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**Tonight:**



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## Technicality puts Settles clean-up on hold once again

A licensing technicality with the Texas Department of Health (TDH) has resulted in the cancellation of Friday's planned clean-up of the Settles lobby for the Friends of the Settles Haunted House.

"City officials checked with the Texas Department of Health one more time, just to make certain that everything was OK for Friday, and they were told that because Russell (Kennedy) didn't hold a certificate with the Texas Department of Health, he couldn't do the work," explained haunted house chairman John H. Walker.

"Russell is fully certified for hazardous materials disposal, but doesn't hold a TDH license. Because of that, he can't do the work."

"In fact, we can't even go into the building," he said. Walker said city officials were told someone licensed by TDH would have to perform the work or that it couldn't be done.

"Unless someone licensed by TDH wants to donate the work, or someone in the community wants to donate the \$9,000 it will cost, I would say the haunted house project is dead," Walker said.

"It's frustrating, because we've had so many people come forward to say they wanted to help... so many groups that wanted to participate in a project that everyone felt would be good for the community."

"We've faced adversity before. People laughed at Tommy Churchwell when he started the windows project and that money has been raised. We'll overcome this obstacle as well."

"This isn't a problem, it's only an unsolved opportunity," Walker said.

Walker said a Friends of the Settles meeting has been scheduled for next week, when the group will make a decision as to what it will do.

## WHAT'S UP...

- TODAY**
- Genealogical Society of Big Spring, 7:15 p.m., Howard County Library.
  - Texas Tech Ex-Students Association Big Spring Chapter, 6 p.m., Sparenberg Building, 309 S. Main.
  - Masonic Lodge No. 1340, 7:30 p.m., 2101 Lancaster. Call Ron Long at 267-8715.
  - Democratic Club meeting, 7 p.m., District Court Room, third floor, Howard County Courthouse.

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## Annual blessing of the animals takes place Friday at St. Mary's

By MARSHA STURDIVANT  
Staff Writer

St. Mary's Episcopal School yard will be a sea of pets Friday, as students gather for the traditional Blessing of the Animals, in honor of St. Francis of Assisi.

"This is an annual event St. Mary's has, and we have it around the birthday of St. Francis. He is a saint in Christianity, and since we are an Episcopal school we recognize those kind of things," said Carol Hanes, head of the school.

The Blessing begins at 8:45 Friday, and all 127 students will participate by bringing their pets or favorite stuffed animal from home to be blessed by St. Mary's Episcopal Church Rev. Jim Liggett.

The school participates in this traditional celebration for two reasons, Hanes said.

"The children give thanks to the animals God created, and also to all creatures in general that we have entrusted with their care," Hanes said.

This event calls our attention to all the gifts of God's creation, and in turn, to the needs and proper care of the creation. By remembering to thank God for our pets, children might also remember to thank God for all creation, she said.

Students will bring from home their pets, such as dogs and cats, as well as favorite teddy bears or other stuffed animals, if the students do not have pets. Liggett will bless every single animal, she said.

"The kids bring all kinds of stuff. We've had gold fish, wallabies, iguana,

birds, you name it, we've had it. Father Liggett puts his hand on every animal and it takes him some time. He doesn't care if the animal is real or stuffed. Every animal gets blessed and it is wonderful for the child. This means so much to them," Hanes said.

The tradition of animal blessings dates back to the time in European history when St. Francis blessed the animals of farmers. Assisi, founder of the Franciscan Order, was a great lover of animals.

A common prayer of St. Francis begins, "Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love, where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is



HERALD file photo  
Callie Hutcherson waited to have her mouse "Splinter" blessed in 1996.



HERALD photo/Linda Choate  
Big Spring High School's production of Peter Pan will open Friday at 7 p.m. There will be a matinee at 2 p.m. on Sunday. Left to right, Peter is played by Lauren Fraser, Tinkerbell by Shruthi Mandyam, Capt. Hook by Jonathan Hull and Wendy by Amy Currie.

## Grand jury

### Cornell guard is no-billed in inmate's shooting death

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

The Cornell Corrections guard that shot and killed an inmate during an Aug. 8 escape attempt was cleared of all wrongdoing Wednesday morning, as the Howard County Grand Jury no-billed the investigation into the shooting.

Vincente Bustamante, a guard at the Cornell Corrections Interstate Unit, was dismissed by the grand jury following an investigation into the shooting death of inmate Lesario Alvarez-Cubillos, who was serving a seven-month sentence for illegal entry of an alien.

According to Cornell Corrections Regional Director Dale Brown, Bustamante followed the correct procedures for the situation, and acted in accordance with prison policy.

"Our staff followed procedures and policies right to the letter," said Brown in an interview shortly after the incident. "They did as they were trained... this is just a real unfortunate incident."

Brown said that officers responded to an alarm at gate one, where they observed an inmate climbing the fence in an attempt to flee the facility.

"They told him to halt," said Brown. "Several verbal warnings were issued in both English and Spanish."

Brown added that the guard fired a warning shot once the

inmate had cleared the fence, then fired the fatal shot, which struck the man in the back.

The no-bill comes following an investigation conducted by the Federal Bureau of Prisons.

The following cases were also heard by the grand jury, and indictments handed down:

- Pete Gutierrez Gonzales, theft by appropriation (2nd degree felony), and forgery (2nd degree felony).
- Katherine Schill Hardin, two counts of forgery (state jail felony).
- Karen Harrison, forgery (2nd degree felony).
- Anthony Ray Hayes, two counts of possession of a controlled substance (2nd degree felony), and theft of a firearm (state jail felony).
- Tammy Tyre Helms, burglary of a habitation (2nd degree felony).
- Jon Ray Hernandez, possession of a controlled substance (2nd degree felony).
- Michael Lee Hodnet, possession of a controlled substance (state jail felony).
- Arthur Earl Jackson, possession of a controlled substance (2nd degree felony).
- Rollie Joy, failure to render assistance.
- Eric Noble Kilman, unauthorized use of a vehicle (state jail felony).
- Noel Figurea Novola, burglary of a building (1st degree)

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## Electric bills are due as PUC no-termination order ends

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

Area residents who haven't already made payment arrangements with their utility providers may face possible cut-off today, as the Public Utility Commission's (PUC) no-termination emergency order ends.

"Anyone who has not already made arrangement with us, and isn't able to pay their bill in full at this time, should call us immediately to avoid disconnection," said Linda Weaver, customer support representative

for TU Electric's Big Spring office. "TU will work with customers, just as they do year round, to make payment arrangements that will suit everyone involved."

"We have deferred payment plans, credit extension programs, and energy-aid programs available from the Salvation Army and West Texas Opportunities for those in need of assistance."

As Texans battled the triple digit temperatures this summer, the PUC urged residents to let their air conditioning units run, regardless of whether or

not they could afford it.

"Bills were certainly higher this year," said Weaver. "We didn't want anyone to be without power, and when the PUC put their moratorium in place, TU Electric had already adopted that position."

Although the heat is still a force to be reckoned with, Weaver said many people may find themselves without vital utilities following today's deadline.

State regulators, along with electric providers and relief agencies, urge customers who have fallen behind on their bills

to contact their utility companies, and make arrangements to avoid service interruptions.

"Power services will be disconnected if they don't call us," said Weaver. "The arrangement process is very easy, and it doesn't take very long. We just want to do our part to help the customers, but they have to do their part as well."

According to TU Electric officials, less than 50 percent of all delinquent accounts have made payment arrangements, with more than 12,000 of their customers already 90 days late on their bills.

"We understand that the higher bills have put a hardship on everyone involved," said Weaver.

"We want to work with them to avoid disconnection, but we can't help them if they won't call in."

According to TU Electric officials, electric bills ran 15 to 35 percent higher than normal this summer, with bills averaging \$175 in the month of July.

State law requires that utility companies provide delinquent customers with a 10 day notice before disconnection of services.

## 'Peace Pilgrim' brings message to Big Spring, and onward

By MARSHA STURDIVANT  
Staff Writer

A Peace Pilgrim walked through Big Spring today, on his way to Sweetwater, and the remainder of his 5,000 mile, border-to-border and coast-to-coast journey for peace.

"The Peace Maker is the name God Has given me. This is all about God, and I am truly honored that He has chosen me. Names are, really just a handle."

"I am thankful I don't present the same negative attitude like I used to. Today I know everything that happens in our lives happens for a reason. I used to think that my life was all screwed up. I know now that what I went through is to know what I know now," said Earl Standberry.

Standberry, 33, is a former United States Marine, Gulf War veteran, police officer candidate, husband, drug addict and salesman. Originally from Pecos, today he is following in the footsteps of original Peace Pilgrim, Mildred Norman.

"I believe she called me to continue her journey. I walk until I'm given shelter and I fast until I'm given food. I never ask for anything, it must be given. I carry no money. I tell people it's all right, whatever faith we are, we all serve the same God, and you can call Him what you want to," Standberry said.

Norman traveled in excess of 40,000 in her walks around the United States. Standberry is on his first traverse across the country, starting in Pasadena, Calif. at the Rose Bowl Parade

Jan. 1. He intends to conclude this trip at the United Nations Building in New York.

He has three petitions he hopes to present to the president in Washington D.C. One calls for a Secretary of Peace for the U.S. government.

"We have a secretary of war and a war department, but no department of peace," he said.

This is the 45th anniversary of Norman's pilgrimage. She started in 1953, and concluded recording her journey in 1964. Standberry said he plans to conclude this walk, and then travel the 48 states, as she did.

Then in the 2003, he hopes to begin another 5,000 mile journey, to celebrate Norman's 50 year anniversary.

Standberry carries booklets of Norman's message in English

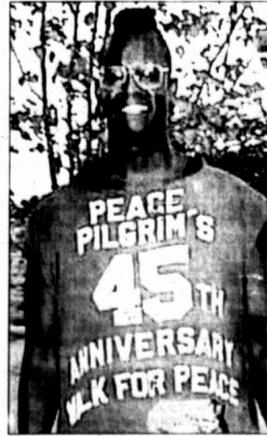
and Spanish, and passes these out to anyone who asks. He says he does not approach people, but waits until people notice him and begin conversations.

"I don't preach. We need more teachers instead of more preachers. We need to live the example and show it in our lives. Jesus was a teacher, he told stories. He was not a preacher," he said.

His message is one of non-judgmental peace and the boundless blessings of God's love. He does not judge anyone, walks the country without fear, and depends on God for all his needs.

"God talks to me, and He will talk to you. I hope people learn to feel good about themselves

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OBITUARIES

E. Wayne Burleson

E. Wayne Burleson, 75, Big Spring, died on Tuesday, Sept. 29, 1998, in a local hospital. Service will be 2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 2, 1998, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Eddie Tubbs, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.



BURLESON

He was born on Nov. 1, 1922, in Big Spring and married Eleanor Westerberg on April 4, 1946, in New Orleans, La.

He served in the Merchant Marines during World War II and settled in Big Spring in 1949. He was the owner of Burleson Machine Shop. He was a Baptist and a Mason.

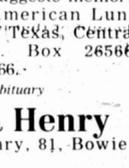
Survivors include: his wife, Eleanor Burleson of Big Spring; five sons and four daughters-in-law, David and Brenda Burleson of Houston, Marvin and Janet Burleson, of Burleson, Michael and Renee Burleson of Crosby, Donnie Burleson of Dallas, and Ronnie and Renee Burleson of Big Spring; three daughters and sons-in-law, Carol and Mike Schultz of Burleson, Betsy and George Anderson of Odessa, and Amy and Mickey Sproul of Lubbock; 13 grandchildren, Kevin Burleson, Kristi Cocanougher, Chris and Dana Schultz, Elizabeth and Eric Burleson, Rebecca Mabry, Heath Anderson, Cody and Jacob Burleson, Brandon and Hayhe Burleson and Caitlyn Sproul; two step-grandchildren, Dustin and Brady King; and two great-grandchildren, Lynnea Mabry and Trevor Anderson.

Pallbearers will be Skipper Driver, Dennis Seidenberger, Grady Wilbanks, Jim Johnson, Mike Guzman, Bobby Lee, Morris Fraley, Mark Young and Kim Denton.

The family suggests memorials to: The American Lung Association of Texas, Central Region, P.O. Box 26566, Austin 78755-0566.

Paid obituary

Ramona Henry, 81, Bowie, died on Tuesday, Sept. 29, 1998, in Bowie. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 2, 1998, at the Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring, where she will be laid to rest beside her husband.



HENRY

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 2, 1998, at the Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring, where she will be laid to rest beside her husband.

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Byron Henry, Rev. Pat Ray, pastor of Prairie View Baptist Church of Big Spring, will be officiating. A memorial service for Mrs. Henry will be held at the First Baptist Church of Bowie, on Saturday morning, Oct. 10, 1998, at 10 a.m., Rev. Ronnie Lawson officiating.

Ramona was born on Feb. 24, 1917, in Big Spring. Her father, Sidney Frans Gamble died in 1919 during a flu epidemic. Her mother, Bula Thomas Gamble, remarried a few years later to Horace Ivan Trout, and together they raised her.

Ramona graduated from Baylor University in Waco in 1938 and worked for a few years in Washington, D.C. in the National Archives before returning to Texas, where she married Byron Henry in Dallas on Feb. 18, 1942. Ramona and Byron moved to Bowie in 1945 where Ramona's parents owned and operated the Bowie News.

Ramona took a job as a substitute teacher at Bowie High School which became a full time position in 1953. She taught government, English and journalism. She retired after 33 years in the Bowie Independent School District. Most youngsters growing up in Bowie were in one of Mrs. Henry's classes before they graduated.

Ramona was preceded in death by her father, Sidney Frans Gamble, and infant brother, Sidney Frans Gamble, Jr., her parents, Bula, and Horace Trout and her husband, Byron Henry.

She is survived by one aunt, Mrs. Lou Grant of Big Spring; a step-sister, Mrs. Ella Virginia Green of Bruceville; and several cousins.

The family suggests memorials to the Lottie Moon Missions Offering or the building fund of First Baptist Church of Bowie or Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo; 79174-0001.

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

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asked if I could move my toes, I did. I am amazed at the healing God has done in the past six months for me," he said.

Standberry urges anyone to write to California to receive a free copy of Norman's book. The publishers have also created a web site for Standberry.

"I tell people I never walk alone because God walks with me. I never leave home without Him. I am a walking billboard for peace," Standberry said.

The booklet, Step Toward Inner Peace, may be obtained free by writing to Friends of the Peace Pilgrim, 43480 Cedar Avenue, Hemet, Calif. 92544, or call 909-927-7678. Standberry may be contacted through a web site at www.skyabove.com/peace or earlthepm@yahoo.com.

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A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

kets, etc. Collection sites will be located at Harris Lumber, Scenic Mountain Medical Center and the Howard County Courthouse.

THE 1998 4-H ACHIEVEMENT BANQUET will be held on the campus of Howard College in the Cactus Room beginning at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 6. This special event is set aside to recognize 4-H members and adult leaders for outstanding achievement and support of the Howard County 4-H Program. Please make your reservations to attend by calling the Howard County Extension Office at 264-2236, no later than Wednesday, Sept. 30, by 5 p.m.

THE CHICANO GOLF ASSOCIATION will sponsor a dance on Saturday from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Howard County Fair Barns. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the doors. For tickets and table reservations go by Jimmy's Service Station, 310 E. Fourth St., or call 263-7741.

BSHS CLASS OF 1988 invites all teachers to join the class reunion for a buffet Saturday, Oct. 10 at noon at Dora Roberts Community Center. Cost is \$7 a plate, catered by Big John's.

If the weather is nice, the meal will be served outside, so bring a blanket to sit on. Please call to RSVP to Cheri Wyrick Reibe, 268-9587, by Sunday, Oct. 4. Family members are welcome also.

THE BSHS CLASS OF '48 will celebrate its 50th reunion from Oct. 2-4. The reunion begins at noon on Friday, Oct. 2, with registration at the Best Western with a reception. Big Spring vs. Levelland, Friday night (tickets available at the gate), Saturday, 8 a.m., golf tournament at Comanche Hills; 10:30 a.m. decorate and visit at the Big Spring Country Club; 12:30 p.m. lunch at the country club; on your own until 7 p.m. dinner also at the country club.

HARVEST SATURDAY AT BIG Spring State Park is planned Oct. 3, with a pumpkin hunt for children, hayrides around Scenic Mountain and other activities. No reservations are needed, but a \$1 event fee will be charged in addition to park entrance fee.

For more information, call 263-4931. Dress is casual; finally, breakfast on Sunday morning at the Best Western. This is complimentary and if weather permitting, will be served by the pool.

Support groups will be held at the Howard College cafeteria at \$7.25 per person. Reservations should be made by Friday, Oct. 2. Contact Eileen Welch at (915)683-0839 or Bobbie Jean Klepper at (915)362-3654 or (915)552-2381.

BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL theater students will present to the public their first performance of the 1998-99 season, Peter Pan, on Oct. 2 and Oct. 4.

Featuring a cast of 43, the actors will use theater magic to tell the story of Peter, Wendy, Tinkerbell, Capt. Hook and the Lost Children.

The Oct. 2 performance is set for 7 p.m. A special matinee on Sunday, Oct. 4, begins at 2 p.m. Cost for tickets is \$2 for adults, \$1.50 for students and senior citizens, and children 5 and under are admitted free.

THE BIG SPRING WOMAN'S Club is asking for your help to provide warm clothing to local citizens in need. Our annual coat drive will be from Oct. 1-31. Items requested for donation include gloves, mittens, coats, wind breakers, caps, scarves, blan-

TEXAS LOTTERY

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LOTTO: 5,19,28,31,34,36

Grief Support related to the death of a loved one. Call Nurses Unlimited, Inc., at 264-6523.

Alzheimer's Association Support Group, last Thursday of the month, Comanche Trail Nursing Center, 3200 Parkway, 7 p.m. Call Viola Barraza at 267-9459.

Narcotic Anonymous, 8 p.m. St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 268-4189 (pager no.)

Al-Anon support group, 8 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center small cafeteria.

6:47 a.m. - 2000 block Virginia, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

8:02 a.m. - 100 block Hooser Road, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

8:47 a.m. - 2000 block Virginia, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

9:24 a.m. - 400 block E. Ninth, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

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Dec. cotton 73.80 cents, up 23 points; Nov. crude 15.76, down 38 points; Cash hogs steady at 31; cash steers steady 58.50 cents even; Oct. lean hog futures 42.20, down 42 points; Oct. live cattle futures 58.92, down 15 points.

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# Cost of Clinton investigations exceeds \$40 mil

WASHINGTON (AP) — Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr and his predecessor have spent more than \$40 million on the investigation of President Clinton's Arkansas land deals that was expanded earlier this year to include a devastating probe of the Monica Lewinsky affair.

In a semiannual audit of independent counsel costs, the General Accounting Office said Wednesday that Starr spent \$3.9 million during the six months ended March 31, the latest figures available.

That brings Starr's expenses to nearly \$33.5 million since he took over the Whitewater investigation in 1994. Add to that \$6 million spent by Robert Fiske, Starr's predecessor on

Whitewater, and the cost of investigating Clinton climbs to almost \$40 million — a number that will increase significantly when updated with the past six months' activity.

Starr has estimated that he spent at least \$4.4 million on the Lewinsky investigation alone over the past eight months. An exact figure won't be available until next spring.

The most expensive independent counsel probe to date was Lawrence Walsh's \$48.5 million, six-year investigation of the Reagan administration's Iran-Contra dealings.

Starr was originally hired to investigate Clinton's Arkansas land deals while he was governor of the state. In 1996 Starr's inquiry was expanded to

include the White House travel office firings and the controversy over the White House's gathering of some Republicans' FBI files.

In January the investigation was expanded again to include the president's affair with Ms. Lewinsky and an alleged cover-up. Starr turned over a report to Congress on that aspect of his investigation, alleging perjury and obstruction of justice, on Sept. 11.

Starr has said he is nearing completion of the Whitewater probe.

The biggest expense has been staff. In addition to 57 regular employees of the office of independent counsel, FBI and Internal Revenue Service agents are detailed to the investiga-

tion. The prosecutor also hires private investigators and other specialists to assist with the work.

During Starr's investigation, more than \$24 million has been spent on people-related costs, including \$9 million for salaries and benefits for employees of the independent counsel's office, \$13 million for FBI, IRS and Justice Department employees detailed to Starr, and \$2.4 million for hiring outside investigators and other specialists, according to GAO reports.

Travel expenses for Starr, his deputies and agents and witnesses totaled \$4.7 million since 1994, audits showed.

Meanwhile, five other independent counsels spent just over \$5 million.

# Perot wants grassroots drive seeking Clinton's resignation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ross Perot is launching a nationwide petition drive asking President Clinton to resign because of the president's White House affair with former intern Monica Lewinsky.

The 1996 Reform Party candidate called Clinton's behavior "erratic" and said the country has been left with a leadership void because of his actions.

"This man can't be in that office," Perot said Wednesday evening on CNN's "Larry King Live" show.

Despite current polls showing high approval ratings for Clinton, Perot said he expects public sentiment eventually to turn against the president.

"I am totally convinced that the American people are going to wake up and understand that and I am going to do whatever I can, constructively, to say wake up America," Perot said.

The Dallas billionaire appealed to veterans, ministers, small business owners, community leaders and others to begin local petition drives asking Clinton to resign. Petitions could be collected by truck convoys, which would deliver them to Washington in early December. Displaying his website, e-mail address and post office box on the talk show, Perot asked viewers for feedback on his plan.

"We'll show them that we care about morals and ethics. We'll show them that we care about duty, honor and country. More than anything else we will show them that the man who sends our children into combat or the man who can press the nuclear button has got to be a stable person who tells the truth," Perot said.

# GOP, Democrats differ on scope of Clinton inquiry

WASHINGTON (AP) — For all their talk about bipartisanship, House Republicans and Democrats have vastly different ideas about the scope of any impeachment inquiry into President Clinton's relationship with Monica Lewinsky.

A proposed GOP resolution outlined Wednesday would give House Judiciary Committee investigators broad, Watergate-style authority to subpoena witnesses and evidence without a committee vote if Chairman Henry Hyde, a Republican, and Rep. John Conyers, the panel's top Democrat, agreed.

It also would afford Clinton's lawyers the right to cross-exam-

ine witnesses, attend all meetings and object to evidence presented.

It would not, however, meet Democratic demands that the inquiry be limited to the allegations against Clinton in the Lewinsky matter, which include possible perjury, witness tampering and obstruction of justice.

Conyers and House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., planned to meet today to hear from four committee Democrats who have been exploring ideas for a more limited probe.

Among the suggestions being weighed, according to Democratic officials, were limit-

ing the inquiry to the Lewinsky affair, setting an expedited timetable for any further investigation or recommending a lesser penalty for Clinton, such as a censure and fine.

Another possible proposal was to delay a vote on impeachment until independent Counsel Kenneth Starr completed the remainder of his investigation and made those materials available, Democrats said.

Conyers, D-Mich., decried any open-ended inquiry as "preposterous."

A narrower alternative, he said, was favored by the public. In a closed-door meeting with House Democrats on Tuesday,

Gephardt said a recent poll in his own district showed that Americans overwhelmingly favored a quick resolution.

Republicans planned to hold a vote in the Judiciary Committee on the GOP resolution as early as Monday.

The panel also prepared to release more evidence to the public, possibly on Friday, that included partial transcripts of the Linda Tripp tape recordings that spurred the Lewinsky sex and cover-up investigation.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., called the upcoming vote about whether to launch a full impeachment inquiry "a vote of conscience."

# Gatesville, Olney to participate in power competition program

GATESVILLE (AP) — Two Texas cities have opted to choose their own electricity supplier under a pilot program designed to ease the transition to a competitive marketplace early next century.

Gatesville, 35 miles west of Waco, and Olney, 90 miles west of Fort Worth, are participating in a plan designed by the Texas-New Mexico Power Company to begin offering a choice in power providers to customers.

The first step for both cities is to open bidding for other power suppliers. City officials expect to make their final choice by mid-December, with the winning bidder set to begin providing power next March 1.

"We've been working on this for close to a year," Gatesville city manager Bob Stevens told the Temple Daily Telegram. "We're very happy with Texas-New Mexico Power, but we are excited by the chance to get cheaper power and be more competitive."

The cities will effectively be choosing a power provider on behalf of residents. But residents in either community are not required to participate and may remain with Texas-New Mexico.

Officials say a bigger group of customers makes for a stronger bargaining unit.

"City governments can effectively represent large groups of customers in the selection of a supplier of electricity," said Jim Boyle, an Austin attorney who represents Gatesville.

The pilot program is part of a transition-to-competition approved by the Texas Public Utility Commission in July. The commission also ordered the power company to cut its rates by \$60 million over five years. At the end of that period, the company will move to direct competition.

"This pilot is an excellent opportunity, not just for us but for others in the state and country to learn how competition can work best for its customers," Texas-New Mexico executive Jack Chambers said in a statement.

A similar pilot program is under way in Alamogordo, N.M., already. In that program, about 500 residential and 60 small commercial customers are able to choose their own power provider. However, the choice is up to the individual rather than the city which can lessen bargaining power.

# Government warns consumers of mass mail scams

WASHINGTON (AP) — Among the envelopes promising millions of dollars in prizes, a new convertible or a free vacation, consumers will soon find another piece of mail: a postcard warning of the mail scams that have lured Americans into forking over billions of dollars.

The Federal Trade Commission was announcing today a broad initiative to caution consumers of common mail scams and crack down on operations that con them out of money through the mail.

As part of the effort, the U.S. Postal Inspection Service plans to send every household in the nation postcards warning about mail fraud.

The latest campaign is meant to address a host of gimmicks

that bombard Americans' mailboxes each year. These include sweepstakes and prize promotions that require consumers to pay a fee or buy something to receive their rewards.

Other operations use government look-alike mail, playing off the names of federal agencies to give their promotions legitimacy. Some mailings advertise free vacation getaways and entice people to call telemarketers who then inform them of the catch: They must join a travel club for hundreds of dollars.

Such mail scams have cost consumers billions of dollars a year and often target elderly Americans.

Groups like the American Association of Retired Persons

cite stories of older consumers who spend thousands on sweepstakes, or fill rooms with unwanted magazine subscriptions, which they buy to better their chances of winning a prize.

In some cases, a family member's keen eye is the only thing that stops the deceptive practice.

"The fact that these folks have your name, that they personalize this stuff, it gives you a sense that they are reaching out to you, that you are special," said AARP spokesman Greg Marchiondo. He added that some people become repeat victims, when operations sell lists of "easy targets" to other companies.

To fight such scams, the FTC

plans to expand a database it developed last year to keep track of complaints related to mass mail fraud. Information from the database has led federal and state officials to take law enforcement action against more than 200 companies.

Some Better Business Bureau chapters will now report their complaints to be included in the database.

The groups that publish Yellow Pages plan to run ads tipping customers off to another common mail trick: phony bills. Some operations send bills to people, mimicking the business logos of popular, legitimate companies. Customers who don't look carefully at their statements may pay for services they never bought.

# Administration prepares for possible action in Kosovo

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration, laying the groundwork for possible NATO military intervention in Kosovo, is briefing senators on Serb atrocities against ethnic Albanians and on international efforts to stop the slaughter.

"Clearly, the clock is ticking," State Department spokesman James Foley said Wednesday after Secretary of State Madeleine Albright endorsed a British call for a special U.N. Security Council meeting today to deal with repression in Kosovo.

Albright, Defense Secretary William Cohen and Sandy Berger, the president's national security adviser, were scheduled to give senators a closed-door briefing late today in a secure room at the Capitol.

NATO has completed plans for possible airstrikes to halt Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic's troops, who have since February been fighting a guerrilla movement seeking independence for the Serbian province. The pressure to act increased this week upon discovery of fresh massacres by Serbian security forces of 18 ethnic Albanians, including women and children.

"This was not an act of war. It was plain cold murder," British Foreign Secretary Robin Cook said from Blackpool, England, as he called for a special Security Council meeting.

U.S. officials also were talking tough, noting that Milosevic has ignored a U.N. resolution approved by the Security

Council a week ago calling for a cease-fire and for withdrawal of Serbian troops and threatening the use of force if fighting continues.

Foley conceded that Serbs have withdrawn some military units from Kosovo but said other units have rotated into the province.

"We certainly have no evidence of a net drawdown of forces," Foley said, adding, "The actual decision to use force, though, may not be far away if indeed the situation doesn't change rapidly."

On Capitol Hill, lawmakers have expressed frustration that action hasn't already been taken against Milosevic, who also is accused of atrocities during the 1992-95 war in Bosnia.

Further, GOP leaders contend that President Clinton's credibility overseas has been undermined due to the Monica

Lewinsky affair, and that enemies will continue to test the United States.

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., is among congressional leaders who have called

for a firmer U.S. stance in Kosovo.

"He's expressed his concerns about what's going on in Kosovo," said spokeswoman Susan Irby.

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OUR VIEWS

St. Lawrence's fest offers wide variety of activities, food

For 41 of the 50 years that there has been a community known as St. Lawrence in south central Glasscock County, folks there have gathered for a fall festival.

This year, despite low ag prices, a hot summer and little rain, will be no different.

On Sunday, crowds that could exceed 2,500 persons will converge on the community — which essentially is the St. Lawrence Catholic Church — for a day of food, fun and fellowship.

The St. Lawrence Fall Festival will get under way following Mass this Sunday.

On tap are a variety of activities and foods, but nothing so anticipated as the now West Texas famous St. Lawrence sausage.

Included in the schedule of events are a barbecue dinner, games, raffles and a dance.

Everything takes place under the pecan trees surrounding the Catholic church and, if the weather has been just right to the north of us, those trees could once again be filled with thousands of migrating monarch butterflies.

Over the years, Parish members have sold as many as 10,000 pounds of the famous sausage as people from all over West Texas trek to St. Lawrence.

Traditionally, members of the parish council gather in the church kitchen the day before to start preparing the sausage.

The festival is the main fund-raiser for the church, with the money being used for operational expenses and is certainly worthy of your attendance and support.

OTHER VIEWS

In the musical "1776," there is a line from a song that seems to put in a nutshell why President Clinton is still getting such high marks for his on-the-job performance.

The line goes, "Is anybody there? Does anybody care?" While many people may not like some of the president's antics, the prevailing reaction is that he is in far-off Washington and those antics don't affect us way out here on Main Street USA.

These folks don't seem to realize they have already made a difference. Through their silence, they have given blanket approval to the actions of their government and allowed the voting minority to dictate who will represent their interests.

"Those who do not exercise their rights are destined to lose them," the adage goes.

One has to wonder whether 50 percent of the people would notice.

THE DAILY TIMES,  
Farmington, N.M.

President Clinton has proven himself to be what

Americans would not like in a president. He is a liar. He is an adulterer. He uses people. He has diminished the nation's top office.

It would be simple to join the chorus of the approximately 150 newspapers that have urged the president to resign. It is more of a challenge to express this newspaper's view: Clinton should stay in office, receive professional help for his personal problems and be prepared to let the legal process — perhaps including impeachment — run its course.

It is interesting that many of the newspapers urging Clinton to resign just two years ago endorsed his reelection despite ample evidence of his personal shortcomings.

If Clinton was the chief executive of a corporation instead of chief executive of the United States, he would have been fired for his liaisons with Lewinsky and subsequent efforts to cover his tracks.

And Clinton may be fired yet. It's called impeachment.

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A picklement at the U. S. Supreme Court

The Supreme Court of the United States, like every old geezer who is set in his ways, has a few crotchets that it dearly loves. (1) The court will not give advisory opinions. (2) The court will not take constitutional questions if it can avoid them. (3) The court will not take cases until they are jurisprudentially ripe.



JAMES J. KILPATRICK

In these unpredictable times, it thus comes as no surprise that in the matter of Census 2000, the Supremes will take on a case that involves an advisory opinion, that unavoidably raises a huge constitutional question, and that is no riper than a cluster of pea-green bananas. This is a picklement. The court could not avoid it.

Under the Constitution of 1788, representatives are apportioned among the several states according to their population. An "actual enumeration" was to be made by 1791 "and within every subsequent term of 10 years, in such manner as (Congress) shall by law direct."

What is meant by an ACTUAL enumeration? The Census Bureau asserts, without plausible contradiction, that a literal count of noses misses millions of noses in every decennial census. The bureau contends that it would be more accurate, and less costly, to use a sampling process, in which nose counters extrapolate from actual figures in specific districts. It is not really complicated. It just sounds that way. Political poll-takers extrapolate all the time, and their findings are usually confirmed.

Under present law, the Census Bureau may employ a sampling technique for calculating many figures of economic importance. The sampling process works splendidly for estimating the number of houses with inside plumbing. A statistical sample informs us that 93.9 percent of American households have telephone service. Very interesting.

This is the sticker: Congress has authorized sampling for every purpose but the key purpose. The bureau may use sampling "except for the determination of population for purposes of apportionment of representatives in Congress among the several states."

This brings us to the heart of the matter. No one cares deeply about the number of households that cook with gas, but if the sampling process should proclaim an additional 700,000 persons in New York, we are

talking about New York's gaining an additional seat in the House. Now you have a fight on your hands.

In the ordinary case before the Supreme Court, an aggrieved party petitions the court for relief. In this case the House of Representatives, a legislative body, is suing the Department of Commerce, an executive body. But the House is not an aggrieved party — not yet, anyhow. Ordinarily, someone must have suffered actual harm. Here the harm is hypothetical or conjectural. But actual harm is necessary to create a case or controversy subject to the court's authority. Here we have a controversy masquerading as a case. Congress cannot by statute plausibly say that representatives from the state of New York have suffered harm because of "actual enumeration" when patently they have — so far — suffered no harm at all.

This is no ordinary case. Congress has vested the Supreme Court, by statute, with authority to take this case directly from the U.S. District Court in the District of Columbia. The District Court held (1) that this is indeed a "case," and (2) that sampling for purposes of apportionment would violate the Constitution. It would not be an "actual" enumeration.

The political interests are self-evident to people in politi-

cal life. It is assumed without contradiction that most of the "uncounted" persons are black, Hispanic, impoverished or homeless — in brief, potential Democratic voters. Considering the consequences, the Republican Party finds itself singing the praises of strict construction as it never has sung them before. Hallelujah!

Time is of the essence. The official census is to be taken as of April 1, 2000. The results must be communicated to the incoming 107th Congress the following January. In order to meet this timetable the Bureau of the Census needs to know immediately, if not sooner, if sampling is in or sampling is out.

The Supreme Court hates this kind of thing. Some months ago it was pressured to decide pronto on the line-item veto. The court stiffly declined to see an actual case or controversy where there was none, and it took a while to chase up a plaintiff with a legitimate grievance.

The Supremes will have to swallow their crotchets. It would be unthinkable for the bureau to plunge ahead with sampling for purposes of apportionment, only to have the court throw everything out in 2002. Sure it's unthinkable. So think about it.

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Re-vamping our country's history

vamp (n): a seductive woman who uses her sensuality to exploit men. — Random House Webster's College Dictionary.

By JOHN KANELIS  
Amarillo Globe-News

Sound like anyone in the news lately? Say, a young, reasonably attractive former White House intern?

You read it here first. OK, maybe you've seen it somewhere before.

But history is going to treat a certain Monica Lewinsky very unfavorably when it looks back on the scandal that rocked Bill Clinton's presidency and may still topple it.

I've tried to fathom many things upon reading Kenneth Starr's smutty report to the Congress regarding Bill Clinton. Some of them I've shared with readers of this column. Namely, the president's appalling lack of judgment. I feel no need to return to the details of that subject, except to suggest that the judgment issue alone ought to be reason for the president to call it a career.

Other issues have been more difficult to comprehend. I'm still unsure why the independent counsel felt compelled to share Monica Lewinsky's testimony in such graphic, hideous detail. Wasn't there a way to say the same thing without really saying it?

Be honest: What do you think when you see the president of

the United States, oh, talking on the telephone? Or smoking a cigar? Never mind the thoughts that cross many of our minds when we see Bill and Hill walking across the South Lawn laughing, holding hands or engaging in some other public display of affection.

Enough about the president. Now for young Monica. Maybe the Starr report's graphic testimony tells us something about a young woman on the prowl.

It is difficult to talk about such things, but we've been forced to discuss EVERYTHING these past eight months.

The Starr report — many hundreds of pages of it — reveals a young woman who seemingly set her sights on bagging a major-league trophy: the Leader of the Free World. She testified to "intense flirtation" with the Big Man. She told Starr's inquisitors about how, when given the opportunity, she flashed him with her underwear.

Then the groping, kissing and the other stuff commenced. In the White House. On the public's time. On the public's dime.

And just why — why! — does someone keep an article of clothing stained with someone else's "bodily fluids"?

Who victimized whom here? The president has shown himself to be a first-class lout, according to the testimony which, we must remember, Lewinsky gave to Starr under grant of full immunity. She had

nothing to lose by telling the truth.

He got his jollies with Monica, then acted like he didn't know her. He lied about it to us, his family and his Cabinet. Clinton apparently sought to end the relationship when Lewinsky fell in love with him and threatened to blab to the world.

A soap opera script writer couldn't have come up with a stranger plot line.

White House press secretary Mike McCurry warned us all as this scandal began to unfold. He said this would turn out to be a "complicated story."

Boy, howdy!

Who's the biggest loser in this pathetic episode? Clinton, for sure. A growing number of observers suggest that the president suffers from some sexual disorder, that he cannot resist the lure of temptation from a young woman, that he needs far more than spiritual counseling to cure him of this affliction.

I understand — and agree — fully with the belief that the president should have shown judgment befitting the leader of the most powerful nation on Earth. He is unfit to hold that high office. He has disgraced himself, the presidency and all of us.

And for what has he destroyed his place in history? For a series of quickies with a vamp.

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## Breast Cancer Awareness Month begins

Scenic Mountain Medical Center to offer low-cost mammograms

HERALD Staff Report

In recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Malone & Hogan Clinic is offering \$48 mammograms for the entire month of October. Breast Cancer Awareness Month is a nationally recognized health observance which began in 1985 in order to raise breast cancer awareness. To make an appointment for a mammogram call 267-6361.

Breast cancer impacts the lives of one in every nine women in this country, making it a leading cause of death among women. Jence Cantu, Radiology Coordinator for St. Mary Physician Practice Services, says that getting a mammogram is one of the easiest and most important things a woman can do.

"The current guidelines of the American Cancer Society recommend that women have a baseline mammogram at 35, women between the ages of 40-49 have a mammogram performed annually or every other year, and women over 50 should have a mammogram on an annual basis. The few minutes you spend getting a mammogram once a year is nothing compared to the peace of mind you will receive from having regular mammograms that can detect cancer in its earliest and most treatable stages," explains Cantu.

Malone & Hogan Clinic is a part of a primary care network in 22 communities that St. Mary Hospital in Lubbock is developing throughout West Texas and Eastern New



Tracy Moore, Registered Mammography Technologist at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, is shown here with the new mammography unit. This piece of equipment can detect extremely small breast cancers.

Mexico. The Clinic is part of a system that provides comprehensive and preventative care at the local level. Malone & Hogan Clinic and St. Mary Hospital are members of the

Covenant Health System. Call Malone & Hogan Clinic at 267-6361 to set up an appointment to have a mammogram.

## Sex-ed classes

### Should they be segregated?

QUESTION: Our local school board is currently trying to decide whether or not boys and girls should be segregated for courses on sexuality and "family life." What are your feelings with regard to coed sex education programs?

DR. DOBSON: I have severe reservations about highly explicit discussions occurring with both sexes present. To do so breaks down the natural barriers that help to preserve virginity and makes casual sexual experimentation much more likely to occur. It also strips kids -- especially girls -- of their modesty to have every detail of anatomy, physiology, intercourse and condom usage made explicit in coed situations. Those who have thereby become familiar and conversant about the most intimate subjects may later find themselves watching explicit sexual scenes in movies, rock videos and hot television programs. It doesn't take a rocket scientist to recognize the combined impact of these influences. Whereas it was a weighty decision to give up one's virginity in decades past, it is but a small step for those whose conditioning began in the school classroom. Familiarity "breeds," as we all know. I am also convinced that the incidence of date rape rises when the barriers that help a girl protect herself are removed.

In some cases, no doubt, school officials have pushed for mixed sex-ed classes out of a sense of obligation. Somehow, they feel this is what's expected

of them -- that parents and the community at large want it. Let them know if you disagree! Tell your school board members about the educational advantages of separated classes. They may see your point if you present it to them from that angle.



DR. JAMES DOBSON

QUESTION: I am 19 years old and I have struggled with a bad self-concept all my life. It seems that everyone I know has more to offer than I do. I envy the girls who are better looking than I am, more athletic or smarter. I just don't measure up to my own expectations. How can I deal with my own insecurities?

DR. DOBSON: Someone said, "Comparison is the root of all inferiority." It is true. When you look at another person's strengths and compare them to your own weaknesses, there is no way to come out feeling good about yourself. That is what you are doing when you pit yourself against the "best and brightest" around you.

This destructive game begins in elementary school when we begin to evaluate ourselves critically. Even at that young age, our self-image is shaped by how we stack up against our peers. It's not how tall we are that matters -- it's who is

tallest. It's not how fast we can run -- it's who runs fastest. It's not how smart we are -- it's who is smartest. It's not how pretty or handsome we are -- it's who is most gorgeous.

Thus begins a pattern of self-doubt that often becomes all-consuming during adolescence. For some people it continues well into adult life. This is why millions of women buy fashion magazines and then envy the beauty of the models. It's why we watch Miss America contests and why some men read about successful and powerful businessmen. When we do that, we're weighing ourselves against the most admired assets of others. It is an exercise that brings us nothing but pain, and yet we continue to engage in it.

It appears that you are caught up in this destructive pattern. Perhaps a wise counselor or pastor can help you see that you are a worthy human being exactly the way you are and that you have been designed for a specific purpose. Mental and spiritual health begin with an acceptance of life as it is and a willingness to make the most of what has been given. When that is achieved, comparison with others is no longer an important issue.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. James C. Dobson's "Focus on the Family" appears each Thursday as a cooperative effort of Scenic Mountain Medical Center and the Big Spring Herald. Letters to Dr. Dobson may be sent to P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, Colo.; 80903.

## St. Lawrence Fall Festival

### fun for all ages

By JOHN H. WALKER  
Managing Editor

It's been 50 years now since a small Army barracks was moved from San Angelo to become the first church at what we now know to be the community St. Lawrence, located 15 miles southwest of Garden City.

And for most of those 50 years, folks there have celebrated the harvest season with the St. Lawrence Fall Festival.

Once again, for the 41st time, as many as 2,500 persons are expected to converge on the German community this Sunday to enjoy German sausage, a barbecue dinner, games, raffles, a dance under the pecan trees surrounding the Catholic church.

Activities will get under way with mass at 9:30 at the church, followed by a variety of activities beginning at 10:30 and continuing until 4 p.m.

Among those activities are bingo, a country store and booths and games for children and youth.

Following the completion of those activities, German sausage sandwiches will be available from 5-6:30 p.m. followed by a dance featuring the music of Shiloh from 7-11 p.m.

For those persons interested only in the sausage, parish members will start selling it uncooked for \$3.50 per pound at 10 Sunday morning.

Over the years, Parish members have sold as many as 10,000 pounds of the famous sausage as people from all over



Some of the sausage available at the Festival prepared by many Parish members.

Activities begin with a mass at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at the St. Lawrence Catholic Church and continue until 4 p.m. with a variety of activities available.

West Texas trek to St. Lawrence.

Traditionally, members of the parish council gather in the church kitchen the day before to start preparing the sausage.

In a 1994 Herald interview, then-parish council president David Weishuhn said the group starts making the sausage the day before at 6 a.m., deboning

the meat first, then cutting, grinding and mixing it before smoking it.

Weishuhn said the meat was 60 percent pork and 40 percent beef.

The festival is the main fundraiser for the church, with the money being used for operational expenses.

The cost of the meal is \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12 years of age. Plates to go will be served at the noon meal only and no meal tickets will be sold after 2 p.m.

Dance tickets are \$5 each and admission is restricted to persons 12 and older.

To attend the festival, go 10 miles south of Garden City on Highway 33, then turn west for five miles on FM 2401.

## Alcohol, tobacco, drug-free dormitory

AUSTIN (AP) — Students entering the University of Texas this fall have a housing option that is alcohol, tobacco- and drug-free.

The 10th floor of the Jester East dormitory has been declared a substance-free floor, where students agree to live healthfully, without alcohol or tobacco.

The Wellness floor was inspired by students and other residents who pointed out that not everyone comes to college to get falling-down drunk, said Daniel Ostick, residence coordinator.

The program, which stresses mental and physical health, is modeled loosely on programs at other schools.

Freshman Cecilia Gonzales said that she likes not having to live with the rowdiness that permeates other floors. She said she has made some good friends who share her values of not drinking and concentrating on studies.

Students who choose to live on the Wellness floor must sign a form agreeing not to smoke or drink, even if they are of legal age.

They also acknowledge that breaking the rules could lead to disciplinary action. The university's standard policies toward illegal substance use also apply.

Ruston Taylor, a junior and the floor's resident assistant, said he also tries to help students. See UT, Page 6A

## Southwest School of Arts & Craft continues to transform itself

SAN ANTONIO (AP)— Almost 150 years after French nuns of the Ursuline Order began to transform a rugged frontier town with the first permanent school in San Antonio, the Southwest School of Art & Craft continues to transform itself, bolstering its growing national reputation with the addition of the Navarro Campus.

No longer the domain of "litle old ladies in tennis shoes," the former Southwest Craft Center is one of only a handful of professional-level, non-degree-granting art and craft schools in the nation.

The school's \$2 million state-of-the-art addition is located in the old Sears Automotive Center, catcorner to the quaintly charming campus of the 1851 Ursuline Convent and Academy at Augusta and Navarro streets. With a courtyard and large windows, the Navarro Campus offers spectacular views of the neighboring San Antonio Central Library.

The clean, minimalist look has left the steel beams in the ceiling exposed and the concrete floor bare, but the design by Lance, Larcade & Bechtel Architects Inc. is highly functional and lightly industrial.

Freed from the worry of harming the historic 19th-century "pise de terre," or rammed earth, Ursuline buildings preserved by the San Antonio Conservation Society, students at the Navarro Campus will be able to pursue

a wider variety of arts and crafts, including drawing, painting and sculpture as well as metalwork, photography and printmaking.

Along with the locals who have filled its classes since 1965, increasing numbers of professional artists and craftspeople from around the country are attracted to the school's high-quality programs.

Director Paula Owen has seen the school's enrollment grow by 50 percent from 1995 to 1997 -- to about 1,900 adults and 1,500 children and teenagers annually. The new building will double the school's enrollment capacity.

"We live in an increasingly desensitized and dehumanized world. The Southwest School of Art & Craft is purposefully addressing this new reality by teaching people how to articulate and share the human experience through the visual arts," Owen said. "Alvin Toffler defined 'future shock' as the 'dizzying orientation when the future prematurely arrives.' This new building will enable us to meet the future. We chose the theme of 'transformation' to symbolize this future."

"Transformation," featuring the work of 24 San Antonio artists, is the inaugural exhibit in the Russell Hill Rogers Gallery. A grand opening ceremony was held this past week.

"I'm impressed by how many outstanding artists there are in

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Slice of life!

### COMMUNITY NEWS

Two Howard County 4-H Adult Leaders were recognized recently at the District VI 4-H Banquet in Fort Stockton. Mike and Sheree Moates were recognized as Outstanding Adult Leaders for the Howard County 4-H program. Mike and Sheree have served as 4-H Leaders for 12 years each. Both Mike and Sheree have been active in various functions including leadership activities, project leaders and fund raising activities. We congratulate them on their recent award.



### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

THERE WILL BE A Democratic Club meeting 7 p.m. tonight in the District Courtroom at the Howard County Courthouse third floor. The meeting is open to the public.

THERE WILL BE A dance from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Howard County Fair Barn on Saturday. The cost is \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Call 263-7741 to reserve tickets and tables. The dance is sponsored by the Big Spring Chicano Golf Association.

### THE LAST WORD

As I was going up the stair I met a man who wasn't there. He wasn't there again today. I wish, I wish, he'd stay away.  
Hughes Means

It is dangerous to let the public behind the scenes. They are easily disillusioned and then they are angry with you, for it was the illusion they loved.  
W. Somerset Maugham

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SCHOOL NEWS

**Big Spring High School**  
Next week is Homecoming Spirit Week at BSHS. WE invite the community of Big Spring to participate in all the planned events for each day.

Our school theme this year is L.E.A.D.E.R.S. - which means "Letting Everyone Achieve Dreams Equals Responsible Students." WE encourage everyone in Big Spring to be enthusiastic and get involved in the Steer spirit by being L.E.A.D.E.R.S.

The spirit days and activities are listed below.

**Spirit Days:**  
Monday: Hawaiian Day - wear Hawaiian clothes (no bikinis, etc.!) "Knock the Panthers to Hawaii!"

Tuesday: Camouflage Day - wear camouflage clothing and/or paint faces. "Steers will make the Panthers disappear"

Wednesday: Hats and Shades Day - wear hats/shades. Steers will shade out the Panthers"

Thursday: Class L.E.A.D.E.R.S. Day - dress up nice. "BSHS leaders have 'class."

Friday: Black & Gold Day - wear black and gold. "Steers will turn the Panthers black and gold."

Activities:  
Tuesday: Homecoming Queen finalist election

Wednesday: Student Council meeting 8 p.m.

Thursday: Community Pep Rally and bonfire, Big Spring Compost Site - Airpark

Friday: Homecoming Queen election, Homecoming Parade 4 p.m. and Steers vs. Fort Stockton at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: Hall of Fame induction 2 p.m. and Homecoming dance 9 p.m. to midnight.

ODDS-N-ENDS

HEMET, Calif. (AP) — Clara Sandberg had two things to celebrate recently — her 93rd birthday and her engagement to a much younger man.

On Sept. 13, Sandberg gathered with 125 friends for an afternoon of dancing to observe her birthday and to announce her engagement to 84-year-old Roy Thomas.

"I never dreamed at 93 that I would be picking out a ring," she said Tuesday at her home 40 miles east of Los Angeles.

Sandberg, a divorcee, has been dancing all her life and said that is the reason she has lived so long.

"Dancing has been the joy of my life. It has kept me young."

But dancing is not Sandberg's only hobby. She plays golf and is learning how to play shuffleboard.

Sandberg and Thomas, a widower, met at a ballroom dance. They have not set a date but plan to marry before she turns 94.

SCHOOL

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San Antonio, but it troubles me that so many people don't know about them," Owen said. "I have been making a lot of studio visits. Each of the featured artists were asked to show a new piece or series which exemplifies the abstract concept of transformation. I no longer see a clear, defining line between art and craft. Mainly, I was looking for quality content and craftsmanship. This exhibit presents a wide array of materials, processes, styles and points of view.

"A gallery experience these days is not only visual and cognitive, but can evoke a full range of sensory responses. Many of these works inspire a reawakening to the deep and complex interrelationships between the mind and senses, and many of them exhibit a crossover aesthetic in which two or more art forms or media merge."

The artists are Ann Adams, Jesse Amado, Danville Chadbourne, Miguel Cortinas, Jane Dunnewold, Pat Gavin, Deborah Groover, Robert Hils, Claire Holliday, Leticia Huerta, Deborah Maverick Kelley, Marilyn Lanfer, Ken Little, Michael Nye and Naomi Shihab Nye, Alejandro Sifuentes, Trish Simonite, Dennis Smith, Henry Stein, Tim Summa, Margarita Urquiza, Anita Valencia, Kathy Vargas and Beck Whitehead.

"Transformation" will be on view through Dec. 30. The new

gallery, about four times the size of the old Emily Edwards Gallery, will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays. Admission is free.

On entering the main entrance on Navarro Street, visitors encounter a spacious central hallway featuring a dramatic red metal stairway. Sunlight filters in from skylights and windows for an atrium effect. A reception desk is located to the right of the front doors, while the Rogers Gallery is accessible to the left through wood-and-glass doors salvaged from Trinity University's Laurie Auditorium.

Beyond the gallery is a long, narrow lecture hall connected to a catering kitchen. The gallery can be subdivided into smaller art exhibit spaces and classrooms. With flexible seating for meals or classes, the lecture hall is equipped with audio-visual equipment for slide and video shows. Both the gallery and lecture hall open onto the outdoor courtyard, which will feature tables, plants and a "donor's wall." An outdoor metal stairway climbs to a small balcony overlooking the library.

Andres Andujar, a board member who heads the school's facility committee, said, "The new building has given us a clean palette. We never really had the infrastructure for the more industrial-oriented crafts in the Ursuline Campus. The

buildings are fragile and had to be protected. We wanted the new building to be visionary, to be designed to accommodate the crafts of the 21st century."

Most of the first floor is taken up by a metalworking studio and photography darkrooms, classrooms and lighting studios. The metal studio has power tools in a machine room and a chemical room along with a room just for casting — not to mention a spacious studio area that can accommodate several students. While the school's metal program has mostly focused on jewelry-making in the past, now it can be expanded to incorporate much larger metal projects, from decorative ironwork to large-scale abstract sculpture.

The photography department probably is undergoing the most dramatic transformation. With five darkrooms of varying sizes plus flexible studios for photography shoots and a large, central classroom, the new studios will be large enough to accommodate more than one class at the same time. The school also hopes to add more computer equipment as photography enters the digital age.

Owen noted, "Reflecting the interdisciplinary nature of contemporary art, we tried to design the studios so that the artists could flow back and forth into related areas — so there could be much more crossover. For example, on the

second floor, paper-making is connected to book arts, which leads to print-making and design. Multimedia is more popular than ever. The second floor will be home to what we're calling our InterMedia Department."

The paper-making studio has a tilted floor with drains to accommodate the wet work of mixing pulp, which usually requires lots of water. The book-making studio will be equipped to handle a variety of binding methods.

The school has never been able to offer a full-fledged print-making program before. Owen said she is negotiating with the McNay Art Museum to acquire most of the presses and other print-making equipment that once belonged to the San Antonio Art Institute.

"The design department is an example of the way I've tried to broaden our curriculum," Owen said. "Design can include furniture and product design as well as the textiles usually associated with surface design. The new building gives us the opportunity to branch out more."

"For many years in the fine arts, technique hasn't mattered. The art schools put all the emphasis on content and self-expression," Owen said.

"But now a lot of these artists are taking our classes because they want to learn the technique."

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dents on the floor understand the value of exercise, knowledge of other cultures and being healthy in all aspects of life. "It's a whole-person kind of thing," Taylor said.

About 92 students, mostly freshman, live on the floor. About 11 rooms on the floor house students who have not signed the Wellness floor agreement.

The program, which does not cost extra, is a way to give students, especially freshman, some ground rules, said James Vick, UT vice president for student affairs.

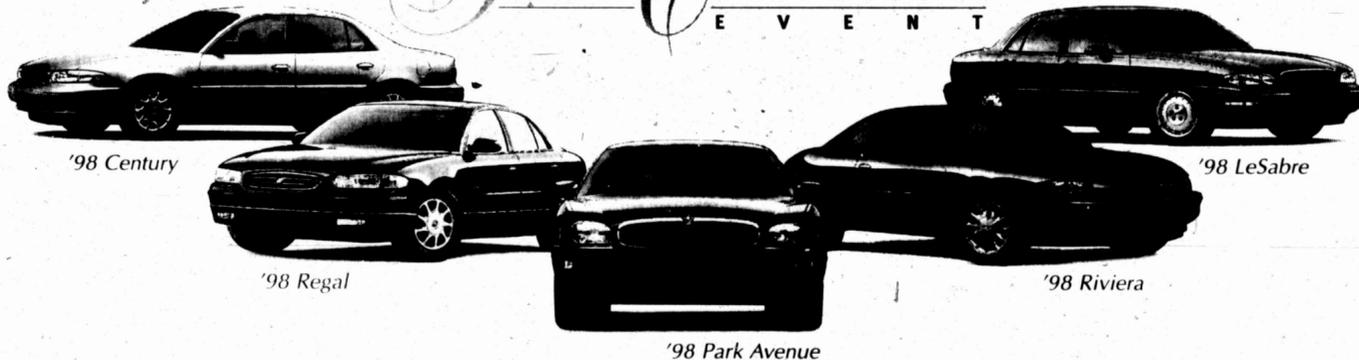
Vick said the university plans to keep the program on the 10th floor of Jester East next year, although a growing interest among students could eventually prompt an expansion.

Some students riding Jester's many elevators had never heard of the Wellness floor, while others had only a vague notion. Erich Gross, an aerospace engineering freshman, said he knows one Wellness floor resident, but said it's not the lifestyle for him. "I think it's extreme," he said.

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### IN BRIEF

#### CGA schedules second Snyder Nunez touney

The Chicano Golf Association of Big Spring will hold its second annual Natividad "Snyder" Nunez Grand Champion Golf Tournament on Saturday at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

The tournament is open to the public, with entry fees set at \$25 for non-members.

Tea times will be between 10 a.m. and noon. A dance, with music provided by Ruben Ramos, will follow the tournament at the Howard County Fair Barn.

For more information, call CGA officials at 263-7741.

#### Wildcats big Under 6 win tops youth soccer action

Luke Lewis scored five goals, while Blake Brorman and Connor Keeton added three each as the Wildcats took a 12-0 win over the Bears in Under 6 division Big Spring Youth Soccer Association action.

Calvin Gibbs added the other goal in the lopsided win.

In another Under 6 contest, Ramon Magallane's two goals and Ryan Wards single tally were not enough to keep the Toros from suffering a 5-3 loss at the hands of the Panthers.

In Under 8 division play, the Wildcats took a 3-2 win over the Wolverines and the Cheetahs were 3-2 winners over the Texans.

Jay McCurtain scored twice and Georden Fuller added one goal in leading the Wildcats to the win over the Wolverines. Dominique Green turned in the top defensive performance for the Wildcats.

Justin Villarreal led the way in the Cheetahs' win, scoring two goals, while Zackery Gilliam added another.

The Texans were led offensively by Tyler Chesworth and Justin Puente, each finishing with one goal.

And in Under 10 division action, the Chargers took a 7-1 win over the Raptors before taking a 4-0 win over the Stars. The Raptors rebounded for a 2-2 tie with the Texans and the Jets took a 3-1 win over the Hot Shots.

Heather York sparked the Chargers' 7-1 win over the Raptors with a three-goal performance, while Lance Tissue, Lance Gross, Brandon Ontiveros and Taylor Parks added single goals.

Gross and Tissue also turned in strong defensive showings, while goaltenders Taylor Parks and Caleb Choate fared well in net.

Brandon Stowers, Choate and Parks provided the scoring in the 4-0 win over the Stars, while Chris Freeman, Ryan Harris, Tissue, Morgan McKinney and Tanner Churchwell provided strong defense.

Justin Foley and Jeremy Rainey scored goals in the Texans' tie with the Raptors.

And in the Jets' win over the Hot Shots, Cameron Parker, Jake White and Zack Dawson combined for more scoring than the Hot Shots' goalkeeper Matt Lozano could handle.

#### Fire Fighters Association schedules golf touney

The Big Spring Professional Fire Fighters Association will hold its annual golf tournament to benefit the Disaster Relief Fund on Friday at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

The four-person scramble will begin at 8:30 a.m. with prizes awarded to the first, second and third-place teams.

Entry fees are \$25 per player plus cart fee.

For more information, call Paul Brown or Mitch Gill at 267-3362.

### ON THE AIR

#### TODAY: BASEBALL

7 p.m. — National League Division Series, Game 2, Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves, FOX, Ch. 3.

#### COLLEGE FOOTBALL

7 p.m. — Syracuse Orangemen at North Carolina Tar Heels, ESPN, Ch. 30.

## Rangers backed to wall as Yankees take 3-1 win

NEW YORK (AP) — By today, the whole baseball world will know the tale of Shane Spencer.

Spent eight full seasons in the minors. Bounced between Triple-A and the majors this year. Put up big September numbers.

Spencer capped an amazing month in which he went from a virtual unknown to New York's newest hero, homering in his first post-season at-bat as the Yankees beat Texas 3-1 Wednesday night for a 2-0 lead in their AL division series.

"He doesn't get cheated up there," Rangers manager Johnny Oates said. "He knows what that piece of wood is made for, and it's not to clean off his shoes."

The 26-year-old rookie also singled ahead of Scott Brosius' homer, and that was plenty of support for Andy Pettitte. Texas, the top-hitting team in the league this season, has managed just 10 hits and one run in the series so far — Spencer has outscored the Rangers all by himself.

"It won't be storybook until it's all over," Spencer said. "We've still got eight or nine more wins to go."

"I'm just riding it now, cherishing the moment. Maybe someday I'll look back on it," he said.

The Yankees will try to sweep the best-of-5 playoff on Friday night in Texas. David Cone (20-7) starts for New York

against Aaron Sele (19-11). Playing in baseball's most storied ballpark, Spencer added his own chapter. Then again, he certainly had enough time to look forward to this day.

Drafted in the 28th round in 1990, the outfielder did not even hit a home run in his first two years in the minors, totaling 360 at-bats. He made it to the majors this year, though he made three round trips between Triple-A Columbus and New York.

Promoted for a fourth time on Aug. 31, he hit .421 with eight home runs in September and three grand slams in 10 days — joining Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig and Joe DiMaggio among the seven play-

ers in team history to hit three slams in an entire year.

Spencer, who hit 119 homers in the minors, earned AL player of the week honors for hitting six homers in the last week. Overall, he hit .373 with 10 home runs and 27 RBIs in helping the Yankees finish with a league-record 114 victories.

"I can't say it suddenly came," he said. "I've been hitting them in the minor leagues. I've worked on it seven or eight years. It's just a lot of practice."

Spencer happened to notice his name on the lineup card before the game, and got his chance to start in left field partly because of an ominous medical report on Darryl Strawberry.



Forsan running back Justin White (40) goes down in the grasp of a Roscoe defender during the Buffs' win over the Plowboys two weeks ago. White and offensive backfield mates Cory Walker, Brian Mims and Derek Wash have combined with a good offensive line to give the Buffs a 4-0 record, their best start in more than 10 years.

## Buff's head into Friday with best start in years

By JOHN A. MOSELEY  
Sports Editor

FORSAN — Off to their best start in more than a decade, Forsan's Buffaloes head into Friday night's homecoming game with Eden's Bulldogs with a perfect 4-0 record, surpassing what virtually anyone could have expected with the exception of Steve Park and his staff.

With a homecoming win over the District 13-A favorite Bulldogs, the Buffs would open District 2-2A play next week unbeaten.

The primary key to reaching that 5-0 slate, however, will be whether or not Park and his coaching staff have succeeded in getting the Buffs to forget its homecoming in time for the 8 p.m. kickoff.

Like virtually all coaches, Park admits his least favorite week of the season is always homecoming, the attending hoopla making it difficult to keep players' minds on football.

"We just keep trying to remind them that we've got to play a game," Park said. "That's about all you can do ... keep hammering that point home ... that that's what we're there for."

Luckily, it's not lost on the Buffs that no Forsan team has opened 4-0 since the mid-1980s, and Park says he believes that has made keeping his charges' minds on business a little easier this week.

Prior to the start of the season, few would have believed the Buffaloes would have an opportunity to open district play unbeaten.

Not Park. While the Buffaloes boss noted Forsan needed to avoid a rash of injuries to key personnel — a factor that's seemed to rear its ugly head on an annual basis — he opined during two-a-day practices that this could be a solid football team.

"I've felt all along that if we could stay healthy and keep improving we'd be here," Park said Wednesday after putting the Buffs through

workout paces. "It wasn't going to be a team with a superstar, but it definitely had what it took to work together and win football games."

That's exactly what the Buffs have done. "Our offensive line has been a big key to our success to this point," Park explained. "We've been able to use different techniques ... throw more things at people than we have been in the past."

"And we've been able to use a lot of running backs," he added. "Nobody's been able to load up and try to stop just one kid. That keeps people we're playing honest on defense, as well as keeping fresh legs on the field. Everybody's sharing the load."

Perhaps no better example of the Buffs' offensive success could be found than last week's 22-12 win over Rankin's Red Devils.

Forsan finished the night with more than 300 yards in total offense, a cadre of four running backs piling up 299 yards overland.

Justin White led the way with 95 yards and a touchdown on 12 carries, while Brian Mims added 75 yards. Cory Walker had 67 and Derek Wash added 62.

White and Wash also turned in strong defensive performances in the win over Rankin. White, who plays defensive end, finished the night with 11 tackles, eight of them solo stops; three quarterback sacks and blocked an extra point. Wash, a defensive back, added a couple of interceptions.

Eden promises to be the Buffs' toughest test to date, however, since the Bulldogs will be bigger than most of the teams Forsan will face this season and have an effective Wishbone offensive attack.

"They are big and they have good speed to go with it," Park said as he looked forward to Friday's opponent. "Their sprint relay placed at the state track meet last year and they've got most of those kids back and in the offensive backfield this season."

"If they have a weakness, it's a lack of depth," he continued. "That means they're going have have most of their people going both ways."

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## Buffaloes' White, Coyotes' McCook top area honor roll

By JOHN A. MOSELEY  
Sports Editor

Quarterback Colt McCook, coming off a four-touchdown performance the week before, hit 9-of-18 passes for 178 yards and five touchdowns in Borden County's 57-24 win over Balmorhea as the No. 1-ranked Coyotes improved to 4-0 in six-man football action.

McCook, a second-team all-state selection during the Coyotes state championship run in 1997, seems to be making a strong bid to move up to the first unit once the current season comes to a close.

While McCook's five-touchdown showing was clearly the top offensive exploit of the week in Crossroads Country, earning him the Herald's player of the week accolades, Forsan's Justin White had an all-around performance in the Buffs' 22-12 win over Rankin.

White grabs this week's defensive player of the week honor after having chalked up 11 tackles, eight of them solos, while sacking the Red Devils' quarterback three times.

In addition, White also blocked an extra point from his defensive end's position. On the other side of the ball, he chalked up 95 yards and a touchdown on 12 carries, leading a foursome of Buffs runners that piled up 299 yards.

McCook's passing ability is often under-utilized by the Coyotes, simply because coach Bobby Avery has an embarrassment of weapons at his disposal.

"Sometimes I do get in a rut running the football," Avery noted earlier this year. "But we really try to be as balanced as possible, because people do start loading up for our backs. We've got great running backs, but when we let Colt go and let him do his thing, it opens



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everything back up."

One of McCook's offensive teammates, junior Ed Rodriguez, was among those earning honorable mention after having rushed eight times for 122 yards and a pair of touchdowns in the win over Balmorhea.

Stanton junior running back Adrian Hernandez had his best performance of the season, piling up 137 yards and scoring two touchdowns in the Buffs' 20th straight win, a 63-0 blanking of Reagan County's Owls.

Teammate Jeremy Hill had 126 yards and two scores on just eight carries, while Buffs' quarterback Kyle Herm added a pair of touchdown runs, as well.

Paced by White's 95 yards, Forsan finished the night with more than 300 yards in total offense. The remainder of the Buffs' running back committee also fared well, as Brian Mims had 75, Cory Walker had 67 and Derek Wash added 62.

Wash also drew defensive mention, as well, coming up with a couple of interceptions.

Grady's Greg Gibson recorded 16 solo tackles and five assists for the Wildcat defense in a 27-14 loss to Whitharral's Panthers, drawing praise from coach Roger Smith.

In addition, Gibson was responsible for one of the Wildcats' two touchdowns, after gathering in a pass from quarterback Clint Schuelke and turning it into a 57-yard pass-and-run combination.

## Former Kansas City relief ace Dan Quisenberry dead at 45

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Dan Quisenberry's dry, subtle wit charmed fans. His funky submarine delivery baffled batters.

From the time he first came up with Kansas City in 1979 through the Royals' World Series season of 1985, no other relief pitcher in the major leagues got more saves than Quisenberry, or more laughs. He worked tirelessly for civic and charitable events.

He kept a humble spirit. All through the glory years of American League pennants and World Series triumphs, he remained the skinny kid who

wasn't good enough to be drafted, but yearned for a chance to pitch in the major leagues.

Quisenberry had known he had brain cancer since going to the doctor in December with terrible, persistent headaches.

After nine months of pain, as dawn was breaking over Kansas City on Wednesday, he died in his home at the age of 45. He is survived by wife, Janie, and teen-aged children Alysia and David.

Funeral arrangements are pending.

Pale and skinny, Quisenberry had an awkward-looking, submarine delivery.

## Indians take 9-5 win to even division series with Red Sox

CLEVELAND (AP) — There were plenty of stars in Cleveland's Game 2 win over the Boston Red Sox. Dave Burba, David Justice, Kenny Lofton and Sandy Alomar all had big days.

However, the biggest contributor for the Indians might have been an unlikely one — plate umpire Joe Brinkman.

Brinkman threw Indians manager Mike Hargrove and starting pitcher Dwight Gooden out of the game in the top of the first inning on Wednesday. Fired up by the ejections, the Indians responded with a 9-5 win over the Red Sox to tie the best-of-5 series at 1-1.

Burba, rushed into service when Gooden was tossed after 22 pitches, made it into the sixth inning, and Justice

homered and drove in four runs for the Indians.

"It's almost like you're backed into a corner," said Justice, who hit a three-run homer off Tim Wakefield in Cleveland's five-run second. "I don't want to say the umpires are against us, but you look across the field and see the Red Sox want to beat you, and then something happens — you feel like, man, everyone is against us."

"I think that makes the players dig down inside, come together. Now it's time to come out and fight."

The Indians needed something to get them going. They played lethargically and stumbled through most of September after clinching their fourth

straight AL Central title. Tuesday's 11-3 loss in Game 1 made it obvious they needed a quick fix, or it might be three and out.

In a strange way, Brinkman's banishment of Hargrove and Gooden to the Indians' clubhouse might have been just what the Indians were looking for.

"Yesterday, we were the worst team in baseball," Alomar said. "Today, we're even."

The series continues Friday at Fenway Park, with Cleveland's Charles Nagy facing Bret Saberhagen. Game 4 is Saturday, and the teams would return to Jacobs Field for Game 5, if necessary.

"It's best-of-3 now," Boston manager Jimmy Williams said.

Game 2 will be best remembered for the bizarre, 39-minute first that included just about everything — ejections, passed balls, stolen bases, etc.

"It was a weird, weird game," Jim Thome said.

Gooden was in trouble with Brinkman after just his third pitch. He disagreed with the umpire on a 2-0 pitch to leadoff hitter Darren Lewis, yelling when Brinkman called ball three.

The umpire started out from behind the plate as Gooden motioned to him that things were OK and he would continue. Hargrove came out to calm his pitcher, but on his way back to the bench, he argued with Brinkman and was quickly tossed.

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HERALD PICK IT LINE



Table with columns for names (Williams, Walker, Moseley, McClellan, Jenkins, Choate) and statistics (Last week, Overall record, Pct.).

Table with columns for locations (Coahoma at Wink, Eden at Forsan, etc.) and corresponding names from the Pick It Line.

SPORTS EXTRA

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL: SEATTLE MARINERS—Assigned RHP Steve Gajkowski, RHP David Holdridge, LHP Andrew Lorraine and INF Rico Rossy to Tacoma of the PCL. NATIONAL LEAGUE LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Fired Glenn Hoffman, manager. Added the title of Latin American scouting coordinator to Ralph Avila's title of vice president. MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Fired Joe Youngblood, first base coach; Doug Malsin, third base coach; and Don Rowe, pitching coach. FOOTBALL NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE NFL—Suspended Detroit Lions S, Mark Camen for one game without pay for hitting Tampa Bay WR Bruce Hunter with his helmet in a game on Sept. 28. ATLANTA FALCONS—Released CB Juron Bolden. Signed CB Darren Anderson. BUFFALO BILLS—Signed LB Joe Cummings and DB Donovan Greer from the practice squad. Signed WR Undre Williams to the practice squad. CHICAGO BEARS—Signed CB Randy Hilliard. Placed CB Tom Carter and S John Mangum on injured reserve. CINCINNATI BENGALS—Claimed RB Michael Blair off waivers from the Green Bay Packers. Waived NT Angel Rubio. GREEN BAY PACKERS—Claimed CB James Bolden off waivers from the Atlanta Falcons. Released CB Roosevelt Blackmon. INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed RB Craig Howard and LB Patrick Thomas. Released RB Abu Wilson and LB Rob Holmberg. MIAMI DOLPHINS—Waived CB Raphael Balli. Released CB Terry Billups and RB James Bolden from the practice squad. Re-signed T Matt Ream to the practice squad. NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed S Rodney Young. Waived DL Nate Hubbard. CHICAGO RAIDERS—Released LB Myrone Smith from the practice squad. Signed QB Pat Burnes to the practice squad. PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed G Lamont Burns to the practice squad. ST. LOUIS RAMS—Placed RB Greg Hill on injured reserve. Re-signed RB David Thompson. HOCKEY NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE ATLANTA THRASHERS—Named Murray Oliver, Mark Dotson and Chris Rechart, scouts. CALGARY FLAMES—Assigned C Daniel Tkaczuk to Milwaukee of the IHL. NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Assigned LW Doug Friedman, G Tomas Vokoun and D Jeff Keating to Milwaukee of the IHL. WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Reassigned RW Alexandre Volchkov to Portland of the American Hockey League.

NFL STANDINGS

Table showing NFL Standings for American Conference (East, Central, West) and National Conference (East, Central, West).

PRCA LEADERS

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MLB PLAYOFFS

Table showing MLB Playoffs Division Series, American League, and National League.

MLS PLAYOFFS

Table showing MLS Playoffs Conference Semifinals, Eastern Conference, and Western Conference.

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Continued from page 1B. "They can really pound on you with the fullback and half-back dives, then take it wide on the option," Park explained. "And with Rodgers back there, he can hurt you throwing the ball. They have a lot of weapons and their size is going to be a real challenge for our kids."

LOCAL BOWLING RESULTS

PINPOPPERS WEEK 5 RESULTS: Dixie Chicks over Guys Restaurant 6-2, VFW over Health Food Store 6-2, Kuykendall over Hair Designs 6-2, Perco Car Care over Misfits 6-2, Petty Farms over Bowl-A-Rama 8-0; hi sc series Bernadine Sealy 55-2, Patricia Zant 198, Bernadine Sealy 191; hi sc team series VFW 1850, Dixie-Chicks 1776; hi sc team game Dixie Chicks 678, Hair Designs 640; hi hdp series Patricia Zant 668, Donna Brown 623; hi hdp game Patricia Zant 254; Rosie Posey 232; hi hdp team series Dixie Chicks 2379, Guys Restaurant 2327; hi hdp team game Dixie Chicks 879, Perco Car Care 804. STANDINGS: VFW 28-12, Perco Car Care 22-18, Hair Designs 22-18, Petty Farms 22-18, Dixie Chicks 20-20, Guys Restaurant 18-22, Kuykendall 18-22, Health Food Store 18-14, Misfits 14-26, Bowl-A-Rama 10-22. MENS MAJOR WEEK 3 RESULTS: Trio Fuels over Parks Convenience 6-2, Bob Brock Ford over O'Daniel Trucking 8-0, Team 11 over Parks Agency 6-2, Team 5 over Team 12 8-0, Rainbow Home Improvement tied A&B Poleline 4-0, BSI over Mason's Roofing 8-0; hi sc series Terry Ward 631, Richard Rowden 618, Phillip Ringener 609; hi sc game Florencia Hewitt 237, Tony Shankles 233, Terry Ward 229; hi sc team series A&B Poleline 2779, Parks Agency 2757, Team 5 2639; hi sc team game Parks Agency 981, Bob Brock Ford 947, A&B Poleline 945; hi hdp series Pat Carter 733, Florencia Hewitt 708, Cody Hodges 699; hi hdp game Florencia Hewitt 283, Tom Daily 262, Pat Carter 258; hi hdp team series BSI 3197, A&B Poleline 3196, Trio Fuels 3156; hi hdp team game BSI 1126, Bob Brock Ford 1098, Rainbow Home Improvement 1987. STANDINGS: Team 5 18-6, Parks Agency 16-8, A&B Poleline 16-8, Bob Brock Ford 16-8, BSI 16-8, Trio Fuels 12-12, O'Daniel Trucking 12-12, Rainbow Home Improvement 8-26, Team 11 6-2, Parks Convenience 4-20, Mason's Roofing, 4-20, Team 12 0-8. WEDNESDAY STRIKERS WEEK 3 RESULTS: Allan's Furniture over Team 4 6-2, Team 8 over Team 9 8-0, The Pimps over Los Guys 6-2, Team 3 over Scaltech 6-2, Eye Ball Records over Monostat 5 6-2; hi sc series Ray Gutierrez 696, John Paul Foster 631, Jackie Lecroy 600; hi sc game Ray Gutierrez 288, John Oliva 248, Ray Gutierrez 241; hi sc team series The Pimps 2549; hi sc team game The Pimps 1061, Allan's Furniture 1000, The Pimps 943; hi hdp series Ray Gutierrez 696, James Rawls 686, Kevin Ramirez 660; hi hdp game Ray Gutierrez 288, James Rawls 266, John Oliva 264; hi hdp team series Allan's Furniture 3052, The Pimps 3035, Team 3 2863; hi hdp game The Pimps 1136, Allan's Furniture 1110, Team 3 1057. STANDINGS: Team 8 20-4, The Pimps 18-6, Allan's Furniture 16-8, Eye Ball Records 14-10, Los Guys 12-12, Scaltech 11-13, Team 4 10-14, Team 3 10-14, Team 9 5-19, Monostat 5 4-20. WEDNESDAY STRIKERS WEEK 4 RESULTS: The Pimps over Team 9 6-2, Allan's Furniture over Team 3 8-0, Team 4 over Eye Ball Records 8-0, Team 8 over Monostat 5 6-2, Scaltech over Los Guys 6-2; hi sc series John Paul Foster 680, Danny Gray 648, Tom Cruz 643; hi sc game Armando Gutierrez 266, John Paul Foster 254, Danny Gray 242; hi sc team series The Pimps 2715, Team 4 2592, Scaltech 2575; hi sc team game The Pimps 960, Los Guys 940, The Pimps 898; hi hdp series Danny Gray 7-5, Jerald Burgess 691, John Paul Foster 680; hi hdp game Armando Gutierrez 276, Danny Gray 261, John Paul Foster 254; hi hdp team series Team 4 2967, Scaltech 2956, The Pimps 2925; hi hdp team game Los Guys 1102, The Pimps 1030, Team 9 1028. STANDINGS: Team 8 26-6, The Pimps 24-8, Allan's Furniture 24-8, Team 4 18-14, Scaltech 17-15, Los Guys 14-18, Eye Ball Records 14-18, Team 3 10-22, Team 9 7-25, Monostat 5 6-16. GUYS & DOLLS RESULTS: Head Hunters Beauty Salon over Hester's Mechanical 8-0, Flo's Yellow Rose over BSI 8-0, Big Spring State Park over Karat Patch 6-2, Greenhouse Photography over Dell's Cafe 6-2; hi sc ind game men Sam Lewis 216; hi sc ind game women Anne Sigmon 187; hi sc ind series men Sam Lewis 546; hi sc ind series women Velma Campbell 505; hi hdp ind game men Sam Lewis 245; hi hdp ind game women Kathrine Smith 233; hi hdp ind series men Sam Lewis 676; hi hdp ind series women Christine Sparks 643; hi sc team game Flo's Yellow Rose 676; hi hdp team game Greenhouse Photography 839; hi sc team series Head Hunters Beauty Salon 1905; hi hdp team series

LADIES MAJOR WEEK 3

RESULTS: Wynn's Winners 6-2, K.C Kids 2-6, Day & Day Builders 4-4, Carlos' 4-4, Psycho Psysters 0-8, Mis-Haps 8-0, Team 9 2-6, Big Spring Music 6-2, Pack-Sender 6-2, Rocky's 2-6, Team 7 2-6, Dream Team 6-2, Team 15 0-8, Neighbors Auto Sales 8-0, Team 18 2-6, Greenhouse Photography 6-2, Team # 16 6-2, Barber Glass & Mirror 2-6; hi sc team game Big Spring Music 701, Team 7 673, Pack-Sender 662; hi sc team series Big Spring Music 1975, Team # 1871, Pack-Sender 1854; hi hdp team game Dream Team 887, Pack-Sender 877, Neighbors Auto 873; hi hdp team series Dream Team 2535, Pack-Sender 2499, Mis-Haps 2486; hi sc game WIBC Joycee Davis 244, Lavonne Brumley 231, Kathryn Senter 513; hi hdp game WIBC Lavonne Brumley 281, Ann Gray 256, Kathryn Senter 254; hi hdp series WIBC Barbara Stanley 678, Kathryn Senter 672, Lavonne Brumley 671; hi hdp over game WIBC Lavonne Brumley 598, Lavonne Brumley 521, Kathryn Senter 581; hi hdp game WIBC Barbara Stanley 72, Kathryn Senter 60, Lavonne Brumley 59. STANDINGS: Green House Photography 20-4, Team # 18 18-6, Big Spring Music 17-7, Wynn's Winners 16-8, Pack-Senders 15-9, Mis-Haps 14-10, Day & Day Builders 14-10, K.C Kids 14-10, Team # 14-10, Neighbors Auto Sales 12-12, Rocky's 10-14, Team 9 10-14, Dream Team 8-16, Barber Glass & Mirror 8-16, Psycho Psysters 8-16, Carlos' 6-18.

TUESDAY COUPLES

RESULTS: White Motor co. Stanton over Double R Cattle Co. 8-0, Parks Agency, Inc. over Hardison Appliance 8-0, K.C Steak House over Dub's Wonders 8-0, Scurry Rentals over Morris Robertson Body Shop 6-2, Professional Health Care over Ups & Downs 6-2, Top Cleaners Restaurant Team 8-4-4, Carlos Restaurant tied A Timeless Design 4-4; hi sc ind game men Norvin Hamlin 236 in sc ind game women Joycee Davis 238; hi sc ind series men O.D. Daniel 612; in sc ind series women Lynn Davis 632; hi hdp ind game men John Maddox 270; hi hdp ind game women Mary Ann Rocha 299; hi hdp ind series men Norvin Hamlin 708; hi hdp ind series women Barbara Kennedy 742; hi sc team game Cowboy's Steak House 745; hi hdp team game Cowboy's Steak House 905; hi sc team series White Motor Co. Stanton 2154; hi hdp team series White Motor Co. Stanton 2655. STANDINGS: A Timeless Design 28-12, Parks Agency, Inc. 26-14, White Motor Co. Stanton 24-16, K.C Steak House 22-18, Hardison Appliance 22-18, Professional Health Care 22-18, Carlos Restaurant 21-19, BSI 21-19, Morris Robertson Body Shop 20-20, Cowboy's Steak House 20-20, Double R Cattle Co. 18-22, Scurry Rentals 18-22, Tonn Cleaners 18-22, Team # 18-22, Dub's Wonders 12-28, Ups & Downs 10-20.

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FISHING REPORT

Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for Sept. 30. (Report also available on Web as www.tfw.state.tx.us)

**CENTRAL**  
**BROWNWOOD:** Water clear; 82 degrees; Black bass are fair to good on chrome Chug Bugs fished early and late. Crappie are slow to fair on minnows and white jigs fished at night under lights. Hybrid strippers are good on 1oz. spoons and jigs fished in 25 to 45 feet of water. Catfish are good on cut bait and live perch fished in the river.

**BUCHANAN:** Water clear; 83 degrees; 7' low; Black bass to 4.5 pounds are fair on Bass Assassins, Pop R's and lizards fished early in the upper lake and off the points. Crappie are slow on minnows fished at night. White bass are slow and scattered. Striped bass are good trolling with 1.5oz. jigs in 30 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish are fair on trotlines baited with chicken livers. Yellow catfish are slow on live perch.

**PROCTOR:** Water clear; 85 degrees; Black bass are good on Chug Bugs and chartreuse spinnerbaits fished around the dam. Also try sand crabs fished off the north bank. Crappie are good on live minnows fished in 16 feet of water by the dam. Hybrid strippers are good on live shad fished early off the east end of the dam and around the center island. Yellow catfish to 40 pounds are good on trotlines baited with live perch and goldfish set in the river.

**SOUTH**  
**AMSTAD:** Water fairly clear; 85 degrees; 42.5' low; Black bass are fair to good on spinnerbaits, topwaters and Carolina-rigged worms fished around the hydrilla in 15 to 20 feet of water. Crappie are fair to good on minnows fished in Devil's River. White bass are fair on topwaters and crankbaits fished by the dam. Striped bass are fair on Pencil Poppers and Red Fins fished near the dam. Channel and blue catfish to 7 pounds are good on cheese-bait fished off the bank in 3 to 6 feet of water. Yellow catfish are slow.

**WEST**  
**ALAN HENRY:** Water clear; 81 degrees; 4' low; Black bass to 7 pounds are fair to good on white and chartreuse buzzbaits and motor oil worms fished in the mouths of the creeks. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are occasional. The Hub City West Texas Anglers will host a tournament October 4th. Registration is 6pm to 9pm the 3rd at the boat ramp. Entry fee is \$35 per person and the big fish of the day prize is \$500.

**ARROWHEAD:** Water clear; 84 degrees; 5' low; Black bass are good on white spinnerbaits fished in 12 to 14 feet of water. Crappie are good on minnows fished around the derricks in 6 to 7 feet of water. White bass are good on topwaters. Fish are schooling around the bridge. Channel and blue catfish are good on shad drift fishing by the bridges in 18 to 20 feet of water. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch.

**BRIDGEPORT:** Water clear; 79 degrees; 8.5 feet low; Black bass to 6 pounds are good on worms and topwaters fished in 2 to 12 feet of water. Crappie are fair on minnows fished over brush piles in 12 to 20 feet of water. White bass and hybrid strippers are good on topwaters and slabs with surface activity early and late. Smallmouth bass are fair on jigs and crankbaits. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and cutbaits. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch. There is a weekly tournament every Thursday at 6pm.

**COLORADO CITY:** Water fairly clear; 90 degrees; 12.5' low; Black bass are fair on floating worms fished over rocks. Crappie are slow. White bass are slow. Redfish are slow trolling live shad and slabs in 16 to 18 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and minnows fished around the dam. Yellow catfish to 9 pounds are slow on live worms.

**FT. PHANTOM HILL:** Water murky; 83 degrees; 19' low; Black bass are good on large minnows fished off the points. Crappie are good on minnows fished in the shallows over rocks. White bass are slow. Hybrid strippers are fair on cut shad. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and nightcrawlers fished off the bottom. Yellow catfish to 32 pounds are good on trotlines baited with live perch.

**HUBBARD CREEK:** Water stained; 78 degrees; 2.5' low; Black bass are good on watermelon and strawberry worms fished in the hydrilla and duck weed. Also try black and blue jigs fished in the cattails and reeds near the river mouth. Crappie are good on small minnows, marabou and tube jigs fished over brush piles in 15 feet of water. White bass are good on Little George and shallow diving crankbaits. Fish are schooling near the surface. Hybrid strippers are slow. Try downrigging various baits near Tanglewood Island in 20 to 27 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish are very good on live worms. Yellow catfish are slow.

**KEMP:** Water murky; 88 degrees; 8' low; Black bass are slow. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on minnows and nightcrawlers. Yellow catfish to 50 pounds are fair on trotlines baited with live goldfish. Few people are accessing the lake due to high winds. Moonshine entrance is the last boat ramp open.

**NOCONA:** Water clear; 79 degrees; 4 feet low; Black bass to 8.5 pounds are good on topwaters, spinnerbaits and jerk baits fished in 2 to 8 feet of water. Crappie are fair on jigs and minnows fished in 10 to 15 feet of water. White bass and hybrid strippers are good on Sassy Shads and shallow diving crankbaits with some surface activity. Channel and blue catfish are fair on prepared baits and ghost minnows fished in 8 to 12 feet of water. Yellow catfish are fair on live perch.

**OAK CREEK RESERVOIR:** Water fairly clear; 78 degrees; 6.5' low; Black bass are fair on June bug lizards. Crappie are slow. White bass are good on minnows fished under the Hwy. 70 bridge in 20 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish to 20 pounds are good on trotlines baited with chicken livers set in the creek. Yellow catfish to 45 pounds are fair to good on live goldfish and perch.

**O.H. W.E.:** Water fairly clear; 81 degrees; 5' low; Black bass are fair to good on topwaters and buzzbaits fished inside the hydrilla line. Try Bass Assassins along the outside edges of the hydrilla. Crappie are slow on jigs and minnows fished along the river channel at night under lights in 25 to 35 feet of water. White bass are slow on slabs fished 30 feet of water. Also try Rat-L-Traps fished near Turkey Bend on the flats in 6 to 8 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish to 19.97 pounds are good on live worms and stinkbait fished in Grape Creek in 15 to 25 feet of water. Yellow catfish are slow trotlines baited with live goldfish.

**POSSUM KINGDOM:** Water clear; 79 degrees; 10' low; Black bass are slow on black and purple worms fished in 2 to 20 feet of water. Crappie are slow on minnows fished in 7 to 20 feet of water. White bass are slow on minnows fished in 5 to 20 feet of water. Striped bass to 6 pounds are slow on live shad fished in 24 to 40 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish are slow on cutbaits fished in 10 to 40 feet of water. Yellow catfish to are slow on live perch fished in 10 to 24 feet of water.

**SPENCE:** Water fairly clear; 88 degrees; Black bass good on topwaters and spinnerbaits fished off the bank. Crappie are slow. White bass are very good on topwaters fished early and midday on slabs fished in 10 to 30 feet of water. Striped bass are very good on cut baits and shad fished in 12 to 15 feet of water. Channel and blue catfish are slow on shrimp and worms fished in 10 to 15 feet of water. Yellow catfish are fair to good on live shad.

**STAMFORD:** Water fairly clear; 89 degrees; 9' low; Black bass are good on chartreuse spinnerbaits and pumpkinseed worms fished early in 1 to 4 feet of water. Crappie are good on minnows fished off the rocky banks and around the brush in 7 to 8 feet of water. White bass are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on punchbaits and nightcrawlers fished in 1 to 6 feet of water. Yellow catfish are slow on goldfish and live perch fished in 15 to 20 feet of water.

**SWEETWATER:** Water murky; 80 degrees; 6' low; Black bass are slow on pumpkinseed and blue fleck lizards. Crappie are poor. Channel and blue catfish to are slow on stinkbait fished by the dam in 10 to 30 feet of water. Yellow catfish are slow.

**TWIN BUTTES:** Black bass are fair on topwaters fished early and late. Crappie are slow. White bass are fair. Channel and blue catfish are good on chicken livers fished off the bottom. Yellow catfish are fair to good on live goldfish and perch fished off the bottom.

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The Great Dutch Artist  
**Vincent van Gogh**



"Self-Portrait as an Artist" (1886) shows van Gogh at his easel, holding brushes and a palette loaded with bright colors. Van Gogh's brush marks are always very visible. He drew with the brush, as well as using brush marks to apply color and create textures.

Sometimes we might look at a painting and just see a picture of the artist painted. Other times we might react to the picture. We might feel the way the artist wanted us to feel. The artist might touch us in some way.

Vincent van Gogh is such an artist. His paintings sincerely express his feelings. He had a human touch that makes viewers relate or feel "at home" with his works.

Vincent van Gogh had intense, or strong, feelings. He used color and light and the strokes of his brush to create the masterpieces that remain among the most popular in the world. He ranks as one of the world's greatest artists.

THE BEST WAY TO UNDERSTAND VAN GOGH IS THROUGH HIS PAINTINGS, SHOWN HERE IN BLACK AND WHITE. YOU WILL WANT TO SEE THEM IN COLOR.

In the Netherlands



"The Potato Eaters" is a large painting of Dutch peasants drinking coffee and eating a simple meal of boiled potatoes. This is van Gogh's earliest masterpiece, painted in 1885. He had been painting for only a few years. He considered this to be his best painting ever.

A busy artist

Van Gogh was a man with lots of energy. Although his career as an artist lasted less than 10 years, he created about 2,000 paintings and drawings that exist today.

He also found time to write letters, mostly to his younger brother, Theo. More than 750 of his letters are still around. He was an intelligent man who could write in and speak French and English, as well as his native Dutch.

His art was ahead of its time. While he did have people who admired his paintings, they did not begin to sell until after his death.



NOTICE HOW DARK THE PICTURE ABOVE IS.

His early years

Vincent van Gogh was born in 1853 in a small town in the Netherlands. His father was a preacher.

At 16, he took his first job, that of an art dealer. He was not a success. He then became a teacher, and then a missionary. None of these jobs worked out.

At 27, he decided to become an artist. He had no idea whether he had the talent or not.

Rookie Cookie's Recipe  
**Mighty Mustard Chicken**

You'll need:  
• 16-ounce can mixed vegetables, drained  
• 3 tablespoons mustard  
• 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted  
• 4 chicken breasts

What to do:  
1. Place vegetables in a microwave-safe casserole.  
2. Combine mustard and butter or margarine in a medium bowl. Mix well.  
3. Spread mustard mixture evenly over chicken. Place chicken on vegetables.  
4. Cover with waxed paper.  
5. Microwave on HIGH 18 minutes or until chicken is done. Turn halfway through cooking.  
6. Let stand 5 minutes before serving. Serves 4.

THE NEWS HOUND'S  
**VINCENT TRY 'N FIND 'N VAN GOGH**

Words that remind us of Vincent van Gogh are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward. See if you can find: VAN GOGH, VINCENT, NETHERLANDS, ARTIST, THEO, GALLERY, DEALER, PAINTING, ART, PARIS, HOLLAND, MINISTRY, IMPRESSIONIST, CARING, RELIGIOUS, WRITER.

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**Mini Spy ...**

Mini Spy is painting a self-portrait. See if you can find:

- word MINI
- letter D
- number 7
- canoe
- pencil
- ruler
- kite
- heart
- lima bean
- two number 8's
- chicken
- olive

**A Master of Color and Light**

In the French countryside



"A Pair of Shoes," painted in 1885, shows that van Gogh was able to give us a sense that these boots had traveled many miles.

**Van Gogh in Paris**  
Van Gogh moved to Paris to live with his younger brother in 1886, six years after he began painting. Theo was an art dealer who believed in Vincent and supported him. Vincent, in turn, sent him many of his paintings.

Theo introduced van Gogh to a group of painters called the "Impressionists." They used fresh, bright colors to give impressions of what they saw. They often painted out of doors.



NOTICE THAT THE SHADES ARE MUCH LIGHTER.



"Vegetable Gardens and the Moulin de Blute-Font-Montmartre" (1887) is a view of Paris many years ago when there were gardens and windmills.

The Mini Page thanks Dr. Phillip Conisbee, senior curator of European painting, National Gallery of Art, for help with this issue. Next week, The Mini Page looks at some healthy choices.



Yellow is a favorite van Gogh color. While he painted happy pictures, he was a very troubled man.



"The Bedroom" features the artist's own room painted in a simple, cozy way. (1888)



"Portrait of Camille Roulin" (1888) is of the son of a local postman. The postman was one of the few friends van Gogh made in the small town.



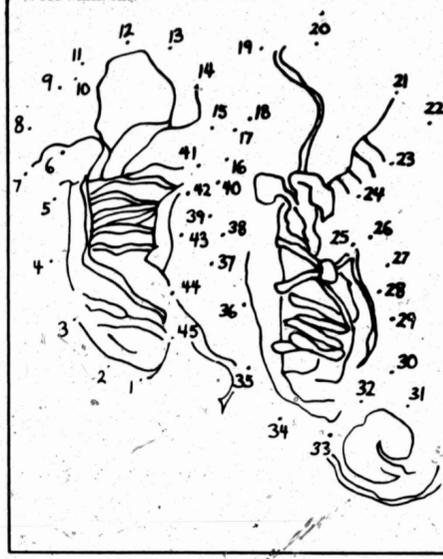
YOU CAN SEE WHY VAN GOGH WAS VERY PROUD OF THIS PAINTING.

"The Harvest" was painted after van Gogh moved to Paris and moved to Arles, a small town in the south of France. He painted peasants at work in the cornfields with the mountains in the background. (1888)

The exhibit "Van Gogh's Van Goghs" will be on display at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C., from Oct. 4, 1998 through Jan. 3, 1999. It will travel to the Los Angeles County Museum and be on display from Jan. 17 through April 4, 1999. A site to see about van Gogh: www.nga.gov

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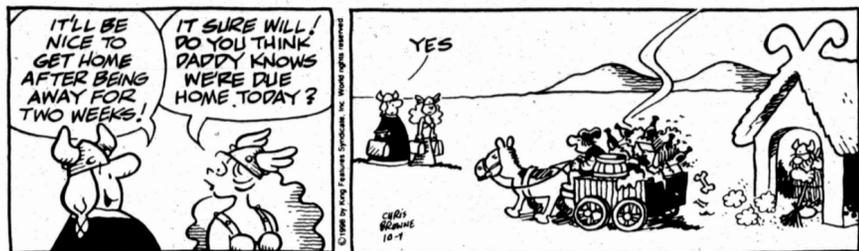
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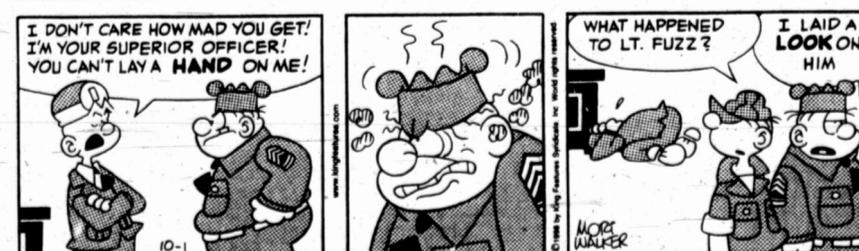
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Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 30, 1938, British, French, German and Italian leaders decided to appease Adolf Hitler by allowing Nazi annexation of Czechoslovakia's Sudetenland. On this date: In 1791, Mozart's opera "The Magic Flute" premiered in Vienna, Austria. In 1846, dentist William Morton used ether as an anesthetic for the first time on a patient in his Boston office. In 1927, Babe Ruth hit his 60th homer of the season to break his own major league record. In 1939, the first college football game to be televised was shown on experimental station W2XBS in New York as Fordham University defeated Wayneburg College, 34-7. In 1949, the Berlin Airlift came to an end. In 1952, the motion picture "This Is Cinerama," which introduced the widescreen Cinerama process, premiered at the Broadway Theatre in New York. In 1954, the first atomic-powered vessel, the submarine Nautilus, was commissioned by the Navy. In 1955, actor James Dean was killed in a two-car collision near Cholame, Calif. In 1962, black student James Meredith succeeded on his fourth try in registering for classes at the University of Mississippi. Ten years ago: Mikhail S. Gorbachev retired President Andrei A. Gromyko from the Politburo and fired other old-guard leaders in a Kremlin shake-up. Five years ago: An estimated 10,000 people were killed when an earthquake measuring a magnitude of 6.4 struck southern India. Colin Powell stepped down as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in a retirement ceremony at Fort Myer, Va. One year ago: In an unprecedented act of repentance, France's Roman Catholic Church apologized for its silence during the systematic persecution and deportation of Jews by the pro-Nazi Vichy regime. Today's Birthdays: Former Georgia Gov. Lester Maddox is 83. Actress Deborah Kerr is 77. Actress Angie Dickinson is 67. Singer Cissy Houston is 65. Singer Johnny Mathis is 63. Actor Len Cariou is 59. Rock singer-musician Dewey Martin (Buffalo Springfield) is 56. Singer Marilyn McCoo is 55. Pop singer Sylvia Peterson (The Chiffons) is 52. Rock musician John Lombardo (10,000 Maniacs) is 46. Singer Deborah Allen is 45. Actor Calvin Levels ("Adventures in Babysitting") is 44. Actor Barry Williams is 44. Singer Patrice Rushen is 44. Singer Basia is 42. Actress Fran Drescher is 41. Country singer Marty Stuart is 40. Actor Eric Stoltz is 37. Rapper-producer Marley Marl is 36. Actress Crystal Bernard is 35.

THE Daily Crossword

- Edited by Wayne Robert Williams
- ACROSS
- Lose color
  - Sacred book
  - Jokester
  - Landed
  - River's end, often
  - Hodgepodge
  - Tempt fate
  - Current unit
  - Santa's team
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  - Arabian garments
  - Saintly glow
  - Use crayons
  - Reach the very end
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  - Victory!
  - Hobble
  - Spirited horses
  - Draws a bead on
  - Pop
  - Apollo astronaut
  - Grisson
  - Business VIPs
  - School kids
  - Equates
  - Goes for broke
  - Prayer closer
  - Police blotter entry
  - Kin of rats
  - Take five
  - "Revenge of the ..."
  - Private school, briefly
  - Country roadways
  - Begrudged
  - Heartless
  - Lotion additive
  - Mature
  - Go-getter
  - Trolley car
  - Lead on
  - Mickey Mouse's dog
  - Puts out a call for
  - German WW II sub
  - Insignia
  - Swedish currency
  - Monk's hood
  - Greek epic
  - Jean Baker
  - (Marilyn) Monroe
  - Love of money
  - One-and-only
  - Room at the top
  - Door stops
  - Living on the street
  - Bronze skin
  - Make dirty
  - Purloined
  - Economize
  - Hollywood headliner
  - Domesticate
  - Small guitars, briefly
  - Fender imperfection
  - Agitate
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By James E. Bueli  
Fort Washington, MD

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