

# BIG SPRING HERALD

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## HCARC trying for bingo permit again

By CARLTON JOHNSON  
Staff Writer

One of the future topics of discussion for the Big Spring City Council will be the Howard County Association for Retarded Citizens (HCARC) attempt to get a specific use bingo permit from the city — for the third time this year.

Twice before HCARC failed in its attempt to secure a permit to locate a bingo hall just across from Big Spring Mall.

Now the group is proposing to locate a bingo hall in downtown Big Spring in the Elrod's Furniture building, once Elrod's relocates at the beginning of next year.

If it is to be successful in its third attempt, HCARC has two hurdles to clear — the Planning and Zoning Commission and the city council.

HCARC took its request to the commis-

sion Tuesday night, and according to City Engineer Ralph Truskowski the commission voted to recommend to the council that HCARC be granted a Specific Use Permit for a bingo hall at that location.

"Despite the area in question being zoned heavy commercial," Truskowski said, "any location in town would require a specific use permit for a bingo hall."

Truskowski said three people spoke in favor of granting the permit at Tuesday's commission meeting and only one person spoke against it.

The issue will now go before the city council on Dec. 10. The council will have a public hearing on the matter and then vote on whether or not to issue the permit later in the meeting.

In June, HCARC failed in its second attempt to persuade the council to grant it a specific use permit for a proposed bingo

hall at 2006 FM 700.

After a public hearing before a packed council chamber, the council voted 5-2 to deny the permit. Council members Chuck Cawthon and Tom Guess were the two votes in favor of granting the permit.

The commission, after having its own public hearing on March 5, recommended that the council approve the request of the HCARC for a permit to build and operate a bingo hall and again made the same unanimous recommendation after recently revisiting the issue.

Because there was some objection at the first public hearing on the issue in March, the commission recommended the certain specifications be made a part of any special use permit that might be granted.

The council was scolded in June by a

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## Week of early voting planned

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Tentative plans call for a week of early voting prior to the Dec. 10 runoff election to select this area's next state senator.

Republican State Rep. Robert Duncan and Democrat David Langston, the former mayor of Lubbock, will face off in the special election to determine the successor to John Montford, who resigned earlier this year to become chancellor at Texas Tech University.

Gov. George W. Bush has not officially set the date for the runoff, but election officials believe it will be held Dec. 10. If that date is correct, plans call for early voting to be held Dec. 2-6 at the Howard County Courthouse, County Clerk Margaret Ray said.

Duncan and Langston were the top two vote-getters among a seven-man field in Tuesday's general election. Duncan received 45,320 votes — 30 percent of total ballots cast — while Langston tallied 36,066 votes (24 percent).

On a related note, Ray said 10,038 county residents voted Tuesday, a drop of 1,111 from 1992 general election totals. Fifty-six percent of registered voters cast ballots, she added.

County voting results were canvassed this afternoon at a special meeting of the county commissioners.

## SENIOR INTERESTS



Joyce Eastwood (standing left) of Symphony Home Care Services and Becky Dent, regional marketing coordinator for the Marcy House, conduct a seminar concerning issues involving senior citizens at the McDonald's restaurant in the Wal-Mart Supercenter.

## Parks Board eyes options available with golf course

By JOHN H. WALKER  
Managing Editor

About 30 persons attended a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Board Wednesday afternoon in City Council Chambers to discuss the future of city-owned Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Board Chairman Bill Bowden said the meeting, which featured an informal presentation by a golf course management firm, was just part of what has become an almost two-year study of the facility.

"We're losing our pro (Al Patterson, who is retiring) and we're going to have to do something," Bowden said. "We're not going to do something today and we're not going to do something tomorrow ... but we are going to have to be prepared to do something when the time comes."

Steve Yonke, president of Fore Star Golf, operators of Meadowbrook Municipal Golf Course in Lubbock and five other properties in New Mexico and California, told the Parks Board and the audience that his firm is interested in managing the course.

Over the past four years, Comanche Trails has cost taxpayers \$197,881 according to figures supplied at Wednesday's meeting by city manager Gary Fuqua.

Fuqua reported that in 1992-93 the course made \$4,699 and has then lost an average of \$67,527 over the next three years. Fuqua said the course is projected to break even financially in 1996-97.

Yonke said there were several areas he would address if his firm was able to reach an agreement with the city.

"The No. 1 unknown is the irrigation system," he said. "The way it was put in was not the way a contractor would do it today."

"In regards to the maintenance facilities ... you have a serious problem there, as you do with the clubhouse and cart storage."

Yonke said the first thing he would do would be to clean up the pro shop and move the beer cooler, if beer was still sold, to the back.

## Concerns list

HERALD Staff Report

Concerns regarding the operation of Comanche Trail Golf Course by a management firm that were voiced at Wednesday's meeting:

- What happens to privately owned carts?
- Will green and cart fees be increased?
- Cost to operate course — losses of nearly \$200,000 since 1992-93.
- Deteriorating condition of course — tree roots growing into greens, trees dying on course.
- Condition of irrigation system.
- First impression appearance of golf course and facilities on first-time players.
- Beer joint-type atmosphere of clubhouse.

"We'd get some pro equipment to make it a pro shop and get it to the point where it looked like a pro shop."

"On the second day I'd start looking at the irrigation system," he said.

Yonke did say that will all of the visible problems at the facility, he felt the community was "getting the bang for the buck."

He added, "Over the last 12 to 15 months it's cleaner and friendlier ... it's improved over a year ago."

It was pointed out that much of the general cleanup work had been done by the state prison work force and that there was only so much they could do.

"If you want to take it to the next level, you have to decide what you want and expect from the facility and how you get what you want," Yonke said.

Yonke estimated an immediate need of \$70,000 in expenditures for equipment and a rough estimate of \$1 million required to improve the course.

"That's looking at a new clubhouse cost vs. renovation and a worst-case scenario in regards to the irrigation system," he said. "You have to prioritize your needs ... No. 1 is irrigation because if there's no water there's no grass and if there's no

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## Direct contributions boost District 70 race spending

By LEAH RAUCH

CapLink News Service

AUSTIN — Texas House of Representatives District 70 candidates David Counts and Scott McLaughlin and their backers spent about \$15 per vote combined for a seat that pays \$600 per month.

That's if you look at numbers reported on the "8-day report" for contributions and expenditures in the race. The "8-day report" is required to be filed eight days before the General Election and must show all con-

tributions and expenditures.

The cost-per-vote could increase when final campaign contributions and expenses are filed. That report is due no later than Dec. 5.

Counts raised nearly \$111,000 in cash and in-kind contributions and McLaughlin almost \$97,000, but it was direct political expenditures that caused the total cost of the campaign to soar.

Direct political expenditures can include money spent in support of a candidate rather than given directly to them. For

example, the money a supporter spends to design and publish a newspaper advertisement in support of a candidate would be a direct political expenditure.

According to the Texas Legislative Service (TLS), McLaughlin received more than \$403,000 in combined contributions and political expenditures of \$100 or more. More than 75 percent of the total came from the Texas Republican Campaign Committee, which spent more than \$317,000 in support of McLaughlin.

TLS listed Counts' combined

contributions and expenditures of \$100 or more at almost \$129,000. A TLS spokesman said their figures may be lower than total contributions and expenses filed with the Ethics Commission because TLS may not have the current numbers.

Other than the Texas Republican Campaign Committee support, only 17 percent of McLaughlin's contributions were out-of-district. More than 91 percent of Counts' contributions and expenditures on the report came from people or organizations out of the district.

## Soil, water conservation subject for work group meeting

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

Problems and solutions concerning soil and water conservation will be the focus of a work group meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the First United Methodist Church's Garrett Hall.

Eddy Spurgin, district conservationist at the Natural Resource Conservation Service's Big Spring field office, said the work group meeting is designed to give residents input into problems and solutions per-

taining to soil and water conservation.

"As a result of the 1996 farm bill, each soil and water conservation district has been given a charge to lead the way in providing initiatives in conservation techniques," Spurgin said. "We want to get input from people on what their conservation problems are."

Most conservation problems are fairly common knowledge in this area, Spurgin said, identifying the main problem areas as wind and water erosion of dryland cotton crops and weed

and brush encroachment.

But the meeting will provide a deeper purpose than just eyeballing problems and possible solutions. Spurgin said local input will go a long way toward determining each conservation district's budget in future years.

"What the local work group sends up to Washington will go a long way toward affecting our 1998 (fiscal year) budget," Spurgin said.

He added that the work group should be of interest to urbanites, too. Officials are expected to talk about indirect problems

pertaining to conservation, such as the cost of the programs, and the effect of improper conservation on the overall economy.

But the most important reason for attending the work group, Spurgin said, is to have your voice heard.

"The bottom is, instead of this being a top-down meeting — having us identify the problems and telling you what we're going to do about them — our agency is asking for local input. So this is kind of a bottom-up approach."

## USDA declares Howard County primary disaster area

HERALD Staff Report

Congressman Charles Stenholm has announced that U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Secretary Dan Glickman has designated Howard County a primary disaster area as a result of the drought that occurred between Jan. 1 and Aug. 31, and continuing.

A review of the Damage Assessment Report on the drought led Glickman to determine that Howard County did sustain sufficient production

losses to warrant a USDA Secretarial disaster designation.

Other area communities named as contiguous disaster counties as part of the USDA's designation include Borden, Dawson, Glasscock, Martin, Mitchell, Scurry and Sterling counties.

The designation means family-sized farm operators in both primary and contiguous counties eligible to be considered for low-interest emergency loans from the Farm Service Agency.

Each application will be considered on its own merits,

according to Stenholm's office, taking into account the extent of losses, security available, repayment ability and other eligibility requirements.

Local farmers who think they may be eligible are encouraged to contact the local FSA office.

"For Howard County, this means producers adversely affected by the drought may be eligible for relief," County FSA Executive Director Rick Liles said. "The basic requirement is that a producer must have incurred at least a 30 percent production loss."

Producers who have not yet harvested their crops will not be able to apply because they won't know what their production loss is.

"Any producer who thinks he qualifies and is making plans for next year will want to make an application to the FSA as soon as possible so that he will know before March if he has been approved or not," Liles said.

Producers wanting additional information about the disaster designation should contact Liles at 287-2557.

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### TODAY'S WEATHER

63 ▲ Highs 33  
Lows ▼

Today: Fair. High in the 60s. Tonight, clear with a light freeze possible. Low around 30.

Friday: Mostly sunny. High in the upper 60s. Night skies fair. Low in the lower 30s.

Extended outlook: Saturday through Monday. Continued fair skies with highs in the 70s. Lows in the upper 30s.



OBITUARIES

Thomas B. Stephens III

Thomas Brooks Stephens III, 4, Killen, Ala., died Tuesday, Oct. 15, 1996, at ECM Hospital from injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He is survived by his parents: Thomas B. Jr. and Joni Stephens, Killen, Ala.; a sister: Emily Katherine Stephens, Killen, Ala.; and grandparents: Thomas B. Sr. and Anne Stephens, Florence, Ala., former residents of Big Spring and employees of the Big Spring Herald. The family requests memorials be made to the Brooks Elementary School Library, Killen, Ala.

Juan Earl Williams Sr.

Service for Juan Earl Williams Sr. is pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home. He died Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1996, in Lubbock.

Juan Hilario

Rosary for Juan Hilario, 57, Big Spring, will be 7 p.m. tonight in the Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral mass will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Rev. Cornelius Scanlan officiating. Mr. Hilario died Wednesday, Nov. 6, at Mountain View Nursing Home following a long illness.

HILARIO

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288  
Ada Cumminings, 93, died Tuesday. Graveside services 10:30 Thursday Mt. Olive.  
June Armstrong, 68, died Wednesday. Services pending.  
Juan Hilario, 57, died Wednesday. Rosary 7 PM Thursday Myers & Smith Chapel with Funeral Mass 10:30 AM Friday Sacred Heart Catholic Church with burial at Mt. Olive.  
Juan Earl Williams, Sr., died Wednesday. Services pending.

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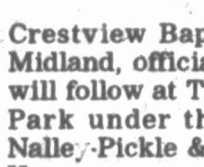
Trinity Memorial Park and Crematory  
906 Gregg St. (915) 267-6331  
Lonnie Coker, 87, died Wednesday. Services will be at 2:00 PM Friday at First Baptist Church. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.  
Billie Sanderson, 57, died Tuesday. Services will be at 10:00 AM Friday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.  
Severiana Talamantes, 83, died Tuesday. Rosary will be at 7:00 PM Thursday at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Funeral services will be at 12:00 AM Friday at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Interment will follow at St. Lawrence Cemetery, St. Lawrence, Texas.  
Robert Vernon Sutphen, 79, died Wednesday. Graveside services will be at 1:00 PM Saturday at Trinity Memorial Park.

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He was born on Sept. 17, 1939, in Big Spring. He had been a lifetime resident of Big Spring and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Mr. Hilario was a truck driver before becoming ill. He was a very well known musician, playing the accordion in the Hispanic community, and had played at the Big Spring State Hospital. He is survived by three sons: Juan Hilario Jr., Las Vegas, Nev., Jimmy Hilario and Tony Hilario, both of San Angelo; two daughters: Grace Hilario Carrasco, Fort Worth, and Cindy Hilario Rojas, San Angelo; one sister: Ramona Munoz, Big Spring; eight grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Arrangements under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Lonnie Coker

Lonnie Coker, 87, Big Spring, died on Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1996, at his residence. Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at the First Baptist Church with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor, and Dr. Larry Ashlock, pastor of Crestview Baptist Church in Midland, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Lonnie and his twin brother, Leonard, were born April 20, 1909, in Van Zandt County, Texas. Leonard preceded him in death on Dec. 5, 1995. Lonnie married Evelyn Archer on Sept. 20, 1937, in Midland and they had been married for 59 years. Lonnie and Leonard opened a cafe in Chillicothe and then in Quanah. They moved to Big Spring and opened the Twin's Cafe at 206 W. Third Street in 1934 and during this time they also operated the Douglas Coffee Shop. During World War II, Lonnie and his family moved to California where he worked in a defense plant, returning to Big Spring in 1942 and worked at a defense plant here in Big Spring. He operated the Post Office Cafe and re-opened the Twin's Cafe and also operated the Permian Building Snack Bar during the 1950's. He and Leonard built Coker's Restaurant at Third and Benton and operated the restaurant until they retired in 1972. Mr. Coker was a member of the National Restaurant Association, Texas Restaurant Association and the Permian Basin Restaurant Association. After retiring from the restaurant business in 1972, he worked for Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home as a greeter from 1981 to 1993. Lonnie was a member of the First Baptist Church where he had served as a Deacon since 1948 having been the Chairman for a number of years. He was on the building committee when the church moved from the downtown area to their present location in 1965. He had also taught boys' Sunday School classes for 19 years and served as church usher for a number of years. Lonnie and Evelyn were among several couples that helped to began the College Baptist Church. He had been a Gideon since 1943 and had been a past president of the Gideon Camp as well as Scripture Secretary for several years. He was a volunteer in the Chaplain services of the Veterans Administration Medical Center for 21 years. He had served on the Salvation Army Board since 1954 and became a life member in 1983. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club and had served on the board of trustees of the Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo for nine years. Survivors include his wife, Evelyn Coker of Big Spring; two daughters and sons-in-law,



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Londa and Wayne Henry of Austin and Gloria and Paul Petterson of Whitesboro; six grandchildren, Shawna Ashlock of Midland, Greg Henry of Midland, Kurt Henry of Abernathy, Dane Petterson of Midland, Cort Petterson of Commerce and Bruin Petterson of Whitesboro; three great-grandchildren, Lauren and Aaron Ashlock of Midland and Heston Henry of Abernathy. Lonnie was preceded in death by five sisters and two brothers including his twin brother, Leonard Coker, and sisters, Pam Hamill and Jessie Turner. Pallbearers will be Shawna Ashlock, Greg Henry, Dane Petterson, Kurt Henry, Cort Petterson and Bruin Petterson. Honorary pallbearers will be the Gideons and Deacons of the First Baptist Church. The family suggests memorials to the Gideon Memorial Bible Fund; P.O. Box 133; Big Spring, Texas; 79721. The family will receive friends from 6 to 7:30 p.m. on Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Paid obituary

Billie Ann Sanderson

Billie Ann Sanderson, 57, Big Spring, died on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1996, in a Midland hospital. Services will be 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Leo Free, pastor of Living Water Fellowship, and Leroy Linney, pastor of Hosanna Church in Stanton, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. She was born on Sept. 13, 1939, in Ropesville, Texas and married Pete Sanderson on Jan. 4, 1958, in Big Spring, Texas. She came to Big Spring as a young girl, attended Big Spring schools and graduated from Big Spring High School. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Living Water Fellowship. She served as a Sunday School teacher for 35 years. She made a difference in many children's lives including her own children. Our mother was very active in this community, so as you know, if you knew Mrs. Billie at all then you had truly been "Touched By An Angel." Survivors include her husband, Pete Sanderson of Big Spring; two daughters and sons-in-law, Mitzi and Alan Knight and Vicki and Gene Hector all of Big Spring; four grandchildren, Desiree Knight of Midland, Lacey and Jeremy Knight and Kaitlyn Hector all of Big Spring; two brothers, Joe W. Turner of Tulsa, Okla., and E.R. Turner of Richardson; one sister, Betty Jan Cook of Grand Prairie; her mother-in-law, Gladys Sanderson of Big Spring and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, and one sister. Pallbearers will be Johnny Sanderson, Billy Sanderson, Sr., Leslie Sanderson, Rodney Sanderson, Steven Sanderson, Jeff Cook, Ronnie Gilbert and Tom Willis. Billie was a caring, loving and one of a kind wife, mother and Memaw. We love you and thank you. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Paid obituary



SANDERSON

Severiana Talamantes

Rosary for Severiana Talamantes, 83, Garden City, will be 7 p.m. tonight in the St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Funeral service will be 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at St. Lawrence Catholic Church with Rev. Tom Barley, pastor, officiating. Interment will follow at St. Lawrence Cemetery, St. Lawrence. Mrs. Talamantes died Tuesday, Nov. 5, in a Midland hospital. She was born on June 20, 1913, in Allende, Coahuila, Mexico, and married Arturo Talamantes in June of 1942 in Allende, Coahuila, Mexico. She helped raise her brothers and sisters and took care of her own family and was everyone's "Grandma." She came to Glasscock County in 1971. She was a member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Survivors include her husband: Arturo Talamantes, Garden City; four sons: Pedro Talamantes, Bandera, Jose "Pepe" Talamantes and Arturo Chico Talamantes, both of Zaragoza, Coahuila, Mexico; one daughter: Guadalupe Fuentes, Eagle Pass; 20 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She is also survived by two brothers and one sister all of Mexico. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

TALAMANTES

Course

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grass there's no golfers." Yonke said changes he would make in the course would include the addition of a driving range, adding a beginning golf program as well as special programs for both junior and senior golfers. "We have to do something with the juniors to ensure we have a tomorrow," he said. Yonke said he estimated that in the local climate, with 325 sunny days, it would be realistic to play 50,000 rounds annually. Despite the fact the city charges fees for each round and each round is supposed to be counted, only a best-guess estimate of between 30,000 and 40,000 rounds could be provided by course officials for the meeting. Yonke said if Fore Star managed the course, the minimum staffing would be seven and would be more during busier periods of the year. He cautioned the board and audience that the course was at a critical point. "You have tree roots growing onto the greens ... you have dead spots on the greens ... it's time to start replanting your trees because the trees are starting to die out and you want to have a tree growing there when you have to cut the dead one down. "You can only put perfume on the pig so long before it's still a pig," he said.

IN BRIEF

THE BIG SPRING SYMPHONY ASSOCIATION and Guild presents the world-renowned "Vienna Choir Boys"

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Thursday at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium. Advance tickets are on sale at Blum's, Dunlap's, Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce and all locations of First Bank of West Texas. Call 264-7223 for more information.

THE SECOND ANNUAL COAHOMA CRAFT Fair is Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. It is at the Coahoma Community Center located at 306 North Avenue.

SPRINGBOARD

IF YOU HAVE ANY CHANGES IN A SPRINGBOARD ITEM OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT GINA GARZA, 263-7331 ext. 238, BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 2 P.M. All Springboard items must be submitted in writing. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720; bring it by the office at 710 Scurry; or fax it to 264-7205.

Good Shepherd Fellowship Church, 610 Abrams, has services 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has freq. for area needy, 10 a.m. to noon. Big Spring Senior Citizens Center art classed, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., 55 and older. Support Group for Depression, 7 p.m., Dora Roberts Rehab Center, Third and Lancaster. Al-Anon, 8 to 9 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center small cafeteria. Alcoholics Anonymous, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting, 615 Settles. 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at Scenic Mountain Medical Center cafeteria. West Texans Living with Chronic Fatigue/Fibromyalgia Syndromes, 7:30 p.m., Health South in Midland with Dr. Gene Lusk, chiropractor, as guest speaker. Genealogical Society of Big Spring, 7:15 p.m., Howard County Library conference room. Enter through west entrance. Call Bernice Cason, 267-3542 or 267-7236. Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council Annual Christmas in November Luncheon and Bazaar, noon, Alfred Building at BSSH, arts and crafts on sale starting at 11 a.m. RSVP by Nov. 5 at 268-7533. West Texas Opportunities, Inc., will distribute commodities at the 1607 East Third from 8:15 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information call 267-9536.

FRIDAY  
Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by CW & Co. Area seniors invited. Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. Big Book Study. SATURDAY  
Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open meetings at noon, 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Second Annual Coahoma Craft Fair, Coahoma Community Center, 306 North Ave., 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Scenic Cactus Chapter of the A.B.W.A. eighth annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar, Big Spring Mall, booth spaces available, Deloris Albert, 263-4253. Alzheimer's Support Group, 10 a.m., Carriage Inn Retirement Center, 501 W. 17th St.

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents Wednesday:  
MIKE MANUEL JIMENEZ, 23, 1106 N. Lancaster St., was arrested on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.  
SHARON ANNET JAMES, 37, 4000 W. Hwy. 80 Apt. M, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.  
DAVID EUGENE MARRIQUEZ, 36, 637 Manor Lane, was arrested on local warrants and a charge of possession of a controlled substance.  
MARCO VALDES SALINAS, 47, 810 Willia St., was arrested on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.  
BOBBY LANCE CUNNINGHAM, 26, 1309 Lexington St., was arrested on a charge of assault.  
AMMIE LEE HOWELL, 18, 1507 Hilltop Road, was arrested on a charge of theft under \$50.  
CHARLES WRIGHT, 64, 1300 W. Third St., was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.  
ALBERT MARTINEZ JR., 18, 1002 N. Main St., was arrested on a charge of no driver's license and no insurance.  
THEFT was reported on the 500 block of Westover Street.  
ASSAULT was reported on the 1500 block of Avion Street.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident Wednesday:  
DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported on Sterling Road.

RECORDS

Wednesday's high 74  
Wednesday's low 36  
Average high 69  
Average low 43  
Record high 88 in 1924  
Record low 24 in 1959  
Rainfall Wednesday 0.03  
Month to date 0.03  
Month's normal 0.09  
Year to date 16.44  
Normal for the year 16.84  
\*\*Statistics not available

HCARC

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commission member who said the council should have followed the recommendation of the commission it assembled. The primary arguments against the permit were from a couple of council members and residents in the proposed area who claimed the hall would be too close to residential areas and the potential for noise, vandalism and unattended children was too great. One resident addressed the council in June, representing residents opposed to the bingo hall, said, "Several residents are against the bongo hall because of traffic congestion, unsupervised children and the potential for vandalism."

CLASSIFIED ADS WORK! 263-7331

Public Notice  
Pursuant to Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat. Ann. art. 1446e, § 5.08 (1996) Lone Star Gas Company and Lone Star Pipeline Company, Divisions of ENSERCH Corporation, and ENSAT Pipeline Company (collectively referred to as "Applicant") hereby give notice of intent to change the city gate rate of Lone Star Gas Company established by Order of the Railroad Commission of Texas in Gas Utilities Division Docket No. 3543.  
Applicant proposes a Monthly City Gate Rate Calculation (MCGRC) to replace the rate approved in GUD 3543. The MCGRC recovers the costs of purchasing, storing, and transporting gas to the city gates, including an adjustment provision to recover the carrying cost of working gas in storage. Applicant also proposes transportation and storage rates for city gate deliveries with tracking clauses to recover fuel and lost and unaccounted for gas.  
The proposed effective date of the change is November 29, 1996. The change is a major change, and will result in an increase in annual revenues of approximately \$24.2 million or 4.8 percent (4.8%). The customers affected are the 1.3 million residential and commercial customers in Texas served by Lone Star Gas Company under the rates established by the local regulatory authorities in the municipalities and the Railroad Commission in the various areas.  
A statement of intent to make such change has been filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas in GUD 8664 and is available for inspection at the Commission's office in Austin, Texas and at the offices of the Applicant in Dallas, Texas.  
Lone Star Gas Lone Star Pipeline Company

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The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Senate control lies in two races; Democrats hold House

AUSTIN — Political control of the Texas Senate rests in the results of two elections yet to come, but some lawmakers say a majority for Democrats or Republicans would have little effect on how the chamber is run.

Final unofficial ballot counts put Republicans in a temporary 15-14 majority.

A runoff is set for one other Senate seat, and another seat is headed toward a special election.

Meanwhile, the GOP didn't get the "76 in '96" they wanted in the state House. But the party managed to trim Democrat's 86-64 edge to 82-68, putting more Republicans in the House than at any time this century.

Skeleton may be remains of La Salle expedition member

CORPUS CHRISTI — Archaeologists say a human skeleton discovered in Matagorda Bay is believed to be a member of an expedition carried out 310 years ago by French explorer La Salle.

Renee Peterson, director of communications for the Texas Historical Commission, said Wednesday that more skeletons will likely be found at the site of a shipwreck a few miles north of Pass Cavallo, 15 miles east of Port Lavaca.

"It's very exciting," Peterson said. "It's also very important for us to treat these human remains with great respect."

"We've notified the French Consulate and French Embassy because, just from a burial standpoint, we treat these with great, great care and with utmost respect."

The skeleton was found as archaeologists worked to recover the remains of the Belle, the ship belonging to Rene Robert Cavalier, Sierur de la Salle, which sank in 1686.

Police chief says officer unjustified in shooting man

GRAND PRAIRIE — A police officer who shot and killed a 52-year-old mentally ill man last month was unjustified in using deadly force, his department has determined.

Officer Blake Hubbard faces discipline or dismissal by the Grand Prairie Police Department and could face criminal indictment from a Dallas County grand jury that met Wednesday to consider evidence.

Defense attorney John Read, who represents Hubbard, said he believes grand jurors have decided to indict the officer on a murder charge. An announcement on the grand jury decision is expected Friday.

Voter turnout termed 'pathetic' by Secretary of State

AUSTIN (AP) — Everett Floyd didn't vote because he thinks politicians care only about wealthy people. Jamie Edward doesn't see the difference her vote makes.

The Dallas residents are among many Texans who didn't make it to the voting booth this general election. The state had its lowest percentage voter turnout since 1970, according to the secretary of state's office.

A "pathetic" 53.18 percent of registered voters came to the polls this time, Secretary of State Tony Garza, Texas' chief elections officer, said Wednesday.

Appeals court reverses Cook conviction

AUSTIN (AP) — The clock ticking toward Kerry Max Cook's execution date has stopped — again.

Cook has already been tried three times and convicted twice for the 1977 mutilation murder of Tyler secretary Linda Jo Edwards. On Wednesday, the death sentence from his third trial was reversed by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Citing prosecutorial misconduct dating back nearly 20 years, the state's highest criminal court may have made a fourth trial for Cook unlikely by ruling key testimony for the state inadmissible.

The court voted 5-3 to reverse Cook's conviction. Two judges said they would have barred a retrial and ordered him set free.

"If you lie and you cheat and you get caught and you have three chances to convict someone, you ought not get the right to use the taxpayers' money to try the person a fourth time," said Paul Nugent, Cook's Houston-based attorney.

"This case exposes what the public fears, that prosecutors do, sometimes, break the law in trying to convict a citizen," Nugent said.

David Dobbs, chief felony prosecutor in the Smith County district attorney's office, said a motion would be filed asking the appeals court to reconsider its ruling. He said no decision had yet been made on a retrial.

"Not being able to retry the case would be an unthinkable position in terms of the way we

feel about his (Cook's) guilt and the magnitude of this offense," Dobbs said. "If there is a scale of 1 to 10 for murder cases, this one's an 11."

Edwards was beaten in the head with a plaster statue, then stabbed repeatedly with scissors and a knife and sexually mutilated.

The Court of Criminal Appeals listed several instances of evidence suppression by former prosecutors that have plagued the Cook case.

Dobbs said most of the past misdeeds were uncovered and presented to Cook's lawyers since current Smith County District Attorney Jack Skeen Jr. took office in 1982.

"Throughout the course of this trial, we have fought prob-

lems that arose in the first trial," Dobbs said.

The reversal centered around testimony given previously by Robert Hoehn, a friend of Cook's who died of AIDS in 1987 and whose prior testimony was simply entered into the record at the subsequent trials.

The second trial, in December 1992, ended with jurors deadlocked 6-6. The third trial was in Georgetown in 1994.

Prosecutors in the first trial in 1978 didn't disclose that Hoehn had given a statement to a grand jury prior to Cook's first trial that contradicted what he said during the trial about Cook's state of mind just before the murder, the opinion said.

Board hears praise, criticism of new textbooks

AUSTIN (AP) — According to the social studies textbooks now used by Texas schoolchildren, the Berlin Wall is still standing, the Soviet Union remains intact and presidents Bush and Clinton haven't yet been elected.

The state's teachers say it's time for the books to be replaced, and they're hoping that will happen Friday when the state Board of Education votes to adopt new social studies books for use next year.

At a public hearing on the

matter Wednesday, board members indicated they were leaning toward approving the books.

But several groups hope to stymie that with complaints that the texts depict too many minorities, pay too much attention to religions aside from Christianity and portray whites and Europeans as cruel.

Five teachers representing the Texas Council for Social Studies testified that the new books exceeded requirements set up by the board in 1994.

The books also were recom-

mended earlier this year by separate 15-member state committees, said Cecile Richards of the Texas Freedom Network.

"To not adopt these books now would not only waste an incredible amount of taxpayer money but also hours upon hours put in ... making sure that these books are factually correct," Richards said.

But Eleanor Hutcheson, textbook chairwoman for the Texas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, urged the board to reject the books.

Hutcheson argued that the number of Hispanics and blacks depicted in the textbooks over-represent the number of minorities historically living in Texas.

She also said pictures of slain Tejano singer Selena should be replaced with photos of Vicki Carr, another Hispanic singer, and complained about the portrayal of black poet Langston Hughes.

"I do object to a communist featured as a hero in the third-grade textbook," Hutcheson said.

Drive started to get medicinal marijuana on ballot

SAN MARCOS (AP) — A petition drive has been launched to get a medicinal marijuana initiative on the ballot for next May's city election at San Marcos.

The drive was started on election day by Harvey Ginsburg, a Southwest Texas State University psychology professor who was arrested on marijuana charges two years ago.

Ginsburg said he did not know how many signatures were collected on Tuesday when the drive began, but says they

need 1,600 signatures to force a vote on the issue.

"We made very significant progress in getting the number of signatures we need in one day," he said. "Most of the people were incredibly positive."

The drive began with volunteers stationed at each of the 12 voting locations.

The Rev. Jim Love, pastor of Westover Baptist Church, was not happy about the volunteers attempting to get signatures at his church, one of the polling places.

Ginsburg said a confrontation developed when Love realized people were gathering up signatures on a measure to ease up on marijuana users.

"I thought we had a say in what happens on our church property, but I guess we don't," Love said. "We are a church that stands on biblical principles, and here we have a poll being taken to basically legalize marijuana right outside our front door."

A check with City Hall revealed that the petitioners

had a right to be there. Love said. He said the incident will make the church rethink whether to allow voting in future elections.

The professor, who suffers from glaucoma, said the proposed ordinance would not legalize marijuana.

He said it would, however, direct police to use their discretion "to minimize the impact of marijuana laws" on people using the drug for relief from specific medical conditions.

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OUR VIEWS

Fairer sex flexes political muscle

If there was ever any doubt, women proved themselves a political force with which to be reckoned Tuesday, as they re-elected William Jefferson Clinton as president of the United States.

The demographics were clear — a trend that appeared early on — America's women did not vote as they have in the past. Traditionally, men and women in this country have voted in roughly the same percentages in presidential elections.

That mold was broken Election Day. While Clinton and Republican challenger Bob Dole earned roughly 44 percent each from the men who went to the polls Tuesday, women overwhelmingly supported Clinton ... more than 60 percent, according to early statistics.

Surely that vote will serve as a wake up call for the Republican Party nationally.

It's not so much that women didn't agree with Dole when he tried to hammer home the "character issue" during the final days of the campaign, but they cast their ballots in response to a mistake the GOP made back in July ... maybe even earlier.

After all, there wasn't that much about Dole to be unattractive to the feminine faction. Perhaps a bit long in the tooth, he was still a decorated war veteran and had distinguished himself for years as a moderate in the Senate, and as both minority and majority leader.

Women more than anything were rejecting language in the Republican Party platform that called for a right-to-life amendment, opposition on the part of GOP leaders to family leave legislation and the like.

OTHER VIEWS

For Americans pained by the fact of a Bill Clinton presidency, the GOP triumph in both houses of Congress means the next two years will be like being pistol-whipped with a deringer: It isn't that pleasant, but things could be worse. Clinton, if he is really skillful, may convince lawmakers to extend the Family Leave Act to PTA meetings. But there will be no huge new federal programs, no big-bucket slopping of pet constituencies, no successful initiatives to reweave the social fabric of America. It is Clinton, in fact, who may end up with a lumpy noggin.

American voters preserved the status quo, returning Clinton to the White House and most Republicans to Capitol Hill — showing that the president had no more coattails than Tarzan. Voters acted so because they are reasonably sanguine — three times more think the economy is sound now than in 1992 — and are loath to change winning chemistry. Alas for the president, the status quo includes various congressional inquiries into his and the First Lady's Arkansas land dealings, among other ethical sumps. If they choose, the Republicans can keep Clinton's friends and family rooted in committee hearings until 1998. The country will be better off if the Republicans forbear.

Don't misunderstand. Independent Prosecutor Kenneth Starr should continue investigating matters that have already sent several Clinton cronies to the pokie. And further congressional hearings may be appropriate if there is clear reason to believe that administration officials have transgressed outside the scope of Starr's mandate. But there should be no harassment for harassment's sake.

We say this not because we pine for a political love-in, or long to see Al D'Amato with flowers in his hair, but because the country has real problems that require bipartisan address, and right quickly. The election positions both sides to defuse Medicare and other ticking entitlement bombs. Having won the House twice in a row for the first time since Herbert Hoover, despite a \$35 million vilification campaign by Big Labor, Republicans should be confident of their staying power. Newt Gingrich, chastened, gets a second chance. As for Clinton, he has no further destination than the history books. This sets the stage for statesmanship. But not if the stage becomes a shooting gallery.

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The case for teaching in a foreign language

By JUDITH W. ROSENTHAL For Scripps Howard News Service

POINT

I don't know how often I've heard the argument: "When my grandfather arrived here by boat from Italy ... Poland ... Russia ... Sweden ... Greece, he learned English on his own and worked hard to support our family. He didn't go to college. I think it is wrong to admit students to college if they don't know English. How will they learn anything?"

Perhaps that was true at the beginning of the 20th century. An immigrant from the "old country" could learn enough English on his own and support his family doing manual labor.

However, as we enter the 21st century, you cannot support yourself in today's economy, let alone your family, doing unskilled labor at minimum wage.

According to the U.S. Department of Labor, many of the fastest growing occupations require a bachelor's degree or at least some post-secondary education.

In addition, computer literacy is needed for many entry level positions. Today's immigrants need a college education if they are going to successfully enter the workforce.

As for needing to know English

in order to learn, that is a bit myopic. There are well-educated people in countries around the world who speak only Czech, Spanish, or Korean.

Learning can be done in any language. What is more important is that the knowledge and skills acquired in one language can be transferred to another.

Since the fall of 1986 I have been teaching introductory college biology in Spanish. No, I don't teach Spanish, I teach biology using Spanish as the language of instruction.

At Kean College of New Jersey, where I am a biology professor, we offer almost all our introductory general education courses in Spanish. We have been doing so since the early 1970s.

Thus, recent immigrants — primarily from Central and South America and the Caribbean — who have graduated from high school or passed the GED can begin their college studies in Spanish. Of course, they must also enroll in our program of English as a Second Language (ESL).

By the time the students graduate, they have not only earned a bachelor's degree in a field such as management science, medical technology, or education, but also

they are proficient in two languages, English and Spanish.

As long as there are sufficient numbers of immigrants who speak the same language on a given campus, I think that bilingual programs of this nature should be supported.

Thus, the biology that students learn with me in Spanish does not have to be relearned in English. Whether you call the organ that pumps blood through your body "heart" or "corazon," its structure and function do not change. So why not allow immigrant students to begin their college education using their native language while at the same time requiring them to study English?

Learning a second language is a difficult task, especially for adults. Friends and colleagues often say how much they would like to study a foreign language, such as Spanish or Japanese, but they don't have the time, or they are too old, or they are "no good" at learning languages.

In my entire academic career I have never heard even one of my Hispanic students make such excuses. Every one of them wants to become proficient in English. They know just how important English is to making their lives successful here in the United States.

As adult language learners, they will never lose their accents, but certainly with considerable

effort they will learn to communicate in, and read, write, and speak English.

So, why does it take them so long to learn English?

Studies have shown that immigrants can learn to converse in English in two to three years. However, the level of English proficiency needed to succeed in the college classroom is much more advanced, and often takes five to seven years to develop. That is as long as or longer than it takes to earn a college degree.

No wonder English as a Second Language students often feel frustrated.

As for those grandfathers from the "old country," I doubt that their proficiency in English would have allowed them to study and pass college-level accounting, computer science, history, and chemistry. Any one can teach the child a well-prepared student. It takes institutional commitment, however, to meet the academic needs of a growing population of immigrant students.

An English as a Second Language program is essential. However, in states that attract large groups of immigrants who speak a single language, bilingual instruction should be considered.

(Judith W. Rosenthal is professor of biology at Kean College of New Jersey.)

The case against teaching in a foreign language

By JIM BOULET JR. For Scripps Howard News Service

COUNTERPOINT

In 1993, Philadelphia's La Salle University proudly announced that it had instituted a program where students could earn an associate's degree in which virtually all classes — history, religion, philosophy, fine arts and others — would be conducted in Spanish.

When asked about the new program Emanuel Ortiz of ASPIRA, a Hispanic rights group, said, "I'm more than ecstatic. This is an opportunity we've been looking for a long time."

Most people would disagree with Mr. Ortiz. A real opportunity is when a person who does not speak English is given a chance to learn the language. Mr. Ortiz, and his allies seem to prefer that such persons be encouraged to remain monolingual Spanish speakers.

Colleges are perfectly free to conduct classes in the language of their choice, but they should not imply that such classes lead to enhanced job opportunities. If a student arrives at college not speaking English, the first thing that student needs is an English class. The handicap must be addressed for that student to receive the full benefit of his

tuition dollar.

Ostensibly, the notion that students who do not speak English can still receive a college education sounds compassionate. But what this idea means in practice is that students pay costly tuition in order to obtain a degree that will have little or no value in the marketplace.

Higher education that does not involve English is not a way to open doors, but to keep them shut. Richard Reeves put it this way: "No matter what the intentions, being dazzling in a foreign language but halting in English is a formula for washing dishes and digging ditches."

The problem is that a person who must study biology in Spanish will not have the same opportunity to go to medical school in the United States as his English-fluent counterpart. History and philosophy are good training for law school — but fluent English is also required for law school.

It was not so long ago that German was the language of science and French the language of diplomacy. Today, English has become the world's language,

used for business and overwhelmingly the choice of Internet users. That does not make English "better," but it does mean that fluent English is increasingly a basic requirement for professional success in any field.

Those who say that science is science no matter what the language used to teach it omit another significant point: technical terminology varies across languages.

This is why studies of students who learn subjects like grammar and math in a foreign language fail achievement tests given in English. These studies have found bilingual education (i.e. subject matter in a foreign language along with English classes) is no better or worse than doing nothing at all over 90 percent of the time.

James Traub wrote movingly in his book, "City on a Hill," of the struggles non-English-speaking students had at New York's City College. That college has an intensive English program for students who are not fluent. Traub wrote: "the fluency-first approach had done what it was supposed to do." Those students were now ready for college-level work.

Sadly, this debate once again

demonstrates how American society has transformed itself in the last 30 years. First, the argument was that a person could still be a good citizen without being fluent in English. That is how bilingual ballots became the norm. Now immigrants who speak no English are sworn in as citizens.

Those who think colleges where English fluency is not the norm are a good idea will undoubtedly have a new proposal when the graduates of these schools are unemployable and in debt. Their answer may well be that a person need not speak English to be a good worker and that businesses should provide interpreters. Such arguments are being made seriously even today.

To require that students who do not know English learn it to benefit fully from college is just common sense. History and biology classes in Spanish are given with the best of intentions. But such classes are patronizing and demeaning to the students, who are, after all, our nation's future. Knowledge that a person cannot discuss with others is, after all, the functional equivalent of ignorance.

(Jim Boulet Jr. is executive director of English First, a 140,000-member organization.)



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## Contrasting 1994 results, vote leaves GOP, Clinton stressing common ground

WASHINGTON (AP) — Unlike the pugnacious bickering that marked their first shotgun marriage, President Clinton and congressional Republicans say they may be able to make a divided government work better the second term around.

"What the American people want us to do now is roll up our sleeves, get together," Clinton said Wednesday, a day after voters granted him a second term while retaining GOP majorities in the House and Senate.

He said if the two sides can continue the cooperation they showed in the final weeks of the 104th Congress just past, "We are going to have a great, great opportunity here."

Republicans said now that Clinton has adopted their agenda of balancing the budget and cutting taxes, there was potential for producing the progress that Americans are demanding.

"Assuming that 1997 is a continuation of what he campaigned on this year, there's no reason that we can't find common ground," House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., told supporters in Smyrna, Ga. "We don't have to live in a world of confrontation."

And Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., said if Clinton follows up on his talk of eschewing big government, "We're going to be able to do some good things for the American people."

When Republicans captured congressional control in 1994 for the first time in four decades, both sides' rhetoric was less accommodating.

In his first Washington address following that vote, Gingrich served notice: "I am very prepared to cooperate with the Clinton administration. I am not prepared to compromise."

The president said then that he would reach out to the GOP but said he would not "compromise on my convictions."

But after a stormy first 16 months in which two partial federal shutdowns wounded the GOP in the public relations wars, Republicans decided to be less confrontational.

Republicans and the White House believe they benefited when they concluded the 1995-96 Congress with compromises on increasing the minimum wage, modest health-care expansions and other bills.

Gingrich said GOP leaders would like to meet with Clinton next week to discuss the legislative agenda.

That doesn't mean there won't be combat. Lott promised hearings on Democratic fund-raising from foreign sources that raised questions during the campaign's final weeks, adding, "Congress does have a responsibility to look into those matters."

But some Republicans have little stomach to continue probing the Whitewater series of allegations against the president and his wife, Hillary Rodham Clinton. That job should be left to special prosecutor Kenneth Starr, said Sen. Alfonse D'Amato, R-N.Y., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee.

D'Amato also headed the special Senate panel that examined the Clintons' ties with the owners of a failed S&L and subsequent dealings.

"It's not the time to be looking at investigations, either by the banking committee or any other" Senate panel, he told reporters Wednesday.

Foremost, Republicans say they want to continue their agenda of trimming taxes, spending and federal regulations and balancing the budget.

## Next Cabinet to be without Perry, Christopher

WASHINGTON (AP) — Preparing for a second term, President Clinton's administration is rapidly changing, beginning with the departure of two of its pillars: Secretary of State Warren Christopher and Defense Secretary William Perry.

One senior administration official said Christopher was expected to go to the White House today to announce he will leave the nation's top diplomatic post by Jan. 20, Inauguration Day.

Clinton's object is to pump new vigor into his administration as it begins a second and final four years.

And as the breadth of the possible changes become clear Wednesday, the rumor mill and the news leaks were operating

full time. Commerce Secretary Mickey Kantor was portrayed as ready to resign but was said to be available for another top-level job, perhaps the attorney general's post if Janet Reno could be persuaded to step aside, no matter how reluctantly.

Energy Secretary Hazel O'Leary, out of favor at the White House, also was said to be leaving.

Transportation Secretary Federico Pena, criticized for mishandling the ValuJet airliner crash, and Housing Secretary Henry Cisneros, the focus of investigation involving payments he made to a former mistress, also were likely to go, administration officials said.

Chicago Mayor Richard Daley's brother, Bill, is a possi-

ble successor to Pena. Clinton returned in triumph from the campaign trail Wednesday afternoon, telling his assembled Cabinet, agency heads and hundreds of other political appointees that their efforts had made the difference between victory and defeat.

"You have accomplished a phenomenal amount in the last four years," Clinton told his loyalists, spreading out by the hundreds on the South Lawn.

Chief of Staff Leon Panetta told the president the crowd contained not only those who had made victory possible but "the designers, the engineers who will build your bridge to the future."

But even Panetta is expected to leave soon, perhaps to run for governor of California.

The remodeling job had many reasons. Some staff members, like presidential senior adviser George Stephanopoulos, make no secret of the fact that they are simply worn out.

Christopher, 71, and Perry, 69, both highly regarded, have said much the same thing.

Kantor, who negotiated hundreds of trade agreements over four years before moving on to the Cabinet, is said to be restless at Commerce.

Personally popular, Reno is not seen as a team player. White House officials are underscoring their desire to see her leave by noting her struggle with Parkinson's disease. But her doctors say her mild case of the disease should not bar her from an active career.

## Few changes expected among committee chairs

WASHINGTON (AP) — About a year after Strom Thurmond was born, the Wright brothers staged their first airplane flight.

Next January, Thurmond expects to be at the controls of the Senate Armed Services Committee again, seeking money for the most sophisticated and expensive airplanes in existence. At 93, Thurmond does not hear as well as he used to nor is he fast enough on his feet to go on the weekend talk shows to advance the Republican agenda on defense

policy. But early indications are his colleagues are in no mood to push him aside after South Carolinians returned Thurmond for an eighth term.

The pattern of Senate seniority is likely to hold in all but a few of the inside battles for top committee posts.

"I never saw a man more full of life and vigor," Sen. John Warner, R-Va., said of Thurmond.

Warner, who is the second-ranking Republican on the

armed services panel, said he would not challenge Thurmond. That is a relief to some in the Thurmond camp, who were concerned when Warner, during his own re-election bid, spoke often of his next-in-line status on armed services.

House Republicans are to make leadership and chairmanship decisions on Nov. 18-20, while Senate Republicans will select their committee heads in early January.

Some changes are certain because of departures or mem-

bers moving on to other committees.

With the retirement of Rep. William Clinger, R-Pa., investigations into the White House FBI files and Democratic campaign finance irregularities will probably be led by Rep. Dan Burton of Indiana. Burton will be the senior Republican on the House Government Reform and Oversight Committee.

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., said seniority will likely count for a great deal as lawmakers seek chairmanships.

## Turnout near historic low

WASHINGTON (AP) — You have to go back to 1824 to find a voter turnout lower than this year's. More than half of America's eligible voters sat out the Bill Clinton-Bob Dole contest.

The numbers aren't final yet, but Curtis Gans, director of the Committee for Study of the American Electorate, said he expects the turnout to be 48.8 percent of those eligible.

In 1992, when Ross Perot's candidacy added spice to the Bill Clinton-George Bush race, 55 percent voted.

The number of ballots cast in 1996 stood at 92.7 million out of 196.5 million of voting age — or 47 percent. But Gans said substantial numbers of absentee ballots not yet counted in Washington and Oregon would raise the final percentage.

The 1924 turnout that elected Calvin Coolidge was 48.9 percent. The lowest was in 1824, when Andrew Jackson drew just 26.9 percent among "free

white male" voters — the highest tally of five candidates.

Robert Y. Shapiro, a political science professor at Columbia University, said Clinton's lead in the polls held down this year's turnout.

"The presidential election was essentially a done deal," he said.

Shapiro says voters in 1992 were upset about the state of the economy and turned against Bush.

While Perot's presence in that race stirred voter interest, it may have had something to do with people staying away.

"This go-round, voters were turned off by him," he added. "He laid the groundwork for a third party, but I think that Perot was perceived as tired, worn and less effective."

West Virginians voted in far larger percentages than the national average, but the turnout, at just under 64 percent, fell below what some had predicted.

## Nation's jobless claims dip, but GM strike effects felt

WASHINGTON (AP) — The number of American workers filing first-time claims for jobless benefits fell by 11,000 last week, but continued to reflect the effects of autoworker strikes against General Motors Corp.

The Labor Department said today that new applications for unemployment insurance totaled a seasonally adjusted 331,000, down from 342,000 a week earlier. Many analysts had expected little change.

New claims had totaled 319,000 during the week ended Oct. 19, but that week included the Columbus Day holiday that gave newly laid off workers fewer days to apply for benefits. The data also has been

skewed in recent weeks by intermittent strikes by the United Auto Workers at various GM plants.

Excluding the strike effects, the labor market continues to portray modest strength, according to economist Marilyn Schaja of Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette Securities Corp.

The government reported last week that 210,000 new jobs were created in October.

The four-week moving average of new weekly jobless claims rose by 2,250 to 333,500.

Many analysts prefer to track the less-volatile four-week average because it smooths out the spikes in the weekly reports.

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# Developer envisions river walk park

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — It is little more than cow habitat now, but in fewer than 20 years, developer William P.C. Hudson hopes to turn his 1,000 acres of pastureland into a development complete with a riverwalk.

Hudson's Paseo de la Resaca, or "One Thousand Acres of Excellence," as he calls it, is encompassed by Paredes Line Road, Coffee Port Road, the proposed Morrison Road and Dana Avenue.

It will be a "world class market place community within the community of Brownsville," Hudson, a native of Brownsville, said.

The Paseo will include 2,000 multifamily residential units and 2,000 single-family units on 400 acres, 400 acres of commercial, office and retail space and 200 acres in parks, roads and school sites.

The focus of the project will be more than four miles of resaca-bordered landscaped hike and bike trails and a 100-acre public park.

Hudson said he wanted to "give back the natural aspects of Brownsville, which are the resacas."

This Brownsville riverwalk will have a 150-foot wide waterway and a 50-foot easement on either side for trails.

Some of the resaca has already been carved out and Brownsville Commissioner Jackie Lockett said Hudson

plans to turn the resaca and park over to the city when it is complete.

Lockett said she was worried about "what the long-term obligations of the city will be" when it assumes responsibility for keeping water in the resaca and maintaining the park.

However, she said the idea of a riverwalk in Brownsville has been discussed before and it should attract residents and tourists.

"We need more tourism infrastructure," agreed Nick Marks Reyna, president of the Brownsville Convention and Visitors Bureau.

Hudson's riverwalk will lead to a 250,000-square-foot retail center, Legacy Village Center, which is being designed by Jerde Group Architects. It is planned to include a multi-screen theater complex and will be located on the corner of FM 802 and Paredes Line Road.

He envisions a community where people can walk or bike to work or school and enjoy shopping, entertainment and fine dining.

Hudson said he wants a community where residents "can feel a sense of tranquility."

"I really consider myself in the dream business," Hudson said, adding he wants to "give people a safe environment where you don't have to interfere with automobiles."

The Texas Department of

Transportation has agreed to build an overpass to allow parkgoers to cross underneath FM 1847, Hudson said.

Hudson has met with a few bumps on the road to creating his dream. The Federal Emergency Management Agency said the property surrounding the four-mile resaca was subject to one to four feet of standing water after a 100-year flood.

Lockett said one of the reasons Hudson is building a resaca is to store flood waters and not create additional flooding.

To solve this problem, more than one million yards of dirt are being moved to fill the low areas of the development.

The development will have upper, middle- and low-income housing units. By the first quarter of 1997, Resaca Palms, a 250-unit apartment complex for the elderly on 10 acres should be complete.

Paseo Plaza, a 184-unit apartment for low- and middle-income households on 20 acres off of Paredes Line Road should be complete by the second quarter of 1997.

The two housing projects were approved for tax credit assistance.

A 20-acre, 360-unit upper-income apartment complex should be complete by 1998.

The development, which will have several subdivisions, was

designed by Richard Browne, famous for the 25,000 acre Woodlands community north of Houston.

Although Hudson said the development will not be complete for 15 to 20 years, lots are selling fast.

The Casa Poinciana subdivision lots, consisting of two residential and eight commercial, including government buildings, have sold out.

Havenwood subdivision on Coffee Port Road, which has 133 single-family lots, has sold 17 lots. Lot prices start at \$16,500.

The Villa de la Resaca subdivision on Coffee Port Road has sold 26 of 29 available single-family lots and two families are living in their new homes.

The Paseo Plaza subdivision has sold two of 11 lots.

Home prices should range from \$60,000 to \$150,000 and luxury homes from \$150,000 to \$300,000.

HEB plans to open a store by 1998 on the corner of FM 802 and FM 1847.

Hudson said architectural restrictions will be placed on every commercial and retail structure built in the development, which he said would cost more, "but will add a great value to the community."

For now, plans are in the making and cattle are still grazing on the property Hudson's grandfather, Hubert R. Hudson, Sr., purchased in 1937.

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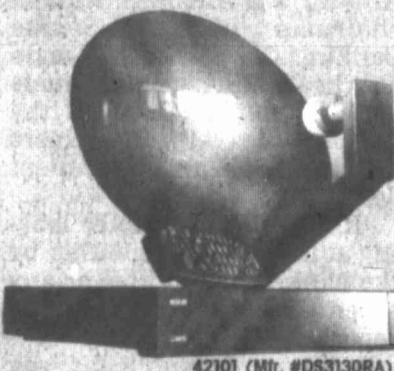
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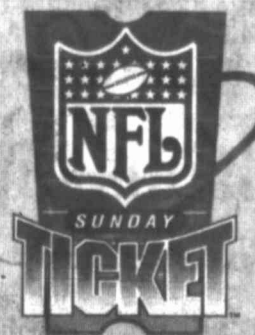
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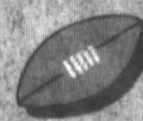
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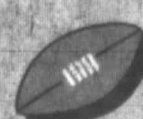


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# Doctors reporting Yeltsin making good progress after bypass surgery

MOSCOW (AP) — President Boris Yeltsin made strong progress today in his recovery from heart bypass surgery, standing up and walking around his room and surprising doctors with the speed of his improvement.

Presidential press spokesman Sergei Yastrzhembsky said doctors who examined Yeltsin for about 90 minutes found the president's recovery was going well with no unexpected developments.

"The president is active. He's sitting, standing up, walking inside his room, and had breakfast," Yastrzhembsky told a press briefing.

Doctors decided to keep the president in intensive care for

at least another 24 hours. He has been pressing to move from the Moscow Cardiological Clinic to the nearby Kremlin hospital, which has presidential offices and a homier atmosphere.

"The president insists that he be transferred to the familiar, customary walls of the Central Clinical Hospital for psychological reasons," the spokesman said.

Yeltsin's rapid recovery will boost hopes that he will soon reassert his authority, ending a four-month crisis during which top aides have squabbled openly.

With Yeltsin's health improving, the opposition resumed attacks on the president, ending

a brief truce while he was undergoing surgery.

At a Communist rally today marking Revolution Day, Communist leader Gennady Zyuganov said the government is "unable to govern."

"We have all sorts of things in our history, but when we got a president for a day, that was a comedy before the whole world," Zyuganov said, referring to Yeltsin's one-day transfer of power to the prime minister.

Yeltsin was also quick to jump back in to the political fray, signing a decree making Nov. 7 a day of remembrance for victims of revolution and repression. Revolution Day is the anniversary of the 1917

Communist seizure of power and was the most important Soviet holiday.

Yeltsin also met for 15 minutes today with his chef of staff, Anatoly Chubais, to review national events, officials said.

The president reclaimed his full powers Wednesday, just a day after the quintuple bypass. His power had been transferred to Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin during the operation.

"I think he's out of the woods," American heart surgeon Michael DeBakey said after seeing the 65-year-old president Wednesday.

DeBakey said Yeltsin wouldn't have served out the four-

year term he fought for so fiercely this summer without the operation.

"He couldn't have carried on much longer," he said in an interview with The Associated Press. Now, he said, "I'd expect for him to carry out his term perfectly normally."

The joke making the rounds in the Russian capital was that Yeltsin's first words after coming out of the anesthesia were, "Give me a pen" — a sly reference to the presidential decrees through which he rules.

The story is apocryphal. But at 6 a.m. Wednesday, shortly after he was taken off the respirator, that's exactly what happened: Yeltsin signed a decree taking back the powers he has

guarded so jealously against a host of challengers.

Yeltsin has spent mere hours at the Kremlin since winning a second term in July over Zyuganov. Kremlin squabbling has erupted into wild charges and countercharges of alleged coup plots, multimillion-dollar slush funds, embezzlement, blackmail and more.

The prime minister, who underwent bypass surgery himself eight years ago, said he was amazed that Yeltsin was bouncing back so fast from surgery. Chernomyrdin said he urged him to take it easy for a while.

"We won't overload him," an upbeat Chernomyrdin said. "We'll try to take as much of the burden off him as possible."

# Thousands of Communist marchers marking Revolution Day in Moscow

MOSCOW (AP) — Thousands of Communists marched through downtown Moscow today, marking the 79th anniversary of the Russian Revolution with calls for Boris Yeltsin's resignation.

Communist leader Gennady Zyuganov, who led the Revolution Day march, attacked the president and his government as "unable to govern." It was the strongest opposition attack on Yeltsin since he underwent heart surgery Tuesday.

"We have all sorts of things in our history, but when we got a president for a day, that was a comedy before the whole world," Zyuganov told the rally, referring to Yeltsin's one-day transfer of power to his prime minister during the surgery.

About 20,000 people marched through the city center, according to police estimates.

Yeltsin also tried to lay claim to the day, once the most important date on the Soviet calendar. He declared the holiday a "Day of National Accord and Reconciliation" to commemorate the victims of revolution,

civil war and political repressions.

"We are one people. We have one fate, one future. And we are all coming from one past," Yeltsin said in a statement released by his press service. "It is time to close the book. We have one Russia, and we must be united."

Yeltsin decreed that all of next year — the 80th anniversary of the 1917 Revolution — also be dedicated to national accord.

For most Russians, Revolution Day was mainly a chance to relax and stay home from work at the start of a three-day holiday. Russia's major television channels, controlled by government supporters, showed entertainment shows and anti-Communist documentaries.

In neighboring Ukraine, about 5,000 Communists marched through downtown Kiev and laid wreaths at the city's only remaining prominent statue of Lenin.

About 1,000 Ukrainian nationalists thronged the nearby square outside the 11th-century St. Sofia's Cathedral, protesting

the "dream of idiots" that produced the Communist revolution. Some clashed briefly with riot police.

Ukraine's reformist government excluded Revolution Day from a list of official holidays published last month. The Communist-dominated parliament passed a resolution reinstating the holiday.

In eastern Ukraine, where many ethnic Russians live, there were larger rallies: 8,000 people in Donetsk, 5,000 in Kharkiv and a few thousand in Sevastopol.

In the Belarusian capital, Minsk, a few thousand Communists turned out in defiance of a city ban. Their demonstration focused as much on President Alexander Lukashenko as on Communism. The Communists are split on Lukashenko, whose powers would be expanded under a national referendum that starts Saturday.

In Moscow, Zyuganov accused Yeltsin's government of impoverishing workers and turning the country over to organized crime.

# Japanese prime minister gets re-elected

TOKYO (AP) — Japan's popular prime minister won re-election today, retaining the helm of a minority government that could be too fragile to surmount the country's biggest problems.

Ryutaro Hashimoto easily outdistanced his rivals in votes in the lower and upper chambers of Parliament, capping the major gains his Liberal Democrats made in the Oct. 20 election.

But the party's lack of a legislative majority means the man who earned a reputation as a hard-driving negotiator with the United States may now face his biggest challenge — taking decisive action to spur Japan's sluggish economy.

Hashimoto gained popularity with a brash, outspoken style displayed during tough auto-trade talks with the United States in 1995, when he demonstrated his skill in standing up to the Americans.

The prime minister set an ambitious reform agenda for himself during the recent campaign, when he painted his conservative party, which had ruled for nearly 40 years, as a progressive force for change.

With the country struggling to emerge from a five-year recession and government scandals,

demands are getting louder to deregulate the economy and slash the tremendous power enjoyed by career bureaucrats.

But Hashimoto could be hamstrung with a minority government.

The vote came after the Hashimoto's party gained strength in the recent elections. The party ruled Japan from 1955 until it was toppled by a string of money scandals in the 1993 elections.

Last month's elections boost-

ed the LDP's strength in the 500-seat lower house to 239 seats, a substantial lift from the 206 seats it had held since 1993.

But with the LDP a dozen seats short of a majority, the party must win the support of small parties and independent lawmakers to run the Hashimoto government.

Although opposition lawmakers agree on the need for radical reform of the bureaucracy, it is uncertain how far they will go to make Hashimoto a success.



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## What a doll! Contest means Christmas will be brighter for some



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This section of formal dolls is just one of several that will be on display at various banks throughout Big Spring starting next Monday. They will be on display throughout the holiday season.

By KELLIE JONES  
Features Editor

The public is invited to attend the annual Salvation Army Doll Dressing Tea this evening to honor the winners of this year's contest. Each year, Howard County residents dress dolls and bears in a variety of costumes to fit certain categories such as pajama party, country and western, formal and career. Winners are given ribbons and certificates. The dolls will be auctioned off next April at the Salvation Army's annual meeting and the money is used to purchase new dolls for next year. The remainder of the dolls that didn't

place, about 200, will be given away to area children this Christmas.

The doll tea is at the Salvation Army building, 811 W. Fifth, from 6 to 8 p.m. tonight.

The winners in each category are:

• **PAJAMA PARTY DOLLS** - First place, Coahoma Future Homemakers of America students; second place, Cassie Damgaard; third place, Oralia Torias and honorable mention, Oralia Torias.

• **PAJAMA PARTY BEARS** - First place, Michael Krueger; second place, Amy Wilson; third place, Coahoma Future Homemakers of America stu-

dents. • **COUNTRY AND WESTERN DOLLS** - First place, Oralia Torias; second place, Erlinda Luna and third place, Jessica Sisneros.

• **FORMAL DOLLS** - First place, Oralia Torias; second place, Kandice Howard; third place, Monica Garcia and honorable mention, Oralia Torias.

• **FORMAL BEARS** - First place, Stephanie Guzman.

• **CASUAL DOLLS** - First place, Tina Calderon; second place, Christina Romer; third place, Coahoma Future Homemakers of America students; honorable mention, Jill Allen.

• **CASUAL BEARS** - First



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From left: Cynthia Scott, Lisa Dimidjian and Rosella Munoz judge the career section of dolls at the Salvation Army office Wednesday morning. The annual event is a chance for people to show off their talents and to make a young girl's Christmas brighter.

place, Teresa Gutierrez; second place, Rose Ann Gang; third place, Mindi Robertson and honorable mention, Eva Ortega.

place, Mandi Hanslik; second place, Bo Reagan; third place, Katrina Wright and honorable mention, Mandi Hanslik.

orable mention, Eva Pachaco. All of the dolls will be on display at five local banks including Norwest Bank, T & P Credit Union, Citizens Federal Credit Union, Security State Bank and NationsBank (formerly Bluebonnet Savings). The dolls will on display starting Monday, Nov. 11.

### PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT



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Cindy Landin, a sophomore at Big Spring High School, practices her flag routine during a recent band rehearsal. Tomorrow night's game against Andrews is the last regular game of the season. The Steers have a chance of going to the playoffs if they beat Andrews, if Fort Stockton beats Pecos, the Steers must win their game by eight points and if Pecos beats Fort Stockton, Big Spring just has to win.

## Getting organized: Let kids do what works for them

Scripps Howard News Service

DEAR DR. FOURNIER: We are having trouble teaching our 9-year-old son how to get organized. I'm embarrassed to admit that he takes after us. My husband and I are very disorganized. It can get bad at times when we can't find something important. But we are very busy and most of the time our mess works ... I know it's our fault he doesn't have better role models, but that doesn't change the fact disorganization is hurting him in school. Do you have any suggestions? How do disorganized parents teach a child to be organized himself?

THE ASSESSMENT: So often I hear, from both students and

adults, "I just need to get organized." Unfortunately, these individuals too often fall prey to what I call the Organization Myths.

Myth 1: Looking neat is being organized. In fact, people who call themselves disorganized because their "mess" is not neat may actually be more organized than someone who has a spotless home or office but can't find a thing when they need it.

Myth 2: If you are organized, you always have it together. But even very organized people can "lose it" when life gets too demanding. When in a hectic moment you can't find something you could normally find, it's better to admit, "I'm frazzled right now" rather than

blame the situation on being disorganized.

When parents buy into these Organization Myths, so do their children. Constantly claiming, "I'm so disorganized" teaches a child to do the same. Once a child buys into this myth, he may abandon his own organizational system because it fails to make him perfect.

Being organized does not mean being neat and perfect. Organization is a personal process that puts things in a logical place. But what is logical for one person may seem crazy to another. That's why organization is a private matter that can't be copied from one person to another.

Unfortunately, one of the biggest Organization Myths is

that we can simply go into a store and buy a solution. Why? Because most of us do not have the self-confidence that we can create our own system. The result is either we stult our own creativity or just have a disorganized stack of one-size-fits-all organizational materials that don't fit our lives at all.

Organization is a private matter. How it looks is not important. How well it works is.

WHAT TO DO: Before you can design an organization process that meets your needs, you have to first ask: What purpose will your organizational system have?

For example, a student's purpose may be to save some

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### ODDS & ENDS

#### Officers are too nice

WENATCHEE, Wash. (AP) — Harley Hudson thinks his local police force is too nice and too helpful.

The locksmith says the Wenatchee Police Department policy of helping motorists who lock their keys in their car has cost him \$250,000 in lost business.

Hudson, owner of Harley's Lock & Key, charges about \$30

to open locked cars and he says the city's "unconstitutional gift of public funds" has cost him at least \$250,000.

Hudson filed a claim for damages with the city and he'll sue if the city doesn't respond, said his attorney, Steve Volyn.

The city has fielded at least 1,000 such calls in the past year, consuming 500 hours of officer time.

"We do it as a community-policing effort. We're trying to do things that are citizen-oriented," Police Chief Ken Badgley said.

#### Trees attacked

NEW YORK (AP) — No one is safe in Central Park. Even the

trees are sometimes attacked.

Two majestic trees were knocked down Wednesday morning by a vandal dubbed "the Central Park psycho," Parks Commissioner Henry Stern said.

Police believe the vandal crawled over a 8-foot fence and hot-wired a bucket loader sometime before dawn. The vandal used the machine to ruin a 35-year-old red oak and a 40-year-old linden in the center of the park.

Rewards of up to \$3,000 have been posted by the city and philanthropic groups.

#### Prices going up

GREENSBURG, Pa. (AP) —

Prices weren't falling at this Wal-Mart. In fact, they went up the closer customers got to the cash register.

In a dozen trips to a Wal-Mart over two years, self-styled consumer advocate Mary Bach said she was charged \$7.46 at the cash register for bras priced on the sales rack at \$6.96. She paid \$4.93 for a \$3.50 baby sleeper and \$2 for \$1 makeup.

Wal-Mart Stores Inc., the nation's largest retail chain which touts its discount prices, said the repeated overcharges were accidental. A magistrate ruled in Bach's favor in a fraud case. But that ruling was overturned by an arbiters panel.

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### TIPS 'N' TRIVIA

#### Rosacea

(NAPS) -Statistics and information:

- It is a potentially disfiguring facial skin disorder usually striking adults in middle age and now affects an estimated 13 million Americans.
- A recent survey of 2,000 sufferers showed 44 percent reported symptoms of this acne-like condition first appeared when they were in their 30s and 40s, while 43 percent first experienced symptoms after age 50.
- Many mistakenly think rosacea is just a complexion problem and will go away by itself. It usually gets worse if left unchecked.
- Rosacea usually begins as a redness or flushing on the cheeks, nose, chin or forehead that may come and go. It may initially be mistaken for a sunburn, especially if the person spends much time outdoors.
- Over time, however, the redness becomes more severe and persistent and small dilated blood vessels may become noticeable. Left untreated, bumps and pimples often develop and in some people, the eyes may feel gritty and appear bloodshot.
- In advanced cases, the nose may become swollen from excess tissue, the condition that gave the late comedian W.C. Fields his famous red, bulbous nose.
- It can be controlled with proper diagnosis and medical therapy from dermatologists as well as lifestyle modifications to avoid factors that may trigger flare-ups.

#### SIGNS OF ROSACEA

- Redness on cheeks, nose, forehead or chin.
- Blood vessels visible on skin surface.
- Pimples or bumps on face.
- Gritty or bloodshot eyes.
- Red, bumpy, swollen nose.

Source: National Rosacea Society

### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

#### DECA discount cards

Big Spring High School students involved in Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) are currently selling a Big Spring Steer card for \$10 offering discounts at various merchants. The owner of the card can use it once a day for a full year to receive such discounts as buy one food item, get one free, discounts on oil changes and dry cleaning, free second set of prints and buy one bowling game and get one free.

For more information or to purchase a card, contact DECA Sponsor Lee Lowery at the high school at 264-3641, extension 151.

#### Blood pressure checks

The RSVP Volunteers at Malone & Hogan Clinic will be doing free blood pressure checks from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 2 to 4 p.m.

### THE LAST WORD

It is difficult to overcome one's passions, and impossible to satisfy them.

—Marguerite De La Sabliere

He who does not live in some degree for others, hardly lives for himself.

—Montaigne

It is extraordinary to what expense of time and money people will go to in order to get something for nothing.

—Robert Lynd

We find delight in the beauty and happiness of children that makes the heart too big for the body.

—Emerson

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# Fancy or casual, turtlenecks always work

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Whether you're eight or 80, a modish dresser or a conservative diehard, there's one item that's likely to have a place in your wardrobe for fall — the turtleneck.

Top designers showed it with suits for the office and in velvet for evening. The turtleneck is true to its sporty roots when worn with leggings and a polar fleece vest or with jeans and a sweatshirt.

"It's the key underpinning for the season," says LaVelle Olexa, vice president for fashion at Lord & Taylor in New York. She thinks the collar looks best when it has a high, slim funnel neck.

A true turtleneck has a high band collar that folds over at least once, but women who don't like all that material favor mock turtlenecks with standup collars. Another variation is the looser cowl neck, which is making something of a comeback.

You'll find turtlenecks in every material from silk to ribbed knits in wools and blends, as well as wools mixed with stretchy fibers.

For some people, only a cotton turtleneck will do. Lands' End is one of those companies that continue to tamper with the design, churning out new and improved versions.

For fall, it is offering turtlenecks in 16 colors and 15 sizes of men's, women's and big and tall versions. The garment comes in six different neck sizes, depending on the size of the shirt, and sells for \$17.

Those with much more to spend are snapping up turtlenecks in cashmere.

Women looking for updated styling will find turtlenecks with zip fronts. While most sweaters are meant to be tucked in, you'll also find longer ones that look good over pants or skirts.

The turtleneck is a wardrobe staple we reach for often, but probably give little thought to.

The garment was born in England in the 1860s, where polo players wore it (and called it a polo or crew neck). By the turn of the century, the pullover had made it to America and was the standard collegiate jersey worn by football players. Soon, men were donning it for such sports as hunting, horseback riding and sailing.

The turtleneck made the transition from playing field to style pages when the British actor and playwright Noel Coward wore it under a blazer in the 1920s, according to Lands' End, which compiled a history of the garment.

Women then caught on to the trend, with such Hollywood legends as Greta Garbo and Marlene Dietrich wearing the style in the 1940s.

By the time Audrey Hepburn was photographed in a basic turtleneck, slim trousers and ballerina flats in the 1950s, it was a classic.

# Organize

Continued from page 8A

papers to show the grandparents when they come to visit. In that case, putting them in the guest bedroom may be the perfect place. But if the purpose is to save papers to study for tests, then a better alternative would be to file them in a "test folder" in the child's room or in the room where he usually studies at home.

The child needs a system to "close the loop" between getting the papers home — perhaps in a folder in his bookbag — and getting them into the test folder.

Remember to discard the Organization Myths. Your child's system does not have to meet your standards for neatness and does not have to be perfect. Being organized simply means that you have what you need when you need it.

There may be times when the system breaks down. That doesn't mean to discard the system

entirely. There might be a fire drill at school and, in the confusion, an important paper is not brought home and filed. The child may be hurried or even scared, but that does not mean he is disorganized.

Help your child recognize all the signs of his good organization, which will help him learn from the inevitable instances when the system does not work. You may be able to help him get more out of his own organization system, but don't buy into another myth: That you can "make him" more organized. You can provide the tools and the insight, but let your son develop his own organization process.

Parents — and students — may send questions about homework, education or parenting to Dr. Yvonne Fournier at Fournier Learning Strategies, 5900 Poplar Ave., Memphis, TN 38119. They can be answered only in future columns.

# CAREER CORNER

Occupational title: Apparel Worker

Duties: Apparel workers make clothing and other consumer goods from cloth, fur, and leather. Some workers are involved with alteration of clothing products.

Working environment: The work is done inside, and the working conditions are not always the best.

Helpful high school classes: Regular academic program, electrical trades and home economics.

Continuing education/training: Some employers require a high school diploma and some accept people with a G.E.D.

Salary: In 1995, the average starting wage was \$13,700.

Job prospects: Poor. This is a declining occupation because of foreign competition and automation.

# Delicious desserts for Thanksgiving

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Pumpkin pie and pecan pie are culinary treasures for Thanksgiving.

Pastry chef Linda Holton recognizes these classic desserts, but she made both of them into something special — pumpkin chess pie and deep dish amaretto pecan pie.

She also created a beautiful cranberry mousse cake, decorated with fresh cranberries.

Holton, a pastry chef in Knoxville, Tenn., created the pumpkin chess pie as a dessert for a "ladies day." The women, her toughest critics, "loved it."

She also has fashioned chocolate eclipse, a terrine of white and dark chocolate in half-moon shape, and lunar eclipse, a raspberry brownie with white chocolate custard filling and white chocolate ganache.

**PUMPKIN CHESS PIE**  
8 whole eggs  
4 cups sugar  
2 cups heavy cream  
2/3 cup melted butter  
2 tablespoons flour  
1 cup mashed pumpkin  
1 tablespoon vanilla  
Roasted pumpkin seed graham crusts (see recipe)

In a large mixing bowl, combine eggs, sugar, cream, butter, flour, pumpkin and vanilla. Mix until well blended and smooth. Pour into roasted pumpkin seed graham cracker crusts.

Bake at 350 degrees about 35 to 40 minutes, until filling is firm. Decorate with whipped topping, if desired.

Enough filling for two pies.  
**ROASTED PUMPKIN SEED GRAHAM CRACKER CRUST**  
1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs  
1/4 cup granulated sugar  
1/2 cup melted butter  
Chopped pumpkin seeds,

roasted (see recipe)

In a mixing bowl, combine graham crackers, sugar and melted butter until combined. Add pumpkin seeds. Line two 8-inch pie pans by placing mixture in the center of pan and patting down and up the sides. Take a spoon and smooth with enough pressure to pack down, starting in the center and working up along the sides of the pan. Prebake at 350 degrees for 5 minutes. Cool and add filling.

Enough for two pies.  
**ROASTED PUMPKIN SEEDS**

Remove seeds from pumpkin, rinse off and dry. Place seeds in baking pan and coat with 2 tablespoons vegetable oil. Roast in 350 degree oven for 15 to 20 minutes or until golden brown. Cool and place in a grinder; chop finely. Set aside.

**DEEP DISH AMARETTO PECAN PIE**

1 1/2 cups granulated sugar  
5 whole eggs  
1/4 cup melted butter  
1 1/4 cups light corn syrup  
1/2 cup amaretto liqueur  
3 cups chopped pecans  
Sugar dough crusts (see recipe)

In a medium mixing bowl, whisk sugar and eggs. Add butter, corn syrup and amaretto. Add 1 1/2 cups chopped pecans on top of each sugar dough. Pour liquid mixture into two sugar dough lined pans.

Bake at 350 degrees for 40 to 45 minutes or until filling is firm, but do not over brown.

Enough filling for two pies.  
**SUGAR DOUGH**

1 cup butter  
1 cup granulated sugar  
3 whole eggs  
1 teaspoon salt  
4 cups all-purpose flour  
Place butter and sugar in mixing bowl and beat until creamy. Add eggs, one at a

time, scraping down sides of bowl after each addition. Sift flour and salt and add to creamed mixture. Mix until dough comes together. Remove from bowl and knead the dough into a ball. Wrap with plastic and refrigerate at least an hour. Roll half of the dough 1/4-inch thick and line a spring form pan half way up the side. Cover; place in the refrigerator until needed. Enough for two pies.

**CRANBERRY MOUSSE CAKE**

3 cups heavy cream  
6 egg whites  
3/4 cup granulated sugar  
2 tablespoons unflavored gelatin  
3/4 cup cold water  
8 oz. white chocolate, melted  
1 1/2 cups cranberry puree (see recipe)

Fresh whole cranberries for garnish

Whip cream to soft peaks; set aside. Whip egg whites until frothy; slowly add sugar and continue beating until stiff peaks form. Soften gelatin in water and heat in top of double boiler to dissolve. Stir melted white chocolate into cranberry puree. Add gelatin. Fold mixture into reserved egg whites and then into reserved whipped cream. Spoon into springform pan and chill 1 or 2 hours. Unmold and garnish with whole cranberries.

Note: Can place chocolate, white or yellow cake on bottom of pan; pour mixture on top.

**CRANBERRY PUREE**

1 1/2 pounds fresh cranberries  
1 cup water  
1/2 cup sugar  
Combine ingredients in saucepan and cook over low heat for 2 or 3 minutes or until cranberries are soft and start to pop open. Puree in a blender.

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# Matchmaker uses old-fashioned approach to find singles mates

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DENVER — Michele Fields' appointment wasn't until 2 p.m., so naturally she got there 30 minutes early to scope out the restaurant.

The Rattlesnake. Pricy, good-looking patrons, heart of Cherry Creek. Place like that's a good spot to find a sumptuous Catch of the Day.

And we don't mean fish. "I just like to look around a place like this to see if there's anyone single," says Fields. "My pharmacist — sweetest guy in the world — his wife left him. Four kids. He married the second woman I set him up with. I've arranged dates for my lawyer. I tried to get my gynecologist to let me fix him up, but he wasn't interested."

"I'm Jewish," she says, slipping into a booth with a good view of entrance. "It's in my blood."

Fields, 40, is a yenta, a matchmaker.

She doesn't advertise. She's not even in the phone book. Her business is through referrals only. She works out of her home.

But for \$500 — plus \$35 per introduction — she'll find you a mate. And — if the first person she finds for you isn't quite what you had in mind, no problem. She'll keep looking. Once you're her client, she's your yenta until death or marriage, whichever comes first.

"I have one girl who won't date a guy with small hands," she says. "So I have to spend time looking at hands."

At present, she's got about 200 clients, and since getting into the matchmaking biz full-time seven years ago, she figures she's hatched about 20 marriages, and who-knows-how-many steamy nights.

There's no video to make, no computerized questionnaire, no Friday night mixers. Fields gets to know her clients and what they're looking for in a mate the old-fashioned way: she asks lots of nosy questions.

"OK, religious would you say you are?"

"What are your political leanings — middle of the road, liberal, conservative?"

"How do you feel about evolution? How about astrology? Karma?"

"What's your relationship with your mother?"

"Are you most comfortable with intellectuals or average folks or professionals? What about blue-collar types?"

Then the biggie: "Do you like pets? Do you have any allergies?"

"Pets — now that's important to single people," she says. "I don't think most dating services ask about that."

"She got into the deep nitty-gritty," recalls Donna Zurek, a 38-year-old computer programmer who was introduced to her husband, Gary, by Fields seven years ago. They've been married for four years. "Some of the sex questions I think were a little personal, but it was important to ask. Stuff like 'Do you want a sexual relationship? How do you feel about living together without being married?'"

"It wasn't like she looked into her crystal ball or anything," says Gary Zurek, 35, also a computer programmer. Donna was the first woman Fields introduced him to; Gary was the fifth man she'd found for Donna. "She just gets a good feel for the individuals she tries to match up. She has a skill not many people have."

All of which begs the question: Why is Fields — blond, thin, refined and beautiful — still single?

"The agenda of the men is too superficial," says Fields, who was married briefly 20 years ago. "I'm not what they're looking for."

"Of course, I do get first crack at them," she says of her male clientele. Occasionally, she'll date a client. But aside from the one who broke her heart not so long ago, none of them has what she's looking for either.

"I like real intelligent men, sophisticated," says the Delaware native who still feels spiritually planted on the East Coast 15 years after settling in Colorado. "And I like jock-y guys — but don't be dragging me into it. It'd be fine if they'd go running or skiing or whatever and let me stay home. But noooooo, in Denver, everybody's got to do everything

together."

"It's not going to happen for me in Denver," she says, resigned. "And I'm not gonna go moving just to find a guy. I'm not that desperate ... But enough about me, let's talk about you. Are you seeing anyone?"

Fields is a savvy businesswoman. In 1980, at age 25, she was a secretary visiting a friend in Washington, D.C. They went to a party, and it

was filled with people from Denver. "They were all wearing cowboy boots," Fields says. "I thought, 'Wow. This is pretty exciting.'"

On a lark, she moved here, having no job, knowing no one.

She got work as a legal secretary. She also drove a limousine, did some modeling, handled public relations for a motorcycle track.

The matchmaking she did for free.

By 1989, she looked around at the dating services that came and went in Denver and decided she could do better, cheaper.

"I don't need a staff, I don't need an office, I have no overhead," she says. "I started by just bugging my friends. Everybody knows somebody who is single."

She's been doing it long enough that she feels she knows when people are making relationship mistakes — both

in whom they choose and in whom they don't choose.

Men want young and thin — and they're often setting themselves up for disappointment when they won't consider anything else, she says. "The guys who are real, who are into values and goals, are the ones who get married off."

"Women are much more open," she says. "Men think women just want someone with money, but I've never found

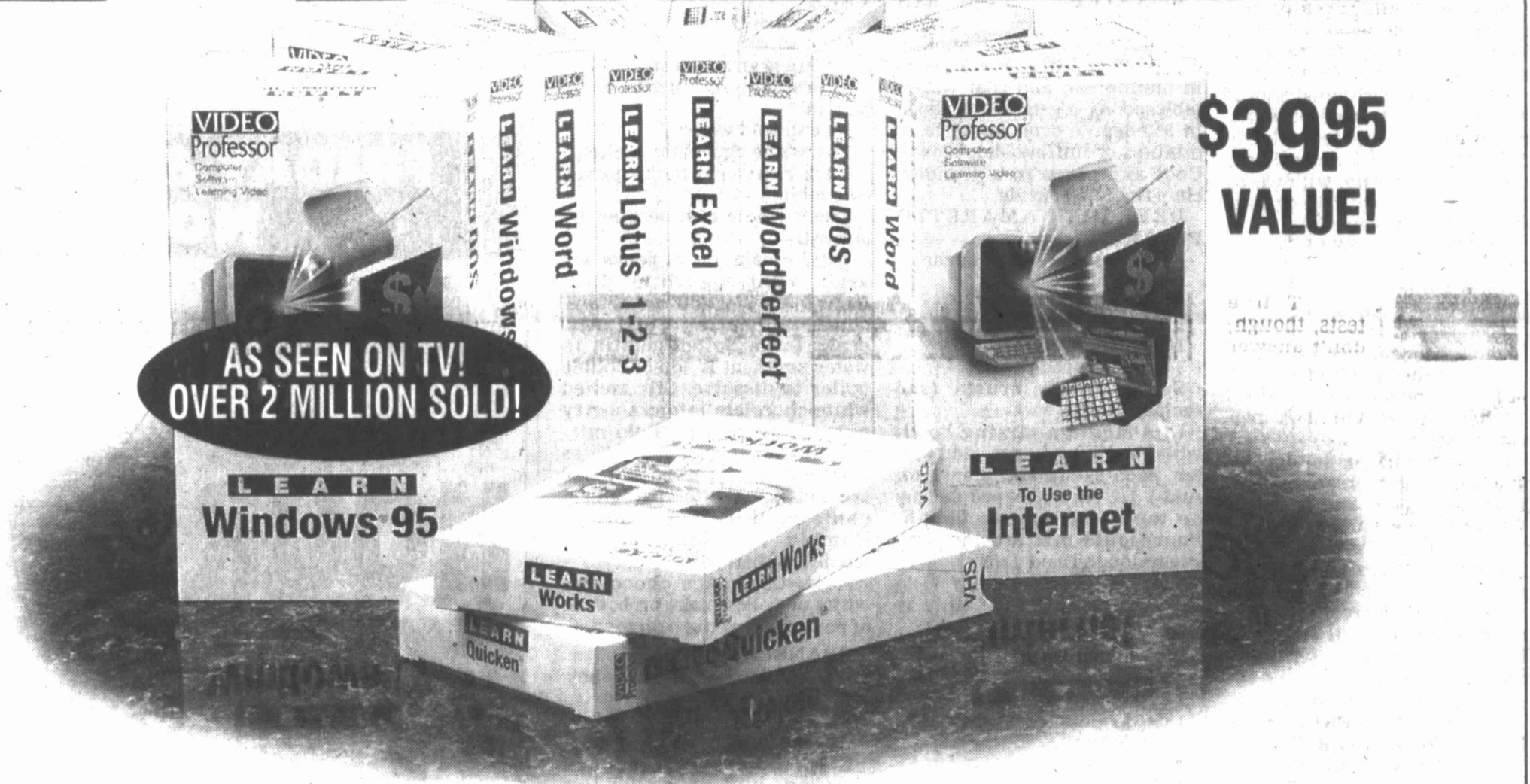
that in seven years. The most they will require is that the guy makes the same as they do — and that's not unreasonable. No, the women's real agenda is height and hair. Short men and bald men have a harder time."

"I'm getting a lot more clients now 50 and older who have never married," she says. "And a lot of men with sole or primary custody of a child. And cats! I see a lot more men with cats these days."

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## Grady out to nail down district title against resurgent Sands

By CLIFF NEWELL  
Sports Editor

### GRADY vs SANDS 7:30 P.M. at Grady

The Grady-Sands contest on Friday night is shaping up as an epic battle.

The surprising Grady Wildcats (8-1) will be out to put a lock on the district title.

Sands (5-4) will be trying to complete a turnaround after a disastrous start and earn a three-way tie for first.

Sands was supposed to be in title contention at the start of the season, but Grady wasn't.

"Grady is one of the most improved teams I've seen in years," said Sands head coach Billy Barnett. "At first I didn't see how Brad Cox and Cody Peugh could carry their team. But their other kids improved so much, and they're very fundamental. They can do a lot."

"As of late, we've put it together," said Grady head coach Roger Smith.

That sounds like an understatement, since the Cats have rolled to seven straight lopsided wins to gain the district

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driver's seat.

"Everyone is pulling together," Smith said. "We're a team, we don't play a one-man hero game. If somebody does something wrong, the other guys give him a pat on the back."

In the statistics department, though, Grady does have a true standout in Cox. The 6-0, 145-pound senior has rushed for 1,200 yards and scored 32 touchdowns. He has also passed for six scores. During Grady's big winning streak, Cox has accounted for four to six TDs every game.

As for Sands, the season threatened to get away from the Mustangs due to an outbreak of early injuries. But with three straight wins, Sands appears to be the team everyone predicted it would be in preseason.

"What's improved most is our defense," Barnett said. "We had our best overall perfor-

mance of the season against Klondike.

"We've worked out a lot of problems, and things are looking a lot better."

Smith agrees. "Sands is a more dangerous team than Wellman," he said. "They're more versatile. Now they've got all their kids back, they're healthy and they're at full strength."

Josh Richter has compiled the biggest stats for Sands, but Justin Hambrick and Bill Barnes are also dangerous backs.

However, the biggest reason Sands has improved so much recently is the improved play of quarterback Jerrod Beall.

### COAHOMA vs WALL

8 p.m. at Coahoma

Coahoma Bulldogs (5-4) saw their playoff dreams end two weeks ago against powerful Roscoe.

But head coach Jim Edwards thinks his team will have had an excellent season if it can defeat Wall.



HERALD Photo/Jim Fierro  
Josh Long of Sands puts plenty of pressure on Klondike quarterback Tucker Etheridge. The Sands defense has improved greatly in recent games.

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## Experts ask: is Holyfield shot fighter?

LAS VEGAS (AP) — He's been prodded and probed by doctors at the Mayo Clinic, and kept under the wary eye of Nevada boxing regulators while training. By all accounts, Evander Holyfield is as healthy as he can be for his fight with Mike Tyson.

The tests, though, don't answer the question that most dogs the 34-year-old former heavy-weight champion these days: Is Holyfield a shot fighter?

That figures to be answered in the ring Saturday night, when Holyfield will go in as an 11-1 underdog in a fight for Tyson's WBA heavyweight title that was originally supposed to take place five years ago.

If the answer is yes, it could spell disaster for Holyfield in what might be his last challenge for the heavyweight title. If it is no, Holyfield might have the best chance of any fighter to beat Tyson since James "Buster" Douglas pulled off his mammoth upset.

Holyfield is so confident he knows what the answer will be that he guarantees the outcome of Saturday's fight.

"I guarantee that there will be a new champion," Holyfield said. "As far as I am concerned, it has already been made. I just have to be patient and wait until the fight to cash in."

Holyfield will earn some \$11 million for the opportunity to fight Tyson, who pulled out of their scheduled November 1991 bout with a shoulder injury and went to prison on a rape conviction before the fight could be rescheduled.

The money, though, might be secondary to the need Holyfield still feels to prove himself by joining Muhammad Ali as a three-time heavy-weight champion.

"People have been waiting years and years for the best two to fight each other," Holyfield said. "If you're not a boxing fan, this is definitely a big event. This is something that will definitely go down in history."

The bout, which tops a card that includes a defense by IBF heavyweight champion Michael Moorer against Francois Botha of South Africa, figures to attract a sell-out crowd of more than 16,000 at the MGM Grand. It also could sell well on pay-per-view to fight fans curious about the current abilities of both fighters.



HERALD Photo/Cliff Newell  
Kara Hughes lets go a 3-pointer. Last year's district sophomore of the year will play a key role for the Lady Steers.

## Lady Steers set sights on 6th straight district title

By CLIFF NEWELL  
Sports Editor

Girls in the Big Spring High School basketball program proudly wear teeshirts that say, "Back to Back to Back to Back to Back District champions."

Next year they will probably have to get teeshirts with one more "Back" on it. Head coach Ron Taylor and his teams have won five titles in five years with the Lady Steers, to go along with a won-lost mark of 101-35.

Even though Big Spring no longer has all-state post player Robin Wise, plus two other all-district players, the 1996-97 Lady Steer team has the best depth that Taylor has ever had, and perhaps his finest junior class ever.

"Every ballclub is different," Taylor said. "All of them have different strengths and weaknesses. But I feel real good about this bunch. They come out every day and work hard. Our fans will see a very

### Big Spring Girls Basketball Preview

Last, determined team. We have the kind of depth we're not used to here. Now we can sub and not lose anything."

A trio of seniors lead the team.

Kim Robertson (5-9), a part-time starter at wing last season, is moving to the post this time around. Her strong point is shooting. She's also a solid defender and a "pretty heady player."

Brandi Purcell (5-6) is following in the steps of all-district standout Heather Anderson at point guard, and in early workouts she has been outstanding.

"Brandi is probably the most improved kid on the floor," Taylor said. "Playing point guard for me is not easy, and she's handling it real good. She has excellent quickness, driving skills, and she's smart."

Valerie Quintana (5-9) is a transfer from Iraan, and Taylor expects her to make a contribution once she learns the Lady Steer system.

Then there is the large and talented junior class.

Kara Hughes (5-6) came back from a devastating knee injury she suffered as a freshman to win district sophomore of the year honors. "She was the biggest surprise in district," said Taylor. "Kara can drill the 3-point shot, and she's an excellent defensive player."

Maggie Haddad (5-7) is the team "go-getter." A starter last season, she is the team's top defensive stopper, and her shooting has improved tremendously.

"Maggie will go get you," Taylor said. "She was honorable mention all-district, and she would have been all-district if she hadn't missed half of the district games with a stress fracture."

Keesha Lott (5-7) is a great raw talent. She is a 40-foot leaper in the triple jump, and Taylor said, "We expect great things from her before it's all over."

Nadia Cole (5-9) is a superb post-up player in the block. She is very strong, a fine shooter and can also run the floor. "You should see her pump iron in the weight room," noted Taylor.

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## Bulls not running away from Central yet

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

You'd think the Chicago Bulls would be running away from the rest of the Central Division by now, especially after four straight victories punctuated by a 50-point performance by Michael Jordan.

Well, that's not the case just yet.

In fact, the Bulls are — gasp! — tied for first place thanks to unbeaten starts by the Detroit Pistons and Milwaukee Bucks.

And — gasp again! — of the three teams, the defending champions had the hardest time winning Wednesday night.

Jordan had the 29th 50-point regular-season game of his career, going 18-of-33 from the field and 13-of-14 on free throws, as Chicago defeated the Miami Heat 106-100.

"I relish the challenge, the

tough game — playing on the road against a team that's undefeated," said Jordan, who had three "spectacular plays."

The first was an alley-oop dunk on which he elevated at least two feet off the floor, grabbed Scottie Pippen's pass with one hand and slammed it through in one motion.

The second was a under-the-basket, over-the-shoulder shot while facing away from the hoop, leaving his teammates grinning. The third was a steal of Kurt Thomas' inbounds pass with 2 seconds left in the first half, leading to a 3-pointer from 26 feet that gave the Bulls a 57-53 halftime lead.

"That really changed the momentum of the game," Jordan said.

Detroit won its fourth in a row despite playing without Grant Hill, who was bothered by a sore right wrist. The Pistons led by at least 14 points throughout the fourth quarter in beating Dallas 103-84.

Milwaukee improved to 3-0 with a 105-89 victory over Vancouver.

In other NBA games, Charlotte beat the Los Angeles Lakers 88-78, Washington

## NBA Roundup

defeated San Antonio 96-86 and Boston downed Indiana 94-84. The New Jersey Nets and Orlando Magic played at Tokyo in a game that began at 5 a.m. EST.

Jordan's buzzer-beating 3-pointer was part of a 33-6 run that gave Chicago a 67-53 lead early in the third quarter. Miami eventually closed to 88-83, but Jordan scored 10 points in the final six minutes to lead Chicago to its second straight 4-0 start and the third in club history.

Dennis Rodman had 22 rebounds and Scottie Pippen had 17 points.

Alonzo Mourning had 33 points and 19 rebounds, but the Heat struggled from outside. Dan Majerle was 0-for-8 on 3-point attempts, and the team was 4-for-24.

Bullets 96, Spurs 86  
At Landover, Chris Webber

had 22 points and a career-high 21 rebounds, Juwan Howard had 22 points and 12 rebounds and Rod Strickland added 16 points and seven assists.

Sean Elliott scored 18 points for the injury-depleted Spurs, who reached 80 points for the first time in four games.

### Pistons 103, Mavericks 84

At Auburn Hills, Hill was in uniform for warmups, but reported back to the bench in street clothes after deciding his right wrist hurt too much for him to play.

Lindsey Hunter replaced him in the starting lineup and scored 16 points, and Otis Thorpe had 17 points and 13 rebounds.

"I came out and tried to shoot, but it really hurt, so Doug (coach Collins) told me to have it X-rayed, and to sit," Hill said. "It's still a little swollen, so I don't know what will happen. We will see how it feels tomorrow."

"Grant told me that he couldn't shoot, but he could play defense, and he could do some other things," Collins said. "But what if he falls on it and is out three months?"

## Dodgers again have top rookie in Hollandsworth

LOS ANGELES (AP) — How appropriate that the Los Angeles Dodgers keep cranking out NL Rookies of the Year. After all, the award is named for Jackie Robinson.

Todd Hollandsworth became the fifth consecutive Los Angeles player to be so honored Wednesday, as well as the ninth Dodgers rookie since 1979 and the 16th since 1947, when Robinson was the first recipient.

Robinson, major league baseball's first African-American player, was a member of the Brooklyn Dodgers when he won the award.

The Dodgers have more than twice as many rookie award winners as any other NL club. The New York Yankees have had eight, including this year's AL winner, shortstop Derek Jeter.

"He was put in a spot where we desperately needed some help, at the top of the lineup," Eric Karros, who began the string of five straight Dodgers Rookies of the Year when he won the award in 1992, said of Hollandsworth.



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Arizona at Washington	Washington	Washington	Washington	Washington	Washington	Washington
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"We'll have a 6-4 season record and a 5-2 district record," Edwards said. "I think that will be pretty good."

However, the Bulldogs must overcome the loss of standout quarterback Marshall Wright, who was lost for the season after suffering a separated shoulder against Roscoe.

But the good news is that Coahoma may be getting back standout receiver Matthew Hamilton, and Shawn Rye is on the mend.

"Physically, we're almost at full strength," Edwards said.

Wall (3-6) is no world beater; but it does present some problems with speedy tailback Casey Baez and quarterback Cory Braden.

FORSAN vs ROSCOE

8 p.m. at Roscoe

Forsan is a happier town this week.

The Buffaloes (2-7) snapped their losing streak by whipping Ozona 27-6 last Friday.

Head coach Steve Park said, "We played a whole lot better defense, and we controlled the ball on offense."

Wes Osburn was the biggest reason Forsan controlled the ball. He exploded for 200 rushing yards.

In addition, T.J. Lipham rushed for 80 yards, and Forsan got fine blocking from the line of James Dunlap, Logan Gamble, Stacey Gibbs, Gary Simer, and Dale Doloff.

Gibbs, at tackle, was a stand-out on defense. He had seven tackles, including three solos; had a fumble recovery, and caused a fumble. In the secondary, Ferrell Voight and Robert Hillger had interceptions.

But Forsan's euphoria is tempered by the prospect of playing district champion Roscoe.

"They're awesome," praised Park. "They have lots of seniors, lots of size and lots of speed. They don't have many weaknesses. They're a real solid club."

STANTON vs ANTHONY

8 p.m. at Stanton

The Stanton Buffaloes (7-2) lost the big one against Iran

for the district title.

Now the Buffs have to buckle down and nail down a state playoff berth against Anthony. It won't be easy, because Anthony (7-2) has a dangerous team.

"They're big and they're huge," noted head coach Mark Cotton. "We can't overlook them."

Anthony's tackles are Jacob Hall (6-3, 297, jr.) and Mike Molina (6-4, 280, soph.). People don't overlook them. They just can't look over them.

The guys behind them are pretty impressive, too. Running back David Longoria had 1,500 yards rushing last

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Lady Steers

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A player that Taylor has really come to like is Traci Bellinghausen (5-9). She is a greatly improved player who has excellent post moves.

Krissi McWherter (5-8) is a volleyball standout who has excellent jumping ability. It is only a matter of time before she makes a contribution.

Her ability is not the problem," said Taylor. "Krissi is going to be a good rebounder for us, and she's quick on the press."

Jessica Cobos (5-5) provides depth at point guard. On the floor she knows where everyone is and "makes some unbelievable passes."

Marisol "Moddy" Canaero (5-4) has excellent defensive skills and quickness.

This is a team that has good shooting, defensive quickness and depth. Plus a world of potential.

"Replacing Robin, Heather and Molly (Smith) won't be easy," Taylor said. "But all of our kids have played a lot and

shown me what they can do.

"Every year you have questions starting out. If we answer them, this can be as good a team as any we've had. Our fans will enjoy them. They're a great bunch."

Of course, other district teams will be trying to knock off the Lady Steers. Sweetwater

returns all five of its starters from last season, and Andrews also returns a lot of experienced talent.

But look for Big Spring to make it six straight.

"These kids know what they have to live up to," Taylor said. "They don't want to be the ones who break the streak."

'96-97 Big Spring Girls Varsity schedule

- Nov. 12 Merkel, there, 6:30 p.m.
- Nov. 14-16 Crossroads Classic, Big Spring
- Nov. 19 Lamesa, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Nov. 21-23 Greenwood Tourney
- Nov. 22 Snyder, here, 6 p.m.
- Nov. 26 Greenwood, there, 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 3 Midland High, Midland, 7:30 p.m.
- Dec. 5-7 Coahoma Tourney
- Dec. 10 Lamesa, there, 7:30 p.m.
- Dec. 12-14 Seminole Tourney
- Dec. 20 Odessa Permian, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 2 Lake View, San Angelo, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 4 Fort Stockton, there, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 7 Sweetwater, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 10 Andrews, there, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 14 Pecos, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 17 Lake View, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 21 Fort Stockton, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 24 Sweetwater, there, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 28 Andrews, here, 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 31 Pecos, there, 7:30 p.m.

Grady's Walsh wins at regional

Angela Welsh of Grady was the individual champion and the Grady girls team took fourth place at the regional cross country meet last Saturday.

Welsh won by a whopping 21 seconds with her time of 12:25. She will run at the state meet on Saturday at Round Rock.

The placings of other Grady runners were Caroline Madison, 13th (13:11); Sheree Rivas, 30th (13:40); Rebecca Robles, 58th (14:11). Also running were Tarah Schuelke, Lisa Morales and Frances Jimenez.

The Grady boys team placed 15th. The top finisher was Jonathan Robles, who placed 25th. Also running were Greg Gibson, Jose Ramirez, Cody Wells, and Anthony Swift.

Stallings 29th at SEC meet

Jeremy Stallings of the University of Florida placed 29th out of 120 runners at the SEC Cross Country Championship held last weekend at the University of Mississippi.

Stallings ran the 3-mile course in 26:00, the top time for the Gators, who finished seventh as a team.

Stallings, a native of Stanton, will compete next at the District III Championships on Nov. 16 in Greenville, SC.

Little League board elects new directors

The 1997 American Little League Board of Directors have been selected.

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by Mike Hensen



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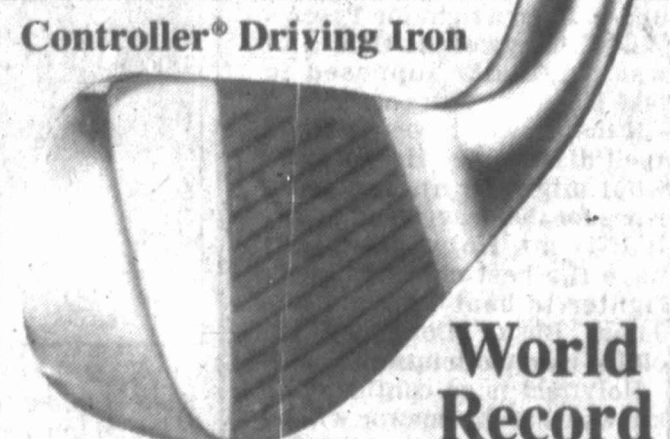
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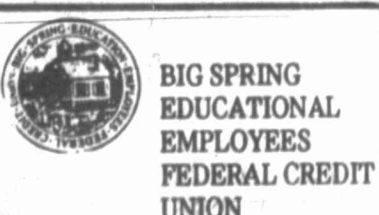
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# READ ALL ABOUT IT

This column is based on an AP story that was for use on Oct. 20. Read the following story then answering the questions to test your reading comprehension.

## Eagle Hitches Ride on Glider

GATLINBURG, Tenn. (AP) — Thirteen years after he lost one wing to a hunter's bullet, a bald eagle named Osceola is soaring again — hitching a ride on a hang glider.

"I think he likes the wind in his face," said the bird's caretaker and flying companion, John Stokes.

Stokes' profession is rehabilitation and education with the National Foundation to Protect America's Eagles, based at the Dollywood theme park in Pigeon Forge.

His hobby is hang gliding and Osceola gets to ride with him as a passenger, strapped into a custom harness.

"Some things happen the way they are supposed to. Maybe that was the reason I was supposed to take up hang gliding, anyway. To get this guy in the air."

The wounded bird, then about 2 years old, was found by rabbit hunters near Osceola, Ark., one wing shattered by someone's bullet. A game warden took him to the Memphis Zoo.

Veterinarian Mike Douglas spent three days trying to save the wing and fight off infection. However, the limb had to be amputated to save the eagle's life. Bald eagles can live 30 to 40 years in the wild, or 50 to 70 years in captivity.

Stokes, who was working at the Memphis Zoo at the time, named the eagle Osceola.

Since then, Stokes has traveled the country with Osceola, giving thousands of educational programs at schools and state fairs about eagles.

Stokes, 40, said he decided last December to develop a harness for Osceola so he could carry him along on his glider flights.

He fiddled with designs through the spring, finally coming up with a three-zipper sling that holds the bird without confining his head, tail and legs.

The harnessed eagle then is suspended from the 33-foot glider wing, just above and to the left of Stokes.

Stokes tested the glider-eagle combination on the back of his truck. And in April, with the permission of the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, he took Osceola to a hang gliding field just south of Chattanooga to soar around Lookout Mountain.

During that first flight, Stokes recalls, Osceola spotted and watched a pair of red-tailed hawks flying nearby.

"At that point, it probably really jelled for him. He was in that realm again. He was in the air."

They have made eight flights now, some lasting as much as 20 minutes.

Osceola seems relaxed riding on the hang glider, although Stokes noticed something different about him during one recent flight.

"I don't know how to describe it. He looked more confident. There was a fire in his eye, something was back."

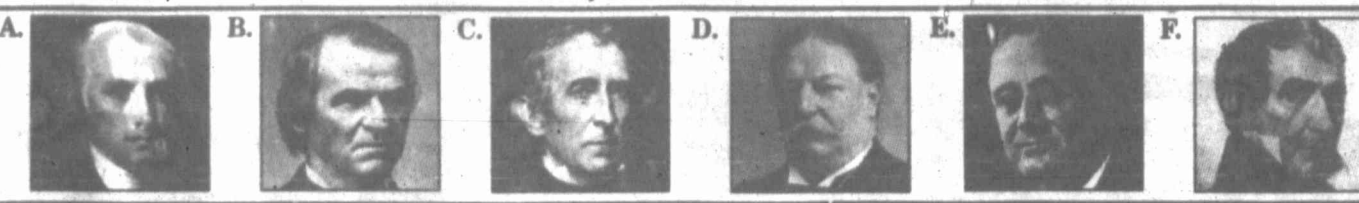
Eagle Gets New Wings  
Use the information from the story to answer the following true and false questions:

- 1) A bald eagle name Osceola was injured by a game warden 13 years ago.
- 2) Rabbit hunters found the injured bird at the Memphis Zoo.
- 3) John Stokes, who works with the National Foundation to Protect America's Eagles, took an interest in the wounded animal.
- 4) In his spare time, Stokes enjoys hanging out at the Dollywood theme park.
- 5) The 40-year-old caretaker learned to hang glide so that he could teach Osceola how to soar (fly high).
- 6) The bird's keeper designed a harness (set of straps) that enables Osceola to ride on a glider.
- 7) While hanging from the aircraft's wing, the eagle is able to move its head and legs.
- 8) Once up in the air, Stokes unzips Osceola's sling and allows the bird to fly on its own.
- 9) A glider flight lasts for about 8 minutes.
- 10) Stokes brings Osceola with him whenever he travels to schools and state fairs to talk about eagles.

Bonus: The pilot likes to take Osceola along when flying because the eagle helps to keep the glider up in the air.

Answer key: 1)F. 2)F. 3)T. 4)F. 5)F. 6)T. 7)T. 8)F. 9)F. 10)T. Bonus F.

# The Mini Page



## Record-Setting Presidents

Can you identify these record-setting presidents? When you find their pictures, write the letter next to their record.

**Size**

William Howard Taft was the largest president. He weighed more than 300 pounds.

Abraham Lincoln was the tallest. He was 6 feet, 4 inches tall.

James Madison was the smallest. He was 5 feet, 4 inches tall and weighed 100 pounds.

**Education**

Woodrow Wilson was the president with the most formal education. He had a doctorate from the Johns Hopkins University.

Andrew Johnson had the least amount of formal education. He did not attend a single day of school.

**Inaugural speech**

George Washington gave the shortest inaugural speech. He spoke only 133 words at his second inauguration.

William Henry Harrison gave the longest inaugural speech, 8,443 words. It was a cold, rainy day, and he did not wear a coat or hat. He got sick and died 30 days later. This meant he held office for the shortest time of any president.

**Children**

John Tyler had more children than any president. He had 15 from two wives, eight with his first wife and seven with his second.

**Professions**

Over half the presidents were lawyers, 26 out of 42. Here are a few of their other professions:

tailor, engineer, soldier, teacher, politician, editor, reporter, writer, farmer, postmaster, businessman, actor.

**Age**

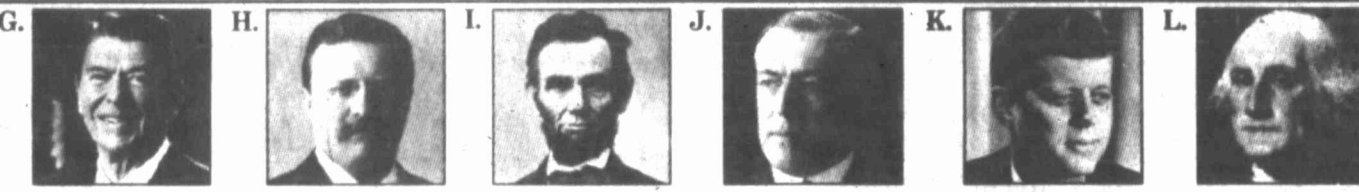
Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest president. He took office at the age of 42 when President McKinley was assassinated.

John Kennedy was the youngest man to be elected president. He was 43.

Ronald Reagan was the oldest president. He was 69 when he was elected.

**Longest time in office**

Franklin Roosevelt was president for the longest time, 12 years. He died three months into his fourth term.



### Rookie Cookie's Recipe Presidential Pasta

You'll need:

- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1/2 onion, chopped
- 1/2 green pepper, chopped
- 1 1/2 cup mushrooms, chopped
- 1 1/2 8-ounce cans stewed tomatoes, drained
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 4 cups cooked pasta

**What to do:**

1. Heat olive oil in a skillet over medium heat.
2. Add onion, green pepper and mushrooms. Cook 3 minutes over medium heat. Stir often.
3. Add remaining ingredients except spaghetti. Cook 3 minutes. Stir often.
4. Remove from heat and add spaghetti. Mix well. Serves 4.

### PRESIDENTS' TRY 'N FIND

Names of jobs presidents had before they took office are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward. See if you can find: FARMER, PLANTER, BUSINESSMAN, SURVEYOR, TAILOR, GOVERNOR, SENATOR, REPRESENTATIVE, WRITER, CONGRESSMAN, ACTOR, SELLER, REPORTER, SOLDIER, CLERK, COWBOY.

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### Mini Spy ...

Mini Spy and her friends are re-enacting the signing of the Constitution. See if you can find:

- question mark
- safety pin
- number 3
- tooth
- kite
- exclamation mark
- bell
- lips
- number 8
- ruler
- book

resign, log cabin, radio, postage stamp, hospital, pitch a ball, coin

## The First President to ...

Many presidents were the first to do something. Can you figure out what that was? Find the picture and answer in the borders. Write the letter of the answer in the blank space.

1. Abraham Lincoln was the first to be pictured on a \_\_\_\_\_ (1909)
2. Abraham Lincoln was the first to wear a \_\_\_\_\_
3. Grover Cleveland was the first to be \_\_\_\_\_ in the White House. (1886)
4. Grover Cleveland was the first to have a \_\_\_\_\_ born in the White House. (1893)
5. Andrew Jackson was the first to be born in a \_\_\_\_\_ (1767)
6. Jimmy Carter was the first to be born in a \_\_\_\_\_ (1924)
7. Woodrow Wilson was the first to speak on the \_\_\_\_\_ (1919)
8. Franklin Roosevelt was the first to appear on \_\_\_\_\_ (1939)
9. Benjamin Harrison was the first to be able to turn on \_\_\_\_\_ in the White House. (1891)
10. George Washington was the first to be pictured on a \_\_\_\_\_ (1847)
11. John Adams was the first to have a son elected \_\_\_\_\_ (John Quincy Adams)
12. John Adams was the first to live in the \_\_\_\_\_ (1800)
13. Rutherford Hayes was the first to live in the White House when \_\_\_\_\_ was installed. (1879)
14. Richard Nixon was the first to telephone to the \_\_\_\_\_ (1969)
15. Richard Nixon was the first to \_\_\_\_\_ (1974)
16. Theodore Roosevelt was the first to ride in a \_\_\_\_\_ (1902)
17. William Howard Taft was the first to \_\_\_\_\_ to open a baseball season. (1910)
18. John Quincy Adams was the first president to have his \_\_\_\_\_ taken. (In 1843 after he left office.)

Answers: 1. G, 2. A, 3. E, 4. I, 5. K, 6. J, 7. F, 8. H, 9. B, 10. D, 11. L, 12. M, 13. C, 14. N, 15. O, 16. P, 17. R, 18. Q.

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**OFFICE NURSE**

Ideal candidate will be LVN with 3 to 5 years clinical experience. We will consider a recent graduate. Spanish speaking would be preferred but is not required. Salary is commensurate to experience and a full benefit is available.

Only qualified applicants need to apply to the Personnel Office of Methodist Malone & Hogan Clinic, 1501 W. 11th Place, Big Spring, Texas 79720 or fax resume to 915-264-7015.

Mountain View Lodge currently has an opening for a certified nurse aide. Benefits include 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year, insurance plan available and quality performance bonuses. Apply in person, 2009 Virginia, Big Spring, TX. EOE.

**★ CX Transportation ★★**

Major carrier has immediate openings at its Big Spring Terminal for experienced truck drivers. CX offers: sign on bonus \$200.00, monthly safety bonus - up to 8% of monthly revenue, group health insurance, retirement plan, paid vacation, paid company holidays, home most nights. CX requirements: 23 yrs. old, 2 yrs., verifiable road experience, CDL-Class A License, good driving record, must pass DOT physical & drug screen. Applicants can apply at 120 & Midway Rd., Big Spring or call 1-800-729-4645.

**Help Wanted 085**

**PROGRESSIVE GROWING COMPANY**, looking to hire a Manager, Maintenance Technician for a 48 unit Apartment Complex in Snyder. Positions are ideal for a retired couple experience in apartment management is preferred. Prior maintenance experience necessary. Salary plus apartment. Send resume to 2541 74th St. Lubbock TX, 79423.

**RN'S/LVN'S - NURSEFINDERS 580-3535.** We need your experience for short term staffing and staff relief. Med-Surg; ER, Critical Care; Oncology; labor & Delivery; Orthopedics. Daily pay, weekly pay, Bonus pay.

Salesperson, wholesale hot lines. Must have positive, aggressive attitude, salary plus commission. Bring resume to Westex Auto Parts, Inc., 1511 Hwy. 350 N.

**TEAM & SINGLE DRIVERS WANTED** We offer an excellent benefit package: Sign-on-bonus, competitive wage package, 401k with company contribution, retention bonus, Health/Dental/Life Insurance, and uniforms.

**REQUIREMENTS ARE:** 1 year semi driving experience or completion of an accredited truck driver school, CDL with haz-mat and tanker endorsements, pass, DOT and company requirements. We will help train you for a successful future in the tank truck industry.

Apply in person at **STEEER TANK LINES INC.**, 1200 ST. Hwy 176. Phone # (915) 263-7656.

The City of Big Spring is accepting applications for the position of Water Ofice Manager. To check minimum qualifications, closing dates, and receive further information contact City Hall Personnel at 310 Nolan or call 264-2346. THE CITY OF BIG SPRING IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

**Help Wanted 085**

**\$\$\$\$\$ TOP PAY \$\$\$\$\$**  
Truck Drivers needed for oilfield work. Must be able to travel. No need to relocate. Must have Class A CDL, clear driving record & 2 years Truck driving experience. Call 1-800-588-2669, Monday thru Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

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**Jobs Wanted 090**

**STAY AT HOME Mom** will babysit your child. Newborn up to 3. Kentwood area, Non-smoker. Please call at 263-1681.

**WILL DO IRONING.** Non-smoker. \$7.00/dozen. 263-5822.

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**Grain Hay Feed 220**

**LARGE ROUND BALES. Red Top Cane Hay. NOT RAINED ON.** Johnny Middleton, 267-7625.

**WHEAT SEED** cleaned & bagged. Delivery available. \$7.50 per bag close out price. Martin Nichols. 915-399-4274, 915-399-4275, or 915-268-3044, leave message.

**Horses 230**

**BIG SPRING HORSE SADDLE AND TACK AUCTION**  
Saturday, November 9th, 1:00pm.  
Lance Folsom, TX 8148  
1-806-792-5919

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**Appliances 299**

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**Auctions 325**

**SPRING CITY AUCTION**  
2000 W. 4th  
7:00pm

**THURSDAY, November 7th**  
7:00pm

Glassware, collector's coke bottles, cast iron skillets, dye cast cars & trucks, pictures, small appliances, crocks, scales, pots & pans, ceramic figurines, ice cream freezers, artificial plants, pocket knives, pet carrier, small copier, TV's, coffee & end tables made from tree limbs, popson chair, gray modern bedroom set, pianos, sofa & love seat, glass top table with rolling chairs, wicker etagere, love seat, bar stools, secretary chair, file cabinet 4 drawer, washer & dryer, electric range, upright freezer, table & 2 chairs.

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**AKC REGISTERED Chinese Pugs.** \$300/\$100 down, pay out in 6 weeks. Top quality pugs. Great for Christmas. Call 263-3927. Serious inquiries only.

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**Garage Sale 380**

**AVON STOCK SALE! & HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday November 9th  
9am-4pm  
614 Dallas St.  
DRAWING FOR \$25 IN AVON - YOUR CHOICE

**2ND COAHOMA CRAFT SHOW**  
November 9th. Saturday. 9:00am-5:00pm.  
306 N. Ave. Community Center. Crafts, bake food, chili, & picture albums.

**3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 2302**  
Cindy Friday & Saturday 8:30 till 4:00pm. Large sizes men & women & teenage, children, glassware, vacuum cleaner, dishwasher, baskets, plants & more.

**BIG ESTATE SALE: 1707 State**  
Friday 8th, Saturday 9th. 8:30am-7 Double bed, dresser, king bed, washer/dryer, freezer, bedspreads, sheets, pots & pans, dishes, clothes, yard tools, couch, & chairs.

**BIG SALE: 2210 Main** Friday & Saturday 9:00am-5:00pm. Record player, recorder his & hers, rabbit cages, heaters, TV, & crafts.

**FLEA MARKET: Saturday Nov 9th, 8:00 - 5:00p m.** Clothes (Adult & Children), toys, tools, dishes, furniture, misc. Frontage Rd. North (West of Eocene Lodge on Hwy 87). Call for spaces 263-4260.

**GARAGE SALE: 1101 Stanford Ave.** Friday and Saturday, November 8th and 9th. 8-7 Christmas decorations and lots of miscellaneous.

**GARAGE SALE: 531 Scott Dr.** Saturday 7:30-1:30. Furniture, knick-knacks, adult and children's clothes, lots of miscellaneous. No early birds.

**GARAGE SALE: 2500 Carleton.** Saturday. 8:00am-7 Baby items & furniture, coats, girls, womens, and mens clothing, sports cards, lots of miscellaneous.

**INSIDE SALE: 1009 E. 13th.** Friday & Saturday: 10:00am-2:00pm. Baby items, long wide pick-up tool box, exercise machine, misc. items.

**USED FURNITURE APPLIANCES & a lot of old jewelry, about 75 old dolls on sale.** Antique Mall, 110 Main

**Garage Sale 380**

**INSIDE SALE: 8/10 of a mile** North on Gall Road. (3900 Gall Road), Saturday, Nov. 9th. 8:00am-3:00pm. Furniture and lots of miscellaneous.

**MOVING SALE: 1309 Settles St.** Nov. 8th and 9th, 9am - 5pm. Misc. household, yard equipment, etc. Everything must go.

**TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY 9:00am.** 3 lawn mowers, couch, end tables, chair, TV, nice ladies coats, jeans, misc. items, cloth window shades, tennis shoes. 1101 Marjo.

**Lost & Found Misc. 393**

**FOUND ON ALLENDALE IN KENTWOOD.** Male yellow Lab mix. 4-6 months old. Found on Sunday. Call 264-2402 (day) or 268-9141 (night).

**Lost- Pets 394**

**REWARD!!** Lost Golden Retriever, on the Garden City Highway wearing a red collar, answers to Slick. Call 263-8723.

**Miscellaneous 395**

**ADVERTISING WORKS WITH BIG TYPE YOU JUST PROVED IT!**

**BIG SCREEN TV.** Take on small monthly payments. Good credit a must. Call 1-800-398-3970.

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Cleaning, repairs, caps  
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**FOR SALE: Acreage \$500/down, \$50/month,** (1) 1984 Ford custom van, (1) 1995 Ford Crown Victoria, (1) 1984 Dodge D-50 pick-up, 11 acres with 2100ft. house, detached double garage, good well & other buildings. Call 267-8905, leave message.

**FOR SALE: Bathub, cast-iron, right-hand,** \$25; about 50 sq. feet pink tile, \$25; Call 267-4165, evenings/weekends or leave message.

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**3 DAY SALE ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES & MORE**  
November 9, 10, 11  
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3320 LAKE COUNTY ROAD 252, COLORADO CITY, TX.  
Roseville, Fiesta, Shawnee, Hull, other pottery.  
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**DIRECTIONS - I-20 West, Exit 210, (FM 2836, State Park Road), then 3 miles south, and 1/4 mile east.**

**WATCH FOR SIGNS - For directions** (915) 728-8879.

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**REAL ESTATE**

**Acreage for Sale 504**

**FOR SALE: 67 acres farm land at Lee** Store located in Glasscock County. Call 267-1955 (day), 267-3547 (night), or 263-7201 (night).

**Acreage Wanted 505**

**MOBILE HOME LOT** in or near Big Spring. 16' X 80' new mobile home, utilities and cable available, prefer fenced. (915) 697-8684.

**Buildings for Sale 506**

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**Commercial Real Estate 511**

**FOR LEASE: 2 fenced 1 acre yards** with small building. Call 263-5000. Westex Auto Parts, Inc.

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**RETAIL Nursery and Garden Center** 44 X 75 green house, 40 X 30 metal building, 3 acres of land, good water well, & house. Good business with great potential. Located at 3706 Shady Oaks Lane, Snyder, TX. Monday - Friday 915-573-0123, night and weekends 915-863-2747.

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**Houses for Sale 513**

**0 DOWN. \$275/MONTH.** 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, floor furnace, carport. 1406 E. 14th. Must have good credit. 806-794-5964.

**2402 MAIN**  
Sell by owner. \$500.00 down, payments \$195.00 monthly for 9 years. (915)682-1622.

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**BRAND NEW in Coronado Hills, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, huge living room** with built in entertainment center, lawn, sprinkler, mini blinds, and large country kitchen. Open house Saturday and Sunday, Call 1-915-520-9848 for showing.

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**FOR SALE BY OWNER- 2600 Rebecca, 4 bedroom, 2 bath house.** Good condition. Large living area. Remodeled kitchen and bathrooms. 2 car garage. Fenced back yard. Call 263-6135.

**FOR SALE BY OWNER**  
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**WAS 27, NOW 16 HOME SITES LEFT** in Coronado Hills!!! Very competitive pricing! Don't be fooled by others misleading ads. Know your true bottom loan & payment up front. Call Key Homes Inc. 1-915-520-9848

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Business Buildings 520

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TOO LATES

Too Late To Classify 627

100 WASHINGTON BLVD. Saturday, 9:00am-1:00pm. Ladies designer clothes, size 6 to 10, linens, dishes, and lots of decor items and more.

2513 Central. Clean 3 bedroom 2 bath, central heat/air, garage. Call 263-3350.

\$5000 will buy a 1-bedroom home with 3 lots in a good location. Call Doris at 263-6525 or at Home Realtors, 263-1284.

FOR SALE: 1978 Terry travel trailer, 1986 Chevy truck, Quasar camcorder. 399-4857 after 5:00.

FOR SALE: 32ft. Jayco travel trailer. \$2650. Call 263-2702, after 5:00pm.

GARAGE SALE: 705 Highland. 8:00am-11:00am. Saturday. Nov. 9nd.

BACKYARD SALE: 1420 Tucson, Sat. 9:00-3:00. Car seat, bicycle, dishes, lots of miscellaneous.

BACKYARD SALE: 2105 Scurry, Fri. and Sat. Nov. 8th and 9th., 8:00-3:00. Baby clothes, household items, movies, kids clothes, dishes, baby swing, crib, and misc.

GARAGE SALE: 711 Belvedere, Sat. only, 8-3. Adult and children's clothes, and lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: 2506 Rebecca, Saturday 8-7 Remodeling items, clothes, linens. Low prices. All must go. COME BUY!

GARAGE SALE: 1302 Tucson, Fri., Sat., & Sun. 13' color TV, furniture, clothes, etc.

HUGE MOVING SALE!!! Sat. & Sun 8:00am-5:00pm. 705 S. 1st, Coahoma. Pitt group, washer/dryer, large dining table, wingback chairs, entertainment center, rockers, etc. 394-4337.

INSIDE & OUTSIDE SALE: 1204 Mobile, Friday 8th and Saturday 9th. Everything must go! House for sale, also.

PATIO SALE: Lots of goodies! Ladies & men clothing, some boys Levis, lots of music, tapes, albums, paperback books, miscellaneous. Saturday only! 2503 Carleton. Look for signs.

YARD SALE: 603 E. 13th. Saturday, 8:00am. Entertainment center, beds, TVs, baby beds, sofa, tables, & decorations.

SACRIFICE SALE...NEW 1996 16 X 80 luxury 4 bedroom home. Only one left. \$500 gift certificate with this home before Nov. 15th. USA HOMES, 4608 W. Wall, Midland, TX., 1800-520-2177, 520-2177.

4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 701 Settles, Sat. & Sun., 8-7 Fishing gear, lots of clothes, shoes, & lots of misc.

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Sunday deadlines All Sunday items (weddings, anniversaries, engagements, birth announcements, Who's Who, military) are due to the Herald office by Wednesday at noon.

Wedding, engagement, anniversary and birth announcement forms are available in the editorial department. Pictures are to be picked up no later than 30 days after publication or they will be discarded.

PUBLIC NOTICE The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 A.M. on November 21, 1996 for the purchasing of Annual Office Supplies.

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HOROSCOPE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR FRIDAY, NOV. 8: Get down to business. Follow through on what is most important this year. More often than not, you feel pressed. Much is on your plate. Accent organization and efficiency. Stick with a steady pace. The image you project is strong. Still, you need time for yourself, to think and get centered. If you are single, you will meet a variety of interesting people. Be careful with one who digs too deeply and too quickly into your personal life. If attached, downtime enriches your life. Communications between you are endearing and bonding. LIBRA reads you cold.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Joy marks the day, much to your relief. You get a much-needed, though unanticipated break. Another smiles on you. Gracefully accept what he offers. Options appear from out of the blue. You are more contented than you have been in some time. Tonight: Say "yes" to life. \*\*\*\*\*

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Discussions revolve around work, creativity and leisure. Be more upbeat, and reach out for another. Your lively demeanor draws others to you. Communications concern travel, additional education or an important decision. Ask for more information. Tonight: Mellow out. \*\*\*\*\*

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) It is important to stay above board with a loved one. Candor is key to finding answers. You come out smelling like a rose. Many options arise when you put two heads together. Evaluate what is important, both emotionally and financially. Tonight: Be a wild thing. \*\*\*\*\*

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Honor priorities, and stay on top of potential opportunities. You will arrive at a solid understanding if you remain true to your path. Seriously ponder an amorous overture. Express your expectations. You come from a secure standpoint. Tonight: It's playtime. \*\*\*\*\*

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Make a concerted effort to be moderate in communications. Sugar goes much further than vinegar as you negotiate. Take time to attend an important lunch or meeting. A co-worker or boss responds favorably to your creative ideas. Tonight: Go out with associates. \*\*\*\*\*

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You might decide to proceed with a purchase or investment. Taking a chance or a calculated risk works in your favor.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You feel more enthusiastic than you have been lately. If you can be in touch with your feelings, the day will flow more smoothly. Because of the softness you exude, others flock toward you. Now is the time to ask for what you want. Tonight: Do whatever makes you happy. \*\*\*\*\*

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Don't misunderstand me. I love Martha with all my heart and would be devastated if any harm came to her. But she uses my perfume every day because she doesn't want to buy her own and "borrows" my clothes at will. Every night I have to retrieve my belongings from her room.

If I talk to my husband about our daughter, he defends her. If I confront Martha, she runs to Daddy. The tension around here is causing friction between my husband and me.

The other night, Martha came home at 1:30 a.m. and proceeded to fix herself a snack in the kitchen, waking me up. The next morning at 5:30 a.m., I turned on the stereo, turned on the lights and made so much noise that nobody in the house could sleep. My husband thinks I have lost my mind, but I'm determined that my daughter is going to have a dose of her own medicine.

This girl pays no rent and brings home \$200 a week. The only thing we ask of her in the way of housework is that she

Listen to a child or loved one, who drops pearls of wisdom on you. If single, an encounter today could become much more. Be open. Tonight: Go shopping! \*\*\*\*\*

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Preview

Cont. from 2B season and Tony Ramirez is a superb receiver.

Stanton will be trying to bounce back from the 19-8 loss to Iraan.

"We've been a little flat this week," said Cotton. "But I expect us to be ready for Anthony."

The Buffs must have done something right against Iraan because they held a team that had been averaging 55 points to game to only 19.

"Defensively, we played real well," Cotton said. "Kyle Herm and Leo McCalister in the secondary and Matt Moore at tackle were outstanding."

But Cotton said that on offense the team needs to cash in when it has the opportunity, which it didn't do last week. Iraan had three penetrations against Stanton and scored three touchdowns. Stanton had four penetrations but could only score once.

Stanton's arithmetic is simple. "If we win, we're in the playoffs," Cotton said. "If we lose, McCamey will have to beat Iraan and we'll have to lose by 14."

GARDEN CITY vs BRONTE 8 p.m. at Garden City

The Garden City Bearkats accomplished the biggest turnaround of any area team. Only maybe it didn't happen quite soon enough.

"We're going to need some help to make the playoffs," said head coach Dennis Bryant. "We're going to have to beat Bronte, and Miles has to beat Sterling City. We could finish 5-2 and tied for second-if Sterling City wins."

This might not have been necessary if the Kats had started winning a couple games earlier.

"We started out slow, but the kids have improved every week," said Bryant. "I wish we hadn't had to play Lee and Sterling City right off. We're better now."

Still, the Bearkats can take pride in rebounding from a 1-4 start to take four straight victories.

Quarterback Bradley Batla has been a big reason. The 6-0, 180-pound senior has completed 138 of 277 passes for an area-leading 1,916 yards and 11 touchdowns. He has also carried 81 times for 269 yards. Those figures mark him as an all-state candidate.

"He's having a great season, and he hasn't said one word about it," said Bryant. "I'm proud for the kid."

Making the season look even better for Batla is the fact he almost quit football as a sophomore, according to Bryant.

Closing out on a victorious note, though, will be tough. Bronte has wrapped up the district title with such standouts as running back Keith Treadaway and fullback Kale Beck.

Witt chooses to remain with Rangers

ARLINGTON (AP) — The Texas Rangers know they'll have Bobby Witt back next season. They may be interested in adding another fireballing right-hander: Roger Clemens.

Witt exercised Tuesday a \$2 million option to return next season instead of testing the free-agent market. As expected, Clemens decided to let other teams vie for his services and filed for free agency.

Although the Rangers now have \$10.25 million committed to starting pitchers Witt, Ken Hill and John Burkett, general manager Doug Melvin said he'll pursue Clemens.

Clemens — who made \$5.5 million last season, his 13th with Boston — has said that if he left the Red Sox he'd like to return to his home state of Texas. The 34-year-old wants a four-year deal.

"We'll treat him like every other free agent," Melvin said. "There's no doubt he's an inviting free agent. When you have a free agent like that, a free agent who can help your club, you have to at least talk to him. Everybody sees us as a fit with him, but a lot of things have to go under consideration."

Melvin, who was named executive of the year after putting together Texas' first division winner, is already trying to figure out how to re-sign the players he wants.

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Nov. 7, the 312th day of 1996. There are 54 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 7, 1917, Russia's...

Bolshevik Revolution took place as forces led by Vladimir Ilyich Lenin overthrew the provisional government of Alexander Kerensky. On this date: In 1874, the Republican Party was symbolized as an elephant in a cartoon drawn by Thomas Nast in Harper's Weekly. In 1893, the state of Colorado...

granted its women the right to vote. In 1916, Republican Jeannette Rankin of Montana became the first woman elected to Congress. In 1929, the Museum of Modern Art in New York City opened to the public. In 1940, the middle section of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge in Washington state collapsed during a windstorm. In 1944, President Franklin D. Roosevelt won an unprecedented fourth term in office, defeating Thomas E. Dewey. In 1962, Richard M. Nixon, having lost California's gubernatorial race, held what he called his "last press conference," telling reporters, "You won't have Nixon to kick around anymore." In 1962, former first lady Eleanor Roosevelt died in New York City. In 1972, President Nixon was re-elected in a landslide over Democrat George McGovern. In 1973, Congress overrode President Nixon's veto of the War Powers Act, which limits a chief executive's power to wage war without congressional approval. In 1989, L. Douglas Wilder won the governor's race in Virginia, becoming the first elected black governor in U.S. history. David N. Dinkins was elected New York City's first black mayor. Thought for Today: "Examine what is said, not him who speaks." - Arab proverb.

THE Daily Crossword

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

Wednesday's Puzzle solved: A grid with words filled in, including 'SLANGY AFFIRMATIVE', 'KEEP GOING', etc.

Big Spring Herald advertisement with contact information for the newspaper.

Ritz advertisement for a movie showing.

Cinemark Theatres advertisement for a movie showing.

Vertical advertisement for cars and vehicles.

Vertical advertisement for contact information.

Vertical advertisement for Christmas gifts.



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## VEHICLES

### Autos for Sale 016

1980 CHEVETTE. Good school or work car. Good condition. \$600.00. 263-6136.

1985 TOYOTA CORLLA. High miles. \$1500 CASH. 705 Highland. Call 263-6742 or 264-9134.

1990 GMC SUBURBAN/SLE package. Power windows, locks, & mirrors. Custom seats, running boards. Non-smoker. Call 394-4339, leave message.

1990 SUBURBAN. 4-WD, cowboy conversion, excellent condition. (day) 267-7391 or (evening) 267-9616.

1992 MAZDA MX-3. 84k. CD player, teal color, 2 door, 2 new tires. \$6,000. Call 263-2115 (day), (after 4:00pm) 263-2115.

1986 IROC-Z Camaro, black, T-Tops, good tires, good condition. \$3000. Call 398-5594 after 7pm.

1988 OLDSMOBILE Eighty Eight Royale-Brougham, 4 door, '35,600 miles. Call 263-0604.

1989 HONDA 250 NX. Like new, dirt or street. 1500 miles. \$1400. Call 263-1000.

1993 CHEVROLET LUMINA EURO SPORT. 4 door, very good condition, new tires, \$7950.00. See at 1409 Lancaster or call nights 267-3730.

1993 OLDSMOBILE ACHIEVA. 45,000 miles. CD player, extended warranty. Take up payments. 263-1636.

### Autos for Sale 016

1995 DODGE AVENGER ES. Black with gray leather interior, factory warranty, one owner. \$17,000 OBO. Call Todd 267-2398/267-9473.

1996 CHEVROLET BLAZER. Perfect condition. Cloth interior, 4 door. Take up payments. 263-1636.

FOR SALE: 1988 Plymouth Voyager, \$3,000. Freezer (upright), table, cash register, golf balls. Call 263-0137 till 3:00pm & Saturday & Sunday.

FOR SALE: 1984 Nissan. 200SX with Turbo, very dependable. \$2,000 FIRM. 263-0021.

SEIZED CARS from \$175. Porches, Cadillac, Chevy's, BMW's, Corvettes. Also Jeeps, 4WD's. Your Area. Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 Ext. A-2113 for current listings.

### Auto Parts & Supply 017

15"x7 wire wheels, player. Motorcycle boots & chest protector small to medium men's. 263-7208.

### Boats 020

FOR SALE: 1993 Astro boat. Fish & ski, trolling motor, 2-depth finder. Like new, low hours. GREAT PRICE! Must see. 399-4272.

### Motorcycles 024

94 KAWASAKI NINJA ZX 6, 5k miles. Kawasaki team colors. \$3500. Call 267-6003 after 5:00.

### Motorcycles 024

FOR SALE: 1982 850 Suzuki w/shaft drive. One owner. Excellent condition. Call 263-7550.

### Pickups 027

1985 CHEVY 1/2 ton 4x4 hunting truck with 2 seater high rack. Must see to appreciate! \$5,600.00. 704 W. 3rd. Call 267-3538.

1986 FORD Conversion van. Factory TR/R tow pkg, w/460 engine. Good condition, one owner. \$3995. Phone 263-3903.

1991 FORD SUPER CAB XLT LARIAT V8, automatic, loaded. 37k on rebuilt motor & transmission. \$7500 OBO. 267-2107.

1991 NISSAN KING CAB SE/V6-5 speed, power windows, locks, mirrors, trailer hitch, bedliner, sliding back glass. Call 394-4339 leave message.

1992 CHEVY SILVERADO. White, short extended cab. Below book value. With or without tool box & rack. Call 267-2296.

1993 CHEVY SILVERADO. Extended cab, 6.5 turbo diesel, A/C, automatic, remaining factory warranty. Extra clean trailer ready pick-up. 263-3066 or 398-5414, for Ken.

1996 DODGE 1/2 TON. Fully loaded. White. 23,000 miles. Call 268-5363(day), 264-0620 after 4 pm.

FOR SALE: 1988 Chevy Pick-up. Long narrow bed. \$700. 263-0021.

### Vans 032

1995 AEROSTAR XLT. Low mileage, V-6, automatic, power locks/windows/mirrors. Excellent condition. \$14,500. Call 267-4650.

### Business Opp. 050

GUARANTEED \$500 per day helping the US government process HUD/FHA refunds. Local area. Call 1-210-697-3208.

PEPS/NESTLE ROUTE  
33 Local/Estab. Sites  
\$2500.00 Wkly. Free Video  
1-800-326-7668.

### Instruction 060

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ACT Truck Driving School  
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PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS  
Beginners through advance. Years of teaching experience. 2607 Rebecca. Call 263-3367 or 398-5447.

### Oil & Gas 070

BUYING Producing and non producing Royalty and Minerals. Write Cook Oil Properties, Box 1829, Big Spring, Texas 79720 or call (915) 267-2529.

### Financial 080

AVOID BANKRUPTCY  
Free debt consolidation with credit service. Guaranteed credit card. 1-800-303-6968.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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ATTENTION READERS  
THE BIG SPRING HERALD cannot vouch for the credibility or legitimacy of classified ads that may be published in this newspaper. We advise readers to use caution when responding to advertisements listed in the following categories: Business Opportunities, Education, Instruction, Financial, Personals and Help Wanted. If you have questions about a particular business, call the Better Business Bureau.

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## BUSINESS

### Business Opp. 050

Ameritel Payphone Route local sites available. Lowest prices \$150k yearly. potential. 800-800-3470/24hrs.

## EMPLOYMENT

### Help Wanted 085

"AVON", Build Home Business! No Minimum Orders or Inventory Required. IND/S ALES/REP. 800-236-0041.

20 ACRES FRONT acreage off Country Club Road. and Ponderosa. Water well. 263-0102.

A LEADING well service company is looking for operators & relieve operators. For interview call 1-800-687-4661.

ARE YOU ENERGETIC, HARDWORKING, CAREER MINDED? Taking application-Full & Part-Time positions. Flexible hours, good benefits. Apply at any 3 locations Town & Country Food Store, 1101 Lamesa Hwy, 3104 Wason Road, 101 E. Broadway (Coahoma). EOE-Drug Testing Required.

ASSOCIATE CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST  
SALARY \$2816.00 OR \$3009.00 PER MONTH (DOE&Q)  
PLUS EXCELLENT BENEFITS

Prefer: Master's degree psychological in nature with four (4) to six (6) years post graduate experience in psychological.

DUTIES: Will be responsible for providing psychological services such as behavior management, screening and assessment, and counseling individuals residing in rural communities in family dwellings and neighborhood group homes. Extensive day-travel will be required.

For application packet contact Recruitment/HRS West Texas State Operated Community Services 501 Birdwell Lane, Suite 28-A, Big Spring, TX 79720 Tobacco & Drug Free Workplace Environment (915)263-8782 or 9731 EOE

MEDICATION AID  
Position opening at Comanche Trail Nursing Center. Apply at 3200 Parkway.

### Help Wanted 085

ATTENTION BIG SPRING Postal Jobs  
\$12.68/hr To Start, plus benefits. Carriers, sorters, clerks, computer trainees. For application & exam info, call 800-638-5601, ext. P8032. 8am-8pm, 7 days.

\* ATTN: BIG SPRING \*  
Postal Positions. Permanent fulltime for clerks/sorters. Full Benefits. For exam, application and salary info call: (708)906-2350 Ext 2543 8am to 8pm.

LVN or RN great attitude, great environment, set schedules. Join a power team. Big Spring Care Center. 901 Goliad.

METHODIST MALONE & HOGAN has immediate openings for the following positions.

### ACCOUNT MANAGER

Duties include registering patients, updating patient information in computer, file insurance, collect payments at time of service, and prepare daily deposit. Minimum requirements include typing, 10 key, and one year medical office experience. Salary is commensurate to experience and a full benefit package is available.

OFFICE NURSE  
Ideal candidate will be LVN with 3 to 5 years clinical experience. We will consider a recent graduate. Spanish speaking would be preferred but is not required. Salary is commensurate to experience and a full benefit is available.

Only qualified applicants need to apply to the Personnel Office of Methodist Malone & Hogan Clinic, 1501 W. 11th Place, Big Spring Texas 79720 or fax resume to 915-264-7019.

Mountain View Lodge currently has an opening for a certified nurse aide. Benefits include 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year, insurance plan available and quality performance bonuses. Apply in person, 2009 Virginia, Big Spring, Tx. EOE.

NEED FULL-TIME COOK. 4:00pm-Close, Monday-Saturday. Sunday off. Victoria Market Place Restaurant. 263-0102.

NEED LABORERS. Roustabout & heavy equipment operator. CDL plus. Call 267-8171.

OUTSIDE SALES. Self-starter, salary plus commission. Send resume to P.O. Box 1043, Big Spring, TX 79720.

PART-TIME agent needed for early morning delivery of USA Today Newspaper in Big Spring. Economical vehicle. No weekends. Must pass credit check. Retirees encouraged to apply. 1-800-526-0537.

FULL-TIME evening cook needed. Monday-Saturday. References required. apply at Red Mesa Grill, 2401 Gregg.

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs mature person now in the BIG SPRING area. Regardless of training, write D.B. Hopkins, Dept. M-79720, Box 711 Ft. Worth, TX 76101-0711.

The City of Big Spring will be testing of the position of certified Police Officer on Thursday, November 21, 1996, located at the Dors Roberts Community Center at the Comanche Trail Park. Interested applicants must meet the following qualifications:

At least 21 years of age  
Must have a Texas Basic Certificate  
A valid Texas Operator's License  
Applications will be accepted through Monday November 18, 1996 at 5:00pm. For more information Contact City Hall Personnel, 310 Nolan, Big Spring, TX 79720 or call (915) 264-2345. The City of Big Spring is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

CONSERVATION JOBS: Wildlife positions \$16,000-\$35,000/yr. Clerical, Security, Game Warden, Etc. No experience. For info call 219-769-8301 Ext. WT541. 8am-8pm. Sun-Fri.

DAY & NIGHT Truck drivers needed for transport & vacuum trucks. Uniforms, insurance, & vacation pay \$7.75/hr, approx. 70hrs week. 800-252-9834.

PART-TIME Convenience store clerk needed immediately. Must be able to work shifts & weekends. Pick up application Uncle's Convenience Store, 1005 Mass Creek Road, between 9:00am-2:00pm.

COMPUTER USERS NEEDED.  
Work your own hours. 20k to \$50k/yr. 1-800-348-7186 X 976

INHOME CARE is accepting applications for experienced RN's (staff and field), LVN's and CNA's. If you would like the opportunity to work in a friendly professional atmosphere. Please come by 707 E. 3rd, Suite 111, for more information.

LAWRENCE IGA has positions available in Deli-Bakery. Mornings and evening hours available also experienced Cake Decorator needed. Apply at Lawrence IGA in person between the hours of 9:00am-4:00pm. EOE.

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## WANTED

One of y'all's cowboy boots decorated for Christmas! Use your creativity and grab that cowboy boot from your closet and decorate that boot any way you wishin' too. The Big Spring Trail of Lights theme this year is West Texas Christmas. The Christmas Tree Forest will have a special place for all these wantin' to enter their decorated cowboy boot. No entry fee required just your boot! Dead or Alive! You may enter your boot as an individual or as an organization/club. REWARD offered for all entry's Deadline November 20, 1996

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization/Club/Business/School Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to: Trail of Lights, 2510 Cindy Lane Big Spring, Tx. 79720-6122



### BIG SPRING TRAIL OF LIGHTS "WEST TEXAS CHRISTMAS" Christmas Tree Forest Official Entry Form

The tree is \_\_\_\_\_ feet tall  
Please circle the appropriate theme for your Christmas Tree  
Christmas potpourri West Texas Heavenly Christmas Misc.

Please give a brief description of the tree and background of the creativity of your tree or anything you would like to state about your tree or your organization/club. Please use the back of this form.

- Entry Fee of \$10 must accompany the entry form
- Entry Deadline is November 20, 1996
- Only one entry per person, club or business
- (You may enter both a Christmas Tree and a Cowboy Boot)
- All entries must provide their own tree, stand and decorations.
- A few artificial trees are available to rent for \$10 please note if you need to rent a tree, a committee member will be in contact with you.

If you have any questions please contact Marciel Smith, 267-5756 or Christine Brockman, 263-0002.

To enter complete the bottom portion and mail this form to the Trail of Lights, 2510 Cindy Lane, Big Spring, Texas 79720-6122.

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization/Club/Business/School Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (if different than above) \_\_\_\_\_

## "A West Texas Christmas"

### The Big Spring Herald's Community Christmas Parade

It's parade time again. If you were involved in last year's parade, you already know it was probably the best ever... until this year!  
I want you and your organization to join us in this year's parade. It doesn't take a lot of time or money... all it takes to get involved is a little Christmas spirit.  
There are some changes this year to make it better than ever! We will start at 5:30 p.m. and finish just in time for the lighting ceremonies downtown. This parade will be a twilight parade, so really plan to light things up.  
The Christmas parade has always been a success because of you, the participants. Come join me in celebrating this Christmas season.  
See you Dec.. 7!



Big Spring Herald's Community Christmas Parade Saturday, December 7, 1996  
YES! We want to enter the Big Spring Herald's Community Christmas Parade!

Name of Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Category:  
- Civic Organization  
- School or Church Organization  
- Commercial & Manufacturing  
- Lighted Entries  
Brief Description of Entry: \_\_\_\_\_

### ENTRY DEADLINE — NOVEMBER 27

1. Theme for this year: "A West Texas Christmas"
2. First place plaques will be awarded in each of five categories:  
A) Civic Organizations  
B) Bands  
C) School or church organizations  
D) Commercial and manufacturing  
E) Lighted entries
3. An official Santa Claus will be provided by the Parade Committee. No other Santa Claus will be permitted in the parade.
4. Floats should not exceed 65 feet in length, 8 feet in width and 14 feet in height.
5. Undecorated vehicles —cars, trucks, vans, agricultural — except antique or vehicles of a strictly commercial nature are not eligible.
6. Deadline for entries is Monday, November 27 at noon. Formation and position details will be provided after that date.
7. Mail or bring entry forms to:

PARADE COMMITTEE  
BIG SPRING HERALD  
710 SCURRY  
P.O. Box 1431  
BIG SPRING 79721

NOV 07 1996



Help Wanted 085

REIMBURSEMENT COORDINATOR SALARY \$1421.00 OR \$1721.00 MONTHLY (DOE&Q) PLUS EXCELLENT BENEFIT PACKAGE

Prefer: Bachelor's degree and experience in maintenance of insurance accounts, or four (4) years direct related experience with knowledge of Medicaid/Medicare reimbursement regulations, Third-Party private insurance computer proficiency and strong organizational skills.

DUTIES: Planning, organizing, and performing a variety of administrative activities for Third-Party billing. Prepares and submits claims. Resource person for insurance collections.

Apply: Human Resources Services West Texas State Operated Community Services 501 Birdwell Lane, Suite 28-A, Big Spring, TX 79720

HELP WANTED: Experienced oil field rig up truck drivers and fork lift operators. Riley Drilling Company. 915-394-4454.

EAT AT NATIONAL food restaurants for free. Part-time people needed, to evaluate restaurants & food, in your local area. \$10/hr. Call 810-983-4680.

Salesperson, wholesale hot lines. Must have positive, aggressive attitude, salary plus commission. Bring resume to Westex Auto Parts, Inc., 1511 Hwy. 350 N.

STAFF TRAINING CLERK, \$6.68/hr. Apply in person, Big Spring Correctional Center, 610 Main St. Suite B, NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE! EOE, M/F/N/D.

TEAM & SINGLE DRIVERS WANTED We offer an excellent benefit package: Sign-on-bonus, competitive wage package, 401k with company contribution, retention bonus, Health/Dental/Life insurance, and uniforms.

REQUIREMENTS ARE: 1 year semi driving experience or completion of an accredited truck driver school, CDL with haz-mat and tanker endorsements, pass, DOT and company requirements. We will help train you for a successful future in the tank truck industry.

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COAHOMA ISD is now accepting applications for certified CDL, bus drivers for substituting on routes and extra curricular trips.

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The Texas Department of Transportation Has the following job open: JOB TITLE: Engineering Assistant I SALARY: \$2095.00 pr month MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Must have a bachelor of science degree in engineering technology which has been accredited by the Technology Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board Engineering and Technology (TAC/ABET) and must have passed the Fundamentals of Engineering exam.

Must have a mathematical, physical or engineering science degree approved by the Texas Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and must have passed the Fundamentals of Engineering exam.

Must have a bachelor of science degree in engineering, not in the same discipline as the field of employment, which has been accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (EAC/ABET).

Must be declared eligible for registration by the Texas Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and must have passed the Fundamentals of Engineering exam or have had this exam waived by the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers.

LOCATION: Big Spring, Texas

JOB VACANCY NUMBER: 6 08 E270 038

JOB DESCRIPTIONS: Under close supervision, performs entry level engineering work in a district/division.

ADDRESS: Applications may be mailed to P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604-0150 or returned to any TxDOT office. Applications may be picked up at 4250 N. Clack, Abilene or any TxDOT office.

Applications must be received by the closing date and time noted on the job vacancy. A mailed application must be postmarked one day prior to the closing date.

RESUMES: Resumes will be accepted for whatever additional information they contain but not in place of a completed application.

CLOSING DATE: 11-04-96 by 5:00p.m. For additional information about the job qualification requirements and application instructions please call (915) 678-6843.

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WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS Now hiring Game Wardens, Security, Maintenance, Park Rangers, etc. No exp. necessary. For application and info call 1-800-299-2470, ext. TX212 C. 7:00am-6:00pm, 7 days.

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DUTIES: Ensures documentation exists in compliance with Medicaid/Medicare/Third-Party insurance requirements for payment of services rendered. Requires extensive travel in personal vehicle throughout the West Texas area.

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Call or come by Security Finance 204 S. Goliad 267-4591

Phone applications welcome. Se Habla Espanol

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Business Buildings 520

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AAA cites dangerous bottlenecks

**NEW YORK (AP) —** Hoping a new Congress will remove gridlock, the American Automobile Association on Wednesday named 10 of the worst major highway bottlenecks that the motor club says are desperately in need of federal funds.

"A highway system is only as efficient as its most congested point," said James Kolstad, vice president of AAA public and government relations. "Road sections that have not been upgraded to handle current capacity can cause miles of vehicle backup and thousands of hours of lost productivity."

The list includes roads and bridges in Boston, Chicago, Dallas, Houston, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, New Orleans, New York City and Washington.

AAA said the list includes areas where development has outpaced capacity, where several roads merge, or where the number of lanes quickly reduces. The list is based on then number of motorists affected and the length of delays.

"We're encouraging federal and state officials to look at these roads and make sure the funding is available to make the changes that are necessary," said AAA spokesman Mike Morrissey. "Some of these highways are as they were originally built back in the 60s and obviously somebody is dropping the ball in not (updating) the standards to meet today's needs."

He said the timing of the list, less than week before the election, was no coincidence.

One of the roads on the list is the East Los Angeles Interchange, where Interstate 5 merges with Interstate 10, state road 60 and state road 101. More than 566,000 vehicles per day drive the route, creating gridlock that extends for miles.

Margie Tiritilli, a spokeswoman for the California Department of Transportation, said it is the busiest interchange in the state, but it can't be widened because it's an urban area and any expansion would mean displacing residents.

"But there are solutions," she said. "If people would car pool it would certainly help."

In addition, she said, the Metro Rail commuter train should have a line running in that area in the year 2000, and people could ease the congestion by taking the train.

The AAA's list is part of a campaign the 39 million-member automobile association launched in June to draw attention to what it calls a "national transportation crisis" because of a deteriorating infrastructure.

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Odwalla fruit juice pulled from shelves, E. coli found

**SEATTLE (AP) —** A popular brand of fruit juices was pulled off store shelves in seven Western states and Canada after health officials linked the product to an outbreak of E. coli bacterial poisoning.

As of Wednesday, health officials in Washington state had confirmed 13 cases of E. coli infection and at least 10 of them involved Odwalla fruit juices. At least eight possible cases were also being investigated.

Most of the victims have been children. One boy remained hospitalized; the other victims were not seriously ill.

Health officials used dietary histories taken on the victims, coupled with genetic "fingerprinting" of the bacteria, to trace the outbreak to a batch of unpasteurized apple juice that Odwalla uses as an ingredient in many of its fresh mixed-fruit beverages.

"The public is admonished not to drink Odwalla fruit juice containing apple juice," Dr. Alonzo Plough, director of the Seattle-King County Department of Public Health, told a news conference.

Odwalla Inc., based in Half Moon Bay, Calif., on Wednesday issued a nationwide recall of all its products

containing apple juice. Thirteen types of juice were being taken off the shelves, Odwalla said.

"Our first concern is for the health and safety of those affected," Stephen Williamson, Odwalla chief executive officer, said in a statement.

Company spokeswoman Sydney Fisher could not say what volume of juice was involved in the recall or how much it will cost the company. Odwalla sells its products in select markets in Washington, California, Oregon, Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, Texas and British Columbia.

New filings could mean an increase in homeowners insurance rates

**AUSTIN (AP) —** Some Texas homeowners could see a change in their insurance bills after regulated companies like State Farm and Allstate filed new rates Thursday.

Regulated companies cover about 30 percent of the state's \$2.3 billion home insurance market. Under state law, they must file rates each year.

Both Allstate and Farmers said they will impose overall increases across the state, though some homeowners could see no change or decreases based on where they live and the deductibles they take.

Farmers Insurance Co., which also faced a filing deadline Wednesday, did not immediately return calls from The Associated Press.

Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer earlier this year ordered a 1.1 percent cut in the average statewide benchmark rate. Regulated insurers must set their rates within 30 percent above or below the benchmark in each of the state's 23 rating territories.

Allstate said it would file an average statewide rate increase of 4.9 percent.

Roger Parker, head of underwriting for Allstate in Texas, said while some areas will see

decreases, the overall increase was sparked by continuing weather problems in north-central Texas.

"Tarrant County will get a 25.8 percent increase. That was the area that had the largest hail damage," Parker said, adding that other counties, including Harris and El Paso, will see decreases.

Industry spokesman Jerry Johns, said companies have to consider their bottom lines when setting rates.

"Policyholders in every part of Texas depend upon their insurance company to be there in times of need and we cannot do that if our ability to pay claims is threatened," said Johns, president of Southwestern Insurance Information Service.

State Farm, which had called for a 3.2 percent increase to the state's average statewide benchmark, announced an 8.3 percent statewide average increase to its rates.

Spokesman Charles Wirth said the company has paid \$118 for every \$100 in premiums collected over the last five years. "We cannot ignore the seriousness of the financial situ-

tion in Texas," Wirth said. "As far as our customers are concerned, we have but one job: to make sure we can pay their claims today, tomorrow and in the years down the road."

Parker and Wirth said individual homeowners could dodge increases by taking policies with higher deductibles.

Until recently, the maximum deductible was 1 percent of a home's insured value. Newly approved, larger deductibles range up to 5 percent, with premium discounts growing as the deductibles grow.

Higher deductibles require homeowners to pay more for any damages before their insurance would kick in. But Parker said for most homeowners, higher deductibles could amount to savings and even decreases in premiums for some homeowners.

Bomer added that customers also could find lower prices by comparing companies.

Claims used to calculate the new rates were filed as late as Sept. 30, 1994. That did not include the \$1.1 billion hail storm that hit the Dallas-Fort Worth area in May 1995.

Losses from that storm will begin appearing in future rate calculations.

Unhappy dog sparked pet treat business

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**DENVER —** Lois Alterman pulled out a tray of slowly cooling cookies, picked one up and tapped it on the stove.

"Hard as little rocks," she said approvingly. "A person could break a tooth on that."

Just the way horses like them. These horse cookies, apple- or carrot-flavored and made with all natural ingredients and no preservatives, are threatening to take over the business, with requests coming in so fast the

oven is going non-stop just to fill them, 200 pounds of cookies a day.

And leaving Lois and Neil Alterman to wonder anew why they waited so long to get into the gourmet pet treat business.

Nookies Cookies began as a career incentive for a reluctant watchdog.

Sixty-seven-year-old Neil Alterman — Nookie, to friends — ran a Texaco station and about 10 years ago, he got a watchdog to cut down on burglaries.

But the dog was unhappy


about spending the night there by himself, Lois Alterman, 62, says. So one day Neil made up a batch of liver treats for the dog. Pretty soon, the dog knew that if he went to the station, he'd get good treats. So he didn't mind going. And then Neil began handing out the dog cookies to customers.

One thing led to another, and soon, the Altermans were in the dog cookie business commercially. They added other flavors — chicken and vegetarian — and started peddling the cookies to pet stores and health food stores, touting them as wholesome alternatives to mass-marketed pet treats. They've got a thriving mail-order business too.

Business got so good it quickly outgrew the family kitchen. Now the company employs five people, and leases space in Denargo Market in downtown Denver. It's a small 1,000-square-foot shop that holds an industrial oven, tubs of oats, flour, molasses and other treat ingredients, and what little inventory is on hand.

"In the back of my truck is a 50-pound block of chicken defrosting," Neil says. "It's pure. We use people-type chicken, and people-type liver. Nothing's inedible."

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# Cold, freezing weather makes prussic acid a real threat to livestock

Our office can do a lot of things but scheduling freezing weather, timeliness of news and deadlines to get news columns in to the paper is often pretty hard to do! By the time you may be getting around to reading this article it may be comparable to the old expres-



**Don Richardson**  
County Agent

sion about shutting the gate after the horse got out, but this is about the best we can do about it!

The seriousness of the matter of Prussic acid poisoning of livestock warrants attention. The recent frosts and freezing weather in the area poses a real threat to livestock producers. Prussic acid will leave the plant after about 10 days of growth after a drought or will leave the forage when overly cured as hay.

Prussic acid poisoning occurs in sorghum family plants (i.e. Johnsongrass, haygrazer, milo, etc.). This poisoning occurs very fast. Death can

occur in minutes. It is actually cyanide poisoning.

Management of plants suspected high in prussic acid include haying with proper curing prior to feeding, preventing grazing sorghum plants during and shortly after drought periods when growth is severely reduced, preventing grazing for two weeks after a frost, preventing grazing of wilted plants and testing forages for prussic acid levels.

The testing of forages for Prussic acid is available at a cost-effective rate at the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory in College Station.

Proper packaging is critical to accurate testing, however, as Prussic acid dissipates in open air quite rapidly. This lab may be contacted at (409)834-3414. Local Veterinarians can be extremely helpful if such poisonings are suspected and producers are encouraged to be in communication with their's as quickly as possible if needed. Some antidotes are now available if administered soon enough.

These sorghum type plants can produce cyanogenic glucosides during their growing stages. These compounds breakdown or decompose into

glucose sugars by hydrolysis-addition of water. These compounds are not in themselves poisonous, but when certain enzymes are present (as can occur after a frost) can become highly toxic.

The cyanide-poisoned animal shows an increased rate of respiration, increased pulse rate, gasping, muscular twitching or nervousness, trembling, foam from the mouth, blue coloration of the lining of the mouth, and spasms or convulsions; death occurs from respiratory paralysis.

The clinical signs are seldom seen because most HCN-poi-

soned animals die within a matter of minutes once the toxic agent gets into the blood stream, usually within 15-20 minutes after animals consume the forage. It has been shown by various investigators that it takes a dose of only 1 gram of HCN to kill a 1,000 pound cow. The amount may vary somewhat depending upon the detoxifying capacity and physical resistance of the animals. For additional details on cyanide poisoning of livestock please contact the Howard County office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at 264-2236 or your local veterinarian.

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"Toby" nine-month-old male blue-eyed "catahoula" cross, energetic and loves to play; needs a country home.

"Christopher" neutered male Shepherd mix, three-year-old, very smart and will make a great watchdog; does need a

high fence.

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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Eight-week-old Siamese kitten, 264-7435.

Spayed Brittany mix female, 10-month-old, has all shots, good-natured and loving; needs a country home, 267-9521.

Mother beagle and five pups, three males and two females, will be small to medium-sized, seven weeks-old, 263-5219.

Two full-blooded Basset Hounds, one male, one female, approximately one year, 267-7832.

## STORK CLUB

The following announcement is being rerun due to an error:

Nathan-Mikhael Christian Fuller, boy, Oct. 21, 1996, 8:50 a.m.; parents are Nelda Chancy Fuller, Big Spring, and George Elward Fuller, Houston.

Grandparents are Patsy Chancy and Jerry A. Chancy, Big Spring, and Noelva Fuller, Houston.

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Eran Jacob Wennik, 3:11 a.m., Oct. 9, 1996; parents are Taff and Garon Wennik.

Grandparents are Joe and Donna Wennik, Big Spring, Edward and Charlotte Kennemer, Luther, and Joe and

Shirley Bruce, Guatemala City, Guatemala.

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Alexandra Paige Duncan, 4:41 p.m., Oct. 1, 1996; parents are Michelle and Bob Duncan, Carrollton.

Grandparents are Arvil and Donna Henry, Big Spring, and Larry and Frances Troy, Garland.

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Venessa Jo Vega, 7:27 a.m., Oct. 12, 1996; parents are Lesley Ledesma Vega and Frank Vega. Grandparents are Angie Cruz, Roy Ledesma, and Irene Vega.

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Chandler Lyndon Hudson Hyatt, Oct. 9, 1996; parents are Jacque and Kristi Hyatt. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Franklin, Sand Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hyatt, Big Spring.

## IN THE MILITARY

Air Force Airman 1st Class Ricardo S. Balcazar has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

He is the son of Ricardo M. and Bertha S. Balcazar, Big Spring.

The airman is a 1996 graduate of Big Spring High School.

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Marine Pvt. Theron C. Taylor, a 1995 graduate of Big Spring High School, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

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