

Welcome rains expected to continue through tonight, then end

By MARSHA STURDIVANT Staff Writer

The recent rains in Howard County came as welcome relief. and the National Weather Service in Midland predicts the rain will continue through tonight, but will cease Thursday.

Rainfall reports ranged from .85 of an inch at the United State Department of Agriculture research station north of Interstate 20 to 1.2 at the Big Spring Co-op Gin five miles north.

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"On the extended forecast, we 70 degrees, he said. have a 20 percent chance of rain tomorrow, and a 20 percent chance of rain through the weekend," said George Mathews, meteorologist in Midland.

"There's a 60 percent chance of rain today, and a 40 percent chance of rain tonight," he said. Today's high temperature should be 60-65, with tonight dropping to the mid-40s, he said. Thursday, the expected high is in the mid-60s and Friday and Saturday the extended forecast calls for temperatures of about

Time to wrap things up for winter

Sunday, the temperature is

anticipated to be in the mid-70s. he said. "Our normal low is 49 degrees, which is about where we are. Our normal high is 76 degrees, and we're well below that. We shouldn't see the 90s again," Mathews said.

Although original forecasts might have called for temperatures to drop into the mid-30s, Mathews said the dew point prevents near freezing temperatures at this time.

The dew point measures the

temperature at which saturation of the air occurs, and fog or dew start forming, Mathews said

"The dew point limits how cold it can get. With relative humidity of 100 percent, like we have now, we don't have to worry about freezing temperatures with this kind of moisture around. It takes dryer air pushing in, and the closest now is in Kansas with temperatures down into the 30s," he said.

Wind gusts might also create a feeling of colder temperastures, or wind chill, he said.

"That's how cold it feels on human flesh," Mathews said.

But winds through the next several days are expected to remain steady at about 15-20 miles per hour. Today, winds are breezing at about 13 miles per hour, he said.

"We're expecting winds of 10-20 miles per hour, with five to 15 miles per hour tonight and five to 15 miles per hour tomorrow. That's pretty typical for around here," Mathews said. Few thunderstorms are

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Early vote count

Early voting in the Nov. 3 election began Monday and continues weekdays at the county clerk's office through Oct. 30.

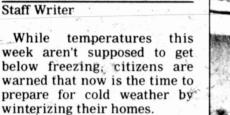
According to the clerk's office, 632 ballots have been cast in person, including 249 on Tuesday. Another 241 have been sent out by mail and 125 of those have been returned.

Haunted House meeting Thursday at Morehead Transfer

The Friends of the Settles will hold a meeting at 4:30 Thursday afternoon for individuals and groups involved in the haunted house and fall festival project, planned for Thursday through Saturday, Oct. 29-31.

The meeting will be held at Morehead Transfer and Storage, 100 Johnson St., where the haunted house and fall festival will be held. While it will begin at 4:30, it will last long enough so that persons who can not get off until 5 p.m. will be able to attend.

The purpose of the meeting is to check out the warehouse for the haunted house layout and to meet with groups planning to have booths in the fall festival to finalize details.



"We need to get ready because this may be a bad winter. The old timers are predicting a bad winter around here," said Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. manager Doug Lloyd.

"You'll need heat tapes for, plumbing lines, and faucet covers, and insulation for the house. Out in the country, folks. with water wells need to be sure they are heated," Lloyd said

Weatherstripping for doors and windows, as well as threshold strips for door bases are encouraged, he said.

Quality Plumbing employee J.T. McCurtain said a way to know if a home is leaking heat is to hold a dighted candle up to the door and window frames.

"If the flame flickers, you're losing heat somewhere. Then you'll need to fill with silicone or caulking or weather stripping," he said.

McCurtain said now is the time to check all heaters and



Gaitan gets 20-year term for second-degree murder

Guilty plea

By T.E. JENKINS

Staff Writer

Big Spring resident John Ruben Gaitan, facing up to 99 years if found guilty of killing his girlfriend, instead pleaded guilty to second-degree murder Tuesday, and will serve no less than 10 years of a 20-year sentence

By accepting the plea, Gaitan waived his right to an appeal to the conviction in the future.

"Given all of the facts in the case, we felt that the sentence was appropriate," said Howard County Districi Attorney Hardy Wilkerson. "As a prosecutor, you always want more time for the offenses. In this case, we feel like we got a good outcome, as well as prevented the court of appeals from having to hear this case again and again. That saves the taxpavers money.

Gaitan, 27, was arrested on first-degree murder charges in May, after police found the ody of his girlfriend, Barbara Villegas, 20, in a garage at his home.

Gaitan intends to negotiate a Moore said.

"First degree murder carries a punishment of five to 99 years in prison, as well as up to \$10,000 in fines," explained Moore. "Second degree murder, in this case committed under the immediate influence of a e sudden passion arising from an, adequate cause, is punishable by two to 20 years in prison, as well as the aforementioned \$10,000 fine."

In his statement to Big Spring. Police Department Detective Richard to Perez following his arrest. Gaitan stated that he choked Villegas for a period of about 10 to 15 minutes following an argument with her.

"She told me that she was going to find a way to make me lose my cool," said Gaitan in the statement. "I didn't realize what I had done until it was too late." I don't remember how I got

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Attorney's Office, and I have been made aware that Mr. plea in this matter," Judge

Booth space is free for nonprofit organizations and \$25 for commercial businesses.

Booths have been reserved so far by Baker's Chapel AME Church; Sacred Heart Catholic Church; Big Spring High School Choir Boosters; **Big Spring High School Key** Club; Boy Scout Troop 176. Pack 7: Parents of Girl Scout Troop 397; Humane Society and Gale's Sweet Shoppe.

For more information, call John H. Walker at 263-7331, Mel Prather at 263-7690, Tommy Churchwell at 267-3857 or Wade Choate at 267-5551.

Weather prompts 'Gargoyles' to move performances indoors

The autumn-like weather has prompted Howard College to relocate their production of "Gargoyles and Scarecrow Sins," a play by local attorney Rick Hamby.

The play's performances will be at the Municipal Auditorium, Third and Nolan, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. Admission is free.

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furnaces for proper working conditions. Central, electric heaters have filters which should be changed once a month, he said.

Gas furnaces have several legal restrictions now, and should be checked out, he said.

"Make sure they are cleaned and lint and dust free, which can clog the heater over the summer. Make sure the vent is double walled and free of debris and code approved. Make sure there is a gas cap on top above the roof," McCurtain said.



HERALD photo/Linda Choate J.T. McCurtain with Quality Plumbing, said now is the time to get home heaters prepared for the approaching winter weather.

Check wiring of heaters for covering, or other types of faults or exposed, worn wires, wrapping. and have the gas line inspected \ "I cover mine sometimes with to make sure it is pressured up and able to hold, he said.

Ronald Gross, a licensed master plumber and owner of Gross Plumbing, said all outside pipes and faucets should be wrapped with styrofoam

old socks. I wrap them in three or four layers of old socks." Gross said. If temperatures get really

cold. Gross suggested opening

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An autopsy revealed that Villegas had died from to asphyxiation due to strangulation.

A jury was selected Monday in 118th District Court. Tuesday morning, District Judge Robert Moore told the jury that Gaitan had entered a plea.

"Negotiations have taken place this morning between Mr. Gaitan's attorneys, Novert Morales and Ian Cantacuzene, and the Howard County District there but in a bl nk of an eye J was on top of her with both hands of mine around her throat.

"I was sweating like a mad dog and breathing real hard. I choked her for about 10 or 15 minutes. Looking at her size it couldn't have taken long.'

Gaitan said that once he regained control of himself, it was too late, and Villegas was dead.

"She wasn't trying to get away or anything," said Gaitan. "She

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Cotton crop figures to be 5 percent of what it was in 1997

By T.E. JENKINS

really is hard

Staff Writer

Cotton production projections have many farmers already looking toward next year as this year's growing season begins to wind down. "Looking at the acreage, it KIGHT

small amounts of acreage that has been planted this year," said Howard County Extension Agent David Kight. "Howard County cotton producers planted about 125,000 acres of cotton this year, and will only harvest about 6,000 acres of it."

Kight said that much of the cotton being harvested would not have been produced without irrigation.

"About half of the cotton that will actually be harvested this year is from irrigated fields,"

to get a firm handle on the said Kight. "We are looking at about 5,300 total bales this year. in comparison to last year's 120,000 bales produced. That's about 5 percent of the total amount of cotton harvested in 1997

Kight said that cotton weevils have made their presence noticed in Howard County cotton fields this year, as well.

"We have seen about a 40 percent drop in the total number of cotton weevils this year, but those numbers are misleading," said Kight. "We have seen a 95

percent drop in production, but only a 40 percent drop in the cotton weevils population, so when the weevils have found a crop, they have overwhelmed it. The weevils come out each year whether there is cotton for them to feed on or not."

"We are expecting to see around 1,000 to 1,500 bales this season," said Cadet Bryant, assistant manager of the Big Spring Co-Op Gin. "We processed about 20,000 bales last year, so it's obvious that production are down this year."

Bryant said that although many farmers are looking toward next year for hope, the situation doesn't look very good at this time.

"The amount of rainfall that we've had this year is not very encouraging," said Bryant. "We just haven't been able to recover, and it is looking like it will continue over in to next year's season.

"We need a great deal of moisture this winter if we are going

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Migrant kids keep up with studies despite tough way of life

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

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g r a m Conchita Rodriguez, received the Region 17 Outstanding Migrant Coordinator Award.

"Many days she has walked through the fields hunting for parents. She's wonderful," said Sands CISD elementary principal Zelda Bildo.

The award was presented to 73 districts of the 1,059 in Texas. District winners were divided according to the number of students in the program. One district in the 1,000 students or more was recognized; two in the 501-999 category; eight in the 100-500 student category; 62 in the less than 100 migrant student category.

Sands CISD has 57 migrant students.

"I admire these kids, because they have a hard life. These kids continue to keep up their work," Rodriguez said.

In the past, migrant parents did not consider education a priority for their children. However, parents of migrant students today see the need for education, and encourage their

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This family in Ackerly participates in the migrant education program at Sands Consolidated Independent School District. Pictured are, back left to right, Maria Martinez holding her youngest daughter Maria, Emmanuel, Jose, Salvador, and left front, Brenda and Noemi Martinez.

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OBITUARIES

Dorinda Mae Freeman Long

Service for Dorinda Mae Freeman Long, 42, Big Spring, will be 11 a.m. Friday, Oct. 23, 1998, in the Myers & Smith Chapel with C.A. Smith, of Andrews, officiating. Burial will follow in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Ms. Long died Monday, Oct. 19, at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born on April 23, 1956, in Andrews. She had lived in Big Spring for 20 years, moving here from Levelland. She was a member of the Church of Christ and a homemaker.

She is survived by: three sons, Shane Long, Shannon Long, both of Carlsbad, N.M., and Casey Long of Lovington, N.M.; two daughters, Zabrina Freeman and Shawna Freeman, both of Big Spring; her mother and step-father, Retha and Pete Southwood of Big Spring; two brothers, Tommie Freeman of Huntsville, and Ronnie Freeman of Big spring; one sister, Diane Dow of Carlsbad, N.M.; her maternal grandmother, Lillie Combs of Big Spring; and several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Arrangements under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home & Chapel.

William Howard Schwarzenbach

A memorial service for William Howard Schwarzenbach, 48, Lubbock. formerly of Big Spring, will be 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 23, 1998, at St. Mary's Episcopal Church with Rev. James Liggett officiating.

Mr. Schwarzenbach died Tuesday, Oct. 20.

He was born on Oct. 29, 1950. He was a graduate of Big Spring High School and of Texas Tech University.

He was preceded in death by his father, Dr. H.F. Schwarzenbach.

Survivors include: his mother, Marguerite Schwarzenbach; brother, ^aDr. J.R. Schwarzenbach of Hot Springs, S.D.; a sister, Bell Wallace of Ogden, Utah; four nephews and two nieces.

The family suggest memorials to St. Mary's or to the charity of choice. Arrangements under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home, Lubbock.

Roger Sweat. "We don't have any new information or suspects at this time."

According to Sweat, the unresponsive nature of the woman's condition left officers unable to obtain information on the nature of the attack, or the identity of her assailant.

"We received a call at about 8 a.m. on Oct. 4 from a neighbor of Ms. Long's," said Sweat: "She had gone to visit the woman and found her on the floor of her home, badly beaten.

"We tried to talk to her shortly after she was taken to Scenic Mountain Medical Center, but were unable to get any information. After that, she was taken to Lubbock's University Medical Center, where we stayed in touch with officers there, but she was never able to talk to us or give us any leads as to the identity of her assailant or assailants."

According to Sweat, burglary does not appear to be the motivative.

"There were no signs of forced entry at her home," said Sweat. "Also, neighbors and friends say that they could find nothing missing from the residence.

"We are currently at a stopping point in this investigation. We were never able to talk to Ms. Long to get a description of who attacked her, and although we have quite a bit of evidence in custody right now, we don't have any leads as to the identity of her assailant."

Sweat said the BSPD is in need of any information pertaining to this homicide, and anyone who can be of assistance should call 264-2550.

"If anyone heard or saw anything that night that might help us apprehend the person or persons who committed this crime, please contact our offices as soon as possible," said Sweat. "The investigation into this homicide is continuing under the direction of Det. Lupe Liedecke."

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COTTON

to have a decent season next vear.'

Bryant said the current state of the cotton market has many "Barbara's family's loss," said producers skeptical of whether or not they will be able to stay in the business.

"Because of the import and export laws, many cotton grow-

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questioning him. "I decided the ground was too hard because I had been digging about an hour and hadn't gotten real far," said Gaitan. "I went inside and sat for a while."

Gaitan's conviction comes shortly after revocation of probation hearings that currently have him serving a 20-year sentence for a 1989 conviction of two counts of indecency with a child.

"You understand, Mr. Gaitan, that this sentence of 20 years that the Howard County District Attorney's Office is recommending will run consecutively with 20 years you are already serving," asked Moore. "Because of the nature of this crime, you will be required to serve no less than 50 percent of your sentence before you will be eligible for good behavior credit, or parole.'

Gaitan waived his right to have the indictment against him read aloud before the court, and acknowledged that he understood the proceedings and their implications clearly.

Moore said that although Mr. Gaitan was facing serious charges, the issue of competency never held much doubt for him

"Mr. Gaitan is in a rather unenviable position here today," said Moore. "I never had any doubts as to his competency to stand trial, and after spending a great deal of time speaking with him this morning, I believe him to be mentally competent."

Tonya Villegas, mother of the strangled woman, addresséd both the court and Gaitan during Tuesday morning's proceedings.

"We welcomed you into our family, and you thanked us by deliberately, and coldbloodedly murdering my daughter," said Villegas. "You knew the plans that we had for her 21st birthday, which she never had the chance to have, and you totally destroyed our entire family. We will never forgive you, and may God have mercy on your soul." "This has been a terrible tragedy for Barbara Villega's family," said Wilkerson. "It was only appropriate that her mother have the chance to express herself to the court and to Mr. Gaitan in this matter."

Chrisie Aguilar, Gaitan's sister. "We are sorry for their loss, and their pain. John is being held responsible for his actions, and I hope that we can all begin to heal. Everyone involved in this situation is hurting, but God will judge him accordingly."

BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN "And it's still raining. We

need this moisture really bad," Reid said. And in Stanton, west of Howard County, Gracie Hanson

said she and her husband made guesses about the amount of rain, and they were pleasantly surprised when the gauge recorded an inch.

"I guess it rained more last night than we thought. This is wonderful and we're proud. It's just kind of drizzly, and we love it. We need all we can get, but not as much as San Antonio," Hanson said.

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cabinets inside the house that have plumbing fixtures on out-«side walls.

"This allows the heat of the house under the cabinet. And you can do this with a bathroom vanity. People who have lived here a long time know what to do. But those who have moved here form a warmer place might not," Gross said.

In the event that plumbing pipes do freeze, Gross said the most important step is to get the water shut off, and call a plumber.

"If you're in doubt about anything, insulate it, and if you still have questions, call a plumber," Gross said.

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children to continue their education, in spite of their transitory lifestyle, she said.

"This is how the parents were raised, like hundreds before them. Today, migrant parents don't want their kids to have to work as hard as they do. They want them to get an education,' Rodriguez said.

A former migrant student, Rodriguez has dedicated her career to migrant students and their families. Currently she serves as the Ackerly City Council secretary, and she teaches migrant education year round through a special summer program. "In her summer education program, the parents will sit down with the students to learn. I get phone calls at the school, and all they can say is 'Miss Conchita, please.' I can say 'un momento, por favor,' and then I run to get her 'o the phone,"

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events, despite language barriers, she said.

Migrant families travel across the southern United States from California to Florida. And others move around inside the state of Texas, from crop to crop, she said.

Children in these families who move with the parents often miss as much as six weeks of school each year.

Yet these students take the **Texas Assessment of Academic** Skills test along with their classmates. The TEA award is to recognize that 80 percent of the migrant-status students passed the test.

Texas has about 115,000 migrant students each year, according to TEA. Sands CISD superintendent Donald Bryan said migrant status is restricted to students who have parents in the fishing, forestry or agricultural industry.

"This doesn't make a difference with the socioeconomic status of the student. These are not just poor Hispanics," Bryan said.

Rodriguez teaches classes in English for students needing the instruction, as well as monitors the migrant students progress. She is also responsible for inputting all the data necessary for the school systems to track the students across the country.

"I have A and B days at the high school. Some students have a hard time understanding English, and some students are totally non-English speaking,"

"Some of these families don't have a home base. But we have some who have selected Sands as their home base, because they like the smaller school," she said.

Briefs

HIGHLAND COUNCIL FOR THE deaf will have an open captioned movie at Cinema 4 tonight at 7. The movie will be

Stenholm: Main Street between Third and Main to First and Main Street from 4 to 7 p.m.

POLICE

CASH 5:5,14,18,20,22

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday: JAMES MCGEE, 45, was

arrested for public intoxication. • THEFT in the 200 block of

N.E. 12th, the 2600 block of Central, the 2300 block of Wasson, the 800 block of E. I-20. the 1100 block of Lamesa, and the 1200 block of 11th.

• RUNAWAY in the 500 block of Aylesford.

• ASSAULT BY THREATS in the 400 block of E. 4th. DISORDERLY CON-**DUCT/LANGUAGE** in the 400 block of Birdwell.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday: HASSONA ALI OVERTON,

41, was arrested on a motion to revoke probation/criminal trespass.

 WILLIAM E. STEWART. 50, was arrested for theft.

Fire/EMS Following is a summary of

Spring - Fire Big Department/EMS reports: MONDAY

1:26 p.m. - 300 block NE 10th, medical call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

8:37 p.m. - 500 block Westover, medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 9:31 p.m. - 1200 block Settles, medical call, patient transport-

ed to SMMC. 10:12 p.m. - 1600 block "Armageddon." The cost is \$5 Lancaster, medical call, patient

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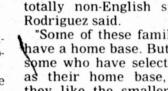
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Paid obituary

Assault victim dies from injuries

By T.E. JENKINS Staff Writer

An investigation into an aggravated assault reported on Oct. 4 has been upgraded to homicide, as the 42 year old victim, Dorinda Long of Big Spring, died from her injuries Monday.

"The case has now been declared a homicide," said Big Spring Police Department Sgt.



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42, died Monday. Services will

be 11:00 AM Friday at Myers

& Smith Chapel, with burial at

Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Dorinda Mae Freeman Long,

ers aren't able to compete with the extremely low prices that are around today," said Bryant. "The cotton is worth more on the ground right now than it is in the bale. They can get more for the insurance they have on their crops than they can from actually harvesting it."

Bryant said Americans can refacilitate a healthy cotton market by purchasing items made from American cotton whenever possible.

"One of the biggest buyers of cotton in our area right now is Levi-Strauss," said Bryant. "Most of the Levis denim produced at their Littlefield production site is made with cotton from Howard County. By paying attention to what you are buying, and where it comes from, you can help to rebuild the market."

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wasn't saying anything either. She was lying on her back on the floor between the living room and the kitchen. I was kind of sitting or leaning against her so she couldn't move. I choked her for about 10 or 15 minutes and when I realized what' I done I, just let my hands off of her and she made this noise like air coming out of a balloon."

Gaitan described a botched attempt to bury the young woman's body in his backyard the following day, shortly before police officers began

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expected with the rain, he said. The forecast calls for light precipitation.

'We may hear a few rumbles of thunder, but nothing like our springtime thunderstorms," he said.

Thus far, Big Spring has received .85 inches of rain in the past two days, bringing the monthly total up to .96, or nearly an inch

An inch and two-tenths of rain was measured north of town at the Big Spring Cooperative Gin, according to gin assistance manager Cadet Bryant.

"That's what we've accumulated since yesterday," he said.

In the eastern part of the county near Coahoma, Donnie Reid said he has measured eight-tenths of an inch of rain.

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Bilbo said. Rodriguez credits parents with much of her students successes. She said in her 26 years as an educator, only two students dropped out of school. And part of that success is

because she has more parental involvement now than ever before, she said.

"I've got non-English speaking parents coming to the school. I stress so much that they need to be involved, to be seen up here (at the school). And their children are involved in everything," she said.

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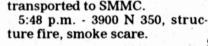
Migrant students at Sands participate in football, one act Play competition, cross country track and other extracurricular activities, she said. And their parents attend the at the door and everyone is invited, not just the hearing impaired. For more information call 267-6779.

PROFFITT DAY CARE WILL have a Hop-A-Thon to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association on Thursday, Oct. 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The children will be hoping for Jerry's Kids and proceeds will go to the patients in the Permian Basin with neuromuscular diseases.

Proffitt Day Care is located at 1600 Wasson Road.

FOLLOWING THE STREETS WILL be closed Thursday for Congressman





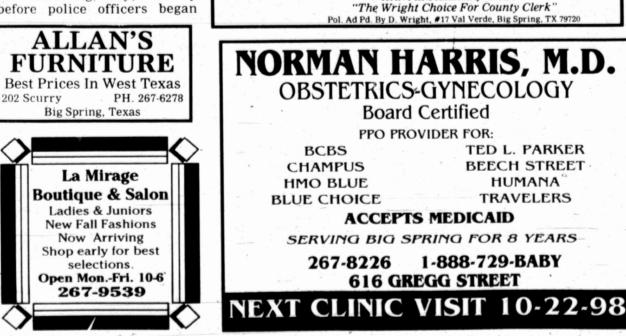


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TEXAS

Some residents resist evacuation amid flooding; at least 22 dead

Street is aptly named. So is West River Street.

Both are under several feet of swirling coffee-colored muddy water today from the raging Guadalupe River, forcing hundreds of people to flee to high ground.

The flooding, the latest in South and Central Texas since nearly 2 feet of rain fell over the weekend, is the worst since 1936 to inundate parts of Victoria, a city of 60,000 about 125 miles southwest of Houston.

Scattered light rain and drizzle was expected across much of Texas today, including the flood-ravaged South Texas region. The National Weather Service said rainfall amounts should be below one-tenth of an inch, with no additional heavy rains and no additional signifi-

everyday life.

a military invasion.

VICTORIA (AP) - Water cant flooding expected.

Victoria is only 35 miles from where the Guadalupe River empties into the Gulf of Mexico.

"If you live on or near the river, please get'out before it's late," Mayor Gary too Middleton on Tuesday urged those of the 60,000 residents who live in the river's flood plain.

The exact number of people who took his advice and left on their own or waited and had to be pulled out by boat or helicopter was uncertain, although Middleton said 500 to 600 homes had water damage. About 100 people were staying in five shelters but most people out of their homes chose to stay with friends or relatives.

"They just told us it was going to be bad and we'd be idiots to stay," said Charlie Wilkes, who

together with his wife, Mary, were plucked from their home by a National Guard helicopter. He carried a briefcase and she put her purse strap around her neck as they rode in a nylon rope bucket suspended about 30 feet below the chopper for the harrowing ride hundreds of feet above the swirling river before being deposited on dry land.

"We did not intend to come out but we didn't know how bad it was going to get," Wilkes said. Linwood Kolle reluctantly

was taken out by boat when water reached waist-deep.

"I didn't get scared but I don't like what the water had done,' said Kolle, who worried the "hell of a current" could sweep . his house away. "I finally decided to go.

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to get through.

At least 22 people have died

from the storms that began Saturday and swamped 60 Texas counties, nearly a quarter of the state's counties. A 7year-old boy remains missing. Gov. George W. Bush on Tuesday asked President Clinton to declare 20 counties disaster areas. "It was devastating to see,"

Bush said after a 35-minute helicopter ride over San Marcos, Seguin and New Braunfels in Central Texas. "It's hard to imagine how swift and powerful the current of the river was to do the damage it did.'

The governor's office said state agencies have prepared no damage estimate because of the continuing emergency. But the Southwestern Insurance Information Service, an industry trade group, projected the damage might exceed \$90 million.

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money," said a chuckling work-

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KILLED **Bexar County**

- At least seven people in San Antonio died after being swept away at low water crossings. The victims were Kenneth Ludwig, 31; James Sutton, 56; Dora Munoz, 30; Camille Price, 31; Cameran Ormsby, 67; and an unidentified woman. The body of Juan Ortiz, 37, who was washed away three days earlier, was found Tuesday.

Comal County

- Frank Smith, 77, was found dead in his car early Sunday near Blieder's Creek in Comal County

- An unidentified 55-year-old man died of a heart attack in New Braunfels while waiting to be rescued, police Lt. John Womack said.

- Migel Angel Luna Jr., 6, was found Tuesday. He was about a half-mile downstream from where he disappeared three days earlier in Comal County after his family's car was washed away. Other members of his family were rescued.

Caldwell County

- The bodies of Juan Garza, 71, and his wife, Delores, were found Sunday night in their flooded home in Luling. Authorities said the couple's phone was out and they were unable to call for help.

- Caldwell County searchers on Tuesday found the body of 10-year-old Heather Cottle in a Suburban under 27 feet of water. The vehicle had washed off a county road.

Guadalupe County

- The body of Harvey Risien Sr., 71, was found Tuesday about four miles downstream from his severely damaged house on the San Marcos River

- The body of Charles Franklin Dennis, 76, was recovered from Mill Creek. where his car was swept off the road Monday night or Tuesday morning. authorities said.

- Joseph Gittinger, 34, was shocked by a live wire and drowned as he tied his boat on Lake Dunlap in Guadalupe County, according to the Guadalupe County Sheriff's Department

- Jason Baker, 22, drowned in Kingsbury, about 3 miles east of Seguin in Guadalupe County. The man, whose car was believed to have washed off a road, was found on a guardrail.

- Edgar Bill Brown, 75, was found dead inside his pickup in Seguin's Starke Park after the vehicle was washed off a road by the Guadalupe River, said Seguin Police Lt. Reno Reiley.

Montgomery County

- The body of a 38-year-old woman was recovered Monday in the floodwaters of Spring Creek in Montgomery County, north of Houston. A witness said he saw the woman trying to cross a bridge in her vehicle when it was swept away.

- Mike McCormick, 33, was killed Saturday when a tornado destroyed his mobile home near Silver City, about 60 miles southeast of Dallas.

- Jessica Locke, 8, died Saturday when she was swept from a car by flood waters near Pflugerville.

Waller County

- A man died Sunday when a tornado swept through the Waller County town of Brookshire, 35 miles west of Houston.

MISSING

- In Caldwell County, officials searched for 7-year-old Devon McCoy, who had been in a Suburban with Heather Cottle. Devon was not in the vehicle when it was located Tuesday in about 27 feet of water.

Stepmother pleads guilty in 37-year-old slaying

BELLEVILLE, Ill. (AP) – A guilty plea.

woman faces up to 14 years in prison after pleading guilty to stomping to death her stepdaughter almost 40 years ago. Mary Rae Morgan told the tionally killed Michelle. St.

court Tuesday she didn't remember the circumstances of Robert Haida also has said prethe 4-year-old girl's death but viously that old criminal cases said Mrs. Morgan later tried to believed that prosecutors had are difficult to win at trial force Michelle to eat the blood enough evidence to convict her. Morgan pleaded guilty to invol-

Heavy rains almost always cause some road problems in San Antonio. This time, however, the deluge was so intense that residents faced a virtual citywide standstill.

The circumstances have been seen before in other cities. New York during a power outage. San Francisco after an earthquake. Miami after Hurricane Andrew.

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functioned. Electricity was hap-

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Now San Antonio can relate. Up to 20 inches of rain fell on parts of the city and surround-

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - It lasting areas beginning Saturday. maybe longer," was a common ed nearly three days and At least 22 people have died involved nearly every aspect of statewide because of the powerful storms. No dial tones for hours at a

In nearby Seguin, flood damage meant no running water. Even when service was restored Tuesday, water pressure waste, were difficult to flush. Many restaurants still weren't serving fountain beverages.

For those fortunate enough to have their 'lives and their homes, the beginning of the work week was trying in San Antonio.

Finding a taxi cab during rush hour on Monday, for instance, was a feat worth celebrating. Yellow Cab Co. and other big-name taxi services had continuously busy phone lines.

"It will be at least an hour,

evidence to support their con-

ter's death certificate, which Prosecutors said they made, listed the cause of death as viral the deal because they had little pneumonia.

George Morgan, who was 8 at tention that Mrs. Morgan inten-^o the time of Michelle's death. said he recalled watching his Clair County State's Attorney stepmother stomp on the girl's stomach in a fit of anger. He because of fading recollections clots she spit up following the

included a 1961 autopsy report showing massive internal injuries consistent with battered child syndrome.

Those Air Force records

When interviewed by coroner's investigators, an Air Force doctor said there was "no way" 'Michelle could have died falling off a wood pile.

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had vehicles damaged, ruined or lost in floodwaters. Driving through an unusually deep pool remained low. Toilets, full of, of standing water on a trafficfilled street was enough to do damage. When the family car stalled

Mundane tasks become complicated in flood zone

after traveling through high water, reaching a wrecker service was a nightmare. Texas Towing Corp., one of

the city's largest towing companies with contracts at commercial parking lots, apologetically told callers no requests from private citizens were being

friendly.

accepted Monday morning. Other towing services were less helpful and certainly less a smile.

As a result of the wrecker backlog, some water-stalled vehicles sat parked on city streets until Tuesday. Luckily, some rent car compa-

family car was to be taken.

to wait.

nies send courtesy vans to pick up customers.

The wait in front of a hospital near downtown wasn't long, but it was messy. Cars speeding through puddles splashed pedestrians.

business was brisk. "Extremely busy," one salesperson at Enterprise Rent-A-Car said with

Not surprisingly, rental car

Navarro County

Travis County







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untary manslaughter. "She can't remember. She has said that from the first day she was picked up in 1996," said Mrs. Morgan's lawyer, Burt Shostak.

Mrs. Morgan, 58, was charged with first-degree murder and two counts of involuntary manslaughter in the 1961 death of Michelle LeAnn Morgan at the family's Mascoutah farmhouse. She was scheduled for trial in November.

HOUSTON (AP) - Almost a

decade ago, child protective ser-

vice officials took custody of

Vannoy Jimenez after learning

his parents were keeping the 9-

year-old boy locked up in a

Now, at 18, Jimenez is under

scrutiny again -- this time for

fathering a child by a 12-year-

He was charged July 6 with

aggravated sexual assault of a

bathroom.

old girl.

Prosecutors dropped the murder charge and one count of involuntary manslaughter in prison inmate, challenged offiexchange for Mrs. Morgan's

and missing evidence.

Prosecutors agreed to a sentence range of probation to eight years in prison, and said they will push for eight years. But when Mrs. Morgan is sentenced Dec. 3, Circuit Judge Jan V. Fiss still has the option of imposing the full 14 years allowed under the law.

Mrs. Morgan is from West Columbia, Texas, but has been staying with relatives in Missouri.

Authorities launched the inquiry into Michelle's death after her brother, a Missouri cials in 1994 to correct his sis-

18-year-old admits fathering child by 12-year-old girl

under \$30,000 bail. He pleaded

guilty on Aug. 25 and will be

He faces from life in prison

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Jimenez is also on probation

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beating. The girl collapsed and died a day later.

Mrs. Morgan originally told authorities that Michelle had fallen off a wood pile while chasing rabbits. Her husband, Billy Morgan, a former military policeman at nearby Scott Air Force Base, testified at a 1997 court hearing that he did not know what happened.

Authorities exhumed Michelle's body in 1996 and concluded that damage to her skeletal remains, combined with medical records and the statements of military pathologists who examined the body, provided evidence of a crime.

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A passerby spotted him, took

him to a service station and

Investigators called it one of

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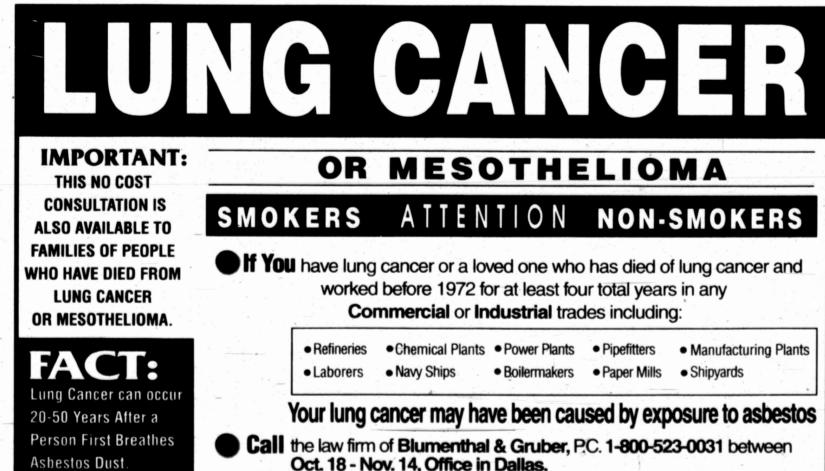
he existed.

Michelle had been taken to the emergency room at Scott Air Force Base some two dozen times in the last year of her life for cuts, bruises, broken bones, unhealed fractures, burns and pulled hair.

George Morgan, who is serving a 45-year sentence for raping and sodomizing his own stepdaughter, claimed his stepmother was a bitter woman who took out her frustrations on the children with frequent beatings.

> I would like to thank: Bruce & Michelle Raabe of Almost Home for the excellent care they are providing for my mom. May God Bless your work.

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OPINION

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"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances. -FIRST AMENDMENT

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OUR VIEWS

Veterans Home moving closer to being built

hat can we say about the Texas State Veterans Home? It means a deserved home for those who fought for liberty, peace and democracy. It means work for many local contractors. It means jobs for Big Spring. The Texas State Veterans Home was born out of the early 90s, became reachable dream a year ago and took another positive march toward reality just last week when local residents were shown architect's plans for the first time. We have to say we are impressed. Not only are the plans for 160 beds instead of 150, the facility will encompass more than 76,000 square feet. By our calculations, that's almost 160 square feet of living space for each future resident ouble the minimum requirement.

Maybe more important, architects tell us, the facility is being designed for the comfort and safety of the esidents, as well as those who come to visit them. A special wing will be constructed for Alzheimers patients, another important consideration.

MW Builders the overall contractor, has said it wants to maximize the amount of local participation, meaning more jobs for local subcontractors.

We also like the idea of working closely with Big Spring State Hospital, while installing full facilities in the Veterans Home. This strengthens services for the Home, while ensuring that it is self sufficient if the hospital can't handle the load.

The \$11 million Veterans Home also means 165 new jobs in related fields for Big Spring with annual payoll of about \$3.5 million. If that doesn't get people xcited, not much will. Groundbreaking was held at the site in August. Last week's presentation of architect's plans was the latest step. One point behind that meeting was to get citizens' input. After all, this is a project for veterans. Their viewpoints and ideas are vital to the project's success. We applaud the decision of the Veterans Land Board to take the time to listen to those the project will affect the most. Construction is to begin early next year, with completion in early 2000.

Families have it hard in our country

won't solve many social problems until we return to a situa-

tion in which, to the maximum extent possible, children have the benefit of a father who provides and protects and a mother who stays home to teach and nur-

ture. Unfortunately, that situation conflicts with

agendas of many postmodern forces - feminism, the childcare industry and its lobbyists, and those cultists who worship government and think it should replace both church and parents in the rearing of children.

Nevertheless, reality always wins, and the reality is that strong societies can only be built out of strong, two-parent families with children who aren't institutionalized before they can even walk or talk. Feminist ideology, which

has strayed so far from reality

it's hardly worth a comment, is a variation of extreme individualism. This philosophy holds that the primary, No. 1 goal of each individual must be his personal happiness and fulfillment. And it equates motherhood with slavery.

What's wrong with that? Well, two or more people whose No. 1 priority is their own personal happiness at all costs, will not last long as a unit, family or otherwise. Conflicts are inevitable.

If you have a father, mother and three children you will have five different individuals What makes a family thrive is when each individual recognizes that the whole is more important than its parts. When they don't, the family unit flies apart. Lasting human relationships are always built on morality, compromise and a set of priorities that place the relationship ahead of the individual egos. As for motherhood, it's a

hell of lot more difficult to be a good mother than it is to run a corporation. Furthermore, it's not an either/or situation. Children don't stay children forever. A woman can be both a mother

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and have a career - but not at the same time. From birth to age 6 or 7 especially, children need a mother at home. It's interesting that in our society, the elites spend no time at all discussing the conditions that would allow twoparent families to flourish. Instead, they spend all their time arguing that two-parent families aren't necessary; that if there are two-parent families, it's better to put the kids in day care and grab the extra paycheck; that families can be any grouping, married or unmarried, heterosexual or homosexual. Hogwash.

What we ought to be talking about is a stable currency that holds its value and an economy that pays decent wages so a family could survive on one paycheck. That, however, would involve abolishing or seriously revamping the central bank and abandoning the insane notion of so-called free trade. The central bank inflates the currency, and the free trade policies drive down wages. It would also involve reducing the size of government so that it would not take nearly half the fruits of labor. Between the hammer of

taxes and the anvil of accumulated inflation, most families are beat to pieces.

Making real changes would be difficult. A sliver of the population effectively controls government, communications, book publishing and entertainment. That sliver's values are what you see on television and in the White House.

Furthermore, people would have to realize that you don't effect change by changing political faces. There is virtually no significant difference in the beliefs of liberals and neoconservatives, between **Republicans and Democrats.** They simulate differences by arguing about marginal issues, but on the main issues, they agree

So to effect real change, people will have to force the pols and the media to talk about a different set of issues. People still have two important political tools — their votes and their money. But first, they have to decide what they want before they can set out to get it.

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The idea born in the early 90s is steadily becoming eality. We couldn't be more proud.

YOUR VIEWS

TO THE EDITOR:

If you read the Herald a couple of weeks ago then you may have seen it. A three-line entry under Police Beat. A person was arrested and later released.

There is more to this story, and it started with a 911 call from a citizen. The police department responded almost immediately and found a man behind a business in a local shopping center.

This individual was dressed if not to "kill" .hen at least to burglarize. Garbed in ninja black and armed with the best in electronics and forced entry tools, this individual made it elatively easy for B.S.P.D.

The suspect admitted that he had plans to burglarize at least tow local businesses. This inept fellow is now back in the state penal system for parole violations stemming from this incident.

It seems only like yesterday that a previous police chief said because of budget restraints BSPD would become a reactive rather than proactive police department.

Big Spring city officials should be proud that this is no longer true. I would like to congratulate every one involved from the citizens, dispatchers, officers, administrators, council members and all support staff for a job well done!

> SCOTT EMERSON **Big Spring**

TO THE EDITOR On behalf of the Big Spring High School Student Council,

and the student body, we would like to make a "public thank you" to the City of Big Spring for their support in our annual homecoming bonfire. The bonfire that was held on Thursday night of homecoming week at the compost site was a huge success thanks to the following persons: a special "thank you" to Perry Hall, compost supervisor, who coordinated the bonfire; Bobby White, Jerry Bermea, Chad Harbour, Wade Roberts, Robert and Frank of the Street Department. We especially want to express our appreciation to the 23 inmates and 2 guards from the Wilderness Work Camp for building the bonfire. We also say "thank you" to the firemen of the Big Spring Fire Department who

were at the bonfire; and last but not least, to Gary Fuqua fro giving permission to have the bonfire. Our sincere "thanks" also

goes to the Big Spring Police Department and the officers who were in attendance at the homecoming parade on Friday We appreciate each of the officers who helped during the parade, and Chief of Police, Lonnie Smith, for allowing us to hold the parade.

We believe the community of Big Spring needs to know how our city works with our school to help make our home coming activities possible.

Thank you to the city of Big Spring for your "Steer support!'

BSHS STUDENT COUNCIL (signed by the eight offi cers of the student council)

he Light Crust Doughboys were there. So was Miss Texas, Reagan Hughes. A stage full of young violin students played Fiddle Faddle. The

sold out. 1,600 people were in the audience. It was the final pops concert of the season for the Midland-Odessa Symphony and Chorale. It was called

house was

TUMBLEWEED a "Lone Star SMITH Tribute" and took place in

a Confederate Air Force Museum hanger at the Midland airport. The night raised \$100,000. Permian Basin folks are proud of their orchestra.

The evening featured the premiere of a musical number called "Big Ranch" by singer and songwriter Will Hadden.

The night culminated five years of work by Will and launched him into a new career. Now he's headed for Nashville to try to peddle some of the songs he has written. Will is 80 years old.

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He flew B-17's in World War Two, then was a commercial pilot for TWA. He spent forty years as a lawyer before starting his music career. Will is not quite through with the legal p. ofession. He still has one client keeping him active.

Will Hadden's star-studded night

As he was winding down his practice in 1992, Will started listening to about twenty Eddy Arnold songs as he drove around Odessa in his pickup. He learned them all and decided he could write some songs himself. His first one was about a cowboy hat.

Will quit singing in his church choir, something he had done for sixty years, and started singing country and gospel music at the Brand New Opry, which takes place Saturday nights in Odessa's Globe Theater. He started using the name Clark Bond (for Clark Gable and James Bond) on stage.

Two years ago Will signed up for a class in computer music at Midland college. He took four semesters of harmony and music theory. He learned how to compose music for an entire symphony on computer. He took his computer version of "Big Ranch" to Rob Hunt, director of the Midland-Odessa

Symphony Orchestra, who said if Will would shorten it (from 9

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minutes to 6) and add some variety, he would have the Symphony and Chorale perform it at the salute to Texas concert.

Will dedicated the song to his wife who passed away recently. For the premiere he was dressed in a western suit that sparkled when the lights hit it. He wore a black hat with a sparkling hat band. The chorale sang backup.

The applause for "Big Ranch" was long and loud. The audience stood.

Afterwards, at a reception his honor, Will told me, "I feel like it went over real well. I couldn't believe it. I didn't dream I could do something like this. The orchestra only had three rehearsals, but everything fell into place tonight."

Will doesn't know if he will write another symphony. But he is still going to write and sing and try to sell his songs. "I don't plan to sit in my rocking chair and wait for my social security check so I can go eat at Luby's," says Will. I told him I hoped his star continues to rise

Will replied, "It's sure shining bright tonight."

Leiws is Tumbleweed Smith.)

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Hyde sees meeting with White House feeler for run-out-clock strategy

WASHINGTON (AP) -Caught in a race against time, the chairman of the House impeachment inquiry says the first meeting between his panel and the White House is key to determining whether the probe can be finished this year.

White House lawyers were meeting with House Judiciary Committee investigators today in what both sides have described as a getting-to-knowyou session focused on logistics.

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But the committee's chairman, Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., and White House spokesman Joe Lockhart said their lawyers

each other's strategy as the knowledgeable, official who this year. clock winds down to Hyde's end-of-the-year deadline.

"I'm interested in their cooperation level," Hyde said in an impromptu hallway interview Tuesday. "So we can find out whether we can shortcut the process and find out whether we have to prove everything ourselves.'

But the White House legal team had no plans to discuss the substance of the charges against the president, consistent with Clinton's refusal to engage in a debate over the details of his affair with Monica Ms. Lewinsky if the panel is to also would try to get a feel for Lewinsky, according to a meet Hyde's goal of finishing

spoke only on condition of anonymity.

"They'll go up to listen," Lockhart told reporters. Hyde has said repeatedly that the pace of the investigation would depend upon White House cooperation.

Since the inquiry will get under way after the Nov. 3 congressional elections, the Judiciary Committee will have less than two months to resolve whether Clinton committed perjury and other potentially impeachable offenses related to

Today's meeting, to be attended only by Republican and Democratic lawyers for the committee and the White House, was dedicated primarily to finding out whether Clinton intended to run out the clock on the investigation, Hyde said.

Chief GOP investigator David Schippers was likely to propose that Clinton's lawyers stipulate which testimony and other evidence submitted to the panel by Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr they would accept as accurate, Hyde said.

For weeks, Hyde and his staff have publicly encouraged White

House lawyers to bring material to the meeting that could help Clinton's case. They also planned to go over the inquiry's rules and the president's rights. Those included whether Clinton intended to testify, a question Hyde acknowledged he would like answered "sooner rather than later." Hyde has said he wouldn't subpoena the president.

Indications that the first meeting between Clinton's aides and committee investigators would be more than just a logistical session underscored the volume of issues to be sorted out before the inquiry expires with the

105th Congress.

The next Congress could reauthorize the inquiry and accept the investigatory work already completed, but Hyde has said he wanted the matter finished by year's end.

The panel thus far has no starting point from which to begin its probe. Stipulations would generate a story line no one disputes — a launching pad for the inquiry, rather than having investigators retrace Starr's steps.

Republican and Democratic staff members have not begun negotiating a witness list, Hyde said Tuesday.

Physician defections from HMOs intensifies

more doctors seem willing to strike out on their own these says, most of them full of complaints about HMO interference in their medical practices.

In what is believed to be the largest mass exodus from a single company, more than 400 doctors in Texas are calling it quits with Aetna-US Healthcare this month. But they're hardly alone.

Large groups of doctors in Colorado, Georgia and Florida have also defected from health plans in the past year, citing low pay and too many administrative hassles from health maintenance organizations.

"This clearly sends a message that physicians are not willing to be bullied around by the insurance company," said Dr. Evan Bates, an ear, nose[®] and

NEW YORK (AP) – More and throat doctor and board mem- F. David Winter Jr., an ber of Genesis Physicians Practice Association, the Dallas Network. group which terminated its deal with Aetna Oct. 10.

the insurance company become a dictator of how care is delivered," he said Tuesday. As a result, an estimated 30,000 patients must choose another Aetna doctor if they want to maintain insurance coverage.

Another big Texas' medical group — the 150-physician Health Texas Network owned by Baylor University Health System — has told Aetna they intend to quit the plan Dec. 31.

Doctors say they hope by quitting an HMO they see as unresponsive will make life easier for them and their patients. "This is a last resort," said Dr.

Three other reporters were

ordered to sprawl on the side-

walk — Dave Faherty of WSOC-

of Charlotte's WBTV-TV and

internist with the Health Texas

While the defections have made headlines and disrupted "We are not willing to have patients, they've yet to hamper the way HMOs do business.

HMOs have found enough doctors to replace those that. quit. And employers that hire the HMOs to cover their workers largely have not been deterred by physician complaints or 'their defections, health experts say.

"These defections do not provide a significant disruption to provide irreparable damage to the HMO," said Paul Shumway, a health care consultant with Towers Perrin in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

doctors have been able to

expand negative perception of the HMO industry, he said.

In the case of the Genesis medical group, the doctors said Aetna failed to give them patient claims information to help the group oversee its physicians. The group was paid a set fee by Aetna, so Genesis needed the information to learn which doctors were treating patients appropriately and which doctors might be overusing expensive tests or high priced drugs.

Aetna officials acknowledged some cultural clashes with doctors, but stressed they still have enough doctors to treat patients. Last summer, doctors also clashed with Aetna in Florida, where the plan was accused of By quitting, and making their "using a "gag clause" that fordispleasure known publicly, bade doctors from telling patients all of their options.

Virus that causes MS may have been pinpointed by researchers

MILWAUKEE (AP) - The discovery of herpes in the brains of those with multiple sclerosis could lead to new treatment for a disease that affects more than 300,000 people in the United States, researchers sav

The findings announced Tuesday provide circumstantial evidence that the viral infection may cause the debilitating disease. Scientists have long suspected a virus triggers MS, which prompts the immune system to attack nerve fibers, causing paralysis and in very rare cases, death.

Experts said more research was needed, but said they hoped the study is a step toward new treatments for MS.

"We may not be able to stop it 100 percent, but if we can stop it by 70 percent or 80 percent, the effects on patients will be dramatic," said Donald Carrigan, a co-author of the study presented at a conference of the American Neurological Association in Montreal. "That's really what we're hopeful to do.

Human herpes virus-6 was found in the brains of eight of 11 MS patients studied by scientists at the Institute for Viral Pathogenesis in Milwaukee. The virus was also found in the blood of 14 of 25 patients.

The blood findings confirm a study published last December. Dr. Robert Lisak, co-director of the Multiple Sclerosis Clinical and Research Center at the Detroit Medical Center, said the study doesn't convince him that the virus is solely to blame for MS. Past studies have been unable to confirm that, he said.

Gunman holds reporters, passersby hostage

reporters and four passersby were held at gunpoint in the parking lot of a police department for several minutes before the suspect dropped the shotgun.

Thomas Allred, 22, was charged with two counts of kidnapping and one count of menacing with a weapon, police TV in Charlotte, Sydney Taylor said Tuesday. Authorities said they could not determine a Stacey Evans from The Hickory motive or explanation for the Daily Record. brief standoff.

Radio reporter Al Mainess Allred pulled into the police

WNNC-AM.

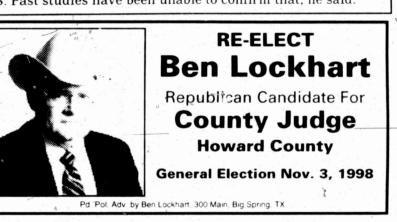
HICKORY, N.C. (AP) — Four said he now knows how it feels department's parking lot shortto be held hostage by a gunman. ly after 9 a.m. in a brown Buick "We report a lot on other peo-- Regal. He got out of the car with ple. You don't really know what a 12-gauge shotgun and told a they're going through," said man and woman in the parking Mainess, news director for lot to freeze, police said.

A car carrying a woman and her son drove into the lot and Allred ordered them to stay inside the car, officers said. The gunman then turned to six reporters leaving a news conference and ordered them to freeze. Two of the reporters ran Witnesses and police said inside to alert officers.

'He had a shotgun pointed in

the air against his shoulder, Mainess said. "At first, I thought he might have been kidding, but he was dead serious.

By that time, police officers began streaming out of the department and ordered the man to put down his gun. Officers then tackled and arrested Allred.



In end game, Clinton presses Israelis and Palestinians to reach an agreement

QUEENSTOWN, Md. (AP) -The CIA would supervise the jailing and disarming of suspected Palestinian terrorists in land-for-security deal President Clinton is pressing hard to seal between Israelis and Palestinians, officials at the talks said.

The two sides, expected to meet for a seventh day today, were engaged in "hard bargaining" that could produce a broad agreement this week designed to move the Middle East peace process to its final stage, U.S. officials said. They noted the key assistance of Jordan's King Hussein, who attended at the administration's Clinton request.

"It's certainly the most intenphase yet," State sive Department spokesman James P. Rubin said late Tuesday as the leaders and negotiators worked into the morning to overcome "significant gaps." He said some obstacles were

overcome and at this stage, "An agreement," Lockhart said at

inch is as good as a mile." But Rubin cautioned that morning. "Both sides appear despite the high-octane effort by Clinton, Secretary of State this if we didn't believe both Madeleine Albright and CIA sides were serious about reach-Director George Tenet, the United States might not get Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat to make the necessary "tough decisions.

Clinton did not make it back to the White House until about 3 a.m. today and it was uncertain whether he would return to to this weekend so he could Wye Plantation in rural Maryland today.

White House press secretary Joe Lockhart said the president would consult with Albright today before deciding whether to rejoin the talks. He has already spent 55 hours at Wye since the talks began last Thursday.

"I'm not in a position to predict the two sides will reach an the United States.

the White House early this serious. We wouldn't still be at ing an agreement."

Responding to a question, Lockhart said he was not aware of any plans by either the Israeli or Palestinian delegations to leave the talks today. "We're taking this one day at

a time," he said Clinton postponed a midweek

fund-raising trip to California shuttle to the talks from the White House.

On Tuesday, the president first met with Hussein, a well respected Middle East leader who made peace with Israel in 1994, and the king also talked for 45 minutes each with Arafat and Netanyahu before returning to his Potomac, Md., home. He's being treated for cancer in

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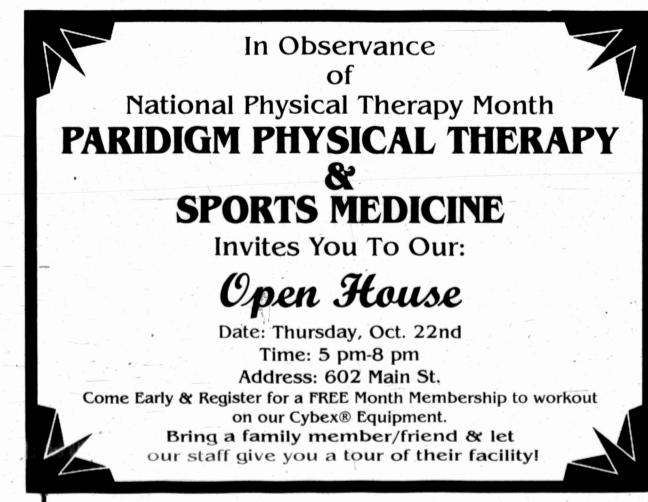
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Elderly are warned about Social Security scams WASHINGTON (AP) - Lana Elzy was mail fraud for allegedly misrepresenting include a new statement of taxes paid Noe said - although you may be refused

suspicious when her 90-year-old aunt got a letter, supposedly from the government, asking for her Social Security number, information about her bank account and her signature on a blank form.

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Even though the elderly woman also had received phone calls about the letter from a man claiming to be from the Social Security Administration, "I told her I thought it was a scam of some kind," said Elzy of Floyds Knobs, Ind. Elzy contacted her local Social Security office.

It turns out she was right: Special agents for Social Security's inspector general's office arrested the man, Anthony David Williams, 32, in Phoenix on Monday. He has been charged with

himself as a government employee to con retirees and disabled Americans receiving Social Security benefits.

"If she had sent this back, the gist of it was he had all the information to get on the phone and call her bank, find out how much money she had, print the check and it was already signed," Elzy said.

Commissioner Security Social Kenneth Apfel called such scams "despicable" in a statement Tuesday, and took the opportunity to warn senior citizens to be careful about giving out their Social Security numbers.

Social Security recipients usually get letters from the government when their benefits go up. Other legitimate mailings that people get from Social Security and future benefits due, which every American worker over age 25 will receive by the end of next year.

"But we never ask for money for a processing fee," Social Security spokeswoman Cathy Noe said.

The government also does not normal ly ask for someone's Social Security number — they already know it. Indeed, Social Security prints that number as an identifier on mailings about a person's benefits.

Social Security numbers are the most widely used ID in the private sector as well – requested on the forms people fill out for everything from college registrations to bank slips. But consumers require a person to disclose the number,

a loan or credit card if you won't.

According to an affidavit filed with the U.S. District Court in Phoenix to obtain a warrant for his arrest. Williams allegedly sent letters on a likeness of Social Security stationery, often following up with phone calls.

"According to our records you are entitled to receive an additional check from Social Security each month," one version of the letter said. "These extra income benefits could give you up to an additional \$514 per month.'

Recipients were asked to send a "filing fee" of varying amounts up to \$23, or to fill out a form including their Social Security and bank account numbers so should remember that businesses can't the fee could be "automatically deducted.

The 1986 Challenger disaster

Rumor had it that President

"It's a question of one's per-

ception, but there was a lot of

external pressure in my reading

of the facts to launch the

Challenger that time, and it

resulted in some pretty poor

decisions," said Himmel, a

is still too fresh in too many

Bar to vote on lifting cloak of secrecy about grievances

HOUSTON (AP) - Texans may soon get a peek under the robe of secrecy that surrounds complaints filed against lawyers.

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The State Bar of Texas votes in November and December on a proposal allowing an attorney accused of wrongdoing to speak out after being cleared of allegations.

The proposal would permit an accused attorney to talk at least about whether a grievance is still pending, its subject matter and status, according to The Texas Journal of The Wall Street Journal.

At the same time, though, the bar is asking members to approve a separate rule designed to tighten its secrecy rules.

The proposal would make a grievance committee's deliberations and voting exempt from discovery in state court actions, including during appeals of a grievance panel's decisions.

Texas bar officials defend the secrecy of the grievance process.

"Our rules are designed to protect attorneys' reputations until there's a chance to examine the claim and until it's determined to be substantial," says Steven Young, the bar's general counsel.

But some lawyers want the grievance procedure to be more open.

"We all know that secrecy is dysfunctional," says Larry Doherty, a Houston lawyer who has been chairman of several committees investigating grievances about attor nevs.

"Right now, it's designed to keep (bar officials operating) the system from ever having to answer to anybody,' Doherty said.

Investigations, hearings and the complaints about any of the state's 62,000 lawyers are kept under wraps.

Safety key determining factor in Discovery liftoff next week

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) – NASA insists that safety - not the presence of the president — will determine whether Discovery lifts off next week with John Glenn. Meanwhile, the 77-year-old astronaut has reportedly been dropped from an age-related experiment.

NASA has touted such experiments as one of the top reasons for including Glenn on the space shuttle team. He will be the oldest person in space. He volunteered to be the first geriatric research subject in space. Glenn was quietly removed in

August from a planned experiment to test the hypnotic effects of a natural hormone, melatonin, on people in orbit, The York Times reported New today.

"He did not meet one of the lished for participation in our study," Dr. Charles Czeisler of

in Boston told the newspaper.

medical criteria that was estab-Brigham and Women's Hospital

Czeisler, the study's lead researcher, refused to elaborate, citing NASA's rule forbidding disclosure of medical information without the subject's per-

mission; Glenn also declined to comment, the Times said. Glenn will still participate in two other planned experiments on aging — monitoring sleep and use of protein, the Times said

On Tuesday, the White House

THURSDAY, OCT. 22:

You get mixed messages from other people throughout the year. On a financial and professional level, however, you are very clear about your needs. You are willing to work endlessly to make what you want happen, and you have the energy to sustain your desires. Still, bosses often confuse you, and you might have difficulty reading between the lines. If you are single, romance blossoms, possibly with a co-worker. Proceed with the utmost caution. 1999 presents an opportunity to meet the right person. If attached, working together on a project improves your relationship. SCORPIO helps you make money.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Initiate one-on-one conversations. Your ability to perceive someone's motivation helps you understand what is going on. Confusion surrounds others and their choices. A boss or higher-up might not see a situation the same way as you, or anyone else for that matter. Tonight: Talk it up.****

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR high, and you find unusual answers. An encounter with someone very different could mean a new direction. A close tie seems to make no sense right now; be patient. Tonight: Add more spice to your life.****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Emphasize long-term adjustments, and formulate a more efficient game plan for the future. You need to understand more about a partner, though he is certainly willing to share. Listen carefully. You might not understand what your role is here. Keep asking. Tonight: Where the action is.****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Make calls, and reach out for others as your popularity mounts. Others seek you out. Be careful about a loved one or child. Confusion might encourage you to take a financial gamble. Creativity is high, but you could easily make a bad decision. Tonight: Out with a friend LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Awareness disintegrates into chaos. Understand more of what is going on with others. Ask questions, and focus on details, especially work-related. Your fun, loving side comes out. A family member makes an important request. Avoid a commitment if you can. Tonight: Order in.**** SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You are personality-plus. A loved one cannot get enough of you. Allow your happiness to flow and touch the people you care about. Creativity surges as you deal with problems. Listen carefully to your inner voice when someone tells you a story. Tonight: Make that request.****

Take the lead, and follow through on what you want. You are unsure of yourself with a boss. Step back and think. Network, and get together with others. Communications are starred. You bring in new friends because of your style. Tonight: Zero in on what you want.****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Intuition backfires; don't use it today, especially with work and what might be going on behind the scenes. Accept the limelight, take responsibility and talk about different finan cial perspectives. Don't commit any extraordinary amount of money. Tonight: Push hard.*** PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

Reach out for friends, make calls and put your best foot forward. Someone is impressed with what you accomplish. Look at different viewpoints. but refuse to take unnecessary isks. All for what you want, but don't expect a partner to understand or see eye-to-eye with you. Tonight: Answer your e-mail.*****

announced that President Clinton will attend the space shuttle launch Oct. 29. The last time an American

minds, Himmel said. president witnessed a manned space shot, the rocket soared Reagan was keen to mention an orbiting schoolteacher Christa through storm clouds and was McAuliffe in his State of the hit twice by lightning. Apollo 12 was launched to the moon that Union address. McAuliffe never made it to space. She and the rainy November day in 1969, the six others on board were killed never-confirmed story goes. when Challenger exploded 73 because Nixon was there. seconds after liftoff that icy

A senior member of NASA's Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel said the space agency wouldn't dare launch Discovery just because Clinton was in the

viewing stands. "No way, no way" Seymour Himmel said. "No, it's going to be within the boundaries that are allowed or it ain't going to retired NASA official.

Woman receives Texas abortion after Louisiana hospitals refuse

Obstetrician Bernard 'Everything went fine," he said Tuesday. "She was a very

cv dangerous for her and the fetus, and her condition poses

could harm the fetus.

January morning.

She developed cardiomyopathy 5> years ago, while she was pregnant with the first of her two children. The condition worsened 2> years ago, during her second pregnancy.

Ms. Lee initially asked the medical center in Shreveport for an abortion eight weeks ago, when she discovered she was three weeks pregnant. The extra strain on her heart left her bedridden for much of the pregnancy.

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HOUSTON (AP) – A 26-yearold Louisiana woman who suffers from a weak heart had an abortion in Houston after being

unable to find a doctor willing perform the surgery in her home state.

Rosenfeld, who performed the abortion for Michelle Lee at St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital, said the surgery lasted ten minutes.

good patient.' Ms. Lee has a weak, irregular heart beat that makes pregnan-

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

Others dominate, whether you want them to or not. Aim for what you desire. Allow greater creativity and understanding into a key friendship. The feedback you receive provides additional insights, A misunderstanding may crop up with a co-worker. Tonight: Be where the crowds are.****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Dig into work, make a needed doctor's appointment and observe someone's discovery. A boss looks to you for ideas and resolution. Go off in another direction. A partner might mean well but confuses information even further. Stay centered. Tonight: Check financial figures.***

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Imagination and mental acumen lead you down a more rewarding path. Creativity is

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

Take a deep breath, and look at what is going on within you. You might want a different type of home life. Start talking about your long-term desires. Confusion surrounds a wish and an important friendship. Use extra caution with financial matters. Tonight: Do your own thing.**

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Olympic figure skater Brian Boitano (1963), actress Annette Funicello (1942), actor Christopher Lloyd (1938)

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too many risks for her to have the procedure done at a clinic. She had been on a list for a heart transplant at LSU Medical Center in Shreveport when she became pregnant about 11 weeks ago.

The mother of two sons Kevin, 5, and Nick 3 - sought an early abortion, saying her heart specialists said the pregnancy would endanger her life and the medications she takes



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Pickle, long-time Howard

County resident and historian,

Other members of the 1928

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Staff Writer

QUICK TRIVIA

The Mardi Gras celebration goes back to an ancient Roman custom of merrymaking before a period of fast. In Germany it is called Fastnacht, and in England it is called Pancake Day.

Monaco is one of the smallest counyries in the world. Located on the French Riveiera coast, Monaco has an area of only 0.58 square miles and in places stretches only 200 yards.inland.

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in June Harding's home. That would insult her pets.

'They're actually very clean," Harding said recently as two of her eight pet rats scurried up and down her arms and neck. "They can live in dirty surroundings, but they keep themselves very clean and they're sweet and they're not vicious."

They're also intelligent and affectionate, she said. In her three years as a rat owner, Harding says she has never been bitten.

She has eight Norway rats with names like Zorro. Velvet, Molli, Elizabeth and Little Bit. "They know their names, and they're like kids; they come when they want to," Harding said.

She breeds rats, but only sells to people who want them as pets. "I make sure they're not snake food," she said.

Harding recently attended the North American Rat and Mouse Club international competition in Hershey, Pa., with 200 other enthusiasts.

It was Harding's third convention and she took her three male rats. They all placed in various categories. Peter Bear was recognized not for his size but his general good demeanor, placing fourth in the "pets" category. A couple of years ago, Molli

because, Harding said, "When they opened her cage, she ran right over to the judges.'

MILFORD, Mich. (AP) -The alligator could take being arrested – until he got a look at the police officer's shoes.

A truck driver spotted the 3foot alligator sunning itself Monday afternoon on a road near Milford, 40 miles northwest of Detroit. The trucker called police after managing to tape the reptile's mouth shut.

"The trucker was pretty gutsy," Officer Tim Seguin said. "But alligators are coldblooded, so they're going to be pretty sluggish around this time of year.'

Seguin and two other offi cers called Oakland County Animal Control, then put the alligator in a patrol car. It tried to hide under the driver's seat, but one of the officers used a box and blankets from a nearby business to create a temporary home for

The alligator, believed to be an escaped or abandoned pet, snapped once before Animal Control arrived.

"He didn't like one of our officers," Seguin said. "It probably had something to do with his shoes. Maybe he thought he was looking at a relative.

Setting a good driving example

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Discourteous drivers commonly tailgate, pass improperly, cut off other motorists. engage in unnecessary horn honking, weave in and out of traffic, flash headlights to get others out of their way, and sometimes display other inappropriate behavior over imagined insults.

Losing self-control is the issue. Seemingly insignificant incidents such as parking space disputes, fender benders, obscene gestures, loud music. or failure to use a turn signal, can lead to violent behavior.

To become a more courteous driver, experts recommend: Using the passing lane only

when passing. Signal before switching lanes

Allow plenty of space between your car and the car in front of you-do not tailgate.

When driving slowly, stay to the right. Pull off the road to use your

cell phone, other wise it may distract you. Park only in one parking

space To avoid becoming the victim

of a discourteous driver: Never underestimate the

other driver's capacity for deliberate destruction.

Avoid eye contact with trou-



Friends of the Library greeters will be of assistance," said "People can tour the basement. We have a Children's Program room, a Genealogy

room, and, of course, the community room," said Redman. Refreshments will be served

and unusual musical entertain-"They did that to keep the ment is scheduled, Redman library open. Mr. Pickle told said. me the library only had about "The Anderson Cousins will 1,000 books then," Redman said.

be playing music from the Besides volunteering to keep twenties; it'll be interesting to the high school library open, hear this kind of music," said Lamb was a charter member of Redman.

'Designing Nun' honored at University of Incarnate Word

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — Norma Hayduk noticed an the 1948 Hyperion Club and a envelope marked "For You" member of the Rainbow Girls. sticking out of the slats of a "The community room will be park bench as she strolled by. named for her. We really have

So naturally she looked. taken a liking to Mrs. Lamb, Inside was \$100 and a note and we are working on a disthat read: "Hello. Yes, this is play of the things she has done for you and yes, this is for in our community," said real. Money comes in my life and I am grateful for it. This is my way for me to express mation on Mrs. Lamb; we had my gratitude. We live in a to get most of it from the high vast and infinitely abundant universe. There is more than school year book and some from Joe Pickle because most enough for all of us. Enjoy, a who knew her, couldn't rememfriend.

She ran back to her husband, Kenneth, to show him what she had found.

"I've never run into any thing like this before," said Kenneth Hayduk. "We sure can use this. We're just average folks.'

Hayduk, 51, is a heat, ventilation and air conditioning technician apprentice. Mrs. Hayduk, 48, is a customer service representative.

Hayduk said he hopes whoever left the money knows it was appreciated and that yes, the recently married couple will enjoy it.

"I guess there are some decent, caring people left in the world," he said. "I don't know what else to say.'

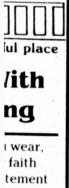
DURHAM, Maine (AP) -

Eats and treats and fun

ing and it's the season to dressup which means Halloween is right around the corner. We love it because it means candy



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years in fashion. "I am just someone who has always been interested in sewing. That's all," she explains, ever so humbly.

The university is rededicating the newly remodeled Sister Mary Elizabeth Joyce Building, formerly known as the Home Economics Building.

On display throughout the month will be the four "Gone with the Wind" replicas that Sister Joyce calls her proudest accomplishment.

"I would say it was quite a project, and I enjoyed every minute of it," she recalls fondly. "However, I think people were more interested in 'Gone With the Wind' than with what we were doing."

Back in 1986, the original movie dresses were being stored at the University of Texas at Austin, which has an extensive collection of theater memorabil-

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featuring the lovable characters from the Hundred Acre Wood.

animated rendition of Washington Irving's haunting tale.

SAN ANTONIO(AP) -- Call her ia. The school was making some the Designing Nun.

cash by renting out the dresses to universities, museums and other organizations. After a while, however, maintaining these historical fracks was cost-ing the university quite the Wind" when your only credit in nickel. Time was chomping on the quickly deteriorating material, and the folks at the insurance company were growing ever more demanding. Consequently, UT-Austin was forced to return the originals. But not before hiring Sister Joyce and her two students to produce carbon copies of the extravagant gowns.

They included the Maroon Velvet Ostrich Feather Dress, the Blue Velvet Robe, Scarlett's Wedding Dress and the Green Curtain Dress.

A stickler for precision and accuracy, Sister Joyce mandated that every stitch, fabric and color was to be identical to the originals, recalls former student Carrie Harrell.

About a year later, the team finished the project. To Xerox the garments, the seemingly endless list of materials included 16 yards of Italian cotton velveteen, 10 yards of bias vines and 46 yards of blue French silk velvet. "When we were asked if we wanted to do the project, it was immediately a unanimous decision," remembers Hevenor-Boyle. "Of course, the project was a big part of it, but having the opportunity of working

along side Sister Joyce was the

best part of it all.'

For a ghoulishly good time, consider adding spook-tacular Halloween

and spooky decorations.

Historians trace the holiday to a few thousand years ago, when pagan Celts throughout Europe celebrated Oct. 31 - the mid-point between the vernal equinox and the winter solstice. They painted their faces blue, dance around bonfires' and cavorted through the forests to honor their dead ancestors.

With the advent of Christianity, the holiday acquired a different meaning. Christians chose Nov. 1 as All Saints Day to honor the faithful dead. Oct. 31 then became All Saints (or Hallow's) Eve - thus "Halloween."

In the early 20th Century Halloween assumed yet another identity. This holiday became widely celebrated as a children's holiday, and the modern practice of "Trick or Treat" began

Halloween is a holiday where almost anything goes, including some frightful interior decorating. Throughout the month of October, neighborhood haunted houses sprout up like toadstools. A witch here, a jacko-lantern there and soon the whole neighborhood is transformed into cob-webbed collections of monster's lairs.

Imagination, creativity and a little bit of courage are all you need to dress your house in real Halloween style.

Decorating and setting up the home for Halloween may take a little time and effort but it is a great project for the whole fam-



A finished Caramel-Apple Cake

ily. The children can even create their own costumes based on the personality that the house projects.

A clever decorating idea is to give each room in your house a different theme.

Of course it's not fair to scare your party guests and not reward them with some sweet treats. Instead of handing out same store-bought the Halloween candy this year, make special "haunted" cupcakes and cookies.

Halloween is not only child's play. Adults can transform

Halloween into an adult holiday by having "adult focused" parties.

This can be done by having informal costume parties to more formal sit-down dinners and gatherings that simply feature festive hors d'oeuvres and drinks.

Among the desserts to be served, try this one.

Caramel-Apple Cake

Equipment: large mixing bowl (2) 8" round pans solid vegetable shortening orange and light cocoa candy melts

Courtesy phot

icing decorations such as spiders and bats

1 tube decorating icing toothpicks ingredients:

1 cup oil 2 cups sugar 3 eggs

2 cups flour 2 tsp. vanilla 1 tsp. baking soda 1 tsp. cinnamon

1 cup chopped walnuts 1/2 cup dried cherries 3 medium Granny Smith

apples cored and coarsely chopped

1 recipe buttercream icing (recipe follows) or 1 can ready to spread vanilla icing

1/3 cup caramel ice cream topping

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PARENTS AND OTHER INTERESTED

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al material used by the local school districts at

Region 18 Service Center in Midland on Oct. 29

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'Huck Finn' to stay on reading list

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - A federal appeals court on Monday rejected a black woman's request to remove "Huckleberry Finn" and a William Faulkner story from the required-reading list at her daughter's Arizona high school.

Courts cannot "ban books or other literary works from school curricula on the basis of their content ... even when the works are accused of being racist," the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said.

The court allowed the parent. Kathy Monteiro, to sue the

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION THE LAST WORD

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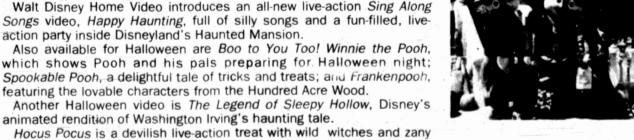
Oscar Wilde De Profundis

There is no cosmetic for beauty like happiness. Anonymous

The moment my eyes fell on him, I was content. **Edith Wharton**

fun. Each video costs under \$15 and is available at stores everywhere to help make Halloween a hauntingly exciting experience.

HALLOWEEN HINTS



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1 - 1 1/2 cup orange candy melts 1/2 cup light cocoa candy

melts

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease (2) 8-inch round pans with solid vegetable shortening. Combine oil and sugar in large mixing bowl, blend well. Add remaining ingredients (eggs, flour, vanilla, soda, cinnamon, walnuts, dried cherries and apples) one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Pour batter into prepared pans. Bake 40-45 minutes or until cake tests done with a toothpick. Cool 10 minutes and remove from pan.

To decorate cake:

Combine caramel ice cream topping with icing, mix well. Spread thin layer of icing on bottom cake layer. Place remaining cake layer on top of bottom layer and ice entire cake with caramel icing.

Candy spider web: (can be made up to three days in advance and store in

the refrigerator) NOTE: Read directions completely before starting candy web.

Melt 10 ounce orange and 4 ounce light cocoa candy melts according to package directions. pour orange candy melts into bottom of a dry, clean 8" round cake pan (same as cake). Spread out evenly and tap bottom of pan to make sure melted candy is level. Immediately make chocolate-web.

To prepare chocolate, place chocolate candy melts in disposable decorating bag. Melt according to package directions. As soon as orange candy is in pan, cut the tip off the decorating bag and prepare to make web. Pipe four separate circles, from smaller to largerworking from the canter out to edge of the pan. the Immediately run toothpick through circles, working first from the center to the edge of cake pan, then from the edge to center. You will have approximately eight or nine sections that make the web.

Place in refrigerator for 25 minutes or until hard and thoroughly cool. When cool, candy will drop out of pan, if not return to refrigerator. Invert pan onto waxed paper and using a round cookie cutter, cut 1/3 moons around entire web to create scalloped effect. With extra melted candy attach spiders and bats on candy spider web. Place finished candy web on top of cake and add petite spiders and bats to edge of cake.

'Happiness' tops box office; HUCK 'Practical Magic' comes in second Tempe Union District for all LOS ANGELES (AP) - With per location, total gross and average, \$35,4 million, four Halloween right around the corner, two films with supernatural themes were the top draws at theaters over the weekend. The dark comedy "Happiness" also did well in limited release.

Starring Sandra Bullock and Nicole Kidman as witches, "Practical Magic" made its debut at No. 1 with \$13.1 million on a weekend that saw an 18 percent increase in business from the same time a year ago.

"Bride of Chucky" was second with \$11.8 million, the best debut for any film in the evil doll series. "Beloved" also debuted well, finishing fifth with \$8.17 million and the best per-theater average (\$5,400) of any film in wide release.

Maintaining .box-office strength were "Antz," which collected \$11.2 million for third place, and "Rush Hour," which brought in \$8.2 million.

Making an impressive debut in limited release was the black comedy "Happiness," which grossed \$130,303 for a huge perlocation average of \$21,717,

The top 20 movies at North American theaters Friday through Sunday, followed by studio, gross, number of theater locations, average receipts

was some mouth on "Costello,"

a sitcom coarse and charmless

enough to be dropped by Fox

The cancellation of the series

about a South Boston barmaid

(the talented, ill-served Sue

Costello) left barely a dent in

the number of Irish-American

characters on television, which

is bopping to a "Riverdance"

There's "Trinity," the NBC

series that, with a large cast of

characters in every conceivable

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three, three, three shows in one:

family drama, cop drama and

priest drama. It's well written

beat this season.

within weeks of its debut.

number of weeks in release, as compiled by Exhibitor **Relations and released Monday:** 1. "Practical Magic," Warner Bros., \$13.1 million, 2,652 locations, \$4,941 average, \$13.1 million, one week.

2. "Bride of Chucky," Universal, \$11.8 million, 2,412 locations, \$4,905 average, \$11.8 million, one week.

3. "Antz," DreamWorks, \$11.2 million, 2,903 locations, \$3,863 average, \$51.4 million, three weeks.

4. "Rush Hour," New Line, \$8.2 million, 2,724 locations, \$3,028 average, \$109.9 million, five weeks.

5. "Beloved," Disney, \$8.17 million, 1,501 locations, \$5,440 average, \$8.17 million, one week.

6. "What Dreams May Come," Polygram, \$6.4 million, 2,506 locations, \$2,555 average, \$41.1 million, three weeks.

7. "A Night at the Roxbury," Paramount, \$3.8 million, 2,169 locations, \$1,760 average, \$23.4 million, three weeks.

8. "Urban Legend," Sony, \$2.9 million, 2,063 locations, \$1,400 average, \$30.9 million, four weeks. 9. "Ronin," MGM/UA, \$2.8 million, 1,982 locations, \$1,415

ries the proper credentials for a

series with true Irish-American

anything but what I come from,

and I come from an Irish neigh-

said the South Boston native. "I

think the good thing about it is

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CBS party line," she said.

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We wouldn't suspect blarney,

even for a minute. Waters, who

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'To Have & To Hold'

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - That ing as her characters and car-

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10. "Holy Man," Disney, \$2.4 million, 2,013 locations, \$1,200 average, \$9 million, two weeks. 11. "There's Something About Mary," 20th Century Fox, \$1.9 million, 1,416 locations, \$1,320 average, \$164.8 million, 14 weeks.

12. "Saving Private Ryan," DreamWorks, \$903,995, 851 locations, \$1,062 average, \$187.7 million, 13 weeks.

13. "One True Thing," Universal, \$809,360, 1,072 locations, \$755 average, \$21.8 million, five weeks.

\$666,134, 63 locations, \$10,574 average, \$46.5 million, 33 weeks.

15. "Simon Birch," Disney, \$584,874, 708 locations, \$826 average, \$16.3 million, six weeks.

16. "Armageddon," Disney, average, \$199.6 million, 16 weeks:

Bros., \$524,544, 734 locations, \$715 average, \$43.7 million, 12 weeks.

18. "Blade," New Line, \$393,574, 544 locations, \$723 average, \$67.7 million, nine weeks

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Tempe Union High School McNamee dismissed the law-District for allegedly failing to respond to complaints that white students were harassing blacks with racial slurs and graffiti. But the judges said the school could not be required to remove the books as a way to reduce harassment.

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Ms. Monteiro had sought to remove Mark Twain's "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" and Faulkner's "A Rose for Emily" from the requiredreading list for ninth-grade English classes.

She was unhappy that her daughter, now a senior at McClintock High School, had to read the books which repeatedly use the word "nigger.

The lawsuit said the assignment of the books discriminated against black students, created a racially hostile environment and caused an increase in harassment.





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The school district's lawyer, Allison Lewis, was unavailable for comment. A telephone call to the superintendent's office

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suit in January 1997, saying he

was aware that the language

in the books was offensive and

hurtful but did not find their

In Monday's ruling, the

appeals court said a student's

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Ms. Monteiro's lawyer,

Stephen Montoya, said the rul-

ing was a victory overall,

because the court agreed that

a school district cannot allow

a racially hostile environment

to persist. He disagreed with

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Wednesday, October 21, 1998

14. "Everest," MacGillivray,

17. "The Negotiator," Warner

All photos used in the life! section must be picked up within 30 days or they will be discarded!

but earnest to a fault.

There's "Legacy," the UPN series about a 19th-century Southern family that parades its Irish pedigree with mournful tunes and a passion for real estate rivaled only by Scarlett O'Hara and Donald Trump.

And there's CBS' "To Have & To Hold," the show that seems get it right. Billed as a romance-drama about a newlywed defense attorney (Moira Kelly) and police officer (Jason Beghe), the series pulls us into the life of a lively Boston neighborhood and its families.

'To Have & To Hold" (9 p.m. EDT Wednesday) is lusty, funny and touching. We can even forgive it for upping the TV ante by asking us to suspend disbelief about how the legal system operates

As beguiling as the show is. then, it is not surprising to find that the writer who created it, Joanne T. Waters, is as engag-

way recalls telling She a researcher for a TV talk show how she took six years off after bailing out of journalism studies and before she decided to write for the theater.

"He wanted to know if I was exploring my demons. I told him just because I'm a playwright doesn't mean I like hanging around with demons and rolling around in the abyss," Waters said.

It's not her style, and she doesn't get why others would want to. When non-Irish friends wept over "Angela's Ashes," Frank McCourt's acclaimed memoir of his impoverished Irish childhood, Waters tried to set them straight.

"I told them, 'You're not getting the humor,' " Waters said. claiming she shed tears only once but found the book's bleakly comic moments irresistible. Which is not to say she lacked

that is very Irish is everybody just opens the door and walks into their parents' house. You wouldn't dream of phoning ahead, you'd just go," Flanagan said.

"And if they weren't in, you'd be outraged," she added, laugh-

Flanagan, a Dublin native whose film and theater credits include "Some Mother's Son" and "James Joyce's Women," also finds a reassuring familiarity in the TV series' depiction of a closely tied community.

When I'd go home to Ireland to visit, my mother would immediately make breakfast, and while I'd be eating it she'd tell me about all the people who died since I'd been there last.

'Do you know who's dead?' she'd ask. Then would come a litany of tribal connections to help Flanagan recall the departed soul: "He was married to soand-so, a very nice girl."

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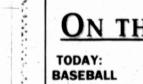
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Over 80 scramble slated at BSCC this weekend

The Big Spring Country Club has scheduled a two-man over 80 scramble tournament for Saturday and Sunday.

A 1 p.m. shotgun start is scheduled for both days.

Fees will be \$60 per player, plus cart rental. Fees will include a mulligan and a meal following Saturday's round of play.

For more information, call the pro shot at 267-5354

Coahoma boosters slate meeting for Tuesday

The Coahoma Athletic Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Coahoma Elementary School cafeteria. A business meeting will pre-

cede taped highlights from Friday night's game and commentary from Bulldogs coach-

The public is invited to attend.

Basketball officials set meeting for Oct. 28

Big Spring basketball officials will hold a meeting a 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, at Steer Gym on the Big Spring High School campus.

Anyone interested in basketball officiating can contact Jody Carper at 267-2010 or Dusty Shelhamer at 263-4888.

Sands turkey shoot slated for Saturday

The annual Sands Turkey Shoot is set for, 10 a.m. Saturday at the shooting range on FM 846 in Knott.

Winners receive half of the daily entry fee, plus \$1 buybacks. The main event, a \$20 shoot from the 27-yard line, begins at 4 p.m.

8. Factory shells (3 dr. 1/8 . ounce 7 1/2) are required for the main event. Winners will also receive a smoked-turkey. A concession stand will be

players union stay the course and continue to resist a bad deal? Or would the best move be to decertify the union and try to beat the owners in a long, draggedout court fight?

That was the question to be debated today in Las Vegas at a meeting of the player agents' advisory council.

On Thursday, Michael Jordan, Scottie Pippen and Karl Malone are among those expected in attendance at Caesar's Palace as the union holds a meeting open to all players.

Commissioner David Stern and the owners, meanwhile, would prefer to be back at the bargaining table.

"I can tell you," Stern said. "This union leadership stymies us. Russ (Granik, deputy commissioner) and I, for a multiyear fight with the owners.

Some player agents pushing for NBA union's decertification NEW YORK (AP) - Should the NBA something over 50 years combined, we've been able to negotiate with every other combination of executive directors and presidents in the history of this union. And lawyers. And somehow, we are unable to have a conversation that gets us any negotiation.

One day after the union lost its guaranteed contracts arbitration grievance before arbitrator John Feerick, there ball.' was an internal debate as to what's the next best course of action.

Some thought the wisest move would be to continue to present a unified front and resist accepting a bad deal - even if the lockout lasts into January.

Others, including a vocal minority of the agents' council, were pushing for decertification, a move that could lead to

Players earlier this summer gave the union's executive council the go-ahead to decertify, so a vote among the rankand-file would not be necessary.

"The players will not back down." union director Billy Hunter said. "The sooner the owners realize this and end the lockout, the quicker we can avoid enormous damage to the sport of basket-

By decertifying, the union would remove itself as the official bargaining agent for the players. A court injunction would then be sought to end the lockout.

If an injunction was granted, the owners would lift the lockout, open camps and impose new work rules. And if the new rules were more restrictive than the old ones, the players would be expected to file an antitrust suit against the

league seeking treble damages

NFL players opted for the decertification route after their strike failed in 1987, and their court fight with NFL owners dragged on for five years.

NBA players who currently have long term contracts might benefit from a decertification move, since they would immediately start collecting their salaries. But current free agents and players who have been in the league less that three years would be hurt because they would be forced to sign under the rules of a new system and then would have to wait several years to find out if they would win damages.

Stern and the owners are well aware that the union has been considering decertification, and some agents believe the league fears being taken to court.

Rivalry with Mustangs means Steers gunning for No. 3 team By JOHN A. MOSELEY

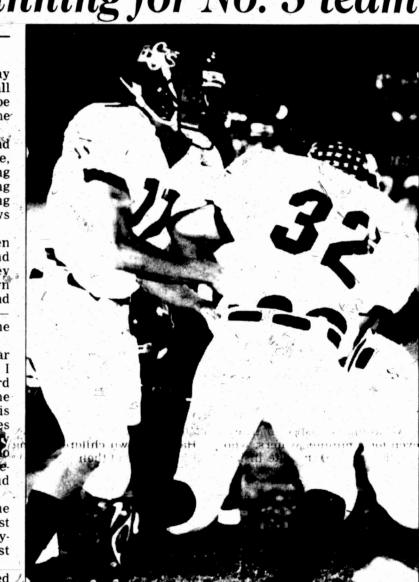
Sports Editor

For about three hours Friday night, Big Spring head football coach Dwight Butler will be anything but friendly with one of his best friends.

That's because his best friend and former college roommate, Mike Lebby, will be standing across the field at Big Spring Memorial Stadium, coaching the No. 3-ranked Andrews Mustangs.

Numerous stories have been written about Butler and Lebby's friendship — that they were roommates at Eastern New Mexico University and married college roommates in newspapers throughout the state.

"I even got a call last year from the paper in Houston ... I don't know how they heard about it," Butler said of the friendship prior to putting his Steers through workout paces in a chilly drizzle Tuesdey afternoon. "Well, maybe I to know ... probably had some thing to do with Shaud (Williams)."



Yankees romp; now on verge of Series sweep

SAN DIEGO (AP) - History is calling the New York Yankees, and they can hear it. On Tuesday night, the Yankees moved within one victory of the only goal they've had this year, winning the World Series. They can wrap it up tonight — with a sweep, no less. Scott Brosius brought the Yankees to the verge of their record 24th title. He hit two homers, including a three-run shot off relief ace Trevor Hoffman in the eighth inning, to beat the San Diego Padres 5-4 in Game 3.

'We feel like we're on the brink of something special," starting pitcher David Cone said. "There's going to be a lot of arguments historically about where this team fits in." Andy Pettitte will try to finish off the Yankees' first Series sweep since 1950 when he pitches against Kevin Brown, A win would give New York an overall record of 125-50 - at .714, the best winning percentage since the Murderers' Row team of the 1927 Yankees.

The Padres seemed to have luck on their side from the start. Center fielder Steve Finley made a juggling catch on Chuck Knoblauch's leadoff fly then ran into the fence to grab Brosius' drive in the second inning

Held hitless for five innings by Cone, the Padres took a 3-0 lead in the sixth on a burst started by Hitchcock's unlikely single and helped along by Gwynn's RBI single and right fielder Paul O'Neill's throwing error.

Yet with 64,667 crazed fans roaring and the cranked-up rock music blaring, these Yankees would not break.

Brosius led off the seventh with a home run against Hitchcock, MVP of the NL championship and a member of the Yankees' rotation with Cone in 1995. New York closed to 3-2 in the same inning, but short-

available and proceeds will benefit the junior class at Sands High School.

For more information contact Van Gaskins at 353-4598.

Prairie View A&M makes appeal in closed meeting

NEW ORLEANS (AP) Prairie View A&M University officials met with Athletic Southwestern Conference officials Tuesday to discuss a fight between the Southern University and Prairie View marching bands at a Sept. 19 football game.

The brawl in Beaumont led SWAC leaders to level a twogame suspension of the Prairie View band. The band defied the suspension by playing at halftime during the Oct. 3 game in Dallas with Grambling State, as part of the Al Lipscomb State Fair Classic.

SWAC That prompted Commissioner Rudy Washington to suspend Prairie View from all SWAC athletic competition, but the conference later backed off that penalty pending further review.

Tuesday's meeting at the Louisiana Superdome was closed to the public. Associate SWAC Commissioner Lonza Hardy said he would decline comment on the hearing until a written report came out, which could take up to four davs.

Prairie View repeatedly has cited its football contract with Grambling for its apparent defiance of the band suspension.

A copy of the contract, obtained by The Associated Press under the Texas Open Records Act, clearly states Prairie View could have faced an \$80,000 penalty if its band failed to perform.

ON THE AIR

TODAY: BASEBALL

7 p.m. — World Series, Game 4, New York Yankees at San Diego Padres, FOX, Ch. 3.

BOWLING 6:30 p.m. - PBA Rochester Open, ESPN, Ch. 30.

Butler never uses the Andrews running back's last name, nor does much of anyone else. Williams is just "Shaud."

When asked where he hoped to attack the highly-touted Mustangs on Friday night, Butler opined that Andrews simply doesn't have any weaknesses this year.

"There's not anything they don't do well," Butler admitted. "They're solid ... defensive tackles that go 275 and 230 pounds, linebackers that are between 200 and 220, offensive linemen that at weight 200 to 280 pounds ... and Shaud."

Williams is the state's leading Class 4A rusher with more than 1,500 yards to his credit this season and will walk onto Memorial Stadium's turf with more than 6,800 career yards, currently putting him second on the all-time Class 4A list.

Any other week of the season, Butler admits being almost a fan of both Williams and the Mustangs.

"They're flying high right now and any other week, I'd be

RERALD photo/Jim Fierro

Big Spring quarterback Lance Brock (11) hands off to fullback Jose Carnero (32) on a dive play during last week's game against Snyder. After dropping a 28-21 decision to the Tigers, the Steers will now be trying to regroup as No. 3-ranked Andrews' Mustangs arrive for a 7:30 p.m. Friday kickoff at Memorial Stadium.

Steers boss explained. "They understand that this is THEIR year. People over there are saying this is the best team they've had since the early 1980s when they had Keith Brooks and Van Pearcey."

And while the Steers will most assuredly be underdogs when Friday's kickoff gets things under way at 7:30 p.m., Butler says to expect a virtual war

"We're excited about this game, too," Butler said. "This may sound strange, but there's not much of anything that can

more than happy for them," the put a better taste in your mouth than beating a top 10 team. We've got plenty of motivation.

> "We've got a great rivalry with Andrews ... this is traditionally a war," he added. "It's not that there is any trash talk ing or cheap shots," Butler continued. "It's like (Texas Tech head coach) Spike Dykes said about our game last year ... he said it was the best high school game he'd seen in past 20 years. It was just 48 minutes of people getting after each other and it'll probably be like that

SMU still struggling for football respect DALLAS (AP) - Southern never could climb over the .500

Methodist is trying to prove mountain. there really is life after the NCAA death penalty.

It's been and continues to be a struggle for the Mustangs' football program.

Tom Rossley provided some interesting teams but they killed that idea.

This year the Mustangs have fielded a good defense and a Along came determined Mike struggling offense that has trou-

this week, too."

Cavan. The Mustangs finally ble finding an identity and a posted a winning record (6-5) starting quarterback. Freshman quarterback Josh and almost made it to a bowl

McCown, whose brother Randy game in 1997 before a late-sea-

son loss to Texas Christian See SMU, page 2B

"There's nothing more fun than this," Brosius said. "When you grow up you want to get a chance to play in the World Series, that's what you play for. We'd like to get 125, that would feel really good. We're in pretty good shape.

No team in baseball history has overcome an 0-3 deficit in the postseason. Now the Padres hope to do it against a team trying to cement its place as the best ever.

"I'm not going to say we're invincible, but we've definitely got the momentum." Yankees star Chili Davis said.

On a night when everything seemed to be going right for San Diego — great plays, clutch pitching by Sterling Hitchcock and key hits from Tony Gwynn Brosius and the Yankees ruined it.

For the second time in the series, the Yankees rallied from a three-run deficit in the late innings. Brosius contributed three hits, raising his Series average to .538.

"This game reaches in and grabs your guts out," Padres manager Bruce Bochy said. A change in scenery did not change San Diego's fortunes. Beaten twice in the Bronx, the

Padres again came up short amid the palm trees, fish tacos and beachballs of Qualcomm Stadium.

stop Chris Gomez made an eye popping catch to start an inning-ending double play

In the eighth, however, there was no one left to save the Padres.

O'Neill drew a leadoff walk from Randy Myers - once again, the Yankees' patience at the plate paid off - and then Bochy made an early call to the bullpen.

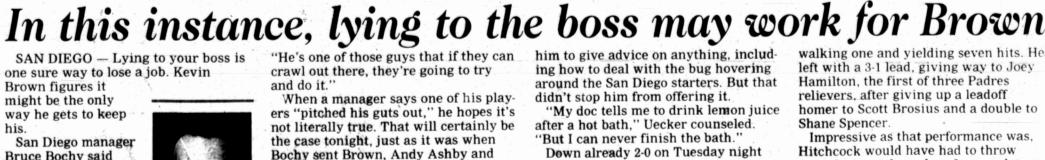
It was Trevor Time, and Hoffman walked in as AC-DC's "Hell's Bells" sent the crowd into a frenzy. Hoffman had been successful on 53 of 54 save chances during the regular season, though a blown chance in the NLCS against Atlanta perhaps was a bad omen.

Bernie Williams came close to putting the Yankees ahead, hitting a fly ball that Gwynn caught on the warning track in right. Tino Martinez followed with a walk and then Brosius, moved up to sixth in the batting order because the Yankees played without a DH, homered to center for a 5-3 lead.

"We wanted to be aggressive," said Hoffman, who struck out Brosius in this year's All-Star game. "I wasn't aggressive enough to the batter before. I just tinkered around, not putting pitches in the zone. The Yankees are patient, and they're not going to swing if it's not over.

Hoffman had not worked in five days, his longest idle period of the season, and clearly

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San Diego manager Bruce Bochy said he'll hand the ball to his No. 1 starter for Game 4, even though Brown, who has battled a viral infection since the World Series began, is far

from his healthiest starter. Exactly how far is a question Bochy won't even ask.

Brown figures it

his

might be the only

way he gets to keep

"I'm not confident that Brown is going to be honest with me," he said. "He's one of those guys that if they can crawl out there, they're going to try

When a manager says one of his players "pitched his guts out," he hopes it's not literally true. That will certainly be the case tonight, just as it was when Bochy sent Brown, Andy Ashby and Sterling Hitchcock — both fighting colds as well - to the mound for

Considering the sniffling, sneezing and sorry state of his staff, Bochy could have been excused for wanting to replace the resin bag on the mound with one of those airline barf bags. The outlook is so gloomy that Bochy could even be forgiven for flying Bob Uecker out to deliver the pep talk before Game

Uecker's career stats hardly qualify

him to give advice on anything, including how to deal with the bug hovering around the San Diego starters. But that didn't stop him from offering it.

'My doc tells me to drink lemon juice after a hot bath," Uecker counseled. "But I can never finish the bath."

Down already 2-0 on Tuesday night and as close to a must-win situation as they have been all year, the Padres were ready to try anything. But even six strong innings from Hitchcock wasn't medicine enough to keep the Yankees from winning 5-4 and moving within one game of their 24th series championship.

A full house of 64,667 at Qualcomm Stadium was on its feet and waving white hankies every time Hitchcock got two strikes on a hitter, which was often. He wound up striking out seven,

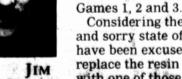
walking one and yielding seven hits. He left with a 3-1 lead, giving way to Joey Hamilton, the first of three Padres relievers, after giving up a leadoff homer to Scott Brosius and a double to Shane Spencer.

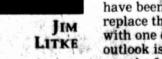
Impressive as that performance was, Hitchcock would have had to throw something on the order of a completegame shutout to get into the best-performances-by-a-flu-ridden ballplayer Hall of Fame.

Its most celebrated member is Michael Jordan, who turned up at the Delta Center only an hour before tipoff for Game 5 of the 1997 NBA Finals, looking like he should have stayed in bed. Rumor had it a bad pizza the night before did what no NBA defender could

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SPORTS

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SPORTS EXTRA

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

CLEVELAND INDIANS-Exercised 1999 options on SS Omar Vizquel and RHP Steve Reed. Declined to exercise 1999 options on INF Joey Cora and RHP Doug Jones, making them free agents. Released INF Jeff Manto and INF Ricky Gutierrez.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS --- Announced that they will not renew the contract of Bruce Kison, pitching coach. Removed OF Chris Hatcher, C Tim Spehr and C lector Ortiz from the 40-man roster OAKLAND ATHLETICS-Added LHP

OAKLAND AIHLETICS---Added LHP Juan Perez from Edmonton of the PCL. Sent RHP Willie Adams. RHP Bill King. RHP Dave Teigheder: LHP Tim Kubinski and OF Mike Neill outinght to Edmonton. SEATTLE MARINERS---Announced that John McLaren, bench coach: Stan Williams, pitching coach: Jesse Barlield, hitting coach: Sam Mejias, first base outfield coach; Steve Smith. hird base-infield coach: and Matt Sinatro, bullpen coach, will return for the 1999 season

TORONTO BLUE JAYS-Named Sal Butera third-base coach and Marty Pevey bullpen coach and catching

National League FLORIDA MARLINS--Claimed OF Bruce Aven off waivers from the Cleveland Indians. FOOTBALL

FOOTBALL National Football League INDIANAPOLIS COLTS---Waived RB Zack Crockett. Signed RB Scott Greene. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS---Activated WR Anthony Ladd from the practice squad. Placed LB Bernard Russ on injured reserve WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Signed OT Paul Wiggins Released G Michael

HOCKEY

National Hockey League CALGARY FLAMES--Recalled D Jamie Allison from Saint John of the AHL, Assigned RW Rocky Thompson to Saint Johr

DALLAS STARS -- Activated D Dan eczmer from injured reserve. Assigned Jason Botterill to Michigan of the IHL. MONTREAL CANADIENS—Signed LW

nan Savage to a two-year contract. PITTSBURGH PENGUINS -- Recalled Jean-Sebastian Aubin from Kansas

City of the IHL. TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING.-Named Jay Feaster assistant general manager, Don Murdoch director of hockey opera-tions, Peter Mahovlich director of pro couting, and Rick Paterson associate

oach. WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Assigned James Black to Chicago of the IHL. COLLEGE

AUBURN-MONTGOMERY-Named an Pruehsner women's assistant bas

NEW ORLEANS-Named Jim Hunter NURTH CAROLINA-Suspended

NJRTH CANDLING—Suspended senior QB Oscar Daveriport one game for violating unspecified team rules. Announced that OL Jon Hall will remain suspended for the rest of the season.

MLB PLAYOFFS

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football http://www.aptop25.com

AREA SCHEDULES

Here is the remaining schedule for Crossroads Country teams. FRIDAY, OCT. 23 Andrews at Big Spring, 7:30 p.m. Coahoma at Stanton, 7:30 p.m. Forsan at Sonora, 8 p.m. Marfa at Garden City, 8 p.m. Borden County at Grady, 7:30 p.m. Westbrook at Sands, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, OCT. 30 Lake View at Big Spring, 7:30 p.m. Tahoka at Coahoma, 7:30 p.m. Eldorado at Forsan, 8 p.m. Post at Stanton, 7:30 p.m. Garden City at Fort Davis, 8 p.m.

Grady at Westbrook, 7:30 p.m. Hermleigh at Sands, 7:30 p.m. FRIDAY, NOV. 6

Big Spring at Sweetwater, 7:30 p.m. Coahoma at Plains, 7:30 p.m. Forsan at Junction, 8 p.m. Stanton at Tahoka, 7:30 p.m. Fort Hancock at Garden City, 8 p.m.

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IUCO Top 15

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo, (AP) The top 15 teams in the National Junic College Athletic Association footba poll with first-place votes in parenthe ses and records through Oct. 18: Recor 1.Ricks, Idaho (6) 2.Middle Georgia (2) 3.Butler County, Kan. (2) 4.Jones County, Miss. Show, Utah 5. Tyler, Texas 7.Trinity Valley, Texas 8.NW Mississippi 9.Georgia Military Nassau, N.Y Coffewille, Kan Wm. Rainey Harp Lackawanna, Pa.

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CONFERENCE FINALS

Sunday, Oct. 11

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Wednesday, Oct. 21

(Best-of-3) EASTERN CONFERENCE

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Thursday's Games

Odessa at Abilene San Angelo at Amarillo New Mexico at El Paso

Waco at Arkansas Monroe at Austin

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Southern Calif. College

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16. Transylvania, Ky.

Howard College's rodeo teams closed out the first half of their season last weekend at the Texas Tech University rodeo in Lubbock.

The men's team took a sixthplace finish, while the women's team failed to place.

Cody Leal took the spotlight for the Hawk cowboys, finishing fifth in the short go-round and the average in calf roping. Jack Taylor and Boge Boutwell were sixth in both the short round and the average in team roping while Walker Wallace was seventh in the steer wrestling. In bull riding, Mike Citron

tied for fifth in the first goround but failed to place in the short round and the average. Both Howard rodeo teams

will begin the second half of the season the weekend of March 18-20 at New Mexico Junior College's rodeo in Lovington, N.M. ...

The Lady Hawk and Hawk basketball season is fast approaching with less than three weeks remaining before their first games on the sched-

SMU

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is the starting quarterback at Texas A&M, leads the Mustangs, who have been outscored 141-164 this season as they posted a 2-4 record. Before the season, the

Mustangs had hoped the strong

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It rendered Jordan dizzy and disoriented, relishing every second he could spend on the bench.

But the box score told a different story. Jordan scored 38 points, including every important basket down the stretch as the Bulls won and then claimed their fifth champi-

onship the next night. The virus responsible for Pete Sampras' epic and messy five-set win at the 1996 U.S. Open has vet to be identified. But it must have been nasty. Playing Spaniard Alex Corretja in a four-hour-plus match, Sampras was so weak at the end that he used his racket like a crutch to lean on between rallies. In the middle of the fifth-set tiebreaker, he vomited and looked as if he would pass out. Yet somehow he found the strength to win. Of course, as Bochy found out for the third straight game,not every virus-in-sport. episode ends up an inspirational tale.

HAWK HIGHLIGHTS By STAN FEASTER

Rodeo teams finish first half

Both Lady Hawks coach Matt

Corkery and Hawks coach

Tommy Collins are very opti-

Both squads have been voted

respective divisions in the

Athletic Conference coaches'

The Lady Hawks will open

their season on the road Nov.

5-7 at the Breakfast Rotary

Tournament at South Plains

Hawks will also travel north

for the Western Nebraska

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The Lady Hawk Fast Break

Fan Club will have its next

Western Junior College

mistic about this year's teams.

the No. 1-ranked teams in their



Sunday.

Clois and Peggy Snell will host the event located at 23 Chapman Road in Sand Springs.

For more information, call the Snells at 394-4673 or Corkery at 264-5043. ...

As a reminder, season passes for Hawk and Lady Hawk basketball games are available this year for \$25 each and may be purchased in the college's business office or at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum ticket office during games.

Passes are also available through the Lady Hawk Fast Break Fan Club.

Stan Feaster is sports information director for Howard College. His column appears on Wednesdays

said. "It's not a bad one to have."

However, SMU lives and dies by defense. The Mustangs have surrendered just 18 points in their last three games. "We bend but we don't

break," Cavan said after SMU beat TCU 10-6 on Saturday.

had left.

Andy Ashby started Sunday night's game in pretty much the same weakened condition. but the Yankees didn't need nearly as much time to make him feel worse. He suffered through 10 hits and seven runs in 2 2-3 innings before Bochy mercifully took him out. By

Bochy will have to try his luck by bringing back Brown as his

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seventh inning of Game 1 on Saturday night before Bochy pulled him with a 5-2 lead in favor of reliever Donne Wall. In hindsight, the manager probably wishes Wall - and left-hander Mark Langston, who relieved Wall in a matter of minutes - had been leveled by a virus as well.

Wall gave up the three-run then it was too late for the Padres to get well. homer to Chuck Knoblauch that tied the game and Now, after using Hamilton, Langston surrendered a grand slam to Tino Martinez that decided it. Bochy caught all Game 4 starter. "He just said, 'Hey, I'm fine manner of grief for pulling Brown, but only those two and to go," Bochy said. Sure he is. a few of the other Padres knew how little his starting pitcher ★ Re-Elect ★ JERRY KILGORE **County Commissioner** Precinct 2 *Experience * Proven Leadership *Qualified

SMU has turned into a running team, averaging 175.6

"That's our forte," Cavan

arm of quarterback Chris Sanders would provide an offensive spark. Sanders, however, has yet to prove he can move the team through the air.

social/meeting at 7 p.m.

Carolina 3: Vancouver 1 N.Y. Rangers 3: Edmonton 2 Philadelphia 3: San Jose 1 Columbus at D.C., 7 p. Dallas 3. Calgary 1 Today's Gan Saturday, Oct. 10 Ottawa at Montreal, 6 p.m. Pittsburgh at Tampa Bay, 6:05 p.m. San Diego 6, Houston 1 Edmonton at N.Y. Islanders, 6:30 American League New York 4, Cleveland 2 Los Angeles at Florida. 6:30 p.m. New York 7, Cleveland 2 Cleveland 4, New York 1, 12 inn Cleveland 6, New York 1 New York 4, Cleveland 0 New York 5, Cleveland 3 Nashville at Detroit, 6:30 p.m. Boston at Anaheim, 9:30 p.m. Thursday's Games St. Louis at Ottawa, 6:30 p.m. N.Y. Islanders at N.Y. Rangers, 6:30 New York 9, Cleveland ... New Jersey at Philadelphia, 6:30 National League San Diego 4, Atlanta 2 San Jose at Chicago, 7:30 p.m. Phoenix at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. San Diego 3, Atlanta 2, 10 innings San Diego 3, Atlanta 0 San Diego 4, Atlanta 1 Atlanta 8, San Diego 3 Atlanta 7, San Diego 6 San Diego 5, Atlanta 0 MLS PLAYOFFS CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS ... (Best-of-3) EASTERN CONFERENCE D.C. 2, Miami O D.C. 2, Miami 0 D.C. United 2, Miami 1 D.C. United 1, Miami 0, SO (3-2) New York 9, San Diego 6 Sunday, Oct. 18 New York 9, San Diego 3 New York 5, San Diego 4, New

Friday. Oct. 16 Chicago 2, Los Angeles 1, SO (2-1). Chicago wins series 2-0 CHAMPIONSHIP At Pasadena, Calif. Sunday, Oct. 25 East Champion vs. Chicago, 2:30 **AP** Top 25 The Top Twenty Five teams in Th

New York at San Diego, 7:20 p.m., if

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Saturday, Oct. 24

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NHL

Tuesday's Games

Columbus 5, NY-NJ 3. Columbus 2, NY-NJ 1, SO (3-2)

Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses and records through Oct. 17: . Ohio St. (64) UCLA (1) . Tennessee (3) . Kansas St. (2) , Florida Florida St. Nebrask Nebraska Texas A&M Wisconsin

10. Penn St

11. Georgia

a single by Gwynn and a sacrifice fly by Vaughn closing the gap to a run. Mariano Rivera held on for a save, working around a pair of two-out singles by Carlos Hernandez and pinch-hitter Mark Sweeney by striking out Andy Sheets with runners at the corners for the last out. Rivera has pitched 12 score-

less innings in nine postseason appearances this fall, recording five saves. Hoffman wound up with the loss, while Ramiro Mendoza won in relief.

"We're not by any means overconfident at this point. Obviously, we're ecstatic to be

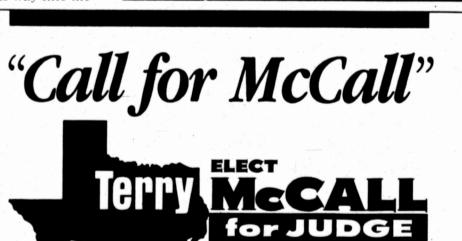
up 3-0," Cone said. "But Kevin Brown probably has some other thoughts.

Notes: Qualcomm Stadium is the first park to hold the World Series and Super Bowl in the same calendar year. ... Cone singled, making him 3-for-8 lifetime in the World Series. ... The Yankees' last World Series was over sweep the Philadelphia Phillies in 1950.

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Brown, propped up by antibiotics, gutted his way into the

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was not effective with his mix of changeups and fastballs. He gave up another hit in the eighth before ending the inning.

'With Trevor, he's the type of pitcher that you know you have to battle and hope you get a pitch to hit," Brosius said. "On the second pitch, he threw me a fastball that I fouled off. Later, he came back with another one that I staved back on and hit

Brosius' shots marked the 41st multihomer game in Series history, coming after Greg Vaughn's performance in Game 1 for the Padres. Reggie Jackson was the last do it for the Yankees, hitting three in the clinching Game 6 in 1977.

The Padres tried to rally in the bottom half of the eighth, with a double by Quilvio Veras,





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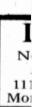
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State champion matchup stokes rivalry's fires

n't have to look far for a benchmark when he arrived at the dawn of this decade to revive the long-dormant Texas City football program.

"Our standard of measurement lives right next to us," Dowling said, referring to nearby three-time state champion La Marque. "That's the team we have to measure up to. It's not like somebody that's 300 miles across the state. We see these people all the time.

"I think what that's done — whether by design or coincidentally - is elevate our game, too.

For the first time in the La Marque Cougars' recent reign of terror over Class 4A, the Texas City Stingarees splintered the measuring stick, winning their head-tohead matchup 28-12. The Stings went on to capture the 4A Division I state title 37-34 against Corsicana.

La Marque, which had won eight of the previous 10 installments of the rivalry, eked out third place in district. No matter: The Cougars beat Denison for the third year in a row in the state championship game for the 4A Division II crown.

Friday night's installment of the "Battle on the Bay" rivalry betwen La Marque and Texas City won't need matchup of state champions to draw a crowd of 12,000 or more to Stingaree Stadium. It just adds to the spectacle on the Galveston County mainland

TEXAS CITY (AP) - Rusty Dowling did- but our goal was a state championship." said tight end-defensive end Brian Abschneider, who admits the game is a crucial rivalry, but it's more important because both teams are 2-0 in district play. La Marque safety Paul Edmond admits the rivalry can't be ignored.

"It's their homecoming," Edmond said. "It would be a great opportunity to beat them on their homecoming."

This series carries a geographic quirk. The La Marque school district includes much of west Texas City, blurring the traditional civic boundaries delineating most other one-school cities.

Worse for longtime Texas City fans, they've watched several stars who grew up and lived in the Texas City city limits go on to punish their school on the football field. Last year's success salved some of those wounds at TC.

Now it's La Marque with the one-game skid in this rivalry.

"It's in the back of their minds they did lose to them, but the thing we're looking at is it's a big game leading toward a district champior ship," La Marque coach Larry Walker said. "These guys (the Stings) stand in our way of a district championship."

The Cougars, ranked No. 1 all season in The Associated Press' 4A poll, have retained that championship look despite a tumultuous year that has included:

The departure of coach Alan Weddell to the Texas A&M staff. Walker, a longtime "We wanted to beat La Marque (last year), Weddell assistant who had left for two sea-

sons, returned to take over.

-A rainout caused by Tropical Storm Frances falling a week after an open date created when Laredo Nixon backed out of its scheduled game. End result was that La Marque went three calendar weeks between games last month.

-The deaths of new assistant coaches Damon Sartor and Jim Watson in a one-car wreck near Navasota on Sept. 27. In addition to counseling grieving players, Walker had to reshuffle his new staff's responsibil ities.

Through it all La Marque is 5-0 and rolling behind a balanced offense and typically stingy defense.

'We're kind of on the move now," Walker said. "We're getting back into that groove." Texas City also appears to be heating up.

The Stings upset Friendswood 35-14 last weekend to even their overall record at 8-3 and create a first-place showdown with La Marque.

Dowling has seen his Stings gradually improve each year during the 1990s. Having won a state championship with one of the best senior classes in school history Dowling admits it will be tough to improve on 1997.

"I feel we'll always be competitive because our program is to the point new where we'll play hard and compete in every single game," Dowling said. "We may not win every single game, but they're going to play hard and they're going to give great effort."

Teague fullback's record among top showings

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

A fullback matched a national record for carries in a schoolboy football game, while a senior quarterback led his team out of a 16-point fourth-quarter deficit to earn mention in this week's Associated Press honor roll.

Outstanding outings from

ALL-AROUND EFFORTS

Junior fullback Chris Nelms (5-11, 175) equaled a national record with 60 carries in Teague's 34-20 victory over Groesbeck. Nelms' performance included four touchdowns with 301 yards rushing.

Bobby Washington scored all three Wilmer-Hutchins touchdowns in last weekend's 22-17 upset victory over eighth-ranked Corsicana. He also Gorom had 24 carries for 211 blocked a field goal in the yards and three touchdowns as game's final three minutes. Quarterback Travis Johns.

was 6-of-15 for 62 yards and a touchdown in Baytown Lee's 38-28 victory over Westbrook. He also rushed 23 times for 130 yards and three touchdowns.

Brooks Harris was 7-of-15 for 125 yards and had 10 rushes for 79 yards and a touchdown. also kicking an extra point in Katy Taylor's 20-13 loss to Mayde Creek.

ON THE GROUND

Reggie Duncan ran for 207 yards on 13 carries and scored touchdown runs of 7 and 36 yards as No. 4 Killeen Ellison beat previously unbeaten Copperas Cove, 43-17.

Fullback Luis Padilla was greater San Antonio's leading rusher, with a 201-yard effort and four touchdowns as Floresville beat San Antonio Southside 26-9.

Texas City beat Friendswood 35-14 Brookshire Royal's Thomas Tarver had 24 carries for 260 vards and four touchdowns in the 33-22 victory over Ganado. Willie Williams had 13 car ries for 244 yards and two touch downs as Galena Park North Shore beat South Houston 34-13 Earl Demas had 14 carries for 240 yards and three touchdowns in Houston King's 27-12 victory over Houston Smiley Jeffery Hearron carried 24 times for 228 yards and a touchdown in White Oak's 40-27 vic-

tory over Spring Hill.

THROUGH THE AIR

- Cody Coburn and Jody Coburn, twin brothers who are both wide receivers, made 10 catches for 204 combined yards and a touchdown in Port Neches-Groves' 28-7 victory over Vidor.

- Receiver Walter Hays had nine catches for 152 yards and two touchdowns in Angleton's 34-14 victory over Clear Lake.

Quarterback Craig Harris was 16-of-22 for 362 yards and two touchdowns as Aldine Nimitz defeated Aldine 41-34.

Brent Brothers was 12 of 15 for 183 yards and two touchdowns in Angleton's 34-14 victory over Clear Lake.

 Taking over for an injured quarterback. sophomore Nathan Sawyer was 9-of-24 for 328 yards including three touchdowns in Fort Stockton's 63-27. loss to No. 9 Sweetwater.

Ryan Johnson completed all five of his pass attempts for

in White Oak's 40-27 victory over Spring Hill.

DEFENSE

Otis Grigsby held San Antonio Churchill to 39 rushing yards in Judson's 24-14 victory The senior linebacker had 11 tackles, eight unassisted, and one sack.

- Oscar Blackshire finished with four tackles, a forced fumble and an interception in Carthage's 19-12 'over Whitehouse

- Justin McMinn had 20 tack les and an interception for Waco Midway.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Erik Hargrave kickee a 45yard field goal in overtime to lift fifth-ranked Longview to a 24-21 victory over Luikin at Lobo Stadium.

- Dewayne Wages kicked fields goals of 47 and 24 yards up Hallsville's 15-12 loss to Kilgura Wages also averaged 39 vard on four punts, with efforts of 6

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led Mansfield back from a 16point fourth-quarter deficit against Arlington with a touchdown and 2-paint conversion. He completed 20 of 31 passes for 391 yards.

Colby Freeman ran for three touchdowns and passed another in No. 6 for Brownwood's last-period comeback victory over Crowley, 43-35, that also included the senior quarterback's 224 yards rushing on only eight carries.

Quarterback Leal Roberson

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Harris County Judge Robert Eckels and Jack Rains, chairman of the Harris County-Houston Sports Authority, said Tuesday the team must be required to stay until retirement of bonds issued to build the facility.

"The lease is one of several issues that still need to be worked out," Eckels said. "But it will be a strong lease that makes sure the team can't leave for 30 years, or longer.

Harris County commissioners on Tuesday approved an 11page letter of agreement to build a \$310 million, 70,000-seat retractable-roof stadium next to the Astrodome.

After a thorough analysis of the candidates, Free Enterprise PAC strongly endorses Conservative Scott McLaughlin for State Representative

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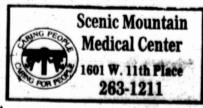
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Triple state legislators' salaries ('89 RV#537)	Favor	Oppose	
Require voter approval before property taxes could be raised ('93 RV#480)	Oppose	Favor	
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tice is not unusual. My husband doesn't do it. and my exhusband didn't (except once when he was drunk). Mv father didn't, and I have never seen mv neighbors do it. My hus-

band says this guy is an exhibitionist. I say he's lazy and ignorant. despite his college education. My sympathy to his wife, who sounds like a classier lady than the jerk deserves.

However, I once knew a psychiatrist who confessed to occasionally "watering" the rubber tree in his outer office in this manner. I can't imagine why he disclosed this to me, unless it was to coax me into sharing personal secrets. -- ARIZONA ANNIE

DEAR ANNIE: I can't imagine why he did it, either. It could certainly discourage a patient from using the chair closest to the plant. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: If your assessment of territorial urination is correct, that "dogs and cats do it to mark their territory, and the husband may be doing it for the same reason," then my husband has claimed the city of San Francisco from-the deck of a hilltop restaurant, as well as many other cities from the balconies of hotels.

If this has to be psychoanalyzed, I would say it's a form of rebellion. It's one of the few things a highly educated, supposedly well-bred man can do today. My only advice to "Whiz-zard's Wife" would be, 'Steel yourself -- the worst is yet to come." -- ANONY-MRS. IN MEDFORD, ORE# *** * DEAR ANONY-MRS.: You

may be right. However, while urinating on one's own lawn of personal

Your comparison of men to, dogs and cats who urinate to mark their territory is degrading and sexist. By the way, neutering does not stop a pet? from marking its territory. TOM WILLIAMS, HENDER. SONVILLE, TENN.

DEAR TOM: I beg to differ with you. I checked again with my veterinary expert, who tells me that although it doesn't always solve the problem, the FIRST thing an owner should do to stop a pet from "inapprepriate urination" is to neuter it. (If that doesn't work, the owner may have to resort to drugs for the animal, which are ; not effective 100 percent of the time.)

I meant no offense when T made the comparison; however, if you were offended, please accept my apology.

Many readers wrote to comment on the letter from "Whit: zard's Wife." I'll have more on the subject tomorrow.

DEAR ABBY: I would like to comment on something in Donna Williams' letter to you about guests in restaurants. She said, "Guests are our livelihood! Without them, we might as well be dishing out food at a ? school cafeteria, instead of practicing the fine art of restaurant service, one in which many of us take a great deal of pride.

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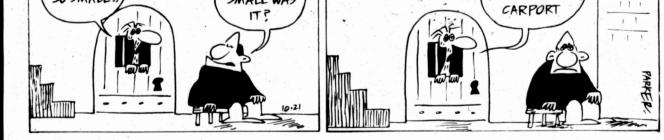
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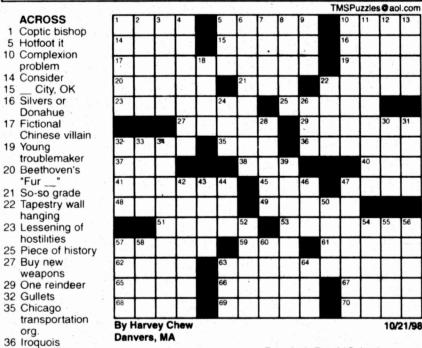
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In 1944, during World War II, U.S. troops captured the German city of Aachen.

In 1959, the Guggenheim Museum opened to the public in New York.

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In 1967, tens of thousands of Vietnam War protesters marched in Washington, D.C.

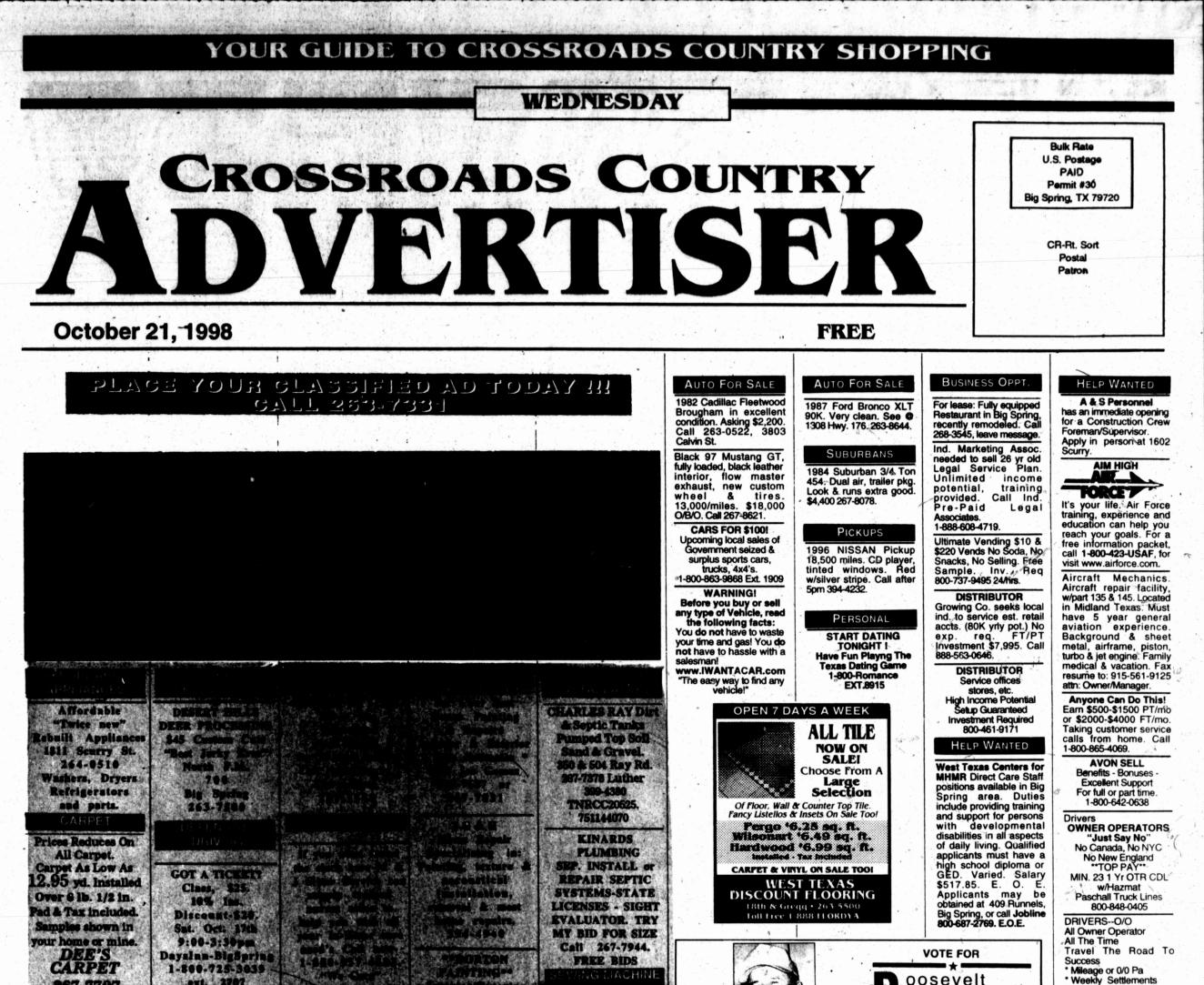
In 1971, President Nixon nominated Lewis F. Powell and William H. Rehnquist to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Ten years ago: A federal grand jury in New York indicted former Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos and his wife, Imelda, on charges of fraud and racketeering. Marcos died before he could be brought to trial; his widow, Imelda, was acquitted in 1990.

Five years ago: NATO ministers endorsed a U.S. plan to form limited partnerships with Russia and other former East bloc foes, but stopped short of offering full membership. The Senate rejected curbs on President Clinton's right as commander in chief to send troops to Haiti. The Philadelphia Phillies beat the Toronto Blue Jays 2-0 in game five of the World Series; Toronto still led the Series 3-2.

One year ago: Reversing months of strong opposition, the Clinton administration endorsed a revised Republican bill to restructure the Internal Revenue Service and shift the burden of proof from the taxpayer to the government in contested court cases. The Florida Marlins beat the Cleveland Indians 14-11 in game three of the World Series.

Today's Birthdays: Baseball hall-of-famer Whitey Ford is 70. Rock singer Manfred Mann is 58. Musician Steve Cropper (Booker T. & the MG's) is 57. Singer Elvin Bishop is 56. Actor Everett McGill is 53. Musician Lee Loughnane (Chicago) is 52. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is 49. Musician Charlotte Caffey (The Go-Go's) is 45. Actress-author Carrie Fisher is 42. Singer Julian Cope is 41.



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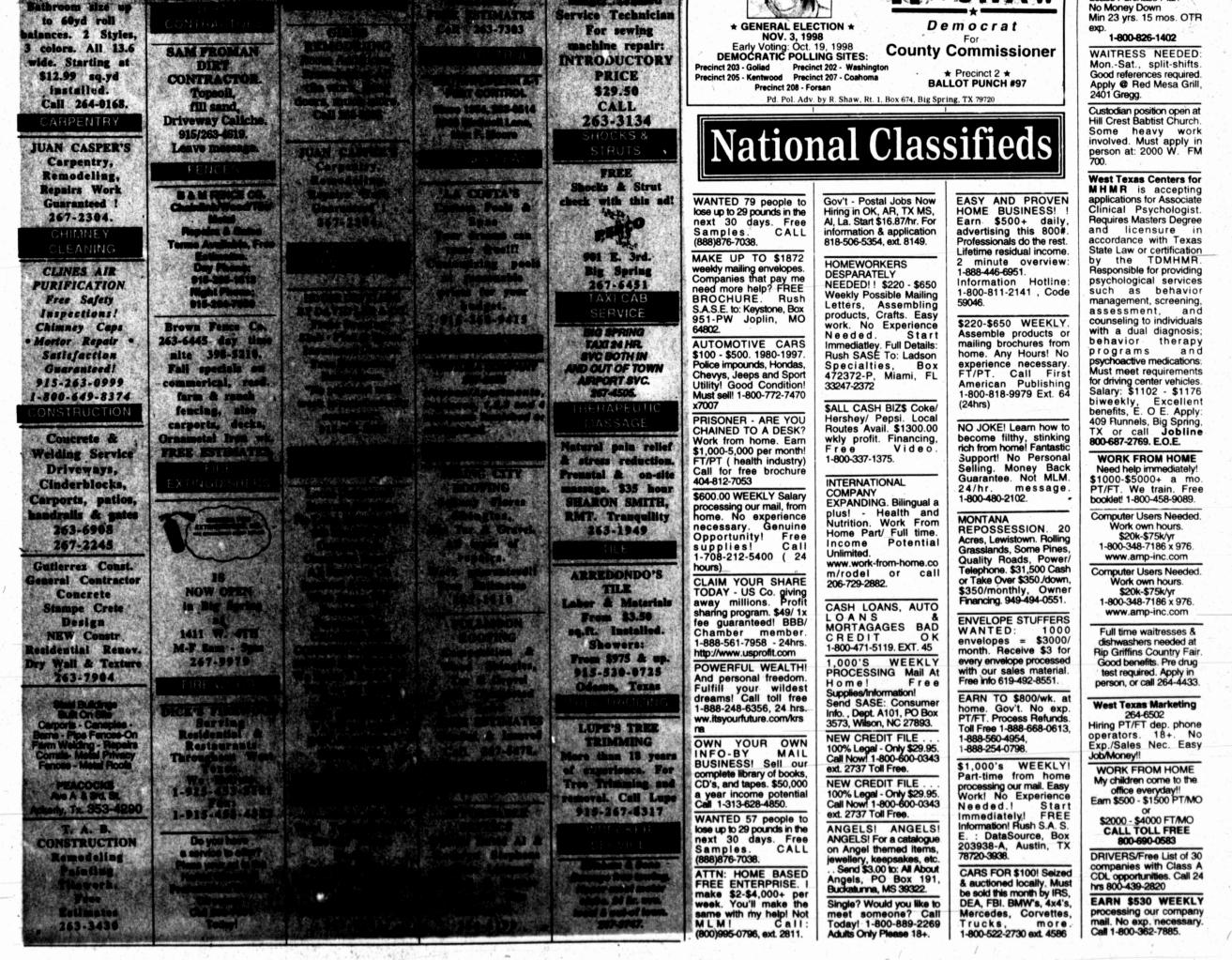
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