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Tonight



**TONIGHT** 72°-77°  
**TUESDAY** 98°-105°

## Boaters advised lake at low level

Moss Creek Lake manager Floyd Earls recommends that boats do not attempt to enter the lake now, because it is a reported 16 and one-half feet low.

"If you put a boat in there, you'll have trouble getting it out," he said.

The West Texas Water Ski Club's boat ramp is completely out of the water, and other boat ramps are exposed to the bottom, said Tommy Tune, city councilman.

The swim area buoys marking the depth out can nearly be reached on foot, but folks are still swimming, he said.

"We have our die-hards. It's a long way back to the water, and folks have to be careful because of the rocks, but it's still safe (to swim)," he said.

Fishing is flourishing though, he said. Low water means less area for the fish to swim.

"You can catch fish when the water's low. I helped a man weigh a 14-pound catfish the other day. He said that was all he wanted, and he went home," Earls said.

He added he believes rain is the only thing that will improve conditions at the lake.

## WHAT'S UP...

### TODAY

□ Big Spring Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third. Call Al Vales at 263-6810

### TUESDAY

□ 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.

□ Quarterback Club, 7:30 p.m. All football parents and fans welcome. For more information call Monika at 263-6729.

### WEDNESDAY

□ Line dancing, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Center in the Industrial Park. Call 398-5522 or 267-1628.

### THURSDAY

□ Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.

□ Evening line dancing class, 6:30 p.m., Big Spring Mall, the room near Hallmark and Bealls. For more information call Dorothy Kennemur at 398-5522 or e-mail at drkbigspring@xroadstx.com

□ Kiwanis Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room. Call Billy Smith at 267-6479.

□ Big Spring Senior Citizens Center art classes, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. for 55 and older.

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# It's time to break ground on Veterans Home here

By JOHN H. WALKER  
Managing Editor

By the end of the week, ground is scheduled to have been broken on all four of Texas' veterans homes, even though start of construction may be several months away.

According to the Texas Veterans Land Board (VLB), overseers of the project, ground is to be broken in Big Spring and Floresville on Wednesday and in Bonham and Temple on Thursday.

And while the wait will be over for the groundbreaking, it may just be starting for the actual construction of the project.

The delay in construction is centering around approval of project plans for the homes by the Veterans Administration at the federal level. The plans have already been approved at the state level.

Austin-based Graeber, Simmons & Cowan (GS&C) will serve as construction management oversight representative for the state during the construction phase of the four homes.

GS&C is the largest architectural firm in Central Texas with a staff of 137 people and offices in Austin, San Antonio, Houston and San Jose, Calif. The company has extensive experience in the master planning of commercial, health care, government and educational facilities.

VLB chairman Gary Mauro, in announcing the hiring of GS&C and the planned groundbreaking ceremony, said it's been a tough road.

"It was a long, hard fight to make people aware of the special needs of Texas' aging veterans population," Mauro said. "But once we got the legislation passed,

creating a management team to give our veterans the finest long-term care facilities in the nation became the goal. And now it's about to become reality."

The veterans homes will be the first built in Texas since one was built for veterans following the Civil War. It closed in the 1970s.

The VLB also announced approval of final negotiations between the state and East Aurora, New York-based The Park Associates Inc. and its partners, the Dallas-based architectural and planning firm of Rees Associates Inc. and Temple-based MW Builders to design, build and operate the four homes.

One of the goals of the VLB all along has been to use government financing and a proven partner from the private sector to bring Texas veterans the highest possible standard of long-term health

care ever made available, according to VLB Spokesman Steve Speir.

Rees is familiar with projects such as the Texas Veterans Homes project, having served on more than 500 related assignment around the world. Rees' current and completed projects in the U.S. include skilled nursing, assisted living/personal care, independent living, adult daycare, Alzheimer's and specialty rehabilitation facilities.

One of the award-winning projects Rees has been associated with includes the Presbyterian Hospital Based Nursing Facility in Oklahoma City, Okla.

According to VLB Chairman David Gloier, the four veterans homes should take six to seven months to complete once construction begins and will be in

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## Ski Club lease doesn't hold water for some

By MARSHA STURDIVANT  
Staff Writer

A 21st century version of the 1880s range war between cattle ranchers and sheep farmers places casual boaters and water skiers on opposite sides of the shore at Moss Creek Lake.

And while Big Spring City Council is charged with orchestrating a possible compromise between the two groups, it's doubtful barbed wire will help.

At issue is the renewal of the lease agreement between the council and West Texas Water Ski Club. For \$200 annually, the 16-member ski club leases one-third of the lake's surface area to "conduct its water skiing and boating activities without interference from other powered boats or other powered watercraft," according to the revocable lease agreement of 1996.

Posted rules state Moss Creek Lake is a no-wake lake, with speed limits not to exceed five miles per hour. However, the lease agreement grants the ski club members exemptions to these rules, through implication.

Water skiing naturally creates wakes. Wakes and speeding boats, say fishermen, naturally hinder fishing success.

Council member Chuck Cawthon said he has received many calls from fishermen who oppose continuing the lease. Council member Tommy Tune

said he is currently attempting to locate residents who have an opinion about this issue.

"It's easy to get the ski club's point of view, they're an organized group. It's tougher to find out what the fishermen think; they're not an organized group," Tune said.

Tune is urging anyone with an opinion on the issue to contact their council member, or him directly.

"I'm on a quest to find a compromise position," Tune said, adding he is not assuming there is a compromise, but hopes to find a solution everyone might agree upon.

Tune said he has considered several issues involving the entire matter, including the immediate impact on fishing, shore erosion and long-term damage to docks and piers from the wake conditions.

And he questions whether monetary compensation might satisfy the present conflict by targeting specific amounts to benefit the lake. Tune also suggests specified times of use might help reach compromise between both groups.

Cawthon said he is opposed to any agreement that serves the purposes of a special interest group by granting preferential treatment.

"I believe the complaints and concerns are justified. I'm concerned - is there fair treatment there?" he said.

"That is public water. They (the ski club) are the only ones allowed to make a wake. Several people came to me and they asked 'why can't we?'" Cawthon said.

City manager Gary Fuqua

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## Group devoted to competition water skiing

By MARSHA STURDIVANT  
Staff Writer

The West Texas Water Ski Club devotes itself to competitive, precision water skiing, according to Rocky McCullough, club president.

"The club originally formed in the early 1980s, taking advantage of the now-gone Pleasure Lake," he said.

Currently, the club has about one-third of Moss Creek Lake leased from the city to practice its sport.

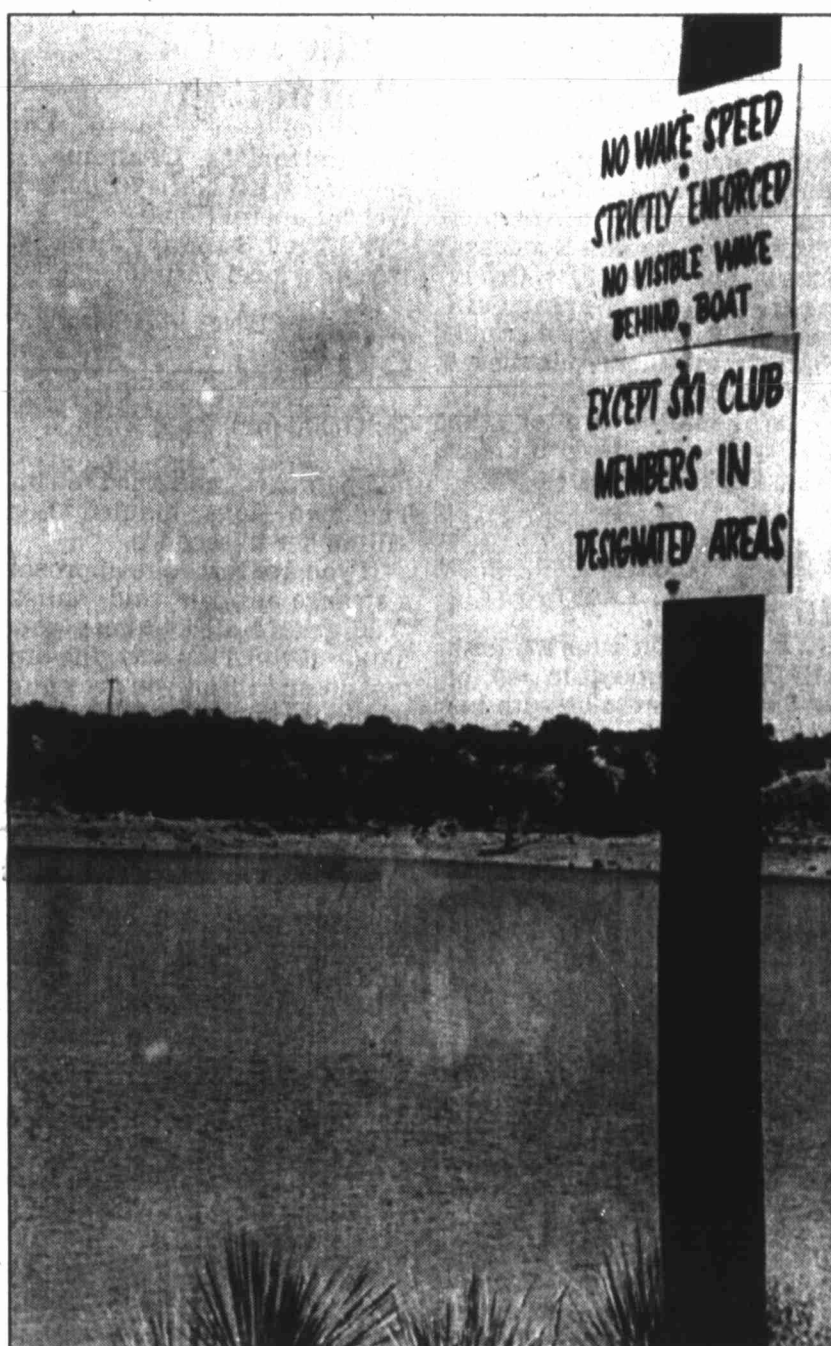
"There are few sports I can do

*"We have no quarrel with anyone fishing or with anybody. We just want to ski."*

--Rocky McCullough

all my life. I can't play football all my life, or baseball or basketball, but I can water ski for the rest of my life," he said.

At controversy is the no-wake rule at Moss Creek Lake. By implication, the city lease



HERALD photo/Linda Choate

Some boaters and fishermen believe it isn't fair that the West Texas Water Ski Club is exempt from the no wake rule at Moss Creek Lake. The club has a private agreement with the city to do so.

allows ski club members to create wakes, although all other boaters are prohibited from exceeding the five mile per hour speed limit.

"When we're out of our designated area, we can't make a wake. When we're unloading, we can't make a wake. We're only allowed to have one boat going at a time, and I've never seen more than three boats out there."

"I've heard there have been people skiing on our course, but we're required to sign in, we have a sign-up sheet (at the lake house)," he said.

McCullough said the controlled conditions at Moss Lake prompted the club to seek the lease with the city. After research, the club realized their current course on the south side of the lake is the optimal location because of wind conditions.

Competition is the primary objective of the club, and last year Lubbock club member John Epperson's son made it to the nationals, he said.

"Half our members qualify for regionals. We've got some

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## Veterans

### Benefit plan can be shelved

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

Veterans who want to drop their Survivor Benefit Plan can do it now, according to Veterans Commission Counselor Karl Knappe.

The plan, available to all retiring military personnel, was put into action to help relieve the financial strain on the surviving families of retirees. It supplements the retirement income many families have come to rely on so heavily.

This new action will allow retirees to disenroll from the program, through May 16, 1999.

"This is a brand new deal," Knappe said. "Until now, veterans had to sign up or refuse when they retired, and the deduction was permanent. Now, they have a choice."

The commission stresses, however, that once someone disenrolls, they won't have the opportunity enroll again. There will also be no refunds of premiums.

"A lot of retirees really don't need the plan anymore," said Knappe. "The benefits decrease with age, and a lot of retirees no longer have children or spouses to benefit from it."

According to the Commission, certain people are advised not to disenroll. These include:

- Those whose continued participation provides needed income protection for their spouses or survivors at a reasonable price.
- Those experiencing financial crisis.
- Those over the age of 65.

The comparison of expected premiums to expected benefits is very positive at this age. The tax benefit of tax-free SBP premiums provides a life long, inflation-protected annuity.

• Those whose spouse is currently ill or has a reduced life expectancy. When a spouse is lost, spouse coverage costs are suspended, but can be resumed upon remarriage. Disenrollment, however, is forever.

Anyone having any questions on the SBP, or the one year period in which to disenroll, can contact the Commission at 1-800-531-7502, 7:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

## Take precautions so pets don't put the bite on you, vets warn

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

As summer gets under way and people spend more time outdoors, the chances of being bitten by a dog increase greatly.

"The most critical thing to do if you are bitten by an animal is to wash the wound thoroughly," said Highland Animal Hospital RVN Darla Walisa. "Because the bacterias travel along the blood stream, it's important to minimize the chances of infection."

"Believe it or not, some of the most dangerous bite wounds come from cats," said Walisa. "Cats' teeth tend to puncture deeper than most, increasing the chances of infection."

"If you are bitten by a cat, it's a good idea to squeeze the

wound, letting it bleed before you wash and care for it. A lot of the time, the bacterias and viruses will never get into the blood stream if they are forced out of the wound by the flow of blood."

"As a veterinarian, bites and scratches are part of the job," said Veterinarian Debra Hill. "We do take precautions, however, by washing and disinfecting wounds as quickly as possible."

"It's very important to make sure your pet's shots are up to date," said Walisa. "If it should bite someone, and it doesn't have its vaccinations up to date, the authorities may be forced to destroy it."

City regulations require that if an animal does bite someone,

that animal must be quarantined for no less than 10 days.

"If the dog does carry the rabies virus, it will die within 10 days of biting someone," said Walisa.

"There have been no report of rabies in Howard County this year," said Howard County's Supervisor of Special Services Drew Bavin.

"The best thing people can do to avoid being bitten is to stay away from strange animals, and don't go into strange yards."

According to Walisa, some of the worst wounds that dogs inflict on people are during a fight with another dog or animal. "Don't try to be a hero, because even if the animal knows you, it will still bite you. If you feel like you absolutely

should intervene, throw a blanket over the animals, or hose them down with water."

"If there is a problem with a strange animal, you should call animal control," said Bavin. "They will send out an official, or, if one isn't available, a police officer, to assess the situation."

"We have had some animal related injuries in the past where children approached dogs when they were eating, and the animal felt threatened," said Bavin. "If a dog is eating or with pups, they are unpredictable, and a lot more likely to be threatened by someone coming too close to them."

"If a strange dog approaches you, the best thing to do is say 'no' in a deep voice," said

Walisa. "Probably the worst thing you can do is run or scream. Holding still, and walking calmly away is your best bet."

Walisa reminds people that dogs are much more dangerous when there is more than one of them. "Two dogs, as with a pack, are much braver and likely to attack than a single animal."

"There was a case presented while I was at a convention where two children were approached by a pair of dogs. The little boy told his sister not to panic or scream, and to calmly lie down on the ground. The animals didn't attack, but began to nudge the little girl, who

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OBITUARIES

Helen Elizabeth Worley

Mom loved the early morning and early in the morning of June 24, 1998, she passed away at the age of 81. Mom was born on April 12, 1917, in Ballinger, where she graduated from public school. Her parents, John William and Willie Waldene Moore, had only one daughter and were devoted parents who passed away in the mid 1970s.



WORLEY

Mom and Dad were married on Dec. 23, 1936, and had a very loving relationship until his death in 1979. They were both dedicated to teaching and counseling young people and committed to providing a bridge for them to cross into adulthood. There were both deeply devoted to truth, honor, integrity and God! During their married life, they lived in Ballinger, Big Spring, where they raised their three sons, Baytown, Dripping Springs, Dallas, Waco and then back to Big Spring in retirement.

Mom is survived by her three sons, daughters-in-law, and six grandchildren.

Mike and Karen Worley of Lubbock and their children Laura, age 26, and Kevin age 22.

Bill and Linda Worley, also of Lubbock, and their children Todd, age 18, and Lacy age 15; and

Bob Worley of Plano and his children Rob, age 22, and Brad age 20.

Mom had a storybook life of loving and admiring parents, relatives, friends and children for over 70 years, before she submitted to the tragic disease of Alzheimer's which drained her until she was released this morning. To God, we give thanks for the many wonderful, loving, and joyous years we had her on earth and for her greater reward today, with her Heavenly Father.

While she dedicated her body

to the University of Texas Medical School for Education of Future Physicians, there will be a memorial service at her First Baptist Church in Big Spring at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 1, led by her long time friend and pastor, Brother Kenneth Patrick.

We hope you can join us in this celebration of Mom's life. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association; P.O. Box, 803638; Chicago, Ill.; 60680-8984; or your favorite charity.

Paid obituary

Patsy Ruth Gaskins Statham

Graveside service for Patsy Ruth Gaskins Statham, 70, San Antonio, formerly of Big Spring, will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 30, 1998, at Trinity Memorial Park with Dr. Claude Craven, retired Baptist minister, officiating.

Mrs. Statham died Friday, June 26, in a San Antonio hospital.

She was born on Aug. 27, 1927, in Abilene. She married W.L. Gaskins on May 13, 1944, in Big Spring. He preceded her in death on Oct. 21, 1984. She then married J.C. Statham in 1987, and he preceded her in death in 1989. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Statham was a member of Rolling Oaks Baptist Church in San Antonio.

Survivors include: one son, Gary Gaskins of San Antonio; one daughter, Sandra Rhodes of Ackerly; one sister, Mrs. Grady Gaskins of Big Spring; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

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

R.E. "Gene" Dupuy, Jr.

At 9:30 p.m. on June 27, 1998, R.E. "Gene" Dupuy, Jr., 69, of Big Spring, went to be with his Savior, Jesus Christ. He will be missed by all who knew him. Gene was truly a good man. He loved life, his family, friends, church, lodges, his Harley and his pets.



DUPEY

Service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 30, 1998, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Rev. Jeremiah McCarthy, pastor, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Gene was born on June 29, 1928, in Vernon. He was raised in Midland and graduated from Midland High School in 1945. He spent one semester at the University of Kansas then joined the United States Army in March of 1946. While in the Army, he was in bomb disposal and with the Redstone Missile in Germany. He completed his service with the Quarter Masters Corps in Fort Belvoir and Fort Lee, Va. He retired from the Army in 1966 at Fort Lee, Va. He spent 15 years as an air conditioner/refrigeration mechanic at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Big Spring, retiring in 1981. Gene married Billie Timmins on May 19, 1977.

He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church and the men's club. He was a member and Past Master of Big Spring Lodge No. 1340, A.F. & A.M. with an endowed membership in Staked Plains Lodge No. 598, A.F. & A.M., endowed member of Big Spring Commandry No. 31, Knights Templar, Big Spring Chapter No. 178, R.A.M., Big Spring Council No. 117, R. & S.M., 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason, Suez Shrine Temple. Gene was past president and financial advisor of Howard County Scottish Rite Club, past presiding official of the York Rite Bodies and recipient of the Golden Trowel award. He also belonged to the Indian Run muzzle loaders and the Harley Owners Group. He was a trustee on the Fireman's Relief and Retirement Fund Board. He was very active in his various interests until his illness in November of 1997.

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He is survived by: his wife, Billie, who will miss him as a husband and best friend. He is also survived by six children and their spouses, Robert and Nannette Dupuy of San Antonio, Julie and J.R. Luna, Cheryl and Thomas Bullard, Jeannie and Dale Warr, Gerald and Letha Dupuy and Alicia and Tommy Elam, all of Snyder; a beloved step-daughter and her husband, Dr. Katherine Timmins Vollmers and Craig Vollmers of Houston; a step-son and wife, David and Debbie Timmins; his mother, Velma Obera Dupuy of Midland; a sister and brother-in-law, Cynthia and Jim Owens of Midland; 11 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Robert (Buck) Dupuy in 1972.

The family suggests memorials to: The American Cancer Society; c/o Lucy Bonner; P.O. Box 2121; Big Spring; 79721-2121; or the American Heart Association; Howard County Division; P.O. Box 1223; Big Spring; 79721-1223.

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

Paid obituary

Eddie Lou Phernetton

Service for Eddie Lou Phernetton, 54, Coahoma, is pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She died Sunday, June 28, 1998, in a local hospital.

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hen panicked, and tried to run. The two dogs mauled her, killing her in seconds.

"If you are forced to approach a strange animal," said Walisa, "You should always keep your hands down. This way, the animal doesn't think you are going to hit it. Let it sniff you if it wants, but don't make any sudden movements, and don't make eye contact."

The city of Big Spring does have a leash-law currently in place.

"If you have your dog or cat within city limits and it is not in a fenced in area, the animal must be on a leash," said Bavin. "If it isn't, you are in violation of a city ordinance, and the fine could be up to \$1000."

If the fine seems unreal, consider the alternative.

"I have seen people who have been bitten by animals have to seek medical care for the wounds," said Hill. "And a trip to the emergency room can certainly get expensive."

VETERANS

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gle-story, pod-type units. "These homes will also be energy-efficient as well as water and wastewater-efficient," Gloier said.

The four homes are projected to save the state approximately \$30 million over the next 10 years.

The Big Spring facility will be a 150-bed facility on the site just south of the Big Spring State Hospital off of U.S. Hwy 87. It also means approximately 165 new jobs for Big Spring in a wide range of areas.

SKI CLUB

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good skiers out there. Most of the people we compete against have their own man-made lake, with perfect conditions. We always have to fight the wind," he said.

Although the club had tournaments scheduled for this year, water level conditions at the lake may prohibit most of those events, he said.

Last year the Megan Stanley

A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

Tournament hosted 25 entrants, he said. Currently the club is working with a water ski clubs in Hobbs, N.M. and San Angelo, to begin competitive skiing.

He said the ski boats may travel at 34 to 36 miles per hour, and skiers often reach speeds of 60 miles per hour.

The club is required to carry its own \$1 million special insurance policy. Anyone interested in the sport may sign a waiver and participate with a member, he said.

"Most people like to try it, but it's really hard work and most people don't realize the dedication it takes. I started my daughter skiing when she was 4," McCullough said.

He said often the general public visiting Moss Creek Lake will watch the skiers as they practice.

The Big Spring group has members from Lubbock, Brownwood and Midland, as well as the Howard County area. McCullough said the club has 16 members and their families, and skiers from Dallas come to Big Spring to ski with the club.

"We're men of similar ages just having fun, enjoying our sport," he said. Occupations of members range from laborers, doctors and farmers, he said.

McCullough said there has never been a formal complaint against the club to either the city council or the parks and recreation board.

"We have no quarrel with anyone fishing or with anybody. We just want to ski."

"If we are a nuisance to the majority, let us know and we will be out of there. This is a good clean sport," he said.

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said he is planning a meeting with the ski club members to discuss a compromise that might include an increased fee and regulations concerning hours and days of use.

Rocky McCullough, president of the West Texas Water Ski Club, said competitive water skiing is a precision-dominated sport and his club needs the conditions at Moss Creek Lake.

"Regular skiing you can do at any lake, barefoot skiing you can do at any lake, but the type of skiing we do you can't do at just any lake. We can't go to Colorado City Lake, for instance, to practice our sport," McCullough said.

He said the no-wake lake rule at Moss is one of the reasons the club chose to pursue the lease with the city.

"We have to have controlled conditions or we can't ski. Our boats run 34 miles per hour, with skiers at 60 miles per hour, we can't have other boats running up and down the lake throwing wakes into our skiers," McCullough said.

Fisherman Robert Stapp said his opinion was that the ski club members were rude and discourteous to others using the lake.

"They have told me to get off the lake, that they had leased the lake. I used their dock once, not knowing, and they told me theirs is a private dock and they got real mad," Stapp said.

He said skiers from the club have forced wakes into the cove where he was fishing.

"I enjoy my solitude and quiet when I fish. When the skiers became so many, I stopped going to Colorado City Lake for the same reason. Now I go to Spence, where the lake is bigger," Stapp said.

Sue Lindsey, a member of the Big Spring Bass Club, said while she and her husband Don have not had any specific trouble with the ski club members, she doesn't believe the current policy is fair to all involved.

"This is a no-wake lake, and they can make wakes and the fishermen can't. That just doesn't make any sense to me," she

said. Improvements to the lake were implied by the club lease, and some local residents said that does not seem to be the case.

"One of the reasons (the council) agreed to the lease was because it said they would improve the lake, but the only improvements they've made have been to their own dock area, and that's locked," Cawthon said.

McCullough said a lock was placed on the dock when someone built a fire there. They rebuilt the dock, at a cost of \$10,000.

"The lock's there, but folks can still walk around," he said.

McCullough said club members must adhere to stringent rules, which include signing in at the gate.

"Our members are actually at the lake about 2 percent of the time its open," he said.

MARKETS

July cotton 81.05 cents, up 31 points; Aug. crude 14.01, down 12 points; Cash hogs steady at \$1 lower at 41; cash steers steady at 62 cents even; July lean hog futures 60.05 down 30 points; Aug. live cattle futures 64.82, up 30 points.

courtesy: Delta Corporation.

SUPPORT GROUPS

MONDAY  
•Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

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

•TOPS Club (Take off pound sensibly), weigh-in 5 p.m. and meeting at 6 p.m., Birdwell Lane Church of Christ

•Project Freedom, Christian support group for survivors of physical/emotional/sexual and/or spiritual abuse. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241 for dates/times of upcoming groups.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting.

•Encouragers Support Group (formerly Widow/Widower support group) first and third Mondays each month. First Monday meetings are at a local restaurant at 6 p.m. Third Monday meetings are at 6 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church Seventh and Rannels (enter through north door). We have various activities, such as guest speakers, play games, have covered dish supper, visit or go out to eat. For more information call 398-5522 or 399-4369.

•Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad.

•New Voice Club, a support group for laryngectomees and their families, 6:30 p.m., 2410 Wason Dr., the house behind the 7-11 store. For more information call 267-2800.

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

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FIRE/EMS

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

SUNDAY  
5:59 a.m. — 2500 block Cindy, medical call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

10:01 a.m. — 500 block W. 17th, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

4:23 p.m. — 200 block 1st Street, Coahoma, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

7:14 p.m. — 100 block Airbase Road, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

9:09 p.m. — 3300 block Fordham, structure fire, extinguished by responding units.

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POLICE

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

• JAMES JENKINS, 27, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

• STACY PENDELTON, was arrested on local warrants.

• JERRY BARZA, 17, was arrested for theft.

• ANTHONY MUNOZ, 39, was arrested for criminal trespass.

• HOWARD CAMPBELL, 44, was arrested for public intoxication.

• KENNETH TALBOT, 32, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

• SHIRLEY DAY, 43, was arrested for public intoxication.

• THEFT in the 1800 block of Gregg, 2300 block of Wason, 1200 block of E. 11th Place, and 4th and Birdwell.

• CRIMINAL TRESPASS WARRANT in the 200 block of W. Marcy.

• RUNAWAY in the 2000 block of Rannels.

• CLASS C ASSAULT/FAMILY VIOLENCE in the 1300 block of Harding.

• CLASS C ASSAULT in the 1600 block of Owens.

• BURGLARY OF A HABITATION in the 3900 block of Parkway, the 400 block of Dallas.

• CRIMINAL MISCHIEF in the 500 block of Douglas.

• ASSAULT in the 300 block of N.E. 8th.

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity between 8 a.m. Sunday and 8 a.m. Monday:

• RICHARD DON ROWLAND, 21, was arrested for unlawfully carrying a weapon, motion to revoke parole/possession of marijuana under 2 oz.

• CLIFTON ANTHONY RAMSEY, 40, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

• RICKY SMITH, 42, was arrested on two counts of forgery of a financial instrument.

• EDWARD LEE JONES, 31, was arrested for deadly conduct.

• JOE GAMBOA SANCHEZ, 59, was arrested for driving while intoxicated and open alcoholic container.

RECORDS

Sunday's high 104

Sunday's low 77

Average high 95

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R.E. "Gene" Dupuy, Jr. 69, died Saturday. Services will be 2:00 PM Tuesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Patsy Statham, 70, died Friday. Graveside services will be 10:00 AM Tuesday at Trinity Memorial Park.  
Eddie Lou Phernetton, 52, died Sunday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.  
Helen E. Worley, 81, died Wednesday. Memorial services will be 2:00 PM Wednesday at First Baptist Church.

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# Storms spread floods, tornado; at least 17 feared dead

WEST VIRGINIA (AP) — Storms slogged across the Midwest and East, fueling a tornado in Ohio, heavy rains in New England and flash floods that pulled away homes in West Virginia. At least 17 people were reported dead or missing over the weekend.

"Everything is washed away. Our road looks like a river with a telephone pole sticking in it," Lois Harman said Sunday as brown water rushed past her house in Clendenin, W.Va.

In Frame, W.Va., a 4-month-old baby was swept from his mother's arms and a blind man in a wheelchair was washed off his porch. Neither was found. A Bridgewater, N.H., man died after being sucked into a narrow culvert.

Rich Miller Jr. ran for seven blocks to his mother's house in Arcadia, Wis., after his car stalled in standing water.

"I've never been that scared in all my life," Miller said. "For every three steps forward I took two steps back."

Lightning strikes killed a Baltimore girl, a camper in

**"I've never been that scared in all my life. For every three steps forward I took two steps back."**

upstate New York and a Minnesota farmer holding a pitchfork. Raging rivers swept away and killed two in New York and a woman in Minnesota.

In Ohio, floods killed six, and a seventh died when her mobile home was blown from its foundation.

The Northeast braced for more wet weather today, while drier weather was predicted in Minnesota and Wisconsin, where thunderstorms and winds up to 90 mph tore roofs off homes and toppled trees Saturday.

Heavy rain flooded basements and low-lying roads.

A 35-year-old man was missing after his boat stalled and plunged over a rain-swollen dam Saturday on Lake Arbutus, Wis. A 10-year-old girl, her 7-year-old brother, and her 34-year-old father were rescued.

In Christiana, Wis., a farmer managed to escape after his barn collapsed. Rescuers worked for more than eight hours to save his animals, though some were found dead in the rubble. The farmer was hospitalized in stable condition.

Flash flooding caused by heavy rains and storms with high winds forced hundreds of people from their homes, closed roads and cut power to more than 58,000 people across West Virginia on Sunday, prompting Gov. Cecil Underwood to declare a state of emergency in 17 counties.

Lightning, flooding rivers and creeks and fallen power lines left several states with widespread power outages and road problems.

In Wisconsin, 14,000 were without power late Sunday, while 30,000 were in the dark in

Ohio. Ohio Gov. George Voinovich declared 16 counties disaster areas after heavy rains hit the eastern part of the state for the second straight day.

An 8-mile stretch of west-bound Interstate 70 in Ohio was shut down.

Muddy runoff from fierce downpours that started Friday made roads impassable in upstate New York. Vermont's deluged Mad River Valley was littered with uprooted trees tangled with other debris when waters receded.

The ferry from Port Kent, N.Y., to Burlington, Vt., was shut down after a sinkhole closed a major road leading to it.

On her cattle farm in Cambridge, Ohio, Barbara Fabian was keeping a close watch on a tributary of Willis Creek, which was 9 feet above flood stage early today.

"I'm surrounded by water," she said. "We have cattle, but we haven't seen them for two days. They're up in the woods somewhere in high ground, where I wish I was."

## Vice President Gore visits scorched Florida

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Al Gore headed to fire-scorched Florida with the promise of more federal aid and attention, but the vice president can't bring what residents here need most — rain.

Despite the donation of high-tech equipment and dozens of firefighters from neighboring states, Floridians remain mostly at the mercy of nature.

"The only thing nobody's been able to provide is rain," said U.S. Sen. Connie Mack, who toured the hardest-hit area in Volusia County on Sunday with U.S. Sen. Bob Graham. Gore was expected to talk with residents and firefighters and tour fire damage today.

Scattered thunderstorms were predicted for this afternoon, but officials said it

wouldn't be enough to douse flames and ease the threat of more fires.

During the past five weeks, fires have burned almost 237,000 acres — mostly of forest and scrubby swamp land — from one tip of Florida to the other. The fires have destroyed 78 houses and threatened several subdivisions.

On Sunday, residents here turned to a different source of aid.

"We pray that you just open up the floodgates and put an end to this," pastor Marcus Buckley said in his invocation at Sunday's service at the Rima Ridge Baptist Church. The service was dedicated to the 2,500 firefighters from Florida and at least six other states helping fight the wild fires.

## Chinese students question Clinton on human rights

BEIJING (AP) — University students peppered President Clinton today with polite but critical questions about America's human rights record, Taiwan policy and views on China in an exchange televised live across the vast nation.

The president suggested that the discussion, like his lively televised debate with Chinese President Jiang Zemin over the weekend, was the type of open dialogue that might one day lead to fuller freedoms in China.

"The struggle for individual freedom is the struggle for the nation's freedom," Clinton said at Peking University. "The struggle for your own character

is the struggle for the nation's character."

The president later flew to Shanghai, the commercial capital of China and the third stop on his nine-day China tour.

His public events there Tuesday will include a speech on China's future and an appearance on Shanghai Radio's call-in show.

Peking University has been an incubator for political protest since its founding 100 years ago, including the 1989 pro-democracy movement in Tiananmen Square.

Students who asked Clinton questions seemed more intent on defending China's integrity

and questioning America's understanding of China than on questioning their authoritarian system.

One young man said Chinese people had learned much about the history, culture and literature of America and even love the box-office hit, "Titanic." "But it seems that the American people's understanding of the Chinese people is not as much as the other way around," he said.

Clinton said he hoped his nine-day tour of China, including a visit to one of 500,000 villages that have held democratic elections, will give Americans "a full and balanced picture of

modern China" and lead to more tourist, educational and business exchanges.

Another student asked why the United States continues to sell advanced weapons to Taiwan, which China considers a renegade province.

The president said arms sales to Taipei were for defense only and he hoped one day to see "the peaceful reunification of China and Taiwan."

Stanley Roth, assistant secretary of state for East Asia and the Pacific, said later the students' questions suggest "real evidence of the growing nationalism of the current generation in China."

## Black, white high school graduation rates equalizing

WASHINGTON (AP) — More women than men are completing college and young blacks are nearly equaling the high school graduation rate of whites, says a new Census Bureau report.

Some 86.2 percent of blacks aged 25 to 29 were high school graduates last year, as were 87.6 percent of whites, said the study, "Educational Attainment in the United States, March 1997," released Sunday.

"The educational attainment of young African-Americans indicates a dramatic improvement by groups who historically have been less educated," Census population specialist Jennifer Day said.

In higher education, 29.3 percent of women and 26.3 percent of men in the 25-29 age group had completed four years or more of college as of last year. That was up from 28.2 percent for women and 26.1 percent for men in 1996.

Men traditionally have been more likely to have completed college, but women have been edging steadily upward in recent years as they increasingly seek careers and recognize the economic value of education, Ms. Day said. Before 1985 men had held the lead consistently.

Young women also led men in completing high school, 88.9 percent to 85.8 percent. For the

total 1997 population age 25 and over, men still held a lead in college completion, 26 percent to 22 percent. For high school both were at 82 percent.

The Hispanic population also has experienced educational gains, but it remains far behind other groups. The proportion aged 25 to 29 who were high school graduates rose from 51 percent in 1987 to 55 percent in 1997, while the share with some college education jumped from 22 percent to 29 percent.

Blacks have continued trending upward in educational achievement since 1940, Ms. Day said.

In 1940, just 12.3 percent of blacks aged 25 to 29 had fin-

ished high school, compared with 41.2 percent of whites. By 1965, 50.3 percent of that age group were graduates, compared with 72.8 percent of whites.

## Panel suggests scientific review of UFO info

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Are we alone?

An international panel of scientists that convened to ponder the possibility of extraterrestrial visitors was not about to answer that question, but they said the physical evidence in some UFO sightings merits further serious scientific review.

The nine-member group, the first independent review of UFO phenomena since 1966, found no convincing evidence that extraterrestrial intelligence was responsible for the physical evidence. But some findings remained unexplained.

"If there is an interest in trying to get serious answers to the UFO problem, it would be sensible for scientists to focus on the physical evidence as opposed to witness testimony," Stanford University physicist and panel director Peter Sturrock said in a telephone interview Sunday.

The study, which brought together astronomers, physicists and experts in other scientific disciplines, was launched by philanthropist Laurance S. Rockefeller.

Sturrock said the field of UFO study "is in a very unsatisfactory state of ignorance and confusion."

The panel's 50-page report appears in the summer issue of Journal of Scientific Exploration.

The panel was impressed by analysis of a 1981 photograph taken by a family on Vancouver Island, British Columbia. The picture shows a silvery oval-shaped object that has a glow and brightness consistent with a reflecting metal object. But the scientists were unable to rule out a photographic hoax.

1994. An airline captain, co-pilot and flight attendant all reported seeing an object resembling a gigantic disk with slightly fuzzy edges. Swiss radar detected the object for 50 seconds.

The panel said radar reports require very specialized analysis and an official UFO research organization would need access to raw radar data with military approval for further study.

"It is a puzzle," Sturrock added. "The only way to get real answers is to get scientists involved in the problem."

The group reviewed reports of unusual damage to vegetation, ground traces of soil distur-

bance and physiological effects on purported witnesses, such as marks and burns on the skin, memory loss and double vision. The panel felt most of those reports were weakened by the absence of an unaffected independent witness.

Panel member Tom Holzer, a physicist with the National Center for Atmospheric Research, said the study stopped well short of making any conclusions that Earth is being visited by extraterrestrial craft.

"We require a bit more rigor in the acquiring and analysis (of evidence)," Holzer said.



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EDITORIAL

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-FIRST AMENDMENT

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OUR VIEWS

Tory! Tory! Tory!  
What a weekend  
at U.S. juniors

When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, the battle attack command was "Tora! Tora! Tora!" There was even a movie of the same name three decades or so later that chronicled the attack.

Just as easily, there could have been such an attack command issued when Big Spring's own Tory Mitchell took to the track at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville last week in the United States Junior Track and Field Championships.

Tory! Tory! Tory!  
What a weekend the senior-to-be had in winning the 100 and 200-meter dashes and becoming national champion!

While wind allowables were too great to establish national records, Tory's 10.12 in the 100 meters was the fastest time ever recorded in the event at the meet. And his 20.59 time was one of the fastest ever.

Now, Tory is faced with the decision of whether or not to go to Paris, France and compete in the World Junior Games — certainly something that could be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.

Even though an area newspaper listed Snyder as Tory's hometown, his accomplishments brought attention to our community from the track and field world.

And the attention will continue throughout the school year, both as Tory is recruited by some of the country's best-known colleges and universities as well as when his final track season as a Big Spring Steer rolls around.

Not only is Tory Mitchell a world class sprinter, he is a quality young man who has represented his community and his school with class and dignity. He is one of the few who truly have the opportunity to reach out and grab the brass ring and we wish him well.

OTHER VIEWS

Rigidly adhering to the letter of the law sometimes perpetrates a great injustice. So it was... when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that a type of trust account that funds 20 percent of the nation's free legal services may be unconstitutional.

Their ruling jeopardizes the Interest on Lawyers' Trust Accounts or IOLTA program. This system pools funds, such as settlements or retainers, that clients deposit briefly with their attorneys. Because the short-term deposits are pooled, they generate significant interest, which goes to foundations that fund legal aid. If these deposits landed in individual accounts, they would usually cost more in bank fees than they would generate in interest.

Especially large deposits must go into individual accounts. Texas embraced the IOLTA program in 1984. Four years later, a Houston contractor paid an attorney a \$1,000 retainer, which was deposited in an IOLTA program. The contractor later sued, saying that any interest earned from his deposit is his property. Sending the interest to legal aid is an unconstitutional "taking" of his property, he argued.

The high court ruled 5-4 Monday that the interest from his deposit is his property, which is superficially logical. The majority ignored the fact that pooling the accounts and assigning the interest to one beneficiary is the only reason there is any interest to fight over. The ruling could create needless administrative nightmares for lawyers and won't result in fat interest payments to individual clients.

It also hurts free legal ser-

vices. Dallas lawyer Darrell Jordan, who argued on behalf of IOLTAs before the Supreme Court, said the pooled accounts created something from nothing. They didn't require a new tax. They didn't require budget cuts somewhere else.

The Washington Legal Foundation, which argued against IOLTA programs, responded that Congress and state legislatures should fund legal services.

Both sides are correct. IOLTAs don't steal from individual clients; the court's 5-4 majority shows it was split about whether there was any "property" at stake. The trust accounts are a good way to fund free legal aid.

But Congress should also stop starving legal services. Legal aid's critics delightedly denounce its missteps and conveniently ignore its good works. Critics need to recall that the Fourteenth Amendment guarantees equal protection under the law for all Americans, not just for those who can afford to hire lawyers. Legal services groups do bread-and-butter civil work, such as family, housing and employment law and consumer fraud. Congress should restore legal services to its pre-1996 funding levels.

"We hear a lot of rhetoric about the rule of law and how majestic it is," Mr. Jordan says. "If people can't have access to the system, how are they going to believe in it?"

Those who don't like federally funded legal services and IOLTA programs should celebrate last week's ruling by sending a generous individual donation to their local legal aid society.

-DALLAS MORNING NEWS

U.S. has enough to take care of at home

The North Atlantic Treaty Organization is acting as if it were a supranational government rather than a military alliance. It is now thinking about intervening militarily in Kosovo.



CHARLEY REESE

First, Kosovo is Serbian territory, and has been for centuries. The Albanian majority are mostly illegal immigrants or noncitizens. They have often made life miserable for native Serbs. The Albanian separatists are wrong; the Serbs are right.

Second, the efforts of Serbia to retain its own territory is none of NATO's business. It's not our business either. If anyone is deserving of assistance, it is the Serbs, not the Albanian separatists.

You may rightly ask what this has to do with America. After all, our public education

system is dilapidated, much of our infrastructure is wearing out, our middle class is shrinking, our farm population is shrinking and is on shaky financial ground and our debts are mountain-high.

Well, the answer is, Kosovo has nothing to do with us. Neither do the Balkans nor the quarrels in the Middle East, Africa, Asia and anywhere else Americans are inclined to meddle under the false flag of claiming that "stability" in some far-off place is in our national interests.

Let me tell you what's in our national interest. A well-educated population. Modern infrastructure. Domestic peace. A clean environment. A healthy, financially sound agricultural base. A sound monetary system. Trade surpluses, rather than trade deficits. An economy that allows everyone to work and live in dignity.

And not one of the above is a reality.

We have a full domestic agenda, and neither money nor lives should be wasted on far-away foreign quarrels and intrigues. God did not anoint the United States to govern the

world.

The United States is not competent to govern the world. The Constitution does not authorize the United States government to govern the world. The American people don't want to govern the world.

But alas, for most of this century what one historian has called the New York-London axis, a nexus of international banks and transnational corporations, incessantly has peddled an internationalist-interventionist foreign policy. It's been profitable for them and disastrous for Americans.

Americans get fewer benefits for their tax dollars than Europeans. American workers are paid less than European workers. America once ran trade surpluses but now consistently runs trade deficits.

America was once a creditor nation; now it is debtor nation. America was once called the arsenal of democracy; now America depends on foreign imports for key components of most of its strategic weapons.

Americans, if they don't reverse course, will soon be dependent on foreign imports for the food they eat. You should read Pat

Buchanan's new book, "The Great Betrayal," published by Little, Brown and Co.

The moderate Buchanan (his inscription in the copy he sent to me says, "To Charley Reese, an American first patriot who makes me sound like Boutros Boutros-Ghali") provides a succinct and accurate history of how the American people have been betrayed by the American elite, which runs the nation's foreign policy establishment.

Buchanan points out, for example, that the much-vaunted prosperity is lopsided. Corporate profits are up, the stock market is up, CEO compensation is up, but hourly wages are lower today than in the 1960s, and 63 percent of mothers with children under the age of 6 are working. Yet most politicians, most of the media and most of the academics keep telling the American people to keep doing what hasn't worked for them and what has actually caused them harm.

Americans need to learn to say, "No."

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Toxic tours, wrong side of the tracks

When the loaded semi arrived at the address on the invoice, the driver found an old clapboard-siding house like all the others on Desota Street in Newtown, a black community near Gainesville, Ga.



RHETA GRIMSLEY JOHNSON

Where's the loading ramp? the driver asked. The waiting women only laughed.

The Newtown Florist Club has no loading ramp. The 5,000 books were accepted, gladly, then stored in hallways and closets of the old house.

Atlanta author Ellen Griffith Spears missed the happy May 29 arrival of the book whose words she had struggled with for a year and then donated.

There was a terrible rain-storm in Atlanta, and I decided not to drive up, she says. But I heard all about it the next day.

The book is "The Newtown Story: One Community's Fight For Environmental Justice." In it, Ellen tells the story of the Florist Club, started by Newtown women in the 1950s to care for the sick and buy flowers for funerals. At those funerals the women dressed alike, carried the flowers and rode in the car right behind

the bears. But there were too many funerals. Too many hearses.

So the club with the graceful name became much more.

To get to Newtown, find the railroad tracks in Gainesville and go to the wrong side of them. After a tornado tore through town in 1936, segregated housing for blacks was built right on top of an old city dump. The average income of those who applied for the rent-to-purchase homes averaged less than \$48 a month. Industry grew up all around.

Today there are three poultry processors near Newtown. Two giant feed mills run by Ralston Purina and Cargill. A scrap iron and metal lot.

Children play at a park dwarfed by industrial towers. Residents who love to garden have been warned not to eat what their plots produce. Grain dust, runoff, sewage, air pollution and groundwater contamination create problems that extend beyond Newtown, the book says. Toxins endanger other black neighborhoods on the south side, where two emergency evacuations in 1995 sent dozens to the hospital and brought residents to challenge Cargill with releasing dangerous hexane emissions.

In the early 1990s, the Florist Club, which already had extended its role to civil-rights work, started Toxic Tours of their own neighborhood.

We were shocked to learn that as many as 18 people, most of them on the same street, had died or were suffer-

ing from some form of throat, lung or colon cancer, lupus or chemically induced heart disease, the club says. Today, the numbers are even higher.

It's hard to categorize, this book. It is about an environmental fight, of course. And because so many poorer and black neighborhoods are stuck near industrial sites, the book could fit in African-American studies.

But then there's its feminist theme. Determined, brave women challenging their lot in life while helping bury their dead. You see their faces in the black-and-white photos and marvel at their strength.

Michael Schwarz took those photos, donating his work, like Ellen.

He gave me about a dozen photos one day, and I spread them out on the table and thought, "This book doesn't need any words," Ellen says.

Published by the club and the Center for Democratic Renewal, all profits will go to the Florist Club and its environmental causes. The Florist Club hopes the dramatic little book will help their story go national.

You can buy your book for \$16; mail a check to P.O. Box 908403, Gainesville, GA 30501.

Why don't they just leave Newtown?

Many of the older people won't make a move. The houses built with federal dollars and no hot water so long ago are their family homes. Newtown is home, for better or worse.

ADDRESSES

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### IN BRIEF

#### Big Spring Sidewinders finish 10th at nationals

The Big Spring Sidewinders, with a young roster, finished 10th at the USAG National Championships in Hanover, Pa. over the weekend.

Brooke Lawrence finished second in the all-around competition while Mikelle Farris took 11th in the all-around.

In addition, Lawrence finished second in the vault and third in the beam in individual competition while Farris was second in floor exercise and Vanessa Bustamante seventh in vault.

"Considering all of our athletes were juniors and three of them rookies as far as national competition goes, we really did very, very well," said Sidewinders coach Russ McEwen.

#### Spring City netters play in Highway 80

Seven Big Spring netters played in the San Angelo Highway 80 Open Tennis Tournament over the weekend.

Ame Blacketer advanced to the girls in the girls 12s before losing 6-1, 7-5 to Julie Voss of San Angelo.

Voss currently is the No. 6 player in the state in that age group.

In boys 14s, Jay Shroff reached the quarterfinals before losing 6-1, 6-3 to Ryan Sandknop of Heath.

Another Big Spring netter, Kim Domingez, also reached the quarters before being ousted 6-4, 6-3 by Katy Dorrity of Plainview.

Other players ousted in the round of 16 included Vishal Shroff and Jim Blacketer in boys 12s, Brian Watt in boys 16s and Yuching Li in girls 18s.

The next tournament is in Abilene this weekend while summer clinics are scheduled July 7-10 and July 13-16.

For more information, call Jim Blacketer at 264-6834.

#### Coahoma coed ragball tournament Friday, Saturday

The annual Coahoma coed ragball tournament will be held Friday and Saturday at the Coahoma softball complex.

Entry fee is \$10 per person. There is no limit to the number of players on each team, but there must be at least five men and five women on the field.

For more information, call Cindy or Troy Kerby at 394-4748.

#### Crossroads Summer play continues tonight

Play in the Crossroads Girls Summer Basketball League continues Monday at 5:30 p.m. in Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Stanton (3-4-1) will play Sterling City (2-5) at 5:30 followed by Big Spring (1-7) vs. Sweetwater (8-0) at 6:30.

The third game of the night will pit Odessa (5-3) vs. Sands (6-1), followed by Grady (7-1-1) and Ira (1-6) and Coahoma (2-5) vs. Garden City (4-4).

Five games are played each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday beginning at 5:30 with the final game of the night beginning at 9:30.

### ON THE AIR

#### TODAY: SOCCER

2 p.m. — World Cup, single elimination round, ESPN, Univision.

#### WNBA BASKETBALL

6:30 p.m. — Phoenix Mercury at New York Liberty, ESPN.

#### TUESDAY MORNING: SOCCER

9:30 a.m. — World Cup, single-elimination round, ESPN.

#### TENNIS

11 a.m. — Wimbledon, HBO.

## Larry Bird, five others elected to basketball's Hall of Fame

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Larry Bird, whose talent and tenacity led the Boston Celtics to three championships and the NBA into a new era of prominence, was elected to the Hall of Fame today with five others.

Also chosen were another basketball wizard, Marques Haynes of the Harlem Globetrotters, former coach Alex Hannum, early NBA big man Arnie Risen, current Texas women's coach Jody Conradt, and ex-Yugoslavian coach Aleksandar Nikolic.

Last Monday, Lenny Wilkens joined John Wooden as the only two-time

inductees. Already in as a player, Wilkens was honored as a coach.

"All the Celtics who made the Hall of Fame deserved it," said Red Auerbach, Boston's former coach, general manager and president who is among 23 other Celtics already in the Springfield, Mass., shrine. "Larry absolutely deserves it."

Bird was rookie of the year in 1980, MVP in 1984, 1985 and 1986 and Finals MVP in 1984 and 1986. With him, the Celtics won titles in 1981, 1984 and 1986. He was designated one of the NBA's 50 best players ever and often is mentioned among the top five. He was chosen coach of the year with the Indiana Pacers last season, his first as an NBA coach.

Bird joined Boston in 1979-80 and transformed a franchise that had missed the previous two playoffs. The Celtics went from 29 to 61 wins in his rookie season and won the championship the next year with coach Bill Fitch. The other two titles came under K.C. Jones.

Haynes, nominated for the first time, graduated from Langston University in 1947 after leading it to a 112-3 record over four seasons. In more than 12,000 games over more than 40 years with the Harlem Globetrotters and Harlem Magicians, his ballhandling and showmanship dazzled audiences in 97 countries.

Hannum spent 16 seasons as a coach with seven NBA and ABA teams. He led

the Philadelphia 76ers to records of 68-13 in 1966-67, when they won the NBA title, and 62-20 in 1967-68. The next season, he took the Oakland Oaks to the ABA title, becoming the first coach to win championships in both leagues.

Conradt, the winningest women's coach of all time, has spent the last 22 seasons as coach of Texas. Her 709 wins make her one of 14 college coaches with at least 700.

Risen, 6-foot-9 and about 200 pounds, had the size of a small forward in today's game. He was an aggressive rebounder in a 13-year career that began with Indianapolis of the National Basketball League in 1945-46.



Jack Birdwell (left) and Ronnie Broadrick size up the situation during Saturday's first round of the Best of the Rest Golf Tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course. Birdwell and his partner, Steve Hedges, led after the first round before Broadrick and his partner, Don Osborne, shot a 61 on Sunday to win the tournament for the sixth time.

## Osborne-Broadrick win 'Best' play

By JOHN H. WALKER  
Managing Editor

Don Osborne and Ronnie Broadrick beat both the heat and the field Sunday afternoon to win the championship flight of the Best of the Rest Golf Tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Osborne and Broadrick, who found themselves in fourth place, three strokes off the pace after Saturday's first round, shot a best of tournament 61 on Sunday to take a three-stroke win over Steve Hedges and Jack Birdwell.

Osborne and Broadrick's 66-61-127 was enough to give them their sixth title in tournament.

"It was probably the sixth time to come back from nowhere for us to win, too," Broadrick said.

Osborne said putting was the difference in the two rounds.

"The putts fell in the hole today," he said. "That's the only difference between the two days."

Broadrick added "we made some good putts yesterday that didn't want to fall that fell today."

Hedges and Birdwell led after the first round with a 63, only to come back and shoot a 67 on Sunday. In third place in the

championship flight was the team of Ben Garcia and Felix Martinez with a two-day total of 131. Garcia and Martinez faltered Sunday, shooting a 67 after a 64 on Saturday.

Broadrick said one reason for the tournament's good scores, despite the drought and high temperatures, was the work of Birdwell and his staff.

"They've done an excellent job on this course and we appreciate their work," he said. "They got out here at 5:30 in the morning and start pouring on the water and they work at it all day long."

In the first flight, Fred Leonard and Jimmy Stewart held their first-day lead and won after posting a 63-66-129 over the 36 holes.

Second went to Barr and Nichols, who recovered from a first-round 69 to shoot a 61 and finish at 170.

In the second flight, the Colorado City duo of Jim Theibaud and Wadkins posted a 63-67-130 to take the title. Second place went to Welch and Welch with a 65-66-131.

In the third flight, John Swinney and Jason Phillips shot a 70-72-142 to win.

BEST OF THE REST  
COMANCHE TRAIL GOLF COURSE  
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Championship Flight	
66-61-127	— Don Osborne-Ronnie Broadrick
63-67-130	— Jack Birdwell-Steve Hedges
64-67-131	— Ben Garcia-Felix Martinez
67-65-132	— Pat Gent-Daniel Sien
68-68-136	— Jimmy Roger-Carlos Dimidjian
72-70-142	— Cecil Adams-Caroly Adams
First Flight	
63-66-129	— Leonard Stewart
69-61-130	— Barr-Nichols
67-63-130	— Shaeffer-Hammonds
67-66-133	— Birdwell-McKee
71-64-135	— Ayres-Farmer
67-69-136	— Roberts-Park
70-68-138	— Carroll-Touchstone
73-67-140	— Palmer-Palmer
71-69-140	— Spivey-Spivey
77-68-145	— Alvarez-Hatfield
70-WD	— Newsom-Smith
WD	— Walker-Spinson
Second Flight	
63-67-130	— Theibaud Wadkins
65-66-131	— Welch-Welch
66-67-133	— Staats-Epseron
66-67-133	— Parish-Pirkle
64-71-135	— Hecker-Hecker
68-68-136	— Decker-Pirke
69-67-136	— Spivey-Phillips
69-67-136	— Ramirez-Reyna
68-69-137	— Wash-Everett
69-69-138	— Diaz-Diaz
71-67-138	— Brown-Smith
69-72-141	— Leal-Barber
74-69-143	— Sumnersell-Billabala
70-74-144	— Parker-Rodgers
Third Flight	
70-72-142	— Swinney-Phillips
71-73-144	— Bottie-Battle
72-72-144	— Bustamanta-Franco
73-71-144	— Klaus-Fields
70-75-145	— Heacos-Valencia
74-73-147	— Pirke-Crane
74-73-147	— Neff-Brumley
77-74-151	— Campbell-Strain
74-78-152	— Tilley-Gunselman
76-79-155	— Bolles-McCullough
77-79-156	— Payne-Brown
78-78-156	— Satcher-Van
83-77-160	— Churchwell-Chalker
84-86-170	— Darling-Rowden

## Tewksbury lobs pitches to take bat out of McGwire's hands

By BEN WALKER  
AP Baseball Writer

A lot of pitchers have gone around Mark McGwire this year. Bob Tewksbury tried something new — he threw over the big guy.

Tewksbury resorted to lobbing balls to McGwire on Sunday, and it worked. The major league home run leader could only laugh as he grounded out and popped up on the 44 mph pitches.

"It was awesome," McGwire said after Tewksbury pitched the Minnesota Twins past the St. Louis Cardinals 3-2 at the Metrodome. "I loved it. I tell you what, I'll swing at it every time if it's in the strike zone."

Tewksbury promised his teammates he would throw the lobs if McGwire was at the plate with two outs and no one on base. He kept his word, twice retiring McGwire on floaters.

"I can't throw the ball by him, but I can throw it slower," Tewksbury said. "I was excited to face McGwire. I couldn't wait to face him."

In other interleague games, the New York Mets defeated the New York Mets 2-1, Anaheim stopped San Diego 11-3, Houston downed Cleveland 12-3, Atlanta beat Toronto 10-3, Colorado outlasted Oakland 11-10, San Francisco topped Texas 7-0, and Arizona defeated Seattle 3-2.

Also, Florida beat Boston 5-1, Cincinnati defeated Detroit 5-2,

Montreal beat Baltimore 8-4, Tampa Bay topped Philadelphia 5-4, the Chicago Cubs downed Kansas City 6-3 and the Chicago White Sox rallied past Milwaukee 10-8.

In the NL, Pittsburgh beat Los Angeles 6-4.

Tewksbury's odd pitches were not quite as high as the "cepus" balls that Rip Sewell popularized for Pittsburgh in the 1940s, or the floaters that Steve Hamilton and Dave LaRoche once threw.

But they were high-arching enough to keep McGwire — who hit his 36th home run a day earlier — off-balance. He could not connect against them in the first and fourth innings, and Tewksbury got Ray Lankford to

ground out on a lob to end the sixth inning with a runner on third and the Twins leading 2-1.

"The first time it was funny," St. Louis manager Tony La Russa said. "He kept getting outs with it, and then it wasn't funny."

Texas games included:

ASTROS 12, INDIANS 3

Moises Alou once again came through against Cleveland. He had three hits, including a homer, and drove in three runs and scored three for visiting Houston.

On Saturday, Alou's RBI single in the 11th inning beat the Indians. Last October, he hit three home runs for Florida in the World Series victory over Cleveland.

The Astros won two of three from the Indians in the matchup of Central Division leaders.

GIANTS 7, RANGERS 0  
Mark Gardner pitched another strong game against Texas and J.T. Snow hit a grand slam and drove in five runs for host San Francisco.

Gardner (7-3) gave up three hits and walked none. He is 3-0 with a 1.50 ERA in three interleague starts against the Rangers, including a win at Texas in June 1997 in the first AL-NL regular-season game ever.

Snow hit his first NL grand slam and the 100th home run of his career, connecting against Aaron Sele (11-5).

## Wimbledon

### Sister showdown out after Serena withdraws following leg injury

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — There won't be a Wimbledon showdown between the Williams sisters after all.

Serena retired from her third-round match with unheralded Virginia Ruano-Pascual today, hobbling with a leg injury and trailing 7-5, 4-1.

"I could have carried on if I wanted but I have to think about the future," she said. "I don't want to hurt myself over something silly and be out for maybe two months just because I didn't stop."

Serena, 16, had easily won her first two matches and was heavily favored to beat Ruano-Pascual and set up a fourth-round encounter against 18-year-old sister Venus, who was playing Chanda Rubin on Monday.

A Williams meeting would have been their third this year and Wimbledon's first match between sisters since Gail and Carol Sherriff of Australia played in 1966.

"We were going to be pretty excited about facing each other again," Serena said. "It was going to give something exciting for England for once."

Serena, playing her first Wimbledon and third Grand Slam, declared that she had been on course to win the title.

"I had all the expectations for this Wimbledon," she said. "I expected to go all the way. I guess I just won't be able to this year. ... In the future, I definitely see myself as one of the champions."

Serena said Venus, who is seeded No. 6, could be a champion this year.

"She might go a long way now that I'm out of the draw," she said. "I'll give her a couple of tips."

Serena fell behind right away and never recovered against the 47th-ranked Spaniard. At 4-5 in the first set, Williams took a three-minute injury timeout while a trainer sprayed and strapped her left calf.

Williams said she injured herself while slipping on the slick grass during the middle of the set.

Williams broke in the next game for 5-5, but Ruano-Pascual won the next two games at love to take the set and ran off the first four games of the second.

Williams was clearly slowed by the injury, favoring her left leg and failing to run after some shots.

After winning the fifth game of the second set, Williams walked over to the chair umpire and announced she could not continue. She packed her bag quickly and left the court as her mother Oracene, sitting in a wheelchair with a broken ankle sustained two weeks ago, watched solemnly.

"Early in the match, (the injury) wasn't getting any worse and I thought I can keep going," Williams said. "But when I saw it wasn't getting any better, I figured it was time to stop play."

Serena Williams neglected to shake hands with her opponent, describing it as oversight because she had never retired during a match before. She paid little credit to Ruano-Pascual.

"She had a pretty good today but if I was in better shape, it wouldn't have been happening at all," Williams said.

Ruano-Pascual seemed stunned at her win. As she sat in her chair, she shrugged and flashed an embarrassed grin.

Williams also pulled out of the women's doubles, in which she was paired with her sister, but said she may still play in the mixed doubles.

"I think (the injury) will clear up in a short time," she said. "It's not hurting as bad as it was on the court. It's already feeling a little better."

On another rainy day at Wimbledon, French Open champion and No. 5 seed Arantxa Sanchez Vicario moved into the fourth round with a 7-5, 6-2 win over Sylvia Plischke.

Todd Martin completed a rain-delayed third round match against Todd Woodbridge, winning 6-4, 4-6, 7-6 (7-1) 6-4.

Martin is the only American man left in the tournament other than defending champion Pete Sampras, who was resuming his third-round match against Thomas Enqvist.

In the day's featured Centre Court match, No. 6 Patrick Rafter, the reigning U.S. Open champion, was to face No. 12 Tim Henman of Britain for a place in the quarterfinals.

The second week started under cloudy skies, and play was suspended by rain in early afternoon.

Four days of play were delayed by rain last week, leaving the tournament 13 matches behind schedule, but officials kept with tradition and permitted no play Sunday.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 30:
This wonderful year is filled
with romance, financial gain
and a better sense of yourself.
Learn to work with your
temper, which could easily erupt.
You tend to internalize anger
and turn it inward on yourself.
Though it is a challenge to
resolve problems, you become a
stronger person and a lot easier
to relate to when you do.
Career bumps in 1999. If you
are single, romance's blush
appears on your face. The
person who sweeps you off your
feet could be unusual. If
attached, you will work on
some important communications,
strengthening your bond.
A trip will be significant for
you. LIBRA challenges you.

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)
Your temper flares, and it
will take the entire day to put
others at ease and regain your
direction. Recognize how hard
you have pushed and that per-
haps you are hitting your limits.
Think recreation and relaxation.
Tonight: Join friends
doing something you love.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
Push comes to shove in a
money matter. You need to re-
cognize what a loved one is asking.
Decline, if you feel it is
necessary. A friendship could
be developing into more. Check
out a new addition to your
home. You love quality living.
Tonight: A must appearance.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
Your feisty side emerges with
family. You feel as if you have
had enough. However, there
are other ways to let someone
know what is going on with
you. Stay on track because
career demands your attention.
Reach out to a loved one.
Tonight: Have fun.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
You say something that you
will wish you hadn't.
Communications are vital; stay-
ing level is important. News
from a distance provokes a
more intense pace. A money-
making venture could mean a
lot; check it out. Tonight: Head
home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
News could be a jolt to finan-
cial plans. Stay centered;
understand your liabilities. A
partner offers you a lot, both
morally and financially. Your
opinions are forthright. Listen
to others. Though a suggestion
sounds dreamy, it is possible.
Tonight: Go to a favorite
spot.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
Pressure has you fuming
early in the day. Avoid
exchanging harsh words with a
boss. Your perspectives clearly
differ from one another's.
Discussions are animated, and

you process a lot of calls. Make
time for a meeting. Instincts
are right on. Tonight: Your
treat.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
Read between the lines. You
are uptight about a choice.
Gather more information, even
if someone who is far away
balks. Work demands your
attention, but you find it diffi-
cult to concentrate on details. A
friend spills the beans. Tonight:
A favorite person.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
Read between the lines with a
partner, who could be loud.
Creativity emerges in discus-
sions with friends. You can
handle a contentious person.
Discuss long-term goals. A boss
has a lot to share. Listen, as he
will be unusually expressive.
Tonight: Take a night off.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec.
21)
The gregarious nature of a
partner takes you aback. Is it
necessary? Recognize that only
you can judge. A family mem-
ber is hot on your trail. You
could be overwhelmed by his
needs. Talk with a friend who
is at a distance. Tonight: Make
time for a meeting.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan.
19)
Tempers flare in the morn-
ing, so you do your best to
backpedal for the rest of the
day. Reach out for someone, do
your own sleuthing and find
solutions. A partner has a valu-
able piece of information.
Financial gain comes when you
take the lead. Tonight: In the
limelight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
Someone's tantrum has you
shaking your head. Be consid-
erate and direct, and get to the
core of a problem. Discussions
on a one-to-one level allow you
to see solutions. Be empathetic,
but look at the big picture.
Others are a fountain of infor-
mation. Tonight: Take off.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
Others still dominate your
choices. Don't forget that special
partner, or you will hear from
him. Your sense of what
is appropriate comes into play,
especially after a discussion
with a key player in your life.
Tonight: Initiate intimate chats
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Frequent flyer miles can help
make kids' dreams come true

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I
have seen the world. We're get-
ting on in years and find it
increasingly difficult to walk
long
distances, so we
decided to
stop flying to
other coun-
tries.



ABIGAIL
VAN
BUREN

I was con-
cerned about
what to do
with our
accumulated
frequent-flyer
miles when a
friend men-
tioned the
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Foundation.
We donated our miles to it, and
the foundation granted a young
boy with cancer his wish to
visit Disneyland.

Abby, many people allow
their miles to expire and go to
waste. My wife and I have
donated more than 60,000 miles
to the Make-A-Wish
Foundation. We feel great
knowing we have helped to
grant the wishes of special chil-
dren. — SID FISHER, PALM
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DEAR ABBY: I have a prob-
lem that's eating at me. I have
been with my boyfriend for two
and a half years. I am 31 and he
is 30. During the last year and
a half, we have lived in a house
we own together.

My problem: I want to get
married, and he says he's
scared, confused and doesn't
want to end up divorced. I am
divorced and have three chil-
dren. He has never been mar-
ried and has no children.

He treats me wonderfully and
I really don't want to lose him.
But marriage is important to
me. I love him and he says he
loves me — but I'd like it to be
HIS desire to marry me.

Should I give him an ultima-
tum? — WANTS TO BE WED
DEAR WANTS: I don't blame
you for wanting to be legiti-
mately married. However, you
would be making a big mistake
to give him an ultimatum. A
good rule to follow: Never give
anyone an ultimatum unless
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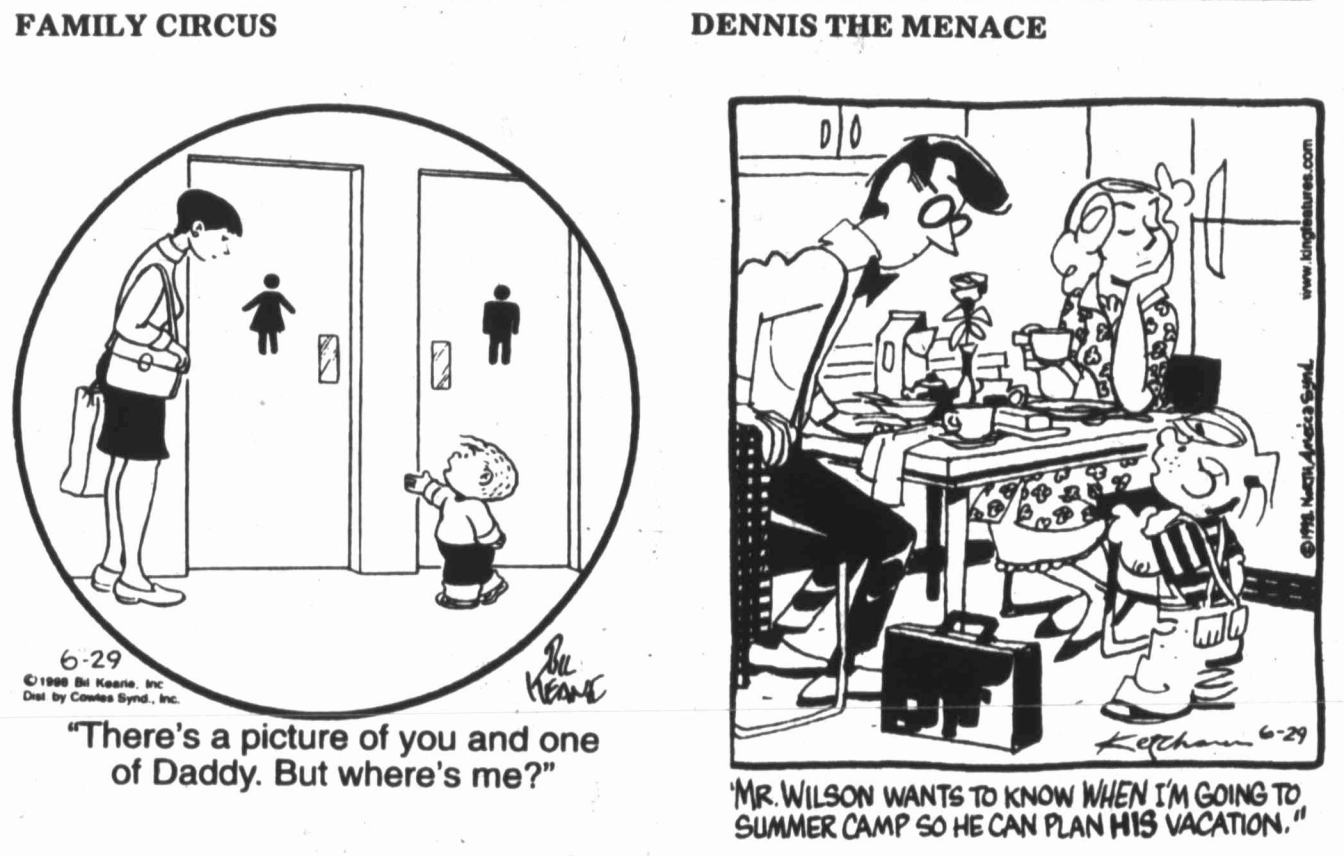
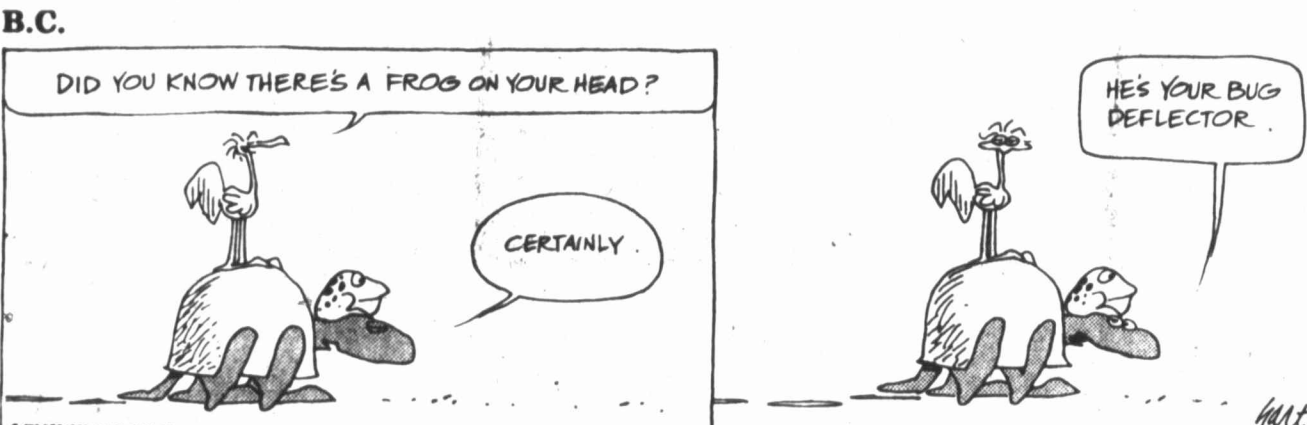
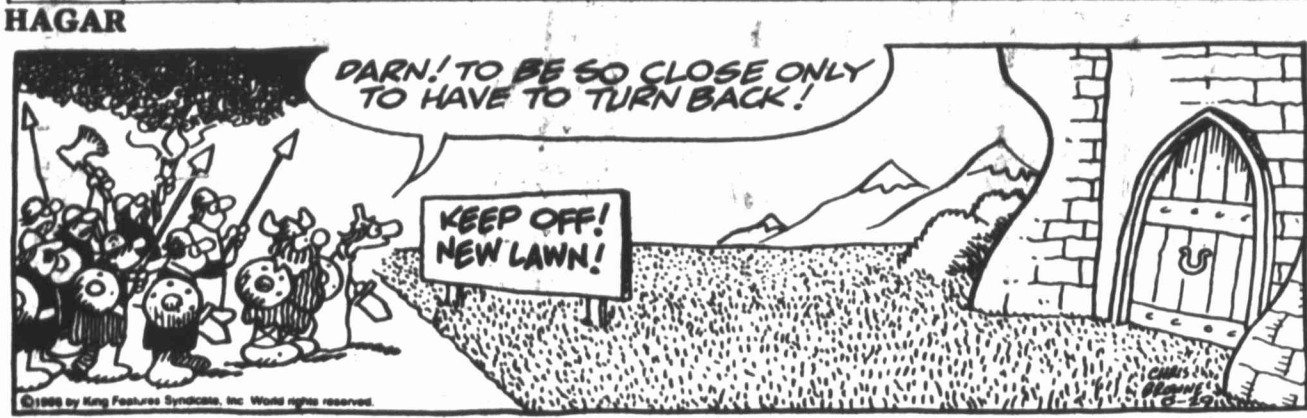
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**THIS DATE IN HISTORY**

185 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On June 29, 1767, the British Parliament approved the Townshend Revenue Acts, which imposed import duties on glass, lead, paint, paper and tea shipped to America.

**THE Daily Crossword** Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

ACROSS

- 1 Localities
- 6 Wanes
- 10 Reduce speed
- 14 Country house
- 15 Oaf
- 16 Actress
- 17 Hatcher
- 18 Elba's country
- 19 Vega's constellation
- 19 Terrible tsar?
- 20 Lynn Redgrave
- 23 Ready or \_
- 24 Valid
- 25 Knocks lightly
- 28 Tacks on
- 31 Male deer
- 35 Grow older
- 36 Soothing lotion
- 37 Garb
- 38 Alley's sitcom
- 41 Naval rank
- 42 Traditional knowledge
- 43 Floral necklace
- 44 Engraved pillar
- 45 Von Bismarck
- 46 Quaker William
- 47 Disparaging remark
- 49 Healthy spot
- 51 Intimate apparel store
- 59 Singer Guthrie
- 60 Crazy
- 61 San \_ CA
- 62 Primary
- 63 Slaughter of baseball
- 64 Two words separated by a virgule
- 65 Le Pew of cartoons
- 66 Hangs down
- 67 Not tight-fitting

DOWN

- 1 Tel \_ Jaffa
- 2 Moreno or Rudner
- 3 Flair
- 4 Ginsberg and Drury
- 5 Authority to decide
- 6 First lady of scat
- 7 Young fellas
- 8 Explosions
- 9 Step
- 10 Small dagger
- 11 Strauss
- 12 Algerian port
- 13 Party branch
- 21 Soviet dictator
- 22 Flurry
- 25 Desirable reviews
- 26 Actor's business representative
- 27 Intrinsically
- 29 Disney dwarf
- 30 Distributed cards
- 32 Supermarket passage
- 33 Putting surface
- 34 Become
- 36 San \_ Texas
- 37 From one side to the other
- 39 Knife-sharpener's tool
- 40 Drunkard
- 45 Journalist
- 46 "Scent of a Woman" star
- 48 Compulsions
- 5 Piano control
- 5 Seductress
- 52 "Dies \_
- 53 Cut short
- 55 All afterthought
- 56 Impudent back talk
- 56 Change completely
- 57 Problems of prima donnas
- 58 Flipped

**Saturday's Puzzle Solved**

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 — Helen Merrell Lynd, American sociologist and educator (1896-1982).