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## NEWS DIGEST



### Getting rid of the bottom to recycle

Hazel Duggan uses a can opener to remove the bottom of a can before crushing it and tossing it into the bin during the Howard County Coalition for the Environment recycling drive Saturday afternoon.



### Cutting the line

City of Big Spring workers cut into an existing water main to hook in a new water line that the city has been working on along Dixon Street over the past several weeks.

### Creamy drawing

Honee Moore uses her fingers to draw a picture in shaving cream that was sprayed on top of a table as the children were playing at the Westside Day Care Center recently.



## Briefs

### Appreciation day:

Dorothy Garrett Appreciation Day, with the theme "To Dorothy, with love," is May 10 at Coliseum. While the dinner is sold out, seats are still available around the floor. Everyone is encouraged to take a seat for the program at 7:30 p.m. A reception will kick everything off beginning at 6 p.m. Serving will begin at 6 p.m. for the dinner. Those attending are asked to enter by the ramp and use the football parking lot.

### MDA run:

On May 21 and 22, a Poker Run, sponsored by Big Spring Harley Davidson Shop, will begin. Entry fee is \$15 per person, with the proceeds benefiting Celaya Children's MDA Camp. There will be a barbecue, a band, field events.

## Weather

### Clear, low upper 50s:

Tonight, 60 percent chance of rain, low near 60, east wind 10 to 20 mph

### Permian Basin Forecast:

**Monday:** Cloudy, 50 percent chance of rain, high mid 70s, east winds 10 to 20 mph; cloudy night, rain possible, low low 60s.  
**Tuesday:** Cloudy, high mid 70s; cloudy night, low low 60s.  
**Wednesday:** Cloudy, high mid 70s; partly cloudy night, low lower 60s.

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# St. Clair resigns

By STEVE REAGAN  
Staff Writer

Ted St. Clair, executive director of Moore Development for Big Spring, tendered his resignation at today's board meeting.

The board unanimously accepted St. Clair's resignation after emerging from a 45-minute executive session.

St. Clair's resignation will be effective June 30, although he will remain on Moore Development's payroll on a consultant basis for the remainder of the year.

St. Clair said he took the action to defuse public and private criticism of the agency's actions, although he would not go into specifics concerning the criticisms.

"I think it would be good for the situation that has developed over a period of the past few weeks be defused," he said. "I've elected to do this hopefully to allow people in Big Spring to rally together and move forward to achieve the original goals of Moore Development for Big Spring."

"I do this without rancor," he added. Board member Steve Fraser had praise for St. Clair's contributions to the agency.

"I think it's in the best interests of all concerned... if we accept this resignation," he said. "It has been a good relationship between Ted and the board. He's done everything we've asked him to do. The problems of miscommunications that have developed should not be pushed onto Ted."

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# Texas farmers shun programs

## Farm programs less attractive

By ROBERT GREENE  
AP Farm Writer

MCGREGOR — Ray L. Stewart figures he does well enough, thank you, without a government check for the corn and wheat he grows on more than 3,000 acres.

"If I can't make more money out of a block of land than what the Yankee government can pay me for it, I need to find me something else to do," said Stewart, 64, waiting for a lowly sky to drop some rain.

More than sheer cussedness keeps Stewart away from federal support payments that cost \$16 billion last year. By accident and design, farm programs have become less attractive for many growers.

Farm and budget bills since 1985 have nudged farmers toward the market and away from the government for guidance in their planting decisions.

Tight money and a Congress that is less sympathetic to

agriculture will probably produce a 1995 farm bill with even fewer dollars to go around.

You can see change at work in McLennan County. Here, enamel-green expanses of early corn and milo compete with the soft coral, lavender, pink and yellow stipple of bordering wildflowers for the eye's attention.

Growers here like to plant acres, not idle them. They'll lease any small patch as long as it's big enough for a cultivator or combine to do its work. Step three feet off a driveway, and you can be up to your knees in oats.

"I always figured that in a normal year, you can make more money by farming land than by laying it out," said Stewart, using the farmer term for idling land in exchange for government benefits.

Growers get their most government help from deficiency payments. Payments make up the difference between a target price set by Congress and the real market price.

In years when surpluses are expected, farmers are told to limit how many acres they can plant in a "program crop" like corn, wheat or grain sorghum, also called milo.

An extra 15 percent of the land gets knocked out of payments for a budget-saving program called flex. Flex also encourages farmers to try other crops on those

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# Need for volunteers grows as more people seek help

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

The Salvation Army currently serves people in 94 countries including the United States, the West Indies, Paris, Africa, Russia, India and Asia.

In the United States alone, there are 9,600 centers; 5,200 officers and 36,000 employees. The national headquarters are located in Va. and there are four smaller headquarters that help coordinate things for that particular region of the country.

According to the local Salvation Army's 1993 annual report, the emergency shelter served 9,058 meals; there were 3,893 lodgings and 1,338 individuals touched by the shelter.

The League of Mercy, which visits the VA Hospital and nursing homes, had 797 visits; 6,644 gifts were given and 4,961 people were visited by the SA.

During the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons, 4,824 gifts were



given; 3,067 individuals were helped and 1,478 food baskets were distributed to the needy.

"We are seeing an increase in helping out residents and a decrease in transients. I think the difference continues to increase in the two because of the economic conditions of the area. One third of the population in Big Spring is at or below poverty level. More and more women and children are also being helped," said Lt. Albert Villafuerte.

The Salvation Army is currently leading the way to build a battered women's shelter here in Big Spring. "The Christmas in April organization

is helping provide repairs and furnishings, the rest is done by volunteer labor.

Two families and up to eight people will be able to stay in the shelter for long term care. "There is a bedroom and bath on each side of the shelter with a common living area in the middle. No men will be allowed inside as either visitors or volunteers. This is geared towards long term care and they can stay 10 days or longer, perhaps up to two months," said Villafuerte.

Currently, if a woman needs assistance after being abused or left on her own devices, she had to uproot her life and stay in the shelter in Midland. "This shelter will let the woman, and if she has children, stay in Big Spring and continue working and sending the kids to school."

As more and more people are seeking help from the Salvation Army, there is a greater need for volunteers.

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### Checking the pressure

With a blood pressure cuff on her arm, Dee Husted waits for the results from the test being administered by Margaret Creeley at the Big Spring Health Fair in the Big Spring Mall Saturday. The fair drew one of the largest crowds in its history.

# Retiring teachers sees less family support for kids

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

Computer literacy teacher Bobby Grant is calling it quits the end of this school year. Grant is retiring from teaching and moving with his wife to Fort Worth when school lets out the end of this month.

Grant has taught computer courses for the past five years at Runnels Junior High and taught math from 1978 to 1989 at the same school.

"All together, I've taught 21 years in Big Spring. I began teaching here in 1961 and was here for five years then moved to Fort Worth and returned here 12 years later" said Grant.

"I think one of my biggest influences to become a teacher was my own high school math teacher, Mr. Don Green. He made math enjoyable."

Grant graduated from Big Spring High School in 1957 "and I attended Texas Tech and graduated with a bachelor of arts degree in math in 1961."

"One of the biggest changes I've seen over the years is the breakdown in the families which gives less solid support to the students. Before, there were more families where both parents had an active role in their kids and were responsible. Nowadays, it's usually just one parent or there is a step-parent involved and there isn't as much



Bobby Grant talks to his students at Runnels Junior High about computer literacy. Grant is retiring after teaching in Big Spring for 21 years.

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Patrick J. Morgan DD Turner Publisher Managing Editor

Problems need to be worked out soon

Ted St. Clair resigned from Moore Development for Big Spring Inc. today, saying he was trying to defuse public and private criticism of the board.

Mr. St. Clair has worked hard as an executive director of Moore board and should be commended for the job he has done.

Moore Board has been a hot topic since the Big Spring City Council voted to amend the bylaws to make it conform to the state statute which allows the creation of such boards with taxpayer money.

Without going into details, St. Clair cited the council's action as another reason for his resignation.

Big Spring Mayor Tim Blackshear has put the subject of Moore board back on the agenda for the May 24 meeting. Hopefully, that meeting on the bylaws and accountability will iron out the problems.

Big Spring needs an industrial development board and the one it has done a decent job over the past few years of bringing jobs and business to this community.

Both the board and the council has to use the May 24 meeting to iron out the problems and settle their differences. That will truly be the best for this community.

Yes Virginia, there are people liking their jobs

LUKA, Miss. — Yes, there are people on this planet who love their jobs. I asked to hear from them, and response has been such that my mail carrier may learn to hate hers.

The letters from all over collect in the battered mailbox atop a cedar post here in luka, one of the reasons I like my own job: Short commute.

An amazing number of them are from health care professionals, who seem to perform thankless tasks. So far I have heard from doctors, lawyers, math tutors, private investigators, a state pesticide inspector and a diagnostic imaging microcomputer specialist. No Indian chiefs, but much of the mail is as yet unopened and in a big box on the porch. There may well be a chief in there somewhere.

It seems a crime to condense any of the heartfelt letters, some of them two, three, six pages long. Here's the first installment of inspiration:

Gary Frey of Bartlett, Tenn.: "I did work at a job I loved for nearly eight years. I was an air traffic controller, the last four years in New Orleans. I can remember sitting in front of the radar having so much fun that I couldn't believe they paid me to do it. It was just as much fun watching airplanes taxi, take off and land in all kinds of weather from my perch in the central tower. ... It all came to an end with the strike in August, 1981

"The strike was illegal. I paid my debt to society with a year of probation and some 300 hours of community service. ... I was wrong to strike, the law is the law, lesson learned. But I would have resigned anyway. Sounds silly, but I valued friendship, principle, integrity and courage more than air traffic control in 1981. I still do."

Since the strike Gary has worked in the Louisiana oil fields and for Federal Express. But he remembers pre-strike days the most fondly.

Vicki Burton, Chattanooga: "If I were independently wealthy, I'd probably do this for free. I am a private investigator. No, it's not Magnum, Remington Steele or Rockford. It is, however, something new and different every day ...

"Sometimes I'm conducting surveillance on an individual who is 'disabled,' but my video shows him more active than I. Sometimes I'm tracking down, and bringing home, runaway teenagers. Sometimes I'm involved in a heart-wrenching child custody case ... I've been shot at and chased with a vehicle. I've also been assisted and protected ... I know, and greatly appreciate, that I am in the minority. I love my work."

Marion Brown, Memphis: "My husband, Arthur L. Brown, has been



Rheta Grimsley Johnson

a watchmaker (repairing all makes and models of watches) for more than 40 years. He still gets great satisfaction from restoring old troublesome watches and looks forward to each working day in the same manner that most people look forward to weekends and holidays. He says that he will never stop working as long as he has sight and steady hands ...

Sandy Hotine, Atlanta: "I have worked part time as a nurse at a retirement home for 2-1/2 years. I sometimes dread the thought of staying awake all night, but I'm always rewarded when a resident tells me he is glad to see me. I don't make much money and my responsibilities as a mother sometimes seem overwhelming. The residents I serve have given me reason to keep punching the time clock ..."

Her message was written on a nurse's pad at 3:15 a.m. Jeannette Siebert-Campbell, Memphis: I have worked at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital since 1973, only a few years after Danny Thomas fulfilled his dream ... I'm now a medical transcriptionist in the radiology department. Sounds boring, doesn't it? I sit at a computer and type long rambling works that I sometimes don't even know what they mean ... I have the best job in the world. Just 15 minutes ago, a well-dressed young man with a new bride stopped in and hugged me so hard I couldn't breathe. This same young man hugged me just as tightly when I went to his 10th birthday party and when I attended his first sermon as a minister in his own church ... This same young man who 20 years ago walked through our doors at the age of 8 with a near fatal diagnosis of the big word 'rhabdomyosarcoma.'

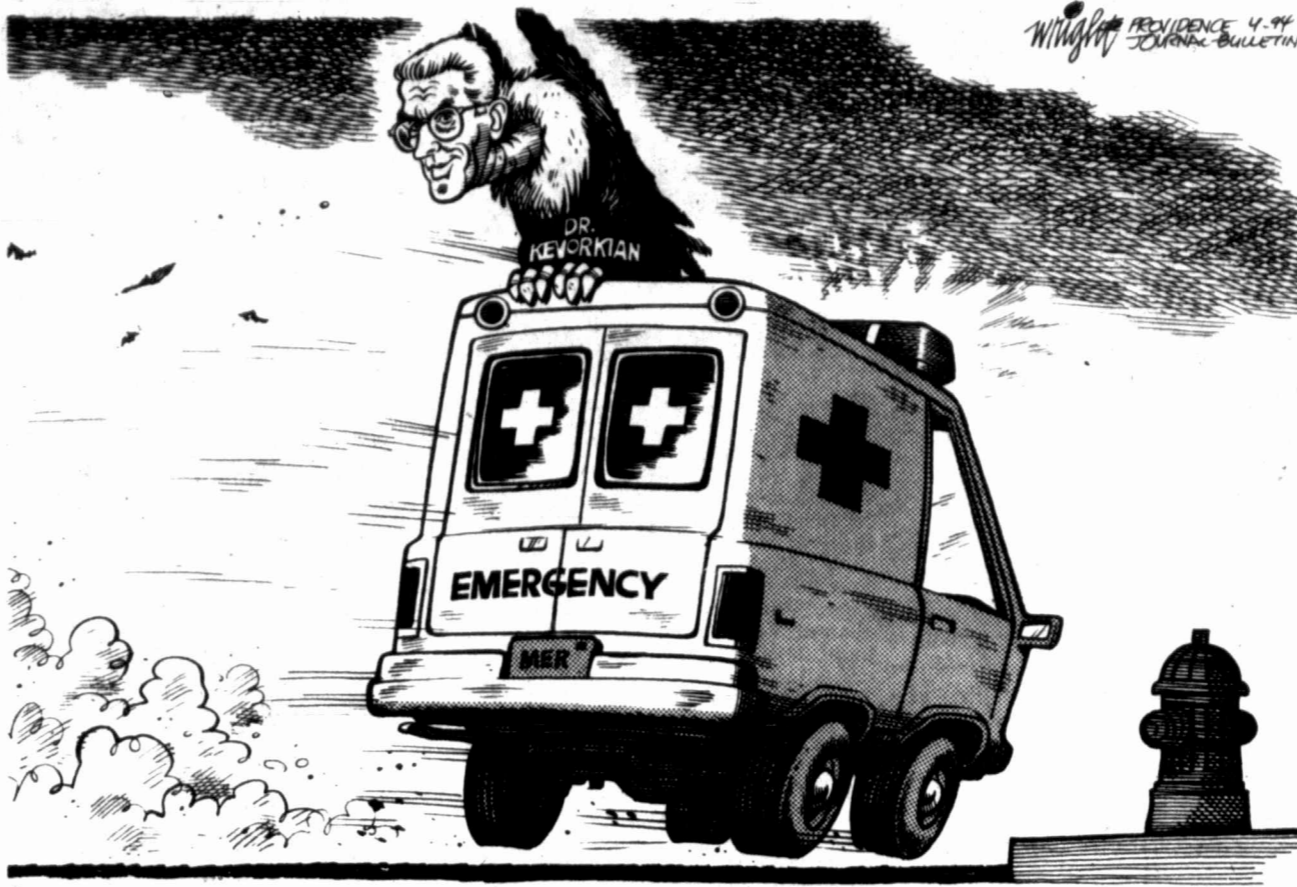
"The world thinks St. Jude is about death and dying and sadness and it is, but it is so much more than that. It's about friendships and laughter and hope ..."

More later from those who love their labor.

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Write the Editor

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Rising interest rates is raising lawmakers ire

WASHINGTON (AP) — Interest rates are rising again after declining for five years and, predictably, members of Congress have revived the time-honored practice known as Fed-bashing.

Nearly every day in recent weeks, in either the House or Senate or both, a lawmaker has stood up to denounce the Federal Reserve Board for nudging short-term interest rates up by three-quarters of a percentage point over the past three months.

Democratic legislators have held impassioned news conferences and issued weighty reports. They've held hearings to take testimony from rate increase "victims," such as home builders.

Usually Fed-bashing is a bipartisan exercise. Republicans like low interest rates just as much as Democrats.

In 1992, Republicans complained far more loudly about the Fed than did Democrats. They were fearful that George Bush would lose the presidency because the Federal Reserve was being too timid about stimulating the economy. And they might have been right.

But this time around, it is the Democrats who are most vocal. For one thing, they're in power and have the most to lose — such as control of the Senate — if the economy sours.

For another, the Fed is still controlled by appointees of the Republican Bush and Reagan administrations. So the Democrats aren't criticizing their own — although President Clinton recently made his first two nominations to the seven-member board.

So far, the administration hasn't

Washington Today

jumped onto the Fed-bashing bandwagon. Clinton's date with voters in 1996 is two years further away than most of the Fed's congressional critics.

A few, but only a few, Republicans have risen to the central bank's defense. Rep. Dick Army of Texas and Sen. Christopher Bond of Missouri have pointed out the pain inflicted by high inflation in the 1970s.

But in the face of the mildest sustained inflation in nearly 30 years, it's difficult, politically, to argue for the Fed's strategy of preemptively raising rates.

"As a politician, you don't gain a lot defending the Fed," said economist Robert G. Dederick of Northern Trust Co. in Chicago. "You don't have many people who say, 'I like him because he defends the Fed.'"

In fact, it's pretty much of a no-lose proposition to criticize the central bank, he said.

"If things work out economically, no one is going to hold it against you. And if there are problems, you can remind people you are one of those who warned the Fed," he said.

Economist Martin A. Regalia of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce sees unrestrained criticism of the Federal Reserve as "dangerous rhetoric."

"It's exacerbating the uncertainty in the markets," he said. "The markets are having some difficulty digesting the Fed's moves ... and

having the Congress come in and bash the Fed doesn't help."

But economist Mark Zandi of Regional Financial Associates in West Chester, Pa., said Fed-bashing practically was designed into the system when the central bank was established 80 years ago.

Its creators knew elected politicians wouldn't have the perspective needed to dampen economic growth in the short run with higher interest rates in order to keep inflation subdued in the long run.

So they gave Fed board members 14-year terms and ensured they couldn't be removed at the whim of presidents or lawmakers. That left unhappy politicians with little to do but complain.

"The Fed's used to this and, in a sense, it's their job to take the heat for these kinds of decisions," Zandi said.

Ironically, if Fed critics turn out to be right and the economy suffers appreciably as a result of rising interest rates, voters will take out their dissatisfaction on elected officials, not politically insulated central bankers.

"All this blame-shifting will be meaningless. The politicians will lose their jobs anyway," Zandi said. "But it's kind of instinctual. They have to blame someone."

Dave Skidmore has covered economics and banking from Washington for The Associated Press since 1987.

Slouching toward invasion of Haiti

Scrapps Howard News Service

With American prestige sagging abroad under the weight of ineffectual policies in Bosnia, Somalia and North Korea, President Clinton upped the ante in another hotspot, Haiti. He told a worldwide television audience the other night that he may use force "to restore democracy" to that impoverished island.

As always with Clinton, the question is, Does he mean it? In our view, he had better. He cannot afford to back down again from a high-profile commitment he has made over and over, not as a candidate but as president of the United States.

Besides, matters are coming to a head in Haiti from several directions. At the United Nations, a U.S.-initiated resolution expected to pass any day will tighten economic sanctions on Haiti if its military rulers do not cede power in 15 days.

A tightened embargo in turn will increase the desperation of Haiti's poor, and more of them will risk their lives at sea trying to reach U.S. shores. This will highlight the inadequate American policy of returning migrants to Haiti, where government

killings of suspected critics are sharply on the rise.

The administration clings to the hope that sanctions alone will work. But its commitments should be built on more than hope. The president should be planning to achieve his end whatever the Haitian junta does.

We must add that in our view Clinton's policy has a questionable premise: that democracy can be "restored" where it has never existed. Yes, exiled President Jean-Bertrand Aristide was legitimately elected. But history proved how meager was the democratic soil in which he tried to govern. He was ousted after less than a year.

Our own preferred strategy would be not invasion and occupation but long-term support for democratization: a cold war against Haiti's repressive government, spotlighting its abominable record on human

rights; and steady friendship with its people, demonstrated through aid to private charities, job-creating private-sector trade, and continuing grants through the National Endowment for Democracy to foster public dialogue and civic institutions. Call it the South African model of transition to majority rule.

But Clinton and certain Democratic constituencies will have no such gradualism. They demand change now. All right, then. Let the administration admit that Haiti's ruling class will not step aside voluntarily any time soon. Let it think through a solid plan for removing the junta by force, disarming its henchmen, and leaving behind a workable government, recognizing that this process will take years.

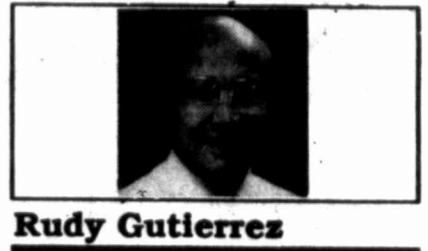
Better that than further squandering American prestige with a policy of bombast and contemptible inaction.



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Rudy Gutierrez

Thanks, officers, for your support

Next week, May 15 - 21, is National Law Enforcement Week. I dedicate this article to all peace officers both in the Big Spring Police Department and the Howard County Sheriff Department.

This school year, 1993-94, was my first year to be the schools' attendance officer so I do not have anything to compare our success to. However, at the end of the fifth six-weeks period grades kindergarten through fifth had almost 96 percent attendance. The state would like for us to have 97 percent total school population. So you see, in the elementary, K-5, we are doing quite well as we are only a little more than 1 percent from reaching their total schools' population goal.

I want to thank all students of levels K-5 for wanting to come to school and supporting their teachers, schools, studies and parents. I need to thank all parents who participated in helping us do this well and for their support not only to me and the schools, but for supporting their children in recognizing the importance of sending them to school.

A special thanks to all teachers for motivating and encouraging their students to understand the importance of needing and wanting to come to school. To all principals a thank you is in order for helping to see that the attendance form used this year was completed and mailed to me as soon as possible. To all secretaries and attendance clerks, thanks for their diligent and thorough bookkeeping. To the chief administration and school board a thank you for their communications, knowledge, understanding, and support.

Our good attendance also reflects support from the business community for making contributions to the students and schools to encourage and promote the schools' attendance program. The media, the two radio stations - KBYG and KBST, and the Big Spring Herald, have also played a very important role in helping me and the schools with our success of the attendance program.

The attendance program would not have been a success without the assistance, and support that I received from the Big Spring Police Department, the Howard County Sheriff Department, and the Justice of the Peace Court. The Adopt-A-Cop program that we have at each Elementary school is to be commended. I have come to know and appreciate Resource Officer Javier Becerra and other officers for the many times that they have served as my civil stand-by at some parents' homes. The most courteous, efficient, diligent, and thorough assistance and support that I received from Sheriff Standard, his Chief Deputy, and other deputies are certainly factors for the success of the attendance program. Two ladies that I respect and appreciate in the Court House for all their paper work and support are Mrs. Norma Garcia, clerk and Mrs. China Long, Justice of the Peace.

My next article Monday, May 23, will be my last. Rudy Gutierrez is the Parental Involvement coordinator and attendance officer for the Big Spring Independent School District.

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Briefs

S. Africa turns corner of democracy

SAL ISLAND, Cape Verde (AP) — Carrying a promise of new economic aid and hope for progress elsewhere in Africa, Vice President Al Gore today led a U.S. delegation to South Africa's "rite of passage" to a multiracial democracy.

Two Boeing 707s carried a delegation that also included Hillary Rodham Clinton, 11 members of Congress and an array of prominent black Americans, from Jesse Jackson and NAACP executive director Benjamin Chavis to retired Gen. Colin Powell and entertainer Quincy Jones.

Speaking to reporters en route to a refueling stop in Cape Verde, the tiny nation on an island group off the coast of West Africa, Gore mixed a sober analysis of the economic and political challenges facing South Africa with marvel at the historic transition and relatively trouble-free elections.

"In historical terms, this is a very big wheel turning," Gore said. "This has the feeling of a rite of passage for all of humanity."

Actor George Peppard dies of pneumonia

LOS ANGELES (AP) — George Peppard, whose 37-year acting career included roles opposite Audrey Hepburn in "Breakfast at Tiffany's" and Mr. T on "The A-Team," has died of pneumonia. He was 65.

Peppard died Sunday night at the University of California, Los Angeles Medical Center, said his publicist, Cheryl Kagan. He had been hospitalized Thursday with breathing problems and quickly developed pneumonia, Kagan said.

Peppard appeared in more than 25 movies starting in the late 1950s. He found early success with his role as a sympathetic young writer who befriended the flighty Holly Golightly, played by Hepburn, in 1961's "Breakfast at Tiffany's."

In 1964's "The Carpetbaggers," Peppard played a young playboy who inherits an aircraft business and becomes a megalomaniacal tycoon — a role he said typified him for later tough-guy film roles.

BCCI second in command facing fraud charges

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly three years after the BCCI scandal rippled throughout the world, the bank's second-in-command is facing charges of bank fraud in the United States.

Swaleh Naqvi, former chief executive of the Bank of Credit and Commerce International, was arrested over the weekend in the Persian Gulf nation of Abu Dhabi and flown to the United States, the Justice Department said Sunday.

Naqvi, 61, who holds Pakistani and British citizenship, was scheduled to appear today in U.S. District Court in Washington for arraignment on criminal bank fraud charges. If convicted on the three most serious counts, he could face up to 35 years in prison and \$750,000 in fines.

Conflicting claims of wins in Yemen's war

SAN'A, Yemen (AP) — North Yemen said today its troops were closing in on Aden, the stronghold of rival southern forces, and predicted the important oil city would fall within hours.

But the southern command denied the north's claims and said in a communique its troops had recaptured Zinjibar, another southern stronghold on the Red Sea, 30 miles north-east of Aden.

Independent verification of battlefield claims was not immediately possible. The north pledged to fight on until Aden had fallen.

Hundreds of foreigners continued to flee on boats and by air. Western embassies advised their citizens to leave. The U.S. State Department told any Americans who wanted out to gather today at a hotel in the northern capital, San'a.

Moon will eclipse sun on Tuesday

WASHINGTON (AP) — A blazing ring of fire will arc across the sky Tuesday as the moon moves in front of the sun, leaving a circle of sunlight around a dark disk.

Astronomers call it an annular eclipse — a spectacular event, if not as dramatic as a full eclipse when the entire sun is covered.

An annular eclipse, like a full eclipse, occurs when the moon moves between the Earth and sun. But the moon's orbit isn't exactly circular and it's now near its farthest point from Earth, so it won't appear large enough to completely block the sun.

Mandela elected president

The Associated Press

CAPE TOWN, South Africa — Nelson Mandela became South Africa's first black president today, chosen in the former halls of apartheid by a newly elected parliament to complete the transition from white rule to multiracial democracy.

The former saboteur and political prisoner was the only nominee to succeed F.W. de Klerk, with whom he shared the 1993 Nobel Peace Prize for negotiating the end of South Africa's segregationist policies.

Members of the new 400-seat National Assembly leaped to their feet in applause and shouts of joy as Chief Justice Michael Corbett announced Mandela's selection.

Mandela is to be inaugurated Tuesday, in a ceremony attended by some 40 world leaders.

Five years ago, Mandela, 75, was in the 27th year of a life prison term for sabotage against the white government. De Klerk freed him in February 1990 and the two began negotiating the reforms that led to the April 26-29 vote, the first to include the black majority.

Albertina Sisulu, wife of African National Congress deputy president Walter Sisulu and longtime friend of Mandela, made the nomination.

Earlier, a crowd of supporters, including groundskeepers and housekeepers who had made the parliament grounds immaculate, shouted "Viva!" as Mandela arrived.

Mandela and de Klerk strode in to the chamber together on a red carpet to a standing ovation from the lawmakers, many of them former exiles and prisoners in the ANC struggle against apartheid.

In a show of reconciliation, Mandela and his main black rival, Zulu nationalist leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi, embraced and shook hands in front of the speaker's podium.

Mandela and other top ANC officials, including his estranged wife, Winnie, then became the first members sworn in to the National Assembly, whose members range from pro-apartheid whites seeking their own homeland to ex-guerrillas



President-elect Nelson Mandela, right, raises his hand to pledge the oath of allegiance, along with Vice-President-Elect Thamo Mbeki in the national parliament building in Cape Town today. A Mandela will be formally inaugurated as the country's first black president Tuesday.

and political prisoners.

His ANC won more than 62 percent of the vote in April's national elections, giving it 252 seats in the parliament.

De Klerk's party, which had ruled since 1948 and implemented apartheid's laws, won 82 seats, followed by Buthelezi's Inkatha Freedom Party with 43.

The remaining seats were divided among the white, pro-apartheid Freedom Front, the liberal Democratic Party, the black militant Pan Africanist Congress, and the African Christian Democratic Party.

"I am excited like a young boy," said ANC Secretary-General Cyril Ramaphosa, who led the transition talks with the white government.

"This is the parliament we have been storming all of these years, and finally through negotiations the doors are open and we are walking in very majestically."

Tight security enveloped central Cape Town in preparation for Mandela's speech after the parliament session to a crowd expected to top 100,000 people.

More than 1,000 police and sol-

diers, bolstered by 800 ANC marshals, patrolled this morning while a huge new South African flag flew from City Hall.

A Xhosa tribal singer dressed in traditional beads and animal skins sat outside the parliament building, bellying incantations as the new lawmakers arrived and calling upon the spirits of deceased anti-apartheid activists. He later entered the parliament chamber to cheers and yelps from the assembly.

More than 150,000 people, including scores of foreign dignitaries, are expected at the inauguration in Pretoria, the country's administrative capital. Guests include Vice President Al Gore, Hillary Clinton, Britain's Prince Philip and Palestine Liberation Organization chairman Yasser Arafat.

The new government's main task will be to write a permanent, post-apartheid constitution and try to make good on the ANC's campaign promises to provide housing, electricity and jobs for millions of the country's impoverished blacks.

For high or lower, cable rates changing

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Cable rates are changing — again. For most subscribers, that's supposed to mean a decrease, but some will save more than others.

The Federal Communications Commission's new rates go into effect next week — the government's second attempt in less than a year to reduce what people pay to watch cable TV.

The new rules are designed to reduce cable rates an average of 7 percent. But not all of the nation's 11,000 cable systems have to reduce rates on Sunday, May 15. Some can wait until July 15 as long as they promise not to raise rates in the interim.

Because of other changes in the FCC's new rules, some cable bills may not drop the full 7 percent.

And some will go up. Though it's too early to know what will happen to an individual subscriber's bill, some trends are emerging.

Subscribers in affluent areas will pay more because the new rates take into account the median income in the area a cable system serves.

For instance, for two systems identical in every respect except for income, a customer in an area with a median income of \$50,000 would pay \$26.26 a month, while a customer of a system where the median income is \$15,000 would be charged \$19.57 a month, said William Finerman, chairman of the New York State Commission on Cable Television.

Rates for customers served by a company that owns multiple cable systems will be higher than customers of generally smaller, independently owned systems.

For example, a subscriber to a cable system owned by a big company would be charged \$19.57 a month, while a subscriber to an independently owned system would pay \$18.24 a month, with all other factors being equal, Finerman said.

Systems that charge customers for each TV set hooked up to cable, for remote control rentals and for switching to different levels of service, can charge a higher rate for each of these options, cable executives said.

The FCC's latest rate cut comes on

Where to get answers

The Associated Press

If you have a question about your cable rates, you can turn to several places for help:

1. Your local franchising authority, generally an entity run by the city or town where you live. Some local systems are overseen by state commissions.

2. Your cable operator.

3. The Federal Communication Commission. For general information, 202-416-0856. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. EDT.

To contest an expanded basic rate, a consumer must file a complaint to the commission. To obtain a complaint form, call 202-416-0919. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On weekends, form requests can be left on voice mail.

If you need help completing the form, call 202-416-0902. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Return forms to the FCC, P.O. Box 18238, Washington, D.C., 20036. They also can be faxed to 202-416-0885.

top of a 10 percent reduction implemented last September.

While many systems rolled back rates at that time, some didn't. So on May 15, those systems will have to adjust rates to reflect the sum of the two reductions.

That's what's happening in Coulee City, Wash., a town of about 1,000 people west of Spokane. A subscriber paying \$33.10 a month for 21 channels, an additional outlet, a converter box and a remote control, will pay \$26.27 — a 20 percent reduction, said David Kinley, whose Sun Country operates the system there.

But some of the nation's 58 million subscribers may find rate increases in their bills over the next several months. That's because the new rate structure intended to reduce cable bills is only one of two changes taking effect on May 15.

The other: a yearlong rate freeze will be lifted and cable companies will be able to raise rates to account for inflation and increases in business costs.

Policy on Haitian refugees is eased

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Clinton eased his maligned policy on Haitian refugees and named a new special adviser in hopes of restarting the stalled drive to restore democracy to the military-held country.

Clinton said those fleeing Haiti by boat will now be able to submit their asylum requests aboard U.S. ships rather than face immediate repatriation to their violence-torn nation.

Economic refugees will continue to be returned, but changes must be made to protect "some who genuinely fear for their lives," Clinton said.

The president, in a Rose Garden news conference Sunday, also announced that William Gray, a former congressman from Pennsylvania and House majority whip, would be the new special adviser on Haiti.

Gray, who now heads the United Negro College Fund, said he shared Clinton's "determination to help end the suffering of the Haitian people at



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the hands of their military leaders."

Gray replaces Lawrence Pezzullo, who was forced from office last month because of differences over the administration's faltering Haiti policy. Pezzullo alienated exiled Haitian President Jean-Bertrand Aristide and some in the State Department by calling for political reconciliation among the different factions in Haiti.

The policy moves came as the administration seeks to blunt criticism that it is too tough on refugees or too weak on the military leaders who overthrew Aristide, Haiti's first democratically elected president, in a September 1991 coup.

The administration in recent days has also pushed the United Nations to impose tougher economic sanctions if the military leaders do not agree by May 21 to step down and restore Aristide to power.

Millionaire elected as Panama's new president

The Associated Press

PANAMA CITY, Panama — A millionaire businessman was assured victory as Panama's new president today in the first election since the U.S. invasion five years ago.

Ernesto Perez Balladares, who managed the campaign of Gen. Manuel Noriega's hand-picked candidate during the ill-fated and violent 1989 elections, distanced himself from the former strongman during his campaign and said he opposed a return to militarism.

"Now we begin to construct together, regardless of our different political groups, the future of the nation," Perez Balladares said after declaring victory late Sunday.

With almost two-thirds of the vote counted, Perez Balladares, known as "Toro" or Bull for his burly build, was leading with more than 33 percent, the independent Electoral Tribunal said.

Salsa singer-actor Ruben Blades, in third place with 18 percent of the vote, said he would not concede defeat until the final numbers were in. But he admitted things did not look good for his 2-year-old Papa Egoro, or "Mother Earth" party.

"Whoever wins the election can be sure we will accept the decision of the people," he said. "We are not an

opposition group, but a party of proposals."

There was no immediate reaction from the apparent No. 2 finisher, Mireya Moscoso, widow of the late Arnulfo Arias de la Madrid, a popular president elected three times and thrown out every time by coups. The ruling Arnulfista Party's candidate had 28 percent of the vote.

Final results were expected today. Under Panamanian law, an absolute majority is not required for victory: Whoever gets the most votes wins.

Voter turnout was estimated at more than 70 percent. Thousands lined up patiently under cloudy skies at scores of voting stations around the capital.

The tribunal said no violence was reported and balloting went quickly and smoothly. Former President Carter was among some 1,200 international and Panamanian observers on hand. He had been among those who denounced the previous election in 1989 as fraudulent.

Two people were arrested for election law violations.

It was the first time Panamanians had voted for a president since the 1989 contest, which Noriega annulled when it became obvious that his candidate, Carlos Duque, would lose.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On December 1, 1992, TU Electric filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to make a refund of the estimated reduction in TU Electric's 1993 state franchise tax liability resulting from tax legislation passed during the 72nd Texas Legislature. This refund was made using an interim refund factor that was applied monthly beginning January 1993 and which continued until the effect of the tax legislation was permanently included in TU Electric's base rates on August 3, 1993.

As required by Commission Substantive Rule 23.21 (d), the interim refund factor is subject to additional refund or surcharge to the extent it differs from the factor finally set by the Commission based upon TU Electric's actual reduction in 1993 state franchise taxes. Through the interim refund factors, TU Electric refunded a total of \$8,102,278. However, for the period January 1, 1993 through August 3, 1993, TU Electric's reduction in state franchise tax was only \$7,636,852. Thus, there was an overrefund of \$465,548. Under the Commission's Rules, this overrefund, including interest at the rate set by the Commission, is subject to surcharge by TU Electric.

TU Electric has proposed that the overrefund, including interest, either be included in the next fuel refund/surcharge proceeding to be filed pursuant to the Commission's Rules, or be included in Commission Project No. 12497, involving the refund of bonded rates in Docket No. 11735.

This matter has been assigned Docket No. 11632. The deadline for intervention in this proceeding is June 20, 1994. Persons who wish to intervene or comment upon these proceedings should notify the Commission by June 20, 1994. A request to intervene or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission's Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 for text telephone.



Hungarian voters put former Communists back in power

The Associated Press

BUDAPEST, Hungary — Voters looking for a way out of economic hardship have turned back to the former Communists, swept from power in 1990 but now professing democratic ideals.

The strong showing reflected disenchantment with high unemployment and inflation as the country complexly its transition to capitalism. Turnout was roughly 70 percent, even higher than the 65 percent in 1990.

With more than 99 percent of the votes counted, the former Communists, renamed the Socialists, were on top with 33 percent. As the leading party, they will be asked to put together a coalition government and name a prime minister.

Second in Hungary's second democratic elections in nearly 50 years

were the liberal Free Democrats with almost 20 percent.

The center-right Hungarian Democratic Forum, the senior government coalition partner, was a poor third at 12 percent, with the agrarian Independent Smallholders next at 9 percent.

Voters cast ballots for individual candidates and party lists to fill the legislature, but most of the races will not actually be decided until runoff for those garnering at least 15 percent of the vote are held May 29.

Of the 176 seats allotted to individual candidates, Socialists had won two with more than half the vote and were leading for 160 others, meaning 174 seats are to be voted in the runoff. The Free Democrats were leading in 12 and the Forum in one.

A simple majority is needed to win in the second round.

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## Triple jumper may grab gold for Big Spring

By STEVE REAGAN  
Sports writer

Practice? Who needs practice? The old axiom that practice makes perfect took a beating April 30 when Big Spring High School's Drexell Owusu, who had seen lots more of the trainer's table than the track lately, won the Region 1-4A triple jump competition. Not only did he win the event, he set a regional record in the process, breaking the old mark by almost a foot.

Practice? Who needs practice?

While preparing for the district meet a few weeks ago, Owusu, a junior, suffered a hip avulsion, a condition where the muscle in the hip area pulled away from the bone. It is not a career-threatening injury, but the only effective treatment is rest, meaning that Owusu would have to skip practices.

He won the triple jump at the District 3-4A meet, but no one expressed surprise, injured hip or no. The real test, everyone agreed, would be at the regional meet in San Angelo.

So, after two weeks of staying off the injured hip, all Owusu did at the meet was win the triple jump in a record length of 48 feet, 9 inches. That distance is tops among Class 4A state meet qualifiers, which means that the gimpy Owusu has to be the pre-meet favorite for a gold medal.

Practice? Who needs practice? This result might be surprising to most, but not to Owusu.

"Expected to be in the top two," he said. "I knew I was going to state. It was just a matter of what position I'd finish. I was really confident that I'd qualify for state."

Indeed. Owusu's accomplishment might not be so surprising, however, when you consider his background. Both of his parents were outstanding athletes in college. In fact, his father, Josh, represented Ghana in the long jump at the 1972 Olympics in Munich, Germany.

In other words, his genes didn't hurt.

"It's extremely good to have an Olympian for a father and a very good athlete for a mother," BSHS track coach Randy Britton said. "Not only are they good athletes, but they're good role models as well.... Just having the family life he has makes it so much better. I've got kids up here whose parents never see them run, so he's got good support at home."

Drexell said the elder Owusu has been a big influence on him, both on and off the track.

"He's been the biggest influence on me," Owusu said of his father. "He's really encouraged me, but he won't let you off that easy. If you're not doing it right, he won't let you off until you get it right. He's really a pretty good coach."

Having a coach at home, and a coach at school - Britton knows a thing or two about sending athletes to the state meet - plus being a two-time district champ in the triple jump breeds optimism. Armed with the best distance among the field, Owusu has a gold medal in his plans.

"Definitely," he said. "Otherwise, it wouldn't be any fun to go down there... If I don't get it this year, I'll get the state record next year."

Don't bet against him, now or then, Britton said.

"You have to put this into context," Britton said. "What would he have done if he'd have been training for four weeks?"

Practice?

(Drexell Owusu, Big Spring).  
6:15 p.m. - 4A running events (Justin Taylor, Big Spring, 110 meter hurdles).

Saturday  
10 a.m. - 1A girls' discus (Katie Keyes, Sands)  
Noon - 2A running events (Stanton girls' 800 and 1,600 meter relays).

At the 4A state qualifiers meet, Drexell Owusu turned in Texas' top distance in the triple jump - 48 feet, 9 inches.

Justin Taylor's time in the 100 hurdles was 14.3 seconds. The top time in the state belongs to Brad Cannon of Austin Reagan (13.89).

Kathy Smith's long jump was 17-9. The top distance in the state is Waco Midway's Amanda Mooney's 18-9.

### Crippen makes academic team

Coahoma's Angela Crippen, currently concentrating on this weekend's UIL state tennis finals, has received a basketball honor.

Crippen, a senior, is one of 10 girls that has been named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches' Academic All-State Team for Class 2A girls.

### QuickSilver tourney comes to Stanton

The second-annual QuickSilver Softball Tournament will be played May 20-21 in Stanton.

The entry deadline is May 19, and the team fee is \$110. For more information, call Wayne DeLao (756-2105) or Junior Valdez (756-2028).

### Tennis camp planned for Big Spring

A tennis camp for boys and girls ages 7-18 will be at Big Spring's Figure 7 Tennis Center June 6-10. The camp sessions will be 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. The cost of the camp is \$90.

## Knicks, Suns win; Hawks cool Heat

By The Associated Press

A 2-1 series lead wasn't enough for Miami. Eighteen and 15-point leads weren't enough for Houston and Chicago.

Sunday was Comeback Day in the NBA playoffs.

The Atlanta Hawks, down 2-1 to the Heat despite being the No. 1 seed in the Eastern Conference, avoided the upset bug that stung top-seeded Seattle in the West, beating Miami 102-91 Sunday to advance to the next round against Indiana.

Mookie Blaylock had 13 points, 18 assists, eight rebounds and four steals for the Hawks. With a loss, they would have joined the SuperSonics as the only No. 1 seeds ever to lose in the first round.

"He had a sensational game," teammate Kevin Willis said of Blaylock. "Defense, assists, he did it all. He was incredible."

Blaylock capped a late first-half surge that gave the Hawks a 54-44 lead with a desperation 3-pointer with 2.4 seconds left, hitting from just over the half-court line.

"We just wanted to go out and play our game," Blaylock said. "We went out a couple of times and played their game and the result was a win for them."

Willis had 24 points and 12 rebounds for the Hawks, who begin a best-of-7 series with Indiana on Tuesday. Denver, which pulled the upset of Seattle on Saturday, opens at Utah on the same night.

Miami, making its second playoff appearance in its six-year history, was led by Grant Long with 22 points.

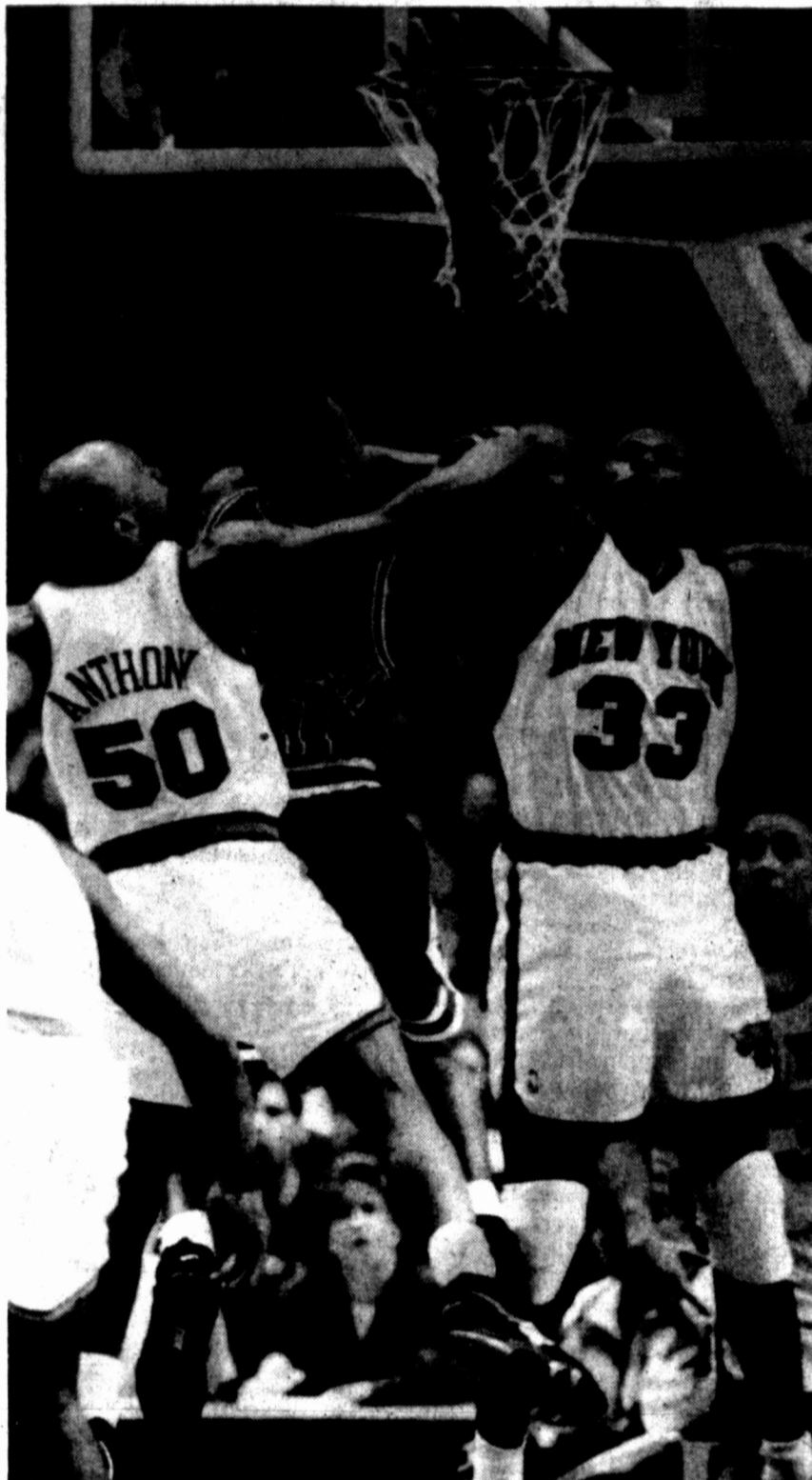
### Knicks 90, Bulls 86

New York trailed 67-52 with 3:15 left in the third quarter, then outscored Chicago 38-19 the rest of the way.

Anthony Mason made two big plays in the final minute - a breakaway layup with 48 seconds left that gave the Knicks their first lead since the first quarter and an offensive rebound with 8.2 seconds left.

Mason took a long pass from John Starks ahead of the Chicago defense and scored, giving the Knicks an 88-86 lead. After a miss by the Bulls, New York's Greg Anthony grazed the rim on a shot just as the 24-second clock expired, and Mason rebounded, setting up two clinching free throws by Starks.

Mason, who scored just six points in four games against New Jersey but had 11 Sunday, said he was the



Chicago's B.J. Armstrong, with ball, finds himself surrounded by New York's Greg Anthony (50) and Patrick Ewing as he goes to the hoop Sunday. New York won 90-86 to take a 1-0 lead in the series.

only player who didn't hesitate when the whistle blew.

"The only way we weren't going to get the ball is if the refs thought the ball didn't hit the rim," he said. "They thought the play was over, but I kept going."

The Bulls, who have eliminated the Knicks from the playoffs three straight years en route to the NBA title, were led by Scottie Pippen with 24 points, although he missed 10 of

13 shots in the second half.

"I think the Knicks realize that we're going to be a much tougher opponent than everyone anticipated," Pippen said. "But even if they win four games from us, they'll know they've been in a tough series."

Patrick Ewing had 18 points and 12 rebounds and Starks 17 points for the Knicks.

Still trailing 76-66 with 10:29 to

go, the Knicks scored the next eight points, then tied it 79-79 on Mason's two free throws. Charles Oakley's three-point play with 2:11 left tied it 84-84.

"It took us a long time to get with it," Riley said. "We were not into it physically or mentally in the first half. Then it came down to big heart and big effort."

### Suns 91, Rockets 87

Kevin Johnson had nine points through three quarters, then scored 11 in the fourth as Phoenix won the opener of a Western Conference semifinal.

Houston's 39-21 first-half lead was cut to 45-37 by halftime. The Suns used a 15-4 run at the start of the third quarter to get back in the game and a 13-0 fourth-quarter surge to take the lead for good.

"I don't think they blew it," said Charles Barkley, who scored 21 points for the Suns. "They were going at a hellacious pace in the first half. We started making some shots and we were very lucky to be down only eight points at halftime."

Hakeem Olajuwon had 36 points and 16 rebounds for Houston.

The game featured a barrage of 3-pointers, with Phoenix (9-for-23) breaking the NBA playoff record of 20 attempts. The Rockets and Suns also combined for most 3-point attempts (42), breaking the playoff mark of 34 set by Houston and the Los Angeles Lakers in 1991.

The Rockets, who had the home-court advantage throughout the playoffs following Seattle's loss, now have lost it in this series.

"It was a chess game and they've already got the queen," Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "It's bad if your guys don't play chess."

The Rockets failed to sell out their arena Sunday, prompting Suns president Jerry Colangelo to explore the possibility of flying in two plane-loads of Phoenix fans for Game 2 of the best-of-7 series.

Attendance was 15,703 in the 16,279-seat Summit.

"It was so dead when the game started," Charles Barkley of the Suns said in Houston after his team's 91-87 victory. "We don't have to worry about that back in Phoenix."

Colangelo proposed to buy 500 tickets, offer them free to Phoenix fans, arrange two charter flights and fly a noisy bunch of Suns boosters to Houston for Wednesday's game.

## Twins topple Rangers

By The Associated Press

ARLINGTON — After more than 20 years of major-league baseball, Dave Winfield doesn't worry about pressure situations.

Winfield hit a sixth-inning home run Sunday, breaking open a 2-2 tie and leading the Minnesota Twins past the Texas Rangers, 5-2.

"There was nothing unusual about the situation. Man on base, tight game and we needed a run," said Winfield, who turns 43 this year.

"I crushed the ball but the center fielder went back like he had a chance on it," Winfield said. "It felt good. It was my first homer ever here."

Winfield's 456th career home run came on a high fastball from Kevin Brown (2-5) and scored Alex Cole, who led off the sixth with a single. The 407-footer was Winfield's third of the season.

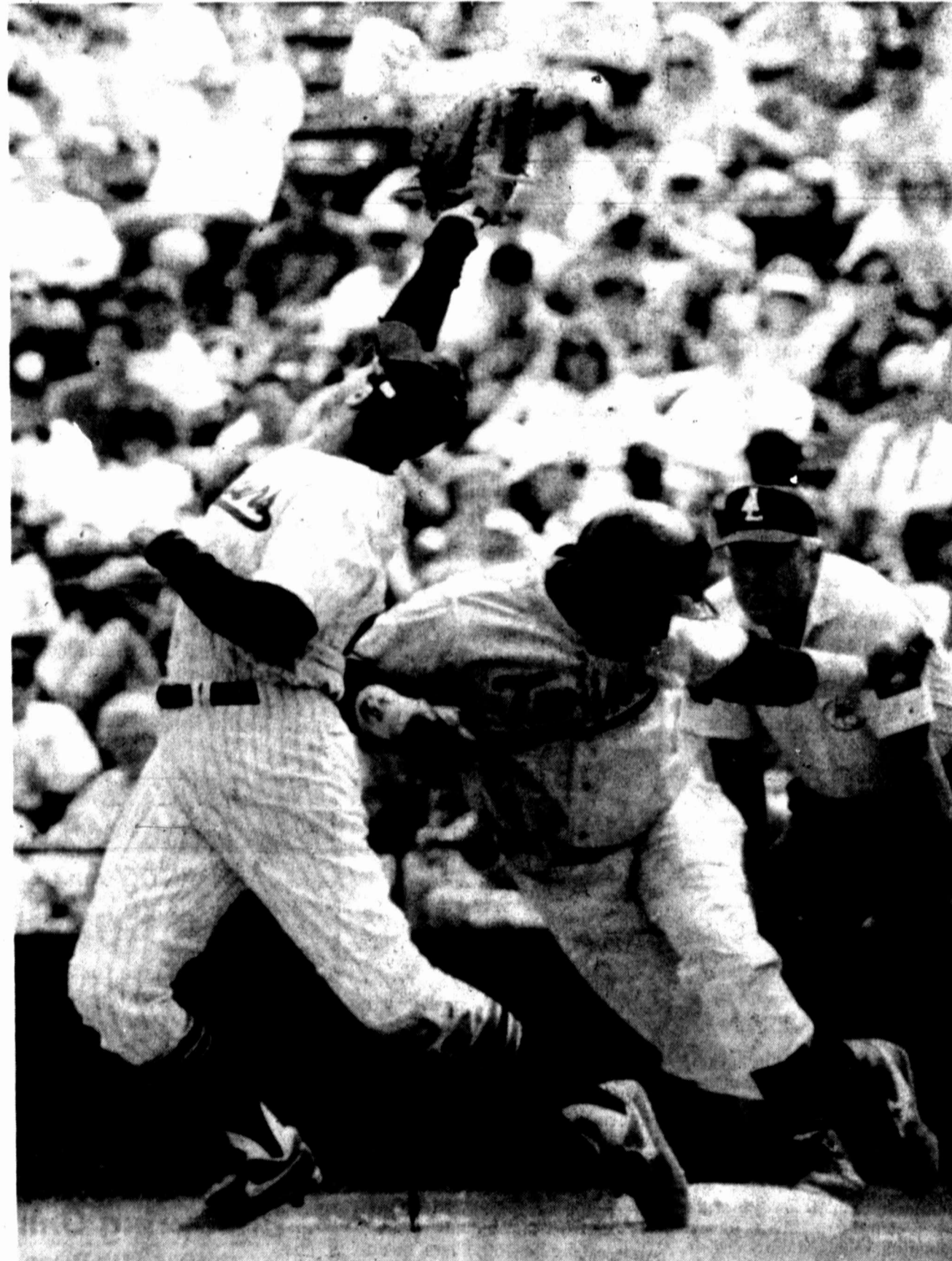
Winfield, 18th on the major leagues' all-time home run list, hit his fifth home run against Brown and improved to 12-for-31 lifetime against him.

"He's a future Hall of Famer, that's for sure," Rangers manager Kevin Kennedy said. "With the game on the line, a money player like that will beat you if you let him."

Scott Erickson, who had a no-hitter at Milwaukee on April 27, picked up the victory. He improved to 3-4 after pitching his second complete game victory with a seven-hitter.

Erickson struck out six and walked two to help the Twins to their fifth victory in their last seven games.

"I was just trying to get ahead of the batters," Erickson said. "I felt strong. The defense did a good job and got a couple of double plays (two) I didn't think the guys were going to turn."



Texas Ranger first baseman Will Clark goes high for a pickoff throw from pitcher Kevin Brown Sunday. The runner is Shane Mack. The loose ball allowed Minnesota's Alex Cole to score from third, and that helped the Twins win 5-2.

## Briefs

### Howard Hawks sweep Hill Junior College

The Howard College baseball team, ranked seventh in the nation, closed its regular season with a doubleheader sweep at Hill Junior College Sunday.

Howard (45-9) won the first game 3-2; Howard center fielder Brian Ogle rapped three hits, and Kelly Jones (8-1) pitched 5 2/3 innings, allowing two runs and four hits while striking out two and walking one. Dave Maurer came out of the bullpen in the sixth and earned a save.

The Hawks took the second game 9-6. They trailed 6-2 but scored five runs in the sixth, three on a pinch-hit double from Freddy Rodriguez. Jeff Orth had three hits in the game, and Howard pitchers combined for 11 strikeouts and one walk.

Brian Thompson (9-2) earned the win in relief.

IC is the Region V eastern champion; Howard is the western champion. The two teams will be in the same bracket at the state JUCO tournament, which starts Saturday in Stephenville.

The Hawks' first game in the double-elimination tournament is Saturday at 5 p.m. against Navarro College.

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### Softball released for state track meet

AUSTIN - Following are tentative event times for Big Spring area athletes competing at the UIL state track meet in Austin:

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**Too Late To Classify 001**

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SALE-25% OFF STOREWIDE, 5/9 thru 5/14 Only. Backroom clearance continues. New Horizons/LaLani. 1004 Locust. 263-8454.

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**Autos for Sale 016**

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### THE Daily Crossword

by Rena M. Campbell

ACROSS

- 1 Forest floor food
- 5 Home of ancient Irish kings
- 9 Shoelace appendage
- 14 Acting acronym
- 15 First man
- 16 Mary Tyler — 17 Type of traffic
- 19 Make amends
- 20 Osprey, e.g.
- 21 For the time being
- 22 Caviar base
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ALLOY	DIZZY	DEAN
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DISPIL	COOL	TIE
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