders. Dallas, which had lost its first two

games thanks in part to poor placekicking by Lin Elliott, evened its record at 2-2. Meanwhile the Packers, last-second losers in two games, fell to 1-3. Murray stole the spotlight away from Emmitt Smith, who made his first start. Smith scored on a 22vard run and gained 71 vards on 13 carries before a tight hamstring forced him to the sidelines.

It also was Troy Aikman's fourth 300-yard passing day as he hit 18 of 23 passes for 317 yards and a 61yard scoring pass to Michael Irvin.

The all-out Cowboys, who held a 10-7 lead, stunned the Packers with an onsides kick that Darrin Smith recovered after Derrick Gainer knocked the ball loose from Marcus Wilson. Murray made the gamble pay off with a 19-yard field goal for a 13-7 advantage.

A 50-yard Murray field goal and Smith's scoring run put the Cowboys up 26-7 before Green Bay's Robert Brooks made the most exciting play of the game, a 95-yard kickoff return for a touchdown.

Other NFL Games

Randall Cunningham and Joe Montana, two of the NFL's marquee quarterbacks, were knocked out of games Sunday — although you couldn't tell it by the final scores.

Cowboys roll past Packers

Cunningham broke his left leg in the Philadelphia Eagles' 35-30 comeback victory over the New York Jets. He will be sidelined eight to 10 weeks and may need surgery.

Montana was felled by a strained left hamstring in the second quarter, but the Kansas City Chiefs went on to defeat the Los Angeles Raiders 24-9. Montana, who missed the second game of the season with a wrist injury, was limping badly after the game and his status is uncertain for next week.

Seattle quarterback Rick Mirer also took his lumps, sidelined with a sprained left ankle in the last 21 seconds of the first half. After Dan McGwire threw for a touchdown before halftime, Mirer returned and led the Seahawks past San Diego 31-14 for their third straight victory.

Eagles 35, Jets 30

Eagles backup Bubby Brister rallied Philadelphia from a two-touchdown deficit. Eric Allen raced 94 yards with an interception for the winning touchdown.

Cunningham was injured in the second quarter when he appeared to take a mis-step and then was hit by Marvin Washington and Scott Mer-

Chiefs 24, Raiders 9

Montana was hurt as he ran for the sidelines against the Raiders. Aaron Wallace, who hit the quarterback, drew a 15-yard penalty - one of 16 against the Raiders.

Montana hit 7 of 9 for 68 yards and two TDs before being replaced by Dave Krieg.

Buccaneers 27, Lions 10

The Tampa Bay Bucs awakened from a season-long snooze on offense to stun Detroit 27-10. Reggie Cobb ran for 113 yards — seven more than the Bucs had gained on the ground in their first three games.

Bears 6, Falcons 0

Kevin Butler accounted for all of the points in Chicago's victory over winless Atlanta, kicking field goals of 52 and 48 yards. It was the sixth time this season a team has won without benefit of a touchdown.

Saints 37, Rams 6

New Orleans pushed its record to 5-0 as Wade Wilson threw two touchdown passes in a rout of the Los Angeles Rams. Morten Andersen kicked three field goals for the Saints. W To I'll strength and

49ers 38. Vikings 19

San Francisco's offense stuttered against Minnesota, but defense and special teams bailed out the 49ers against Minnesota. Dexter Carter returned a punt 72 yards for one

touchdown and Eric Davis returned an interception 41 yards for another.

Steers win at

Pecos

The Big Spring tennis team improved its record to 8-0, 3-0 in District 3-4A, with a 14-4 win at Pecos Saturday.

The Steers won without two of their top players, Maria Villareal and Greg Biddison, who played at a United States Tennis Association tournament in Fort Worth Saturday.

Here are the individual results:

Boye' singles

Rob Lee (BS) d. Brett Holland 6-2, 6-1.

Paul McKinney (BS) d. Jesse Zuniegs 6-2, 6-1.

Colby Wegman (BS) d. Jesse Riggins 6-3, 6-2.

Robble Matthews (P) d. Donnie Dennard 6-2, 1 Luciano Delgado (BS) d. Louis Sparkman 6-1, 6-

Tristan Pelcarpio (P) d. Jeff Johnston 6-3, 6-3. Boys' doubles Hank Tonn/Lee (BS) d. Holland/Zuniegs 6-2, 6-1.

Heldi McIntyre (BS) d. Ann Chavez 6-0, 6-5 Jennifer Armstrong (P) d. Debbie Cunningham 3 6, 6-3, 7-6(7-2). Amy Dominguez (BS) d. Stephanie Armstrong 6-

Angela Griffin (BS) d. Cindy Castillo 3-6, 6-3, 6-2. Kirstie Moates (BS) d. April Rodriguez 6-4, 6-4.

strong 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.
Griffin/Cunningham (BS) d. Chavez/S. Armstrong

6-4, 6-1.
McIntyre/Pam Porter (BS) d. Castillo/Rodriguez 6-2, 7-6 (7-2).

Youth sports roundup

Runnels shuts out Monahans twice

Monahans visited Blankenship yard touchdown, and he later added Field Thursday and wishes it hadn't. Runnels Junior High blasted Monahans 34-0 in the "B" game, then 31-0 in the "A" contest.

Runnels took a 2-0 lead in the first quarter of the "A" game when Jason Brock tackled a Monahans running back in the end zone for a safety. Then Runnels' Jeff Denton put on a

Denton ran for a 1-yard touchdown, and Brock Gee added the twopoint conversion on a pass from Gabriel Mendoza. Runnels led 10-0 at halftime.

Denton then tackled the Monahans quarterback in the end zone for a safety. Soon after, Runnels' Robin Cisneros returned a punt 50 yards for a touchdown. Oscar Canales kicked the extra point, and Runnels led 19-0.

Runnels added two fourth-quarter touchdowns on Marcus Hyatt's 18yard run and Bo Eldridge's fumble recovery.

Additional fine performances for Runnels came from Charles Rodriguez, Antwoyne Edwards, James Newman, Val Torres, Sammy Prince, James Smith, Gil Grawunder, Josh Ferneau, Kaman Barber, Frankie Loya, C.J. Ashley, Jeremy Collier, Bobby Rodriguez and Luis

Jeremy Klaus, another Runnels standout, injured his left knee in the game and is expected to miss the rest of the season.

Runnels 'B' 34, Monahans 0 Five different Runnels players scored touchdowns in this romp.

Michael Lee started the show for the Yearlings with a 43-yard touchdown run in the first quarter. John Lawdermilk added the extra point. In the second quarter, Lee

launched a 75-yard touchdown pass to Robert Cisneros. Runnels led 13-0 at the half.

Lawdermilk broke free for a 51yard touchdown run in the third quarter, and he threw a two-point conversion pass to Greg Wollenzein in the fourth quarter.

touchdowns. Jacob Rios ran for a 39-

In the fourth, Runnels scored two

an extra point to Justin Cotton's 34yard touchdown run. Defensive standouts were Dusty

Osborn, Chris Perry, Chris Felty, John Peters, Jason Cerda, Bobby Legg, Dylon Chambers, Ricky Perez, Clayton Pate, Eddie Campos, Shane Haynie and Will Shoals.

Goliad White 6, Monahans 0

MONAHANS - Ray Zapata scored the only touchdown of this Thursday game as Goliad edged Monahans.

Zapata's 1-yard touchdown run came with 2 seconds left in the second quarter. Daniel White, Angel Larez, Dusty Clayton, Michael Krugeur, Travis Gray, Chris Ari, Jason Campos and Jason Mims provided strong blocking for Goliad.

Zapata, Johnny Delacruz, Rudy Gamboa, Gilbert Rubio, Jacob Flores and Josh Lory led Goliad's superb defensive effort.

Monahans 12, Goliad Black 8 MONAHANS - Goliad fell short in a hard-hitting game Thursday.

Goliad trailed 6-0 when Tory Mitchell intercepted a Monahans two-point conversion attempt and returned it 97 yards for two points of

Jake Turner's reverse pass to Matt Mendoza was good for a Goliad 28yard touchdown, but the Loboes held on for the win. Josh Ontiveros, Joe Owens, Bran-

don Turner, Mitchell and Tyrone Smith played well offensively for Goliad. Thomas Garza, Mendoza, Carlos Viera and Chris Keller were defensive standouts.

Greenwood 28, Coahoma 7th 6 GREENWOOD - Vincent Garcia's

32-yard touchdown run in the second quarter was Coahoma's lone highlight as they dropped a 28-6 decision to Greenwood in seventhgrade football action Thursday.

Offensively, Coahoma coaches praised the play of Garcia and linemen B.J. Batson and Aaron Boadle. Defensive stars for Coahoma were Garcia from his cornerback position and defensive lineman Lester Duffer.

Coahoma (3-1) returns to action at 5 p.m. Thursday against Wall at Bulldog Stadium.

Greenwood 34, Coahoma 8th 0

GREENWOOD - Greenwood completed its evening sweep with a 34-0 whitewash of Coahoma in the eighthgrade game Thursday.

Coahoma coaches cited the play of Roy Ladesma, Jerry Mann, Anthony Gonzales and Jim Boudreau. The junior high Bulldogs fell to 1-3 with the loss.

Coahoma returns to action at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at home against Wall.

Forsan 22, Garden City 0 Forsan Junior High blasted Garden

City Thursday.

After a scoreless first quarter, T.J. Lipham scored on a 63-yard run. Forsan's second touchdown came in the third quarter Joey Jackson's 22yard run. The Buffaloes' final touchdown came in the fourth quarter when Jackson scored on a 48-yard run. Jackson also added an extra point.

Blaine Roman intercepted a pass in the end zone on the next-to-last play of the game to keep Garden City off the scoreboard. Forsan is 2-1 and hosts Roscoe Thursday.

Crossroads plays

third week The Crossroads Little Football League enjoyed its third week of action Saturday.

Steers 30, Lions 26

Clarence Wilkin was unstoppable in this game, scoring four touchdowns to help the Steers (1-1) outscore the Lions (1-2).

Believe or not, Wilkin was the only boy to reach the end zone four times. Mario Hernandez of the Lions also scored four TDs. Zack Tuttle had a strong game on

offense for the Steers, while Wilkin

and Robert Aldrige were the Steers' defensive leaders. Offensive linemen James Wallace, Larry Martinez and Johnny Coley played well for the Lions, while John Lopez, Chri McBrayer and Chad Puga were strong on defense.

Oilers 8, Bulldogs 0

The Oilers (2-1) preserved a win on the game's final play. The Oilers' Abel Guzman tackled a

Bulldog runner at the one-foot line on the final play of the game. Guz-man had trailed the runner for 50 vards before catching him. Mike Smith scored the only touch-

down of the game on a 15-yard run. Joshua Matthews also played well offensively for the Oilers. The Oilers' entire defensive unit takes credit for the shutout, with Robert and Anthony Garza turning in outstanding per-Paul Ruiz, Clete Stone, Travis Hipp

and Brandon Hart played well on the

the 'Dogs. Bulldogs II 44, Buffaloes II 14 Cody Teeler ran for two touch-

Scoring for the Buildogs were Jacob Castle, Brandon Gross and Ryan Wegman. **

downs and Michael Kinard passed for two others as the Bulldogs (2-0) rolled past the Buffaloes (1-2). Jacob Eastham and Tommy Cruz caught touchdown passes. Oscar cruised to a win.

plenty of holes on the offensive line for the Bulldogs. Defensive stars for the Bulldogs included Teeler (who scored a third touchdown on an interception return), Steven Henry, Delvin White,

offensive line for the Bulldogs (0-2). Joe Brice Wright and Blaine Wright. Chris Rios and Furillo Subia scored Allen Belew, Curtin Drake and Eddie touchdowns for the Buffs. Stephen Gonzales were strong on defense for Tilley, Jonathan Becerra, Jeremy Becerra and Javier Becerra were the Buffs' top defensive players.

Longhorns 28, Packers 0

Lance Brock scored three touchdowns, and the defense took care of the rest as the Longhorns (3-0)

Velasquez and Lorin Wolf opened Matt Green scored a touchdown. and Jose Pena played an excellent game at center for the winners. Joseph Clark, Adam Valencia and Chris Jackson led the Longhorns' superb defensive showing.



Jeremy Randel, with ball, attracts a lot of attention in an under-8 division match Saturday in the Big Spring YMCA Soccer Association league. Trailing Randel are his Citizens Federal Credit Union Cub teammates, from left, Wesley Parks, David Hughes and Ian Ritchie. Ritchie scored all three goals for the Cubs as they tied the AutoTrend Bulldogs.

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Kansas City's George Brett, left, and Texas' Nolan Ryan pose before Sunday's final game at Arlington Stadium. The Royals' 4-1 win Sunday was the final game for Brett and Ryan, who are retiring. They'll likely be together again in the Hall of Fame in five years.

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Miami	210	.667	60	57
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PLY JOSE	220	.500	119	82
New England	040			119
Cleveland	310	.750	.79	66
Pittsburgh	220	.500	92	75
Houston	130	.250	81	79
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Phoenix	130	.250	64	76	
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Detroit	320	.600	88	90	
Chicago	220	.500	80	53	
Minnesota	220	.500	51	82	
Green Bay	130	.250	80	77	
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Pittsburgh	75	87	.463	22	
Florida	64	98	.395	33	
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Sunday's Games Atlanta 5, Colorado 3 New York 9, Florida 2, 8 1/2 innings, rain Montreal 3, Pittsburgh 1 St. Louis 2, Philadelphia 0

Remembering the right-field bleachers at Arlington Stadium

I promised myself I wasn't going to get all misty-eyed Sunday when the last pitch was thrown at Arlington Stadium, and I succeeded.

It wasn't as if they are tearing down Wrigley Field or Fenway Park, for Pete's sake. The stadium, which will be demolished in favor of the brand-spanking new The Ballpark in Arlington (what a great name - but don't get me started on that) doesn't even come close to those grand fields in terms of charisma.

In fact, Arlington Stadium was (I might as well use past tense now) a hodgepodge edifice that had about all the charm of your average post

It was originally built, I believe in the '50s, as the home for minor league and college baseball teams. After the Texas Rangers moved in back in 1972, seating was added here and there, giving the place a

semi-ramshackle appearance. There was no Green Monster in left field, no ivy-colored fences, no monuments in center field ... nothing that would make it stand out from any other ballpark in the country unless you count the nachos, which I

But as ordinary as the park was, it still was a good place to watch baseball, and it was where I fell in love with the game.

In 1979 I moved to Fort Worth and lived in an apartment about a 10minute drive from the stadium. I was young and free in the big city, and since the ballpark was so close by and tickets were cheap, I decided to catch a few Rangers games.

Finding a good seat in those days never was a problem. The Rangers weren't exactly horrible (they were in first place as late as July), but you could always count on the Rangers doing a second-half swoon, so good seats in August and September were never hard to find.

After a few trips, I finally gravitated to the right-field bleachers, partly because they were the cheapest but mostly because they were closest to my favorite Ranger that year - right fielder Al Oliver.

Oliver, in my opinion, was one of the sweetest-swinging hitters of his time, and he was a pretty fair fielder as well. In four years at Arlington Stadium, which was a pitchers' park in those days, Oliver averaged over

The Rangers had other good players, such as Hall-of-Famer Ferguson Jenkins, catcher Jim Sundberg, reliever Jim Kern and second baseman Bump Wills, but Oliver was my favorite that year.

A fantasy of mine that year was for me to catch an Oliver home run bare-handed, then have him autograph the ball. I never caught one of Oliver's homers, although I almost

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had my head taken off by a Reggie Jackson line drive one night. Jackson always did like to hit at Arlington Stadium.

Anyway, a funny thing happened to me that year. Baseball, a sport I had always enjoyed but considered a distant second to football, assumed its rightful place at the top of my

There are certain rhythms to the game that can only be appreciated at the ballpark; TV, for whatever reason, does not do full justice to the

But sitting out in right field, with a program in one hand and those darned soggy nachos in another, talking about the comparative merits of certain players with some guy who was on his 15th beer (but goodnatured, nonetheless), I found that going to a baseball game was just about the best fate a person could

And I guess I owe Arlington Stadium at least partial thanks for

I moved away from Fort Worth in 1980 and saw precious few Rangers games after that. I kept telling myself to catch a game this year, but other things always kept coming up.

I watched Sunday's final game at Arlington Stadium on TV and, as Juan Gonzalez made the final out in the final game at the rickety old place, I thought about what I would write about.

As I tried to recall all the memories I had about the place, I discovered that few really clear ones came to mind. All that I could remember was the general feelings I had watching the Rangers make their slow but sure way to winter vacation.

Feelings like the pleasure I took from striking up casual friendships in the right-field bleachers, resignation from watching the Rangers sink like a stone, joy at Oliver's exploits and a semi-sadness at the end of another All of that I experienced at

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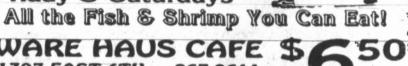
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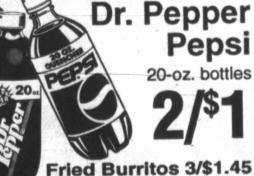
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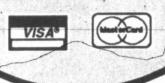
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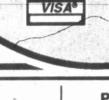
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Bids will be presented to the Commissioners' Court on October 11, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. for their consideration. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Jackie Olson, **County Auditor**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE-REAL PROPERTY District Court of Howard County, Texas, on a adgment rendered in such court on March 17, 1993, In favor of John Kennemur d/b/a/ Kenn Construction and against Rosemond Kay Garrett, in the case of John Kennemur d/b/a/ Kenn Construction Rosemond Kay Garrett, No. 92-04-35756 in such court, the undersigned did on September 16, 1993, at 4:00 o'clock p.m., levy upon the following real estate, tying and being situated in Howard County, Texas, as the property of Rosemond Kay Garrett: All of the undivided one-third interest of Rosemo

Kay Garrett in and to the property described as Lot Twenty (20), Block B, Merrick Greene Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.
You are further notified that on November 2, 1993, being the first Tuesday of the month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on the specified day, at the courthouse door of Howard

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Jacqueline Bigar - Horoscope

FORECAST FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1993

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Consider problems as challenges dressed up in fancy clothes. With that attitude you will breeze through the morning and find all the necessary solutions. Good communications let you connect with an important person. Be open to others' suggestions and ready to navigate a new course. Tonight. Let the other person choose.****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Count on spending a pretty penny today, as much of your activity will involve investment. You'll find a better sense of direction and feel more nurtured. Put your best foot forward at work. Tonight: Brainstorm with a buddy.****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Creative options abound. What seems disconcerting in the morning works out later. Your creativity and your willingness to search for soultions work well together. Touch base with a loved one. Tonight: Be you. *****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): It's time to slow down, reevaluate and choose a new direction. Don't kid yourself anymore about how you feel concerning a loved one. Look at family matters carefully before making a decision. Allow yourself to be vulnerable during a discussion. Tonight: Check in on a pal who doesn't

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your first impression is that this will be a problem day, but things turn out differently. Be ready to talk a key matter through as you focus on a long-term goal. A friend is full of surprises. Go along for the ride. Tonight: Go for what you want.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Accept the limelight - and the responsibilities - even if it seems a little uncomfortable. Push will come to shove as you wonder which way to go. You really do have the answer, you know. Money matters are enhanced. Tonight: Work late.***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Look to distant horizons and adventures. Be aware of your potential. Don't let fear or insecurity stop you today. Good communications and a willingness to risk will open a brave new

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov, 21): One-to-one relating helps you discover a truth. Finances are highlighted although a friend might inadvertently interfere. Be direct and clear. Tonight: Heat up the evening. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Discussions reveal new information. Defer to another. You feel good about what you hear and gain hopes of getting more of what you want. Make time for a group event.

Tonight: Say yes to an invitation.***** CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You are the zodiac's workaholic today, even in the face of a last-minute change this morning. Information has you shaken, but you're able to move right through it. Look to a family member for suggestions. Check out an investment. Tonight: Work late.****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): No question about it, you're in the mood for fun, but your partner might not be. Don't worry ... your time will arrive. Acting more playful will increase the happiness level of all. Be willing to take a risk, even if it scares you a bit. Tonight: Out and about.****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Check out what's going on around you. A partner is there for you, and discussing your insecurities can actually help. Financial support is available, but realize that you have what it takes to do it on your own. Tonight: A hot time!****

IF OCTOBER 5 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You'll need plenty of downtime this year to combat tension and stress, which could be high. Watch your temper; it could flare because of your tendency to let anger simmer inside. You will move to a new dimension in which you will open up willingly, possibly through travel,

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

Dear Abby - Letters...

Son's sudden death is lesson to all

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to "Unsure in Framingham, Mass.," whose fiancee refused to marry him because of the high risk involved in his chosen career as a state trooper.

Our son served four years in the U.S. Army, returning home to become a Pennsylvania state trooper. His wife and we, his parents, feared for him in that hazardous profession, but we accepted it and were very proud of his achievements.

He got to live the life he wanted for just three short years — then while on vacation this summer, he died in a drowning accident.

So, to "Unsure": Follow your dream; you never know how - or when - your life will end. — BEREAVED PARENTS IN PENNSYL-**VANIA**

DEAR BEREAVED PARENTS: Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your beloved son. Most people expect to bury their parents eventually, but for a parent to bury a child — of any age — is probably the most painful experience of a parent's life.

DEAR ABBY: A few months ago, you printed a letter from a woman who was distressed because a young man, apparently trying to reach his father on Father's Day to bury the hatchet after a longtime dispute, reached this woman's answering machine, but did not leave his own telephone number; so there was no way of letting him know that he had reached the wrong number.

Abby, this unfortunate situation was partly the woman's fault. Her answering machine must have had one of those messages that says, "Sorry, we are not at home" - without saying who "we" are.

DENNIS THE MENACE



STEAK, BAKED POTATO, CORN, LETTUCE SALAD. WHAT KIND OF A MEAL IS THIS?"

Abby, please spread the word that all answering messages should begin with: "You have reached the residence of John and Jane Doe at 555-1234." Then, this kind of confusion would be less likely to occur. -ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL - NOT!

DEAR ALEX: I disagree. Why disclose to strangers who may have dialed your number by mistake that you are "Lord and Lady Gotrocks" and your telephone number is Pennsylvania 6-5000?

It would be wiser to have the following message on your machine: "You have reached Pennsylvania 6-5000. If you wish to leave your name and telephone number, we will return your call as soon as possible.'

DEAR ABBY: When I read the letter in your column regarding slamming doors in anger, it brought a smile to my face remembering the last time I slammed a door.

Once, out of anger, I slammed my refrigerator door only to hear a sickening sound inside. I opened the fridge door and found all 18 eggs had been propelled from their slots in the door to the interior of the refrigerator!

It took me an hour to clean the mess I had made, but I chuckled the whole time at the consequences of my angry door-slamming. Needless to say, I have not slammed a door since. - KAY SANDERS, COMMERCE,

DEAR KAY: I know egg-zactly how you must have felt.

CONFIDENTIAL TO "HAD IT" IN SAN DIEGO: Don't give up -it's part of the training, and separates the men from the boys. Besides, a kick in the pants is a step forward.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



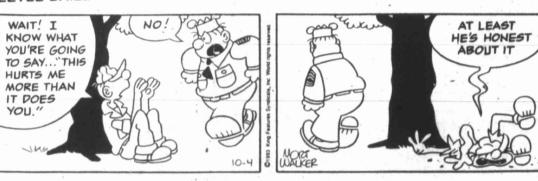
"Today we learned to add and distract.'

B.C.





BEETLE BAILEY



SNUFFY SMITH



PEANUTS



WIZARD OF ID



I'M ONL HUMAN



US TO BELIEVE

PLEASE, YOU DON'T HAVE

LITTLE DETAIL!

CALVIN AND HOBBES

I LOVE MY SCHOOL BOOKS. JUST THINK PRETTY SOON WE'LL HAVE READ ALL OF THIS!



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