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## Harley Owners plan 'Seafood Fest '97' to raise funds for F-4 for Memorial

By DEBBIE L. JENSEN  
Features Editor

For the last two years, it has been a powerful combination: Big Spring Harley Davidson owners, Vietnam veterans and all the seafood you can eat.

That's the plan again this year at "Seafood Fest '97" Saturday, when members of the Harley Owners Group will hit the streets, honoring veterans and helping raise money for an addition to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

HOG members will start with

a 10:15 a.m. parade of motorcycles from the Harley Davidson Shop to the Vietnam Memorial.

After a ceremony to honor veterans, the riders will parade through town, back to the Harley shop, where they will enjoy music, fellowship and the all-you-can-eat buffet from Mel's Fried Fish and Seafood.

"Last year, we must have had six blocks of motorcycles, nose to tail going through town," said Barry Barnett, an organizer of the event. He said the group's goal this year is to help secure the purchase of an F-4 Phantom jet for the Big Spring

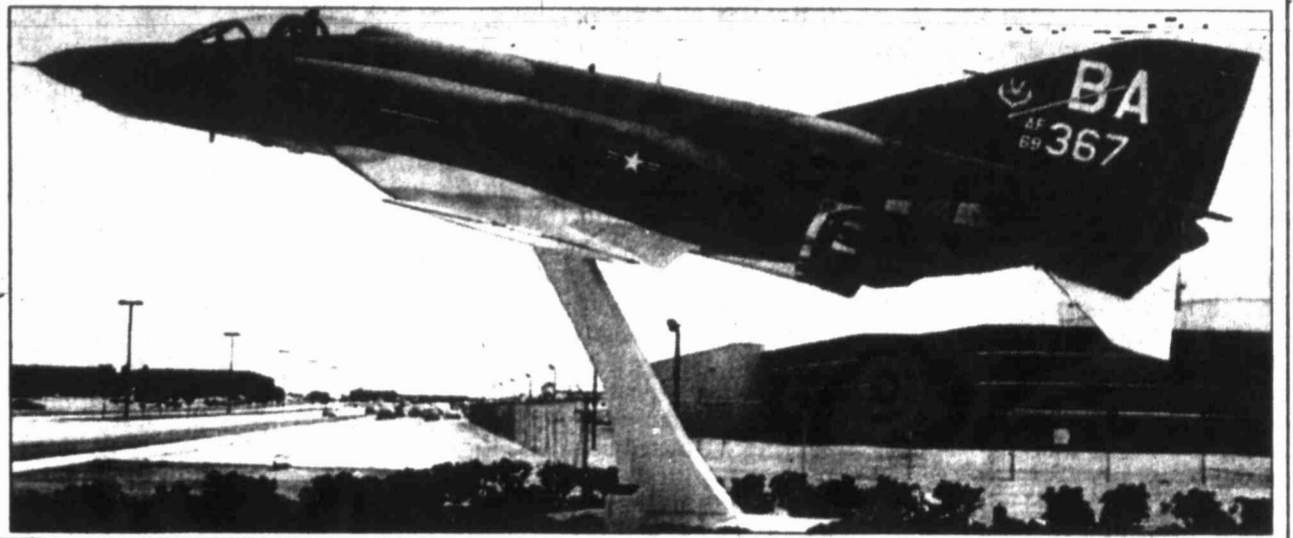
Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

HOG members joined in the efforts last year and raised about \$4,000 for the Huey Helicopter now mounted above the memorial.

"It's a good partnership," Barnett said. "Veterans have been real supportive of us, and we want to continue to help them. This (memorial) is good for the whole community."

This year's Seafood Fest will be nicknamed "Fly the Phantom" in honor of the plane. Veterans learned recently that

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## United Way benefits Westside Community Center

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the seventh in a series of feature stories on member agencies of the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County. Next week: Westside Day Care Center.

By CARLTON JOHNSON  
Staff Writer

The Westside Community Center and the Westside Community Day Care Center share a common staff and a common board of directors, and both programs share a common friend — the United Way.

The Westside Community Center was established in the early 1940's as a recreational and safe place for children to play while their mothers helped in the war effort. Today the purpose of the center is still the same for residents on Big Spring's west side.

It still sustains education-based after school and all day summer programs for public school children.

The center picks up children after school, provides a nutritious snack and takes care of them until 5 p.m. or 5:30 p.m. each day until parents get off work.

In 1970, a board of directors, made up of volunteers in the community, was established. The volunteer board still oversees the center's operations today, but has only jointly overseen the community center and the Westside Community Day Care Center for about two years.

While waiting for parents between 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., kids are treated to a variety of activities including videos, movies, puzzles, music, arts and crafts, outdoor recreation,



Westside Community Center employee Irene Nunez observes and lends assistance to Randall Trevino and Chris Handova as they work on their homework assignments. Westside currently has 25 children in its afterschool program. The center is one of 11 member agencies of the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County.

field trips and anti-drug counseling for children.

The United Way makes a substantial difference in what the center is able to do.

It allows the center to have programs that it normally wouldn't have. Not only is Westside Community Center able to have various programs, it is able to pick the kids up from school as well, which is a tremendous help to working parents.

Center Director Melinda Hernandez said the program was originally designed for peo-

ple without transportation.

"Today some of the parents of our children don't have transportation and kids would have to walk home and be there alone for several hours," Hernandez said.

The center received \$6,500 from the United Way for 1996, which is about 18 percent of the center's budget for the year.

For 1997, the center received \$7,520 from the local United Way fund allocations. United Way funds are a very substantial help to the center. Westside Community Center

currently serves approximately 25 kids ranging from preschool age to 12 years old during the school year and is seen as more of an activity center than anything else.

The center serves an important function for the west side of Big Spring because the majority of the kids served by the center live in the area.

"This is a valuable program to parents and children in the area, and being that we're mainly an after school program, things run pretty smooth," Hernandez said.

HERALD photo/Jonathan Garrett

## Sheriff's office

### Jennings: Working to restore image and visibility a major task during first 10 months in office

By CARLTON JOHNSON  
Staff Writer

Another arm of public protection in Big Spring is the Howard County Sheriff's Office, headed by Bill Jennings, who was elected to the position last November after a long career with the Texas Department of Public Safety.

In his first 10 months in office, Jennings says the department has worked to restore the image and visibility of what a West Texas sheriff's office should be.

"The Sheriff's Office is very important to the residents of Howard County," Jennings said. "The Texas Constitution states that all counties must have a sheriff's office. Whether or not counties have other law enforcement officials is their prerogative."

According to Jennings, the sheriff is the chief law enforcement officer for the county and other than basic law enforcement duties, performs many other services.

"Some of the duties of the Sheriff's Office include maintaining charge and control of the courthouse, maintaining the county jail, transporting prisoners from the county jail to state institutions, executing civil and court papers, collecting fees, participating in selecting names for the jury wheel, safeguarding the jury selection process and public peace," Jennings said.

In January, the Sheriff's Office under Jennings' administration passed its first test by getting the aging county jail up to standard to pass inspection by the supervising inspector for the Texas Commission on Jail Standards.

Some of the areas the Sheriff's Office has been able to upgrade under Jennings include:

- Additional computers through a \$92,000 grant from the Criminal Justice Division in Austin.

- Doubling available office space with a space for the sheriff to meet with citizens who have problems as well as a place to have private meetings with other local officials.

- Replacement of seven vehicles and several radios with the



JENNINGS



Big Spring and Howard County's elective and appointed leaders take an in-depth look at the community. Tuesday: Agriculture.

help of the commissioners' court.

- Portable radios have been replaced with the help of the commissioners' court and the 1972 repeater on top of South Mountain has also been replaced. A new radio console is also in place because of assistance from the 911 District.

- All deputies have been trained with no less than 40 hours of classroom instruction.

- Upgrading of paperwork system. Activity reports now reflect better coverage of the county.

- New uniforms, a better work environment and desks and office space have created a new spirit in the department.

- A misdemeanor (inmate) workforce created to save money for the county.

"As a newly elected official, I would like the citizens of Howard County to remember that my employees and myself are in a learning mode," Jennings said. "We are learning to work together as a team to better serve the citizens of the county and we're trying to serve all citizens with the utmost pride and professionalism possible."

The image of the Sheriff's Office is important to Jennings, who says the office should be a "shelter in the storm" for those citizens in need, and a "force to be reckoned with" for the unlawful.

"In the future, I would like for citizens to know that we are a progressive, professional department that takes great pride in our work," Jennings said. "Each individual is treated equally to

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## Polls open Tuesday at 7 for amendments

By CARLTON JOHNSON  
Staff Writer

Local and state officials from across the state have either pushed for or against some or all of the 14 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution, but voters will have the last word as they head to the polls Tuesday.

After the two week early voting period ended Friday, 633 Howard County residents had cast early ballots and 30 residents had requested ballots to be mailed to them with 24 of those having already been returned.

Outstanding ballots that were mailed to eligible voters must be returned to Howard County Clerk Margaret Ray's office by 7 p.m. Tuesday.

For the Nov. 4 election, Howard County has close to 18,000 eligible registered voters. Ray's office will be utilizing consolidated polling places Tuesday because the process worked so well in the past with the runoff for the District 28 State Senate seat and for the recent homestead exemption referen-

### WHERE TO VOTE

- Precincts 101-112 at the Northside Fire Station — Omega Hernandez, election judge.

- Precincts 202-205 at Gollad Middle School — Raford Dunagan, election judge.

- Precincts 207, 407-409 at Coahoma Community Center — Maxine Hinsley, election judge.

- Precincts 208 and 304 at Eibow School — Myrl Soles, election judge.

- Precincts 301-303 and 305 and 306 at the 18th and Main Fire Station — Nan Buske, election judge.

- Precincts 401-406 and 410 at the 11th and Birdwell Fire Station — Leta Kirby, election judge.

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For Tuesday's election voting machines with a punch card ballot would be used in

November because of the expense involved in using paper ballots as well as the number of amendments to be considered. Only about 1,600 people voted in the county's last election of this type.

As for consolidating voting precincts again, Ray said, "It cost so much for an election to begin with and to have only three people show up at a precinct is not worth it."

The county's 21 precincts have been consolidated into six precincts for Tuesday's election and will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

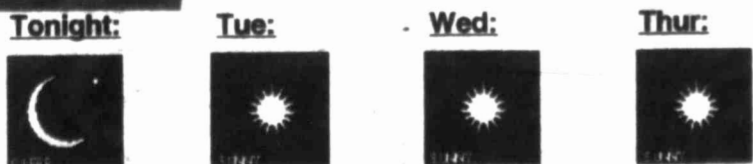
Based on discussion and reaction to the 14 proposed amendments, Proposition Seven and Proposition Eight have received more attention in Howard County.

These read:

- Amendment Seven — The constitutional amendment relating to the authorization to the Texas Water Development Board to transfer existing bond authorizations for

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### WEATHER



Tonight, clear. Lows around 40. Tuesday, sunny. Highs 75-80. Tuesday night, fair. Lows around 40. Extended forecast, Wednesday, fair. Highs in the upper 60s to mid 70s. Thursday and Friday, fair. Lows in the 40s. Highs 75-80.

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## KMID forces TCA to block WFAA on some programs

By DEBBIE L. JENSEN  
Features Editor

Some local television viewers, instead of watching their favorite programs on Channel 8 today, may be seeing red.

Beginning today on the local broadcast of WFAA Channel 8 of Dallas, some programs will be replaced with a message on the screen. Viewers must turn to KMID Channel 2, of Midland, which has purchased to right to be the only station broadcasting those programs to area viewers.

Archie Kountz, manager of TCA Cable of

Big Spring, said the Midland television station requested the change several times.

"It was only at their last request, earlier this year, that they met all criteria," he said. Then TCA had to purchase new equipment to make the change, and they have given a week's notice on Channels 4 and 23.

The first program affected will be "Jeopardy" at 3 today. Other syndicated programs affected are "Oprah," "Inside Edition" and "Wheel of Fortune."

But Kountz said the change will not affect current, or "first-run" programs.

The change also affects only a few programs because Channel 2 has purchased

them specifically. They are all shows that have until now been broadcast simultaneously on Channel 2 and 8.

If you flip to Channel 8 during one of those shows, you are should see only a geometric pattern and instructions to call KMID with comments or questions.

"I know a lot of people like Channel 8, and I hate to mess with it," said Kountz, "but we don't have any choice."

The problem is that Big Spring falls within the designated distribution area of KMID, according to the FCC, but also cap-

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OBITUARIES

Hubert Gilbert

Service for Hubert Gilbert, 80, Big Spring, is pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He died Monday, Nov. 3, 1997, in a local hospital.

U.S. Beechly

Service for U.S. Beechly, 82, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 5, 1997, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Royce Clay, minister of Ackerly Church of Christ, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Mr. Beechly died Sunday, Nov. 2, in a local hospital.

He was born on May 2, 1915, in Coryell County, and married Margaret Frances Beasley on March 11, 1955, in Abilene. She preceded him in death on Feb. 16, 1987. He came to Big Spring in 1959 from Abilene. He worked at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in the supply department, retiring in 1979 after 20 years. He was a member of the 14th & Main Church of Christ. Mr. Beechly served in the Army infantry in the European Theatre during World War II.

Survivors include: three sisters, Laneta Smith, Purnela, Maggie Edwards, Lubbock, and Jimmie Adams, Gatesville; three brothers, W.M. Beechly, Waco, Willis Beechly, Gatesville, and R.B. Beechly, Purnela.

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

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

Steven "Bear" Painter

Graveside service for Steven "Bear" Painter, 35, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1997, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Robert Underwood, minister of missions at First Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Painter died Monday, Nov. 3, at University Medical Center in Lubbock from familial hemochromatosis.

He was born on Jan. 18, 1962, in Big Spring. He graduated from Big Spring High School in 1980. He had worked for various oil companies as a roughneck. In 1989, in moved to North Carolina and worked with his uncle doing residential construction. He moved back to Big Spring in 1994 and continued work in the oil field.

Survivors include: his wife, Lisa Painter, Big Spring; his parents, Fred and Josie Painter, Big Spring; two brothers, Tony Painter and Chris Painter, both of Big Spring; one sister, Cara Madewell, Big Spring; his grandmother, Josie Hale, Big Spring; and several aunts, uncles, nephews and one niece.

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24th & Johnson 267-8288

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NALLEY-PICKLE & WELCH Funeral Home

Trinity Memorial Park and Crematory

906 Gregg St. (915) 267-6331

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they can obtain a stripped-down version of the F-4, the premier fighter of the Vietnam War, from Sheppard Air Force Base in Wichita Falls.

Harley riders and the public are invited to services at the Vietnam Memorial, 11 a.m. Saturday. The meal begins after the group returns to the Harley Davidson shop, 908 W. Third.

Cost for the meal, which includes cajun boiled shrimp, crawdads, oysters on the half shell and fried catfish supplied by Mel's, is \$15 per person, \$5 for children age 10 and under.

Performing later that afternoon will be local band Wild Texans, and a barbecue pit will be auctioned off to benefit HOG.

"We plan on having a good time," Barnett said. "But this is for a good cause."

"The community really supported what we did last year, and we're looking for that again this year."

ELECTION

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water supply, water quality, flood control or state participation from one category of use to another category to maximize the use of existing funds and relating to more efficient operation of the bond programs.

Argument: Enables the Water Development Board to make long-term water plans by pooling bond funds and allocating those funds to the areas of greatest need, which will not increase the state's debt limit.

Amendment Eight - The amendment to the Texas Constitution expanding the types of liens for home equity loans that a lender, with the homeowner's consent, may place against a homestead.

Argument: Gives homeowners the decision in using their homes for collateral for secondary loans and allows citizens to parent their own financial decisions, not the government. Also, a loan against a homestead is considered a secured loan, which is deductible on federal income taxes.

BRIEFS

BIG SPRING HIGH CHOIR boosters will meet Tuesday, 7 p.m. in the choir room at the high school. This is an important meeting to deal with the upcoming pancake supper. Call Linda Lindell, 264-3641 for more information.

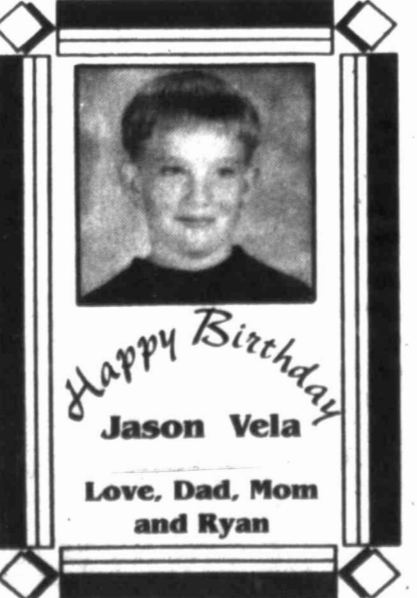
THE HERITAGE MUSEUM WILL host members for a social Wednesday from 5-8 p.m. with music, refreshments and tours. Call 267-8255 for more information.

BSHS CHOIR BOOSTERS ARE having a pancake supper on Friday, Nov. 7, from 5 to 7 p.m. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for children 6-12, and free for children under six. Tickets are available from any choir member, booster member, at the door or by calling Mrs. Lindell at BSHS.

"GATHERING SEED FROM A Medieval Mother Root" is the topic for the 1997 World Community Day, an annual national worship service of Church Women United. In Big Spring it will be observed on Friday, Nov. 7, at the First United Methodist Church at 10 a.m. and is sponsored by the United Methodist Women. Nursery will be provided with 48-hour notice. Contact Rhonda Lola at 267-9408.

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BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

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TODAY

Big Spring Evening Lion's Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third. Call Al Valdes, 263-6810.

Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241.

TOPS Clubs (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 5:15 p.m. weigh in and 6:15 p.m. meeting, Best Home Health Care, 1710 E. Marcy Dr.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. at the VA Medical Center on fourth floor.

Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn. Call 267-6764. Guest singers from Stanton, Midland and Colorado City.

TOPS #TX 21, Big Spring, homecoming, weigh-in 5:15 p.m., meeting 6:15 p.m., Best Home Health Care, 1710 E. Marcy Dr. All past members are invited to attend.

TUESDAY

Most Excellent Way, a chemical dependency support group, 7 p.m., Living Water Church, 1008 Birdwell Lane. Call 267-1424 after 5 p.m. or 263-3168 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Al-Anon, 8 to 9 p.m., 615 Settles.

Narcotics Anonymous, 6 to 7:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Beginning line dance class will be taught at 9 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. Call 267-1628 for more information. All ages welcome.

VFW Post 2013, 7 p.m., VFW Hall.

MARKETS

Dec. cotton 72.43, up 11 points; Dec. crude 20.93, down 15 points; Cash hogs steady 46; cash steers steady 47; Dec. lean hog futures 65, up 12 points; Dec. live cattle futures 67.35, down 17 points.

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RECORDS

Sunday's high 68 Sunday's low 32 Average high 69 Average low 42 Record high 87 in 1946 Record low 21 in 1991 Precip. Sunday 0.00 Month to date 0.79 Month's normal 0.00 Year to date 18.45 Normal for the year 17.11 \*\*Statistics not available

FIRE/EMS

Following is a summary of Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reports:

Friday

8:58 a.m. - 3600 block Hamilton, medical call, patient transferred to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

3:37 p.m. - I-20 mile marker 179, traffic accident, service refused.

Saturday

4:52 a.m. - 1100 block E. 11th, trauma call, service refused.

7:25 a.m. - 2700 block Moore School Road, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

10:08 a.m. - 2000 block Virginia, trauma call, patient transferred to VA Medical Center.

10:49 a.m. - 1500 block E.

11th Place, public service, service refused.

11:38 a.m. - 1300 block Gregg, public service, service refused.

12:05 p.m. - 4200 block Hamilton, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

1:35 a.m. - 2400 block Simler, grass fire, extinguished by responding units.

2:21 p.m. - 2800 block Apache, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

2:48 p.m. - 1300 block E. 14th, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

7:55 p.m. - 1300 block W. 4th, medical call, patient transferred to VA Medical Center.

8:55 p.m. - 1100 block Wood, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

Sunday

2:47 a.m. - 600 block Goliad, trauma call, patient transferred to VA Medical Center.

4:35 a.m. - 600 block W. 8th, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

10:25 a.m. - 400 block NE 12th, trauma call, patient transferred to SMCC.

12:17 p.m. - 2200 block Cecilia, false call.

12:25 p.m. - 1400 block Owens, medical call, patient transferred to VA Medical Center.

1:02 p.m. - 3200 block Parkway, medical call, patient transferred to VA Medical Center.

7:13 p.m. - 1000 block Goliad, trauma call, patient transferred to SMCC.

9:13 p.m. - 1700 block Johnson, medical call, patient transferred to SMCC.

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 2 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday:

DAVID O'BRIEN, 18, was arrested for public intoxication.

ELIDORA PERCHES, 57, was arrested on local warrants.

ALFONSO REEVES, 25, was arrested for violation of a protective order.

FRANK FIERO, 49, was arrested for public intoxication.

ASSAULT in the 200 block of N/ Gregg; 19th and Scurry; and 1307 Mount Vernon.

DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE at Randolph and Simler.

BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE in the 900 block of W. 4th.

THEFT in the 400 block of Johnson; and the 1800 block of Benton.

CRIMINAL MISCHIEF in the 500 block of Westover.

GREAT DAY FOR BATTLE



HERALD photo/Jonathan Garrett  
Richard Senter and Scott Moss used Sunday's nice weather to practice mock battles in Comanche Trail Park.

I am pleased to announce that I will be back in my office on Nov. 3, 1997 seeing a limited number of patients per day. Helping me out for a while will be Elizabeth Loudon, M.D., a dermatologist from San Antonio, Texas.

I wish to thank all of my friends and patients for their kindness and consideration during my convalescence.

Louis B. Barkley, Jr. M.D.  
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# Au pair jurors say they would have liked another sentence option

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — In the days since a British au pair was found guilty of murder in the shaking death of a baby, jurors said they would have considered a lesser charge.

Louise Woodward, 19, was convicted of second-degree murder late Thursday and sentenced the following day to a life prison sentence with no chance at parole for 15 years.

At defense attorneys' request, the jury could consider only first- or second-degree murder charges or acquittal in February's death of 8-month-old Matthew Eappen.

"There's no way we could face the Eappens or the citizens of the Commonwealth and say, 'We think she did it, but we're going to let her go,'" juror

Stephen Caldwell told ABC News.

"We were in a no-win situation there," Caldwell said. "Nobody wanted to find a 19-year-old woman from another country who's come to America under these circumstances guilty of murder and put her away for life."

Another juror, Jodie Garber, agreed, telling The Mail of London, "We'd rather have had a chance to consider a manslaughter option. Nobody liked the finding we felt compelled to reach. Nobody was happy having to do this."

"Nobody thought Louise intended to kill the baby," Garber said. "The judge's instructions were that we had to decide whether a reasonable person would have known the actions she took

would have resulted in the baby's death."

Judge Hiller B. Zobel invited both sides to argue whether he should set aside the verdict, reduce it or order a new trial, the three alternatives allowed under Massachusetts law. Attorneys were to submit motions today, with arguments set Tuesday.

Although legal experts say it is rare for a judge to set aside a jury's verdict, it is possible. In 1984, Zobel set aside a second-degree murder verdict and ordered a new trial for a former police officer convicted of killing a friend.

Woodward's lawyers were expected to seek some change in the conviction. The prosecution said it was flexible only on reducing the verdict.

"At this stage we would certainly appeal any decision to throw out the verdict or order a new trial," said Martha Coakley, one of the prosecutors. "On the third issue, as to whether he reduces it or not, we oppose it, but if he were to do that we would evaluate at the time what action we would take."

The lead prosecutor, Gerard Leone Jr., told MSNBC "we would be reasonable" if the conviction is reduced to manslaughter, which carries a maximum penalty of 20 years in prison.

The case has upset many in England. Britons sympathetic to Woodward turned on the headlights of their cars Sunday to protest the verdict, and some demonstrated outside a U.S.

Embassy reception attended by first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, demanding Woodward be released. Mrs. Clinton did not witness the protest.

Prosecutors argued Woodward was frustrated with the baby and a job that hampered her social life. They relied on doctors who treated the baby and testified that medical and autopsy reports showed his injuries were caused by his head being violently shaken and slammed against a hard surface.

Woodward testified that she did nothing to harm Matthew, while defense medical experts said the baby had a previously undetected head injury that could have been reopened by minor jarring.

## Republic of Texas separatists face life term at sentencing in Alpine Tuesday

ALPINE (AP) — Separatist Richard McLaren's unorthodox legal maneuvering has brought him to this: an organized crime conviction and a possible life prison sentence.

The Republic of Texas leader and a top aide, Robert Otto, will learn their punishment Tuesday for plotting the kidnapping that led to their group's armed standoff with hundreds of police officers last spring.

State District Judge Kenneth DeHart will determine the sentence after what should be a brief hearing in a Brewster County courtroom. McLaren and Otto could face five to 99 years or life in prison and possibly a \$10,000 fine.

Both men were convicted last week of engaging in organized criminal activity for their role in the abduction of Joe and

Margaret Ann Rowe, a couple who lived near Republic members in the Davis Mountains Resort, a rural community 175 miles southeast of El Paso.

The April 27 kidnapping, allegedly carried out by three of McLaren's followers, eventually brought some 300 state troopers and Texas Rangers to the resort where the Republic maintained its headquarters.

They laid siege to the group's so-called embassy until McLaren and others agreed to lay down their weapons May 3.

McLaren and Otto were the first of five charged in the abduction to go on trial and quickly became involved in a bizarre legal spectacle.

The pair decided to represent themselves, even though they had court-appointed attorneys, and embarked on a defensive strategy that made little sense.

McLaren and Otto said they believed the trial to be a sham and instead focused their attention on "perfecting" the court record for a federal case they say is pending in a court in Washington, D.C.

Republican members contend the United States' annexation of Texas in 1845 was illegal and refuse to recognize Texas' statehood and institutions, including the court system.

Neither McLaren nor Otto mounted a legitimate defense until after the prosecution had rested. At that point they asked their standby counsel to intervene and file motions for a mistrial and for directed verdicts of acquittal.

DeHart denied both and a jury eventually took two less than two hours to find the men guilty. Defense attorneys say they will appeal.

## Falwell, Flynt friendly despite battle

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — Like two old friends, evangelist Jerry Falwell and Hustler magazine publisher Larry Flynt sat side by side Saturday, bantering and joking about their free speech case that wound up before the U.S. Supreme Court.

"I'm his pastor but he's one of my rebellious sheep," joked Falwell, who sued Hustler in the 1980s for running a parody advertisement that suggested Falwell had lost his virginity to his mother in an outhouse.

"We're good friends. We just have strong disagreements," Falwell, 64, said during a panel discussion at the University of Virginia.

Flynt, who turned 55 on Saturday, said that he gets on well with the fundamentalist

preacher and anti-pornography crusader.

"In recent months, Jerry and I have established a relationship. I like him very much," Flynt said. "Regardless of how much you disagree with someone, when you meet them in person you always find something to agree about."

The two men had precious little to agree about a decade ago. Flynt's sex magazine ran the ad parody in its November 1983 issue and Falwell sued Flynt and Hustler for \$45 million, accusing the magazine of libel, invasion of privacy and intentional infliction of emotional distress.

The Baptist minister won on the emotional-distress charge and a federal jury in Roanoke awarded him \$200,000 in dam-

ages.

But in 1988, the Supreme Court unanimously overturned the award by ruling that even pornographic spoofs enjoy First Amendment protection.

The story was made into an Academy Award-nominated movie, "The People vs. Larry Flynt."

While stressing his support for the First Amendment, Falwell said that the court's decision removed all barriers of taste.

"Television has certainly taken advantage of this case," Falwell said. "There has been a general denigration of the quality of viewing."

But Flynt praised the ruling, saying there should be no limits to what is published or broadcast.

## Solons call for tough hand with Saddam

WASHINGTON (AP) — Saddam Hussein must be punished, by military means if necessary, for his latest violation of U.N. Security Council resolutions, congressional leaders say. But the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations says the Iraqi leader's fight is with the world body, not Washington.

Saddam announced last week that Americans could no longer be a part of U.N. weapons inspection teams. Officials gave 10 American inspectors in Baghdad until Thursday to leave Iraq, and barred three others from entering Sunday.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich said the message must be sent "that the United States will take whatever steps are necessary to enforce an ability to inspect." He said that "absolutely" included military strikes.

There were no signs that any military response was imminent.

Gingrich, R-Ga., and three other congressional leaders appearing on NBC's "Meet the Press" — Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, Senate Democratic leader Tom Daschle and House Democratic

leader Dick Gephardt — agreed that a military response to Saddam's action must be an option.

"The actions taken by Saddam Hussein are completely unacceptable and I think we have to act sooner rather than later," said Daschle, D-S.D.

Lott, R-Miss., said he suspected that Saddam was moving against the Americans because "they were very close to finding some more very dangerous weapons" that Iraq is obligated to destroy under U.N. resolutions approved after it lost the Persian Gulf War in 1991.

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## Good news from cotton fields is good news for us

Drive through just about any part of West Texas, particularly our own Crossroads Country, and you'll see what looks like fields of snow.

All of us, except perhaps the tourist who drives through the region on a frosty morning, know that it's not snow — it's money.

With Howard County farmers in the midst of an 80,000-bale harvest, the cotton crop in surrounding counties — Martin, Glasscock, Dawson, Scurry, Borden and Mitchell — is coming in as well and there are smiles to be seen throughout the region.

For the first time in half-a-decade or longer, the majority of cotton farmers are expecting to bring in a decent crop. While prices aren't as high as farmers would necessarily like them, they aren't as low as they have been, either.

The economic impact of an 80,000-bale harvest on Howard County amounts to an estimated \$182 million when considering the seven-rollover factor employed by economic analysts.

If you are new to the area, or if you happen to be one of those folks who don't think agriculture is important to our economy, then think again.

In Howard County, agriculture is more than cotton. It's beef and stocker cattle, sheep and goats and a variety of lesser crops — all of whom funnel into the general mix of the county's economy.

Ever think about a new vehicle dealership as part of the agribusiness community? It is, although perhaps not as much as a local implement dealer or a feed store, but drive by a dealership after a crop's in and look at the folks eying those replacement vehicles.

Even this newspaper, to a degree, is dependent on the success of the crops. With a good crop comes increased advertising and circulation. When times are slow — or worse — those drop as people look for ways to hang on to their money as long as possible.

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# Trailer-trashing of Jones reveals snobbery

By MARTIN KELNER  
The Guardian

LONDON — Last summer my wife took the children to stay in her Auntie Jean's caravan in the country, and she is terribly worried this might make her trailer trash. Fortunately, I was able to reassure her on this point, having first established she had not, without my knowledge, developed a taste for bowling or processed cheese, or joined the Kris Kristofferson fan club.

And you thought cultural snobbery was a British vice? For anyone still clinging to the quaint notion that America is some kind of egalitarian society where anybody can become president, the Paula Jones sexual harassment case must have been a real eye-opener.

Jones, you may recall, is alleging that Bill Clinton, while governor of Arkansas, dropped his trousers in her presence revealing, as she will tell the court, non-standard reproductive equipment. Doubt has

been cast on her word by Clinton's aides, who have dubbed her "trailer trash."

Trailer trash. Think about it. The British equivalent, I suppose, would be something like "council house scum". It is difficult to conceive of circumstances in which Prime Minister Tony Blair or anyone connected with our government might talk in these terms. Probably not even the Duke of Edinburgh.

When it comes to class scorn and hatred, we are amateurs compared with the Americans. When I was in New York recently, a radio station was inviting listeners to call in with "hillbilly" jokes along the lines of: "You know you're a West Virginian when..." This was no shock jock, either, just run-of-the-mill pop music radio.

For a nation that threw our tea in the harbor to embark on the pursuit of happiness, America really is tremendously picky about how other people pursue it.

Take country and western

music, for instance, widely derided by urban sophisticates for its heavy dependence on banjos, pedal steel guitars, faithful dogs, unfaithful women and occasionally terminal illness. The music was usually delivered by women with breasts too large or men with shirts too checked, so it remained the almost exclusive province of small towns in the great Midwestern yonder, where the state animal is a dead dog at the side of the road.

Then the record companies decided to kill "western" and create "country" or even "new country." Breasts were worn more tastefully, cowboy hats with a hint of post-modern irony, and soon there were duets with Elvis Costello and scarcely a record collection in Manhattan didn't include a new country album.

Cultural snobbery on an industrial scale, if you ask me, unless you can show me a qualitative difference between Tammy Wynette and Nanci

Griffith.

Having appropriated the music of the white rural disadvantaged and given it a groovy paint job, America's cultural snobs can now despise heavy rock — which ranks alongside beer, bowling, supermarket tabloids, confessional TV and Cheese Whizz in trailer trash demography.

Why, then, given this urban bias against redneck culture, has the "trailer trash" remark not been going down well with Clinton's natural constituency? If the president's men had been to the movies in the last 10 years, they would know. They would have observed the phenomenon of the trailer trash heroine: Jodie Foster in "The Accused"; Geena Davis and Susan Sarandon in "Thelma and Louise," and Melanie Griffith in "Something Wild," to name just a few. Uneducated women, but sassy and strong, and prepared to make a stand against sexual harassment.

Jones, I feel, should wear her trailer trash label with pride.



## China's 'charm offensive' pays off

By MARSHA MERCER  
Media General News Service

WASHINGTON — It's "a win-win-win," President Clinton said of the agreement with China to stop the spread of nuclear weapons.

He could have said the same about the visit of China's president to the nation's capital. Jiang Zemin's American tour was dubbed a "charm offensive" aimed at bolstering his image at home and in the United States. His picture in a tricorn hat from Williamsburg, Va., flashed around the country and the globe.

But it was Clinton who pulled off the week's public relations victory.

Clinton had taken heat for inviting the president of China for a state visit in the first place and for the red carpet treatment — but the real story of the visit wasn't in the pomp and ceremony.

Jiang's Washington summit turned out to be the equivalent of a two-day crash course on democracy and American values.

The remarkable Clinton-Jiang joint news conference unexpectedly shone the spotlight on human rights and the massacre in Tiananmen Square. When the presidents staked out their positions, comparisons of the two systems of government were inevitable.

Clinton said governments all over the world have a responsibility to protect basic rights. Jiang said "freedoms are relative...and they are to be determined by the specific national situation of different countries."

Jiang defended the violent

suppression of peaceful protests in Beijing as "necessary measures." Clinton flatly declared China was "on the wrong side of history."

"In the Information Age, the true wealth of nations lies in people's ability to create, to communicate, to innovate. Fully developing these resources requires people who feel free to speak, to publish, to associate, to worship without fear of reprisal," Clinton said.

Unscripted drama beats canned, choreographed stuff any day. For once, politicians were talking about something fundamental to the rest of us.

The more Jiang tried to explain that the government's need for "stability" and "security" required brutality and repression, the better America looked, warts and all.

"In our country I think it would amaze many of our Chinese guests to see some of the things that have been written and said about me — my family — our government, our policies," Clinton said.

Indeed, protesters had been railing against Clinton that very day. On stage at the rally at Lafayette Park was the wife of one of Clinton's own Cabinet members. Kerry Kennedy Cuomo, wife of Housing Secretary Andrew Cuomo, founded the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Center for Human Rights. She castigated Clinton for remaining mute in the face of atrocities in China and Tibet.

Jiang had asked the Americans to keep protesters well away from him — but he'd been told politely but firmly that protests are the American way. He conceded that the "noise" of the protesters had reached him.

By the time of the toasts at the state dinner, Jiang was suggesting hopefully that disagreements between the superpowers that couldn't be resolved ought to be set aside.

Jiang got another dose of democracy, with all its messiness, the next day at the Capitol. When members of Congress hammered him on human rights, the leader of 1.2 billion Chinese started talking about modernization and pledging openness, at least of the economy.

"We believe without democracy, there can be no modernization," he said. Then, he was off to Philadelphia and New York and more protests.

Clinton came away from the summit with little tangible success, except in business. He did not succeed in persuading the Chinese leader to release even one dissident from prison, nor did he succeed in negotiating improvements in conditions in Tibet. His critics complain the administration cares too much for corporations and too little for the suffering in China.

But this may be a case of the glass being half-empty or half-full.

Clinton did do a \$3 billion deal with China in jet aircraft. He opened the door to the sales of American nuclear reactors and secured China's promise to abide by previous commitments to refrain from selling nuclear technology to Iran and Pakistan.

As for Jiang, the visit satisfied his desire to be seen favorably — at home anyway. State-run television in China was glowing in its reports, conveniently ignoring the presidential debate on human rights.

The folks back home saw the hat.

### WASHINGTON WEEK

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WASHINGTON — During the long, intense day of Chinese President Jiang Zemin's state visit to the White House, President Clinton gave us a glimpse of the new world of the 21st century.

Despite Clinton's tough talk about the importance of human rights, the people invited to dine on pepper-crusted beef and lobster and marzipan pandas with the Chinese leader were top CEOs of big businesses either making money by trading with China or eager to do so.

The big news out of the summit, the first state visit here by a Chinese leader in 12 years, was not that in his own living room Clinton chastised Jiang for continuing to repress his own people even as the 71-year-old Chinese leader defended the massacre of dissident students at Tiananmen Square as a besieged government defending itself against a group of unruly hooligans.

Also, the United States officially accepted China's promise that it would stop selling Silkworm missiles to Iran even though China has consistently broken its promises in the past not to sell weapons of mass destruction to rogue nations.

With more than one billion people, China is an incredible business opportunity and one that any White House would ignore at its own political peril. That, of course, is why even while Jiang dissembled to members of Congress about whether human organs are bartered and sold in China and falsely insisted that freedom of religion is encouraged and swore there was no effort to influence the 1996 U.S. elections through illegal contributions, Clinton promised to go to Beijing next year and said the era of regular U.S.-China summits has dawned.

The truth is that Clinton has no intellectual basis for saying that it's morally OK to seek more and more trade with China but not morally permissible to trade with Cuba at all.

Much has been made of the fact that in 1992 Clinton severely upbraided then-President Bush who once was the U.S. envoy to China, for "coddling" Chinese leaders after Tiananmen Square because he maintained secret contacts. Clinton aides now impatiently dismiss the notion of Clinton as hypocritical, saying that what happened in 1992 is old news.

Clinton's China policy is widely viewed as pragmatic and smart.

Mallard Fillmore  
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## 49ers' 17-10 win highlights Cowboys' serious offensive problems

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

**SAN FRANCISCO** — Deion Sanders dancing to celebrate an interception. Emmitt Smith limping slowly off the field in defeat.

Those two images sum up the rise and fall of the Cowboys in Sunday's 17-10 loss to San Francisco, a game that confirmed the 49ers' return to the top of the NFC and highlighted Dallas' deep offensive problems.

The 49ers (8-1) used solid defense, including a last-minute interception by Tim McDonald to halt a final Dallas drive, to win their eighth straight game. The other seven victories had come against peers in the weak NFC West.

"Some naysayers may say we beat the Cowboys on an off year, but the win says it all," 49ers offensive lineman Ray Brown said. "The bottom line is we're 8-1 and we beat the teams on our schedule."

The Cowboys (4-5), who have not had a losing record this late in the season since 1990, lost Smith in the first half with a strained left groin. His status is uncertain for this coming weekend.

Sanders, who set up the Cowboys' only touchdown with a 31-yard interception return in the first quarter, said it was not time to panic.

"Like I say each week, I haven't seen that emergency glass broken in the locker room," said Sanders, who had another interception — an acro-

batic, one-handed catch — called back by a penalty. "But I'm going to keep my eye on it this week."

The Cowboys led 7-0 at halftime on a 5-yard scoring pass from Troy Aikman to Michael Irvin. San Francisco tied it by starting the third quarter with a 77-yard drive, culminating with Garrison Hearst's 8-yard scoring run.

Dallas, with the league's second-worst touchdown scoring percentage inside an opponent's 20, got to the San Francisco 1 late in the third quarter, but had to settle for Richie Cunningham's 21-yard field goal.

San Francisco's top-ranked defense took over in the final period.

Dana Stubblefield sacked Aikman inside the Dallas 5 and punter Toby

Gowin, standing in his own end zone, shanked a kick that gave the 49ers great field position. J.J. Stokes made a leaping catch to bring the ball to the Dallas 1, and William Floyd scored from there to give the 49ers a 14-10 lead.

"The kicking game collapsed in the fourth quarter and created terrible field position. That was a killer," Dallas coach Barry Switzer said. "We have a fine football team and it's a shame we continue to make critical mistakes."

Gary Anderson added a 28-yard field goal with 2:15 remaining — tying Jan Stenerud for second on the NFL career list with 373 field goals — and McDonald's interception sealed the

San Francisco victory.

The 49ers survived a scare two plays before McDonald's interception when officials picked up a flag on what appeared to be a pass interference call in the end zone. But the officials ruled Rod Woodson's trip of Irvin was incidental, and not a foul.

Smith, who injured his groin in the first quarter and tried to return in the second period before leaving the game for good, watched stoically from the sideline as the final drive ended unsuccessfully.

"It ain't no pleasant feeling watching your teammates go out to battle without you. It's frustrating," Smith said.

Smith gained 31 yards on seven carries before leaving the game.

## NFL now turning upside down with Jets, Giants on top

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

The NFL is turning upside down.

No one thought the New York Jets and New York Giants would be alone atop their divisions 10 weeks into the season, while the Dallas Cowboys and Indianapolis Colts would be also-rans.

But the standings don't lie: The two New York-area entries, a combined 15-49 the last two years, are both 6-3 in 1997.

The revival of the Jets, the NFL's worst a year ago at 1-15, and the Giants is so bizarre that talk shows and newspapers already have started "Which team is best?" debates.

On Sunday, the Giants were enjoying their bye week as the Jets faced the Baltimore Ravens.

Bill Parcells again brought backup quarterback Glenn Foley off the bench in the second half to lead the Jets to a 19-16 overtime victory. John Hall's 37-yard field goal won it.

Combined with New England's 23-18 loss to Minnesota and Miami's 9-6 loss in Buffalo, it put the Jets in first place for the first time this late in 11 seasons. New England, Miami and Buffalo are all tied for second.

Elsewhere Sunday, it was Tampa Bay 31, Indianapolis 28; Carolina 38, Oakland 14; Atlanta 34, St. Louis 31; Cincinnati 38, San Diego 31; Washington 31, Chicago 8; Jacksonville 30, Tennessee 24; Arizona 31, Philadelphia 21; Denver 30, Seattle 27; and Green Bay 20, Detroit 10.

After Vinny Testaverde tied the game on a pass to Derrick Alexander with three seconds left in regulation, Foley drove the Jets 60 yards to set up Hall's game-winner.

### Buccaneers 31, Colts 28

Karl Williams scored two touchdowns, set up another TD with a 63-yard punt return and put Tampa Bay (6-3) in position for Michael Husted's winning field goal with eight seconds left at Indianapolis.

The Colts took a 28-21 lead behind third-string quarterback Kelly Holcomb after Paul Justin joined Jim Harbaugh on the sidelines with an injury. But Trent Dilfer's 24-yard TD pass to Williams tied it.

### Packers 20, Lions 10

Green Bay intercepted four of Scott Mitchell's passes to pull the Packers into a tie with Minnesota for first place in the NFC Central.

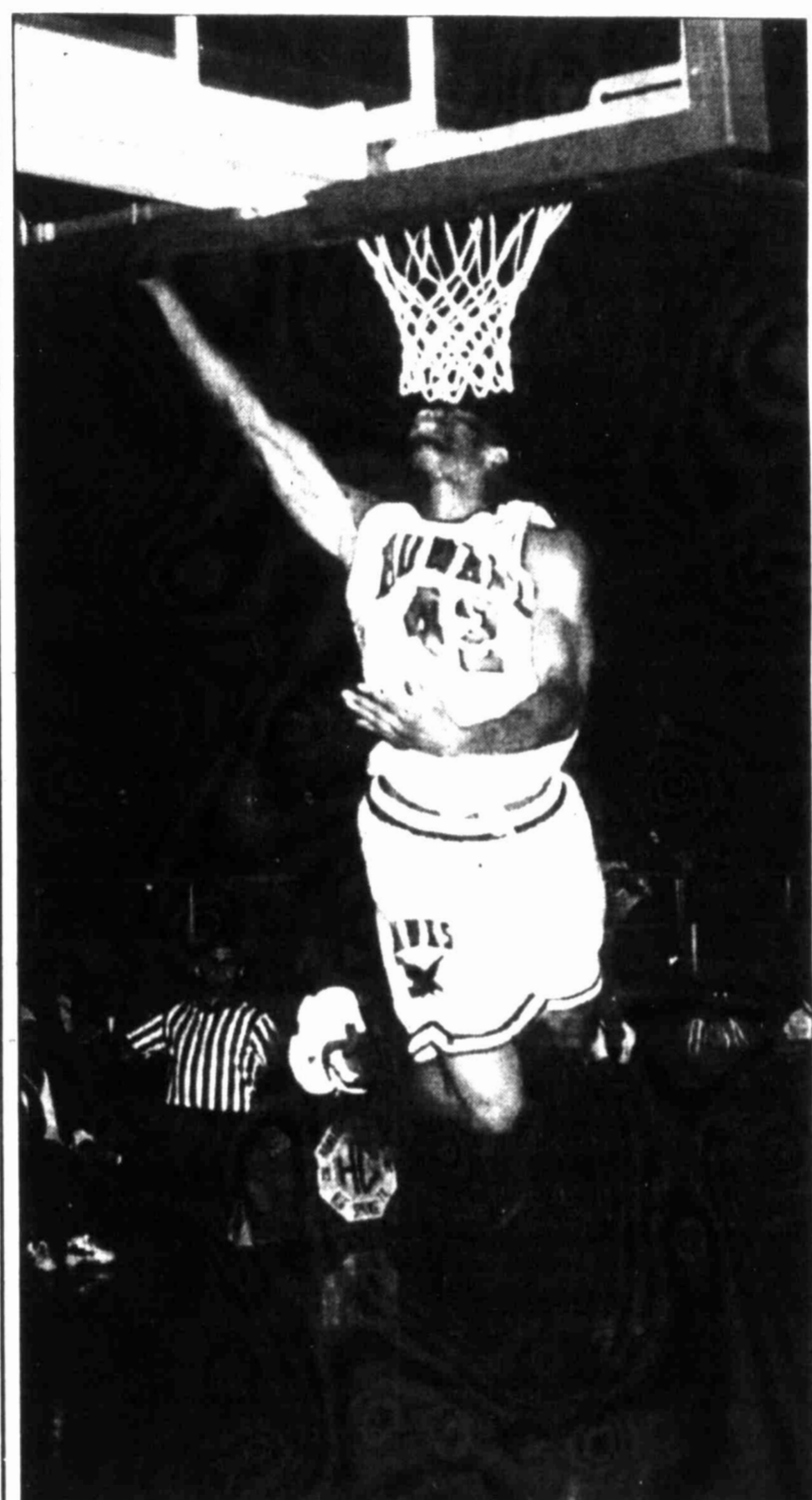
Darren Sharper's interception return for a touchdown gave the Packers (7-2) the lead for good in the second quarter, and they held on to win despite Barry Sanders' 105 yards on 23 carries, his career-high seventh straight 100-yard game.

### Vikings 23, Patriots 18

Minnesota's fifth straight victory kept the Vikings even with Green Bay, while New England stumbled to its fourth loss in five games.

Moe Williams' 74-yard return of the opening kickoff set up a field goal. John Randle led the Vikings' defense that allowed the Patriots only three points in three quarters.

## HAWKS FLY HIGH



HERALD photo/Jonathan Garrett  
Howard College's Joe Robinson flies to the hoop during the Hawks 115-80 win over Grayson's Vikings Saturday. The Hawks' next action comes Friday and Saturday when they host the Howard College Classic.

## Huskers bolster No. 1 ranking in latest AP poll

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Nebraska nearly had its third consecutive shutout, but will certainly settle for a third straight week at No. 1 in The Associated Press' Top 25 college football poll.

The Cornhuskers (8-0), shut out Texas Tech and Kansas before beating Oklahoma 69-7 on Saturday to strengthen their grip on the top spot over No. 2 Penn State.

Florida, meanwhile, tumbled out of the top 10 for the first time in five years following a 37-17 loss to Georgia. The Gators dropped seven spots to No. 13, their first non-top 10 ranking in 81 polls. Florida was No. 14 in the final regular-season poll of 1992.

Nebraska received 46 first-place votes and 1,719 points from the panel of 70 sports writers and broadcasters.

Penn State (7-0) collected 16 first-place votes and 1,643 points after its 30-27 win over Northwestern. Last week, the Huskers led the Lions 35-25 in first-place votes and 1,704,195 points.

Florida State (8-0) remained No. 3 after its 48-35 win over North Carolina State, while Michigan (8-0) was No. 4 and North Carolina (8-0) No. 5.

The Seminoles, who play the Tar Heels on Saturday night, had five first-place votes and 1,627 points, just 16 points behind Penn State.

The Wolverines (8-0), who beat Minnesota 24-3, received one first-place vote and 1,561 points. Michigan is at Penn State on Saturday.

North Carolina, a 16-13 winner over Georgia Tech on Thursday night, had two first-place votes and 1,481 points.

Washington, which beat Southern California 27-0, moved up a spot to No. 6, followed by Ohio State, Tennessee, Georgia and UCLA.

The Bulldogs (7-1) moved into the top 10 for the first time since the final poll of the 1992 season, while the Bruins (7-2), 27-7 winners over Stanford, hit No. 10 for the first time since

## TOP 25

The Top Twenty-Five teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first place votes in parentheses and records through Nov. 1.

Rank	Team	Record
1	Nebraska (46)	8-0
2	Penn St. (16)	7-0
3	Florida St. (5)	8-0
4	Michigan (1)	8-0
5	North Carolina (1)	8-0
6	Washington (16)	7-1
7	Ohio St.	8-1
8	Tennessee	6-1
9	Georgia	7-1
10	UCLA	7-2
11	Kansas St.	7-1
12	Iowa	6-2
13	Florida	6-2
14	LSU	6-2
15	Arizona St.	6-2
16	Washington St.	7-1
17	Auburn	7-2
18	Texas	8-0
19	Mississippi St.	6-2
20	Virginia Tech	6-2
21	Texas A&M	6-2
22	Syracuse	6-3
23	Purdue	6-2
24	Southern Miss	6-2
25	Oklahoma St.	6-2

final regular-season poll of the 1993 season.

Kansas State was No. 11, followed by Iowa, Florida, LSU, Arizona State, Washington State, Auburn, Toledo, Mississippi State, Virginia Tech, Texas A&M, Syracuse, Purdue, Southern Mississippi and Oklahoma State.

In the USA Today/ESPN poll, the top five were: Nebraska, Florida State, Penn State, Michigan and North Carolina.

Washington State (7-1) lost its first game of the season, 44-31 to Arizona State, and fell six places to No. 16, while the Sun Devils (6-2) improved five spots to No. 15.

The Hawkeyes, who beat Purdue 35-17, moved up three places, while the Boilermakers (6-2) fell five spots to No. 23.

In another game matching Top 25 teams, Texas A&M beat Oklahoma State 28-25 in overtime. The Aggies (6-2) advanced five places to No. 21, the Cowboys (6-2) fell six spots to No. 25.

Mississippi State (6-2), which upset Auburn 20-0, moved into the Top 25 for the first time since 1994, while Syracuse (6-3), a 40-10 winner over West Virginia, rejoined the rankings after a nine-week absence.

## Tech expected to release NCAA findings today

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

**LUBBOCK** — Texas Tech athletic director Gerald Myers says the public likely has already seen some of what will emerge from a 20-month NCAA investigation into the school.

Texas Tech scheduled a news conference for this evening to release an NCAA official letter of inquiry.

"You can pretty well assume all the things that have been in

the media over the last several months are probably going to be in there," Myers said Sunday of the letter.

Myers said he hadn't yet seen the letter and probably would get it this morning.

The Associated Press was unable Sunday night to reach the NCAA, which has declined to comment since its investigation began in February 1996.

The Houston Chronicle in March 1995 began a series of

stories containing a variety of alleged violations the athletic department, including possible grade irregularities, questionable coursework and recruiting violations, mostly in the men's basketball and football programs.

A month ago Sunday, the university released an internal audit revealing 76 Tech athletes have competed ineligible since 1991 because of a rash of academic compliance mistakes.

New compliance director Robert Burton said the audit has been adapted into the NCAA investigation.

Tech officials will have an opportunity to respond to the letter before any penalties are imposed. However, Chancellor John T. Montford has said the school could impose sanctions on itself.

Myers declined to speculate on when such a decision could be made.

## Duval makes it three straight with Tour Championship win

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

**HOUSTON** — A month ago, everyone was wondering when David Duval would get his first PGA Tour victory. Now they are wondering when he will stop.

The Duval Express rolled through the Tour Championship on Sunday as he won his third consecutive tournament, taking home the \$720,000 first prize by one stroke over Jim Furyk and two strokes over Davis Love III.

Just like that, after being winless in his first 92 events on the PGA Tour, Duval is 3-for-3.

"Three victories in a year, no matter how they are spaced out, is a great year," said Duval, the first player since Nick Price in 1993 to win three consecutive starts, and the first player to make his first three victories consecutive.

Duval, who closed with a 3-under 68 for an 11-under 273 total, also denied Love a chance to edge out Tiger Woods for the money title — and possibly player of the year honors.

Love, who bogeyed the last hole knowing he

needed a birdie to tie Duval, would have won the money title and possibly player of the year if he had taken the season-ending event.

"I would have liked to have finished a little better," said Love, who shot a 70. "But it was nice to make Tiger sweat a little bit on the back nine."

The money title went to Woods with a record \$2,066,833 despite finishing 12th, and he likely will be voted player of the year.

Woods won four times in 1997, including his sensational victory in the Masters, but closed the season without a victory since July 6.

"To end up like this does hurt," said Woods, who closed with a 69 to tie for 12th at 3-under 281. "But it's been a good season overall. And being a 21-year-old it's not a bad first year on tour."

Duval finished second on the money list with \$1,865,308.

Duval, who will be 26 next week, had seven second-place finishes and was developing a nasty label as a guy unable to finish off tournaments. Now he seems drenched in confidence.

## SPORTS BRIEFS

From staff and wire reports

### TP&WD officials offer recommendations

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials are reminding local landowners and hunters that the white-tailed deer season opens Nov. 1 and continues through Jan. 4, 1998.

The bag limit is four deer with no more than two bucks.

Deer population surveys in Howard County have resulted in TP&WD officials recommending that hunters not harvest antlerless deer north of I-20 and recommend that they take one doe per 800 acres and one buck per 1,300 acres south of I-20.

For more information concerning deer harvest rates, wildlife management procedures and Big Game Awards, contact wildlife biologist Bill Del Monte at (915) 798-3152.

### Local chapter needs softball umpires

The Permian Basin chapter of the Southwest Softball Umpires Association needs umpires to work high school softball games throughout West Texas, including the Big Spring area, this spring.

For more information, contact Mack Gipson at (915) 520-5961 or Freddie Ezell at (915) 520-6502.

### YMCA forming swim team

A swim team to be coached by Harlan Smith is being formed by the Big Spring YMCA.

The team meets from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, and anyone between the ages of 6 and 16 who can swim one length of the pool and is willing to learn the four competitive swimming strokes is welcome to join.

For more information, contact the YMCA by calling 267-8234.

### Coahoma Booster Club meeting Tuesday

The Coahoma Booster Club's next meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school's faculty dining room.

The club meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. and each meeting includes a brief review of the previous Friday's game film.

All Bulldog fans are encouraged to attend.

### Quarterback Club meeting on Tuesday

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Big Spring High School Athletic Facility's film room.

The club meets each Tuesday at 7 p.m. to review films from the previous week's Steers game.



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DELTA LOANS  
\$100 TO \$366.88  
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CEMETERY LOT FOR SALE

3 Spaces available in the  
Garden of Olivet. Buy all 3 at  
\$1800 or one for \$700.  
Contact Roy Tubbs  
267-6446.

HOUSES FOR SALE

For Sale by owner: 1906  
Alabama. 3 bdr. 1 bath,  
fenced back yard with large  
trees. Priced for immediate  
sale. \$37,500.00. To enquire  
254-968-8155

LET EXPERIENCE BE YOUR GUIDE

New From  
ERA REEDER,  
REALTORS

COUNTRY SUNSHINE

Streams through plantation  
shuttered tall windows in  
this beautiful 4 bedroom, 2  
bath on 5 acres just outside  
of city. Take advantage of  
this newly built Troy Hunt  
home with two living areas,  
open planning for  
kitchen/den, lovely decor!  
(Just 4 years old) Call ERA  
REEDER, REALTORS,  
267-8266 or 267-6657.

FARM LAND

1610 AC+/-: Approx. 25  
miles North of Sterling City,  
TX on pavement. Good  
grass, level to rolling  
country, large deer. \$245 per  
acre. Lee, Lee & Puckitt  
Assoc., Inc. 915-655-6989.

ANTIQUES

PAINTINGS WANTED  
By Onderdonk, Porfirio  
Salinas, J. Arpa, Dwight  
Holmes, DeYoung, E.P.  
McGill, Hohnstedt, Rola  
Taylor, Dawson Watson, F.  
Reaugh, Olin Travis, R.  
Bassett, Many Others. Call  
Richard Plumly  
210-408-7778 San Antonio.

DOGS, PETS, ETC

FREE KENNEL CLUB  
BREEDER REFERRAL  
SERVICE  
Helps you find reputable  
breeders/quality puppies.  
Purebred rescue  
information. 263-3404  
daytime.

HOUSE FOR SALE

Newly remodeled 3 bed, 2  
full bath's New ash kitchen  
cab's. 421 Westover,  
\$48500.00 263-4548 or  
270-0590  
Kenny Builders

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IPAY CASH FOR HOUSES

quick, courteous response.  
Don Hankins, 806-794-5964.

MOBILE HOMES

4 bedroom beautiful  
home. Must sell 10% down,  
350/mo. 8.25 APR with  
approved credit. Call in  
today. Be in by the holidays.  
USA Homes 4608 W. Wall,  
Midland TX 79705  
1-800-520-2177.

Save your money for the holidays

Move into your new home today and make  
no payments until 1998 at  
U.S.A. Homes. 4608 W.  
Wall, Midland, TX. 79703  
1-800-520-2177.

First time buyer program!

Let your job be your credit.  
Call for details. Homes of  
America, Odessa, Tx. Se  
Habla Espanol.  
1-915-363-0881.  
1-800-725-0881.

First time buyers it's here,

1998 Fleetwood 5 yr.  
warranty, spectacular  
savings, only \$880. down,  
\$220.00 month, 144 months,  
12.25% apr. Call for easy  
qualification now. Homes of  
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Fleetwood sells one millionth home!

Special built home for celebration.  
Practically giving the home  
away. Call now for details.  
Homes of America, Odessa,  
TX. Se Habla Espanol.  
1-915-363-0881.  
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Free credit approval

hotline for manufactured  
home. Se Habla Espanol.  
1-800-725-0881.  
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Home for the Holidays!

No payment until February  
1998. May all your holidays  
be great in a new Fleetwood  
home this year. Call Homes  
of America, Odessa, TX.  
Don't wait for Santa! Se  
Habla Espanol.  
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MOBILE HOMES

Doublewide \$239/mo\*  
1998 3 bedroom, 2 bath,  
A-1 Homes San Angelo  
915-653-1152  
\*1-800-626-9978  
\*\$1499 down, 360 mo. 9.5%  
VAR APR

Triplewide Only \$449/mth\*  
A-1 Homes San Angelo  
3601 N. Bryant  
915-653-1152  
\*1-800-626-9978  
\* \$2800 down, 360 mos.  
9.5% VAR APR

Credit Hot Line  
915-653-1152

FURNISHED APTS.

Apartments, houses, mobile  
home. References required.  
263-6944, 263-2341.

OFFICE SPACE

618 Gregg St. 1.365 sq. ft. of  
office. Parking in front &  
rear. Call 267-7449.

RENT TO OWN

Neat 1 bdr., 2 bdr. 1 bath,  
adjacent grade school; 4  
bd., 2 bath, East side. \$300  
per mo.

4 acres chained link fence  
with truck scales, steel  
box car, office & shed at  
1400 N. Birdwell lane, was  
a scrap iron yard. 264  
0510

UNFURNISHED HOUSES

1 bedroom, 1 bath, 1102  
Sycamore. Call 267-3841  
or 556-4022.

2 bd., 2 bath Mobile home.  
Ceiling fans throughout,  
large deck, Water/gas paid.  
Available Nov. 1st.  
\$150./dep., \$325/mc. Days  
263-1768, 263-6249  
Weekend/nights.

2 bedroom house, central  
heat, fenced yard. Very  
clean 263-5818.

Small clean 2 bdr., with  
stove & ref., \$550/mo.  
150/dep. Call 267-3566.

Spacious 1 bdr. duplex.  
Close to schools, w/carpot.  
185/mo. plus 140/dep. Call  
267-4071 or 915 581-8251.

For Rent: 2304 Merrily 3,  
bd., fireplace, central  
heat/air, No pets! \$575./mo.  
263-6617.

3 Bedroom, 2 bath, central  
heat & air, den, fenced yard,  
utility room. 702 W. 18th,  
\$565/mth, \$250/dep.  
267-7449.

3-2, CARPORT, \$450/mo.  
plus deposit. Available Nov.  
1st. 267-2296.

Neat 1 bdr., 2 bdr. 1 bath,  
adjacent grade school; 3  
bd., 2 bath, west side.  
\$220 per mo. 264-0510.

PONDEROSA APARTMENTS

\*Furnished & Unfurnished  
\*All Utilities Paid  
\*Covered Parking  
\*Swimming Pools  
1425 E. 6th St. 263-6319

BEAUTIFUL GARDEN COURTYARD

\*Swimming Pool  
\*Private Patios  
\*Carpets  
\*Appliances  
\*Most Utilities  
Paid  
\*Senior Citizens  
Discount  
\*1 & 2 Bedroom  
Unfurnished  
PARKHILL  
TERRACE  
APARTMENTS  
800 W. Marcy Drive  
263-5555 263-5000

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE  
OF THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF GLASSCOCK  
Whereas, by virtue of a certain  
WRIT OF EXECUTION and  
ORDER FOR TURNOVER RELIEF  
issued out of the 16th JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT COURT OF ECTOR  
COUNTY, TEXAS, on a judgment  
rendered in said Court on the 11th  
day of July, 1996, in favor of  
GREAT BASIN PETROLEUM  
SERVICES, INC. and GREAT  
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against ROBERT E. SUTTON,  
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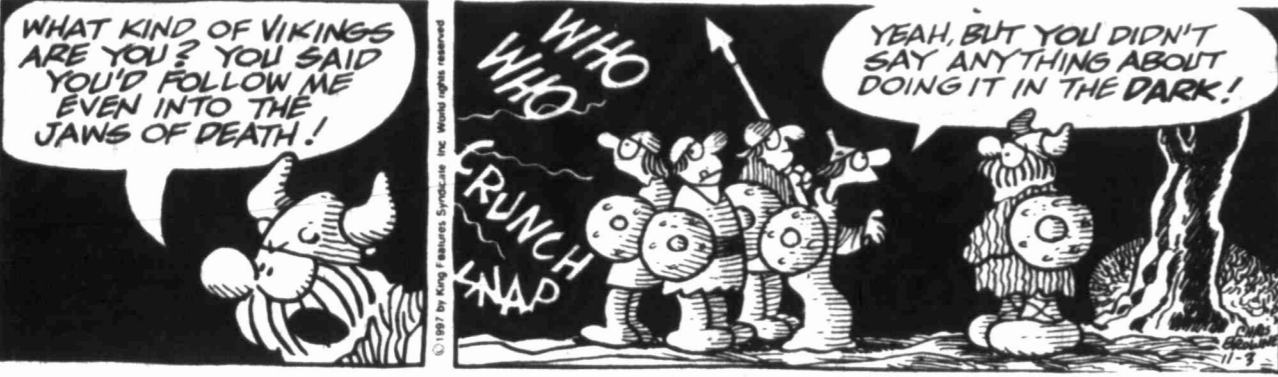


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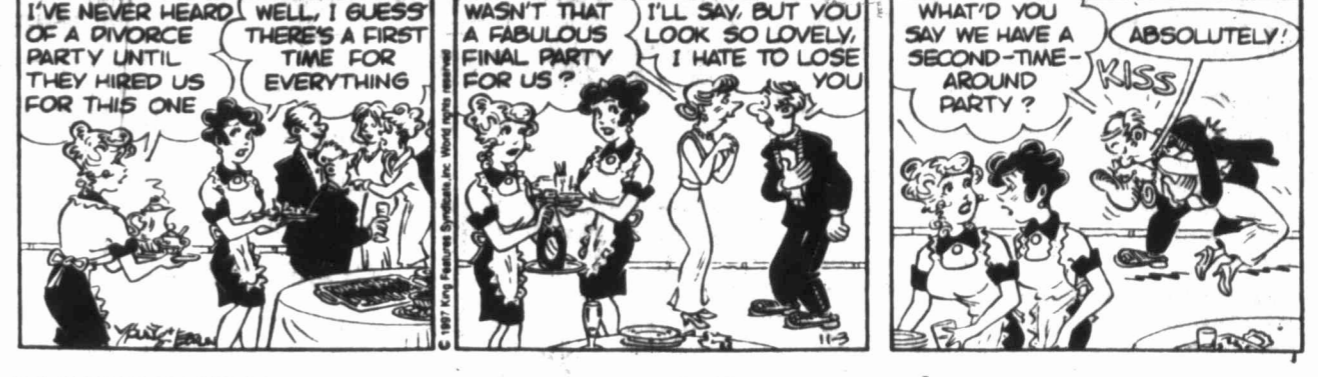
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6:30 PM	News (CC) Wh. Fortune	Simpsons Home Imp.	Science Guy Creatures	Wallons	News Grace Under	News (CC) Wh. Fortune	News Seinfeld (CC)	Coach Coach	Mi Casida Isabel	Movie: A Gooly Movie	Dukes of Hazard	The Lion in Winter	Bacon (CC)	Storyteller	Law & Order (CC)	Game Show	Lois & Clark: Superman	FOX Sports NFL Hockey	FOX Sports NFL Prime	Planet Groove		
7:30 PM	Primetime Live (CC)	Melrose Place (CC)	National Geo.	Rescue 911 (CC)	Cosby (CC) Raymond	Primetime Live (CC)	Suddenly Caroline	(:05) Movie: Poison Ivy	El Alma No Tiene Color (CC)	(:20) Movie: Today's Country	Today's Country	Movie: The Phantom	Stargate SG-1 (CC)	Movie: The Phantom	Praise A Thon Confirms	Biography	Wild Discovery	WCW Nitro (CC)	Dallas Stars at Montreal	Monday	Movie: Tarzan and the Lost Safari	
8:30 PM	NFL Football Pittsburgh	Aly McBeal (CC)	Full Circle (CC)	Diagnosis Murder (CC)	George & Leo Cybill (CC)	NFL Football Pittsburgh	Frankenstein 1997 (CC)	(:05) Movie: The Sitter	Cristina: Edicion Especial	Just Like Dad (CC)	Prime Time Country (CC)	Movie: Mrs. Winterbourne	Movie: Sripasee	(CC) (45) The	Truth About Cats and	Deadheads	What Sex Am I?	WCW Nitro (CC)	Canada's	Gymnastics: Magnificent	Movie: Palm Springs	Hit List
9:30 PM	Steelers at Kansas City	Earth: Final Conflict	Championship Ballroom	Hawaii Five-0 (CC)	Brooklyn South (CC)	Steelers at Kansas City	Frankenstein 1997 (CC)	(:05) Movie: The Sitter	P. Impacto Noticiero Uni.	No Dessert Dad	Monday Night Concerts	(9:50) Movie: Mulholland	Movie: Dogs (CC) Mr. Show With Best of Sex Bytes (CC)	Praise A Thon	Law & Order (CC)	Justice Files	FOX Sports News	Cheerleading Scorecenter	Movie: The Kid From	BET Tonight		
10:30 PM	News (CC) Cheers	Vibe	Nova (CC)	Three Stooges Married... With	Show (CC) Married... With	News (CC) Nightline	News (CC) Nightline	Wild Life Adventures (32) Late	Al Ritmo de la Noche	Superdad (CC)	Dukes of Hazard	Falls (CC) (40) Movie:	(CC)	Biography	Wild Discovery	Movie: The Great Escape	FOX Sports News	SCC NFL's Greatest Moments NFL Great	Texas Movie: Tarzan and the Lost Safari	227 (CC) Midnight Love		
11:30 PM	Nightline	Martin (CC) In the Heat of	Colours of	Paid Program	Late Late Show	Ent. Tonight Politically Inc.	Night (CC) Gayle King	(12:05) TOPX	Club America	(12:15) Movie: You	Prime Time Country (CC)	The French Connection	(12:15) Movie: Mrs.	(11:50) Movie: Fi	Movie: Datziel and Pascoe	Coma-Epidemic	H.S. Extra Auto Racing					

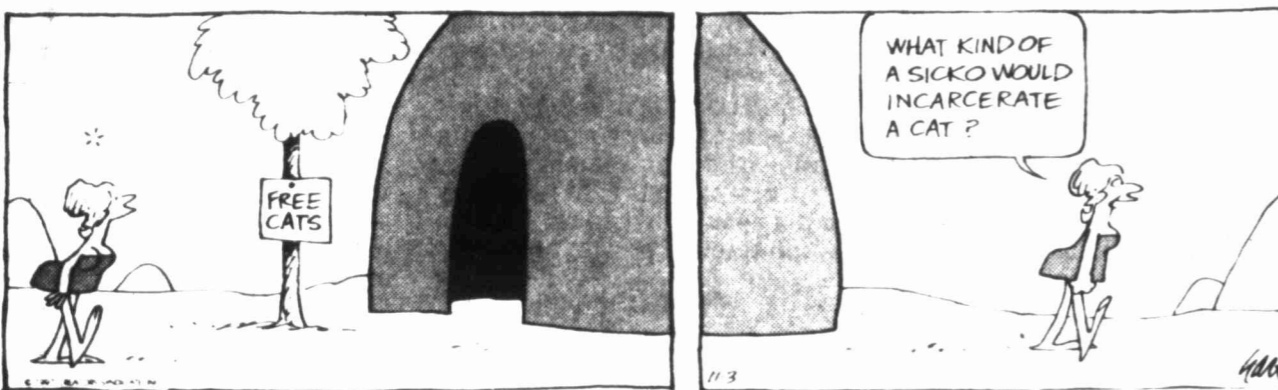
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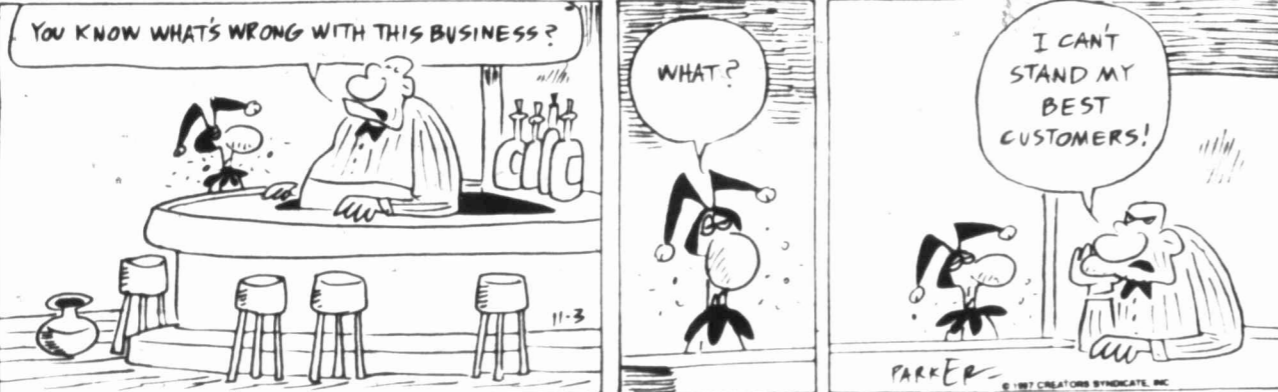
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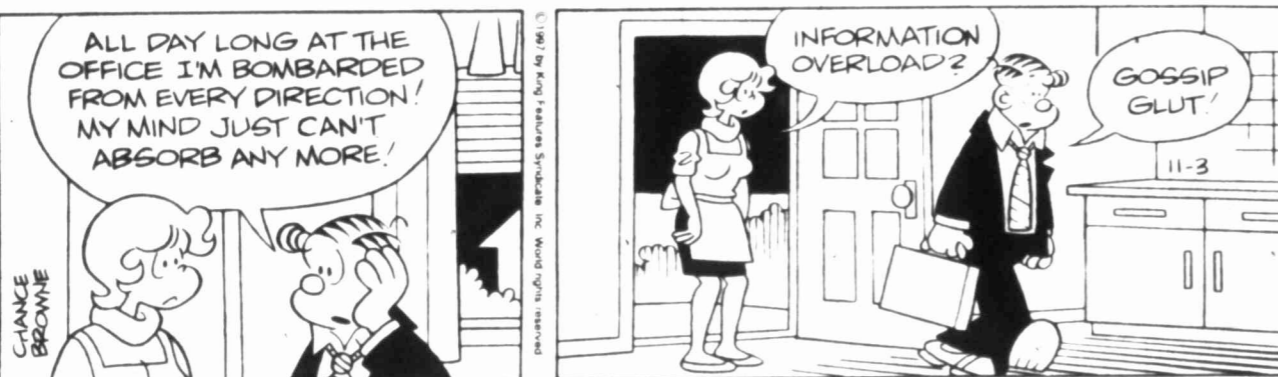
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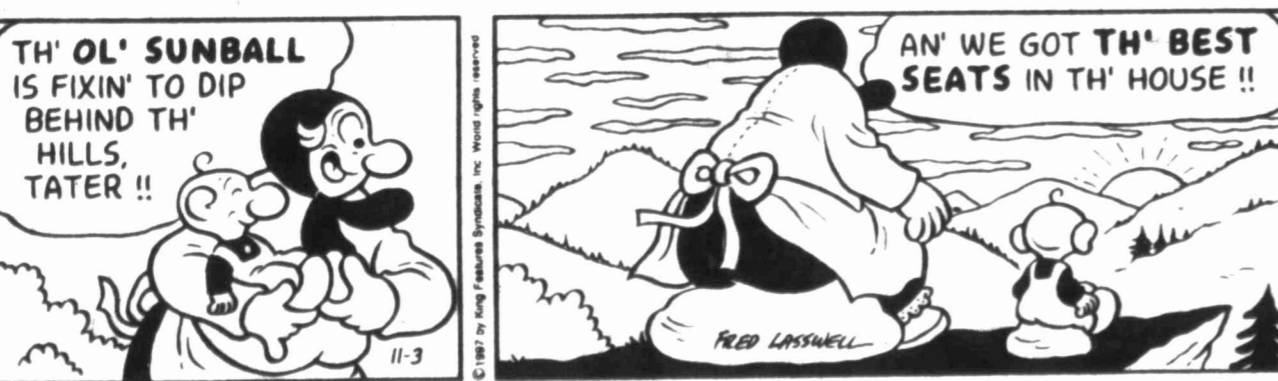
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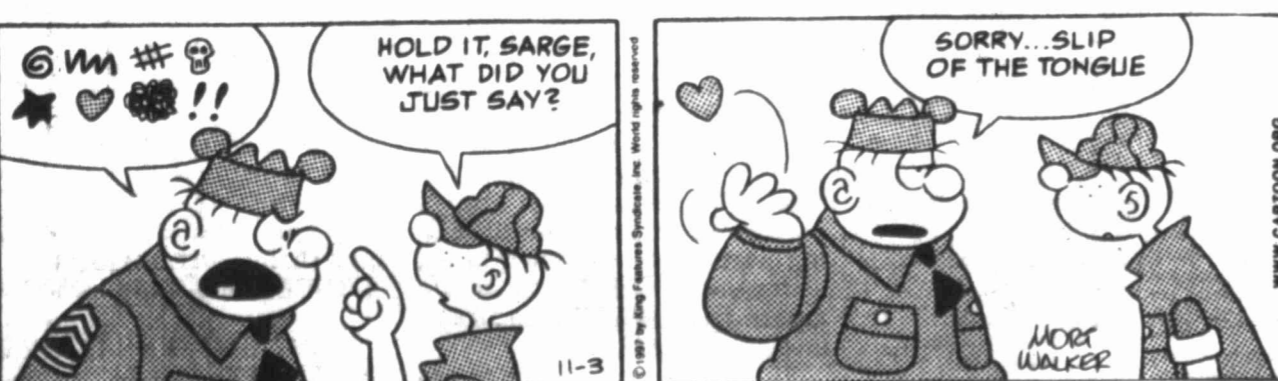
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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

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Today is Monday, Nov. 3, the 307th day of 1997. There are 58 days left in the year.

THE Daily Crossword

- ACROSS
- 1 Took advantage of
- 5 Take a breather
- 10 Meat cut
- 14 Offended
- 15 Steel or brass
- 16 Where the heart is?
- 17 Drinking cups
- 18 Old hat
- 19 Uncap
- 20 Kinds of containers
- 23 Vase-shaped jug
- 24 Stout
- 25 Certain hair dyes
- 28 Scales
- 33 Noted violin maker
- 34 Soup holders
- 35 Court concern
- 36 Youngsters
- 37 Bitter drug
- 38 Current fashion
- 39 Greek vowel
- 40 African antelope
- 41 Took on
- 42 Convention participant
- 44 Harsh
- 45 — sister
- 46 Farmland piece
- 47 Kinds of containers
- 55 Con
- 56 Fable lesson
- 57 Soft cheese
- 58 List part
- 59 Stand
- 60 Emerald Isle
- 61 Verne captain
- 62 Neck features
- 63 Sweetie
- DOWN
- 1 Gomer Pyle's org.
- 2 Crabby
- 3 Hence
- 4 Mountaineering finales
- 5 Football plays
- 6 Vow-taking site
- 7 — Bator
- 8 Auctioneer's cry
- 9 Scrutinizes
- 10 Selected
- 11 Navajo neighbor
- 12 Sign
- 13 Writes down
- 21 Movie bridge river
- 22 Word of resignation
- 25 Loathed
- 26 Ham it up
- 27 Of birth
- 28 Famous frontiersman
- 29 Filled with wonder
- 30 — Boothe Luce
- 31 Enthusiastic
- 32 Nobel, for one
- 34 Utter without thinking
- 37 Man from Montgomery
- 38 Wadi
- 40 Selves
- 41 Munich mister
- 43 Nome native
- 44 Piano exercise
- 46 Degrade
- 47 Adams' son
- 48 Feed the kitty
- 49 Rose support
- 50 Ms. Ephron
- 51 Sign of a leak
- 52 Buffalo's lake
- 53 Modena money
- 54 Vaticinator

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Saturday's Puzzle solved:



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broke out.

In 1868, Republican Ulysses S. Grant won the presidential election over Democrat Horatio Seymour.

In 1896, Republican William McKinley defeated Democrat William Jennings Bryan for the presidency.

In 1903, Panama proclaimed its independence from Colombia.

In 1908, Republican William Howard Taft was elected president, outpolling William Jennings Bryan.

In 1936, President Roosevelt was re-elected in a landslide over Republican challenger Alfred M. "Alf" Landon.

In 1957, the Soviet Union launched into orbit Sputnik Two, the second manmade satellite; a dog on board named Laika was sacrificed in the experiment.

In 1964, President Johnson soundly defeated Republican challenger Barry Goldwater to win a White House term in his own right.

In 1970, Salvador Allende was inaugurated as president of Chile.

In 1979, five radicals were killed when gunfire erupted during an anti-Ku Klux Klan demonstration in Greensboro, N.C., after a caravan of Klansmen and Nazis had driven into the area.

In 1986, "Ash Shira'a," a pro-Syrian Lebanese magazine, broke the story of U.S. arms sales to Iran, a revelation that escalated into the Iran-Contra affair.

Ten years ago: On Wall Street, after five consecutive gains, the Dow Jones industrial average closed down 50.56 points, ending the day at 1,963.53.

Five years ago: Bill Clinton was elected as the 42nd president of the United States, defeating President Bush. In Illinois, Democrat Carol Moseley-Braun became the first black woman elected to the U.S. Senate.

One year ago: American entrepreneur Paul Tatum was shot to death on the steps of a Moscow subway station in what his relatives suspect was a contract slaying by the Russian mafia.

Today's Birthdays: Baseball Hall-of-Famer Bob Feller is 79. Actor Charles Bronson is 76. Actress Monica Vitti is 66. Former Massachusetts Gov. Michael S. Dukakis is 64. Actor-dancer Ken Berry is 64. Actor Shadoe Stevens is 51. Singer Lulu is 49. Television critic Tom Shales is 49. Actor Mike Evans is 48. Comedian-actress Roseanne is 45. Actress Kate Capshaw is 44. Comedian Dennis Miller is 42. Actress Kathy Kinney ("The Drew Carey Show") is 44. Singer Adam Ant is 43. Actor Dolph Lundgren is 38.