

Plan to include part of Glasscock County in weevil eradication zone

By **CARLTON JOHNSON**
Staff Writer

Area residents and producers have until May 11 to offer public comment on a proposal to move the northern part of Glasscock County into the Permian Basin Boll Weevil Eradication Zone.

Currently, the northern part of Glasscock County is in the St. Lawrence Boll Weevil Eradication Zone.

The proposal was made to Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry by

members of the Permian Basin Boll Weevil Advisory Committee and the St. Lawrence Cotton Growers Association.

According to the Texas Department of Agriculture, cultural practices in the northern part of Glasscock County are also similar to those in the Permian Basin zone and moving into this zone would affect approximately 18,000 acres of cotton which are contiguous to the Permian Basin.

"There are 560,000 acres of cotton in the Permian Basin zone

already and this move would only add another positive to the area from an economic impact," Howard County Extension Agent David Kight said. "There is a natural buffer zone between the northern part of Glasscock County and the St. Lawrence zone."

The Permian Basin zone includes cotton acreage in six counties, including Howard, Dawson, Martin, Ector and parts of Midland and Borden counties.

The Permian Basin zone was approved earlier this year by

Perry, following several meetings and public comment periods, meaning area producers will now be able to design their own future eradication efforts on a more localized scale.

In approving formation of the zone, Perry also appointed Dawson County farmer James C. Brown of Midland to represent the zone on the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation Board of Directors.

Last year, a referendum, which would have established a suppression program in the then 19-county Southern High

Plains-Caprock Boll Weevil Eradication Zone, was defeated by a margin of 52 percent to 48 percent.

As a result of the failed referendum, local producers will now have more of a voice in what type of program they participate in.

Prior to Perry's approving of the Permian Basin zone, area producers selected officers to oversee the zone. Officers include Chairman Eddie Herm, Ackerly; Vice Chairman Foy O'Brien, Dawson County; Secretary Gene Herndon,

Martin County; and Treasurer Brad Vaughn, Martin County.

Although no date has been set for a vote on a program for the Permian Basin zone, realistically producers are probably looking at a September or October as far as taking a vote on establishing any type of eradication program.

If producers indicate a need, the Texas Department of Agriculture will set a referendum sometime this year for producers to vote on whether to participate in an eradication program.

Cable company to add channel

New addition to replace CMT in package, Kountz says

HERALD Staff Report

TCA Cable TV late Monday announced plans to replace Country Music Television with Great American Country on channel 36.

"Over the years, country music videos have proven to be a valuable part of our channel line-up," said Archie Kountz, general manager of TCA. "Now we can deliver the popular country format with more music and fewer commercials through Great American Country."

The new channel will become part of the standard cable package on April 28.

The new channel's programming will include:

• **Top 15 Countdown** — Picked by viewers each week via the World Wide Web, this program has included celebrity hosts such as Trisha Yearwood, John Berry and Joe Diffie.

• **Fast Forward** — provides viewers their first look at the week's new videos in a fast-paced format.

• **On the Edge of Country** — Alternative country styles, such as country rock, bluegrass and traditional, this program has featured such artists as Lyle Lovett, Allison Kraus and Dwight Yoakum.

• **Behind the Scenes** — Interviews, videos and exclusive performances by popular artists.

Kountz added that Great American Country includes the programming of its sister company, Jones Radio Network, whose executives create the music playlists that reach more than 450 country radio stations across the U.S.

TCA Cable serves more than 8,000 subscribers locally, and is the nation's 16th largest multiple system cable operator with over 880,000 customers.

For more information about the new channel, or any other cable-related matter, call TCA at 267-3821.



Marcy Elementary secretary Leslie Clements works with Principal Rey Villarreal recently. Wednesday is National Secretary's Day.

Campaign stop 17th District candidate Izzard focuses on U.N. during visit

By **CARLTON JOHNSON**
Staff Writer

Republican Congressional candidate Rudy Izzard of San Angelo made his second stop in the last four months in Big Spring today, to talk about a variety of issues, but focused his comments on the role of the U.S. in the United Nations.



IZZARD

Izzard addressed a group of supporters in the Justice of the Peace Courtroom in the Howard County Courthouse this morning.

Getting close in 1996 was enough motivation for the San Angelo dentist to toss his hat into the ring for a second run at the 17th Congressional District seat held by Stamford Democrat Charles Stenholm.

In December, Izzard told supporters that he's more convinced than ever before that the people in the 17th District are ready for a change in leadership.

Izzard said the district has been represented by two Democrats for the last 55 years and it will be hard to defeat a 20-year incumbent, but he feels like he has a good chance.

"I have a vision of the future of a small, constitutionally-based but effective government," Izzard said. "But to do this, we need new leadership. I know what the 17th District needs."

If elected, Izzard says he would serve on the Agriculture Committee and the National Security (Armed Services)

Committee. "Serving on the Agriculture Committee will put me in touch with some key economic issues," Izzard said. "I've seen hard times and a lot of young people moving away from the district. I want to ensure a good future for rural America."

Izzard said America's military is in a weakened state.

"We now have a presence in more than 100 countries without a formal agenda for being there," Izzard said.

Tax reform is also one of the issues Izzard continues to discuss as he campaign around the district.

Izzard says he won't be a "wild-eyed" reformer when it comes to the tax system, but \$200 billion being spend just to comply with the current tax code is too much.

Family is also an issue Izzard plans to make part of the campaign.

"One thing I will always keep in mind is strengthening the family unit," Izzard said. "On a limited basis, I support some of the new education reforms, but I will oppose any legislation that recognizes same sex marriages."

Izzard says he feels good about this particular campaign because it will have a strong Republican ticket with Gov. George W. Bush running for reelection and Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry running for Lt. Governor.

If elected, Izzard has promised to open full-time district offices in Big Spring, Mineral Wells and Abilene.

Izzard continues to state he believes his chances of defeating Stenholm in 1998 are better than in 1996 because he feels Stenholm's influence has diminished within the 17th district.

4th 'Battle of the Bulge' set for tonight at HC coliseum

By **KATHY GILBERT**
Staff Writer

Bulging biceps replace bulging tummies at 7 p.m. tonight in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. At least that's the idea behind the 4th annual "Battle of the Bulge," where 120 students from Howard College and the SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf face off to lose weight, and have a good time.

"Its name originated because many people were trying to follow their New Year's resolutions to lose the winter holiday pounds," said Corky Mitchell, director of communications for Howard College. "They couldn't get outdoors. So we were hunting for an area where we could do something active."

Today, the battle has been pushed back from January to April due to scheduling problems, but the bulge-battling activities remain the same.

Students will compete in eight events, including "Strike Zone," "Hot Shot," "Three-Legged Race," "Bombs Away," "Batters Box," "Cowboy Up" and the team tug-of-war.

In Strike Zone, competitors

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Corky Mitchell

get three chances to shoot a ball through a target. Hot Shot athletes attempt to launch as many basketballs through the hoop as they can in 30 seconds.

In Bombs Away two balls are placed at three different locations and team members have 30 seconds to score 10 balls.

Cowboy Up "sounds humorous and will be to watch," Mitchell said, "but it is actually a pretty difficult event."

Taking a cue from recent area kindergarten rodeos, students will ride stick horses around an obstacle course. They must lasso a steer head in a bale of hay. Then cross the finish line, still mounted on their stick horse and holding

their lasso. Points are deducted for hitting cones, missing the steer head, dropping the horse, or any number of other infractions, Mitchell explained.

"They must cross the finish line with the horse and lasso," he said.

Batters Box pits human against machine, and the team with the most hits wins.

The grand finale will be the Team Tug-of-War, Mitchell said.

Points are scored and tallied by team for each event. The first-place team wins a small cash award and specially designed "Battle of the Bulge" T-shirts.

And the third-place team wins pickles.

"As a standing tradition from the original idea of losing weight, the third-place team wins a large jar of dill pickles," Mitchell said.

Last year 20 teams competed, he said. "We're hoping that this year it will be even bigger. It tends to grow every year."

EDITOR'S NOTE: The "Battle of the Bulge is free and open to the public.

Texas Monthly editor critical after robbery

MEXICO CITY (AP) — A Texas journalist who was shot and critically wounded when robbers hijacked the taxi cab he and three friends had hailed is expected to return to Austin within the next week, his wife says.

Jan Reid, a contributing editor for Texas Monthly, was conscious and in intensive care Monday, his wife, Dorothy Browne, said at the American British Cadre Hospital.

Reid, 53, was shot in the left

wrist and abdomen, with a bullet lodged in his spine, she said.

"It's pretty bleak. They say he'll probably be paralyzed from the waist down," she said.

Ms. Brown said that after a second surgery, Reid was not doing as well, but added, "There is still a little hope."

Reid, Texas Monthly associate editors John Spong and Michael Hall, and Spong's friend David Courtney were in Mexico City

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Mayoral candidate says city in state of decay

By **CARLTON JOHNSON**
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One of the three candidates on the May 2 ballot seeking the office of mayor is Big Spring resident Wendell D. McDonald, who is running for a variety of reasons.



MCDONALD

McDonald's motivation for seeking the office of mayor stems from his views of the city of Big Spring from a physical aspect as well as a customer service aspect.

The city is in major decay, the city needs to do more for people with AIDS, according to McDonald, who is an AIDS patient himself and the city needs to make more areas of the city wheelchair accessible.

McDonald faces two political veterans in incumbent Tim Blackshear and former city council member Pat DeAnda.

"I decided to run because I was thinking about how aggravating it is to realize that you can only get things done if you get out and do them yourself," McDonald said, referring to the city. "Big Spring is stuck somewhere between being a country town and a city."

The city needs to focus on customer service, according to McDonald.

"Big Spring should have an office that can help people with AIDS get the services they need," McDonald said. "I think it's shortsighted for Big Spring

not to have this type of help available considering the crisis AIDS has caused."

"Clover House in Odessa is the closest available AIDS service organization the Permian Basin," McDonald added. "This is something that if we can get off the ground in Big Spring can be staffed by volunteers as it is with Clover House."

Where city employees are concerned, McDonald said, "We need to rejuvenate the city by making Big Spring more inhab-

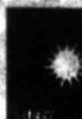
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WEATHER

Tonight:



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Thurs:



Fri:



Tonight, clear with a low near 40. Wednesday, sunny with a high in the upper 70s. Wednesday night, fair. Low in the mid 40s. Extended forecast, Thursday, mostly sunny. High in the 80s. Friday and Saturday, partly cloudy and windy. Lows in the upper 40s to mid 50s. Highs in the low to mid 80s.

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OBITUARIES

Charles B. Smith

Service for Charles B. Smith, 82, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 23, 1998, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Vance Self, Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will follow at Trinity Memorial Park with military honors.

Goodfellow Air Force Base, San Angelo.

Mr. Smith died Monday, April 20, in a Midland nursing home. He was born on March 14, 1916. He married Coralyn Davis on Feb. 10, 1994, in Lamesa. Mr. Smith had lived in Big Spring since 1965. He had served 28 years in the U.S. Air Force retiring as Chief Master Sergeant. He had worked in aircraft maintenance and repair. He enjoyed dancing.

Survivors include: his wife, Coralyn Smith of Big Spring; two sons, Charles Smith, Jr. of Houston, and LeRoy Smith of Chandler, Ariz.; two daughters, Shirley Sharon of Gilbert, Ariz., and Charlene Brown of Mesa, Ariz.; a number of grandchildren; three stepdaughters, Coralyn Williford of White Sands, N.M., Wanda Simpson of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Ann Clark of Midland; two stepsons, Virgil Ted Johnson of King City, Mo., and Eric Johnson of Big Spring; 15 step-grandchildren; and four step-great-grandchildren. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Fun run winners announced

Following are the winners from Saturday's Master the Mountain Fun Run/Walk at Big Spring State Park:

- Female - 5k run: Age 10-15: 1. Natalie Teveni, 2. Laura Teveni
- Age 30-39: 1. Lucy Clinton, 2. Donna McMahon, 3. Cindy Wilson
- Age 40+: 1. Nita Lellek, 2. Leslie Clements, 3. Cindy New
- Female - 10k run: Age 28-33: 1. Melissa McCullough, 2. Denise Hinrichs, 3. Brandy Williams
- Age 34-40: 1. Sylvia Lee, 2. Diana Bibeau, 3. Shelley Smith
- Male - 5k run: Age 19-33: 1. Billy Sanderson, 2. Carlos Mercado, 3. Justin Cole
- Age 34-39: 1. Kenneth Darenbourg, 2. Bobby Barber, 3. Pablo Teveni
- Age 40+: 1. Bob Finn, 2. Perry Whitehead, 3. Ron Alderton and John Smith
- Male - 10k run: Age 18-31: 1. Ty Purcell, 2. Anton Montano, 3. Brett Cate

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Charles B. Smith, 82, died Monday. Services will be 2:00 PM Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Age 32-41: 1. Mark Guillen, 2. James Fairchild, 3. Don Roberson

Kidnapping, indecency cases under investigation

HERALD Staff Report

A Big Spring woman told police that man known to her restrained her and threatened to kill her in the southwest part of town at about 1 a.m. Monday. The man threatened the life of her child as well, police records show. The victim escaped and reported the incident to the police. The case is under investigation. Police reports also show that a case of indecency with a 4-year-old child in the west part of town was reported at about 2 a.m. Monday. The incident occurred at about Wednesday at about 7 p.m. The suspect is unknown to the child, who was not physically injured. The case is also under investigation.

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able. We can do this if we pay people salaries comparable to those in other communities." "As mayor, I would propose we review all employee salaries according to what each employee does and pay them accordingly," McDonald added. One of the ideas McDonald has is to develop a demolition law that says if a piece of property with a structure on it is left vacant for more than a year, the city has the option of tearing it down. "Look along old Highway 80 on Big Spring's west side. It's an eyesore and I see no reason for it," McDonald said. "We should ask people to fix and clear their properties around the area that we should tear them down." McDonald says as mayor people can at least expect an answer from him if they express a concern. "If you express your concerns to my administration, you may not like the answer, but you will get some action," McDonald said. "That's why I believe the city of Big Spring needs to be run like a customer service department." "Big Spring is stuck on maintaining the status quo and I have to give the city a grade of D-minus because there is so much more that can be done in Big Spring if the city would apply itself," McDonald added. McDonald thinks Big Spring is excellent in the area of volunteer services and maybe developing a mayor's advisory council is something that could help further the cause of volunteerism. As a governing body, McDonald says members of the Big Spring City Council need to put more emphasis on taking care of the people who put them in office, referring to each individual district. "Some council members just don't have the mindset for what they are doing," McDonald said. "Basically you get what you pay for (council members make \$200 per month). Maybe we would have more accountability if council members were paid a regular salary." McDonald says running for mayor is a tremendous opportunity for him because it's challenging work and there is definitely a challenge in running the city. "I have an active mind, personal pride and self-esteem in myself and my city, which

makes me want to lead Big Spring," McDonald said.

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to see a fight featuring boxer Jesus Chavez on Saturday. Reid recently had written about Chavez, who formerly trained in Texas. On Sunday, the four men went to Garibaldi Plaza, a tourist spot famous for mariachi concerts and traditional Mexican restaurants, Browne said. "They stayed over another night. They were kind of having a wonderful evening," she said. The men hailed a green and white taxi sedan at the plaza. Instead of being driven to the apartment where they were staying, armed men forced the taxi to drive into a Mexico City neighborhood about 15 minutes away, she said. "They finally stopped. They forced the men out of the car, then took their watches and their wallets," she said. Although the four men were willing to give up their possessions, she said, "there was some scuffling and that's when Jan got shot." Browne was contacted at the couple's home in Austin, Texas, early Monday and immediately flew to Mexico City. Spong, Hall and Courtney were not hurt and planned to return to Austin. It was not Reid's first encounter with thieves in Mexico City. Gary Cartwright, a senior editor at Texas Monthly, said he and Reid had their pockets picked on the Mexico City subway during a trip with their wives two years ago. "He was aware Mexico City is a dangerous place," Cartwright said. Reid, a graduate of Midwestern State University at Wichita Falls, had written two books and was honored by MSU as a distinguished alumnus in 1989. MSU English professor James Hoggard said friends and family were shocked to learn of the crime. "It has really shaken me to the bone," Hoggard said Monday night. "He is such a dear friend and such a remarkable talent."

SPRINGBOARD

IF YOU HAVE ANY CHANGES IN A SPRINGBOARD ITEM OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT GINA GARZA, 263-7331 ext. 338, BETWEEN 8:30 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.

TODAY
•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.
•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at the VA Medical Center on fourth floor.
•Big Spring Art Association, 7 p.m., West Texas Center for the Arts, Howard College Campus.
•Garden City Headstart registration, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., headstart classroom. Bring proof of income, birth certificate, immunization records and social security for all members of the household. Contact Delia Pierson for more information.

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BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

Pierson for more information.
•BSHS Band Boosters last meeting, 7 p.m., band hall. Parents and boosters of all band students in Big Spring are encouraged to be there to hear about all the wonderful things being done in our growing band program. For more information, call Rocky Harris, 264-3641.
•Senior citizen dance, 7 to 10 p.m., Colorado City Civic Center. The Country Five will perform. Everyone invited.
WEDNESDAY
•Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room. Call Archie Kountz, 267-3821.
•Line dance classes, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Center, following lunch. For more information call 398-5522 or 267-1628. All ages welcome.
•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. 12&12 Study.
•Garden City Headstart registration, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., headstart classroom. Bring proof of income, birth certificate, immunization records and social security for all members of the household. Contact Delia Pierson for more information.
THURSDAY
•Good Shepherd Fellowship Church, 610 Abrams, has services 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.
•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food 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.
•Al-Anon, 8 to 9 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center small cafeteria.
•NA meeting, 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church.
•Alcoholics Anonymous, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting, 615 Settles. 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at Scenic Mountain Medical Center cafeteria.
•Masonic Lodge No. 598, 7:30 p.m., 219 Main.
•Alzheimer's Association support group, 7 p.m., Comanche Trail Nursing Center.
•Garden City Headstart registration, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., headstart classroom. Bring proof of income, birth certificate, immunization records and social security for all members of the household. Contact Delia Pierson for more information.
•The annual Forsan rabies vaccination clinic, 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Fire Station. All Forsan residents are encouraged to get their pets vaccinated for their own protection.

Texas Lottery PICK 3: 5, 9, 1
CASH 5: 20, 28, 29, 30, 35

Refreshments will be served, and the dress is casual. Call 263-7030 for more information.

SUN COUNTRY GENTLEMEN, THE barbershop singing group of the Permian Basin will perform at Big Spring's Municipal Auditorium April 25. The concert begins at 8 p.m. and tickets are \$4 for adults and \$3 for seniors and students. Tickets are available in advance at the chamber of commerce, and will be at the door as well. Call Brian Sadovsky at 694-3536 for more information. The concert will benefit the Heartspring Foundation, which helps children with speech impediments.

BIG SPRING SCHOOL BOARD will meet at noon on April 23 in the Big Spring High School Board Room. Agenda items include: insurance discussion, update 58, building update and PBSBA Spring workshop - May 7, 1998. Call 264-3600 for more information.

THE CITY OF FORSAN will have their annual rabies vaccination clinic on Thursday, April 23, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Fire Station. All Forsan residents are encouraged to get their pets vaccinated for their own protection.

THE BIG SPRING EVENING LIONS CLUB has free eyeglasses for all adults the second Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. to noon at the Big Spring Evening Lions Club bingo building, 1607 East Third. All adults needing eyeglasses who don't have the income to purchase the exam or glasses are welcome. For more information call Al Valdes or Bob Noyes at 267-6095.

1500 block of Tucson, the 3300 block of W. U.S. Highway 80, the 200 block of Runnels and at the police station.
•ASSAULT CLASS C reported in the 2000 block of Goliad.
•CRIMINAL MISCHIEF reported in the 1500 block of Wood.
•BURGLARY OF HABITATION reported in the 500 block of S. Bell, and the 1600 block of Lark.
•THEFT reported in the 1700 block of E. Mary, the 1500 block of Gregg, the 1300 block of Lindburgh, the 1000 block of Birdwell, the 800 block of E. U.S. Interstate 20 and the 1200 block of E. 11th Pl.
•THEFT BY CHECK reported in the 1500 block of Tucson.
•ASSAULT/FAMILY VIOLENCE reported in the 500 block of Westover.
•BURGLARY OF BUILDING reported in the 1600 block of E. Marcy.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activities between 8 a.m. Monday and 8 a.m. Tuesday:
•DOROTHY M. VIASANA, 26, was arrested for criminal mischief.
•ANTONIO MARTINEZ RODRIGUEZ, 19, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.
•JOE SOLIZ, JR., 17, was arrested for theft.
•DIANA GUARDARRAMO, 20, was arrested for speeding, violating promise to appear and driving license violation.
•KATHERINE HARDIN, 40, was arrested for issuance of bad check.
•SHANNA PIERCEFIELD, 18, was arrested for revocation of probation/forgery of financial instrument.

MARKETS

May cotton 62.60 cents, up 10 points; May crude 15.41, no change; Cash hogs steady at \$1 higher at 35.50; cash steers steady at \$1 lower at 64.50; June lean hog futures 60.60 down 115 points; June live cattle futures 67.45, down 22 points. Other markets not available at press time.

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POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activities between 8 a.m. Monday and 8 a.m. Tuesday:
•DANNY RODRIGUEZ, 22, was arrested for no driver's license.
•MICHELLE GRACE, 32, was arrested on local warrants.
•ABEL MAGANA, 41, was arrested on local warrants.
•BURGLARY OF VEHICLE reported in the 700 block of Anna, the 300 block of Washington and the 1500 block of Tucson.
•FORGERY reported in the

FIRE/EMS

Following is a summary of Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reports:
Monday
12:20 a.m. - 1100 block Lancaster, trauma call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
11:49 a.m. - 1600 block Cardinal, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.
7:09 p.m. - 1900 block N. Monticello, medical call, service refused.
9:50 p.m. - 700 block Galveston, trauma call, service refused.

RECORDS

Monday's high 83
Monday's low 36
Average high 80
Average low 51
Record high 95 in 1925
Record low 36 in 1933
Precip. Monday 0.00
Month to date 0.00
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Year to date 2.71
Normal for the year 3.01

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Murderer who killed at 17 set for execution this week

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Seventeen-year-old Joseph Cannon already was no stranger to trouble when Anne Walsh, a San Antonio attorney whose brother had represented Cannon, agreed to let him live at her home in September 1977 while on probation for burglary. Mrs. Walsh, a mother of eight, was dead a few days later — fatally shot by Cannon, who found a gun in her home.

Cannon, who has spent more than half of his 38 years on Texas' death row, is set for lethal injection Wednesday evening for her slaying. Only an appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court that cites international treaties setting 18 as the minimum age for executions stands between Cannon and the lethal needle.

"It's going to go through,"

Cannon said in an interview last week. "I've thought about it for about a year. I sort of expect the worst and hope for the best."

His impending execution, along with recent high-profile murder cases involving young teen-agers in Jonesboro, Ark., and Paducah, Ky., reopens debate over the propriety of sentencing teen-agers to death.

"A few highly publicized cases make people think this is the right course, but I disagree," says Deborah Denno, a Fordham University law professor and expert in violent crime and capital punishment. "I think age is a really significant factor."

Cannon said he was hit by a car as a toddler and then suffered mental problems that got him tossed out of school in the

first grade and made him a frequent juvenile violator.

A runaway from Houston, he faced jail time for a San Antonio burglary or probation if he could find a stable living environment. Mrs. Walsh was convinced by her brother to take Cannon in.

According to his confession, Cannon had been drinking and taking drugs on Sept. 30, 1977 when Mrs. Walsh came home for lunch. He shot her at least six times with a .22-caliber pistol as she begged for her life, tried to rape her after she was shot and then stole her daughter's car.

"His lawyers argued that he was a young boy," Paul Canales, the Bexar County assistant district attorney who prosecuted the case nearly 20 years ago, said Monday.

Cannon would be the fifth Texas inmate convicted of murdering at age 17 to head to the death chamber and 10th nationally since the U.S. Supreme Court in 1976 allowed capital punishment to resume, according to research by Victor Streib, dean of the law school at Ohio Northern University.

At least 27 inmates among the 447 condemned prisoners now in Texas were 17 when they committed their crime. Another six were 18. Streib's figures show that as of the start of this year, 67 inmates in 12 states, or about 2 percent of the nation's death row population, were awaiting execution for murders committed at age 16 or 17.

The Supreme Court, ruling in an Oklahoma case in 1988, said it was unconstitutional for offenders 15 years of age or

younger to be eligible for the death penalty.

A year later, the high court in a Kentucky case said the Eighth Amendment does not bar the death penalty for crimes committed at age 16 or 17.

Twenty states allow 16-year-olds to be subject to the death penalty. Four states, including Texas, have 17 as the minimum age. Fourteen states and the federal government draw the line at 18.

"It was my job," Canales, now a judge in San Antonio, says of seeking the death penalty against a 17-year-old. "It was a single action. He had to cock it each time. His confession relates he tortured her. It was deliberate. Was he dangerous? Considering facts of the case, sure he was dangerous. No jury was going to let this guy go."

"Now, as an older person, the only reservation I have about the death penalty is that it doesn't punish the person. I think we ought to have life without parole."

Streib said he's been studying capital punishment for more than 20 years and can't draw any parallels between the juvenile crime rate and sending teen-agers to death row.

"This has kind of gone up and down like a roller coaster," he said.

Streib, who considers the death penalty "purely a sporadic irrational process," said that while Cannon's case is horrible, there's nothing to suggest it is one of the worst crimes ever committed by a juvenile, considering an estimated 2,000 juveniles are arrested for murder each year.

Microsoft, Justice argue appeals case

WASHINGTON (AP) — Microsoft Corp. says it should be allowed to improve its products without government interference. But the government says the giant computer software maker is elbowing its way into the Internet browser market unfairly.

So far, a federal court judge has sided with the government, telling Microsoft to stop forcing computer makers who offer its dominant Windows 95 operating system to also offer the Microsoft Internet Explorer for viewing the World Wide Web.

But in an appeals court hearing today that ultimately will affect nearly all home computer users, Microsoft was arguing that the judge went too far. The Justice Department also was to present the government's case to the three-judge panel of the U.S. Court of Appeals.

A ruling could come one to three months later, experts say, a period that includes the

June 25 release date for Microsoft's new Windows 98. Microsoft said its free Internet browser is so integrated with the latest versions of its popular computer operating system that it can't be easily separated. The browser is vital to the company because of the Internet's burgeoning popularity.

The Justice Department, which is considering a broader antitrust case against Microsoft, contends the practice of "tying" the sale of Windows 95 to the use of Internet Explorer is anti-competitive and "plain wrong." Microsoft argues that it should be allowed to upgrade its products free of government meddling.

"Ultimately, the issue has been about a longer-lasting importance, a fundamental question of whether computer companies can keep adding new features to products," Microsoft General Counsel Brad Smith said.

Judge deals major blow to anti-abortion protest

CHICAGO (AP) — Opening the door for claims across the nation, a federal jury relying on a racketeering law aimed at the mob said threats and violence used by anti-abortion leaders amounted to extortion.

Defense attorneys immediately promised an appeal of Monday's landmark decision that could cost the movement millions of dollars. Anti-abortion leaders said protests would go on, though one said demonstrations may become more "prayerful."

"This is the biggest courtroom defeat for the anti-abortion movement ever," said Fay Clayton, a National Organization for Women attorney who fought to keep the class-action lawsuit alive through 12 years of pre-trial skirmishing.

The jury of two men and four women returned its verdict against activists Joseph Scheidler, Andrew Scholberg and Timothy Murphy as well as two anti-abortion groups, the Pro-Life Action League and Operation Rescue.

Operation Rescue founder Randall Terry originally was named in the lawsuit. But

already facing \$169,000 in court awards from two other lawsuits, he settled with NOW in January and was no longer part of the case.

The defendants played a major role in organizing clinic blockades that sometimes flared into violence. But they said they are against violence and shouldn't be blamed for the excesses of others.

They were sued by NOW and two clinics that have been the targets of some of those demonstrations.

Following a six-week trial before U.S. District Judge David Coar, the jury found that the defendants banded together in a nationwide extortion campaign based on violence and threats designed to force clinics to close.

The jury awarded nearly \$86,000 in damages, but the amount will be tripled to \$258,000 because the lawsuit was filed under the federal Racketeer Influenced Corrupt Organizations law, known as RICO. And perhaps 1,000 other clinics across the nation will now be eligible to seek triple damages.

"They want to bankrupt us —

there's no question about that," Scheidler, executive director of the league, said as he left court.

The 1970 racketeering law was intended to fight organized crime but has been used against business in recent years. The U.S. Supreme Court ruled in 1994 that RICO could be used in a class-action suit against the anti-abortion movement.

"RICO is terribly flawed, fatally vague and overbroad," said one defense attorney, Tom Brejcha. "Combined with use of federal or state statutes against those who would engage in peaceful, non-violent civil disobedience, RICO tramples the First Amendment."

Cardinal Francis George of Chicago called the decision "unjust" and said the archdiocese might join in the appeal.

"The decision in this case effectively equates freedom of speech with racketeering," he said. "If the courts had been used to stop the organized sit-ins at lunch counters throughout the South in the '60s, there would have been no civil rights movement."

Coar scheduled a hearing for Wednesday at which he is expected to discuss a court

order to curb violence at clinics.

Coar barred abortion-rights attorneys from introducing evidence that they claimed would tie the defendants to more than a decade of bombings and arson attacks at clinics around the country. But he allowed them to tell jurors of doctors and patients being grabbed, pushed, struck with protest signs and threatened.

"A jury of six men and women saw through the thugs' shameless attempt to pervert the First Amendment," NOW President Patricia Ireland said.

Scheidler said the verdict wouldn't deter the movement from pushing ahead with demonstrations.

"We're still going to be at the abortion mills, probably in greater numbers, but in a more prayerful spirit," he said.

He said the most militant protests have ended in recent years and that lately demonstrators have begun to hand out rosaries and ask potential patients to pray with them.

"We wanted to come out as a legitimate force in America and not as racketeers," Scheidler said.

Thumbprinting catching on in banks

WASHINGTON (AP) — The next time a bank teller, grocery store checker or even a rental agent asks you to press firmly on the dotted line, they may be talking about your thumb.

Once the messy hallmark of a visit to the police station, thumbprinting has caught on among companies as a way to track down customers who write bad checks or who don't return rented equipment.

Businesses tout the system as a strong deterrent for criminals, who already have their fingerprints on file for prior convictions.

"It takes just a second," said Julie Davis of NationsBank, which began thumbprinting in February. NationsBank, like other banks, requires thumbprinting only for non-account-holders cashing checks. "All the information we've seen has been so compelling that we couldn't find a reason not to do it," Davis said.

But California businessman Peter Taussig finds the practice so insulting to consumers that he filed suit in small claims court against a bank that asked him for prints to cash a store refund check.

"I was not going to give them fingerprints nor was I going to give a saliva sample or a hair sample or a urine sample," said Taussig, who lives in Berkeley.

The small claims judge dismissed the case because it was out of his jurisdiction, but Taussig plans to take the matter to his county's superior court.

Banks in all 50 states have some version of the system and have led industries in using it. If a check is dishonored, then the bank hands it over to authorities, who can match the prints with those stored in a database of criminals. The Federal Reserve Board estimates that banks lost \$615 million in fraudulent checks in 1995, with more than 529,000 bad checks written.

"Using thumbprinting is a tremendous deterrent from hav-

ing criminals cashing in benefits checks," says John Hall, spokesman for the American Bankers Association.

Banks are not alone. Identicator Inc., a San Bruno, Calif., company that manufactures the ink pad, sells its products to rental agencies, liquor stores and even pawnbrokers.

"This is not a matter of identification, it's a matter of verification," says the company's vice president, Robert Loew.

These ink pads differ from the days of old. They leave a black mark on the check but not on the fingers. Customers can rub off the remaining residue easily. Another system works like a Polaroid: Users press their thumb on an inkless pad and then on a treated sticker. A blue print develops on the adhesive, which can be pasted onto the back of documents.

But John Young, a customer

service representative from San Diego, wasn't worried about ink on his fingers when he was printed for writing a check at his local grocer last year.

"I found it humiliating because the perception was that I was criminal before I had committed any criminal activity," said Young, who had shopped at the store for 12 years.

Young also felt his neighborhood was targeted for the policy since it wasn't implemented at all stores in the grocery chain.

Privacy and consumer groups have attacked the policy, saying there is no guarantee the prints couldn't end up in the wrong hands and be copied as they travel from the store to the bank.

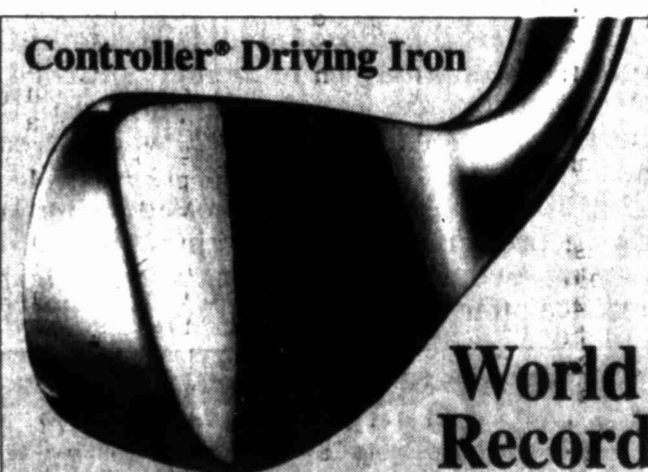
Some also fear that prints on checks and other documents could encourage creation of a centralized database of all citizens.

GOLFING NEWS by Mike Hensen

Two New Driving Irons Challenge Woods on Distance. One Sets a World Record; the Other Is One Yard Short.



Patented Surfaces Automatically Correct Hooks and Slices
Trouble with Woods? These Are for You



YALESVILLE, CT—The same small Connecticut company that created a golf ball that flies too far has introduced two new driving irons that hit too far, if you happen to sell woods. Mike Smith, a PGA Pro, recently set a World Record off the grass with the company's 17° driving iron, and stopped just one yard short of matching the record for a driver with its 12.5° counterpart. His shots were 335 and 358 yards respectively.

These are troublesome distances for wood manufacturers, but that may not be their biggest worry. These clubs keep the ball on the fairway, a characteristic drivers and fairway woods sorely lack. Official statistics show that even the top ten

money-makers on the Tour miss the fairway with their driver 25% of the time. So don't feel alone if you have trouble with your woods, relief is on the way. A company spokesman told me this.

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One golfer told me, it was "...the first time I've played 18 holes and never left the fairway."

Another said he cut six strokes, and vowed he would never play with his driver or 3-wood again.

So let me ask you. Do you have trouble with woods? If you do, there's no risk testing one or both

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OUR VIEWS

BSHS track team runs rings around district competition

The Big Spring Lady Steers have turned the District 4-4A track meet into their own personal playground, and it's a fair bet the rest of the district would just as soon see the schoolyard bullies find someone else to pick on.

For the fourth straight year, coach Jay Kennedy's Lady Steers claimed the district title when they took home team honors at Friday's league meet in San Angelo.

But it wasn't just the fact that they won, but how they won, that was so impressive. Pardon the pun, but the Lady Steers simply ran over the competition.

Team titles at track meets are usually close affairs, with the winner not being decided until the final few events. But high drama has taken a back seat in the Lady Steers' string of district dominance.

Friday, the team scored 211 points, outdistancing runner-up San Angelo Lake View by more than 100 points. If you're not a track-and-field aficionado, allow us to put this in its proper perspective — this was a rout.

More impressively, this is the third straight year Kennedy's girls have scored more than 200 points at the district meet. One blowout is impressive, two are even more so, but three straight one-sided affairs is simply awe-inspiring.

How has the team done it? You have to start with talent. This year's group of seniors have been the backbone of the team since it began its string of district titles back in 1995. Led by Keesha Lott — who won three individual events and participated in two winning relays Friday — the Class of 1998 has been one impressive group of student-athletes.

Then there's the coach. Since he came to Big Spring a decade ago, Kennedy has shaped the girls' track program into one of the finest in the state. Aside from the district titles, the team is also working on its third straight Region I-4A championship. Talent alone doesn't take you to those heights; the skipper must be doing something right, also.

And not to be discounted is a winning attitude. Kennedy said many team members turned in season-best performances Friday afternoon. In other words, the girls performed their best when it counted the most.

Regardless of the reasons, the Big Spring Lady Steers have represented this community in sterling fashion the past several years. To Kennedy and the team members, we offer our thanks and congratulations.

OTHER VIEWS

The "hold" is an arcane and invidious Senate custom that Senate Republican leader Trent Lott has probably forgotten he once promised to reform. A hold allows a senator, without explanation, to freeze a nomination, thus preventing it from coming to a vote of the full Senate.

Three Republican senators, Tim Hutchinson of Arkansas, Jim Inhofe of Oklahoma and Bob Smith of New Hampshire, have placed holds on President Clinton's nomination of meat-packing heir and Democratic activist James Hormel to be ambassador to Luxembourg.

They say their objection is not that Hormel is gay but that he would promote a gay agenda, whatever that is. Luxembourg, which could object to a proposed envoy, didn't find that a problem.

Hormel, 64, has pledged not to use the ambassador's post to advance his personal views, and it is patronizing of the

three senators to think that the people of Luxembourg, all 422,000 of them, cannot be trusted to decide on their own lifestyles.

The Luxembourg post is one of those ambassadorships used to reward the party faithful, and Hormel, a successful businessman, attorney and philanthropist, is more than qualified for the job. For a gay man, he comes with a unique recommendation, the endorsement of his ex-wife and his oldest son.

Only the holds of the three senators stand between Hormel and his chance. The holds represent no legitimate objections, only grandstanding for social right-wingers for whom no homosexual would ever be acceptable.

If Hormel's being gay is the only issue, the Senate should vote on and approve his nomination.

Dale McFeatters
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WASHINGTON — My columnist friend Robert Novak got his derriere in a sling recently by purporting to find "a silver lining" in the American institution of slavery. He said on television that without slavery this country would have no great black Americans — such as Ralph Bunche and Jackie Robinson were, and many other blacks are.

Probably because Novak is a conservative and the self-proclaimed "Prince of Darkness," a lot of people read him to say that slavery was a blessing for heathen Africans because it brought them next to people of European descent who helped lift them to greatness. Novak quickly declared that he meant no such thing. He apologized for any offense any one took to his remarks. He said he regards slavery as an "unmitigated evil," and was only saying that the possible good resulting from the slave

trade was that this "society was enriched by African-Americans."

Fair enough. Case closed? No.

Now comes the ever-arrogant William F. Buckley Jr., declaring in his column that he was stepping in "where other journalists have had a problem in communicating, as in the matter of Robert Novak and slavery."

Buckley, who has made a career of cloaking his elitist bigotry in linguistic circumlocutions and ten-dollar words, tells us gratuitously what Novak really meant to say: "No slavery, no Jackie Robinson."

I find Buckley's version an insult not just to people of African descent but to all Americans, because it says that if the growers of cotton and sugarcane had not needed slaves to do the dirty work, the white rulers of America would never have let any African-Americans into this country.

Americans have bragged for generations about the fact that human beings of every race, nationality and class have been embraced by the arms of Lady Liberty. I refuse to believe that no Africans would ever have been allowed past Ellis Island or some other American port of

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entry, absent the abomination of slavery.

I know from my mail that a lot of Americans wish that black and brown people had never been introduced to this country. I received a letter just yesterday from Rochester, N.Y., saying so — and demanding that blacks and Hispanics "go back where you came from." Buckley's version of history and his lifelong viewpoint encourage this kind of thinking.

That's why I deplore all this talk about an apology, or reparations, or something else for slavery. It pains me to see factions in Virginia excoriate that state's Republican governor

because he dares to denounce slavery.

Jackie Robinson and Ralph Bunche achieved greatness in spite of slavery and the slavery mind-set that is still such a poisonous force in American life. That same mind-set shows up destructively in assaults on affirmative action and the legal and court initiatives restricting job and educational opportunities according to formulas set up by the people who seek to preserve their age-old preferences.

Our first goal must be to eliminate the legacy of slavery, which means accepting this fundamental reality: Whether people got here on the Mayflower, a slave ship, a raft from Cuba, or a slow boat from China, nobody is "going back where he came from." So instead of wallowing in a scarred past, we must find a way to brighten the future by developing a measure of mutual respect — and appreciation — for what all groups contribute to the greatness of this society.

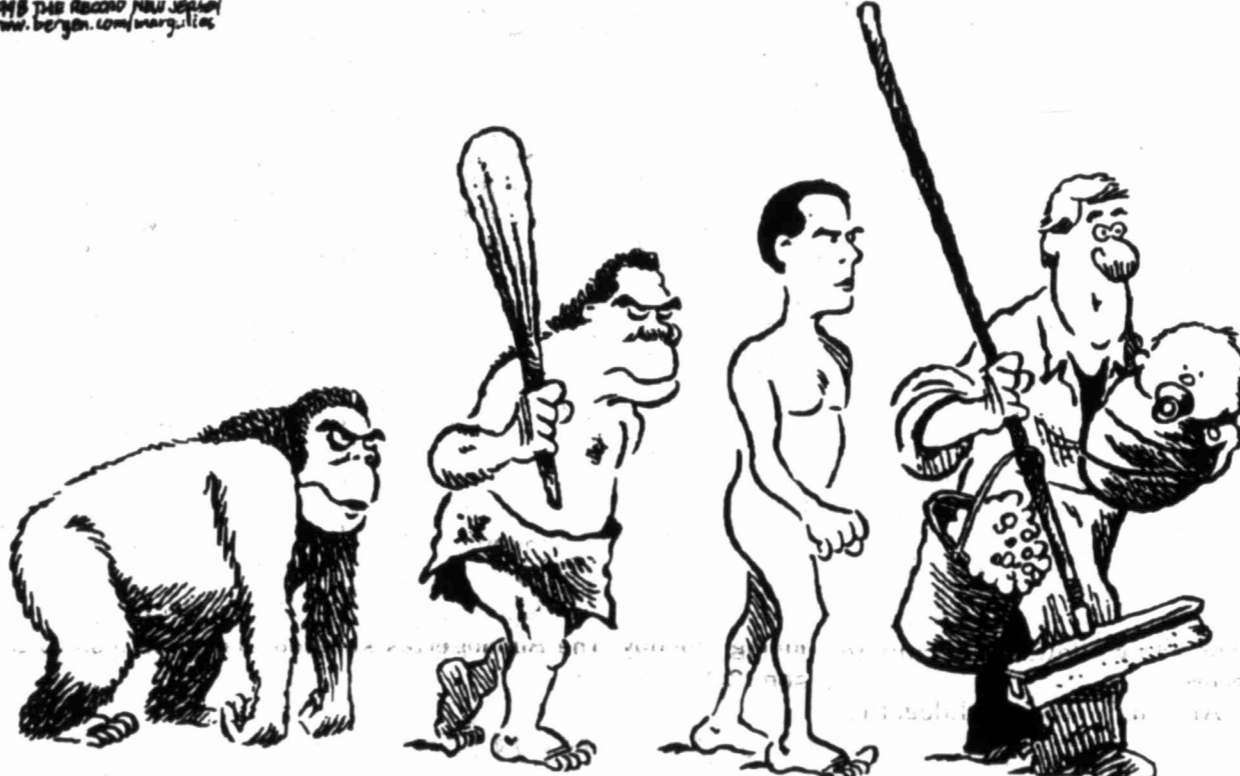
So let's begin by accepting Novak's explanation of what Novak said, not the pompous, nation-demeaning version put forth by William Buckley.

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New survey shows men more involved in domestic chores

The beauty of a baby registry

By SHARON RANDALL
Scripps Howard

When an invitation arrived for a baby shower, I called the hostess to ask for suggestions for a gift.

"That's easy," she said, "she's registered."

Registered? To have a baby? Was this some new law I didn't know about? Like a fishing license, maybe, a learner's permit to give birth? Not a bad idea, really, but it could be tricky to enforce.

"No," the hostess said snickering the way my children do whenever I act ignorant about things they take for granted. I know everything they do, probably, and more. I just don't always remember it. Especially nouns. Names are the worst. I'm better with adjectives and verbs.

"It's like a bridal registry," said the hostess speaking slowly as if trying to train a really old dog, "only it's for babies." "Sure," I said, lying through my muzzles. "I heard about that. Clever. So tell me again which store has the, uh, baby whatever-you-call-it?"

I'm proud to say I did not forget the name of the store or how to find it. I drove there as soon as I hung up the phone. Or else, instead of asking for the name of the place, I'd have

I can take forever to buy a baby gift, but this registry business was a breeze.

asked what it looks like and what it does.

At any rate, this was the easiest baby shopping trip ever. I take hours usually checking out all the latest baby toys, baby furniture, baby clothes, baby gadgets. I could go to prison today, I bet, for using the same car seat I trusted to protect my babies 20 years ago.

Such grand new ideas! I recently saw a young father walking his toddler, I swear, on a leash. How come we didn't think of that 20 years ago?

Anyhow, as I was saying, I can take forever to buy a baby gift, but this registry business was a breeze.

"That's it," I told the clerk, grabbing a Looney Tunes crib mobile from which dangled the stuffed, lifeless bodies of poor Tweety and Bugs.

"Personally," I said, "it would scare the nappies off me to see this thing swinging over my head, but if my friend wants it for her baby, who am I to question? You'll make sure

nobody else buys it for her, right?"

Right. That's the beauty of the baby registry. It avoids duplication. You get what you want. No surprises. No returns. Why didn't we think of that 20 years ago?

To me, nothing is more fun to celebrate than the birth of a child who will be loved and nurtured as every child should be. That's what this shower was, a gathering of four generations of women, including the baby's 9-year-old sister and her late grandmother's best friend, to celebrate the gift of life.

Having a baby is life's biggest gamble. Nothing about it is sure. You can register the baby's gifts, yes, but you get no say on the baby. You take what you get, surprises and all. No returns for as long as you live.

Come to think of it, there is one thing you can pretty much count on: You will fall once and forever in love. That hasn't changed in 20 years.

My friend will make a wonderful mother. I just hope she can exchange a few gifts. Nobody needs four Looney Tunes mobiles. Unless maybe she's expecting quadruplets?

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Nolan Ryan making his pitch to improve baseball's pitching pool

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. (AP) — Nolan Ryan doesn't quite know what to make of the state of pitching today.

Athletes are bigger and stronger than ever before, but it's not translating into harder-throwing pitchers, the major leagues' strikeout king says.

"I don't know that you can really blame it on expansion," Ryan said Monday, taking a break from his role as spokesman for Advil, which sponsored the PGA Senior Championship here. "And I don't have the answer for why pitching is as diluted as it is."

Whatever the reasons, the current pitching pool is making for more offense. And as Ryan sees inconsistent

umpiring, scores better suited for football and games lasting 4 1/2 hours, he's become concerned for baseball.

"I don't think it's good for the game," he said. "What I would like to see is more consistent type scores — 4-3 games. ... I don't think people want to go out there and sit through 4-, 4-hour ball games."

Ryan, 51, who retired in 1993 from the Texas Rangers after becoming the only man to record 5,000 strikeouts, knows there's no quick fix. Still, there are a few changes he'd make.

For starters, Ryan would put the height of the mound back to where it was when he began pitching in the big leagues in 1968. And, as an admitted

purist, he'd eliminate the designated hitter. He'd also put umpires under one umbrella group to increase consistency.

"I think if you'd just call the strike zone from what it is in the rule book that you would see pitching improve," he said.

As he talks about the state of the game, he does so with the wisdom and perspective earned with 27 years in the majors. Yet there's no perceptible trace of a banker to return.

He's been busy in his five years of so-called retirement. He owns a bank outside Houston, sits on the state's Parks and Wildlife Commission and has kept several celebrity endorsements. He's

taken up golf, downhill skiing and owns a cattle ranch.

But, yes, the arm still works.

"I can still go out and throw, but it's the other things," he said, estimating his pitches would be in the 90s. "You know, you have an Achilles problem or something else happens, you sprain your elbow. You spend so much time rehabbing, it just wasn't productive time anymore."

Ryan says there have been some nice surprises at the start of this season, such as Bret Saberhagen's strong return to the Red Sox after sitting out all of 1996 and most of 1997 with shoulder trouble. Ryan also had good things to say about the game's newest teams.

"Expansion teams probably seem to have maybe a little more balance than past expansion clubs," he said. "I think each time they expand the new organizations do a better job."

Still, Ryan said he was disappointed by the dismantling of the Florida Marlins — who were held up as a model for expansion after winning a World Series in just five years — then gutted for payroll reasons.

"I think I was as amazed by that as anyone," he said. "It shows how much the game has changed since I broke in. Economics drives things so much more now. Baseball has a tendency to take two steps forward and one backward."

Miscues, Coronado hits doom Bulldogettes

By JOHN A. MOSELEY
Sports Editor

COAHOMA — Lubbock Coronado's Lady Mustangs made the most of three Coahoma errors to score four first-inning runs and added three more in the seventh to take an 8-3 win over the Bulldogettes in a non-district softball Monday.

The loss, coupled with Saturday afternoon's 4-1 defeat at the hands of Snyder's Lady Tigers, marked the first time this season the Bulldogettes have lost two games in a row.

Coahoma coach Ronnie Dickenson, however, took the loss in stride. "There were a couple of times when I really did get angry out there today, but overall, I'm much happier with the way we played than I was when Snyder beat us," Dickenson said following the loss that left the Bulldogettes with a 17-7 record overall.

"If we'd played like this against Snyder, we'd have won," Dickenson added, taking some responsibility for a couple of Bulldogettes errors in the first inning.

"I probably had a hand in a couple of those errors, because I'd stressed that the wind was going to hold the ball up in the air," he explained. "They hit a couple of shots into the outfield and our kids start to move up on the ball and all of a sudden the ball's sailing over their heads."

In the end, those errors, coupled with a couple of Lady Mustangs hits provided Coronado all the runs it would need to chalk up its third win over the Bulldogettes this season at the outset.

Coronado lead-off hitter Roni

Hernandez opened the game by reaching base on a fielding error charged to Bulldogette shortstop Misty Baker.

Hernandez moved to third when teammate Susan Clark hit a line drive to right that Coahoma's Stephanie Sparks misjudged. By the time Sparks could retrieve the ball, the run-

| CORONADO 8, COAHOMA 3 | | | | | | | | | |
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| LUBBOCK CORONADO | | | | | COAHOMA | | | | |
| AB | R | H | E | M | AB | R | H | E | M |
| Hernandez, ss | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Hart, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Clark, 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Baker, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Baker, c | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Sterling, p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Callaway, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Tindol, cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Roberts, rf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Earnest, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duniven, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Bingham, 3b | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Paulk, lf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | Buchanan, dh | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Jackson, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Sparks, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthews, dh | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Buchanan, 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 8 | 9 | 6 | Totals | 30 | 3 | 8 | 2 |

Score by innings:
Coronado 400 010 3-8
Coahoma 100 110 0-3

E—Hernandez, Clark, Duniven, Hart, Baker, Tindol, West, Sparks. DP—None. LOB—Coronado 6, Coahoma 6. 2B—Hernandez, Hart. SB—Hernandez, Callaway, Roberts. 2. Sterling, K. Buchanan. SF—None.

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| Sterling | 7 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 2 | | | | |

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ners stood at second and third.

One pitch later, it was Coahoma center fielder Cassie Tindol's turn to misjudge a liner off the bat of Lady Mustangs catcher Jana Baker. The error allowed two runs to score.

Although the Bulldogettes managed to regroup, pitcher Tara Sterling getting Amber Callaway to ground out to short and then getting Dee Roberts to ground to short, allowing her teammates to cut down Jana Baker at the plate.

But singles by Lauren Duniven and Shanna Paulk pushed across two more runs and the Lady Mustangs would never be headed.

Coahoma began trimming the lead almost immediately when Brandi Hart and Misty Baker both reached base on errors. But the Lady Mustangs were



Coahoma's Amber Bingham slides into the tag of Lubbock Coronado third baseman Susan Clark as Bulldogettes coach Ronnie Dickenson watches the play. Bingham was called out on the play as she attempted to move from first to third on teammate Kelli Buchanan's RBI single to right in the fourth inning Monday. The Bulldogettes suffered their third loss to the Class 5A Lady Mustangs this season, 8-3.

able to erase both from the base paths — Hart nailed trying to steal second and Baker being forced at second on a ground ball by Sterling.

Tindol did her best to atone for her error moments earlier, ripping a single to right that plated Sterling, but the rally was cut short when Shana Earnest grounded out to the mound, ending the inning.

The Bulldogettes added another run in the fourth when Tindol led off with a single to right and moved to second when Amber Bingham singled

up the middle with one out.

Coahoma designated hitter Kelli Buchanan ripped a single to right, scoring Tindol, but Bingham was thrown out trying to reach third on the play. The rally ended seconds later when Sparks lined out to second.

Their lead cut in half, the Lady Mustangs added an insurance run in the top of the fifth, but the Bulldogettes answered in their half of the inning when Kenni Kay Buchanan singled up the middle and reached second when Coronado's Duniven

overran the ball.

She scored on successive wild pitches charged to Coronado ace Lindsay McIntosh, but the Bulldogettes couldn't come up with the key hits needed to muster another run.

Coronado iced the win in the top of the seventh, making the most of a walk — one of just two Sterling would allow — and a pair of singles.

The Bulldogettes return to action at 10 a.m. Saturday when they take on Midland Christian's Lady Mustangs in Midland.

Mavericks' nightmare finally ends

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Mavericks' motto for the 1998 season was: "Never a Dull Moment."

There wasn't one. But not in the way the public relations department intended.

New coach Jim Clemons got fired in the season's first month and general manager Don Nelson had to take over.

Dallas won 20 games, but never threatened to jell into a playoff team under the Nelson regime.

Three times an NBA coach of the year, Nelson had said he never wanted to coach again. But the Mavericks' sorry situation dictated otherwise.

Nelson, who had predicted the Mavericks would be a playoff team, found his expectations too high.

He made trades. He gave younger players a chance to develop.

It was a year when he figured the Mavericks had to take their medicine and hope to get lucky in the lottery, then develop players into his system.

"Evaluating our young players has been exciting and I anticipate they'll be contributing to our success much sooner rather than later," Nelson said. "This club has a bright future. I'm surprised I've enjoyed it this much. I didn't think I would be able to say that when I took the job."

Nelson said he will probably coach two more years and let his son, Donnie, take over. Donnie left the Phoenix front office where he had a five-year contract to follow his father.

"I'm fired up about the future of this franchise," Donnie said. Injuries hounded the Mavericks.

They included Chris Anstey, the promising young Australian who was the Mavs' first-round draft pick and Samaki Walker.

Others were Robert Pack, Kurt Thomas, Ace Custis and Cedric Ceballos.

Ceballos, acquired by the Mavs in a February trade for Dennis Scott, could be the catalyst for next season.

Tanui becomes eighth straight Kenyan to take Boston Marathon

BOSTON (AP) — Cosmas Ndeti, who has the confidence of a three-time Boston Marathon winner, predicted that he would win this year's race. He dropped out at the 16-mile mark with stomach pain.

Joseph Chebet pushed the pace for 26 miles, but didn't have enough left for a final sprint. Last year's champion, Lameck Aguta, is recovering from a

beating in Nairobi and could not defend his title.

No matter, because there is always another Kenyan to pick up the country's marathon mantle.

"I think Americans should come to Kenya to see how we train, to learn our tactics," said Moses Tanui, whose Boston Marathon victory on Monday was his homeland's eighth consecutive

victory here. "When we train, we don't mix it with anything else. We just train and relax."

Tanui outprinted Chebet over the final 300 yards to win in 2 hours, 7 minutes and 34 seconds. Ethiopia's Fatuma Roba captured the women's race for the second straight year, finishing in 2:23:21.

Both times were the third-fastest in the event's 102-year history. It was also the

fastest marathon by more than a minute for Tanui, who won here in 1996 and overcame bronchitis to finish fifth last year.

Tanui is one of four different Kenyans to win the race since Ibrahim Hussein established a national stranglehold with his second win in 1991. Only the United States, which won nine straight from 1916-25, has won more.

Stewart qualifies for AAU nationals, rallying after fall on bars dismount

HERALD Staff Report

WICHITA, Kan. — Stephanie Stewart of Big Spring recovered from a fall during her dismount on the uneven parallel bars, turning in a strong floor exercise routine, to finish 14th overall in the USA Gymnastics Region III meet Saturday.

More importantly, Stewart's comeback provided her with a return to the AAU Junior Olympics national meet scheduled for May 9-10 in Seattle.

She was the only member of the three Big Spring YMCA Sidewinders team that qualified to advance, as teammates Brooke Lawrence and Mikelle Farris finished out of the top 14.

"Stephanie really came through when the pressure was on," noted Sidewinders coach Russ McEwen. "She'd been having trouble with her dismount on the bars and it was a problem again ... really hurt her on a great routine."

The fall left Stewart with an 8.95 on the bars, and that coupled with an 8.7 score on the balance beam, left her going into the floor exercise, her final event, needing a flawless performance.

"She walked up to be before the floor exercise and asked if she had any chance of qualifying for nationals," McEwen recalled. "I told her I wasn't sure, but that she'd have to really nail the floor exercise if she was going. Then she went out there and did it ... it was just tremendous."

Stewart finished the floor in third place with a 9.55 score, and that, coupled with the 9.3 she received in her opening rotation on the vault, moved her up from 20th place to 14th — the final



Stephanie Stewart strikes a pose at the end of her floor exercise routine during a practice session prior to the USA Gymnastics state meet.

spot on the list of national qualifiers.

"I really can't say enough about what Stephanie did," McEwen said. "She had all the pressure in the world on her and really came through."

"I think she was a little disappointed at finishing 14th ... getting the last spot, but the key is getting in," he added. "That's the important thing ... qualifying for nationals. Once you're there, you've got a chance. Everyone will come in which a clean slate, so it doesn't matter whether you were first or 14th at regionals."

SPORTS BRIEFS

Lady Steers banquet slated for May 11

The Big Spring Lady Steers Booster Club will hold its annual Lady Steers Athletic Banquet at 7 p.m. Monday, May 11, in the Garrett Hall at the First United Methodist Church.

The banquet will be catered by Al's and Son Bar-B-Que.

Tickets, priced at \$8.50 per person will go on sale Monday, April 13, at Big Spring High School, Athletic Supply, Neal's Sporting Goods and at Faye's Flowers.

For more information, call 263-4921.

CGA scholarship tourney is May 9-10

The Big Spring Chicano Golf Association has scheduled its sixth annual Scholarship Fund Tournament for Saturday and Sunday, May 9-10, at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Entry fees, which include dinner and a dance, are priced at \$150 per two-man team.

A new car will be presented to the first player to make a hole-in-one on the par 3 No. 4 hole on Saturday by the New Car Dealers Association of Big Spring.

For more information and the times, contact the Comanche Trail Golf Course pro shop at 264-2366.

Entry fees are set at \$8 per player. For more information or to enter a team, contact JoEllen Canales at 263-3623.

Golf tournament set with 'Relay for Life'

A four-person scramble golf tournament benefiting the American Cancer Society has been scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at the Big Spring Country Club in conjunction with the Relay for Life.

Entry fees will be \$75 per player plus cart fees. Team will include A, B, C, and D players.

For more information, call 267-5354.

Coahoma banquet set for Thursday

The Coahoma High School Athletic Banquet has been scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the Coahoma Elementary School cafeteria.

Tickets for the banquet, sponsored by the Coahoma Athletic Boosters Club, are priced at \$6.50 per person and will be available at the door.

The meal will be catered by Al's & Son Barbecue of Big Spring.

Stallings wins Barnett Bank 1,500

Former Stanton High School and University of Florida distance running star Jeremy Stallings won the 1,500 meters Saturday at the University of Florida's Barnett Bank Track & Field Meet in Gainesville, Fla.

Stallings, running for Elite Athletes, posted a time of 3:48.04 in winning the event.

His next appearance will come this weekend when he takes part in the Olympic Development Mile at the Penn Relays in Philadelphia.

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The Howard County Library will be taking applications for part-time circulation clerk beginning Thursday, April 16, 1998. Applications must be turned into the Library by 5:00p.m., Thursday, April 23rd. Must be willing to work on Saturdays. The successful applicant must have a High School or equivalent diploma, must be dependable, needs a working knowledge of computers, experience with serving the public, the ability to file accurately, and answer the telephone in a professional manner.

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Wanted: A lot in the Big Spring area w/water & sewer. Call 267-7177.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS: TO ALVIN A. BISHOP AND WIFE, "JOBBIE E. BISHOP"

and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit: Lot Twelve (12), Block Seven (7), Boydstun Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$739.92, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against ALVIN A. BISHOP and JOBBIE E. BISHOP and Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 30 day of MARCH, 1998, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. ALVIN A. BISHOP AND WIFE, JOBBIE E. BISHOP, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-03-04454 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units which may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenor(s), shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 18th day of May, 1998 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties herein, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 31 day of March, A.D. 1998.

Colleen Barton
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
118th Judicial District,
1813 April 21 & 28, 1998

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Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Joe Higgins, Area Engineer, Hamlin, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids, in response to this invitation and in consideration for an award.

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H-52058 8-76-0107-01-033
1826 April 14 & 21, 1998

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS: TO GEORGE MAGKARCHER

and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit: The South Sixty feet of lot One (S60' of 1), and the West-Half of Lot Two (W1/2 of 2), Block Fourteen (14), Cole and Strayhorn Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$2,072.84, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against GEORGE MAGKARCHER and Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 30 day of MARCH, 1998, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. GEORGE MAGKARCHER and Defendant(s), for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-03-04453 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units which may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenor(s), shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 18th day of May, 1998 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties herein, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

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and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit: Lot Five (5), Block Seven (7), M N Parker Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, according to the proper plat on file in the office of the County Clerk, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$448.13, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL as Plaintiffs, against W. T. SHARP, ET AL as Defendant(s), by AMENDED petition filed on the 30 day of MARCH, 1998, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL VS. W. T. SHARP for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-95-01-4426 that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

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Plaintiffs and all other taxing units which may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and Intervenor(s), shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 18th day of May, 1998 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties herein, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 31 day of March, A.D. 1998.

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| 6:30 | KMMD | News (CC) | KPEJ | Simpsons | KERA | Science Guy | FAM | Houdini: His Secrets | KOSA | News Grace Under | WFAA | News (CC) | KWES | News Seinfeld (CC) | WTBS | Andy Griffith | UNI | Sin Ti | D5N | Swan Prince | NASH | Dallas | TMC | Movie: (25) | SHOW | Movie: (25) | HBO | Born Yesterday | KMLM | Herold-Victor | A&E | Law & Order | DISC | Game Shelter | TNT | Babylon 5 | FSN | Last Word | ESPN | Figure Skat | AMC | Black Swan | BET | Planet Groove |
| 7:30 | KMMD | Home Imp. | KPEJ | Movie: To Die For (CC) | KERA | Novel (CC) | FAM | Rescue 911 (CC) | KOSA | JAG (CC) | WFAA | Home Imp. Soul Man | KWES | Mad Abc. You For Your Love | WTBS | (CC) Movie: My Cousin Vinny | UNI | Emeralda | D5N | (15) Movie: The Return of Cindere | NASH | Country Music | TMC | Movie: (25) | SHOW | Movie: (25) | HBO | Movie: (25) | KMLM | Light of the Southwest | A&E | Biography | DISC | Wild Discovery | TNT | Movie: (25) | FSN | V-Max Sports News | ESPN | Fig. World | AMC | Movie: Magnificent | BET | Planet Groove |
| 8:30 | KMMD | Home Imp. Something So | KPEJ | People's Century (CC) | KERA | Diagnosis Murder (CC) | FAM | Public Eye (CC) | KOSA | 48 Hours (CC) | WFAA | Home Imp. Something So | KWES | Fraser (CC) | WTBS | View | UNI | Pueblo Chico, Inferno | D5N | Jude (CC) | NASH | Prime Time | TMC | Movie: (25) | SHOW | Movie: (25) | HBO | Movie: (25) | KMLM | Biography | A&E | Biography | DISC | Wild Discovery | TNT | Movie: (25) | FSN | Go! Deep | ESPN | Fig. World | AMC | Obession | BET | Planet Groove |
| 9:30 | KMMD | NYPD Blue | KPEJ | Penelope | KERA | Home Imp. Mad Abc. You | FAM | 700 Club | KOSA | News (35) Late | WFAA | Home Imp. Mad Abc. You | KWES | News (35) Late | WTBS | News (35) Late | UNI | News (35) Late | D5N | News (35) Late | NASH | News (35) Late | TMC | Movie: (25) | SHOW | Movie: (25) | HBO | Movie: (25) | KMLM | News (35) Late | A&E | News (35) Late | DISC | News (35) Late | TNT | News (35) Late | FSN | News (35) Late | ESPN | News (35) Late | AMC | News (35) Late | BET | News (35) Late |
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Today is Tuesday, April 21, the 111th day of 1998. There are 254 days left in the year.

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

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Monday's Puzzle Solved

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6 Regatta
7 Opposed to: pref.
8 Child between 12 and 20
9 End of a ship
10 Insubstantial
11 Language of northern India
12 Desert springs
13 High point
14 "Star Wars" princess
15 Actor Auberonjois
16 Religious brother
17 Garden vegetable
18 Poker pot starter
19 Nerve-racking
20 Organize and simplify
23 Fruit drinks
24 Hootwink
25 Tree worshiper
27 Assent asea
30 Trifle
31 Young woman
32 Willie, the singer
34 When lots are tucked in
38 After-shower powder
39 "Ben" pref.
40 Murder
41 Dispense portions
44 Gratify
46 Sports channel
47 Torino three
48 Downcast
49 Balcony railing
52 Be a bookworm
54 Eve's mate
55 Rich desserts
60 Polite
62 Pin box
63 Give a hand
64 Minuscule
65 Matching lady
66 "Kiss Me" singer
67 Sudden increase
68 Play lead
69 Mishmash dish

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43 Fuel cartel
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HELP WANTED

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HELP WANTED

The City of Big Spring is accepting applications for the position of Mechanic II. To check minimum qualifications and receive more information contact City Hall Personnel at 310 Nolan, Big Spring, TX 79720 or call 915-264-2346.

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Direct Care Staff positions available in Big Spring Area. Duties include providing training and support for persons with developmental disabilities. Qualified applicants must have proof of high school graduation or GED and meet requirements for driving agency vehicle.

Applications may be picked up at the switchboard between the hours of 7:00 am and 9:00 pm and may be turned in there also.

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