

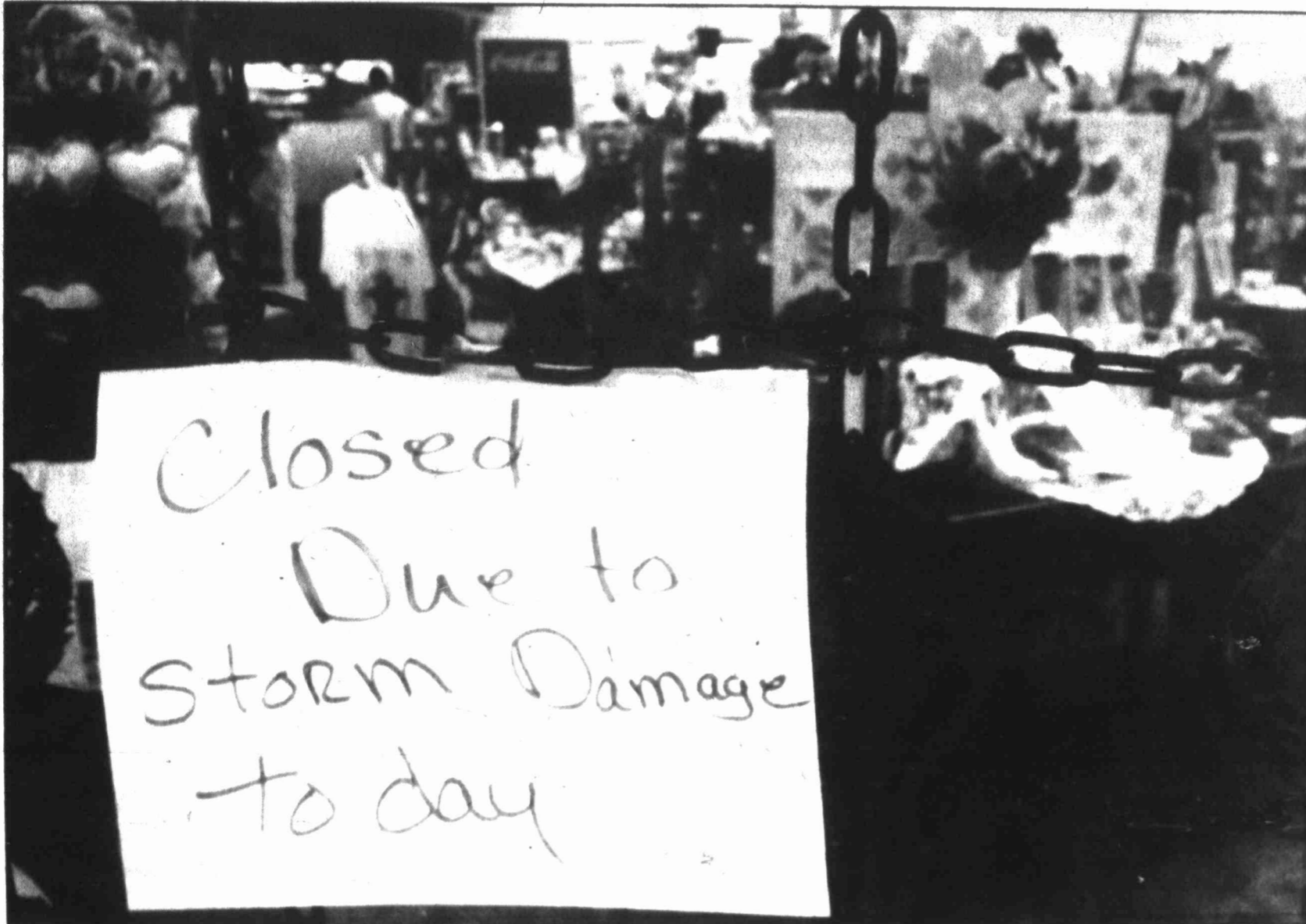
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## A HARD RAIN DID FALL (SO DID HAIL)



A sign outside Linens N Ladies in the Big Spring Mall explains to customers why the store, along with Suggs Hallmark, was closed Tuesday. Monday's storm punched 40 holes in the roof above the two businesses, causing three inches of water to pool in the store. No reopening date has been set. Rainfall recorded along Wasson Road for the two-day period amounted to 3.13 inches, .78 Tuesday night.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

## Change of venue decision expected by next week

By STEVE REAGAN  
Staff Writer

A decision is expected by next week on whether to move Levy Lee Edmundson's capital-murder trial away from Howard County.

Edmundson, 17, is being held without bond in the county jail in connection with the Dec. 31 slaying of Department of Public Safety trooper Troy Hogue.

More than six hours of testimony were heard in 118th District Court Tuesday on a change-of-venue motion filed by Edmundson's lawyer, Angel Nunez.

Nunez's main contention during Tuesday's hearing was that pretrial publicity from the Herald and other area media outlets has significantly tainted Edmundson's chances for a fair trial in the county.

During its portion of the hearing, the defense brought eight witnesses to the stand, including two lay preachers and Herald staff writers Carlton Johnson and Kellie Jones.

The most contentious of the early witnesses was Arnold Tonn, lay minister at Spring Tabernacle in Big Spring. For almost two hours, Nunez and

assistant state attorney general Shane Phillips took turns soliciting Tonn's opinion concerning media coverage of the Edmundson case.

Tonn said he doubted Edmundson could receive a fair trial in Howard County, based mostly on conversations he's had with people around Big Spring.

"In my opinion, I don't see how in the world a jury can be picked (in Howard County) without knowing all the circumstances of this trial," Tonn said. "It seems to me that it's a known fact ... that these people think (Edmundson's) guilty."

Under cross-examination by Phelps, however, Tonn stated that he did not believe media coverage of the case to be factual or inflammatory. Still, he clung to his belief that a fair trial for Edmundson couldn't be had in this county.

"You don't think that we can find 12 people in Howard County who can't ... put what they've heard about this case behind them, could follow their oaths, and be fair jurors?" Phelps asked.

"I'm not going to get into that

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## Moore Board approves grant writer position

By CARLTON JOHNSON  
Staff Writer

The Board of Directors of Moore Development For Big Spring Inc., met this morning and approved several items including the unanimous approval of a proposed grant writer position which will serve both the city and the county.

Moore Board Executive Director Carole Taylor presented the proposal, unanimously approved by the Big Spring City Council and the Howard County Commissioners' Court at their last meetings, to the board of directors.

Taylor began by telling board members the position would continue on as long as it is successful.

Because Taylor is trained in grant writing, she has agreed to supervise the person hired as the city/county grant writer.

Taylor was in attendance at City Council and County Commissioners meetings when the project was being discussed and said, "We do need a centralized grant writer for both entities. I have experience in private and public grant writing, but as executive director of the Moore Board I don't have the time to do anything other than supervise, train, and evaluate such a person."

Under this proposal, Moore Board funds would not be used, but the city and county would share expenses.

The proposal calls for a proposed salary of \$25,000 a year

and with training, literature, equipment, travel, and other benefits, the total cost to the city and county, which would be split equally, would be about \$40,000 a year.

Taylor said this type of position would require a lot of work and planning and the person in the position would need to have proposal writing abilities and accounting skills.

City and county officials feel that the person hired into this position would provide both governments with a trained source for seeking grant funds. Sources for grants are numerous and available for local governments. However, without a determined, concerted effort, these monies will never be available.

According to County Commissioner Sonny Choate, a centralized grant writer would also use the services of the Big Country Resource and Conservation District, the Community Grant Block Program, the Farm Home Administration, and the National Federal Register of Public Grants.

City Councilman Tom Guess was at this morning's meeting and helped explain the detail of the position.

In presenting the original proposal to the Council several weeks ago, Guess said, "We're losing approximately \$1 million a year because we're not applying for the grants that are out there."

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An employee leaves the Walter Rossler Company Tuesday in Corpus Christi. The business was the scene of a shooting Monday which left six people dead including the gunman.

Associated Press photo

## 'No, no, please don't ...'

Gunman spares pleading victim, infant during killing rampage

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Lisa Marie Rossler stood before her parents' killer, first pleading for her life and that of her infant son, then thanking him for sparing them.

"No. No! Please don't, please don't, please don't," cried Ms. Rossler into a 911 emergency tape released by police on Tuesday. She called police seconds after former employee James Simpson entered the family's refinery inspection business Monday and opened fire.

"Thank you, thank you," Ms. Rossler said after Simpson continued down a hallway. Ms. Rossler had fled into the office to hide from Simpson and call police.

"We have an employee that came in and shot three or four of our employees," Ms. Rossler told the dispatcher. "Oh God. ... He's shooting, he's shooting."

Simpson, 28, walked into the offices of Walter Rossler Co., about 4:30 p.m. and shot and killed five people before killing

himself, police said.

Among the dead were owner Walter Rossler and his wife Joann Rossler, both 62. Their daughter, Lisa Rossler, managed to escape unharmed with her baby, police said. At least one other man crawled out a back door.

Ms. Rossler told the 911 dispatcher that Simpson, a former employee whose name she could not remember at the time, came

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## Burt seeks second term on Forsan board

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

FORSAN — Debbie Burt is among three people vying for a position on the Forsan Independent School District board of trustees.

She has served on the board for three years and is currently vice president. Why is she running again?

"After serving on the board for three years, I've learned the language of the school system. I feel more confident that I can serve the children, faculty and parents of Forsan Independent School District."

"One of the key issues we are facing is school finance and trying to balance the budget. One

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DEBBIE BURT

**U.S. Trivia**

Which of the nation's largest brokerage companies pleaded guilty in 1985 to manipulating its checking accounts, paying \$2 million in fines and \$8 million to banks?

**E. F. Hutton**

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**WORLD/NATION**

**World:** They came by boat, truck and bus, some 200 heavily armed men intent on terrorizing and plundering this coastal Philippines' town. See page 5A.

**Nation:** A forest fire burned today across the pine woods of rain-starved southern New Jersey, threatening homes and forcing hundreds of evacuations. See page 4A.

**STATE**

**Standoff ends**  
A living man was being held on aggravated charges of kidnapping, assault and two counts of robbery after he held a drugstore employee for nearly 10 hours. See page 3A.

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**Officer shoots his boss**  
Two bills aimed at increasing the number of doctors practicing in rural areas of the state have won passage. See page 3A.

**TODAY'S WEATHER**

Tonight **70** ▲ Highs **42**  
                    ▼ Lows

**Mostly cloudy**  
Tonight, mostly cloudy, low mid 40s, light winds becoming southwest 5 to 10 mph.

**Permian Basin Forecast**  
**Thursday:** Mostly sunny, high mid 80s, southwest winds 5 to 10 mph; partly cloudy night, low mid 40s.  
**Friday:** Mostly sunny, high mid 80s, southwest winds 5 to 10 mph; partly cloudy night, low mid 40s.



OBITUARIES

Hester Badgett

Services for Hester Badgett, Greenwood, are pending with Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton.

Hudson Ellison

Memorial services for Hudson Marshall Ellison, 80, Quitman, will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, in the Northside Baptist Church, Mineola, with Rev. Fred Lang and Pastor James Wheat officiating.

Mr. Ellison died Monday, April 3, in a Tyler hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born on Oct. 22, 1914, in Celeste and married Nita Jean Hefflin on July 19, 1940, in Hobbs, N.M. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife: Nita Jean Ellison, Quitman; one son: Billy Ray Ellison, Kallu, Hawaii; two daughters: Betty Ellison, Houston, and Debra Schlee, Whitehouse; one sister: Nadine Duncan, Celeste; and three grandchildren.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Mae Rudd, 97, died Tuesday. Services will be 10:00 A.M., Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel, with burial at Energy, Texas.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

906 GREGG 267-6331

John D. Gaskins, 81, died Tuesday. Services will be 10:00 A.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

Pearl Eckert, 90, died Tuesday. Graveside services will be 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Miles Cemetery, Miles, Texas.

Charles D. Read, 86, died Tuesday. Graveside services will be 11:00 A.M. Thursday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Nellie (Mrs. Perry) Mathis, 80, died Tuesday. Services will be 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

Nellie Irene Langford, 68, died Tuesday. Memorial services will be 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Baptist Temple Church.

Bonnie Mason Walker, 50, died Tuesday. Graveside services will be 4:00 P.M. Thursday at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

We are now accepting massage therapy appointments. DORA PERCHES, RMT.

Dr. Bill T. Chrane, B.S.D.A. Chiropractic Health Center 263-3182

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his parents and one son, Gary Don Ellison in 1986.

Memorials may be made to the charity of choice.

John Gaskins

Services for John D. Gaskins, 81, Big Spring, will be 10 a.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Ralph Caffey, minister of Central Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Gaskins died Tuesday, April 4, in a local hospital.

He was born on June 30, 1913, in Knott and married Esther Grantham on Sept. 30, 1934, in Big Spring. He was a life long resident of Howard County.

Survivors include his wife: Esther Gaskins, Big Spring; a son: Johnny Gaskins, Alexander, La.; a daughter: Mary Beth Yeager, Big Spring; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, Darrell Gaskins in 1966.

The family suggests memorials to the donor's favorite charity.

Pearl Eckert



Graveside services for Pearl Eckert, 90, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Miles Cemetery, Miles, with Curtis Brewer, Minister of Music at First Baptist Church in Odessa, officiating.

Mrs. Eckert died Tuesday, April 4, in a local hospital.

She was born on Aug. 6, 1904, in Ft. Tervett and married Miles Eckert on Aug. 31, 1924, in Ballinger. He preceded her in death on April 1, 1971.

Survivors include her daughter: Nancy Marshall, Big Spring; three sisters: Louise Ritchey, Longbeach, Calif.; Mary Alice Pilgrim, Denton, and Muriel Havran, Colleyville; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by her parents, Charles H. Gunn and Julia B. Gunn.

The family suggests memorials to: West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene or San Angelo or to the Odessa College Scholarship Fund, 201 W. University, Odessa, Texas 79764.

Nellie Langford



Memorial services for Nellie Irene Langford, 68, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Baptist Temple Church with Rev. Ed Walker officiating.

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

Mrs. Langford died Tuesday, April 4, in a Lubbock hospital.

She was born on Oct. 5, 1926, in Baytown and married Joe F. Langford on Aug. 18, 1947, in Baytown. He preceded her in death on Aug. 2, 1991.

Mrs. Langford worked as a nurse in different hospitals in Texas for

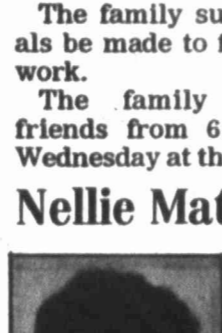
10 years. She also worked as a private nurse and did volunteer nursing. She was very involved with her family and her children's activities.

Survivors include four daughters: Janell Richardson, Alamogordo, N.M.; Loretta Benson, Clinton, Utah; Lorraine Berndt, Tucson, Ariz.; and Kay Hamilton, Fredericksburg; two sons: Andy Langford, Duncanville, and Scotty Langford, Big Spring; two sisters: Lou Moravits, Baytown, and Anna Scott, Houston; two brothers: Diel Dommert, Houston, and Jimmy Dommert, Ark.; her mother-in-law: Beulah (Mrs. Joe) Langford, Amarillo; 14 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to be made to foreign mission work.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Nellie Mathis



Services for Nellie (Mrs. Perry) Mathis, 80, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Royce Clay, minister of 14th & Main Church of Christ, officiating.

Mrs. Mathis died Tuesday, April 4, in a local hospital.

She was born on March 4, 1915, in Mitchell County and married Perry Mathis on April 20, 1937, in Madisonville. He preceded her in death on March 5, 1986.

Survivors include her daughter: Nancy Marshall, Big Spring; three sisters: Louise Ritchey, Longbeach, Calif.; Mary Alice Pilgrim, Denton, and Muriel Havran, Colleyville; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by her parents, Charles H. Gunn and Julia B. Gunn.

The family suggests memorials to the American Lupus Society.

Charles Read

Charles D. Read, 86, Big Spring, died on Tuesday, April 4, 1995, at his residence. Graveside services will be 11 a.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Flynn Long, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, and Dr. Walter C. Lee, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma, officiating.

He was born on Jan. 2, 1909, in Howard County, Texas, and married Ida Lee Landers on Dec. 10, 1929, in Big Spring, Texas. She preceded him in death on July 6, 1993.

A lifetime resident of Howard County, he was the son of pioneer ranchers, H. Noble and Bonnie Leatherwood Read and was the grandson of C.D. Read, who came to Howard County in the 1880's before the railroad.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Big Spring and a former member of the First Presbyterian Church of Coahoma. He had served as an officer in both churches. He had served as a director of the State National Bank of which his grandfather was one of the founders.

Survivors include his son and daughter-in-law: Bob and Marilyn Read, Big Spring; two sisters: Sue Read, Big Spring, and Jane Read Burnett, Fort Worth; two brothers: Roger M. Read, Las Vegas, N.M., and Hezlie N. Read, Coahoma; four grandchildren: Kim Read Roberts, Snyder, Jim Bob Read, Lubbock, Kerri Read Lane, Abilene, and Charla Lee Ann Read, Irving; and two great-grandchildren: Jordan Ranea Read and Robert Taylor Read, both of Lubbock.

He was also preceded in death by one son: William Landers Read on Nov. 12, 1989.

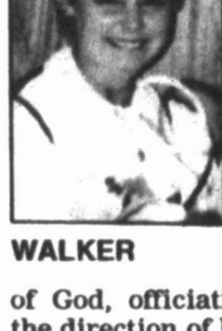
The family suggests memorials to the First Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 2222, Big Spring, Texas 79721-2222.

Funeral services will be 4 p.m. today, April 5, 1995, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Herb McPherson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating, and under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Sparks died Tuesday, April 4, at his home after a sudden illness.

He was born on July 21, 1930, in Fort Worth. He grew up in

Bonnie Walker



Graveside services for Bonnie Mason Walker, 50, Big Spring, will be 4 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995, at Mt. Olive Memorial Park with Rev. Jack Darnell, minister of Ira Church of God, officiating and under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Walker died Tuesday, April 4, in a Lubbock hospital.

She was born on Aug. 15, 1944, in Big Spring, and married Sam Walker on March 19, 1990, in Roswell, N.M. She was born and raised in Big Spring and attended Big Spring schools.

Survivors include her husband: Sam Walker, Big Spring; one son: Joe Fuewell, Big Spring; two daughters: Mistie Davidson, Houston, and Cheryl McHouston, Coahoma; her parents: J.D. and Bea Rowland, Big Spring; one brother: Joe Dan Rowland, Dallas; one sister: Kay Myers, Big Spring; and two grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Lupus Society.

Mae Rudd



Mae Rudd, 97, Big Spring, died Tuesday, April 4, 1995, at Stanton Care Center after a long illness.

Services will be 10 a.m. Friday, April 7, 1995, at Myers & Smith Chapel with her great-grandson, Rev. Craig Rhoton, pastor of Olden Baptist Church, officiating, and assisted by Rev. James Mantho, East Fourth Baptist Church, and her grandson, Bill Rudd. Burial will be in Energy Cemetery, Energy, under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

She was born on May 31, 1897, in Energy, Comanche County, Texas. She had lived most of her life in Comanche and Terath Counties. She married William (Bill) Rudd on Nov. 16, 1913, in Energy. Mrs. Rudd moved to Big Spring in 1981 and was a member of East Fourth Baptist Church. She was devoted to her

family and church. Mrs. Rudd taught Sunday School all of her life for as long as her health permitted.

Survivors include one son: Garland H. Rudd, Comanche; six grandchildren: Pat Rhoton, Garland J. Rudd, both of Big Spring, Bill Rudd, Crowley, Jackie Rudd, Brookings, S.D., Kenneth Rudd, San Antonio, and Mike Rudd, Wichita, Kan.; 17 great-grandchildren; and 21 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William S. "Bill" Rudd, and one son and daughter-in-law: Billy D. Rudd and Canna Mae Rudd.

Her grandsons and great-grandsons will be pallbearers.

Daniel Sparks

Private graveside services for Daniel Ray "Dan" Sparks, 61, Big Spring, will be 4 p.m. today, April 5, 1995, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Herb McPherson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating, and under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Sparks died Tuesday, April 4, at his home after a sudden illness.

He was born on July 21, 1930, in Fort Worth. He grew up in

Burt

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of the biggest accomplishments of the board recently has been coming up with a transfer policy that allows us to bring in kids to the district who want to attend Forsan," Burt said.

Burt's husband runs the Highland Animal Hospital and she helps out with bookkeeping and managing the office. They have three girls; two in elementary and one in junior high school.

Burt faces Cynthia Breyman, also an incumbent, and Mike Eggleston in the May 6 election. Early voting is scheduled for April 17 through May 2.

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday:

-DARRELL MILLER, 38, of 1404 Dixie was arrested for ASSAULT.

-BILLY JOE CHARLES, 33, no known address was arrested for PAROLE VIOLATION.

-ROBERT BRUCE PRATHER, 19, no known address was arrested on DPS WARRANTS.

-BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM in the 1300 block of Douglas.

-THEFT in the 2300 block of Wasson.

-THEFT in the 2000 block of Gregg.

-DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE in the 300 block of Tulane.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday:

-INEZ CHAVARRA, 63, of 120 Airbase Rd. #224 was arrested for NO DRIVERS LICENSE and released on a \$500 bond.

-TRACY LYNN CHRISTIAN, 30, of Rt. 1 Box 714 I was arrested for THEFT OVER \$20 UNDER \$500 and released on a \$1,500 bond.

-WESLEY RAY COLEMAN, 35, of HC 61 Box 460 A was arrested on Nov. 10, 1994 for FAILURE TO STOP AND RENDER ASSISTANCE. Plead

Big Spring and lived here until he joined the Army. He served in the U.S. Army from 1946 to 1952 and then served in the U.S. Air Force until retiring in 1966. He returned to Big Spring in 1979 from Vega, Texas.

He is survived by one brother: Monroe Casey, Big Spring; and five nieces and nephews.

Martha Kienzle

Graveside services for Martha Ringener Kienzle, 82, Big Spring, will be 4:30 p.m., Thursday, April 6, at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kienzle died Wednesday, April 5, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center after a sudden illness.

She was born Oct. 19, 1912, in Proctor, and married William L. Kienzle on March 24, 1941, in El Paso. She moved to Big Spring in 1970, from El Paso. She had first come to Howard County in 1933 but had lived most of her life in El Paso. Mrs. Kienzle was a homemaker.

Survivors include a sister: Dorothy Munn, Lindale; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband.

The family will be at 2304 Lynn.

ON THE RUN Big Spring PICK 3: 9, 5, 7

ed guilty in 118th District Court on April 3, 1995 and was sentenced to five years Deferred Adjudication and fined court costs plus \$5,000 restitution.

SPRINGBOARD TODAY -Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephens Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920.

SHERIFF The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday:

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### NEWS IN BRIEF

#### ACLU files suit against school district

GALVESTON (AP) — The Santa Fe school district is facing a federal lawsuit alleging that it has violated constitutional prohibitions by promoting Christianity.

The lawsuit was filed Tuesday by Galveston lawyer Anthony Griffin on behalf of two parents, a high school student and the American Civil Liberties Union.

It alleges that the district has violated the First Amendment since at least 1993 by allowing religious meetings on school grounds during school hours, promoting one religion and making fun of others and sanctioning Christian prayers at school, sporting events and high school graduations.

Named as defendants in the lawsuit are the district, its board of trustees, Superintendent Richard Ownby and future members of the school board. Ownby said Tuesday he had not been notified of the lawsuit.

#### Stern's comments draw Hispanic's ire

DALLAS (AP) — Hispanic leaders are expressing hurt and anger and threatening a station boycott after controversial radio personality Howard Stern joked about the death of Tejano music star Selena on his show.

Callers jammed the switchboards at KEGF-FM, the Dallas radio station that carries Stern's show, after a broadcast Monday in which Stern parodied weeping mourners and made disparaging comments about Mexico and Mexican-Americans.

Stern's broadcast poked fun at the singing star and portrayed her music as silly and shallow. On a tape of the broadcast, Stern and his sidekicks play excerpts of Selena's music with gunfire accompaniments in the background.

#### Trooper wounds fleeing motorist

SULPHUR SPRINGS (AP) — A state highway trooper shot a motorist twice Tuesday, critically wounding him as he tried to flee at high speed on Interstate 30 with the officer half in the vehicle, authorities said.

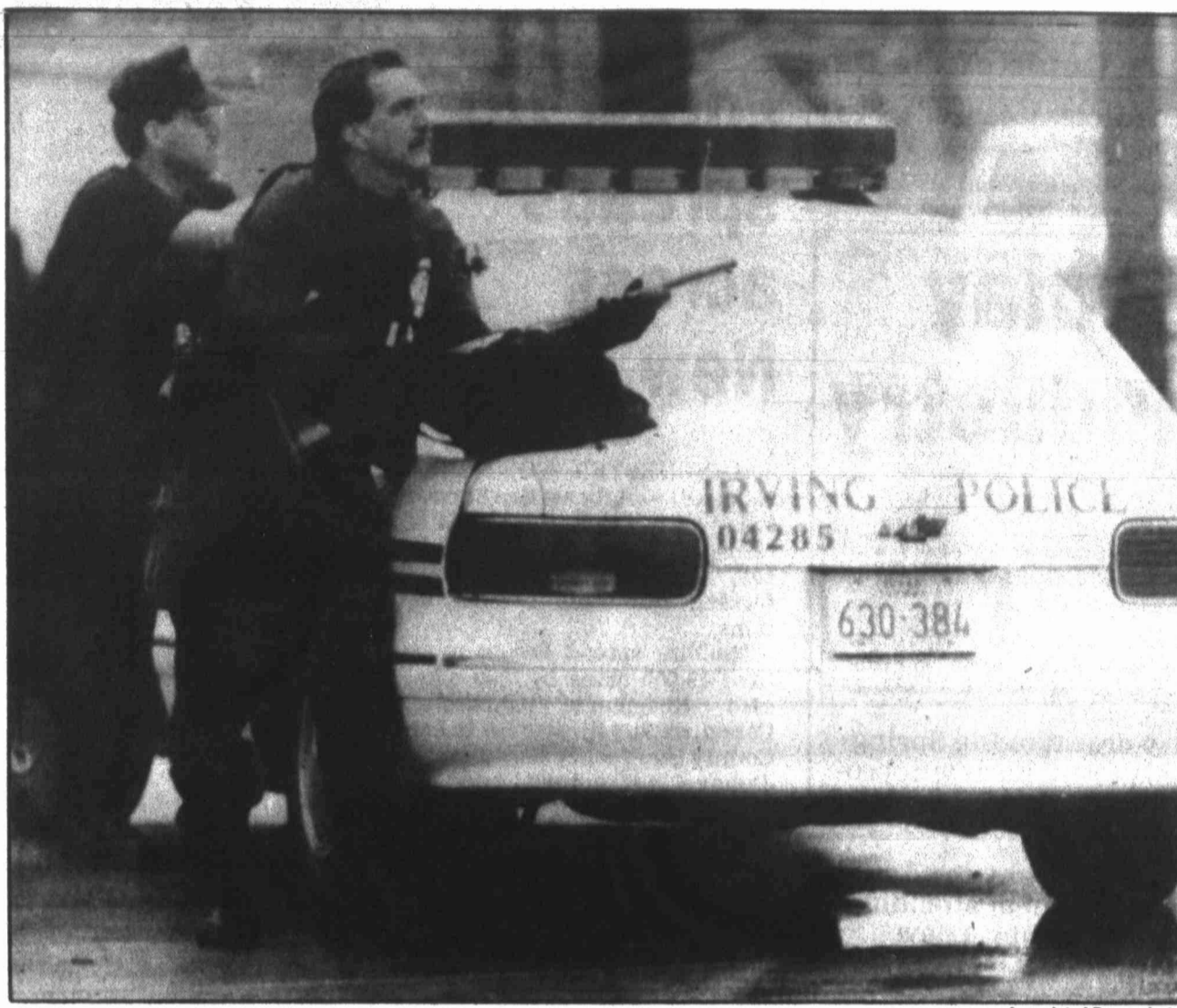
Department of Public Safety trooper Todd Brackhahn said the man and his female companion were out of the car in a traffic stop four miles east of Sulphur Springs. The trooper found drugs and told them they were under arrest for possession of marijuana.

But Brackhahn said the man jumped in his car and tried to drive off. Brackhahn opened the passenger side door and reached over in an attempt to grab the keys or the gear shift, but the driver fought off his attempt and floorboarded the vehicle, the trooper said.

Fearing for his life, the trooper finally fired two shots at the driver, hitting him twice in the side, DPS spokesman Mike Cox of Austin said.

The vehicle continued down the interstate, went out of control, spun 180 degrees and came to rest about 700 feet from the initial traffic stop.

The man ran from the vehicle and crossed the interstate to westbound traffic lanes.



Irving police officers stand ready at the rear of a drugstore where a man held a female employee hostage after police chased him into the store Monday. The standoff ended peacefully and Reginald Lippett was being held on aggravated charges of kidnapping, assault and two counts of robbery.

## Standoff ends peacefully

IRVING (AP) — A Irving man was being held Tuesday on aggravated charges of kidnapping, assault and two counts of robbery after he held a drugstore employee for nearly 10 hours.

Police identified Reginald Lippett, 27, as the gunman in Monday's hostage standoff at Eckerd Drug Store in Irving. Lippett surrendered peacefully early Tuesday.

Lt. Sid Fuller of the Irving Police Department declined to identify the hostage, a 22-year-old mother of three.

Lippett was being held in Irving city jail Tuesday on one charge each of aggravated kidnapping and assault, two counts of aggravated robbery and on two misdemeanor warrants

**W**his brother to talk to him. He assisted in talking him out.

**Capt. Wardell Cox**

from Dallas. Bond was set at a total of \$402,000.

Police credited the gunman's brother with helping to resolve the standoff.

"We allowed his brother to talk to him," Irving police Capt. Wardell Cox said. "He assisted in talking him out."

The situation began unfolding when employees of a nearby

beauty-supply store called police to report a suspicious person.

When officers arrived, Lippett ran into Eckerd, where he took the woman hostage, authorities said. Negotiators managed to persuade Lippett to let the woman go and surrender.

"He was scared someone was going to hurt him. Once he believed someone wasn't going to hurt him, he came out," said Sgt. Dicky Gilmette.

The woman was treated at Irving Healthcare System for shock and was released.

About 25 people were said to be in the store at the time the gunman entered, but eventually all were allowed to leave except for the hostage.

## Charges set to be filed in shooting of police chief

FARMERSVILLE (AP) — Texas Rangers said Tuesday they are preparing to file an attempted capital murder charge against a Farmersville officer who shot his police chief after an altercation at City Hall.

Chief Greg Gordon was in fair condition Tuesday at Methodist Hospital in Dallas after surgery to repair seven broken fingers suffered when he was shot in the hands by the shotgun-toting officer. He also suffered surface wounds on his face and upper right arm.

Rangers Sgt. Lee Young said the charges likely will be filed Wednesday against officer James R. "Cowboy" Theis with the Collin County district attorney's office.

Theis was arrested after the incident Monday. He was being held Tuesday on \$500,000 bond in Collin County Justice Center in McKinney.

City Manager Randall Holly said Chief Gordon had summoned Theis to the police station to discuss disciplinary action against him Monday afternoon.

An argument erupted between Gordon, 43, and Theis, 54, and Theis fired one shot at Gordon, but missed him, according to City Councilman Bill Mitchell.

Mitchell said Gordon ran next door to City Hall while Theis went to his patrol car to get a shotgun.

Theis then chased the chief into City Hall and chased him down a hallway, firing blasts from the shotgun into the ceiling, walls and a door, Young said. The chief returned fire with a handgun, but missed.

Gordon managed to get into the city manager's office, but was wounded in the hands by a shotgun blast. Theis was subdued and arrested.

## Bill proposed to increase numbers of rural doctors

AUSTIN (AP) — Two bills aimed at increasing the number of doctors practicing in rural areas of the state have won passage in the Texas Senate.

The bills were sent Tuesday to the House on unanimous votes.

They were sponsored by Sen. David Sibley, R-Waco, who said, "The programs created by this legislation increase the number of primary care physicians and get them out to rural communities where they're needed."

One bill would offer incentives to encourage doctors to settle in rural and medically underserved communities.

Twenty-five Texas counties have no primary care physician, and 229 of the state's 254

counties have been designated by the federal government as underserved.

Sibley's bill would create a program through which the state would match, up to \$25,000 a year, a medically underserved community's grant to recruit a doctor. Up to \$250,000 in matching grants could be awarded annually.

His second bill would add 150 primary care community-based residency positions over the next five years.

The measure also would create a statewide program in which an estimated 800 medical students a year could spend four weeks with a community-based physician for clinical training.

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Quote of the Day

"Only a free and unrestrained press can effectively expose deception in government."

Hugo L. Black, Supreme Court Justice, 1971

# Join Moore Board Friday in welcoming new industry

Everyone is concerned about industrial development, drawing new jobs to Big Spring. That was the main reason behind the formation of Moore Development for Big Spring Inc. The board works on industrial development, trying to entice new industry to our town. Friday, the board will be making an announcement of a new industry that will be making its home in Big Spring. The meeting will be at 10 a.m. at the Dora Roberts Civic Center. The public is invited and encouraged to attend the meeting to see the fruits

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Charles C. Williams DD Turner  
Publisher Managing Editor

of Moore Board's work. Every industry drawn to Big Spring is a boost for this town. Each will provide jobs and more money for the local economy.

Enticing a business to any town is never easy. Make a point of attending the meeting and welcoming a new industry to town.



# Feeling the Demo's angst

By TOM RAUM  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — When House Speaker Newt Gingrich speaks to the nation Friday night, President Clinton will be clear across the country, headed for a Democratic fund-raiser in Sacramento, Calif. Presidential spokesman Mike McCurry wondered mischievously if guests might contribute more if a large-screen TV were set up so they could watch Gingrich. And Democratic consultant Paul Begala said Democrats considered two ways of countering Gingrich's unprecedented 30-minute, prime-time television address: offering a 30-minute Democratic response "or letting the speaker speak for a whole hour." Behind the jokes, behind the bravado, top Democrats privately are expressing discomfort over once again being put on the defensive and being out-manuevered by the crafty Georgia Republican. It's probably a good time for Clinton to be out of town. He could hardly be expected to stick around to deliver the "Democratic response." Gingrich will be a tough act to follow, having grabbed what usually is considered a presidential prerogative — free television time for an evening address. In fact, even presidents don't always get such coverage when they request it, especially when networks sense that the content is to be mostly political.

## WASHINGTON TODAY

Both CBS and CNN plan to carry Gingrich's address live. NBC says it will cover it, but not live, although the network suggests part of the speech may be aired later Friday on "Date-line NBC." ABC had not announced its plans Tuesday. The decision by some networks to carry Gingrich live has been the source of much grousing among White House aides and top Democrats. Even Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, the usual senior GOP legislative spokesman, is being upstaged. "Not only is Gingrich the chief explainer, but he's become the chief person taking credit," said Steven Wayne, a political scientist at Georgetown University. But Republican pollster Frank Luntz, an adviser to Gingrich and other House GOP candidates in last fall's elections, said any angst felt at the White House, or in Dole's office, is just too bad. "It is the speaker who is coming up with the new ideas and a new vision of government, not the White House," Luntz said. "Gingrich is a new phenomenon in modern history," said Erwin Hargrove, a political scientist at Vanderbilt University and a specialist on the presidency. "The '94 election was the first time a party ever ran an off-year election as a national campaign. He is following through on the logic of

that." But Hargrove said Gingrich's speech "also reflects his desire for a central role" and that could backfire on him if the public perceives the address to be self-serving. "His standing with the public according to the polls is not very high anyway." Democrats are all too mindful that polls show Gingrich has high negatives — and they've crafted their counterattack to try to take advantage of it, seeking to portray him as mean-spirited and egotistical. "The more the American people see Speaker Gingrich, the less they like him," said Begala. "How do I get him on the air more?" Still, the White House is not underestimating the fact that Gingrich, not Clinton, is the one who will have a national TV audience Friday night. Democrats have sought to counter the House Republican celebration of completion of the "Contract With America" with a heavy media campaign of their own that has included harsh attacks from Vice President Al Gore. In speeches and appearances on TV news and interview shows, Gore has sought to portray the GOP contract as a collection of harmful budget cuts — including popular items such as the school lunch and college loan programs — to pay for tax breaks for the rich. Tom Raum covers the White House for The Associated Press.

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# Forest fire spreads across New Jersey

MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP, N.J. (AP) — A forest fire burned today across the pine woods of rain-starved southern New Jersey, threatening homes and forcing hundreds of evacuations. The fire spread across more than 19,000 acres by 7:30 a.m., said Rosemarie Chisholm-Cohen, deputy director of Ocean County Emergency Services. No damage to homes and no injuries were reported. The blaze began shortly after noon Tuesday in the state-owned Greenwood Forest Fish and Wildlife Management Area. It was aided by wind of more than 50 mph as it swept over areas that have received about two inches less precipitation than normal this year. The wind calmed to about 10-15 mph this morning, and the fire was declared under control by 4 a.m. It erupted again and was burning along Route 532 this morning, Chisholm-Cohen said. "We hope to declare containment sometime this afternoon," she said.

## NATION



Fire trucks and police cars line the road as smoke and flames from a forest fire cover the sky in Lacey Township, N.J., Tuesday. The fire, which started Tuesday in the southern New Jersey pinelands, has burned at least 19,000 acres.

A 10-mile stretch of the Garden State Parkway was closed for several hours Tuesday night so firefighters could set "back fires" to slow or stop the fire by burning the fuel in front of it. Forest fires also burned today over more than 1,100 acres in central and western Virginia.

# Duran convicted of attempted assassination

WASHINGTON (AP) — Francisco Martin Duran, a Colorado upholsterer who raked the White House with semiautomatic rifle fire last fall, was convicted Tuesday of attempting to assassinate President Clinton. In returning the guilty verdict, a federal court jury rejected Duran's insanity defense. He had claimed he was shooting at an evil "mist" hovering over the White House, but psychiatric experts disagreed about whether he was deranged. Duran, 26, of Colorado Springs, Colo., faces a maximum sentence of life in prison on the attempted assassination

conviction. U.S. District Judge Charles Richey set sentencing for June 29. During the two-week trial, defense attorneys had argued that insanity drove Duran to pull the rifle from under his trench coat and open fire on the White House on Oct. 29, 1994, as dozens of tourists stood nearby. No one was injured. The Secret Service said Clinton was inside the White House's family quarters at the time, watching a Saturday afternoon football game, and was never in danger. Duran was subdued by two bystanders. After deliberating nearly five

hours, jurors rejected the testimony of two psychiatrists and a psychologist who characterized Duran as a paranoid schizophrenic who didn't realize his actions were wrong. "Clearly Mr. Duran knew what he was doing was wrong," Assistant U.S. Attorney Brenda J. Johnson told reporters after the verdict was announced. "He wrote things down. He planned this out. He wasn't crazy. It was deliberate and premeditated." In addition to attempted assassination, Duran was convicted of nine other charges.

# Gopher trapping sets off explosion at school

CERES, Calif. (AP) — Three janitors trying to freeze a gopher to death caused an explosion that injured 19 people, most of them students, at an elementary school, officials said. The Fowler Elementary School janitors were blown out of a utility room Monday when one of them tried to light a cigarette after spraying the rodent with a freezing solvent

used to clean gum and wax off floors. Two janitors remained hospitalized Tuesday in stable condition. Sixteen pupils near the explosion had been treated for minor injuries. The gopher survived and was later released in a field. Jeff Davis said he and the other janitors were trying to

ethanize the animal, which a student had found on school grounds and brought to them. The men were inside a small, poorly ventilated utility room with the doors closed when they sprayed several cans of the gum remover on the gopher, said police Sgt. Hollie Hall. Then one of them tried to light a cigarette, causing the explosion.

# Showdown vote planned to stop Demo's delaying tactics on tax cut bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole hopes Democrats will stop delaying a \$15 billion spending-cut package, but just in case he has set a Thursday showdown vote to force a halt to the stalling tactics. The Senate cast no votes Tuesday on the Republican effort to cancel already-approved spending for summer youth jobs, public broadcasting and scores of other programs. But behind the scenes, the Clinton administration and members of the two parties tried maneuvering through a bill that presents each side with political risks. "It's a two-way street up here," Dole, R-Kan., said as he described just one of many struggles surrounding the legislation: aid to Jordan. To make the bill more appealing to President Clinton to sign, Dole is trying to insert \$275 million in debt forgiveness the administration wants to grant the Middle Eastern kingdom following its peace treaty with Israel. Democrats, led by Sen. Christopher Dodd of Connecticut, are trying to keep the aid in a separate measure. Democrats also have been trying to force a vote on an amendment that would restore \$1.3 billion of the GOP cuts in educa-

tion and children's programs. Republicans might agree to restore some of their reductions in exchange for a pledge by Clinton to sign the bill. But short of an agreement between Democrats and Republicans for a quick vote, the Senate would vote Thursday on ending the delays, a move one Republican said the GOP would win. Under Senate procedures, that vote would have the added benefit of automatically eliminating many amendments to the bill. That would include one by Sen. Alfonse D'Amato, R-N.Y., that effectively blocks the rest of Clinton's planned \$20 billion rescue of Mexico's ailing peso. Some supporters of the president's effort would be uncomfortable voting to protect it because of the widespread unpopularity of foreign aid. The Senate bill is a more modest version of a \$17 billion package of cuts the House approved on March 16. The White House has threatened to veto the House measure, and has repeatedly said the Senate bill also contains cuts in social programs that would hurt the poor and slow economic growth. But Clinton and Democrats must contend with the popular view that the government must pare its spending.

## Conviction based on recovered memories overturned

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A judge has overturned the murder conviction of a man whose daughter testified that she suddenly remembered, 20 years later, that he had killed her childhood playmate with a rock. George Franklin Sr. was convicted in January 1990 of killing 8-year-old Susan Nason in 1969. He was sentenced to life in prison. The murder had been unsolved for two decades when Franklin's daughter, Eileen Franklin-Lipsker, said she was looking at her own 7-year-old daughter in January 1989 and suddenly remembered seeing her father raising a rock above Susan's head. Franklin-Lipsker was the main witness against her father. In his ruling Tuesday, U.S. District Judge D. Lowell Jensen said Franklin's lawyers should have been allowed to introduce newspaper coverage of the murder as a possible source of his daughter's knowledge of the events. Franklin-Lipsker denied being aware of any news coverage. "It is likely that this error had a critical effect on the jury inasmuch as it served to make the testimony of the key prosecution witness seem irrefutable," Jensen said.

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# War comes back to life in Bosnia

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Heavy fighting broke out along a broad battlefront in northeast Bosnia as balmy spring weather ended a week's lull caused by heavy snow.

Reports from the warring sides and from U.N. military observers said fighting Tuesday in the Majevica mountains near the city of Tuzla reached its most intense level since the Muslim-led government launched an offensive March 20.

Government radio said Bosnian Serb rebels fired more than 2,000 mortar and artillery rounds at government positions. Fierce fighting was reported around a Serb-held communications tower that government troops almost captured last month.

The Serb news agency SRNA said Serb forces held their lines against "high intensity" attacks on the tower and inflicted heavy casualties on government forces.

U.N. observers, whose movements in the area are restricted, said there were no signs of major changes in the front lines following last week's government advances.

The three-year war has left more than 200,000 people dead or missing. It broke out after members of the Bosnian Serb minority rebelled against a vote by Muslims and Bosnian Croats to secede from Serb-dominated Yugoslavia.

Maj. Herve Gourmelon, a peacekeeper spokesman, reported heavy fighting Tuesday around Mount Vlasic in central Bosnia.

Government gains on each front two weeks ago prompted threats of Serb counterattacks and provoked Serb shelling of several towns.

The government says it won't halt its offensives until the Serbs accept an international peace plan that would reduce their share of Bosnia from the 70 percent they control to 49 percent.

In Sarajevo, U.N. officials failed in attempts to see two Swiss on a UNESCO-sponsored cultural project. The Swiss were seized Monday by Serbs at a checkpoint while they were en route to Sarajevo airport.



Residents sift through the debris of buildings set ablaze by Muslim separatists Wednesday. The separatists attacked the town of Ipil in Zamboanga del Sur province, 480 miles south of Manila, Philippines, reportedly killing 46 and wounding 47 civilians. The separatists also plundered banks and stores, burning buildings before fleeing to a nearby forest.

# Muslim bandits terrorize town

## ■ Town looted, burned; 46 believed killed

IPIIL, Philippines (AP) — They came by boat, truck and bus, some 200 heavily armed men intent on terrorizing and plundering this coastal town.

Believed to be bandits from a Muslim rebel faction, they robbed local banks, ransacked at least one department store and set buildings on fire to divert police. They fired at civilians indiscriminately, witnesses said.

At least 46 people died and 47 were wounded Tuesday before the gunmen fled into the forest or by sea, taking nine hostages with them according to one witness. Initial reports put the death toll at about 100.

The government said the gunmen who attacked the town of Ipil were members of Abu Sayyaf, a Muslim group fighting for a religious state in the southern Philippines. The group has been linked to plots to kill Pope John Paul II and to blow up American airliners

over the Pacific, and reportedly has ties to the accused mastermind of the World Trade Center bombing.

President Fidel Ramos declared a state of emergency in Ipil, a town of 50,000 people on the island of Mindanao about 480 miles south of Manila. All troops stationed on Mindanao were put on alert, and today, Ramos said he ordered the military "to shoot to kill" any suspected gang members.

Soldiers and police scoured mountains and coastal areas for the fleeing raiders, and the government and private groups rushed food and blood supplies to the devastated town today.

Authorities and relatives of the missing sifted through the ruins, looking for bodies.

Placido Avanzado, 60, had left his house Tuesday to get a haircut in the town center. His wife found his charred remains early today in the smoldering rubble of the barber shop.

"This is my husband, Lolla Avanzado said. A bullet rolled out of her husband's right armpit as she showed reporters where he was shot. Lying nearby were two other bodies that looked like burned logs.

The gunmen waited for a signal to launch the raid, attacking

four of the town's seven banks simultaneously at midday, according to radio reports and the military.

They also ransacked at least one department store and set many dozens of buildings on fire. Radio reports said thick smoke filled the town, and one witness who arrived in Zamboanga by bus called Ipil "a burning inferno."

Regional police chief Orville Gabuna said the raiders, many wearing military uniforms and red headbands, broke into three groups — two fleeing toward a forest and the third boarding motorized outriggers at Ipil.

The attackers took nine people hostage as they fled, including a village chief, said Ipil telephone company manager Ramon Villanueva. He was interviewed by a Zamboanga radio station.

Miguel Mondido, 39, who was shot in the arm, said he saw a truck full of men heading for the center of town.

"When the truck reached the commercial district, the armed men immediately jumped out of the truck and I just heard shooting," Mondido said. "I just jumped out of the window. I don't know who fired at our bus."

# IRA members arrested with weapons cache

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — Four men, including the reputed commander of the Irish National Liberation Army, were arrested on their way to Northern Ireland today carrying a cache of weapons.

The INLA, a Marxist offshoot of the Irish Republican Army, is the only party in the Northern Ireland conflict that refused to call a cease-fire last year. Like the much larger IRA, it is outlawed in the Irish Republic and British-ruled Northern Ireland.

Police firing stun grenades stopped the men's car and van near the town of Balbriggan, 20 miles north of Dublin on the main road to Belfast.

Officers searching the vehicles found six assault rifles, at least 20 handguns and about 2,000 rounds of ammunition, police said. Most of the weapons were concealed in a compartment in the floor of the van.

A detective said among those being questioned in a Dublin police station was the man believed to be the INLA chief, but he could not be named in advance of formal charges.

The INLA shot dead six Protestants in Belfast last year but had kept a low profile since the much larger Irish Republican Army began a cease-fire last September. Founded 21 years ago by gunmen opposed to another IRA truce, the INLA is believed to have fewer than 50 members.

The IRA halted its 24-year campaign against British rule so that its allied Sinn Fein party could join negotiations on Northern Ireland's future.

Pro-British paramilitary groups from Protestant areas in Northern Ireland declared their own cease-fires in October and are involved in similar negotiations with Britain.

Authorities fear the INLA may have planned attacks around Easter in a bid to undermine the IRA's position. Easter marks the anniversary of an abortive rebel rising against British rule in Dublin in 1916.

The INLA's first high-profile killing was the assassination of Airey Neave, a close adviser to Margaret Thatcher, in London in 1979. The group also committed some of Northern Ireland's worst atrocities, among them the bombing of a disco in 1982 in which 11 off-duty soldiers and six Protestant women died.

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### Shooting

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in and started shooting.  
"He shot my father," she said, crying. "I know he shot one of the secretaries point blank."  
At times during the call, Ms. Rossler's baby could be heard screaming.  
"All I know is when he (Simpson) came into the office ... he saw me on the phone," Ms. Rossler is recorded saying. "He saw me hold my child and he just shook his head like, 'I'm not going to mess with you,' and he turned around and walked out ..."

After killing the elder Rosslers and three others, Simpson exited through the back door of the office building and shot himself, police said.

Paramedic Scott Moreland said he saw the victims of the shooting spree as he walked through the building.

Outside, emergency service workers found Simpson, who had shot himself in the temple. Moreland joined others in attempting to revive Simpson, then realized that instead of working on the victims, he was treating the suspect.

"It's kind of difficult. At first, you don't think about it," he told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times for today's editions. "You're just trying to save him. But you realize that the person you're working on is the person who did all that."

"He was breathing when we got there, so we had to work on him. Then they picked him up and took him to the hospital."

Simpson died at Memorial Medical Center.

The other victims were identified as Derek Harrison, 35, a salesman; Wendy P. Gilmore, 41, a secretary; and Richard Tomlinson, 34, a top executive of the company.

While the shooting erupted in the front offices, some employees turned out lights and ran

outside to escape. Others sought safety anywhere they could.

Inspector trainee Ramiro Martinez, 23, and secretary Terry Carroll, 42, hid in a bathroom. Although Simpson saw them, Martinez told a friend, he did not open the door or attempt to harm them.

Martinez said he told Ms. Carroll aloud that he didn't know what to do because he had never been in this type of situation.

"You're in one now," Simpson shouted through the door, adding an obscenity as he

moved down the hall.

A funeral for the Rosslers was scheduled today; they will be buried in the same cemetery as Tejano superstar Selena, whose own funeral concluded just hours before the Rossler tragedy began. Tomlinson's funeral was set for Thursday. Plans for the others' funerals were pending or unavailable.

The seven deaths in a four-day period sets a record in Corpus Christi. Last year, 15 people were murdered in the beach-front city.

### Moore

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"If we have someone working in this area constantly, we can get some of those grants."

Taylor will act as an unpaid consultant and will have responsibility and supervisory authority over the employee and the budget.

The grant writer will be part of the personnel responsibility of Moore Board and paid by Moore Board through the grant project account established by the city and county and will

have the same benefits as other staff members of Moore Development.

Taylor told board members the city and county will transfer necessary funds to pay for the program which will be placed in a separate account from the Moore Development budget. Funding will begin with start up funds of \$10,000 from each entity and \$5,000 per quarter for the next two quarters from each entity.

In the following years, each entity will distribute \$5,000

quarterly to the project to be paid on the first day of each quarter.

Currently there is no set timetable for the position to begin, but it is being advertised and Taylor said she is ready to proceed with hiring the grant writer.

Board member Charles Dunnam said, "I think this is a great opportunity because we can capitalize on some of the grants we've been missing out on for no telling how long. It's also an opportunity for us to work closer with the city and the county."

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# SPORTS

Big Spring Herald  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 1995

## SCOREBOARD

HOWARD COLLEGE BASEBALL	Big Spring Baseball/Softball	WEEKEND SPORTS
Today vs. Ranger JC, PPD, rain. Thursday at Ranger JC (DH), 1 p.m.	Baseball (Friday) Pecos at STEERS, 5 p.m. Softball (Thursday) Westbrook at LADY STEERS, 5 p.m.	Thursday-Saturday Howard College Rodeo, 7 p.m., Rodeo Bowl Saturday BSHS Relays (Blankenship Field), 9 a.m.

Got an item?  
Do you have an interesting story idea?  
Call Dave Hargrave, 263-7331, Ext 116.

## SPORTS IN BRIEF

**Weather postpones local games**

Big Spring High School's baseball game at Andrews Tuesday was postponed because of rain. Coahoma, scheduled to host Midland Christian, also was rained out.

Coahoma's baseball game will be made up Tuesday in a 5 p.m. doubleheader at Angels Stadium.

Big Spring will play Andrews Saturday, 2 p.m., at Andrews.

Coahoma and Big Spring also were rained out in softball action.

Big Spring will make up its doubleheader with Westbrook Thursday, 5 p.m., at Roy Anderson Softball Complex.

Coahoma will make up its game against Hermleigh Saturday at 6 p.m.

**Big Spring JV hammers Sweetwater**

Big Spring High School's junior varsity baseball team beat Sweetwater 13-5 Monday.

Matt Vizcaino (1-3) was the winning pitcher, striking out eight, and Blake Hull earned a save.

Clint Caudill went 2 for 4 with two doubles and four RBIs. Blake Weaver was 2 for 3 with two RBIs, and Blake Wright was 2 for 4 with a triple and an RBI.

The JV Steers are 2-6. They host the Big Spring JV Tournament this week at Steer Park - Big Spring White plays Thursday, 9 a.m., against Midland High, while Big Spring Black plays Thursday at 1:30 p.m. against Monahans.

The championship game of the tournament is Saturday at 4 p.m.

### Snakefest tourney begins Friday

The Snakefest Slow-pitch Softball tournament will be held Friday-Sunday at Cotton Mize Field in Comanche Trail Park.

There will be a three-game guarantee for all teams, and trophies will be presented to the top six finishers.

Deadline to submit the \$110 entry fee is Thursday. For more information, contact Chuck Martin at 264-9236.

### Softball league nears its start

The deadline for joining the Big Spring Industrial Softball League is Monday.

All teams must show up for a meeting at 7 p.m. at the Fun-N-Food on 11th Place. Entry fee is \$200 with a \$10 fee for each player on the roster.

For more information, call Chuck Martin at 264-9236.

### Do you want to umpire softball games?

Anyone interested in umpiring United Girls Softball Association games needs to attend a meeting Thursday, 6:30 p.m., at the Roy Anderson Softball Complex.

For more information, call Chuck Martin at 264-9236.

## BRUINS MAKE THE ROUNDS



Members of the UCLA men's basketball team join Jay Leno on NBC's 'Tonight Show' Tuesday in Los Angeles. UCLA defeated Arkansas 89-78 Monday to win the NCAA Championship. UCLA has won 11 NCAA hoops titles, more than any team in history.

## Time for Big Spring tennis to assert its 4-4A dominance

**By STEVE REAGAN**  
Sportswriter

And now for something totally expected: The Big Spring High School Tennis team is expected to dominate this weekend's District 4-4A Spring Meet.



Big Spring, which has become the Goliath of the district in recent years, has another strong team heading for this weekend's matches at Midland College. BSHS coach Ralph Davis will have three of the district's top four seeds at the matches.

Top seeds for Big Spring are freshman Hsiao-Hsuan Li in boys' singles, Colby Wegman and Kaegan Welch in boys' doubles and Maria and Monica Villarreal in girls' doubles. Heidi McIntyre is seeded second in girls' singles.

Davis, along with most observers, is not surprised with the high seedings. After all, he admits, Big Spring is aiming high this year.

"We're looking at (the district meet) as our homework," Davis said. "We're going to study real hard and take our exams at regionals."

The team's biggest concern during the spring season was cementing the girls' doubles tandem. The Villarreal sisters have not played much together, and it was only recently that the team began operating smoothly, Davis said.

"We're right on course for where we need to be," Davis said. "(The Villarreal) have matured as a team, and a lot of it came together at the San Antonio tournament during spring break. I think they came of age there... and since then, they've played very well."

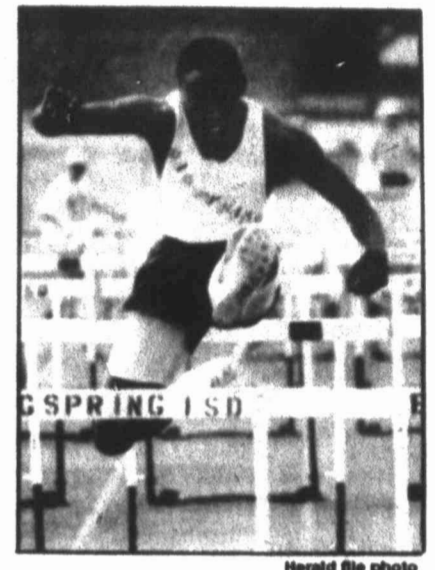
Also beneficial for the team as a whole was last weekend's meet at San Antonio McFarland High School, which Davis said was probably the toughest high school tennis meet in the state. Big Spring finished fifth at that meet and was within a victory or two of catapulting as high as third.

If seedings are to be believed, boys' doubles will be a strength for Big Spring this weekend. Aside from Wegman and Welch's No. 1 seed, Big Spring's tandem of Jeff Johnston and Craig Turner are seeded third.

# Momentum carries BSHS into Relays

## Lady Steers, Steers enjoy fabulous '95 season

**By STEVE REAGAN**  
Sportswriter



The annual Big Spring Relays will provide spectators with a preview of next week's District 4-4A track meet.

All of 4-4A's boys and girls teams will be at the meet, which begins Saturday, 9 a.m., at Blankenship Field.

In addition to the district teams, squads from Reagan County, Frenship, Snyder, Lamesa, Levelland and Post are scheduled to compete.

BSHS boys coach Randy Britton and girls coach Jay Kennedy expect good competition this weekend. Both men, however, have bigger things on their minds.



OWUSU goes, you put that on the district meet."

"Really, (the meet) is kind of coming at a bad time for us," Kennedy said. "District is Thursday, and while we want to win this thing, Thursday is more important. I'm going to lighten everybody's load... I don't want to hammer them this week."

The meet will feature two divisions for both boys and girls. Class 3A and 4A teams will compete in one division,

while the junior varsities of those squads will compete with 2A teams in another division.

Although Big Spring and other schools at the meet are aiming toward district, that doesn't mean some good competition won't be on tap.

As is par for the course, Britton has his boys aimed at a run at the district title. Slightly more surprising, however, is that Kennedy has a young girls team in the same situation.

"Every week, they've gotten better on their times," Kennedy said. "They're running better than they have all year. With a young team, you're kind of worried about them peaking too soon, but that's kind of a shot in the dark anyway."

Big Spring's boys, meanwhile, will feature some of the best track athletes in West Texas. Defending state champion Drexell Owusu will compete in the triple jump; past state meet qualifier Joe Franklin is scheduled for the 800 run and the Steers' 1,600 relay has one of the best times in the state.

Check page 8A in SportsExtra for this week's Area Track Bests.

## Howard boasts some of region's top cowboys

**By DAVE HARGRAVE**  
Sports Editor

Howard College won't only host a rodeo this weekend. It could play the lead role.

The Howard College women's team already has won a rodeo this year, and the men could do the same this week - the Howard College Rodeo starts Thursday at the Rodeo Bowl. For starters, Howard has the top performer in rodeo's marquee drama - bull riding.

Freshman Reed Corder, from Melvin, leads the bull riding standings with four rodeos remaining. Corder's secret to success is simple, and a bit modest.

"I ride all the bulls I get on, I guess."

Can it be that simple? Sure.

"He's got them ridden - that's the main thing," said freshman Shawn Mays, who is one of six HC bull riders among the top 14 in the standings. "He gets it done, and he gets it done better than most guys. Whether you ride a bull that bucks or one that doesn't, doesn't really matter if you get them all ridden."

"Reed is one of the best bull riders I've ever watched," said sophomore teammate Brandon Arrington. "He's got the opportunity to be a world champion someday."

Unfortunately for Howard, two of those top six bull riders

won't be seen at the Howard College Rodeo. Brent Vincent, in fourth place, has left the team, and sixth-place Ross Hataway will miss the rest of the season because of a broken ankle. Mays, Cory McFadden and Chad Armstrong are tied for 14th, each with 50 points. Mays is also eighth in the steer wrestling standings.

Another top performer for Howard is sophomore steer wrestler Ross Lowry, who is second in the standings with 210 points. Lowry is a three-year HC cowboy - collegiate rodeo allows for a third year of eligibility for junior college students - and he's chasing a former three-year HC cowboy, Brad

Stewart. Stewart, of West Texas A&M, leads with 315 points.

"It's not a rivalry. We just want to see each other do well," Lowry said of his relationship with his former teammate.

"Sure, we compete against each other, but we always like to see the other do well, like all friends do."

Lowry, a native of Summerville, Ga., reached the national finals two years ago and is on course to do it again. Right now, though, he's more concerned with this week.

"You want to do well - this is your home rodeo, and there's so many people there that know you. Sometimes you try too hard. You see the people you

run around with all the time - they expect to see something out there, and you want to show them something."

What's Lowry's advice to the freshmen preparing for their first Howard College Rodeo?

"Just keep doing what you've been doing."

That will work fine for Corder and others on the team. Other Howard cowboys to watch include team roper Doug Pharr and calf roper Chase Wardlaw, who is eighth in the standings. A new addition to this year's team is calf roper Bobby Joe Yeater, the younger brother of the coach.

The rodeo starts Thursday at 7 p.m.

BOTTOM of the ORDER

**SHOT OF THE DAY**

**Come here, ball!**  
Los Angeles Clipper Tony Massenburg (9) and San Antonio Spur Sean Elliott (3) follow a loose ball Tuesday. San Antonio won 113-89 to extend its win streak to 12 games.

**TEXAS SPORTS**

**Stars fight back to tie Vancouver**

VANCOUVER, British Columbia (AP) — Two games after a painful hip injury put him on the sidelines, Dallas goaltender Andy Moog returned in remarkably good form. The resilient Moog turned aside 32 shots as the Stars battled back to tie the Vancouver Canucks 2-2 Tuesday night.

He made a brilliant save on Trevor Linden in the third period when the Stars trailed 2-1, setting the stage for the tying goal by Grant Ledyard at 15:56.

**Sacramento stuns Rockets**

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — With Walt Williams scoring 30 points, the Sacramento Kings ended a 10-game losing streak against the Houston Rockets with a 109-105 victory Tuesday night.

**NATION/WORLD**

**Baseball owners lose appeal**

NEW YORK (AP) — This time, baseball owners didn't just lose in court, they got routed. A panel of the 2nd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals denied their request to have an injunction stayed Tuesday, clearing the way for the season to start April 26. All three judges ridiculed management lawyer Frank Casey, dismissing his argument that owners had the unilateral right to do away with free agency.

**Sonics' star given leave of absence**

SEATTLE (AP) — Seattle SuperSonics guard Kendall Gill, who argued with coach George Karl for much of the season over playing time, was granted an indefinite leave from the team because of clinical depression.

**ON THE AIR**

**Basketball**

NBA  
LA Lakers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m., PRIME (ch. 29).



# Baseball courts upset fans

The St. Louis Cardinals are offering free admission for home exhibition games. Stars like Barry Larkin are sticking around to sign autographs.

The Toronto Blue Jays plan to do something special for fans, too. They just aren't sure what. "You can't just apologize," the Blue Jays president said Tuesday. "Words are hollow. You have to show them."

But while baseball was feeling good and making goodwill gestures, all was not peaceful. Major league umpires made no progress with management in lifting an owners' lockout. The sides remained far apart, and time is growing short before the start of exhibition games April 13 and opening day April 26.

Umpires originally asked for a 60 percent pay raise over four years, and then dropped it to 53 percent. Owners offered a 3 percent increase.

In another legal matter, a three-judge panel denied the owners' request to have an injunction stayed, letting stand a ruling issued last week.

Former Oakland manager Jackie Moore will run the camp for free agents - teamless players like Orel Hershiser - and former players Andy McCaffigan, Greg Olson, Jerry Morales, Wes Gardner and Paul Lindblad will coach.

"The purpose of the camp is to have a place for the guys to get into shape and to have a place to play. We will have intrasquad games, and we're trying to set up exhibition games of some sort, although playing major league teams would probably be very difficult," said Mark Belanger, the union executive in charge.

Reliever John Franco, one of the most attractive free agents, apparently will decide between re-signing with the Mets or going to Baltimore.

### BASKETBALL

#### NBA Standings

National Basketball Association  
All Times EDT

#### EASTERN CONFERENCE

##### Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Orlando	53	19	.736	—
x-New York	47	25	.653	6
Boston	30	43	.411	23 1/2
Miami	29	45	.392	25
New Jersey	27	45	.375	26
Philadelphia	23	52	.278	33
Washington	18	53	.254	34 1/2

##### Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Indiana	47	26	.644	—
x-Charlotte	43	28	.606	3
x-Chicago	39	33	.542	7 1/2
x-Cleveland	39	33	.542	7 1/2
Atlanta	35	37	.486	11 1/2
Milwaukee	28	44	.389	18 1/2
Detroit	26	45	.366	20

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

##### Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-San Antonio	53	18	.746	—
x-Utah	53	21	.716	1 1/2
Houston	42	30	.583	11 1/2
Denver	35	37	.486	18 1/2
Dallas	31	39	.443	21 1/2
Minnesota	20	53	.274	34

##### Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Seattle	51	21	.708	—
x-Phoenix	51	22	.699	1/2
x-L.A. Lakers	46	28	.639	5
Portland	38	34	.528	13
Sacramento	35	37	.486	16
Golden State	23	49	.319	28
L.A. Clippers	15	59	.203	37

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

##### Southwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Phoenix	51	22	.699	—
x-Denver	42	30	.583	9
x-San Antonio	35	37	.486	18 1/2
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### WESTERN CONFERENCE

#### Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Detroit	23	7	3	.490	125	75
St. Louis	20	10	3	.433	122	83
Chicago	19	12	3	.411	124	83
Toronto	15	13	7	.377	97	100
Dallas	12	16	6	.309	99	91
Winnipeg	9	18	6	.241	99	127

#### Pacific Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	GF	GA
Calgary	17	13	5	.539	114	98
Vancouver	12	13	9	.433	105	106
Los Angeles	12	15	7	.411	116	130
Edmonton	12	19	3	.327	94	126
San Jose	12	18	2	.262	82	115
Anaheim	10	19	4	.241	85	123

#### Tuesday's Games

Buffalo 5, Hartford 3
Washington 5, N.Y. Islanders 4
Tampa Bay 1, New Jersey 1
Calgary 3, Chicago 2
Dallas 2, Vancouver 2

#### Wednesday's Games

Hartford at Pittsburgh, 7:30 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Florida, 7:30 p.m.
St. Louis at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m.
Quebec at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m.
Detroit at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Anaheim, 11 p.m.

#### Thursday's Games

Buffalo at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Montreal at Quebec, 7:30 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.

### TRANSACTIONS

#### Thursday

##### BASEBALL

**MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**  
PROPERTIES—Named Thomas Duff as president of finance and royalty administration.  
American League  
BOSTON RED SOX—Released Rocky El and Mike Carista, pitchers, and Nicky Pisano and Darryl Robinson, first basemen.  
National League  
FLORIDA MARLINS—Agreed to terms with Mark Gardner, pitcher, of a one-year contract.  
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Signed Lenny Webster, catcher, to a minor-league contract.

##### BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association  
NBA—Fired Rick Mahorn of the New Jersey Nets \$7,000; Derek Harper of the New York Knicks \$5,000; and Patrick Ewing of the New York Knicks \$3,500 for their actions in a game on April 2.  
PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Signed Corey Gaines, guard, for the remainder of the season.  
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Granted Kendall Gill, guard, an indefinite leave of absence because of clinical depression.

##### FOOTBALL

National Football League  
CHICAGO BEARS—Traded Trace Armstrong, defensive end, to the Miami Dolphins for Miami's 1995 second and third round draft picks.  
MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Signed Rick Cunningham, offensive tackle, to a one-year contract.  
National Hockey League  
ANAHEIM MIGHTY DUCKS—Acquired Mike Silfver, center-right wing, and Jason York, defenseman, from the Detroit Red Wings for Stu Grimson, left wing; Mark Fernald, defenseman; and a sixth-round draft choice in 1996. Sent Tim Sweeney, center-left wing, and David Williams, defenseman, to San Diego of the IHL. Recalled Danny Lambert, left wing, from San Diego.

## Area Track Bests

The following times and distances were recorded by area athletes and are updated as often as possible. The Herald sports staff reports that coaches phone in times between 8-11 a.m., Monday-Friday. Call 263-7331, ext. 116.

### Girls

Discus - Martinez, Big Spring, 101-9; Armstrong, Borden Co., 95-6 1/4; Cooley, Borden Co., 93-6.  
Shot Put - McKnight, C-City, 34-4 7/8; Cole, Big Spring, 33-5; Newell, Sands, 32-11; Cooley, Borden Co., 32-7; Kinzer, Klondike, 30-6 1/2.  
High Jump - Crawford, C-City, 5-3; Harp, Garden City, 5-0; Webb, Klondike, 5-0; Gillespie, Sands, 4-10; McWhorter, Big Spring, 4-10.  
Long Jump - Loft, Big Spring, 16-9 1/2; McKnight, C-City, 16-5; K. Smith, Big Spring, 16-2; Bumbulis, Big Spring, 16-0.  
Triple Jump - Loft, Big Spring, 35-10; McWhorter, Big Spring, 34-0; K. Smith, Big Spring, 33-10; M. Light, Forean, 33-0 1/4.  
400 Relay - Stanton, 50.98; Big Spring, 51.3; C-City, 54.17.  
800 Relay - Stanton, 1:47.25; Big Spring, 1:48.4; Garden City, 1:57.09.  
1,600 Relay - Stanton, 4:08.31; Big Spring, 4:10.7; Colorado City, 4:21.21.  
100 Dash - Wilbert, Big Spring, 12.78; Madison, Grady, 12.76; Castles, Big Spring, 12.9; K. Smith, Big Spring, 12.99.  
200 Dash - Loft, Big Spring, 26.7; K. Smith, Big Spring, 26.7; McKnight, C-City, 27.12; Voss, Borden Co., 28.02.  
100 Hurdles - Hill, Big Spring, 16.69; Isaacs, Borden Co., 17.16; Sterling, Coahoma, 17.65; Harp, Garden City, 17.81.  
300 Hurdles - Haddad, Big Spring, 51.9; Isaacs, Borden Co., 52.13; Hernandez, Big Spring, 52.2; Medix, Garden City, 52.24.  
400 Run - Cline, Big Spring, 61.9; Carnero, Big Spring, 62.0; Hall, Big Spring, 63.3; Redwine, Colorado City, 64.34.  
800 Run - Adkins, Stanton, 2:29.82; Henderson, Forean, 2:31.20; Hensley, Big Spring, 2:32.0; Philer, Big Spring, 2:32.1.  
1,600 Run - Welsh, Grady, 5:52.87; Philer, Big Spring, 6:01.0; Merrill, Colorado City, 6:09.06; Hassman, Garden City, 6:19.03.  
3,200 Run - Welsh, Grady, 12:32.00; Carnero, Big Spring, 13:28.0; Merrill, C-City, 13:48.24; Hassman, Garden City, 13:48.55.

### Boys

Discus - Roberts, Big Spring, 144-9; Grigg, Sands, 140-10; Parris, C-City, 133-5; Allen, Sands, 129-9.  
Shot Put - Roberts, Big Spring, 50-6; Parris, C-City, 43-9 1/8; Allen, Sands, 44-2 3/4; Grigg, Sands, 42-9.  
High Jump - Owens, Big Spring, 6-5; Barr, Coahoma, 6-2; Richters, Sands, 6-2; Beal, Sands, 6-0; Barton, Klondike, 6-0.  
Long Jump - Owens, Big Spring, 22-1 1/2; Etheredge, Forean, 20-10; Etheredge, Klondike, 20-7; Munoz, Forean, 20-0 3/4.  
Triple Jump - Owens, Big Spring, 48-3 1/2; Etheredge, Klondike, 42-4 3/4; Kerby, Coahoma, 41-0; Cox, Grady, 40-3 1/2.  
Pole Vault - Hopper, Sands, 12-0; McHugh, Coahoma, 10-6; Cox, Grady, 10-6; Croft, Sands, 9-6.  
400 Relay - Big Spring, 43.62; Stanton, 43.86; Garden City, 45.97.  
800 Relay - Big Spring, 3:21.11; Stanton, 3:40.39; Grady, 3:39.54; Garden City, 3:41.5.  
100 Dash - Farr, Big Spring, 10.88; McVee, Big Spring, 10.91; Waters, Big Spring, 10.97; Burchett, Big Spring, 10.99.  
200 Dash - Farr, Big Spring, 21.87; Martal, Stanton, 22.22; Seldenberger, Garden City, 23.16; T. Hewitt, Grady, 23.87.  
110 Hurdles - Eddington, Big Spring, 14.8; Ochoa, Big Spring, 14.83; Etheredge, Klondike, 15.94; Roberts, Stanton, 16.74.  
300 Hurdles - Eddington, Big Spring, 39.5; Ochoa, Big Spring, 41.6; Sanchez, Stanton, 43.56.  
400 Run - Farr, Big Spring, 48.6; Burchett, Big Spring, 51.20; B. Seldenberger, Garden City, 52.49; Franklin, Big Spring, 54.1; Castro, Stanton, 55.00.  
800 Run - Franklin, Big Spring, 1:58.0; Molokomes, Grady, 2:01.41; Harrison, Forean, 2:15.81.  
1,600 Run - Franklin, Big Spring, 4:33.1; Roberts, Klondike, 5:07.46; Philips, Coahoma, 5:09.75.  
3,200 Run - Franklin, Big Spring, 10:38.32; Roberts, Klondike, 11:26.52; Fryer, Sands, 11:52; Ramirez, C-City, 12:05.57.

## Ex-Baylor coach loses lawyer

WACO, Texas (AP) — A disagreement over how to finish the defense case has cost former Baylor basketball coach Darrel Johnson one of his attorneys in his federal conspiracy and fraud trial.  
Jurors returned at 8:30 a.m. today for their second full day of deliberations.  
Prosecutors said the methods used by Johnson to recruit five junior college players who enrolled in the fall of 1993 con-

stituted not only a violation of NCAA regulations but a fraud on Baylor through scholarships that should not have been granted. Garvin Isaacs Jr., who had been Johnson's lead attorney, left Waco on Monday.  
Isaacs said from his Oklahoma City office that he quit after Johnson concluded over the weekend that his other attorney, Jim Darnell of El Paso, should deliver the final arguments to the federal jury.

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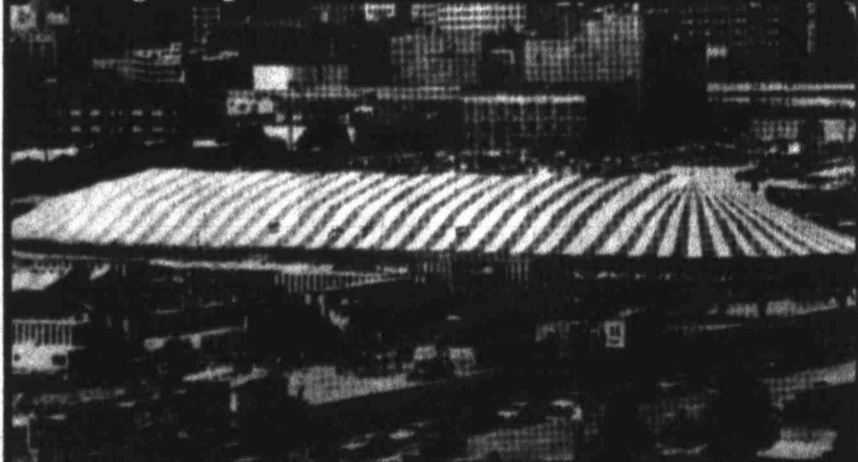


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## Play ball! Pardon me if I'm not excited

Play ball. I thought I'd be a little more excited when I finally got the chance to write those words.

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## Chance for survivors to 'Speak Out' April 21

By KELLIE JONES  
Staff Writer

April has been designated as Child Abuse and Sexual Assault Awareness Month to raise public awareness to the nearly three million children reportedly abused in this country every year.

Rape Crisis/Victim Services is sponsoring a community-wide "Survivor Speak-Out" April 21. Survivors who want to share their stories about their pain, fear, anger and healing process are encouraged to attend. It will be at the First United Methodist Church from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Garrett Hall.

A "safe room" will be provided with four professional counselors on duty who have donated their time to assist survivors. Family members of victims and the general public are

also invited to attend to learn more about this devastating crime.

"This 'speak out' is important because it will show victims this has happened to others. They may not have acknowledged what has happened to them but this will help. The safe room will be there if an audience member needs to talk to someone else. The room is isolated from the rest of the group," said Loretta Burns, education coordinator and case manager for RC/VS.

"This is open to the public and there is no admission charge. You don't have to be a client of Rape Crisis/Victim Services to attend. This is to educate people that this type of crime does happen. Everyone is effected by abuse, not just the victim but family, friends and relatives," added Gwen Hoggard, executive director.

In 1994, RC/VS served 1,588 people who were either a primary or secondary victim. "A secondary victim can be a family member or friend - anyone who will help support the primary victim through the process.

"We serve residents in Howard, Martin, Mitchell, Borden and Glasscock counties. I believe at least 95 to 98 percent of those we served last year live in Howard County," said Colleen Craver, victim/out-reach services coordinator.

Of the 1,588 served, 1,016 were primary victims of a number of crimes including child abuse, sexual assault, domestic violence, adult survivors of incest or child abuse, stalking and assault.

During the first quarter of 1994, RC/VS handled 25 cases of child sexual abuse and 14 cases of adult sexual assault. From

April to June, there were 45 cases of child sexual abuse, 18 cases of sexual assault and 10 cases of child physical abuse. The third quarter saw RC/VS volunteers helping 27 children who were victims of child abuse, 26 cases of sexual assault and three incidents of physical abuse of a child. From October to December, there were 22 cases of child sexual abuse, 16 cases of adult sexual assault and nine incidents of child physical abuse.

Also during 1994, volunteers helped 112 adults who were abused physically, emotionally and/or sexually as children.

This year, there has already been 75 cases of either child or adult sexual assault reported to RC/VS. Keep in mind, these numbers are reported cases and there is always more that go unreported to either RC/VS, Child Protective Services or a law enforcement agency.

## HANG IN THERE!



A Queensland Koala, named "Gidgee", hangs on a eucalyptus branch at Marine World/Africa USA. She was born at the San Diego Zoo and primarily feeds on leaves of two species of eucalyptus trees.



ZOE KIRKPATRICK

## Wildflowers bloom in West Texas

By JANET AUSBURY  
Features Editor

West Texas is known for its wind, dust, cotton and oil fields. If naturalist and Post resident Zoe Merriman Kirkpatrick has her way, it'll also be known for its wildflowers.

The Spade and Hoe Garden Club is presenting Kirkpatrick, author of "Wildflowers of the Western Plains," 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. April 11 at the Big Spring Country Club.

Cost is \$10 per person at the door and includes lunch and the program. There will be a drawing for a copy of Kirkpatrick's book, and copies will be on sale for her to autograph.

Kirkpatrick has studied and photographed area wildflowers

for 30 years. Her book includes wildflowers from the Texas and Oklahoma panhandles, western Kansas and eastern Colorado and New Mexico.

"This area is so neglected by the rest of the state," she said. "I'm giving this program to show what beauty there is in this area of the state."

Wildflowers that are widespread in this area include the Indian blanket, Mexican hat and "lots of yellow flowers," she added.

The former Lubbock resident's interest in wildflowers began when she started photographing flowers growing on her ranch. She then ventured onto neighboring ranches and eventually into other counties.

Her books on wildflowers were available to her in the early 1960s when her interest

began, and none included the flowers she was photographing. A taxonomy course at Texas Tech gave her the knowledge necessary to identify these flowers.

In addition to "Wildflowers of the Western Plains," she has published articles and given presentations across the state on area plants.

Kirkpatrick received the Native Plant Society of Texas Carroll Abbott Memorial Award in 1994 for excellence in writing about native Texas plants.

To make reservations for Kirkpatrick's presentation, contact the Big Spring Country Club, 267-8241, by April 8. For more information, contact Carolyn Freeman, 263-6806; Sue Haugh, 263-7966 or Terri Johansen, 267-5275.

## Cut sodium in your diet

Table salt contains 40 percent sodium and 60 percent chloride, both are essential in the diet. Most of the sodium in our diets comes from salt, although there is some sodium in the preservatives and flavor enhancers added to foods. One teaspoon of salt contains about 2,000 milligrams of sodium.

Most Americans eat more salt and sodium than they need. Eating a diet with little salt and sodium can help prevent high blood pressure or even help to lower already high blood pressure.



Dana Tarter  
Extension Agent

Sodium attracts water into the blood vessels and helps maintain normal blood volume and blood pressure. Sodium is also needed for the normal function of nerves and muscles. Although some sodium is essential to your health, you need very little. The National Research Council of the National Academy of Sciences Food and Nutrition Board suggests you would be safe with a minimum of 500 milligrams of sodium per day. The maximum amount should be 2,400 milligrams - roughly the amount in a teaspoon of salt. This is well below the 3,000 to 6,000 milligrams most adults consume.

Sodium is in many foods you eat. It may occur naturally in a food or be added during processing or cooking or at the table. Most sodium added during processing comes from salt,

but other ingredients used by manufacturers contain sodium as well. Salt is second only to sugar in the amount added by manufacturers to the foods we eat.

Foods that contain significant amounts of sodium include bread and bakery products, cured and processed meats, canned vegetables and milk products; especially many cheeses. Many people also add salt during cooking and at the table.

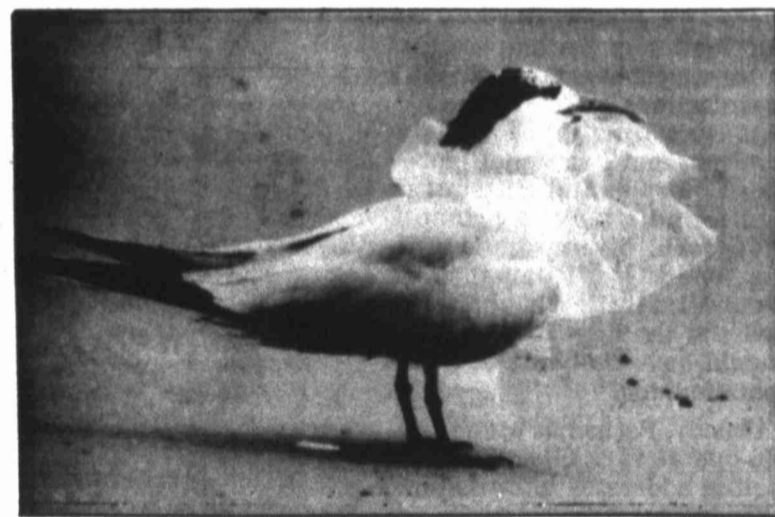
A diet with less sodium does not have to be dull. There are many ways to reduce sodium in your diet without sacrificing flavor or quality. Remember cutting back on sodium begins at the supermarket and continues through food preparation and serving. Here are some suggestions:

At the supermarket be a label reader. Look for information on the sodium content. When shopping for lower sodium foods, fresh is usually best. Try the low or reduced-sodium products now available.

In the kitchen plan meals containing less sodium. Try new recipes using less salt and sodium-containing ingredients. Adjust your own recipes by reducing such ingredients a little at a time. Experiment with spices and herbs as seasoning as use them instead of salt. Use less salt in cooking pasta, rice noodles and hot cereals. Make your own condiments, dressings and sauces using sodium-containing ingredients sparingly.

At the table, taste your food before you salt it. If you decide to salt, try one shake instead of two. Add only small amounts of commercial condiments, dressings and sauces to your food and begin now to choose low sodium foods.

## BIRDS AND TRASH DON'T MIX



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A Royal Tern is ensnared in plastic on Mustang Island along the Texas Gulf Coast. Tony Amos, a research associate at the University of Texas Marine Science Institute at Port Arkansas, is studying the effects of marine debris on birds, sea turtles and other animals.

## Warm weather inspires spring cleaning

The day started out great. All the sunshine and warm air inspired me. In a rare burst of energy I started tackling jobs I had been putting off.

All day I worked like a woman possessed. I even



Christina Ferchalk  
Columnist

cleaned the painted walls (that most loathsome of chores) with a scrub brush and a bucket of sudsy water heavily laced with chlorine bleach. Bleach does not do nice things to your skin, and it isn't very kind to your respiratory system either, but it makes cleaning seem more effective somehow.

I'm not good at pacing myself. By that evening I was like a little kid who'd had a busy day. I was overtired and cranky. I could have just gone to bed early and spared everybody a lot of grief but that would have been too easy. Instead I stomped around barking at the children until it wasn't fun anymore.

Once I realized they weren't paying any attention to my

hissy-fits I went to the kitchen, pushed a chair way back in the corner, and sat there in a snit.

The kids were in the living room doing what they do best: watching TV, grinding their munchies into the carpet and arguing. They argued about which programs they'd watch. They argued about who stole the good socks, who had the nicest hair, who ate the last Milky Way bar and who lost the remote control.

Then they argued about who started the arguments. There are times when I'm just so pleased to be the mom that I could spit!

I sat all alone in the kitchen banging my head against the wall and watching the clock do a death crawl toward bedtime. Would it never come? I was in dire need of a bath but too pooped to make the trip.

Finally the clock moved and the kids came trooping out to tell me goodnight. My daughter put her arms around me and nuzzled my neck. "Oh Mom," she said, "You smell wonderful." That softened me a little.

"Thank you, Honey," I told her. "But I know I smell like bleach water. I reek of the stuff."

"No," she said. "You smell just like ... like Mom. Everything in the house has that smell, especially my blan-

kets and pillows - I love that mom smell."

I understood exactly what my little girl was talking about. My mom has a mom smell too. I notice it as soon as I walk through the door to her house. When I bring something of hers to my house - a doily, tablecloth or pair of curtains - my house smells like hers. After a few days the smell fades even if I haven't yet laundered the item.

This smell has nothing to do with perfume, hair spray, lotions or creams. It's internal. I used to wonder if this "mom smell" business was my imagination. Then I read that an animal in the wild can pick his mother out of a herd by her scent.

Possibly humans have always possessed this ability but it's another one of those instincts we let fall by the side of the road.

After the kids went to bed I sat alone in the kitchen feeling all warm and fuzzy. So I have a mom smell. How about that! It was something I never knew about myself before. I liked it.

The day had started out great, turned sour, and then ended on a good note. It's amazing the way some little thing can come along and turn your whole mood around.

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## IN THE BAG

By JOYCE ROSENCRANS  
Scripps Howard News Service

The soggy Salad Bowl in California has shorted supplies of lettuce, strawberries, broccoli, artichokes and other items from waterlogged fields. We need to rethink our shopping habits by planning some leafless salads in menus and by roughly comparing prices among fresh, frozen, canned and salad-bar items.

— Winter pears for a Waldorf salad.

— Diced melon with frozen blueberries and poppyseed dressing.

— Canned lima beans with sliced water chestnuts, onion, sour cream and dry Italian or ranch salad dressing.

— Chilled sliced beets with raspberry vinegar and diced honeydew.

— Diced boiled potatoes with low-fat ranch dressing, olives, hard-cooked egg whites, onion and celery (if affordable).

— Fresh button mushrooms, sliced and marinated, with onion and diced canned tomatoes in a red-wine vinaigrette with oregano.

— Bottled diced mango (what a convenience compared to peeling a mango) with sliced bananas. (Look for canned mango with other chilled fruit salads, usually in a chiller cabinet near the produce department).

— Jicama slices with lime juice and a sprinkle of chili powder or hot sauce.

— Shredded carrots with canned crushed pineapple and orange-yogurt dressing.

— Thawed chopped broccoli with hard-cooked egg whites, sliced red onion, green olives and low-fat ranch dressing.

— Barely-thawed Sugar Snap peas with sliced radishes or shredded daikon (white Asian radish, giant-size).

— Frozen corn as chilled corn relish.

Note: The nutrition status of frozen fruits and vegetables is equal to or a bit better than so. Please see BAG page 2B

## Gene linked to tumors

By MALCOLM RITTER

NEW YORK (AP) — Scientists have found the first

direct evidence that a gene causing hereditary breast and ovarian cancer also plays a role in far more common non-inherited tumors.

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# Learning to cope with asthma

By JOHN STAED  
Birmingham Post-Herald

Nurse Carlene Gibbons likes to quote Latin when talking about asthma: "Carpe Diem" — Seize the day.

Ms. Gibbons, other nurses and respiratory therapists have taken that phrase literally since 1993, when they began the Asthma Education Team at Children's Hospital of Alabama.

The program has drawn regional and national attention for its innovative approach.

For Rannell Jones, 7, the big title doesn't mean anything. But it has changed his life. He can ride his bike without fear and play baseball like his friends without the constant specter of an asthma attack.

Rannell and Ms. Gibbons crossed paths when he arrived in the hospital's emergency room in Birmingham soon after the asthma team was formed.

"He had been outside riding his bike," said Linda Whitlow, Rannell's mother. "He had shortness of breath, his chest started getting real tight and he couldn't breathe."

Doctors recognized the asthma attack and treated Rannell. But just as importantly, the asthma team taught both Rannell and his mother about his condition.

"This was a patient in the emergency room with uncontrolled asthma," Ms. Gibbons said. "Now this mother is an asthma expert."

Asthma affects 9 million to 12 million Americans, about one in 20 people, including 3 million children under age 18. It is a leading cause of school absenteeism and a leading reason many parents miss work, Ms. Gibbons said.

A study in the New England Journal of Medicine put the disease's medical and indirect cost at \$6.2 billion every year.

Asthma occurs when a person's lungs react to "triggers" such as dust or smoke. The airways through the lungs can narrow and become blocked, which leads to wheezing, coughing or trouble breathing.

Knowing what causes the "triggers" can help prevent many asthma attacks. Since 90 percent of children with asthma are allergic to something, finding the cause lessens the episodes.

During an asthma attack, the airways narrow, much like "a rubber band around a straw," said pediatric allergist Dr. Mary Pat Hemstreet. The inside of the airway also swells, which leads to "narrowing from the outside and swelling from the inside."

Health groups began to pay more attention to asthma after a surprising 60 percent increase in the number of people with the disease between 1979 and 1989, Ms. Gibbons said.

Mortality rates from asthma jumped 31 percent from 1980 to 1987.

In 1991, federal health author-

ities redefined asthma as a chronic inflammatory lung disease and offered new guidelines for treatment.

The guidelines, coupled with the asthma team's education program, have helped doctors and nurses teach Rannell and other children how to prevent asthma attacks, also known as episodes.

"Early recognition of an impending attack is very important," Dr. Hemstreet said. "It's like driving a team of horses down a hill — the sooner you rein them in, the easier it is to turn them around."

Rannell, a second-grader, now knows he needs four daily treatments of the muscle-relaxer Ventolin, including one at his school. He carries a small air pump with a breathing mask to school, where he sits in the back of the room and breathes in the Ventolin dose for about five minutes. He also has a hand-held inhaler.

At Children's Hospital, youngsters brought in for asthma problems are given a packet of asthma-related material, shown how to use a peak flow meter, which measures lung output, shown a video on the disease and given information on medications.

"She showed me how to breathe," Rannell said, referring to Ms. Gibbons' instructions on how to react when he feels an attack may be coming. "I only do that when I don't have my inhaler around."

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The hereditary cases appear in women who inherit a flawed version of the gene, which fails to suppress the development of cancer as the normal gene does. Some 10 percent or less of breast and ovarian tumors are hereditary.

Scientists have found flawed versions of the gene in non-hereditary ovarian tumors. The genes were normal when inherited but became flawed within the patients' own bodies.

Other scientists have found

that the gene is under-active in non-inherited breast cancers, suggesting it may play a role in those tumors even if it is not flawed.

Scientists said the findings offer no immediate payoff for treatment. But by implicating the gene in more than just the hereditary cancers, the work suggests that developing therapies based on the gene could someday help more women.

The gene, called BRCA1, causes about half of inherited breast cancers. It made head-

lines last year when it was finally found after a long search.

The finding of flawed BRCA1 genes in non-inherited ovarian tumors is reported by two groups in the April issue of the journal Nature Genetics. One group, from the universities of Michigan and Pennsylvania and the National Institutes of Health, reports the finding in four of 47 tumors. A second team, from England and Canada, found a single example.

Associated Press

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called "fresh" produce trucked long distances.

If you're trying to make low-fat sandwiches these days, you know mayo is out, mustard is

in. If Dijon or ballpark mustards are too sharp to your taste, be on the lookout for the many variety mustards.

Sales of waters, flavored waters and juice drinks and

sparklers reached \$1.85 billion last year, up almost 9 percent over 1993. Packaged Facts research company in New York says members of Generation X are the reason. They like light drinks better than cola.

# Christy's last chance for life

SOLON, Ohio (AP) — The final stage has just begun for a couple who decided to have another child in order to give their 6-year-old daughter a chance to survive leukemia.

Christy Schwartz received high doses of chemotherapy over the weekend. She also will receive intensive radiation treatments to prepare her for a bone marrow transplant on Thursday.

The procedure would kill Christy without the transplant. "She is almost going to be dead and brought back," her mother said.

Doctors say there is a 20 percent to 30 percent chance a transplant will cure Christy, who was diagnosed with leukemia when she was 11 months old.

She will receive stem cells extracted from her little sister Angelina's umbilical cord just days after her birth in November. Stem cells are a component of marrow that create new blood cells.

Angelina, now four months old, is the fourth child of Jill and Randy Schwartz. They decided to conceive her after learning that no other family member's bone marrow matched Christy's, and that no suitable donor could be found in the National Bone Marrow

Registry.

The couple got the idea after Mrs. Schwartz read about the Ayala family of San Bernardino, Calif., whose teenage daughter, Anissa, had leukemia. In 1991, Anissa received bone marrow from her baby sister, Marissa, who was conceived to provide a match despite criticism from medical ethicists.

That transplant was successful. Anissa is now 22, and still in remission. Marissa is 4.

There was only a one-in-four chance Angelina's marrow would match Christy's. A test 16 weeks into Mrs. Schwartz's pregnancy confirmed they had beaten the odds.

"Ethically this is OK, as long as their motives are mixed: They want the child and they want to save their other kid," said Dr. Arthur L. Caplan, director of the Center for Bioethics at the University of Pennsylvania.

Doctors will thaw out 3 ounces of Angelina's frozen marrow and drip the fluid into an artery in Christy's chest. Angelina's healthy cells should migrate into Christy's bones over several weeks, doctors said.

"I'm very optimistic that things are likely to go well," Shurin said.

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# Cycling the Internet

By JOHN MCCOY

Thomson News Service

In that far-flung agglomeration of computers known as the Internet, one may find information to satisfy almost any curiosity — from kinky sex to quantum physics.

Now, thanks to a bike-racing computer whiz, that list includes bicycling in West Virginia.

Computer scientist Don Parks has put West Virginia on the Internet map. Net surfers who use the World Wide Web, one of the easiest-to-use Internet access programs, can call up information on cycling destinations, races, events, shops and organizations.

"I was out there on the Internet, and I saw that places like Colorado and Pittsburgh had found a way to promote their local biking opportunities," he says. "I thought that West Virginia, which is the Beast of the East in bicycling, should have that sort of representation, too."

Already, Parks has asked system operators of other Internet cycling addresses to cross-link their information to his West Virginia database.

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FOR THURSDAY,  
APRIL 6, 1995

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Communications flow, especially with those you care a lot about. Be willing to open up to change. Listen carefully to your inner voice when dealing with others. Check out a new purchase for your home. Tonight: Entertain at your pad.\*\*\*

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): It is important to express yourself and get to the core of the problem. Today is made for clearing out what has been bothering you. Make phone calls, clear your desk, catch up on news. Make the most of your lunch break. Revitalize your social life. Tonight: Be out and about.\*\*\*\*\*

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Expenses could be a bit much, and you could feel sorry tomorrow for what you do today. Exercise restraint and you will gain in the long run. Revamp your budget. The opportunities that surround you are special. Tonight: Be careful with spending.\*\*\*\*

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22): You are on top of the world. You clearly draw others to you, and you feel good with whatever comes up. Do nothing halfway. Be aware of your choices. Your creativity is very high. Others are drawn to you. Use your magic right now. Tonight: Be your personality, plus self.\*\*\*\*\*

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Cut back where you can. Do not agree to terms that don't suit you. Be willing to say no to ideas that you feel would be best done differently. Determining what you need and want out of life is critical. Take some time off from the grind. Tonight: Vanish while you are ahead.\*\*\*

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Zero in on what's important. Be more direct about what you desire. A positive flow will make all the difference in what's going on. Success is naturally yours if you handle daily issues in a more direct manner. Be aware of what you want. Tonight: Have dinner with a friend.\*\*\*\*\*

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): It may be important for you to take a stand concerning work. You can no longer fudge on a situation. You will feel better if you deal with a situation differently. Be willing to accept responsibility and not negate another's importance. Make a must appearance. Tonight: Work late.\*\*\*\*\*

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): New insights occur because of your willingness to resolve problems and dig up information. Be willing to walk in another's shoes; your ability to empathize makes an enormous difference. Make long-distance phone calls; reach out for others. Tonight: Try a new restaurant.\*\*\*\*\*

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Togetherness is important in dealing with a financial or emotional problem. A partner appreciates your sincere, focused attention. Business deals benefit from a careful approach. Be sensitive to another's offer. Tonight: Go where there is togetherness.\*\*\*\*\*

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Someone makes an offer that you need to think about, even though at first you might not like it. You don't have to decide immediately, but say yes. Be aware of your importance to the person making the offer. Your popularity is high. Remain optimistic. Tonight: Be

out and about.\*\*\*\*\*  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Focus on work, and let your creativity flow. Your willingness to grow and be creative is important. Communications with a co-worker could ease a difficult situation. Concentrate on one item at a time. Consider making an appointment for a checkup. Tonight: Relax.\*\*\*\*

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Your creativity is high as you deal with another who admires your ingenuity. You have important choices to make. Be aware of your love life. Does your partner suit you? Are you really in sync with your needs by being with this person? Tonight: How about making some whoopee?!\*\*\*\*\*

**IF APRIL 6 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:** You will have an urge this year to break into new territory. You want to gain more information, learn more about how others live and perhaps go back to school. Nevertheless, your home life is very important to you, and you cannot minimize the importance of it. Stay focused on your priorities. You will find a healthy balance between security and venturing out. If you are single: You might find meeting someone a very exciting experience; make sure that person has values similar to yours or else a relationship will not work for you this year. If attached: You probably want to buy a new or second home, put on an addition or do something special for your loved one; a relaxing trip might be included as well. **CANCER** anchors you.

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

MONDAY

•Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

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

•TOPS weight support group, 6:30 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Weigh-in, 6 p.m. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

•Project Freedom, Christian support group for survivors of physical/emotional/sexual and/or spiritual abuse. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241 for dates/times of upcoming groups.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting.

TUESDAY

•Widow/Widower support group, first and third Tuesdays each month, 5:30 p.m. First Tuesday meetings are at a local restaurant. Third Tuesday meetings are at First Presbyterian Church, Eighth and Runnels (enter through patio), followed by dinner at a local restaurant. For more information call 398-5522 or 399-4369.

•Support for MS and Related Diseases, 6:30 p.m. second Tuesday of each month, Canterbury South. Public invited. Call Leslie, 267-1069.

•Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.

•Seniors' diabetic support group, 2 p.m., Canterbury South. Call 263-1265.

•Compassionate Friends support group for parents who have experienced death of a child, 7:30 p.m. first Tuesday of each even-numbered month, room 113 of the Family Life Center Building, First Baptist Church, 705 W. Marcy. Enter by southeast door. Call 267-2769.

•VOICES support group for adolescent victims of sexual abuse, incest, rape, date rape, any other crime of indecency. 3:45 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

•Diabetes support group, second Tuesday of each month, 7 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center classroom.

•Cancer support group, first Tuesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., VA Medical Center room 213. Call Beverly Rice, 263-7361.

ext. 7077.  
•"The Most Excellent Way" drug and alcohol support group meets Tuesdays at 7 p.m., Cornerstone Bookstore, 1909 Gregg. For more information, please call 263-3168 or 267-7047 from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m., after 5 p.m., call 267-1424.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting.

WEDNESDAY

•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephen's Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920.

•Survivors support group for survivors of sexual abuse, 10-11:30 a.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12 study.

THURSDAY

•Salvation Army drug education program, sponsored by Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, 7 p.m., Salvation Army building, 308 Aylford.

•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 the first floor.

•Howard County Mental Health Center family education meeting 6 p.m., last Thursday of each month, followed by Big Spring Alliance for the Mentally Ill, 7 p.m. Call Shannon Nabors or Dixie Burcham, 263-0027.

•Big Spring Alliance for the Mentally Ill meeting 7 p.m., last Thursday of each month following the TXMHMR family support meeting. Call 267-7220 for more information.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8:30 p.m. women open meeting.

•A.D.A.P.T. non-profit support and learning organization about attention deficit disorder, learning disorders and dyslexia. Monthly meetings during September, October, November, January, February, March, April and May, second Thursday of these months at the Cerebral Palsy building, 802 Ventura, Midland.

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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, Friday, 6 Family Garage Sale. Clothes, baby things, houseware, lots more. 3207 Duke.

CARSON & BARNES Traveling 5 Ring Circus is needing CDL truck drivers and general laborers to work and who are free to travel with circus. For more information or to apply, come to the circus location in Big Spring at S.W.C.I.D. campus Thursday, April 6th, apply at circus box office.

FOR SALE: 25" Zenith console T.V. 267-8738, leave message.

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GOOD WHITE WOOL carpet, 5 rooms, \$200. Call 267-8834.

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Autos for Sale 016

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Texas man amazed at people's rudeness

DEAR ABBY: I am a middle-aged man who started to lose my hair when I was in high school. I wasn't exactly happy about it, but I knew there was



Abigail Van Buren  
Columnist

nothing I could do, so I just accepted it. I am now 34, and bald - I mean K o j a k bald!

I am no longer sensitive about my baldness, but I continue to be amazed at the number of people who joke about it. Some have suggested that I get a hairpiece. (A few years ago I considered it, but I wasn't sure I could take the comments it would provoke, so I never did.)

Abby, you would not believe some of the questions people have asked me. For example, can you imagine a person asking an obese person:

... "How long have you been obese?"

... "Does it bother you when people make jokes about obesity?"

... "Weren't you terribly upset

when you first noticed you were getting obese?"

... "Is anyone else in your family obese?"

... "Does obesity come from your mother's side or your father's?"

... "Do you worry that your children may be obese, too?"

Abby, few people are so rude as to ask such questions, but if you substitute "bald" for "obese," you will have a sample of what bald people have to put up with.

Baldness, I can tolerate. Rudeness, I cannot! -- BALD IN TEXAS

DEAR BALD: You're mistaken -- obese people are also targets for rude questions.

Apropos baldness, I am reminded of a comment made by Eric Hoffer, the San Francisco longshoreman, political and social philosopher who in 1961 wrote "The True Believer": "We do not mind having our hair ruffled, but we will not tolerate any familiarity with the toupee that covers our baldness."

DEAR ABBY: As for the woman who objected to inquiries about her silicone-enlarged breasts, why should she object to the inquiries? She had them enlarged so they'd be more noticeable, didn't she?

Rather than put-downs and evasions, a better answer would be, "Yes, I've had them enhanced. Don't they look great!"

By the way, I'm a male who's almost 70. -- STILL LOOKING GREAT!

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RITZ Quiz Show PG-13 7:00 9:30 Higher Learning R 6:50 9:20 Major Payne PG-13 7:10 9:10



Chris Farley and David Spade TOMMY BOY PG-13 4:10-7:10 Jonathan Taylor Thomas MAN OF THE HOUSE PG 4:20-7:30

THE Daily Crossword by Raymond Hamel. Includes crossword puzzle grid and list of clues.

This date in history. Text about historical events on April 5, including the Mayflower, George Washington's veto, and Oscar Wilde's trial.

THE OUGMANS by Buddy Hickerson. Text about Ougmans and a character named Mr. Jowles.

Big Spring Herald advertisement with contact information, phone number (915) 263-7331, and fax number (915) 264-7205.

Advertisement for a crossword puzzle featuring a cartoon character and the text 'I'M AFRAID YOU HAVE WHAT WE CALL ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER, MR. JOWLES.'