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NEWS DIGEST



Bubbly entertainment on a warm afternoon

Dipped in soapy water, bubbles fly from a paddle waved by Anastasia Johnson. She and several other youngsters were playing outside at the Westside Day Care Center Wednesday, taking advantage of the warm weather.



Into the swing

Michael Sabat swings a pick high into the air, breaking up dirt and rocks while working on a sidewalk for the new administrative parking lot across from Big Spring High School.

Develops film

Mary Deans shakes a developing can to mix the developer around while developing a roll of film for a class at the SouthWest College Institute for the Deaf.



Briefs

•Trash for cash: KBST Radio, Rip Griffin's Truck Terminal and Big Spring Mall are helping organize Cash for Trash Clean Day 94. Civic clubs and non-profit organizations can help collect cash for trash from different areas of the city. The trash must meet the criteria as defined and weighed at the truck scales. A meeting May 2, 7:30 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Civic Center will be conducted with the organizers and those interested in participating including garden clubs, civic clubs and other volunteers.

•Assistance needed: A Christmas in April meeting is scheduled for April 25 at noon at the Lions Club Building, 1607 E. Fourth St. Project supervisors for participating organizations are encouraged to attend to go over project needs and material lists. Volunteers are needed for the scheduled April 30 fix up of 30 senior citizen's homes.

Weather

•Partly cloudy, low mid 50s: Tonight, fair, turning breezy and cooler late. Low near 50. West wind 10-20 mph and gusty, shifting to the north toward morning.

•Feminine Basin Forecast: Friday: Mostly sunny and breezy. High 70-75. North to northeast wind 15-25 mph and gusty. Low in the 40s. Saturday: Fair. High in the 70s. Low in the 40s. Sunday: Fair. Low in the lower 50s. High in the 80s.

TONIGHT CLEAR	TOMORROW CLEAR	TONIGHT SUNSET 8:15 PM SUNRISE 7:22 AM TOMORROW
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Local crime statistics climb

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Crime in Texas declined substantially in 1993, according to the Department of Public Safety. However, the numbers in Big Spring show that locally that is not the case.

The number of reported "Index Crimes" in Texas declined 6.8 percent, while in Big Spring, the number of reported crimes went up 19 percent.

"For several years in a row, during the late 80s and even in early 90s, we had a drastic reduction in our crime rate," said Big Spring Police Department Public Information Officer Sgt. Scott Griffin. "So much so, that we were written up in the Houston Chronicle. But now, economics and lack of manpower have caught up with us and the crime rate is rising. We don't have the effective tools anymore."

In January 1993, there was a restructuring of the department to put an emphasis more on the patrol aspect of policing. The number of plain clothes detectives was cut in half and three detectives now have a caseload that was once handled by twice as many people.

"There is too much crime for the number of officers in the department," Griffin said. "Their caseload is maxed out. Normally, a

detective has 50 open cases at one time that they are working on. Now, because of demands, each of them has 90 to 100 open cases. We need more officers but it is not in the budget."

In order to compensate for the staff reduction, Griffin said, detectives must prioritize their cases. The department puts the cases in a rank priority and puts the violent crimes at the top of the list and at the second level is property crimes and misdemeanors.

"Everyone who is a victim of a crime feels that their case is the most important and we know that but we can't specialize like before and have to handle them in order of importance," Griffin acknowledged. "We have a very high clearance rate of cases."

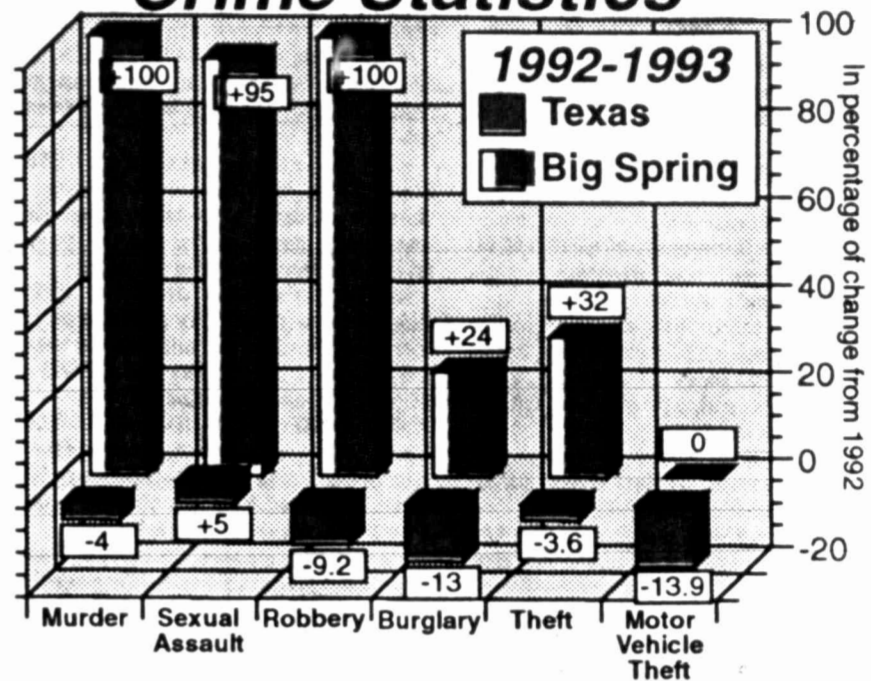
In 1993, the department was able to clear 70 percent of the property crimes which is way above the national average of a 19 percent clearance rate.

"The detectives are aggressive and work many hours for free because they want the job done," Griffin said. "They treat every case as an important one. This can sometimes cause fatigue and stress."

"The patrol officers and detectives work

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Big Spring and Texas Crime Statistics



Teen Court's first session rated success

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

They were ticketed for speeding and fighting in school and faced being punished by their teenage peers. This is the first time in the history of Big Spring that a Teen Court has been set up for teenagers to have their punishment accessed by people their own age.

Teen Court met for the first time Monday evening with four cases to be heard before the jury.

Teen Court offers offenders an opportunity to make restitution for their offenses through community service or other appropriate punishment. The teen avoids having to pay fines and sentences being handed down by an adult criminal justice system.

The four defendants had attorneys representing them who were also teenagers. Attorney Don Richard served as presiding judge over the first court. Teens serve as bailiffs, clerks and prosecutors as well.

The first case involved a teenage boy who was ticketed for driving 60 mph in a 45 mph zone. The jury heard from his attorney who discussed the options of punishment which ranged from four to 10 hours of community service and the defendant must serve on one to three jury duties within 90 days.

The jury deliberated for a few minutes and sentenced him to serve on one jury and perform four hours of community service.

The second case also involved a male defendant who had been ticketed for going 10 miles over the posted speed limit. He was given a sentence of seven hours of community service and must serve three times as a juror.

The third case was a female who had been ticketed for fighting in school. She took the stand in her

own defense and claimed the reason she fought was because a girl kept bothering her sister and wanted it to stop. The defendant was sentenced to seven hours of community service and three jury duties.

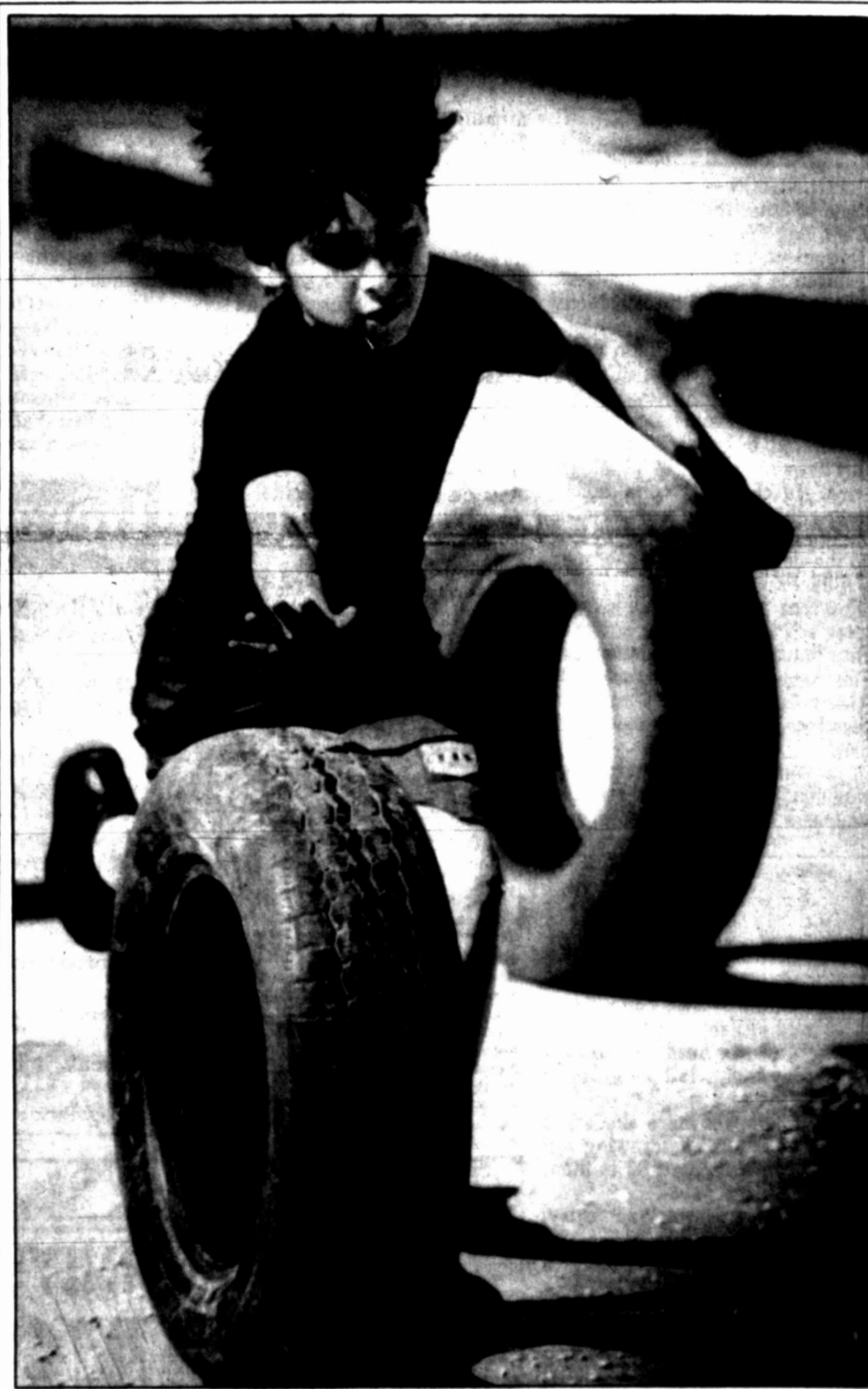
The final case involved a male defendant who had been ticketed for driving 28 mph in a 20 mph school zone. His lawyer argued that her client was given the ticket at 4:30 p.m. and it was only 15 minutes until the school zone time had ended. The defendant also testified that he saw no one around the school and was worried about giving his employer a short notice that he could not work there anymore. He was sentenced to two jury duties and only three hours of community service. The jury gave him less than the minimum amount of service because of the good argument his lawyer presented.

"One of the lawyers did really well and the others will improve from learning and watching others. I hope it will catch on with the kids. The peer review aspect will hopefully keep these kids from committing more serious offenses," said Richard.

"I think it went real well. We worked the bugs out and it seemed to have flowed smoothly," said Teen Court Coordinator Barbara Cunningham.

Teen Court is in session the second Tuesday of every month and a person can have his or her Class C misdemeanor or traffic violation referred there once in a two-year period. The defendants have 90 days to perform their community service and serve on the jury. If they do not, then the case is referred back to the Municipal Court and they must pay their fines.

For more information about Teen Court, you can contact Cunningham at 264-2532.



Racing along

With his hair flying from the speed, Michael Correa runs while pushing his tire along as he and several others were having a tire race on the playground of the Jack and Jill Day Care Center Thursday afternoon.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Barrientos given 5-year TDC term

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Thirty-eight-year-old Jesus Barrientos has been sentenced to five years in prison for sexually assaulting a child.

A four-woman, eight-man jury deliberated three and a half hours in 118th District Court before returning the verdict in the punishment phase of the trial.

Barrientos was found guilty of the crime Tuesday afternoon after 30 minutes of deliberation. During the first hour of Wednesday's punishment phase, defense attorney Don Richard put Barrientos and seven character witnesses on the stand to try and convince the jury to put him on probation instead of sending him to jail.

Barrientos broke down on the stand and began weeping. He said he was sorry for what had happened and accepted the jury's guilty verdict. One of the character witnesses was a psychologist that Barrientos had seen several times since the incident took place in December 1991. The psychologist said that Barrientos could be rehabilitated and was not a danger to society.

Several employers and friends of Barrientos also testified that he was a hard worker and was reliable.

The jury began deliberating at 10:00 a.m. after closing arguments from both attorneys. At 11:50 a.m. the jury sent in two questions to be asked of Judge Robert Moore. The questions concerned community based pro-

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Emma Lara
Victim's sister

grams and sexual abuse counseling. The jury wanted to know if that was something they could assess to Barrientos as part of a probated sentence. Judge Moore told them that the jury's only responsibility was to sentence the defendant and it was the court's decision to set

guidelines for probation.

The court had lunch brought in for the jurors and they came back with a verdict at 1:30 p.m. They sentenced Barrientos to five years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice but did not assess a fine.

Sexual assault of a child is a second degree felony and carries a possible sentence of two to 20 years in prison and up to a \$10,000 fine.

Barrientos is scheduled to report to Judge Moore Monday morning to begin his sentence. He will remain in the Howard County Jail until space is available in a state prison.

"It wasn't enough," said the victim's sister, Emma Lara. "She's a Down's syndrome child and will go through more than he will in the next five years. It wasn't justice. It is torment for me and my dad as well as my sister."

"She is still having nightmares. He got something but it's not enough," said Susan Hernandez, an aunt of the victim.

"We had hoped for probation in this case, but we accept the jury's decision," Richard said. "(Right now) we will not appeal, but we will look at it before making a final decision."

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Oil/Markets

Index	3658.38
Volume	92,218,510
CURRENT QUOTE	
Name	CHANGE
ATT	50
Amoco	55%
Atlantic Richfield	97
Almos Energy	28%
Boston Chicken	38%
Cabot	52

Chevron	57%	+1%
Chrysler	50%	+1%
Coca-Cola	40	-%
De Beers	20	n c
DuPont	56%	+%
Exxon	62%	+%
Fina Inc.	69%	-%
Ford Motor	57%	+%
Halliburton	28%	+%

May crude oil \$15.98, up 1, and May cotton futures 80.70 cents a pound, up 96; cash hog in 50 cents lower at 43.25; slaughter steers in 50 cents lower at 78.50; April live hog futures 45.17, down 28; April live cattle futures 76.40, up 35 at 10:20 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

Police

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- David Dominguez, 23 of 1609 Canary, was arrested for resisting arrest, Class C assault, possession of marijuana and unlawfully carrying a weapon.
- James Alfred Craft, 47 a transient, was arrested for public intoxication.
- Tony Ray McNew, 30 of 704 Willia, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.
- Billy Burl Hobbs, 39 of 506 N.E. Fourth Street, was arrested on theft and assault charges.
- Anthony Sarmiento, 20 of 510 N.W. Seventh Street, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.
- Several thefts were reported in the city: 500 block of Birdwell, 400 block of Birdwell, 400 block of Johnson, 2300 block of Wesson, 300 block of Owens and 1800 block of Gregg.
- A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1500 block of East Fourth Street and 1100 block of West Fifth Street.
- An assault was reported in the 500 block of East 17th Street and in the 2700 block of Carol.
- Criminal mischief was reported in the 200 block of North Gregg. Someone threw rocks through four windows of a business causing \$70 worth of damage.
- A minor accident was reported at the intersection of 2000 Nolan and 400 East 20th Streets. Citations for failure to yield right-of-way and not restraining a child under the age of two were issued. No injuries were reported.
- A minor accident was reported at the intersection of U.S. Highway 87 and the north service road of Interstate 20. A citation for running a red light was issued and no injuries were reported.

Sheriff

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

- Michael Edward Hogg, 38 of 1300 Stamford, was arrested on a fugitive warrant from Washington State. He remains in the county jail on a \$25,000 bond.
- Fred Rubio, 28 of 701 Douglas, was arrested on warrants on a motion to revoke his probation. No bond has been set.
- James Anthony Mann, 34 of 508 South Nolan, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces. He was transported from the city jail, posted a \$1,500 bond and was released.
- Simon Joe Alcantar, 28 of 502 North Runnels, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces. He was transported from the city jail, posted a \$1,500 bond and was released.
- Robert Wayne Walker, 41 of 206 North Gregg, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces. He was transported from the city jail, posted a \$1,500 bond and was released.
- James Earl Magers, 32 of 1511 Tuelson, was arrested for driving while license suspended. He posted bond and was released.
- Johnny Cantu, 21 of 1504 Sycamore, was arrested for revocation of probation. He was on probation for burglary of a habitation. No bond has been set.
- Ruben Hernandez, 31 of Gall Road Box 90A, was arrested for revocation of probation (theft over \$200 and under \$750) and for evading arrest. He posted bond and was released.
- Guy C. Talamantez, 39 of 800 East 13th Street, was arrested in Robertson County concerning child support. He posted a \$500 bond and was released.

Council members OK myriad matters

By TIM JONES
Staff Writer

The Big Spring City Council took the following action Tuesday:

- A resolution of recognition and a key to the city was presented to Corinna Rios for performing CPR on a two-year-old boy, saving his life. Rios learned those skills in a babysitting training course at Howard College.
- Newman Outdoor Advertising of Midland was awarded a bid to erect a 12 by 25 foot outdoor sign in the 1400 block of Gregg. On a 10 year lease, at \$800 a year, the city and Newman have equal right to cancel the lease with 60 days notice. Newman agrees to maintain the entire property there in compliance to the weedy lot ordinance.
- Bid awards for seal coat materials were approved. Price Construction will provide the aggregate at \$19.80 per cubic yard and crushed gravel for \$12.20 a cubic yard. Fina Oil and Chemical of Dallas will provide the asphalt cement at 47 cents a gallon. The seal coating this year will not be "dry and dusty" as it was last year, but will be more "wet and sticky".
- Approval was given to advertise for bids for the maintenance of Mt. Corinna Rios for performing CPR on a two-year-old boy, saving his life.
- Air Park farming operation specifications were tabled again; the county agents want to wait to allow the grasses to grow more in order to better identify them, as it does not appear to be native grass.
- An expense from the capitol revolving fund to purchase a \$14,840 automobile for the Fire Department was authorized; the loan is to be repaid over a five-year period at five percent interest.
- The council approved a plat for the Cowper subdivision; a 0.3857 acre tract located in the SE/4 of Section 1, Block 33, T-1-S, T. & P. RR Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas.
- Cinco De Mayo received unanimous approval to use Building 44 on the Air Park, an old WWII hangar located closest to the old O.I.L. loca-

tion, for the May 6-8 festivities. There is electricity available on location, and plenty of room to accommodate the event.

- A waiver of the cost of permit fees and phased inspections was approved to facilitate this year's Christmas in April project activities.
- Eloise Sweeney presented a request to reconsider an ordinance to require unfenced swimming pools to be fenced. Sweeney cited there is an unfenced pool in her neighborhood, and the natural curiosity of the children and the fact, she says, of a well-worn path to the pool, indicates a risk to small lives of "little children who depend on us." The council will bring the old ordinance "back" and restudy the issue.
- The council considered a standing committee comprised of council representatives as well as directors of the Moore Development For Big Spring Inc. Mayor Tim Blackshear will speak with Jim Purcell, leader of Moore's directors, about the committee, and to allow Moore's directors time to meet and then the matter

will return for more discussion and possible action at a future council meeting.

- The council approved the annual budget to fund the county's tax assessor/collector to collect city taxes; the budget is slight lower than last year, at \$84,351.
- The council approved a request by the Howard County Appraisal District to use a budget surplus of \$19,951 to retain as a surplus for our liability on employees.
- The council approved paying \$500 to Gary R. Taylor And Associates Inc., to prepare a grant application to the State Parks and Wildlife Department for improvements to the city's Northside Park. Stephanie Horton had plans drawn to fill in the old swimming pool for use as a sports area and to build a basketball court with covered picnic-type tables and a landscaping theme.
- The \$500 preparation fee, Mark Sheedy, councilman said, "is a good gamble to get a \$150,000 grant."

two less sexual assaults but three more cases of indecency with a child reported to the department.

"There is a correlation between a city's economic situation and unemployment with the amount of crime seen during the year," Griffin concluded. "Ideally, we would like to expand in our investigative and narcotics division. You can also never have too many patrol officers on the streets. The officers and detectives are working long hours to get the job done."

Crime

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together. The patrol officers are the backbone of the department. They have been able to help clear cases because they patrol the streets and know what is going on," Griffin added.

The decision to switch to more visible patrolling of the streets was made in part to give the community a feeling that they are safer.

"There is a difference in feeling safer and being safer," Griffin noted,

however. "We have only three detectives serving a community of 23,000. Crime is on the rise and without the necessary manpower, it will continue."

From Jan. 1, 1994, to April 14, 1994, there have been 418 reported cases of theft compared to 333 during the same time frame in 1993. "Fifty percent of the thefts are reported by convenience stores. People are stealing cigarettes, beer and gas," Griffin noted.

The number of motor vehicle thefts is also up this year. There have been 19 vehicles stolen, compared to 12 stolen during the first four months of 1993.

There is some good news. The number of burglaries during the two time frames shows that they are down. During the first four and a half months of 1994, there were 122 incidents compared to 197 in 1993. The number of reported robberies remained the same and there were

meaning an annual pension of \$67,467 instead of \$84,340.

Mrs. Hutchison, who is the only female member of the Armed Services Committee, said in an interview Wednesday that Kelso is not directly to blame for Tailhook. But she said he must bear some responsibility because the incident and subsequent investigation occurred on his watch.

At an Armed Services Committee hearing Tuesday, Mrs. Hutchison expressed concern that the Navy botched its investigations in two other controversies: the 1992 Naval Academy cheating scandal probe and the investigation of the 1989 explosion aboard the USS Iowa.

While noting that Kelso wasn't at the Navy's helm during the USS Iowa investigation, she said he should have known of that probe's failure and ensured future investigations were handled properly.

At the hearing, Perry and Navy Secretary John Dalton said that although Kelso failed to lead the Navy adequately through the scan-

Hutchison wrestles post-Tailhook events

dal, his otherwise spotless record should allow him to retire at top rank.

A Navy judge ruled that Kelso, who attended Tailhook '91 but denied seeing lewd behavior, lied about his knowledge of the conference and manipulated the investigation to protect himself.

But the Navy's inspector general found "no credible evidence" that Kelso knew of any misconduct or sought to thwart the inquiry.

For Rep. Pat Schroeder, who has been a vocal critic of the Navy's han-

dling of Tailhook, there's no doubt that Kelso should be retired at lower rank.

Retirement at full grade would be "another message to women that if you have a problem... either shut up or get out because the system isn't going to work for you," she said.

The Colorado Democrat, who serves on the House Armed Services Committee, sent a letter Wednesday to the Senate's seven women members asking them to request a debate over Kelso's retirement.

Deaths

Francisco Palomino Sr.

Prayer services for Francisco Palomino, Sr., 88, Big Spring, will be 7 p.m. Thursday, April 14, 1994 at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday, April 15 at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Joe Torres officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park, with Military Honors, and under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Palomino died Wednesday, April 13 at the Veterans Administration Medical Center after a long illness.

He was born April 2, 1906, in Presidio and married Juanita Mesa on Dec. 11, 1941 in Big Spring. He had been a resident of Big Spring for 40 years and was a member of the Primera Iglesia Bautista Church. Mr. Palomino worked at the Pyote Air Force Base and Webb Air Force Base, retiring in 1969, after having worked for 23 years in civil service. He was a Veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II.

Donna Sue Kruse

Survivors include his wife: Juanita Palomino, Big Spring; three sons: Frank Palomino, Jr., Ft. Worth, Ismael Palomino, Corpus Christi, and Arthur Palomino, Big Spring; four daughters: Louisa Marquez, Big Spring, Linda Smith, Altus, Okla., Helen Cowles, Midland, and Thelma Gomez, Elkhart, Kan.; one brother: Gregorio Palomino, Dallas; two sisters: Maria Palomino and Eulalia Flores, both of Big Spring; 19 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services for Donna Sue Kruse, 60, Ira, will be 10 a.m. Friday, April 15, 1994 at Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder with Rev. Mark McMillan, Jim Moseley, and Jim Hill officiating. Burial will be in Ira Cemetery. All arrangements are under the direction of Bill-Cypert & Seale Funeral Home, Snyder.

Mrs. Kruse died Tuesday, April 12, at All Saints Hospital in Ft. Worth.

She was born Nov. 27, 1933, in Camp Arkansas, Ark. and married C.M. "Corky" Kruse on July 2, 1954, in Hobbs, N.M. Mrs. Kruse had resided in Ira since 1954. She was appointed Postmistress in November of 1986 of the Dunn Post Office. She was also a member of the Ira Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband: C.M. "Corky" Kruse, Ira; two daughters: Jan Kruse, Ira, and Sheila Wadleigh, Keller; her father: Otis McBride, Vealmoor; one sister: Kay Leek, Vealmoor; and one grandson.

She was preceded in death by one son: Perry Kruse in 1983, and her mother: Edith McBride in March of 1994.

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Lotto

AUSTIN (AP) — Two Lotto Texas tickets sold in Fort Worth correctly matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night, lottery officials said.

The winners will share about \$10 million and Saturday's drawing will be worth an estimated \$3 million, officials said.

The numbers drawn Wednesday, from a field of 50, were 27, 33, 39, 40, 44 and 50.

The Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery: 5-6-4

Weather Records

Wednesday's temp	66
Wednesday's low temp	52
Average high	77
Average low	58
Record high	96 in 1972
Record low	26 in 1957
Rainfall Wednesday	0.00
Month's normal	0.00
Month to date	0.03
Year to date	01.67
Normal for year	2.56

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Verda May Cooper, 87, died Monday. Graveside services will be 10:00 A.M. Friday at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Francisco Palomino, Sr., 88, died Wednesday. Prayer services will be 7:00 P.M., Thursday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral services will be 2:00 P.M., Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel, with military burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Tomatone R
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Beethoven's 2nd PG
7:10

Jude Roberts & Daniel Washington in Pelican Brief R
8:30

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*MIGHTY DUCKS II PG
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Hutchison, Fisher now off at a run

The Associated Press

AUSTIN — Just hours after millionaire Dallas investor Richard Fisher claimed the Democratic U.S. Senate nomination, he and Republican Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison were trading shots.

Fisher, who gunned down Jim Mattox in the Democratic runoff Tuesday, got congratulations from President Clinton Wednesday before leaving for meetings in Moscow of the Russian American Enterprise Fund, to which Clinton appointed him.

"He needs help," Fisher said of the president. "He certainly needs help from a good senator from Texas. He can't do it with two Republicans on Capitol Hill. He's got to have a Democratic senator who has access to the president of the United States."

In Washington, Mrs. Hutchison chided his pledge to back Clinton, who lost the state to Republican George Bush in 1992.

"I think Texans are going to have a choice between someone who is going to support President Clinton or someone who is going to be an independent voice," Mrs. Hutchison said. "I don't think Bill Clinton is in tune with the people of Texas."

A former foreign policy adviser to Ross Perot's independent presidential bid, Fisher says he represents a "new" Democratic Party more concerned about small business and job creation.

He also spent more than \$1.6 million of his own money on the race, shunning contributions from special-interest political action committees.

At a Dallas appearance Wednesday, he pledged to take Mrs. Hutchison to task before voters.

"She's a professional politician. She was elected to the House of Representatives of Texas the year after I graduated from college. She's old status-quo professional politician, an insider. I'm an outsider," Fisher said.

"I want to lead a rebellion. I want to change the way our government does business. That's what this contest is going to be all about. We're going to challenge her with new ideas and force her to commit to change."



Men, including many illegal immigrants, stand at a southwest Houston supermarket hoping to find work as day laborers on Sunday, March 6. Driven by the men's plight — and more by complaints from neighbors and business owners — Houston City Hall has plans for a hiring site to be operated for one year as a pilot project.

Work slated to begin on plan for refugees

The Associated Press

HOUSTON — Erasmo wipes his brow and sighs.

"It's hot out here," he says. "And sometimes it rains."

The 21-year-old Honduran spent much of one day standing in the parking lot of a southwest Houston supermarket. Waiting.

Along with 50 or so other Central Americans, Erasmo hopes to pick up construction work for the day. Because many are illegal immigrants, they expect little more than a few hours of hard labor.

Sometimes they earn minimum wage. Sometimes less. But they wait anyway.

"I've got a wife and four children," said another immigrant. "If I don't find work, I can't support my family."

City Hall has moved to help.

City Council has approved spending \$14,000 in federal grants for a site in southwest Houston, to be operated for one year as a pilot project. Construction is to begin in two to three weeks and be complete by summer.

The hiring site, on city-owned property at Renwick and Westpark, will include a pavilion, portable toilets and a gravel driveway. A portable building will house supervisors.

The program will likely be operated by the Central American Refugee Center, an immigration advocacy group. Although the council has not yet approved its \$32,000 contract, no other agency bid for the work.

Councilwoman Eleanor Tinsley said she would like to see the city sponsoring the site. "It's not mean to say that, but it's a problem of this magnitude. It's just too big."

safe from prosecution.

She described city policy regarding the workers' immigration status as one of "don't ask, don't tell." She stressed that if Immigration and Naturalization Service officials receive complaints, they may raid the site.

Nonetheless, similar setups in Los Angeles and other cities have been successful, said Tinsley. She said if Houston's pilot project works, the city may create more.

Eric Udell, associate director of CARECEN, and other agency officials have negotiated for years with civic and business groups to create day labor sites. But not until City Hall became involved, did their efforts bear fruit, Udell said.

"Once you get City Hall support, you've got resources and clout," he said. "It's difficult for community groups to work along, to solve a problem of this magnitude. It's just too big."

Briefs

Drug-dealing granny sentenced to prison

HOUSTON (AP) — An 82-year-old great-grandmother, who authorities say ran a "major league" prescription drug operation, has been sentenced to two years in prison.

Sally Evans Hubbard, also known as "Big Mama," leaned forward on her walker Wednesday as she stood before state District Judge Mike Wilkinson and pleaded guilty to possession and delivery of controlled substances.

Prosecutor Bill Hawkins said Ms. Hubbard was accused of selling marijuana and anti-anxiety tablets to an undercover officer last July. A subsequent search of her northwest Houston home unveiled 30 pounds of marijuana and more than 2,000 tablets of painkillers, anti-depressants and muscle relaxants.

Ms. Hubbard, who has more than 70 grandchildren and great-grandchildren, operated a "major league candy store when it comes to drugs," Hawkins said.

In 1985, Ms. Hubbard pleaded guilty to drug charges and was put on probation. Her probation was revoked and she was sentenced to two five-year jail terms to be served concurrently in 1988 after selling a "downer" to an undercover officer. She was released after three months.

Three killed, 2 hurt in high-speed chase

HOUSTON (AP) — A van being pursued by police collided with another vehicle, killing its three occupants and causing two bystanders to be pinned in their front yard, police say.

A total of seven people, including a police officer, have been killed in Houston this year while police were in pursuit.

In the most recent incident, a man, woman and child were killed Wednesday night when the van collided with their small import car about 8 p.m. in southeast Houston. The victims' identities were unknown late Wednesday, the Houston Chronicle reported.

The Toyota overturned and pinned a man and his 3-year-old son in their yard. They were taken to Ben Taub Hospital.

Houston police spokesman Rick Hartley said investigators in an unmarked car had tried earlier to arrest the van's driver on an unspecified felony charge about 4 1/2 miles from the accident scene.

Krueger nominated as Burundi ambassador

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Texas Sen. Bob Krueger soon may be trading his life in New Braunfels for a challenging diplomatic career in a troubled, tiny Central African nation.

President Clinton on Wednesday announced he is nominating Krueger as ambassador to Burundi. The appointment requires Senate confirmation.

The news ended months of rumors that the Democrat, who served briefly in the Senate last year before being ousted by Republican Kay Bailey Hutchison, would receive the job.

Krueger's Senate tenure was distinguished by his break from Clinton on several high-profile votes in which the administration was scrambling for Democratic support.

The posting is sure to be a difficult one. Wracked by ethnic violence for decades, Burundi's blood-letting was especially fierce last year after a failed coup.

Court reverses decision on East Texas oil field

AUSTIN (AP) — A state appeals court says oil production limits set by the Railroad Commission in the huge East Texas Field are invalid.

In a Wednesday decision, the 3rd Court of Appeals in Austin affirmed a lower court decision against a rule restricting production in what is the nation's second-largest producing oil field.

The state rule limits wells in the East Texas Field to 36 percent of ordinary production.

The appeals court last year had upheld the rule, but issued a new opinion Wednesday in the case.

"I think it's a victory for the schools and the taxpayers of the state," said Greg Hardin, operations manager for OXY USA Inc. in Longview and spokesman for the East Texas Equity Alliance, of the ruling.

Emergency jail bed plan now under fire

AUSTIN (AP) — State officials are hoping the emergency construction of lockups will remove the fuse from an explosive situation in overcrowded county jails.

But some members of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards said Wednesday the plan to make room for 7,500 inmates is too little, too late.

Kenneth Anderson of Dallas said the \$25 million was "like putting a Band-Aid on a compound fracture."

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

•Big Spring Senior Citizen Center offers art classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m.; 55 and older invited. Bingo from 12:45-1:45 p.m.

•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, 905 N. Benton. For information call 263-8920.

•Support group for battered women will meet 2:30 p.m. For information call 263-3312 or 267-3626.

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

•Al-Anon will meet 8 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, small cafeteria on first floor.

•Couples golf play will be 5 p.m. at Comanche Trail Golf Course. For more information, contact Mary Robertson at 267-7144.

•Permian Basin AIDS Coalition will meet 7 p.m. at The Corral, 611 E. 3rd. For information call Diane Linhart at 263-0900.

•Rackley-Swords Ch. 379 Vietnam Veterans of America will have their regular monthly meeting 7 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Driver Road.

•The American Legion and Auxiliary will meet 7 p.m. Call Helen Hall at 263-2858 for more information.

•Masonic Lodge #598 will meet 7:30 p.m. at 219 Main.

•There will be country/western music and singing 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn Dr. Public invited.

•Red Cross Lifesaving Course will have a lifeguarding course at the Big Spring Family YMCA from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Fee is \$60. Prerequisites: first aid and CPR.

•West Texas Republican Women will meet at noon at the Brandin' Iron Inn.

•6:30 p.m. Washington Elementary will have an all school program and PTA meeting at the High School Auditorium.

•West Texas Opportunities, Inc. will distribute commodities at the Evening Lions Club, 1607 East Third, in the east parking lot in the small white building from 8:15 a.m. to 2 p.m. All recipients must have their certification cards with them in order to receive their food. For more information contact West Texas Opportunities, Inc. at 267-9536.

•Washington PTA will have a meeting and program 6:30 p.m. at the Big Spring High School auditorium.

Friday
•Tonight there will be games of dominoes, 42, bridge, and Chickentrack from 5-8 p.m. 2805 Lynn, Kentwood Center. Public invited.

•8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Spring City Senior Center will have a country/western dance. Area seniors invited.

•The Spring City Senior Center will have free fashion painting classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m.; 55 and older invited.

•Adults Molested as Children will meet 5:15 to 7 p.m. For information call Rape Crisis/Victim Services at 263-3312.

•Turning Point A.A. will meet from 8 to 9:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. This meeting is open to all substance abusers.

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Competition diversion

Several area students find a game of cards provided a diversion from the district 9A UIL competition staged at Grady High School in Lenora recently.

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Briefs

Fire department flushing hydrants

The Big Spring Fire Department is continuing its effort to 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.

Celiac support group to meet on April 23

West Texas Gluten-Free Awareness Support Group (Celiacs Helping Celiacs) will meet 3-5 p.m. Saturday, April 23 in Big Spring at the Baptist Temple Fellowship Hall, 12th and Goliad. Bring a gluten-free goodie and recipe. For more information, call Mildred Calligan at 267-6023 in Big Spring or Pat Gatlin at 1-563-4847 in Midland.

Planned Parenthood detailing services

Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc. provides birth control methods and information, pap smears, breast exams, testing for sexually transmitted diseases, pregnancy testing and referrals, and anemia and diabetes screening.

Services are based on a sliding fee scale and all services are confidential. Call (915) 263-8351 for information and appointments. The Big Spring clinic address is 618 Gregg Street. Hours of operation for April are 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1:30-5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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 ex-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 will 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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Hogan takes GOP House campaign to local Rotarians

By **TIM JONES**
Staff Writer

"I didn't know women were Rotarians," exclaimed Big Spring Rotary Club's guest speaker Wilma Hogan. "I prepared my speech for left-brained statistical men."

Hogan is a Knox County Republican woman vying to defeat incumbent David Counts in November for State Representative in District 70.

The 54-year-old woman is the first Republican candidate in Knox County history.

Hogan said she is a grass roots candidate who can no longer remain silent because she's both a concerned mother and grandmother.

"The loss of our freedoms is dwindling away," said Hogan, "actually it's more like sliding down a slippery slope."

"I've always been active since my children began school in 1969," she explained, "I've never been one to watch idly."

"In most situations, we already know solutions," she pointed out. "We don't need Austin or Washington to tell us exactly what to do. Farmers know more about farming than environmentalists do; professional educators know more about schools than professional politicians."

"In Texas, we spend \$30,000 to \$35,000 a year to keep criminals behind bars; yet spend only \$2,300 on school students."

"It ought to be the other way around," she emphasized.

"How many of you thought that state lottery funds were being earmarked for education, like I did?"



HOGAN

she asked. "Instead of going into the Texas general revenue fund, like they have."

Hogan additionally cited that the state budget has grown from \$48 billion to \$70 billion in the last three years.

She also commented that welfare rolls are up by 142 percent.

"Together we can change things," Hogan proclaimed, aspiring to do so in Austin.

Hogan closed with a parable describing the woes of attempting changing things alone, which amused the Rotary noon luncheon crowd, who graciously and attentively enjoyed Hogan's keynote talk.

Guests in the audience included her daughter, Jana and Troy Fraser, former State Representative.

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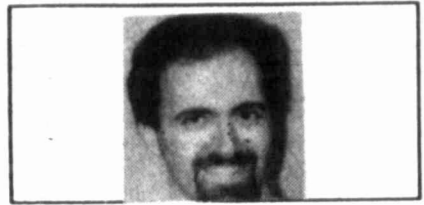
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A piece of forgettable history



Dave Hargrave

ESPN broke away from the Braves-Giants game Wednesday night to bring us a little bit of history.

Instead, we saw an ugly sideshow. Yo, fellows in ESPN's control room - you shouldn't have flipped the switch to Montreal, especially just as Brave third baseman Terry Pendleton is firing a throw to first base in the seventh inning of a 1-1 game.

If you missed it, Montreal pitcher Pedro Martinez threw 7 1/3 innings of perfect baseball at the Cincinnati Reds. ESPN broke away from its Braves-Giants affair to join the Montreal Expo network as Martinez started the eighth inning.

Martinez coaxed Kevin Mitchell into flying out, which made it 22 up and 22 down for the younger brother of Los Angeles Dodger pitcher Ramon Martinez. Reggie Sanders was the next batter, and Martinez quickly worked the count to 0 and 2.

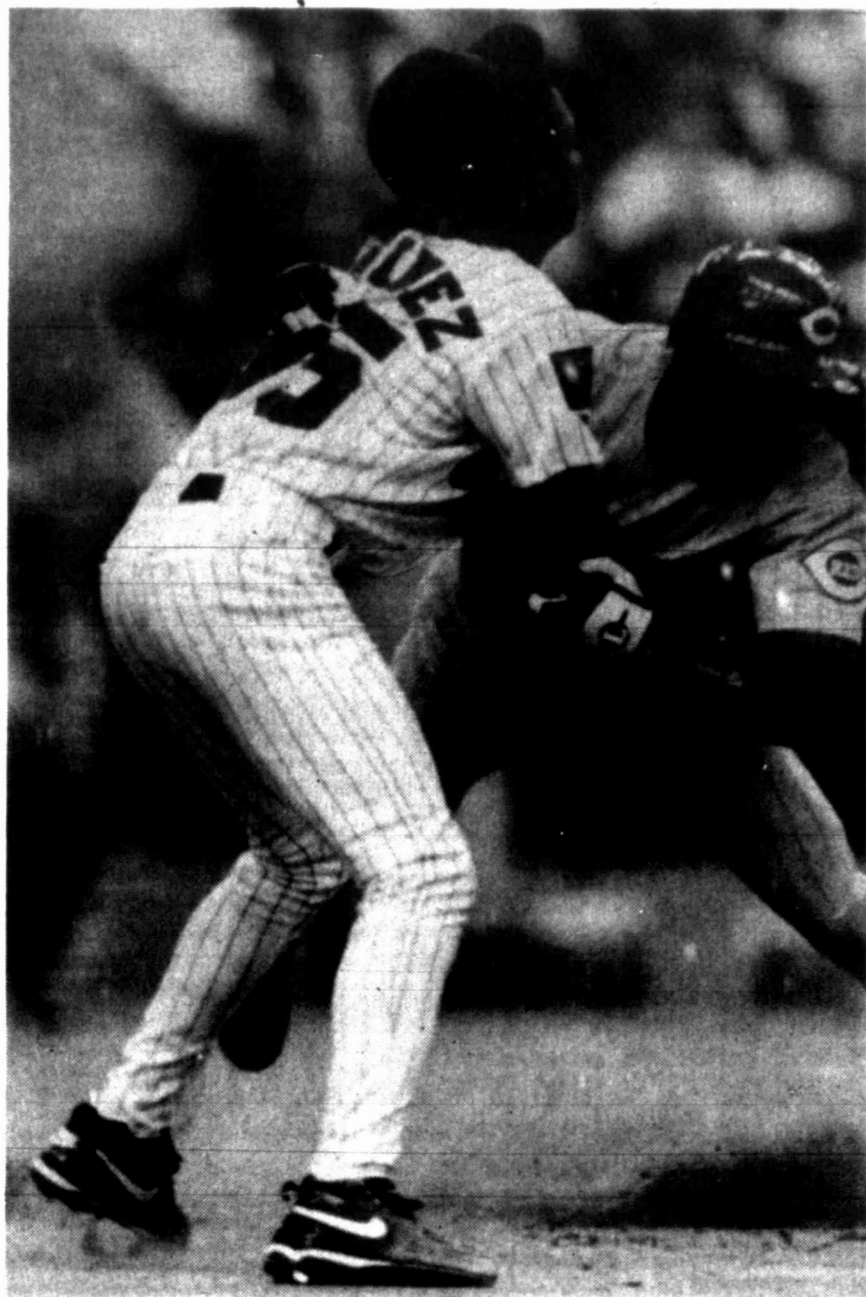
Martinez's 0-2 offering was a fast-ball that nailed the right-handed hitting Sanders near the left shoulder. Without hesitation, Sanders raced to the mound, jumped Martinez and started the usual free-for-all.

Fifty players and a dozen coaches switched to rugby and zoomed to the mound for a scrum. That's just what you want to see in the middle of a no-hitter, eh?

What in the name of Cy Young was Sanders thinking?

Reggie, listen up - do you really think Martinez was trying to hit you with a pitch when he's five outs away from a perfect game?

Amazingly, The Expo announcers defended Sanders, saying he was responding to several tight pitches he had seen earlier in the game during two strikeouts.



Cincinnati's Reggie Sanders charges the mound after being hit by a pitch from Montreal pitcher Pedro Martinez during eighth-inning action Wednesday in Montreal.

responding to several tight pitches he had seen earlier in the game during two strikeouts.

Come on. Who cares if Sanders was responding to a close pitch from an at-bat

ago, a game ago or a year ago? Chin music is a part of baseball. Pitchers shouldn't throw at a batter, but they should be able to throw between the batter and the inside part of the plate.

Pitchers who don't move batters off the plate are down in the minors wondering why their outside-corner fastballs are lined over the right-field wall most of the time.

Maybe you're saying, 'Well, maybe Sanders was trying to break Martinez's rhythm, to break the no-hit spell he had on the Reds.'

Maybe you're right, but it's doubtful. Sanders would be stupid to get himself thrown out and risk a possible suspension just on the chance that he could fluster Martinez.

Martinez could have become perhaps the first pitcher to enjoy a bench-clearing brawl and a no-hitter in the same game, but perfect endings are much too rare for Montreal's apocalyptic Olympic Stadium. Martinez managed to survive the enthralling eighth, but pinch-hitter Brian Dorsett singled off Martinez to start the ninth.

Martinez didn't even earn a victory - he exited the game after Dorsett's hit and watched closer John Wetteland blow a 2-0 lead - but he did earn the support of Expo fans who thought little of him when he arrived in exchange for favorite son Delino DeShields.

Yet with all of the stories that could have come from north of the border Wednesday, we received another rerun, another fistfight on Astro turf.

ESPN should think twice the next time it leaves one game and cuts in on another.

Maybe it should drop the pretense of baseball and ship us to the World Wrestling Federation instead.

Dave Hargrave is the sports editor of the Herald.

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Major

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ble waiting on him, they kind of lean out over the plate and try to put a little extra on their swing, and he gets a lot of groundouts that way."

Major attributes his improvement on last season to Howard's pitching depth.

"The biggest difference this season is more pitching," Major said. "Last season, we had to pitch during the week - we only had about four pitchers last season. This season, we just have three weekend starters, and the other pitchers pitch during the week.

So it's easier - I have six days rest in between each start, and it makes a difference in my arm. I'm getting a lot more rest than last year.

As for his efficient work habits on the mound, Major said he's just doing what his coach has stressed to everyone. Indeed, all of Howard's pitchers are relatively fast workers; Major's just the fastest of them all.

Major, 19, is from Claremont, Calif. Roper said Howard assistant coach Steve Ramharter discovered Major playing summer ball in South Dakota, Ramharter's home state.

Major said he loves Howard - the team, his teammates and catcher Chad Morford, who he called "the best catcher I've ever pitched to. He's awesome." In fact, Major may have only one complaint.

"I never have not hit, in my whole life, until I came here," Major said. "In high school, I didn't even pitch. I was the center fielder, and I was our offensive MVP in high school. It's a lot different just pitching, and not playing every day. The only thing I don't like about pitching is that you pitch one day, and then you have to

sit and watch the other day. You feel like you can't do anything to help the team."

Roper said Major, who has never batted for the Hawks, may get his chance later in the season. Roper usually tries to give some of the pitchers a chance to hit when the last few games of their final season arrive.

In some ways, Roper wishes these final days would never arrive.

"When John leaves here, it's going to be sad. He's definitely one of my favorite kids."

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x-Atlanta	53	23	.697	—
x-Chicago	53	24	.688	1/2
x-Cleveland	43	34	.558	10 1/2
Indiana	41	35	.539	12
Charlotte	38	39	.480	16 1/2
Detroit	20	56	.263	33
Milwaukee	19	57	.250	34

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Houston	55	20	.733	—
x-San Antonio	53	24	.688	3
x-Utah	48	28	.632	7 1/2
Denver	38	38	.500	17 1/2
Minnesota	20	56	.263	35 1/2
Dallas	10	66	.132	45 1/2

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
y-Seattle	58	18	.763	—
x-Phoenix	51	26	.662	7 1/2
x-Golden State	45	31	.592	13
x-Portland	43	43	.500	15
L.A. Lakers	33	43	.434	25
L.A. Clippers	26	50	.342	32
Sacramento	26	50	.342	32

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

Tuesday's Games

Cleveland 119, Milwaukee 91
Philadelphia 134, Detroit 107
Chicago 111, New Jersey 105
Houston 96, Minnesota 89
Phoenix 107, Denver 102
Utah 126, Sacramento 91
Seattle 116, L.A. Clippers 101
Golden State 128, L.A. Lakers 117
Dallas 106, Portland 107

Wednesday's Games

Boston 109, Detroit 96
Indiana 115, Philadelphia 87
Chicago 96, Miami 90
Atlanta 110, Cleveland 96
New Jersey 107, Milwaukee 105
Denver 83, San Antonio 78
Phoenix 117, L.A. Lakers 88

Thursday's Games

New York at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Orlando, 8 p.m.
Sacramento at Houston, 8:30 p.m.
San Antonio at Utah, 9 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Portland at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.

Friday's Games

Orlando at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Miami at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Charlotte, 8 p.m.
Indiana at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Denver at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Milwaukee, 9 p.m.
Portland at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

BASEBALL

MLB Standings

American League

All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	6	3	.667	—
Toronto	6	3	.667	—
Baltimore	4	3	.571	1
New York	3	4	.429	2
Detroit	3	5	.375	2 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	6	1	.857	—
Chicago	5	3	.625	1 1/2
Milwaukee	4	3	.571	2
Kansas City	2	5	.286	4
Minnesota	2	7	.222	5

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	5	3	.625	—
California	4	5	.444	1 1/2
Texas	3	4	.429	1 1/2
Seattle	2	6	.250	3

Tuesday's Games

Chicago 10, New York 5
Boston 12, Kansas City 11
Seattle 12, Minnesota 0
Oakland 8, Toronto 4
Cleveland 5, California 4
Only games scheduled

Wednesday's Games

Detroit 6, Baltimore 3
Minnesota 9, Seattle 6
Chicago 3, New York 0
Kansas City 2, Boston 1
Texas 4, Milwaukee 3, 10 innings
Cleveland 6, California 5, 10 innings
Oakland 8, Toronto 7, 12 innings

Thursday's Games

Baltimore (Musina 2-0) at Detroit (Moore 1-0), 1:15 p.m.
New York (Key 1-1) at Chicago (McDowell 1-1), 1:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 0-1) at Oakland (Karsay 1-0), 4:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Bones 1-0) at Texas (Brown 0-2), 8:35 p.m.
Toronto (Guzman 1-0) at California (M.Latter 0-0), 10:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

New York (Perez 0-0) at Detroit (Wells 1-1), 7:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Cone 0-1) at Cleveland (Martinez 0-1), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago (Fernandez 1-1) at Boston (Clemens 0-0), 7:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Rhodes 0-1) at Texas (Helling 0-0), 8:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Deshaies 0-2) at Oakland (Van Poppel 0-0), 10:05 p.m.
Toronto (Stewart 2-0) at California (Anderson 1-0), 10:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Higuera 0-0) at Seattle (Johnson 0-1), 10:35 p.m.

National League

All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	8	1	.889	—
New York	4	3	.571	3
Philadelphia	4	4	.500	3 1/2
Montreal	4	5	.444	4
Florida	3	5	.375	4 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	6	2	.750	—
Houston	5	3	.625	1
St. Louis	4	3	.571	1 1/2

HOCKEY

NHL Standings

All Times EDT

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-N.Y. Rangers	52	24	7	111	297	229
x-New Jersey	46	25	12	104	302	219
x-Washington	38	35	10	86	274	261
x-N.Y. Islanders	36	35	12	84	281	260
Florida	32	34	17	81	229	232
Philadelphia	35	39	9	79	292	312
Tampa Bay	29	43	11	69	219	249

Northwest Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
y-Pittsburgh	44	27	13	101	299	285
x-Boston	42	28	13	97	287	249
x-Montreal	41	29	14	96	283	248
x-Buffalo	43	31	9	95	280	215
Quebec	34	41	9	76	273	279
Hartford	28	48	8	61	224	286
Ottawa	14	60	9	37	200	393

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Detroit	46	29	8	100	353	271
x-Toronto	42	29	12	96	274	239
x-Dallas	41	29	13	95	282	262
x-St. Louis	39	33	11	89	267	282
x-Chicago	36	35	9	87	250	234
Winnipeg	24	50	9	57	244	341

Pacific Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Vancouver	42	29	13	97	302	256
x-Calgary	41	40	3	85	279	278
x-San Jose	33	35	16	82	252	265
Anaheim	33	46	5	71	229	251
Los Angeles	27	45	11	65	292	320
Edmonton	25	45	13	63	259	303

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title
z-clinched best record overall

Tuesday's Games

N.Y. Rangers 3, Buffalo 2
Philadelphia 4, New Jersey 2
Washington 4, Winnipeg 3
Quebec 5, Florida 2

ON THE AIR

Baseball

San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves, 6:30 p.m., TBS (ch. 11).

Basketball

Charlotte Hornets at Orlando Magic, 7 p.m., TNT (ch. 28).

Golf

PGA Senior's Championship, 3 p.m., USA (ch. 38).

Boxing

Larry Donald vs. Bert Cooper for WBC heavyweight title, 7:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

Local Sports Schedule

Thursday

High School Baseball
Big Spring at Monahans, 7:30 p.m.

Friday

High School Baseball
Lake View at Big Spring JV, 5 p.m.
Kermit at C-City, 5 p.m.
Howard College Baseball
Howard at Frank Phillips, 1 p.m.

High School Track
District 3-4A Championships (Andrews)
District 6-2A Championships (Stanton)
District 12-A Championships (Plains)

High School Golf
Big Spring (boys) at Lake View
Big Spring (girls) at Fort Stockton

Saturday

Howard College Baseball
Howard at Frank Phillips (DH), 12 p.m.

High School Baseball
Big Spring at Pecos, 1 p.m.

Chicago 4, Toronto 3
Dallas 9, St. Louis 5
Wednesday's Games
Boston 8, Ottawa 0
N.Y. Islanders 2, Tampa Bay 0
Detroit 9, Montreal 0
Edmonton 2, San Jose 2, tie
Los Angeles 6, Calgary 4
Vancouver 2, Anaheim 1

Thursday's Games
Hartford at Boston, 7:35 p.m.
Washington at Buffalo, 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia at N.Y. Rangers, 7:35 p.m.
Ottawa at New Jersey, 7:35 p.m.
Quebec at Tampa Bay, 7:35 p.m.

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1992 Pontiac Grand Prix SE - White, fully equipped, one owner with 30,000 miles.....Sale Price \$11,995

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1992 Ford Tempo GLD - Green with black interior, Local one owner.....Sale Price \$8,995

1992 Ford Aerostar XLT Ext Van - Blue with black cloth, captain chairs, fully equipped, 24,000 miles.....Sale Price \$12,995

1991 Ford Escort Pony 2-DR - Tan with black interior, one owner with 37,000 miles.....Sale Price \$4,995

1991 Chrysler New Yorker Fifth Avenue - Black with cloth, fully equipped, local one owner with 24,000 miles.....Sale Price \$10,995

1991 Nissan King Cab P/U - Blue, and fully equipped, one owner with 60,000 miles.....Sale Price \$7,995

1991 Chevrolet Blazer S-10 - Red, fully equipped, local one owner with 29,000 miles.....Sale Price \$10,995

1991 Ford Aerostar XL Ext Van - White with black cloth, fully equipped, local one owner, 54,000 miles.....Sale Price \$10,995

1991 Mazda Protege DX 4-DR - Red with black interior, clean, one owner with 24,000 miles.....Sale Price \$7,995

1991 Mercury Cougar L.S. - Mocha with black interior, fully equipped, local one owner with 36,000 miles.....Sale Price \$9,995

1991 Mercury Sable GS - Gray with black interior, fully equipped, one owner.....Sale Price \$8,995

1990 Chevrolet Lumina APV - Red, cloth, fully equipped, local one owner with 41,000 miles.....Sale Price \$9,995

1990 Mercury Sable LS Station Wagon - White with red cloth, fully equipped, local one owner, 48,000 miles.....Sale Price \$7,995

1990 Cadillac DeVille 4-DR. - Navy blue with leather, fully equipped, local one owner with 51,000 miles.....Sale Price \$12,995

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Horses 230

GIGANTIC SADDLE & TACK AUCTION

Inventory Reduction Sale
DATE: April 19, 1994

Cowboy Tuff Saddles & Tack of San Antonio, TX. is way overstocked and needs to move a large amount of inventory. Name brand saddles & tack to be sold at public auction. Saddles by Circle Y, Billy Cook, Texas Saddlery, Dakota, and Blue Ridge. Also Pony and English saddles & tack. Silver show equipment, nylon halters, leads, pads, blankets, headstalls, reins, girths, breast collars, and too many other items to list. This sale includes just about anything used on or about a horse.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash, MC/Visa, and Check with proper I.D.

Drawing for FREE Silver Headstall!
Don't miss this spring sale!

PLACE: Holiday Inn
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VIEWING: 6:30 p.m.
AUCTION: 7:30 p.m.

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Garage Sale 380

3-FAMILY SALE: Saturday Only! Air conditioners, furniture, camper shell and lots of misc. 2404 Marcy (E. FM 700)

3 FAMILY, 701 Settles. Saturday-Sunday 7:00am. Fishing gear, guns, clothes, and lots of miscellaneous.

CHURCH GARAGE SALE--Evangel Temple Assembly of God at 2205 Goliad. Saturday from 7:30-noon. Craft and Baked goods. Everything Priced to Sell!!!

INSIDE! Friday-Saturday, 10:00-5:00. 1400 S. Main! Antiques! Arts! Crafts! 15 Rooms! Luggage! Bicycles! Furniture! Telephones! Humidifier! Fabrics!

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, 12:19 E. 16th. Antiques, old quilts, trunks, guitar/case, jigsaw puzzles, clothes, lots of collectibles.

FRIENDS SALE - Friday-Saturday, 501 E. 17th. Old, new, good, bad stuff. Come see us!

GARAGE SALE: 2 Family, 1744 Purdue. 9:00-5:00 Friday only. Clothes, desk, miscellaneous, and more.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday Only! Derrick Road off of 11th Extension/Midway Road. Watch for signs!! 8:30-4:30.

4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 903 E. 14th, 8:00-5:00pm. 25" and 19" color TV, furniture, linens, glassware, toys, lots of children's name brand clothes- different sizes, patio furniture, toy box, and miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: 2512 East 24th. Friday-Saturday, 8:00-5:00. Loveseat, chairs, trash compactor, linens, clothes, household items. Lots of miscellaneous.

GLESIA BAUTISTA LA FE Church Garage Sale: Saturday, 7:00am-4:00. 408 State, in Fellowship Hall. Lots of Stuff!

MOVING SALE: 1311 Lamar. Wednesday-Friday 1:00pm. Washer/dryer, clothing, TV, bookshelves, large mirror, stereo, misc.

MULTI FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 1408 Young. Friday-Saturday 8:00-7. Lots of everything!

THREE FAMILY MOVING SALE: April 16. 2806 Coronado Ave. from 8:00am-3:00pm. Items included: Waterbed, dinette, recliners, clothing, golf clubs and lots of miscellaneous.

THURSDAY-SATURDAY, 9:00-4:00. Come down Midway Road to 5621 and turn onto Yates and follow signs.

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 2814 Coronado. Friday & Saturday 8:00-7. Miscellaneous items, fun machine, etc.

YARD SALE: ALL NEW ITEMS!! 1513 Wood Street. Friday, April 15th. 9:00-7. Public Welcome.

YARD SALE: 1710 Belmont. Friday-Sunday 8:00-7. Furniture, baby furniture, baby clothes, tools, glassware, miscellaneous.

GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE: 6 Family. Clothes, toys, dishes, appliances, etc. Friday-Sunday, 8:00-7 2513 Cindy Lane.

THE Daily Crossword

by Harold B. Counts

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