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THURSDAY
September 29, 1994

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Roll out the sausage, for a plateful of fun

Annual festival kicks off Sunday

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

The 37th Annual St. Lawrence Fall Festival is just around the corner, promising to be fun for all who attend.

The festivities start at 10 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 2, with the main attraction homemade German sausage for sale.

"We will start making the sausage the day before at 6 a.m. We will debone the meat, cut, grind and mix it then smoke the sausage. It is made with 60 percent pork and 40 percent beef," said David Weishuhn, president of the parish council and one of the organizers of the event.

The festival is the main fund raiser for the St. Lawrence

Catholic Church with the money being used for operational costs.

Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. with sausage and barbecue plates complete with beans, green beans, potato salad, bread, tea, coffee and dessert. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$4 for children.

Weishuhn adds there will also be an evening meal starting at 5:30. "There will be sausage sandwiches for \$1 or a plate with the sandwich and sides for \$2.50. We will also have pies and cakes for 50 cents a piece.

"We will have booths, cake walks and bingo from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and an auction at 2 p.m. The event winds down with a dance from 7 to 11 p.m.

featuring Johnny Blaine and the Spur Band. It is \$5 to attend the dance," Weishuhn said.

Smoked sausage by itself will also be for sale at \$3.50 a pound.

Weishuhn added, "we started this festival years ago as a fund raiser. This is a German community and sausage is a traditional food, that is how we decided to make that for the festival. There are a lot of people doing a lot of work and this would not be possible without everyone's efforts."

If you are coming from Big Spring, Weishuhn says the easiest way to get to St. Lawrence is to head south on Highway 33 towards Garden City. Go through Garden City and turn west on Highway 2401 to St. Lawrence.



Alfred Schwartz of St. Lawrence displays homemade German sausage prepared for the community's Fall Festival last year. This year's festival is Sunday beginning at 10 a.m.

Wal-Mart opening set for Oct. 19

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Wal-Mart officials have planned a ribbon-cutting ceremony Oct. 19 to officially open the new Wal-Mart Supercenter in Big Spring.

Ceremonies begin at 8 a.m. with local dignitaries and Wal-Mart executives on hand to assist Supercenter officials and associates with the ceremony.

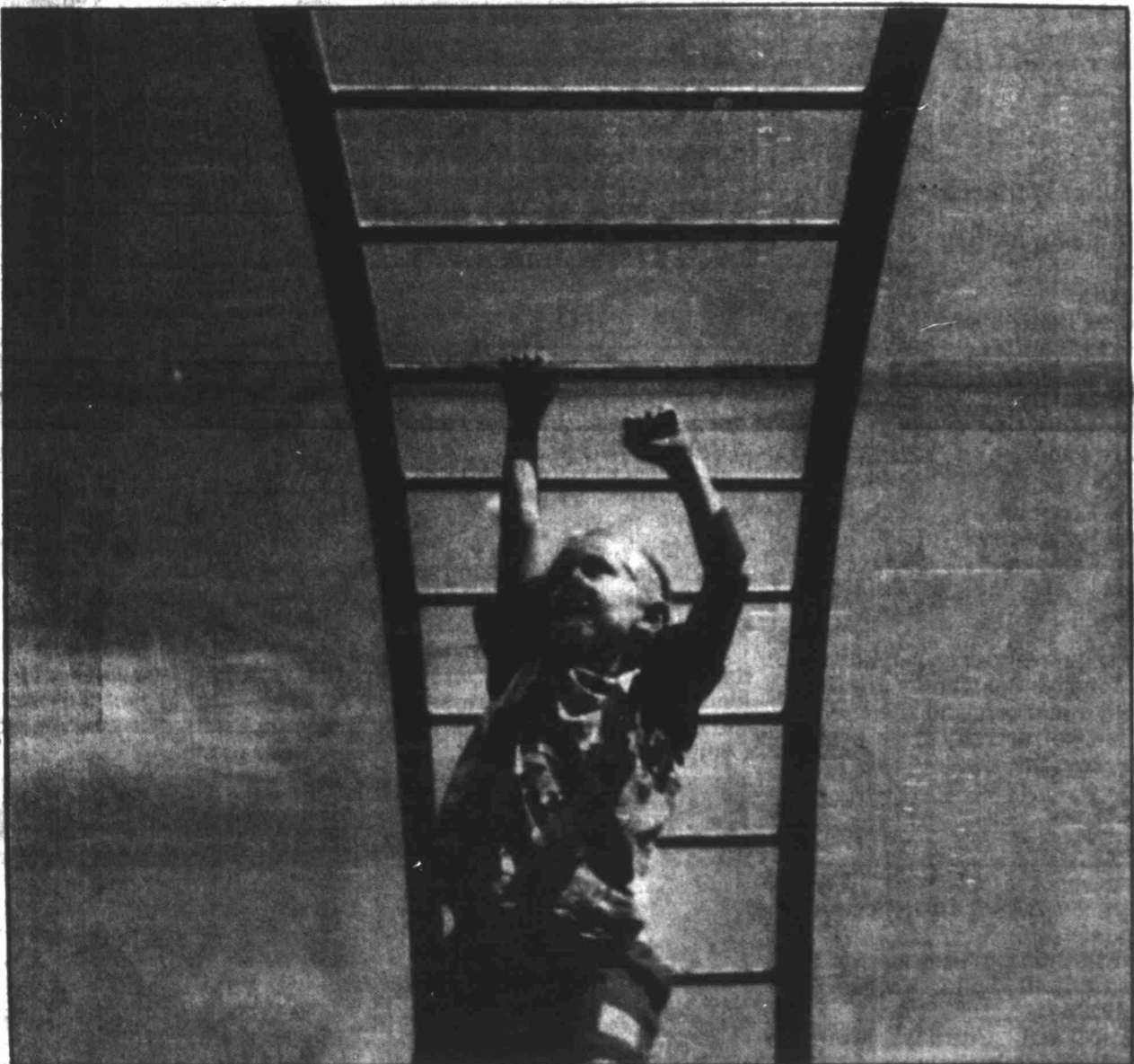
Nate Catron, Wal-Mart Supercenter director said, "Our Supercenter associates are excited about the opening of this store and are eager to offer area residents a larger selection of merchandise. We look forward to continuing as active members of the Big Spring community."

The 178,420-square foot store is 108,435-square feet larger than the previous Wal-Mart and will serve customers 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

The Supercenter will offer a full-line grocery store complete with meat counter, bakery, produce and frozen foods, as well as a wide variety of general merchandise.

A variety of general merchandise in 36 departments will include housewares, recreational supplies, household supplies, family clothing and shoes, electronic and stereo supplies, pet care supplies, and health and beauty aids.

MOVING ON



Hanging on with one hand, Brandon Gross reaches for the next bar with his free hand as he was climbing on the rainbow bars during physical education class at Kentwood Elementary School recently.

Hispanic Heritage Month more than a party; it's a time for learning

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

On Sept. 17, 1968, a joint resolution was approved by Congress which, as amended by Public Law 100-402, authorized and requested the president of the United States to issue annually a proclamation designating the month beginning Sept. 15 and ending Oct. 15 as "National Hispanic Heritage Month."

Hispanic Heritage Month unfolds with a host of festivities and commemorations to recognize the significant contributions of Hispanics.

According to the Hispanic Women for Progress, this is not only a time for Hispanics; it is a time for all Americans to observe and explore how Hispanics have put their own special imprint on the fabric of American culture and society.

Margaret Trevino, president of Hispanic Women for Progress, said, "Hispanic Heritage Month should be celebrated to let others know about Hispanic Culture. This time is not intended to increase the number of parties, celebrations, and dances, but rather to allow 30 days for more education of Americans at large about the contributions of Hispanic Americans to our country."

In conjunction with Hispanic Women for Progress, the Heritage Museum of Big Spring will be transformed into a museum and archive of Hispanic heritage on Saturday, Oct. 15, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., to celebrate "Fiesta de Familias."

The Big Spring City Council granted permission to the organization to close Scurry Street, between 5th and 6th streets, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. that day for a youth dance group.

The museum and archive will focus on the contributions of local families and their preservation of Hispanic culture and heritage. The families highlighted will be the Rubios, Padillas,

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Forsan ISD raises tax rate to offset loss in property values

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

The Forsan Independent School District Board of Trustees voted to raise taxes to help make up a \$53 million loss in property values.

During a special meeting Tuesday night, board members approved the rate for the 1994-95 school year to be set at \$1.405 per \$100 property valuation, up from last year's rate of \$1.375.

Trustees also considered purchasing a school bus. Superintendent George White says, "the board approved a decision to let the General Services Commission take bids for a new bus which will cost

around \$40,000. The state takes the bids for the school district for purchasing the vehicle."

White continued, "the board also discussed having the state comptroller's office audit our tax base. The taxes are frozen for residents over 65 years of age and we have to send our tax base into the comptroller's office. Those taxes are included in our tax base and we want them removed. We don't know if they will or not but we are asking them to."

The board also received an update on asbestos tile removal in the old gymnasium. White says there are about a dozen

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Glasscock lowers tax rate as values increase

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Glasscock County Independent School District Board of Trustees voted to lower the tax rate during a meeting Monday evening.

Superintendent Charles Zachry says the tax rate for the 1994-95 school year is set at \$1.32 per \$100 property valuation, down from last year's rate of \$1.375.

"We were able to lower the tax rate because our property values increased approximately \$30 million which is mostly from mineral values," said Zachry.

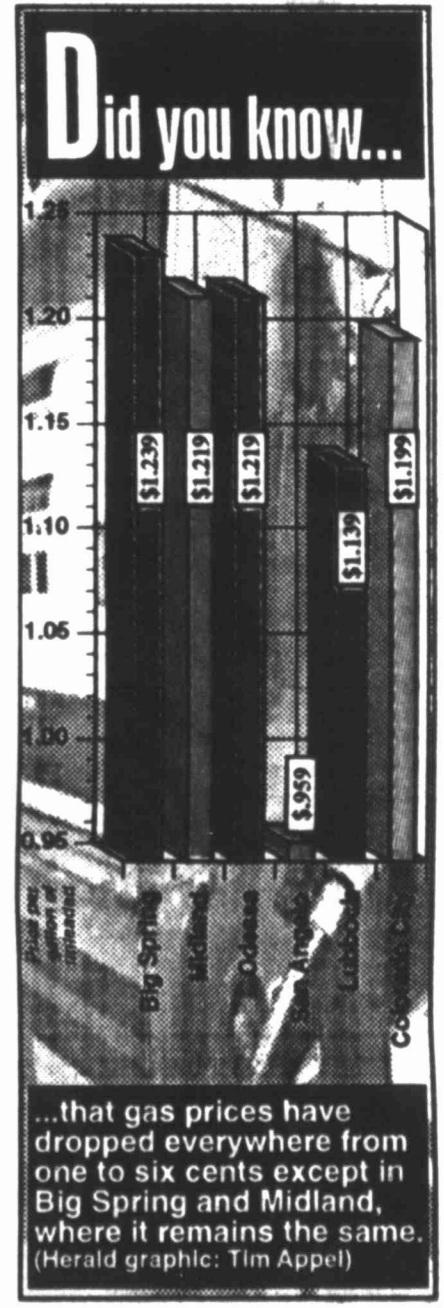
The board also discussed the library and other construction projects. The school district is in the process of building a new 6,000-square foot library for both the elementary and high school use.

Zachry continued, "we have met with the architect to finalize the design and the next step

will be for him to make some drawings and give us some cost estimates.

"Right now, the elementary school and high school each have their own libraries with about 3,000 square feet total between the two. The new library will be built in the center of campus between the two schools. We are still in the process stage and no target date for completion has been set yet.

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Texas Trivia
What was the previous name of Artesia Wells?
Bart
In what city is "Old Cora," the oldest existing Texas courthouse?
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WORLD/NATION

Nation: One onlooker called it a beautiful act of vandalism. Another guessed it was the work of a "rogue intellectual." Somehow, a finely crafted red granite bench bearing a passage from Virginia Woolf's 1928 novel, "Orlando" has appeared in a public park. See page 4A.

World: Salvage workers were searching for the wreck of the Estonia, as authorities asked relatives to help identify the bodies recovered. See page 4A.

STATE

Squabbling
A squabble over a girl's tryout as officer of a Tyler high school drill team is being decided at the Texas Education Agency, and the school superintendent is aghast. See page 3A.

Companies criticized
Gov. Ann Richards says that the benchmark automobile insurance rate shouldn't be raised and criticized insurance companies for seeking an increase. A public hearing on the rate continued Wednesday with consumers and insurance companies on opposite sides. See page 3A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight **93** ▲ Highs **57**
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▼ Lows **57**

Fair, low high 50s
Tonight, clear, low in the upper 50s, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.
Permian Basin Forecast
Friday: Sunny, high in the lower 90s, south winds 10 to 20 mph; fair night, low upper 50s.
Saturday: Sunny, high low 90s, south winds 5 to 15 mph; clear night, low upper 50s.
Sunday: Sunny, high low 90s; fair night, low upper 50s.

This fish story is one that takes the 'quake'

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — The damsel did it. More than eight months after an earthquake walloped Southern California, a charcoal-colored, white-dotted domino damselfish was discovered alive, all by itself in a damaged apartment.

"He'd had no food, no filtration, no nothing for eight months," said Theresa Madok, who has adopted the fish that belonged to her brother, Robert.

The tough little fish survived in an evaporating supply of tank water amid the decomposed remains of a handful of other fish and a hermit crab.

Robert Madok, like other residents of the Sea Castle apartments, had been barred from the building because it was severely damaged in the Jan. 17 quake. He and his sister were finally allowed in Friday to collect his belongings.

Theresa, a tropical fish enthusiast, went to work emptying

her brother's prized 60-gallon aquarium. When she got to the gravel at the bottom, Robert pointed out what looked like a dead fish. But Theresa thought it odd that the body was still intact and looked closer.

"You could see the little gills going back and forth," she said. "My brother said 'No way! This is impossible.'"

They quickly refilled the tank. After a worrisome hour, the survivor started swimming.

"I'm surprised, really," said ichthyologist Richard Feeney of the Los Angeles Natural History Museum. "Some types of fishes are amazingly adaptable."

However it managed — Feeney theorized that the critter lived on algae — the fish is getting along swimmingly.

"When we found him, he was maybe the size of a dime," said Theresa Madok, who keeps the damsel in a new 10-gallon tank. "Now he is the size of a quarter."

OBITUARIES

Fred A. Freeman

Graveside services for Fred A. Freeman, 79, Hobbs, N.M., will be 3 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30, 1994, at Trinity Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Griffin Funeral Home, Hobbs, N.M.

Mr. Freeman died Monday, Sept. 26, in Lubbock.

He was born Dec. 5, 1914, in Weatherford. He married Pearl Freeman on Aug. 23, 1938, in Big Spring. She preceded him in death in 1993. He was a retired truck driver. He moved to Hobbs in 1990 from Comanche.

Survivors include two sons: Walter Freeman, Hobbs, N.M., and Calvin Lynn Freeman, Fuquay Varina, N.C.; one daughter: Gaylene Watts, Baton Rouge, La.; three brothers: John Ed Freeman, Carlsbad, N.M., Calvin Freeman, Lexington, and George Freeman, Corvallis, Ore.; four sisters: Janie Allen, Carlsbad, N.M., Mary Thompson, German, Ethel Carruth and Dorothy McDaniel, both of Comanche; 12 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by two sisters: Nellie Binchell and Opal Heath and two brothers: Paul Freeman and Earl Freeman.

The family suggest memorials to the American Heart Association.

Vernon W. Mow

Graveside services for Vernon W. Mow, 77, Novice, will be 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 30, 1994, at Rough Creek Cemetery with Rev. Lloyd Sansom officiating under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home, Coleman.

Mr. Mow died Tuesday Sept. 27 at his son's residence in Big Spring.

He was born June 6, 1917, in Coleman County. He grew up in Coleman County and attended school at Mt. View. In 1938 he married Bobbie McCook in Brownwood. She preceded him in death on Oct. 9, 1993. He was a retired pumper for Sohio Oil Company and a member of First United Methodist Church in Novice.

Survivors include one son: Milton Mow, Big Spring; two brothers: Dub Mow, Novice, and H.J. Mow, Lake Coleman; three sisters: Therma Dell Brown, Waco, Pauline Donaghey, Novice, and LaVerle "Toots" Jameson, Coleman; one granddaughter; one great-granddaughter; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7-9 p.m. tonight.

The family requests memorials be made to Hospice of the Southwest, P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, Texas 79776-4710 or to the donor's favorite charity.

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Subias, and the Rodriguezs with family heirlooms and pictures being displayed.

Other activities included in the celebration will be Mariachi music, art displays, food, children's activities and bailes folkloricos.

Mayor Tim Blackshear will conduct the opening ceremonies and will present a plaque to the featured families.

City Councilmember and school teacher Pat DeAnda said, "We live in a country of many cultures, and when Hispanic Heritage Month was designated it allowed Hispanics to take pride in our culture, and for those who are not Hispanic to see the importance and wealth of contributions we have made to this country. It also allows the rest of the country to enjoy what we have always had."

DeAnda also points to the economic and civic progresses made in the Hispanic community by saying Hispanics are assuming positions on corporate boards, city councils, and legislative chambers across the country and that Hispanic Heritage Month is designated to reflect upon both the glorious history and bright future of Hispanics and their culture.

Glasscock

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The school district's budget for the 1994-95 school year for maintenance and operations is \$2,900,000. Zachry says the total budget is close to \$5 million but they have to give away nearly \$2 million to two other schools under the share the wealth program approved by Senate Bill Seven.

Zachry added, "we have to buy attendance credits for Water Valley and Miles. We have to give away 40 to 44 percent of the money we take in to those two schools and the state. We buy about 200 credits from each school and the excess goes back to the state."

Forsan

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tiles that are cracked or missing and the district has hired someone to come in and replace them.

Trustees are also discussing tax abatement for the New World Power of Lime Rock, Conn. It is a new wind energy plant proposed for construction in the Forsan area.

The company plans to build a 40,000-kilowatt wind power project to produce energy for sale to TU Electric.

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Jose G. Arguello, 71, died Tuesday. Funeral services were at 11:00 A.M. Thursday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, interment followed at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

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ON THE RUN

POLICE

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

- ALLEN SHEPPARD JR., 34 of 3300 West Highway 80 #28, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.
- VICKIE LYNN GIBSON, 33 of 1104 Nolan, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.
- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF in the 2500 block of Hunter, 2700 block of Ann and 2100 block of Gregg.
- ATTEMPTED BURGLARY OF A HABITATION in the 1300 block of East 16th.
- BURGLARY OF A BUILDING in the 1200 block of East 16th.
- THEFT in the 1700 block of Wasson.
- MINOR ACCIDENT in the 2600 block of Gregg. A citation for failure to control speed to avoid an accident was issued and no injuries were reported.

RECORDS

Wednesday's temp. 96
Wednesday's low 58
Average high 82
Average low 57
Record high 101 in 1977
Record low 38 in 1916
Rainfall Wednesday 0.00
Month to date 0.61
Month's normal 2.23
Year to date 15.19
Normal for year 15.06

MARKETS

Dec. cotton futures 67.25 cents a pound, down 19 points; Nov. crude oil 17.80 up 12 points; cash hog steady at 35.25 cents even; slaughter steers steady at 67 cents even; Oct. live hog futures 37.07, up 17 points; Oct. live cattle futures 68.70, up 10 points; according to Delta Commodities.

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

SHERIFF

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

- JIMMIE E. CONDRON, 61 of 1814 Settles, was arrested for public lewdness. He was transferred from the city jail and released after posting a \$3,000 bond.
- ROBERT NAJAR RIVERA, 37 of 2151 Cherokee, was arrested for revocation of probation. He was released after posting a \$1,000 bond.
- LEONARD GLEN McPEAK, 33 of 608 State Street, was arrested for driving while license suspended. He was transferred from the city jail and released after posting a \$1,000 bond.
- RONNIE JAY MILES, 34 of Midland, was arrested for possession of marijuana, failure to identify himself and two outstanding DPS warrants. He was released after posting a \$1,400 bond.
- RONALD STEVE HALE, 21 of 1205 Douglas, was arrested for driving while license suspended. He was transferred from the city jail and released after posting a \$1,000 bond.
- RICKY SCOTT FIELDS, 23 of Seagraves, was transferred from the Vernon State Hospital to the county jail on a bench warrant. He remains in custody without bond.

SPRINGBOARD

- TODAY
- Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, free bread for area needy, 10 a.m.-noon.
 - Salvation Army drug education program, sponsored by Permian Basin Regional Council on alcohol and drug abuse, 7 p.m., Salvation Army Building, 308 Alford.
 - Permian Basin Regional Council on alcohol and drug abuse community re-entry group, noon, 905 N. Benton. Call 263-8920.
 - Spring City Senior Citizen Center art classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.
 - Battered women support group, 2:30 p.m. Call 263-3312 or 267-3626.
 - Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, small cafeteria on first floor.
 - Couples golf play, 5 p.m., Comanche Trail Golf Course. Call Mary Robertson, 267-7144.
 - New Phoenix Hope Narcotics Anonymous Group open meetings, 901-A W. Third, noon and 8 p.m.
 - Big Spring Alliance for the mentally ill, 7 p.m., The Corral. Call 267-7220.
 - Howard County Mental Health Center, support and educational group for families living with mental illness, 6 p.m. Call Shannon Nabors or Dixie Burcham, 263-0027.
- FRIDAY
- 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., 9-9:30 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.

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SPLISH, SPLASH



As both a source for keeping cool and entertainment, Krissy Schlipf uses her fingers to see how high a stream of water she can get to shoot out of a water fountain on the playground at Jack and Jill Day Care Center Tuesday afternoon.

IN BRIEF

BSSH plans annual awards program

The 25th Annual Awards Program at Big Spring State Hospital will be Oct. 6 at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel parking area. It will feature a barbecue supper, family fun and games.

Tickets are \$4.50 for adults and \$2.25 for children and are available from any member of the Human Resources Advisory Committee.

Volunteers needed for Meals on Wheels

Volunteers are needed to deliver meals in the Meals on Wheels Program. Its a five day per week project. One day per week, one hour per day.

If you are interested call the chairman, Jesse Hernandez, 263-4303 or the director, Imogene Smith 263-4016. Thank you very much.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Nueces County deputy kills escaping prisoner

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — A Nueces County Jail inmate who escaped after overpowering a guard was shot to death by a deputy who authorities said opened fire when the man pulled a gun.

The incident began Wednesday when Calvin Prickett, 39, overpowered a corrections officer at Memorial Medical Center, took his gun and police radio and led officers on a car chase, Sheriff J.P. Luby said.

Officials are looking into whether the escaped was planned, he said.

'Urban survival' defendant facing stiffer charges

FORT WORTH (AP) — An attorney for a man who claimed that he killed as an act of urban survival is questioning why his client will face a stiffer charge when he returns to court next month to be retried.

Defense attorney Bill Lane, when informed that a grand jury had returned a capital murder indictment against Daimion Osby in the deaths of two cousins, said, "You would almost think it is a vindictive prosecution at this point."

"They didn't consider this a capital case to begin with," Lane said Wednesday. "I don't know what could have changed their minds, except we went to court once and got a hung jury."

A Tarrant County grand jury returned the charge this week against the 18-year-old southeast Fort Worth man, accusing him of fatally shooting Marcus Brooks, 19, and his cousin Willie Brooks, 28, in April 1993.

Last April, a jury deadlocked on a murder charge in Osby's first trial, which drew national attention because of the novel self-defense theory. Jurors voted 11-1 in favor of conviction.

Paroled molester convicted of murder

MIDLAND (AP) — Child-killer Michael Blair, branded a "subterranean little troll" by one prosecutor, could get the death penalty for strangling a third-grader abducted from a park.

Jurors took just 27 minutes Wednesday to convict Blair of capital murder. Punishment testimony was scheduled to begin today.

Prosecutors said they intended to define Blair's character by focusing on his record of shoplifting, burglary and child molestation.

Wednesday's speedy verdict stunned the defense and elated state's attorneys who had argued that eyewitnesses and forensic evidence linked Blair, 24, to the disappearance of 7-year-old Ashley Estell.

Merchant leaves town amid racial tensions

FORT WORTH (AP) — A state district judge is allowing a Korean-American merchant charged with killing a black man to leave town after reports of death threats.

Jason Noh, 25, free on \$50,000 bond, is charged with murder in the Sept. 16 shooting of Darrell Bivins, 42.

State District Judge Joe Drago agreed to let Noh leave after his attorney, Charles Baldwin, called the judge reporting his client had received death threats.

Police said windows at Noh's store were shot out at about midnight Monday.

A man Noh had asked to board up the store was threatened Tuesday, Baldwin said. No injuries resulted, but Noh is terrified, the attorney said.

Pieces come together as state fair opens Friday

DALLAS (AP) — Fair Park is its usual late-September beehive of activity as workers complete final preparations for Friday's opening of the State Fair of Texas.

Although pieces of roller coaster track still lay on the ground Wednesday waiting to be assembled, David Nixon, head of concessions for the State Fair, says there is nothing to worry about.

"Oh, yes. It'll be ready," he said of the Super Xykion.

"Appearances are deceiving. They really are," added a reassuring Jerry Callahan, vice president-general manager of Suncoast Fun. "It goes quick. It goes quick."

Big Tex is ready to go, Nixon said.

A 25-ton hydraulic crane helped erect the 52-foot-tall, newly outfitted cowboy at his accustomed spot near the mouth of the Midway, where he'll greet an estimated 3 million-plus visitors during the fair's 24-day run.

Although workers were scurrying to assemble rides and exhibits, fair spokeswoman Nancy Wiley sat in her office with an air of confidence that comes from her many years

with the event.

"Generally speaking, I think everything's moving along pretty much on time," she said.

When all is in place, the fair will feature shows and exhibits ranging from nightly fireworks to the Dallas Cowboys' four Super Bowl trophies to animals, Mars and cars.

Gates open at 10 a.m. Friday.



Pigs are led into the swine barn at the Texas State Fair in Dallas Tuesday. The Fair opens Friday for a 24-day run. The Fair's free auto show is a popular draw.

Former President Bush will cut the ribbon at opening ceremonies for the 1994 "Lone Star Celebration" at 5 p.m., Ms. Wiley said.

Country singer Randy Travis is scheduled to perform at a free concert at 8:30 p.m.

The return of fireworks nightly at 8 p.m. is expected to be a crowd-pleaser, Ms. Wiley said.

Richards critical of attempts to raise insurance rates

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards says that the benchmark automobile insurance rate shouldn't be raised and criticized insurance companies for seeking an increase.

A public hearing on the rate continued Wednesday with consumers and insurance companies on opposite sides.

The Office of Public Insurance Counsel wants a 5.7 percent decrease in the benchmark auto rate, while insurers have asked for increases ranging from 9.8 percent to 15.7 percent.

Richards said that the OPIC recommendation is "closer to the mark than those prepared by the insurance companies."

She noted that insurers were seeking an increase when she took office. "They didn't deserve it then and they don't deserve it now," she said.

The hearing, which started Tuesday, is expected to last several days. The hearing examiners will make a recommendation to Insurance Commissioner Robert Hunter.

Hunter will make a final decision on the benchmark auto

rates. Under the flexible rating system, companies can price auto policies as such as 30 percent below and 30 percent above the benchmark without state approval.

Richards said, "The flex rating system allows insurance companies to competitively price their policies. Insurance companies should not need to keep coming back to ask for rate increases under this system."

Insurers say an increase is necessary because of rising medical costs.

They also said that Hunter's instructions to base expenses on the experience of the most efficient insurer is impractical because of the variety of insurance companies.

"What the governor fails to understand is that the benchmark has not been increased since 1991 while there have been increases in the consumer price index of 19.4 percent for medical care, 17.6 percent for physician services and 25.2 percent for hospital room charges," said Jerry Johns, an insurance industry spokesman.

Education agency steps into drill team squabble over officers

AUSTIN (AP) — A squabble over a girl's tryout as officer of a Tyler high school drill team is being decided at the Texas Education Agency, and the school superintendent is aghast.

"I have never, ever in my life seen a state department get involved in an item like this," said Tyler Independent School District Superintendent Tom

Hagler, who previously has worked as a superintendent in Kentucky and Georgia, and who taught in Florida.

"It's unbelievable. What are we going to do? Are we going to get in a fight over who starts at quarterback Friday night? Or the drum major for the band? We're going to have TEA deciding? Give me a break," he said

Wednesday. "This is a farce."

Hagler said proceedings in the case are costing the school district thousands of dollars in travel-associated costs in addition to legal fees.

TEA spokesman Joey Lozano said state law allows anyone who feels aggrieved by a school board decision to appeal to the agency.

Leigh Toney, a senior at Tyler Robert E. Lee High School who tried out to be a Southern Belles officer, says she was denied a spot after drill team director Kellye Roberts gave her an unfair score.

The girl appealed and earlier received a protective order from TEA hearings examiner Lorraine Yancey allowing her to be an officer this school year.

Ms. Yancey concluded that the tryout score assigned to Ms. Toney by the drill team director was inconsistent with the grade report she had given the girl for two semesters.

The hearings examiner said she issued the protective order because a final decision in the case by Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno probably couldn't be made before January.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"As a writer, I like to think words have power, but I know they don't cast spells."

Wendy Kammer, author, 1993

Same song, different station

"Contract with America" is supposed to be a pledge of action, according to Republican legislators and challengers who signed the pact Tuesday in Washington.

If the Republicans gain control of the House, as they are expecting to come November, it will be a change if they are able to carry out the promise of "Contract with America." Even if they don't gain control, it will be interesting to see if they will continue to make the effort to complete the pledge.

The words are fine but actions will speak louder than any words spoken at a rally on the steps of Capitol Hill. While it may be the first time any promises have been put down in writing, it is not the first time the voters have been promised what they wanted - and have usually not received.

It is going to take more than mere words on a piece of paper to accomplish anything; it is going to take both parties, Republicans and Democrats,

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putting the American public first.

After all, we are the reason they are there in the first place. Whether Democrat or Republican, we have put the governing of the United States in their hands.

Is there a gridlock in Washington D.C.? Yes, there is.

Is the fault of the Republicans or the fault of the Democrats? It is the fault of both, neither side realizing what should come first is what America wants, not partisan desires.

"Contract with America" is a nice idea, an idea who's time shouldn't be coming now. It is an idea that politicians should have had all along.

A memory time can only enhance

I remember best the nursery rhyme moon, and the fine company, from the late afternoon

in Montana on a reservation for the Northern Cheyenne. The town was Lane Deer. The moon was full. It was about this time of year, when the light

moves in baby steps toward the melancholy of fall.

Vacations too often are great expectations, planned in a living room where distances are measured in inches. The execution became a mad scramble to tuck half the atlas under our belts, to climb higher, to see one more canyon or cave. Then the memories are reduced to one day, one moment, one moon.

This particular day I was looking for the graves of two Cheyenne that author Dee Brown had written so eloquently about. Whenever I travel the West, I keep Dee Brown on the seat beside me.

Dull Knife and Little Wolf were their names. I can remember like last night the white dust and the crisp, tall grass of the reservation cemetery. I can remember the quality of the light and the air. I can remember how good it felt to find them.

The markers were side by side and looked an awful lot like all the others in a desolate graveyard kept only by time. There were broken bottles on the ground beside them.



'Killer bees' are coming - to the soccer fields that is

Ah, fall is in the air.

Well sort of if you don't count the 90-degree days, the trees with green leaves and the still brown grass baked by the hot sun and lack of rain.

At least by the calendar, it is fall. That means soccer season has begun. So, I am out there again, trying to instruct a good bunch of kids on something they know more

about than I do. Hey, I think I learn more than they do each time I go out there.

The first order of business at our first practice was selecting a team name. Understand, the kids get to pick their team name, so don't blame the coaches if you don't like the name. Actually, don't blame anyone, the "Mikeys" on this team like it.

Anyway, several names were bandied about, all being shot down before a vote could even be taken. Brady didn't want to be the Cubs again. Amanda didn't want to be a Cowboy. Hey, it makes sense.

After tossing out a few more names, a suggestion from the back of the circle buzzed into

the ears of the players: "How about Killer Bees?"

An ode to joy, or should I say, an ode to buzzing, rose from the throats of the assembled players, higher and higher. We didn't even have to take a vote, it was loudly unanimous.

So folks, if you hear a loud buzzing sound about 9 a.m. Saturday, DON'T PANIC. Don't call the Agricultural Department or Don Richardson, please. But, feel free to check out the noise at the soccer fields behind SWCID.

After all, this swarm of "Killer Bees" is of a more pleasant variety.

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WORLD

Only 141 passengers rescued

Search continues in frigid sea

TURKU, Finland (AP) — Salvage workers were searching for the sunken wreck of the ferry Estonia this morning, as authorities asked grieving relatives to help identify dozens of bodies recovered from the frigid Baltic Sea.

Helicopters and ships from Finland and Sweden were crisscrossing the area where the Estonia capsized and sank in a storm early Wednesday, but did not expect to find any more survivors of one of the world's worst maritime disasters. The water temperature was 46 degrees.

Just 138 people survived out of nearly 1,000 passengers and crew aboard when the ferry, en

route from Estonia to Sweden, capsized in a storm, Finnish authorities at rescue headquarters in Turku said this morning.

The death toll is believed to be 826, the authorities said. Figures on both the dead and survivors have fluctuated because of confusion among the nations participating in the rescue.

A board of inquiry was expected to focus on the seals on the ship's large bow door, used to load vehicles and cargo. A surviving ship's engineer said water began pouring through it about 30 minutes before the ferry went down.

Survivors said that as the ship's hold filled with water, the vessel listed over to port in three big lurches. The engines stopped, power went out and the ferry sank, bow up.

Ships were using sonar to look for the Estonia's sunken hull, believed to be 260 to 290 feet under water, said Raimo Tiliikainen, the Finnish coast

guard commodore in charge of the rescue and salvage operations.

A robot camera will be used to examine the wreck and possibly spot bodies, Tiliikainen said at a news conference.

Dr. Aki Linden, the chief medical examiner, appealed at the news conference for relatives to send in pictures to help identify bodies. Forty-two bodies are waiting to be claimed in Turku.

But medical examiners cautioned it will be difficult to identify bodies that were disfigured by cold water and exposure to the elements.

Linden said that in some cases relatives may have to send in hairbrushes, which could provide hairs needed for sophisticated DNA testing.

"If we have fresh corpses to study, they can be identified by their physical appearance," Linden said. "But as time goes by, deterioration becomes advanced. It's hard even for relatives to identify them."

NATION

NEWS IN BRIEF

Clinton, Yeltsin on nuclear fast track

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton and Russian President Boris Yeltsin are putting the dismantling of long-range nuclear missiles on a fast track in another dramatic transition from the Cold War era.

Their two-day summit also produced new measures Wednesday to keep tabs on removed warheads and to expand U.S. investment in Russia's rebounding economy through firmer insurance guarantees for entrepreneurs and a revision of the Russian tax code.

Clinton apparently made some headway, meanwhile, in curbing Russia's annual sale of an estimated \$1 billion worth of submarines and other military equipment to Iran. No new deals will be signed, Yeltsin promised.

But the Russian leader insisted on delivering on existing contracts. American officials said they did not know — and Moscow promised to tell them — what was in the pipeline and would get to Tehran as a result. Already, two submarines have been delivered to what the administration calls a "pariah state."

Company backs down from theme park

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Outrage over Walt Disney Co.'s plan to build an American history theme park just miles from the site of two of the Civil War's bloodiest battles has forced the company to back down.

The Disney's America park will have to find a new site, Peter S. Rummell, president of the Disney Design and Development Co., said Wednesday.

"It has become clear that we could not say when the park would be able to open, or even when we could break ground," Rummell said.

Disney announced plans in November to build the \$625 million park on a 3,000-acre site near Haymarket, 35 miles from Washington. That is six miles from Manassas National Battlefield Park, where the two battles of Bull Run were fought.

'Beautiful' vandalism allowed to stay in park

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — One onlooker called it a beautiful act of vandalism. Another guessed it was the work of a "rogue intellectual."

Somehow, a finely crafted red granite bench bearing a passage from Virginia Woolf's 1928 novel "Orlando" has appeared in a public park.

"Somebody who liked to think put this here," said Pat McElearney, who read the inscription aloud to her husband.

"I suspect a woman was behind this," said Pam Varley, who walks her dog through the park every day. "It's a womanly quote and it's a womanly author and it's a womanly idea."

She added: "A rogue intellectual. There are plenty of those in Cambridge."

The city decided Wednesday that the monument can stay.

"With all the negative press that's out there, to see someone do something like this is a really positive gesture," said Mike Nicoloro, managing director of the Water Department, which owns the land.

Nicoloro said he had been contacted by a representative of the mysterious benefactor. The caller, a lawyer, declined to identify the givers or their motive. And Nicoloro wouldn't



Associated Press photo

Bicyclists John Abbott and Carlos Arcos both of Cambridge, Mass., examine a red granite bench bearing a passage from Virginia Woolf's "Orlando" in a wooded area in the Fresh Pond Reservation in Cambridge. It is unclear to officials how the bench got there.

identify the lawyer.

The inscription chiseled atop the 4-foot surface of the bench seems to have been written for the place. It comes from of Chapter 5 of "Orlando":

"There are wild birds' feathers — the owls, the nightjars. I shall dream wild dreams. I should lie at peace here with only the sky above."

Kay Hudgins said it proved her theory that somebody's ashes had been spread there. She called it a "beautiful act of vandalism."

Whoever was behind the caper had to haul the 600-pound monument down a steep embankment.

The stone and the inscription cost at least \$2,000, according to a local monument supplier that was not involved.

Pilot blamed for B-52 crash

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — An Air Force investigation partly blames the crash of a B-52 bomber on a pilot who was considered so undisciplined that some crew members refused to fly with him, The Spokesman-Review reported today.

The Air Force review board concluded that Lt. Col. Arthur A. "Bud" Holland was practicing unauthorized and unsafe maneuvers when the bomber crashed June 24 at Fairchild Air Force Base, the paper said.

Holland, 46, and the other three officers aboard were killed.

Investigators also blamed base commanders for approving the maneuvers and allowing Holland to continue flying despite a three-year pattern of recklessness and "poor airmanship." Holland had been reprimanded but not removed as the base's top instructor pilot.

Air Force officials refused to comment Wednesday. They scheduled a news conference today to release their findings.

The Air Force report said Holland, preparing for an upcoming air show, was flying a routine that included climbs that were too steep and turns too sharply banked.

Illegal student's toughest challenge - getting visa to study

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Rafael Ibarra, high school valedictorian and top student at the University of Chicago, still faces one of his toughest tests yet.

Ibarra, an illegal resident of the United States for 14 years, needs an immigration judge to grant him a visa that would allow him to return for his sophomore year when classes start Monday.

"We really want him back," said David Owen, Ibarra's adviser at the University of Chicago. "We're hoping for the

best. He's the kind of student we like to have here."

Ibarra, 20, graduated from high school in 1993 and won full scholarships from top colleges around the country.

When it came time to fill in applications, he acknowledged that he is a Mexican citizen and not a legal resident of the United States, where he has lived since his mother brought him in when he was 6.

The University of Chicago said it would take him anyway if he tried to legalize his status. Ibarra asked the immigration

and Naturalization Service for an international student visa. The INS arranged for an expedited hearing today before an administrative law judge because of Ibarra's academic standing, INS spokesman Rudy Murillo said.

The judge must weigh several factors, including the hardship that deporting Ibarra would create and how well he has assimilated.

In Chicago, about the only difficulties the biochemistry major had were adjusting to the rough Midwestern winter.

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SPORTS

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SCOREBOARD

BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULES

Friday
Big Spring football at Levelland, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday
Fort Stockton at Big Spring tennis, 10:30 a.m.
Big Spring Cross Country Invitational, 10 a.m.

FRIDAY'S HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL GAMES

Westbrook at Dawson, 7:30 p.m.
Sterling City at Forsan, 8 p.m.
Christoval at Garden City, 8 p.m.
Ira at Grady, 7:30 p.m.
Union at Borden County, 7:30 p.m.
Iraan at Stanton, 8 p.m.
Coahoma at Hawley, 8 p.m.
Sands at Meadow, 7:30 p.m.
Ropes at Klondike, 7:30 p.m.
C-City at Lubbock Cooper, 8 p.m.

Got an item?

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

Big Spring quarterback Bucky Crenshaw (16) pitches the ball to a teammate during practice Wednesday. The Steers play Friday, 7:30 p.m., at Levelland, and Big Spring coach Dwight Butler said Crenshaw, a backup quarterback to Dustin Waters, will play at some point. Waters, however, will start.

Duo to share QB duties again

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

For the second straight week, the Big Spring Steers are injury-free.

Big Spring coach Dwight Butler wants everyone to know the Steers are controversy-free, too.

Quarterback controversy, that is. In Friday's 28-11 win over Snyder, Butler started senior Dustin Waters behind center, but after one series he put junior Bucky Crenshaw at quarterback for the rest of the first half. Butler switched again in the second half, using Waters down the stretch as the Steers scored all their points after halftime.

Who's going to start Friday at 7:30 p.m., kickoff for the Steers' game at Levelland? Easy.

"Dustin will start," Butler said without hesitation. Still, there are other questions.

How much will Crenshaw play, if at all?

"I don't know," Butler said. "Bucky will play. We'll just have to wait and see what's going on. We'll just go by feel. We definitely want to get Bucky in there, get him more experience, but we're just going to have to see what the flow of the game is."

What about the team? Does having two quarterbacks who stand to see significant playing

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Dwight Butler

time add to the strain of preparing for a game?

"Not at all," Butler said. "We have a starting quarterback and we have a backup quarterback - there is no controversy, because everybody knows who is going to start. It has no effect on anybody, except in the media. One day, our backup quarterback isn't going to be our backup quarterback anymore, and we've got to play him. But it doesn't effect how these kids prepare for a game. They all know their roles."

Enough said on that. One thing Steer fans can bank on is that Levelland (3-1) will remember Waters.

Big Spring (2-2) opened the 1993 season with a 21-6 home win against Levelland. Waters was the catalyst at quarterback, starting the scoring with a 59-yard touchdown run and ending it with TD passes of 5 and 43 yards. Waters gained 102 yards on 10 carries in that

game.

Levelland gained just 109 yards in that game, 25 on the ground. Of course, the Lobos appear to be a much improved team, largely on the basis of their 47-14 win at Monahans Sept. 16. That improvement, plus the Steers' new personnel, lead Butler to believe last year's game will mean little when the ball is kicked off Friday night.

"Most of our kids weren't here last year," the coach said. "Most of them were up in the stands, kissing on their girlfriends. The only thing they remember is the date they had that night."

Despite coming of a win, the Steers have had anything but a perfect practice week. Several players have been fighting the cold bug that seems to be bouncing around Big Spring, six-week grades are about to be released and the temperatures are near 100 again.

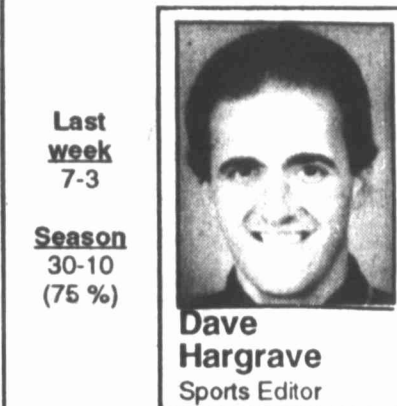
More on the Steers...
...in Friday's Herald

At least the Steers know the trip to Levelland is a non-pressure journey. District play starts in eight days, when Lake View comes to the Big Spring. Until then, the Steers are basically working toward the Lake View contest.

Butler said: "After playing such a big game for us, Estacado, and coming up on the short end, I was more concerned about our team mentally. Physically, we were fine. Last week was a great game for us to find out that we're tougher mentally than maybe I thought. That's a great tribute to our kids, for them to come back from a loss in a game we should have won, and then to turn it up like they did and get after it."

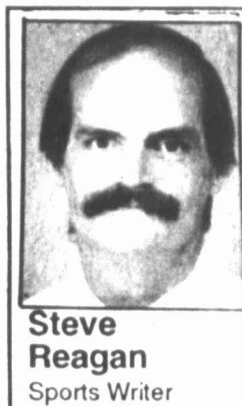
"The whole idea Friday is just to get better as a team. Our season basically starts next Friday. We'd definitely like to look sharp this Friday night, but it's not the end of the world if we don't."

Friday Football Forecast



Last week 7-3
Season 30-10 (75%)

Dave Hargrave
Sports Editor



Last week 6-4
Season 27-13 (68%)

Steve Reagan
Sports Writer

BIG SPRING (2-2) at LEVELLAND (3-1)

Levelland's revamped running game won't work against the Steers. However, the Lobos' passing will keep the game close.
Big Spring 27, Levelland 24

Dear Lord, let me pick the Steers right once this season, OK?

Big Spring 24, Levelland 14

COAHOMA (3-1) at HAWLEY (0-4)

Coahoma picked a good opponent for its final non-district game. Hawley is terrible - it's been outscored 167-20 in its four games.
Coahoma 20, Hawley 0

Coahoma's offense has sputtered so far, but Hawley may be just what the doctor ordered. The 'Dogs head into district on a high note.
Coahoma 31, Hawley 0

STERLING CITY (3-1) at FORSAN (1-3)

Homecoming at Forsan? Sorry, folks, but it won't be a happy one. Sterling City is too good, and Forsan is too injured.
Sterling City 28, Forsan 17

Forsan needs a win to build some sort of momentum heading into district. This week, however, is not the right time.
Sterling City 32, Forsan 21

IRAAN (2-2) at STANTON (4-0)

This game is a great measuring stick for Stanton. Iraan lost 28-21 vs. Wall last week, and Wall may be the team Stanton has to beat to make the playoffs.
Stanton 21, Iraan 18

The toughest test so far for the Buffs. But until someone figures out how to stop Lee and Davis, I'm sticking with them.
Stanton 38, Iraan 28

CHRISTOVAL (3-1) at GARDEN CITY (1-2-1)

The Christoval Cougars are still getting used to playing 11-man ball. Garden City may get used to winning after this week.
Garden City 7, Christoval 0

Imagine how last week's win over Rankin felt to the Bearcats. Now imagine a two-game winning streak.
Garden City 21, Christoval 17

ROPES (3-1) at KLONDIKE (4-0)

Ropes, which beat Sands to gain the No. 1 ranking before losing to Wellman, visits Patricia to battle undefeated Klondike. Sorry, Cougars - Ropes will be ready to play this week.
Ropes 62, Klondike 51

Last week, picking Klondike might have been an upset. Last week, Ropes was No. 1 in the state. But that was then, and this is now.
Klondike 52, Ropes 48

OTHER GAMES

Lubbock Cooper 21, C-City 3
Sands 38, Meadow 34
Grady 66, Ira 0
Borden Co. 32, Union 15
Dawson 44, Westbrook 6

Lubbock Cooper 34, C-City 7
Sands 54, Meadow 36
Grady 52, Ira 6
Borden Co. 39, Union 0
Dawson 36, Westbrook 6

Ailing Bulldogs ready for Hawley

By STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

COAHOMA - With injuries starting to pile up on offense and the start of district competition a week away, the Coahoma Bulldogs are in desperate need of a breather.

They may have gotten it. The Bulldogs (3-1) play their final non-district game of the year Friday when they travel to Hawley for an 8 p.m. game with the 0-4 Bearcats.

Hawley has been as unproductive on offense as its record indicates. Through four games,

the Bearcats have been outscored 167-20 and have won only one football game in the past 2 1/2 years.

In short, a blowout in the making, right?

Normally, yes, but the Bulldogs, though clearly favored, have problems of their own heading into Friday's game, particularly on offense, where Coahoma faces the possibility of playing without three-quarters of its starting backfield.

Fullback Jeff Phernetton (deep thigh bruise) and halfback Eric McMillan (ankle) are

out for the game, while quarterback Brandon McGuire (elbow), who missed last week's game against Ozona, is questionable.

Despite the growing injury list, Coahoma coach Eddie McHugh is somewhat philosophical about the situation.

"We just have to have someone step up and do the job," he said. "We have the kids who can do the job, they just have to go out and do it."

As added insurance against looking past Hawley, the Bulldogs are still seething over their 9-7 loss to Ozona last week. Please see BULLDOGS, page 6A

Forsan preps for homecoming

By STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

FORSAN - One good thing for the Forsan Buffaloes this week is that coach Jan East has been able to worry more about homecoming distractions than who's on the injured list.

The Buffs (1-3) celebrate homecoming this week by hosting Sterling City (3-1) at Buffalo Stadium Friday night. Game time is 8 p.m.

East and the Buffaloes had a welcome break from what has become an unwelcome routine last week vs. McCamey.

Despite losing to the Badgers, Forsan enjoyed its first injury-free weekend of the season.

Despite the 34-10 loss last week, East said the game was a lot closer than it appeared.

"We fumbled the opening kickoff, and they went in and scored. Then, about 4 to 5 minutes into the ball game, we were down 14-0," East said. "We came back to make it 14-10 at the half, then they come out of halftime and score 14 more quick points."

The Buffs may have avoided any new injuries, but the old ones are enough to keep East

worried. The major hurt, at least to Forsan's offense, has been the nagging deep thigh bruise suffered by running back Chris Evans in Week 1 against Garden City. Evans is still not at full speed, but will suit up and possibly start Friday.

The Buffs will need all the offensive firepower they can muster, because Sterling City has shown a noted ability to put points on the board.

The Eagles scored 55 points a few weeks ago in its shutout win against Eden, and out- Please see FORSAN, page 6A

BOTTOM OF THE ORDER

SHOT OF THE DAY



Showing solidarity

Members of the San Jose Sharks, right, and the Los Angeles Kings shake hands as a sign of solidarity prior to their pre-season game Wednesday. Players rejected the NHL's latest contract proposal Wednesday.

TEXAS SPORTS

Sands No. 6; Klondike No. 10

LUBBOCK (AP) - A season of upheaval in the six-man ranks continued last week as the top-ranked team in The Avalanche-Journal's high school six-man poll was beaten for the third consecutive week.

Ropes, which had inherited the No. 1 spot after losses by Panther Creek and Sands in the preceding two weeks, was dumped 45-35 by Wellman. The Eagles (3-1) dropped to sixth, and Guthrie (4-0) ascended from second to first, becoming the fourth new No. 1 team in as many weeks.

Gordon (3-0-1) and Klondike (4-0) moved into the top 10 for the first time this season. No. 9 Gordon stuffed Cranfills Gap 52-6, and Klondike beat Westbrook 54-8. Grady received one vote.

AROUND THE WORLD

Sanders contract approved

IRVING (AP) - NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue emphatically approved Deion Sanders' contract, saying the San Francisco 49ers met every salary-cap obligation.

Mark Eaton retires

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) - Mark Eaton, the 7-foot-4 center of the Utah Jazz who has been struggling with a degenerative back ailment, retired, ending an 11-year career in the NBA.

Eaton won the NBA's shot-blocking title four times and Defensive Player of the Year twice.

ON THE AIR

College Football

Kentucky at Auburn, 7 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

A FAMILY OUTING

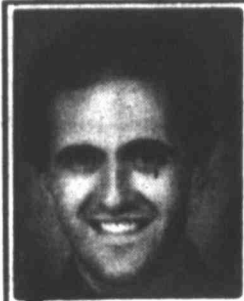


Cissy Gallagher plays with her 9-month-old son, James Thomas Gallagher III, while husband and PGA pro Jim Gallagher, foreground, practices putting Wednesday in Pine Mountain, Ga. Gallagher is preparing for the Buick Southern Open, which starts Thursday.

Cross country ran me hard, put me away damp and won me over

Saturday I will see why I loved cross country. And why I hated it.

The Big Spring Cross Country Invitational will be run Saturday at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark, starting at 10 a.m. Yours truly will be there, reliving my days of old while keeping track of who crosses the line when.



Dave Hargrave
Sports Editor

While I was in junior high, my sister Sheryl was a high school cross country runner, and I went to watch her a few times.

Thought it was the most boring spectator sport since tiddly winks.

Then I moved to Florida after living in the same Indiana town

my entire life. I was a sophomore in high school, and my parents, relatives and friends all told me the best way to adjust to a new school is to get involved immediately.

Well, basketball season was a long way off that August. I couldn't play tennis. I wasn't going to join Future Homemakers of America. What was left?

Cross country. Turned out to be a great choice. Maybe cross country isn't the king of spectator sports (maybe not even the duke or duchess), but in terms of camaraderie and actual enjoyment, cross country was a heavier hitter than baseball.

In basketball and baseball, I was too concerned about trying to be good. Never thought about having fun. In cross country, I just went to the meets and hung out with friends.

Too bad all that hard work came with it. I'd never run a lick before that school year, and there I was running 8 miles in practice. What's that they say about checking with your doc-

tor before an exercise program?

Despite the pain, the fatigue and the moldy routine of finishing way back in the JV pack, I loved going to practice every day. Just wearing a running outfit made me feel like I was actually an athlete - a feeling I never had riding the pine in basketball and baseball. I'd never been in such good shape, and I haven't been since.

Oh, what happened? Well, that stupid self-consciousness of teen-agers got in the way. After the season, the team had a party, and the coach showed videotapes of some of our meets.

I saw myself running and nearly cried. Why was I crying when my teammates were laughing? I looked like I was in labor. My shoes were black, which made me look slower than I was. I was (and am) pigeon-toed - my feet flared out to the side. It's amazing I never tripped anyone.

That took the fun out of it.

I never ran again. If you see a tall dude running at Comanche Trail Park, trust me. It was someone else.

Troubled Baylor can only sit and wait on NCAA actions

WACO, Texas (AP) — In three or four weeks, Baylor University expects to hear the NCAA's verdict on alleged misconduct in the school's basketball program.

The fallout from the scandal has been thundering already. Both of coach Darrel Johnson's assistants, accused by players of helping them cheat on correspondence courses that got them into Baylor, have resigned.

Forward Jerome Lambert, who led the nation in rebounding last season, has transferred, as have Shannon Brantley, Tyrone Davis, Marcus Thompson and Jason Ervin. The latter four — whose corre-

spondence courses were under investigation — never played a game for Baylor.

Guard Ralph Malone's scholarship was not renewed. And talented forward Jerode Banks of Temple, the Southwest

Conference freshman of the year, was killed in an automobile accident on Aug. 25.

That means Baylor has no one left from its 1993 recruiting class.

And there could be more bad

news to come.

A SWC investigation this summer found 28 unspecified NCAA rules violations. One SWC source called what was going on in the program "pure sleaze."

Cowboys wary about facing former assistant Norv Turner

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys are nervous about someone who knows them better than they know themselves. He knows their signals. He knows their calls. He knows their tendencies.

The spy isn't at Valley Ranch this week as the Cowboys prepare for the Washington Redskins. But he might as well be.

"Norv knows us. He knows our weaknesses and he knows our strengths," said quarterback Troy Aikman. "We're running his offense aren't we?"

Indeed, Norv Turner, the Washington coach, fashioned the Cowboys offense into a defense-killing machine.

Dallas players are wearing two Super Bowl rings courtesy of the way Turner's offense handled the Buffalo Bills' respected defense in the past two world championships. Aikman and Emmitt Smith, the three-time defending NFL rush-

ing champion, blossomed under Turner's play-calling.

Ernie Zampese, the current offensive coordinator for the Cowboys, taught Turner everything he knows when both were with the Los Angeles Rams.

"It's kind of a strange situation going against Norv," Zampese said. "Maybe we can think up something new he hasn't seen."

Wide receiver Michael Irvin said he hates the idea of matching wits with Turner.

"It's going to be tough coming out of our slump against someone who coached us a few years," Irvin said.

Smith added: "We have a great respect for Norv. He helped make us what we are."

Coach Barry Switzer said the Cowboys are going to change their signals. Dallas doesn't use the radio helmets because Aikman doesn't like them.

"Send a message to Norv and tell him we're not going to use the same system, particularly during the two-minute drill," Switzer said. "There are some situations in our red-ball (two-minute) offense when Norv would know what our calls are. We've already changed them."

"You look at the tapes of the Washington games and you see the Cowboys, but you also see plays we don't run because Norv fits things for his own personnel," Switzer said.

Turner might have been hired as head coach when Jimmy Johnson quit if he hadn't already signed a contract with Washington.

"There's no question in my mind he could have worked well in this organization," Cowboys owner Jerry Jones said, although he won't say whether he would have offered the job to Turner.

Bulldogs

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weekend in which Coahoma lost the ball twice inside the Lions' 10-yard-line.

Those missed opportunities have put a bit of a stain on the team's otherwise sterling record so far.

"We're pleased that we're 3-1, but we're disappointed that we're not 4-0," McHugh said. "We should be, but that's just the way it is sometimes."

Still, the temptation has to be great to look past Hawley at the start of district competition against Winters next week, right?

That is one thing, McHugh said, that his team cannot afford to do.

"Hawley's not very strong, but they are getting better every week. We can't take them lightly," he said. "They have been real close to breaking plays all season. We've just got to be careful they don't break open against us."

McHugh also wants to use the game to help fine-tune the Bulldogs' offense, which has been averaging a less-than-acceptable 13 1/2 points a game.

"We need to win the ball game, and we need to get our offense to where we don't turn the ball over," he said. "We're as good as anybody in our district. We just need to start believing it."

Forsan

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gained Coahoma in Week 3, although several turnovers at key junctures led to their 14-9 defeat.

East knows the Buffs' defense will have a full work schedule Friday.

"Offensively, they're pretty tough," he said of the Eagles. "They've got pretty good size. We think they're just going to line up and try to run the ball down our throats. I don't think they'll do anything fancy."

Forsan will key on stopping Sterling City fullback Albert Estrada, the Eagles' leading ground gainer who had 87 yards on 17 attempts against Coahoma two weeks ago. If the

Buffs fail that task, they could be in for a long night.

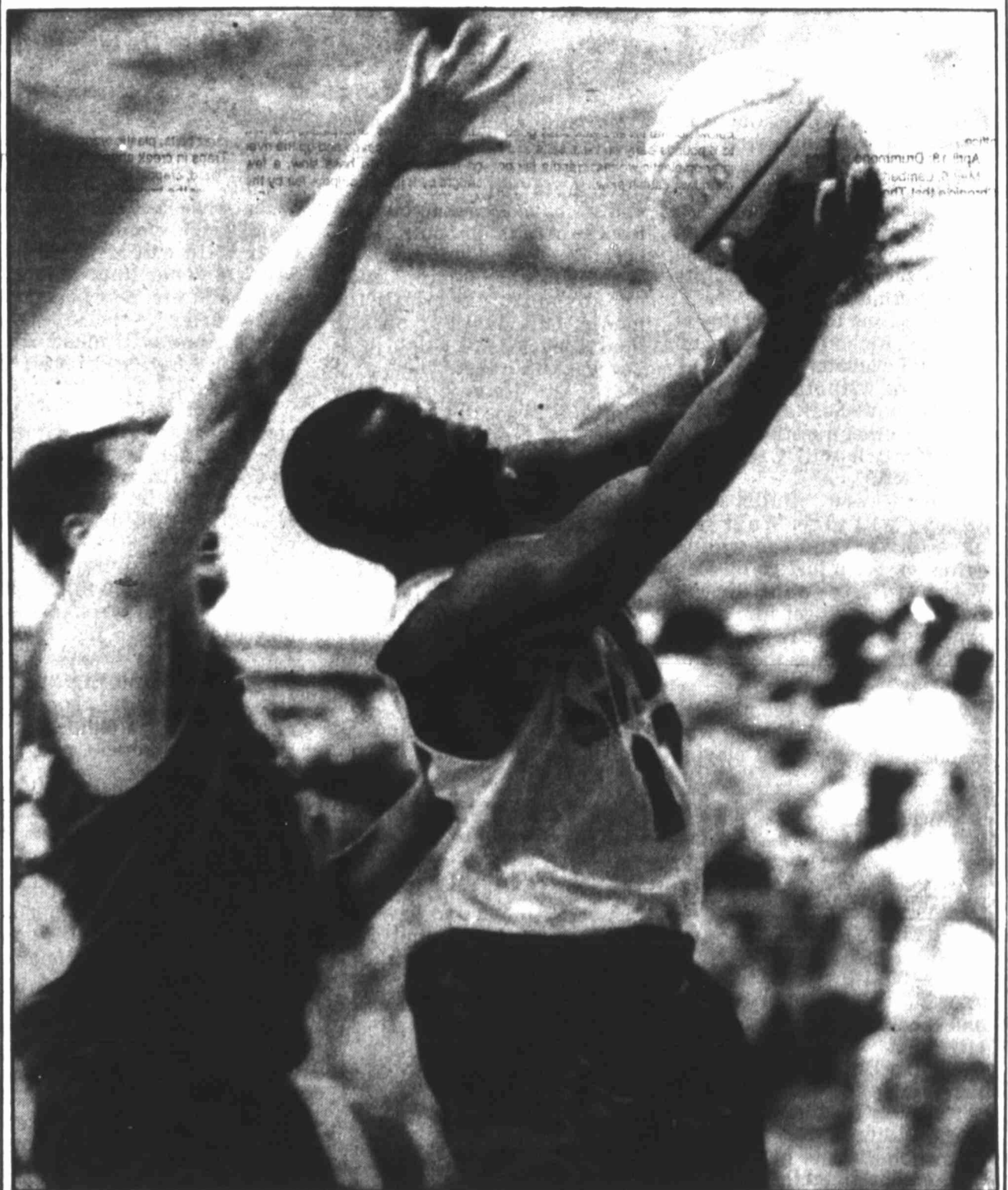
"Sterling City is probably as good as I've seen them down through the years," East said. "And they probably should have been in the playoffs last year."

East feels the Buffs can counter Sterling City's firepower with a little of their own.

"Their defense is pretty impressive," he said. "They're big, but we feel like we can move the ball on them. We've moved the ball all year, we just haven't put it in the end zone."

Despite all the injuries and the three consecutive losses, East said his team's mental outlook remains positive.

CHARLIE THE HOOPSTER



Former Heisman Trophy winner Charlie Ward, right, is guarded by Brooks Thompson of Oklahoma State during a pre-draft camp in Chicago in this June photo. Ward, passed up the in the NFL draft, signed a five-year guaranteed contract Wednesday with the New York Knicks, who took him in the first round of the NBA Draft last June.

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FOOTBALL

Six-Man Pool

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Lubbock Avalanche-Journal high school six-man football team's first-place votes in parent points and last week's rank are tabulated on the basis of points for a first place vote, second, etc.:
1. Guthrie (5)
2. Mullin (3)
3. Amherst
4. May
5. Sando
6. Ropes
7. Millard
8. Balmorhea
9. Goddard
10. Klondike
Other teams receiving: Jonesboro 6, Zephyr 5, T. Wellman 3, Woodson 1.

BASKETBALL

Baylor Chron

A chronology of recent Baylor men's basketball:
September 1993: Baylor basketball investigation into basketball coach Pam Bowers' alleged NCAA violations.
Nov. 2: Baylor coach Darrel Johnson says an in-house investigation found minor violations.
Nov. 19: Junior college Jason Ervin, Marcus Thompson, Shannon Brantley and Tyrone Davis are suspended as the Southwest Conference officially enters litigation.
Nov. 20: Johnson boycotts exhibition games in protest. The NCAA enters investigation as an "unofficial" member.
December: Attorney Michael Glazer, a former NCAA staff member, is hired to coordinate the investigation. The investigation concerns questions of academic eligibility in the four players' school correspondence work.
March 28, 1994: Bowers' notification that she will be notified.
April 6: Bowers files a lawsuit against the university.
April 16: Player Jason Ervin says he was given a threat April 1993 by assistant coach Drummond and that he told SWC investigators. As Thomas' name is on the participant in the Baylor basketball.
April 18: Drummond reports to the NCAA.
May 5: Lambert tells the Chronicle that Thomas at Lambert's apartment at a rate during the summer of 1993 helped Lambert negotiate the purchase of a car.
June 1: Baylor president H. Reynolds announces a report by SWC investigating 28 unspecified NCAA violations.
June 6: Johnson declines to run the Oklahoma City Continental Basketball Association.
July 3: The FBI subpoenas obtained by the SWC in the investigation of the program, the Houston Chronicle.
Aug. 20: It is reported authorities convened a grand jury to hear testimony from former Baylor recruit regarding correspondence courses.
Aug. 25: Forward Jerome Lambert is killed in an accident near Eddy, Texas.
Sept. 25: Ervin tells the Chronicle that former Bears' assistant coach Thomas and Drummond had the answers to questions in a correspondence course.
Sept. 28: Ervin says Johnson was aware of an apartment deal he received the summer of 1993, according to the Dallas Morning News.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES
Dick Bosman, pitching coach, to Chicago White Sox.
Gene Lamont, manager, to New York Yankees.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
CHICAGO BULLS — Charlie Ward, guard, to a multi-year contract.
DETROIT PISTONS — Curley, forward, to a multi-year contract.
HOUSTON ROCKET — signed Mario Elie, guard.
NEW YORK KNICKS — Charlie Ward, guard, to a multi-year contract.
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SPORTSEXTRA

Cougars to test new ranking

Crossroads
Country

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Preview

Ira (0-4)
at Grady (3-1)

The Grady Wildcats' biggest problem this week might come from looking too far down the road.

The 'Cats celebrate homecoming this Friday when they host the winless Ira Bulldogs. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Coach Roger Smith knows Ira should not pose much of a threat to his team, which would be excused if it's distracted by homecoming or the thought of starting district competition at No. 10 Klondike next week.

Smith is hopeful that won't happen.

"I think our kids are staying pretty well focused for the game," Smith said. "Ira is one of those teams that can sneak up on you if you're not careful."

The talented-but-thin Wildcats received a blow when it was learned that end Michael Madison will miss the rest of the season with a knee injury.

Sands (3-1)
at Meadow (2-1-1)

If Sands coach Billy Barnett was looking for a tough contest to prepare his team for the

start of district play next week, he couldn't have done much better than Meadow.

The Broncos' only loss this season has been to state-ranked Amherst, and they tied Wellman, which knocked off knocked off top-ranked Ropes last week.

All of this has Barnett very impressed.

"Position by position, Meadow is probably the best team we've played this year," Barnett said. "Ropes (Sands' lone loss) had two very good running backs and one great defensive player, but player by player, Meadow's as good as we've played."

Barnett hopes his team, ranked fifth in the latest six-man poll, uses the final pre-district warmup to iron out some wrinkles on offense.

"I want us to come out and have no mistakes on offense," he said.

Westbrook (0-3-1)
at Dawson (2-2)

The Westbrook Wildcats, who have found the going rough in their first year of UIL-sanctioned games, will try to get some momentum going in their direction when they face Dawson Friday night in the final non-district contest of the year for both teams.

The Wildcats have tied Union, but have lost by large margins to Blackwell, Jayton and Klondike. Westbrook coach Jim Hill says things won't be any easier this week.

"Dawson has real good speed and quickness," Hill said. "They run a lot of sweeps, and they pass the ball maybe 15-18 times a game. They're small, and not real physical, but they react real well on defense. They've probably got more speed than Klondike, and Klondike was awful quick."

STEERS VS. LEVELLAND

Who: Big Spring (2-2) at Levelland (3-1).
When: Friday, 7:30 p.m.
How to get there: Highway 87 to Lamesa, then Highway 137 to Brownfield. In Brownfield, take Highway 385 North to Levelland. At first stoplight in Levelland, go straight - the stadium will be behind a small lake on the right after several blocks.

retirement of Mark Eaton, center.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed Shelby Hill, wide receiver, to the practice squad.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed Jerrold Williams, linebacker. Signed Ronnie Woodfork, linebacker, to the practice squad. Released Matt Gay, safety. Released Emerson Martin, guard, from the practice squad.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Signed Scott Adams, offensive lineman, and Kirk Botkin, tight end.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Phil Bryant, running back, to the practice squad.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
ANAHEIM MIGHTY DUCKS—Traded Terry Yake, right wing, to the Toronto Maple Leafs for David Secoo, right wing. Loaned Jean-Francois Jomphe, right wing, to the Canadian National Team.

BUFFALO SABRES—Agreed to terms with Dominik Hasek, goaltender, on a three-year contract. Assigned Steve Shields, goalie, to Rochester of the American Hockey League.

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Assigned Brett Seguin, center, to Muskegon of the Colonial Hockey League.

FISHING

Fishing Reports

AUSTIN (AP) — Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for Sept. 29:

WEST ARROWHEAD: Water clear, 78 degrees, 4 feet below normal level; black bass slow; crappie good 12-18 feet deep in lake and at docks on minnows and jigs; sand bass fair; catfish very good on cheese ball and stink bait.

BAYLOR: Water clear, 13 feet below normal level; black bass good to 6 pounds early on buzz baits and later on plastic worms; crappie fair on minnows; catfish slow.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water clear, 74 degrees, 5.5 feet below normal level; black bass good on chertreuse cranks; crappie good on small minnows; hybrid striper slow; catfish good but small on minnows.

FRYER: Water clear, 80 degrees, 4 feet below normal level; everything is slow.

GRANBURY: Water clear, 78 degrees, normal level; black bass good on topwaters; striper fair 20-30 feet deep on shad-type baits; sand bass good in schools on silver spoons; crappie good 20 feet deep on small minnows; catfish good 14-20 feet deep on cheese ball.

GREENBELT: Water clear, 70 degrees, 6 feet below normal level; largemouth bass good to 3.5 pounds on artificials; smallmouth bass fair to 4.5 pounds on artificials; walleye slow; sand bass slow; crappie slow; catfish good to 11 pounds on minnows and night crawlers.

KEAR: Water clear, 7 feet below normal level; everything is slow, but the gates have been closed.

MEREDITH: Water clear, 78 degrees, normal level; largemouth bass fair on cranks; smallmouth bass fair off rocky points on jigs with minnows; walleye fair to 25 feet deep on points using jigs with night crawlers; sand bass good over humps on slabs and minnows; crappie slow; catfish fair on night crawlers and punch bait near the bank.

OAK CREEK: Water clear, 78 degrees, 6.5 feet below normal level; black bass fair to 6 pounds on plastic worms; crappie fair on minnows; sand bass slow; catfish good on chicken liver.

OLJIVE: Water clear, 74 degrees; largemouth bass fair in weed beds and on points and shelves 15-25 feet deep on plastic worms and jiggling spoons; smallmouth bass fair on points and rocky ridges on cranks, plastic worms and jigs; crappie fair in brush 15-30 feet deep on minnows early and late; white bass fair trolling with deep diving lures and on slabs and jigs; walleye fair at night 15-30 feet deep on minnows; catfish fair on trotlines in the mouths of creeks and over balled holes on live bait.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water clear, 75 degrees, 3 feet below normal level; black bass slow, some caught early and late in shallow water; striper good in schools on surface on small lures; sand bass good in schools on topwaters and Bass Assassins; crappie good 20 feet deep around docks on minnows; catfish slow.

WHITNEY: Water murky, 78 degrees, 3 feet below normal level; largemouth bass fair to 5 pounds on spinner baits and jigs; smallmouth fair to 4 pounds; striper slow, some caught to 17 pounds on live bait; white

bass good in schools early and late on spoons and slabs; crappie fair in barges on minnows and jigs, some action around docks and boat houses; catfish slow, some caught on night crawlers and shrimp.

NORTHEAST ATHENS: Water clear, 79 degrees, 10 inches below normal level; black bass good to 6.75 pounds on Carolina rigs; crappie fair on minnows; sand bass fair; hybrid striper fair; catfish slow; bream fair on crickets and minnows.

BOB SANDLIN: Water clear, 20 inches below normal level; black bass good early on topwaters and later on spinner baits and cranks; crappie good on minnows; sand bass slow; catfish very good on chicken livers, night crawlers and perch; bream good on crickets and night crawlers.

CADDO: Water clear, 68 degrees, 1 foot below normal level; everything is slow.

CEDAR CREEK: Water off-colored, 76 degrees, 20 inches below normal level; black bass fair to 5 pounds early on plastic worms, buzz baits and Slugs; sand bass good early in schools on chrome Rat-L-Traps; crappie slow; hybrid striper slow; catfish very good on cut bait and night crawlers.

CYPRESS SPRINGS: Water clear, 81 degrees, slightly below normal level; black bass fair; crappie fair; sand bass slow; catfish fair.

FAIRFOLD: Water clear, 68 degrees, slightly below normal level; black bass fair to 8 pounds on spinner baits; redfin good to 15 pounds on cranks; hybrid striper slow, a few caught to 8 pounds on shad; catfish good to 12 pounds on live perch.

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By STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

Klondike coach Ed Wilson is going to have an even harder time convincing folks his Cougars are in a rebuilding year.

The recently released state six-man poll placed the Cougars (4-0) 10th, the first time during Wilson's three-year tenure that Klondike has cracked the elite list.

"I don't know if that's good or not," Wilson said. "It's surprising to me. I do think we have a good team, but if you look at the people we've played, Lazbuddie's only won one game, Loraine's won only one game, and New Home and Westbrook haven't won any... so this is very surprising to me."

Wilson won't have long to bemoan the lack of quality competition - or savor the new ranking, for that matter - because No. 6 Ropes is coming to town Friday for a 7:30 p.m. contest.

The Eagles (3-1) seem to have been making a tour of District 5 teams during their pre-district schedule. They have beaten Sands and Grady, while dropping last week's contest with Wellman - a loss that knocked them out of the top spot in the rankings.

Any talk of stopping Ropes begins with its running back duo of Michael Salas and David Lopez.

"Ropes is for real," Wilson said. "They have two great running backs. Salas is a phenomenon, he's really something, and Lopez is a darn good running back himself. One of the keys will be slowing down their running game, which is a very difficult task in itself."

Still, Wilson likes the Cougars' chances at winning a lot more than he did before the season started.

The young team, featuring only one senior starter, has benefited greatly from the presence of junior tailback Tanner Etheredge, who has passed and tied for almost 20 touchdowns so far, and a surprisingly stout defense that has not allowed more than 25 points in a game this season.

"We've got young kids, and this is the first time they'll be feeling pressure this year," Wilson said. "When you play a ranked team, there's kind of an intimidation factor, but we have a chance to be competitive."

Commission alters stance on SAT scores

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) — The NCAA Presidents Commission, in a significant about-face, says high school stars with a C-plus average in college prep courses can get athletic scholarships no matter how low their SAT scores might be.

Under a proposal the commission will put to a vote at the NCAA convention in January, it will be up to individual schools whether to admit these "partial qualifiers," for a maximum of three years eligibility.

"If they want to go to the institution that accepts them with whatever test score, they would never have to have NCAA standards to compete," commission chairwoman Judith Albino said.

The commission, which always before had insisted on using standardized SAT or ACT tests as key components to freshmen eligibility, said these "partial qualifiers" still could not compete as freshmen.

FOOTBALL

Six-Man Poll

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's weekly high school six-man football poll of Texas sportswriters with records, first-place votes in parentheses, total points and last week's rankings. Polls are tabulated on the basis of 10 points for a first place vote, nine for a second, etc.:

Table with 3 columns: Rank, Team, Points. 1. Guthrie (5) 4-0 77 2. Mullin (3) 4-0 73 3. Amherst 4-0 54 4. May 4-0 48 5. Sands 3-1 47 6. Ropes 3-1 40 7. Milford 4-0 31 8. Balmorhea 4-0 25 9. Godon 3-0 16 10. Klondike 4-0 9

Other teams receiving votes: Jonesboro 6, Zephyr 5, Trinidad 4, Wellman 3, Woodson 1, Grady 1.

BASKETBALL

Baylor Chronology

A chronology of recent troubles for the Baylor men's basketball program:

September 1993: Baylor begins an in-house investigation into the men's basketball program after women's basketball coach Pam Bowers submitted memos alleging NCAA rule violations.

Nov. 2: Baylor coach Darrel Johnson says an in-house investigation found minor violations.

Nov. 19: Junior college transfers Jason Ervin, Marcus Thompson, Shannon Brantley and Tyrone Davis are suspended as the Southwest Conference officially enters the investigation.

Nov. 20: Johnson boycotts an exhibition game in protest of the suspensions. The NCAA enters the investigation as an "unofficial observer."

December: Attorney Michael Glazier, a former NCAA enforcement staff member, is hired by the SWC to coordinate its investigation. It is revealed that the investigation concerns questions of academic irregularity in the four players' summer school correspondence work.

March 28, 1994: Bowers receives notification that she will be fired as of May 31.

April 6: Bowers files a \$4 million lawsuit against the university.

April 16: Player Jerome Lambert says he was given a theme paper in April 1993 by assistant coach Troy Drummond and that he turned it over to SWC investigators. Assistant Gary Thomas' name is on the paper as recipient in the Baylor basketball office.

April 18: Drummond resigns.

May 5: Lambert tells the Houston Chronicle that Thomas arranged for Lambert's apartment at a reduced rate during the summer of '93 and helped Lambert negotiate the purchase of a car.

June 1: Baylor president Herbert H. Reynolds announces a 544-page report by SWC investigators containing 28 unspecified NCAA rule violations.

June 8: Johnson declines an offer to run the Oklahoma City Cavalry of the Continental Basketball Association.

July 3: The FBI subpoenas documents obtained by the SWC during its investigation of the Baylor program, the Houston Chronicle reported.

Aug. 20: It is reported that federal authorities convened a grand jury that heard testimony from at least one former Baylor recruit regarding the validity of correspondence course credits.

Aug. 25: Forward Jerode Banks of Temple is killed in an automobile accident near Edy, Texas.

Sept. 25: Ervin tells the Chronicle that former Bears' assistant coaches Thomas and Drummond provided him with the answers to test questions in a correspondence course in 1993.

Sept. 28: Ervin says coach Johnson was aware of a rent-free apartment deal he received during the summer of 1993, according to The Dallas Morning News.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Fired Dick Bosman, pitching coach.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Signed Gene Lamont, manager, to a one-year contract.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CHICAGO BULLS—Signed Steve Kerr, guard, to a multi-year contract.

DETROIT PISTONS—Signed Bill Curley, forward, to a multi-year contract.

HOUSTON ROCKETS—Re-signed Mario Elie, guard.

NEW YORK KNICKS—Signed Charlie Ward, guard, to a five-year contract.

PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Named World B. Free strength and conditioning coach.

UTAH JAZZ—Announced the

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Heart defects don't keep Austin Rinard down

By JANET AUSBURY
Features Editor

Austin Rinard, grand marshal of this year's American Heart Association Heart Walk Oct. 1, would seem like an active 16-month-old by anyone's standards.

Factor in his four heart defects, and his energy becomes amazing.

Although surgeries have made Austin healthy beyond doctors' expectations, it's been a rough road for the toddler and his parents. He will have more surgeries as he grows older.

Austin was born May 24, 1993, to parents Tasha and Jim Rinard. The pregnancy had been relatively uneventful; the ultrasounds had seemed normal.

"The ultrasound tech used to say what a strong heartbeat Austin had," recalled Tasha, the irony not lost on her.

She didn't smoke, didn't drink, avoided anything she thought might harm her unborn child. Although Austin was born by induced labor, the birth seemed otherwise normal.

A few hours after the birth, a pediatrician informed Tasha that Austin had a slight heart murmur, but that such murmurs are common in infants and normally go away.

The next day, as doctors prepared to release Tasha and Austin, the pediatrician reported the heart murmur had changed, which he interpreted

as a good sign. However, to be on the safe side, doctors decided to keep Tasha and Austin an extra day to track his murmur.

Later that day, the clouds that had gathered over the earlier happiness of Austin's birth turned darker still. Tests done on the oxygen level in Austin's blood showed it to be 86 percent-not life-threatening, but well below the normal range of 90 to 96 percent.

It was time for Austin to go to Lubbock for further tests. "I was beside myself," recalled Tasha. Her husband, who had finally left the hospital for the first time to get something to eat, walked in at that moment only to find things were going wrong and about to get worse.

While in Lubbock, EKGs performed on the baby revealed no serious problems. However, the echocardiogram revealed a far less encouraging picture. Reeling from shock, Tasha barely understood the cardiologist as he explained the defects that riddled Austin's heart.

Austin had an atrial septal defect—a hole between the atriums of the heart; transposition of the aorta and main artery, meaning the heart's two major carriers of blood were switched around in the wrong places; a single ventricle on the right side, instead of a left and right ventricle; and tricuspid atresia, in which the tricuspid valve failed to form correctly and cannot open and close properly.

The net result of these defects was that Austin's blood was not receiving enough oxygen, and



Austin Rinard, like any other 16-month-old, enjoys riding his wagon and playing. The only outward signs of his many hospital visits are surgical scars on his torso and his fondness for his toy stethoscope.

too much blood was going to his lungs. The atrial septal defect actually saved him from the other defects, as it allowed more blood into his heart, and surgery was performed to enlarge the atrial hole. Heart medicine was also prescribed.

Austin didn't seem extremely unhealthy, but in retrospect his parents realize he did not progress or gain weight at the

same rate as other infants. Doctors in Lubbock recommended banding his pulmonary vein to keep his lungs from receiving too much blood.

Desperate for more information and a second opinion, Tasha and Jim relied on a new program provided by Fina, her employer, as a medical benefit.

Please see AUSTIN, page 3B



Money raised by projects such as the AHA Heart Walk has helped develop the relatively new technologies used to correct Austin's heart defects.

AHA Heart Walk to happen Saturday

By JANET AUSBURY
Features Editor

Austin Rinard, grand marshal of this year's American Heart Association Walk, will join walkers 9 a.m. Saturday at Comanche Trail Park Amphitheater to begin the national event.

Walkers will raise money for cardiovascular research by asking friends and coworkers for donations for walking the course. Each walker raising \$100 will get an American Heart Walk T-shirt and will be eligible for prizes.

For the walker raising the largest amount in donations, Big Spring Skipper Travel has donated a trip for two to Las Vegas. Second and third place winners will receive a semester at the Harold Davis Fitness Center, compliments of Howard College.

The winning company team will receive a six-foot sandwich compliments of the Subway Sandwiches store on Gregg Street.

As a special treat for children, the fire department will be on hand, including a fire truck for youngsters to look at and firemen handing out safety brochures.

For information on how to participate or sponsor a walker, call Jan Hansen, 264-5683.

Key Club rings victory bell for Steers



Members of the Big Spring High School Key Club ring the victory bell during last Friday's home game against Snyder. Members and fifth grade students ring the bell when the team comes onto the field and when the Steers score points.

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

The Big Spring High School Key Club is showing its support of the Steers during every home game by ringing the victory bell when points are scored.

Club members are in charge of the victory bell located in front of the student section during the games. Co-sponsor Kay Barnett says one of the focuses of the club is for youth to help youth.

"This year, the club will pick students of the week from the elementary schools. The fifth graders who are recognized as having outstanding attendance and academic records are rewarded by ringing the bell.

"This past Friday, we chose two students from Kentwood and two from Bauer. At Kentwood, Amber Mayes and

Judd Opegard were chosen and from Bauer, Brittany Bryant and Bridget Cain," said Barnett.

Barnett says this is the first year the club has recognized outstanding fifth graders and helps teach members responsibility and leadership.

Anyone in high school can join Key Club and they are currently in a membership drive. There are about 50 members and this is the second year the club has been open to girls.

Some of the other projects in the works this school year include the Key Club Calendar. The calendar contains a variety of activities taking place at the high school such as football games, Key Club meetings, dances and student council meetings.

"The calendars have three holes in them to fit into their binders and sell for \$2. Anyone

in Big Spring can buy one if they want to from a Key Club member. Pictures of students are also on the calendars," Barnett explained.

She says the Key Club is the high school equivalent of the Kiwanis Club and the students help with city projects. "We are also involved in Christmas in April and Adopt-A-Sight by helping the community pick up trash. We are also having a Pancake Supper and club members will be servers," she added.

Club members are also planning to help at the elementary schools harvest and Halloween carnivals as well as Christmas Angels.

Barnett said, "We hope to be able to adopt a girl and a boy for the holidays who is needy. We want to be able to buy them Christmas presents and we are planning a canned food drive as well."

Barnett says she is also wanting to keep better records of the students community involvements because scholarship and college applications ask the student what kind of leadership and community work they have been involved in.

Speakers are planned to talk to Key Club members about college and how to apply for financial aid and scholarships.

Officers for the 1994-95 school year are junior Jeff Johnston, president; sophomore Amador Gonzales, vice president; senior Laura Elrod, secretary; senior Robbi Hall, treasurer and senior Arthur Berrera, parliamentarian.

Elrod and Hall are also calendar girls on the Key Club's calendar. Gonzales is a band member and Berrera is on the football team as well.

'Bird lady' wins partial victory in zoning war

MIDLAND (AP) — The wildlife rehabilitator known as the "Bird Lady" can keep up her volunteer work — provided she meets certain restrictions.

City council members agonized Tuesday before voting 4-2 to allow some rehabilitation

inside Midland. The decision seems to be a partial victory for Midge Erskine, who has tended sick and wounded wildlife from her home for 24 years.

Mrs. Erskine, 60, looked happy but said little.

"Thousands of people of the Permian Basin have backed me and they see the necessity of wildlife rehabilitation," she said.

A vote to ban such operations could have closed down Mrs. Erskine, the only state-licensed

rehabilitator between Lubbock and Uvalde.

City scrutiny of the issue was sparked by complaints from people who own property next door to Mrs. Erskine's vegetation-overgrown yard.

SAY CHEESE



Don Sorn, a Monroe, Wis., elementary school principal, has an egg broken on his head Sept. 13 as he is "made" into "cheddar cheese" at the Green County Fairgrounds in Monroe. Three elementary principals were made into "cheese" after students each read more than five books last school year. The event also promoted the Cheese Days festival this weekend in Monroe.

ASVAB offers options to high school students

Special to the Herald

High school juniors and seniors are faced with trying to plan the rest of a lifetime. Choosing a career is an individual and personal decision, and one that can be overwhelming for today's youth.

Aptitude tests with academic components, however, can help students discover their personal strengths so that intelligent decisions can be made, according to Lt. Col. Donna L. Kenley, commander of the U.S. Army Recruiting Battalion Dallas.

"The Army offers an aptitude test to high school students at no charge," she said, referring to the Armed Services

Vocational Aptitude Battery, or ASVAB. "The ASVAB matches the right person with the right skills."

This aptitude test is not just for those interested in enlisting in the Army.

"All students, even college-bound students, can benefit from looking at their interests and talents in an objective way," Kenley added.

But, for young people interested in Army options, taking the ASVAB is the first step to choosing the right job for their Army enlistment.

For more information, contact the U.S. Army Recruiting Battalion, 2300 Valley View Lane Suite 700, Irving, Texas 75062-5058.

READ ALL ABOUT IT

A Wail of a Problem!

Test your reading comprehension by reading the story below and answering the questions that follow.

Burglar Alarm That Jangled Neighbors Shut Off After Six Days

RANDALLSTOWN, Md. (AP) — For six excruciating days and five nights, the burglar alarm wailed. And then there was silence.

"Thank God! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!" said Joan Sheppard, who had barely been able to sleep through the piercing wail of her vacationing next-door neighbor's alarm.

On Thursday, with permission from the homeowner's friend, an officer climbed a ladder to the townhouse's second floor, pried open an aluminum cover underneath the eaves and yanked free a wire. And the alarm shut up.

"It feels great," said Diana Johnson, another neighbor.

As the racket subsided, a cheer erupted from a small group of neighbors gathered under umbrellas in a driving rain in front of the offending townhouse.

But Johnson wondered why it had taken police so long to stop the continuous, pulsing screech after the alarm was triggered by a power outage last Saturday.

Police and utility officials said there was nothing the law would allow them to do until the homeowner returned. And the homeowner, a psychologist, wasn't due back from an Indonesian vacation until Saturday.

But a friend and former employee, Ernestine Cosby, got in touch with him and gave police permission to act.

The homeowner could face charges of disturbing the peace when he gets back, said Maj. Kevin Sanzenbacher of the Baltimore County police. He also apparently violated a county ordinance requiring burglar alarms to shut off automatically after 20 minutes.

As neighbors waited for the alarm to be turned off, media from the Baltimore-Washington area clustered outside the house.

In the block party atmosphere that prevailed, another neighbor, Richard Smith, introduced himself to Mrs. Sheppard, who had spoken to reporters about the noise.

"You're an instant celebrity," he said.

"All I want is instant peace," she replied.

Using the newspaper story, find the vocabulary words listed below, and circle them in the article. Use the context of the story to help you figure out the meaning of each vocabulary word. Then, draw a line from the word to its correct meaning. Use a dictionary to check your answers.

- excruciating a. the act of allowing
 - wall b. pulled sharply
 - permission c. burst forth
 - eaves d. a long, high sound
 - yanked e. began (some action)
 - erupted f. painfully uncomfortable
 - continuous g. going on without stopping
 - triggered h. lower edge of a roof that hangs over a building
- Answer Key: 1)f 2)d 3)a 4)h 5)b 6)c 7)g 8)e

PART TWO

racket - a loud noise
screech - a high, harsh sound
wall - a long, high sound

Below are three "noisy" story starters. Pick one and use your imagination to write a short story. See if you can include words from the vocabulary list at the top of the page.

1. What a RACKET the dogs made when the well-dressed stranger approached the house and rang the doorbell!

Especially for kids and their families

The Mini Page

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By BETTY DEBNAM

We the People Hispanic Americans

Every 10 years, Uncle Sam takes a census, or counts the people. (These figures are from 1990.)

Total U.S. population: 248,700,000

Uncle Sam also asks people to name their heritage, or where their ancestors came from.

22,400,000 people said they were of Hispanic heritage.

Hispanic people make up the second largest minority group in the country.

Blacks are the largest minority group.

The number of Hispanic people is growing faster than any other minority group. Since the last time Uncle Sam counted people (1980), the number of Hispanic people grew by 53 percent.

Uncle Sam projects that by the year 2010, Hispanic Americans will number 40,525,000.

Think about it!

Have you ever noticed that some of our signs are in English and Spanish?

What other signs in Spanish have you noticed?

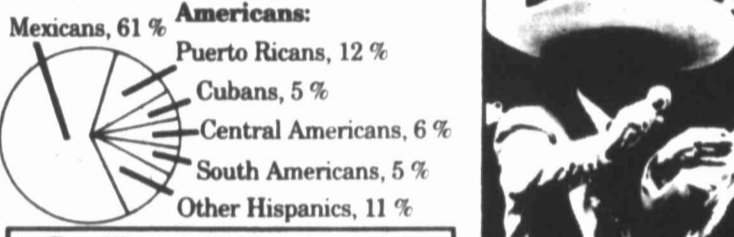
Who are the Hispanic Americans?

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, Hispanics are people from Spain or areas once settled by Spain. Many have both Spanish and Indian ancestors. They are also called Latinos.

Hispanics come from many different backgrounds. They often trace their roots back to a certain country. Here are some of the leading ones:

- 1. Mexico, 13,393,008**
Mexicans are the largest Hispanic group.
- 2. Puerto Rico, 2,651,000**
Puerto Ricans are the second largest.
- 3. Cuba, 1,063,000**
- 4. El Salvador, 565,000**
- 5. Guatemala, 268,779**
- 6. Nicaragua, 202,658**
- 7. Colombia, 378,726**
- 8. Ecuador, 191,198**
- 9. Peru, 175,035**

Background percentages of Hispanic Americans:



Where do the Hispanics get their name? In ancient times, Romans once ruled the area that is now Spain. They called it His-Spania. Columbus named the first island where he landed in the New World "Hispaniola."

Hispanic festivals are big celebrations in many parts of our country. Music by mariachi bands is popular. The musicians play violins, guitars and trumpets.

Spanish sayings

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|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MUCHAS GRACIAS (MOO-CHAS GRAH-see-ahs) THANK YOU. | DE BANDA (DEN BAN-dan) YOU'RE WELCOME. | BUENOS DIAS (BWAY-oo DE-ah) GOOD MORNING. | BUEENAS NOCHES (BWAY-ahs NO-CHAY) GOOD NIGHT. |
| Per favor (pour fav-VOHR) Please | Hola (OH-la) Hello | Adiós (ah-dee-OHS) Goodbye | ¿Dónde? (DOHN-day) Where? |
| ¿Cómo le va? (KO-mo lay VAH) How do you do? | ¿Cuándo? (KWAN-deh) When? | ¿Cómo está usted? (KO-mo ace-TAH ooe-TAYD) How are you? | Muy bien, gracias (moo-ee be-AYN, GRAH-see-ahs) Very well, thank you |

PETER PENGUIN'S PUZZLE & LE-DO

Fit these words of Spanish origin into the puzzle.

ACROSS

- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

DOWN

- 1.
- 5.
- 6.

MIGHTY FUNNY'S Mini Jokes

WHAT KIND OF STORY IS "THE THREE LITTLE PIGS"?

A PIG TALE!

(sent in by Dymocha Robinson)

Q: Where does a crocodile keep his money?
A: In a riverbank!
(sent in by Latrina Meeks)

Q: What do you call a carrot that insults a rabbit?
A: A fresh vegetable!
(sent in by Jessica Leonard)

Teacher's Guide

For use by teachers and parents at home and at school. For use with issue: Hispanic Americans

- Main idea: This issue is about Hispanic Americans. The following is a list of activities to be used with this issue. They are listed in order of difficulty. Ask the children to do the following:
- Design a poster for Hispanic American Month.
 - Discuss the following: Are you or is anyone you know of Hispanic heritage? Have you ever visited a Hispanic country? If so, what did you do and see? Have you ever seen a sign in both Spanish and English? What would it have been like to have been a Spanish explorer?
 - Find all the states and countries mentioned in this issue on a globe or world map.
 - Find the following numbers: a year, the percentage of Hispanic Americans from Puerto Rico, the U.S. population, the number of people in the U.S. who are of Hispanic origin.
 - Survey your class to find out the heritage of the students. Make a graph of the results. What percent are of Hispanic heritage?
 - Pretend you are a Spanish explorer. Write a diary for several days describing what you did and saw.
 - Look through your newspaper for articles on Hispanic countries.

The Spanish Explorers and Missions

Spanish explorers

For hundreds of years, Spanish explorers and missions played an important part in the history of our country. The Spanish brought with them their language, religion and customs.



Queen Isabella and King Ferdinand of Spain sent Columbus to the New World. From the time Columbus landed in 1492, and for the next 300 years, Spain laid claim to much of the Americas.



The Spanish were the first Europeans to claim and settle in an area that became Central America and much of South America and the United States.

The first explorers were conquistadores (con-KEEST-ah-DOOR-ays). They were searching for riches, especially gold.

Spanish missions

The Spanish used the missions to establish their colonies. Missions were small towns or villages. They were set up by priests and a garrison of soldiers.

One purpose of the missions was to bring the Christian religion to the Indians. Another was to introduce Indians to the Spanish ways in the hope that they would become loyal subjects. Indian labor was used to build the buildings, tend the crops, and make items that were traded by and made money for the mission.



Francisco Vasquez de Coronado (1510-1554) explored the Southwest. He got as far as what is now Kansas. Coronado was looking for the "Seven Cities of Cibola." Stories told by Indians of cities with streets paved with gold encouraged explorers to find out what was in the land north of Mexico.

National Hispanic American Month is Sept. 15 to Oct. 15. Many Latin American countries celebrate their independence from Spain during this time (Mexico, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua).

Juan Ponce de Leon (1474-1521) was the first European to explore Florida. He was searching for gold. He also was looking for the legendary Fountain of Youth. The story was that drinking water from the fountain could make older people young again.

The first permanent European settlement in the United States was at St. Augustine, Fla. It was founded in 1565 by the Spanish. People still worship in the original mission church.

The Church at Mission San Jose, San Antonio Mission National Historical Park, San Antonio, Texas. It is the largest and best known of all Texas missions. It was established in 1720.

Next week is the second in a series celebrating Hispanic American Month. Learn more about the Hispanics and their many contributions.

Mini Spy ...

Mini Spy and her friends are learning a folk dance. See if you can find:

- letter B
- word MINI
- cat
- letter J
- bell
- two birds
- cherry
- bread loaf
- caterpillar
- elephant's head
- horse's head
- pencil

• number 8 • letter A • letter Y

YOU CAN

Dear Rick,

The answer is kind of surprising. It's all wrapped up in how we name stuff. Even though cold has a name, cold is not really a thing.

We only have more heat or less heat. When we say that something is cold, what is really going on is there is less heat.

That means that refrigerators do not make cold. You can't make something that is not a thing in the first place. What a refrigerator really does is **move heat**.

Bestman or Jax, P.O. Box 30177, Kansas City, MO 64112. Send your question & address.

EXPERIMENT #1

WHAT YOU NEED: A grown-up - rubbing alcohol - tissue

WHAT TO DO: Rubbing alcohol can be dangerous stuff, so get a grown-up to help. Do this together with your family.

Rub an alcohol-soaked tissue onto the back of your hand. Gently blow. Watch the wet spots as you blow, and feel the temperature of your hand. (You may have done this experiment last summer when we looked at why you get cold at a pool.)

Dear Rick,

The answer is kind of surprising. It's all wrapped up in how we name stuff. Even though cold has a name, cold is not really a thing. We only have more heat or less heat. When we say that something is cold, what is really going on is there is less heat. That means that refrigerators do not make cold. You can't make something that is not a thing in the first place. What a refrigerator really does is **move heat**.

SO WHAT: You got really cold, and evaporation is the reason why. Evaporation is when a liquid turns into a gas. Cold alcohol will not evaporate (ee-VAP-or-ate). The heat it needed moved from your hand.

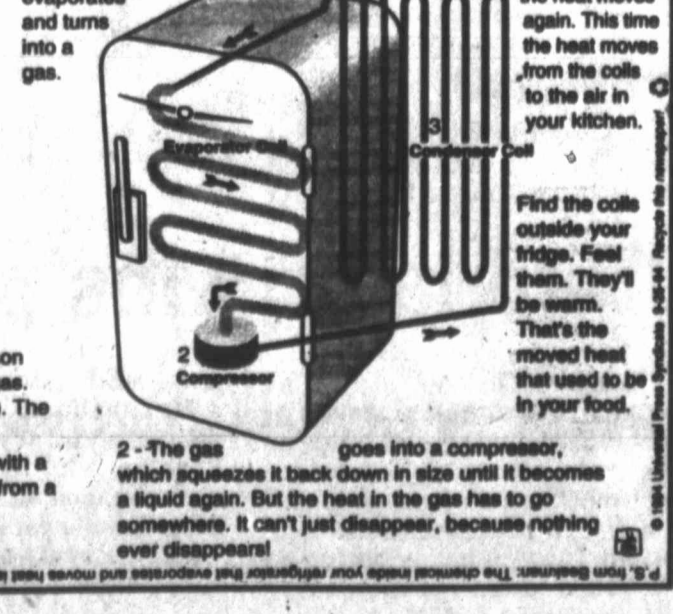
Inside your refrigerator is a loop of pipes filled with a chemical that can do the same thing - change from a liquid to a gas and move heat as it evaporates.

1 - The liquid chemical is inside these pipes. Heat moves from your food to the liquid, which evaporates and turns into a gas.

2 - The gas goes into a compressor, which squeezes it back down in size until it becomes a liquid again. But the heat in the gas has to go somewhere. It can't just disappear, because nothing ever disappears!

3 - The liquid goes to a coil outside the refrigerator, where the heat moves again. This time the heat moves from the coils to the air in your kitchen.

Find the coils outside your fridge. Feel them. They'll be warm. That's the moved heat that used to be in your food.



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The program enables participants to call an 800 number and speak to a nurse with Dallas Medical Resource.

Through this program, Tasha spoke with a nurse and was referred to a pediatric cardiologist at Children's Medical Center in Dallas.

The family was flown to Dallas for second opinion testing and eventually for the pulmonary banding, performed Oct. 16, 1993. Tasha praised the staff for their understanding of how difficult the situation was for her. Hardest of all was Austin's cheerful disposition as he was handed to a nurse to go into surgery.

"He turned around and smiled at me," recalled Tasha. "It killed me to watch him smile like that, knowing what he was going into."

Still more painful was seeing Austin with so many tubes coming out of him after the surgery. After some frightening setbacks including a collapsed lung, the family returned home.

Meanwhile, Jan Hansen, chairman of the local AHA Heart Walk and a TU Electric employee, was searching for a grand marshal for the AHA Heart Walk. Hansen is a fellow TU Electric employee, along with Jim, and Tasha had been asked to be Fina's representative at the Heart Walk.

Hansen asked if the Rinards would consider letting Austin be grand marshal of the event. "We told her we'd be honored," said Tasha. They credit the AHA for much of the research

and funding that developed Austin's life-saving surgeries and procedures.

This same research has also provided information the Rinards needed: the defects weren't caused by anything Tasha did or ate, nor are they inherited.

Austin has progressed better than doctors had hoped. Tasha and Jim were warned that as their son grew, he would eventually outgrow the banding and his color and energy level would fade. "His color's better than mine," said Tasha of her tan, blond youngster.

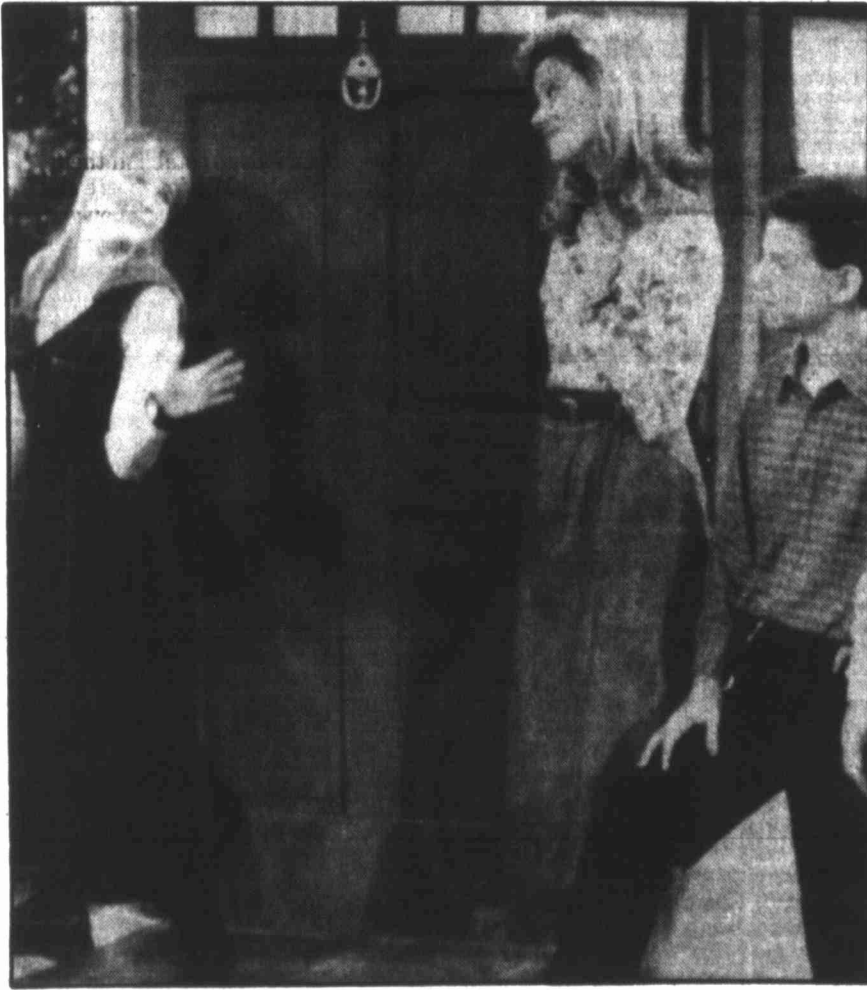
Visitors to the Rinard home see not a languishing heart patient but instead a little boy who loves to run around, laugh, screech and blow kisses. Other than surgical scars on his torso, the only outward sign of all his doctor visits is his love for his brightly colored toy stethoscope.

He will need another pulmonary banding as soon as he outgrows the old one. The new surgery was originally scheduled for November, but doctors will wait until he shows signs of lagging health. He will need further surgeries to "replumb" his heart when he is older, said Tasha.

Right now, Austin's life expectancy is 35 to 40 years, and he is not expected to ever be able to play sports or do much lifting. "But you never know," said Tasha.

"Most of the technology that's saved his life is only 10 years old at the most. Who knows what they'll discover in the next 40 years?"

'Clarissa' grows up and goes network



Melissa Joan Hart, left, appears as Clarissa Darling in Nickelodeon's kids' sitcom, "Clarissa Explains It All." Other characters in the scene are Elizabeth Hess as Clarissa's mother and Jason Zimber as Clarissa's brother.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — In the 1960s, there was Marlo. In the '70s, there was Mary. In the '80s, of course, there's Murphy. Just who is the next descendant of this illustrious line of spunky, intelligent network TV heroines?

Easy, says producer Mitchell Kriegman. She's Melissa Joan Hart as vivacious teenager Clarissa Darling, who's been hanging out on Nickelodeon since 1991.

At all of 18 years old, Hart is grown up and ready to go network, bidding to bring her character to a CBS mid-season replacement series this year.

Hart already has endeared herself to millions of kids as the title character in Kriegman's quirky "Clarissa Explains It All," a show that bridges the gap between Saturday morning cartoon devotees and "Beverly Hills 90210" addicts.

Clarissa breaks the fourth wall to give her own view on boys, parents, school and little brothers. She also indulges in various fantasies, helped along by cartoon special effects.

Will the show's offbeat originality survive into network prime time?

"That's been the issue in many ways is how to deal with that, and how much the network wants to do the original show that was designed to break a lot of rules about sit-

coms and revise the form," Kriegman said. "Do you create a show that continues those innovations or do you take it in a more traditional way? It may become a very different show."

HOROSCOPE

FOR FRIDAY, SEPT. 30, 1994
ARIES (March 21-April 19): You are playful and you have a good time. A misunderstanding can be easily cleared up. Don't let it go far. Be agreeable and positive, and you'll create opportunities. Let your ideas flow and you will surmount a problem. Tonight: Be happy-go-lucky. *****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Settle down and deal with what's important. Family matters are highlighted. You know what to say at the right moment. Be loving when dealing with someone you care about. Handle a domestic issue with kid gloves. Tonight: Entertain at home. ***

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are full of get up and go. Do not mince words. Be clear about what you want and go for it. Return all calls. An exciting proposition is coming your way. Tonight: Dance away. ****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): This is a sensitive day. You have to cover a lot of ground. A positive approach allows you to create what you want. Finances flow, and you need to think about what's important to you. Be more in tune with a loved one. Tonight: Dinner for two. *****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You are personality-plus. You handle a matter well and deal with a situation completely. Because you are positive about what's happening, success comes easily. Be upbeat and go after what you need. Communications are highlighted. Tonight: Just ask. *****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Kick back and gain perspective. Be willing to seek happiness. An opportunity to get ahead appeals to you. Listen carefully to a loved one. You feel good and are able to consider alternatives. You are intuitive about finances. Tonight: Be mysterious. ***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Go after what pleases you. A minor problem with a misunderstanding may upset you. Create changes through awareness of what you need. Creative energy is high, and you gain perspective. One-to-one relating appeals to you. Tonight: Hook

up with friends. *****
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Take the lead and feel good about a responsibility. A loved one gains a unique perspective. Consider your alternatives and what makes you happy. Your instincts are right on regarding a boss. Do not shy away from responsibility. Tonight: Out and about. ****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Dig into a problem. Find the solution; you have the instincts and the knowledge to come up with the answers. Success is yours. Make an important long-distance call. Tonight: Take off. *****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You get much closer to what's important than you have in a long time. Visualize. Touch base with another. Examine your alternatives with care. A discussion with a partner is critical to making the correct decision. Tonight: Be with the one you love. *****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Say yes. You are gaining new perspective about a loved one and see your relationship differently. Because you are so connected to what's happening, you prosper. Tune in to another's energy. Tonight: Use your imagination. *****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Focus on effectiveness and getting the job done. You might be overwhelmed by your choices. Creativity soars, especially if you use the foundations of a partnership well. You know what's important. Tonight: Exercise. ***

IF SEPT. 30 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: This year the spotlight will be on success, friendship and goals. Your personality will delight others. Your circle of friends will expand, bringing opportunities. Zero in on your goals.

If you are single, romance will come through friends, and a friendship could become more. If you are attached, work on the friendship between you and your partner. LEO is a real buddy.

THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

Blood donors good for many reasons

DEAR READERS: You may be one of the lucky ones who have never been rushed to a hospital following an accident that required a blood transfusion. However, there are countless people who were not that lucky.

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kids who manage to uncup a bottle of something poisonous.

A blood donor is good for people who have been badly burned. For new mothers who need transfusions. For new babies who need a complete change of blood supply. For people having open-heart surgery. For cancer patients. For people with severe hepatitis and anemia. For kids who fall out of trees or whatever. For anybody at any age with bleeding ulcers. For people who were in the wrong place at the wrong time.

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Claims may be presented in care of BESSIE L. NABORS for the Estate addressed as follows:
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All persons having claims against the Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
DATED this 25th day of July, 1994.
BESSIE L. NABORS, Independent
Executrix of the Estate of ALVIN EUGENE NABORS, Deceased
9044 September 29, 1994

PUBLIC NOTICE

NO. 11,830
ESTATE OF JEWEL FORREST TUBB, DECEASED IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JEWEL FORREST TUBB, Deceased, were issued on the 26th day of September, 1994, under Docket No. 11,830, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to HORACE E. TUBB. Claims may be presented in care of HORACE E. TUBB for the Estate addressed as follows:
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DATED this 26th day of September, 1994.
HORACE E. TUBB, Independent
Executor of the Estate of JEWEL FORREST TUBB, Deceased
9043 September 29, 1994

PUBLIC NOTICE

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPLICATION
BY MIDPAR, L.P.
FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 38(d) (3)
CALVIN (DEAN) FIELD
GLASSCOCK COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the applicant, Midpar, L.P., P.O. Box 3178, Midland, Texas, 79702, has made application for approval under the provisions of Railroad Commission Rule 38(d)(3), 16 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §3.38(d)(3). Applicant seeks approval pursuant to the provisions of Statewide Rule 38(d)(3), Division After Abandon or Utilization, for division of the Calvin Dean Unit into its separate tracts, with the rule of the Commission applicable to each separate tract in the Calvin (Dean) Field, Glasscock County, Texas.
PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 38(d)(3), this Division of a Jointed or Utilized tract may be granted without hearing if protest to the application is not received timely. Owners of mineral interests and the operators or lessees of tracts within the Calvin Dean Unit are entitled to request a hearing on this application.
IF A HEARING IS CALLED, the burden of proof is placed on the applicant. Protestants must be prepared to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application through cross-examination or presentation of a direct case subject to all applicable rules of evidence. A protestant should be prepared to establish standing to protest as an affected person, if challenged.
IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS regarding the application, please contact the Applicant's representative, George C. Neale, at (512) 477-1976. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6848.
IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN, AND MAIL OR DELIVER TO THE AUSTIN OFFICE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS A NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST. A COPY OF THE INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST ALSO BE MAILED OR DELIVERED ON THE SAME DATE TO APPLICANT AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ABOVE. THIS INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY OCTOBER 7, 1994. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED BY SAID DATE, THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED WITHOUT HEARING.
A LIST OF THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES of those persons receiving this Notice of Application is contained in the Commission's file on this proceeding and is available for inspection at the Railroad Commission's office in the William B. Travis State Office Building, 1701 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, 78701.
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Help Wanted 085

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Entry level position. General office skills required. Monday-Thursday, 8:00am-5:00pm. Minimum salary \$5.98/hr. Call 264-0532.

LOCAL FIRM has an opening for a professional person to work in accounting, marketing, customer service, and administration. Bachelor's degree in business and experience with a manufacturing firm preferred. Commensurate remuneration. Send resume to Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431/2025, Big Spring, TX 79720.

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Help Wanted: Energetic, dependable persons. Day or night shifts. Apply at 2403 S. Gregg. No phone calls please.

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NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS for LVN's, all shifts and PRN's. Must be able to take charge of 119 bed nursing home. Must be willing to make sure quality care is given to our residents. Apply at Comanche Trail Nursing Center, 3200 Parkway, Big Spring, Texas, 79720, or fax resume to 915-263-4067.

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ANTIQUES ETC. - QUITTING BUSINESS
Merchandise Moved To 117 Main St. - Big Spring, Texas
Saturday, October 1, 1994 - 10:00 a.m.
Preview Friday, September 30, 1994 - 1-6 p.m.

GLASSWARE: Over 100 Pcs. Fiesta, Over 100 Pcs. Fostaria, Dagenhart, Waterford, Balak, Rossville, Nippon, Gone with the Wind Lamp, Cobalt Vase & Wine Set, Cut Crystal & Pressed Glass, Currier & Ives. (1) Set Nariaka China, Norman Rockwell Plate, Crockware, Donald Duck/Walt Disney Cookie Jar.

FURNITURE: Westmoreland Blanket Box, Partner's Desk, Tarrant County Courthouse Desk, Prayer Bench, Ticket Masters Railroad Cabinet, Oak Bookcase with Glass Doors, Tree Trunk Based Glass Top Table, (2) Piano Stools with Round Ball Feet, (2) Oak Hat Racks, Curio Cabinets, Queen Anne Dining Room Suite, Fainting Couch, Marble Topped Work Stand, Golden Oak Dresser with Mirror, Oak Work Stand, Antique Glass Store Counter, Oak Library Table, Bombay Oak Chest, Drop Front Desk, Bookcase Desk, Sheraton Buffet, Mission Oak Couch, Glass Front Display Cabinets, Oak Hall Tree, Oak Bookcase with Lion's Head & Glass Doors, Trunks, (3) Parlor Tables, Oak Dining Table, Pedestal Base, Several Sets Dining Chairs, Upholstered Chairs, Several Dining Tables, Oak Amoire with Mirror Doors, Several Wardrobes, Carved Back Sofa & Chair.

MISCELLANEOUS: Wooden Telephone Booth, Wagner & Greswald Cast Iron, Mirrors, Old Classic Comic Books, Maxfield Parrish Prints in Original Frames, Old Sheet Music, Brassware, Crochet, Linens, Embroidery, Vintage Clothing, Primitives, Tools, Drug Store Malt Machine, Seth Thomas Clocks, Stained Glass, Vintage Jewelry.

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HAY GRAZER, rained on. Good cow feed. Round bales. Call Steve Fryer 264-7940.

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Apple Flavored Deer Corn, \$3.95/per 50lb. bag and 20% natural protein. Breeder Cubes, \$5.05/per 50lb. bag. 2404 N. Hwy 87 263-3382

Livestock For Sale 270

MARKET HOGS, ready to eat. Call 394-4778 or 394-4802.

MISCELLANEOUS

Antiques 290

DEPRESSION ERA GLASS SHOW & SALE OCTOBER 1-2. ODESSA ACTOR COLISEUM, BUILDING "A" OUTSTANDING DEALERS!

Auctions 325

SPRING CITY AUCTION-Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS-079-007759. Call 263-1831/263-0814. We do all types of auction!

SPRING CITY 2000 W. 4th 7:00pm Thursday, September 29th

Gem stones, costume jewelry, glassware, lamps, old, old '78 records, cookie jars, korosane lamps, treadle sewing machine, fireplace with stereo, TVs, 2 electric organs, toys, baby walkers, baby beds, metal wardrobe, and tables, rocker, dinette set, chests, roll top desk, school desks, school chairs, large chalk board, premix Pepsi dispenser, ice machine, stainless steel work table, washer, dryer, refrigerator, electric range, gas range, Deerborne heater, automatic garage door opener, lawnmower, Bar-B-Que pit, gas weed eater. Craftsman chain saw, Craftsman 10in. table saw, 2 ceramic kina, bicycles, scooter, exercise bikes.

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Garage Sale 380

AVON HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE Saturday- 1st, 10:00am-5:00pm and Monday- 3rd, 4:00pm-8:00pm. 614 Dallas. Will have drawings.

BACKYARD SALE: 3236 Drexel. Friday-Saturday, 8:00-11:00. Bicycles, tools, chairs, toys, Bar-B-Q grills, glasswares, water dispenser.

PHOTOGRAPHY LIGHTS, Books, Ford C-8 transmission, jewelry, toys, Nintendo, coats, 1416 Wood. Friday-Saturday, 263-2544.

2508 CAROL: Saturday Only! 9:00 to 5:00. No checks accepted.

2-FAMILY CARPORT SALE: 2109 Loop Road (off Birdwell Lane), 2 1/2 miles railroad tracks. A little bit of everything! Lots of clothes, what-nots, upperware. Friday-Saturday, 9:00-5:00.

BACKYARD SALE. Sofas, washing machine, vanity, microwave cart, stereo, boys 18 mo.-14, men's X-large shirts, 42-48, pantsuits, women's, Jr's clothes. Saturday more. 4118 Muir. Friday, Saturday, 8:00.

BACKYARD SALE, 2605 Larry, Saturday 8:00-11:00. Compound bows, guns, bike, microwave, exercise bike, rotoliter, miscellaneous items.

CARPORIT SALE, Saturday 8:00-2:00. 5906 Midway (3mi. east of FM 700). Waterbed, furniture, outdoor, miscellaneous.

FRIDAY ONLY: 8:00-1:00, 2508 Central. Couch, loveseat, tables, carousel collection, toys, children items, lamps, miscellaneous.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, 1216 E. 17th St. A lot of good clean stuff- cheap!

GARAGE SALE, 5200 Midway Road. Friday and Saturday, 3 family. Tools, toys and furniture.

Garage Sale 380

MILLER B.-SANDSPRINGS: Multi-family Furniture, tools, antiques, x-trs large dishes. New items daily! Tuesday-Friday, 8:30-5:30.

MOVING SALE. After 2:00pm Thursday. 2000 Runnels.

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SATURDAY-SUNDAY ONLY: South Service Road, Miller B.-Sand Springs. Doll collection, and lots miscellaneous.

YARD SALE, 4207 Hamilton. 8:00 to 6:00 Friday and Saturday. No early sales.

Found Pets 381

FOUND: CANCELED 4 Birdwell. Call 264-0101.

FOUND: Female Lab. Call to identify. 394-4788.

Furniture 390

CHECK OUR PRICES on new and used bedding. Huge selection on dinettes. Also used appliances. Brantam Furniture, 2004 W. 4th. 263-1468.

Hunting Leases 391

OZONA, TEXAS Excellent game managed ranch for lease. TROPHY DEER, TURKEY, HOGS, QUAIL, DOVE. Electric and water. 210-898-0180.

Lost & Found Misc. 393

FOUND: A pair of glasses in the 2500 Block of Ann St. To claim come by 710 Scurry or call 263-7331, Chelation Dept.

Lost- Pets 394

LOST IN KNOTT Male Chocolate Lab, answers to Fudge; Female 1/2-Pit, 1/2-Walker (Coon Dog), answers to Belle. 353-4287.

REWARD Lost or Stolen on Lawrence St. located in Indian Hills: Red Heeler, 2 years old with neon collar. If any information, or found, please call 263-2805.

Miscellaneous 395

2 NANNE GOATS and 1 Billy Kid. 1 6600 C3 Abu Garcia reel with clicker on phazer rod 6'8", striper rigs and lures. 398-5302 after 6:00pm.

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'68 GIBSON "Flying V" New finish, Schaller tuning keys. Otherwise original and in good condition. Call Shannon: 263-7331 days, after 8:00pm and on weekends 264-7929.

CONSOLE/SPINET piano for sale. Take on small payments. See locally. 1-800-343-8454.

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SPAS 431

SPA- 6 person, 8 jets, navy blue marble. Factory second. Regular \$5476, now only \$3295. Financing and delivery available. Call 563-1850, after 1:00pm call 550-5225.

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TELEPHONE JACKS installed for \$32.50 Business and Residential Sales and Service J-Deen Communications. 398-4384

Want To Buy 503

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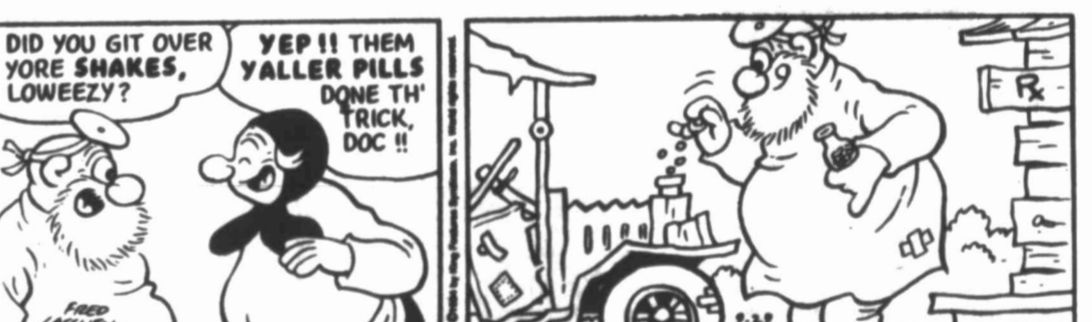
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Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.



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