

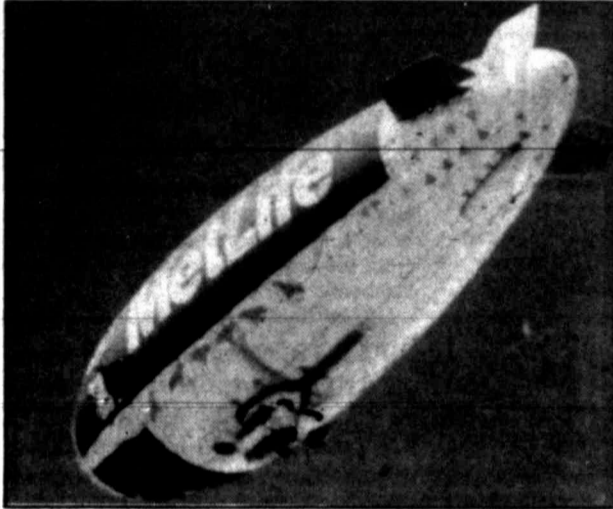
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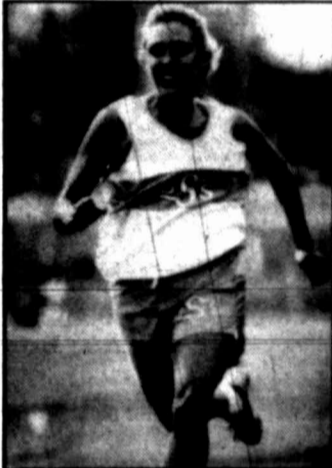
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## NEWS DIGEST



### Fighting the high winds to stay high in the sky

The Met Life blimp made a surprise pass over Big Spring Saturday afternoon, fighting the strong western winds over the east side of town before turning around and flying away.



### Last meter

Big Spring High School trackster Natalie Newsome sprints during the 100-meter preliminaries during the Big Spring Invitational Saturday. For additional details, see Sports, page 9A.

### Helping hands

Big Spring VA Medical Center volunteer Leonard Posey takes a message while listening on the phone. For additional details on hospital volunteers in Big Spring, see life!, page 1B.



### Briefs

**Book sale slated:** Starting Monday the Big Spring Fire Department will flush city hydrants and check their operation. Most of the work will be done Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and will continue for the next 30 days. Residents may notice period changes in their water color or pressure. Water may also be on the streets where hydrants are being flushed. This procedure is done twice yearly to ensure hydrants are working properly.

**Health fair slated:** "Spotlight on Family Health" will be the theme for Health Fair 1994 set for 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 7 at Big Spring Mall. Those interested in being an exhibitor or giving demonstrations should call the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce at 263-7641.

### Weather

**Fair, low around 40:** Mostly sunny, high in the upper 70s, southwest winds 10 to 20 mph; fair night, winds gusty, low upper 40s.

**Permian Basin Forecast:** Monday: Partly cloudy, high in the mid 70s, southwest winds 10 to 15 mph; fair night, low mid 40s.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, high in the mid 70s; fair night, low mid 40s.

Wednesday: Partly cloudy, high in the mid 70s; fair night, low in the upper 40s.

<b>TONIGHT</b>	<b>TOMORROW</b>	<b>TONIGHT</b>
PARTLY CLOUDY	PARTLY CLOUDY	SUNSET 7:56 PM
		SUNRISE 7:46 AM
		<b>TOMORROW</b>

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## High winds fan grass fires

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

High winds and dry grass kept local firefighters busy Saturday afternoon.

Four units with the Big Spring Fire Department were called out to a grass fire on FM 700 across from Scenic Mountain Medical Center around 5:30 p.m. Eight firefighters began dousing the fire with water trying to get the blaze under control.

High winds spread the fire quickly and two units from the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department were called in to assist. "We have units that can go out into the pastures and get water onto the fire. Right now, we have two out there helping the city battling this blaze," said Volunteer Fire Chief C. Roy Wright.

"There was probably 20 to 30 acres destroyed. We still don't know how it got started. The high winds didn't help the situation at all," said Glenn Graves, city fireman. By 7 p.m., the blaze was under control and firefighters were checking the hot spots and making sure the fire was out.

Two units from the Big Spring Police Department helped with traffic control by diverting cars away from FM 700. Smoke had quickly spread across FM 700 towards the hospital and 10th Street, creating visibility problems for drivers.

Earlier in the afternoon, Howard County...



A wall of flame and accompanying smoke head east toward FM 700 during a Saturday grass fire near the West 11th Place intersection. Firefighters were on the scene for over an hour battling the blaze.

## Early voting strong; election Tuesday

By TIM JONES  
Staff Writer

Early voting turnout for the April 12 runoff election was strong for Howard County, according to Margaret Ray, county clerk.

Ray said 685 Democrats voted early at the courthouse. In addition, 57 ballots were mailed out, 48 have been returned.

So far, a total of 733 Democrats have cast ballots, with only nine ballots outstanding. These must be back in the mail by 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Ray said that 115 Republican turned out to vote early, and 30 ballots were mailed out. Of those mailed, 23 are in and seven are outstanding. To date, a total of 138 Republican ballots have been cast.

Early voting for primary runoff elections ended Friday at 5 p.m.

The primary runoff election is Tuesday for Big Spring and Howard County registered Democratic and Republican voters.

The DEMOCRATIC ballot will read:

- UNITED STATES SENATOR
- Jim Mattox
- Richard Fisher
- JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 1
- Raul A. Gonzalez
- Rene Haas
- JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 2
- Gene Kelly
- Betty Marshall
- COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2
- Donnie Reid

### Where to vote

Voting places have been consolidated for the runoff elections Tuesday April 12.

The number of Democratic polling places was streamlined from 22 locations to seven.

Polls open at 7 a.m., closing at 7 p.m.

**DEMOCRATIC POLLING PLACES:** Northside Fire Station: Precincts 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112.

Goliad Fire Station: Precincts 202, 203, 204, 205 and 208.

Coahoma Community Center: Precinct 207.

Wasson Road Fire Station: Precincts 301, 302, 303, 304, 305 and 306.

Eleventh and Birdwell Fire Station: Precincts 401, 402, 403, 404, 405 and 410.

Luther Gin Office: Precincts 406, 407 and 408.

Sand Springs Lions Club Community Center: Precinct 409.

**REPUBLICAN POLLING PLACES:** Coahoma Fire Station: Precincts 207 and 409.

Goliad Middle School: All other precincts: 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112, 202, 203, 204, 205, and 208, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305 and 306, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408 and 410.

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## Stenholm address crime bill while visiting

By TIM JONES  
Staff Writer

During a visit to Big Spring Friday, U.S. Congressman Charles Stenholm addressed the crime issue while visiting the Federal Corrections Institute.



STENHOLM

Stenholm's visit here began with an early morning private meeting with Dale A. Brown, the new prison warden.

Afterward, Stenholm attending a prison community relations breakfast with business and political leaders from the community.

"I'm here today primarily to listen, observe and learn more," he said.

Stenholm spoke about the proposed new crime bill, saying that "it's odd that only in years divisible by two, election years, do these 'pop' up."

Stenholm said, "The crime bill should ensure punishment commensurate with the crime. I'd like to see sure, swift punishment, after all checks and balances are made. Get tougher on criminals, but don't lose the focus on rehabilitation," the Congressman explained.

"I'd like to see the death penalty return to its intended purpose."

Stenholm stated, "I'd like to send a clear message that to take a life potentially can and will result in loss of life."

"Of course, this action should only be taken after there can be no doubt that the right person has been tried and has been given due process, as the law allows," Stenholm conceded.

"I'd like to see a death penalty for individuals convicted of selling drugs to children," Stenholm said.

"As far as crime goes, instead of listening to federal experts," he said, "I'd like to tell local law enforcement officials that their judgment can become my judgment. They are out there where it all happens, and I value their input."

During the breakfast, Brown explained "FCI is the fastest growing agency with the U.S. Department of Justice. The Bureau of Prisons has 25,000 employees nationwide and houses some 90,000 inmates. Most facilities, except medical units, operate at 155 percent of their capacity."

The fantastic news, Brown said, is that FCI Big Spring pumped some \$20 million into the local economy last year and \$12 million of that was in salaries. Approximately 60 percent of those workers live in less than a 30 mile radius of the prison, which positively impacts Howard County's economy, Brown explained.

"I cannot say enough about the community support here of FCI," Brown said, "It's the best I've seen in the entire Bureau of Prisons."

There are over 200 volunteers locally at FCI Big Spring.

"This is the first institution I've seen with such a positive bond with a community junior college. Howard College has 22 instructors."

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## Old Soreheads out in force for Trade Days

By BARBARA MORRISON  
Staff Writer

STANTON — The town square in Stanton will set the stage for anyone searching for family fun, shopping until dropping, authentic food, not-so-authentic food and neighborhood hospitality. Community officials are gearing up for Old Sorehead Trade Days next week.

The Days, as they have become affectionately known in the community, have brought over 55,000 people to this small town to shop for the usual and unusual trinket, antique, gadget, craft, and ware.

The vendor population continues to grow for the event, with over 300 participating in the October 1993 show. Last year, almost 1 million dollars in revenue was generated for the Permian Basin economy.

Martin County extension agent, Kathryn Burch is excited about this year's vendor turnout. "We've got some really colorful people coming next week," she says.

Midland's Gene Isaacs is bringing "the Permian Basin's most exciting party rental." Targeted for children and billed as "The Spacewalk," Isaacs provides an airbag jumper, which looks like a large inflated tent.

The structure measures 15 feet by 15 feet and is 13 feet high at the peak. "It's not just for kids," he says, "adults can have a lot of fun jumping in it, too." The spacewalk will be located at the Northeast corner of the courthouse yard.

Stanton's own Evelyn and E.D. Holcomb will feature their booth known simply as "Keepsakes." Holcomb has become regionally famous, Burch says, "for collecting just about everything."

"We have everything from buggy steps to butter churns," they laugh. Evelyn Holcomb says she enjoys the Trade Days because it gives her "a chance to see old friends and make some new ones."

"Keepsakes" will offer the buyer old antiques, including some buggy wrenches and model T Ford wrenches. There will also be craft items, including some handmade quilts.

The main street of downtown Stanton will be lined with vendors, promoting their wares and reaching around the courthouse into the community center area. Several organizations will entice the passer-by with palette-watering aromas from various food booths.

"The town has really been preparing," Burch says. "Several merchants have spruced the place up, painting their buildings and getting ready for the event."

Please see TRADE, page 2A

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# Volunteers bag trash along highways

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

If you were out driving around Big Spring early Saturday morning, you might have noticed a number of people wearing orange vests and picking up trash along the highways. They were taking part in the ninth annual "Great Texas Trash-Off."

Sixty volunteers from various organizations in the city participated in the program by picking up litter along the roads. The Boy's Club, Kiwanis Club, Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 379 and College Baptist Church were involved in this year's trash-off.

The Vietnam-Veterans of America had about eight volunteers bagging up trash along FM 700 from the state park to Business 20. "We probably have picked up about 25 bags of trash today. We've picked up 80 bags in the past," said member Don Bowling.

College Baptist Church members were out in full force. "There's probably about 25 of us, including the kids, out picking up trash on FM 700 from Birdwell to the First Baptist Church," said James Ham, a church member. The group collected about 60 to 70 bags of trash along the portion of the highway they adopted two years ago.

The Kiwanis Club picked up trash from Hearn Street to two miles south on Highway 87. The Boy's Club volunteers bagged litter on the Snyder Highway from Interstate 20 to Gail Road.

Texas Department of Transportation workers came by with huge trucks to pick up all the bags that the volunteers left on the side of the road.

The Trash-Off sponsor for the fourth year in a row is Coca-Cola who provided the Texas-sized garbage bags.

Last year, history was made when 85,000 Texas volunteers picked up more than seven million gallons of litter across the state.

## Trade

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Historical site including the "Old Jail" and the "Martin County Convent" will be open for tours, Burch reports.

Entertainment for young and old alike will be on the courthouse lawn. Local artists will perform and a gospel session is scheduled for Sunday afternoon.

Hay rides and buggy rides will be offered just for the fun of it. "The neatest little train in Texas," according to Isaacs, will offer rides for "kids of all ages."

The hoopla begins Saturday and "it lasts from can to can," Burch stated. "Sunday's hours are from noon to 5 p.m." Several local churches will welcome the casually dressed visitor for services.

Burch stated, "There is such a variety of vendors it will be hard to decide where to start. One of our vendors specializes in Christian decor. You'll also be able to see the latest in wearable-art clothing, and the children will love the toy shops."

"One of our vendors travels around to all the trade shows," she explains. "She has Johnnie's Peppercorn and paints peppers on everything — even men's underwear!"

Saturday evening will feature an auction beginning at 7. Items for sale will be on display all day. A percentage of the auction proceeds will go to the Convent restoration fund.

## Fire

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County volunteers were called out to a grass fire on Interstate 20 near mile marker 170. Two units

responded to the blaze and were able to put it out in a relatively short time.

## Voting

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R. Shaw  
COUNTY COMMISSIONER,  
PRECINCT NO. 4  
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PRECINCT NO. 2  
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APPEALS, PLACE 2  
Sharon Keller  
Sam Bayless  
COUNTY COMMISSIONER,  
PRECINCT NO. 2

John Wayne Metcalf  
Jerry Kilgore

The REPUBLICAN ballot will read:

## Crime

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tors here. Some of them have been involved as long as 10 years at FCI," Brown said.

Stenholm agreed with Brown saying he thought the "educational programs here are the top of the line."

Stenholm also expressed his support for the prison industries program, called UNICOR, were inmates provide the labor force in projects for federal agencies.

This program helps pay for educational programs and funds a Financial Responsibility program that compensates crime victims and teaches inmates responsibility for their actions.

When asked about the local issue of urban renewal and economic development, Stenholm said, "I know Big Spring is working hard, we're trying to work with you and for you."

"I hope to have good news for Big Spring in a matter of weeks about the Federal Aviation Administration's decision regarding returning the Air Force base back to the city of Big Spring."

"And don't forget, in Washington, we are deciding how to spend a \$1.3 trillion budget. That's a lot of money to do good projects with," Stenholm said.

11, 1994, at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Rev. Charles Larue officiating. Burial will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery.

Rosary will be said tonight at 7 at St. Joseph Catholic Church. He died Saturday, April 9, 1994, in a Martin County hospital.

He was born Jan. 12, 1994 in Stanton.

He is survived by his mother, Gloria Chapa of Stanton; two brothers, Albert Chapa and Isaac Sanchez of Stanton; and grandparents Louis and Gloria Chapa of Stanton.

## A.C. Myrick

Funeral services for A.C. Myrick, 84 of Big Spring, will be Tuesday, April 12, 1994, at 2 p.m. in the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Royce Clay, minister of 14th and Main Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Mr. Myrick died Saturday, April 9, in a Midland hospital.

He was born Dec. 12, 1909 in Hamilton County and married Lela Lerline Murphree April 19, 1934 in Stanton. She preceded in him in death Nov. 6, 1988. He moved to Howard County as a teen-ager and had worked for Wash & Watts Oil Co. as a pumper before retiring in 1980. He was a member of the Assembly of God.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Johnson of Houston and Judi Mallory of Tulsa, Okla.; and four grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, or The Wesley United Methodist Church, 12th and Owens streets, Big Spring.

Funeral services under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

## Florentino Chapa

STANTON - Funeral services for Florentino Chapa, 2 months of Stanton, will be 10 a.m. Monday, April

Survivors include a son, Bobby Myrick of Sterling City; a daughter, Peggy Bishop of Midland; two brothers, W.D. Myrick of Gilmer and Charles Copeland of Tow; one sister, Mary Underwood of St. Louis, Mo.; four grandsons and four great-grandchildren.

The family suggest memorials to The American Heart Association, Howard County Division, P.O. Box 1223, Big Spring, Texas, 79721-1223 or the American Lung Association, P.O. Box 26460, 3520 Executive Center Dr., Austin, Texas 78755-0460.

Funeral services under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

## Briefs

### Commissioners resume jail discussions Monday

By TIM JONES  
Staff Writer

Monday afternoon's portion of the regular meeting of the Howard County Commissioners will feature site preparation data from the new jail project's architects, Aguirre and Associates.

The meeting begins at 10 a.m., and the jail/architect portion is after lunch, when the meeting resumes at 1:15 p.m.

City council members will also be in attendance. Mayor pro tem Ladd Smith and Councilman Charles Bell will be representing the city on the agenda, as members of a city-county joint committee, according to City Manager Lanny Lambert.

Details of the architect's report are not yet fully known, said Ben Lockhart, county judge. Also being considered is replacement of the doors at the county's activity barn. Lockhart said they are old, and that one is so worn out they cannot open it except by pulling it open with a truck.

A resolution regarding a female juvenile detention center in Coke County will allow commissioners to consider future use of the center.

### Theater groups does not advance to regional

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

The Big Spring High School Theatre Department did not advance to regional University Interscholastic League One Act Play competition after attending the area competition in Snyder on Friday.

"We were very disappointed with the judge's decision," said Tim Haynes, Big Spring High School drama instructor. Brandy Bedell won best actress award, Michael Richardson won for all-star cast and Josh Cox received an honorable mention all-star cast award.

Big Spring and San Angelo-Lakeview represented District 3-4A. Both teams won district last week. Big Spring performed the play "The Lark," about the life of Joan of Arc. For five years in a row, Big Spring has won district and has even advanced to state competition twice, winning third place in 1991.

San Angelo-Lakeview and Snyder were the winners in regionals and advance to area competition.

## Police

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

"A minor accident was reported at the intersection of 800 Douglas and 700 West Eighth Street. A citation for disobeying a stop sign was issued and no injuries were reported.

"Thefts were reported in the College Park Shopping Center, 2300 block of Wesson, 1700 block of East Marcy, 1200 block of East 11th Place and in the 1000 block of Bluebonnet. A theft was also reported in the 1600 block of Wood and \$4,398 worth of jewelry was taken from a residence.

## Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:

Jose Ramira Viera, Jr., 24 of 501 N.E.

"A report of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 600 block of North Douglas.

"Criminal mischief was reported in the 900 block of Highland. Someone threw a rock through the back windshield of a car, causing \$200 worth of damage.

"A domestic disturbance was reported in the 2700 block of Coronado and a verbal warning was issued.

"A burglary of a vehicle was reported in the 500 block of South Birdwell. Someone stole a tool box worth \$1,200 from a truck.

"Leon Edward Toone, 32 of 507 West Fifth Street, was arrested for public intoxication.

"Michael Edward Hogg, 38 of 1300 Stanford, was arrested on an outstanding warrant from the state of Washington.

Second, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces. He was transported from the city jail, posted bond and was released.

"Martha Fina Lopez Morales, 22 of 411 North Scurry, was arrested for driving while intoxicated. She was transported from the city jail, posted bond and was released.

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## Deaths

### Richard Shields



Funeral services for Richard J. Shields, 86 of Big Spring, will be Monday, April 11, 1994, at 4 p.m. at Wesley United Methodist Church with Rev. Shell Denison, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Mr. Shields died Thursday, April 7, in a Houston hospital.

He was born Aug. 5, 1907, in Lebanon, Kan., and married Edna Sanderson Jan. 1, 1939, in Watonga, Okla. She preceded him in death Oct. 12, 1985. He and his late wife came to Big Spring in 1950 from Guyton, Okla. He had worked for Cabot Corporation for many years retiring in 1973. He played the fiddle in the Hot Potato Band and was a past president of AAUP. He was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church where he had served as choir director. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Guyton.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Johnson of Houston and Judi Mallory of Tulsa, Okla.; and four grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, or The Wesley United Methodist Church, 12th and Owens streets, Big Spring.

Funeral services under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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Richard J. Shields, 86, died Thursday. Services will be 4:00 p.m. Monday at Wesley United Methodist Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

A.C. Myrick, 84, died Saturday. Services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

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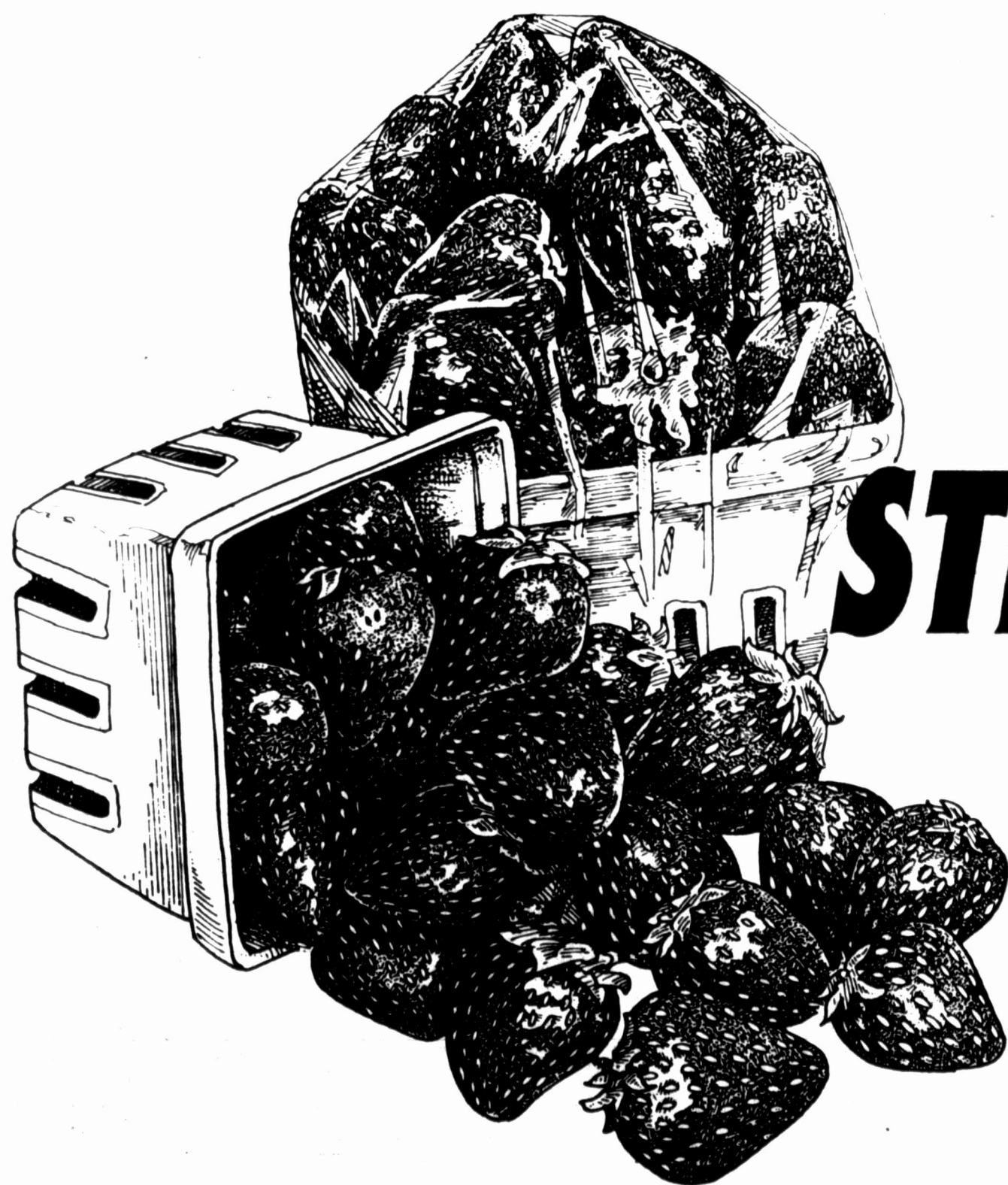


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The ultimate expression of free speech lies not in the ideas with which we agree, but in those ideas that offend and irritate us.

Chuck Stone, columnist, 1991

Big Spring Herald logo and contact information for Patrick J. Morgan, DD Turner, and John A. Moseley.

Taking care of litter is just not that hard

Saturday, swarms of people turned out to clean up the highways and byways of Big Spring as part of ninth annual 'Great Texas Trashoff'.

Berry's World cartoon by Jim Berry showing a man in bed looking at a picture on the wall.

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Letters to the Editor

Time to take back government

The Texas Supreme Court has mandated that each school have an equal amount of money per pupil for their operation.

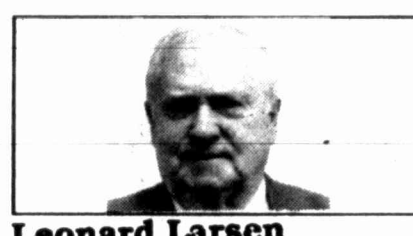
women above the poverty line. In 1991, this amounted to no fewer than 707,500 babies born to single white women, representing 22 percent of white births.

THADEUS & WEEZ

Four comic panels by Charlie Fincher. Panel 1: 'From deep in Texas marshland...oozing out of the miasma...the creature from the slime campaign...Muckman.' Panel 2: 'This year he struck in the infamous Texas Supreme Court race between incumbent Raul Gonzalez and challenger Rene Haas.' Panel 3: 'Stinging vile volleys of mud from both camps, the creature tries to turn the few who will vote in the runoff, Tuesday, into mindless mad dogs.' Panel 4: 'THAT DOES IT! I'M TURNED OFF BY BOTH CAMPAIGNS. I'M TAKING A SHOWER INSTEAD OF VOTING.' 'AW...C'MON. FOAM SOME AT THE MOUTH... PULEEEZE... MY DIGNOR'S AT STAKE.'

Pork by any other name

WASHINGTON — The Clinton administration acted to tidy up a spread of federal offices in the Washington area, an obvious piece of "reinventing government" that will cost federal taxpayers at least \$1 billion and probably a whole lot more.



Leonard Larsen

One is that the overall size of the FDA project will be about twice what was recommended during the Bush administration.

in Mississippi — are always "pork barrel." But the proposed \$1 billion FDA project in the Washington suburbs and the on-going \$10 billion Metro subway system aren't.



DD Turner

The flogging an American kid in Singapore is anticipating has stirred mixed reactions in the United States. It has even prompted President Bill Clinton to tell in the Singapore government it shouldn't happen.



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Write the Editor

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Thank you for your time. ROY SIMMONS Big Spring

Beware false political claims

I believe that this is the second most important letter I have ever written an editor in Texas. The first one was when I worked on the idea that we, the citizens of Texas, must have and keep an elected State Board of Education and not an appointed one.

tion that a certain individual who is running for the state's highest office has some teachers and administrators excited under a false pretense to say the least.

tion, public school statutes and school codes and it is the responsibility of the state to educate its citizens.

Big Spring Herald subscription rates and contact information.

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Various notices and advertisements including 'Cancer screened at Midland' and 'Battered women slates annual'.

Vertical advertisements on the right edge of the page, including 'Forsan student UIL contest', 'Three Borden FFA teams', and 'Cancer screened at Midland'.

# Briefs

## Forsan students take UIL contest honors

FORSAN — Several Forsan High School students received high honors at the recent district University Interscholastic League competition.

In the one-act play competition, Shane Sims and Stephanie Barraza were chosen as members of the all-star cast. Receiving honorable mention was Shannon Lepard.

Other UIL participants and their finishes were: Bryan Alexander, second in Lincoln Douglas debate; Shannon Lepard, second in prose; and Stephanie Barraza, third in the news writing category.

In addition, Clay Thomas brought home a second-place award in editorials. Those four individuals will advance to the regional competition.

Other Forsan students receiving awards were: Ryan Toomire, fourth in prose; Barraza, fourth in poetry; and Shane Sims, fifth in informative speaking.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Ashley Newton picks up a handmade stuffed rabbit and cradles it in her arms as she and her family were at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum Saturday for the Big Spring Arts and Crafts Show.

## Three Borden County FFA teams compete

Three FFA judging teams traveled to Nolan County to participate in the Sweetwater practice judging contest recently.

Doug Flanigan, Kurt Hess, and Kembra Kemp made up the livestock team and placed ninth overall. In addition, Flanigan took first-place honors in the individual category with Hess following in second.

The poultry team consisted of Meg Parks, Miguel Hernandez, Krista Condit and James Cooley. The team placed eighth.

Additionally, a wool team made up of Seth Vestal, Dodi Smith, Deann Parks, Chris Harrison and Kelly Bentley competed at the meet.

The students are preparing for the state qualifying meet scheduled at Texas Tech in April.

## Forsan schedules reunion for Aug. 6

Forsan School's All-Class Reunion will start at 9 a.m. Aug. 6 at the Forsan High School cafeteria.

Ex-students, teachers and friends are invited to renew friendships and exchange notes. Dress is casual. Pre-registration is desired. Fee is \$10 per person; students and children under 17 years old are \$6 each.

For more information, contact Boyce Hale, HC-76, Box 157-F, Big Spring, Texas 79720, 1-915-267-6957; or Darrell Adams, 2808 South County Road, Midland, Texas 79703, 1-915-697-4352.

Donations are welcomed so the student newsletter can be continued. Please contact other students and let them know about the reunion.

## Contributions sought for scholarship fund

The 1941 Study Club has named its annual scholarship in honor of Doris Tiller, who had been a club member for 30 years. This scholarship is given annually to a senior from Coahoma High School, where Tiller taught for more than 25 years.

The scholarship has been set up at Coahoma State Bank and anyone may contribute. Contributions may be given in person or sent to Coahoma State Bank, P.O. Box 140, Coahoma, Texas 79511.

## Cancer screening slated at Midland

MIDLAND — M.D. Anderson Cancer Center of Houston is sponsoring a free prostate cancer screening program in Midland.

The screenings are targeting men ages 50 - 75 on the following Fridays: April 15, May 20, June 17, July 22, and Aug. 19.

The free screening will be at the Urology office of Dr. Sri Srinivas, 122 North N Street in Midland. For appointment, call 682-0574 or 570-6757.

## Battered women's center slates annual walkathon

MIDLAND — The Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children will hold its third annual "Families Matter" Walkathon and Fun Run on April 16 from 9 - 11 a.m.

The center provided a total of 647 shelter nights to residents of Howard County alone during the first six months of 1993. Counseling for members of families who do not reside at the shelter is also provided.

The center also hosts Project ADAM, a program to help men who are verbally or physically violent to better manage their anger, to feel better about themselves and to further promote the chances of family healing.

For more information, call 683-1300, 563-0800 or call the Howard County Mental Health Center, Dawn Dominguez at 263-0027.

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## Dance into shape with Jazzercise

### Classes now offered at Big Spring Mall

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

"One, two, three ... grapevine ... pony! That's it, keep moving."

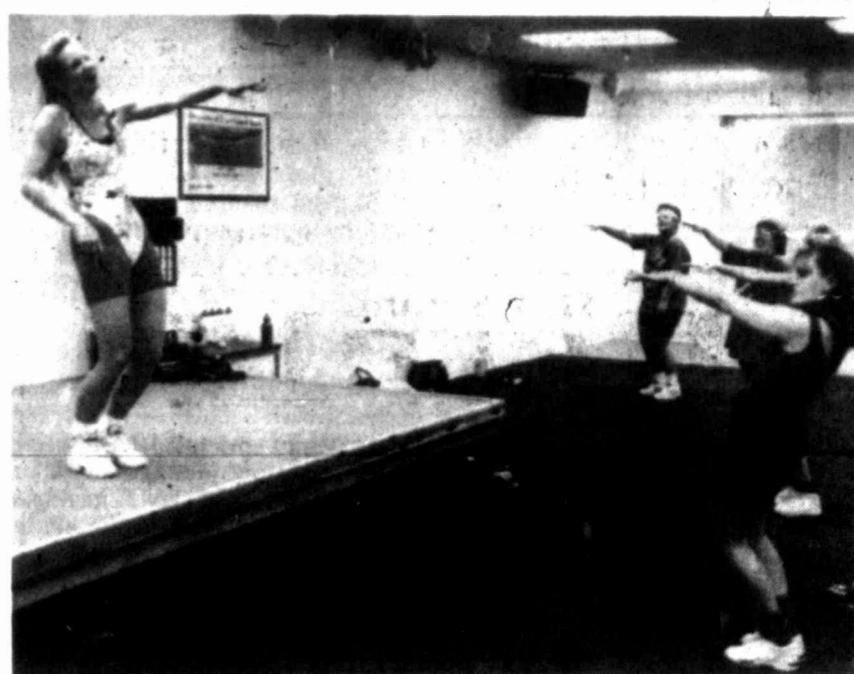
These were sounds being heard in the Big Spring Mall on Saturday. Jazzercise classes are now offered at the mall and instructor Lori Condray had an open house to let residents know that there is a new way to get into shape.

"This event allows me to thank all the students who have made jazzercise a success in Big Spring. I also want to give the public an opportunity to see what Jazzercise is all about," said Condray.

During the open house, Condray led a group of 10 women through a free workout session to show the public what the classes are all about. Refreshments were served and door prizes given out to those who stopped by.

Jazzercise is not new to the area. Classes were being conducted in Highland Mall for several months until it closed down. The instructor was married to the owner of Brown Shoe Company and they moved away. Condray and Lisa Beltran kept Jazzercise going and recently moved to the Big Spring Mall.

Condray and Beltran earned the right to teach Jazzercise by completing an intense three-day workshop and performing an audition. They



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Jazzercise instructor Lori Condray stands on the podium and leads her students in a routine during an open house of the business at the Big Spring Mall Saturday morning.

join 4,500 other instructors who offer classes to more than 400,000 students throughout the United States, Canada and 30 other countries.

During the workshop, Condray and Beltran were required to learn 10 jazzercise dance routines, pass a written exam on basic anatomy, exercise physiology and nutrition; and become certified to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation for their auditions.

Jazzercise combines effective exercise with jazz dance-based choreography and popular music. Each one-hour class includes a warm up, an aerobic segment, muscle-toning, flexibility exercises and a

cool down. Jazzercise founder Judi Sheppard Missett creates new routines every eight weeks to keep the classes new and fresh.

Instructors are on an elevated stage and face the class so that everyone can see how to do the routines. Someone can join at anytime during the month and not get lost with what is going on.

Classes are offered Monday through Friday at 5:30 p.m.; Monday and Wednesday at 6:45 p.m.; Saturday at 10 a.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. For more information on the Jazzercise classes and prices, you can call 267-4300.

## Crafts galore

### From town or out of town, arts and craft show a hit

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

They come from places as far away as Colorado, Ohio, Arkansas and Arizona to sell their arts and crafts to the residents of West Texas.

These out-of-state crafters are participating in the Fifth Annual Spring City Arts and Crafts Festival in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Not only are there people from out-of-state here, residents from Big Spring and other West Texas towns are here.

"We also have people from Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin, San Antonio, Wichita Falls, Tyler, Lubbock and San Angelo here. The man from Colorado is selling tire swings, those from Arizona make stained glass and the people from Ohio are selling nuts," said Mel Prather, organizer of the show.

More than 200 artists and craftspeople are selling original art, furniture, cedar chests, toys, clothing, food, button covers, lawn decorations and dried flower arrangements.

If you want a different kind of tire swing, then you might want to check out the group from Colorado. Normally, you see an old tire tied with a rope and hanging from a tree

branch. These swings are made of old tires, but they are cut into the shapes of animals like horses and dogs.

If you have a sweet tooth, there is an elderly couple from Lampassas selling homemade fudge, divinity and pralines. Yum! Yum!

If you get hungry while shopping, you can take a break and have popcorn, nachos or a funnel cake. A portion of the proceeds from the event will benefit the Girls Softball Association, Howard College, Permian Basin Food Bank, Big Spring Women's Club, Beta Sigma Phi, Morning Optimist Club and others.

The Big Spring Police Department is raffling off a homemade quilt. People can register to win the prize by making a one dollar donation. The money raised will go toward building the Texas Peace Officers Memorial in Austin. The memorial will honor officers across the state that have lost their lives in the line of duty, including three from Big Spring. The winner will be announced sometime Sunday afternoon.

The Big Spring Women's Club is selling their current cookbook and the Permian Basin Food Bank will also be having a drawing.

The fair continues today from noon to 5 p.m.

By BARBARA MORRISON  
Staff Writer

ACKERLY — "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again," is what BaShara "Bo" Chandler told the kids at Sands elementary school over and over again recently.

And though these kids might have heard that same saying over and over again in their short lifetimes, what makes it unique is that "Bo" is the reigning Miss Texas of the Miss America pageant fame.

"Usually Miss Texas focuses on the adult population in her community service," Chandler explained. "But that's not my thing. I wanted to make a difference with kids. Adults are too hard to change."

Since the beginning of her reign last July, Chandler has traveled throughout the state of Texas speaking to smaller schools, delivering two types of messages.

She speaks to the younger children about perseverance, about the power of never quitting. To the older

child, she talks very frankly about drugs and alcohol.

Chandler chooses to speak to schools classified as 5A or smaller because she feels the kids in larger schools are already too "hardened" to hear her message. "My sister goes to a high school in Garland where they have four armed guards and two undercover cops posing as kids. They've had six armed robberies there this year," she explains.

"Before I became Miss Texas, my idea of a small town was Austin," Chandler said. "You guys don't know how lucky you are to live here."

The message she bears is simple. For the elementary students she says, "Never, never quit. If I had quit when I wanted to be Miss Texas, I would not be standing here today," she explains. "I've lost over 50 pageants in my life and only won four."

Chandler also encourages students to develop goals and dreams and not be afraid to "chase after them." She explained "if you want those dreams

to come true, you have to stay in school and stay drug free."

To the older high school students, Chandler had a different message. "No one can tell you what to do," she said.

"But everything you want to do in your life will come with two choices. You can either do the right thing or the wrong thing. Whichever you choose, it will come with consequences."

Chandler admits to "preaching" against the dangers of alcohol. "I had a really close friend in college who we designated as the driver when we partied because she was the responsible one."

"One night she was bringing home her drunk boyfriend between the hours of 2 and 3 a.m.," she explains. "She was hit head on by a drunk woman. The only one killed was my friend."

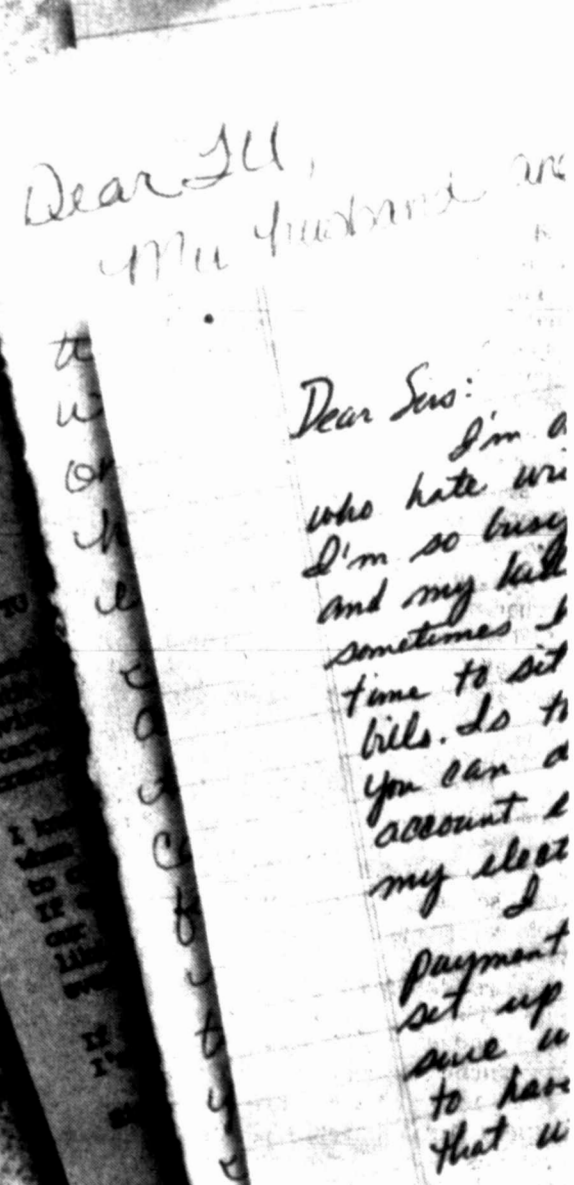
"Drunk people don't think twice about taking our lives in their hands," she said. "I've never been to a party that was worth someone's life — have you?"

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**Briefs**

**Clinton finishes town hall meetings**

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton completed a string of three televised town-hall meetings on his health care plan with a blast at opponents for performing "hit jobs" and spouting "a bunch of hooley."

Now, back in Washington after a week of promoting the plan on the road, Clinton will try to translate his effort into votes in Congress.

He called approval of a universal health care plan his No. 1 priority for the rest of the year.

The president returned early

today after a final town-hall telecast in St. Paul, Minn., that also involved studio audiences in Milwaukee, Detroit and Sioux Falls, S.D.

**Breast cancer cure attacks the uterus**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Breast cancer patients who take the powerful drug tamoxifen to ward off recurrence of the disease are at increased risk of getting cancer of the uterus, the government warns.

The Food and Drug Administration on Friday upgraded its warnings about tamoxifen's side effects, and the drug's maker wrote 380,000 doctors to alert them to the uterine cancer risk.

Breast cancer victims should not abandon tamoxifen, because its benefits outweigh the risks, the FDA emphasized.

But women taking the drug — and those who have taken it in the past — must be vigilant about getting gynecological checkups and watching for symptoms of uterine cancer, the agency said.

**Pentagon preparing to cut more bases**

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon is preparing a list of military base closures that would cut existing facilities by at least 15 percent, nearly matching all the closures ordered since 1988, according to

recent estimates submitted to Congress.

The previous rounds of base closures, in 1988, 1991 and 1993 combined, reduced bases and military facilities by 15 percent.

Members of Congress are already criticizing the anticipated scope of the cuts. Congress has approved previous base closure proposals, but Defense Secretary William Perry is predicting "a very difficult battle with the public and the Congress" over the 1995 round.

Until beyond the end of the century, the cost of shutting down bases is expected to outweigh the savings.

Next spring, the administration will make its recommendation to the Defense Base Closure and Realign-

ment Commission for the 1995 round, the last of three required by law under the fiscal 1991 defense budget.

Rep. James Hansen, R-Utah, a member of the House Armed Services Committee, plans to introduce legislation next week to delay the 1995 closures for two years.

**Can Mitchell be nominated?**

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House officials should know next week whether President Clinton would be able to nominate Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell to the Supreme Court despite a constitutional complication.

White House Counsel Lloyd Cutler

asked the Justice Department on Friday to determine whether a clause in the Constitution would prevent a member of Congress from replacing retiring Justice Harry A. Blackmun.

The clause prohibits a member of Congress from being appointed to a federal job during a term in which lawmakers approved a higher salary for the position.

Cutler's request to Assistant Attorney General Walter Dellinger did not identify Mitchell, but the Maine Democrat is believed to be the only member of Congress under consideration for the court. Because the current Congress voted to raise Supreme Court salaries, there have been suggestions that Mitchell could not be nominated.

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# Rwanda's capitol quiet after ethnic slaughter

The Associated Press

MULINDI, Rwanda — Rwanda's security forces named an interim government and reached a cease-fire with rebels in a bid to restore order after two days of ethnic slaughter. French troops landed in the capital of Kigali at dawn to prepare for possible evacuations.

U.S. helicopters, transport planes and about 200 Marines gathered at the Kenyan port city of Mombasa today in case they were needed to help get foreign residents out of Kigali.

The capital was reported quieter after two days of bloodletting that

has left hundreds dead, including the acting prime minister, about 20 priests and nuns and dozens of aid workers.

"There has been significant improvement in the situation," but it was still "far from good," the U.N. Security Council president, Colin Keating, said late Friday in New York.

The French government said it sent troops to Kigali "to assure the necessary security for an eventual evacuation of French citizens."

The 280 armed paratroopers were deployed at Kigali airport at dawn today, the French Defense Ministry said. Six transport planes based in the Central African Republic landed

without incident in Kigali and left immediately after unloading, it said.

No decision was made on whether to proceed with evacuating the 600 French citizens in Rwanda, a Defense Ministry official said, speaking on condition of anonymity. "We are waiting to see how it goes on the ground, if it calms down or not," he said.

The 255 Americans, mostly aid workers and missionaries, in Rwanda were reported safe as of late Friday, according to U.S. officials in Washington. Top Clinton administration officials met late Friday at the Pentagon to consider plans for evacuating all but essential personnel.

A spokesman for the U.S. Embassy

in Nairobi, Kenya, indicated that any evacuation would be coordinated by Belgium, which governed Rwanda for much of the first half of this century.

The Marines come from an amphibious expeditionary unit based on four Navy ships off the coast of Somalia. About 1,200 Marines make up the expeditionary force, which is being kept on station near Mogadishu in case it too has to be evacuated.

About 200 people had taken refuge in the U.S. embassy compound, Prudence Bushnell, acting secretary of state for African affairs, said Friday.

## Briefs

### More violence afflicts Israel

JERUSALEM (AP) — Soldiers' at a roadblock shot and killed a Palestinian teen-ager Saturday in the occupied Gaza Strip after he threatened them with an ax, the army said.

In Jerusalem, an 18-year-old Israeli woman was stabbed in the stomach on the boardwalk that borders the Arab section of the city, police said.

The violence came a day after Israel's Security Cabinet decided to seek a closure of the occupied territories to keep Palestinian workers out of Israel, and to import foreign workers in their place.

### Zulus fearful of ANC political control

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Zulus are angry and ready to fight for autonomy, nationalist leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi said Saturday, the day after the failure of talks seen as a last chance to end the political violence.

Buthelezi's Inkatha Freedom Party rejected African National Congress proposals to create a constitutional Zulu monarchy, saying they did not go far enough to meet demands for independence.

But Inkatha said negotiations should continue, and President F.W. de Klerk, vowing not to send troops into Buthelezi's volatile homeland, held out hope of a political settlement.

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**Briefs**

**Bullets were straying from shooting range**

PASADENA (AP) — Random bullets that whizzed by several construction workers in a parking lot were fired by a guest at the Pasadena Police Department's shooting range, the police chief said.

Several construction workers were in a south Pasadena parking lot Thursday afternoon when they heard the gunfire.

"I heard bullets going by my head," said Tom Lewis, a construction worker at the Builders Square store site. "It sounded like a bee going by real fast."

Lewis said he and four other workers ran into the store but still heard what sounded like 30 to 40 rounds of automatic-weapons fire.

No one was hurt, but a motorist reported a bullet hole in his car.

Pasadena police recovered a .223-caliber slug from a car door and found it was fired from an AR-15, a civilian version of the military's M-16 automatic assault rifle.

Police said Friday the gunfire came from a guest who was alone at the shooting range, about a mile from the parking lot.

**Lubbock carrier shot in vehicle**

LUBBOCK (AP) — A Lubbock Avalanche-Journal newspaper carrier was found shot in his vehicle about 4:40 a.m. Saturday by police responding to a traffic call.

Randy Lawson, 39, was pronounced dead a short time later at University Medical Center, Sgt. B.K. Hurst said.

Police found Lawson's vehicle had crashed into a mailbox. They were investigating the case as a homicide, Hurst said.

"We extend our deepest and most heartfelt sympathies for the loss to the family," said Avalanche-Journal Publisher P. Scott McKibben. "The Lawson family will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers."

**Dissenting juror seeks protection**

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The trial of an Army deserter charged with capital murder in a car salesman's slaying ended abruptly after the lone juror who believed the defendant's alibi sought protection from fellow panel members.

After 15 hours of intense debate, the holdout juror sent District Judge Susan Reed a note saying he would not go on with the trial unless she could provide protection for him. The judge promptly declared a mistrial Thursday night.

Hubert E. "Eddie" Castro, a 21-year-old from Tennessee, was charged with capital murder in the July 22, 1992, slaying of Nissan salesman Steven Lochner.

Castro's attorney praised the dissenting juror as "the only one who could see the evidence exactly as it was." Prosecutor Jim Kopp said the man was fixated on 30 minutes of testimony from a 6-day trial.

Some jurors grew impatient after staying in an 11-1 deadlock all day Thursday, Kopp said.

"Some of them were screaming at the holdout because he was claiming the defendant had an airtight alibi, without explaining his position," he said. "They told me later that they were unable to get him to listen."

Castro's attorney, John Economidy, defended the dissenter, saying he was the only one in the panel with "a full-fledged college degree."

**Complaint filed against station**

FORT WORTH (AP) — City Manager Bob Terrell has filed a federal complaint against the radio station that stashed cash in library books, setting off a rampage in the downtown branch.

Terrell Friday asked the Federal Communications Commission to consider the complaint when radio station KYNG comes up for its annual license renewal hearing.

More than 800 people came through the library Tuesday night, tearing through the books and climbing shelves after disc jockey A.W. Pantoja told listeners that money had been stashed in books in the fiction section.

Some 3,000 books were thrown to the floor.

**Teen certified for trial as an adult**

BEAUMONT (AP) — A teen-ager accused of repeatedly stabbing his parents to death and killing his best friend could face life imprisonment after being certified to stand trial as an adult.

William David Travis, a 16-year-old West Brook High School student, has been charged with capital murder and two counts of murder for the March 12 slayings.

The two counts involve the death of Travis' best friend, 16-year-old Todd Thompson. Travis was charged with murder and with murder while attempting to murder others.

**Crime**

**Texas voters rank it as number one concern**

The Associated Press

DALLAS (AP) — Houston school teacher Robin McMillan says she's stuck with her career so she can be home for her children by late afternoon. She knows that teens get into trouble when they're left unsupervised.

She believes politicians should address the need for after-school services, day care and other programs to help families. Because for most kids, Ms. McMillan says, intervention doesn't happen until they commit a crime.

"I feel like there's a lot of politicians right now who are into 'lock them up and throw away the key,' but we know taxpayers can't afford that many prisons," Ms. McMillan said.

Crime is the No. 1 concern for Texas voters, according to a poll conducted by The Dallas Morning News. The participants provided questions for U.S. Senate candidates Richard Fisher and Jim Mattox, who meet in Tuesday's Democratic primary runoff. The winner will face incumbent GOP Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison in the general election.

The poll was based on telephone interviews Feb. 8-11 with 1,005 registered Texas voters. The maximum margin of error was plus or minus 3.5 percentage points. The results were reported in Saturday's editions of The News.

Of those who listed crime as their top concern, 49 percent believe criminals are released too early.

Dorothy Williams of Galveston asked the candidates why criminals' sentences are so short. Her son, Guy Patrick Williams, was killed after he was shot once through the mouth with a .357-caliber Magnum. The man who shot him said it was an

accident. He was sentenced to five years in prison and already is out, Ms. Williams said.

Both Mattox and Fisher responded that sentences are not too short; criminals simply aren't serving enough of their time. Both suggested an end of parole for violent inmates.

Twenty-seven percent of Texans who ranked crime as the state's top issue said not enough is done to correct the root causes of crime. Ms. McMillan asked the candidates if they would create a program to solve that problem.

Mattox said he has a 14-point, anti-crime plan that calls for reform of the criminal justice system. He also favors better education, welfare reform that puts people to work, and more drug intervention and rehabilitation.

Fisher agreed that welfare must be reformed. Improving economic opportunities to combat the conditions that breed crime also will be one of his goals, he added.

Another Texan surveyed, Betty Snyder of Hidalgo, told Senate hopefuls she was concerned about teenage crime. She said she believes youths who commit adult crimes deserve adult punishments, but she also worries that society is forsaking its youth.

"These kids who are only 16, I say don't send them away. These kids are going out in a world without knowledge and training, and it's getting to be more of a high-tech world," Ms. Snyder said.

Fisher said students who do not go to universities should be provided with more vocational technical training. He also supports enhancing punishments for teen-agers who commit violent crimes.

**Counties want state jail beds to be put into use**

The Associated Press

AUSTIN — Representatives of overcrowded county jails Friday called on state leaders to immediately implement State Comptroller John Sharp's audit, which said 5,500 inmates can be moved into state prisons.

"The jails are dangerously overcrowded," said Margo Frasier, an attorney who represents several counties. There are about 29,000 state inmates backed up in county jails.

"We're talking about a situation where it is becoming extremely dangerous for the people who are working in those jails," she said.

But Bill Cryer, a spokesman for

Gov. Ann Richards, said the 5,500 beds outlined in Sharp's audit of the prison system are in doubt.

"A lot of those beds, if you can use them at all, will have to be retrofitted with extra showers and toilets. That's not something you can do immediately," he said.

"Legal questions still have to be answered," he said.

State leaders have said they fear that some of the audit recommendations would result in state control of the prison system being taken away by the federal courts under the Ruiz settlement.

The 77,000-inmate system operates under agreements spelled out in a long-running prison lawsuit named for inmate David Ruiz.

**Proposed quarantine turns into threats against county GOP**

The Associated Press

GALVESTON — Galveston County Republicans are being harshly criticized, and even threatened, as word spreads about their proposal to quarantine people carrying the deadly virus that causes AIDS.

The county GOP approved the resolution March 26, but it only came to light in recent days.

On Friday, three party workers refused to staff Tuesday's runoff election and state Sen. Jerry Patterson, R-Houston, told The Daily News of Galveston County that he has received multiple death threats.

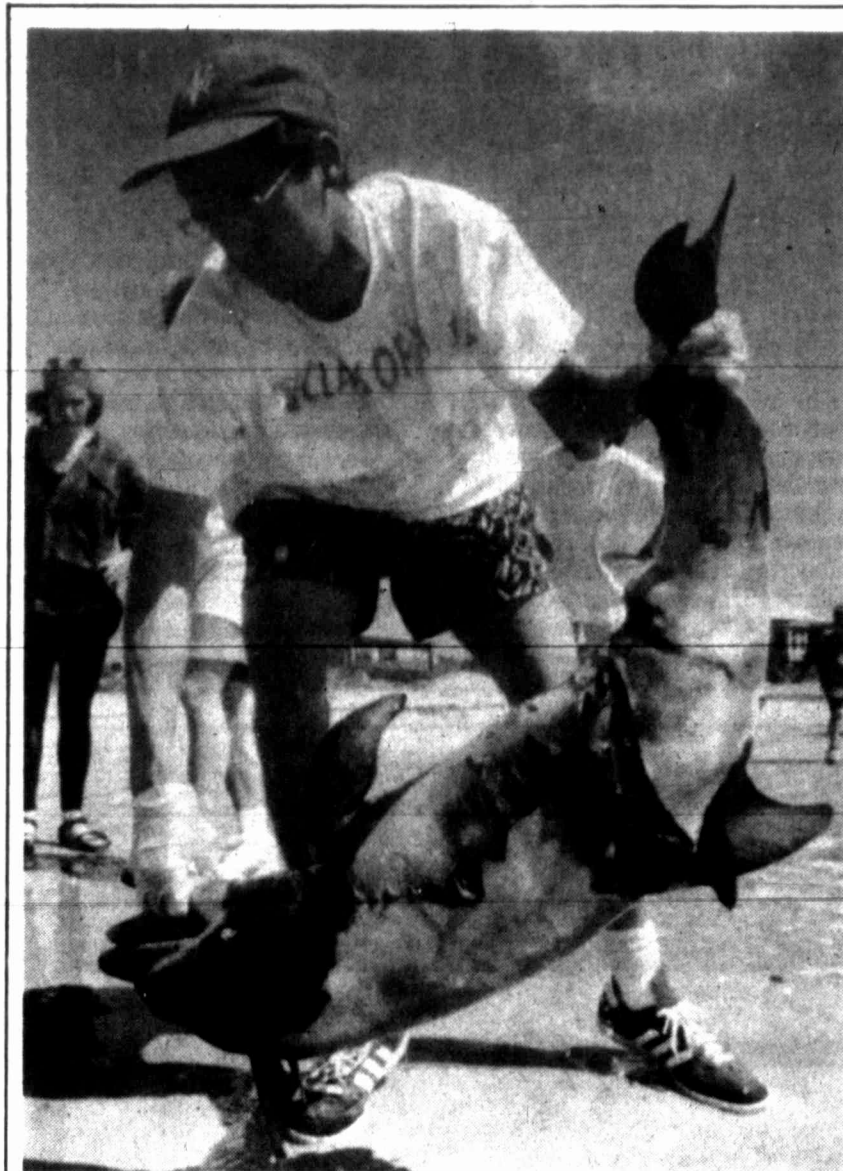
Kris Anne Vogelpohl said three people did cancel plans to help Tuesday, but she refused to say whether

the resolution affected their decision. Patterson said threatening phone calls have been made to his offices in Austin, Clear Lake and Galveston.

County Democratic Party Chairman David Jameson criticized Republicans for their stance.

"This is sheer bigotry and has nothing to do with the disease," Jameson said. "It is going to haunt the Republicans at election time."

Dr. Richard Pollard, a professor at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston, said the HIV virus that causes AIDS is not air-



Associated Press photo

**What went wrong?**

Chris Pohlod, a volunteer for the Texas Marine Mammal Stranding Network, lifts the body of a dead neonate bottlenose dolphin for transport to the laboratory while volunteers watch Saturday along the Bolivar peninsula. Pathologists volunteer their time in an attempt to find the reason for the unusually high number of dolphins washing ashore. A virus is suspected in the deaths with pollution a possible mitigating factor by weakening the mammals immune systems.

**Brady Law challenged**

Sheriffs say bill will tax budgets, hamper mission

The Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — A dozen national organizations dedicated to weapon control and law enforcement have asked a federal judge to reject a South Texas sheriff's constitutional challenge to the Brady gun law.

Val Verde County Sheriff J.R. Koog's lawsuit is one of five filed in federal courts across the country. They seek to block enforcement of the new federal law requiring officers to make background checks of handgun buyers.

U.S. District Judge Ed Prado of San Antonio will consider on Friday Koog's request for a preliminary injunction in a lawsuit he filed last month in Del Rio.

The 12 groups also asked for permission to file a "friend of the court" brief arguing for denial of Koog's request. U.S. Deputy District Clerk Kay West said from Del Rio.

The organizations either have filed or plan to file similar motions in the other four cases.

Koog and the other sheriffs say making background checks will tax their budgets and hamper their pri-

mary missions of catching criminals and providing protection.

Officials said the National Rifle Association, an opponent of gun registration laws, is providing financial support for the five sheriffs' lawsuits.

Stephen P. Halbrook of Fairfax, Va., the lead counsel for the suits filed in Texas, Arizona, Mississippi and Montana, told the San Antonio Express-News that his clients have a good chance of prevailing.

Halbrook bases that belief on a precedent-setting 1992 case in which the U.S. Supreme Court ruled the federal government cannot require states to administer a federal program.

"That's what going on here," Halbrook said of the law, which requires law enforcement officers to make background checks within five days.

In the Texas lawsuit filed March 9, Prado denied a request five days later for a temporary restraining order.

The resolution calls for a quarantine until a cure is found so the general population can be protected from the disease. It also calls for the identification of individuals carrying the AIDS virus and the tracing of their sexual partners.

The measure was one of 115 passed at the county party meeting and forwarded to the Texas GOP for possible consideration at the party's state convention in Fort Worth in June.

**Tuesday finishes runoffs**

The Associated Press

AUSTIN — Texas voters have some unfinished business Tuesday.

The March 8 political party primaries produced several runoffs for both Democrats and Republicans.

Voters who cast a ballot in either of the primaries can vote only in the runoff election of that same party. Voters who did not vote March 8 can vote in the runoff election of their choice, but not in both. Early voting for the runoff ended Friday.

Only about 17.5 percent, or 1.58 million of the 9 million registered voters in Texas participated in the primaries, according to the secretary of state's office. That number is expected to decrease in the runoffs to about 11 percent, or 1 million voters, Harold Cook, a special assistant to Secretary of State Ronald Kirk said.

"The bottom line on this is there are no models that would indicate anything but low voter participation, and that's a shame," Cook said.

"It's kind of astounding to me that someone would willfully give up their right to vote and wait for others to make important decisions for them," he said.

The top two vote-getters in primary races advance to runoffs when no candidate gets more than half the vote. Runoff winners advance to the November general election.

The top runoff in the Democratic Party features Jim Mattox, a long-time politician, against Richard Fisher, a Dallas businessman seeking his first election win. They are vying for the party's U.S. Senate nomination.

The winner will face incumbent Kay Bailey Hutchison, a Republican. The Fisher-Mattox race has been dominated by negative attacks from both candidates.

Mattox says Fisher is a Republican in disguise. Fisher says Mattox is a political dinosaur.

Another bitter runoff has developed between Texas Supreme Court Justice Raul Gonzalez and Rene Haas, who are both Democrats.

Gonzalez is generally backed by insurance and business interests, while Ms. Haas is backed by consumer advocates and trial lawyers who represent people who sue businesses and insurance companies.

In the Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 runoff, Democrats Betty Marshall and Gene Kelly square off.

Ms. Marshall is co-chief of the appellate section of the Tarrant County district attorney's office. Her late husband, C. Chris Marshall, was killed in the 1992 shooting rampage at the Tarrant County courthouse.

Political observers say that Kelly, a San Antonio attorney, has run well in several races because his name reminds people of the famous dancer.

The seat is currently held by Chuck Miller, a Republican, who did not seek re-election.

Republicans have not been immune to inter-party squabbles. Pat Lykos and Don Wittig, both judges from Houston, are sniping at each in the GOP attorney general runoff.

The winner faces Attorney General Dan Morales, a Democrat.

Ms. Lykos has accused Wittig of exaggerating his military record in Vietnam. Wittig has stood by his statements that he was decorated for risking his life during combat, and has called on Ms. Lykos to apologize.

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- 3 **Integrity.** Justice Gonzalez has served with fairness, independence and honesty. That's why he's opposed by the Texas Farm Bureau and so many others. His opponent is a wealthy trial lawyer who's run a misleading smear campaign and is under investigation by the Texas Ethics Commission.

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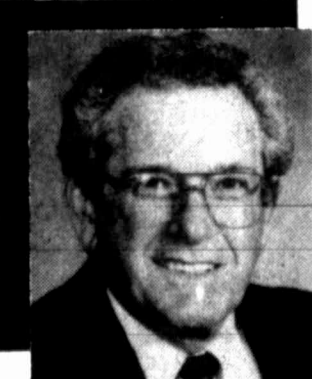
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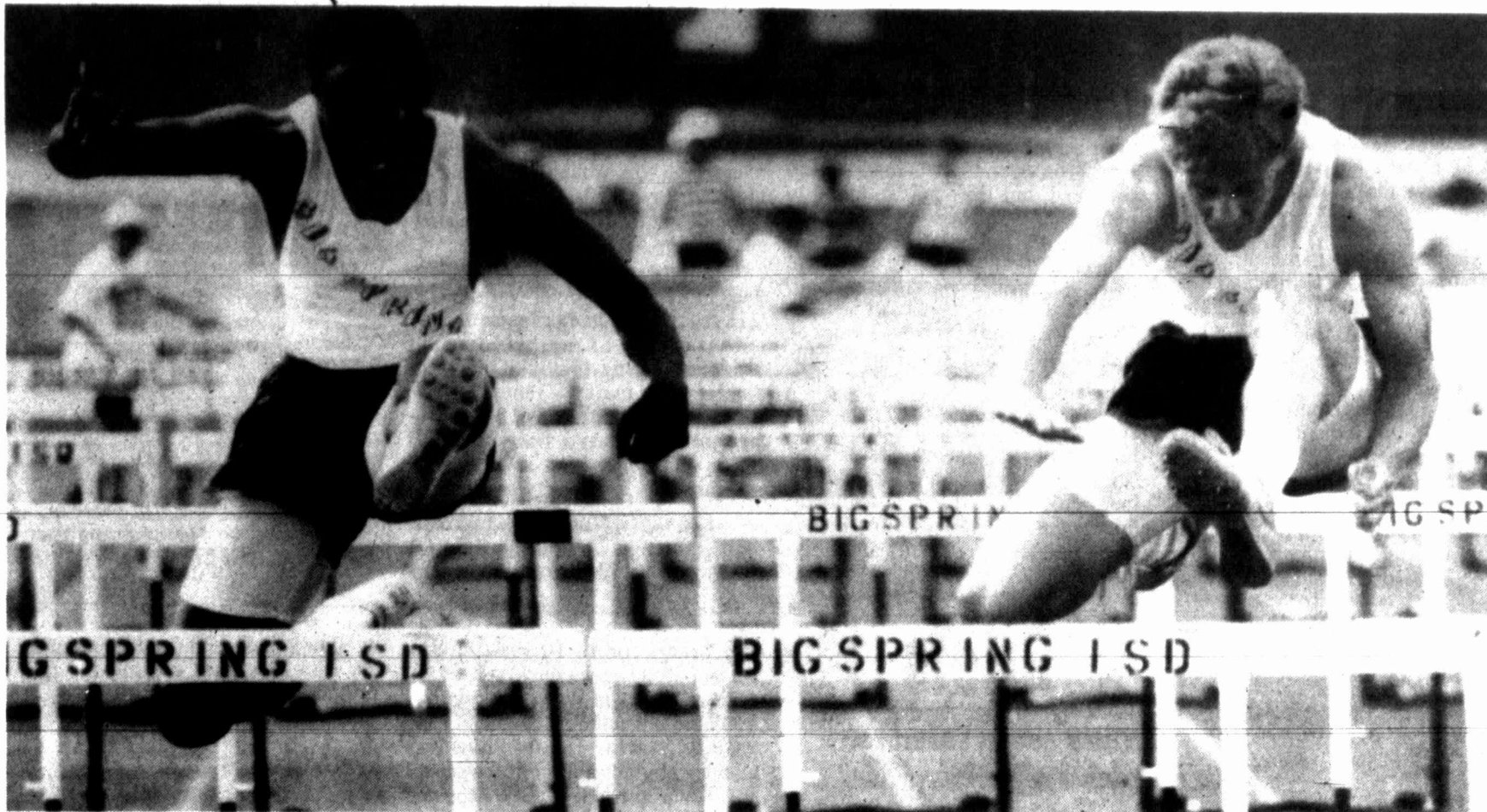
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# Sports



Big Spring High School track team members Roger Eddington, left, and Tim Rigdon are shown competing in the 110 meter high hurdle event during preliminary round action at the Big Spring Relays Saturday morning at Blankenship Field.

## BSHS girls make drive to playoffs

By DAVE HARGRAVE  
Sports Editor

A superb weekend at home on Comanche Trail Golf Course has the Big Spring girls' golf team on the verge of its first-ever postseason trip.

In the second of three district rounds to determine District 3-4A's two postseason representatives, Big Spring leaped over Andrews B and Fort Stockton to move from fourth to second place. Big Spring's combined score of 380 strokes gives the Lady Steers a district total of 785 with only next week's round at Fort Stockton remaining.

First-place Andrews is in complete control at 701, but the Lady Steers can earn the second and final playoff spot if they can hold off Andrews B (787), Fort Stockton (791), Monahans (798) and Pecos (807) next weekend. That won't be easy, but at least the Lady Steers are at a level of comfort coach Lois Ann McKenzie didn't expect.

"I figured we could make up some ground this weekend, being at home and all, but I really didn't think we could make up all of it," McKenzie said. "But if you look at it, there's not but nine shots separating a bunch of us."

Big Spring received its usual steady play from its only senior, Jennifer Edgar, who shot a 96 to put her district total at 195. But Kristie Hale, a sophomore, played one of her best rounds ever, McKenzie said. Hale shot a 90 and is pacing the Lady Steers with a 186.

"Kristie Hale was just super. When she made the turn I could tell she had a chance to have a



Big Spring High School golfer Jennifer Broadrick fires a chip shot during District 3-4A girls' golf action at Comanche Trail Golf Course Saturday.

really good round," McKenzie said. "Kristie is just one of those people that, when she's on, she's on. But I can't complain about the way any of our girls played. They all played well."

Following Edgar and Hale on the district scorecard for Big Spring are Stacey Hollar (100-100, 200), Jessica Sanchez (107-94, 201) and Jennifer Broadrick (118-105, 223). Sanchez and Broadrick both

## Steers win Big Spring Relays

By DAVE HARGRAVE  
Sports Editor

Even minus two of its stars, the Big Spring boys' track team looked like a group capable of winning another district title when it manhandled the field at Saturday's Big Spring Relays.

Big Spring, the defending District 3-4A champions, doubled the score on runner-up Pecos, scoring 169 points to the Eagles' 83. Star sprinter Lehebron Farr and triple jump standout Drexell Owusu sat out the meet because of injuries, but the Steers responded in dominating fashion.

Sophomore Randy Farr, Lehebron's little brother, set a school record in the 200-meter run although he came in second to Pecos' Willie Mata. Farr's time was 21.61 seconds, surpassing the old mark set last year by Duane Edmonds.

"In the 200 I felt really good, and my start was better," Farr said. "Coach told me I needed to run the curves harder, and I did. The only reason that Pecos dude caught me was because I pulled my head up. I tightened up about five yards before the finish. I always knew I was going

to break the school record. I just didn't know when."

Farr was the only Steer to set a school record, but senior hurdler Justin Taylor set a meet Division I record in the 110 hurdle preliminaries with a 14.3. Taylor won the 110 (14.66) and 300 hurdles (39.78).

Division I is for varsity 4A boys' teams. Division II is for 2A, 3A and junior varsity boys' teams. Division III is for all girls' teams.

The 300 hurdles has a major highlight for the Steers, along with Farr's record. In the event, Taylor led a sweep of the top three spots. Roger

Eddington was second at 41.14, and Tim Rigdon took third at 42.01.

Big Spring's main competition Friday at the district meet in Andrews will be Lake View, a team that disappointed Big Spring coach Randy Britton when it pulled out of the Big Spring Invitational to go to the West Texas Relays.

"I feel much better going into this week than I would if I'm in Lake View's situation, not qualifying anyone at the West Texas Relays," Britton said.

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## College signings: Earnst inks with Howard; Fryar picks NMJC

### HC coaches fight to keep hometown heroes at home

If you ever see sections of Howard College being uprooted and put on wheels, the first suspect to charge with such lunacy would be Royce Chadwick, Howard's athletic director and women's basketball coach.

Chadwick cites location as the main factor for high school athletes facing the tough decision of which college scholarship offer to accept. It's a story that keeps repeating itself: Local hoops stars who grew up in Howard's backyard spurn the college's advances, while other stars from clear across Texas say no to their local schools and choose the long trek to Big Spring.

It's hard for Howard fans to complain. The Lady Hawks are the only JUCO team that has qualified for the last two national tournaments. However, fans have the natural desire to root for hometown players - players they saw mature in high school. Howard hasn't had full success in that regard.

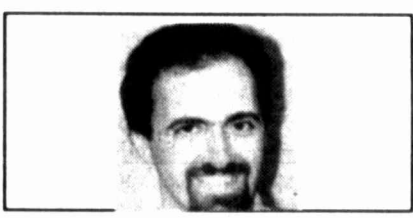
The Lady Hawks landed a major catch Friday when they signed Big Spring High School's Amy Earnst, a 6-foot post player who, Earnst has tremendous potential, but she wasn't the most-pursued recruit in Howard County. That distinction goes to Forsan's Jenny Conaway, a 6-0 center who is scheduled to sign with Levelland's South Plains College Monday.

Losing the recruiting battle for Conaway, not to mention the disappointment of seeing Sands High School's Courtney Fryar sign with New Mexico Junior College, slightly dampens Howard's celebration of the Earnst signing.

Chadwick said: "We recruited Jenny harder than anyone all year on our list. We talked about her from the start of the season at all of our booster club meetings. I told our boosters 'Hey, if any of you know Jenny or know her family, put in a good word for Howard College.' But it just didn't work out."

"It's very frustrating, but recruiting is always frustrating. We want to do everything we can to get all of the local players to play for us, and it's something we can't control."

That uncontrollable something is the urge to leave home, to "test her wings," as Fryar said after she signed with NMJC. Chadwick sympathizes - he took off to Oklahoma for college while his high school buddies were staying in West Texas. But Chadwick is a recruiter now, and he's battling the leave-home urge he once embraced.



Dave Hargrave

then we'll have people from California come and think this is just the greatest place in the world."

Conaway said she has a strong liking for the people at South Plains and was impressed with the school's start-to-finish recruitment of her. She also spelled out her desire to leave home.

"I wanted to go away, but not too far," she said. "There's nothing the matter with Howard College. I just wanted to get away from home, and I've known that for a while."

"It's really strange," Chadwick said. "Girls you've spent more than a year talking to, recruiting her, you won't get, but a girl you spent \$2.80 on for a 5-minute phone call, you will get."

Ironically, Howard's two trips to the national tournament may have hurt its recruiting as much as it has helped. When Howard goes to nationals, that adds two weeks to its season, which gives other schools a head start in last-minute recruiting. Most recruits seem to make their decision at the last minute.

"A lot of the kids we felt comfortable with were recruited out from under us while we were away," said Chadwick, who included Conaway in that group.

The Lady Hawks could reach the nationals for the next five years in a row, but when opponents in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference have more Crossroads Country players than Howard does, some fans still won't be satisfied.

Chadwick won't be totally satisfied either. He's glad to have Earnst, but like any recruiter, he wants every player he goes after. Especially the local ones, like Earnst, Conaway and Fryar.

"We offered all three of those girls a chance to play in Big Spring," Chadwick said. "It's a very touchy situation. It's like we lost a game by one. People come up and say, 'Hey, coach, why'd you lose?' Hey, it wasn't like we weren't trying. We just got beat by one. Now people come up and say 'Hey, coach, how did you lose Conaway?' or 'How did you lose Fryar?'"

"We just got beat by one. South Plains had one thing for Jenny that we didn't, and New Mexico had one thing for Fryar that we didn't. And that one thing was 100 miles."

### Knee injury doesn't sideline Lady Steer star

By STEVE REAGAN  
Sports writer

Three months after her basketball plans appeared to be dust, Amy Earnst is getting a second chance.

Earnst, a 6-foot post player who starred for the Big Spring Lady Steers for the past two years, signed a letter of intent Friday to play basketball at Howard College.

Torn knee ligaments suffered in January appeared to abort Earnst's dream of playing college basketball, but intensive rehabilitation has strengthened the knee to the point that all parties concerned downplayed its possible effect on her career at Howard.

"It'll be as much of a factor as she wants it to be," said Howard women's coach Royce Chadwick, who signed Earnst to a two-year full scholarship. "The doctors have done their part. The next 6-8 months are in her's and (HC trainer) Everett Blackburn's hands. But if I didn't think she could do it, we wouldn't be here."

"It's just another obstacle to get over," Earnst said. "But I should be fully recovered in 6-9 months. I'm going to rehab it all summer ... and once it's all back, it should be just as strong as the other knee."

BSHS coach Ron Taylor, who called Earnst's knee a "non-factor," said Chadwick is getting a fine player, regardless.



New Howard College recruit Amy Earnst, left, listens as Lady Hawks coach Royce Chadwick explains the terms of her scholarship before Earnst signed the letter of intent at Big Spring High School Friday.

"I feel like she's ready to move to the next level," Taylor said. "I think Howard's getting a great player. And not only is she a great player, but she's a great kid to go along with it."

Before the injury cut short her season, Earnst was averaging 18.3 points and 8.5 rebounds a game. Even with the hurt knee, however, her list of postseason honors include: District 3-4A most valuable player (second straight year); Texas Basketball Magazine's second-team all-state; Texas Association of Basketball Coaches' third-team all-

state; and Texas Girls Coaches Association third-team all-state.

"You're looking for several things from a player," Chadwick said. "First, you want athletic ability; second, you want them to have a solid background; and third, you're looking for intangibles that make for a solid player - and Amy's that type of player."

A major reason Earnst decided on Howard is Chadwick's record. The Lady Hawks are fresh off a 33-4 season which saw them win their third straight Western Junior College

Athletic Conference title and make their second straight appearance at the national junior college women's basketball tournament.

Another factor in her decision was Chadwick's success rate in developing inside players. Since coming to Howard five years ago, Chadwick has had 11 post players sign scholarships with NCAA Division I schools.

"He's very good with post players," Earnst said of Chadwick. "I've been to several of his camps ... and I like the way he coaches. He's got a great record with posts, and with his basketball program."

### Sands' Fryar to 'test her wings'

By DAVE HARGRAVE  
Sports Editor

ACKERLY - Citing a desire to get away from home, Sands girls' basketball standout Courtney Fryar has signed with New Mexico Junior College.

Fryar, a 5-foot-11 post player who was named all-district in each of her four seasons, signed the scholarship papers Friday under the watchful eye of NMJC head coach Brent Palmer. Palmer said Fryar won't be a post player when she arrives in Hobbs.

"Courtney's a good kid, and she's played inside most of her career, but we'll move her outside to the power forward spot," Palmer said. "She's a good competitor, a good student, and you always like to have that kind of kid on your team."

Fryar, District 12-A's Most Valuable Player the last two seasons, said the only schools she seriously considered were NMJC and Howard College. Howard coach Royce

Chadwick kept in close contact with Fryar.

"I just wanted to go away to school," Fryar said. "I know Howard has a good program and everything, but I guess I wanted to test my wings and get away. But not too far. Hobbs is only about an hour and a half away."

Fryar will join 12-A rival Channa Cope at NMJC. Before going to Ackerly Friday morning, Palmer stopped by Klondike High School and signed Cope, who has battled Fryar throughout her career.

The move from post to forward has Fryar excited. She said she knew she wouldn't be playing post in college.

"New Mexico has a girl that is 6-3, and 6-1, and they're trying to get one that's 6-4," Fryar said. "I'm just a puny 5-11."

There's no telling how much Fryar will get to play at NMJC, but the Lady Thunderbirds are losing many sophomores. Positions are waiting to be filled in Hobbs.



Sands' Courtney Fryar, seated, signs a letter of intent to play basketball for New Mexico Junior College while, from left, NMJC coach Brent Palmer, Claud Fryar and Sands coach Leland Bearden look on Friday.

# Hawks back on track with sweep of Vernon

By DAVE HARGRAVE  
Sports Editor

Vernon Regional Junior College visited Jack Barber Field at the wrong time.

The home team, Howard College, was swept by Ranger Tuesday in a doubleheader. That left Vernon as a punching bag Friday for Howard, and the frustrated Hawks tore Vernon right off its hinges.

Howard opened the three-game series with a 20-4 pasting of the Chaparrals in the game that the 10-run rule shortened to seven innings. Howard took advantage of five Vernon errors and scored in each inning but the sixth.

"They had a real good approach today," said Howard coach Brian Roper, who was signing a vastly dif-

ferent song after Tuesday's nightmare. "Wednesday and Thursday, we had some really good workouts, and we've got things back to where they should be. We need to keep it there."

One Howard player who has had things where they should be all season is sophomore pitcher John Major, who improved to 8-0 with the win. Major threw five innings, allowing six hits, four runs and two walks while striking out four. Relievers Tim Horny and John Kennedy held the Chaparrals scoreless in the final two innings.

Howard catcher Chad Morford, one of many Hawks who had two hits Friday, said Tuesday's doubleheader with Ranger changed his team.

"We knew we had to get everything together, and the next day at

practice, you could tell. All of us were acting different. Now, we're more serious."

On catching Major, Morford said: "He's my favorite pitcher that I've ever caught. He has good confidence, and he always keeps his head. He never shows his emotions, and that's good."

Major keeps the game moving - he's one of the fastest-working pitchers you'll ever find - but the game slowed down considerably when Howard was batting.

Howard typically jumps on opponents early, and it did it again Friday with a three-run first inning. Troy May and Brian Ogle each drew a walk to start the inning, and Sergio Martinez brought them home with a two-run double. Martinez scored on Derek Thompson's sacrifice fly off

losing pitcher Russell Shelton.

Jeff Orth's two-run single highlighted a four-run second that put Howard ahead 7-0. Vernon's Anthony Williams broke up Major's brief no-hit bid with a two-out solo home run over the left-field wall in the third, but Howard continued to pour it on with three more runs in the bottom half. Orth once again delivered the big hit - another two-run single through the left side.

For the game, Orth was 3-for-4 with six RBIs. May was 2-for-2 with two walks and two RBIs, but his most impressive number was his four runs scored in four trips to the plate. Howard's Brian Ogle, who bats in the No. 2 spot behind May, also scored four runs, but he did it in five plate appearances. Ogle was 1-for-1 with three walks, a sacrifice fly and three RBIs.

Howard went on to sweep the three-game series, taking 10-7 and 11-7 decisions Saturday. In the first game, Brian Thompson (7-1) earned the win, while Ogle had two hits and three RBIs. In the second game, Dave Maurer (7-1) came out of the bullpen to earn the win, while Orth had three hits and three RBIs. Morford added two hits and three RBIs in the second game.

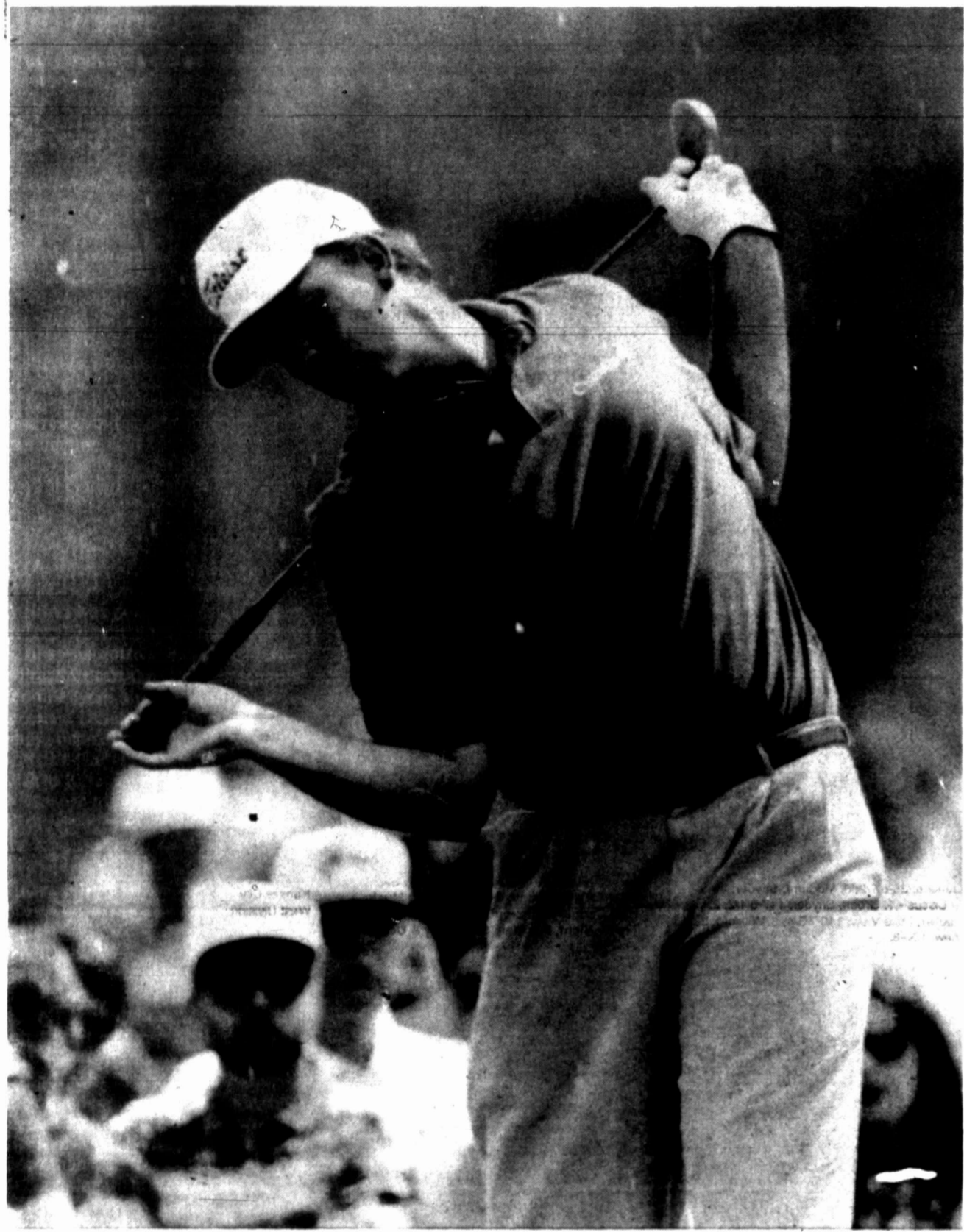
In Saturday's doubleheader, Jose Luis hit four homers for Vernon (15-21). Luis hit two in each game.

Howard (38-5) returns to action Friday at Frank Phillips College in Borger. This marks a return to conference play, and Roper hopes the problems Howard had Tuesday against Ranger are out of the Hawks' system.

"All in all, we might be in some type of slump. We've been fighting things here and there, and we've

been struggling at the plate. Hopefully we've finally started to get some things going by next weekend."

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Associated Press photo

## 3rd round leader

Tom Lehman stretches before his tee shot on the eighth hole during third round play at the Masters golf tournament in Augusta, Ga. Saturday. Lehman is leading the tournament heading into today's final round.

## Steers

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"They just have to work on the psyche," Britton said when asked what his team needs to do between now and the district meet. "They just have to use those things such as sweeping the intermediate hurdles and understand that finally they are doing the things that we told them they could do. And they need to use that, not to lock them down but to just relax and run the best race they can next week."

Other winners for the Big Spring boys included Harvey Simpson (100 dash, 10.80), Joe Franklin (3200, 10:47) and the 400 and 1600 relay teams. The Steers put three in the 200's top six - Randy Farr, Simpson (22.31) and Lonnie Jackson (23.06). Jackson was second in the 100 dash at 11.07, while teammate Tyrone Banks was a strong fourth at 11.38.

Franklin ran the 3200 for only the second time this season, and he replaced Lehebron Farr in the 1600 relay. Franklin, Taylor, Randy Farr and Dustin Waters won the 1600 with a 3:25.51 clocking. The 400

relay, which won in 43.26, included Simpson, Banks, Jackson and Randy Farr.

Big Spring's only splash in the field events came in the high jump. Banks and Wes Hughes tied for second at 6 feet, 4 inches.

Franklin said the team pulled together after losing Lehebron Farr and Owusu, and he expects the Steers to have a good showing Friday in Andrews.

"We still have some work to do. We're trying to come back from injuries - we don't have that many on the team anyway, and now with injuries we have even less," Franklin said. "But everybody's been doing their part, and we'll have to do our part even more now."

Nazareth won the Division II boys' title, scoring 112 points to outdistance runner-up Lamesa (98).

Garden City was fourth with 84 points, and the junior varsity Steers were sixth with 47 points.

## Big Spring boys' golf squad finds going rough at Andrews

ANDREWS - The Big Spring boys' golf team's hope of postseason action took a crippling blow Saturday in Andrews, as high scores all around left the Steers far behind the district's top two squads.

Big Spring B shot a 366 and Big Spring A shot a 367, two of the three highest rounds of Saturday's round. The scores put both Big Spring teams more than 70 strokes behind district leaders Monahans and Andrews.

"It wasn't really a good day for us at all," BSHS coach Gary Simmons

said. "You always dream of everybody having a bad day at the same time, but you hardly ever see it. Today, we saw it."

Andrews was the third stop in the district tournament, which concludes Friday in San Angelo.

After three rounds, Andrews' Derrick Parsley leads the district medalist competition with a total score of 220, six strokes better than Chris Webster of Lake View. The top Big Spring score belongs to Jake McCullough with a 246.

## Young Lady Steers finish in the middle of the pack

By DAVE HARGRAVE  
Sports Editor

The Big Spring Lady Steers' youth was more visible than ever among the stiff competition at Saturday's Big Spring Relays at Blankenship Field.

Big Spring was forced to settle for sixth place behind Frenship (which won with 132 1/2 points), Lake View, Snyder, Levelland and Fort Stockton. Big Spring had 49 points.

Big Spring's brightest star, both Saturday and in the future, may be freshman Latisha Hurrington. Hurrington took second in the 400-meter dash Saturday with a time of 62.54 seconds, and she helped Big Spring take third in the 1600 relay at 4:23.17. Joining that team were Kandi Cline, Pauline DelBosque and Charlotte Bumbulis.

"She did really well in the 400 for us," said Big Spring coach Jay Kennedy, "but you can tell the youth of our team when we have to run Latisha three quarters in one day. Her third quarter wasn't very good. But her opening one she was really happy with."

The Lady Steers have several girls in as many as five events, and that can lead to fatigue by the end of a meet, Kennedy said. Still, Big Spring had quality efforts.

Toshia Wilbert took fifth in the 100 dash (13.36) but was just .07 seconds away from third place. Wilbert reached third, however, in the 200 with a time of 27.42.

Big Spring's Evy Perez took third in the 3200 at 13:26.

Stanton had a good showing in the relays, but it had to pull out of the 1600 relay after Lupe Chapa suf-

fered what coach Frank Riney said may be a pulled muscle or tendon. Stanton finished second in both the 400 (50.76, .03 behind Fort Stockton) and the 800 (1:47.16, .11 behind Fort Stockton).

"You couldn't put a playing card between them," Riney said of the two close finishes. "You have to assess who we were running against. We did really well for a school our size running against top 4A schools. Fort Stockton, Frenship, Big Spring - you look at the times year in and year out, and those are some of the top teams in the state. We're just really pleased to be so close to them."

Stanton's team in both events is Laura Herm, Sande Bundas, Kristen Wyckoff and Chapa. Riney said Stanton has the top 2A time in the state in the 1600 relay, the second-best in the 800 and the third-best in the 400. He said he expects Chapa to be ready this weekend for the District 6-2A meet in Stanton.

The youth of Big Spring's girls will be on display again at Friday's District 3-4A meet in Andrews. Kennedy said he has three freshmen that turn in 400 times as fast as Hurrington's in practice, but they haven't matched her in meets yet.

Changing that within a week's time would be a tall order, but Kennedy was pleased with the Lady Steers' effort Saturday. He was also pleased with the meet itself.

"All the workers, the townspeople and the coaches that help with this thing make this one of the best meets in the country," Kennedy said. "People here should come out to this meet, because it has some of the best teams in the state every year."

## Briefs

### BSHS sends seven to tennis regionals

ODESSA - Big Spring had a field day Saturday at the District 3-4A tennis championships, taking seven of the 14 regional spots available at the tournament.

Greg Biddison won boys' No. 1 singles, beating Jason Lester of Fort Stockton 6-3, 7-6 (7-5). Winners and runners-up in each event qualified for the regional, which is April 25-26 in San Angelo.

Big Spring came through big time in girls' No. 1 singles, landing two playoff spots. Maria Villareal beat teammate Heidi McIntyre 6-4, 6-1 in the finals, so both advance to regional. McIntyre reached the finals by upsetting second-seeded Lisa Nichols of Pecos, 4-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Girls' doubles proved profitable for the Big Spring tandem of Lara Stevenson and Amy Dominguez, who won 6-3, 6-2 in the finals over Fort Stockton's Nitaya Boone and Vanessa Blanco.

Keagan Welch and Colby Wegman took second, reaching the finals before falling 6-2, 6-2 to Sweetwater's Alton Howard and Ephraim Lara.

### Fifth Inning dooms C-City

### COLORADO CITY - Six Colorado BSHS

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improved 13 strokes from their district-opening rounds.

Vanessa Billalba played as an individual in the medalist group for Big Spring and shot a 107 Saturday, giving her a district score of 215.

McKenzie preached all season that her team needs to believe it can compete with its district rivals. Well, if it doesn't believe it by now, it never will.

"Some of us get intimidated by other people, Andrews in particular," Hale said. "But we're second."

Fort Stockton will have an edge next weekend when the scene shifts to its home course for the

City errors led to 10 runs for the Loraine Bulldogs as they took a 12-9 decision over the Wolves in non-district baseball action.

C-City starter Daniel Silva was pitching shutout ball until the bloop-filled fifth, when Loraine exploded to the lead. Reliever Jeff Hill (2-2) took the loss for the Wolves, now 7-9 for the season.

Colorado City opens District 6-3A action Monday when they travel to Crane.

### Crane beats Coahoma in baseball action

CRANE - Coahoma's baseball team fell to 4-5 Friday, losing 6-3 at Crane.

Coahoma had a chance to rally in the seventh, loading the bases with one out, but the Bulldogs failed to score.

"We're just in a slump right now, and now we're getting ready to start district," said Coahoma coach Doc Rowell.

John White (0-2) took the loss. Coahoma's next game is its district opener, April 18th at Eldorado.

### DeLaRosa named to all-region team

COAHOMA - Coahoma High School Junior Henry DeLaRosa recently was named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All-Region third team.

DeLaRosa, a 6-foot-1 post player,

averaged 10.8 points and 9 rebounds a game this past season for the Bulldogs, who finished the season with a 25-7 record.

### WJCAC all-stars breeze to victory

MIDLAND - The Western Junior College Athletic Conference, coached by Howard head coach Royce Chadwick, romped to a 113-82 win over the North Texas Junior College Athletic Conference in an all-star game played at Chaparral Center Saturday.

The WJCAC stars were led by Muriel Mitchell of Frank Phillips College, who had 18 points, and Saresa Butler of South Plains and Kathy Dyess of Odessa College, who both had 15 points. Howard's Angel Spinks had 9 points in the game.

### CGA hosting golf tournament

The Chicago Golf Association will hold a 6-6-6 format golf tournament today at Comanche Trail Golf Course. Proceeds will go to the Howard College scholarship fund.

Registration fee is \$13 for the tournament, which will have tee times from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The first six holes of the tournament will be a selected drive, while the second six will be a scramble and the last six low-ball.

For more information, contact the golf course at 264-2366.

the district individual race with a 166, while Fleming is at 167.

The Lady Steers can't do much to prepare for their most important round to date next weekend. There's no last minute strategy. Just play your best, and hope for the best.

"I know I have to work on hitting some greens this week," Edgar said. "Then there's putting for some, and chipping for others. We just have to work at it, like we always do."

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# SPORTS EXTRA



Texas starting pitcher Kevin Brown looks toward the bullpen as Rangers' manager Kevin Kennedy goes to the mound during their game against the Baltimore Orioles Saturday afternoon in Baltimore.

## AL roundup

# Win over Rangers give Orioles best start since '87

By The Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Mike Devereaux and Chris Hoiles homered Saturday as the Baltimore Orioles, off to their best start in seven years, beat the Texas Rangers 7-5.

Juan Gonzalez hit a three-run homer in the eighth to bring the Rangers within 6-5. But a sacrifice fly by Jeffrey Hammonds in the eighth put the Orioles up 7-5, and Lee Smith got the final three outs for his third save.

The victory improved the Orioles to 3-1 for the first time since 1987.

With the Orioles clinging to a 3-2 lead in the sixth, Alan Mills relieved Baltimore starter Mike Mussina (2-0) with runners on second and third and no one out. Facing the strength of the Texas lineup, Mills struck out Gonzalez, Jose Canseco and Dean Palmer to end the threat.

Hoiles hit a two-run homer off Kevin Brown (0-2) in the bottom of the inning to give the Orioles a three-run cushion. In the seventh, Rafael Palmeiro's RBI single against his former teammates made it 6-2.

Doug Strange homered and had three hits for the Rangers. Canseco singled off Mark Eichhorn in the seventh to end an 0-for-13 skid.

### Tigers 5, Yankees 2

NEW YORK — Detroit's Mike Moore, routed in his first start on opening day, came back Saturday to stop the New York Yankees 5-2, ending the Tigers' four-game losing streak.

## NL roundup

# Smiley starts redemption from dismal '93 with win over Phillies

By The Associated Press

CINCINNATI — John Smiley, the Reds' biggest disappointment last year, anchored their third straight victory with 7 1/3 shutout innings as Cincinnati beat the Philadelphia Phillies 2-1 Saturday.

Brian Dorsett singled home the only run off loser Curt Schilling, in the fourth inning. Hal Morris added a homer in the eighth off Doug Jones.

Smiley, a washout in the first season of a four-year, \$18.4 million contract, got his first victory since June 7 by limiting the Phillies to seven hits. He was 3-9 last year and needed elbow surgery in August.

Hector Carrasco gave up a leadoff homer in the ninth to Pete Incaviglia before getting his first major-league save. Carrasco has the other two Cincinnati victories.

Schilling gave up six hits over seven innings, but two perfectly placed hits cost him the game.

## Puckett reaches 2,000 hits

By The Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — It took Kirby Puckett four games this season to get four hits and break the 2,000-hit barrier.

Once he got there, he immediately headed for 3,000.

Puckett finished with five hits Friday night during the Minnesota Twins' 10-9, 10-inning loss to the Oakland Athletics. It was the sixth time in his career that he had five or more hits in a game.

He became the 195th player in major league history to reach the 2,000-hit plateau, even though his

Mickey Tettleton hit a three-run home run for the Tigers, who handed Jimmy Key his first April loss in four years.

Moore (1-1) allowed six earned runs in 2 1/3 innings in the Tigers' opener at Boston and came in with a 23.14 ERA. Against the Yankees, though, he was in charge from the start, pitching hitless ball through the first five innings. He allowed three hits in seven innings before giving way to Storm Davis. Mike Henneman finished for his first save.

Key (1-1) matched Moore with five hitless innings before getting in trouble in the sixth. Tony Phillips opened with the game's first hit and took second on Alan Trammell's fly.

### Blue Jays 8, Mariners 6

TORONTO — Joe Carter, evoking memories of last year's World Series, hit a two-run homer off Bobby Thigpen in the ninth inning Saturday to give the Toronto Blue Jays an 8-6 victory over Seattle Mariners.

In Game 6 last Oct. 23, Toronto trailed 6-5 when Carter hit a three-run homer to left off Philadelphia's Mitch Williams, joining Bill Mazeroski as the only players to end a World Series with home runs.

This time, Toronto overcame a 5-0 deficit and was tied 6-6 in the ninth. Paul Molitor singled off Thigpen (0-1) for his 2,500th career hit and Carter homered to left, his third of the season. Carter, who had three hits and drove in four runs, raised his career RBI total to 1,001.

Mariners' third baseman Edgar Martinez, playing with a bruised

right wrist, made three errors, and all six runs off Seattle starter Greg Hibbard were unearned. It was the fourth straight loss for the winless Mariners, who got a pair of homers from Ken Griffey Jr.

### Angels 6, Brewers 4

MILWAUKEE — Jim Edmonds and Eduardo Perez hit consecutive RBI singles in the ninth off Jesse Orosco Saturday as the California Angels rallied past the Milwaukee Brewers 6-4.

California rallied to tie after trailing 4-1 in the eighth. With the score 4-4 in the ninth, Chad Curtis singled off Mike Fetters (0-1) and, two outs later, Chili Davis was intentionally walked. Orosco replaced Fetters, and Edmonds and Perez followed with their hits.

Mike Butcher (1-0) pitched a perfect eighth, and Joe Grahe pitched one-hit ninth for the save.

Dave Nilsson and John Jaha homered for the Brewers, who got a strong six innings from Ted Higuera.

### White Sox 6, Red Sox 5

CHICAGO — Julio Franco tied the score with a two-out, two-run single in the seventh inning and Robin Ventura followed with the go-ahead single Saturday, rallying the Chicago White Sox past the Boston Red Sox 6-5.

Jack McDowell (1-1), last year's AL Cy Young Award winner, outpitched three-time winner Roger Clemens in their fifth career matchup.

### Pirates 10, Rockies 5

PITTSBURGH — Carlos Garcia homered and drove in three runs, and Jay Bell had three hits as the Pittsburgh Pirates finally got some production from the top of their batting order Saturday to beat the Colorado Rockies 10-5.

Pittsburgh's top two spots in the order — filled by Garcia, Bell and Al Martin thus far — were a combined 1-for-31 as the Pirates lost their first four games, their longest season-opening losing streak an 0-6 start in 1974.

Garcia and Bell quickly ended that by singling ahead of Orlando Merced's two-run double in the first off Armando Reynoso (0-1).

The top two in the order were a combined 6-for-10 Saturday. Garcia already has a three-hit game and two two-hit games, both of those while batting eighth.

Zane Smith (1-1), the Pirates' opening day starter and loser, sur-

vived three homers to win as a starter for the first time since Aug. 13. Smith missed the final six weeks of last season for shoulder rehabilitation.

### Cubs 4, Expos 3

MONTREAL — Sammy Sosa hit a sacrifice fly in the ninth inning off John Wetteland on Saturday as the Chicago Cubs rallied to beat the Montreal Expos 4-3.

Montreal led 3-2 in the eighth but John Wetteland (0-1), who blew just six saves in 49 chances last year, walked Sammy Sosa and threw away a pickoff attempt for an error that set up a game-tying single by pinch-hitter Mark Grace.

Pinch-hitter Karl Rhodes singled off Wetteland leading off the ninth, went to second on Willie Wilson's sacrifice, took third on Ryne Sandberg's groundout and scored on Sosa's flyout, just beating the throw by right fielder Larry Walker.

## TRACK

### Big Spring Relays

Boys' Division I (4A Varsity)

Team Standings - 1. Big Spring 169; 2. Pecos 83; 3. Lamesa 78; 4. Levelland 74; 5. Snyder 48; 6. Monahans 30; 7. Frenship 29; 8. Fort Stockton 14.

110 Hurdles - 1. Taylor, Big Spring, 14.66; 2. Cano, Lamesa, 15.66; 3. Rigdon, Big Spring, 15.87; 4. Eddington, Big Spring, 16.30.

1600 - 1. Wagner, Lamesa, 4:53.15; 2. Para, Snyder, 4:57.82; 3. Villacasa, Pecos, 4:59.05; 5. Rice, Big Spring, 5:02.37.

3200 - 1. Franklin, Big Spring, 10:47; 2. Valdez, Monahans, 10:48; 3. Villacasa, Pecos, 10:51.

400 relay - 1. Laysa, Monahans, 53:7; 2. Cano, Pecos, 50:14; 3. Chadiz, Snyder, 48:12.

100 Hurdles - 1. Crill, Lake View, 15.53; 2. Clark, Levelland, 17:11; 3. Bryant, Lamesa, 17:24.

300 Hurdles - 1. Lemors, Frenship, 49:29; 2. Williams, Lake View, 50:07; 3. Wilson, Frenship, 51:11.

100 dash - 1. Barnett, Levelland, 13:06; 2. Reed, Snyder, 13:09; 3. Brooks, Snyder, 13:29; 5. Wilbert, Big Spring, 13:36; 6. Newsome, Big Spring, 13:46.

400 - 1. Ram Taylor, Frenship, 62:52; 2. Hurrington, Big Spring, 62:54; 3. Rag Taylor, Frenship, 62:55.

800 - 1. Green, Snyder, 37:34; 2. Yoder, Lamesa, 36:6 1/2; 3. McClure, Snyder, 35:5.

1600 - 1. Burnett, Levelland, 25:98; 2. Harder, Levelland, 27:02; 3. Wilbert, Big Spring, 27:42.

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### Sunday

#### College Baseball

Miami at Florida State, noon, HSE (ch. 29).  
Mayland at Wake Forest (tape delay), 11 p.m., HSE.

#### Pro Baseball

Atlanta at Los Angeles, 3 p.m., WTBS (ch. 11).  
Florida at San Diego, 7 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

#### Pro Basketball

New York at New Jersey, noon, KWES (ch. 9).  
Phoenix at Seattle, 2:30 p.m., KWES.

#### Golf

The Masters, 3 p.m., KOSA (ch. 7).

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Dallas at St. Louis, noon, KMID (ch. 2).

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# Artist's lithographs capture baseball at its best

By The Associated Press

KENT, Conn. — Walk into Bill Goff's gallery and you are instantly surrounded by greatness.

Reggie Jackson blasts a shot toward the bleachers at Yankee Stadium, his third home run in Game 6 of the 1977 World Series against the Dodgers.

Carlton Fisk stands at home plate and pleads with a long fly ball to stay fair in the 12th inning of Game 6 of the 1975 Series with Cincinnati.

Willie Mays runs down the eighth-inning drive by Vic Wertz in the first game of the 1954 World Series between the Cleveland Indians and New York Giants.

The nostalgic scenes in dozens of lithographs capture America's favorite pastime at its best. There also are prints of the ballparks themselves: Ebbets Field in Brooklyn, the old and new Comiskey Parks in Chicago, Camden Yards in Baltimore.

Since 1987, Goff has contracted with various artists to produce limited edition lithographs. His inventory consists of 82 prints that span more than eight decades of baseball history.

The artists usually use a photograph and do additional research to



In this copy photo of a Bill Goff produced lithograph, Reggie Jackson of the New York Yankees blasts his third home run in as many at-bats during game 6 of the 1977 World Series at Yankee Stadium.

make sure all the details are right, Goff said. In the case of some older scenes and long-gone stadiums, there's some minor guesswork.

The oldest moment pictured is "Highlanders at Hilltop," a scene from the 1911 season when the Yankees were the Highlanders.

The most recent work captures Nolan Ryan on the mound in the game last season in which he hit Robin Ventura with a pitch. Ventura charged the mound afterward, and a fight ensued.

"The artist happened to be in the ballpark, and his wife's maiden

name is Ventura, so he was very interested, and he was flashing away, and he got the precise moment as it happened," Goff said.

In between those two prints, there's plenty of history — and plenty of demand for a piece of it. Goff publishes 600 issues of each

lithograph. Initial prices range from \$140 to \$190, and increase to as much as \$400 when the supply is depleted. Prices go even higher in the secondary market.

"As we sell them in fairly good quantity, we raise the prices and our top price before sellout is \$400," Goff

said. The print of Fisk's home run in 1975, called "Classic Fenway Clout," sold out in three days two years ago at a price of \$190 each. It's been sold on the secondary market for as much as \$1,000, Goff said.

The most expensive print in the secondary market is called "Fenway Park Triptych," showing Boston's Wade Boggs at the plate facing Oakland's Curt Young during a day game in 1987. It came out for \$95 and has gone for as much as \$1,600, Goff said.

Sales have soared since Goff and his wife, Betsy — a former attorney for ABC Sports — moved the business from their New York apartment to this town in western Connecticut in 1991. The company has sold 4,000 to 5,000 prints in each of the last three years, with sales in seven figures during each of those years, Goff said.

The company advertises only in Baseball Weekly, although a catalog is being printed.

Goff used to send out postcard reproductions of his new prints to people on his mailing list, but that got too expensive. He now has 20,000 names — 15,000 of whom are buyers.

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Section B

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## Springboard

To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79720, or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry.

### Today

•St. Thomas Catholic Church offers bingo at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. Lic. #3-00-786055-1.

•Bingo at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1009 Hearn, Fridays and Saturdays beginning at 6:30 p.m. Lic. #1751274202. Maximum payout.

•Divorced support group will meet 7 p.m. in the parlor of First United Methodist Church, 400 Scurry. For more information call 267-6394 or 267-9785.

•The Humane Society will have a rummage sale from 1 to 4 p.m. at Fourth and Galveston. Many bargains. For more information call the Humane Society at 267-7832.

### Monday

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

•Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will meet 6:30 p.m. Weigh-in starts at 6 p.m. at Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. For more information please call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

•Al-A-Teen will meet 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

•New Phoenix Hope group of Narcotics Anonymous will meet 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad.

•Turning Point A.A. will meet from 8 to 9 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. This meeting is open to all substance abusers.

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

•The City Advisory Group will meet at noon in the boardroom at the YMCA 801 Owens. If you contact me by 11 a.m., I can place your order for lunch from Main Street Deli for you. For further information contact Tish Long at the Howard County Mental Health Center at 263-0027.

### Tuesday

•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.

•Pastoral counseling offered by Samaritan Counseling Center will be at First Christian Church located at 10th and Goliad. For an appointment call 1-800-329-4144.

•Al-Anon will meet 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

•Diabetic support group for all seniors will meet 2 p.m. at Canterbury South. For more information call 263-1265.

•Voices, a support group for adolescent victims of sexual abuse, incest, rape, date rape, and any other crime of indecency, will meet 3:45 p.m. For more information call Rape Crisis/Victim Services at 263-3312.

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

•A Diabetes support group will meet 7 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center classroom.

### Wednesday

•Gamblers Anonymous will meet 7 p.m. at St. Stephens Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. For more information call 263-8920.

•New Phoenix Hope group of Narcotics Anonymous will meet 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad.

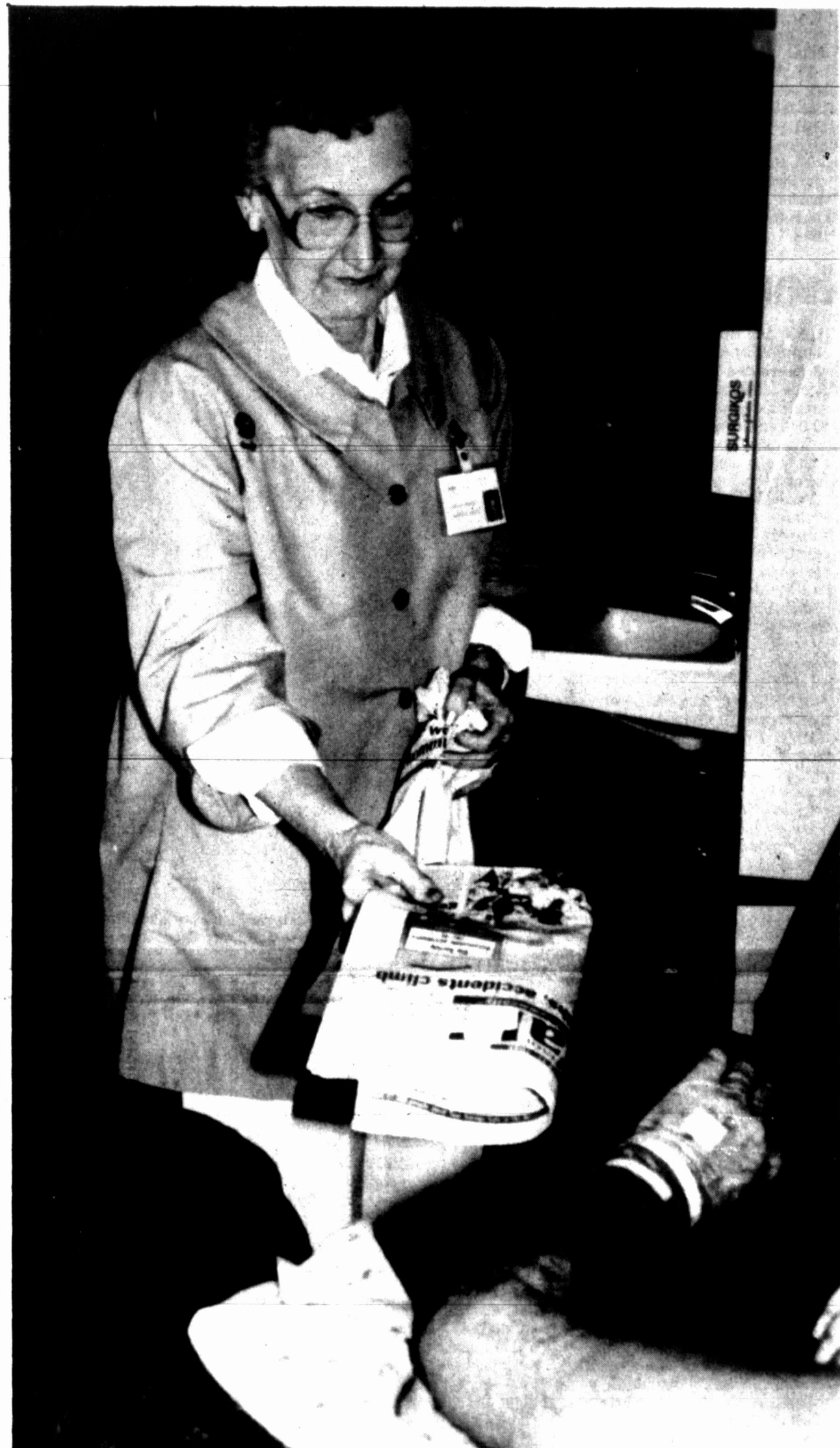
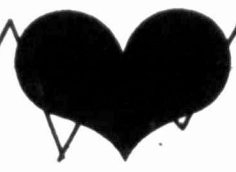
•Adults Molested as Children will meet from 10 to 11:30 a.m. For information call Rape Crisis/Victim Services at 263-3312.

•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has a "Kids for Jesus" program from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Supper, games, and crafts are provided. For more information, contact the church.

•Thistles Writers Club for Howard College students will meet at noon in room A-203. Bring lunch.

•Big Spring Outreach Aglow is sponsoring their monthly Harvest Luncheon from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at La Posada Restaurant. Jaynette Suggs will be the speaker. She will be speaking on "The Goodness of God is For All." All ladies are invited. Come bring a friend. For more information call Mattlyn Merrick at 263-8637.

# From the heart



Clockwise from left: Scenic Mountain Medical Center volunteer Dorothy McQuerry hands a newspaper to a patient during her daily rounds; Big Spring VA Medical Center volunteers Virginia King and Roy Keefer wheel patients around the hospital as escorts; Big Spring State Hospital employee Mary Jane Phillips (center) also volunteers her time for the patients. After hours, she takes Ginger Allen and Vickie Cox into the community for shopping and eating; Lou Vincent adds more clothes to the rack at the Chalet recently. Proceeds from the Chalet go to the Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services.



## Hospital volunteers help those who help others



Volunteer Rose Medlin reaches high to place a floral decoration on the top shelf in the gift shop at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

April 17-23 is Volunteer Week, and three major Big Spring health care providers will have a large group of people to recognize during this time.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center, the Veterans Administration Medical Center and Big Spring State Hospital all consider themselves fortunate to have a base of hospital volunteers to assist them in their daily tasks.

SMMC has 53 volunteers, coordinated by Director of Volunteers Sissy Jones. Volunteers staff the hospital information desk, gift shop, magazine and juice carts and other areas of the hospital.

The gift shop is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. All proceeds go toward nursing and radiology scholarships and special volunteer projects. These projects include purchase of hospital equipment such as "Annie," the dummy used for CPR training.

Volunteers also recently paid for the construction of a covered picnic area in the courtyard, which is used by patients, family members and employees. They also serve food and drinks at luncheons, receptions and other hospital functions.

Each year, the volunteers are responsible for "Kindergarten Days," a skit for area kindergartners in which the hospitalization process is explained. A mock operation is part of the skit.

SMMC volunteers have an annual tea, usually in a volunteer's home, to encourage new people to join the team.

The VAMC volunteer team consists of 325 active members. They recent-

ly completed an 18-month project to provide 125 new television sets for the hospital. The volunteers paid for the \$43,000 project.

Fred Cox, who directs voluntary services for the hospital, said the volunteers provide thousands of dollars in donations each year. The donations are in the form of parties, clothing, transportation and other ways of attending to hospital needs.

Volunteer organizations support Haven House, where wives of ill veterans can stay while their husbands are hospitalized. In the last two years, a \$20,000 addition was built onto the house. Roofs were fixed and the driveway was repaved.

The volunteers also push wheelchairs, carry lab specimens and patient records, pass out newspapers and push book carts and supply each incoming patient with a kit containing comfort items such as toothpaste and shaving cream.

Money for these projects is raised by the VA's annual book sale and other fundraising efforts.

Cox is also chairman of the VAMC's blood drive and receives assistance from the volunteers. "Last year we provided more blood than any other single group," he said.

Many VAMC volunteers are affiliated with service organizations, churches, veterans' posts or their auxiliaries. Many are also simply working on their own to help the hospital. The VAMC receives volunteer assistance from people and groups as far away as Abilene, Midland, Lubbock, Odessa and San Angelo. The local schools and col-

leges also help volunteer.

A volunteer-staffed information desk is tentatively scheduled to open April 17. The desk will be staffed constantly to answer questions and take patients to their rooms.

Additions to the volunteer corps are welcome. "If you have the right attitude and a love for people, that's who we're looking for," said Cox.

Big Spring State Hospital's core group of volunteers fluctuates between 75 to 100 people, said Kathy Higgins, director of community relations and volunteer services. At Christmas, the volunteers' busiest time, about 85 people assist the hospital.

Volunteer projects include staffing a resale shop, the Chalet, located in downtown Big Spring. All the Chalet's goods are donated. A patient representative group, the Public Responsibility Committee, is also composed of volunteers who meet with hospital staff to address patient concerns.

The BSSH Volunteer Council has three major fundraisers each year. In Please see HEART, page 5B.

Story by Janet Ausbury

Photos by Tim Appel

# Off the street, into the chapel

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

The bride and groom were nervous and happy. He did not sleep much the night before the wedding. She says she did not eat at all and kept calling people by the wrong name before the ceremony. It sounds like a typical spring wedding, but this one was a little different.

Julia McDonald and Richard Hargrov met in January and after a whirlwind romance of three months, the two exchanged vows Friday afternoon. Julia and Richard met at the Salvation Army emergency shelter and lodge.

Julia had been staying there with her four children for about a month and a half and began volunteering there. This is where she met Richard, who was a cook for the shelter's kitchen.

The two took an instant liking to each other and fell in love. "He helped me get out of my shell that I had been in from a previous relationship. He talked to me about

things," said Julia. "We love each other and are best friends. We talk to each other about everything. We are both kind of alike," added Richard.

Julia was doing volunteer work in the laundry room and Richard asked her if she wanted to volunteer in the kitchen. The two say they were there for each other when they needed someone the most.

"I wanted to find a life for myself and I wanted to do that with Julia. She was coming out of the laundry room about two months ago and I asked her to marry me," said Richard.

"I asked him 'What did you say?' and he repeated it, and I said yes," added Julia.

Julia and Richard have a house and are slowly beginning to rebuild their lives and refurbish their home. "We play football and kickball outside all the time. We hunt for cans and look through alleys and dumpsters to see what people have thrown away. You would be amazed at what people throw away in this

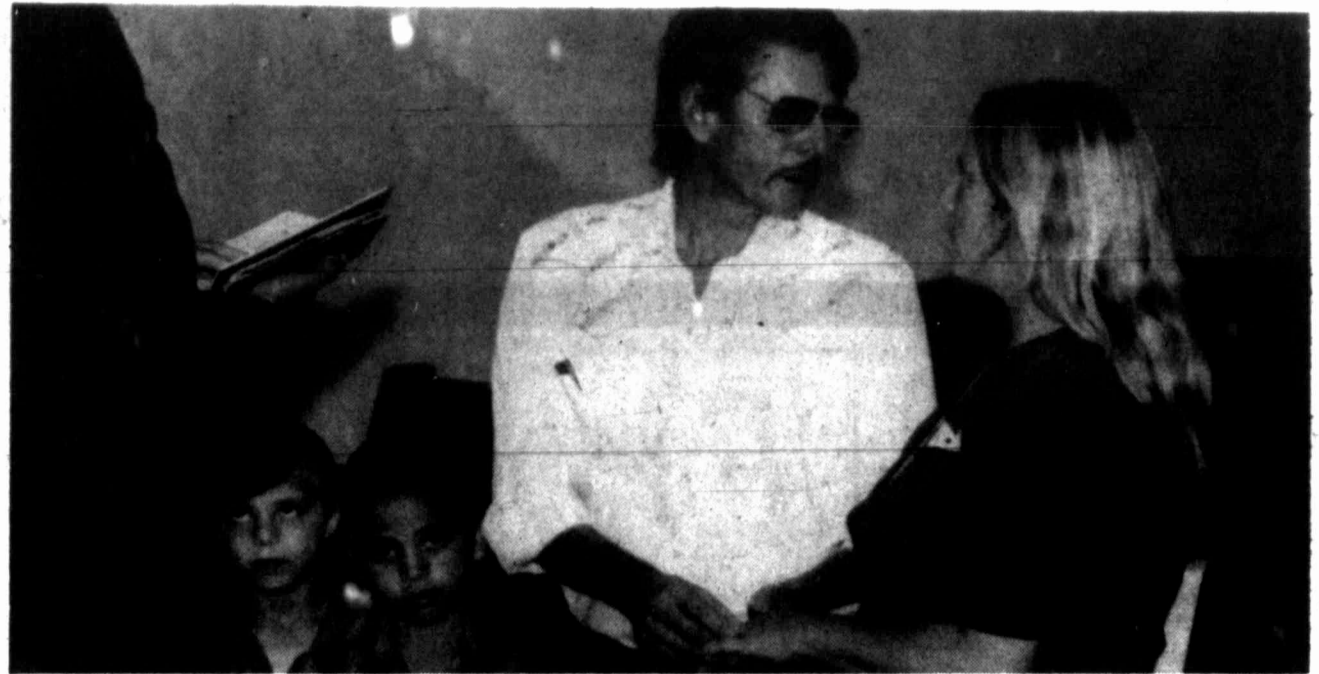
country that others can use," said Julia.

Julia is currently on welfare and receives food stamps. She is trying to find a job. Richard is a Vietnam veteran and is also trying to find work.

"Living as a street person gets in your blood. I like living like this and I'm not asking for anything from the government. I've been living this way for 15 years," said Richard. "I believe the Lord brought both of us to Big Spring so that we could meet each other."

Julia's four children range in age from 6 to 10 and are excited for their mother and Richard. "They love him and are happy for us," said Julia.

Lt. Albert Villafuerte conducted the ceremony at the Salvation Army Chapel. "I was moved. I think it's neat. They met at the emergency shelter and took an instant liking to each other," he said. "We are helping them to get settled. They are making a life for themselves. I praise God and it's really a wonderful thing."



Richard Hargrov and Julia McDonald exchange wedding vows during a ceremony held at the Salvation Army chapel Friday while Julia's four children look on. Lt. Albert Villafuerte performed the ceremony.

# Old Sorehead Days are here again

Stanton has a billboard outside of town that reads: "Home to 3,000 friendly people and a few old soreheads." The sign gets a lot of attention and has brought some notoriety to the town. When Stanton started having a trade days event last year, organizers decided to call it Old Sorehead Trade Days.

Three trade days weekends took place last year in Stanton during May, July and October. At each show, the number of vendors nearly doubled. The last one had 300 selling booths and attracted 30,000 visitors.



Tumbleweed Smith

Stanton's Community Development Committee, figured if every vendor spent \$100 for space, gas, meals and a motel room, that would mean that \$60,000 pumped into the community. And if every person attending spent \$10, the amount generated would be more than half a million dollars.

This year's trade days in Stanton are scheduled for April 16-17, June 25-26 and October 8-9. Some vendors from last year have already rescheduled for all three weekends.

Antiques, arts and crafts, collectibles of all kinds, animals, birds and just about everything else are traded and/or sold during trade days in Stanton. It all takes place on downtown streets. "You just start at one and go all the way around," says Brenda, "and just enjoy the whole scene."

News releases about the event were mailed to newspapers and radio stations between El Paso and

Dallas, San Angelo and Lubbock. A couple of clever television spots were created by Stanton resident James Johnson, who was extremely careful about how he spent his \$2,000 advertising budget.

"The novelty of the event is getting a lot of play right now," says James, "so we're taking advantage of that."

Vendors usually start setting up on Friday afternoon before the Saturday and Sunday event. They come from Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana and Montana. About sixty local residents set up booths, which cost around \$50 each, depending on electrical needs. Most of the people attending come from the Permian Basin.

In addition to the selling and trading, there is an evening auction that is a crowd pleaser. Food vendors are plentiful. Live entertainment goes on almost continually. Visitors take time to see the museum, old jail and convent.

During the first trade days weekend in Stanton, restaurants ran out of food and service stations reported their best business ever. Parking spaces were at a premium. Now the trade days committee conducts parking schools for Stanton residents who help with traffic.



Kayaker Jay Davis does some last-minute rubber duck herding on Buffalo Bayou in Houston Sunday, March 27, prior to the sixth annual Great Houston Duck Race. Organizers sought to raise more than \$100,000 for Houston's visually impaired.

# New city, new job intimidate soon-to-be college grad

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I'm going to be graduating from college in a few weeks, and to be honest I'm scared of the future. I have a job in another city all lined up, but I don't know anyone there and I just know I'm going to be very lonely. Do you think I'm doing the right thing by moving to another city? — C.L.

DEAR C.L.: God has a perfect plan for your life, and the most important thing I can urge you to do is to put your life and your future into His hands and seek His will. Let your prayer be that of the Psalmist: "Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your paths" (Psalm 25:4).

If it is His will for you to take this job, you can rest assured that He has gone before you and He will be with you. And when we know Christ and are trusting Him, we are never



Billy Graham

completely alone. Jesus has said, "Surely I will be with you always, to the very end of the age" (Matthew 28:20). The Psalmist declared, "Where can I flee from your presence? If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there" (Psalm 139:7-8). Make sure you have committed your life and your plans to Christ, and then trust Him to guide

you and be with you.

Then realize that one of the ways God shows us He is with us is by giving us new friends — friends who love Him, and who care about us. You see, when you know Christ you are part of a large universal family — the family of God. Don't reach out in the wrong directions for friends, but ask God to guide you to a church where you can grow spiritually and where you can meet new friends.

Many centuries ago Abraham left his family and friends for a new land "even though he did not know where he was going" (Hebrews 11:8). But God was faithful and led him all the way. This can be your experience as you trust Christ and allow Him to guide you.

# Benefit for BSSH patients April 15

April 15 is the eighth annual Benefit for BSSH patients. Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys will provide western dance music from 8-12 p.m. at the Stampede. Tickets are available from the volunteers or at the door - \$25 per couple, \$15 single.

Don Newsom and Kent Newsom will host the pre-dance reception at the Newsom home 6:30-8 p.m. There are many preparations being made and it looks to be an evening of fun for everyone. Profits from this evening will assist the Volunteer Council in helping patients at the hospital.

The board is planning a special day, using dance donations. It will be a day for patients to shop for themselves, assisted by volunteers. Plans will be announced soon for the project.

March employees of the month were ATD - Carolyn Lee, Medical Unit - Brenda Sundry, Northwest Psychiatric - Robert Guzman, Southwest Psychiatric - Harry Vela, Adolescent Unit - Tina Neel.

Chalet Volunteers met April 6 for a business meeting and lunch in the Community Relations office. Lou Vincent, co-chairperson, announced that the Chalet is in need of household items. If your garage sale plans have fallen through, and you have items to dispose of, take them to the Chalet. The shop is open Monday-Saturday 1-5 p.m. Donations are tax deductible. The Chalet is providing make-up and personal items for patients - also suitcases. Suitcases can be left at the Chalet, and volunteers will take them to the hospital for patients.



Kathy Higgins

Congratulations to Janet Vela, BSSH Social Worker of the Year. Janet was chosen by social workers at the hospital, and honored with a reception, given by the Psychology Dept. and Nursing Service.

Spring break was enjoyed by all school kids, and the adolescent unit at BSSH was no exception. Staff took the group to the Abilene Zoo, a Howard College Hawk Baseball Game, and the Confederate Air Force Museum and the Petroleum Museum.

It was a break from classes and a good experience for the teens, and also an opportunity to teach them leisure skills. A special thank-you to Michelle Rodriguez on the Adolescent unit for helping with decorating, and bulletin boards. Michelle enlists the kids to help her, and they were especially helpful in preparing for the recent survey.

The Volunteer Council Annual Awards Luncheon will be on Wednesday, April 20, in the Allred Building. Thursday has traditionally been the day for luncheons, but April 21 is San Jacinto Day, a state holiday. The luncheon is scheduled to be in conjunction with National Volunteer, April 17-23.

The Jack Y. Smith Award will be presented and volunteer pins and bars will be awarded. Johnnie Lou Avery, BSSH Board member will be the guest speaker. All volunteers are guests, and employees tickets will be \$1.50. Call the Community Relations office for reservations, 267-8216, ext. 535.

Kathy Higgins is the Director of Community Relations at BSSH, which include the Volunteer Services and Public Information Department. Memorials and contributions can be mailed to Volunteer Services Council, P. O. Box 231, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

# Norwegians take long Easter holiday

OSLO, Norway — An Easter exodus takes place here each year during one of the world's longest state holidays.

Since the 1700s, the Easter holiday in Norway has legally been five days long, starting Thursday and lasting through Monday. But many Norwegians stretch it to 10 days, starting the exodus last Saturday.

Any Norwegian who has a vacation cabin, and many do, heads for the mountains. Many others pack ski resorts, leave the country on charter flights, or visit relatives.

Actually, only about one-fourth of

Norway's 4.3 million people leaves home for the whole Easter break. Others take shorter trips, mostly to the ski slopes, stay at home to read or pack the movie theaters.

Whatever their plans for the long, religious holiday, few Norwegians seem to be thinking about church. Although almost 90 percent belong to the state Lutheran Church, a recent poll said only 16 percent were considering going to church during the five-day break.

attracting visitors from around the country.

St. Clare Catholic Church is scheduled to close in June as part of a statewide reorganization by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.

But the 12-foot iron statue, which also depicts two figures flanking the cross and one at Jesus' feet, will remain.

The Rev. Camile Delaux, a priest at the St. Clare church, spotted the statue while serving in France. Awed by its beauty, Delaux vowed to bring it back to West Virginia. He returned home and raised \$1,500.

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# Michener's memoirs a must-read

Books at Howard County Library: "The World Is My Home" by James A. Michener. In this exceptional memoir, James A. Michener, one of the world's best-selling authors, tells the story only he can tell - the story of his life. A small-town Pennsylvania boy; a young man with a thirst for learning; a naval officer in WWII; a text-book editor and a best-selling author, Mr. Michener describes the people, events and ideas that have shaped his life.

Moving backward and forward across time, he writes about the many strands of his experience: his passion for travel; his lifelong infatuation with literature, music and painting; his liberal credo and his adventures in politics; and the hard work, headaches and rewards of the writing life.

Plain-spoken, wise and enormously sympathetic, here at last is the real James Michener, a man who can truly say, "The world is my home."

"Don't Know Much About Geography-Everything You Need To Know About The World But Never Learned" by Kenneth C. Davis. In his latest book, Mr. Davis first examines the often amusing perceptions people have had through the ages about the world and the universe.

He then looks at the world map today and explores how it has been affected by historical and political



Betty Condray

changes. Transforming events like the crumbling of the Berlin Wall, the demise of the Soviet Union, and the Persian Gulf War all involved questions of geography and gave credence to the saying - geography is destiny.

Recent surveys have shown that Americans constitute a "lost society." As a nation we know less about geography than we do history. We don't know how to read maps and we don't know where in the world we are! This is a book that you can read and return to with pure joy.

Mr. Davis shows how geography really is a great cross-roads of many fields: history, economics, biology, meteorology, astronomy, and even politics.

"The Dangerous Edge - The Psychology Of Excitement" by Michael J. Apter. Why do people seek out uncomfortable, unnecessary, and often dangerous activities - sky-diving, or bull fighting, or fast driving?

All of us seem to need excitement some of the time, some of us more than others - yet for years this need

remained largely unstudied by psychologists and psychiatrists. This book offers the first comprehensive and accessible guide to the psychology of excitement, and explores the fascinating and complex relationship between excitement and anxiety, panic and euphoria.

Healthy people apparently seek excitement in ways that are constructive and that lead to learning, as opposed to antisocial and destructive modes of excitement-seeking such as "wilding," seemingly senseless vandalism and gratuitous destruction. Illuminated throughout with interesting real-life stories and examples - from American football to bull-running at Pamplona to the recent Gulf War, the Dark Edge illuminates the varied and complicated components of the human need for excitement.

"Wait a Minute, You Can Have It All - How Working Wives Can Stop Feeling Overwhelmed And Start Enjoying Life" by Shirley Sloan Fader. Without realizing it, most working wives and their husbands live their two-paycheck marriage by one-paycheck rules, and thereby force themselves into a hidden and unnecessary struggle for house power.

This struggle actually prevents husbands from doing more at home and prevents the wives from getting the relief they need. Fader offers a new system based on how two-paycheck families really live, and pro-

vides clear, step-by-step specifics of what a woman can say and do to help her husband see the great benefits of his contributing his fair share at home.

Fader's guidance gives working wives the answers they need to balance the demands of marriage, children, household responsibilities, and their job.

"The Hope" by Herman Wouk. In the grand, epic style of "The Winds Of War" and "War And Remembrance," "The Hope" plunges the reader into the major battles, the disasters and victories, and the fragile periods of peace from the 1948 War of Independence to the astounding triumph of the Six-Day War in 1967.

And since Israelis have seen their share of comic mishaps as well as heroism, this novel offers some of Herman Wouk's most amusing scenes since the famed "strawberry business" in "The Caine Mutiny."

In the love stories of these four men, the author has created a gallery of three memorable Israeli women and one quirky fascinating American, daughter of a high CIA official and headmistress of a Washington girl's school.

In that sense it can be called a tale of hope for all mankind; a note that Herman Wouk has struck in all his writings, against the prevailing pessimism of our turbulent century.

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A Community Newsletter

Mrs. Vera R. Sandlin will be celebrating her 90th birthday Sunday, April 10th, 2-4 p.m. at the Fellowship Hall of Midway Baptist Church, 1-20 East. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Mrs. Sandlin is the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson, Howard County pioneers. No gifts, please.

The Annual Moore Reunion 1994 will be 2-5 p.m. April 23 at the 14th and Main Church of Christ. A special invitation is extended to the Moore Community, and all family members are invited whether they have lived in the community. Enter the church from the north side of 14th Street or from the front on Main Street.

Oliver family receives degrees  
Lawrence and Jean Oliver's daughter Jean O. Riboli of Mexia is a clinical supervisor of speech and hearing at the Mexia State

**Newcomers**

Stephen and Kelli McQueen and daughter Devin, Rotan. He is employed by Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Todd Hanson, Pecos. He is employed by Western Container.

Loraine Redan and daughters

School. The Olivers' granddaughter Francesca Riboli has received a master's degree in speech pathology, following in her mother's career footsteps. She graduated from Baylor University with her bachelor of science in 1992 and received her master's in December of 1993.

Another granddaughter, Danielle Riboli, also received a BFA degree from Baylor University in 1992. She plans to pursue a master's degree in costume design.

The Olivers' second daughter, Diana Navarrete Marquis, acquired her bachelor of fine arts degree from SMU in December 1993. Her daughter, Noel Navarrete, received a bachelor of arts degree in American studies from Wellesley College in Boston in May 1993.

Noel's brother, Dominique Navarrete, graduated from USMC boot camp with honors in January 1994. He is currently stationed at Camp Pendleton in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver's daughter, Elaine Oliver Murphy, received her L.V.N. with honors in 1991 and a R.N. degree from Howard College in 1992. The Olivers' son, Thomas Lee Oliver, passed away in 1977. Daughter Louise is very happy in her family.

Robin and Natalie, Louisville. She is the director of the Howard County Library.

Jeff and Trisha McCasland and daughter Kendra, Atlanta, Texas. He works for Western Container.

Clifford and Maggie Hickel, Albuquerque, N.M. He works for Arrow Trucking.

Pete and Heather Crabtree and son Alex, Coppell. He is employed by the City of Big Spring.

# Squirrels running amok in Lubbock

By STEVE O'NEIL  
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

LUBBOCK — On any given morning, when the weather is nice, Calvin Thomas and his wife, Betty, can be found on their back porch, drinking a fresh pot of coffee and tossing pecans to squirrels.

"Each one seems to have its own personality," says Thomas.

But not everyone shares the Thomases' affinity for the peppy nut eaters. Some people see them as nothing but trouble and fire off angry letters to the city, denouncing the squirrel situation.

"There are people who have had their pecan trees raided by squirrels, and there are others who have found them eating their way into their homes and chewing up insulation or phone lines," says Charles Overstreet, the director of Lubbock Animal Control. "Simply put, there are people out there who just don't like the squirrels."

Squirrel trouble is not a new phenomenon in Lubbock — or anywhere else. But back-to-back mild winters, coupled with an absence of disease and a plentiful food supply, have squirrel experts expecting a bumper crop in Lubbock this year.

"They are successful little breeders — there is no doubt about that," says Carol Mitchell, the director of the South Plains Wildlife Rehabilitation Center. "Given the right conditions, they thrive."

"They (squirrels) are successful little breeders — there is no doubt about that. Given the right conditions, they thrive."

—Carol Mitchell, director of the South Plains Wildlife Rehabilitation Center

The most fertile squirrel stomping grounds seem to be in the heart of Lubbock — between 34th Street and 50th Street, especially between Memphis and Flint avenues.

"These are the areas that seem to offer the best habitat," Overstreet says.

Getting rid of squirrels can be a challenge.

For starters, killing a squirrel without a permit is illegal, says John Rische, a game warden with Texas Parks and Wildlife.

The best solution seems to be capturing the offending squirrels in traps designed not to harm them. Lubbock Animal Control recently purchased 50 squirrel traps that Lubbock residents can check out for a \$20 deposit, Overstreet says. After they're caught, the squirrels can be



Kennel attendant Taylor Green shows off one of 50 new squirrel traps on March 19 in Lubbock, to be used to battle the squirrel population in the city. The captured squirrels will be relocated to other areas in the Texas South Plains.

taken to Lubbock Animal Control, and officials there will release them in locations as far away as Farwell.

"There are places around that don't have squirrels but really want them," Overstreet says. "We usually have no problems finding homes for them."

Overstreet says there are some simple rules to follow when trying to ensnare a squirrel.

"You will first want to place a trap near an area where the squirrels roam," he says. "Go ahead and put some food in it, like pecans or

apples, and give them a chance to get used to it. Then after a day or two, go ahead and set the trap and try your luck."

But Overstreet says that no amount of traps will banish squirrels from an area unless entire neighborhoods are committed to giving the rodents the boot.

While the squirrel problem festers in the minds of some, people like Calvin Thomas will be out there pitching nuts to his backyard

friends.

"I think they are nice to have around," Thomas says. "It's relaxing just to watch them hop around, and I would hate to see them go."

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# Menus

**BIG SPRING SENIOR CITIZENS**  
**MONDAY** - Enchiladas; Spanish rice; pinto beans; corn bread; banana pudding; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Beef stew; sweet potatoes; tossed salad; corn bread; fruit; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Roast beef with brown gravy; mashed potatoes; spinach; rolls; cake; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Baked liver and onions; green beans; cabbage; rolls; bread pudding; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Country fried steak; carrots; mashed potatoes; rolls; cookies; milk.  
**GARDEN CITY LUNCH**  
**MONDAY** - Pizza; tossed salad; buttered corn; cookie; whole or low-fat milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Beef and bean chalupas; Spanish rice; lettuce; tomatoes; jello with fruit; corn bread; whole or low-fat milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Spaghetti with meat sauce; spinach; sliced carrots; garlic bread; apple cobbler; whole or low-fat milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Chili dogs; cheese; French fries; carrots and celery sticks; brownies; whole or low-fat milk.  
**SANDS BREAKFAST**  
**MONDAY** - French toast; bacon; juice; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Cereal; milk; juice.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Donuts; milk; juice.  
**THURSDAY** - Scrambled eggs; sausage; toast; juice; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Hot cakes; syrup; bacon; juice; milk.  
**SANDS LUNCH**

**MONDAY** - Burritos; pork and beans; scalloped potatoes; wacky cake; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Fried chicken; mashed potatoes; gravy; green beans; hot rolls; jello; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Beef and cheese tacos; pinto beans; salad; corn bread; fruit; cobbler; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Barbecue ribs; potato salad; blackeyed peas; hot rolls; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Fiestadas; ranch style beans; salad; cookies; fruit; milk.  
**COAHOMA BREAKFAST**  
**MONDAY** - Pancake on a stick; syrup; fruit; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Scrambled eggs; toast; jelly; fruit; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Biscuits with gravy; sausage; juice; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Breakfast burrito; milk; juice.  
**COAHOMA LUNCH**  
**MONDAY** - Chicken nuggets; gravy; sweet potatoes; blackeyed peas; hot rolls; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Spaghetti with meat sauce; or beef stroganoff; corn; salad; corn bread; beatnik cake; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Chicken fried steak; gravy; macaroni and cheese; green beans; fruit; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Barbeque weiners; or beef pattie; potato salad; ranch style beans; chilled peaches; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Corn dogs; French fries; salad; milk.  
**STANTON BREAKFAST**  
**MONDAY** - Hot cereal; or assorted cereals; buttered toast; fruit juice; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Sausage and egg burrito; or assorted cereals; buttered toast; fruit juice; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Cinnamon toast; or assorted cereals; buttered toast; fruit juice; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Hot biscuits; scrambled eggs; little smokies; or assorted cereals; buttered toast; fruit juice; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Pancakes; or assorted cere-

als; buttered toast; fruit juice; milk.  
**STANTON LUNCH**  
**MONDAY** - Hamburger or cheeseburger; french fries; catsup; hamburger salad; fruit cup; milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Chicken fried steak; or ravioli casserole; mashed potatoes; green beans; hot roll; apple cobbler; milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Frito pie; or baked potato; pinto beans; tossed salad; fruit cup; milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Chicken and dumplings; or pizza; green beans; tossed salad; fruited gelatin; milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Submarine sandwich; or tuna sandwich; tater tots; catsup; lettuce and tomato salad; cookie; and milk.  
**BIG SPRING SCHOOLS BREAKFAST (Both Schools)**  
**MONDAY** - Donut; cereal; orange juice; whole or low-fat milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Pancake; syrup & butter; sausage pattie; apple juice; whole or low-fat milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Apple cinnamon muffin; cereal; grape juice; whole or low-fat milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Pancake & sausage-on-a-stick; apple wedge; whole or low-fat milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Fruit bar; cereal; orange wedge; whole or low-fat milk.  
**LUNCH (Elementary)**  
**MONDAY** - Chicken pattie; gravy; mashed potatoes; spinach; hot rolls; chilled pink applesauce; whole or low-fat milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Italian spaghetti; corn; English peas; hot rolls; chocolate pudding; whole or low-fat milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Pizza; cut green beans; coleslaw; hot rolls; cherry cobbler; whole or low-fat milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Turkey & noodles; sweet potatoes; blackeyed peas; hot oills; fruit gelatin/whipped topping; whole or low-fat milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Hamburger; tater tots; catsup; pinto beans; almond butter cookie; whole or low-fat milk.

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**LUNCH (Secondary)**  
**MONDAY** - Chicken pattie; gravy; or Salisbury steak; mashed potatoes; spinach; hot rolls; chilled pink applesauce; whole or low-fat milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Italian spaghetti or country sausage; corn; English peas; carrot sticks; hot sticks; hot rolls; chocolate pudding; whole or low-fat milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Pizza or roast beef; gravy; fluffy steamed rice; cut green beans; coleslaw; hot rolls; cherry cobbler; whole or low-fat milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Turkey & noodles or baked ham; sweet potatoes; blackeyed peas; hot rolls; fruit gelatin/whipped topping; whole or low-fat milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Hamburger or salmon pattie; tater tots; catsup; pinto beans; lettuce & tomato salad; cornbread; almond butter cookie; whole or low-fat milk.  
**WESTBROOK SCHOOLS BREAKFAST**  
**MONDAY** - Cheese toast; juice and milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Pancake pups; juice and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Oatmeal; toast; jelly; juice and milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Biscuits; sausage; juice and milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Cereal; juice and milk.  
**LUNCH**  
**MONDAY** - Fish sticks; macaroni and cheese; English peas; mixed fruit; sliced bread and milk.  
**TUESDAY** - Spaghetti with meat sauce; breaded zucchini; blackeyed peas; garlic bread; peaches and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** - Chicken strips; gravy; creamed potatoes; green beans; biscuits; applesauce and milk.  
**THURSDAY** - Tacos; taco sauce; lettuce; tomatoes; cheese; pinto beans; corn; bread; stewed prunes; or peanuts and milk.  
**FRIDAY** - Barbeque on homemade bun; lettuce; tomatoes; onions; pickles; French fries; goodie bar and milk.

## Method demonstrations get message to audience

By MICHAEL KELSEY  
 Howard County Extension Agent

In the past several weeks, we have received several calls and visits concerning method demonstrations. These include all the how's, what's, when's, where's, who's and why's of presenting a method demonstration. To answer a lot of these questions, Matt Tarpley, Extension Associate in 4-H, presented a program concerning method demonstrations to the Howard County Volunteer Adult Leaders Association last week. Matt spoke on the reasons for a method demonstration as well as the types of demonstrations and what the judges look for in a demonstration. He also talked about how people learn and the best ways to teach them so that they remember more. I would like to share with you some of the information he presented. The brain is a storage cabinet. How we file information into our brains is directly related to how well we can recall that information. Many studies have been done on the retention of information. It was found that people remember 10 percent of what they read, 20 percent of what they hear and 30 percent of what they see. When we start combining the different learning habits, our ability to recall increases dramatically. Combining sight and sound increases retention to 50 percent. 70 percent of what people say as they read aloud remembered while 90 percent of what people say as they do is remembered. Along the same lines, method of instruction influences people's ability to recall at different times. When a person is just told something, he/she can recall 70 percent three hours later while only 10 percent three days later. When a person is just shown something, he/she can recall 72 percent three hours later while only 20 percent three days later. Percentages increase greatly when a person is both told and shown something to 85 percent three hours later and 65 percent three days later. It is very easy to see why a method demonstration is such an effective way of presenting information to a group of people. In fact, many people of all different career fields use method demonstrations to present their information. But not only is this a good way to present informa-

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tion, it also teaches the teacher. Young people who plan, develop and present demonstrations are more prepared in leadership skills than those who don't participate. They learn public speaking skills as well as how to use different resources in researching their chosen topic. Many young people think they must come up with a completely new topic. This is not the case, a demonstration can stem from a project at school in science class or other extracurricular activity. The key idea to keep in mind when contemplating a demonstration is the development of leadership skills. While district roundup does provide a competition to participate in, the idea of "winning isn't everything, it's the only thing" is not stressed. Job applicants who have had experience in presenting their ideas and thoughts to a group of listeners are far more "in demand" than those that must be trained. I encourage all young people to get involved in your Howard County 4-H program. The benefits are long-term, career-oriented and just plain fun. What better way to prepare for the future.

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**Police Good**  
**Lydel Sims**

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### Jacqueline Bigar

**FORECAST FOR TODAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1994**

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** You get a new start. You feel your Wheaties, and it's a good time to pursue key projects. Talks with others reflect your inner feelings. Do what makes you happy. Tonight: Ask and you shall receive.\*\*\*\*\*

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Your reflective side comes out. Consider bottom lines, what works for you and which way you want to go. Sensitivity and perspective are strong. Take a walk, relax and think through recent events. Tonight: Curl up with a good book.\*\*\*

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** You are happiest with your friends. Be a party animal. Creativity flows. Manage situations in more upbeat way. Allow yourself to be happy and touch base with others. Be with the gang. Tonight: Relax.\*\*\*\*\*

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Take the lead in a critical matter regarding your family. Avoidance won't work. Allow yourself to open up to change and be more upbeat. An older relative enjoys your company. Tonight: Be leader of the gang.\*\*\*\*

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Seek out another's presence. A day outing may be just what you need to foster closeness. Discuss the future, your needs and directions. Talks revolve around your potential and your possibilities. Tonight: Watch a movie.\*\*\*\*\*

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Close encounters are the name of the game. Remain open to alternatives and desires. Don't mince words. Be positive and you'll get positive feedback. Tonight: Your upbeat side emerges.\*\*\*\*\*

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Make time for your supporters and friends. A new beginning is inevitable. Opportunities for understanding come easily. Listen to your instincts about a member of the opposite sex. Tonight: Accept a party invitation.\*\*\*\*\*

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Level out and consider your options in a creative project. A loved one genuinely cares about you and needs to talk things through. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep.\*\*\*\*\*

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** No question, you are hot stuff right now. Another has to be close to you. Enjoy it. You see a relationship in new terms. Try to be more positive, and be willing to risk. Tonight: You're hot stuff.\*\*\*\*\*

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Your happy side emerges. You're more upbeat than you've been, and you have the power to create more of what you need. A pleasant approach helps you to be understood. Make resolutions about home life. Tonight: Have a family chat.\*\*\*\*

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Be clear about your choices. Talk about an impending major purchase. Head toward positive fulfillment and a better sense of identity. You can have it all. Just remain secure. Tonight: Go to a favorite haunt.\*\*\*\*\*

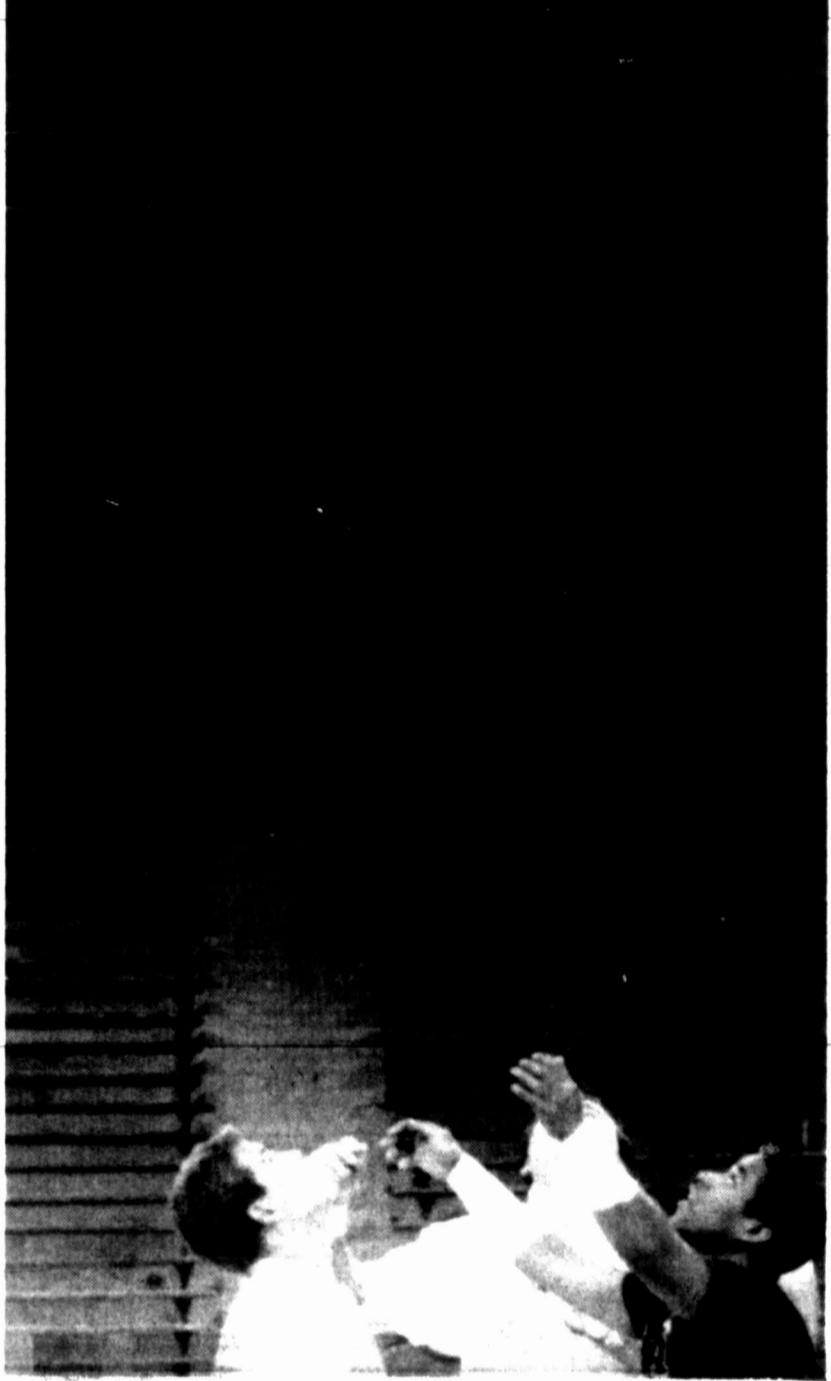
**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Watch your possessive side emerge. Ideas that you get about finances need further thought. There may be other ways to get more goodies. Let your creative juices flow. Tonight: Order in.\*\*\*\*\*

**IF APRIL 10 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:** This can be an extraordinary year. Watch a tendency to want everything to happen your way. The more upbeat and creative you are, the better your chances for financial success. Success will come easily because of a business merger. Curb a tendency to take others for granted. In partnership, be sensitive to members of the opposite sex, who may need time and attention. If you are single, watch a tendency to be egocentric. ARIES is your best friend.

**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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### Stork Club

**Charlie Lee Bailey, March 26, 1994, 10:36 a.m.;** parents are Fred Bailey and Robbi Jones, Big Spring. Grandparents are Thurman and Carolyn Bailey, Dallas.

**Alexis Mercedes Pranschke, March 26, 1994, 10:13 a.m.;** parents are Travis and Linda Pranschke, Big Spring. Grandparents are Hans and Clovis Pranschke, Big Spring.

**Annie Lee Brumit, March 26, 1994, 8:12 a.m.;** parents are Scott and Nancy Brumit. Grandparents are Royce and Pamela Tippett, Rodney Brumit, and Bill and Jane Hunt.

**Taequ Joel Richards, March 26, 1994, 5:41 a.m. and Lee Derrick Richards, March 26, 1994, 5:51 a.m.;** parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Richards.

**Luke Chandler Cooksey, March 17, 1994, 4:45 p.m.;** parents are Robbie and Kim Cooksey, Big Spring. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooksey, and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wall, all of San Saba.

**Dylan James Williamson, March 22, 1994, 2:06 a.m.;** parents are James and Sky Williamson, Ft. Walton Beach, Fla. Grandparents are Melvin and Ella Williamson, Big Spring, and Rob and Vicky Parks, Albuquerque, N.M.

**Darien Ashae Walker, March 30, 1994, 1:57 a.m.;** mother is Holly Walker. Grandparent is Lynda Walker, Big Spring.

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## Policy-maker or Goody Two-Shoes?



Lydel Sims

**SIR:** I recently became a policy-making city official and some of my associates have taken to calling me a "Goody Two-Shoes." I'm not clear what that means, but it does sound uncomplimentary, doesn't it? Maybe you can help. — B. E.

**A:** Even your associates, if you pin them down, may not be clear just what is meant by a Goody Two-Shoes. To some, such a person makes a big show of being sweet and good — even to a sickening degree. But its origin is somewhat different. It comes from a story called "The History of Little Goody Two-Shoes," supposedly written by Oliver Goldsmith, that tells of a child who had only one shoe. In some fashion, she found a mate for it, and ran all over town gushing, "Two shoes, two shoes!"

Not much of a story, clearly, but that kid became a symbol for anyone who is grateful for small favors. You could turn the tables on your critics by pointing out that you're not a goody-goody but an official who works diligently for and welcomes all civic blessings, especially

those that don't require higher taxes. That ought to quiet 'em.

**SIR:** Your column on the misuse of "he and she" when "him and her" is required prompted me to pen a small doggerel:

"The ignorance of he and she!  
"Why can't they speak like you and me?"

"For if they did, they'd surely be  
"Grand-marians the likes of we."  
— George R.

**A:** Splendid, splendid. It's clear that a grand-marian is 10 times better than a gram-marian, and that you're one of them. More power to you!

**SIR:** Very often I hear people say they received something "for free." Why is "free" used in this way? I merely say "free," implying that it's "free of charge." — Bud W.

**A:** "For free" is simply an idiomatic expression, perhaps having originated from a mild attempt at surprise: Instead of saying "for a dollar" or for some other amount, one says "for free." It doesn't amount to much as an expression, but it's fairly well-established and I doubt it's worth your opposition or even your indignation.

**WRY QUERY of the Week, from J. R. S.:**

"A prominent boxed-in feature in a national magazine declared that 'the longest successfully completed field goal was 62 yards.' I wonder if the unsuccessfully completed ones still counted."

### Flying high

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### Heart

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October, they present the "Christmas in October" program, a luncheon and craft show which raises money to help the volunteers bring Christmas to the patients.

On Valentine's Day, the council sells flowers and this year performed singing telegrams. And for eight years now, the council has presented the Annual Jody Nix Reception/Dance in March.

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# Wedding

## Churchill-Halfmann

Tana Churchill, Sonora, and Scott Halfmann, St. Lawrence, exchanged wedding vows 3 p.m. on April 9, 1994, at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Father Tom Barley performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Nelwyn Churchill, Sonora, and Todd Churchill, Midland.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Halfmann, St. Lawrence.

The maid of honor was Laura Barlemann, Sonora.

The bridesmaids were Barbi Hudson, Sterling City, Jennie King, San Antonio, Sara Patton and Kelley Webster, Sonora, Shonna Robinson, Rankin, Sherri Halfmann and Jennifer Halfmann, both of St. Lawrence.

Best man was Darrell Halfmann, St. Lawrence.

Groomsmen were Ricky Halfmann, Wayne Hirt, Rory Niehus, Gary Halfmann, Kevin Hirt, Nathan Halfmann, all of St. Lawrence, and Doug Hoelscher, Lubbock.

The flower girls were Courtney Caruthers, Sonora, and Laura Halfmann, St. Lawrence.

Ushers were Johnny Terry, Eldorado, Chacho Cahill, Sonora, Jeff Ayers, Wall, and Mark



MRS. SCOTT HALFMANN

Halfmann, St. Lawrence. Candelighters were Chris Churchill, Henderson, and Julie Ayers, Wall.

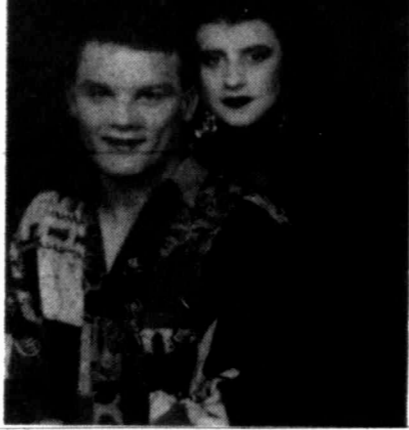
The bride is a 1991 graduate of Sonora High School and attended Texas Tech University.

The groom is a 1984 graduate of Garden City High School, attended Angelo State University and now is a self-employed farmer.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the couple will make their home in St. Lawrence.



## Engaged



Wendy Dawn Galloway and Jeffrey Scott Roman, both of Big Spring, will exchange wedding vows May 14, 1994, at the groom's home.

Her parents are Darrell and Leah Walters, Big Spring. His parents are Michael and Linda Roman, Big Spring.



Rebecca Ann Hill of Brown and Christopher Gene Ruebush of Lamesa will exchange wedding vows June 25, 1994, at the Church of Christ, Lamesa.

Her parents are Byron and Diana Hill, Brown. His parents are David and Ramona Ruebush, Lamesa.

## Windshield help banner a lifesaver

DEAR ABBY: Where can I order more of those Please Call Police banners you mentioned in your column a year or so ago? I shall be ever grateful if you'd print the address again because my banner disappeared at a service station, and it had been a real lifesaver for me.

My car was loaded from stem to stern, as I was relocating from the west coast to the east coast of Florida and traveling alone. The left rear tire blew; the temperature was 98 degrees and so was the humidity. I suffer from a severe obstructive pulmonary disease. If it hadn't been for the Please Call Police banner and two beautiful young couples who stopped to help, I would not be writing this request.

I shall be watching for the address, Abby. At 76 years young, I still have to travel alone and will feel that my "security blanket" is back with me as soon as the banners arrive. — NANCY PLESS MONROE, SUN LAKES, ARIZ.

DEAR MS. MONROE: You are not the only reader who has written to tell me how valuable the banners can be. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I recently bought a Please Call Police banner, and in less than a week it paid off. My daughter and her three children were stranded, and in less than 10 minutes, a wrecker and three policemen arrived. — GOLDIE BAKER, LOUISVILLE



Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: I am 76 years old and still "perky." My husband is 74 years old and has terrible arthritis that takes its toll. He would be unable to walk any distance for help if we were stranded on the road, and I'd be a darn fool to even think of walking along a highway alone. Would you please send me the address of where to order those Please Call Police banners? I have misplaced it. — ALAMOGORDO, N.M., READER

DEAR ABBY: I read about the Please Call Police banners in your column some time ago and ordered them.

This past August, we had a frightening experience on a lonely road in northern Minnesota. Our car broke down. We are close to 85 years old. I remembered the banners and displayed them on the windshield and rear window, and we promptly got help. We are, of course, most grateful — and now, I cannot think of a better Christmas present for our

children and grandchildren. Thank you, Abby! — GRATEFUL IN MINNESOTA

DEAR ABBY: Would you please publish the address for those Please Call Police banners again? They were recommended to us in an over-55 defensive driving class here in Houston. — MRS. EVA ROSENCRANZ, HOUSTON

DEAR MS. MONROE, MS. BAKER, "ALAMOGORDO," "GRATEFUL," MRS. ROSENCRANZ, AND DEAR READERS: Write to WCIL-Banners, P.O. Box 92501, Los Angeles, Calif. 90009. You will receive one Please Call Police banner as a premium for a \$5 contribution to WCIL, and another banner with each additional \$4 contribution. (Many people want two, one for the windshield and one for the rear window.)

Make your check or money order (U.S. funds only, please) payable to WCIL-Banners. Allow eight weeks for delivery. The Westside Center for Independent Living is a not-for-profit organization that helps disabled people live independently.

For everything you need to know about wedding planning, order "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." Send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

## Support Groups

The following is a list of support groups available to Big Spring residents throughout the week. To add a listing or make a change, call 263-7331, ext. 112.

**MONDAY**

- Al-A-Teen will meet at 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.
- New Phoenix Hope group of Narcotics Anonymous will meet at 8 p.m., at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad.
- Turning Point A.A. will meet from 8-9 p.m. at St. Mary Episcopal Church, 10th & Goliad. This meeting is open to all substance abusers.
- TOPS, a weight support group, meets at Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster at 6:30 p.m. Weigh-in at 6 p.m. For information, call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

**TUESDAY**

- On the first Tuesday of each month a group called Support for MS and Related Diseases meets at 7 p.m. at Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Public invited. For information call Leslie at 267-1069.

**WEDNESDAY**

- Al-Anon will meet at 8 p.m., 615 Settles.
- Diabetic support group for all seniors. 2 p.m. at Canterbury south. For information call 263-1265.
- Compassionate Friends, a support group for parents who have experienced the death of a child will meet the first Tuesday of each even-numbered month at 7:30 p.m. in room 113 of the Family Life Center Bldg., First Baptist Church, 705 W. Marcy. Enter by the SE door. For information call 267-2769.
- VOICES, a support group for adolescent victims of sexual abuse, incest, rape, date rape, and any other crime of indecency. 3:45 p.m. For information call Rape Crisis/Victim Services at 263-3312.
- Second Tuesday of every month, a diabetes support group meets at Scenic Mountain Medical Center classroom, 7 p.m.

**THURSDAY**

- The Salvation Army will have a drug education program sponsored by the Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse at 7 p.m. at the Salvation Army building, 308 Alford.
- The Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse is offering a community re-entry group meeting at noon, at 905 N. Benton. For information call 263-8920.
- A support group for battered women will meet at 2:30 p.m. For information call 263-3312 or 267-3626.
- New Phoenix Hope group of Narcotics Anonymous will meet at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad.
- Al-Anon will meet at 8 p.m., at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, small cafeteria on the first floor.
- First Thursday of every month, a cancer support group meets at 7 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Call Beverly Rice at 263-7361, ext. 7077 for information.

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## Sneed-Sloan

Tonya Denise Sneed Spence, Midland, and Thomas McRae Sloan, Houston, exchanged wedding vows on April 9, 1994, at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church. Dr. Kenneth Patrick officiated.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Sneed.

He is the son of Mary Ann McRae and Mr. and Mrs. Tom M. Sloan, Midland.

The couple stood before two candelabras with seven ivory candles on each one. They were adorned with English ivy and an ivory satin bow. There was also an ivory unity candle with two solitary taper candles on each side.

Vicki McDowell played the piano. Vocalist was Tamra Sneed, sister-in-law to bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a Demetria ivory Victorian-style gown with a wedding band-style neck, accented with sequins and seed pearls adorning illusion-front sweetheart neckline. It had a basque waist leading to a full ballroom skirt.

It also had Juliet sleeves highlighted with beaded Alecon lace. An illusion and lace button-style back was met by bow of sequins and beading. The train was inlaid with illusion cutouts. Bridal trim of scalloped hand beaded pearls and sequins finished the dress.

The bride carried a bouquet of Candia roses with English ivy.

Matron of honor was Teresa Williams, sister of the bride, Big Spring.

Flower girl was Regan Spence, daughter of the bride, Midland. Also attending the flower girl down the aisle was her younger brother Cavan "Spencer" Spence.

Best man was Ronnie Williams, Midland.



MRS. THOMAS SLOAN

Ringbearers were Russell and Travis Sloan, sons of the groom, Midland.

Ushers were Ricky Sneed, brother of the bride, Big Spring, and Jim Stark, Houston.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the parlor. The bride's cake was a three-tiered light yellow cake with fresh strawberries and cream filling. It was iced with a buttercream frosting and adorned with fresh Candia roses and English ivy. There were also fresh strawberries hand-dipped in a dark chocolate. The groom's cake was a traditional German chocolate cake.

The bride is a Big Spring High School graduate and Howard College graduate in dental hygiene.

The groom is a Texas Military Institute and Southwestern University graduate. He is an independent petroleum landman.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will make their home in Bayou Vista.

## Who's who



LORYN RAE ESCOVEDO

Loryn Rae Escovedo of Big Spring won the All-Star Babe & Sportswear competition in the All Star Kids pageant March 27 in Odessa. Loryn will represent Big Spring and Texas in the national pageant July 1-3 in Dallas. She is the daughter of Fred and Mary Helen Escovedo and was sponsored by Low Image Car Club of Big Spring.

## Herrod-Robey

Mandi Herrod and Scott Robey exchanged wedding vows on March 26, 1994.

The bride's parents are David and Lorinda Herrod, Big Spring.

The groom's parents are Pam and Joe Henderson, and Ron and Mona Robey, all of Big Spring.

The couple will make their home in Kermit.



MR. AND MRS. SCOTT ROBEY



Marine Pvt. Jonathan S. Allen, son of Curtis L. Allen, Big Spring, recently completed recruit training.

Marine Pvt. Derrick Z. Freeman, son of Ricky Z. Freeman, Gardendale, recently completed recruit training. He is a 1993 graduate of Midland Senior High School, Midland.



Marine Sgt. Danny E. Guzman, son of Tony H. and Irene Guzman, recently received the Chief of Naval Operations Annual Aviation Safety award with Marine Attack Squadron 214, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ariz., where he is currently assigned.

He joined the Marine Corps in November 1983.

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A quick check of our telephone book Yellow Pages revealed ten electrical contractors, eight heating contractors, fifteen air conditioning contractors, and seventeen plumbing contractors who live and work in Howard County.

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## Fast

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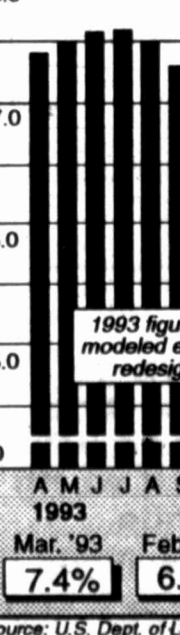
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# Business

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## Fast Track

To submit an item to Fast Track, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Fast Track, Big Spring Herald, P. O. Box 1431, Big Spring, TX 79721 or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry.

### Cash for trash planned

KBST Radio, Rip Griffin's Truck Terminal and the Big Spring Mall are helping to organize Cash for Trash Clean Day '94, allowing civic clubs and nonprofit organizations to collect cash for trash.

Different areas of the city will be targeted and the trash must be debris defined as qualified garbage which will be weighed at the truck scales at Rip Griffin's.

A meeting is scheduled for May 2 at the newly remodeled Dora Roberts Civic Center involving city and county leaders and those who want to participate, including garden clubs, civic clubs and other volunteers. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. and refreshments will be served. The speaker will be a member of the Keep Texas Beautiful organization who will speak on community pride and keeping the community clean as a lifestyle and not a one-day affair.

### Church directory updated

The Big Spring Herald is updating its Friday Church Directory page to a Devotional page. Besides updating the existing directory, which now contains names and addresses of local churches, the telephone number to the church office will also be printed. This will provide a better service to local congregations for residents and travelers seeking to find a place of worship.

Ted R. Leverette will be at the Herald through Friday, April 15, to input that information and to visit with potential sponsors for the new devotional page. Advertising is open to churches and to professional people and businesses in regard to their business as well as their church affiliation.

If you are a church member or a businessperson, and are interested in sponsorship or wish to update your churches' information, Leverette is available at the Herald by calling 263-7331.

### Barrow purchased

SAN ANGELO - Town & Country Food Stores purchased the first place duroc barrow shown by Mandi Hanslik of the Coahoma FFA during the San Angelo Stock Show sale March 12 for \$450.

F.L. Stephens, chairman of Town & Country, said the purchase was "a vote of confidence for our fine FFA members. We are so pleased to see youngsters like Mandi Hanslik coming along who still adhere to the tried-and-true methods of livestock care and showing."

The 200-pound barrow will be donated to Meals for the Elderly in San Angelo.

Town & Country is a San Angelo based company which operates convenience stores throughout Texas and New Mexico.

### Perry address meeting

ST. LAWRENCE - Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry will speak to the St. Lawrence Cotton Grower annual meeting 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 12 at the St. Lawrence Hall. Perry will speak on the importance of Texas cotton, the boll weevil eradication program and government over regulation.

## Catron brings supercenter experience to Big Spring

By TIM JONES  
Staff Writer

Nate Catron, the new manager at Big Spring's Wal-Mart Discount City, brings 17 years of experience with the Bentonville, Ark., based chain to the local enterprise.

The last two years, Catron has been in the supercenter division. He previously was a field supervisor planning the expansion and remodeling of Wal-Mart locations.

Catron has lived in the Bryan-College station area in central Texas, he said, off and on the last 10 to 12 years. Catron said he's been involved in either an assistant or full managerial capacity with Wal-Mart or Sam's Discount locations in Missouri, Illinois, Tennessee and Alabama.

'Aisle space will be much bigger than Big Spring's shoppers are accustomed to. 'We'll move from 69,000 square feet now to 178,000 square feet then.'

"Wal-Mart will be announcing in the near future that locally we'll be accepting applications for associates at the new supercenter, which we anticipate opening sometime this fall," Catron explained.

He said Wal-Mart now has upward to almost 200 employees presently. Catron said they'll come close to staffing an approximate 300 employee supercenter, meaning about another 100 jobs locally.

The supercenter will feature many improvements, such as a full-line grocery store, with a deli, bakery, fresh produce section and a meat market. There will also be a pharmacy, a one-hour photo processing location, an automobile express lube, a fast-food vendor, such as other locations feature a McDonald's or Little Caesar's Pizza, for example. Add to all that, a Fantastic Sam's hair styling salon and an optical center.

"Aisle space will be much bigger than Big Spring's shoppers are accustomed to," Catron said. "We'll move from 69,000 square feet now to 178,000 square feet then."

"The supercenter features 30,000 items in one location," he said. "We will clearly announce locally when we will be accepting the applications for the new center."

## Service remains the same



Max Bowlin, owner of Dakota's Flowers, 1110 E. Eleventh Place, holds a Southwestern design arrangement surrounded by cascades of lovely floral designs.

Herald photo by Tim Jones

## Flower shop finds name in special friend - Dakota

By TIM JONES  
Staff Writer

Dakota's Flower and Gift Shop isn't named for a state or something western, but after a special three-year old friend, says new owner Max Bowlin.

Her husband, Ben, owns Bowlin Tractor and Implement Inc. on the Lamesa Highway, the John Deere dealer here.

Dakota's Flowers and Gifts, 1110 E. Eleventh Place, was formerly operated under the name Jane's Flowers.

Bowlin said she was glad to have retained much of Jane's former staff. She is assisted by Darlene Gossett, store manager; Viola Mendoza, floral designer on-location full time and delivery person; Donna Daylong.

"We feel that we offer friendly

down to earth service tailored to the individual's needs and budget," Bowlin said.

For example, bridal bouquets begin at \$25, others won't make them for anything less than \$75, she said. We offer casket spray pieces for funerals starting at \$75, they average in price from \$100 to \$125.

"Flowers are perfect for any occasion or for no reason at all," Bowlin explained. "We recognize that we perform a service, and we do our utmost to let people determine what they want and can afford."

Recognizing volunteers was a "fun and special" thing started by Dakota's Flowers.

"We are giving daily a bud vase to volunteers at area hospitals like Scenic Mountain Medical Center, the Veteran's Medical Center and

the Big Spring State Hospital recognizing the special concern they demonstrate toward these patients," said Bowlin.

Bud vase arrangements, single flower, begin at \$7.50, as do balloon bouquets. From there, the sky is the limit.

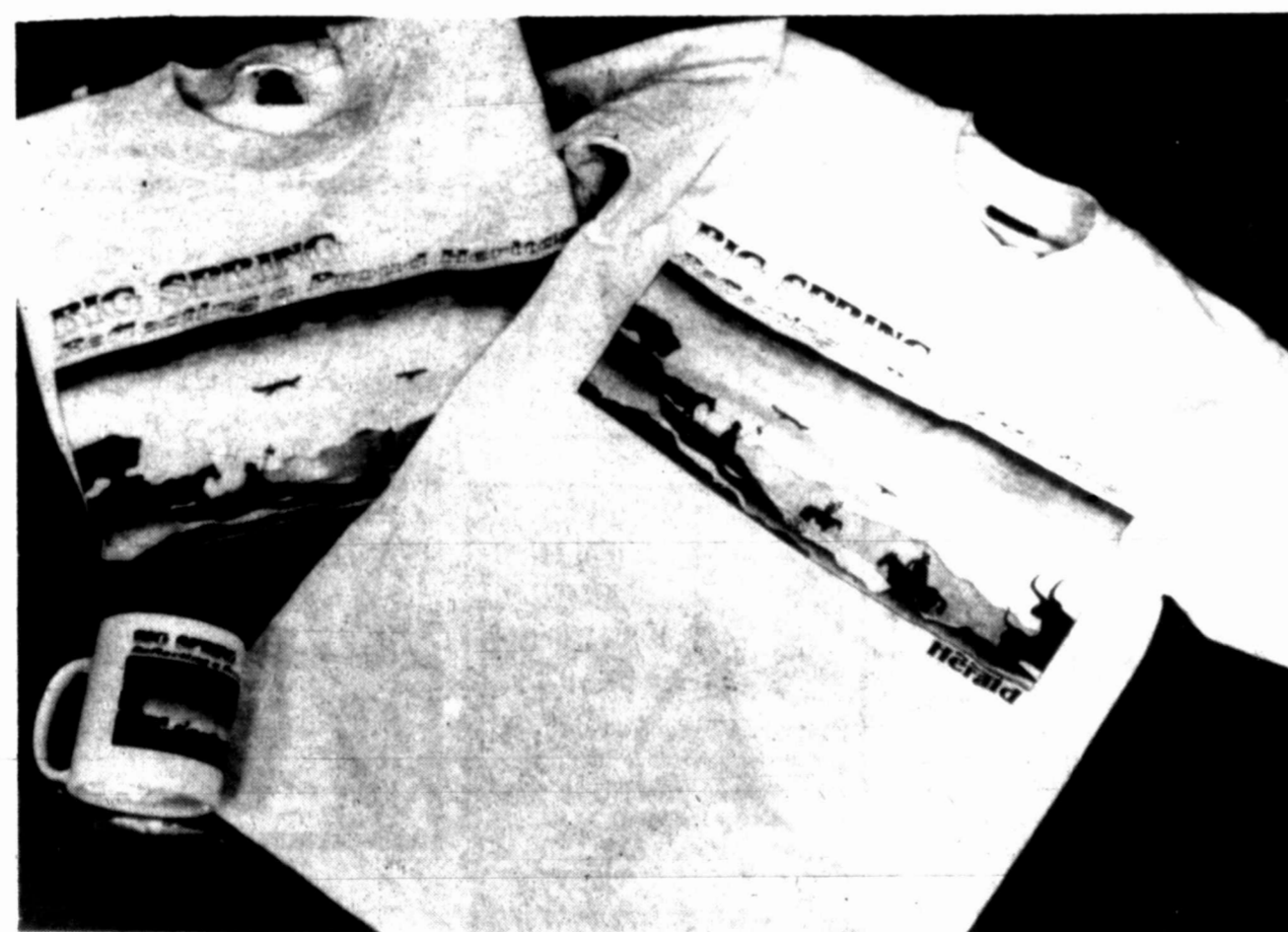
Bowlin said we have silk arrangements, Root-brand candles, Southwestern design arrangements and gifts, greeting cards, stuffed animals.

They also rent wedding equipment such as arches and candelabra.

You can wire floral arrangements anywhere via Florist Transworld Delivery (FTD) and they are a member of the American Floral Service.

All major credit cards are accepted; Visa, Mastercard, American Express and Discovery.

## The well-dressed subscriber



Herald photo by Tim Appel

"Reflecting a Proud Community" is the theme of a Herald Circulation promotion. T-shirts, sweatshirts or coffee mugs, displaying the mural which graces the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce building, are available to subscribers who prepay for two to four months. The items will also be made available to current subscribers who prepay their subscription at a 10 percent discount.

## T-shirts, sweatshirts and mugs reflect a proud community

Herald Staff Report

"Big Spring - Reflecting a Proud Heritage" and an accompanying artful depiction of "visitors to the first Big Spring" will be creatively emblazoned on coffee mugs, short sleeve T-shirts and long sleeve sweatshirts

during a Herald circulation promotion.

Subscribers, prepaid for two to four months, can obtain one of these items through the Circulation Department.

"The idea is to promote this community," said John O. Holwager, circulation manager.

The design is very similar to the

80-foot mural outside the local Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce building.

Present subscribers can get these items at a 10 percent discount when they prepay at the Herald office.

Subscribe now, and choose a premium quality gift mug, T-shirt or sweatshirt.

## Gamma rays on hamburger? Used to sterilize germs out of meat

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A New Jersey company that uses gamma rays to sterilize everything from baby bottles to hip joint replacements wants to use its cobalt-60 on germs that cause hamburgers to spoil and sicken people.

Isomedix Inc. of Whippany, N.J., plans to ask the Food and Drug Administration to approve irradiation as a way to kill bacteria and other microorganisms on beef.

If the petition is filed in the next few weeks, as expected, the agency could approve irradiation of red meat by the end of the year. But don't expect zapped patties to show up suddenly at the meat counter or hamburger drive-through.

The Agriculture Department would first have to issue guidelines, which would happen next spring at the earliest. Then someone in the meat industry has to gamble that the public will buy irradiated meat.

The poultry industry has rejected the process for chickens and turkeys, despite FDA approval in 1990. Only a plant in Florida irradiates birds for a limited market.

This time around, however, the red meat industry supports the process. A food poisoning outbreak last year traced to undercooked hamburgers renewed the interest. And Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy has given it enough lip service to encourage industry.

"We haven't until now detected the industry need the way we do now," said John Masfield, a founder of Isomedix, a 22-year-old publicly traded company that is this country's largest operator of indus-

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Terry Burns

## Working with the media

It was a beautiful day! Participants spread up and down a long line waiting for the signal. Transgressors trying for an early start were forced back behind the line.

We're talking about the Oklahoma Land rush, right?

No, I'm talking about the Easter egg hunt sponsored by Don's IGA, KBST, The Herald and the Chamber. Well, to be honest, it was mostly Don's IGA.

You may remember egg hunting as a leisure stroll hunting behind bushes and in tall grass, but not anymore! Now it's a track event... a race. It's fast and exciting, but still a lot of fun.

They set it up in age groups this year so the older kids wouldn't trample the babies, which was a good idea. Parents picked up eggs for little ones so "they would get enough." Kinda defeats the purpose of the egg hunt, though. There were plenty of eggs, and without parents participating the kids would find enough. But what do I know?

At any rate, the Easter Bunny was there and gave and received lots of tiny hugs. It was a nice event and a great community relations effort for Don's and for KBST and the Herald as well.

Speaking of the media, with the joint meetings going on concerning the jail and relationships with Moore Board, and several other interesting items, there has been a lot of tension between local media and public officials.

I've been in the business of working with the media for nearly 25 years. I'm even a graduate of the school that the U.S. Chamber puts on to teach you how to do it. The same one that many congressmen and senators go to.

In this school, they teach that when we talk to the media, we should view it not as talking to a reporter, but talking to the public at large. And the public at large is hungry for local news. Our local TV is primarily news from somewhere else. Given the amount of time it takes their limited staffs to go out and collect news, radio and newspaper is still heavily weighted nationally (or from somewhere else).

In all honesty, this hunger for news combined with the difficulty of gathering news has a tendency of blowing some things out of proportion. This is not to be confused with "making news," and although it is true that can happen, I don't think it happens as much as many think it does.

They teach that we should give the media information in a press release or interview that we can live with instead of worrying about how they will "cover it." They teach that we should keep it short so it doesn't have to be seriously edited to fit air or print spaces available. (This is where the "taken out of context" problem comes in.)

We all have to deal with the media... in our clubs and organizations and our civic responsibilities, and in our business and even personal lives. Personally, the media has helped me more than anything else in doing my job. It has also caused me more problems than anything else. When that has happened, I haven't looked at it placing blame, but instead figure that I handled the release of information badly.

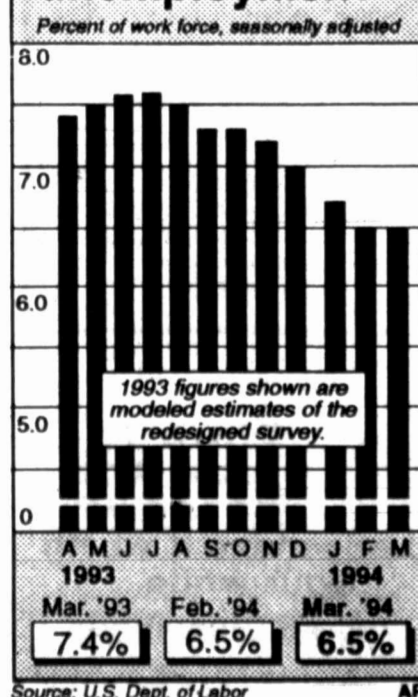
On the other hand, the media has the responsibility of being objective. If there are two sides to an issue, they are supposed to represent both fairly. I think they would readily admit that this does not always happen, but I think they are honestly trying to do so.

They are released from this responsibility when they speak editorially. In this mode they are allowed to state opinion. Hopefully, when they do so, they will weigh these editorials as to "what is in the general best interest of the community."

The media has a huge amount of power to affect public opinion. Both they, and those who may be the source of the news, are after the same thing - seeing that accurate facts are reported. It is not just "their job," but falls to all of us to see that this happens.

Terry Burns is the executive vice president of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

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Don Richardson

Beef Cattle Producers will want to make sure next Tuesday, April 12, 1994, is clear on their calendars in order that they can attend one of the biggest cattle events in our area this spring. The Permian Basin Ranchers Roundup, an annual event hosted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Permian Basin Beef Cattle Task Force, will be held at the Civic Center in Andrews on that date beginning with registration at 8:00 a.m. The center is located on the east edge of Andrews near the airport on the Big Spring Highway.

A full day of beef cattle discussions will be present. Beginning with an update on NAFTA by Dr. Parr Rosson, Professor and Extension Economist for International Trade and Marketing, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station, Texas. He will be followed by Dr. Wes Bonner from San Angelo, who is affiliated with the Veri Best Feedyards near that city. Dr. Bonner will discuss Beef Quality Assurances.

The District 6 Livestock Specialist, Dr. Bruce Carpenter, will present a program on Marketing Alternatives for the Beef Cattle Producer followed by a presentation by Lewis Hall of San Angelo on controlling risks in direct marketing of packer cows.

Mr. Buck Wehrberin from Amarillo, who is associated with Friona Industries, will discuss the viewpoints of a Feedlot Manager. The Texas Beef Council from Austin, and represented by Ms. Robin Richards and Richard Wortham, will bring an update on the Beef Checkoff program.

Dr. Daniel Hale, Extension Meats Specialist and Associate Professor, Texas A&M University, will discuss the National Beef Quality Audit followed by an update presentation on the popular "Ranch to Rail" program for cattle producers by Dr. John McNeil, Professor and Extension Program Leader for Animal Science, TAEX, College Station.

The program will conclude with a special panel discussion led by Mr. Kyle Smith, Assistant Director for County Programs, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station.

For more information on this program please contact the Howard County office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 264-2236. Reservations will be accepted by telephone at this number until 4 p.m., Monday, April 11. There is a \$5 registration fee for this seminar, which can be paid at the time of registration in Andrews on April 12. This includes a steak lunch plus refreshments during the program.

This seminar is one of the programs planned each year by the Agricultural Program Area Committees in Howard, Andrews, Ector, Martin, Ward, Crane, Midland, and Winkler Counties.

For the younger beef cattle set, particularly for those in the Show Steer and Heifer programs, the date of Thursday, April 21, should be set aside. ACCO Feeds and Big Spring Farm Supply, owned by Ronnie and Dianne Wood, will host a special Junior Feeders Training Program at this business located just north of Big Spring on Highway 87 beginning at 7 p.m. with a Hamburger Supper. This event is open to all 4H and FFA beef cattle project members, their parents and volunteer adult leaders.

For youngsters and families still considering getting a steer or heifer to show in this coming show season, we remind you that you have until July 1 to have your project on feed.

Most of the county feeders now have their projects already on feed and if you need help in securing and selection such a project please let the local Extension Office know. If you have a steer and are not on our list we need to know this in order that you may receive some of the important stock show information you will need to be aware of as the year progresses. Call either 264-2236 or 264-2238 for more information on this project program.

Don Richardson is the Howard County Extension Agent for agriculture.

## Rig count drops by 23

The Associated Press

HOUSTON — The number of working oil and gas rigs across the nation was down 23 this week to 709, Baker Hughes Inc. said Friday.

During the same week last year, 615 rigs were working.

Of the rigs running this week, 390 were exploring for natural gas, 309 for oil and 10 were listed as miscellaneous.

Houston-based Baker Hughes has kept track of the count since 1940. The count peaked at 4,500 in December of 1981 during the oil boom.

Last summer, it dropped to a record low of 596. The previous low was 663 in the summer of 1986.

# Spending at Easter indicates consumer security with economy

The Associated Press

Consumers feeling more secure about the economy and their finances spent freely during the Easter holiday, giving the nation's biggest retailers robust sales gains in March.

Even apparel retailers, which had suffered a prolonged drought, reported brisk business. The results, announced Thursday by big store chains, came a day after leading automakers reported strong results for March, evidence that consumers are powering growth in the economy.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer credit rose by \$3.5 billion in February for its ninth straight increase.

## Business Highlights

But the growth came at a much slower pace than many analysts had expected.

The Federal Reserve said Thursday that borrowing climbed at a 5.3-percent annual rate, the smallest increase since a 3.4-percent advance last June. Many economists had predicted borrowing would increase at twice the reported rate in February.

NEW YORK (AP) — Most Americans agreed with President Clinton's argument that the economy remained sound while the stock market was reeling, an Associated

Press poll has found.

More people responding to the poll said they were hurt more by the country's job situation (53 percent) than by the stock market (9 percent) or by rising interest rates, which apparently spooked Wall Street (31 percent).

WASHINGTON (AP) — American businesses are planning a big increase in investments for new buildings and equipment.

The Commerce Department reported Thursday that businesses plan an 8 percent increase in 1994, which would be the biggest jump in capital investment since an 11.4 percent jump in 1989. The latest figure is sharply higher than the estimated 5.4 percent rise businesses had projected just three months ago.

Last year's increase was 7.1 percent.

STUTTGART, Germany (AP) — Daimler-Benz, Germany's largest company, said it is cutting its dividend for the first time since 1968, due to recession and poor business conditions.

The company, which last October became the first German company listed on the New York Stock Exchange, cut its dividend Thursday from 13 marks, or \$7.60 a share, to 8 marks, or \$4.68, for each German share. The dividend cut was larger than expected.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's largest cable TV company, Tele-Communications Inc., opened a facility in Denver that will allow it to

turn ordinary TV programs and movies into digital form.

That means they can take a smaller shape, allowing more signals to be sent through TCI's cables. The company spent \$100 million on the facility, which opened Thursday.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government rules aimed at protecting the nation's agricultural workers from exposure to pesticides were delayed until 1995 under a bill signed by President Clinton.

The Environmental Protection Agency had planned to implement the rules on April 21. But farm-state members of Congress and state government officials succeeded in obtaining a postponement in the bill signed Thursday.

## Gamma

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Although irradiation has been touted for killing harmful bacteria, yeasts and molds, it also kills microorganisms that cause meat to spoil, which is another reason Isomexid has become involved.

Packing companies and labor-saving supermarkets can profit from having more retail cuts prepared at the plant rather than in the store.

The Isomexid effort comes at an interesting time in the debate about meat safety.

Last year, Espy was making enough pro-irradiation comments to make the industry believe he would give it a try.

Thomas, Tom Guzman, Kasi Shea Moser and Gary Howard Martin.

Order and Motion to Dismiss Revocation of Probation: Pete Salazar Jr., Annie Farr and George Gandar.

Reyes Casteneda; Driving While License Suspended-\$100 fine, \$167.50 court costs, 60 days in jail.

Kasi Shea Moser; Order continuing defendant on probation and extending period of probation for six additional months.

Naomi Lucinda Perkins; DWI-\$300 fine, 12 months probation, license suspended 90 days, \$202 court costs.

Willis Floyd Gillette Jr.; DWI 2nd offense-\$600 fine, 24 months probation, \$235 court costs, 8 hours community service.

Augustine Fierro Jr.; DWI 2nd offense-\$600 fine, 24 months probation, \$202 court costs, 8 hours community service.

Augustine Fierro Jr.; False Report-4 days in jail, \$165 court costs.

Claude Frank Holland; DWI 2nd offense-\$600 fine, \$202 court costs, 60 days in jail.

18TH DISTRICT COURT FILINGS

Charles Byron Harris vs. Jeanette Gayle Harris, divorce.

Christy Parker vs. Keith Jones, family.

Denise Renee Yandrich vs. Martin Yanez, family.

Coahoma State Bank vs. William J. and Joan Musser, account, notes and contracts.

Jackie Sue King vs. Gerald Gene King, divorce.

Coaden Employees Federal Credit Union vs. Billy and Betty Gossett, account, notes and contracts.

Ralph Mendez vs. Lylla Correa Mendez, divorce.

Dolly Marie Woodard vs. J.C. Woodard, divorce.

## Public Records

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Webb, Mike-RR 1, Box 305, Lamesa.

White, Tammy Lynn-P.O. Box 1153, Stanton.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Javier Payen, 24 & Joanna Rodriguez, 18.

Richard Ladiri Hargrove, 50 & Julia Sue McDonald, 33.

Fred G. Saunders, 71 & Roberta Brisco Williams, 71.

Royal Tucker Duncan, 82 & Lidora Ehrhart Dickey, 71.

Luz Viera, 21 & Rosalinda Flores, 23.

Shurel Dewayne Johnson Jr., 24 & Gina Rae Kinman, 23.

COUNTY COURT RECORDS

Peggy Jo McCord; Theft over \$200 and under \$750-\$200 fine, 6 months probation, \$132 court costs, 8 hours community service.

Elijah Cole; Theft over \$20 and under \$200-\$100 fine, 6 months probation, \$200 court costs, 8 hours community service.

Elvis Lang; Theft over \$20 and under \$200-60 days in jail, \$350 court costs.

David Peterson; Theft over \$20 and under \$200-20 days in jail, \$385 court costs.

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## 'Cheap' stocks still rare despite drop

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Investors who go looking for distress-sale bargains in the stock market after the selloff in recent weeks may find the search frustrating.

While stock prices have been marked down from the market peaks of early this year, analysts say they generally still aren't cheap by such measures as price-earnings ratios, dividend yields and book value.

"Despite the market's recent downdraft, many stocks are still changing hands at price-earnings ratios that are high by historical standards," say analysts at the Boston-based United & Babson Investment Report.

"The current correction may seem steep because 3 years have passed

without even a 10 percent correction," adds Norman Fosback, editor of the advisory letter Market Logic in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. "But in fact this decline, so far at least, is quite modest by historical standards."

"Also, because valuations had risen to such extreme levels, this reaction has yet to bring prices back to normal, much less undervalued levels."

At the end of March, the aggregate price-to-earnings ratio of the Standard & Poor's 500-stock composite index stood at 20.36 to one, as reported in Barron's magazine.

That was down from 23.10 a year earlier, thanks to an improvement of nearly 15 percent in the earnings of the index's component companies over that span.

But that still indicates severe overvaluation, in Fosback's view. Just what constitutes a "normal" P-E

varies from one market study to another, but many view a P-E in the neighborhood of 15 as neutral. In past bear markets it has fallen below 10 at times.

The dividend yield of the S&P 500 was 2.90 percent at the end of the first quarter, up from 2.83 percent a year earlier but still close to its lowest level in modern times.

The last drop below 3 percent occurred in 1987, just before the market crash of that year.

Many analysts have pointed to low interest rates as a compelling justification for unusually low stock yields. After all, they say, stocks don't have to yield as much as they did formerly because the competition from interest-bearing securities is less.

But of late interest rates have been rising. Besides, says Ray DeVoe, an analyst at Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc., "interest rates vs. stocks over-looks one vital element — risk."

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<p><b>1993 DODGE DAYTONA</b>        3.0 V-6, Tilt, Tape System, 1,401 miles, Big Spring Chrysler Company Car #425  <b>\$11999</b></p>	<p><b>1993 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM</b>        17,633 Miles, Automatic, Tilt, Cruise #501  <b>\$10850</b></p>	<p><b>1989 NISSAN MAXIMA</b>        4 Door, Automatic, Power Windows, Power Door Locks, Tilt, Cruise, Tape System, Rally Wheels #521  <b>\$8850</b></p>	<p><b>1992 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE</b>        Tilt, Cruise, Low Miles, Red #522  <b>\$10650</b></p>
<p><b>1990 DODGE DAKOTA</b>        Tool Boxes, Sports Wheels, Air, Tape, Headache Rack, 35,122 Miles #582  <b>\$6995</b></p>	<p><b>1992 PONTIAC GRAND AM LE</b>        4 Door, Power Windows, Power Door Locks, Tape System, Black, Low Miles #498  <b>\$10850</b></p>	<p><b>1993 DODGE RAM D-250 CLUB CAB LE</b>        Power Windows, Tilt, Cruise, Running Boards, Custom Striping, 3,466 Miles #576  <b>\$16850</b></p>	<p><b>1991 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN</b>        Automatic, Air, Tilt, Power Door Locks, 33,000 Miles MUST SEE! #548  <b>\$18850</b></p>
<p><b>1989 PONTIAC GRAND AM</b>        Tilt, Cruise, Tape, Sun Roof, Rally Wheels, 61,740 Miles #563  <b>\$5850</b></p>	<p><b>1990 FORD ESCORT LX</b>        Automatic, Air, Tape, CUTE!! #568  <b>\$3850</b></p>	<p><b>1991 MERCURY TOPAZ</b>        Power Windows, Power Door Locks, Tilt, Cruise, Tape, 4 Door #562  <b>\$6450</b></p>	<p><b>1987 CHEVROLET CAVALIER</b>        Vinyl Top, Automatic, Air, Trunk Rack, 32,588 Miles #557  <b>\$3850</b></p>
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Area Engineer I - in Big Spring, TX

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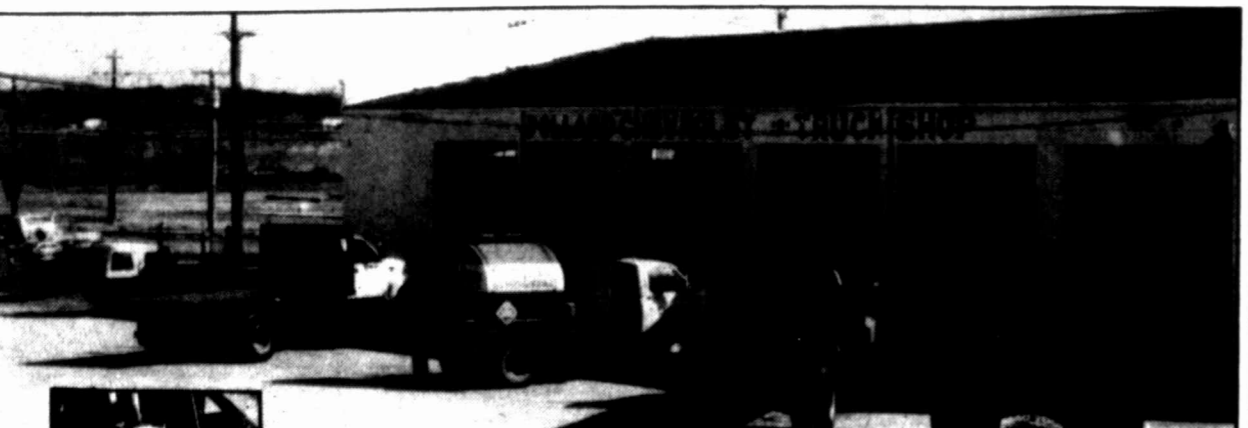
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Small Lot Sealed Bid Surplus Property Sale  
Big Spring State Hospital  
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**Saturday April 16, 1994 8:00 AM**

Location: Take I-20 exit 177 1/10th mile north on Lamesa Hwy. (87).

**Furniture:** Chairs - Tables - Desks - Shelves - Beds - Settees - Sofas - Wood & Metal Storage Cabinets - (1) 5' Stainless Steel Kitchen Bench - (50) Metal room dividers

**Electronics:** TV's - Recorders - Radios - Calculators - Typewriters - Telephones - Computer monitors - FM Pagers

**Appliances:** Clothes washers & dryers - Refrigerators - Singer sewing machine - Hobart Mixer H-600T - Portable electric air cleaners - Copier

**Misc.:** Picnic table - Lawn mowers - Bicycles - Junked electric vehicles - Mobile hot food server - (5) Tumbling mats - Various junk & scrap metal

Bidding will start at 8:00 a.m. and lots will be awarded beginning at 10:00 a.m. until all lots have been awarded. Some minimum bids may apply. A 2.5% buyer's fee will be charged on all bids per HB 1823. Sales tax will apply unless a resale certificate or governmental exemption is presented.

**Terms:** Cash or Current letter of credit on all checks over \$500.00.

## Auctions 325

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

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**2 BLUE HEELER** puppies. Female and male. Call 399-4582.

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## Garage Sale 380

**3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE, 1400 Dixie** Saturday and Sunday, 8:00am-7. Lots of good stuff!

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**YARD SALE, 804 W. 3rd.** New and used MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS, woodcrafts, carousels. Thursday-Sunday.

## Lost-Pets 394

**FOUND** Tan Cocker Spaniel, m. 267-7832 or 267-5456.

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**"REWARD DOUBLE"** Black Rottweiler lost on block of 400 S. Benton, the morning of April 4th. Answers to the name of Saddy. 264-9223, work 263-0469 ask for Frank.

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