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Fuqua in Austin on Settles funding mission

By CARLTON JOHNSON

Staff Writer

One of the many long-term projects on line for the city of Big-Spring is the renovation of the Settles Hotel.

City Manager Gary Fuqua is meeting with Sally Loveland of the New York-based National **Development Council in Austin** this morning to tackle the project's first major financial hurdle - the Texas Department of and Community Housing

Fuqua and Loveland are in

one of many possible funding sources for projects like the Settles Hotel.

During joint meeting with various city/county officials and community leaders in June, Loveland told said the state of Texas has what are called Housing Trust Funds for rural non-metropolitan communities whereby projects like the Settles Hotel, which is being renovated into an elderly housing complex, may receive partial funding of up to \$300,000.

"As an outsider looking in, I can't tell you how important it Spring's downtown area, and

Austin because the DHCA is is to work together as a community - a public/private partnership - on a project like this," Loveland said.

> The NDC, a non-profit firm specializing in economic development and affordable housing, has as been working with Big Spring officials since last fall on the Settles project.

> According to Loveland projects like the Settles have several benefits, including the opportunity to provide low-cost housing for seniors, a chance for the revitalization of areas like Big

they provide jobs.

Loveland, who has been in Big Spring several times since last August, said, 'People in Big Spring do want the settles Hotel redeveloped."

In September 1994 she was in town with construction engineers, environmental engineers. and an architect and after consulting with them determined the Settles is a structurally sound building.

Loveland has told community leaders she is excited about working on the Settles because it is similar to the Windsor

Hotel in Abilene, which the NDC helped renovate.

"A lot of things go into a project like this, but it takes people working together," Loveland said. "The proof in the pudding is the Windsor in Abilene (80apartment complex complete with a refurbished ballroom and

Financing for a project like the Settles Hotel is time consuming because there are several deadlines to be met when submitting applications.

Much of the last few weeks have been spent putting togeth-

er funding proposals for entities such as the DHCA and various other lenders and investors.

The complete renovation of the Settles Hotel project will cost approximately \$5.2 to \$5.3 million and will feature 60 apartment units ranging from \$275 per month to \$300 per month, a refurbished ballroom,

lobby, and penthouse. According to Loveland, within three months of securing the needed funds construction can begin on the project, but all necessary funds must be secured before the first shovel hits the dirt.

RAINING?!?



Gilbert Cobos finds himself at the business end of a bucket of water as USGA softball players, coaches and parents sponsored a car wash Saturday. The group washed over 150 cars, with all proceeds going toward the state tournament, which begins this

Attorneys working way toward jury pool of about 46

By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Writer

Eighteen people have been selected so far as potential jurors by prosecutors and defense attorneys in the capital murder trial of Levy Lee Edmondson Jr.

Attorneys began individual questioning of the pool of more than 120 potential jurors last Thursday. At least 46 jurors are needed before beginning preemptive strikes and seating a jury of 12 plus two alternates.

Depending on how jury selection progresses this week, testimony in the case could begin sometime next week.

State District Judge Robert Moore III has already stated he does not plan to sequester the jury once testimony begins.

Moore did add if he were to get any indication that a juror or jurors were not following his instructions to the letter, he could change his mind and the jury would be sequestered.

Once the court charges is read (instructing the jury) following evidence presentation, Moore said the jury will be kept together until a verdict is rendered.

Edmonsdon remains in the custody of the Howard County Jail under a \$500,000 bond.

Budget could make City Hall restructuring permanent fixture

By CARLTON JOHNSON

Staff Writer

City Manager Gary Fuqua is trying a temporary restructuring at City Hall by utilizing City Engineer Ralph Truszkowski and Personnel Director Emma Bogard in other areas.

Fuqua says the city will have to go through its budget process before he will be able to tell whether the temporary restructuring will become permanent.

"If this reorganization works out it can become permanent later on," Fugua said. "Ralph Please see CITY, page 2A

United Way kickoff breakfast Thursday

■ 1995-96 goal announced **Thursday**

By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Writer

United Way of Big Spring will begin its 1995-96 campaign with an 8 a.m. kickoff breakfast Thursday at Golden Corral.

Executive Director Carrol Jennings said Thursday's breakfast will be the initial meeting of volunteers who will work on the upcoming campaign.

Jennings added this is a special year because it will be the 50th Anniversary of the United Way in Big Spring. Campaign Chairman Steve

Jeter will announce the 1995-96 goal to about two dozen volun-Jennings added a greater

commercial division (small businesses) during the cam-The official kickoff for the

will be Sept. 7 at the First Unit-

ed Methodist Church's Garrett

emphasis will be placed on the 1995-96 United Way Campaign

Last year the United Way raised 91.5 percent of it goal of \$225,000, ending with a final donation total of \$205,900.

Agencies assisted by the United Way in 1995 included the Boys Club, \$32,484 plus \$1,216 in combined federal campaign designations; Buffalo Trail Council Boy Scouts, \$3,700; Rape Crisis & Victim Services, \$5,852 plus \$1,448 in combined federal campaign designations; Northside Community Center, \$11,850 plus \$1,050 in combined federal cam-Dora designations; Roberts Rehab Center, \$12,435 plus \$1,565 in combined federal campaign designations; YMCA, \$9,378 plus \$1,322 in combined



federal campaign designations; Westside Community Center, \$20,500; Westside Day Care Center \$21,000; and the Salvation Army, \$22,600.

Allocations by United Way of Big Spring totaled \$149,600 following the 1994-95 campaign.

Raise being considered for Mitchell County employees

By MARY MCATEER

Staff Writer

COLORADO CITY - A raise for county employees and maintaining tax rates were the principal subjects of discussion during budget workshops last week.

Mitchell County commissioners, meeting with department heads, determined that a raise for county employees will require budget cuts of 10 percent overall. A raise is being considered because county employees have not had a raise in three years.

The original figure for proposed raises was set at 5 percent, but that figure may have to be modified when the effective tax rate is received.

Commissioners met with the county librarian, justices of the peace, county clerk, district clerk, county treasurer, and assessor/tax collector to review budget requests. The assessor's budget will remain essentially the same, while the others may include minor adjustments.

Texas Trivia

What would famous missioned to do the Ballinger Cowboy and His Horse stathonoring Charles H. Noyes?

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WORLD/NATION

Nation: By the scores, they died quietly and alone, unseen in closed, stifling rooms in the midst of a teeming city. They were the most vulnerable victims of the heat that made Chicagoans sweat and fret for five days: the elderly. See page 4.

World: Bosnian Serbs encroaching on the enclave of Zepa launched a fierce artillery and mortar attack. See page 4.



STATE

School begins

They represent every region of the state. Many are law enforcement officers; all are entrepreneurs. Each hopes to grab a piece of the action when Texans begin applying for concealed-gun permits on Sept. 1. See page 3.

I-27 meeting

Cities from the Panhandle to the Permian Basin are tantalized by the prospect of highway upgrades off Ir terstate 27. See page 3.

Lightning strikes

A huge puff of black smoke rising from the Corpus Christi Ship Channel wound up being relatively harmless. See page 3.

TODAY'S WEATHER



Wednesday



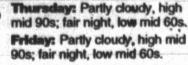




Mostly cloudy Tonight, mostly cloudy, 30 percent

chance of rain, low upper 60s, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph. **Permian Basin Forecast**

Wednesday: Partly cloudy, 20 percent chance of rain, high lower 90s; partly cloudy night, low upper



POLICE

8 a.m. Tuesday:

\$1,000 bond.

-MARK

ROBERT

The Big Spring Police Depart-

ment reported the following

during the 24-hour period begin-

ning 8 a.m. Monday and ending

·ROXANNE RODRIGUEZ,

21, of 2109 Main, was arrested

on Midland County Warrants

for theft. She was transferred to

the Howard County Sheriff's

Department and released on

GILBERT, 27, no address given,

was arrested for driving while

license suspended. He was

RIENERT, 20, of 2515 Albrook,

was turned over to the Depart-

LANO, 22, no address given,

was transferred to the Howard

County Sheriff's Department

ARRIAGA, 18, of 901 Douglas,

•MINOR ACCIDENT 500

block of Birdwell, 2300 block of

•THEFT 1100 block of N.

Lamesa, 3200 block of Drexel,

400 block of Gregg, 200 block of

ASSIST MOTORIST Gregg

•ABANDONED VEHICLE

•CRIMINAL TRESPASS 200

block of W. Marcy, 1100 block of

•BURGLARY OF A VEHI-

•SUSPICIOUS INVESTIGA-

TION 1300 block of E. Sixth, 300

block of E. Marcy, 200 block of

W. Marcy, Laurie and Parkway,

900 block of Mountain Park Dr.,

***BURGLARY OF A HABITA-**

JUVENILE PROBLEM 600

block of Scurry, 800 block of E.

DRAG RACING/RECKLESS

•CRIMINAL MISCHIEF 1500

•ANIMAL PROBLEM 600

•HARASSMENT 1900 block of

The Howard County Sheriff's

Department reported the follow-

ing during a 24-hour period

beginning 8 a.m. Monday and

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TRESPASS

1300 block of Gregg.
•FALSE ALARM Eastside.

TION 1700 block of Runnels.

•CRIMINAL

of W. Marcy.

W. Marcy.

block of McEwen.

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and released on \$1,500 bond.

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ment of Public Safety.

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600 W. I-20.

Nita Thomason

Services for Nita Thomason, 75, Big Spring, are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home & Chapel.

She died Monday, July 17, 1995, in a Stanton nursing home.

Arvill Cox

Services for Arvill F. Cox, 75, Snyder, were 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 18, 1995, in the Snyder Cemetery with Mr. Bud England officiating.

Mr. Cox died Saturday, July 15, in Snyder Health Care Cen-

He was born Sept. 7, 1919, in Ballinger. He married LouElla Stehle on Sept. 7, 1938, in Ballinger. Mr. Cox lived in Snyder since 1950 having moved there from Ballinger. He was a retired mechanic and owned and operated Quality Auto until his retirement.

Survivors include his wife: LouElla Cox, Snyder; three sons: Carroll Cox, Alvin, Hollis Cox. Midland, and Thomas Cox. also of Alvin; four daughters: Connie Tarter, Snyder, Nancy Gamboa, Big Spring, Laennis Stone, Midland, and Lou Harding, Snyder; one brother: J.P. Cox, San Angelo; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchil-

Arrangements under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home, Snyder.

Richard Burrow



BURROW

Rosary will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 19, 1995, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Rev. Danny Leary officiating, assisted by David King. Interment

Richard

Gregg Bur-

row, 33, of

Big Spring,

Sunday,

1995, at his

residence.

died

He was born on July 17, 1961,

will follow at Trinity Memorial

Park under the direction of Nal-

ley-Pickle & Welch Funeral

in Big Spring.

He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. He volunteered many hours to the Howard County Heritage Museum and was involved in the Dallas Museum of Arts and Natural History. He was a 1979 graduate of Big Spring High School and graduated from Howard College with an associate's degree in science and psychology. He had also attended East Texas State University in Commerce, Angelo State University and the University of Texas at Arlington where he studied archeology, anthropology and history. He managed the University of Texas Book Store in Arlington before moving back to Big Spring where he was employed by the Big Spring State Hospi-

Survivors include his parents, Richard and Sue Burrow of Big

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Jim Lunsford, 38, died Friday. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM Tuesday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Nita Thomason, 75, died Monday. Services are pending.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch **Funeral Home** and Rosewood Chapel 906 GREGG

267-6331

Richard Gregg Burrow, 33, died Sunday. Rosary will be at 7:30 PM Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be 10:00 AM Wednesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial

Jordan Michael Evans, 10, died Saturday. Graveside services will be 4:00 PM today at Trinity Memorial Park Mausoleum.

Spring; one sister, Tammy Rae Schrecengost of Big Spring; a brother and sister-in-law, Michael Don and Shelley Burrow of Big Spring; grandmothers, Trudy Juanice Carter and Effie Mae Montgomery, both of Big Spring; one nephew, Ethan Schrecengost of Big Spring; two nieces, Kristen and Magen Schrecengost of Big Spring; two uncles and one aunt, Troy Burrow of Lawn and Clyde and Labeth Montgomery of Big Spring; three cousins and an honorary grandfather, Corless

Osborn of Lawn. He was preceded in death by his grandfathers, B.J. Montgomery and J.M. Burrow, and a stepgrandfather, William (Cotton) Carter.

Pallbearers will be Bill Henry, Jim Weaver, Dan Day, William King, Marty Rice and Kenny Watkins. Honorary pallbearer will be Dan Vonfolger.

The family suggests memorials to the Heritage Museum of Howard County, 510 Scurry, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

Paid obituary

Jordan M. Evans

Jordan Michael Evans, 10, of Big Spring, died on Saturday, July 15, 1995, in a Fort Worth hospital. Graveside services

will be 4 p.m. Tuesday, July 18, 1995, at Trinity Memorial Park Mausoleum with Rev. Craig Rhoton, pastor of Olden Baptist Church, Olden, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He was born on April 25, 1985. in Big Spring.

He had attended Moss Elementary School, East Fourth Street Baptist Church and Living Water Church.

Survivors include his parents, Mike and Anna Evans of Big Spring; one sister, Ashton Evans of the home; one brother, Hutton Evans of the home; his grandparents, C.G. and Joyce Evans of Carlsbad, N.M., Patty Vaughn of Alvin and Bob and Mou Vick of Richardson; his great-grandmother, Gladys Nix of Carlsbad, N.M.; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Pallbearers will be Steve Evans, Scott Evans, Paul Vick, Steve Vick, Ted Young and Gary Vick.

The family suggests memorials to: The Special Education **Department at Moss Elementary** School, 3200 Fordham, Big Spring, Texas 79720 or Cooks Fort Worth Children's Hospital, 801 Seventh Ave., Fort Worth, Texas 76104.

Paid obituary

Continued from page 1

would maintain his new duties and Emma would maintain her duties as assistant city manager and personnel director and we would hire another director to oversee streets, sanitation, and parks."

Truszkowski has assumed the day-to-day supervision of the Utilities Department which includes distribution and collection lines, water treatment, code enforcement, and permits.

Bogard, who has been with the city for 22 years, is now interim assistant city manager and has also take on the duties as director of Streets, Parks. and Sanitation in addition to overseeing the city's airpark operations.

Fuqua added the reorganization has helped him by allowing him to get away from the day-to- August because the budget will day grind and into some of the city's long-term projects, includ- come," Fuqua said.

ing the budget.

As for the immediate future, Fuqua said he plans to have more retreats with the City Council, like the one in June, with the budget as the top priority. He added each of the city's departmental directors would be able to present their budgetary requirements to the council and from there the city could formulate a working bud-

"We're going through the budget process and reviewing what we have," Fuqua said.

He added the city will have to come up with a bottom-line budget and see if any new items or programs can be funded.

"I would like to have a budget to the council by the end of set the pace for us in the year to

West Texas couple sues Ag department over a loan snafu

LUBBOCK (AP) U.S. Department of Agriculture officials have been sued by a Muleshoe couple who feel they were left in the "frying pan" over a loan snafu.

Larry Kemp, 40, and Connie Kemp, 38, filed a federal lawsuit Monday against Ag Secretary Dan Glickman and George Ellis, state director of Rural Economic and Community Development.

The Kemps accuse the USDA's lending agency of misapplying a 1980 note payment and then treating their paid notes as default.

"I'm just tired of being run over," Kemp said Monday. "They've done wrong and they don't want to admit it."

The lawsuit seeks no monetary damages. Instead, it seeks to force a decision on the couple's application for loan restructuring through the **RECD**, formerly called Farmers Administration, FmHA.

"It will set a precedent if the federal judge rules the FmHA has to make its decisions timely," said Bill Arens of Morton, who represented the Kemps at an appeals hearing in March.

That hearing — in front of the USDA's National Appeals Divi-

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cy failed to act on the Kemps'

application within the required

Lubbock attorney Floyd Holder filed the lawsuit on behalf of the couple who raise corn and cotton near Muleshoe, about 80 miles northwest of Lubbock. The Kemps had been current on their loan payments until two paid-off notes resurfaced as in

> default and the FmHA threatened to foreclose in July 1993, the lawsuit says. "Plaintiffs have faced apocalypse now for two calendar

years and for three crop years because of an agency mistake," according to the lawsuit. "We don't have a very good

record over the past 10 to 12 years in meeting our time frames," Ellis said. "We've tried over the past couple of years to speed that up."

transferred to the Howard County Sheriff's Department and

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Celebrate the family Saturday

bration of Family Saturday at 6 p.m., Comanche Trail Park. Use the South entrance on US 87. Enter your family in the talent show. Categories are: musical (instrumental), vocal, skits, dance, stand-up comedy (keep it clean). Time will be limited to 7 minutes. Judging will be on originality, creativity, entertainment value and quality of presentation.

Donations sought for back-to-school program

ing to help students prepare for school scheduled to start Aug. 16 and is seeking donations and applications for their back-toschool program.

accepting applications for their school supplies program, begin-

ning July 17.

Needy children will be able to AND HARASSMENT 800 block

and a photo ID when applying

the week before school. Donations may be sent to the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth Street or P.O. Box 1248, Big

triathlon Saturday

Coca-Cola

The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce is preparing for the third Comanche Warrior

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The Salvation Army is prepar-

receive all the supplies needed to start school such as notebook paper, pens and pencils. Social Worker Danelle Castillo says they will take applications for one week and then review them to see who is eligible to receive

Clean up for

•PAUL TALAVERA surrendered on judgment to amend probation on aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. He was sentenced to the Substance Abuse Felony Punishment

•STRAY DOG Wilson Road. LOUD MUSIC 400 block of S.

area. Elderly man had car prob-

IN BRIEF

The organization will begin

Bring income information, list of expenses, social security cards for everyone in the home

The kits will be handed out

Spring, Texas, 79720.

Triathlon July 30 at Comanche Trail Lake.

PICK 3: 4, 4, 0

Volunteers are sought to help cleanup the area July 22. There will be a short organizational meeting at 10 a.m. and then work will proceed until com-

Volunteers are warned to be prepared to get wet and to wear a bathing suit or shorts and tennis shoes.

■ RECORDS

| Monday's temp. | 9: |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Monday's low | 7 |
| Average high | 9 |
| Average low | 7 |
| Record high | 112 in 1989 |
| Record low | 60 in 193 |
| Rainfall Monday | 0.0 |
| Month to date | 0.53 |
| Month's normal | 0.98 |
| Year to date | 12.8 |
| Normal for year | 9.7 |
| **Statistics not ava | ailable. |

SPRINGBOARD

To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79720; or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry.

TODAY

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

 Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6 p.m. Weigh-in, 5:30 p.m., College Heights Christian Church, 21st and Goliad. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

·Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241. •Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church,

10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers. Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting, 615 Settles.

 Disabled American Veterans & Auxiliary, 6:30 p.m., 2305 Austin, behind the Elks Lodge. Call Vicki Ditmore, 267-7437. TUESDAY

 Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food for area needy, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

·Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles. Voices support group, 3:45 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

 Spring City Senior Citizen Center, ceramics classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

•Big Spring Band Boosters, 7 p.m., band hall. Call Roxanne Wilson, 264-4840.

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ending 8 a.m. Tuesday:

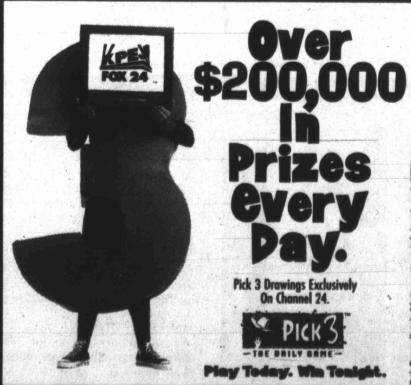
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Oct. cotton futures 77.30 cents a pound down 70 points; Aug. crude oil 17.18 cents down 2 points; cash hog steady at 48 cents even; slaughter steers steady at \$1 lower at 61 cents even; Aug. live hog futures 46.47, nc points; Aug. live cattle futures 62.55, down 7 points. Courtesy: Delta Commodities

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Civic leaders converge on Lubbock for I-27 hearing

LUBBOCK (AP) — Cities from the Panhandle to the Permian Basin are tantalized by the prospect of highway upgrades off Interstate 27.

Civic leaders from across West Texas will converge in Lubbock tonight to tout their routes for a freeway or improved highway north-south through the region.

A public hearing at 7 p.m. focuses on five corridors off I-27 the state's shortest interstate, linking Amarillo and Lubbock.

A showdown of sorts has built as boosters in each city spell out their advantages for freight and passenger traffic.

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"If the highway is built, it'll bring in business. It'll bring in an economic boost," said Pete Jacobs, senior transportation project manager for HDR Engineering Inc., a Dallas firm hired to study the matter. "Better Many are law enforcement offiroads will improve movement through there.'

ning coordinator for the Texas Department of Transportation, mits on Sept. 1. said she expects a fairly large turnout tonight.

A \$2.3 million study began in January and has identified five corridors as possible directions for an upgraded highway or freeway. Three of the proposals would extend I-27 south to I-10. Two other corridors run north of Amarillo.

The three corridors south of Lubbock are:

—Through Lamesa, between Midland and Odessa, are certified to teach other types ending east of Fort Stockton

Big Spring and San Angelo, ending either at Sonora or Junction -Through Sweetwater and

San Angelo, ending either at Sonora or Junction.



Texas Department of Public Safety Sgt. Star Riddle stands at right during the first session of the first firearms instructor's course created for the new concealed-guns law Monday in Austin. About 160 people from across the state gathered for the course which will teach them how to instruct gun owners under the new law.

First instructor course draws 160

sent every region of the state. cers; all are entrepreneurs. Each hopes to grab a piece of Peggy Thurin, statewide plan- the action when Texans begin applying for concealed-gun per-

On Monday, 160 would-be firearms instructors — armed with notebooks and pens packed the auditorium at the Department of Public Safety Training Academy for the state's first firearms instructor certification course.

"We're making history here, folks." DPS training Sgt. Starlane Riddle told the class.

The vast majority of the to trainees — 130 people — already of firearms courses. Still others -Through Lamesa, through have never taught a handgun class but know how to use a

But all see the new concealedguns law as an opportunity.

"I'm going to make some

have a duty if the citizens are going to be out there and they're going to be armed that they're going to be well-equipped and well-trained," said Don Davis, an officer at the Terrell Hills

San Antonio. Davis has taught firearms training to Terrell Hills police officers but never to civilians. He plans to instruct concealedgun permit applicants when

Police Department in suburban

he's off-duty. Anyone teaching the state's concealed-handgun course must be certified as an instructor by the DPS. Applicants pay a \$100 nonrefundable course fee and travel to Austin to attend the course, which varies in length

depending on experience. Those already are certified as firearms instructors undergo about 25 hours of instruction, while the others undergo 40

hours of training. The course includes class-

AUSTIN (AP) - They repremoney at it, but I also feel that I room and range instruction. Applicants have to pass a written exam and firing range test to be certified.

Steffanie Shepherd, a firearms instructor at A-1 Gun Safety Training in Dallas, is taking the 40-hour course along with her husband and another A-1 employee despite their experi-

"We really wanted to go for the 40-hour course to get as much information as we could from the DPS so we know exactly what we're doing," Mrs. Shepherd said.

"I want to know all the laws. I want to know everything that they have to teach us before we get licensed and before they (the public) get licensed to get but on the streets with a handgun," she

On the first day of the course, trainees were given a short quiz to determine their basic knowledge of handgun laws.

Lightning triggers explosion on barge

huge puff of black smoke rising from the Corpus Christi Ship Channel wound up being relatively harmless.

The cloud was caused by an explosion Monday triggered when a bolt of lightning struck a barge that was being loaded with a flammable substance.

Some nearby businesses were evacuated, although no one was injured. The major problem involved putting out the blaze because the barge was beyond the reach of regular fire fighting equipment.

The 195-foot-long barge was filled toluene, a flammable substance when the

Firefighters needed almost Sherwood Breaux.

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - A four hours to put out the blaze after a tugboat in the ship channel sprayed a combination of water and foam onto the barge.

Officials said toluene is a noncarcinogenic combustible component in gasoline, cleaning solvents, paint solvents and glue, officials said.

Buddy Stanley, the regional manager of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, said that although the pure product of toluene was toxic, the smoke was not very dangerous.

The 10,000-barrel, three-compartment barge was about half full when it was high by the lightning, said Southwestern Refining Co. plant manager

Privatizing base jobs could blunt the blow of closing

Clinton administration's bid to deflect some of the base-closings brunt from Texas and California by privatizing Air Force depots there may bode poorly for surviving depots elsewhere, some observers predict.

The Pentagon plan to privatize depot functions at Kelly Air Force Base in San Antonio and McClellan AFB in Sacramento, Calif., could force cutbacks or eventual privatization at the three remaining depots, two members of an independent base-closing commission sug-

The administration last week unveiled a blueprint that would retain thousands of jobs at the Kelly and McClellan depots in vote-rich Texas and California. In June, the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission recommended closing both

WASHINGTON (AP) — The in defiance of the Air Force's wishes, sparking outcries in the two states.

> Deputy Defense Secretary John P. White last week extolled the hastily assembled "privatization in place" plan, saying it would achieve the same savings as outright depot closure while protecting jobs.

> "That is going to be a real neat trick," Commissioner Josue Robles, a retired general who once was the Army's budget chief, said Monday. "I don't know how they are going to do that - and I've been in the money business a long time."

Robles, who voted to close McClellan but spare Kelly, and others contend shifting the two depots to the private sector would do little to address the fact that the Air Force has twice the maintenance capacity it

Residents asking for light at intersection where six killed

the intersection where a teen group's van slammed into a pickup truck, killing six and injuring seven, is dangerous and they have been asking city and county officials for a traffic

Police on Monday said they were continuing to investigate the Sunday afternoon crash.

"It was a difficult scene to work." said Jim Persons, a spokesman for Austin Emergency Medical Services. "Patients were stacked on top of each other, and there were additional patients under the van itself." Witnesses told police the van

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ting the truck broadside about 1 p.m. near McKinney State Park.

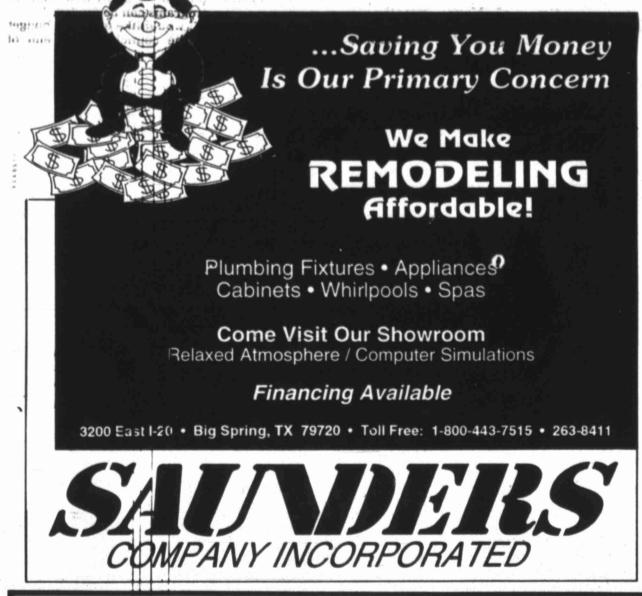
Investigators believe the van overturned on impact. Some of the victims were flung from the van, while fire department workers had to remove others from the vehicle, police said.

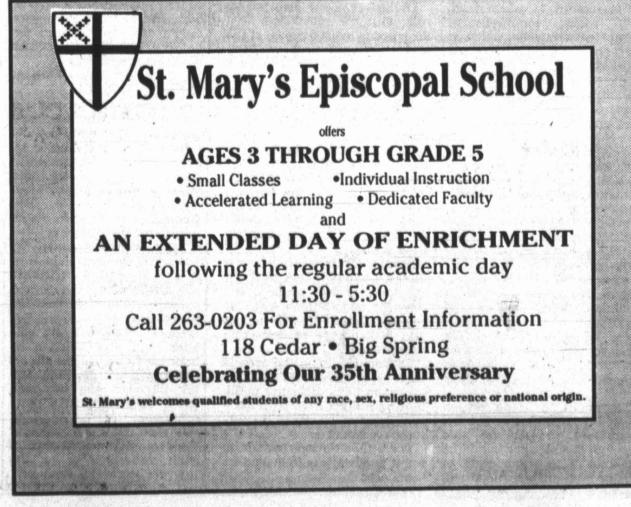
The group of teens are believed to have been members of a nondenominational Christian church group called the Family. The group had been traveling from New Orleans to Laredo on an evangelical trip.

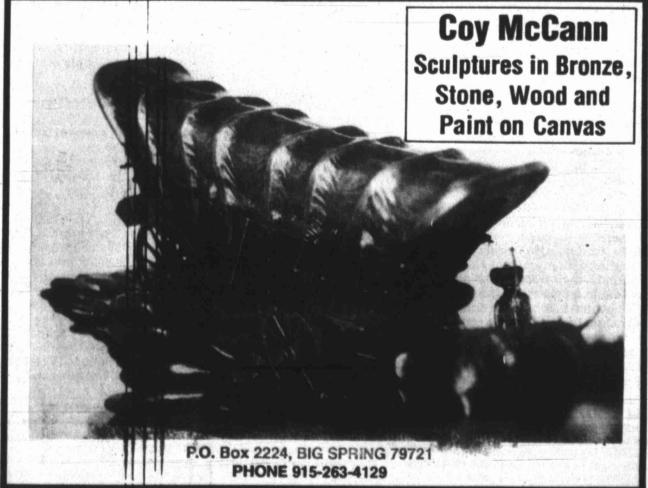
Police spokesman Burgess on Monday identified the victims as: Precious Oehler, 15, of New Orleans; Nina Wickenheiser, 17, of Montreal, Canada; Victoria Korkames, 14, also believed to be of New Orleans; and Kristina Hope Noell, 16, of

Rhonda L. Harris, 45, of Cedar Creek, whose birthday was Sunday and was a passenger in the pickup truck, died later at Brackenridge Hospital. Katrina Oehler, 14, of New Orleans and sister to Precious Oehler, also The group stopped to camp at died at the hospital, said police McKinney Falls State Park in spokeswoman Ann Taylor.









Quote of the Day

Speech is the golden harvest that followeth the flowering of thought."

M.F. Tupper, poet and dramatist, 1839

Congratulations, Marj

"t's not every day someone from Big Spring represents our town on a national or even worldwide level. But thanks to Marj Carpenter, now we have just such representation.

Of course, Carpenter, who has been elected moderator of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), isn't just representing us. She will represent the entire church, both within the church itself and to oth-

Still, what pride we can have knowing that a local resident, who will still maintain her home base here, is filling that prominent position.

Such attention is nothing new to Carpenter, who was once nominated for a Pulitzer Prize in journalism and who has traveled and spoken extensively for years representing the Presbyterian Church in other capacities.

However, she is excited by the possi-

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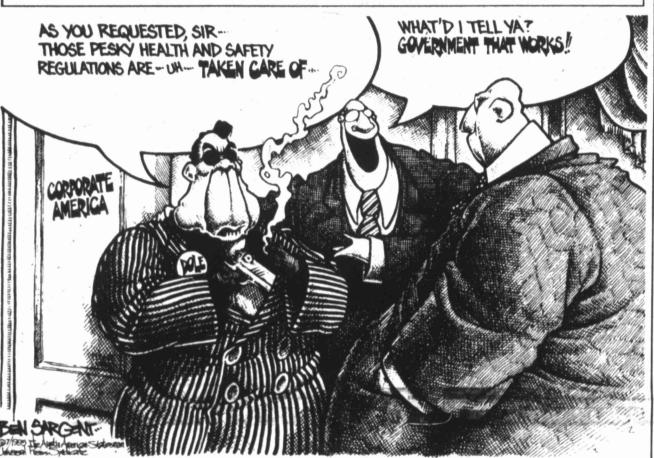
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bilities and challenges this position presents, and it's very exciting for all of us as well. We may or may not share her religious denomination or view of the church, but we can admire the quality and quantity of achievement one of our own has attained.

It never hurts, especially with attempts to attract Interstate 27 and other businesses, to have someone who, in nationwide and worldwide speeches and dealings, can say, "I'm from Big Spring, Texas.

Congratulations, Marj. You've done your hometown proud.



Germany, Japan got off easy

President Clinton is being bashed by Republicans and some veterans because he is

ing normal diplomatic relations with Vietnam. But I don't understand wh they are so upset. It's been 22 years since we

Mike Royko Columnist

dragged ourselves out of that mess of a war. And that's a long, long time to hold a grudge.

Some might disagree. But once the fighting is over, nations can bury the hatchets and patch up their differences faster than a lot of divorced couples.

Consider World War II, the most terrible conflict in this angry planet's history, which, fortunately, we won. Or so it appeared at the time.

We had ample reason to be angry at the defeated Japan and Germany.

The sneak attack on Pearl Harbor was just for starters. The Japanese didn't think much of the Geneva Convention's rules of war.

Starting with the Bataan Death March, they treated prisoners like so many lab rats. In fact, they used American prisoners for sickening medical experiments. When their scientists wanted to do research on treating abdominal gun shot wounds, their doctors just shot a hole in a prisoner's stomach to see how much shock and bleeding he could withstand.

We executed and imprisoned some Japanese war criminals. But not nearly as many as deserved to have their necks

stretched. In many cases, it was not politically expedient. So how long did we hold a

grudge? Twenty-two years, as with the Vietnamese? Not even close. In 1951, only

six years after Japan surrendered, we ended our official winner's occupation. We signed a peace treaty and became diplomatic chums.

Beyond having our diplomats remove their shoes at the door and sip weak tea, we gave Japan a democratic form of government, billions in loans and agreed to protect them

from their enemies. All this financial and military help led to their present status as an economic superpower, since they could use their resources to build better TV sets, radios, oil tankers and

If Japan had won, would they have been that nice to us? I doubt it. Most likely, they would have used our spacious lands to satisfy their frustrated national craving for golf. And today you, me and Bill Clinton would be toting golf bags for stumpy-legged Samurai car

dealers. That's why I was suspicious of our quick peace deal with the Japanese. What is the sense of fighting and winning a long war if the loser ends up with a better standard of living than the winner? Even today, a decent American Cadillac owner knows he will have squeaks and rattles before some unpatriotic Lexus driver.

What humiliation. If we had the arrogance of the ancient Greeks, Romans and Mongols, who knew how to plunder and enslave, every American veteran of WWII would have had his own indentured Japanese gardener. Imagine how lovely Rolling Meadows, in suburban Chicago, would have looked with all

those cute little Japanese dwarf

Then we have Germany. I love Germans. My grown children are more German than anything else.

But in WWII, it was as if they had a need to compensate for the cultural civility of Bach, Goethe and Beethoven. So they gave us a little pervert like Hitler.

How long did it take for us to give them diplomatic forgive-

By 1951, we had opened diplomatic channels. That's only six years after our shocked GIs found German death camps filled with the bones of every European minority group that wasn't tall and blue-eyed and blond.

Once again, we didn't know how to enjoy our victory. If we had, every American vet would have had his own German car mechanic and a tall, leggy Aryan cook.

But I'm not sure about the cook. Italy, in its carefree way, was part of Hitler's evil Axis. But the moment an American GI tossed a can of Spam in anger, the entire Italian army quit.

Even before the war ended, Italy signed a secret surrender pact. It is said that they promised to give us their best recipe for pasta carbonarra in exchange for clemency and the right to control the sale of icecones on Taylor Street in Chicago.

There was also the Civil War which I won't get into for fear of offending beady-eyed stumpjumpers. Abe Lincoln was a forgiving guy, considering that the South took revenge by giving us grits and Elvis' ade-

So let bygones be bygones. And if they build golf courses in Vietnam, who needs Florida. (C) 1995 Tribune Media Services

KILLER HEAT

Heat's invisible killer stalks most vulnerable - elderly

OUT FRONT

CHICAGO (AP) - By the scores, they died quietly and alone, unseen in closed, stifling rooms in the midst of a teeming

They were the most vulnerable victims of the heat that made Chicagoans sweat and fret for five days: the elderly.

"When I die, I know what hell is like if I go there," said Alva Rodriguez, who was unable to resuscitate her 95-year-old neighbor and whose own apartment registered a 117-degree temperature Friday.

While the mercury rose to 106 degrees, those closeted inside with windows closed - even storm windows on - faced temperatures far higher. Many elderly people, too ill or too proud to leave homes that had virtually no cooling systems, succumbed to the heat without ever going outside.

The toll from last week's heat wave was just becoming apparent Monday to rescue workers and neighbors as they checked on the solitary elderly.

Here are some of their stories:

At age 87, Mabel Swanson rarely ventured outside her apartment. After a fall last year, she needed a walker and could barely inch her way from room to room. On Thursday, she refused neighbor Gaby Kuhn's offer to spend the night in the Kuhn family's air-conditioned apartment. "She had her own pride," said

Mrs. Kuhn, who helped set up fans in Miss Swanson's kitchen, gave her a cold washcloth and made sure the windows were open. "It wasn't that hot in her apartment." In a city accustomed to bone-

numbing cold, Thursday marked a different weather extreme: The temperature rose to a suffocating 106 degrees.

On Friday, Mrs. Kuhn fouOHt Oable set for dinner, the lights were on, she hadn't even taken her evening pills yet." Mrs. Kuhn recalled Monday. "She had a cordless phone in the (walker's) basket so she could speed-dial me. ... She must have collapsed there and didn't have the strength to get to it."

Mae Danielson was a shy widow who at age 95 was still spry, still putting on makeup and doing her own laundry. She lived in the same Polish neighborhood for 47 years and always kept the chain latched across her door, even when talking to neighbors.

On Thursday, next-door neighbor Alva Rodriguez loaned her a fan, but Mrs. Danielson returned it minutes later.

"She told me she didn't want to catch a cold. She said she

She found Mrs. Danielson on her bed with her eyes and mouth open. She tried repeatedly to resuscitate her; police told Miss Rodriguez her neighbor

Alva Rodriguez stands outside her Chicago apartment where

the temperature rose to 117 degrees Friday. Rodriguez was

unable to resuscitate her 95-year-old neighbor, Mae Danielson

died on the way to the hospital. Her body temperature was 106 degrees. "She didn't have nobody but the neighbors," Miss Rodriguez of stairs, many to said, her eyes swelling with tears. "She was a very lonely

person so I tried to look after

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Rodriguez recalled Monday.

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ple out there." Walter Waiter, 81, lived on the second floor of a two-story frame home with peeling storm windows that were kept on year-round. His friend and poker partner, Fred R. Gunther,

89, lived downstairs. Waiter's family was in Indiana, Gunther said, so "he came down to my place all the time" to play poker and drink a little

Next-door neighbor Helen Navarro checked on the men frequently, but didn't see Waiter after mid-day Thursday. Ten minutes after a power failure Friday, she went to his apart-

would die of the cold," Miss floor in sweltering heat. Authorities said he probably died Thursday.

"It wasn't for a lack of power Danielson as she headed to the that he died, it was for not opening his windows," she said. grocery store. Ten minutes later her neighbor's phone ringing

In any disaster, there are ordinary people who accomplish extraordinary deeds. Julio Martinez is one of them.

When the power failed Friday at the Kenmore Apartments on the North Side, the 67-year-old retired truck driver hooked a flashlight to his belt and carried several ailing neighbors on his back, up and down eight flights

"You've got to be strong, you've got to have good legs to do that," he said with a laugh Monday.

Many residents of the seniorcitizen building are Korean immigrants who helped him when he moved in eight years ago. Now, he is returning the favor. "This is my family here," said Martinez, head of local tenants advisory council. "We are close. We share."

On Monday morning, despite his valiant efforts — and that of the building janitor — there more tragedy: A wheelchair-bound woman was found dead in her apartment, the second heat victim in the

"Looks to me like people don't care too much about old people," Martinez said.



ment and found him dead on the

Serbs encroach on Zepa

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Bosnian Serbs encroaching on the enclave of Zepa launched a fierce artillery and mortar attack on the town itself today, an apparent attempt to wither its defenses and force its capitulation. Fearing Zepa could fall, Bosni-

an President Alija Izetbegovic on Monday proposed talks with enemy Serbs on the evacuation of elderly and wounded civilians. But there was no response from the Serbs, who demanded last week that government defenders surrender and begin evacuating civilians from the U.N. "safe area."

Serbs were shelling Zepa town, the heart of the enclave, but there were no reports of troop movements, said U.N. spokesman Rida Ettarashany.

Serbs have broken through the edge of the enclave and advanced to within a mile of the town. After a strong attack reported by the United Nations on Sunday, U.N. spokesmen said no advances were made Monday.

The attack on Zepa, which began Friday, followed the fall of another U.N.-designated "safe area," Srebrenica, to the Serbs last week. Tens of thousands of Muslim civilians were deported.

Zepa, a remote area about 30 miles from Sarajevo, is home to between 10,000 and 16,000 peo-

The government proposal to talk with the rebels appeared designed to avert a repeat of the atrocities said to have been committed by Serbs after they seized Srebrenica. The rebels have denied the allegations.

The Bosnian president met twice with the U.N. commander for Bosnia, Gen. Rupert Smith, to discuss evacuation plans. The top U.N. official in former Yugoslavia, Yasushi Akashi, said today that if the Bosnian government requested assistance, the United Nations would do "whatever it can to facilitate their wishes."

Bosnian Serb television predicted it would take a week for the town to fall. Izetbegovic's offer for negotiations with the rebels indicated the government was losing hope of defending the enclave.

Information from the area is sketchy. Government ham radio operators have difficulty maintaining contact even with Sarajevo, radio operators in the capital have said.

The United Nations has admitted it is powerless to defend its

American enginees released from Iraq

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) Two American engineers, freed after four months in one of Iraq's most notorious prisons, said Monday they were angry at being jailed "for nothing" after straying across the border from Kuwait.

But one of them, William Barloon, declared: "Everybody's done a great job and we're just so happy to be looking at all of you right now."

He and David Daliberti, 42, arrived in Amman dressed in blue jeans, T-shirts and sneakers just after noon Monday, escorted by Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., who negotiated their release.

They were pardoned by Iraqi President Saddam Hussein on Sunday after Richardson met him in Baghdad and appealed to him to free the Americans.

Tense, exhausted and pale after their ordeal and a 12hour drive across the desert highway from the Iraqi capital, Baghdad, the two men spoke cryptically at a news conference.

It was not clear whether their reticence was because of their weariness or on the instructions of U.S. Embassy.



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Autopsy technicians move bodies into refrigerated trucks at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office Monday in Chicago. Bodies were backed up outside the morgue throughout the weekend and Monday as the heat-related death toll may climb as high as 300 after several days of brutally hot weather.

Temperatures reach brutal, lethal levels

■ Death toll in Chi-town expected to reach nearly 300

CHICAGO (AP) - The warnings were gentle as the heat wave steamrolled the Midwest: "Stay cool" and "Drink plenty of fluids." But while health officials offered old remedies for beating the heat, hundreds of people were dying.

Anguished city officials and residents were trying to determine how a heat wave could take almost as many lives in one city as flood, lightning, nadoes and hurricanes take nationwide every year.

By late Monday, 179 people had died, most of them poor and elderly. When all the bodies are counted, the death toll is expect-

ed to reach 300. 'The sheer number of people dying shows that not everything that could have been done was done," said Jennifer/Neary, director of Metro Seniors in

cy group. "If the city can dispatch snowplows in anticipation of a snowstorm, they could do something

about this," she said. Chicago is known for its bonechilling winters, not for its sultry, sweat-soaked summers. The suffocating heat that blanketed the city for much of last week caught many people unpre-pared, including city officials.

The city never declared a heat emergency, even though last week's forecasts called for dangerously hot weather.

"I think the number of deaths has taken everyone by surprise," said Noelle Gaffney, a spokeswoman for Mayor Richard M. Daley. "Certainly we've had extreme weather before."

Nearly all of the deaths occurred in small, older homes in mostly poor areas of the city. Many elderly victims lived alone, without air conditioning.

Their bodies, weakened by age or illness, may have failed to warn them that they were dangerously dehydrated, said Gary McCray, assistant professor of geriatrics at Loyola University Medical Center.

"The temperature regulation mechanism is less responsive in older people than in younger people," he said.

The City Council and the mayor will hold hearings on the crisis. An official explanation of the city's response won't be known for weeks.

Several factors are emerging, including the city's inability to anticipate the heat's deadly threat and the lack of resources and mobility for the victims.

The Windy City's average July temperature is 84 degrees; it had not recorded a 100-degree day since 1991. The city did not urge people to check on their elderly neighbors until Sunday, three days after temperatures soared higher than 100.

Action, a senior citizen advoca-



Agriculture Department will have to tighten its farm lending practices under a farm bill proposal being considered today by the Senate Agriculture Commit-

The measure is aimed at preventing further losses for a program that has cost taxpayers more than \$12 billion since 1989.

Senate committee planned to write the credit, trade, research and rural development parts of the farm bill this week.

On Monday, House Republicirculated legislation under which farmers could receive a fixed, annual payment regardless of commodity prices in place of the current myriad of farm programs.

"What we're trying to address here is the frustration of the farmer not knowing from year to year what's going to happen with the farm program," said House Agriculture Committee Chairman Pat Roberts, R-Kan.

The Senate bill would remove legal restrictions that have prevented the department from quickly selling 660,000 acres it acquired through foreclosed

In rewriting the credit portions of the law, the committee aims at targeting loan money to beginning farmers while cutting off those who habitually borrow from the government.

The committee still must write the more controversial, far more expensive portions dealing with farm programs, including crop and export subsidies, and nutrition programs, including food stamps.

Although the farm bill typically has covered five years, the Senate committee is writing a seven-year bill to dovetail with

budget-balancing legislation. In the House, Roberts said Monday that his draft "Freedom to Farm Act" would make farm spending more consistent, other factors.

reduce government bureaucracy and allow farmers to use more land as they see fit.

Farmers also would no longer have to idle acreage to qualify for subsidy payments and would not have to continually plant the same crops to protect their bases - a key element in figuring subsidies today.

The GOP budget resolution passed by Congress calls for \$13 billion in farm program spending reductions over the next seven years. Roberts acknowledged the annual payment under his bill would decline as Congress moves toward a balanced federal budget by 2002.

But, he said, farm programs are likely to continue to shrink anyway and always will face attack from critics who see them as a form of welfare.

The new program would cap farm payments, which will cost about \$10 billion this year but can fluctuate wildly depending on world markets, weather and

by Smith admissable

UNION, S.C. (AP) - A sobbing Susan Smith knelt on the floor, prayed with a sheriff and asked for a gun to kill herself before telling suspicious officials the truth: she had killed her boys.

During a hearing Monday to determine the admissibility of statements Ms. Smith made to authorities, Union County Sheriff Howard Wells detailed how Ms. Smith broke down Nov. 3 in a room at the First Baptist Church and admitted drowning 3-year-old Michael and 14-month-old Alex.

"She said, 'You don't understand. My children are not all right," Wells said. "That was the first incriminating statement Susan made in my presence."

Circuit Judge William Howard ruled the statements were all admissible.

Opening statements begin today in Ms. Smith's double. murder trial.

Also Monday, Howard dismissed juror Gail Beam and ordered her jailed for contempt after discovering she had failed to disclose a checkkiting conviction. Beam, the only black woman on the panel, said her daughter filled out her jury questionnaire and that she had not read it.

Howard replaced her with one of two alternates and said he would continue with only one alternate juror. The jury now consists of five white men, four black men and three white women.

New meat inspection program could be derailed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Warning against more outbreaks of deadly food poisoning, consumer and food safety group's are mobilizing against a Republican congressman's plan to derail the government's new meat inspection program.

"We're doing meat and poultry inspections with scientific methods that haven't been updated since 1906," said Donna Rosenbaum, a founder of the California-based Safe Tables Our Priority.

Rep. James Walsh, R-N.Y., agrees the Agriculture Department's inspection procedures are outdated and should be replaced. But he contends the new proposals would be an

unfair and expensive burden to would replace the current carthe industry, especially small businesses.

"All parties agree the proposed higher standards of meat and poultry inspections are needed," Walsh wrote in a guest editorial published Monday in USA Today.

"I believe my amendment will put new standards in place sooner than the administration's mandate — without delay due to litigation," he said.

Walsh's amendment is a single paragraph inserted into a 150-page report on an agriculture funding bill scheduled for House debate later this week.

USDA earlier this year proposed new regulations that

cass-by-carcass meat and poultry inspections with a more scientific approach. The rules would require bacterial testing, improved sanitation practices and changes in the way meat is handled and stored.

Much of the meat industry is united against the proposals, maintaining they're unneeded, ineffective and too expensive.

"We're concerned they've oversold the potential of this proposed regulation," said Janet Riley, a spokeswoman for the American Meat Institute. "In addition, the impact on small business would be devas-

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Got an item?

Cowboys eager to regain key to NFL throne room

lessons Barry Switzer learned during his first season as head coach of the Dallas Cowboys was the importance of keeping his team healthy.

To protect his players from contact as long as possible. Switzer delayed the opening of training camp. Instead, he asked players to attend a quarterback school that began Monday.

Some Cowboys, though, have gotten a jump on Switzer. They've spent the offseason dedicating themselves to being in top condition, just one of many ways they say Dallas can regain the mantle of being the NFL's top team.

"It's something that's on our minds," said running back Emmitt Smith, whose injured hamstrings limited the Cowboys at times last season. "I think a lot of players worked very hard in the off-season to get their bodies in shape and get prepared to go through a long season.

Receiver Michael Irvin is considered among the most dedicated players. He's been seen best for Sherman Williams,"

pads in the hot Texas heat as part of his effort to add speed and reduce weight.

Irvin's extra work is aimed at sending his teammates the mesfourth straight trip to the NFC Championship game.

"It truly doesn't feel like a season if you're not in the Super Bowl," said Irvin, seeking a third NFL title game in

"We've got the talent - all we've got to do is get it together," said linebacker Robert Jones. "We want it."

An expected slew of Monday signings didn't materialize. The only draft pick the team brought aboard was Dana Howard, the team's fifth-round selection out of Illinois. The team also released running back Lincoln Coleman.

Among Dallas' unsigned are top draft pick Sherman Williams. He's reportedly in town but waiting for a contract deal before he begins working

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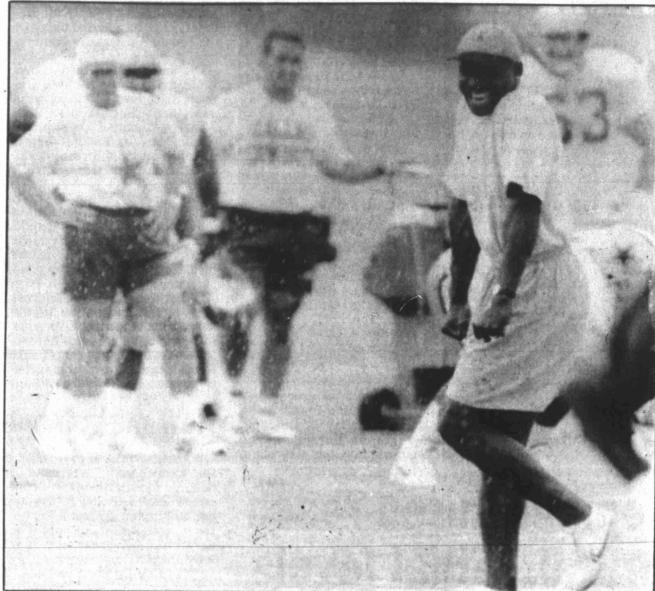
IRVING (AP) - One of the running all out while wearing Smith said. "He needs to stay in top shape and he needs to stay in touch with someone down at training camp and talk about plays. I think that by being in some of the minisage that he won't settle for a camps, he's had the opportunity to learn the basics.

> The Cowboys continue the minicamp at Valley Ranch through Wednesday, then they'll head to Austin for training camp.

One incident Monday that caught everyone by surprise was an overzealous fan who hopped a fence and approached quarterback Troy Aikman.

Aikman appeared stunned and began backpedaling to avoid the woman. Linda Oxley, 42, of Fort Worth was restrained by trainer Jim Maurer and Irving police charged her with misdemeanor trespassing.

"It caught me by surprise," said Aikman, who had been preparing to run a series of 110yard sprints. "We all (players) run across different kinds of people. They might be harmless, but you try to take it seri-



Dallas' Michael Irvin reacts to the sudden downpour during the team's mini-workout Monday in Irving. The rain only delayed the workout.

Astros' star of the future needs to work on temper

TUCSON, Ariz. - On the surface, it appeared a perfect fit.

The Astros, having dealt Ken Caminiti to San Diego in the offseason, needed a third baseman. And Phil Nevin, after two years of toil at the hot spot for the Class AAA Tucson Toros, thought he had little left to prove in the minors and itched for a shot in Houston.

But the only fit has been the

Colorado when, after 18 games, Astros general manager Bob Watson and manager Terry Collins informed the No. 1 pick of the June 1992 draft he was being sent back to the minors.

The decision ended a trying three weeks for Nevin, who hit just .118 (7-for-60) in his stint with the Astros. But if Nevin thought that stretch was bad, he's really feeling the heat after one Nevin threw July 5 in his profanity-laced tirade closed doors that I said to Bob made me feel bad.

reached the media. The Sports Illustrated, illustrated, a dark side of his nature Nevin ly — to control.

"Yeah, I was angry but it but if I offended him as a was something that was behind human being, then that's what

against Watson and Collins' and Terry," said Nevin, who has been placed on the disabled tantrum, which has been list with pulled rib-cage musreported in nearly every publicles retroactive to July 12: cation that covers baseball. "We're talking about my life from the Las Vegas Star to and my job, here. I did say some things that probably weren't good, but I called Bob and apolstruggles — often unsuccessful—ogized about it — not because I wanted to kiss up or anything, proportion. He cites one news-

"Like they said, that's something I need to work on, but that was my initial reaction to something. It hit me the wrong way and my reaction was a little over (the line).

Nevin takes exception to all the accounts he thinks have blown a bad situation out of paper account that quoted ...

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United States kicks Mexico to gain America Cup semis

PAYSANDU, Uruguay (AP) -The United States, a guest at the South American championships, is suddenly a guest who refuses to go home.

Once pushovers in international soccer, the Americans were invited to the 12-nation America Cup with the expectation they would be gone after the first round.

That has changed in a hurry. Following its big victory over Argentina last week, the United States received stellar goalkeeping from Brad Friedel to beat Mexico 4-1 on penalty kicks Monday night after regulation ended with the score 0-0. The Americans advanced to the semifinals of the America Cup, one of soccer's showcases.

"A lot of people were talking about last time we were in Copa America and didn't win a game," U.S. midfielder John Harkes said. "For us to come this far as a team together the full squad, everyone pulling together - it's one of the biggest triumphs ever for the U.S. side."

"People talk about the World Cup - OK, it's on a bigger stage and we beat Colombia but to win successfully like we have and go this far in the

or us to come this far as a team together - the full squad, everyone pulling together — it's one of the biggest triumphs ever for the

John Harkes

U.S. side.

Copa America is unreal." A jolt of reality could await. The United States faces a rematch with World Cup champion Brazil in Thursday night's semifinal at Maldonado. In last summer's World Cup, the United States lost 1-0 to Brazil in the second round.

Brazilians The Argentina, the two-time defending champions, in Monday night's other quarterfinal in Rivera, winning 4-2 on penalty kicks after regulation ended 2-2. Brazil yielded its first goals of the tournament.

The other America Cup semifinal is Uruguay vs. Colombia on Wednesday night in Montevideo.

Pro-Am spots taken

By DAVE HARGRAVE

You can mark time by watching the annual summer sporting events in Big Spring. This week is the junior rodeo, and Sunday week will be the triathlon.

But there's more - one of the more successful events in recent years is the Summerfest Pro/Am golf tournament, which will be July 30-31 at the Big Spring Country Club. The event is the major fund-raiser for Dora Roberts Rehabilitation

How successful is the tournament? Well, BSCC golf pro Lanny Turrentine said the Pro/Am field already is filled for this year - the 120 spots (90 amateur, 30 professional) are taken. Players still have a chance to enter - they can call the BSCC and be put on a stand-by list - but there are no guarantees.

Though you need not be a golfer to help the DRRC, golf and the center have gone handin-hand. This is the seventh consecutive year a golf tournament has been the DRRC's primary fund-raiser - the first year offered an amateur event, which was then upgraded to the Pro/Am.

The DRRC uses the money raised from the Pro/Am mainly for its scholarship fund - it awards scholarships to physical therapy majors in college, and in return those students

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Eric Wynalda (11) of the United States battles for the ball with Mexico's Jorge Rodriguez during their quarterfinal game of the America Cup Monday in Paysandu, Uruguay.

SHOT OF THE DAY



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baseball Kansas City outfielder Chris James jumps against the Fenway Park wall in Boston as he tries to make a play on a double by Boston's Mike McFarlane Monday.

Smash-mouth

TEXAS SPORTS

Rangers call up Buechele

ARLINGTON (AP) - Longtime Rangers third baseman Steve Buechele was scheduled to make his return to the ballclub for Monday's home game against the Baltimore Orioles, the team announced.

To make room, fellow third baseman Luis Ortiz has been optioned to the team's Triple A farm club in Oklahoma City.

Buechele, 33, was signed by the Rangers last Wednesday and had played three games for the 89ers. He hit 4-for-13 in that span, doing all of his damage Sunday by going 4-for-5 with a home run and three RBIs.

He had been released by the Chicago Cubs July 6 after batting .189 in limited action. He spent most of June sidelined by a strained side before he was simultaneously activated and cut by the team.

NATION/WORLD

Racing legend dies

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) - Juan Manuel Fangio, a five-time world auto racing champion, died at the age of 84.

Fangio won 24 Grand Prix races out of 51 in which he started, the seventh highest victory total of all-

More Americans bow out

ST ANDREWS, Scotland (AP) - Americans Tom Lehman and Kenny Perry withdrew from the British Open, upping the number to five players from the United States who have pulled out of the tourna-

Others not playing at St. Andrews are Fred Couples, Fuzzy Zoeller and Hale Irwin.

ON THE AIR

Baseball

Major League Baltimore at Texas, 7:30 p.m., PRIME (ch. 29). Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 6:35 p.m., WTBS (ch. 11).

Boxing

Trevor Berbick vs. Chris Byrd, 8 p.m., USA (ch. 38).

Cycling

Tour de France, 2 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30). Tuesda

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Texas clubhouse mix between a video store and pep rally

f it takes an inspirational poster to get a major-league baseball player charged for a game, we're in a world of

The home clubhouse at The Ballpark in Arlington has enough motivational messages on the walls, you'd think the Texas Rangers were a highschool out-

You've heard them before, in various contexts: "Texas Ranger Pride."



better than your best day at work." "Failing to prepare is prepar-

'It's not what's on the back of the jersey that counts, it's what's on the front."

All these signs jump at you from the walls, above the players' lockers. Seriously, do these guys need this? They've made a life out of playing baseball - if they need these visual

reminders, send them packing. The Rangers even have a sign on their clubhouse wall that says, "Let's Win!"

So that's the objective! And all these years we thought base-

Baltimore Orioles manager Phil

Regan emptied his bullpen —

But on Monday night, his

succession of relief pitchers

Rangers. Six Orioles hurlers

held the Rangers hitless over

the final eight innings of

Baltimore's 3-2 victory in 13

Rafael Palmeiro provided the

game-winning blow in the 13th

inning. The Orioles first base-

man sent a pitch from Texas

reliever Dennis Cook into the

"It always feels good when

you hit a home run to win the

game, but the key was our

bullpen. That's what really won

the game for us," Palmeiro

Regan noted that he used all

"This is what you'd call a

team effort. We had nobody

left," Regan said. "I have confi-

dence in my bullpen. Each guy

After a shaky start by both

starters - Kevin Brown for

Baltimore and Bob Tewksbury

for Texas — the game turned

into a pitching duel. Brown

retired nine of 10 batters after a

wild first two innings in which

he walked four and gave up a

He exited after 90 pitches,

including Rusty Greer's 408-foot

homer leading off the sixth

Meanwhile, after giving up

two leadoff singles to Brady

Anderson and Bret Barberie

that led to a run. Tewksbury

set down 19 of the next 20 he

faced. He left with a 2-1 lead in

Then

Call or See

has done a terrific job.

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and that often means trouble.

(AP)

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ball was just some big exercise movement, like Jazzercise.

Or the John Kruk Diet Plan. At least the Rangers can take refuge from the idiotic rah-rah reminders in a place called Movieville. Near the center of the clubhouse is the television. and next to it is a cabinet about the size of Wilt Chamberlain. It's labeled Movieville, and it's filled with probably any movie you'd want to see.

Great for rain delays. Movieville is complete with movie posters, only these posters must meet one requirement. They must be about baseball, which is why the Ranger clubhouse has posters from "Fear Strikes Out," "The Stratton Story," "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" and "Kill the

That last one is probably their favorite.

For the All-Star Game last week, the Ranger clubhouse could have passed for a sports memoribilia store. You think fans are the only ones who go ga-ga over players' autographs?

Think again. Nearly every player had one of his jerseys signed by every All-Star - both National League and American League. Players would sign five or 10 jerseys - Lee Smith could be seen toting a Hideo Nomo jersey over his back - then pass them to the next guy.

Then there was The Table. This sports collector's Mecca

Rangers fall in 13 innings;

Houston downs Dodgers

BASEBALL

the match of Baltimore's.

knocked out Tewksbury.

Houston 3

Los Angeles 1

unpleasant flashback.

The Orioles got the tying run

off reliever Ed Vosberg in the

eighth on a double by

Anderson, scoring pinch-hitter

Jeff Huson, whose single

LOS ANGELES (AP) - After

watching Delino DeShields

come up with two men on in

the ninth inning, Craig Biggio

and Houston Astros manager

Terry Collins shared the same

Last season, almost to the

day, DeShields hit a game-win-

ning three-run homer off reliev-

er John Hudek. But Monday

night, with Hudek on the dis-

abled list because of circulation

problems in his right arm.

Todd Jones retired DeShields

on a popup with runners at the

corners to preserve a 3-1 victo-

"He took a swing at it, too,"

Biggio said with a relieved

grin. "Todd throws in the

upper 90s. He took a good cut at

it. Todd's been struggling over

his last two outings, so this

was a big one for him. This'll

get his confidence back a little

bit and get him back on the

National League MVP Jeff

Bagwell already is back on

track, following a dreadful

start. After homering in three

consecutive games for the

fourth time in his career, he

drove in the tie-breaking run

on Monday with a broken-bat

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right track."

had bats and boxes of baseballs just waiting to be signed. Players sat on couches just outside Movieville and signed away as they waited for game.

Guess that's one way to relax. With the rah-rah signs, the clubhouse has a down-home flavor, but that taste dies fast when a player squirms out of an interview by answering a call on his cellular phone. Ron Gant, in the smaller visitor's clubhouse at Arlington for the All-Star Game, was just one of the players that might as well have been on the couch catching up on old times with the family.

Or maybe he had a teammate in the next locker call him, just to take a break from the hordes of reporters.

The visitor's quarters in The Ballpark are smaller than the Rangers' roomy pad, but with a big-screen TV the visitors don't exactly rough it. But the visitor's clubhouse has a throwback to the old days, and Darren Daulton - who some fans call a throw-back player for his hard-nosed play - used it to its fullest.

A pay phone.

Willie Banks (0-3).

first All-Star berth.

Bagwell, struggling at .183 on

May 31, has boosted his aver-

age to .282 and has 31 RBIs in

his last 28 games. He is second

in the league with 59 runs

scored — on a team that is

leading the NL in runs. He is

showing the form that led the

league in five offensive cate-

gories a year ago - including

116 RBIs — and earned him his

"I'm not Superman, I'm just a

normal human being," Bagwell

said. "I'm going to go through

slumps. And, unfortunately, I

went through a huge one.

When the season ends and the

leaves turn colors, my numbers

are going to be there and I'm

going to be OK. But I can't go

"I think I can do those num-

bers again over a full season,

but I think the success I had

last year was ridiculous. After

that, I told a lot of people,

'Don't expect that out of Jeff

Bagwell's timely opposite-

field hit, which chased Banks,

and Derek Bell's ensuing sacri-

fice fly against Pedro Astacio

saved the league's highest-scor-

ing team from losing a game in

which they left the bases

"A lot of times you get a

chance to put 'em away, and if

you don't, the other team

comes back and ends up beat-

ing you," Collins said. "But

tonight we got a couple of

breaks and Todd bore down in

the ninth and got us a ball-

Hudek for the club lead and

preserved Mike Hampton's

fourth victory in four starts.

Jones' seventh save tied

game.'

loaded in consecutive innings.

out and do 1994 again.

Bagwell every year.

You know, one of those phones that's stuck to a wall.

The poor guy might have even had to put a quarter in it. Baseball, especially when it's your job, can be a pretty tough

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California 13, Detroit 6, 2nd game 8 innings, rain Baltimore 3, Kansas City 2 New York 5, Minnesota 1, Milwaukee 6, Chicago 1 Cleveland 5, Oakland 4, 12 innings

Toronto 9, Seattle 3 Texas 5. Boston 2 Monday's Games Toronto 6, Minnesota 3 Kansas City 4, Boston 3 California 8, Cleveland 3 Milwaukee 13, Oakland 4 Baltimore 3, Texas 2, 13 innings

Chicago 1, New York 1, bottom 7th, tie, ppd., rain Seattle 10, Detroit 6, 10 innings Tuesday's Games

Kansas City (Gordon 6-5) at Boston (Clemens 2-2), 1:05 p.m. Toronto (Cone 8-5) at Minnesota (Tapani 4-10), 1:15 p.m. Detroit (Lima 0-0) at Seattle

(Belcher 4-5), 3:35 p.m. Chicago (Abbott 4-4 and McCaskill 4-2) at New York (McDowell 7-5 and undecided), 2, 4 p.m. California (Langston 8-1) at

Cleveland (Clark 4-3), 7:05 p.m. Oakland (Wojceichowski 0-0) at Milwaukee (Roberson 5-2), 8:05 p.m. (Pavlik 5-5), 8:35 p.m.

Wednesday's Games Kansas City (Appier 11-6) at New York (Hitchcock 3-6), 1.05 p.m. California (Springer 0-2) at Toronto (Guzman 3-5), 7:35 p.m. Baltimore (McDonald 2-5) at

Minnesota (Radke 6-7), 8:05 p.m. Boston ((Wakefield 8-1) at Chicago (Bere 4-8), 8:05 p.m. Seattle (Bosio 6-4) at Milwaukee (Bones 5-7), 8:05 p.m.

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RODEO

High School Finals

GILLETTE, Wyo. (AP) -Standings after the second perfor mance at the National High School Finals Rodeo on Monday Hometowns were unavailable for some competitors STATE STANDINGS

1, Idaho, 950; 2. Colorado, 845; 3. Oregon, 815; 4. California, 775, 5. Utah, 755; 6. Florida, 755; 7. Arizona 745; 8. Wyoming, 677.5; 9. (tie) South

ALL-AROUND COWBOY 1. Michael Hamrick, Mount Vernon Ind., 150; 2. Ross Coleman, Molalla, Ore., 145; 3. (tie) Scooter Prince, Sulphur, La., Cal Casey, Hastings Mich., Cliff Toliver, Charlotte, N.C. Shain Sprdul, (no hometown avail able) Ariz., 140; 4. (tie) Chad Edgmon, Fallon, Nev., Tate Watkins. Kim, Colo., Trey Miller, Cave Creek, Ariz., 130; 5. (tie) James Tarver, Gillette, Wyo., Coy Manuel, Odessa, available) Pa., Jud Smith, Wadell, Ariz., 120.

ALL-AROUND COWGIRL 1. Tyra Kane, Manzanola, Colo. 260; 2. Christy Newell, Meridian. Miss., 120; 3. (tie) Jenny Cowart Seville, Fla., Amanda Kay, Joaquir Texas; 150; 4. (tie) Trisha Johnson. Bishop, Calif., Angie Champneys. Kimberly, Idaho, 140; 5. Christy Hotsenpiller, Drexel, Mo., Jessica Busk, Cedar Fort, Utah, 130.

ALL-AROUND ROOKIE COW- Mikey Fletcher, Davie, Fla., 60;
 Morgan Dilts, (no hometown available) British Columbia, 50; 3. Troy Gorrell, Houstonia, Mo., 20; 4. lan

Welfes, Buffalo, Wyo., 150; 5. Tad Sproul, (no hometown available)

Ariz., 140. ALL-AROUND ROOKIE COW

1. Amanda Kay, Joaquin, Texas 150; 2. Christy Hotsenpiller, Drexel Mo., 130; 3. (tie) Ashley Mulick. Mackay, Idaho, Jamie McPeake Lexington, Tenn., 120; 4. Trisha Legg, Mount Vernon, Ore., 110; Lexi Matteson, Heppner, Ore., 70

BARREL RACING Heather Hutto, Del Rio, Texas 17.266 seconds: 2. Trisha Johnson. Bishop, Calif., 17.4; 3. Kari Gurganus Avon Park, Fla.; 17.402; 4. Melinda Holf, Enterprise, Utah, 17,464; 5 Maysi Price, Malad, Idaho, 17.59

BAREBACK BRONC 1. (tie) Brandon Holmes, Falkville Ala., Ross Coleman, Molalla, Ore 70; 2. Ben Miller, San Augustine Texas, 68; 3. Coy Manuel, Odessa Fla., 64; 4. Levi Licking, Pinedale. Wyo., 62; 5. Nick Baumann, Walla Walla, Wash., 61.

. lan Welles, Buffalo, Wyo., 145.5 2. Forrest Smith, Wolf-Point, Mont. 43; 3. Cody Robbins, Sanger, Calif. 142; 4. T.J. Halverson, Williston N.D., 141; 5. Shan Hager, Dolores

BREAKAWAY ROPING 1. Jenny Cowart, Seville, Fla. 3.46; 2. Lisa Johnson, Raynesford, Mont., 3.733; 3. Christy Hotsenpiller

Drexel. Mo., 3.998: 4. Mindy Rodriguez, Clayton, Mich., 4 003; 5 Hayley Nielson, Central Valley, Utah

1. Jason McClain, Kiowa, Colo., 75; 2: Cal Casey, Hastings, Mich., 70 3. (tie) Jake Baker, Kissimmee, Fla Nicky Rapoza, Kurtistown, Hawaii 69; 4. Kory Ginnis, Grenfell, Sasketchewan, 68, 5, Justin Hecker

CALF ROPING 1. Scot Brown, Robstown, Texas 9.928, 2. Cliff Toliver, Charloffe, N. 10.685; 3. Chad Edgmon, Fallon Nev., 10:801: 4 James Tarver Gillette, Wyo., 11.305, 5. Jason Hill

GIRLS' CUTTING 1. Christina Cord, Sun Valley Idaho, 147, 2. Bobbie Wallace, LaCombe, Ala., 143, 3. (tie) Jenny James, Daniel, Wyo., Jamie McPeake, Lexington, Tenn., Christie Busse, Swift Current, Sasketchewan 142; 4. (tie) Jessica Travis, Princetor Mo. Lacy Owens, Red Bluff, Calif. Bonnie Strain, White River, S.D., 140 (tie) Samme King Battle Mountain Nev., Michelle Burgess, Jordan

GOAT TYING . Amanda Kay, Joaquin, Texas 8.427; 2. Angie Champneys, Kimberly, Idaho, 9 048, 3. Becky Woodcock, St. Anthony, Idaho, 9 097 4. Ashley Mulick, Mackay, Idaho... 9.153; 5. Tyra Karie, Manzanola,

POLE BENDING 1. Tyra Kane, Manzanola, Colo., 20.293; 2. Gwen Lakey, Hat Creek Calif., 20.347; 3. Jessica Busk, Ceda Fort, Utah, 20.623; 4. Lori Hancock, Conway, Ark., 20.641; 5. Trisha Legg. Mount Vernon, Ore., 20.655.

SADDLE BRONC 1. Jeremy Crane, Bismarck, N.D., 72; 2. Scooter Prince, Sulphur, La., (tie) Adam Mace, Markesan, Wis.,

Nevin

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Nevin as saving the team was better with him at third base.

'That was never said,' Nevin said. "How can I, a guy who's hifting something like .070, say the team is better with me at third. Come on. I never said that. As bad as I was going, I didn't feel like I cost us any games. But I definitely wasn't exactly helping them win, you

"I made a few plays here and there, but (Dave) Magadan and (Craig) Shipley make those plays, too. Those guys wouldn't hit .070 over that stretch and they probably would have been scoring more runs.

"But that's what bothered me the most. To think that somebody would even think that I would even say that about my teammates. That's not me and that's not my game. I would never say anything like that."

The explosion could wind up being one of the best things to happen to Nevin, who is being forced to confront the one aspect of his game that has drawn the most scrutiny since he brought his resume to Houston — his temper.

Not his hitting - he has compiled a decent .277 average with 29 homers and 212 RBIs in his two-plus seasons with the Toros

- and not his defense, which has been solid.

No, it is the bat-throwing and profane shouting that draws the attention of the media and good-natured jabs from teammates. Among the notices on the Toros' clubhouse bulletin board is a directive from the president of the Pacific Coast League barring the throwing of equipment to show displeasure at an umpire's decision. Underneath, an anonymous teammate scrawled in magic marker: "The Phil Nevin Rule.

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agree to work a certain amount of time at the center. The funds raised also helps the DRRC offer its services to those that cannot pay. By the way, the money goes directly to the DRRC. It does not go to Abilene's West Texas Rehabilitation Center, as some might think.

The Pro/Am will be a four person, two-net low-ball format. Each foursome will have an A. B and C player plus a club professional. Shotgun starts will be 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. both

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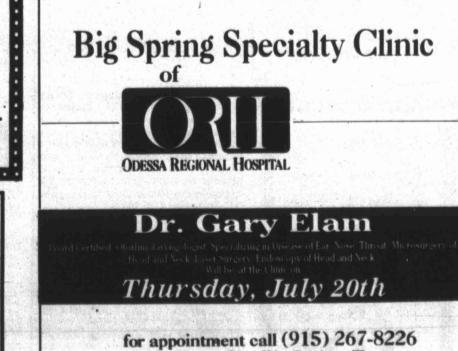
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FOR WEDNESDAY, **JULY 19, 1995**

ARIES (March 21-April 19): What you consider to be a given may not be. Be more funloving as you handle money. Don't get uptight about a boss's instability, but think through an issue with care. Use Your good sense when presenting an important matter. You offer more than you think. Tonight: Your treat. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Face a hassle, if you want to. Readjusting could become your forte. Follow your instincts as recent news comes forward. You might have to stretch your resources to handle a problem. Your energy changes midday. Go with the surge of vitality. Tonight: Be personality-plus.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Roll with the punches in the morning. Be easygoing about a flaky partner. Unexpected things occur when you ease up and go with another's mood. Resisting the status quo causes you problems. Keep your own counsel. Tonight: Vanish while you are ahead. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be responsible. Don't rattle a cantankerous partner who goes into an uproar in a big way. Let yourself see past short-term flak. Be direct with a friend who needs your feedback. Work on togetherness. Use your imagination to come to terms with a problem. Tonight: Hang out. ***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your creativity flows, and you move in new directions. You need to let go of much that goes on. Your ingenuity opens up as you release burdens. Reach out to someone who is far away. Handle problems with a new outlook. Take a stand. Tonight: Be in the limelight. *****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): One-to-one relating offers change. Use your ingenuity and creativity to settle a hassle. Don't be rigid about how things are "supposed" to be. Brainstorm with experts. You overcome a block and discover an unusual solution. Tonight: Go where the music is. ****

home front. Keep smiling, and listen to someone's point of view (you don't have to agree). Adapt to change, yet get down to the nitty-gritty and the bottom line. State your terms in a simple manner. Tonight: Try some togetherness. ****

question that's been bothering

several members of our club:

What is the proper way to eat

I believe I remember reading

in Emily Post's book of eti-

quette that it's proper to eat

asparagus with your fingers,

but never let the juice drip off

Some members say that

I also recall that President

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all right to

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your answer.

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READER, FREDERICK, MD.

DEAR READER: You are

right. I checked Emily Post's

book of etiquette, and much to

my surprise, she said it IS

proper to pick up asparagus

Letitia Baldrige concurs. She

says asparagus may be eaten in

one of two ways, depending

upon how long it's been cooked

and how much is buried in the

sauce: either with the fingers,

Miss Manners also lists foods

that may be eaten with the fin-

gers — and asparagus is on the

time reader and enjoy your col-

umn, but this is my first letter

to you. My question: What hour

is appropriate to operate a lawn

In my neighborhood, some people go at it at 8 a.m. on a Saturday. But recently, the 9:15

DEAR ABBY: I am a long-

or with a knife and fork.

mower on the weekend?

Book of etiquette provides

asparagus-eating assistance

DEAR ABBY: Please settle a Sunday morning racket from a

est hours.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): The unexpected occurs with work and partners. You cannot be too clear when stating your point of view. Confirm appointments; be sure of your desires. Your playful attitude helps others see humor in the gloom. Examine choices with care. Tonight: Treat for dinner. ****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Use the morning hours to sort through a problem. The key to success lies in letting go of unworkable expectations. Realize your limitations when dealing with others. Use new concepts. Your creative flow is unusually high. Curb your flirting, if possible! Tonight: Playtime. ****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You might be jarred by what is going on. A change is needed; this is quite evident to observers. Listen to a family member, even if he irritates you. You change your outlook. Walk through a new door, and overcome limitations. Use your creativity. Tonight: Go where the fun is. **

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You might be deeply upset by something you hear. Adopt a new perspective because your ideas haven't worked so far. Be realistic about your potential. Help someone laugh about his faux pas. Build greater security, and don't take risks. Tonight: Veg out. **

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Focus on a money matter that acceptance. is messing you up more than you admit. A different approach brings success. Evaluate what is happening with a key person. You two may just have different perspectives. Communicate what is on your mind. Tonight: Catch up on gossip. ****

IF JULY 19 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: Focus on getting what you want and need this year. Associates tend to go into an uproar. Know what your obligations in life are. You might find that you need to take a stand this year. Work flourishes for the remainder of 1995. You find that you have a way with others after December. If you are single, LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You romance is active and dynamic. might have mutiny on the If attached, greater emotional happiness is in the offing. TAU-RUS helps you get what you

> THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL **HAVE**: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult. ©1995 by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

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back! These are good neighbors

who have well-kept yards, but

they work on them at the crazi-

I realize this is not an earth-

shaking issue, but it's impor-

tant to me. Like many other

hard-working homeowners, I

Is 10 a.m. on Saturday, and 11

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tion addressed in your column.

Awaiting your response ...

RICHARD SCHUH, ST. LOUIS

DEAR MR. SCHUH: Your

weekend sleeping schedule

sounds reasonable to me. Were

I in your place, I'd simply have

a friendly chat with the neigh-

bors informing them of my

need for peace and quiet on

Saturday and Sunday morn-

ter for all those people who say,

"If there is anything I can do

My husband just came home

following a four-month stay in

the hospital, and I am tired. We

are not young people, and we

need help in many ways.

Because of the enormous med-

ical bills, we can't afford a

nurse, cleaning woman, cook or

laundry service, so who do you,

think does all of the above? I

I don't want to embarrass

anybody, but you know who

you are. Sign me ... WIPED

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for you, please let me know."

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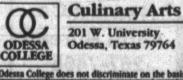
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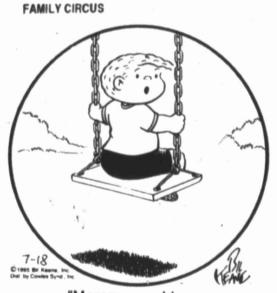
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THE Daily Crossword by Janet R. Bender

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THIS DATE **IN HISTORY**

Today is Tuesday, July 18, the 199th day of 1995. There are 166 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On July 18, 1969, a car driven by Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., plunged off a bridge on Chappaquiddick Island near Martha's Vineyard. His passenger, 28-year-old Mary Jo Kopechne, died.

On this date: In A.D. 64, the Great Fire of

Rome began. In 1536, the authority of the pope was declared void in England.

In 1792, American naval hero John Paul Jones died in Paris at

age 45. In 1872, Britain introduced the concept of voting by secret bal-

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In 1927, Ty Cobb hit safely for look at the remains of the Titanthe 4,000th time in his career. In 1932, the United States and luxury liner, which sank in

Canada signed a treaty to develop the St. Lawrence Seaway. In 1936, the Spanish Civil War began as Gen. Francisco Franco led an uprising of army troops

based in Spanish North Africa. In 1944, Hideki Tojo was removed as Japanese premier from a window at Bethesda and war minister because of setbacks suffered by his country in World War II.

In 1944, American forces in France captured the Normandy town of St. Lo.

In 1947, President Truman signed the Presidential Succession Act.

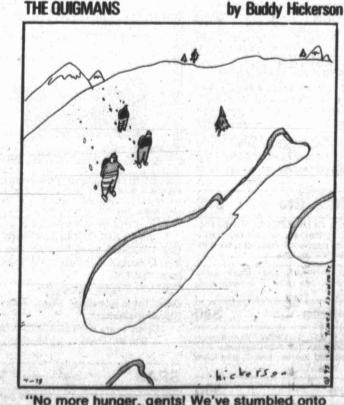
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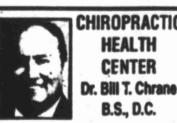


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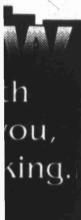
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By DAVE HARGRAVE

Sports Editor

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The annual Big American Junior Rodeo Association rodeo Thursday at the Rodeo Bowl.

It's best to call this a junior rodeo, instead of a 'youth rodeo.' You see, the AJRA consists of members who can rodeo up to their 20th birthday. The AJRA is patterned after the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association, even referring to its rule book.

The AJRA was founded by Brownfield's Alvin G. Davis in tain fans each year, and they 1952. Davis formed the associa- are coordinated to avoid contion in Levelland, but today the



T.J. Good of Elida, N.M. ropes a calf at last year's junior rodeo.

AJRA headquarters are in Rankin. Approximately 16 to 20 AJRA-approved rodeos enterflict with the school year.

Big Spring's AJRA rodeo is hosted and sponsored by the Howard County 4-H Club. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for children. Each of the three performances start at 7:30 p.m.

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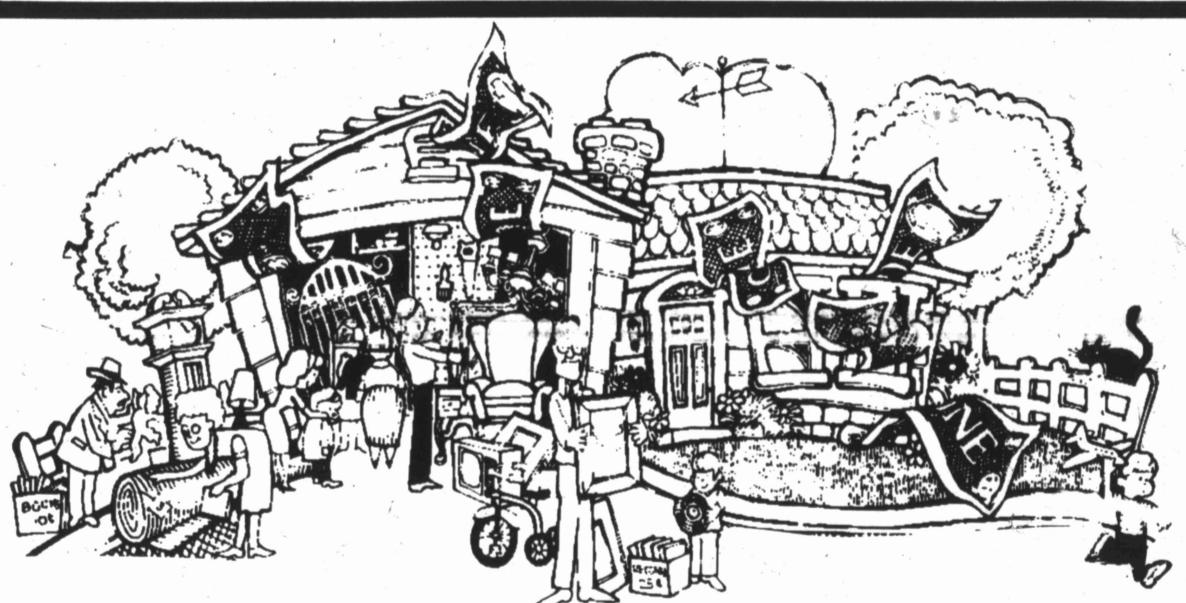
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