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60,000 CHILD ABUSE CASES A YEAR

Task force formed to get the word out about public's responsibility in reporting abuse

AUSTIN (AP) — Every three days in Texas a child is killed by a parent or guardian. Every year the state confirms 60,000 child abuse cases.

Texas Attorney General Dan Morales announced a program Tuesday to combat those statistics.

"The challenge is clear. We must improve our prevention and intervention efforts," Morales said.

In a combined effort with the Texas Medical Association and Texas Court Appointed Special Advocates, a group that protects children in court cases,

Morales' office has created the Texas Child Abuse Prevention Task Force.

The task force, comprising medical professionals, educators, social service providers and law enforcers, will create an informational campaign outlining the public's responsibility to recognize and report child abuse.

"The ability of our prosecutors to win convictions against abusers often depends upon the ability of doctors, nurses, teachers, counselors and others to recognize the signs," Morales said, adding that child abuse

cases are among the most difficult to prosecute.

"Early notice of child abuse is critical to reducing the number of fatalities and the severity of abuse in thousands of cases," he said.

Early action also is necessary to end the vicious cycle of abuse

and crime.

"An abused child often grows up to be an abuser," he said. "And there is statistical evidence that abused children have a propensity toward criminal behavior and violent behavior."

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Betty Crockers? Come down to the fair

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Are there any Betty Crockers or Julia Childs living in Howard County?

If so, then the 1995 Howard County Fair is the place to show off your baking or canning abilities.

There are several divisions a person can choose from to enter their food, but they cannot win more than one prize in the baked goods division.

The divisions in baked goods include cakes, breads, cookies, decorated cakes and cookies.

Each division is broken down into classes such as:

- Cakes - iced, layer, un-iced; angel food; chiffon, tradition fruit cakes; cakes containing fruit; butter; chocolate; cream; pound; spice; sponge; jelly rolls; cup cakes (six); cakes containing vegetables; cakes containing nuts and baked cheese cake.

- Breads (quick) - plain biscuits (six); muffins (six); cornbread (six squares); fruit and nut breads (loaf); coffee cakes; fritters (six); donuts (six); sweet breads; cheese and herb and miscellaneous.

- Yeast breads - white yeast loaf bread; yeast loaf bread (rye, wheat, bran, etc.); yeast bread (cheese, onion, herb, etc.); dinner rolls (six); sweet breads; sweet breads/rolls (six); coffee cakes; yeast donuts (six); French bread; sour dough; cornmeal; croissant and miscellaneous.

- Cookies (one dozen per entry) - drop; refrigerator; bar; pressed or molded; rolled; nuts as main ingredients; miscellaneous such as cereal types.

- Candy (display on six-inch plate and six pieces per entry) - chocolate fudge; other flavors of fudge; brittle; caramels; divinity; cereal confections; pralines; mints; fondants; date loaf; peanut butter; chocolate covered; caramel popcorn; marshmallow; hard candy; peanut patties; pecan roll and miscellaneous.

- Decorated cakes and cookies - this is for nonprofessionals only. There must be six decorated cookies on display and will be judged on appearance only. The cake classes include birthday layer cake, all-occasion cake and wedding cake that is 18 inches or less.

All entries must be on card.

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Four people escaped serious injury at the intersection of FM 700 and the Snyder Highway when the Oldsmobile station wagon driven by Roberto Rodriguez, 31, of Stanton, failed to yield the right-of-way to a Ford Crown Victoria driven by Victor Means III, 38, of Snyder.

Four injured in accident on Snyder Highway

Herald Staff Report

Three Stanton residents and a

Snyder man were treated and released from Scenic Mountain Medical Tuesday afternoon following a two-car accident at the intersection of FM 700 and the Snyder Highway.

Department of Public Safety reports indicate 31-year-old Roberto Rodriguez and his wife 28-year-old Rosa Rodriguez and their two-year old son were traveling eastbound on FM 700 around 3:30 p.m. and failed to

yield the right-of-way to 38-year-old Victor Means III of Snyder.

Rodriguez rolled through the stop sign and his Oldsmobile Stationwagon was struck in the right rear passenger side by the Crown Victoria driven by Means.

Highway patrol officials say a child safety seat with its seat belt in place prevented the two-year-old from being thrown from the car.

All other victims in the accident were wearing their seatbelts.

Rosa Rodriguez was slightly injured, receiving minor cuts on the right side of her head.

Means received a few scrapes when his airbag inflated, but received no other injuries.

Rodriguez was cited for failing to yield the right-of-way at a stop sign.

Republicans rolling in campaign donations

WASHINGTON (AP) — Taking advantage of their new majority status, House Republicans led the way toward a record \$43.8 million in campaign fund raising in the first half of this year.

The total for both parties represented a 38 percent increase over the comparable period in 1993, when House incumbents raised \$31.5 million, and was the highest total for the kickoff season of a new election cycle in the 20 years records have been kept.

Led by Speaker Newt Gingrich's \$885,000 and by an aggressive freshman class, the House's new GOP majority accounted for \$27.5 million, or nearly two-thirds of the total.

Figures reported to the Federal Election Commission for the first six months of 1995 showed

average receipts for GOP lawmakers of about \$121,000, compared with \$86,000 for Democrats.

Political action committees, the donating arms of special-interest groups, did an about-face, demonstrating the Washington adage that money follows power. They gave \$13.3 million to House Republicans this year and \$8.4 million to House Democrats, mirroring the shift in dominance on Capitol Hill.

"Among some PAC groups there's been a sense of panic because they had invested so much in Democrats," said Steven Stockmeyer, a Republican who runs an association of business PACs. "Now they are playing catch-up, unashamedly. That's one reason you're seeing the big numbers."

Those whose business it is to

raise money for Republicans are finding the going a lot easier now that their clients control things. "People are returning my calls, saying, 'Let me find the money to do that,'" said Dan Morgan, who raises money for about 40 House Republicans, including Majority Leader Dick Arney of Texas.

Morgan marveled at the difference between raising money for Arney when he was a middle-level leadership official in the minority and now, when his client ranks No. 2 to Gingrich: "It's like night and day."

Leading the fund-raising list was a Democrat, House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt of Missouri, who amassed \$1.2 million in the first half of the year. That figure included a \$250,000 transfer from another committee. Gingrich was second.

In all, 36 of the top 50 money-raisers were Republicans. Two years ago, when Democrats controlled the House, just 15 of the top 50 came from the GOP.

It was not veterans, however, but freshman lawmakers who accounted for most of the increase. The average GOP freshman raised \$142,000 in the first six months after being elected, compared with just under \$78,000 for the average freshman Democrat. Ten first-termers, all Republicans, made the top 50 list.

A few first-term Republicans who won assignment to powerful committees found they could ask for — and get — \$1,000 per ticket to a PAC fund-raising event, an amount that used to be commanded only by committee chairmen and leadership figures.

TEXAS TRIVIA

Who became the Dallas Cowboy's first ever first-round NFL college draft choice in 1974?
Ed "Too Tall" Jones

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World: On a simple wooden table overflowing with flowers, a one-line message remembered the 36 people killed and 80 maimed in a Serb mortar blast outside Sarajevo's market: "The last salute to cherished Sarajevans." See page 6A.

STATE

Finding comfort
Like other small Texas towns, everyone knows when something happens in this community of 4,200 — especially when it involves the high school football team. See page 3A.

Against the Wind
Out in a thorny field where jack rabbits play, nowhere close to any streets, Texas Tech University researchers put up a traffic light. See page 3A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight **97** ▲ Highs **67** ▼
Lows

Mostly clear
Tonight, mostly clear, low mid 60s, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.

Permian Basin Forecast
Thursday: Partly cloudy, high upper 90s, southeast winds 5 to 15 mph; mostly clear night, low mid 60s, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.
Friday: Partly cloudy, high upper 90s, southeast winds 5 to 15 mph; mostly clear night, low mid 60s, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.

Fair

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board squares or circles and completely covered with plastic wrap that is taped to the bottom or placed in a large Ziploc bag. All entries must be turned in Saturday from 1-5 p.m. only. Late entries will be accepted for display but will not be judged.

Abuse

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"Young criminals often start out as scared, neglected children," he said.
Texas law requires any person who believes a child is being abused or neglected to report those concerns to local law enforcement officers or the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services.
The task force is devising uniform definitions and guidelines for recognizing and reporting abuse. The effort is especially timely, Morales said, in light of the DPRS' recent announcement that it will cut about 450 positions.
Such reductions make other efforts to combat abuse more important, Morales said.
Lt. Bill Walsh, an officer in the Dallas Police Department's

Cotton

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when the plant ceases putting on new bolls and expends its energy in maturing the fiber of existing bolls."
Leser added the High Plains area needed about two to three more weeks of pest-free conditions to make the areas late crop less vulnerable to the bombardment of insects.
Agronomist Kater Hake said with heavy insect pressure and irrigated fields in the area, it's especially important that producers prevent late season vegetative growth, which increases a plant's attractiveness to the insects.
The beet armyworm, which recently devastated cotton in the Lower Rio Grande and Concho valleys has begun movement into the High Plains. Heavy egg infestations have

vegetables; pickles and relishes; jams, jellies, preserves; dried food products and miscellaneous.
Fair officials said fruits, vegetables, pickles and relishes will not be judged unless regulation jars are used. All jars must be sealed with rings left on. Jellies and such may be in standard glasses or pint jars. Paraffin is acceptable and they must have the tops on.

child abuse unit and a task force member, said people sometimes remain silent about suspected child abuse for fear of being sued.
"In many cases of fatal child abuse, people who have had suspicions and didn't report it maybe could have prevented that abuse from getting to that point," Walsh said.
Morales, however, says those fears should no longer exist. "The Legislature has taken steps to provide insulation from civil liability," he said.
Solid proof is not necessary to file an abuse report, but Walsh warned that protection from liability dissolves if a person knowingly files a false report.
The task force "would like individuals to err on the side of overreporting rather than underreporting," Morales said.

been reported from Friona to Silverton in the north to Roscoe and Seminole in the south, with many egg masses as high as 28 in 100 feet of row. Eggs in each mass are as high 100.
Leser said, "This could mean worm infestations as high as 350,000 an acre or more." This translates to a potential loss of more than \$300 an acre in yield.
Leser added up to three applications, costing up to \$20 an acre each, would be required to reduce the infestations below the economic threshold.
Weevils are becoming more evident in fields north of Lubbock, but the state's Boll Weevil Eradication Program isn't scheduled to begin there until 1997.

OBITUARIES

Ethlene Cox

Services for Ethlene Cox, 84, Big Spring, are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.
She died Tuesday, Aug. 29, 1995, in a local nursing home.

Willie Sundy

Services for Willie Sundy, 74, Grand Saline, will be 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 31, 1995, at Eubank Chapel, Canton. Interment will be in Haven of Memories Memorial Park.
Mr. Sundy died Monday, Aug. 28, in Grand Saline following a sudden illness.

He was born May 9, 1921, in Century, Fla. He was a Baptist and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He came to West Texas when he was 13 years old. He moved to Grand Saline in 1983 after having lived

in Arlington for a number of years. He worked for L.T.V. before retiring.

Survivors include his wife Shirley Sundy, Grand Saline; two sons: Dennis Sundy, Arlington, and Larry Sundy, Las Cruces, N.M.; one sister: Ida Bell Bankstom, Big Spring, three brothers: Allen and Jimmy Sundy, both of Big Spring, and Clark Sundy, Midland; four grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; two step-great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces, nephews and other relatives.
Arrangements under the direction of Eubank Funeral Home Inc., Canton.

Oscar Hill

Services for Oscar Hill, 69, Big Spring, are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.
He died Tuesday, Aug. 29, 1995, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center following a long illness.

Jesus Sotelo

Rosary for Jesus Sotelo, 83, will be 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 30, 1995, at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral Mass will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 31, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Rev. James Delaney, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel
906 GREGG
267-6331

Ethlene Cox, 84, died Tuesday. Services will be 2:00 PM Friday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

CHIROPRACTOR
Dr. Bill T. Crane
263-3182
1409 Lancaster

MYERS & SMITH
FUNERAL HOME
& CHAPEL
24th & Johnson 267-8288

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Big Spring
ON THE RUN

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 7 a.m. Wednesday:
•EDWIN MANNING MATHERLY, 25, of Midland, was arrested on LOCAL WARRANTS and released on bond.
•MISSING PERSON in the 1900 block of Wasson.
•DISTURBANCE/FIGHT in the 800 block of Nolan.
•INJURY TO A CHILD in the 1000 block of E. 13th.
•THEFT in the 1800 block of Gregg.
•THEFT in the 900 block of Willia.
•THEFT in the 1100 block of Lamesa.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 7 a.m. Wednesday:
•BUDDY JAY WHITELEY, 36, of 1207 Mesa St., was arrested for DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED and released on a \$1,500 bond.
•JESSE RAY CAMPA, 26, of 1111 Hilltop Rd., was arrested for DELIVERY OF COCAINE.
•DARRELL GENE TRAWICK, 33, of Rt. 1 Box 683, was arrested on a MOTION TO REVOKE PROBATION FOR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED and released on a \$1,500 bond.

RECORDS

Tuesday's temp. 98
Tuesday's low 76
Average high 90
Average low 67
Record high 102 in 1943
Record low 54 in 1915
Rainfall Tuesday 0.00
Month to date 0.78
Month's normal 1.89
Year to date 13.50
Normal for year 12.62
**Statistics not available.

MENUS

ELBOW
BREAKFAST
THURSDAY - Oatmeal, cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
FRIDAY - Texas toast, peanut butter and jelly, juice, milk.
LUNCH
THURSDAY - Tuna salad sandwich, potato chips, carrots and celery, fruit, milk.
FRIDAY - Hamburger, fries, salad, pickles, fruit, milk.
FORSAN
BREAKFAST
THURSDAY - Pancakes and sausage, butter and syrup, juice, milk.
FRIDAY - Hash brown, biscuits, catsup and butter, jelly, juice, milk.
LUNCH
THURSDAY - German sausage, pinto beans, macaroni

MARKETS

Oct. cotton futures 83.10 cents a pound down 65 points; Oct. crude oil 17.91 cents up 9 points; cash hog steady at 50 cents higher at 53 cents even; slaughter steers steady at 50 cents higher at 60 cents even; Oct. live hog futures 44.30, down 17 points; Oct. live cattle futures 62.35, up 63 points. Courtesy: Delta Commodities
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DID YOU WIN?

salad, sliced bread, apple cobbler, milk.
FRIDAY - Braised beef tips, rice, green beans, hot rolls, butter and honey, fruit salad, milk.
STANTON
FRIDAY BREAKFAST - Breakfast pizza or assorted cereal, buttered toast, fruit juice, milk.
FRIDAY LUNCH - Sloppy Jessies or grilled cheese sandwich, tater tots, sandwich salad, vegetarian beans, fruit cup, milk.
SANDS
FRIDAY BREAKFAST - Hot cakes, syrup, milk, sausage, juice.
FRIDAY LUNCH - Corn dogs with mustard, pork and beans, whole new potatoes, fruit, milk.
COAHOMA
FRIDAY BREAKFAST - Toasted ham and cheese sandwich, fruit, milk.
FRIDAY LUNCH - REGULAR: Homemade burrito, tater tots, fruit juice pop, milk. EXTRA: Corn dog, french fries, fruit juice pop, milk.
SENIOR CITIZENS' CENTER
FRIDAY LUNCH - Enchiladas, Spanish rice, beans, fruit, roll, milk, cookies.

PICK 3: 9, 4, 9

subject may be submitted. They must be the original work of contestants and are not eligible if they have been published, accepted for publication, or read on radio or television.
Complete contest rules and submission instructions may be obtained at Midland College, University of Texas of the Permian Basin, Odessa College, Pages and Prints bookstore, and Midland and Ector County libraries, or by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Contest Rules, 4609 Tamoran, Midland, Texas, 79707. Entries not complying with all the contest rules will be disqualified.
Cash prizes of \$50, \$25, and \$15 for first, second, and third place and certificates for other placements will be awarded at the World Day of Poetry Festival on Oct. 14 at the Center for Energy and Economic Diversification, located four miles north of the Midland International Airport on FM 1788.

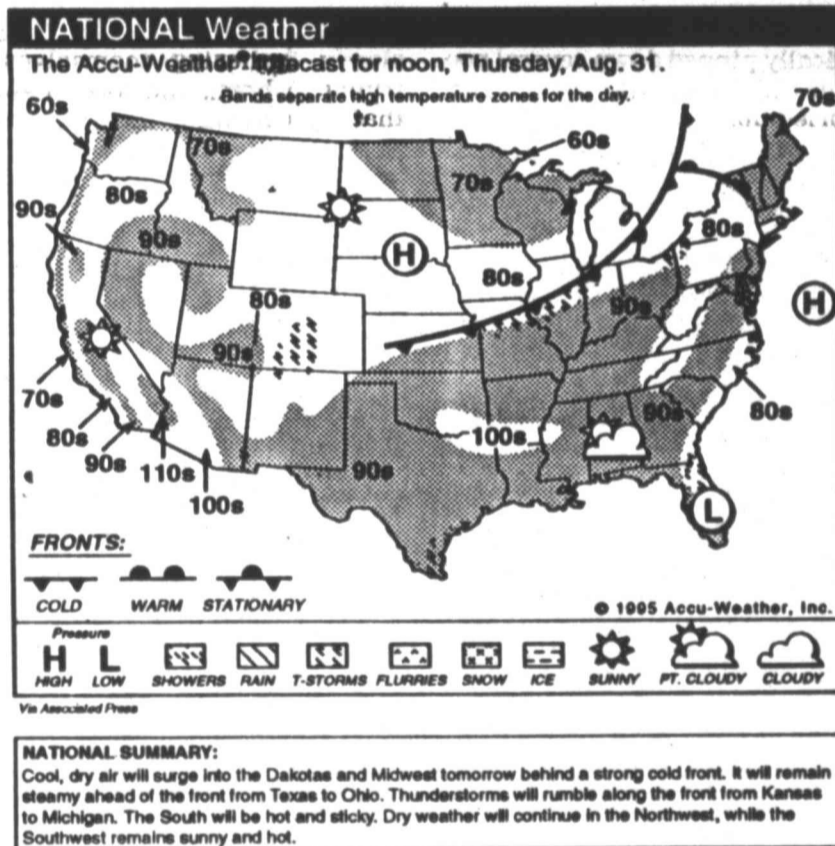
Humane Society in need of foster parents

The Big Spring Humane Society is in need of foster parents. Volunteer Margaret Lloyd says the shelter is overcrowded and residents are needed to take in some of the animals on a temporary basis.
The humane society would provide food for a dog or cat if someone could take care of it for about six weeks. This would give them time to move some of the other animals out through adoption, she said.
Any animal put into a foster home would be healthy and have all of its vaccinations including rabies. Call 267-7832 if interested.

IN BRIEF

Deadline for poetry contest is Sept. 15

The Permian Basin Chapter of the Poetry Society of Texas will sponsor its third annual World Poetry Day Competition. Deadline for entering is Sept. 15. The contest is open to all Permian Basin area residents. There is no entry fee. Poems of up to 50 lines in any form and on any



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. For more information, contact Gina Garza, 263-7331, between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m.

TODAY
•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephens Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920.
•Survivors, 10 to 11:30 a.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312. This is open to all survivors.
•Adult Children of Alcoholics, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church library. Contact Murph Watson, 264-0500.
•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12 study.

THURSDAY
•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, free food for area needy, 10 a.m.-noon.
•Salvation Army drug education program, sponsored by Permian Basin Regional Council on alcohol and drug abuse, 7 p.m., Salvation Army Building, 308 Aylford.

•Spring City Senior Citizen Center art classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.
•Battered women support group, 2:30 p.m. Call 263-3312 or 267-3626.
•Good Shepherd Fellowship, 610 Abrams, has services at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come.

•Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, small cafeteria on first floor.
•Alcoholics Anonymous, noon open meeting, 615 Settles.
•Big Spring Alliance for the mentally ill, 7 p.m., The Corral. Call 267-7220.
•Howard County Mental Health Center, support and educational group for families living with mental illness, 6 p.m. Call Shannon Nabors or Dixie Burcham, 263-0027.

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

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.
•Spring City Senior Center, free fashion painting classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.
•Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Music by The Super Six Band. Area seniors invited.
•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. Big Book Study, 615 Settles.
•Big Spring Model Aircraft Association, 7 p.m., College Park Bingo conference room. Call 263-6148 or 263-8998 after 5 p.m.

SATURDAY
•Family support group, 1 p.m., Reflections Unit at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Contact Beverly Grant, 263-0074.
•Alcoholics Anonymous, noon, 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. open meetings, 615 Settles.
•Big Spring, 8 p.m., Squarena, Chapparral Road. Call 393-5693 or 267-7043.

SUNDAY
•Good Shepherd Fellowship, 610 Abrams, has services at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come.

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Comforting each other

Town rallies around as 16 injured by lightning

By JANINE ZUNIGA
Associated Press Writer

FORNEY (AP) — Like other small Texas towns, everyone knows when something happens in this community of 4,200 — especially when it involves the high school football team.

So it was no surprise that Forney residents rallied immediately after a lightning bolt struck a practice field Tuesday afternoon, critically injuring a 15-year-old and sending 15 other people to hospitals.

Some went to the school to comfort and console students. Others, including Superintendent Chester St. Clair, made the 20-mile drive west to Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas to support the friends and family of those who were hurt.

"Forney is a small town, we're really supportive," said Jennifer Lawrence, a 17-year-old drill team member at the high school, who was reluctant to



Forney High School students wait outside Dallas' Baylor University Medical Center emergency room for word on classmates struck by lightning during football practice Tuesday. One boy is in critical condition after taking a direct hit to his helmet.

talk to reporters. "If you're not from there, it's kind of hard to understand how it is," she said. "Once some-

thing happens to someone, everyone supports, everyone helps."

About 100 varsity and junior

varsity players began working out at 3:30 p.m. on the small

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One bolt was all it took to send 16 to the hospital

By JAIME ARON
AP Sports Writer

Brad Turner has seen about 20 Forney High football practices and one game rearranged because of lightning. But never had the assistant coach seen anything like the bolt that sent him and 15 others to hospitals.

"I just can't believe one lightning bolt can hurt that many people," Turner said Tuesday night, still suffering a headache from the bolt. "It was something you never want to go through."

Turner was conducting post-tion drills for defensive backs about 4 p.m. Tuesday, when lightning zapped the practice field where about 100 varsity and junior varsity players were working out. About 30 people were sent sprawling.

"It was like a bomb went off," Turner said. "I went from standing up coaching to being flat on my stomach. It felt like somebody had hit me flat with a hammer."

The force from the shock practically pinned down several people. Many needed help to be pried up.

"We were just running and all of a sudden there's a big boom," said junior varsity player Matt Donnell. "People saw red and the next thing I knew I was on the ground."

Turner climbed to his knees, then stumbled to his feet. He smelled something burning, so he checked his hat to make sure it wasn't him. It wasn't.

Turner heard one assistant coach scream, "I'm hit! It hit me!" He saw several players slowly gathering themselves, trying to break the force field that was holding them to the

turf.

Turner rushed to action when he heard the cries of head varsity coach Mel Maxfield. Maxfield had reached 15-year-old Clay Jones and knew the teen could be dying.

Someone called 911. Turner and Maxfield put to work the life-saving techniques they learned as part of their physical education training.

"He didn't have a pulse. You could tell he was not breathing," Turner said. "When we

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Study: Farming pollution greatest risk to farmers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farming causes water to be contaminated with nitrates, with the greatest health risk to families who get water from their own wells, a government analysis finds.

A study released this week by the U.S. Geological Survey found the greatest concentrations in underground water in parts of the Northeast and Midwest, and on the West Coast. Concentrations generally were

lower in the Southeastern states.

Levels were highest in home wells, with 9 percent of the 3,351 surveyed having more than the safe amount set by the Environmental Protection Agency. The figure is higher than the 2.4 percent found by EPA in a 1990 survey of 783 wells, which included those outside farming areas.

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Way to stabilize lights in high winds found

LUBBOCK (AP) — Out in a thorny field where jack rabbits play, nowhere close to any streets, Texas Tech University researchers put up a traffic light.

Then they tackled an engineering enigma: Signal lights that bounce in the wind.

Tech's Institute for Disaster Research spent three years and a \$280,000 state grant to study wind stress on traffic lights. That work wrapped up last month with a report identifying a solution touted as practical and economical.

Researchers say that a flat metal plate — attached a few inches above the light — changes the air flow and virtually stops the bouncing.

"It's a relatively simple solution to a complex problem," said institute director James McDonald. "This will cut it down to almost zero."

Tim Dradberry, senior design engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation in Austin, said he expects the solution to be widely adopted. Tech mailed 145 copies of its report to state and federal agencies across the country.

Sideways vibration on a traffic light is called buffeting.

But it is the vertical vibration, called galloping, that distracts motorists and causes cracks in light poles. McDonald said gal-

loping occurs under a narrow set of circumstances depending on the light's shape and the way it hangs.

"They knew the problem was there and they were concerned it would increase," he said. "They didn't know what to do about it."

McDonald said a traffic light fell in Dalhart just as Tech started its study in 1992.

"A rare occurrence," Dradberry said, "but it is something that concerns us."

Kishor Mehta, director of the university's Wind Engineering Research Center, said vibrations will become more of a factor as streets get wider and arms get longer on light poles.

Mehta said the metal-plate solution that Tech recommends can virtually eliminate a 12-inch gallop.

Studies at Tech moved from the analytical stage to a 150,000-gallon tow tank, where students used dye patterns to simulate wind, to the isolated field where they erected the traffic light. Various towers at the field measured wind speed, wind direction, barometric pressure relative humidity and temperature.

The light could swivel full circle to face the prevailing wind. Researchers duplicated the galloping effect thanks in part to Lubbock's ample supply of breezy days.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day
"The one thing that doesn't abide by majority rule is a person's conscience."
Harper Lee, author, 1960

Take care not to be part of holiday weekend death toll

OK, folks. We have two days left until the Labor Day weekend, which means two days to think about safety during holiday weekend.

The Department of Public Safety is predicting 31 automobile-accident fatalities this weekend.

If you're tired of reading about how you should wear your seat belt. Maybe you don't care about DPS figures that show the accident death rate for those without seat belts is 11 times greater than for those who are buckled in.

Well, if these cautions don't touch your sense of mortality, perhaps they will touch your sense of pocketbook: The number of automobile-related injuries for people not wearing seat belts was 1,000 more per person than for those who were buckled.

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Perhaps you think there's nothing to worry about as long as you don't drink and drive and obey all traffic laws. Wrong again. Driver error, not alcohol, was the cause of most of last Labor Day weekend's accidents.

Remember, no matter how carefully you drive, that doesn't keep other people from drinking too much or driving too fast. Don't assume your own good habits make you immune to accidents.

The only way to prevent accidents and fatalities is for every single driver to stay sober, pay attention on the road and buckle up.

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Neighborliness in concentrate

My friend John Hastings lives in a house in an old subdivision. One hot day not long ago he and his neighbors went outside at an appointed time, stood in the heat and the street and met.

They were neighbors, yes, but many were strangers as well. They ate slices of watermelon, said cheerfully and took a list of prevention tips from a man who was nice enough to show. Then everyone went home.

I'm not sure all who participated intended to. A lot of joggers and walkers couldn't help bump into one of several roadside stations, where refreshments tempted them.

The woman pushing a baby stroller didn't speak much and hurried past, while repeated overtures and offers of watermelon. "No money, no money," she said, pulling her jeans pocket and looking vaguely alarmed.

Those who stopped gave their

names and told where they came from, like nervous contestants on a quiz show.

"I live in that house over there," a resident would say, then point to one of hundreds of manicured dwellings that filled the residential valley.

"Nine years," or "Nine months," the person would elaborate, as if to establish credibility. Or, "I'm the one with the bank of hydrangeas."

Some brought their pets, introducing cats with flat faces to dogs with sharp toenails.

"Are you the one with that dog that barks?" one woman pointedly asked a man who looked sheepish but soon owned up. I felt sorry for him, especially when his dog started baying in the distance, as if one cue.

Nothing startling happened, the party with purpose was short and sweet, but the scene said a lot about the times. This was neighborliness in concentrate.

Friendship is rarely an accident of geography these days. Our lives are far too fast, too mobile for that. Nobody sits on the front porch and hollers to the neighbors as the sun sets. Even children visit a favorite classmate miles away, not the girl or boy next door.

My best friend growing up was my neighbor Donnie. I rode on his handlebars for

more miles than stretch between here and Salt Lake City. We collected Coca-Cola bottles, turned them in for change and bought big jars of marshmallow cream. Then we sat on the curb and took turns jabbing our index fingers into the sticky goo.

There was nothing about our Ware Hill Drive we didn't know. If a window drape was pulled differently one day, we took note. We fancied ourselves junior sleuths, Nancy Drew and a Hardy Boy.

Things were decidedly mysterious on our quite block, but we didn't let that stop us from pinpointing a Communist spy and a drug smuggler. Our proof consisted solely of our neighbors' odds hours.

When someone went on vacation, everyone knew the details, including the expected date of return. The front porch light burned, a candle in the window, and neighbors took turns cutting the grass.

I don't think I ever heard of burglary, though Donnie and I were sure FBI raids at the drug den and spy lair were only days away.

Residential turnover was almost nonexistent, so we got to watch the suspected bad guys for a long, long time.

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TEXAS Texas not the place to beat the heat

So, you want to beat the heat. Then Texas isn't the place to be today.

Highs all over the state are expected to fry into the high 90s and lower 100s with little relief from rain.

West Texas could look forward to being slightly cooled by partly cloudy skies this afternoon. Still, highs were expected to reach the mid to upper 90s.

The clouds were to continue overnight with a slight chance of evening showers or thunderstorms in the northwest. Temperatures were to drop into the mid 60s or lower 70s.

Similar conditions were expected through Friday for the

rest of the region, including the Permian Basin, Concho Valley and Edwards Plateau.

The Big Bend was expected to be in the mid 80s to upper 90s, except for along the Rio Grande, where temperatures were to peak near 104.

North Texas could expect highs between 96 and 102. Partly cloudy skies and scattered afternoon thunderstorms also were in the forecast.

The scattered rains were predicted to continue overnight and all day Thursday, with lows only in the mid to lower 70s.

South Texas will really be scorching.

The Hill Country can expect highs from between the mid and upper 90s, to around 100 or 103 depending on the region.

Again, there's hope for partly cloudy skies to spawn widely scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms.

The Rio Grande plains and Gulf of Mexico coast will get that cool air from the water and may only have highs in the upper 80s. But the farther they get from the water, the mercury will rise back to triple digits.

Lows will be in the 70s and 80s, with similar conditions predicted to last into the weekend.

The Associated Press

Bolt

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took off his helmet, the side of his head had a burn mark. He was very pale and he was bleeding out of his ears."

Turner's first-ever attempt at CPR was a success. He and Maxfield resuscitated Jones until paramedics took over and transported him to Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas.

Jones was listed in critical condition this morning. Fifteen others, including Turner, required medical treatment.

Superintendent Chester St. Clair said he arrived on the field to see ambulances, coaches and students attending the dozens of wounded people.

"I'm not sure that there are words in my vocabulary to describe it," he said.

Coaches, meanwhile, already were facing questions of why practice continued if the storm was close.

But Turner said the coaches are no strangers to lightning. This time last year, he remembers moving practically a prac-

tice per week into the gymnasium because of bad weather.

They even took the somewhat extreme step last fall of postponing a game against district rival Ferris from Friday night to Saturday because of huge lightning blasts 30 miles away.

"I know people are going to look at us as stupid coaches, but that's not the case at all," said Turner, whose Jackrabbits are ranked No. 6 in Class 3A. "Usually, when lightning gets close you hear some crackles. There was no warning."

Comfort

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field of Forney High, home of the sixth-ranked Class 3A Jackrabbits. Cows grazed in the nearby pasture and two John Deere tractors sat just outside the school's main field.

A storm was approaching, but coaches didn't fear. They were known to call off practices — and even games — because of lightning in the area, yet they felt there was still plenty of time before the bad weather would hit.

They were wrong. A few minutes before 4 p.m. a surprising bolt zapped the field, leaving players and coaches who had been involved in position drills sprawled on the grass.

"We were just running and all of a sudden there was a big boom," said Matt Donnell, 15, a junior varsity player.

Junior varsity teammate Chris Smith said his knees buckled and he too became pinned down.

"Then I got up, looked beside me and my friend ... he couldn't get up," Smith said. "So I picked him up and ran inside."

Clay Jones wasn't as lucky. The junior varsity player was hit in the head by the bolt and was listed in critical condition today at Baylor University Medical Center.

Varsity coach Mel Maxfield was the first person to Jones' side. He screamed for someone to call for help, then he and assistant coach Brad Turner began performing CPR on Jones.

"He didn't have a pulse. You could tell he was not breathing," Turner said. "When we took off his helmet, the side of his head had a burn mark. He

was very pale and he was bleeding out of his ears."

Denise Walton, a Baylor spokeswoman, said a second player was admitted to the intensive care unit and 11 other students were either released or in stable condition.

Turner and another assistant coach, Horlos Barrett, and a student were treated at The Medical Center in Mesquite. The coaches were sent home and the student was in stable condition, said nursing supervisor Carolyn Grinstead.

Tim Herrige, a 17-year-old varsity player, said the approximately 200 people who crammed Baylor's waiting room were consoling each other and trying to ease the pain of the tragedy.

"After it all happened, we prayed," Herrige said. "It brought us together."

Farm

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Only 1 percent of the public water supplies in agricultural areas had excess levels, even though the water was drawn from wells, the Geological Survey reported. Those wells tended to be deeper. Wells shallower than 100 feet, including those used to water livestock and irrigate cropland, tended to have more contamination.

Fertilizers and manure both add nitrates to the water. Nitrates in drinking water can cause fatal oxygen deprivation in infants. They also can cause algae buildup that chokes fish and clogs pipelines.

"What people drink does depend on what's right around them," said Dennis R. Helsel, a hydrologist and coordinator of the report. "I'm sure that it has been, but it should continue to be a concern for folks in agricultural areas."

More than 42 million Americans got water from wells in

1990, the report said.

The study also found elevated nitrate concentrations in streams, rivers and other surface water below farming areas, but significantly lower levels than in ground water. Concentrations in surface waters rarely exceeded the drinking water standard.

Because nitrates take so long to work their way down into underground water supplies in some areas, the impact of decades of heavy fertilizer use may in fact take three or four decades to be felt, the report said.

The Northeast, including the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia peninsula, has a problem because of heavy application of manure, less pasture in relation to cropland and permeable material, such as sand and gravel, beneath the soil.

Nebraska and California have high amounts of nitrates because of irrigation, high use

of fertilizer and large areas planted to row crops.

Appalachia and the Southeast, despite heavy fertilizer use, had generally lower levels in part because there is more woodland and other vegetation to absorb the nitrates.

The Corn Belt states of Iowa, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois had some of the lowest relative pollution. Soil type was one factor. So was the use of drainage pipes and ditches that carried the runoff to surface water.

The Great Lakes states of Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin had generally low nitrate concentrations in ground water, mostly because of poor soil drainage. Although typical concentrations were low, 15 percent of the samples had excess amounts.

The study looked at data collected between 1970 and 1992 by several agencies.

Aquifer still caught in legal limbo

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Legal wrangling continues to keep the new Edwards Aquifer Authority in limbo.

The authority's board members were to have taken office Monday, but that was canceled after a Medina County water group opposed to the regulatory panel obtained a temporary restraining order preventing the swearing in.

Attorneys for the board members failed Monday to persuade the 4th Court of Appeals in San Antonio to dissolve the court order.

A hearing is set for Friday in Hondo at which the Medina County Underground Water Conservation District will ask state District Judge Mickey Pennington to turn the tempo-

rary order into a temporary injunction, thus extending it.

The Medina water district obtained the initial order from Pennington last Tuesday. The water district alleges aquifer users would suffer irreparable damage if the board is seated.

The Edwards Aquifer Authority, created by the Texas Legislature, is to replace the Edwards Underground Water District, which was to have gone out of business on Sunday.

The authority with its 15 voting members would be the first state agency to have powers to regulate water pumping from the underground aquifer.

It also may levy user fees and broker water sales or trades.

A natural underground source of water, the Edwards Aquifer long has been at the center of a regional water feud.

Farmers in Medina and Uvalde counties use aquifer water for irrigation.

The city of San Antonio relies on the aquifer for drinking water.

Rivers running through the cities of San Marcos and New Braunfels are fed by aquifer springs, and endangered species living in those springs are dependent on the aquifer.

River water users farther downstream also have an interest in aquifer usage.

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Attempted censorship of books is down slightly

WASHINGTON (AP) — Attempts to remove controversial books from public school classrooms and libraries dropped slightly last school year, a liberal public policy group reported today. But more of the attempts succeeded.

Among the books challenged: anthologies of scary stories and classics like "Of Mice and Men" and "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings," the report by People for the American Way said.

In addition to 338 attempts to

remove books, often because they contain profanity or sexual scenes, the group documented another 120 cases of what it called "broad-based challenges to public education," including attempts to abolish Halloween celebrations, stop counseling services for gay teen-agers and curtail sex education programs.

That number was up from 87 such cases the year before, the group said.

"Students are being denied the resources to develop the

critical thinking skills necessary to participate and to succeed in an increasingly complex society," the group said in its report, "Attacks on the Freedom to Learn."

But a conservative group said it's exactly those issues, and the types of books available, that parents properly are concerned with in their children's schools.

"We feel the nation should want parents to get involved in their kids' education," said Kristen Hanson of the Family

Research Council in Washington. "The problem now is we have too many apathetic parents."

Hanson also accused People for the American Way, which describes itself as a constitutional liberties and anti-censorship organization, of exaggerating a few instances. "They're saying there's this huge crisis, but in fact very, very few of these books are ever pulled," she said.

Of the 338 attempts nation-

wide to remove or restrict access to books and other materials, 50 percent, or 169, were successful, People for the American Way said.

The year before, 375 attempts were documented and 42 percent were successful.

The most frequent complaint against a book was that its treatment of sexuality was offensive. Profanity was the next most frequent complaint.

People for the American Way

said it found 18 percent of the attempts involved people affiliated with religious conservative groups.

Another 5 percent came from left-leaning parents or groups, usually concerned that a book perpetuated a racial stereotype, the Washington-based group said. Among books challenged in those instances were "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" and "To Kill a Mockingbird."

Postal worker accused of shooting two people

PALATINE, Ill. (AP) — A long-time postal worker accused of shooting two friends at work, leaving one critically injured, had been receiving treatment for severe depression, his lawyer said.

"He's not a violent man," Terry Gillespie said of his client, Dorsey S. Thomas. "My understanding is that Mr. Thomas has never been in trouble before in his life."

Thomas' co-workers agreed. "Don't make it seem like he was some type of vicious person, some fiend, because he was just a nice guy," said Willie Little.

Gillespie said Thomas, 53, was on an undetermined type of medication for physical problems and depression.

Investigators had not determined a motive for the shootings, said Postal Inspector Ida Gillis. She said Thomas, whom she described as a "loner, a quiet individual," had acted normal at work until Tuesday morning.

He arrived for the start of the 7 a.m. shift in this suburb 31 miles northwest of Chicago, walked to the second floor sorting area and shot clerk Mike Mielke in the head and chest, witnesses and police said.

He then ran downstairs and shot clerk Steve Collura twice in the chest, kicked him and hit him with the semiautomatic pistol, investigators said.

Postal worker Cynthia Murray said she was on the first floor when she heard two quick shots, then saw panicked employees trying to leave the building. "People were just falling all over each other," she said. "I saw people trample over people and I saw the smoke from the gun."

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Last words express betrayal

NOVI, Mich. (AP) — Some of 12-year-old Cassandra Fiolek's last words expressed her betrayal by a man she had considered a friend.

"She said, 'What are you doing? I trusted you,'" Aaron S. Stinchcombe said in a tape-recorded confession played in court Tuesday.

On the tape, Stinchcombe recalled matter-of-factly that he and a homeless friend lured Cassandra and Jennifer Wicks, also 12, to a midnight drinking party that ended in the girls' savage beatings and deaths.

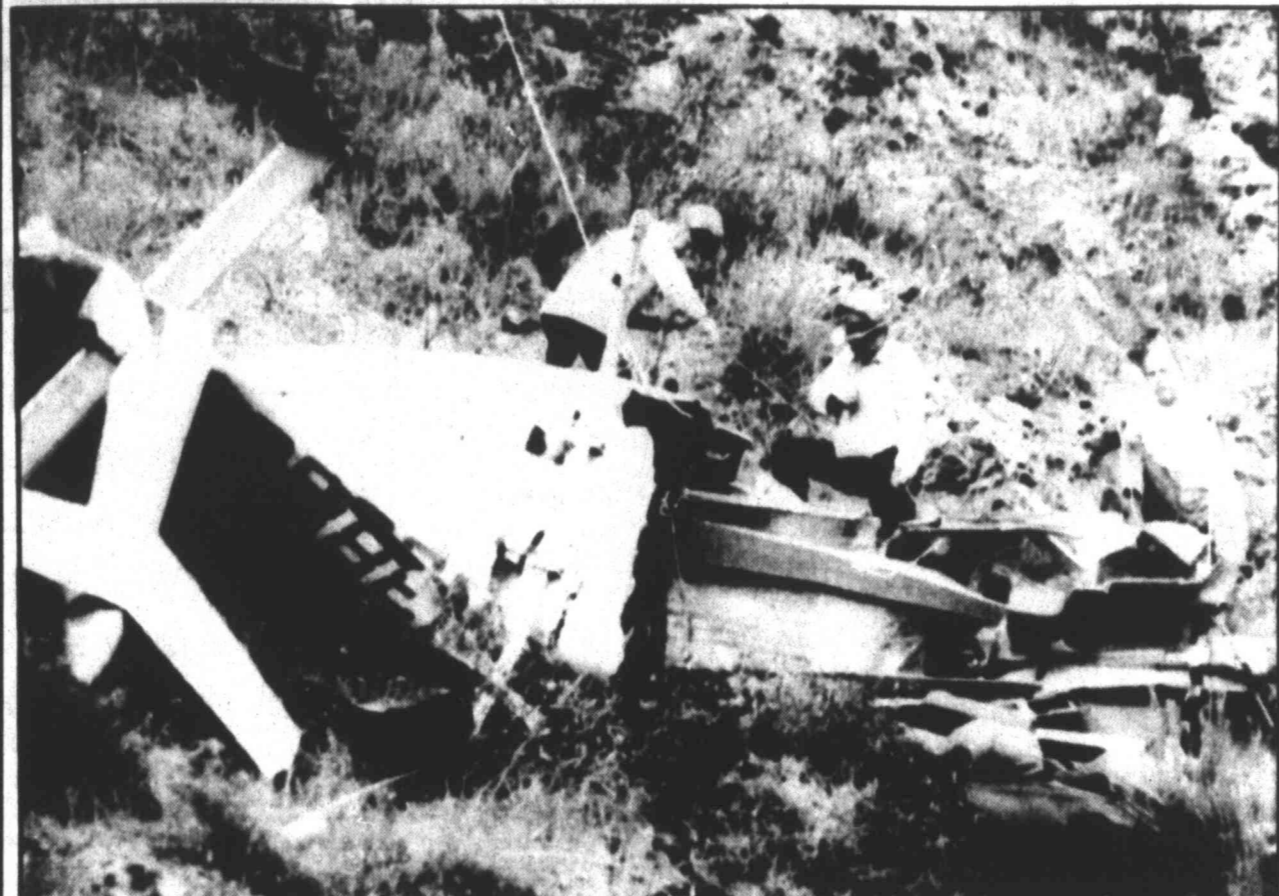
Stinchcombe was ordered to stand trial on two counts of murder. He faces a mandatory sentence of life in prison without parole if convicted. The preliminary hearing for Russell S. Oeschger, 30, was postponed so he could undergo a psychiatric evaluation.

In his confession, Stinchcombe told detectives that Cassandra approached him at a park and asked him to buy her some alcohol. They decided to get together at the park around midnight.

The girls were supposed to be sleeping at Cassandra's house, but left through a window to meet the men. Stinchcombe said he brought along Oeschger, who had three bottles of liquor.

Then the drinking began. "We were having a good time," Stinchcombe said on the tape. "The girls got up and started doing cartwheels."

TWO KILLED



Officials from the Tulare County Sheriff's Department, Kern County Fire Department and U.S. Forest Service work to secure a helicopter to a hillside to remove the bodies of two men killed when it crashed about 20 miles north of Kernville, Calif., Tuesday. The helicopter crashed while filming background shots for a music video for rock musician Meatloaf. The names of the deceased were not released.

EXTRA HELP NEEDED

Four Atlantic storms send forecasters looking for manpower

MIAMI (AP) — Forecasters had to enlist extra help Tuesday to track four storms swirling in the open Atlantic in the busiest hurricane season in more than 60 years.

The National Hurricane Center sent both of its Air Force tracking airplanes on storm-chasing missions and got extra help from the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, which also sent planes for close-up looks at the storms.

"It's been quite a while since we've had this active of a season, and there really isn't a lot of experience to go on," said Mike Hopkins, a forecaster at the Miami center.

The workload doubled Monday, when Tropical Storms Karen and Luis developed rapidly in the far eastern Atlantic near the African coast, joining Hurricanes Iris and Humberto, both about a week old.

Karen and Luis became the 11th and 12th storms in the 1995 season, tying a 1933 record for the number of named storms formed so early. Hurricane season runs from June to November.

"They are fairly close together, and it's hard to tell when they start interacting, and if they're going to start interacting, what will happen," Hopkins said. "It's a really interesting situation."

Karen, with 50-mph winds, was centered about 875 miles east of the Leeward Islands in the eastern Caribbean. Luis was 680 miles west-southwest of the Cape Verde Islands off the African coast, with winds of 40 mph.

Iris, which briefly reverted to a tropical storm Sunday when

its winds dropped below 74 mph, killed two people in Martinique and one in Guadeloupe.

On Tuesday, Iris was 450 miles northeast of San Juan, Puerto Rico. It was considered a threat only to Atlantic shipping lanes, but its winds of 85 mph were expected to strengthen.

Humberto, which also diminished to a tropical storm over the weekend, regained hurricane strength Monday near the mid-Atlantic, 1,050 miles southwest of the Azores, with winds near 75 mph.

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Economy slows in second quarter

WASHINGTON (AP) — The economy slowed dramatically in the second quarter of 1995, expanding at the weakest pace in nearly four years.

But the 1.1 percent annual rate of growth for the April-June quarter, reported today by the Commerce Department, was larger than previously estimated, thanks largely to higher consumer spending.

Analysts said in advance of the report that the economy is not headed for recession and already is shaking off some sluggishness. They predict solid if unspectacular gains in gross domestic product by the end of the year and into 1996.

The government said a month

ago that GDP, measuring all goods and services produced in the United States, grew at an anemic 0.5 percent rate in the spring.

In today's updated figures, the Commerce Department said upward revisions in consumer spending and business investment in inventories offset downward revisions for net exports and government spending.

The department also said that, using a new method of calculating growth that it is phasing in this year, GDP expanded only 0.5 percent in the second quarter. The new method will formally replace the older system at the end of 1995.

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Women's conference dogged by freedom of expression dispute

BEIJING (AP) — The biggest meeting ever of the world's women officially opened today, dogged by a dispute between women activists and the Chinese government over freedom of expression.

"It is my great pleasure and honor to declare our celebration open," senior organizer Irene Santiago proclaimed to a mostly female crowd of 18,000 in a Beijing stadium.

The audience swayed and clapped as an all-women Chinese orchestra played Beethoven's Ode to Joy. Women from around the world issued a call to gather in six languages,

with the English speaker declaring, "Let us celebrate women's power — our strength."

The ceremony opens a 10-day meeting of more than 20,000 activists from private groups around the world. It is known as the NGO Forum because the groups are non-governmental organizations.

A few hours earlier, conference organizers said they will defy Chinese restrictions on holding protests and allow freedom of expression throughout their gathering site.

The organizers' tough stand could put participants on a collision course with the Chinese

government, which has imposed strict security and declared that any demonstrations will be limited to a small school yard inside the conference grounds.

Chinese officials have said that protests criticizing China are not allowed.

Mrs. Santiago, forum executive director, told a news conference that the Chinese never told the organizers of any such restrictions.

There is "no such instruction — nor will such instruction ever be given," she said.

The letter of agreement signed by the Chinese government gives organizers jurisdiction

over the site allocated to them in Hualou, a town near the Great Wall an hour's drive north of Beijing, Mrs. Santiago said.

The Chinese government initially angered many participants by suddenly moving the forum out of Beijing, cutting participants off from delegates to the official U.N.-sponsored Fourth World Conference on Women whom they hope to lobby.

There have also been protests about China's decision to bar entry to individuals approved by the United Nations.

Mrs. Santiago said organizers

have protested to China about its exclusion of four groups that seek independence from China — apparently referring to Tibetan and Taiwan groups.

"We are trying to make sure that they are heard here," she said.

China also barred all 30 would-be participants from Niger because it recognizes Taiwan and refused to issue visas to an unknown number of other women with political views opposed to China's.

Several reporters at the news conference pressed Mrs. Santiago on China's moves to curb protests and criticism of its poli-

cies.

"We're certainly not going to allow that a small area of the big forum site is designated as an area for freedom of expression," said Mrs. Santiago, who is from the Philippines.

The site set aside by the Chinese for protests is a freshly paved plot about the size of a basketball court in a corner of the main forum compound. A sign in English says, "Parade Ground."

Forum participants have complained about tight security — metal detectors at entrances to the major sites, bans on visitors in rooms, and police searches.

Sarajevo hit once again

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Answering a deadly Bosnian Serb mortar attack on Sarajevo that dared a reluctant world to act, NATO warplanes and U.N. rapid reaction forces today unleashed a bomb and artillery assault on Serb targets around the besieged city.

A senior U.S. Defense Department official, speaking on condition of anonymity, called this morning's attacks "Round One," and said more strikes were planned over the next several days.

In the biggest NATO action yet since the organization's founding in 1949, three waves of warplanes struck between 2 a.m. and 9 a.m. (8 p.m. Tuesday and 3 a.m. today EDT).

U.N. sources said NATO jets also targeted Bosnian Serb air defenses near the towns of Mostar in the west, Gorazde in the east, and Tuzla to the north, but there was no immediate NATO confirmation.

The United Nations said there were no NATO or U.N. deaths.

The first explosions were heard from the direction of the Bosnian Serb stronghold of Pale, to the southeast. The sky over the northern suburb of Vogosca, home to a Bosnian Serb munitions factory, glowed red with bright flashes and smoke could be seen billowing there after a series of explosions.

Detonation flashes also were seen to the south, and the rumble of artillery could be heard. The international rapid reaction force opened fire from Mount Igman, said Lt. Col. Pierre Briere, a U.N. spokesman.

He said a "very important" ammunition depot southwest of Sarajevo was destroyed.



A worker at the Kosevo hospital morgue covers the body of a 4-year-old girl Emina Sadirlija who died Tuesday from wounds from fragments of a mortar shell that exploded in front of her apartment in downtown Sarajevo. The shelling Monday was the worst attack on Sarajevo's civilians in the 40-month-old Bosnian war.

Associated Press Television and AP photographers saw two F-16s flying toward the suburb of Lukavica, a vital military position for the Serbs. Seconds later, they saw a huge cloud of smoke floating above. There was no immediate U.N. or

NATO confirmation of a strike in that area.

Lt. Col. Janis Witt, a NATO official in Naples, Italy, said NATO had not yet seen film footage to examine just what the strikes had accomplished. But pilots say "they believe they're

hitting their targets and destroying and damaging them," she said.

Lt. Col. Chris Vernon, a U.N. official, spoke of "extensive" damage and destruction of the Serb targets.

hit. The rain last night washed all that blood and parts of human flesh off the street, but pain and despair will remain in our hearts forever," said Miralem Efendic, a 23-year old

Bosnian army soldier. A single teardrop dribbled down his face.

His best friend and brother-in-arms was wounded the day before when the 120 mm mortar shell slammed into a group of street vendors and shoppers.

U.N. officials-blamed Bosnian Serbs for firing the deadly shell.

More than 24 hours after the carnage, doctors in the two main Sarajevo hospitals continued their feverish efforts to save the lives of critically wounded people.

"We are talking about multiple injuries. Every patient has

several wounds, and we always have to decide which injury is the dominating one," said Dr. Faruk Konjodzic, the director of Kosevo hospital.

"I am still terribly shocked. I don't know what to tell you. I could scream. Scream," said Janja Pasic, 64, from her Kosevo hospital bed. She was hit in her back and in one of her legs.

Meanwhile, the city's undertakers prepared the dead for burial. For fear of more shelling and sniping, all funerals will be hurried affairs taking place only at dusk or at dawn.

Sarajevans shocked by latest mortar attack on city

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — On a simple wooden table overflowing with flowers, a one-line message remembered the 36 people killed and 80 maimed in a Serb mortar blast outside Sarajevo's market.

"The last salute to cherished Sarajevans."

The note had been wrapped crudely in plastic to keep rain from washing its message away.

Nobody knew who put the table, the base for the improvised memorial, on the road where the shell hit.

Though downtown Sarajevo

was deserted, its 280,000 residents stunned by scenes of carnage from the previous day, mourners and occasional passers-by stopped for a moment at the memorial, a splash of color on the gloomy street. Silence was punctured by the sound of workers hammering boards over broken windows.

"The rain last night washed all that blood and parts of human flesh off the street, but pain and despair will remain in our hearts forever," said Miralem Efendic, a 23-year old

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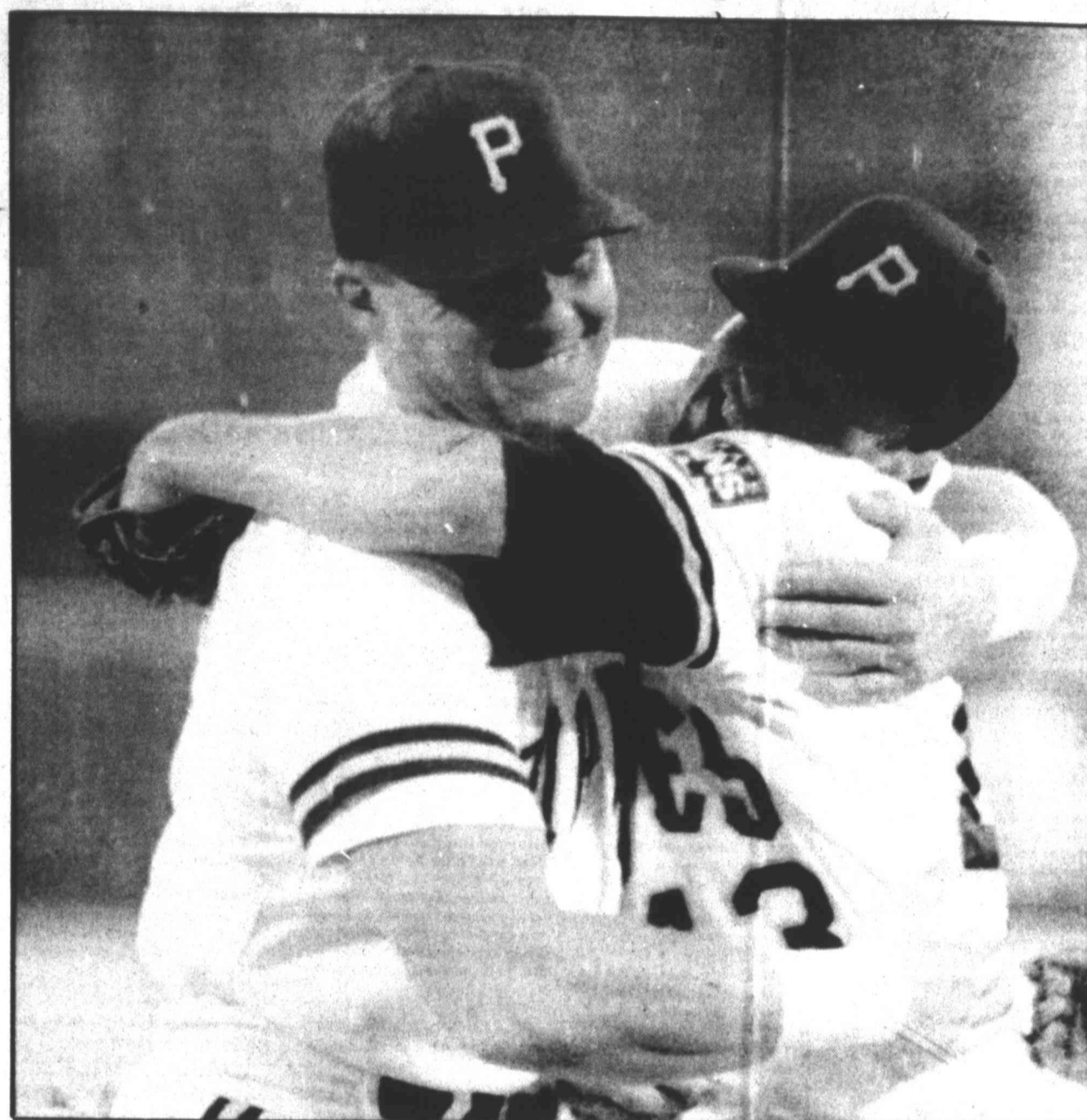
Hurler falters one out from no-hitter

PITTSBURGH (AP) Paul Wagner just missed pitching one of the most improbable no-hitters in recent times. The biggest loser in the National League this season, the Pittsburgh pitcher was one strike away against the hard-hitting Colorado Rockies when Andres Galarraga grounded a clean infield single.

"I really thought I was going to get it," Wagner said. "It was 3-2, two outs in the ninth and I remember thinking, 'In this situation, the guy swings and misses and everything works out OK.'"

Wagner (3-13) barely missed gloving Galarraga's grounder up the middle. By the time second baseman Nelson Liriano made a back-handed grab way behind the bag and threw, it was too late.

Wagner wound up with a one-hitter.



Pittsburgh pitcher Paul Wagner is hugged by a teammate after coming within one strike of a no-hitter against Colorado Tuesday night. Associated Press photo

Steers face final tune-up

By STEVE REAGAN
Sports Editor

What started as an overhaul is now down to the fine-tuning stages.

The Big Spring Steers hold their final preseason football scrimmage Thursday at 8 p.m. when they face Midland High School at Memorial Stadium in Midland.

The biggest concern for Big Spring's coaching staff during the summer was replacing nine starters from District 4-4A's leading defense. That number has been whittled down to something more manageable.

What has pleased head coach Dwight Butler more than anything is the young defense's aggressiveness.

"We've still got a long way to go, but we have better athletic talent ... and they're not afraid to hit someone. I've been extremely pleased with their effort."

The defense passed its first test last week in a scrimmage against Lamesa, limiting the Golden Tornadoes to less than 200 yards total offense.

Starters are pretty well set at tackles - which feature returning starters Jon Green and Kinney Dupree - and at line-backer. Manuel Lopez and Kendall Davis appear to have nailed down spots on the outside, which Gabriel Rubio and Brock Gee are competing for the middle linebacking position.

The only questions remain at defensive end and in the secondary. Defensive coordinator Jay Kennedy admits to the possibility that those positions will be manned "by committee" - having a regular rotation of players at the spots - this fall.

Few such concerns exist on offense. The group, which returns six full-time starters from last season, moved the ball crisply against Lamesa last week.

The offense, which averaged more than 30 points during the last half of the 1994 season, gained more than 400 yards against Lamesa.

Bucky Crenshaw and tight end Daniel Franks connected for two scores on passes of 25 and 2 yards.

Lady Steers start hot, falter in late going vs. Denver City

By DARRELL ERICSON
Sportswriter

Going into Tuesday's match with Denver City, Big Spring volleyball coach Traci Pierce was looking for unity and workability - "Looking to see if two-a-days and the workouts paid off," Pierce said.

Tuesday's results were not immediately heartening, as the Phillies beat the Lady Steers 15-10, 15-8. Denver City rallied from an eight-point deficit in the first game, then dominated the second game en route to the win.

"We came out strong, handled the ball great, and played as a team. The players got too relaxed when we were ahead by eight and we allowed them to catch up and win. It's a sign of an inexperienced team," Pierce said.

In the second game, Pierce said the team's intensity was

low. She blamed that in part to the group's youth and inexperience.

Key players for Big Spring were Tasha Wilbert, M a n d i Morrow, and Krissi McWherter. Wilbert, who suffered a hyperextended knee last weekend, came out to lead the team in scoring with eight points. Morrow came out of the first game with three scores, two being aces, and provided three assists. McWherter also served well with three aces, two in the first game and one in the second.

Pierce said: "Losing the match bothered the players and me, which is good. It shows we

have a competitive desire."

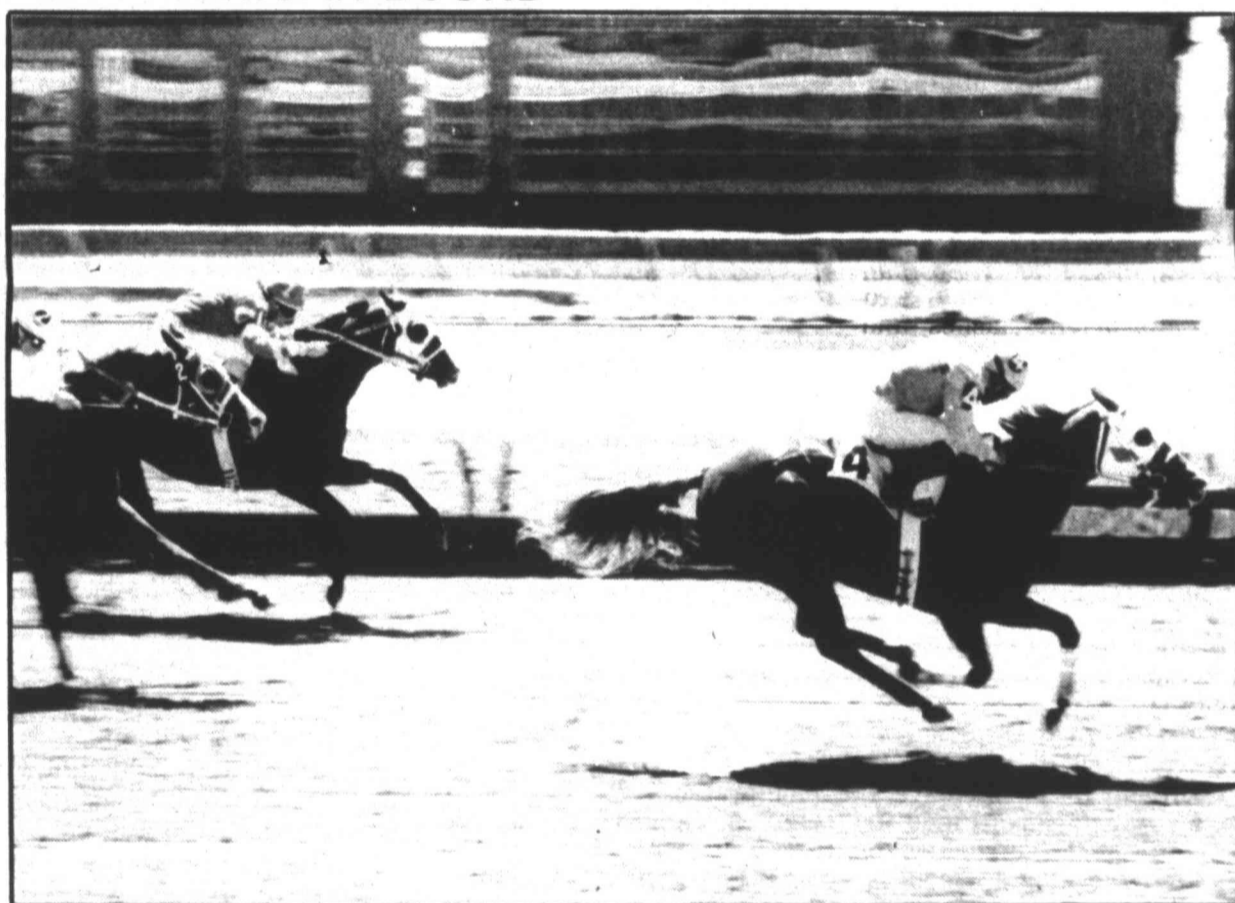
Pierce said the Lady Steers are working on a new defensive look that will "provide better coverage over the court, having three setters on the floor. We have to come out and do the work. It is going to take a conscience effort in order to do it and do it right. I was pleased with the team's effort."

Pierce commented on the mistakes, saying "It is expected out of a young team. We are going to have to work on our passing game in order to pass to the set, along with our hitting and serving."

Overall, Pierce was pleased with the team's effort.

"The team is coming together great. With the new looks on offense and defense we have a lot of work to do and the players are giving 100 percent and will continue," Pierce said. The Lady Steers travel to Denver City for their next tournament Friday.

ALL-AMERICAN BOUND



Some Swinger, center, owned by Big Spring resident G.C. Broughton Jr., is shown finishing second in the Aug. 18 All-American Futurity trial at Ruidoso Downs. The horse's time of 21.67 seconds qualified it for the \$1.65 million All-American Futurity, set for Sept. 4.

For a change, Cowboys' banquet offers few, if any, surprises

DALLAS (AP) - For \$85 at the Dallas Cowboys kickoff luncheon, you got pep talks from Jerry and Barry, a 20-second speech from Tom Landry, and an introduction to the 1995 players.

You didn't get Deion Sanders or Darrin Smith.

A film entitled "Ready for Glory" got the less-than-capacity crowd going Tuesday, although the end was a downer for the faithful with the

announcement of the score of last year's NFC championship game: San Francisco 38, Dallas 28.

Sanders, of course, helped contribute to the loss with an interception of Troy Aikman.

Owner Jerry Jones has been trying to court Sanders away from the 49ers but made no reference to him before the luncheon crowd.

Jones did allow that he "will go down trying to do anything I

can for this team even if it takes conniving and hustling."

Smith is a holdout linebacker who is asking between \$300,000 and \$400,000 more than Jones is willing to pay. Godfrey Myles will start in Smith's place on Monday night against the New York Giants. Jones has said the contract situation is at an impasse.

Jones has been known for his surprises at the luncheon. In his rookie year, Emmitt Smith

stepped from behind a curtain to announce he had been signed.

At least coach Barry Switzer provided some Oklahoma-style emotional fireworks for the crowd, saying, "Most teams wish they could be in Phoenix for the Super Bowl. The Cowboys know they belong there."

This brought rousing applause. Switzer also gave a big pat on

the back to his boss. "Don't ever question (Jones') commitment to winning. He is a winner. He's put together the best quarterback, running back, receiver, defense and supporting cast in the NFL."

Jones also pointed out that the team was returning 17 of the 22 players who started in the NFC championship game against the 49ers.

"You can't win on paper but

it's a great lineup," Jones said.

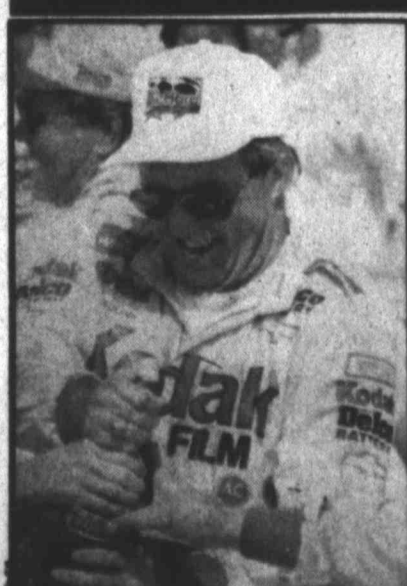
Witnessing all this in the audience was former coach Landry, the man Jones fired to give the job to Jimmy Johnson.

Landry was on hand to receive a "Legends" award from the NFL Alumni Association.

"I have nothing but the best wishes for the Cowboys," said Landry. "I have no question they will be in the hunt before it's all over."

BOTTOM OF THE ORDER

SHOT OF THE DAY



Racing for a million
Daytona 500 winner Sterling Martin, shown in this file photo, could become a million dollars richer if he wins this weekend's Southern 500. The bonus goes to any driver who wins two of four selected races.

TEXAS SPORTS

Twins blank Rangers

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - Chuck Knoblauch of the Twins and Edgar Martinez of the Mariners have a lot in common these days. Not only are they 1-2 in the AL batting race, they're hardly household names.

Knoblauch homered and doubled twice Tuesday night, and rookie Brad Radke pitched a three-hit shutout as Minnesota defeated the Texas Rangers 2-0.

Knoblauch, who had three hits and two runs scored, raised his average to .341 - second to Martinez's .364.

"I'm seeing the ball just as it's coming out of the pitcher's hand," Knoblauch said. "It's not as big as a watermelon, but I am seeing the ball extremely well."

NATION/WORLD

Tarasco suspended

NEW YORK (AP) - Tony Tarasco of the Montreal Expos was suspended three games and fined an undisclosed amount by the NL for instigating a bench-clearing incident against San Francisco.

Tarasco charged the mound Thursday after taking an inside fastball from Sergio Valde.

Husker can play, NCAA says

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) - Nebraska running back Lawrence Phillips can play Thursday against Oklahoma State and in other games even though an NCAA investigation is continuing, the NCAA's director of eligibility said.

ON THE AIR

Tennis

U.S. Open,
6:30 p.m., USA (ch. 38).

Baseball

Major League
Houston at Atlanta,
6:30 p.m., TBS (ch. 11).
Seattle at Boston,
6:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).
New York at Los Angeles,
9:30 p.m., ESPN.

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BASEBALL

American League

All Times EDT				
East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Boston	70	44	.614	—
New York	55	59	.482	15
Baltimore	54	60	.474	16
Toronto	49	64	.434	20 1/2
Detroit	47	65	.419	22 1/2

Central Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Cleveland	78	35	.690	—
Milwaukee	56	56	.500	20 1/2
Kansas City	56	56	.500	21 1/2
Chicago	48	64	.429	29 1/2
Minnesota	41	72	.363	37

West Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
California	67	48	.583	—
Texas	58	58	.513	8
Seattle	58	50	.539	1/2
Oakland	56	60	.482	11 1/2

Tuesday's Games

Seattle 6, Boston 4
Cleveland 4, Toronto 1
Oakland 3, Baltimore 1
New York 12, California 4
Kansas City 7, Milwaukee 1
Minnesota 2, Texas 9
Detroit 7, Chicago 5
Wednesday's Games
California (Abbott 9-6) at New York (Pettitte 6-8), 1:05 p.m.
Texas (Rogers 12-6) at Minnesota (Trombly 2-9), 1:15 p.m.
Toronto (Hentgen 9-11) at Cleveland (Martinez 9-4), 7:05 p.m.
Seattle (Bosio 9-6) at Boston (Hanson 13-4), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Johns 2-0) at Baltimore (Moyer 8-4), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Karl 5-2) at Kansas City (Gubiczak 9-11), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Nitzkowski 0-2) at Chicago (Bere 6-11), 8:05 p.m.
Thursday's Games
Toronto (Hurtado 5-2) at Cleveland (Hill 1-0), 7:05 p.m.
Seattle (Johnson 13-2) at Boston (Cormier 6-4), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Stottiemyre 12-5) at Baltimore (Ericson 9-10), 7:35 p.m.
California (B. Anderson 6-6) at New York (Ritchcock 6-9), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Givens 5-2) at Kansas City (Appier 13-8), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Moore 5-14) at Chicago (Fernandez 8-8), 8:05 p.m.

Tuesday's Games

San Francisco 6, Philadelphia 4
Chicago 10, Florida 6
Cincinnati 4, St. Louis 1
Pittsburgh 4, Colorado 0
Houston 11, Atlanta 9, 13
Monday's Games
New York 4, Los Angeles 3
Montreal 2, San Diego 1
Wednesday's Games
Philadelphia (Juden 2-1) at San Francisco (VanLandingham 4-3), 3:35 p.m.
Chicago (Castillo 8-7) at Florida (Burkett 11-11), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Morgan 5-7) at Cincinnati (Portugal 8-8), 7:35 p.m.
Colorado (Rekar 3-2) at Pittsburgh (Erica 9-8), 7:35 p.m.
Houston (Ryeyolds 8-8) at Atlanta (Swartz 18-5), 7:40 p.m.
New York (Mick 6-6) at Los Angeles (Candolite 6-11), 10:35 p.m.
Montreal (Heredia 4-6) at San Diego (Blair 6-3), 10:35 p.m.
Thursday's Games
Philadelphia (Fernandez 5-1) at San Francisco (Brewington 4-1), 3:35 p.m.
Montreal (Martinez 12-8) at San Diego (Ashby 9-8), 4:05 p.m.
Chicago (Trachsel 5-10) at Florida (Banks 1-4), 7:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Neagle 11-6) at Cincinnati (Viola 0-0), 7:35 p.m.
Houston (Drabek 7-7) at Atlanta (Maddux 14-2), 7:40 p.m.
New York (Teigheder 0-1) at Los Angeles (Nomo 10-5), 10:05 p.m.

FOOTBALL

NFL Schedule

Sunday's Games
Cincinnati at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.
Cleveland at New England, 1 p.m.
Houston at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Atlanta, 1 p.m.
San Francisco at New Orleans, 1 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
St. Louis at Green Bay, 1 p.m.
Detroit at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.
Houston at Miami, 4 p.m.
San Diego at Oakland, 4 p.m.
Kansas City at Seattle, 4 p.m.
Arizona at Washington, 4 p.m.
Minnesota at Chicago, 4 p.m.
Buffalo at Denver, 8 p.m.
Monday's Games
Dallas at New York Giants, 9 p.m.

FISHING

West Texas

ARROWHEAD: Water fairly clear; normal level 80 degrees; black bass are fair to good on minnows, dark worms and crank baits; crappie are slow to fair on minnows and jigs; catfish are fair on shrimp and night crawlers.
BALMORHEA: Water fairly clear; low; black bass are very good on topwaters, spinner baits and crank baits; crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs; catfish are very good on shrimp, night crawlers and red wigglers.
PROCTOR: Water murky; lake full; 82 degrees; most fishing is slow.
SPENCE: Water clear; 33 feet low; 82 degrees; black bass are fair to good on worms; striped and white bass are fair to good on topwaters fished early and late; catfish are fair on minnows, worms and liver.
TWIN BUTTES: Water clear; extremely low; very few fishermen out.
WHITE RIVER: Water clear; low; 88 degrees; black bass are fair on crank baits and dark worms; catfish are fair to good on shrimp and night crawlers.

TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday

NATIONAL LEAGUE
NL—Upheld the two-day suspension of Brian McRae, Chicago Cubs outfielder. Suspended Tony Tarasco, Montreal Expos outfielder, for three games for charging the mound and instigating a bench-clearing incident in a game on Aug. 24.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Placed Tim Lincecum, third baseman, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled Mike Busch, infielder, from Albuquerque of the Pacific Coast League.
BASKETBALL
NBA—Named Jonathan Brod manager of consumer products for NBA Canada Inc.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
BUFFALO BILLS—Signed Carey Bender, running back, and Mike Sheldon and Tom Nutten, offensive linemen, to the practice squad.
CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Todd Kulis, guard, Placed Rich Braham, guard, on injured reserve. Signed Thomas Bailey, and David Rhodes, wide receivers; Vince Stewart, defensive lineman; Ryan Dickerson, fullback, and Ray Forsythe, offensive lineman, to the practice squad.
DENVER BRONCOS—Signed Byron Chamberlain, wide receiver; Max Tanuasa, defensive tackle; David Diaz-Infante, offensive lineman; and Phil Yeboah-Kodie, linebacker, to the practice squad.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Charlie Simmons, wide receiver; Tommy Fagan, defensive end; Reggie Holt, safety; Seth Dittman, offensive tackle; and Randy Neal, linebacker, to the practice squad.
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed Tom Berndt, offensive lineman; Perry Carter, cornerback; Ron Fizzle, tackle; and Willy Tait, tight end, to the practice squad.
NEW YORK JETS—Signed Chad Cascadden, linebacker; Curtis Ceaser, wide receiver; Vance Joseph, cornerback; Terrence Wisdom, guard; and Alan Young, defensive lineman, to the practice squad.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Frank Warright, tight end; Claimed Kevin Johnson, defensive tackle, off waivers from the Oakland Raiders.
Waived Reggie Johnson, tight end; and Jeff Snyder, kick returner.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANERS—Signed Kelly Holcomb, quarterback; and Kerry Mock, linebacker, to the practice squad.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS—Signed Andre Rackoff, goaltender.
FLORIDA PANTHERS—Signed an affiliation agreement with the Tallahassee Tiger Sharks of the East Coast Hockey League.
American Hockey League
CAROLINA MONARCHS—Signed Dan Gravelle, center, and Gary Roach, defenseman.

BASEBALL

National League

Well, Cowboy fans, the preseason is over and it is time for the real stuff to begin. Dallas begins the season Monday against the New York Giants at 8 p.m.
Other than being the first Monday night football game it's going to be time to answer some old and new questions.
Has Troy Aikman truly recovered from all of those tremendous blows that resulted in concussion?
Is Erik Williams' knee in full form after injury?
Is Charles Haley's back going to hold up to his aggressive playing style?
Have we found a replacement that can fulfill the shoes of Alvin Harper?
And last but not least, is Emmitt Smith ready and willing to begin and play to receive another rushing title?
These questions are on my mind and also on the mind of the biggest Cowboy fan I have ever met — my friend Trent.
We used to have this Cowboy ritual which consisted of playing touch football. It must have worked because the year we didn't play was last season.
And we know what happened last year, don't we?
It's going to take most of the season to answer the team's questions, but to answer two questions now:
Aikman's right arm is on. He already appears in mid-season form. In previous seasons it took him a few games to clear the cobwebs, but this season he's ready to go.
With good health and a large offensive line to operate behind, it appears there will be a fourth rushing title for Smith. He is in better shape than any of his previous seasons, working hard to strengthen his worrisome hamstrings during the off season.
I know I will be there, along with Trent, to the bitter end. And if you are "true blue," you will too.

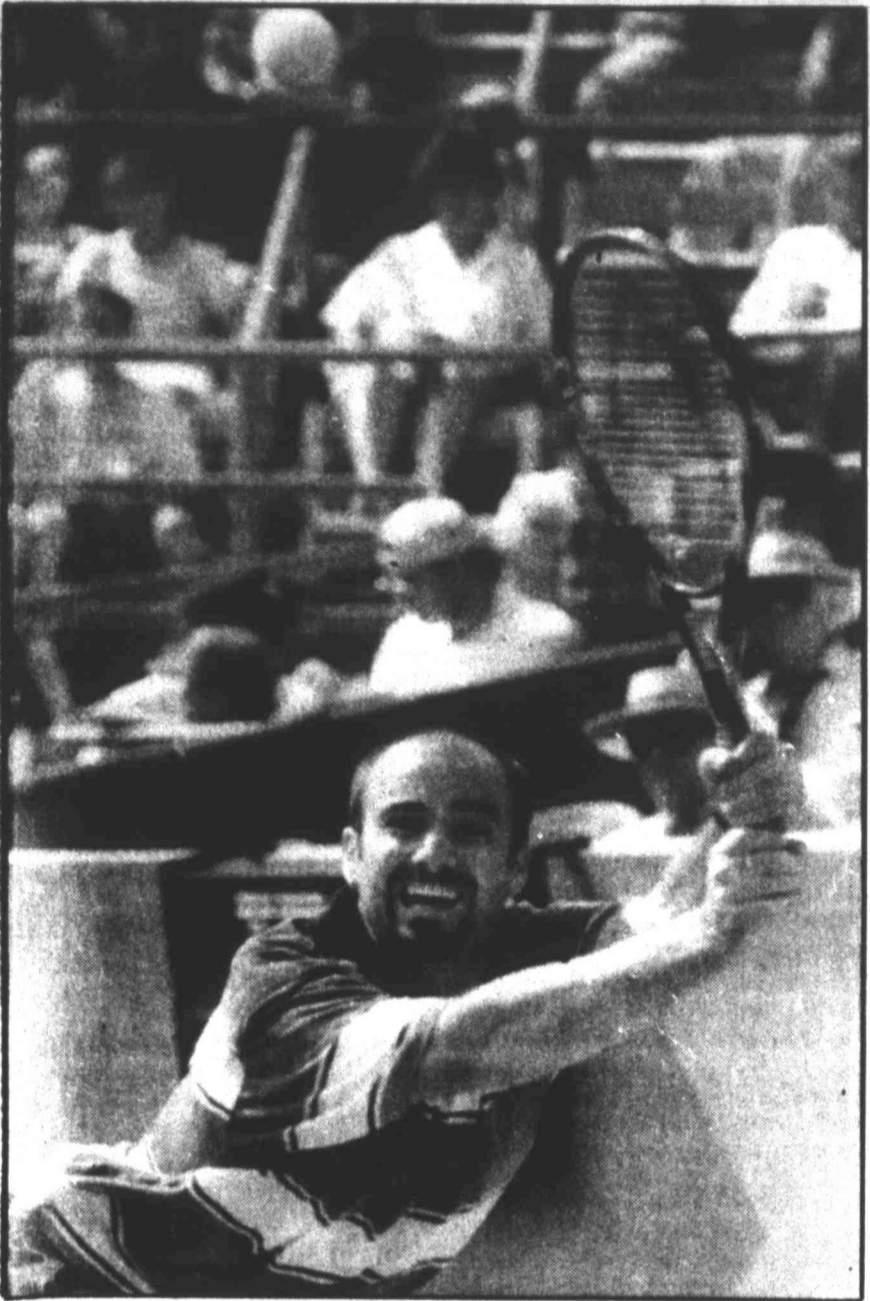
You too can be true blue

Well, Cowboy fans, the preseason is over and it is time for the real stuff to begin. Dallas begins the season Monday against the New York Giants at 8 p.m.

Other than being the first Monday night football game it's going to be time to answer some old and new questions.



Darrell Ericson Sportswriter



Top-seeded Andre Agassi hits a return against Bryan Shelton during their opening-round match at the U.S. Open Tuesday.

Agassi and Co. advance at Open

NEW YORK (AP) — Ever since their junior tennis days, Andre Agassi, Pete Sampras and Jim Courier have taken turns winning Grand Slam tournaments and becoming No. 1 in the world.
They stepped together into the second round of the U.S. Open on Tuesday, with only Courier needing more than straight sets.
The defending champion and top-seeded Agassi brushed aside Bryan Shelton 6-2, 6-2, 6-2; No. 2 Sampras defeated Brazilian Fernando Meligeni 6-0, 6-3, 6-4, and Courier, seeded 14th, got past Bernd Karbacher of Germany 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.
"I have concluded that the thing you want to do, you want to get through each match however you need to get through it," Agassi said. "As long as you're still in the event, good things can happen."
"When you get to the players where you know you need to play your best, you want to raise to that level and hope it is there. But to get through them is the most important thing."
Steffi Graf, top-seeded in the women's field, was pushed to the limit before she defeated South African Amanda Coetzer 6-7 (1-7), 6-1, 6-4. Tonight, Graf will play Rita Grande of Italy for a third-round berth.
"Having to play a tough player in the first round and to have been in a position to have to play key points and to have that behind me, will definitely help me," Graf said.
While Graf will be making her second appearance in the year's final Grand Slam tournament, third-seeded Thomas Muster and No. 5 Michael Chang and No. 8 Michael Stich will be making their 1995 debut as the first round is concluded.
There was only one upset on the second day, No. 13 Iva Majoli of Croatia falling to Austrian Barbara Paulus 6-4, 6-4.
Men's winners included No. 7 Yevgeny Kafelnikov, No. 11 Sergi Bruguera, No. 13 Marc Rosset and No. 15 Todd Martin. On the women's side, No. 11 Anke Huber, No. 12 Natasha Zvereva and No. 14 Mary Joe Fernandez were victorious.
Agassi, Sampras and Courier were a part of a great group of American juniors, a group which also included Michael Chang, David Wheaton and MaliVai Washington.
Chang was the first to break through, becoming the youngest player in history to win the French Open men's title in 1989. Courier followed on the red clay of Paris in 1991 and 1992, victories that propelled him to the No. 1 ranking in 1992.
Sampras won the first of his two U.S. Open titles in 1990, then repeated in 1993. He also has won the last three Wimbledon and ascended the top of the rankings in 1993.
It's Agassi, the defending U.S. Open champion, who is now No. 1. But it hasn't changed his outlook.
"The bottom line is, I think every time you step on the court against a top player, you raise your level to the best that you can play," he said.

Astros finally end losing streak

ATLANTA (AP) — What began as a disaster turned out to be the Houston Astros' best game in nearly two weeks.
Tony Eusebio homered leading off the 13th inning and John Cangelosi drove in another run with a suicide squeeze bunt Tuesday night, and the Astros tied a team record with five home runs in beating the Atlanta Braves 11-9.
The win ended Houston's franchise-record 11-game losing streak and was the Astros' first victory since Aug. 16, when they beat the Philadelphia Phillies 5-4.
The Astros, winners of only four of their previous 22 games, came back from a 6-0 deficit and also blew a 9-7 ninth-inning lead before sending the Braves to their second straight loss after Atlanta had won seven in a row.
"It's not going to be easy, boys," Astros All-Star second baseman Craig Biggio told his teammates after the Braves tied it at 9-9 in the ninth on a solo homer by David Justice — his second of the night and 21st of the year — and a sacrifice fly by Mark Lemke.
"We've just got to keep digging down deep, and hopefully we'll do something right," Biggio said after the game, welding a huge cigar and an even wider grin.
"It was a big game for us to be only one-half game out in the wild card. We've got to be happy about this," Biggio said. "We've played pretty terrible."
Both the Colorado Rockies and Philadelphia Phillies lost, getting the Astros within one-half game of the wild-card leaders.
Greg Swindell (9-9), the seventh Astros pitcher, got the victory with two scoreless innings of relief. It was win No. 100 for Swindell, who has made 25 appearances this season, all but two as a starter.
"I never thought I'd get No. 100 out of the bullpen," said Swindell, who was scheduled to start Thursday against the Braves. Doug Drabek (7-7) will pitch instead.
Derek Bell, who had four hits; Mike Simms, Brian Hunter and Derrick May had Houston's other home runs. The five home runs tied a team record set on four other occasions, the last on Sept. 12, 1977, in Cincinnati.
Both teams used seven pitchers and all their position players. The only players who didn't play for the Braves were starting pitchers Tom Glavine, Greg Maddux, John Smoltz and Steve Avery. Houston starters Shane Reynolds and Drabek and reliever Todd Jones did not play for the Astros in the game that lasted four hours and 23 minutes.

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Young feels at home as new Coahoma principal

By MARY McATEER
Staff Writer

COAHOMA - So far, Cindy Young thinks the worst thing she's found about Coahoma is that you can't order pizza at midnight and have it delivered. However, she can live with that.

Young, who recently replaced Larry Hudson as principal of Coahoma High School, graduated from a small high school and began her teaching career in a small high school. When she got the opportunity to return to a small high school, it was exactly what she wanted.

Family values and neighborliness were big factors in Young's desire to get back to a small town way of life, and Coahoma hasn't been a disappointment. Neighbors, students, and teachers pitched in to help her find a house and move in, and pitched in again to help find another house when the house she'd rented was sold a week later.

There's a lot of glitz and glamour in a big town, and a lot of convenience, but it isn't all it's cracked up to be. In Lubbock, Young lived five minutes from a mall with 16 theaters, but most of the movies weren't worth seeing.



Courtesy photo
Cindy Young enjoys the small-town, warm atmosphere of Coahoma. The only problem she's found is that she can't get pizza delivered at midnight.

she said. It isn't as easy to go to the movies or shopping in Coahoma, but being enfolded in a warm and welcoming community more than makes up for it. Young, who has a bachelor's degree from Wayland Baptist College and a master's in English from Texas Tech University, came to Coahoma High School from Monterey High School in Lubbock, where she was assistant principal for

student activities.

The biggest differences she sees, aside from sheer size, are how strongly the community's values are reflected in the students, and how much more opportunity she has to be involved.

"I'm thrilled to be part of such a strong system," Young says of her position as principal. She is impressed with the level of professionalism she's found.

Young sees her role as principal as providing support for teachers. Curriculum and staff development are among her priorities.

"Well-organized and well-prepared teachers presenting valuable material have interested kids," she remarked.

A good school needs strong athletics, strong academics, and strong activities, she believes. Good solid student involvement is important.

In a school like Monterey with 1,600 students, she says, there's no chance to get to know more than a handful. She believes she'll be able to get to know each of Coahoma High School's 264 students individually.

The community's interest in its children is evident in the school system. Attitudes and community standards are

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DON'T TELL MOM



House rules may forbid jumping on the bed, but those rules apparently don't apply to Mike Brown, left, and Ruben Jones of Mankato, Minn., when the mattress is left outside. The youngsters couldn't resist doing a few acrobatics on the mattress that had been set out for garbage pickup.

Pool pass brings freedom

Last summer I bought a family pass to the local swimming pool. My kids wanted to nominate me for Mother Of The Year. What a wonderful, uncommon feeling it was to actually do something right.

This summer, as soon as the pool opened, I bought another family pass. We never did go swimming as a family. I could never get more than one kid at a time to go with me. It seemed as though they were taking turns.

Actually, as I discovered, they were taking turns. They were dividing the responsibility because no one really wanted to go. They had better things to do. Even stretching out on the floor in front of the fan watching flies mate on the wall was preferable to going swimming with good old Mom.

Somehow I managed. This summer I enjoyed a freedom I haven't known in 25 years. I've been going to the pool, all by

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Christina Ferchalk
Columnist

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 p.m., College Heights Christian Church, 21st and Goliad. Weigh-in, 5:30 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.

TUESDAY

•Encouragers Support Group (formerly 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 Rannels (enter through patio), followed by dinner at a local restaurant. For more information call 398-5522 or 398-4369.

•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, 7-8 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.

•Adult Children of Alcoholics, 7:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church library. Call 264-0500.

THURSDAY

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

•Battered women support group, 2:30 p.m. Call 263-3312 or 267-3626.

•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.

•Grief Support related to the death of a loved one. For more information please contact Nurses Unlimited, Inc., at 264-6523.

•West Texans Living with CFIDS/FMS, noon and 6:30 p.m., third Thursday each month, HealthSouth facility at Hwy. 191 and Loop 250, Midland. Call Sarah Neisig, (915) 683-9114, or Marsha Brunet, (915) 337-4829.

FRIDAY

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

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

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. Big Book Study.

SATURDAY

•Family support group for current and former patients and their families, 1 p.m. weekly, Reflections Unit of Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Call Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon, 8 p.m., 10 p.m. open meetings, 615 Settles.

SUNDAY

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting.

Program shows how to handle life with diabetes

Diabetes mellitus, commonly called "sugar diabetes," is a disorder in which the body cannot use food properly. If you have been diagnosed with diabetes don't feel alone. Approximately 800,000 Texans have diabetes, but half of this group are unaware that they have the disease. Some diabetes is inherited, meaning that you have an acquired the gene for diabetes from one or both sides of your family. Obesity is associated with most cases of diabetes in adults. This condition is called non-insulin dependent diabetes which normally begins during adulthood.

To help people with diabetes understand the disease the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Howard County Family and Consumer Science committee are sponsoring a six-week series "Dealing with Diabetes: A Short Course for the Diabetic" at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad, Big Spring. The series will begin Sept. 14 and continue from 6:30-9:30 p.m. each Thursday through Oct. 19.

The topics for each program in the series cover a wide

range of issues facing the diabetic person. Special guest speakers for the program include E.W. Stokes, M.D., Dr. Guy Owen and Michelle Werner, licensed dietitian.

Program dates and topics include:

Sept. 14 - Registration/Living with Diabetes

Sept. 21 - Diabetes Complications and Health Related Issues

Sept. 28 - Dietary Treatment of Diabetes

Oct. 5 - Exercise: A Must in Controlling Diabetes

Oct. 12 - Meal Planning - Interpreting Nutrition Labels

Oct. 19 - Spice Up Your Life - Using Spices When Cooking

Please contact the Howard County Extension Office at 264-2236 or stop by the office located on the first floor, East of the Howard County Courthouse to pre-register for the short course. Deadline to pre-register for the short course is Sept. 8. A registration fee of \$5 per program participant is payable at the Sept. 14 program.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is an educational arm of Texas A&M University. Programs conducted served people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

If possible, reasonable accommodations for all people with disabilities will be provided for this workshop. Please contact the Howard County Extension Office no later than Friday to request any auxiliary aid or service that you may require.

SLICE of life!

PICTURE THIS



Oh, gross
A raw egg explodes in the hands of Gina Postiglione, 9, of Loveland, Colo., as she attempts to catch it after it was dropped from a power lift above her. The egg drop was part of the annual Corn Roast Festival in Loveland. (Associated Press photo)

LOCAL TIDBITS

Pet hotline offers brochures

The Iams Pet Nutrition Center and Hotline is available for information and counseling about pet care and nutrition. The hotline number is 1-800-863-4267. Hours are 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday-Saturday.

The hotline is staffed with Iams product professionals who can answer questions about pet care, health and nutrition. The hotline also offers free educational brochures including "You and Your New Dog" and "You and Your New Cat," which offer advice for anyone thinking about adding a pet to the family.

Free copies of the brochures are available by calling the hotline. Topics include preparing for a new pet, nutrition, spaying and neutering, training, grooming and the pet's health and happiness.

Give old eyeglasses to Lions Club

The Big Spring Evening Lions Club will have its first eyeglass recycling week Sept. 4-9.

Eyeglass collection boxes will be set up at all Big Spring pharmacies, at the Lions Club bingo building, Coahoma State Bank and at the Howard County Fair in the Lions Club booth. For additional information, call the Lions Club at 267-3068; Bob Noyes at 267-6095, or Squeaky Thompson at 267-5931.

Take a look at YMCA this week

Through Thursday, the YMCA is opening its doors to the community. Be our guest; bring the family. Join during this promotional week and save money. For more information call 267-8234 or come by 801 Owens.

THE LAST WORD

By persistently remaining single a man converts himself into a permanent public temptation.
—Oscar Wilde

Beauty is the purgation of superfluities.
—Michelangelo

Men who borrow their opinions can never repay their debts.
—Lord Halifax

We have too many high sounding words, and too few actions that correspond with them.
—Abigail Adams

Life

What is life made of each day?
It's family, friends, work and play.

We all need these to make a complete life.
And to live a good one without much strife.

With friends there's a close bond we weave,
Sometimes we give, other times we receive.

Time never stands still, like the seasons things change
But friends are for life through heartache and pain.

Our family is one thing we treasure for sure,
And when we're together life feels so secure.

We show them love, we learn to forgive.
But at the same time we're learning to live.

We're here on this earth for a very short span,
So setting good examples should be in our plan.

At birth we start learning what life's all about,
Then one day life's over, of that there's no doubt.

The Lock

If the lock could talk, it would have lots to share.

There are lots of secrets that people won't bare.
Some lock secrets within themselves.

Others are in file boxes stored on shelves.

If one knows the combination,
They might on a special occasion,

See what things stay locked away,
And are only brought forth on a certain day.

Do you have a lock to a secret file?

Does knowing what's inside bring you a smile?

The metal box may have definite measures,
But inside yourself there are priceless treasures.

So, again I say, if a lock could see,

My, what a tale it could tell the key.

That unlocks those hidden secrets inside,
Which if not for the key, would have laid there and died.

—Dot Ditto

Quest

Words, you flow through my mind.

Thoughts, you lift or pull down.

Mind, do I control you?

Or do you control me?

Soul, answer that question.

Give meaning to your life.

Share with mind in your quest.

Truth will be your reward

—Nan Lee Peace

HIGH RIDER



"If I can't ride a real elephant, this is the next best thing!" Scotty Wilson, 3, sits in front of the Circus Museum in San Antonio during a 1993 trip. Scotty is the grandson of Roxanne Wilson of Big Spring.

The Haunted Spring

The beautiful, beautiful big spring
From a limestone rock it does flow
They say the spring is still haunted,
On nights with the full moon a glow.

An Indian maid called White Dove,
Lived in a teepee below,
This beautiful Indian maiden,
Loved a warrior so bold.

They met on the banks of the big spring
Under the skies starry bright,
The spring was sparkling and shining,
From the light of the full moon light.

There was a wild jealous savage,
Who carried a long wicked knife,
He loved the Indian maiden,
And wanted her for his wife.

On a moonlit ledge by the big spring,
The two lovers promised their love,
But the wild and raging dark savage,
Watched from the trees up above.

With his knife he ran toward the big spring
As he came from the shadows above,
He killed the handsome dark warrior,
And then killed the woman he loved.

You could hear the blood-curling savage,
As his knife flashed there in the light
The night birds were circling around them,
You could hear their cries in the night.

There was blood in the water of the big spring,
There were tears on the moon there that night,
You could hear the mournful dove crying
And the yell of the savage that night.

When ever you pass by the big spring
You might hear a cry in the night,
But it's only the dove that is mourning,
And the birds that fly in the night.

Sometime you might see them walking
Holding hands in the shadowy gloom
For they say the spring is still haunted
On nights at the full of the moon.

You can hear the mournful dove calling
You can see the night birds in flight,
But the dove still mourns for the lovers
Who died by the big spring that night.

—Bernice Reed Jones

PUMPKIN PICKER



Harvest time! Alyssa Phipps, 4, daughter of Melissa Newton and granddaughter of Roxanne Wilson of Big Spring, frolics among the pumpkins in a photo taken by HEB.

A tribute to ELVIS

The unexpected death of rock 'n roll star Elvis Presley at 3:30 p.m., Aug. 16, 1977, was shocking news of international impact. Almost every news agency in the world reported the tragedy. The King is dead! Elvis Presley - the jiggling, jiving, rock 'n roll king lived just 42 years, seven months, and eight days.

Elvis with a pleasant singing voice and a new style, strumming a guitar and gyrating his pelvis which brought him the name of "Elvis the pelvis," made millions of dollars and literally was worshipped by millions of fans.

Elvis knew extreme poverty as well as extreme wealth. His father did odd jobs and farmed in Tupelo, Miss., but the family was poor. When Elvis was 14, the family moved to Memphis, Tenn. They lived in a one-room apartment and later moved into Lauderdale Courts, one of the first housing projects built in Memphis in the mid 30's. His mother was his greatest inspiration. She also died at age 42. Elvis was very close and devoted to his mother. Her death devastated him and was something Elvis never overcame.

Elvis never studied music but did sing in the church choir. He said, "I don't read music, but I know what I like." Whether it was a hip shaking, rock 'n roll or a smooth ballad, no one could sing a song like Elvis could. He electrified the audience by merely stepping out onto the stage. He was feeling, emotion, and sexuality all in one.

He was the entertainer who magnetized the nerve system of the young and won the hearts

of the older generation. He had what is essential to any successful entertainer - a trusting, fervently loyal audience. He could be loved because he seemed lovable. And a generation of fans grew older with Elvis, each of them faithful in the way of the good wife or the good friend.

It was said Elvis died of heart

drug addiction and one more life taken.

Legends don't die. Ever! Men die but the legends they create are immortal. Elvis Presley was too much of the world's music community what Shakespeare was to drama - an innovator, a sculptor, possible the greatest that ever lived.

THE KING! The Presley legend grew rapidly, but unlike thousands of rock stars, Elvis didn't fade, his charisma didn't wane and his following never diminished.

Even at his lowest point, he was still near the top. At least 55 of his records sold more than a million copies and industry spokesmen say they think another 27 records may have sold that many, bringing the Presley total of gold records to an unprecedented 82. His music and stage performance gather new fans even today. My grandchildren love him and try to imitate him. In some form he will live forever. Nothing can bring the man back, but nothing will destroy the legend.

The U.S. Postal system voted in to portray Elvis on the U.S. Postage stamp. But were undecided on the young Elvis or the older Elvis picture. So they presented it to the public to decide. A postcard was designed featuring both pictures and the public voted on their favorite. The younger version won.

The stamp emerged at the beginning of 1993. It was recorded that more people turned out to vote on the Elvis stamp than did the previous presidential election. Therefore the King lives on!

—Bernell Bayes



failure because of drug abuse. He was pushed by his fans and his agent, always wanting more. But most of all Elvis pushed himself, wanting to please the crowds that were beckoning from every nation. His body gave out, but according to reports, a doctor supplied him with whatever he needed to keep going. Thus,

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Submissions for the next ?!Huh?! page, to appear Sept. 27, should be at the Herald office by Sept. 15.

If you have a poem, essay, short story or photo, we'd like to see it. Written material should be about a page and a half in length.

Photos should be in focus and not too light or too dark; please let us know who (or what) the subject is and who took the photo.

If space is limited, submissions may be held over and run the following month. For more information, contact Janet Ausbury, 263-7331.

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myself, on the average of three to four days a week. It's been grand.

In the beginning the water was so cold I came within a heartbeat of hypothermia. My adult son went with me on one of those days. "Mom," he said, "Being a woman you may not understand this, but if I jump in that icy water you'll never get any grandchildren from me!" I guess having your reproductive organs on the outside of your body isn't as advantageous as men would have us believe.

My visits to the pool last from one to three hours, and I make sure I'm present at exactly 3 p.m. That's when the lifeguards blow their whistles and the children reluctantly leave the pool. The management, in its infinite wisdom, instituted a rule that children must take a rest between 3 and 3:30.

During this time only adults are allowed in the pool. It's the best time of day, and we take full advantage. Children hover at poolside trying to get their parent's attention. Parents say, "Sorry, can't hear you, my ears are underwater. Get away from the pool or I'll report you to a lifeguard."

During this precious 20 minutes we own the pool. We don't need a clock to tell us when our time is almost up. We can see the children gathering at the pool's edge, their little bodies in the jump position. At the sound of the lifeguard's whistle they will hurl themselves into the water like a pack of lemmings.

It was from poolside that I wrote my columns, answered reader mail, made shopping lists, clipped coupons, and balanced my checkbooks. Anything I could do from my desk at home I could do while sprawled on a blanket getting the nicest tan lines of my life.

The very best part of my pool visits is that I can come and go as I please. I answer to no one. I am responsible for no one. Maybe you'd have to be a parent, still down in the trenches, to really understand this feeling.

And now, it's almost at an end. In just a few weeks the schools open and the pool closes. I try not to dwell on that thought. Instead of being depressed I'll just make the most of the time that's left.

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Young

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reflected in the kids.

Young is Coahoma High School's first female principal, but doesn't see that as a problem. "It's not a gender job, it's a job," she said, and it depends on talent and skill. She was the first woman dean at Plainview High school.

Discipline is one of a principal's less pleasant duties, but Young doesn't anticipate any problems. Removing privileges is more effective than corporal punishment, she believes, but whatever the case, it's strictly business, not emotional and not personal. During her first semester as dean at Plainview, discipline problems in her area dropped to half their previous level.

Young likes to be visible, and makes a point of being in the halls at class changes and in the parking lot before school in the morning. It gives her a chance to keep in touch, she explained, and lets the kids know she's there.

"When students see how much you care, they're more interested in what you know."

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FOR THURSDAY, AUG. 31, 1995

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Excellent communications surround a change in what you are doing. You finally make your point and are able to implement what you have wanted. Use your instincts when dealing with a close associate who has made a big difference in your life. Tonight: Enjoy a special partner. *****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You finally feel good about a difficult associate. You might not want to be best friends, yet you feel that this person is important to you. People seek you out as your friendlier side emerges. Be willing to state your opinions. Go with the flow. Tonight: Say yes to an offer. *****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You get much accomplished with your slow but steady attitude. You are in the limelight and need to show off your stuff. Be open to greater creativity and change. You get the kind of support you need to solve a problem at the office. You gain financially. Tonight: Get physical. *****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Let your energy flow. You handle problems because of your positive approach. Be creative with problem-solving. Involvement with a co-worker could be stimulating but uncomfortable in the long run. Reach out to someone who is at a distance. Tonight: Be naughty. *****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Settle down, and face a problem. Evaluate a domestic matter with care. You gain perspective because of your positive ways. Do a better job of listening and tackling problems. Establish what you need on the home front. Tonight: Entertain at home. *****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Be more sensitive to a friend's discomfort, and try to help him understand his problem. Your ability to communicate is highlighted. You are valued for your caring nature. Clear your desk, and catch up on news. Tonight: Talk up a storm. *****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You need to build a solid program to create more in your life. Financial gain will come through organizing yourself in a different way. Be sensitive to your options, and be willing to revamp. Question someone's

idea if it affects your public image. Tonight: Order in. *****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Be your happy-go-lucky self, yet follow your instincts with a loved one who is throwing a tantrum. News from a distance brings happiness; spread the good news. You have reason to celebrate. Help someone remain steady. Tonight: Grin and let everything take care of itself. *****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Kick back, and gain information. Follow your instincts with a family member who may be hurting more than you know. Trust your inner knowledge to help open doors and solve problems. Take a quiet lunch to think. Tonight: Spend time deep in thought. *****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Focus on long-term goals and a friendship. An unavoidable important discussion will help steady a relationship. Be more in sync with a change that takes you in a new direction. You come out a winner. Tonight: Party. *****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be responsible when handling a change in your environment. Follow your instincts. Awareness and growth mix, allowing you to take the lead professionally. Others look to you to gain insight. The ball is in your hands; run with it. Tonight: Go out. *****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be more together about your dealings and handle a pressing problem. You can visualize new potential because of your imagination is so full. Be more aware of what you want, and know you can create it. Humor mixes with concern. Tonight: Follow the music. *****

IF AUG. 31 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You learn a new style of communication this year. Be more in touch with your feelings concerning a partner who has been a long-term presence in your life. Imagine what you want and go create it. Listen carefully to your inner voice. If you are single, love is your strong suit in 1996. If attached, your relationship can skyrocket to new levels, if you are willing to work on it. The effort will come back to you multifold. **SCORPIO** is a good buddy.

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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Wedding invitations should have included spouse too

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dear Abby is on vacation. She left behind some of her favorite letters from 1990.

DEAR ABBY: Years ago, when married people were invited to weddings, the invitations were addressed to "Mr. and Mrs."

Have times changed? Recently, my physician husband received two wedding invitations addressed to him only. One was from a nurse, the other from a patient. He said both knew he is married.

He attended both weddings by himself because

he is dedicated to his profession; but I feel my not being invited, and his accepting without me, was rude.

Can you update me on the present customs? - **INVISIBLE PARTNER**

DEAR PARTNER: Forget customs, etiquette and all the rest. Kindness and common sense outrank propriety and tradition any day in my book.

The invitations should have included you. But since they did not, your husband should have either requested permis-

sion to bring you - or stayed home himself.

DEAR ABBY: Our very pretty and bright 18-year-old daughter (I'll call her Nancy) graduated from high school last May. She decided to stay home and work for a year before going to college. Nancy met a 29-year-old professional man about six months ago and they started dating. (I'll call him Paul.) They never actually went steady, but Paul gave her a big rush.

Well, for Christmas, Paul surprised Nancy with a beautiful one-carat diamond ring. It came as a big shock to Nancy because she wasn't considering marriage with Paul. In fact, she told me she hated to kiss him because he had a bad case of halitosis!

When Nancy saw the ring, she told Paul she didn't think she should accept it, but he started to cry, so she kept it because she didn't want to hurt his feelings.

Nancy is sure she doesn't want to be engaged, but every time she tries to return the ring, Paul cries, and talks her into keeping it.

Nancy is very tenderhearted and Paul is very persuasive, so do you think it would be all right if Nancy's father returned the ring to Paul? - **POST-CHRISTMAS DILEMMA**

DEAR DILEMMA: No! Nancy should return the ring herself, and if he cries, he cries.

It's high time Paul learned that he can't buy whatever he wants with tears and diamonds. And Nancy needs to learn that people who "give in" in order to avoid hurting someone else's feelings usually end up hurting themselves. (P.S. About Paul's halitosis: Someone should tell him.)

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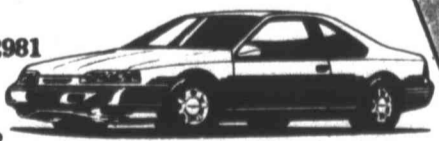
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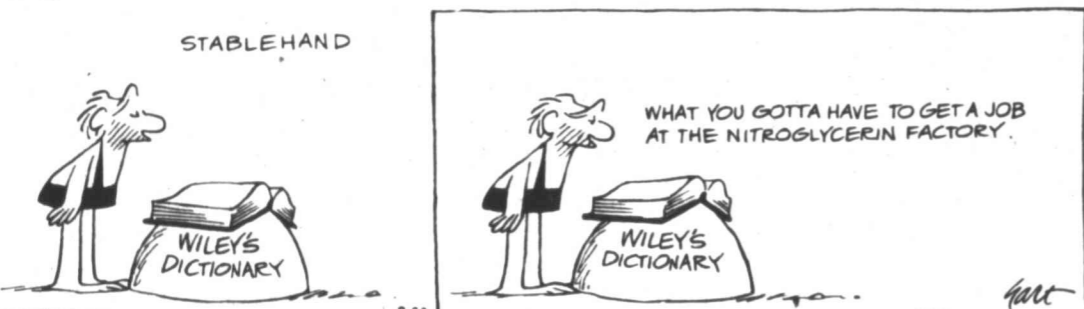
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RITZ advertisement for Dr. Jeckyl & Mrs. Hyde PG-13, Mortal Kombat PG-13, and A Walk in the Clouds PG-13.

CINEMARK THEATRES MOVIES 4 advertisement listing shows for Desperado, Something to Talk About, and Water World.

THE Daily Crossword by Glenton Petgrave

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Aug. 30, the 242nd day of 1995. There are 123 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On Aug. 30, 1862, Union forces were defeated by the Confederates at the Second Battle of Bull Run in Manassas, Va.

In 1905, Ty Cobb made his major league debut, playing for the Detroit Tigers. In 1941, the World War II siege of Leningrad began. In 1945, 50 years ago, Gen. Douglas MacArthur arrived in Japan, and set up Allied occupation headquarters. In 1963, the hot line communications link between Washington and Moscow went into operation. In 1967, the U.S. Senate confirmed the appointment of Thurgood Marshall as the first black justice on the U.S. Supreme Court. In 1979, Hurricane David devastated the tiny Caribbean island of Dominica as it began a rampage through the Caribbean and up the eastern U.S. seaboard that claimed some 1,100 lives. In 1979, Huey P. Long, "The Kingfish" of Louisiana politics, was born in Winn Parish. In 1983, Guion S. Bluford Jr. became the first black American astronaut to travel in space, blasting off aboard the Challenger.

In 1986, Soviet authorities arrested Nicholas Daniloff, the Moscow correspondent for U.S. News and World Report, after he was handed a package by a Russian acquaintance. He was later released. Ten years ago: Residents of Florida and Louisiana continued to prepare for the arrival of Hurricane Elena, which was packing winds of 100 mph as it approached the Gulf Coast. Five years ago: U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar arrived in Jordan to try to mediate the Persian Gulf crisis. President Bush told a news conference that a "new world order" could emerge from the Gulf crisis. One year ago: Rosa Parks, whose refusal to give up her seat on a Montgomery, Ala., bus in 1955 helped touch off the civil rights movement, was robbed and beaten in her Detroit apartment. Joseph Skipper later pleaded guilty to assault and robbery stemming from the incident against Parks and two other women, and was sentenced to prison. Today's Birthdays: Baseball Hall of Famer Ted Williams is 77. Country singer Kitty Wells is 76. Opera singer Regina Resnik is 73. Actress Elizabeth Ashley is 66.

By the Associated Press

Big Spring Herald advertisement with contact information: (915) 263-7331, Fax #915-264-7205.

THE OUGMANS by Buddy Hickerson advertisement featuring a cartoon illustration of a man at a counter.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including 'AFFORD', '1 mile 10:30-5:00', 'Chrysler', 'RE', 'WES', 'LOWE', 'Plush or Trac', 'H&M', 'CARI', 'TOO LATE TO CLAS', '1988 HONDA', 'FORD OFF', 'IMMEDIATE', 'LARRY'S', 'NICE LIVING', 'Call 267-4948'.

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Big Spring, TX 79721

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These, plus many more dogs and cats are awaiting adoption. Adoption fees for dogs are just \$45 and cats are \$35. This includes spaying or neutering, vaccinations, wormings and rabies shots. Also covers feline leukemia tests for cats. All pets come with a two-week trial period.

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W.Va. island a secluded, historic way to escape

By **ROBERT HARU FISHER**
Thomson News Service

A real getaway island should be accessible only by boat, with no bridge or tunnel to diminish the sense of being apart.

Historic Blennerhassett Island, just 20 minutes down the Ohio River from Parkersburg W.Va., offers just that. You board a 19th-century style sternwheel riverboat at Parkersburg's Point Park, and shortly you step off, back nearly 200 years in time.

Herman Blennerhassett, a wealthy Irishman who decided to tame the frontier in comfort, built a splendid mansion here in 1798, then got mixed up with Aaron Burr in a scheme to settle the West that went awry.

In the recreated mansion and at the Parkersburg Blennerhassett Museum, you'll learn of Herman's improbable dream to establish an empire in the American Southwest.

At the turn of the 18th century and the beginning of the 19th, settling so far west was only a fantasy in the minds of most Americans.

Burr, frustrated in his desire to be president, planned to conquer the Southwest (now northern Mexico) without the help, or hindrance, of the government in Washington.

When Jefferson accused them

of plotting treason, Blennerhassett fled his island empire, but was captured and jailed in the Virginia State Penitentiary. He was eventually released after Burr's trial for treason, in which the latter was acquitted.

Although the mansion burned down in 1811, it was reconstructed recently, and can be visited from May through October.

Some original pieces complement other genuine 18th century furniture once owned by Herman and Margaret. Costumed docents guide you through the beautifully-furnished mansion.

Among the many famous visitors to the island were Johnny Applesed, King Charles X of France, Henry Clay, George Rogers Clark and Walt Whitman.

If you want, rent a bicycle, or take a self-guided walking tour of the island. Or, just ignore the pamphlet and hike the pathways and beaches, wandering at will. You may spy some of the large deer herd, and you'll be sure to see plenty of water fowl and other birds.

There are no signs of the island's early Native American settlers, even of the famous Delaware Indian chief Nemacolin, who made this his home in the 1760s.

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