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**Big Spring State** Hospital **Superintendent Ed** Moughon, left, kicks

off fundraising efforts with a donation to the new Nona Seiler **Endowment Nursing** Scholarship.

Accepting the check are Ming Taylor, Leslie Yarborough, and Rosemary West. HERALD photo/Linda Choate



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## Seiler nursing scholarship established at HC

#### By KATHY GILBERT Staff Writer

A nursing scholarship is being established by the Big Spring State (BSSH) Hospital Nursing Department at Howard College to honor longtime state hospital nurse Nona Seiler, nursing department officials said.

Seiler was a lifetime Big Spring esident who worked at the state hospital for 20 years. She was 42 when she died in her home on March 19.

"She was one of my closest friends," scholarship co-founder Ming Taylor said. "We shared a lot of time working full-time and going to school together.

Seiler, who completed her L.V.N. and R.N. at Howard College and a B.S.N. at Texas Tech Health Sciences Center was an excellent nurse, said Taylor. "She had great compassion for our patients. They still ask about her.

A scholarship would have been "what she would have wanted," she added.

The Nona Seiler Endowment See SEILER, Page 2

Nursing Scholarship will award \$250 to \$300 every year to a nursing student at the state hospital. The money will be used to buy textbooks, Taylor said. An initial fund of \$5,000 is needed to support the scholarship fund, she explained.

Hospital Superintendent Ed Moughon kicked off fundraising efforts Monday with a check to the endowment. A community-wide garage sale will be held Saturday at 808 W. 17th St. from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Donations of household items and

## Postal worker food drive nets 6,342 pounds

By KATHY GILBERT Staff Writer

Big Spring-area postal carriers delivered 6,342 pounds of food to the Permian Basin Food Bank along with the mail Saturday in the National Association of Letter Carriers' annual food drive.

"It was a record-setting year," said organizer Pat Blevins. "Everybody did well."

Dried and canned goods were left by mailboxes Saturday where carriers picked them up on their usual routes by 24 postal carriers. Food items were weighed, sorted, and cleaned by 12 volunteers at the food bank, located at 1208 E. Third St.

"This was an excellent turnout," said Betty Wallace, Big Spring branch director. "

"Next year, I'll bring more buckets," said Sand Springs carrier. Sue Vasquez, who brought in 301 pounds of marshmallows, ramen, canned ravioli, green beans, and other products.

"It's for the cause," said Mario Moncada, carrier for route 2011 between Howard College and he Big Spring Mall, who delivered 203 pounds of food. "You're helping somebody, you know?" Vasquez and her husband Ramon joined other volunteers in wiping down canned products with a bleach solution and

stacking the food in crates. Two palettes of Taco Bell Medium Red Salsa served as a table and washing area.

Customers also personally handed cash donations to the carriers Saturday, said Blevins, who is still opening the many envelopes gathered in the drive.

Even old, outdated food is not wasted, said Wallace. "People don't realize how much food we cannot use," she explained. Food with an expired date, or that is home-made, is donated to local pig farms. At the end of the year, the farmers give the bank two butchered hogs

The Permian Basin Food Bank serves a 22-county area, explained Dolly Neff, executive director of the Permian Basin Food Bank. Last year 100,000 pounds of food were delivered by letter carriers in the area, she said. Every year 4 1/2 million pounds of food are distributed by the bank to more than 296,756 families, she added. In addition, more than 1,300,000 meals are served to about 460.000 people.

The Big Spring branch provides food to Big Spring. City. Coahoma, Garden



<u>Gangs</u>

Police have identified 6 separate gangs with about 65 members

**By CARLTON JOHNSON** Staff Writer

Where gangs are concerned in Big Spring and Howard County, the Howard County Sheriff's Office and the Big Spring Police Department (BSPD) are happy that the type of activity reported by Midland and Odessa officials is not rampant here, but that's not to say activity doesn't not exist.

Both Sheriff Bill Jennings and BSPD Capt, Pam Jordan say a lot of alleged gang members are what's referred to as 'wannabes.'

According to Jennings, a lot of kids want to act tough, but he doesn't classify the contact his office has with juveniles as hard core.

A recent report by the Texas Attorney General's (AG) office says gang activity is on the rise in mid-sized and larger cities gang members in 1997. and in areas once believed safe Jordan said in Big Spring, the smaller, rural communities BSPD has seen an increase in gangs are starting to filter in. gang activity in the last two In the AG's report gangs are years, in areas such as assaults, said to be more numerous, more vandalism and theft. violent, better organized and "Between 1996 and 1997, we more influenced by gangs from have seen an increase in activioutside the state, particularly ty at almost twice the rate of the from the West Coast and the previous year," Jordan said. Midwest. "Seventy-five percent of the In Texas' six largest cities, offenses were by gang members police report 1,540 gangs with or associates." 47,000 gang members. According to Jordan, the In the state's mid-sized cities. BSPD has identified six sepagangs have gotten worse in rate gangs in town, and at last terms of number of gangs, gang count they included a total of members and the seriousness of about 65 members. crimes they commit. Offenses "Earlier this year, we put in such as home invasions, homifor a gang suppression grant, cides and sexual assaults, previbut the funding wasn't there," ously associated with major Jordan said. metropolitan areas like Dallas, "Some of these gangs usually Houston and San Antonio, now start because younger kids occur in mid-sized communities.

1997, we have seen an increase in activity at almost twice the rate of the previous year. Seventy-five percent of the (assaults, vandalism and thefts) offenses were by gang mem-

> Capt. Pam Jordan **BSPD**

departments in Texas reporting a total of 3 200 gangs and 84,000

"Between 1996 and . bers or associates."

Stanton, and all the towns in Howard, Dawson and Glasscock Counties, she said. Food banks stock and store food for local charities who dis

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Big Spring letter carrier Wayne Barber delivers the mail and picks up canned goods for the Permian Basin Food Bank Saturday.

## Two years after dedication, work continues around Kids' Zone playground project

#### By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Writer

Sunday marked the second anniversary of the dedication of Kids' Zone.

Two years ago, hundreds of Big Spring residents rolled up their sleeves and volunteered to make the Kids' Zone Creative Playground in Comanche Trail Park a reality. Now the City of **Big Spring and the city's** Wilderness Camp inmate work crew are working together to improve Big Spring's favorite children's play spot.

"We're putting in some restrooms at Kids' Zone,' Assistant City Manager Emma Bogard said. "The inmates from the Wilderness camp are helping as well."

One of Big Spring's women's clubs will be putting in a pavilion and city crews will be

installing several benches in the shaded areas around the playground, according to Bogard.

"We hope to have the restrooms completed by the first part of summer and the rest of the projects we would like to have completed by the end of summer," Bogard said.

The multi-level wooden structure was designed to accommodate several dozen children easily and has a three story tree house, a pirate ship, several slides, a zipline and tunnels plus much more.

During the week of May 8, 1998 through May 12, 1998, almost 500 people worked to build the playground that we designed and named by the children of Big

Spring. Local merchants did not hesitate to donate many of the materials that were used to build.



Spinning on the tire is a popular pasttime at Kids' Zone.

and the city also offered. playground to be the community wide effort it any employee who wantwas, with all segments of the city getting involved opportunity to use comp time the help build. in substantial ways. The City of Big Spring

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Kids' Zone organizers and machinery, the pris- of the playground was wanted the building the oners cleared the land complete, a total of \$101,118 had been raised \$75,118 in cash and ed to participate the \$26,000 in materials.

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The city also saved the project about \$17,000 by fundraising providing wood chips to

See GANGS, Page 2 The report also shows police

### 81-year-old injured when roof collapses on him

#### **HERALD Staff Report**

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An 81-year-old man working alone to tear down a dilapidated house was briefly trapped under a section of the roof when it collapsed this morning.

Tom Johnson, according to reports, was working on some property he had recently purchased in the 1600 block of West Third Street when a part of the roof of an old house collapsed, trapping him with his legs doubled underneath him. Shortly before 10 a.m., his next-door neighbor Esther Hughes said she heard him calling for help.

'I was mowing my yard, and heard him calling out," Hughes said.

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Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in the upper 50s. Tuesday, sunny. Highs in the lower 90s. Tuesday night, fair. Lows 60-65. Extended forecast, Wednesday, partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms, mainly east. Highs in the mid to upper 90s. Thursday and Friday, partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the 60s. Highs in the 90s.

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## Coahoma sets school board runoff vote for June 6

NEFF

#### By KATHY GILBERT Staff Writer

A tie-breaking runoff between school board candidates Cindy Neff and Ben Bowlin in the **Coahoma Independent School** District will be held Saturday, June 6 according to CISD.

Write-in candidate Ben Bowlin, co-owner of Tire Time Limited, tied 119-119 with Cindy Neff, a managed care director at the West Texas Centers for Mental Health and Mental Retardation in Saturday's elections



BOWLIN

"A lot of people said 'I was going to go vote, but I thought you didn't have a chance" said Bowlin. "That just goes to show you every vote really does

count," speaking of the tie. "I'm going to give it my all," said Neff. "I'll be making additional effort into my campaign and be seeking new votes."

A mail-out and intensive phone bank effort is planned, for the Bowlin campaign, Bowlin said.

The candidates appear to differ in their campaign strategies. "I'll probably campaign like I did the first time, said Bowlin, and push for everybody to early vote.

. Both candidates noted that some Coahoma residents will leave with their families on vacation as soon as school ends May 29.

But early voting is difficult for some people, said Neff, who plans to split her campaign efforts between early voting and the June 6 voting day.

Neither candidate advocates for major changes in the district. "I want to maintain and enhance the quality of the school and provide a quality education," said Bowlin. His goal is to bring his

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### OBITUARIES

### J.D. McKimmey

J.D. McKimmey, 73, Hobbs, N.M., died on Saturday, May 9, 1998, in a local hospital. His body was cremated and no services are planned at this time.

He was born on Oct. 12, 1924, in Childress, and married Jessie Atkinson on June 10, 1961, in Hobbs, N.M. He served in the Navy during World War II and was a member of the American Legion. He was a self-employed sign painter in Hobbs, N.M.

Survivors include: his wife, Jessie McKimmey of Hobbs, N.M.; three stepdaughters, Sandra Henderson of Big Spring, Julia Croan of Odessa and Janice West of Birmingham, Ala.; one sister, Virginia Kincaid of Clovis, N.M.; three nieces and two nephews.

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

#### Andemio Mendez

Service for Andemio Jara (A.J.) Mendez, 68, Big Spring, is pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He died Saturday, May 9, in San Antonio.

### ROOF

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"I ran over there and he was trapped. He said his legs were doubled up under him.

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"I ran home and called 9-1-1, then ran back to talk to him until they came to help him, you know, calm him down."

Firefighters and rescue personnel lifted the section of roof off of Johnson and transported him to Scenic, Mountain Medical Center. He suffered leg injuries, according to reports, but the severity could not be determined by press time.

Hughes said Johnson had Continued from Page 1 been working a month or more on the property, clearing away tribute to people all over the the old house and levelling the land. She said she often saw him working alone.

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business experience to bear on behalf of the district, he said. He currently manages has three corporations and three partnerships and was one of the top two fastest-growing tire and wheel franchises last year.

Teacher recruitment is a key goal of Neff's. "I still want to continue to support the teachers we have and aggressively recruit quality teachers and continue to promote academic success for our students," she said. "Community involvement and input is a big part of my position. Making sure we're talking to the people we provide services and that they're getting the services they need — not what we think they need, but what they think they need," she added.

Bowlin, a Stanton native who has lived in Coahoma 14 years and is a father of two, wanted a closer involvement with his children's education.

Neff, a native of Greenwood, who moved to Coahoma in 1992 said the school board is a good place to use her job skills in planning, diplomacy and representation. She manages mental health and mental retardation service contracts for a 23-county area and directly supervises 10-13 staff members.

Neff, a self-described full-time working mom, tries to spend as much time with her family as possible and is a member of the First Baptist Church of Coahoma.

Bowlin is active on the corporate boards of MBS Tire Time Inc. and L&M Fantastic Corp. He volunteers with the Big Spring Rod & Piston Car Club. Early voting will run from May 26 - June 2 in the school administration building.



region.

Local charities that collect and distribute food from the Big Spring branch include St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Stores, the Spring City Senior Citizens Center, A Helping Hand, Isaiah 58, and the Dawson County Senior Citizens Center. The National Association of Letter Carriers have always been very very supportive of food banks," said Dolly Neff, executive director of the Permian Basin Food Bank, "it's a real partnership."

Dora Roberts tion. All de dents will receive a free kit and

LOCAL

"One of the things we hope to get the word out on is that we are taking applications right now for all scholarships, including ones like this," Duncan said. Students must complete the general scholarship application by May 1 to be considered for the awards, she added.

"Many of the scholarship donors are looking for those individuals who apply and meet the early application deadlines," Duncan explained. "That's one of the most important things anyone interested in any of the scholarships should be sure to get the application in as soon as possible."

### BRIEFS

THE BSHS CLASS OF '68 is having a 30 year class reunion on Oct. 9-10.

We need your help in locating the following classmates: Henrietta Carson, Claudene Cooker, Billie Mike Eggleston, Jill Lewis Croom, Sue Fannin, Wayne Murphy, Richard Nelson, David Mize, Linda Patterson, Wayne Sturm, Don Malone, Beth Hayworth Perry, Dana Baker Pennington, Evelyn Wheeler, Charlees Keene, Carolyn Sisson Salmon, Charlotte Heiman, Diane Harkins, Johnny Perez, Jerry Dalton, Jimmy Belew, Burt Nix, Isabel Bustamante, Margaret Cooper, Christi Price, David Vasquez, Sally Townes, Tony Martinez and Joe Haro. Please call Jeanie Johnson Knocke at 263-1757 or Vivian Dickson Glickman at 267-6808 if you have any information about any of the names listed.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF Forsan will be participating in the "Relay for Life" in memory of Meagan Stanley. They will be having a "beauty pageant" today at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium to raise money for the American **Cancer Society. Admission is** \$1 and any other donation will be greatly appreciated. Participants will be high school boys and senior girls serving as escorts. Contestants will be judged in casual wear and formal attire. Come out and see your football hero or favorite

## BIG SPRING ROUND THE TOWN

ailable at the Howard College Financial Aid office. Deadline is May 18.

LOOKING FOR BSHS CLASS of 1978! Mark your calendar for July 24-25. Parents or friends of any classmate, please send updated addresses of any classmate to: 1978 Reunion; P.O. Box 3361; Big Spring; or call 264-2220 Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

THE AREA AGENCY ON Aging needs volunteer ombuds, area needy, 10 a.m. to noon. man in Big Spring nursing homes to visit and monitor nursing home residents. A new training session is being scheduled. Call the Permian Basin Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-491-4636.

SPRINGBOARD

IF YOU HAVE ANY CHÁNGES IN A SPRING-BOARD ITEM OR FOR **MORE INFORMATION, CON-**TACT GINA GARZA, 263-7331 ext. 238, 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

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

•Project Freedom, Christian support group for survivors of abuse, 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, Family Hospice, 3210 E. 11th Place)

 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.

•B.S. Commandery No. 31. 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. 6:30 p.m. dinner.

•B.S. Assembly No. 211, Social Order of the Beauceant. 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. 6:30 p.m. dinner.

·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.

•Mt. View Lodge open house, 2 to 4 p.m. for National Nursing Home Week.

### THURSDAY

·Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food for

### MARKETS

July cotton 65.38 cents, down 28 points: June crude 15.36, up 23 points; Cash hogs steady at 40.50; cash steers steady at 66; June lean hog futures 61.45 up 52 points; June live cattle futures 67.55, down 17 points. courtesy: Delta Corporation. Other markets were not available to us at press time.

### POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activities between 1 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday: GUADALUPE GARCIA, 44,

was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

• JUANITA JUARES, 17, was arrested on local warrants. • KANA ATWOOD, 29, was arrested for public intoxication. • GARY ATWOOD, 36, was arrested for public intoxication. DORIS EVANS, 35, was

arrested for public intoxication. JOHN MARTINEZ, 21, was arrested for making alcohol

available to a minor. • DANNY BEDWELL, 36, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

 JOSE LOERA, 32, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

• BILLY CAMPBELL, 43, was arrested for public intoxication.

• DAVID KOHANEK, 44, was arrested on local warrants.

 CHRISTINE KOHANEK. 35, was arrested on local warrants.

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**VEHICLE** reported in the 1700 block of Yale, the 1700 block of Purdue and the 600 block of Colgate.

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Monday, May 11, 1998

• BURGLARY OF HABITA-**TION** reported in the 1000 block of Birdwell and the 100 block of Airbase Road.

 SEIZED PROPERTY reported at the police station. BURGLARY OF VEHICLE

reported in the 600 block of E. 12th.

 CLASS B THEFT reported in the 700 block of Lancaster.

FIRE/EMS

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

9:53 a.m. - 1600 block Lancaster, trauma call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

1:00 p.m. - I-20 mile marker 192, traffic accident, patient transported to SMMC.

2:40 p.m. - 100 block W. 8th, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

3:30 p.m. - 500 block W. 17th, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

4:28 p.m. - 2400 block Gregg, automobile fire, extinguished . by responding units.

6:35 p.m. — Third and Lancaster, automobile fire, extinguished by responding units.

9:02 p.m. - Wright Avenue, tar pot fire, extinguished by responding units. SATURDAY

10:58 a.m. - 600 block W. I-20, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

2:08 p.m. — 1300 block E. 11th, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

4:29 p.m. - 2600 block S. 87, medical call, patient transported to VA Medical Center.

5:20 p.m. - 1500 block Stallings, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

9:48 p.m. - 1100 block Sycamore, structure fire, extinguished by responding units. 11:28 p.m. - 2200 block Gregg, traffic accident, two patients transported to SMMC. SUNDAY 2:13 a.m. - 500 block Union. medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 12:08 p.m. - 900 block Aylsford, medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 5:04 p.m. - 22 miles North on 87, traffic accident, patient transported to SMMC. 5:41 p.m. - 300 block Main. medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 7:25 p.m. - 1900 block Johnson, medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 7:35 p.m. - 5300 block Longshore, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC. 8:43 p.m. — 1400 block Young, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

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want to imitate the older, more established gangs," Jordan added. "We don't have the problems that bigger cities have, but citizens can help us by reporting vandalism and other suspicious activity to the police department."

We always like input from the citizens," Jordan added. \*Our DARE officers already talk about gangs in the public Continued from Page 1 schools.

Jordan said the BSPD is always looking for this type of activity and has officers to trained to deal with gang-related activity.

"Do we have a problem, sure, but it's not what you would see in a big city and yet we can't ignore it," Jordan said.



### **MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME** & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Andemio Jara (A.J.) Mendez, 88, died Saturday. Services are pending.

Rolen B. Covington, Jr. 60, died Friday. Memorial services will be 4:45 PM Wednesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel.

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### SEILER

clothing will be collected at the state hospital or at the garage sale site until 7 p.m. Friday.

"We know how hard it was for us to continue our education," explained Taylor, "every little financial bit, it helped."

Seiler was a good role model, she said. "She started as a direct care nurse and progressed to an B.N." She was also involved in the Texas Nurses Association. "She was well-liked and respected by her fellow employees," said Taylor.

"We had a visit from the folks that are getting the scholarship established," Howard College Financial Aid Director Ann Duncan said. "They were very interested in trying to set up some type of scholarship to

honor Mrs. Seiler's memory." The scholarship may be available as early as Fall 1998, Duncan said. "This year is a wonderful opportunity for nursing students," she said, "because there is a lot of money out there to help."

In addition to the new Seiler Scholarship, every nursing student who meets performance

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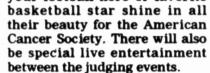
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For more information call Kathy Epley at 263-0636.

**BIG SPRING NEWCOMERS** CLUB will meet at the Big Spring Country Club Thursday at 11:30 a.m. for a social and noon for lunch. Guest speaker is Johnnie Jou Avery. Call Karen Brewer at 268-9944 for information.

**ALUMNI, PARENTS AND FRIENDS** of Texas Christian University are invited to attend a reception and dinner for retiring Chancellor William E. Tucker Thursday, May 14, at Green Tree Country Club in Midland. For information and reservations, call Bruce Blake at 683-4275.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW LODGE** WILL have an open house for the community Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. in observance of National Nursing Home Week. The public is welcome to stop by and visit.

AN EFFORT IS BEING made to form a manic/depressive (bipolar) support group in Snyder. If you are interested, call Debbie Robertson at (915)573-1154.

**BIG SPRING CHICANO GOLF** Association will be awarding scholarships this year, and applications are

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 Howard County NAACP, 7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce conference room. Call Stephanie Horton, 264-0306.

•Alzheimer's support group. 6:30 p.m., March House, 2301 Wasson. Call 268-9041.

 Senior Class of Forsan beauty pageant, 7 p.m., Forsan High School Auditorium. The cost is \$1 and all proceeds go towards the senior class participating in the Relay for Life in memory of Meagan Stanley.

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.

 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.

•MS group, 6:30 p.m. Canterbury South. Call Diane at 263-0148.

•Mental Health Center's Family Education and support 5:30 p.m., 319 Runnels. Call Shannon Nabors, 263-0027.

#### WEDNESDAY

•Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room. Call Archie Kountz, 267-3821.

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 CHRISTOPHER GONZA-LES, 23, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia. JOEL HERNANDEZ, 21,

was arrested on local warrants. JANET LOCKHART, 34, was arrested for public intoxication.

· LUIS FLORES, 18, was arrested for minor in possession of alcohol.

• JOGE CHAVEZ, 18, was arrested for minor in possession of alcohol.

• THEFT reported in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa, the 200 block of Circle, the 700 block of W. U.S. Interstate 20 and the 100 block of Airbase.

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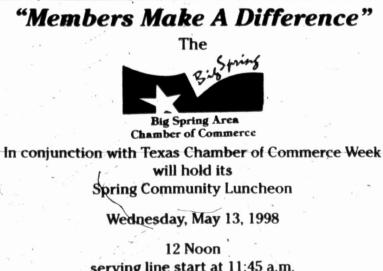
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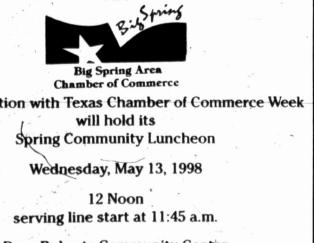


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### GENERAL NEWS

## Lack of business prompts South Orient Railroad to file for abandonment

SAN ANGELO (AP) - South Move will end rail service from San Angelo to Mexican border, stymie 'La Entrada al Pacifico' "Everybody else goes north of

abandon the 295 miles of railroad track leading from San Angelo to Presidio later this year.

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Railroad officials say they are abandoning the line because of a lack of use by businesses exporting products to Mexico. This despite the fact that Texas exported \$31.2 billion to Mexico in 1997.

'The \$31.2 billion is a record high and an increase of \$4.1 billion from 1996," said Dr. Andres de la Concha, chairman of the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce. "Mexico is a net

importer of agricultural prod- important link to move indusucts and is Texas' biggest export market."

De la Concha believes trade dollars between Mexico and Texas are bound to increase.

"Texas and Mexico being side by side presents tremendous opportunity and I think it's very important to keep the rail-" road open," he said. "It gives opportunity to move products from the east coast to the pacific coast and to Mexico. Once it's gone, it's gone forever.'

The rail line should be an

trial products on. Joel T. Williams III, president of South Orient says. But the company can't get anybody to use it, he said.

In 1993, South Orient had an agreement with Burlington Northern Railway to be the latter's access into Mexico. But after Burlington merged with Santa Fe Railway in 1995, the agreement never materialized. whole situation 'The changed, said Richard

Russack.

**Burlington Northern Santa Fe** Railway. "At the time of the agreement we didn't have any access into Mexico, but after the merger it wasn't that important anymore.

'Santa Fe already had facilities and resources at El Paso," he said, "It was just more efficient to use those.

"We aren't excited or proud of abandoning the line, but if no one uses it, it's very expensive to just own it." The company plans to apply

spokesman for for permission to abandon the

line by June 16, a move that would allow them to begin shutting down the line as early as October.

The route slated for abandonment never has met expectations. It winds from San Angelo to Presidio, stopping at Rankin, Fort Stockton and Rov Williams, chief operating officer of the South Orient, said the only San Angelo company directly affected by the abandonment would be Butts Recycling Inc., which usually ships eight ot 10 rail cars of

San Angelo to the Dallas-Fort Worth area," Williams said. "Since we are considering abandoning 295 miles south of San Angelo no other San Angelo customer should be affected.

Employees of the recycling company sort the paper, bale it and then send it/to mills. The company collects paper from San Angelo and surrounding areas, such as Ballinger, Sonora and Brownwood.

The paper is shipped to customers nationwide, but most of it goes to Mexico.

## Airlines rush to get older Boeing 737s back in air

WASHINGTON (AP) - One by one, older-model Boeing 737s are returning to the skies following a government-ordered grounding for inspections prompted by discovery of extensive wear in power lines running through wing fuel tanks.

As of this morning, 47 aircraft had been inspected, and mechanics found some signs of abrasion in half of the bundles examined, FAA administrator Jane Garvey said today.

United, which canceled 54 flights Sunday to make the emergency inspections, said it expected to have all of its 18 affected aircraft operating today. Southwest, which has 35 such airplanes in its all-737 fleet, had mechanics work in teams of three over the weekend to finish the inspections.

"Basically, from a customer standpoint, the inspections have been seamless," Southwest spokesman Kristie Kerr said.

Doug Clowers found his United flight from Ronald **Reagan Washington National** Airport to Chicago canceled, "but they made sure they didn't mess up my plans too much. They made sure I was on the next available flight," he said.

The emergency inspection. which affected 15 percent of the 737s operating domestically, was the broadest order by the FAA affecting commercial aircraft since McDonnell-Douglas DC-10s were grounded in 1979. FAA gave airlines up to a week

"Certainly if it's a 737 that's flying today, then it's not part of the fleet that we are the most concerned about," Garvey said. "The ones we are concerned about will not fly until they've been inspected, until we're sure, until the air carriers are sure that it is safe.'

One wiring bundle in a United Airlines 737 showed signs of sparking in one spot and a second area where the wires had been worn bare, most likely from vibration over the plane's 50,000 hours in flight.

That prompted the FAA to revise its original order, ordering all Boeing 737-100 and -200 series aircraft immediately out of passenger service until they could be inspected and repaired. The affected planes have cigar-shaped engines mounted directly under their wings. U.S. carriers operate 179 of the aircraft.

The FAA also ordered inspections over the next two weeks for 737s with between 40,000 and 50,000 flight hours, generally the newer generation Boeing 737-300, -400 and -500 aircraft. Those models have oval-shaped engines mounted on pylons that extend in front of the wings. There are 118 such planes in the U.S. and 282 worldwide.

Based on the early inspections, the FAA also allowed airlines to discontinue inspections of another set of pipes and wires leading to the aircraft's center It came three days after the fuel tank. In all 14 planes inspected, there were no signs

SBC, formerly Southwestern Bell, to purchase Ameritech in largest phone company deal ever

CHICAGO (AP) - Fast-grow- the East Coast, has 41 million phone giant SBC ing Communications Inc. has agreed to purchase Baby Bell rival Ameritech Corp. for \$62 billion in a stock-swap deal that would be the second-largest merger in corporate history.

The deal, announced today. would create a powerhouse communications company with operations in nearly every region of the country, likely toserve as a potent rival to AT&T Corp., and to WorldCom Inc. after its pending \$37 billion MCI takeover of Communications Corp.

The combination would be second only to the pending \$82 billion merger of Travelers Group Inc. and Citicorp. An SBC-Ameritech combina-

tion would give the combined company to be known as SBC 57 million phone lines, or nearly one-third of the nation's total. By comparison, Bell Atlantic, with operations along phone lines. If approved by shareholders.

and regulators, the takeover would leave just four remaining Bells out of the seven created in the 1984 antitrust breakup of the original American Telephone & Telegraph Co., which provided both local and long-distance phone service. In addition to SBC and Bell

Atlantic, the others are U S West near Denver, and BellSouth in Atlanta.

In a series of mergers and acquisitions since deregulation began in 1996, communication companies have been scrambling to outgun the competition by getting bigger and offering a wider array of services, including cellular, local and long-distance phone service.

SBC Communications, formerly called Southwestern Bell, has led the way. It bought San Francisco-based Pacific Telesis Group a year ago for \$16.5 bil-

lion and is working to complete companies. its \$5 billion acquisition of Southern New England Telecommunications Corp. of Connecticut.

SBC would be paying a premium over Ameritech's market value of \$48.3 billion, based on Friday's closing stock price of \$43.875 a share.

"Given the size and significance of the transaction we expect close scrutiny but ultimate approval from regulatory authorities," said Edward E. Whitacre Jr., chairman and chief executive officer of SBC.

The companies said Whitacre would remain as chairman and chief executive of SBC. Ameritech CEO Richard Notebaert will remain as chairman and CEO of Ameritech.

Until now, Notebaert has independent, avoiding the combination frenzy of other Bells while aggressively purchasing<sup>+</sup> large stakes in European phone

Ameritech, based in Chicago, appeared a ripe takeover target because of its solid Midwestern business and what some called its failure to move aggressively to compete under the new era

of deregulation. The parent of phone companies in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin, Ameritech has other non-core businesses such as cable television and its home-security business.

Both Ameritech and SBC, like all Baby Bells, have sought to get into the \$90 billion long-distance business. Ameritech has been working with regulators to break into the Michigan long-distance market.

SBC has taken another route, appeared determined to remain turning to the courts in many cases, to force regulators to move more quickly to allow it to move into Oklahoma and other states.

### Netanyahu hints he'll take fight to American public

Minister Benjamin Netanyahu hinted today he would take his fight with the Clinton administration over a West Bank troop withdrawal directly to the American public.

President Clinton insists Israel withdraw from 13 percent of the West Bank, but the Israeli prime minister has resisted pressure from Washington. Citing security concerns, he has said he can transfer no more than 9 percent to Palestinian control for now.

JERUSALEM (AP) - Prime was to brief Clinton and Secretary of State Madeleine Albright today on his weekend trip to Israel in which he failed to win Israeli acceptance of the American withdrawal plan.

> U.S. officials have suggested Albright might go public with the American initiative as a way of increasing pressure on Israel. But Netanyahu suggest-

like to believe also the government of the United States," Netanyahu told an international conference of mayors in Jerusalem.

Later this week, Netanyahu is to fly to the United States to meet with Jewish leaders and AIPAC, an Israeli lobbying group in Washington.

The Clinton administration plans to launch negotiations on a permanent Mideast peace pact in Washington once there is a troop withdrawal agreement.

Clinton would preside over a meeting by Netanyahu and Palestinian leader 4 Yasser Arafat. But Israeli officials said the travel plans of Netanyahu In April, AIPAC played a role and Clinton would not allow for

But analysts have noted that





to inspect their oldest 737s for signs of wear in the wiring or the pipes that carry the wires through the fuel tanks. A recent inspection of a

Continental 737 found both exposed wires and holes in the piping believed to have been caused by electrical sparks. Officials feared the mixture of fuel, air and electricity could spark an explosion such as that which downed TWA Flight 800. "I think any time we see abrasion in wiring we are con-

cerned," Garvey said. Garvey also tried to allay the

concerns of passengers scheduled to travel aboard a 737 today.

of chafing found in that wiring. "While we are concerned about (the inspections) and the disruption it may have on the system, the No. 1 concern of the FAA is safety," said Thomas McSweeny, the agency's direc-

tor of aircraft certification. Boeing supported the action, which followed its own service bulletin to owners on April 24.

"At the end of the day, in matters of security, it is Israel that must decide and I think this is the view shared by, frankly, the U.S. mediator Dennis Ross people of America and I would

"Thank you" really seems inadequate,

ed he would not be intimidated. in circulating a letter to Clinton that calls on the president not to pressure Israel over a West Bank troop withdrawal. The letter eventually was signed by 81 senators.

a summit until the end of May The Israeli ambassador to France, Avi Pazner, told French radio that May 22 was being considered as a possible new deadline for agreement.

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# OUR VIEWS Baseball, softball season enjoyable for area prep fans

his has been and continues to be an enjoyable spring for baseball and softball enthusiasts in the Big Spring area, as high school teams from Big Spring and Coahoma have flourished and Howard College's Hawks reached the Region V JUCO baseball tournament.

While the past weekend saw Big Spring's Steers eliminated in the Class 4A bi-district baseball playoffs, the Lady Steers end their season with a loss in the regional softball semifinals and the Hawks drop their first two games in Abilene, closing out a 31-23-1 campaign, Coahoma's Bulldogettes are now preparing for a Class 2A/1A regional championship game this week.

Meanwhile, Coahoma's boys are primed for another run deep into the baseball playoffs. Currently unbeaten in District 8-2A play, the 'Dogs own a one-game' lead over Eldorado's Eagles going into Tuesday's game in Eldorado.

The Bulldogs are a lock on the playoffs and will take the 8-2A championship if they knock off Eldorado in the regular season finale Tuesday afternoon. A loss would force a one-game playoff for the district title.

Although the Steers' played just two postseason games — a loss to San Angelo Lake View in a showdown for playoff seeding in District 4-4A and a heartbreaking 6-5 loss to El Paso Burges' Mustangs leaving them with a 14-14 record - their season can only be considered a resounding success.

# Stupid statements from Abul Abbas, Hillary

### Scripps Howard News Service

I'm no diplomat. But it seems to me that two comments from world-famous figures this week rank right up there in terms of lack of decorum and insensitivity. One came from PLO terrorist-turned-adviser to Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat, Abul Abbas. The other came from first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Abul Abbas, you may recall, was on many countries' most wanted lists in the 1980s for masterminding the hijacking of the Italian cruise liner, the Achille Lauro. That grisly twoday affair was perpetrated by Palestinian terrorists who were looking for a way to sneak into **Israel and cause God knows** what kind of havoc there. Instead, they took out their wrath on poor wheelchairbound Leon Klinghoffer, an elderly American Jew, whom they shot to death while he sat crippled and helpless. Then they unceremoniously dumped

his body overboard. Abbas was tried in absentia

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in an Italian court and found guilty of murder. He was sentenced to life in prison, but never served time because he evaded authorities for years by hiding in Iraq. More recently he's felt safe enough to go public, with trips to Palestiniancontrolled territories. PLO political observers believe he's shooting now for some sort of political office instead of shooting at innocent tourists.

But he hasn't completely shed his old ways. When asked recently by the Associated Press about the hijacking of the Italian cruise ship and the murder of Klinghoffer, Abbas said, "You never forget, all of you, do you?"

What an odd question, coming from a murderous thug. Of course we never forget heinous acts against humanity. Who in the world would? One can be sure Abbas' mind is chock-full of recollections of alleged infractions by the Israelis against his Palestinian people. So why should he be forgiven?

Few found guilty of murder in this world by any tribunal get off without paying their debts to society. And yet for some reason the United States. and Italy have lost their zeal to punish this particular murderer. It is a position whose rationale eludes many of us. Similarly elusive of rationale

was Hillary Rodham Clinton's comment that the Palestinians deserve a homeland. She unnecessarily created a huge flap among many devoted fans of Israel here in-the United States. She riled some of the very people who have been most supportive of her husband.

That's not to say she lacks the right to speak freely. Everyone is entitled to an opinion — she is no different. But she is clearly smart enough to know that anything she says has more weight than a statement made by a private citizen, or even the wife of a senator or representative. And when she makes statements that conflict with U.S. policy about an issue as dicey as

Middle East politics, she's treading where she ought not

Secretary Donna Shalala once told me in an interview that if. she differed with the president's policy on a critical issue, she would quit her job before she would make public her disagreement. That's a trustworthy and knowledgeable

But Hillary Clinton, by speaking her mind but also speaking out of turn, raises reams of questions about the proper role of a first lady and where the role of presidential spouse ends and the role of administration official begins. These are questions we thought she settled when she retired as head of the president's health care reform task force years ago.

An unsolicited piece of advice for both Mrs. Clinton and Abbas: sometimes silence is golden.

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## The writer's art: Neologistic flapettes

Lovers of the English language have been inventing words since Shakespeare trod the boards and Lewis Carroll went boat-

wasn't until recently that ID appeared as a transitive verb. A reader in Batavia, N.Y., sent me a streamer headline from the city's Daily News: "Police ID body found in ditch." You

until he gives up and sweeps it under a rug." Elecelleration, of course, is the ironclad conviction that "the more you press the button the faster the elevator will arrive.'

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A preseason pick to finish no better than next to last in district play, the Steers rebounded from 1997's disastrous seven-win season, returning to the playoffs – a position Big Spring fans have come to expect over the years.

For the Hawks, a second-place finish in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference left them in the rarefied air of the Region V tourney where they immediately ran up against Brookhaven College, one of the nation's top 10-ranked hitting teams.

A 12-9 loss similar to those "no lead is safe" slugfests the Hawks had come to expect in WJCAC play, dropped Howard into the regional tournament's loser's bracket before North Central College sent them packing with a 9-4 loss Friday morning.

However, the Hawks' 31-win season had plenty of highlights for their fans to recall as several players on the team chased team records established by Howard's 1991 national championship team.

And Friday night's 8-3 loss to Keller Fossil Ridge in no way tarnished what can only be considered a sterling season enjoyed by the Lady Steers softball team.

Not only did the Big Spring girls take the District 4-4A championship in only their second season of UIL softball play, but did it in impressive fashion — going undefeated in 10 district games, including a 9-7 comeback over defending regional champion and state tournament qualifier Andrews' Lady Mustangs at Andrews and a thrilling 1-0 gem when the two teams met on the Lady Steers' turf.

The Lady Steers closed their season with a 29-5 record that speaks volumes about the program's qual ity.

One can only wish the Lady Steers had been able to play the Bulldogettes, but that could only have hap pened at the Snyder tournament early in the season.

At that time, neither team had yet made it clear they'd be the softball powerhouses they became and the tournament's schedule made the prospect all but impossible.

With both Coahoma teams still playing, it becomes clear to even the most novice of observers that Howard County is a baseball and softball stronghold in West Texas — not only the stuff of which the various schools can boast, but clearly an endorsement for the summer youth programs that feed the high school teams.

Whether or not the Bulldogettes made a return to the state tournament as they did in 199<del>6,</del> or whether the Bulldogs repeat the run they made to the Class 2A state tournament a year ago, the residents of Big Spring and Coahoma will both be able to look back on this past season with pride.

Not only have these teams enjoyed tremendous success, each has at some time encountered adversity and persevered, all the while representing their schools and our communities in exemplary fashion. As a result, we wish not only to congratulate each of them, but offer our thanks for an enjoyable season.

ing up the Thames. The neologistic production line shows no sign of slowing. Molly Ivins, the Texas gad James J. fly, made

Kilpatrick a fine contribution

to our mother tongue some months ago. She was writing about an academic dust storm kicked up by **Professor** Lino Gaglia. He had commented in an unguarded moment that as a general proposition, blacks and Hispanics "are not academically competitive with whites in

selective institutions." The professor suffered at once the harsh consequences of committing truth. Ivins termed him a "horse's patoot with the IQ of a dust bunny," a splendid line, but her most notable contribution to lexicography came when she recalled an earlier incident. The professor had spoken of "pickaninnies," and thus had set off a lively

'flapette.' "Flapette" strikes me as an admirable coinage. It combines the slang word for "a state of nervous excitement" with the diminutive suffix "-ette," and gives us a small but notable stirring of emotion. A flapette would rank below a brouhaha and far below a firestorm. When Vice President Dan Quayle misspelled "potato," he stirred up a flapette. I like it. The term "ID," a noun mean

ing "identification," has been around for many years, but it

will hear no complaint from me. The headline was clear, compact and instantly understandable.

Jason Kays, an attorney in Port Townsend, Wash., came up with a laudable verb to fit these times. The Peninsula Daily News asked a sidewalk sample of citizens, "What effect will the sex scandals have on Clinton's presidency?" Not much, Kays thought, provided the story stops with sexual peccadilloes, "but it would be much more drastic if it's borne

out that there was stubborning of perjury. I wouldn't want to form a judgment on suborning, for the evidence isn't vet at hand, but

surely the country has seen a great deal of stubborning in recent years. Stubbornness can be an admirable trait, but pressed to defiant extremes, to borrow from Ivins, it can be a

pain in the nation's patoot. Some remarkable neologisms came off the Internet in April of last year. The printout sent to me attributes such lovely

words as "aquadextrous" to Tim Fitzharris, no address provided. To be aquadextrous is to possess the ability "to turn the bathtub faucet on and off with one's toes.

The same fertile source has proposed "disconfect," "elbonics," "frust" and "elecelleration." To disconfect is to sterilize a piece of candy that has fallen on the floor by blowing on it. Elbonics is the silent struggling by two movie patrons for one armrest. Frust is defined as "the small line of debris that refuses to be swept onto a dustpan and keeps backing a person across the room

Charles W. Blumentritt of Dallas downloaded a different batch of candidates for admission. "Percussive maintenance" is the fine art of "whacking a device to get it going." In companies where evervone has a cubicle. "prairie dogging" is the reaction that occurs when something happens and everyone pops up to look.

John Igo of San Antonio passes along "screamishness" and "incesticide." Horror movies play to the sound of screamishness. Incesticide is the crime of Oedipus. My correspondent also submits "happenable" as a useful shortcut to saying that something "could happen." Keith Herrmann of Raleigh, N.C., likes "happeneur," describing the kind of activist who makes thing happen.

I doubt that any of these ingenuities will make it through the gates of lexicography, for it isn't easy to establish the value of a newly coined word. At Random House, the editors demand at least 10 citations from five reputable sources over a period of one year. Most nominations have a long time to wait.

Some old words have a way of taking on new lives. The Raleigh (N.C.) News & Observer recently carried a feature on Tracy Turner. She is identified these days as the first woman ever to ride a motorcycle for the police department. She doesn't care for the label. "I don't want this to be some feminine issue," she said. "Don't gender me."

There's a verb that every red blooded editor will love. And how about, Don't macho me!

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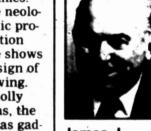
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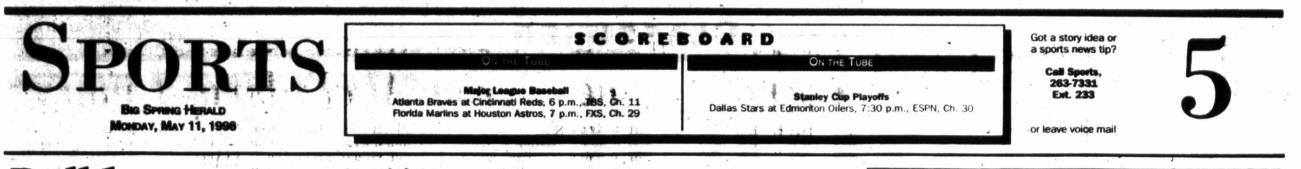
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# Bulldogs romp to 7-1 victory over Ozona

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OZONA - Coahoma's Bulldogs moved one step closer to repeating as District 8-2A baseball champions Friday with a 7-1 win over Ozona's Lions.

The 'Dogs, now 13-3 overall and a perfect 7-0 in district play, can wrap up the 8-2A title Tuesday with a road win over Eldorado's Eagles. That game is set for a 5 p.m. start.

A Coahoma loss in Eldorado, the Eagles will take a 6-1 league record into the game, would force a one-game playoff for the district championship.

Ozona's lineup was simply no match for

### **Tiger takes** 'shaky' win at Bell South

DULUTH, Ga. (AP) - It was a struggle, but Tiger Woods finally won again.

He ended a 10-month PGA Tour winless streak Sunday, finishing one stroke ahead of Jay Don Blake in the BellSouth Classic.

The 22-year-old, who won six of the first 21 PGA Tour events he' entered as a professional; hadn't won on tour since taking the Western Open in early July, a span of 15 tournaments. He also is well out of contention with a round left in the suspended Pebble Beach National Pro-Am.

Woods, who had a threestroke lead entering the final round, shot an even-par 72 for a 17-under 271 total over the 7,259yard TPC at Sugarloaf.

He said he enjoyed holding off Blake and winning the way he did.

"I think if you shoot a 62 to win it's not as satisfying as grinding it out and winning while not having your best stuff," said Woods, who won \$342,000 to increase his earnings for the year to \$1,003,586. Woods, who won a PGA European Tour event in Thailand in January, last played at the Masters in April,

finishing eighth.

the Bulldogs' pitching duo of T.J. Green and

Delvin White, managing just three hits and drawing two bases on balls. Green went six innings in chalking up

the win, giving up all three of the Lions' hits while striking out 13. White pitched

the seventh, striking out one of the three batters he faced.

The Lions' pitching staff; while limiting the Bulldogs' prolific offense to 10 hits,

allowed nine walks. Coahoma's offense was paced by Jerry Mann, Aaron Ovalle and T.J. Green, as they

combined for seven of the Bulldogs' hits. Mann went 2-for-3 at the plate and drew a walk, while Ovalle was 3-for-5 and drove in a pair of runs.

Green aided his own cause with a 2-for-3 showing at the plate, also chalking up a couple of RBIs. Walt Bordelon, Jeremy Green and White rounded out the Bulldogs' hit total.

### Lady Steers banquet set tonight at Garrett Hall **HERALD Staff Report**

The Big Spring Lady Steers Booster Club will hold its annual Lady Steers Athletic Banquet at 7 tonight in Garrett Hall at the First United Methodist Church.

The banquet, which will honor members of Big Spring High School's girls volleyball, basketball, softball and track athletes, as well as cheerleaders and managers and trainers, will be catered by Al's and Son Bar-B-Que.

Tickets, priced at \$8.50 per person are available at Big Spring High School, Athletic Supply, Neal's Sporting Goods, at Faye's Flowers and will be available at the door.

# Injury fells Stewart at nationals

#### HERALD Staff Report

SEATTLE - An ankle injury suffered during warmups robbed Big Spring's Stephanie Stewart of her chance of reaching the finals on at least two apparatus Saturday during the AAU Junior Olympics gymnastics championships.

The injury, suffered while Stewart warmed up for her second event in the Capital Cup format competition; the vault, came following a strong showing in the floor exercise.

"It was really just a shame that it happened the way it did," said Russ McEwen, who coaches Stewart and her Big Spring YMCA Sidewinders teammates. "It's been that kind of year for her ... trying to battle back from injuries.

"The really frustrating part is that I think she'd have finaled in both the bars and the beam if she hadn't hurt the ankle,' McEwen added. "Unfortunately, that's just the way things are in sports, especially at the level she's competing. But we're very proud of her, she did very well when you consider everything she's been through."

Stewart began her season by undergoing surgery to remove bone chips from an elbow and missed much of the season. returning to competition just State: Gymnastics



Big Spring's Stephanie Stewart, shown here practicing her floor exercise prior to this year's USA Gymnastics State Championships, saw her hopes of a strong finish at the AAU Junior Olympics in Seattle dashed when an ankle injury suffered during warmups for the vault competition literally robbed her of chances to reach the finals in at least to events.

and Mikelle Farris.

She again overcame adversity . unraveled for her." in Wichita recovering from a fall during her dismount on the bars with a strong floor exer- fied with a 9.1 score. and grabbing the final spot on prompted her not to attempt tried to work through the pain.

sprained her ankle it really She did her best to work

just one of her vaults and satis- hers with an 8.7 on the beam two weeks prior to the USA cise routine, finish 14th overall Concerns for the injure the way she competed ... really

through the pain, but she fell Stewart was able to complete a on her dismount and that left But we're extremely proud of

# Rangers thump Indians

ARLINGTON (AP) — In the spring, Texas Rangers manager Johnny Oates had penciled in John Burkett as the ace of his pitching staff.

Burkett hardly backed up that trust over his first seven starts, struggling with an 8.03 ERA.

Sunday night's 5-3 victory over the Cleveland Indians was what Oates has been looking for from the veteran right-han-

"It feels good, but I'm still disappointed with the way l've been pitching," Burkett said. "I need to put together some consistency.

Manny Ramirez broke up Burkett's run at a perfect game with a seventh-inning double. Then Burkett and closer John Wetteland survived a ninthinning rally.

Burkett retired the first 20 batters, but he said he tried not to think about the perfect game and just focused on each hitter.

"I just tried to keep pitching and get outs," Burkett said. "I didn't really try to think of that at all. I was just trying to keep my concentration, keep working hard."

I came here this week play ing pretty good, put it all together somehow and won," he said.

Woods, who shot a courserecord 63 on Saturday, made three bogeys and three birdies Sunday.

"I didn't play all that great, but I got a couple of lucky breaks, which is what it takes, Woods said.

Championships the Sidewinders hosted at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

An ankle injury the week of the state championships appeared to have hampered her regional meet in Wichita, Kanć, but she rebounded to score enough point to advance with teammates Brooke Lawrence

the list of national qualifiers. In Seattle, Stewart opened the competition with a solid floor exercise routine that earned her a 9.15 score.

"We were very happy with chances to reaching the USAG that floor routine and headed back to the warmup gym to prepare for her rotation on the vault with a lot of confidence." McEwen noted. "But once she

her dismount on the bars, further hurting her standing with major deductions by the judges. "She really had a tremendous

routine on the bars, but she decided not to risk trying to stick the landing with the ankle hurting like it was and that really hurt her score. McEwen explained. "It hurt her in the beam, too.

Overall. I think she's going to be able to look back and see it as a positive experience.

Stewart, a '15-year-old fresh man at Big Spring High School and her Sidewinders team mates will now prepare' to defend the National YMCA Gymnastics Championships team title they won last year in San Diego

O'Neal got his 39 by shooting

2:14 remaining made it 106-95,

and his two foul shots with 58

seconds left put the Lakers up

"If they didn't have (O'Neal)

in the middle, it would proba-

bly be a different story right

said. "We're not matching up

Eddie Jones of the Lakers had

"When you double-team Shaq,

a career playoff-high, scoring 32

well with him right now.

Seattle's Gary Payton

Over his first seven starts Burkett was happy with only two of his outings. On Sunday, he got ahead of the hitters. had an effective changeup and kept the ball down.

"It seemed like every pitch he threw was on the corner," Rangers catcher Ivan Rodriguez said. "He mixed his pitches and threw strikes. That's what he has to do to be effective.

Burkett ran into trouble in the ninth, loading the bases with no outs before being relieved. Wetteland gave up a two-run single to Ramirez and a sacrifice fly to Jim Thome before recording his ninth save. Burkett (3-4) allowed three

runs, four hits and one walk in eight innings, striking out five. 'Johnny threw the ball

extremely well," Rangers first baseman Will Clark said. "He threw a ton of strikes so it kept the defense on its toes. We made the plays behind him.'

Mike Indíans manager Hargrove was impressed with Burkett's command.

"He kept the ball out of the middle of the plate, he threw good changeups and we hit the ball right at people," Hargrove said. "That's a great combination.'

Juan Gonzalez drove in a run with a double in the fifth inning for Texas, giving him a major league-leading 46 RBIs.

## Bulls, Pacers, Lakers, Jazz all up 3-1 over opponents

#### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Four of the NBA's best, Miller. Shaquille Reggie O'Neal, Scottie Pippen and Karl Malone, couldn't have been any better.

On a Sunday when all four second-round series ended up the same way -3-1 leads for the victors - the Pacers. Lakers, Bulls and Jazz couldn't have gotten by without their superstars.

They did it in order, one after the other, as the four games were played in succession from early afternoon to late night.

Miller had another Knickkilling moment at Madison Square Garden, hitting a tying 3-pointer with 5.1 seconds left to force overtime as Indiana went on to beat New York 118-107.

O'Neal scored 39 points at the

Forum, his latest in a string of be Thursday (West) and Friday high-scoring games for Los (East). Angeles, as the Lakers beat

Seattle 112-100. Pippen made several huge plays in a third quarter Charlotte onslaught at Coliseum when Michael Jordan was struggling and the Bulls went on to breeze past the Hornets 94-80

Malone played like an MVP. hitting 17 shots from the field and scoring 34 points without going to the foul line at the Alamodome as Utah beat San Antonio 82-73.

The two Western Conference series resume Tuesday night in Salt lake City and Seattle, and next two Eastern the will Conference games be night in Wednesday Indianapolis and Chicago. Games 6s, if necessary, will

#### Pacers 118, Knicks 107

The Knicks seemed to have this one won late in the fourth quarter, but Indiana had a chance to tie with 19 seconds left trailing by three.

Miller couldn't get open at the 3-point line, so Rik Smits drove to the basket and missed. The rebound was batted out to Chris Mullin near the 3-point line, he flipped it to Mark Jackson, who passed it to Miller. There wasn't a defender within 10 feet of him. Swish.

"It ranks right up there, and every time I've had a big moment at the Garden, we've won," said Miller, who scored 38 points — one shy of his career playoff-high.

"They were pretty zapped Lakers 112, SuperSonics 100 after I hit that 3," Miller said.

"I looked in (Allan) Houston 15-of-20 from the field and 9-ofand Patrick (Ewing)'s eyes, and 12 from the foul line. He also they didn't have the same fire had eight rebounds, seven assists and five blocked shots. as they had when they built that lead." O'Neal's three-point play with

Smits scored 14 of his 23 points in the fourth quarter. almost single-handedly bringing the Pacers back from their late deficit, and Jackson scored five straight points in overtime as Indiana quickly took control. Miller finished the job with 1:28 left in overtime by making a 3-pointer from the same spot as his earlier one, shooting a

stare at Knick fan Spike Lee after the ball swished through. Jackson had 16 points and 15

assists, Mullin scored 18 points and the Pacers shot 10-for-23 from 3-point range.

somebody's going to have a shot," Seattle's Hersey Hawkins said. "(Jones) was knocking the

# Yanks, Red Sox win again; Two weeks until showdown starts

#### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

At this rate, the New York Yankees will win 125 games and the Boston Red Sox will win 111. Then again, those projections might be a little low.

The two teams with the best records in the AL both won again Sunday, relying on pitching for road victories. Ramiro Mendoza led the Yankees past Minnesota 7-0, while Tim Wakefield led the Red Sox over Kansas City 3-1.

"He was into it mentally, especially the last three innings," Yankees manager Joe Torre said after Mendoza the team's No. 5 starter - pitched a five-hitter for his first career shutout. "He was like a locomotive."

The Yankees won for the 23rd time in 26 games and finished a 7-1 road trip. They have not lost two in a row since the first week of the season and lead the majors with a 24-7 record.

The Red Sox have won 20 of 26 and improved to 24-11.

The clubs get their first look at each other soon enough. They'll play seven times in 10 days, starting May 22 at Fenway Park and then meet at Yankee Stadium the following weekend.

In other American League games Sunday, Texas defeated Cleveland 5-3, Seattle stopped Toronto 3-1, Tampa Bay beat Baltimore 4-3, Chicago defeated Oakland 4-3 and Anaheim defeated Detroit 4-2.

In National League games, San Francisco beat Chicago 3-0, Atlanta beat San Diego 8-5, Los Angeles beat Florida 4-2, Colorado beat Montreal 5-3, Philadelphia beat Arizona 7-4. Cincinnati beat Pittsburgh 4-3 in 12 innings and Houston beat Milwaukee 7-1. St. Louis' doubleheader at New York, scheduled to make up Saturday's washout, was called off by rain.

Mendoza (2-1), whose spot in the rotation seemed in jeopardy recently with the success Orlando "El Duque" Hernandez was having in the minors. walked none and struck out two.

"It feels great," Mendoza said through an interpreter. "Hopefully, I'm going to keep doing it."

Mendoza's fielders helped him with four double plays and New York backed him with 16 hits, including solo homers by Tino Martinez and Scott Brosius.

Eric Milton (2-4), the key acquisition in the offseason trade that sent Chuck Knoblauch from the Twins to the Yankees, gave up four runs and nine hits in five innings.

Knoblauch went 2-for-4, drove in a run and scored one.

In Kansas City, Wakefield held the Royals hitless for 6 2-3 innings and Boston's Jason Varitek hit his first

major league homer.

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Wakefield (4-1) gave up just a two-out single to Shane Mack in the seventh. and a two-out, bunt single by Johnny Damon with two outs in the ninth.

"I felt good warming up," the knuck leballer said. "Ljust wanted to take it with me into the game. I was able to go out there and throw strikes

The Red Sox won their third straight. despite the absence of shortstop Nomar Garciaparra - The 1997 AL rookie of the year was sent back to Boston for further examination after hurting his right shoulder Friday.

#### Astros 7, Brewers 1

Jose Lima (6-1) scattered eight hits in seven innings at County Stadium and sparked a five-run rally with his first major league hit.

After Lima got an infield single in the fifth, Craig Biggio was hit by a

pitch and Derek Bell doubled for a 4-0 lead. Sean Berry's RBI double chased Steve Woodard (2-1), who gave up all seven runs and nine hits in 4 1-3 innings.

#### Mariners 3, Blue Jays 1

Ken Griffey Jr. hit his major leagueleading 15th home run and Jeff Fassero, with clutch relief from Mike Timlin, pitched host Seattle past Toronto.

Fassero (4-1) took a 2-0 lead into the eighth inning, but the Blue Jays loaded the bases with no outs. He struck out Shawn Green, and Timlin got Jose Canseco to ground into a double play.

Alex Rodriguez, moved into the leadoff spot in a revamped lineup, hit a two-run homer off Juan Guzman (1-5). Guzman lost to the Mariners for the first time in eight lifetime decisions despite tying a career high with 11

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Investing, earning more money and learning more about key individuals mark this busy year. Your forte is dealing well with others, and you also make strong financial decisions. You have the strength, ingenuity and wherewithal to be a success. Your career becomes much more the way you dreamed it should be. Don't sit on the sidelines. Physical exercise is key to your well-being. If you are single, romance comes through your amazing network of friends. If attached, work with your mate to turn a tidy profit. SAGIT-TARIUS gets to the bottom line. The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Let your imagination soar. Reach for others who are at a distance, and seek out new ideas. Moneymaking opportunities come from your inner resources. Get serious about a new work project. Think through decisions. New viewpoints twist open possibilities. Tonight: Rent a movie.\*\*\*\*\*

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Close relating brings strong solutions. Others respond to your beat. Be clear and direct about your needs. This is not the time to be shy or play it cool. State your case with the assumption that someone will listen. Give up your insecurities; they only hurt you. Tonight: Trust your judgment.\*\*\*\*

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Intuition serves you when something you have been keeping inside comes out. Popularity mounts; you present yourself in a positive light. You are empowered. Endurance is high. You are capable of pulling rabbits out of hats. Go for what you want! Tonight: Get together with friends.\*\*\*\*

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Stay mellow with prickly people. Aim for what you want. Good news from a distance arrives. Examine your expectations, and maintain clarity. Read between the lines, especially with work-related matters. Be patient with friends. Tonight: Off to the gym.\*\*\*\*

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't let someone's stubbornness get to you. Pushing hard at work allows you to make

### your career. Tonight: Take a

leap of faith.\*\*\* LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

Don't stand on ceremony any longer. Take a risk, and move forward. What you believed was unacceptable could change after a long discussion. At best, you now have more insight into the current situation. Revise your thinking. The results will vary. Tonight: Hang out.\*\*\*\*\*

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) There is heavy pressure to come up with a solution.

Rethink a decision. You feel overwhelmed by someone's ideas, attitude and tone. Do not back down, especially when it comes to your money. You encounter someone equally as powerful as you. Tonight: Do what you want.\*\*\*

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

You feel empowered and full of yourself. Listen to a loved one's point of view. Impress upon him the difference between optimism and pessimism. Channel your high energy into work. You clear your desk and get a lot done. opening the way for fun. Tonight: Happy times.\*\*\*\*

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

Take a back seat, and don't let someone trigger your emotions. You are challenged to come up with unusual solutions. High vitality makes you a winner. A serious talk might not iron out a difficult situation. Remain positive, as you seek new, essential information. Tonight: A night off.\*\*

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Honor a friendship first. A family member pushes hard; let him know he isn't playing with putty. Remain firm. Recognize how you might be hard on another. What are your hopes here? Tonight: Kick up your heels.\*\*\*\*

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Taking a stand could create more tension than you originally anticipated. Do things in a more positive manner. Realize the problem with being a bull in a china closet. Continue conversations, and put your best foot forward. Review work with a boss. Tonight: Head out and about.\*\*\*

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**Composer Burt Bacharach** (1929), comedian George Carlin (1937), actor Emilio Estevez (1962)

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headway. Let others know that you won't be toyed with. Your imagination knows no limits. A serious discussion about objectives is necessary. Tonight: Let passion rule.\*\*\*\*

#### VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

Settle personal matters before you leap into action. Understand limitations, and be willing to talk with a partner who has been overly stern. Your high energy helps you break outdated patterns. Do the research you need to advance

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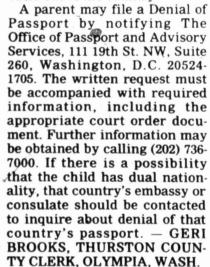
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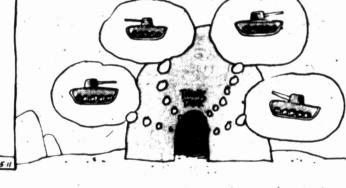
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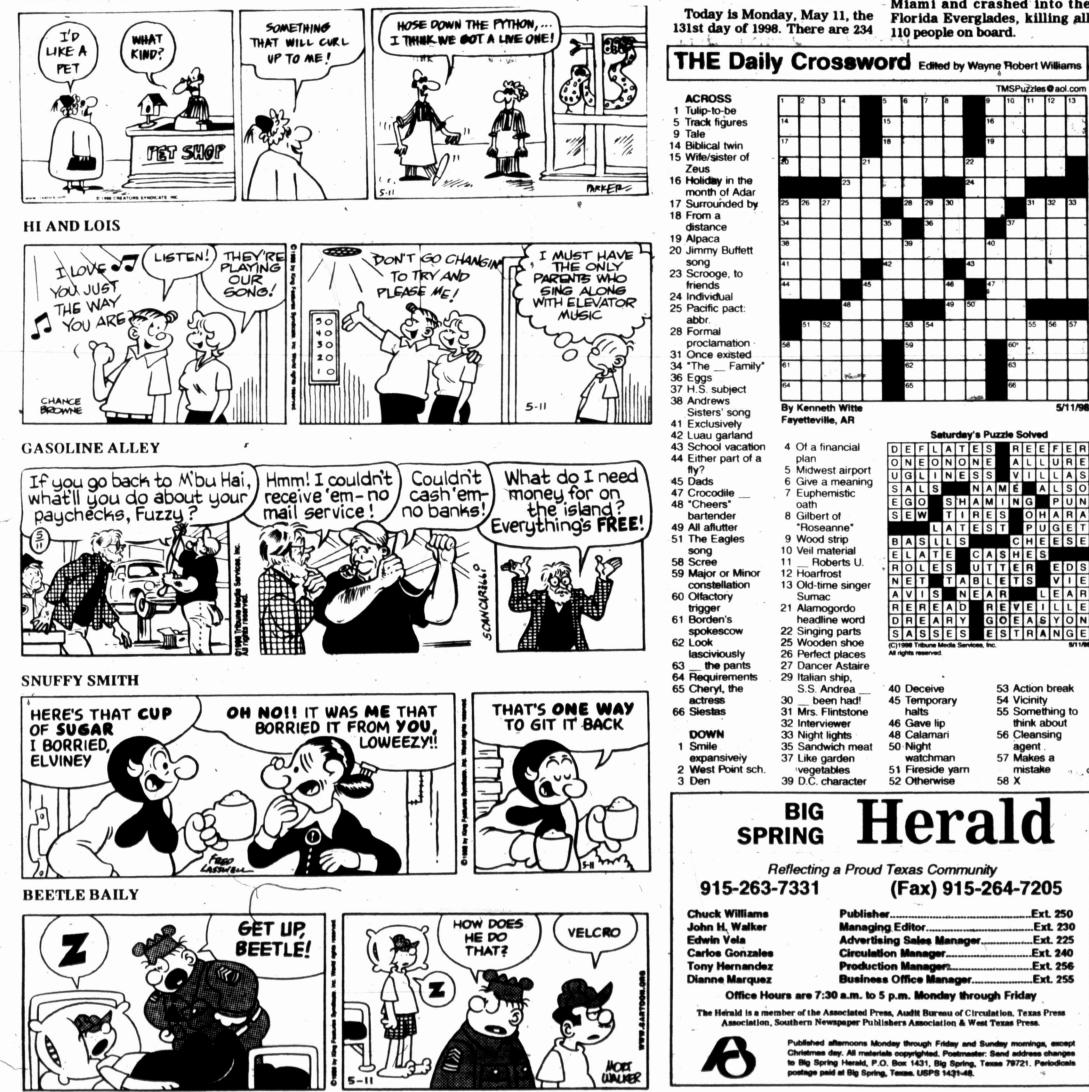


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"I think he likes daily bread."

# THIS DATE **IN HISTORY**



days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On May 11, 1996, an Atlantabound ValuJet DC-9 caught fire shortly after takeoff from Miami and crashed into the Florida Everglades, killing all

#### In 1647, Peter Stuyvesant arrived in New Amsterdam to become governor. In 1858, Minnesota became the 32nd state of the Union. In 1888, songwriter Irving

Berlin was born Israel Baline in Temun, Russia. In 1894, workers at the

On this date:

Pullman Palace Car Company in Illinois went on strike. (The American Railway Union, led

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**DENNIS THE MENACE** 



by Eugene Debs, subsequently began a boycott of Pullman that blocked freight traffic in and out of Chicago.) In 1910, Glacier National Park

in Montana was established. In 1944, Allied forces launched a major offensive in central Italy.

In 1946, the first packages from the relief agency CARE Cooperative for American Remittances to Europe) arrived in Europe, at Le Havre, France. In 1947, the B.F. Goodrich Co.

of Akron, Ohio, announced the development of a tubeless tire. In 1949, Israel was admitted

to the United Nations as the world body's 59th member.

In 1949, Siam changed its named to Thailand.

In 1973, charges against Daniel Ellsberg for his role in the Pentagon Papers case were dismissed by Judge William M. Byrne, who cited government misconduct.

In 1981, reggae artist Bob Marley, 36, died in a Miami hospital.

In 1985, more than 50 people died when a flash fire swept a packed soccer stadium in Bradford, England.

Ten years ago: Master spy Harold "Kim" Philby, the notorious "Third Man" of a British espionage ring, died in the Soviet Union at age 76. Fans of Irving Berlin paid tribute on his 100th birthday with celebrations that included a gala at New York's Carnegie Hall.

Five years ago: The Senate approved the so-called "motor voter" bill, designed to make voter registration easier. The Senate Armed Services Committee heard emotional testimony from Marine Col. Fred Peck, who affirmed his love for his homosexual son, Scott, while reiterating his opposition to lifting the ban on openly gay servicèmen.

One year ago: The "Deep Blue" IBM computer demolished an overwhelmed Garry Kasparov and won the six-game chess match between man and machine in New York.

Today's Birthdays: Actorcomedian Foster Brooks is 86. Comedian Mort Sahl is 71. Rock singer Eric Burdon (The Animals) is 57. Actor Boyd Gaines is 45. Country musician Mark Herndon (Alabama) is 43. Video DJ Martha Quinn is 39.



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