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50 Cents

DARE officers teach students to avoid gangs

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Big Spring Police Sgt. Stan Parker, who works closely with students and school officials, says he has not seen any identifiable gang members in town.

"There are wannabees who see gangs on television and it is glorified so kids go out and buy the clothes to imitate what they see on television," said Parker.

He adds there is a little graffiti around the city but it is not widespread like other cities.

Parker and Terry Hudson are the DARE officers and there is a lesson plan they will be giving during the school year that talks about gangs and the dangers of belonging.

Parker was given information at the DARE school last May on definitions and identifications of gangs and members.

A youth and street gang is defined as an ongoing organization or group of three or more people, whether formal or informal, which has a common name

or identifying signs, colors or symbols and has members or associates who engage in or have engaged in criminal activity.

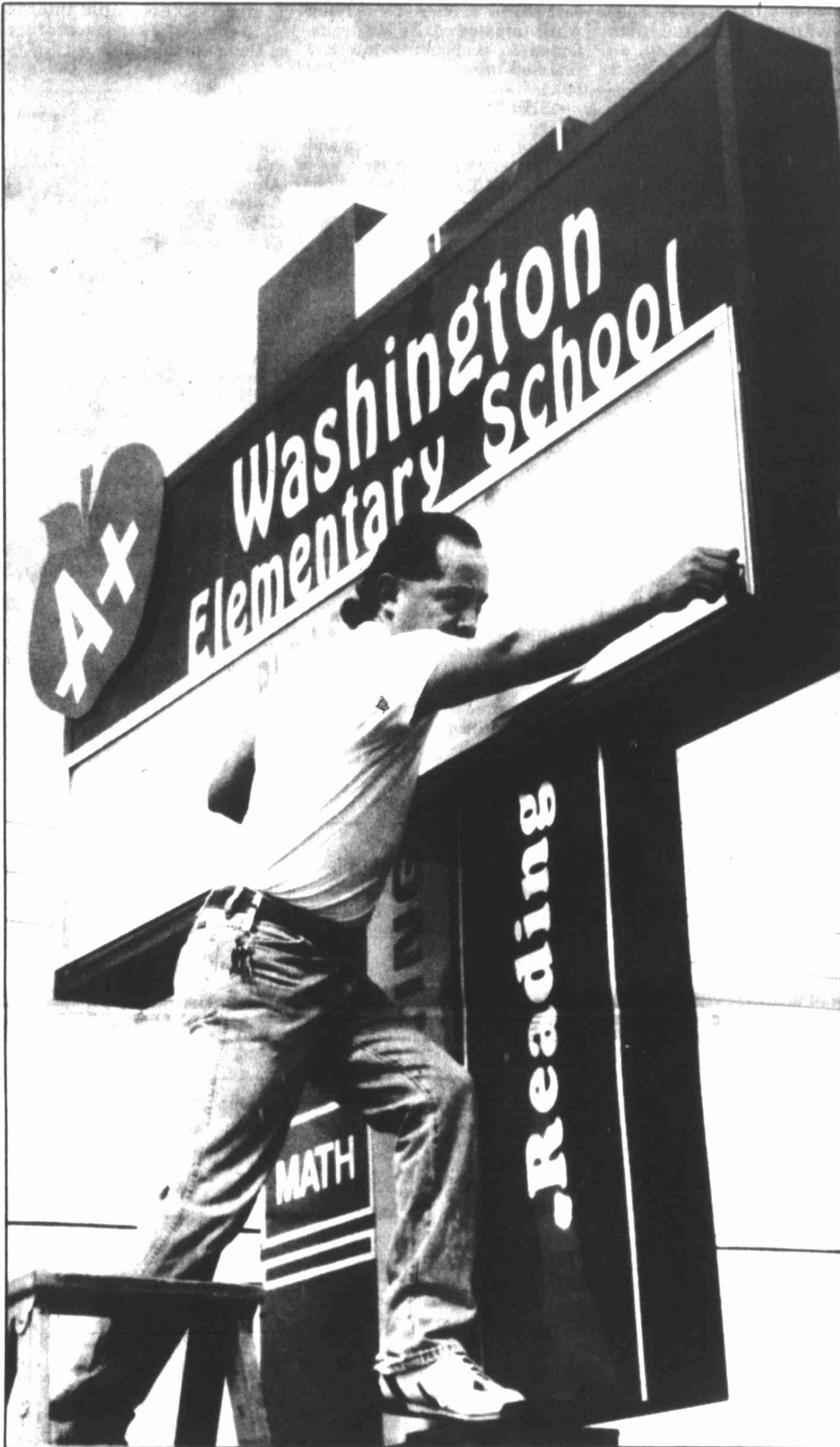
A member is defined as someone who meets any two of the following criteria:

- Admits to gang membership
- Is a youth up to age 21 who is identified as a gang member by parent or guardian
- Is identified as a gang member by a documented reliable informant

- Resides in, or frequents, a particular gang's area and adopts their style of dress, use of hand signs, symbols or tattoos and associates with known gang members
- Is identified as a gang member by an informant of previously untested reliability and it's corroborated by an independent informant
- Has been arrested more than once in the company of identified gang members for offenses

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THE SIGN GETS AN A



Joe Martinez, a custodian at Washington Elementary School, tightens a screw on the front screen of a new message sign at the school Wednesday. The new sign was erected last week and was bought by the school's PTA.

New trucks a boon to county volunteers

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

The Howard County Volunteer Fire Department recently received a much needed shot in the arm when the U.S. Forest Service donated two fire trucks to the Knott and Sand Springs stations.

County Fire Chief Tommy Sullivan says this makes three trucks the forest service has donated since last December and the newest additions will help in fighting fires in the county.

Sullivan says, "each truck holds 1,000 gallons of water and the one we received in December holds 5,000 gallons. One of the trucks will be in Sand Springs and the other one in Knott. With all the sand and CRP land in Knott, it has been hard for our regular trucks to get to some of the residents."

"We needed a 10-wheel drive vehicle to get in the sand and the Army National Guard had some out of service they could deliver to us immediately. The trucks got here on Thursday, Sept. 15," Sullivan added.

The truck holding 5,000 gal-

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Cattle roam the streets of Dallas after truck overturns on busy street

DALLAS (AP) — More than 50 cattle roamed across a vast area around downtown Dallas early today after a cattle truck overturned at one of the city's major intersections.

The cattle truck contained about 110 head of cattle when it overturned near the merge of Interstate 35 and Interstate 30, according to Dallas radio station KRLD. Officers told the station that about half of the cattle were either killed or had to be euthanized by veterinarians at the scene.

Dallas County deputies on horseback, Dallas police and even some inmates from the Lew Sterrett Justice Center, the county's jail, pitched in to help remove dead and live cattle from the overturned truck, the station said.

Traffic was snarled throughout much of the downtown area

during the morning rush hour, and officers expected it to remain that way for several hours.

Some cattle were reported miles away from the accident scene, police told KRLD.

Some were sighted near Baylor University Medical Center, in the Oak Cliff section of Dallas and in east Dallas as well as at numerous intersections in downtown Dallas.

Deputies built an emergency cattle pen in the middle of Interstate 30 so that cattle could be kept there as they were rounded up, the station reported. Live cattle taken from the overturned truck were hauled away in another cattle truck.

Dallas police officials asked radio stations to broadcast warnings to motorists that "there are cattle all over downtown Dallas."

Benefits of U.S. citizenship don't entice 'green card' holders

NEW YORK (AP) — There are millions of longtime legal aliens out there — "green card" holders who for years have been eligible for U.S. citizenship, but choose not to be American. Uncle Sam hopes to change their minds.

The Immigration and Naturalization Service recently launched a drive to woo immigrants to citizenship, believing it will help them integrate better in U.S. society and reduce

anti-immigrant sentiments harbored by some Americans.

But it could be a hard sell. Resident Alien card holders enjoy all the rights of Americans except they can't vote or run for office. They are subject to the same obligations, too — they pay taxes and can be drafted in wartime.

The "green card" gives legal access to high-paying U.S. jobs. But once they get it, many immigrants stop there.

Some would like to become naturalized Americans, but are turned off by the bureaucratic hurdles; there's lots of paperwork, they must speak English and know something about U.S. history.

But others don't want to be American. They remain loyal to their countries or plan on returning home.

What has changed from a century ago, when most immigrants sought to assimilate?

Frenchman Antoine Blanchard, a retired New York accountant and 30-year green card holder, said with local foreign-language publications and TV and radio broadcasts, aliens can "surround themselves with their own culture."

"Fifty years ago, every trip was an adventure. People took all the money they had, and didn't have any way of returning. But now, with jet planes, it's no longer the same, you can return home in a day. It retains the

link." Ethnic enclaves, such as where Haitians and Hispanics live in Miami and New York, are like large lumps that don't dissolve in the American melting pot. In these places, little or no English is heard in stores, on streets or car radios.

Out of the current 10 million green card holders, 6.5 million have lived long enough in the United States — five years or more — to be eligible for citi-

zenship, the INS says.

Hispanics make up the largest group. The National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, which promotes naturalization, did a survey in 1988 on why most Hispanic immigrants don't become citizens.

Of 1,636 eligible Hispanics interviewed nationwide, only a third had become U.S. citizens. Of the remainder, roughly half hadn't done so mostly because they saw no benefits.

U.S. Trivia
First Black woman elected to Congress was who?
Shirley Chisholm
J. D. Salinger's 'Catcher in the Rye' was published? In 1951

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WORLD/NATION

World: Plague has returned to India after a three-decade absence. Spread by fleas from infected rats, the disease has killed at least 24 people and is threatening to move to a major city. See page 6A.

Nation: Ford Motor Co. is recalling its new Contour and Mercury Mystique models in the midst of a multimillion-dollar ad campaign introducing the new sedans. See page 5A.

STATE

Stolen baby
Laura Lugo was expecting a routine prenatal exam. Instead, she says the doctor drugged her and performed a Caesarean section. "I heard the baby cry, but I never saw him," she said. See page 4A.

One-teen crime wave
Prosecutors who had unsuccessfully searched for witnesses to a teen-ager's gang-related murder found some at the last minute when two 11-year-old girls came forward and testified. See page 3A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight **75** ▲ Highs **45** ▼ Lows

Fair, low mid 40s
Tonight, clear, low in the mid 40s, variable winds 5 to 10 mph.
Permian Basin Forecast
Saturday: Mostly sunny, high in the mid 80s, northeast winds 5 to 10 mph; clear night, low mid 40s, variable winds.
Sunday: Mostly sunny, high in the mid 80s, northeast winds 5 to 10 mph; clear night, low mid 40s, variable winds.

CLEAT comes out in support of Gov. Richards

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Texas Gov. Ann Richards is receiving an endorsement from the largest law enforcement organization in the state. The Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas (CLEAT) met with local union members to announce the endorsement Tuesday afternoon.

"It is time to set the record straight on crime in Texas under Gov. Richards following a campaign of distortion by her opponent. I don't like to see anyone distort such a critical issue as crime simply to scare people," said Dwight Tiller, CLEAT staff representative.

He continued, "by choosing to

ignore the facts, George W. Bush is demeaning the efforts of law enforcement officers and others throughout the state who are on the front lines fighting crime every day and winning."

Tiller unveiled a new radio commercial that began running statewide Tuesday, announcing CLEAT's support for Richards.

The ad details progress made under Richards in the fight against crime including an overall reduction of crime by 18 percent. Violent crime is down almost five percent since she took office.

Tiller added, "parole is down nearly two-thirds in the last three years, Gov. Richards has authorized the construction of 75,000 new prison beds.



Photo by Perry Hall

Howard County Volunteer Fire Chief Tommy Sullivan poses in front of the new fire trucks recently donated by the United States Forest Service. The truck in the center was given to the department in December and holds 5,000 gallons of water.

Fire

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ions of water is used throughout the county and Sullivan says it was instrumental in fighting a fire at 2800 South Birdwell earlier this year.

"There was no water supply out there because it's in the county and we provided the water for the Big Spring and county fire trucks. It has come in real handy and it helps to have a tanker with that much capacity so we don't have to leave and refill it," Sullivan continued.

The same truck was used to fight a fire on July 25 east of town when a railroad car caught on fire. The truck was used to supply water to Mitchell and Howard counties as well as Westbrook to put out the blaze

when it spread to the Reid Ranch.

Equipment from old trucks will be transferred to the new trucks and they are ready for service, Sullivan says. There is no cost to the department except for the labor to transfer the equipment.

He adds the Silver Hills station will be opened by the first of the year, thanks to the county commissioners approving some money to be used to build a new truck.

"The commissioners approved the money to build the truck to be used in the Tubbs Addition and that old truck will be taken to Silver Hills so we can open the station for the first time in three years," Sullivan said.

Gangs

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which are consistent usual gang activity

"is identified as a gang member by physical evidence such as photographs or other documentation"

"Has been stopped in the company of known gang members two or more times"

Being involved in a gang is never as "cool" as it appears to be on television. Selling drugs, stealing and other criminal acts are illegal and have great repercussions.

What can parents and educators do to prevent children from becoming involved?

Parents:
•Spend time with your children and become involved in their activities.

•Establish rules, set limits and be consistent.

•Encourage good study habits by getting involved with your child.

•Help your children develop strong self esteem by respecting their feelings and attitudes and providing an environment that will enable them to succeed.

•Be aware of negative influences that can lead to drug abuse and gang membership

and be a positive role model.

Educators:

•Examine and utilize existing resources and experts.

•Create a positive environment in the classroom and develop programs to foster student success at all levels.

•When possible, provide an environment that will enable children to improve their skills in decision-making, conflict resolution and working cooperatively with others.

Parents and Educators:

•Help children to develop and realize the benefits of self-control.

•Help children to express their anger in positive ways. Do not teach children to suppress their anger.

•Help children to learn that expressing anger and acting it out are two different things.

•Help to get the community involved in prevention and intervention programs for youth violence.

ON THE RUN

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents during a 24 hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•JAMES RAY BEGLEY, 55 of 3622 Dixon, arrested for driving while intoxicated. He was transferred to the county jail and released after posting a \$2,500 bond.

•THEFTS in the 2000 block of Gregg, 1100 block of North Lamesa, 400 block of Gregg and 700 block of West Marcy.

•ASSAULT in the 600 block of West Interstate 20.

•LOUD PARTIES in the 1300 block of Lexington and 1600 block of Lark.

•FORGERY in the 400 block of Gregg.

•MINOR ACCIDENT at the intersection of Lancaster and Edwards. A citation for following too closely was issued and no injuries were reported.

•HINDERING A SECURED CREDITOR was reported in the 1600 block of Gregg.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incident during a 24 hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•TONY MARTINEZ, 31 of 1002 North Main #2, was released after serving time on a driving while intoxicated conviction.

FIRE

The Big Spring Fire Department reported the following incidents during a 48 hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•STRUCTURE FIRE in the 900 block of Scurry.

•MAJOR ACCIDENT in the 2000 block of North Birdwell.

RECORDS

Thursday's temp. **
Thursday's low **
Average high 84
Average low 59
Record high 102 in 1925
Record low 41 in 1924

MARKETS

Dec. cotton futures 68.76 cents a pound, down 18 points; Nov. crude oil 17.58 down 9 points; cash hog steady at 36.25 even; slaughter steers steady at 50 cents higher at 67 cents even; Oct. live hog futures 36.20 up 12 points; Oct. live cattle futures 70.50 down 27 points; according to Delta Commodities.

Index 3847.22
Volume 86,494,670

ATT	54% +
Amoco	58% +
Atlantic Richfield	100% +
Atmos	18% +
Boston Chicken	19% +
Cabot	27% +
Chevron	41% -
Chrysler	44% -
Coca-Cola	49% +
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NUV	10% +
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Southwestern Bell	41% +
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Texas Instruments	73% -
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Unocal Corp.	28% +
Wal Mart	24% +

Amcap	12.25-13.00
Euro Pacific	22.26-23.62
I.C.A.	18.65-19.79
New Economy	14.91-15.82
New Perspective	15.47-16.41
Van Kampen	14.03-14.71
Gold	395.40-395.90
Silver	5.69-5.72

Noon quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co. Quotes are from today's markets and the change is market activity from 3 p.m. the previous day.

Rainfall Thursday	**
Month to date	0.58
Month's normal	1.81
Year to date	15.11
Normal for year	14.64

**Statistics not available.

OBITUARIES

Mildred Taylor

Funeral services for Mildred O'Conner Taylor, 81, Atlanta, Texas, were held 10 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 22, 1994, at the Sheffield Funeral Home in Temple with the Rev. Edwin Crawford officiating. Burial was in The Bellwood Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Taylor passed away Monday, Sept. 19, in an Atlanta hospital.

She was born in Fort Scott, Kan., on Feb. 21, 1913. She moved to Atlanta, Texas six months ago from Temple, where

she had lived for 12 years. She was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church in Temple.

She is survived by two stepsons: Robert (Bob) Taylor, Big Spring, and David Taylor, Fayetteville, Ark.; two sisters: Virginia May Stelter, Benton, Kan., and Lois Mark, Wichita, Kan.; five step-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Johnnie Taylor on Oct. 16, 1992.

Arrangements were under the direction of Sheffield Funeral Home in Temple.

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Lou Dora "Blondy" Chrane, 82, died Tuesday. Services were 11:00, Friday at 14th & Main church of Christ, with interment at Trinity Memorial Park. Stella Osburn Dodd, 50, died Monday. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM, Friday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

906 GREGG BIG SPRING

Jessie Mae Roberts, 73, died Monday. Services will be 4:00 PM, Friday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park. Jimmie C. White, 62, died Tuesday. Memorial services were at 10:30 AM, Friday at Knott First Baptist Church.

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TODAY

•Dominoes, 42, bridge and Chickentrack, 5-8 p.m. at 2805 Lynn, Kentwood Center. Public invited.

•Survivors support group, 5:15 to 7 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•Spring City Senior Center, free fashion painting classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

•Open meetings, New Phoenix Hope Narcotics Anonymous Group, 901-A W. Third, noon and 10 p.m.

•Spring City Senior Center country/western dance, 8-11, area seniors invited.

•Signal Mountain Quilting Guild, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 267-1037, 264-7107 or 267-7281. Bring lunch.

SATURDAY

•Family support group, 1 p.m., Reflections Unit at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Contact Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

•New Phoenix Hope Narcotics Anonymous Group open meetings, 901-A W. Third, noon and 10 p.m.

SUNDAY
•New Phoenix Hope Narcotics Anonymous Group, 901-A W. Third, open meetings, noon and 8 p.m.

MONDAY

•Chuckwagon cookout, Comanche Trail Park, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Old Settlers Pavilion. Get acquainted with state political candidates. Entertainment provided. Donations accepted. Tickets \$15/person, \$25/couple, \$30/family. Call Luan Stallings, 398-5506, or Louis Stallings, 263-7161.

•"Single-Minded," unmarried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868 or 263-5367.

•Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center, Lynn Drive. Everyone welcome. Call 393-5709.

•Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6:30 p.m. Weigh-in, 6 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

•Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•Support group for laryngectomies, Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, 306 W. Third, 6:30 p.m. Bring a dish to share if you want.

•Information of Hospice of the Southwest, Inc., 2 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Call Pat Johnston, 263-1265 or Hospice of the Southwest, Inc., 263-4673.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day
"Censors are necessary, increasingly necessary, if America is to avoid having a vital literature."
Don Marquis, Journalist, 1919

Be informed about health reform

Congress is taking time out now to throw bricks at each other about who's to blame for the impending failure to do anything this year about health care reform.

While Sen. Robert Dole is correct in saying no bill is better than a bad bill, Congress needs to decide if it is truly serious about attempting to reform America's health care system.

In a way, this is an example of partisan politics at its worst. Everyone has a plan, some merely variations on the original theme, but few groups have been willing to sit down and work out the necessary compromise.

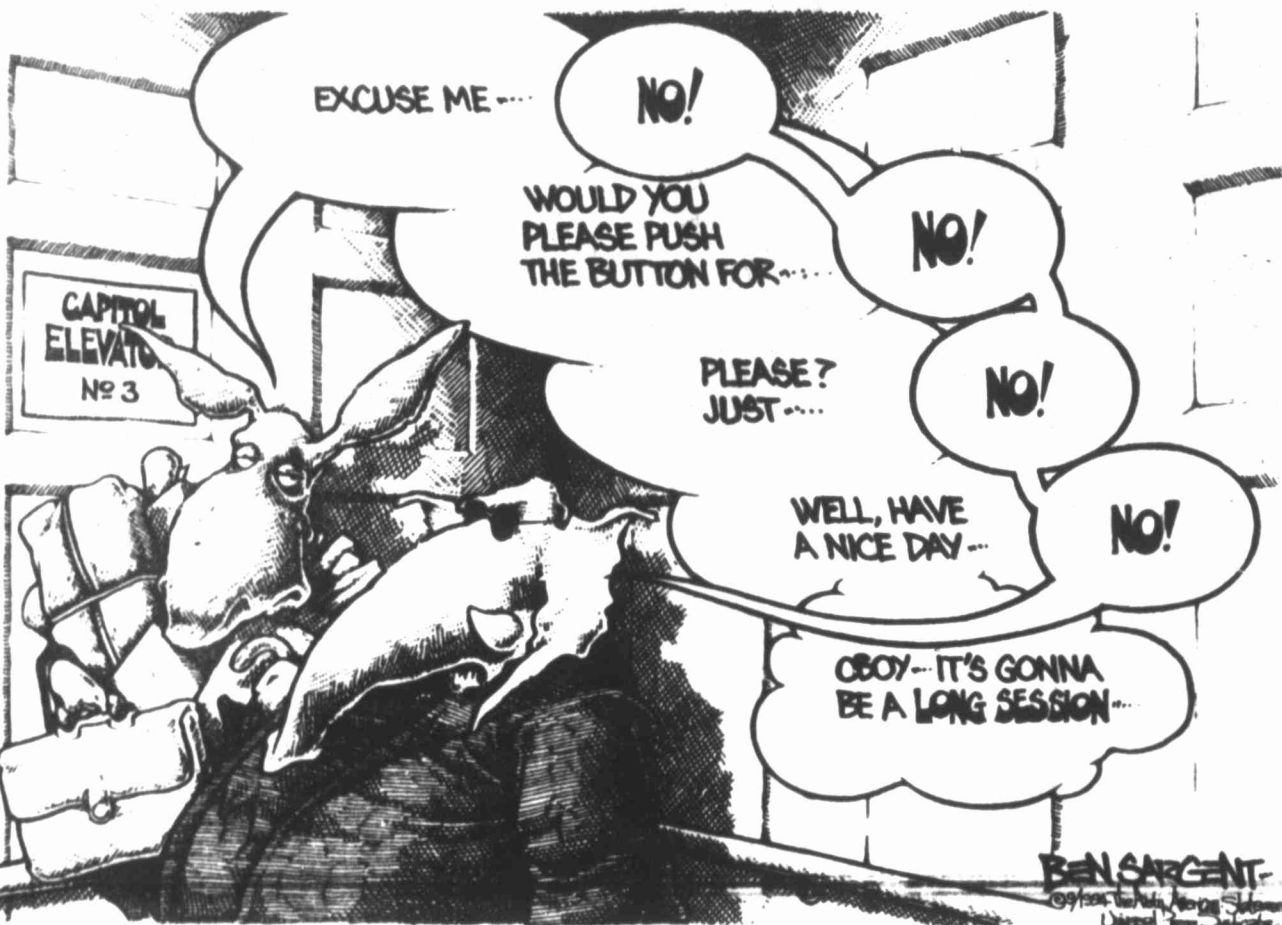
In Sunday's Herald, we take a look at the issue of health care reform and proposed plans. We also take a look at

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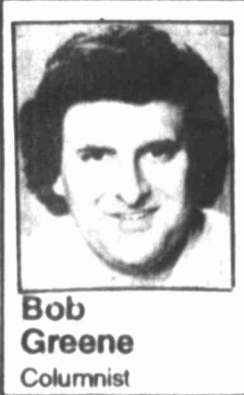
how impending health care reform has created an air of uncertainty for local health care providers, who are trying to figure out what to do in the future.

Although Congress in all probability will not have a health care reform bill this year, the specter still lingers. Knowing what to expect, even slightly, can help Americans to help their Congressmen to pass the best of all bills.



You could be cover material

How would you like to see your picture on the cover of a respected, nationally distributed magazine?



Bob Greene
Columnist

budget advertising or promotions - I don't have the money. I can't do it with celebrity profiles - that's not what we do.

"So it occurred to me - why not put someone on the cover who would otherwise never have the chance to be on the cover of a magazine? Why not give someone the opportunity to be a celebrity?"

"And for the people who don't end up on the cover - why not print their names in the magazine? For the big Hollywood stars, getting a mention in Clockwatch Review wouldn't mean anything. But to a lot of people, being mentioned in a magazine might be something to remember."

As we said above, this will cost you a dollar. Along with your buck, Plath would like you to send a note of 35 words or less saying why you'd like to have your picture on the cover of the magazine. The drawing for the cover winner will be random - the reason for the 35-word note, Plath said, is simply that "as a literary magazine, we ought to encourage people to write."

If you'd like to be part of this, send your dollar and your note to Clockwatch Review, Department of English, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Ill. 61702.

The money will be used to keep the magazine going. "It's really unfortunate, the budgets that small literary magazines are forced to work with," Plath said. "We try to pay our writers \$20 or \$25 for a short story, and \$10 for a poem - but there are many literary magazines that can't afford to pay their contributors at all. They have to pay their writers with issues of the magazines."

"But the writers are still

eager to be published - to see their work in print. At our magazine, we receive 30 or 60 submissions a day from all over the country. The most important thing for a writer is to have someone read his or her words."

By the way: If you're intrigued by the possibility of seeing your picture on a magazine cover, but think there's something a bit unseemly about paying money for the chance - if you think being on a magazine cover should be a reward for accomplishment or talent, not something where cash is involved - you should know this:

Money is routinely involved in getting famous men and women on the covers of the big-circulation general-interest magazines you read every month. No, the actors and actresses don't send a dollar in and hope for their name to be drawn from a shoebox - but they pay publicists large retainers to try to get them on those covers. Every business day of the year, public relations agents are negotiating with magazines to get their clients on the covers.

So it's just a matter of scale. The circulation of Clockwatch Review is hardly mammoth - "We sell about 1,700 of each issue," Plath said - but it is available in bookstores and on newsstands nationally, and "we have a very good audience of people who appreciate quality fiction and poetry." The magazine, like most literary journals, usually features artwork or line drawings on its cover. But just for this one issue, it will feature the smiling (or pensive) face of a person.

Maybe you.
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TEXAS

Stolen from the womb
Mother tries to get her stolen child back

BROWNSVILLE (AP) - Laura Lugo was expecting a routine prenatal exam. Instead, she says the doctor drugged her and performed a Caesarean section.

"I heard the baby cry, but I never saw him," she said. Ms. Lugo claims that two conning sisters won her friendship, then lured her to a clinic just across the Mexican border and snatched her child from her uterus without her consent.

Two years later, Ms. Lugo is moving closer to gaining custody of the boy. But there is another woman who claims to be his biological mother: Paulyna Botello, who raised him until recently.

As U.S. and Mexican courts wade into a tale worthy of the biblical King Solomon, the boy remains in foster care. At issue is whether he was kidnapped or given away in an under-the-table adoption gone awry.

On Thursday, state Judge Robert F. Barnes declared Ms. Lugo the mother, based on DNA tests indicating a 99.11 percent probability that the child is hers. Barnes also said Ms. Lugo can continue her weekly visits with the boy.

Barnes has yet to rule on Ms. Lugo's request for custody. He's waiting for results of more DNA tests demanded by Ms. Botello's lawyers.

Ms. Botello, 33, and her sister, Rosa, are wanted in Mexico on child abduction charges. They have not been charged in the United States. Paulyna Botello is in jail pending a Sept. 29 extradition hearing. U.S. authorities consider Rosa Botello a fugitive.



Paulyna Botello sits with Arnold Cantu, the court appointed attorney for the child, during a hearing in Edinburg Thursday. Botello, 33, of Brownsville, is accused of kidnapping a baby boy from Laura Lugo at a Matamoros, Mexico, clinic two years ago.

Ms. Lugo, 27, said she has seen her son just twice since his birth. She plans to rename him Jorge Daniel if she gains custody, and is preparing to explain the whole story to him someday.

"It's going to be difficult for him," she said. "Everybody will always be pointing fingers at him. Me being the kind of person I am, I will never hide it from him."

Ms. Lugo and Ms. Botello - Mexican citizens living legally in Brownsville - each claim they gave birth to the boy in September 1992.

Ms. Lugo said the Botello sisters befriended her during her pregnancy in order to steal her baby.

One day when she was near term, Ms. Lugo said, the sisters invited her to go with them to a clinic in Matamoros, across the

Rio Grande from Brownsville. She agreed when they promised to stop at Wal-Mart on the way.

She thought that she and Paulyna Botello, who had been wearing maternity clothes for a few months, were going to get a checkup.

As she slipped into unconsciousness at the clinic, Ms. Lugo said, she realized that the doctor was preparing to perform a C-section.

Unable to resist, she awoke to find her abdomen scarred and her fetus gone. Nurses later told her that Rosa Botello had taken the baby, Ms. Lugo said.

The Botellos say Ms. Lugo is lying.

Paulyna Botello is the biological mother of the child now known as Rafael Olvera Jr., according to her lawyer, Felix Recto.

Witnesses come forward in trial of teen termed a 'one man crime wave'

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Prosecutors who had unsuccessfully searched for witnesses to a teen-ager's gang-related murder found some at the last minute when two 11-year-old girls came forward and testified.

The girls said Thursday they saw Leocadio Martinez, then 14, kill fellow gang member Felipe Ramirez last year by shooting him at point-blank range.

The first case against Martinez, called a "one-man crime wave" by the judge, was dismissed.

However, the testimony of the young girls helped convict Martinez, who allegedly boasted about the Aug. 12 slaying while in custody.

He also was convicted of attempted murder and other charges.

"Thank God for those little girls who had enough guts to come up here and tell the (defendant) he can't get away with murder. Those two little girls had more guts than most adults," prosecutor Mike Ramos said in closing arguments.

Frightened and barely able to see over the witness stand, the girls each testified about how they saw Martinez pull the trigger 13 months ago - on his 14th birthday.

"I was walking to get my mother a soda and I heard him talking to somebody," Kimberly testified. "I turned around and I

saw him with a gun and I heard him say 'I'm going to shoot you.' I saw him pull the trigger and I ran home and told my mama what happened."

Prosecutors didn't even know of Kimberly until her mother stopped a police officer downtown at noon Thursday while Martinez's trial was on a lunch recess.

The mother wanted to know who she should tell that her daughter had witnessed the murder.

The family had seen some of the trial coverage on the evening news Wednesday and heard of the state's difficulty in finding witnesses who had disappeared.

Prosecutor Bert Richardson happened upon the other girl while trying to track down a gang member who saw the shooting but then disappeared.

At the request of prosecutors, the San Antonio Express-News didn't fully identify the girls.

District Judge Carmen Kelsey convicted Martinez Thursday under the Determinate Sentencing Act because Martinez was too young to be tried as an adult.

Kelsey will sentence Martinez Oct. 3. The youth faces up to 40 years, with the sentence to begin in a juvenile correctional facility and then be completed in prison, after a review by a judge.

Fall slightly ahead of schedule

Much cooler weather has ushered autumn into Texas.

Fall officially arrived early today, but from all appearances, it began Thursday, one day ahead of schedule.

A strong cold front moved across the state, dropping temperatures to record lows in some Texas cities and near-records in several places.

Though cooler temperatures are normal in September, weather watchers said it's rare to have the first big cold front move in within hours of the equinox.

"It's just one of those things. The timing couldn't have been any better," Brian Curran, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Fort Worth, said Thursday.

"It usually doesn't start getting cool around here until

October or so. And it's kind of unusual for this storm to be this powerful and this far south, but it's not unheard of."

The National Weather Service said skies should be clear across most of the state today with temperatures in the 70s and 80s.

By early last night, the cold front had passed completely through West Texas, leaving cooler temperatures and clearing skies, but brisk winds, in its wake.

Gusts near 40 mph blew the front into North and East Texas about dawn Thursday, dropping temperatures nearly 10 degrees in just a few hours. A brisk northerly wind blew between 10 and 20 mph with gusts over 20 mph at a few locations.

The temperature at Junction was 30 degrees colder than the day before.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Women jailed after bullet-punctuated chase

SHAMROCK (AP) - Two Maryland women were in custody today following a robbery in Oklahoma and a bullet-punctuated chase across the eastern section of the Texas Panhandle.

The women, who were not immediately identified, face charges of attempted murder of a police officer in Texas and a robbery charge in Oklahoma, Shamrock Police Chief Bruce Burrell said Thursday night.

Officers said the incident began Thursday night when two women entered the Double D Truckstop in Texola, Okla., a Panhandle border town.

Elderly man commits murder, then suicide

SOMERVILLE (AP) - An 82-year-old reserve deputy who shot and killed the manager of a senior citizens center then shot himself reportedly had been making romantic advances toward the 45-year-old woman for a month, according to a published report.

A source close to the family of Theresa Anderson said Burleson County reserve deputy Joe Esparza made romantic advances toward Anderson for nearly a month prior to the shooting.

Second co-ed changes story about being raped

LUBBOCK (AP) - Two Texas Tech coeds have changed their stories this week, admitting that they had falsely told police they had been raped, authorities say.

The students face possible criminal charges and could also face disciplinary action from school officials.

Although the two cases happened in less than a week, school officials are urging students to be cautious because they still believe that two women have been kidnapped from the campus and raped.

"We consider the safety of all Texas Tech students to be a serious matter and a top priority," Tech President Robert Lawless said Thursday.

An 18-year-old freshman who said she was raped Sept. 5 recanted Wednesday after investigators received contradictory statements from other people, Tech spokesman Steve Kaufman said.

NEWS IN
BRIEF

Clinton moves ahead
with aid to Haiti

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration is moving ahead with more than \$100 million in recovery assistance for Haiti, although a U.N. embargo remains in force against the Western Hemisphere's poorest nation. Technical help, humanitarian aid and economic grants are intended to help Haitians rebuild their embargo-starved economy and hold a new round of democratic elections.

The U.S. military, now in control of Port-au-Prince's harbor, agreed Thursday to speed the delivery of fuel and other humanitarian supplies for private aid groups working in Haiti, according to an official from the U.S. Agency for International Development.

A backlog of humanitarian aid built up during the three years the military junta controlled port access.

Clinton re-thinking
nuclear arms policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration, in rethinking U.S. nuclear arms policy, has decided not only to play the same disarmament hand it inherited from the Bush administration, but also to slip a nuclear ace up its sleeve.

In describing what he called a new way of thinking about nuclear weapons, Defense Secretary William Perry said the key feature was flexibility — being willing to shrink the nuclear arsenal as planned but at the same time keeping in store the expertise, materials and facilities to reverse the cut-backs if need be.

"It's prudent to provide some hedge," he told a Pentagon news conference Thursday.

New words
from Nicole
to be ruled
on by Ito

LOS ANGELES (AP) — They were the first words the public heard from Nicole Brown Simpson since the release of the tape of her frantic 911 call when O.J. Simpson stormed into her home in 1989.

They were written on a 3-by-5 card taped to a manila envelope containing precious mementos from the Simpsons' failed marriage: home videos of their wedding ceremony and the birth of their daughter, Sydney.

"O.J., I understand that this is probably too late, but I have to do it for myself and the kids or I would never forgive myself," said the handwritten note, read in court Thursday by defense attorney Gerald Uelman.

The note concluded with a promise that Ms. Simpson wouldn't try to contact Simpson except in an emergency. Even then, she would do it indirectly through "Cathy," believed to be Simpson's secretary, Cathy Randa.

Simpson kept the note and videos in a drawer in a vanity area of his master bedroom. The items were seized by police during a search of the mansion June 28, about two weeks after Ms. Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman were hacked to death with a knife.

ALONE AND UNTETHERED



Space Shuttle Discovery astronaut Mark Lee tests a new \$7 million jet pack during an untethered spacewalk last Friday while orbiting the Earth. Lee and astronaut Carl Meade tested the jet pack during a six-hour spacewalk during an 11-day mission which ended Wednesday when Discovery landed in California.

Ford recalls new line in middle of promotion

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. is recalling its new Contour and Mercury Mystique models in the midst of a multimillion-dollar ad campaign introducing the new sedans.

Ford said Thursday that 200 Contours and Mystiques already delivered to buyers are being called back so dealers can

add a part that will prevent buildup of static electricity, which could cause a fire while the autos are being fueled.

The problem was discovered at Ford's Kansas City assembly plant when a small fire broke out as gasoline was being pumped into a newly built car, spokesman David Caplan said.

Ford found that the plant's fuelling equipment needed modifications. Engineers also found that during fuelling, a static electricity charge might be created on a shield attached to the cars' fuel filler pipe.

A discharge of static electricity near the filler pipe could ignite gasoline vapors.

Decision could put a hold
on grass-roots welfare reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a decision that could choke off grassroots welfare reform, House and Senate negotiators have agreed to restrict the number of state experiments in converting food stamps into cash and paychecks.

The compromise could mean that only a handful of new pilot projects will go forward in the states, which are pushing the Agriculture Department to let them use food stamps to subsidize wages or encourage work by paying cash instead of stamps to recipients who find a job.

Republicans and moderate Democrats say the restrictions on "cash-out" experiments, tucked into the final version of

the Agriculture Department's 1995 budget, could stall welfare reform in the states at a time when a national overhaul is dead in Congress.

"It's the kiss of death for 'workfare,'" the term used for putting welfare recipients to work, said Robert Rector, a welfare expert with the conservative Heritage Foundation.

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., called the compromise a "counterproductive intrusion by a Congress that is attempting to restrict efforts at creative and effective welfare reform."

But advocates for the poor say the limits were needed because low-income families who receive cash instead of coupons buy fewer groceries.

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Haitians buoyed by U.S. presence

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — U.S. troops took over an air base and Haiti's only known weapons depot as Haitian soldiers stood by. Many in Haiti were buoyed by the widening of the American military control and a U.S. threat to shoot security forces who menace civilians.

Thousands of joyful Haitians broke into a spontaneous demonstration Thursday at the gates to the city's seaport, a staging area for the U.S. occupying force. They called for the return of exiled President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, and held voter cards containing his picture.

Aristide, Haiti's first elected leader, was ousted in a 1991 coup led by army commander Gen. Raoul Cedras. His restoration and Cedras' ouster are primary aims of the U.S. intervention.

"Lock up Cedras," the crowd sang.

The demonstration happened within a few yards of where police beat one person to death and injured others on Tuesday while breaking up a crowd that had gathered on the docks to see the arriving U.S. troops.

On Thursday, U.S. officials said American soldiers would open fire to prevent Haitian police and soldiers from killing civilians, and few Haitian security forces were seen at the port.

U.S. Army Col. John Altenburg told a news conference Thursday that American forces "are expected" to help Haitians if they see them being assaulted and can stop the attack without enormous risk.

"We won't search out or patrol to stop all the violence, but if it happens before our eyes we'll take a graduated response, up to deadly force," said Lt. Col. Egon Hawrylak, commander of a battalion that took over the air base.

The plans at the base and the arms at Haiti's only known weapons depot were rustling relics. One Haitian soldier at the depot said he was delighted to be able to work with the American soldiers instead of being the target of an invasion.

"We're still alive, so I can't complain," said the soldier, who would not give his name for fear of reprisal. "I am very happy to collaborate."

U.S. troops were also dispatched to protect pro-democracy Haitian leaders from rightist attacks, said U.S. Embassy spokesman Stanley Schrager.

"We will secure them as long as necessary," Schrager said.

American forces also planned to move into the countryside and take over the training of rural police forces notorious for their harsh repression of civilians.

In Cap-Haitien in the north, Haiti's second-largest city, Marines parked armored personnel carriers in front of several police stations.

"There should be no misunderstanding by now that the Marines will intervene if necessary to prevent violence," said Maj. Steve Little, a Marine spokesman.

So far, the American troops have met with no resistance, but the intervention is soon to move into a more complicated phase that could produce bigger problems.

"The military problem is on the way to being resolved," said Herard Jadotte, a sociologist and former aide to two military-backed governments. "Now the problem is political, which is full of uncertainties."

Under Sunday's accord, coup leaders are to step down after parliament approves an amnesty or by Oct. 15 if parliament does not.

The Haitian parliament is not certain to authorize an amnesty, however, and one rightist leader predicted Cedras would not leave unless the amnesty is passed and extended to all those involved in the military-backed government.

"He will not abandon his people without a guarantee," Emmanuel Constant, leader of the rightist FRAPH party, told a news conference.

WATCHING THE ERUPTIONS



Residents of a nearby village watch from about one mile away as volcano Vulcan belch smoke, ash and chunks of pumice into the air at Rabaul, Papua New Guinea, Thursday. The twin volcanic eruptions of Vulcan and Tavurvur that have devastated the port of Rabaul for the past five days subsided slowly.

Plague returns to India after 30 year absence

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Plague has returned to India after a three-decade absence. Spread by fleas from infected rats, the disease has killed at least 24 people and is threatening to move to a major city.

Bubonic plague was first detected last month in the southern state of Maharashtra. Since then, possibly a more fatal strain of the disease has erupted in the western city of Surat.

The outbreak in Surat has killed at least 24 people, a health commissioner said Thursday. More than 100,000 people have fled in panic, Press Trust of India news agency said.

The news agency said officials have sealed roads out of affected

neighborhoods, but people were still sneaking out. The government has closed schools, colleges, theaters and parks for a week to halt the disease's spread. Unconfirmed reports put the death toll in the city at as high as 60, the United News of India news agency reported.

The outbreak has troubled health authorities in Bombay, just 160 miles south of Surat. Bombay authorities ordered all hospitals in four districts neighboring Surat to stock up on antibiotics.

Bombay officials urged bus and railroad officials in Gujarat to prevent a mass exodus from Surat, fearing most of them would head south to western India's largest city.

U.S. troops to leave Rwanda by October

KIGALI, Rwanda (AP) — The last U.S. forces involved in emergency relief operations for Rwandan war victims will pull out of central Africa on schedule by Oct. 1, their commander said Thursday.

Although the remaining 370 U.S. servicemen will leave Rwanda, Zaire and neighboring Uganda, U.S. humanitarian aid will remain available, said Brig.

Gen. Stuart Gerald, commander of the U.S. joint military task force in Rwanda.

About 2,600 American troops and airmen have mainly provided clean water and food aid flights for Rwandan refugees in neighboring Zaire since late July.

More than 1.2 million Rwandans fled to Zaire, fleeing civil war and ethnic blood-

letting that killed 500,000 people in their homeland. Aid workers said more than 20,000 died from cholera and other diseases in camps surrounding the Zairean border town of Goma.

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Steers gun for first win at home

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

Have the Big Spring Steers gotten over the loss at Estacado? Are the Steers ready to play at home again? Those two questions, and plenty of others, will be answered tonight when Snyder visits Big Spring's Memorial Stadium for a 7:30 p.m. game. The Steers (1-2) had a golden opportunity to win at Estacado last Friday. Manuel Cervantes' last-minute 73-yard kickoff return gave the Steers first-and-goal at the Estacado 3, but a fumble on the Steers' first play gave the ball back to the Matadors, who ran out the clock from there.

The loss was still on some minds when asked about the game, Big Spring coach Dwight Butler said he wished he had called a timeout after Cervantes' kickoff return to calm his team. He's certainly not dwelling on the loss, though, and neither are his players. They've got a game to win tonight against Snyder (2-1). "That was Heartbreak City there," said Steer senior linebacker Leslie Adkins. "When it comes down to one play like that, and you don't win, it hurts, but that's really going to help us later. When we play against Lake View, it could come down to one play. Against them or in the play-offs, the next time we come down to one play, we'll know what to do."

Estacado coach Louis Kelley said after his team beat Big Spring that the Steers played well enough to win. He also said that maybe the Steers should play all of their games on the road. The Steers opened the season at home against Berger and suffered a 25-0 loss. "You can't say that," said senior defensive end David Foresyth. "We've only had one home game, and we've had what, two out-of-town games since then? We haven't played enough yet for anyone to say we're better at home or in out-of-town games."

Adkins said this game could be pivotal to Big Spring's season. "We've really been looking forward to this," Adkins said. "Against Sweetwater, everybody thought we were going to get blown out after that first game, and not many of our fans came. Estacado, that was a Thursday night, so nobody was there for us, not many anyway. "Friday night, the stands are going to be packed, and they'll be looking to see if we can prove ourselves. If we do good, they'll say 'Yea, this may be the team.' If we do bad, they'll say 'Well, that's what we thought,' and they'll quit coming. We've got to prove ourselves, to keep people coming back, so we'll have good crowds later in the year when we need them the most."



ADKINS

Irvan says he'll be back

CHARLOTTE (AP) — For a man just a couple of weeks out of a coma, Ernie Irvan made a bold prediction.



"I really believe I will be at Daytona (in February)," the Winston Cup driver said in his first public appearance since he was critically injured in a wreck last month in Michigan. Irvan's stride was a bit off and a black patch covered his left eye, but his smile and humor gave him away when he walked into a news conference in Charlotte on Thursday. "I guess I got this all started by calling John Boy and Billy," Irvan said of the popular local disc jockeys.

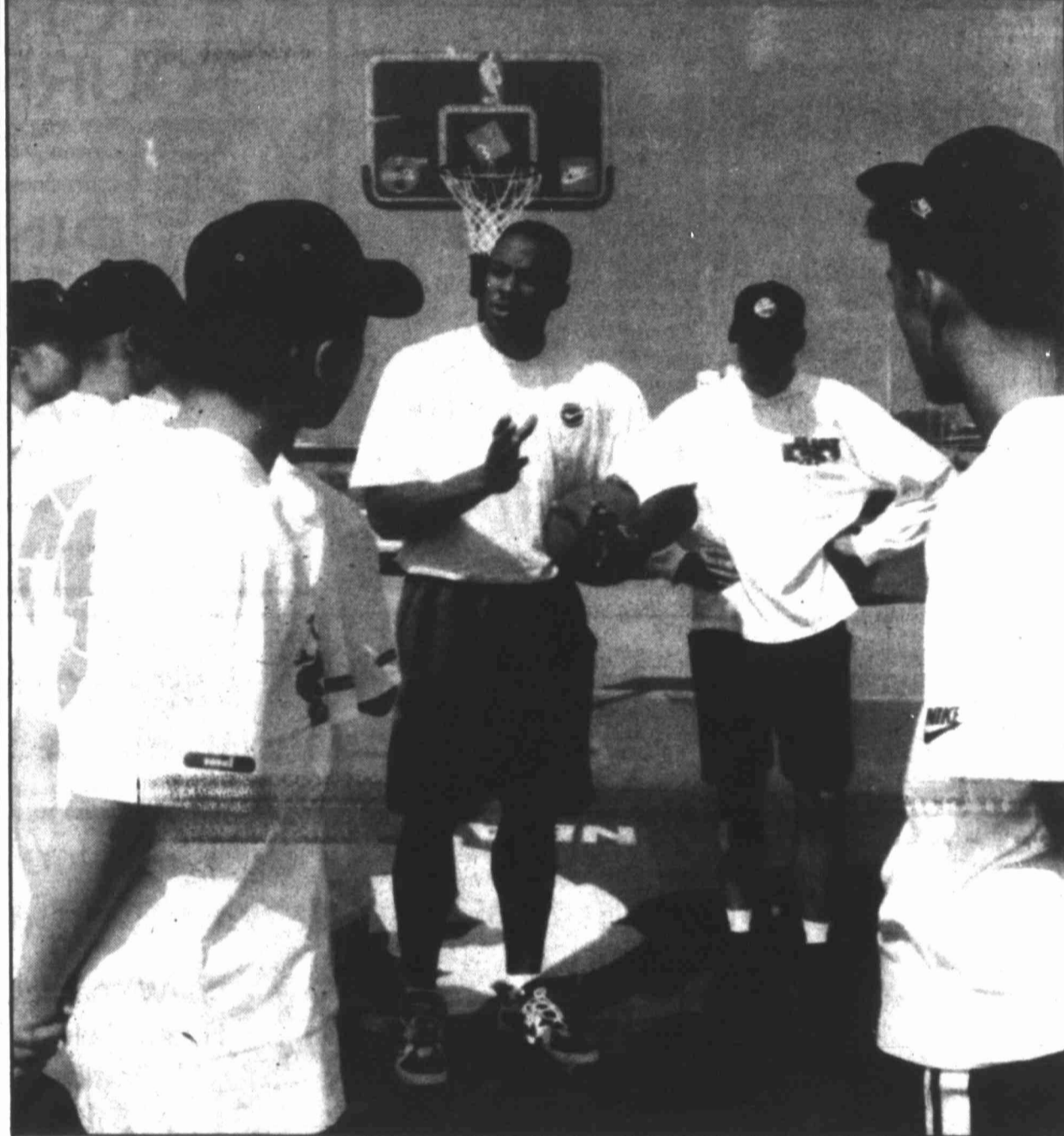
Irvan called WRFX-FM from his hospital room Thursday morning. Soon, his racing team was besieged by calls from the media requesting interviews. So a news conference was called at the Charlotte Institute of Rehabilitation, where Irvan has been undergoing treatment since last week.

"I'm feeling pretty good. I'm just tired," Irvan said after walking in slowly with his wife, Kim, and members of his racing team. "They have me doing a lot of exercises and it's consuming. But I feel pretty good. "God saved me so maybe I can race again," the 35-year-old driver said. "Yes, I want to race again. It might take a little while. It could take three months or it could take a year." At that point, Dr. James McDevitt interrupted. "You look better than the car," he said.

Irvan received severe head and lung injuries when his car slammed into a concrete wall during practice session at the Brooklyn race track on Aug. 20. He was unconscious for seven days after the accident.

Irvan has been undergoing six to eight hours of rehabilitation a day, including swimming, weights and occupational therapy.

TAKING THE GAME ABROAD



Alonzo Mourning, center, of the NBA's Charlotte Hornets, gives instructions at a special clinic to South Korean high school basketball players in Seoul Friday. Five NBA players, led by Mourning, were on a three-Asian nation tour, including China, South Korea and Japan, for special clinics and exhibition games with local players.

Former 'Boys coach, Switzer trade barbs and renew feud

IRVING (AP) — Former Dallas Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson and new coach Barry Switzer are feuding again. From his outpost in Florida, Johnson has been accusing Switzer of lacking focus and not preparing the two-time Super Bowl champions for games. Switzer, fuming from Valley Ranch, said Thursday that Johnson is caught up in old news and cares more about football than his family. The players say they're getting sick of the whole mess. "Jimmy did a great job while he was here," said quarterback Troy Aikman. "He's entitled to his opinion. We're in trouble if we let what he says bother us."

The most recent exchange centered on Switzer's skipping a team meeting the night before the Cowboys' Sept. 11 victory over Houston. Switzer took owner Jerry Jones' private plane to Conway, Ark., to see his son, Doug, a sophomore quarterback for Missouri Southern, play in a game two weeks ago. Johnson said that incident proved Switzer wasn't focused. Switzer called Johnson's claim "comical." "It's two-week-old news," Switzer said. "My family is important to me. It's well documented football is more impor-

tant to Jimmy than his family." Johnson recently told his hometown newspaper, the Port Arthur News, he thought the Cowboys weren't focused. But Aikman says he doesn't have a problem with Switzer's decision. Aikman said, "There was nothing he could do to help the team win at the hotel." "What he does on the day before a game doesn't necessarily mean that the man is not focused," said running back Emmitt Smith. Switzer said no pro team puts in its game plan on Saturday night.

THURSDAY FOOTBALL

Snyder 33, Big Spring JV 0

SNYDER — The highlights were few and far between for Big Spring's junior varsity. Todd McAdams, Chad Warren and Jeff Suggs played well for the JV, which now has a record of 0-2-1. The JV Steers return to action next Thursday when they host Levelland.

Big Spring 9th 'A' 26 Snyder 0

SNYDER — Quarterback Gabriel Mendoza passed for two touchdowns and ran for another to lead the Big Spring freshmen A team to a 26-0 shutout win. Mendoza opened the scoring in the first quarter when he passed 6 yards to Bo Eldridge. Mendoza added another touchdown pass in the second quarter on a 25-yard connection with Antwoyne Edwards.

In the third quarter, Mendoza ran the ball in from 5 yards out. Big Spring (2-1) then closed out the scoring on a 35-yard run by Charles Rodriguez.

Two things particularly impressed freshman coach Gary Simmons: a 12-play, 99-yard drive that set up Mendoza's second touchdown pass; and what he termed "an outstanding effort" by Big Spring's defense, which limited Snyder to only three first downs going into the final two minutes of the game. Big Spring A returns to action Thursday at Levelland.

Big Spring 9th 'B' 16 Andrews 8

ANDREWS — Big Spring's freshman B team notched its first victory of the year.

Cornerback Frankie Loya got the freshman Steers on the scoreboard first with a 25-yard interception return in the second quarter. Robert Legg added the two-point conversion to give Big Spring an 8-0 halftime lead. The winning points were scored by Jason Diaz in the third quarter when he tallied from 5 yards out. Legg again provided the two-point play. Big Spring B (1-1) returns to action next week at Levelland.

Runnels 'A' 20 Snyder 8

Tory Mitchell provided all three touchdowns to lead Runnels A.

Mitchell scored on runs of 10 and 15 yards and caught a 20-yard touchdown toss from Joe Owens. Playing well for Runnels A (1-2) was Josh Ontiveros, Matt Mendoza, John Marquez, Carlos Vierra and Aaron Boodle on defense, while Brian Vanderbilt, Ricky

Brackeen, James Phillips and Chris Keller provided good play on offense.

The A teamers return to action Thursday at Sweetwater.

Runnels 'B' 27 Snyder 14

Johnny Delacruz scored twice to help lead Runnels B.

Delacruz opened the scoring for Runnels (2-1) with a 53-yard touchdown run, then added a 54-yard scoring jaunt in the second to make the score 13-0.

In the second half, Runnels scores were provided by Jacob Flores, on a 25-yard run, and Landon Wegner, a 20-yard run.

Playing well on offense for Runnels was Tony Bingham, Jason Cantu, Dusty Clayton, Fleix Martinez, Matt Simon, Jon Hull, Phillip Kuykendall and Josh Long.

Defensive standouts for Runnels were Robert Burris, Chris Luna, Kurt Miranda, Arthur Olague, Monty Hendricks and Gilbert Rubio.

Runnels is in action next Thursday at Sweetwater.

Snyder 8 Goliad White 0

SNYDER — A first-half touchdown run was enough to give Snyder an 8-0 win.

Playing well for the White team (1-2) was Ricky Solis, Jimmy Hawkins, Jason Matthews, Larry Mearns, Gene Salazar and Jerrod Higgins.

The squad plays next Thursday at home against Sweetwater.

Snyder 30 Goliad 'Black' 14

SNYDER — Goliad Black fell to 1-2 for the season with a 30-14 loss to Snyder Thursday night.

Both Goliad touchdowns came on passes from Lance Brock to Tim Arview. Playing well for Goliad were Arview, Arthur Gonzales and James Clements.

Goliad plays next Thursday at home against Sweetwater.

Coahoma JV 9 Ozona 7

OZONA — Jason Henry booted a 22-yard field goal with 40 seconds remaining in the game to give Coahoma's JV (2-0) a win.

Coahoma's other score of the evening came on an 18-yard run by Wes Kirby.

Playing well for the JV Bulldogs were Jeremiah Best, Heath Blair, Judd Cathey, Isaac Martinez and Stephen Lopez. The junior varsity is in action next Thursday vs. Hawley. please see FOOTBALL, page 8A

BOTTOM of the ORDER

SHOT OF THE DAY



Proud to be a Piston
Former Phoenix Sun center Oliver Miller poses with his new Detroit Pistons jersey Thursday.

TEXAS SPORTS

Trinity Meadows files suit

WILLOW PARK (AP) — Trinity Meadows Raceway has filed a lawsuit against track president Jack Lenavitt and other Ohio shareholders over stalled construction of a one-mile oval.

The Texas Racing Commission has made a stipulation for the track to keep its Class 1 certification, as long as it builds the oval. Trinity Meadows, which vied with several others for the right to operate a major horse-racing facility in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, was approved along with the Lone Star Jockey Club of Grand Prairie.

But Trinity Meadows, operating with a Class 2 license, had to agree to upgrade, including a one-mile oval instead of its three-quarter mile oval. Trinity Meadows is on I-20 in Parker County, about 10 miles west of the Fort Worth city limits.

AROUND THE WORLD

Buddy wants Phil Simms

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Buddy Ryan, yet to win with the Arizona Cardinals or settle on a quarterback, says he's interested in former New York Giant Phil Simms.

After 15 years with the Giants, Simms was not offered a contract this season because of shoulder surgery and salary-cap constraints. He retired after being released and now works for ESPN.

Wrenn leads Hardee's Classic

COAL VALLEY, Ill. (AP) — Robert Wrenn shot an opening-round 7-under-par 63 and tied the first-day tournament record to put himself in the lead of the Hardees Classic.

ON THE AIR

Golf

Hardee's Classic, 3:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

Soccer

Game 1 - CISL Championship Series, 9:30 p.m., HSE (ch. 29).

Football

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**Forsan JV 26
Coahoma 9th 6**

COAHOMA - Forsan's junior varsity raced to a 20-0 lead and never looked back.

Freshman running back T.J. Lipham, who finished the night with 168 rushing yards and three touchdowns, opened the scoring on a 44-yard run. He added touchdown runs of 47 and 5 yards in the second quarter before Coahoma's lone score of the night came on a 45-yard pass from Jay McHugh to Jerry Mann. Forsan closed out the scoring on Tim Marino's 32-yard touchdown run.

Leading the way for Forsan's defense was linebacker Stacy Gibbs, who had 10 tackles.

Forsan improved to 1-2 win the win, while the Coahoma freshmen fell to 1-1-1. Forsan plays at Sterling City next Thursday, while Coahoma's freshmen will combine with their JV to face Hawley.

**Coahoma JH 18
Forsan JH 8**

FORSAN - Coahoma knocked off Forsan in a battle of county junior high teams.

Coahoma opened the scoring in the second quarter when Steven Juarez scored on a 6-

yard run. Later in the quarter, Sebastian Gollandeau, who had 77 yards on 10 carries, scored on a 14-yard run. Blake Nichols closed out the scoring for Coahoma with a 9-yard touchdown pass from Vincent Garcia. Coahoma returns to action Thursday at Hawley.

**Stanton 7th 12
Colorado City 0**

COLORADO CITY - Stanton's seventh-graders improved their record to 2-1 with a shutout.

The game was scoreless until the opening kickoff of the second half, which Adrian Hernandez returned 90 yards for a touchdown. Will Harris added the other Stanton score on a 35-yard run later in the half.

Stanton returns to action next Thursday at home against Iraan.

**Stanton 8th 32
Colorado City 0**

COLORADO CITY - Kyle Herm ran for one touchdown and returned a punt for another as the Stanton eighth-graders won.

Carlos Chapa opened the scoring for Stanton with a 14-yard run in the second quarter. Herm then made the score 14-0 at the half with a 47-yard punt

return. After Herm connected for 78 yards with Randy Hernandez to put the ball on the C-City 1, Chad Smith scored on the next play to give Stanton a 26-0 lead in the third.

Maurice Martinez closed out the scoring with a 33-yard run in the fourth quarter.

Stanton (2-1) returns to action Thursday at home against Iraan.

**Garden City JH 6
Rankin 0**

RANKIN - Garden City's junior high school Bearkats kept their record spotless with a 6-0 win over Rankin Thursday night.

The only scoring of the night came with three seconds left in the half when Pedro Mata dived over from three yards out.

Garden City coach Jimmy Fine said the defense, as indicated by the score, had an outstanding outing. The starting lineup includes linemen Jon Escamilla, Kyle Schwartz, Pedro Mata, Scott Gulley and Curtis Schmitz; linebackers Robert Guerrero and Trinity Owens; and secondary people Adam Frysak, Jason Fine, Stephen Hoelscher and Zac Zachary.

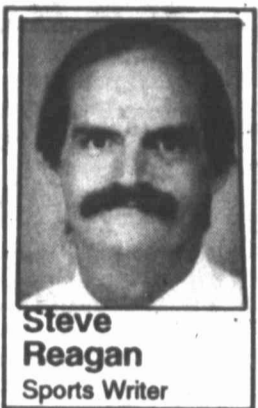
Garden City (3-0) returns to action next week at home vs. Sterling City.

'Losers' really want to play ball

Random thoughts while playing video games:

... So many teams, so little time...

With 12 high school teams in our area, and only a two-man sports staff to cover those teams, some schools unfortunately get short shrift from your friendly neighborhood sports staff.



Steve Reagan
Sports Writer

Sports Editor Dave Hargrave is locked in with the Steers, which makes sense since I recall seeing Big Spring somewhere on our masthead. So come rain, sleet, snow or win-loss records, Dave covers the Steers.

I, on the other hand, get to cover what we euphemistically call the Area Game of the Week. Whatever Dave and I deem the most important non-Big Spring game of the week is where I'll be, whether it's Coahoma, Forsan, Sands or wherever.

The other teams are dealt with by using stringers and phone calls. It's an imperfect system, but until we go to a 10-man sports staff, it's the best we can do.

What all this is leading to is that, invariably, some teams are going to get a lot more coverage than others. As the season goes on, Dave will have me concentrate on the more successful teams fighting for playoff spots, while the struggling schools

might get left out a bit.

And that's somewhat of a shame, because there's some great stories to be found on teams that don't have sterling records.

I've always thought one of the easiest things to do was play for a winning team. Winning is fun. Everybody wants to play for a winner.

Turn that around, however. Think about playing for a team that hardly ever wins. Playing for teams like Forsan, Garden City and Colorado City, who have hit on hard times of late, can't be just a whole lot of fun.

Everybody wants to play for a winner, but look down the sideline of teams that lose more often than not, and you'll see

kids who really, really, really want to play football.

I won't be at Colorado City tonight, but part of me wants to be there. Oh, I don't expect the Wolves to beat Stanton.

But that's not the point. Too many people get hung up on won-loss records and forget why 99 percent of these guys began playing football in the first place: because it's fun.

Don't get me wrong. Teams like C-City and the other "losers" want to win, and they do their dead-level best to win, but when you're faced with a more than an even-money chance of losing, something more than winning has to draw you to the games.

WATCH THE HEAD



Virginia Tech defensive tackle Waverly Jackson (98), sacks West Virginia quarterback Eric Boykin (11) during first-quarter action of a college football game Thursday. Virginia Tech, ranked No. 14, beat West Virginia 34-6. Both teams committed four turnovers in the game, which was at Virginia Tech.

Bankruptcy hits ex-Cowboy QB

PHOENIX (AP) - Former Dallas Cowboys quarterback Danny White has filed for reorganization of his personal finances under protection of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Phoenix.

In petitioning for protection from creditors while reorganizing, White said he has about \$50,000 in assets to cover \$11 million to \$13 million in debts.

The petition filed Sept. 8 said most of the debts were a result of unsuccessful real estate ventures he made during the 1980s when he was playing for the Cowboys.

White's attorney, Robert Spurlock, said Thursday most of the property has been repossessed by lenders who now are pressing White to cover the difference between what they were owed and what they got through resales.

White, a resident of suburban Gilbert, Ariz., told the federal court he expects to have some money for creditors.

White's list of creditors included AmWest Savings Association of Dallas, three loans totaling \$6.4 million, and Benton Land Fund, a Dallas limited partnership to which he owes \$3.5 million.

White coached the Arizona Rattlers to the Arena Football League championship this month.

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Baseball players make promise to Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — Baseball players promised angry congressmen that taking away the league's antitrust exemption would end the baseball strike.

Union head Donald Fehr told a House subcommittee Thursday that the walkout would end before next season if lawmakers enact legislation that would allow players to sue owners and let a court decide if a salary cap is an illegal restraint of trade.

"If the bill is passed, it will bring baseball back," testified Los Angeles pitcher Orel Hershiser, wearing a double-breasted Navy suit instead of Dodger blue. "The players will return to the field. It's a promise."

Fehr said there was an outside chance the World Series could still be played this year if Congress acted quickly on the antitrust bill and President

Clinton signs it. Clinton said last week that baseball's antitrust exemption must be reexamined, although he didn't commit himself to a position.

"I don't like this room; I want to be on the dirt," said Cecil Fielder of the Detroit Tigers, among the eight players attending the hearing.

Acting commissioner Bud Selig defended the owners' antitrust exemption, created by a 1922 U.S. Supreme Court decision that was reaffirmed in 1953 and 1972. The Senate Judiciary Committee voted 10-7 on June 23 against a blanket repeal of the exemption, but the bill discussed Thursday would amend the law in two ways:

— Players could sue owners if the teams impose unilateral work rules, such as a salary cap.
— Unilateral work rules wouldn't take effect until lawsuits were decided and appeals

were exhausted. "I'm optimistic we will reach an agreement with the union in 1994," Selig said.

He said fighting the players in court wasn't preferable to the strike, baseball's eighth work stoppage since 1972.

"That's like asking whether you want to have a problem with your pancreas or a problem with your liver," he said after the hearing.

The sides have met just three times since the strike began Aug. 12 and not at all since Selig announced Sept. 14 that there wouldn't be a World Series for the first time since 1904. Owners are insisting on a salary cap, and players say they never will accept one.

"Unlike Mr. Selig, I am not even remotely optimistic there will be an agreement in the short term," Fehr said. "Spring training is in imminent peril."

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FOOTBALL

By The Associated Press
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Washington	5	1	0	29	15
New Jersey	4	2	0	19	15
NY Islanders	3	3	0	18	19
NY Rangers	3	3	0	21	16
Philadelphia	2	3	0	14	17
Florida	1	4	0	21	21
Tampa Bay	0	2	0	9	9

High Schools

THURSDAY

Brownville Lopez 42, Valley Christian 0	Hartford 41 0	8	22	14
Burkeville 45, Nacogdoches JV 0	Boston 3	3	0	19
CC Moody 20, CC King 17	Quebec 3	2	0	18
Dallas Spruce 42, Dallas Macao Smith 0	Montreal 2	3	1	24
D'Haris 28, Hondo JV 0	Ottawa 2	6	0	39
Houston Austin 24, Houston Sam Houston 14	Pittsburgh 2	4	0	20
Houston Sharpstown 30, Houston Westbury 3	Buffalo 1	3	1	18
Houston Washington 30, Houston Milby 28	WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Kerrville Thy 61, SA Fox Tech 6	Central Division			
North Mesquite 47, South Garland 20	St. Louis 4	1	2	15
Rockwall 34, Mesquite Poteel 15	Toronto 4	1	1	17
SA Marshall 38, SA Southwest 20	Dallas 3	1	2	13
Taylor 41, Austin Lanier 14	Detroit 2	2	2	21
Wichita Falls Hirsch 14, Graham 0	Winnipeg 2	1	1	15
	Chicago 1	3	0	14

HOCKEY

NHL Preseason

NOTE: Games against non-NHL teams do not count in standings

Edmonton	0	3	1	10	16
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Quebec 2, Philadelphia 1
New York Islanders 4, Florida 0
Chicago 5, Las Vegas (IHL) 4
Vancouver 7, Pittsburgh 6
San Jose 3, New York Rangers 0

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

BOSTON RED SOX—Fired Charlie Moss, trainer. Announced they have reached a two-year working agreement with the Peoria Chiefs of the Midwest League.
DETROIT TIGERS—Announced they have reached a two-year working agreement with the Jacksonville Suns of the Southern League.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Exercised the option on Mike Stanley, catcher.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
COLORADO ROCKIES—Announced a two-year working agreement with the New Haven Ravens of the Eastern League.

TENNIS

BSHS-Midland

Girls' singles
No. 1 - McIntyre (B) d. Gelltemeyer

(M) 6-6.
No. 2 - Sarah Innersary (M) d. Ma. Villarreal (B) 6-0.
No. 3 - Mo. Villarreal (B) d. Kerr (M) 6-2.
No. 4 - Griffin (B) d. Duncan (M) 6-3, 6-3.
No. 5 - Gutierrez (B) d. Essex (M) 7-5, 6-3.
No. 6 - Britton (M) d. Lee (B) 6-4, 6-1.

Girls' doubles
No. 1 - Gelltemeyer/Innersary (M) d. Ma. Villarreal/Mo. Villarreal (B) 7-6, 4-6, 6-2.
No. 2 - Kerr/Essex (M) d. Griffin/Moese (B) 6-1, 6-0.
No. 3 - Lee/McIntyre (B) d. Duncan/Britton (M) 6-1, 6-0.

Boys' singles
No. 1 - McIlvain (M) d. Wegman (B) 6-0, 6-0.
No. 2 - Li (B) d. Lawrence (M) 6-3, 6-2.
No. 3 - Baker (M) d. Welch (B) 6-3, 6-0.
No. 4 - Burgin (M) d. Johnston (B) 6-1, 6-3.
No. 5 - Castle (M) d. Moss (B) 6-1, 6-4.
No. 6 - McDonald (M) d. Uries (B) 6-1, 6-3.

Boys' doubles
No. 1 - McIlvain/Lawrence (M) d. Li/Wegman (B) 6-3, 6-2.
No. 2 - Welch/Johnston (B) d. Baker/Burgin (M) 2-6, 7-5, 7-6 (12-10).
No. 3 - Castle/Nichols (M) d. Uries/Stroup (B) 6-4, 6-1.

Midland beats BSHS tennis

MIDLAND - Midland High defeated Big Spring's tennis team in terms of matches won, but Big Spring had some strong performance Thursday, particularly on the girls' side.

Big Spring's girls won five of nine matches, while Midland won seven of nine boys' matches.

Heidi McIntyre, playing her first match of the season at No. 1 singles, beat Midland's Carrie Gelltemeyer 8-6. Because of impending darkness, some girls' matches were just one set - a pro set, which goes to eight games rather than six.

Other singles winners for Big Spring's girls were Monica Villarreal (No. 3), Angela Griffin (No. 4) and Brandi Gutierrez (No. 5).

Midland High will be at Figure 7 Tennis Center Tuesday at 4 p.m. for a rematch with Big Spring. A complete list of results is in SportsExtra.

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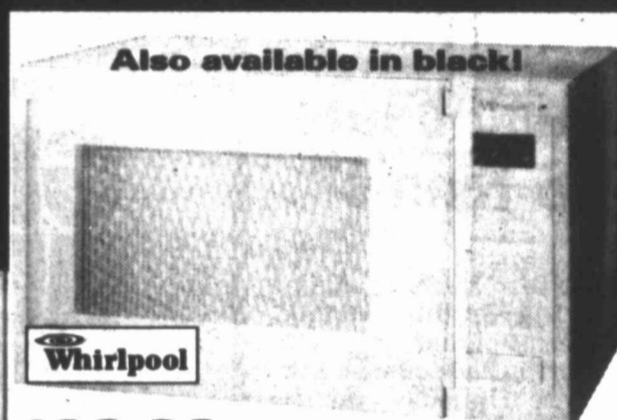
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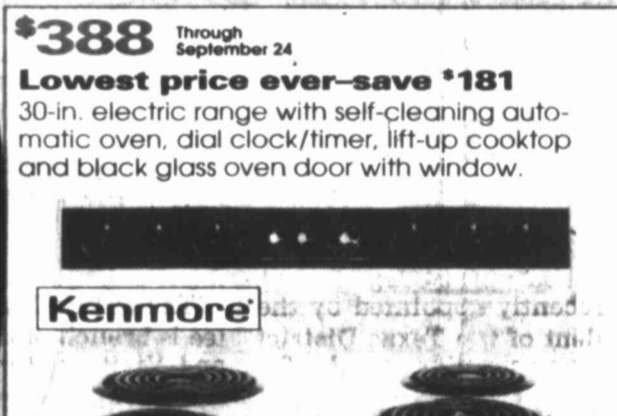
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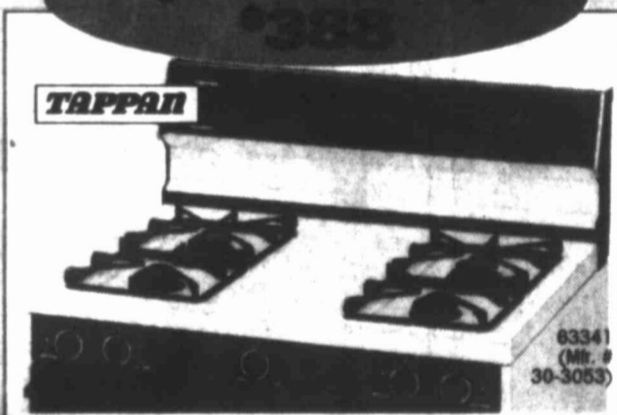
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Got an item?

Do you have a good story idea for the life! section? Call 263-7331, Ext. 112.

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Big Spring Herald

Friday, September 23, 1994

Spiritual CPR from St. Paul Lutheran

By JANET AUSBURY
Features Editor

CPR is more than cardiopulmonary resuscitation. To members of St. Paul Lutheran Church, it also means celebration, praise and renewal in other words, resuscitation of the spirit.

St. Paul Lutheran Church, located at Ninth and Scurry streets, will celebrate its 12th annual CPR worship services Sept. 25-29. The celebration got its start in 1982, when the congregation decided to invite a speaker and enlist local Christian church groups to join in a five-day celebration. Each fall since that time, the church has presented its CPR services.

This year the speaker will be Rev. Keith Plotter, associate pastor of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Odessa. Originally from Illinois, Plotter attended Concordia College in Bronxville, N.Y. and later from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo.

He has been associate pastor of Redeemer Lutheran Church of Odessa since Aug. 11. He was recently appointed by the president of the Texas District to serve as circuit counselor for Circuit 4, of which St. Paul's is a member.

Guest musicians and vocalists for CPR services will include St. Paul Lutheran Church's PraiseMakers and children's choir; the Baker's Chapel Choir from Baker's Chapel AME Church; Walton Lyte from Miracle Revival Center; Norma Roman from College Heights Christian Church; Flynn Long from First Presbyterian (including his bagpipe playing); and Pat Reynolds, Pearlene Long and Barbara Vincent from Snyder First United Methodist Church.

Sermon times and themes will be Sept. 25, 8:15 and 10:45 a.m., "A Living Hope," and 7:30 p.m., "Caught in a Storm"; Sept. 26, 7:30 p.m., "Burning for the Lord"; Sept. 27, 7:30 p.m., "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"; Sept. 28, 7:30 p.m., "A Trusty Shield and Weapon"; and Sept. 29, 7:30 p.m., "Cross-Life."

The community is invited to attend this multid denominational celebration. For more information, contact St. Paul Lutheran Church at 267-7163.

Church members fast to reduce debt

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Members of a suburban Kansas City church have been fasting for one meal a week since January 1993 in an effort to reduce the national debt.

Fasting members of the St. Luke Presbyterian Church have been donating the money saved to a national debt fund. Last year, the congregation raised \$1,148 for debt retirement.

On a recent Sunday, the church received the Liberty Award from the Fund to End the Deficit, a non-profit organization in Washington.

"You are heroes..." the fund's executive director, Lucille McConnell, told the congregation. "You are giving up something to make a better future for your country."



Juan Jojola talks to the Big Spring Hyperion Council about the common myths associated with Native Americans. The Hyperion Council held a luncheon last week as a kickoff for an event planned in October 1995 where Big Spring will host an Indian Nation Gathering.

Hyperions promote Indian gathering

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

The Big Spring Hyperion Council is working with the Cultural Affairs Committee and Visitors Bureau which is part of the Chamber of Commerce. We held a luncheon last week to kick off a campaign to bring the gathering to Big Spring in October 1995.

"The cultural affairs committee is branch of the Convention and Visitors Bureau which is part of the Chamber of Commerce. We held a luncheon last week to kick off a campaign to bring the gathering to Big Spring in October 1995," said Vickie Purcell, committee chairman.

The Hyperion Council is made up of six individual Hyperion clubs and held a luncheon last week to kick off the event.

Juan Jojola is a member of the Ysleta Pueblo and in the Corn Clan based in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Jojola spoke to the Hyperion Council about Indian culture and myths.

"You have probably seen in the movies when an Indian holds up his hand and says 'How'. That is a myth because actually the Indian is showing that his weapon hand is empty and is coming in peace. They never say the word 'how'," explained Jojola.

The tables at the luncheon were decorated with pueblos made by members of the 1955 Hyperion Club.

"We made the pueblos from things we found around the house to show the way of life of the Indians. One of the pueblos showed how they dried the skins. Mr. Jojola also talked to us about symbols and how geology proves the existence of Indians during Christ's time," said Ruth Penner, 1955 Hyperion Club member.

Also at the luncheon were two metal sculptures of a horse and buffalo that will eventually be placed in Comanche Trail Park.

"We are wanting to get donations from citizens for the artist to build more sculptures to depict an Indian village. The artist will live in Big Spring for three months while he works on the project."

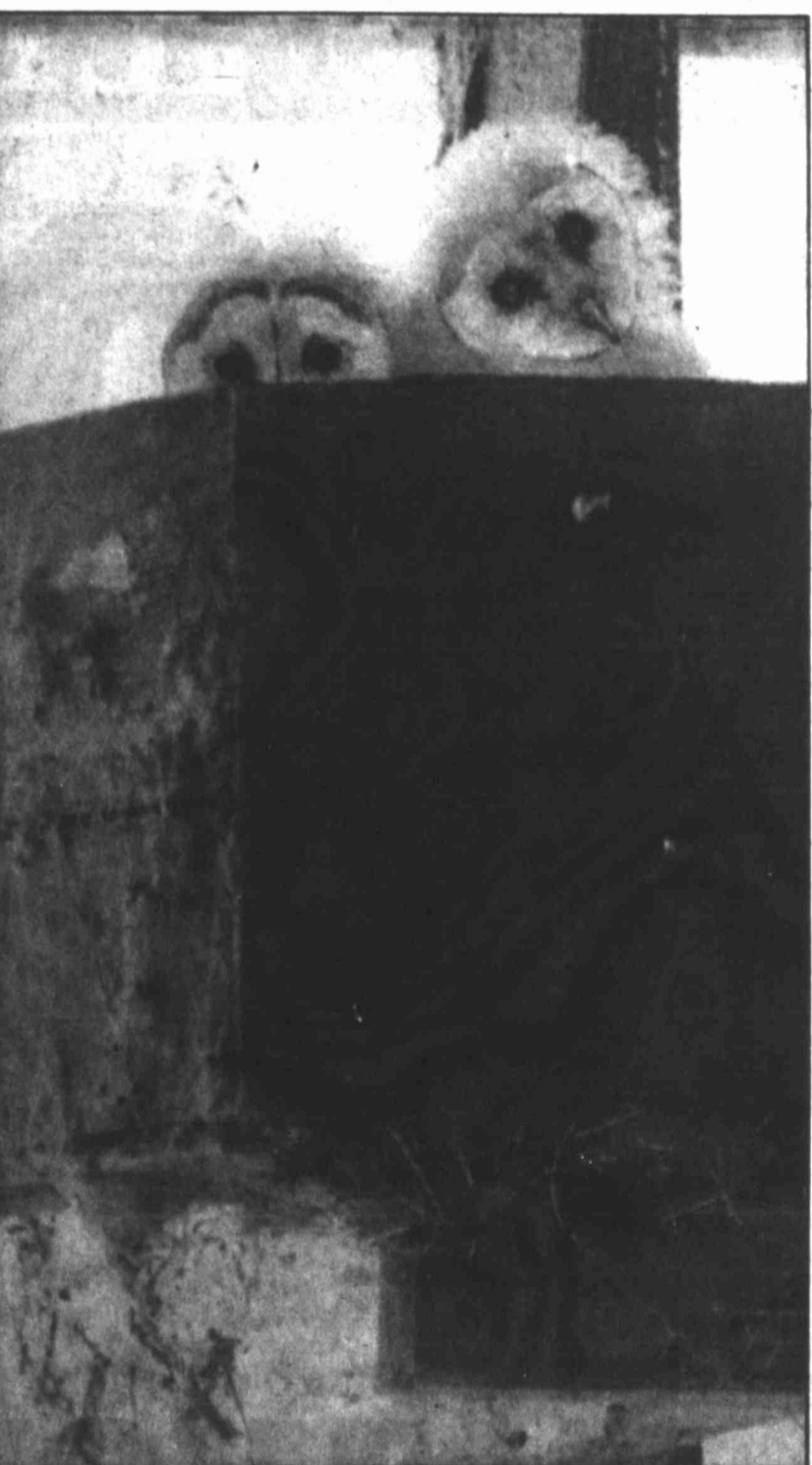
"The Indian Nation Gathering is scheduled for October 6-8 and will be in the city park. There will be dancers and costumes for people to come and see," explained Milly Cunningham, 1955 Hyperion Club member.

Purcell added, "We are wanting to get Indians from different nations to come to Big Spring for the event who are from all over the United States and perhaps Canada."

"They will bring their teepees and costumes. There will be dancing, crafts, pottery and jewelry set up for people to see. We hope to have Indian plays in the amphitheater as well."

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WHOOOO'S THERE?



Peering out of their box high in one end of the Longacre Stables in Longview, Wash., a pair of baby barn owls surveys the hayloft below their nest Sept. 9. Without their adult feathers, the two-month-old owlets look like blow-dried caricatures of their parents.

Sermons don't have to bore churchgoers

"Blessed are the preachers of short, captivating sermons, for they shall not bore you to death."

That might seem obvious, even to contemporary preachers who don't aspire to draw multitudes on foot to a remote mountainside.

Leaders of all denominations are rediscovering the importance of the sermon.

It's not always an enlightening, uplifting experience, as any churchgoer can attest.

"Many a child has squirmed... and many a person has wondered why" they must listen to boring sermons when the preachers "get on a platform three feet higher than the rest of the congregation," said Martin Marty, who teaches American religious history at the University of Chicago.

The Bible deals with the "incredible idea that God would become flesh and die and rise again," said Mark Galli, author of a new book, "Preaching That Connects."

"Somehow we manage to take all the life out of that." The Bible says the apostle Paul once preached so long that a young man named Eutyclus fell asleep and out of his third-story window seat.

Chicago's Cardinal Joseph Bernardin, in a recent report on the future of the city's Roman Catholic archdiocese, called for a dramatic improvement in homilies because of "widespread dissatisfaction with the quality of current preaching."

"Because the Mass is such an elaborate ceremony, priests have thought they didn't have to preach so well," said the Rev. Andrew Greeley, the novelist and Roman Catholic priest. He cited a survey that

found only one in five American Catholics gave their priests high marks on homilies.

"The typical Catholic goes to church on Sunday expecting not to hear a good homily."

Brian Staudt, a lifelong Catholic from the Chicago suburb of Oak Lawn, felt so strongly about the issue that he changed parishes partly in search of better preaching. Staudt, 23, said older priests "can't really relate the sermons that happened so many years ago to the stuff that's going on now."

Catholic attitudes are changing, said the Rev. Don Wardlaw, a Presbyterian professor at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago. Just as some Protestants have begun observing the Lord's Supper more often, Catholics now are borrowing an idea from Protestants.

"There was a passing nod toward the pulpit on the way to the altar, traditionally," he said. "And now, we do more than nod in the Roman church. They stop and pay attention to the pulpit on the way to the altar."

"When you preach, you should have a newspaper in one hand and the Bible in the other hand. You have to be relevant," said the Rev. Bob Miller, associate pastor at St. Joachim Church on Chicago's South Side.

"We're not trained to be Jay Leno or David Lettermans," said the Rev. Tom Simons, executive director of the Chicago-based National Federation of Priests Councils.

Pro-lifers divided on tactics

By JUDY TARJANY
The Toledo Blade

From the outside looking in, the anti-abortion movement often appears to be a sea of uniformly angry faces shouting slogans and hands wildly waving leaflets with gory pictures of aborted fetuses.

For many people, that image intensified considerably July 29 with the killing of yet another abortion doctor in Pensacola, Fla.

But those whose sympathies and beliefs lie within the anti-abortion fold know there always have been cracks in the "pro-life" monolith, dividing moderates from radicals, and now, pacifists from vigilantes.

Besides shooting holes in the armor of a movement claiming to support human life, the murder of Dr. John Britton at the hands of Paul Hill may well have widened the divisions among those who favor a swift end to legalized abortion.

Already alienated by the guerrilla tactics of groups like Operation Rescue, many Christians in conservative churches are further distancing themselves from the activist wing of the anti-abortion movement to pursue prayer, legislative change, and organized efforts to help single mothers and women in crisis pregnancies.

A woman who called a local radio talk show after the Pensacola killing said she had deliberately decided to separate herself from activists who regularly picket a Toledo, Ohio, abortion clinic because she thought some of them had lost their focus.

She said she was staying home to pray, having determined that prayer was her best weapon in the fight to end abortion.

Still another local abortion opponent who occasionally had joined the band of "sidewalk counselors" outside an abortion clinic said he would no longer go there because of fear that he, too, could be killed in an outbreak of violence.

Dr. Stephen Krason, associate professor of political science at the Franciscan University of Steubenville, Ohio, said that when Operation Rescue gained prominence in the 1980s, it became a flashpoint for division in the anti-abortion movement, separating longtime abortion foes who supported a more moderate approach from more fiery advocates of civil disobedience.

Although some anti-abortion groups gave at least tacit approval to Operation Rescue's dramatic clinic blockades, others, like the Washington-based National Right to Life Committee, refused to embrace the approach, Krason said.

More recently, he said, there has been an acknowledgment in the anti-abortion movement that some of Operation Rescue's activities have not been as nonviolent as some of the participants had claimed.

Even at the Franciscan University, where there is strong campus support for the anti-abortion movement, activity by students in so-called clinic "rescues" has diminished because of concerns about violence.

"Around 1989 or 1990 there was a high point here on campus for Operation Rescue activity. We had a bunch of students who would go and do that, maybe a few times a semester," Krason said.

In one instance, the Rev. Michael Scanlan, the university's president, was among those arrested and jailed for his role in a protest.

Now, however, Krason said, "The university has sort of discouraged that, because of some serious confrontations in Youngstown. There was a real threat of violence there, and the university has tried to be careful not to institutionally embrace it."

CLUBS IN BRIEF

Elbow FCE
Elbow Family and Community Education Club met at the home of Mickey Fiveash. The program was on nutrition and good labeling, presented by County Extension Agent Dana Tarter. Officers for 1994-95 were installed by Dorothy Blackwell. President-Lou Vincent; vice president-Winifred Millwee; secretary-Erma Stewart; treasurer-Wanda Lee; council delegate-Ruth Morton. Next meeting will be at the home of Lou Vincent, 2300 Merrily, 2 p.m. Oct. 6. Visitors are welcome.

DAR
In commemoration of the 207th anniversary of the drafting of the U.S. Constitution, and the designation of Sept. 17-23 as Constitution Week, the Daughters of the American Revolution arranged for County Judge Ben Lockhart to proclaim this week as Constitution Week in Howard County.

Gold Star Mothers
The American Gold Star Mother Chapter met for their monthly meeting in the home of Kathryn Thomas. The new video of the story of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Wall in Washington, D.C., including the newly added Women's Statue, was viewed by the Mothers. Pictures and names of four of the Mothers' sons were in the video: Coy Thomas, George Tom, Rosendo Montana and Arthur Hernandez.

Hospital chairman reported refreshments were served at the Veterans Administration Medical Center to 21 patients and 6 visitors.

The Community Service report showed 16 trays of food and five vases of flowers were given to shut-ins; nine visits, and \$25 in memorials to favorite charities. The next meeting will be Oct. 10 in the home of Odell Turner.

Tall Talkers
Tall Talkers Toastmasters Club held its weekly meeting 6:45 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 20, at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce conference room. Toastmaster was Scott McLaughlin. Table topics were led by Mike Manley.

Members were given the opportunity to speak on the subject, which was, "The Features of an Honest Person." Winner was a three way tie between Bill Frey, Cliff Cunningham and Dene Sheppard. Best speaker award went to Virginia Martin.

Correction
In Wednesday's Herald, the caption for a photo titled "Domino Kings" stated John Myers and Bud Hughes were first place winners in the Howard County Fair Domino Tournament. They were third-place winners. First place went to Roosevelt Shaw and Robert Nichols.

A homecoming at Baylor

Dilday returns to alma mater after ouster from Fort Worth seminary

By CHRISTOPHER HALL
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO — It's been a homecoming of sorts for Russell Dilday. Ousted in March as president of Fort Worth's Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, a post he had held for 16 years, Dilday found himself without a home, victim of political infighting between Baptist factions.

Biblically conservative but bent on keeping politics and religion apart like Baptist tradition had taught him, Dilday had worn out his welcome with a fundamentalist faction he believed was hungry for power and not above using the most basic political methods to secure it.

By a 27-6 vote, the trustees of the world's largest Baptist seminary ignored calls from the student body to retain Dilday and fired him, changing the locks on his office and ordering him out of the President's house.

Other offers came, good opportunities all, but it wasn't until July that Dilday, 63 and nearing retirement, knew where he would finish his career.

Baylor University's George W. Truett Theological Seminary, preparing to accept its first class of students, had jumped at the chance to hire Dilday, a 1952 Baylor graduate and permanent class president.

It was a call he couldn't ignore. "It's always in your blood — I'm still green and gold," Dilday said. "I've already ordered my football tickets."

Stepping from president of the giant Fort Worth seminary to teacher at a fledgling school with only 52 first-year students shouldn't be quite the change some might imagine, he said.

"This gives me an opportunity to carry out what I call my calling from God, to work in the field of training ministers," he said. "That calling is still there."

Of particular interest to Dilday, who will teach courses on sermons and pastoral leadership, is Truett's commitment to a hands-on style of ministerial training, something his role as teacher will emphasize.

Students will couple their classwork with pastoral work in the community, working with churches and outreaches in what seminary Dean Robert Sloan calls a "pioneering" effort.

"Our curriculum is an attempt to go beyond the old division between classical theological education and a practical education," Sloan said. "We are going beyond that division, toward a holistic treatment of the Christian faith, fleshed out in the new forms, the new models of the 21st Century."

Practically and theologically, Dilday's experience as both a teacher and administrator should be a giant boost to the young curriculum, said Sloan, who served under the former president for three years at Southwestern.

"His leadership — and I say leadership, not administration — is something that really permeates whatever he does," Sloan said. "Whether he's teaching a class on leadership or teaching a class on preaching, it's his ability to show students how, in administration or teaching, how to lead others, how to plan, how to have a vision for the future that really counts."

Truett's vision of leadership is a question central to the conflict that has divided Baptists for more than a decade now. The leader's role as servant to the church has largely disappeared from the fundamentalist faction, replaced by a brand of leadership more autocratic and much less yielding.

It's an evolution Dilday fought for years at Southwestern, one he now fights at Truett. With the six major Southern Baptist semi-

naries firmly under control by the conservative-dominated Southern Baptist Convention, it's a cause he now sees being upheld at the next level down.

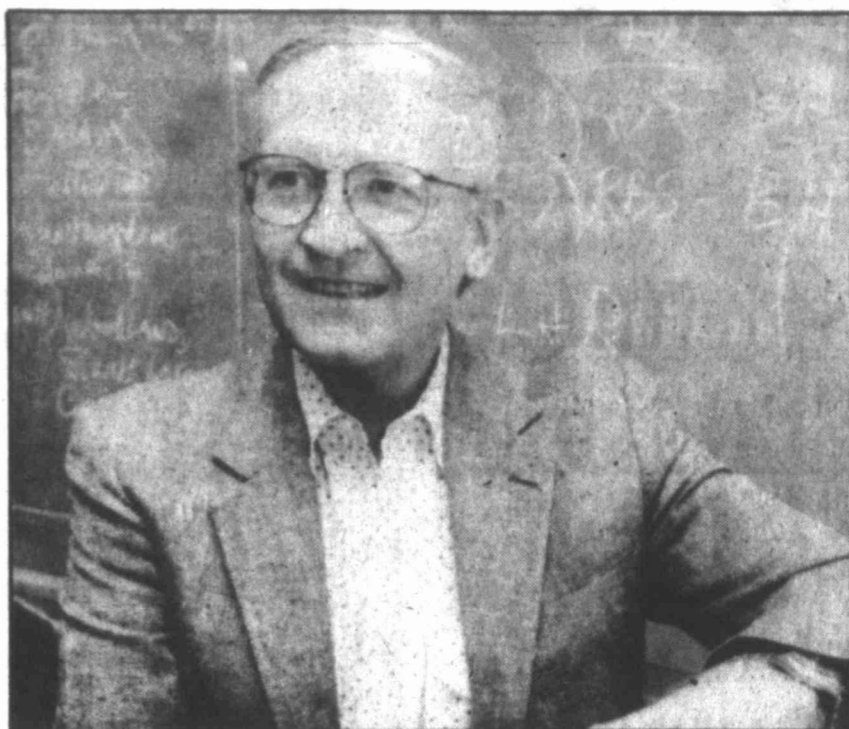
"The SBC became too bureaucratic, too authoritative — that's so contrary to the Baptist principles of freedom, freedom of conscience, local autonomy," Dilday said. "The SBC, at the beginning, was introduced to be an instrument of mission work, not to be what it is now. I think the state conventions like Texas are going to take greater prominence in the future."

The irony of Dilday's fate at Southwestern is that most of the vision to keep Texas Baptists free of fundamentalist control can be traced to the school in Fort Worth that trained so many of the state's leaders. While Southwestern's faculty has remained largely uninfluenced by the politicking in the SBC, many believe the seminary's board removed the greatest barrier to gaining control over the curriculum when it dismissed Dilday.

Now Dilday teaches at a seminary whose creation he opposed a few short years ago, before 1994's controversy. He had feared two similar schools less than 100 miles apart would become competitors, hurting Baptists and each other.

As long as Southwestern could maintain its academic freedom and continue to "represent mainstream Southern Baptist life," Dilday wrote in a 1991 letter to Baylor, a seminary in Waco would be unnecessary.

"Now, I look at it as a very good thing," Dilday said of Baylor's decision to proceed with its seminary. "Dr. Sloan and Dr. Reynolds are to be commended — they were very bold."



Russell Dilday poses in the classroom at Baylor University on Aug. 26 in Waco. He was ousted in March as president of Fort Worth's Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He will teach at Baylor's George W. Truett Theological Seminary.

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CHURCH IN BRIEF

Immaculate Heart

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 1009 Hearn Street, will have a program for those interested in knowing what Catholics teach and believe. Sessions are 7 p.m. each Monday in the church school building. No obligation. For further information please call the church office at 267-4124.

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday, Sept. 25, is the official kickoff day for "All Hands on Deck," the fall Sunday School growth campaign of the Church of the Nazarene throughout the United States. The campaign attempts to increase Sunday school attendance with a special focus on encouraging those who attend church services to begin attending Sunday school also.

During September, every church service has begun with a skit, preparing the congregation for the upcoming campaign. Under the leadership of Wilma Doll, Sunday school superintendent, in the role of the Lt. Commander of the ship, "Naval officers" have emphasized the need for AWOL sailors (those who attend church but not Sunday School) to report to duty.

On Sunday, adults will gather in the sanctuary at the Sunday School hour, 9:30 A.M., instead of going to their individual classes. At that time, every adult class will present a skit portraying the subject matter of their Sunday school class; allowing adults not already in a class to choose which one best suits their needs and interests.

Pastor Gary Smith will be conduct a state-wide tour Sept. 26-29, to promote a Bible-centered Sunday School emphasis to all of the pastors and churches of the West Texas District.

John and Wilma Doll, of this congregation, were named District Sunday School Ensigns to head up the campaign across the West Texas District. Monday they, along with Alan and Tonda Wallace, will begin a week-long tour of the district.

First United Methodist

Bishop Alfred L. Norris is pictured at First United Methodist Church where he preached at the 10:50 Service of worship and presided at a meeting of United Methodist Churches in the Big Spring District last Sunday.

Following a luncheon for the congregation and guests, Bishop Norris participated in a dedication ceremony officially opening and naming the Sue Garrett Partee Family Center which was a gift to First United Methodist Church from the Dora Roberts Foundation, Dorothy Garrett and the Stan and Sue Partee family.

First United Methodist Church will present a parenting seminar featuring Todd Linder, speaker from Irving Christian Counseling, Inc. Sunday, Sept. 25. Linder will discuss communication as the key in helping adolescents develop into healthy adults. The split session will begin at 9:45 in youth hall with a break for the 10:50 Service of Worship in the sanctuary. At noon lunch will be provided participants in Garrett Hall and the seminar will continue until 3 p.m. A nursery will be provided for the entire seminar time.

In addition to this seminar First United Methodist Church has started a new Sunday school class called Promising Parents, a six-week Biblically-based study dealing with issues of commitment, daily life, handling crises, etc. For information on this class and the seminar, contact Kim Holman, Minister of Youth at FUMC, 267-6394.

Indian

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The three day event's main purpose is to bring people from out of town to Big Spring as a tourist attraction. Purcell hopes a large number of people will come to town and spend money on hotels, restaurants and other facilities.

The cultural affairs committee is still making plans on advertising the event, talking to the city council to get permission to hold the event in the park and when tickets will go on sale.

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...DURING THE NEXT SIX YEARS, AS THE LAD GREW FROM YOUTH TO YOUNG MANHOOD, SAUL'S ATTITUDE BEGAN TO CHANGE—FOR DAVID SHOWED A FINE APPETITE AS A WARRIOR AND LEADER, GAINING GREAT POPULARITY WITH THE PEOPLE. SAUL, IN HIS DEPRESSED MENTAL STATE, BEGAN TO SEE DAVID AS A THREAT TO HIS OWN RULE, LET ALONE THE FUTURE RULE OF JONATHAN, HIS SON, WHOM HE TRIED TO ENTICE INTO KILLING DAVID—WHICH JONATHAN WOULDN'T DO BECAUSE HE WAS A CLOSE AND SINCERE FRIEND. BUT, UNDERNEATH THIS GROWING OBSESSION TO SEE DAVID DEAD, LOVE FOR HIM STILL REMAINED WHICH BECAME QUITE EVIDENT, IN THIS WRITER'S OPINION, WHEN, THE LAST TIME DAVID PLAYED FOR HIM, SAUL TOOK UP HIS JAVELIN (I SAMUEL 19) AND HALF-HEARTEDLY ATTEMPTED TO PIN DAVID TO THE WALL. THE TRIBE OF BENJAMIN, OF WHICH SAUL WAS A MEMBER, WAS RENOWNED AS THE GREATEST OF LEFT-HANDED MARKSMEN (JUDGES 20-16) WITH SLING, SPEAR, OR ANY OTHER WEAPON OF WAR AND, FOR A WARRIOR OF SAUL'S GREAT CALIBER TO MISS HIS MARK IN THE CLOSE CONFINES OF A ROOM, OTHER THAN ON PURPOSE, WAS IMPOSSIBLE! BUT IT DID SERVE AS A SIGN TO THE ESCAPING DAVID THAT FROM HENCE HIS LIFE WAS ENDANGERED, EVEN THOUGH THE KING DID NOT, PERSONALLY, INTEND TO HAVE DAVID'S BLOOD ON HIS OWN ROYAL HANDS!

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Push comes to shove today. Avoid a power play at any cost, especially about money. You and a partner do not see eye-to-eye with finances. Look at the positive aspects of your relationship. Tonight: Hang out in a favorite spot. ****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Financial issues are being discussed, but beyond that, you see things differently than a partner. Try to be upbeat in your outlook. Tonight: Let loose. **

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are personality-plus today. Your fatigue can get you into a series of power plays that do not make you happy. Be aware of what you want, and stay directed. Be more of a party animal. Take some needed time off. Tonight: Be your happy-go-lucky self. ****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Focus on friendship. You seem to pull a situation out of the fire. Being aware of your own limitations is critical. Avoid a risk at any cost. Tonight: Vanish. ****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Focus on responsibilities early in the day. You'll handle them well. Listen to your intuition. Find what makes you happy. Your sense of well-being is highlighted. You get ahead, stay centered and know what works for you. Tonight: Hang out with friends. **

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A day trip proves exciting and could be extended. However, you must make a phone call or tune in to someone important to you. Power plays are likely in your day-to-day meandering. Let go of them. Tonight: Make a must appearance. ****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Use this opportunity to pull in close to another. Be careful how you do it. Spending is not a good idea. A relationship will flourish without extravagance. Awareness of another's limits is also important. Lighten up. Tonight: Be your happy-go-lucky self. ****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Stay cool. Don't cause unnecessary problems. Your upbeat nature emerges, allowing you to be more efficient. Claim your power. You know what you want. Be aware of bottom lines. Tonight: Make time for a special person. ***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Chill out. Listen to your instincts. Be ready to make an important choice and resolve a problem. You might exaggerate the ramifications. Let more laughter into your life. Tonight: Accept a late invitation. **

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You feel as if you are doing a juggling act today. Friends want this, loved ones want that, a child demands something else and you want none of it. Relationships flourish in the later part of the day, when you are more relaxed. Tonight: Be a couch potato. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): It's a demanding day. Parents want their way, and you might have difficulty meeting their requests. An opportunity arrives suddenly. Listen carefully to your instincts, and follow through on your true priorities. Tonight: Nap and then out. **

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be willing to change plans at the drop of a hat. A family member is having hard times - which is evident in how this person speaks to you and others. Be more understanding. Tonight: Make it an early night. ***

IF SEPT. 24 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: One-to-one relating will be financially critical in the year ahead. Your family life will become more exciting and centered. You'll get opportunities to prosper and to change direction. If you are single, you'll meet people easily but you'll be prone to misunderstandings. If you are attached, discussions will be important and you'll need to spend more time in public with your partner. **TAURUS** is provocative.

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9036 SEPTEMBER 23, 1994

PUBLIC NOTICE

ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS
The Big Spring Independent School District shall receive sealed bid proposals until 2:00 p.m., October 4, 1994, on the following:

Athletic Equipment
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Specifications and bid documents may be secured from the school district's Business Office, 708 Eleventh Place, Big Spring, Texas 79720-4610, phone number (915) 264-3620. Bids will be publicly open and read immediately following the deadline for receiving the bids in the Business Office of the Big Spring Independent School District. Bidders are invited to be present at the bid opening. Bids received after the opening date and time will be returned unopened. Bids will be presented for consideration to the Board of Trustees on October 13, 1994, at 5:15 p.m. at their regularly scheduled board meeting. The Big Spring Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
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The applicant proposes to inject salt water into the San Andres Formation, H.H. Wilkinson, Lease, Well No. 2-A. The proposed injection well is located in the T & P RR Co. Survey, Blk. 34, T-1-N, Section 20, approximately ten miles west of Big Spring in the Moore Field, in Howard County. Fluid will be injected in the H.H. Wilkinson, Well No. 2-A into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3,160 to 3,260 feet. LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication of this notice in the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6790).
9037 September 23, 1994

PUBLIC NOTICE

ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS
The Big Spring Independent School District shall receive sealed bid proposals until 2:00 p.m., October 11, 1994, on the following:

Student Letter Awards
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90032 September 23 & 27, 1994

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Big Spring Independent School District shall receive sealed bid proposals until 2:00 p.m., October 7, 1994, on the following:

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Well, maybe SHE has, but I haven't. Don't suggest going to a counselor. She would never go. Never! She has told me that she would rather have a divorce than start having sex again.

Abby, is there something I can slip into her food that would turn her on? It would have to be tasteless; otherwise she would detect it in a minute.

When I was a boy, I heard older boys talk about putting Spanish fly on gum and giving it to a girl. Where can a person buy it? I will be eternally grateful if you can help me. -- BENNY (NOT MY REAL NAME)

DEAR "BENNY": I know of nothing you could "slip" into your wife's food to "turn her on."

This is a problem for a marriage counselor. If she refuses to go with you, go alone. Ask your family doctor if he (or she) can recommend one, and don't be bashful about telling the doctor exactly what the problem is.

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Perhaps YOU could use some instructions in the art of love-making. Think about it. It could open up a whole new world for both of you.

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend, "Buddy," will be coming home

soon, following a tour of duty overseas in the military. He's been gone for more than a year, and he's asked me to meet him at the airport.

Now the problem: He asked me not to tell his mom exactly when he's arriving, because he wants to spend his first evening alone with me. (He plans to call her the next day and "surprise" her.)

Abby, I'm happy Buddy wants to spend his first evening alone with me, but his mom has been calling me every day for the last two weeks asking if I know when Buddy will be arriving. So what should I do? -- GUILTY CONSCIENCE

DEAR GUILTY CONSCIENCE: Since Buddy made a point of asking you not to tell his mom exactly when he's arriving, do him that favor.

However, he may be doing her a disservice to assume she wouldn't understand his wanting to spend his first evening home with his girlfriend.

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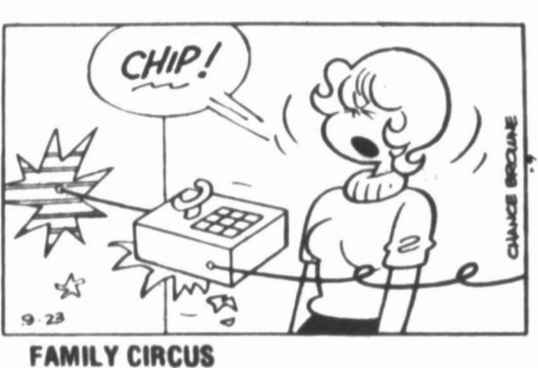
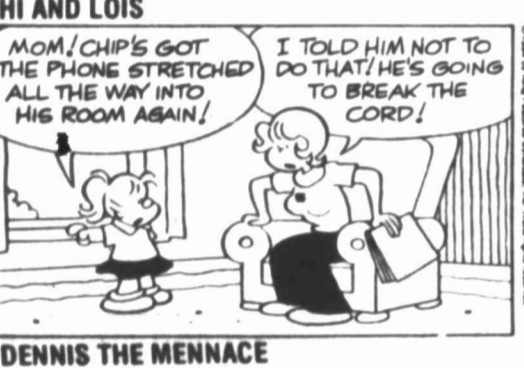
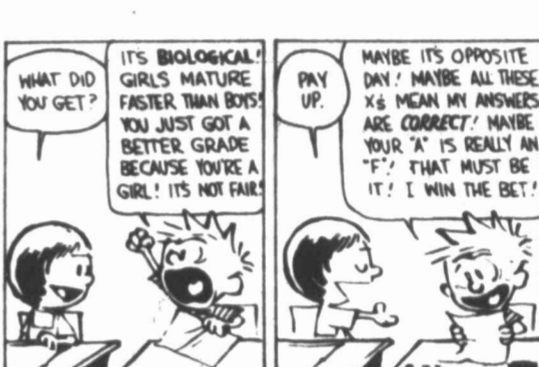
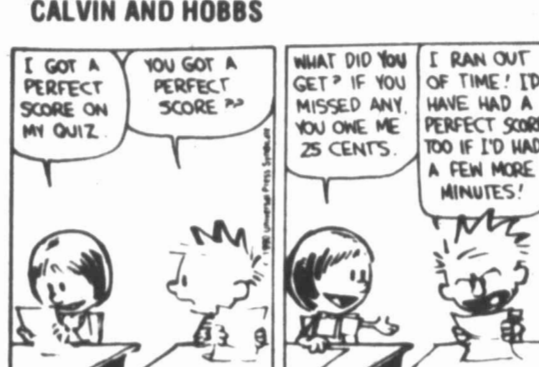
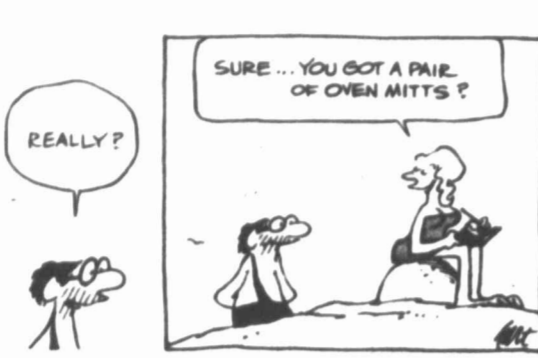
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THE Daily Crossword by Raymond Hamel

Crossword puzzle grid with clues. Across: 1 Gamut, 6 Accord, 10 Had markers out, 14 Card of fortune, 15 Indian, 16 Tubular pasta, 17 Regarding, 18 Telescope piece, 19 ' is Not Enough', 20 Bawling out, 23 The seven, 24 Bush's HUD secretary, 25 Red wine, 28 Colored, 30 Mischief maker, 32 One million, 33 Give off, 35 Nuncupative, 36 Elko's state abbr., 37 Parapraxis, 41 Coop, 42 Salon treatment, briefly, 43 Scrape with a file, 44 Form or corn start, 45 A mean Amin, 46 Policy, 48 payment abbr., 49 Actress Fligg, 50 Vivacity, 52 ' of Eder', 54 Jawbreaker's kin, 59 Animus, 61 ' Love her' (Bestial), 62 Delhi garment, 63 A Roosevelt, 64 Singer Marvin, 65 Film director Kurosawa, 66 Small bird, 67 Tavern drinks, 68 Leavering, Down: 1 Data, briefly, 2 Prologue, 3 Where the action is, 4 Viking vessel, 5 Words by Caesar, 6 Canvassed, 7 TV's 'The', 8 Form a cabal, 9 'Entertainment Tonight' host, 10 Holy layer, 11 Wild parties, 12 List ending abbr., 13 Stamping device, 21 out (supplement), 22 Baseball, 26 Close golf score, 27 Groto, 28 Perfect, 29 Welcome eight, 33 Nicholas Gage book, 34 Small, 35 Unit of resistance, 37 Potato, 38 Nourished, 39 Group of judges, 40 Junior, usually, 46 Feels sorry for, 47 Brawl, 49 Hurler Ryan, 51 Color again, 53 Open courts, 54 Astronomers, 55 Pick up the tab, 57 Madly in love, 58 'Do as, 59 Comp. pt., 60 Crew need.



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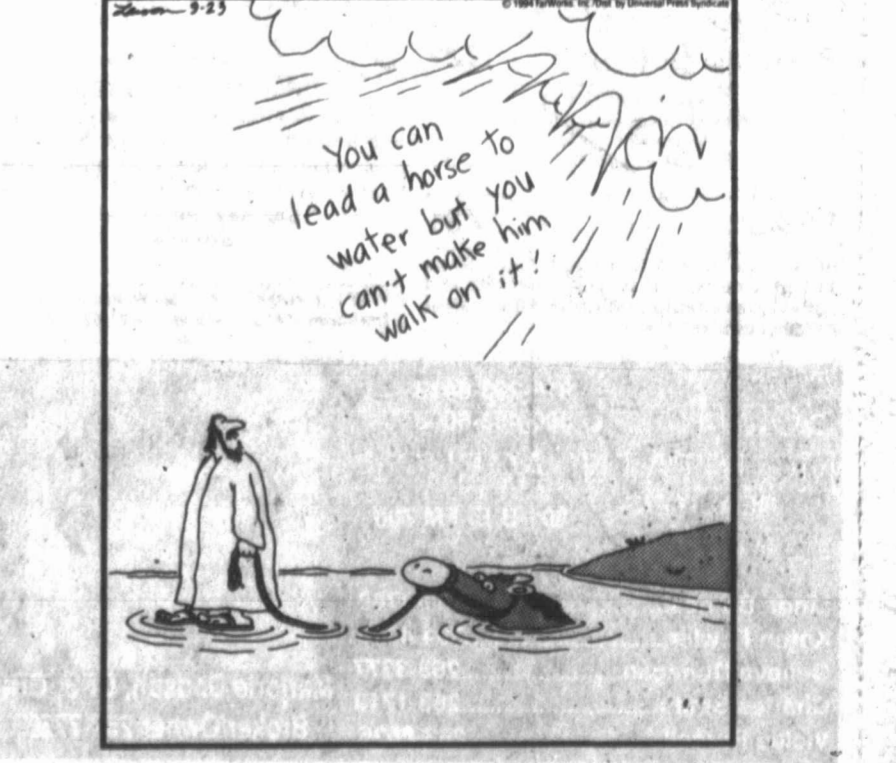
Today is Friday, Sept. 23, the 266th day of 1994. There are 99 days left in the year. Autumn arrives at 2:19 a.m. EDT. Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 23rd, 1779, during the Revolutionary War, the American warship Bon Homme Richard defeated the HMS Serapis after the American commander, John Paul Jones, is said to have declared: "I have not yet begun to fight!" On this date: In 63 B.C., Caesar Augustus was born in Rome.

In 1780, British spy John Andre was captured along with papers revealing Benedict Arnold's plot to surrender West Point to the British. In 1806, the Lewis and Clark expedition returned to St. Louis from the Pacific Northwest. In 1846, the planet Neptune was discovered by German astronomer Johann Gottfried Galle. In 1912, Mack Sennett's first Keystone short subject, a "split-reel" of two comedies starring Mabel Normand and Ford Sterling, was released. In 1939, Sigmund Freud, the founder of psychoanalysis, died in London. In 1952, Republican vice presidential candidate Richard M. Nixon went on television to deliver what came to be known as the "Checkers" speech as he

refuted allegations of improper campaign financing. In 1957, nine black students who had entered Little Rock Central High School in Arkansas were forced to withdraw because of a white mob outside. In 1962, New York's Philharmonic Hall (since renamed Avery Fisher Hall) formally opened as the first unit of the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts. In 1973, former Argentine president Juan Peron was returned to power. Ten years ago: President Reagan, questioned about the car bombing of the U.S. Embassy annex in Beirut, Lebanon, said security measures were "not quite completed," adding, "Anybody that's ever had their kitchen done as soon as you wish it would." Today's Birthdays: Actor Mickey Rooney is 74. Singer Ray Charles is 64. Singer Julio Iglesias is 51. Actress-singer, Mary Kay Place is 47. Rock star Bruce Springsteen is 45. Actor Jason Alexander is 35.

THE FAR SIDE

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