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## Early voting tops 2,000 at courthouse

Early voting at the county clerk's office topped 2,000 on Monday with another 267 walk-in voters.

So far, 1,958 ballots have been cast in person, with another 205 received in the mail for a total 2,163.

Early voting ends at 5 p.m. Friday. Election Day is Nov. 3.

## Crossroads

### Final fall concert scheduled tonight

Boston area songwriter, singer Bernice Lewis will wrap up the fall schedule of the Crossroads Community Concerts series with a performance in Municipal Auditorium at 7 tonight.

Her latest CD, "Isle of Spirit," includes a variety of songs from traditional folk to country and western and Texas Blues.

The concert is free.

### WHAT'S UP...

#### TODAY

Big Spring High School Quarterback Club, 7:30 p.m., athletic training facility.

Election school for all election judges, precinct clerks, alternates and clerks, 7:30 p.m., county courtroom.

#### WEDNESDAY

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

Optimist Club, 7 a.m., Howard College Cactus Room.

Big Spring Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

Eagles Lodge Ladies Auxiliary, 7 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 E. Third.

#### THURSDAY

Kiwanis Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

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

Friends of Settles Haunted House and Fall Festival, 6-10 p.m., Morehead Transfer, 100 Johnson St. Fall Festival free; Haunted House \$5 adults, \$3 children.

Evening line dancing class, 6:30 p.m., Spring City Senior Center.

Gideons International Big Spring Camp No. 4206, Hermans, 7 a.m.

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## Young Life youth organization achieving growth, local leaders say

By MARSHA STURDIVANT  
Staff Writer

Young Life, a non-denominational teenaged youth group, recently raised \$30,000 to fund the local program, in a Round Up Banquet at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

"Our purpose in Young Life is to reach out



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to high school kids. We don't care about background, race or color. We care about the kids. Our goal is to reach every kid with the Gospel," said Shawn Petree, coordinator of the youth club.

The youth organization began in Big Spring in the fall of 1997, when local residents Suzanne and Robert Haney visited Abilene and witnessed a Young Life Club meeting.

"Young Life does not go where it is not first invited. We had a teenage son, and we were concerned about providing some-

thing for our teenagers. We're fortunate to have Young Life," Suzanne Haney said.

The Haney's, along with other local residents, contacted the organization and invited it to start a club in Big Spring, she said.

Petree said last year the group had about 40-50 students involved. However, the club has grown to about 80-90 teenagers now, who attend the Monday night meetings next door to Spanky's on Gregg Street.

"With these kids, you have to earn the right to be heard.

Young Life is different from youth ministry, because we go where the kids are. We spend a year getting to know a kid. For the most part, these kids are unchurched and disinterested in God in general," Petree said.

Young Life works because of the dedication of the adult volunteer leaders, who commit eight to 10 hours a week to the program, for two years, he said.

These volunteers visit the high school on Mondays at lunch time, and visit with the students in the high school cafeteria.

This way, Petree, said the leaders get to know the students, and the students learn about a Christian life style through example.

"Seventy percent of this is relational evangelism. We tell them this will be the best hour of their entire week. At Young Life Club, we have 50 minutes of high energy excitement with songs and skits. The last 10 minutes is right from the Bible, with things the kids can relate to," Petree said.

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Big Spring Police Department Officers Mark Dally, Thad Thomas, Arthur Dehlinger, and Javier Becerra, left to right, accept Letters of Commendation from BSPD Chief Lonnie Smith and Sgt. Richard Perez for their part in the September apprehension of a professional burglar.

## Apprehension of burglar brings letters of commendation to four local officers

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

Big Spring Police Department Chief Lonnie Smith has presented letters of commendation to four local officers for their part in the September apprehension of a professional burglar.

The award was presented to Officers Javier Becerra, Thad Thomas, Arthur Dehlinger, and Mark Dally.

"Each officer in the investigation worked together as a group, with each individual helping each other to attain one goal, and that was to put a solid case together with hard evidence that would put this criminal where he belongs, in jail," said BSPD Sgt. Richard Perez in his presentation to the officers. "Without the officers working together and putting their individual skills to work, this would not have happened."

Scott Hopkins, 35, of Midland, was arrested for failure to identify, as well as failure to obey

an officer's lawful orders when Becerra observed him in the area of the old Wal-Mart building in Coronado Plaza in the early morning hours of Sept. 28.

"I was doing the normal building checks in that area when I noticed someone trying to get out of view," said Becerra. "He was wearing black clothing, as well as a black ski mask that wasn't yet pulled down over his face. He seemed like a very suspicious type of character, so I called for backup."

"The man kept moving around despite my orders to be still, and he took off his gloves and mask and tossed them on the ground. In situations like that, we are trained to keep a certain amount of distance between us and the suspect, and I had to keep moving to maintain that distance. I think he was looking for a way out or around me."

Officer Dehlinger arrived on the scene shortly after, and with his added assistance

Hopkins was taken into custody.

"When I got there and the guy saw there was two of us now, he pretty much gave up on trying to get away," said Dehlinger. "He obeyed our orders, and we gained control of him. We searched him, and asked him what he was doing in that area. The guy gave us a story about being homeless and looking for work, but it just didn't make any sense. The more of the story he told us, the more suspicious we became."

"Since his story didn't make much sense, we immediately began searching for any vehicles that seemed out of place. Finally, the guy told us the general area in which we could find his vehicle, and Officers Dally and Thomas began searching that particular area."

"Later on, while we had him in custody, the man said that he had been casing one of the businesses in the Plaza, and was getting ready to make his

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## Budget

### Fire department can't carry over surplus funds, commissioners determine

By T.E. JENKINS  
Staff Writer

Howard County commissioners decided Monday not to take action on an amendment to the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department's budget that would allow them to roll their current "surplus" of funds from the 1998 year over in to the 1999 budget.

"Howard County Volunteer Fire Department Chief Tommy Sullivan is requesting that we roll the surplus funds he saved this year into next year's budget," said Commissioner Sonny Choate. "With the money from last year's budget, which comes up to \$8,000, along with a donation made to the department, that would total about \$8,100."

"If we allow the volunteer fire department to do this, then we would have to allow all of the other agencies to do the same," said Commissioner Jerry Kilgore. "Normally, the money goes back into the county's general fund, just like all of the other agencies."

"It just seems that the money is being dropped into the water well of the general fund," said Choate.

After hearing the results of the commissioners court meeting, Sullivan said the current cuts to his departmental budget are discouraging.

"We really worked hard last year to do our own maintenance and mechanical work on the equipment," said Sullivan. "I put in more than 600 hours this year working on the trucks, and it seems that there is no reward for the department for trying to save the county money."

According to Sullivan, the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department has taken cuts in its 1999 budget totaling more than \$15,000.

"In our 1996-97 budget, we had \$8,040 allocated to fire fighting supplies," said Sullivan. "That



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was for things like phones and communication devices. This past year, we only had \$500 allocated to that purpose, and next year's budget only gives us \$250 to work with.

"We are working hard, and scraping the bottom of the barrel to build something with this volunteer fire department. Things like what happened today are very discouraging for everyone involved in the department."

According to Howard County Commissioner Bill Crooker, there is a serious need for an incentive system for county agencies that don't spend their entire budget.

"I have heard about systems that give incentives to the various agencies who don't use their entire budget at the end of the year," said Crooker. "That is something we definitely need to look into."

"Right now, the way the budgets are set up there is no reason for any of the agencies to allow any money to remain in their departmental budget at the end of the year," said Choate. "We need to find a better way of doing these things."

Commissioners also heard reports from Moore Development executive director Kent Sharp, who asked their help in attracting new industries to the city and county.

Sharp said his agency is currently working on ways to utilize the existing industries in Big Spring, while promoting the development of new ones.

## Farmers, ranchers show support for Rep. Stenholm

By JOHN H. WALKER  
Managing Editor

On a day when Sen. Phil Gramm was in town stumping for congressional candidate Rudy Izzard and state legislative candidate Scott McLaughlin, a bipartisan group of farmers and ranchers from West Texas were in town stumping for U.S. Rep. Charlie Stenholm.

The 20 or so ag producers — from Howard, Martin, Mitchell, Dawson and Tom Green counties — gathered at the Howard County Farm Bureau just minutes after Gramm had addressed a crowd of about 20 persons at the Howard County Republican Headquarters.

Seven of the producers spoke on Stenholm's behalf.

"Charlie Stenholm is not only good for cotton, he's good for agriculture," said Martin County producer Merle Mitchell.

Mitchell also countered ads

critical of Stenholm for "voting himself a pay raise."

"If you check the record, Charlie Stenholm and (19th District Rep.) Larry Combest both voted against pay raises. He (Stenholm) was there, but he didn't vote for it."

Ackerly producer Van Gaskins said "without Charlie Stenholm in Washington, working for us to get our programs to where we can produce cotton at a profitable level, we're in real trouble."

Without such help, Gaskins, a former banker, said he could see farming going the way of the banking industry — with a few megafirms dominating agricultural production.

To a man, the producers said they felt it would be a mistake to vote against Stenholm.

"I feel like if we don't have Charlie back in Washington, we don't have enough friends up there," said Coahoma producer

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Joann Garcia oversees Norma Cervantes and Rosemary Castillo, right, during Lakeview Headstart's Parents Paint a Pumpkin program. The parents got to use their imagination, paints and some craft items to create a pumpkin to line the halls.

HERALD photo/Linda Choate

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## OBITUARIES

## Setsu Saito Edwards

Setsu Saito Edwards, 70, Big Spring, died Sunday, Oct. 25, 1998, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center following a long illness. Private memorial services will be held at a later date.

She was born on Oct. 9, 1928, in Japan. She married Phillip Henry Bryant Edwards, and he preceded her in death on Oct. 10, 1982. She had worked at several restaurants in Big Spring.

Arrangements under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

## Osie Rowden

Graveside service for Osie Rowden, 85, Big Spring, will be 4 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, 1998, at Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. Rowden died Monday, Oct. 26, at her home following a long illness.

She was born on April 11, 1913, in Red River County. She married Charlie Lee Rowden in Oak Grove. He preceded her in death in 1979. She had lived in Big Spring all of her adult life. She was a member of the Church of Christ and was a homemaker.

She is survived by: three sons, Hubert Rowden, R.H. Rowden, both of Big Spring, and Royce Rowden of Midland; three daughters, Charlie Morehead of Big Spring, Janice Pitts Basden of Midland, and Deborah Ebersole of Lampasas; one sister, Tina Reagan of Big Spring; 18 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorials to the Medina Children's Home or other favorite charity.

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## YOUNG LIFE

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Along with the weekly club meeting, Young Life also offers three seasonal camps for the students to attend. A winter camp doubles as a skitrip, and students also attend weekend camps.

The 210-day summer camp

allows Young Life clubs a choice between attending Frontier Camp in Colorado, or Windy Gap in North Carolina, Petree said.

"Leaders take the kids and the leaders are with the kids all week long. They live their lives with the kids, that's how Young Life works," he said.

Members pay for the cost of the trips with fundraisers like lawn work or rummage sales, Haney said.

"And if we have someone who wants to go and cannot afford to go, that's where our committee members come in. We have scholarships," Petree said.

Haney and her husband, along with nine other couples, comprise the Young Life committee, which oversees the operation and activities, and works with Petree, who is the only paid staff member.

Petree, in turn, has seven volunteer adult leaders who interact with him and the students in Young Life activities, he said.

Haney said the organization was founded 60 years ago in Gainesville, Texas, and has now grown to clubs in all 50 states, as well as 36 countries.

"There are half a million kids who are impacted each year by Young Life. Young Life is exciting for them because they are going with their friends, they are there with their buddies. We try to show that Christianity is a way of life, it's what helps me makes choices every day," Petree said.

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Donnie Reid. "He knows the ropes and has the contacts."

And as much as anything, that was the group's central theme—Stenholm's knowledge, contacts and position as the ranking minority member on the House Agriculture Committee.

"Charlie is a great friend of agriculture," pointed out Terry Nichols, who farms west of Ackerly. "I think there are a lot of city people who don't know that and think maybe he's been there too long."

"We need Charlie and Larry Combest... what a lot of city people don't realize is that with Charlie and Larry, we have the top two people in the ag committee from the South Plains."

"The city folks need to understand that this is an agricultural district and agriculture keeps your economy going," he added.

Dawson County cotton and cattle producer Kent Nix said, "There are a lot of things I could be doing on my farm today, but nothing is as important as being here for Charlie Stenholm."

Nix said that as the urban influence continues to grow in Washington, producers feel it is vitally important to keep someone with Stenholm's background and expertise.

"His experience... his back-

ground as a farmer... he brings a huge number of votes to any ag issue," he said.

He added that Stenholm is known as "a bridge builder" and that it is important that Stenholm and Combest both be returned to Congress.

Jerry Harris, a Dawson County producer who identified himself as a long-time Republican, said that in regards to agriculture, "this race is not about partisanship, but about survival."

"...producers have been operating on accumulated assets. Last year, we had above average yields but still lost because of low prices... the producers are about to run out of equity."

Harris added that those working against Stenholm's re-election aren't painting an accurate picture.

"They would have you believe one vote is as good as another... we're trying to make people understand that that is not the case... Charlie Stenholm carries 65 to 75 votes in on any ag issue."

"People who don't know agriculture issues look to Charlie for leadership. You won't have that with a freshman that's on the bottom of all the seniority lists."

Woody Anderson of Mitchell County pointed out that "these are tough economic times in Mitchell County, just like Howard and Martin and Dawson. In tough times, you don't throw away experience and leadership for a freshman position."

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move when Office Becerra approached him."

According to Daily, a search for burglarized buildings and cars followed the arrest.

"We spent a good deal of time searching for any businesses or buildings that had been broken in to," said Daily. "We also began the search for his vehicle."

"Once we had the description of the vehicle, as well as the general whereabouts, we began our search," said Thomas. "We eventually found it on a motorcycle trail in the Highland Sub-Division."

"There were all types of burglary equipment in the vehicle, including drills, lock-picks, grapping hooks, and scanners. We also found the suspect's change of clothes. We called Sgt. Perez and told him to get a wrecker out there."

According to Smith, the man was on parole for burglary.

"We found out that he was already on parole for the same charges, and that the Department of Public Safety and the Texas Rangers had him under surveillance," said Smith.

"Since that time, he has had his parole revoked, and is in the Midland County Jail. Midland officials believe that he is responsible for a large percent-

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age of the burglaries in their area.

"The most important thing here is that these guys worked together as a team. No one of us can do the job alone. This arrest is a fine example of teamwork, and we are really proud of these guys."

## BRIEFS

**BIG SPRING CHOIR BOOSTERS** will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 27, in the high school choir room.

**THERE WILL BE A** free legal issues of aging seminar at Comanche Trail Nursing Center, 3200 Parkway, tonight at 7, with Robert D. Miller, Attorney at Law.

**PROFESSIONAL HEALTH CARE**, 1001 S. Bell, will be giving flu and pneumonia vaccines. Flu shots will be \$10 and pneumonia vaccines will be \$20.

On Oct. 28, they will be at Kydees (the old C&G Quick Stop on S. Hwy. 80), at 7 and 11 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

On Oct. 30, they will be at Neighbors at 6 and 11:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Medicaid will be accepted.

## SUPPORT GROUPS

## TUESDAY

•Support for MS and Related Diseases, 6:30 p.m. second Tuesday of each month, Canterbury South. Public invited. Call Leslie, 267-1069.

•Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.

•Seniors' diabetic support group, 2 p.m., Canterbury South. Call 263-1265.

•Compassionate Friends support group for parents who have experienced death of a child, 7:30 p.m. first Tuesday in February, April, June, August, October and December in the Family Life Center Building, First Baptist Church, 705 West Marcy. Enter by southeast door. Call 267-2769.

•Cancer support group, first Tuesday of each month, 7-8 p.m., VA Medical Center room 213. Call Beverly Rice, 268-5077.

•"Most Excellent Way," an addiction support group, 3610 Dixon, call 264-9900.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting.

•Family Education and Support, sponsored by Howard County Mental Health Center, meets the second Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. at 319 Rannels. For more information call Shannon Nabors at 263-0027.

## TEXAS LOTTERY

Pick 3: 3, 7, 4  
CASH: 5, 5, 17, 23, 34, 38

**Samaritan Counseling Center** of West Texas will have Dr. Ronald Meyer, D.Min., LCDC, LMFT, specializing in individual and marriage counseling, Attention Deficit Disorder and chemical dependency, available for clients in Midland. Appointments for counseling services are made by calling 1-800-329-4144.

## SHERIFF

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

•**WILLIAM LEROY DAVIS**, 22, was arrested for issuance of a bad check.

•**FRANCISCO MUNOZ ESTRADA**, 64, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

•**THOMAS HERRERA MENDEZ**, 29, was arrested on a revocation of probation/possession of marijuana.

## POLICE

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

•**BILLY YENEZ**, 35, was arrested for impeding traffic/warrants.

•**SHELIA HANSEN**, 27, was arrested on local warrants.

•**DARREN LAMB**, 33, was arrested on local warrants.

•**BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** in the 1100 block of Blackmon, and the 2200 block of Cecilia.

•**DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** in the 2600 block of Wasson.

•**THEFT** in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa, the 400 block of E. 4th, the 2300 block of Wasson, and the 400 block of Gregg.

•**BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** in the 4200 block of Parkway.

•**CRIMINAL TRESPASS WARNING** in the 500 block of W. 5th.

## FIRE/EMS

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

## MONDAY

5:12 a.m. — 500 block Fifth, trauma call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

10:48 a.m. — 900 block N. Gregg, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

12:53 p.m. — 400 block Edwards, trauma call, service refused.

7:16 p.m. — 2400 block Marcy, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

7:48 p.m. — 2900 block E I-20, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

9:43 p.m. — 1900 block Similar, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

## RECORDS

Monday's high 78

Monday's low 65

Average high 74

Average low 47

Record high 91 in 1950

Record low 29 in 1997

Precip. Monday 0.00

Month to date 1.20

Month's normal 0.78

Year to date 10.33

Normal for the year 16.53

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DEMOCRATIC POLLING SITES:  
Precinct 203 - Goliad Precinct 202 - Washington  
Precinct 205 - Kentwood Precinct 207 - Coahoma  
Precinct 208 - Forsan  
Pd. Pol. Adv. by R. Shaw, Rt. 1, Box 674, Big Spring, TX 79720

## NALLEY-PICKLE &amp; WELCH Funeral Home

Trinity Memorial Park and Crematory  
906 Gregg St.  
(915) 267-6331

Mary Virginia Rosser, 82, died Saturday. Services were 10:00 AM Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment followed at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Roy D. Anderson, 95, died Sunday. Services were 2:00 PM Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment followed at Trinity Memorial Park.

## MYERS &amp; SMITH FUNERAL HOME &amp; CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Jose (Joe) Garlas, Sr., 83, died Friday. Services will be 2:00 PM, today at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Burial in Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Melvin Horton, 88 died Monday. Services are pending.

Osie Rowden, 83, died Monday. Graveside services are 4:00 PM Wednesday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Dr. Franklin Dillon, 88, died Saturday. Family will meet with friends from 7:00-8:00 PM tonight at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Setsu Saito Edwards, 70, died Sunday. Private memorial services at a later date.

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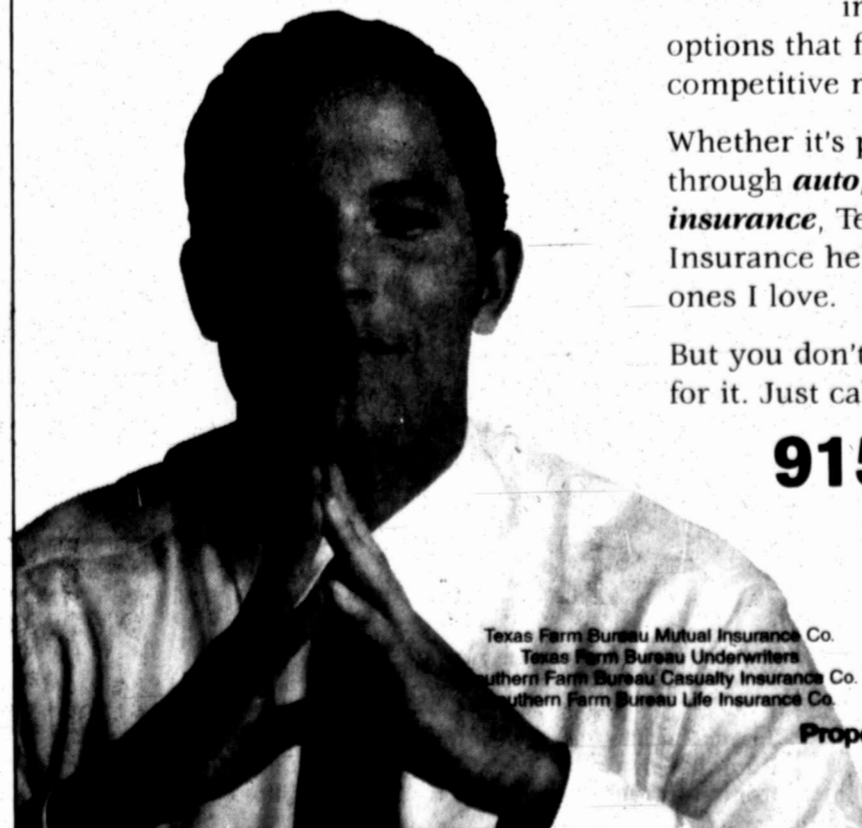
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## Airline pilots warned about the use of Viagra

DALLAS (AP) — Airline pilots are being warned against using Viagra because of vision-related problems it can cause while flying in bad weather or at night.

The Federal Aviation Administration has advised pilots that the sex potency drug can impair the ability to distinguish between blue and green. That presents a problem for

pilots because those colors show up everywhere — from the color instrument displays in modern cockpits to hundreds of thousands of taxiway lights at darkened airfields.

"Although only 3 percent of all patients report visual disturbances, this blue-green impairment could be dangerous" while flying in bad weather or at night, according to Dr. Donato

J. Borillo of the U.S. Air Force. Borillo wrote about the subject in the fall edition of the Federal Air Surgeon's Medical Bulletin.

FAA officials say flight doctors are being urged to tell pilots not to fly within six hours after a dose of Viagra.

In addition to problems with colors, "full attention to the instrument scan and the task at hand may be compromised," Dr. Borillo wrote.

American Airlines spokesman John Hotard said he's not aware Viagra use was an issue for the airline's pilots.

"I'm not sure there are that many who would admit they needed it," Hotard told The Dallas Morning News.

Dr. Warren Silberman, the FAA doctor who manages the

government's flight-physical program, said he knows of no accidents or incidents attributable to Viagra.

"But we have had a tremendous number of pilots and med-

ical examiners calling in and asking, 'What about Viagra?'" Dr. Silberman said.

The answer is simple, he said: "Six hours from Viagra to throttle."

## Despite confession, not enough unbiased jurors can be found in man's murder trial

CARTHAGE (AP) — A judge has declared a mistrial after finding it unlikely an unbiased jury could be chosen for the trial of a man who admits he killed a wealthy and much older woman for whom he had become business manager and traveling companion.

District Judge Guy Griffin took the action Monday in the trial of Bernhardt "Bernie" Tiede, 39, who killed Marjorie Nugent, 81, and hid her body in a freezer at her home.

About 350 prospective jurors were summoned for the trial. By Monday morning, all but 100 of them had offered valid reasons why they could not serve as jurors, Griffin said.

When Griffin asked the remaining panelists if they could impartially judge the case — described by some as the most sensational murder in Panola County history — only 40 answered affirmatively.

"That was just the first question," Griffin said. "The attorneys hadn't even begun their

questioning. At that point, we felt we needed to try again somewhere else."

The trial will likely be moved to Center in neighboring Shelby County and will likely start in late November, attorneys involved in the case told the Houston Chronicle.

Earlier, Panola County District Attorney Danny Buck Davidson had predicted it would be tough finding impartial jurors.

Tiede told police he shot Mrs. Nugent four times in the back with a rifle on Nov. 16, 1996, then stuffed her body into a chest-type freezer.

Police found her body wrapped in a white sheet among packages of frozen corn, pecans and meat. She had been shot in the back four times.

The case has divided this East Texas town of about 6,500 people. Some still admire Tiede, a former mortician who was active in the community. Others condemn him.

Tiede admitted the crime to

police in August 1997, and has been in the Panola County Detention Center ever since, unable to raise \$2 million bail. If convicted, he faces up to 99 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

Authorities believe Tiede, a one-time lay preacher and funeral home worker, met Mrs. Nugent at her husband's funeral in March 1990. Although she was then in her late 70s, she and the charismatic mortician, who often sang at weddings, began spending time together.

In 1991, Mrs. Nugent altered her will to leave Tiede \$10 million.

Two years later, he quit his job at the funeral home to become her business manager and traveling companion.

Together, they toured the world, and, using her funds, Tiede donated money to the local junior college and the Methodist Church.

Tiede is accused of stealing more from \$200,000 from the woman's estate.

## UT president agrees to town hall meetings on affirmative action

AUSTIN (AP) — University of Texas President Larry Faulkner, conceding to students' demand, has agreed to

discuss ways of increasing student diversity.

Faulkner and five top UT officials met with student protesters for about 30 minutes Monday before the agreement was announced.

"It took this display of student power to get us to the table," said J. Reed, a UT senior who was among six students to meet with administrators.

The school will hold at least four town hall meetings, the

first of which was scheduled for Nov. 2. Other meetings are set for Nov. 9, Jan. 25 and Feb. 8.

The agreement followed a student rally last Thursday that turned into an all-night sit-in at the building where the UT Tower is located.

At the town hall meeting, participants will discuss the Hopwood case, which effectively ended the practice of considering race in admissions procedures at Texas universities.

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To the Registered Voters of the County of Howard, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Howard, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on November 3, 1998, for voting in a general election for the purpose of electing Members of Congress, Members of Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers, as required by Section 3.003 of the Texas Election Code.

(Notifíquese, por las presentes, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 3 de Noviembre de 1998, para elegir oficiales del estado, distrito, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, como esta apuntado en el Sección Numero 3.003 de el Clave de Las Elecciones de Tejas.)

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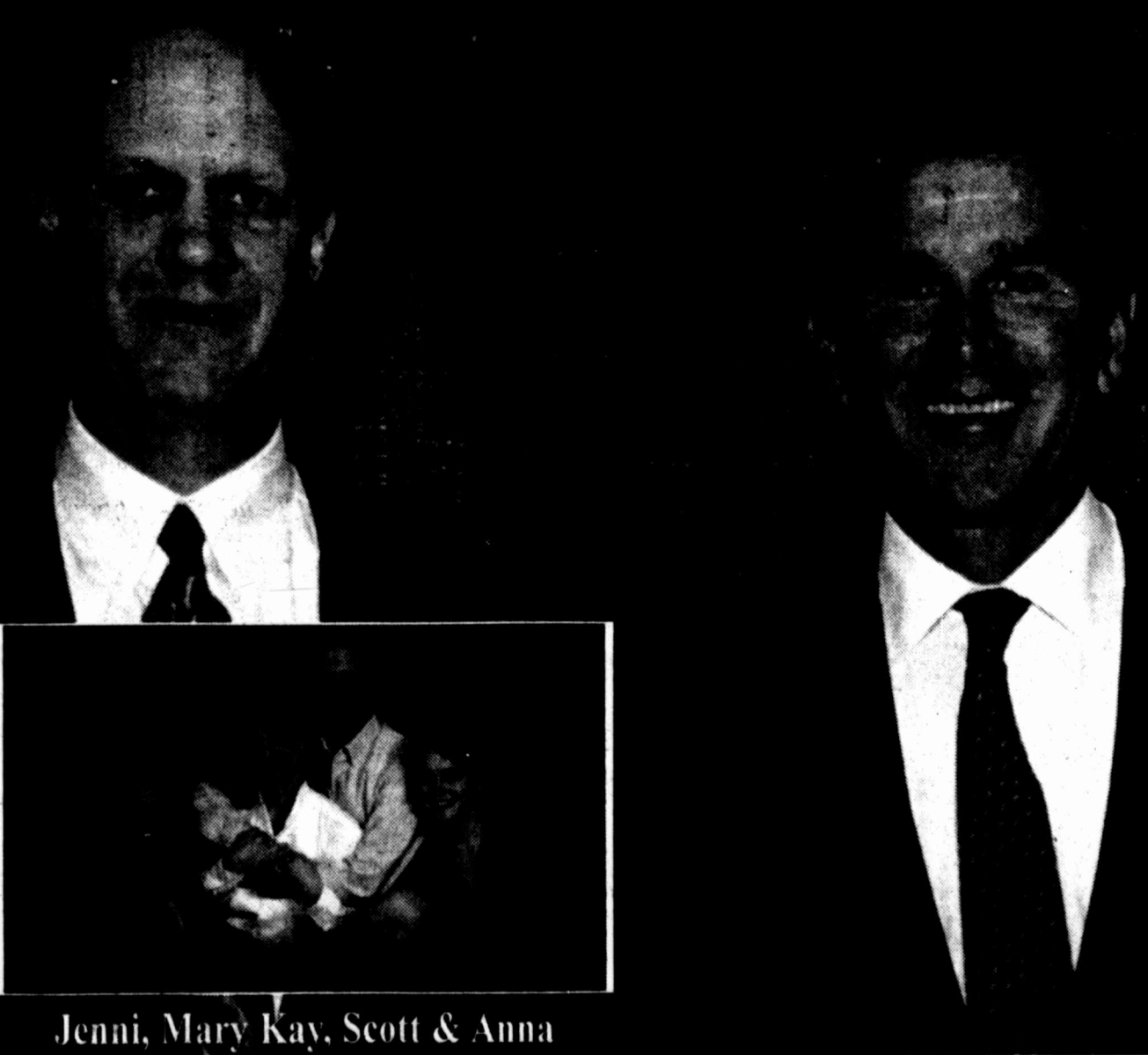
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Issued this the 17th day of September, 1998.  
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*Ben Lockhart*  
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## EDITORIAL

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—FIRST AMENDMENT

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## ENDORSEMENTS

## Gov. Bush, Perry are best choices on election day

Both Gov. George W. Bush and Land Commissioner Gary Mauro have served the people of the state of Texas well, but when it comes time to make a decision as to which would better serve our community and state as governor, it's an easy call for us.

In his tenure in office, Gov. Bush has built a consensus in Austin. While legislators may run as Democrats or Republicans, he made it clear that when they entered the capitol, they were Texans — first, foremost and always.

We heartily applaud the governor's pledge to make education the top priority and continuing to work for property tax relief.

Of particular interest to us is the governor's program to ensure that our school children are reading at grade level by the third grade.

On the tax issue, the governor wants to eliminate sales taxes on over-the-counter medicines and diapers, provide a tax credit for business research and development and to exempt more than 175,000 small businesses from the state's franchise tax.

The governor has a structured, strategic plan that can be well-funded by available monies. On the other hand, Mr. Mauro seems to want to be everything to everyone, developing a plan of action that far exceeds the available monies.

In fact, a study co-chaired by San Angelo Democrat Rob Junell says Mr. Mauro is the only candidate who has developed a spending plan that cannot be funded by available monies.

At this time of economic uncertainty, Texas and Texans need a governor who has a firm grasp of the facts and can deal with the realities of leading the state.

We recommend the re-election of Gov. George W. Bush.

## Lieutenant Governor

It's clearly the closest race on the statewide ballot and matches Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry and Comptroller John Sharp.

Both men have served the state well for a number of years. Both served in the legislature and both have served in statewide offices and both have success stories to tell.

But we believe Mr. Perry has more to offer Big Spring and West Texas. Because of his commitment to the Ag Corridor, which would run through Big Spring, and because of his commitment to value-added products, we believe our fellow West Texan would do the best job.

He has three vital issues we feel would significantly improve Texas's quality of life: safer streets, better schools and improved economic opportunities.

Both candidates are experienced and capable, but Mr. Sharp's horrendously negative campaign turns us off. The fact Mr. Sharp's campaign continues to run ads with false information, even after having the fact the information was false pointed out to him, raises serious questions in our mind about his ethical approach to the campaign.

At a time when leadership, continuity and integrity are important for Texas, we believe Rick Perry would be the best choice for lieutenant governor.

## LETTER POLICIES

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## Endorsements: Cornyn, Dewhurst and Combs

## Attorney General

John Cornyn receives the Herald's endorsement in the race for attorney general over Jim Mattox. Justice Cornyn has compiled a dignified career as a state district judge for six years and two terms as Texas Supreme Court justice. He was a clear winner in bar polls, the opinions of his peers.

Cornyn has pledged to increase the efficiency of the child-support collection system and has made child support the top issue in his campaign.

He also pledges to work to help communities curb crime by providing necessary resources to do the job while also being a consumer advocate.

Mr. Mattox served Texas as attorney general from 1983 to 1990 and is campaigning on past accomplishments amid a stalled political career.

Rather than dwell on the past, we believe Texas should move ahead with Cornyn, who brings integrity, vision and a desire to make a difference to the race.

## Land Commissioner

Democrat Richard Raymond says the difference in this race is the fact he lives in a small, rural community while Republican David Dewhurst lives in Houston's prestigious River Oaks.

But residency shouldn't be the issue in this race.

Instead, voters should consider experience, background and business acumen in selecting the person that oversees veterans programs, the State Coastal Management Program, manage the state's lands as well as handle some of the responsibilities of oil spill prevention and response.

Dewhurst is a businessman with experience running real estate, oil and gas, electric generation and environmental companies — all which ties back to the duties of the job.

His service as an officer in the United States Air Force directly relates to veterans issues.

In addition, Mr. Dewhurst has a definite plan for increasing state revenues for public

education.

Mr. Raymond, a former assistant to current land commissioner Gary Mauro, says he is best qualified for the job but offers little to substantiate that claim.

At a time when mineral values are declining and the cost of public education is on the rise, we believe it is important that a businessman with success in the oil and gas industry be elected as land commissioner.

We recommend David Dewhurst for land commissioner.

## Agriculture Commissioner

This is one of those races where both candidates speak a similar language and have small-town ties.

Clearly, state representative L.P. "Pete" Patterson has the experience advantage over former state representative Susan Combs.

For 21 years, Patterson has been a member of the House Agriculture and Livestock

Committee, serving as its chair for the past seven years.

But both want to expand processing of Texas-produced raw products and increase the marketing of Texas products as a way to grow jobs.

Patterson still lives and works on his family farm in Brookston, where he says he lost more than \$40,000 because of this year's drought.

Combs is a fourth-generation West Texan who ranches in the Marathon area south of Fort Stockton and east of Alpine.

Visiting with both candidates, and taking Patterson's experience into consideration, we believe Combs, because of her knowledge of West Texas, support of the Ag Corridor and her plan to increase processing by bringing bankers, processors and producers together, would best serve the interests of Big Spring and West Texas.

Combs has a clear grasp of the problems facing rural West Texas and, more importantly, knows that there's a whole 'nother Texas west of I-35.

We recommend Susan Combs for ag commissioner.

## THE MORNING AFTER THE BUDGET DEAL



## Pinochet: No villain after stopping Castro

By DALE McFEATHERS

Scripps Howard

The 1973 military preventive strike that brought Augusto Pinochet to power in Chile forestalled the Castroization of that country, a process that was well advanced. For that he will never be forgiven by the international left, which is now overjoyed by his detention in Great Britain at the behest of Spanish lawyers, who want him extradited to Spain in order to be tried for human rights violations.

This has been opposed, notably, by former Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher in a public letter. She has good words to say about Pinochet, and relevantly points out that Pinochet's status has been legally settled in Chile — where, indeed, President Eduardo Frei vehemently opposes extradition — and the move by the Spanish lawyers amounts to interference in Chile's internal affairs.

What occurred in Chile at the time of the overthrow of Salvador Allende was in fact a civil war. Chile then had, per capita, the largest Communist Party in Latin America. The Socialist Party, to which Allende belonged, was actually to the left of the Communist Party. Though they agreed on the Marxist model of the desired society, the Socialists were more willing to resort to street violence and to try to seize power prematurely.

The Communists in fact believed that Allende was moving too precipitously in the direction of a Marxist state, because a "revolutionary situation" did not yet exist. By that, the Communists meant that for a revolution to succeed, the

armed forces had to be sympathetic, or at least neutralized.

Allende moved ahead anyway, and, as things turned out, the Communists were right. He later committed suicide under siege in his Moneda Palace by blowing his brains out. His wife and daughter fled to Cuba, where the daughter married the director of the Cuban version of the KGB.

Allende had come to power in a three-way race as a minority victor. Shortly before he was overthrown, the Parliament had narrowly fallen just short of the two-thirds vote needed to impeach him.

Meanwhile, Allende had cracked down on the opposition press through strikes by leftist unions, had violated the Constitution by restricting travel by Chileans within their country, and was attempting to nationalize the Chilean trucking industry.

This last move was fatal. Chilean truckers are small businessmen, and typically own one truck or perhaps a few. They move Chilean commerce along the central highway that runs down the length of the long, thin country. In opposition to Allende's attempt to seize their trucks, the truckers went on strike, parking hundreds of trucks on the central highway and blocking all movement. These truckers were armed.

At the same time, massive demonstrations by housewives occurred outside Allende's Moneda Palace in Santiago. Tens of thousands of women appeared in the streets hammering on pots and pans, protesting food shortages and inflation. Allende moved to further nationalize industry, and attempted to promote sympathetic officers to key

posts in the military.

The Communists had feared that he was attempting a revolution in the absence of a revolutionary situation. Instead, he had created a counter-revolutionary situation.

The number of people killed in the overthrow is a matter of some dispute, but in all accounts, it is small. Recently I saw an absurdly precise figure of 4,238. As civil wars go, that is a pretty modest figure. As I said, the Chilean Communist Party was the largest per capita in Latin America, the Socialist Party was more radical and violent, and radical militia units were armed.

I myself spent some time in Chile a couple of years after the Allende overthrow. The presidential (Moneda) palace was still a burned-out shell, having been hit by a dozen air-force rockets. President Pinochet was operating from an office in the top of a modern skyscraper, the Diego Portales, and undertaking economic reforms that transformed Chile into the prosperous free-market nation it is today.

Pinochet, I found in talking with him, was no economist, but had put his trust in a group of young Chilean economists from the University of Chicago. They were busy privatizing and dismantling politically protected but inefficient industries and focusing on ventures where Chile could be competitive internationally. They also designed the Chilean social security system, which is infinitely better than our own 1936-vintage albatross and is being imitated in Latin America and elsewhere.

In terms of civil liberties, the Chile I saw was not repressive. You could buy any books you

wished. The major weekly news magazine, which looked just like Time, was Christian-Democratic (that is, liberal) and often highly critical of Pinochet. The leading newspaper El Mercurio looked like The Wall Street Journal, and had about the same editorial policy. It was free-market and democratic in its perspective, but thought Pinochet was doing a good job as a transitional figure.

Communist agitational literature was outlawed, but it circulated clandestinely, often in surprisingly ingenious forms. You had to use a magnifying glass to read it. Mostly morale-building stuff, it contained news items about "growing resistance" and promises of victory to come.

There is no question that Allende's goal was to transform Chile into a Marxist state on the Cuban model. Arms and advisors were flowing to him from Havana. Revolutionary movements were active in Central America.

We would see a takeover in Nicaragua and revolutionary civil war in Salvador. The defeat of Allende was a major blow to Moscow and Havana.

The Nixon administration had hoped Allende would lose the election through which he came to power. Funds were funneled to opposition leaders for use in PR and organizing. The administration was not part of the overthrow that brought Pinochet to power. But the Pinochet counter-revolution certainly was in harmony with U.S. goals in the region.

For that, Pinochet will never be forgiven by the international left. Morally and politically, his detention in England is outrageous.

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# Secretary of State Albright urging Arabs to deal with Netanyahu

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Madeleine Albright is urging Arab leaders to recognize Israel now that it has agreed to cede more land to the Palestinians.

She also wants them to help the Palestinians develop the West Bank and Gaza.

Arab momentum in establishing diplomatic and economic ties to Israel was halted after Benjamin Netanyahu and his Likud coalition ousted Shimon Peres as prime minister in 1996,

elections.

Netanyahu's refusal to relinquish more land and his opposition to a Palestinian state prompted the Arab freeze.

But now that he has signed an agreement with Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat to give up to the Palestinians another 13 percent of the West Bank, Albright wants the Arabs to reciprocate.

"Secretary Albright believes with the peace process now reinvigorated Arab states

should do more to normalize relations with Israel, assist the Palestinians economically where possible and participate in the multilateral peace process track," her spokesman, James P. Rubin, said Monday.

The Clinton administration is not gearing up to push Israel to make a land-for-peace deal with Syria. First, a senior U.S. official told reporters, "we now have to digest" the West Bank accord and get ready for negotiations between Israel and the

Palestinians on an overall settlement.

Under the Wye accord, the talks, which will deal with Palestinian demands for a state and a capital in Jerusalem, are scheduled to open Nov. 2.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said President Clinton would join the negotiations at some point.

Clinton spent some 80 hours mediating between Netanyahu and Arafat in Maryland before the agreement was reached last

Friday.

The statement issued by Rubin at Albright's direction reflected what senior U.S. officials consider to be a passive and unhelpful response from Egypt, Saudi Arabia and several other Arab countries to the Israeli-Palestinian accord.

Assistant Secretary of State Martin Indyk met Monday with 10 Arab ambassadors, but there was no change in their position.

King Hussein of Jordan, who signed a peace treaty with Israel

in 1996, attended the summit talks and urged Netanyahu and Arafat to reach a settlement.

Otherwise, Arab leaders have kept their distance. Egypt, the first Arab country to make peace with Israel, in 1979, gave lukewarm approval to the agreement.

Algeria called it a step toward peace.

On the other hand, the Syrian media, which take their cues from the government, and Lebanon were critical.

## Weather outlook improves for launch

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — All elements for John Glenn's historic return to space were in good shape today, with

the astronauts on hand, the countdown going smoothly and the outlook for launch day weather improving.

lem. The outlook for favorable launch conditions declines to 60 percent for both Friday and Saturday.

## College student dies of caffeine overdose

MOREHEAD CITY, N.C. (AP) — A 20-year-old man died after taking a dare from a fellow student and swallowing dozens of caffeine pills.

Jason Allen had swallowed most of a 90-pill bottle, which would be the equivalent to drinking as many as 250 cups of coffee, authorities said.

"It's a terrible, terrible story," said Morehead City police Major Wrenn Johnson. "No one suspects caffeine to be deadly."

Forecasters said today that there was a 70 percent chance of favorable weather for Thursday's launch, with a slight chance of showers. Earlier, the chance for good weather had been put at 60 percent. Stiff winds peeling off from Hurricane Mitch are the only concern.

The hurricane was far from Florida and posed no threat to the state, but forecasters worried that the storm system could trigger an increase in winds blowing across the ocean-side launch pad. Winds of 17.2 mph at launch time could force a postponement.

If the launch is delayed for some reason to later in the week, forecasters said weather could become more of a prob-

lem. The outlook for favorable launch conditions declines to 60 percent for both Friday and Saturday.

Glenn and his six crewmates had some rare leisure hours today at the crew quarters, a short drive from the launch pad.

They were to review their flight plans, check equipment, including their spacesuits and undergo brief medical exams. In the afternoon, they were given five hours of free time to spend with adult family members. As a guard against colds or infections, mission rules bar children and teen-agers from the crew quarters.

Nearby, preparations by spectators and journalists were reaching a pace that rivaled the frenzy of the Apollo moon shot days of 30 years ago.

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**"More can be done to change welfare to insist on work."**

"So I've proposed we cut off benefits to anyone on welfare who refuses to accept a job, is convicted of using drugs, or doesn't cooperate with child support enforcement."

**"If we discover welfare fraud, it should be one strike and you're out."**

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## IN BRIEF

Local Special Olympians  
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Eleven Special Olympians from Howard County took part in a softball individual skills tournament in Midland.

Each of the athletes took part in base running, throwing, fielding and batting competitions.

Local athletes taking gold medals included Choyia Baker, Teresa Guiterrez, Jennifer Hernandez, Tommy Lasater, Steven Mills, Cecil Mitchell, Hal Porter, Cynthia Velasquez and Stacy Wells.

Seth Kirm and Josh Hughes earned silver medals.

Coahoma Band Boosters  
schedule tailgate party

The Coahoma High School Band Boosters Club will sponsor a tailgate party Friday prior to the Bulldogs' game with Tahoka at Bulldog Stadium.

Tickets will be \$5 per person for the meal. Door prizes will be given away.

For more information, call Virginia Belew at 263-7531.

Coahoma boosters slate  
meeting for tonight

The Coahoma Athletic Booster Club will meet at 7:30 tonight in the Coahoma Elementary School cafeteria.

A business meeting will precede taped highlights from Friday night's game and commentary from Bulldogs coaches.

The public is invited to attend.

Basketball officials set  
meeting for Wednesday

Big Spring basketball officials will hold a meeting a 7 p.m. Wednesday 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.

Stones: Track and field  
needing more exposure

High jumper Dwight Stones knows the problem for track and field. What's more, he says he knows the solution.

Stones, elected Monday along with hurdler Greg Foster, distance runner Lancia Larrieu-Smith and discus thrower Jay Silvester to the National Track and Field Hall of Fame, sees his sport suffering from underexposure.

And he also knows what's needed to change that condition.

"We need to schtick it up a little bit," he said. "If we do, people will be compelled to watch. We need to have personalities, even if, to a certain degree, they're court jesters and clowns. There's nothing wrong with that."

In fact, Stones even sort of volunteered for that role a generation ago.

When he came out of Long Beach State and UCLA to set his first world record in 1973, Stones saw a sort of lethargy in his sport, with no charismatic centerpiece athlete like boxing's Muhammad Ali.

"At 19, I decided to be that person," Stones said. "I was a world record-holder. I was going to do something to bring attention to the sport. If Ali could get away with it, I could."

So Stones sounded off. He was happy to stir up an opponent, maybe embarrass, maybe humiliate a rival. It was all done deliberately.

"People booed me, but that was fine," he said. "They thought I was trying to create a cult of personality."

What he was trying to create was a sport of personality.

Stones was never shy. He would predict victories and then take it a step further, predicting world records.

## ON THE AIR

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7 p.m. — Buffalo Sabres at New York Rangers or St. Louis Blues at Philadelphia Flyers, ESPN, Ch. 30.

## Los Angeles, Houston vie for NFL's next expansion spot

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Los Angeles has the celebrities and Houston has the cash. Two cities deserted by a total of three teams in the mid '90s are ready to make their formal bids to become the NFL's 32nd team.

Two groups from Los Angeles and a third from Houston go before the owners today.

One of the LA groups, headed by former Hollywood agent Michael Ovitz has Jerry West, Magic Johnson and Shaquille O'Neal in its group, bidding to build a new stadium about 12 miles from downtown Los Angeles.

The other, headed by Ed Roski, co-owner of the NHL's Kings, is being helped by an active NFL player, Keyshawn Johnson of the New York Jets, who was making calls on the

group's behalf, talking about putting a model of Carolina's Ericsson Stadium inside the shell of the old stadium.

"You have to bring a team back to Los Angeles itself," Johnson said. "I grew up within a mile of the coliseum and I remember how life revolved around it in that neighborhood."

The NFL goes to 31 teams next year when the Cleveland Browns rejoin the league, replacing the franchise that Art Modell moved to Baltimore.

But that will leave an odd number of teams, meaning someone will have to get a bye every week of the season, including the first week and the last.

That's why the owners are anxious to add another team as quickly as possible — but only one.

"You've got two cities out there, and

there's only going to be one more expansion team for a long time," says Denver owner Pat Bowlen, who himself is hoping for a "yes" vote for a stadium to replace Mile High. "There are only going to be 32 teams in the league."

Houston, deserted by the Oilers for Tennessee after the 1996 season, is thought to be ahead of two Los Angeles groups in the bidding for franchises.

That's because it has one group, headed by Bob McNair, with financing already in place and Steve Patterson, a former general manager of the NBA's Rockets as its general manager. It has plans for a retractable roof stadium, to be built in the parking lot of the Houston Astrodome.

And while commissioner Paul Tagliabue has said all along he'd like

Los Angeles back, he also has close ties to McNair.

Los Angeles lost two teams after the 1995 season — the Rams to St. Louis and the Raiders back to Oakland.

The wild-card in all this is Al Davis, the owner of the Raiders, who moved his team from Oakland to Los Angeles in 1982 and back to the Bay Area in 1996. He also has made overtures about moving back and claims he still has the franchise rights in the Los Angeles area.

Also on the agenda is expected to be a request from the new Cleveland group, headed by Al Lerner, to begin hiring personnel from other teams. The obvious target is San Francisco, where Browns president Carmen Policy, former president of the 49ers, would like to hire away general manager Dwight Clark.

## Stanton remains No. 6 in Class 2A ranks

Sweetwater  
tumbles out  
in Class 4A

From staff and wire reports

While Stanton's Buffaloes did not move up in The Associated Press' high school football poll this week, their 46-14 demolition of Coahoma's Bulldogs has clearly earned them new respect.

The defending state champion Buffs dropped from the No. 1 spot to No. 6 in the poll's Class 2A rankings following a loss to Seagraves two weeks ago.

And although this week's poll shows Stanton still in the No. 6 position behind No. 5 Iraan's Braves, the Buffs did garner one first-place vote from the AP's panel of 20 sports writers and broadcasters.

Winters remained No. 2 in the 2A rankings.

The only West Texas team to drop out of the rankings was Sweetwater, an upset victim to Snyder on Friday.

This week's big changes in the poll centered around Class 5A's previous No. 1 team, Katy.

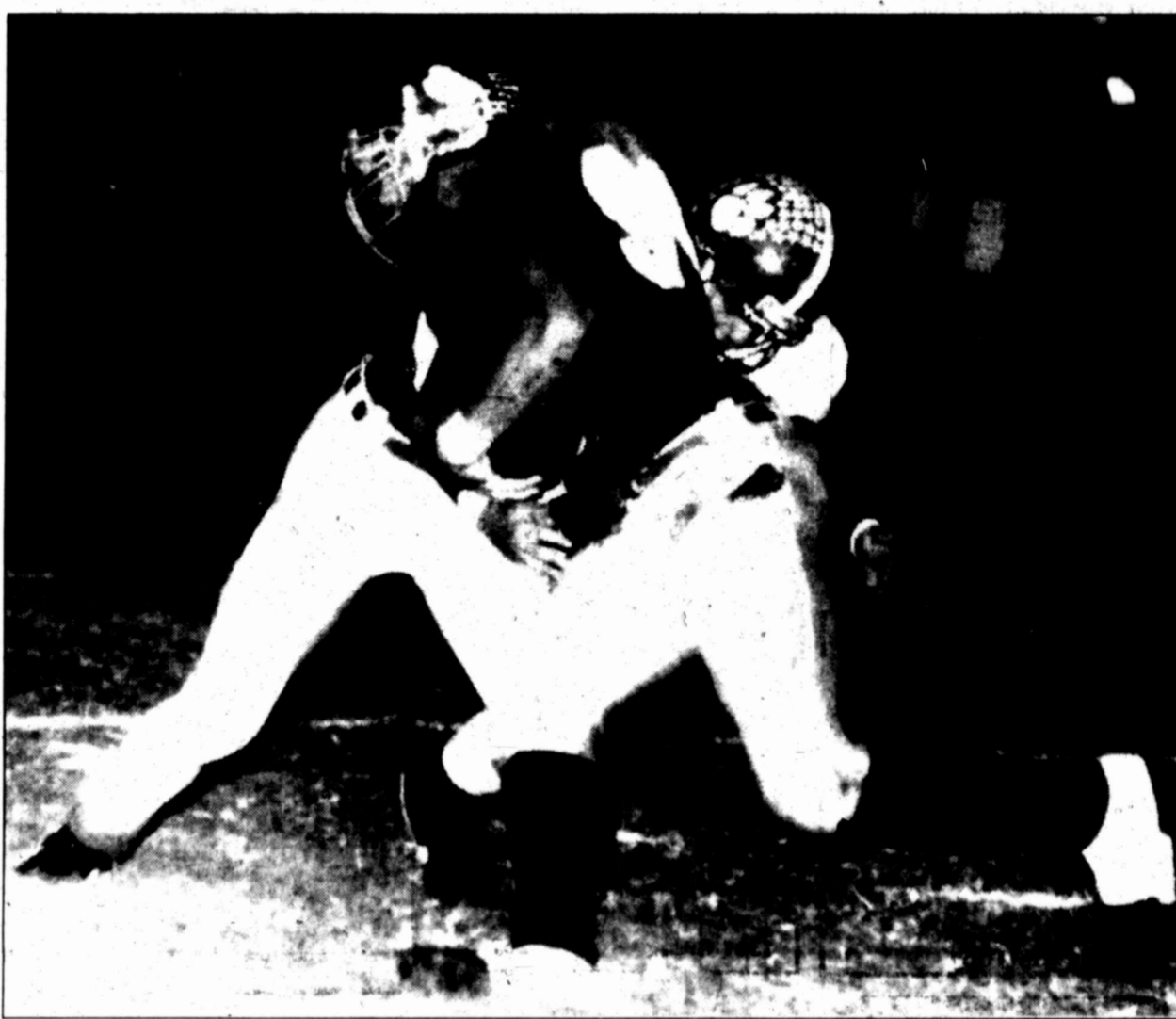
Facing possible forfeits, Katy dropped from 5A's top position to No. 3 despite whipping Rosenberg Terry 41-3 Friday.

The Tigers got 10 first-place votes but were replaced at No. 1 by Converse Judson, which was 8-0 and got nine first-place votes after beating San Antonio Madison 17-10. Killeen Ellison moved up two notches from No. 4 after beating Leander 34-9 to become 7-1.

In other divisions, unbeaten teams retained their top rankings: La Marque (6-0) in 4A, Breckenridge (8-0) in 3A, Mart in 2A (8-0) and Tenaha (8-0) in 1A. La Marque got 18 first-place votes, Breckenridge got 19, Mart got 16 and Tenaha got 19.

Sports writers and broadcasters downgraded Katy, which has won all seven of its games this year, because a district committee ordered the Tigers Thursday to forfeit four games for violating University Interscholastic League rules.

The UIL State Executive Committee meets today in Austin to consider Katy's appeal of the four forfeits for not charging football players



HERALD photo/Linda Choate

Stanton tight end Chad Smith (90) bolts over lowers a shoulder, preparing for a collision with a Coahoma defender after hauling in a 24-yard strike from quarterback Kyle Hem during the first half of the Buffs' 46-14 win Friday. The play set up a touchdown that allowed Stanton to take a 39-0 lead. The defending state champion Buffaloes remained No. 6 in this week's Associated Press schoolboy football poll, but did receive one first-place vote from the panel of sports writers and broadcasters which creates the rankings.

the full dinner price at banquets. If the forfeits stand, Katy will be 3-5 because of an earlier forfeit for using an ineligible player.

Elsewhere in 5A, 7-1 Arlington Lamar advanced from No. 6 to No. 4 after beating DeSoto 24-21. Tyler Lee, 8-0 after knocking Longview out of the 5A Top 10 with a 31-28 victory, advanced from No. 9 to replace Longview at No. 5.

Plano East (7-1) blanked Richardson Pearce 37-0 to move up from No. 8 to No. 6. Eules Trinity (8-0) improved from No. 10 to No. 7 after beating Richland 56-3. The Woodlands (8-0) jumped onto the poll at No. 8 by shutting out Klein Forest 19-0. Aldine Eisenhower (6-2) fell from No. 3 to No. 9 after losing 6-5 to Aldine. And Midland Lee (7-1) dropped from No. 7 to last after losing 21-14 to Abilene

Cooper.

In 4A, Nos. 2-7 remained the same after victories by West Orange-Stark, Andrews, Corpus Christi Calallen, Ennis, Brownwood and Schertz Clemens. Stephenville moved up a step to No. 8 and Hays Consolidated and Dayton, both 8-0, joined the poll at Nos. 9 and 10 respectively. Hays Consolidated beat San Marcos 28-21 and Dayton downed Beaumont Ozen 41-6.

Former No. 8 Sweetwater dropped off the 4A list after losing 23-7 to Snyder and former No. 10 Bay City was knocked out by a 20-0 loss to El Campo.

Class 3A dropped No. 5 Waco Connally, a 41-21 loser to Waco La Vega (8-0), which in turn moved up from No. 7 to No. 4. Tatum and Sealy also lost, with Tatum dropping from No. 3 to No. 8 and Sealy falling from

No. 2 to No. 9. Moving up in 3A were Newton (No. 4 to No. 2), Cleveland (No. 6 to No. 3), Coldspring (No. 8 to No. 5) and Commerce (No. 9 to No. 7). Crane edged onto the poll at No. 10 with an 8-0 record and a 20-7 victory over Greenwood.

A new No. 10 was the only change in 2A as Lexington lost 20-18 to Franklin and Brookshire Royal beat Boling 56-14 to earn a berth. Nos. 2-9 remained. Winters, Pilot Point, Spearman, Iraan, Stanton, Alto, Italy and Holliday.

Class 1A, with more unbeaten teams than any other class, was the same from top to bottom. Iola held onto No. 2, followed by Aspermont, Era, Bartlett, Menard, Granger, Wortham, Frost and O'Donnell. All have perfect records except for Bartlett and Granger, with one loss apiece.

## SCHOOLBOY POLL

This week's Associated Press high school football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses. Voting is by a panel of 20 sports writers and broadcasters.

Class	Record
Class 5A	
1. Converse Judson (9)	8-0
2. Killeen Ellison	7-1
3. Katy (10)	3-5
4. Arlington Lamar	7-1
5. Tyler Lee (1)	8-0
6. Plano East	7-1
7. Eules Trinity	8-0
8. The Woodlands	8-0
9. Aldine Eisenhower	6-2
10. Midland Lee	7-1

DROPPED OUT: Longview.  
Also receiving votes: Odessa Permian, 19; Adine 18, Longview 17, Austin Westlake 10, Marshall 7, Houston Madison 6, Pasadena 6, Cy-Fair 5, Houston Lamar 5, Lewisville 4, Mesquite 4, Baytown Lee 2, Abilene Cooper 1, Bryan 1, McAllen Rowe 1, The Colony 1.

Class	Record
Class 4A	
1. LaMarque (18)	6-0
2. West Orange-Stark (1)	8-0
3. Andrews (1)	8-0
4. CC Calallen	7-1
5. Ennis	8-0
6. Brownwood	7-1
7. Schertz Clemens	8-0
8. Stephenville	7-1
9. Hays Consolidated	8-0
10. Dayton	8-0

DROPPED OUT: Sweetwater, Bay City.  
Also receiving votes: Greenville 9, Borger 8, Port Neches-Groves 7, Houston Forest Brook 6, Southlake Carroll 5, Corsicana 4, EP Riverside 4, Kilgore 4, Terrell 3, FW Wyatt 2, San Marcos 2, Bay City 1, Denton 1, Jacksonville 1, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo 1, Sweetwater 1.

Class	Record
Class 3A	
1. Breckenridge (19)	8-0
2. Newton	6-1
3. Cleveland (1)	7-1
4. Waco LaVega	8-0
5. Coldspring	6-1
6. Mabank	7-1
7. Commerce	7-1
8. Tatum	7-1
9. Sealy	5-2
10. Crane	8-0

DROPPED OUT: Waco Connally.  
Also receiving votes: Sweeny 30, Delgado 19, Friona 16, Waco Connally 15, Corrigan-Camden 13, Sanger 9, Brady 5, Cuero 5, Waco Robinson 5, Royce City 4, Vernon 4, Pearsall 3, La Verna 2, Aledo 1, Diboll 1, Lorena 1.

Class	Record
Class 2A	
1. Mart (16)	8-0
2. Winters (1)	8-0
3. Pilot Point (1)	7-0
4. Spearman	8-0
5. Iraan	8-0
6. Stanton (1)	7-1
7. Alto (1)	7-1
8. Italy	7-1
9. Holliday	8-0
10. Brookshire Royal	6-1

DROPPED OUT: Lexington.  
Also receiving votes: Canadian 16, Franklin 12, Celina 11, Refugio 8, East Chambers 5, Seagraves 4, Ganado 3, Thordale 3, Troy 3, Comfort 2, Royal 2, Boyd 1, Grapeland 1.

Class	Record
Class A	
1. Tenaha (19)	7-0
2. Iola (1)	7-0
3. Aspermont	8-0
4. Era	7-0
5. Bartlett	7-1
6. Menard	8-0
7. Granger	6-2
8. Wortham	8-0
9. Frost	7-0
10. O'Donnell	8-0

DROPPED OUT: none.  
Also receiving votes: Rocksprings 18, Roscoe 11, Muenster 9, Gorman 8, Dallas 5, Burkeville 3, Falls City 3, Detroit 1, Marfa 1, Munday 1, Sudan 1.

Aikman gets final green light  
to play in Philadelphia game

IRVING (AP) — An X-ray of Dallas quarterback Troy Aikman's broken collarbone Monday abolished any doubts about whether he should play next week against the Philadelphia Eagles.

"The X-ray showed dramatic improvement," Aikman said. "The doctors feel very good about it. My risk will be minimal. They said the injury has had more healing than what they would have expected since the injury."

Asked if he still felt pain, Aikman said, "I still have a little, but it is diminishing."

Then he joked: "I felt it on my backswing Saturday."

Aikman played golf during the Cowboys' three days of rest at the end of their bye week.

Aikman said trainers have rigged up some extra padding

for him to put around the injured area.

"I probably won't help much if I get a direct hit," Aikman said.

Aikman resumed practice last week for the first time since he was sidelined in the second quarter of Denver's 42-23 victory over the Cowboys on Sept. 13.

"We'll get an extra day of work this week and we'll need it," he said. "It's important for me to get as much work this week as possible. But I was surprised how things came together after a five-week absence. I still don't think I'll be as sharp as I would be if I had been playing."

Dallas coach Chan Gailey gave the Cowboys off Friday through Sunday as a break after the Bears sprang a 13-12 upset on Dallas to drop its record to 4-

3. Three of Dallas' victories have come against NFC East division foes and Gailey hopes the Cowboys can make the Eagles the fourth in a Monday night special at Veterans Stadium.

"Division victories are very important," Gailey said. "But we'll take a win of any kind. We need to bounce back after what happened in Chicago."

Jason Garrett was the quarterback in that game, the end of his five-game stretch as starting quarterback.

Garrett was 3-2 as a starter for the Cowboys, who lead the NFC East by a game over the New York Giants.

The Cowboys spent some time last week working on plays for the Minnesota game on Thanksgiving Day in Texas Stadium.

Buffs, Queens improve times  
in District 2-2A cross-country

HERALD Staff Report

JUNCTION — Forsan's Buffaloes and Queens turned in some of their best performances of the season Monday afternoon at the District 2-2A cross-country meet.

Eldorado's Eagles chalked up the 2-2A boys' division championship, while Wall's Lady Hawks were the girls' champions.

While none of Forsan's athletes placed highly enough to qualify for the Region I, Class 2A meet in Lubbock on Nov. 7, coach Johnny Schafer said he was extremely pleased with his runners' showing.

"All of our kids did a fine job this year and several of them had their best times of the season today," Schafer said following the meet. "We're looking forward to them improving their times next year."

The Buffs finished fifth in the boys' division of the meet, paced by Chris King, Adam Dunlap and J.D. Newton.

King finished 12th in the field, while Dunlap was 16th and Newton was right behind at 17th. Both King and Newton posted personal bests, with 18:09 and 18:32 clockings, respectively.

Teammates Brandon Bingham and Jeremy Becerra finished in the 23rd and 24th positions, both posting personal bests, while Matt Mims rounded out the Forsan contingent with a 29th-place finish.

In the girls' divisions, Tonnie Loera and Candace Gamble shattered their personal bests — Loera finishing 13th in the varsity division with a 15:04, while Gamble was sixth in the junior varsity division with a 15:04, earning her first medal of the season.

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# NBA owners move off hard salary cap

NEW YORK (AP) — On the most productive day of negotiations in the NBA lockout, owners backed off their insistence on having a hard salary cap.

Players and owners met for about nine hours Monday on Day 118 of the lockout, and finally started talking in detail about a compromise.

"We need a system that eventually gets to where there's a set percentage for the players and a set percentage for the owners," deputy commissioner Russ Granik said. "I don't think it has to be a hard cap, and in fact some of the things we're talking about now are not hard caps."

The owners' shift in position was downplayed by the union, but it meant the sides have to be closer, at least in principle, on coming to an agreement on the main economic issues.

Talks were scheduled to resume today with the sides discussing non-economic issues. On Wednesday, a negotiating session will cover many of the topics discussed Monday.

"The best thing is we have some sort of an agreement on basic principles," said Orlando center Danny Schayes, a member of the union's executive committee.

"Right now, we're talking about a hybrid system. The first couple of years it would work one way, for another couple of years it would work another way if the first way didn't work. At least we're finding some common ground," Schayes said.

About 20 people from the union and 10 from the league worked through the afternoon and into the night at a Manhattan hotel. The site was kept a secret to avoid the circus atmosphere that has surrounded past negotiating sessions.

Most participants left after about 7 hours, but a few members from each side, including commissioner David Stern and union director Billy Hunter, stayed late.

"There's not been any movement at all. We've got some difficulties. We've made little or no progress," Hunter said, contradicting statements made by others involved in the talks.

Despite the different spin from different people, it was clear that the sides were moving away from confrontation and toward compromise.

The league was asking to operate under a luxury tax system for the next three seasons, with a fallback system of a harder salary cap for the next three years. The union was asking for a tax system lasting two years, with the fallback system lasting another two years.

## Court has granted Moceanu's parents emergency hearing

HOUSTON (AP) — A judge has granted the parents of Olympic gold-medal gymnast Dominique Moceanu an emergency hearing to determine if she is under the improper influence of three people who formerly worked at a gym owned by her parents.

The gymnast, who turned 17 on Sept. 30, filed suit Oct. 19 seeking to be certified as an adult and placed in charge of the money she has earned in her seven-year professional career. She accused her father of squandering the money — partly by using her money to buy a gymnasium.

Dumitru and Camelia Moceanu asked for a hearing to determine if their daughter is safe. The hearing was scheduled for Wednesday.

The parents claimed in their request for the emergency hearing that Dominique's court-appointed attorney left their daughter under the influence of an undocumented immigrant and two men of questionable motives.

The three who have helped her hide since she ran away Oct. 17 from her parents' home in the Houston suburb of Spring are Luminita Miscenco, 26, her gymnastics coach; Brian Huggins, 32, a friend; and Jeff Pudlo, 23.

Schayes said.

"Instead of absolute cost certainty, there would be mechanisms that give the owners a very good shot at costs within a certain range. So it's a good compromise in that area," Schayes said.

Still, the sides have not made any movement on whose contracts would be taxable and how high the tax would be.

In earlier bargaining sessions, the union proposed a 50 percent tax on the amount of any annual salary exceeding \$18 million, and the owners proposed a tax of anywhere from 50 to 200 percent on any contract signed under the Larry Bird exception for more than \$2.6 million annu-

ally.

"The good news is at least we're talking about the same thing," Schayes said. "We're not close on the specifics, so it depends what you call progress. There's nothing that would signal any imminent announcements, but we've agreed to talk more."

Monday's talks — the seventh joint session — came in advance of a two-day meeting of the league's Board of Governors. It was Stern's best chance to make a bold move toward settling a dispute that has lasted nearly four months and has forced the league to cancel games for the first time in its history.

The owners' labor committee was to meet today, and on Wednesday the full board will meet. The sides have scrapped plans to have dozens, or perhaps hundreds, of players attend.

In their previous proposal, the owners insisted upon having a hard salary cap as a fallback in case a tax system failed to reduce the amount of basketball-related income devoted to player salaries.

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Lovely 3/2 hardwood  
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bath, 2 story brick, lake  
house, w/hot air. On 1.1  
hectare of main  
part of Colorado City  
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during business hours  
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1 bedroom apt. for rent.  
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Apartment, houses,  
mobile home. References  
required. 263-6944,  
263-2241.

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Extra clean 1 bdr. house  
furnished. 1216 Macquie.  
\$225/mn \$150/dep. Rental  
references required. Sorry  
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GAIL ROAD: 3 bedroom,  
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Well water. No pets!  
\$100./dep., \$300./mo.  
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Nice furnished 1 bdr.  
trailer large utility room,  
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Office space for rent. 700  
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First Month Free  
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fenced yard, near schools.  
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closets. 709 W. 7th. Water  
paid. \$250./mo. 263-6400  
or 267-7854.

2 bdr. 2 bath and 2 bdr., 1  
bath mobile homes.  
Outside city. On private  
lots. 267-6347.

2 bdr. 2 bath Mobile Home  
in Sand Springs area. Call  
267-3841 or 556-4022.

2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath. 304  
E. 5th. No Pets!! Call  
267-3841 or 556-4022.

3 bdr. 1 1/2 bath fenced  
yard, C/H/A, stove  
furnished, newly  
decorated. Call 267-5855

4 bdr. handicap  
accessible home for rent,  
formal living & dining  
room, 3 bath, large bonus  
room, lots of cabinet &  
closet space, utilities pd.  
\$700/mn. Call after 6pm.  
263-0246.

Clean 1 bdr. stove &  
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RENT. 3 bd., 2 bath  
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well, etc. \$200./dep.  
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915-365-3512. Ask for  
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267-2070

FOR RENT/SELL: 3 bdr.  
1 1/2 bath, C/H/A,  
fireplace, new paint.  
\$475/mn \$250/dep. 2604  
Ent. Detached single  
rented. Owner Finance.  
\$45,000. terms negotiable.  
267-7449.

Small 3bd. Mobile Home.  
C/H/A, washer/dryer,  
stove & ref. \$350./mo.  
\$150/dep. Midway area.  
Call 393-5585 anytime or  
after 2pm 267-3114.

3 bdr. 1 bath. 1921  
Harding C/H/A, stove,  
back yard. References  
required. \$400/mn.  
\$200/dep. 267-6957

3 bedroom, 1 bath. 2002 E.  
Cherokee. \$375./mo.  
\$200/dep. Call 267-9867.

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carpeted, fenced yard.  
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established Oil Company in  
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CDL & at least 5 years  
experience. Call  
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Bernie's Pecans  
267-8080

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errors have been made,  
we will gladly correct the  
ad and run it again for you  
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The County of Howard, Texas,  
will hold a Computer Accuracy  
Test, as required by Sec. 127.091  
to 127.100 of the Texas Election  
Code, to ascertain that it will ac-  
curately count the votes cast on  
punch-card ballots for the General  
Election to be held November 3,  
1998.

The Computer Accuracy Test will  
be held at the County Clerk's  
Office of Howard County, City of  
Big Spring, on October 30, 1998 at  
3:00 p.m.  
Wanda Anderson  
Presiding Judge  
Central Counting Station  
October 27, 1998  
2084 October 27, 1998

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FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT  
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Inc. 410 17th Street, #2300,  
Denver, CO 80202 is applying to  
the Railroad Commission of Texas  
for a permit to inject fluid into a  
formation which is productive of oil  
and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject  
fluid into the Golieta Oil Chalk  
Well Number SW. The proposed  
injection well is located 5 Miles  
East of Foran in the Howard  
Glasscock Field in Howard County.  
Fluid will be injected into strata in  
the subsurface depth interval from  
2700' to 3300' feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27  
of the Texas Water Code, as  
amended, Title 3 of the Texas  
Natural Resources Code, as  
amended, and the Statewide Rules  
of the Oil and Gas Division of the  
Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from  
persons who can show they are  
adversely affected, or requests for  
further information concerning any  
aspect of the application should be  
submitted in writing, within fifteen  
days of publication, to the  
Environmental Services Section,  
Oil and Gas Division, Railroad  
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR  
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 28:  
Pressure is heightened by a  
tendency to hold your ground  
no matter what. Growth and  
opportunity come from letting  
go of what doesn't work, and  
focusing on what does. Financial  
benefits result from creative  
and dynamic transformation.  
Home life could be extraordinarily  
fulfilling if you are willing to  
take the first step. If you are  
single, romance tends to challenge  
you; as rewarding as it could be,  
you are forced to grow and change  
here as well. If attached, the two  
of you can expect the unexpected.  
Remain caring and

## TUESDAY

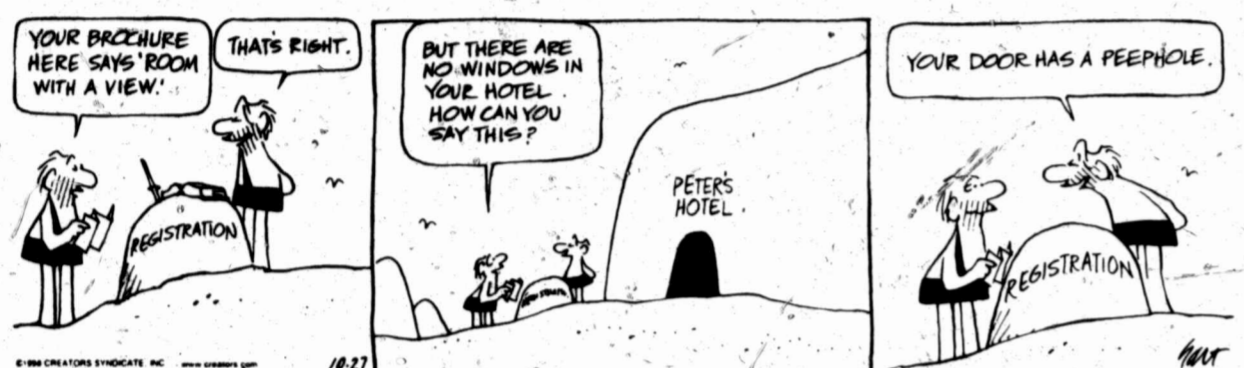
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8	Spin City (CC) Sports Night	World Records	"	Deadly Invasion: The	Movie: Carriers (CC)	Spin City (CC) Sports Night	Just Shoot Me Working (CC)	Things	Desencuentro	Movie: House Focus (CC)	Prime Time Country (CC)	Movie: The Shining	"	"	"	Inside Story	New Detectives	"	Hardcore Football	New York Rangers (CC)	"	Spidey (CC) Tins
9	NYPD Blue (CC)	Mad Abt. You Nanny (CC)	Frontline (CC)	Killer Bee Nightmares	"	NYPD Blue (CC)	Dateline (CC)	"	Primer Impacto Noc.	"	NASCAR: 50 Years	"	In Through the Out Door	Chris Rock Texas	News Life in Word	Inspector Morse-Sins	FBI Files	Movie: CHIPs '99 (CC)	Cowboys Sports News	Sloppin'	Movie: 18 Ghosts	SET Night
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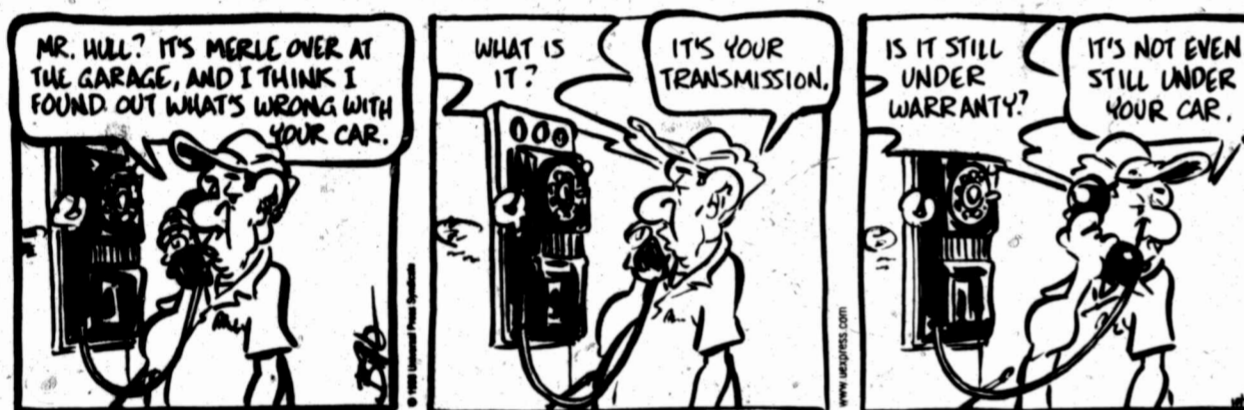
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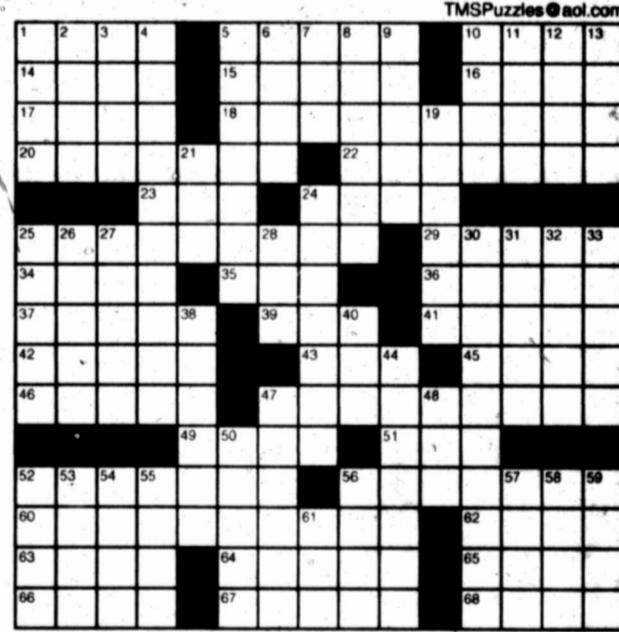
Today is Tuesday, Oct. 27, the 300th day of 1998. There are 65 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:  
On Oct. 27, 1787, the first of the Federalist Papers, a series of essays calling for ratification of the U. S. Constitution, was published in a New York newspaper.  
On this date:

## THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

ACROSS  
1 Rigorous  
5 "The Plague" author  
10 Hemingway's nickname  
14 Smell  
15 Dress shape  
16 Algerian port  
17 Blaze a trail  
18 Embroidery stitch  
20 Make honorable  
22 Computer capacity  
23 Potash  
24 Swimming hole  
25 Romeo, of sorts  
29 Wight and Man  
34 Landed  
35 Droop  
36 Struck forcefully  
37 Narrow strips of wood  
39 Tent stake  
41 Terre IN  
42 French room  
43 Part of an apron  
45 Neeson of "Schindler's List"  
46 Beginning  
47 Without esteem  
49 Follow orders  
51 Ordinance  
52 Displaced person  
56 Geisha's robes  
60 Clock pointer  
62 Rock's partner  
63 Rustic hotels  
64 Nevada resort  
65 Actress  
66 Kadrova  
67 Harvest  
67 Q-tips, e.g.  
68 Faded and dull

DOWN  
1 Aperture  
2 Port of Yemen  
3 Horse shade  
4 Eddie Murphy film  
5 Lacking a hat  
6 Toward shelter  
7 Cambridge sch.  
8 Concord  
9 Heated argument  
10 Destitute  
11 Diva's song  
12 Sharp spasm  
13 Feed the kitty  
19 Refine  
21 Automatic advance in a tournament  
24 Shoulder-length hairstyle  
25 Cowboy's rope  
26 Poe's middle name  
27 Gauges  
28 Atlas page  
30 Song from "Gypsy"  
31 Comic  
32 Anderson  
33 Kett and James  
34 Appears  
35 Begin a trip  
40 Martini ingredient  
44 Meteoric fireballs  
47 Whinny  
48 Leader of the flock  
50 Borscht  
52 Bahrain leader  
53 Creeper  
54 Tolstoy novel, "Karenina"  
55 Zodiac connection  
56 Rounded handle  
57 French black  
58 Spicy stew  
59 Granite block  
61 Exclamation of discovery



By Stanley B. Whitten

Northbrook, IL

Monday's Puzzle Solved



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In 1795, the United States and Spain signed the Treaty of San Lorenzo (also known as "Pinckney's Treaty"), which provided for free navigation of the Mississippi River.

In 1858, the 26th president of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt, was born in New York City.

In 1880, Theodore Roosevelt married Alice Lee.

In 1904, the first rapid transit subway, the IRT, opened in New York City.

In 1914, author-poet Dylan Thomas was born in Swansea, Wales.

In 1938, Du Pont announced a name for its new synthetic yarn: nylon.

In 1947, "You Bet Your Life," starring Groucho Marx, premiered on ABC Radio. It later became a television show on NBC.

In 1954, Walt Disney's first television program, titled "Disneyland" after his yet-to-be completed theme park, premiered on ABC.

In 1967, Expo '67 closed in Montreal, Canada.

In 1978, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin were named winners of the Nobel Peace Prize for their progress toward achieving a Middle East accord.

Ten years ago: The government of the Soviet Union unveiled an \$804 billion budget containing a deficit of \$58 billion that officials blamed on past mistakes.

Five years ago: Brush fires raged across Southern California, destroying several hundred homes. President Clinton presented a revised version of his health care reform plan to Congress, urging its passage within a year.

One year ago: The Dow Jones industrial average tumbled 554.26 points, forcing the stock market to shut down for the first time since the 1981 assassination attempt on President Reagan. Authorities in Chautauqua County, N.Y., said Nushawn Williams, an HIV-positive man who allegedly traded drugs for sex with young women and teens, had infected a number of them with the AIDS virus.

Today's Birthdays: Actress Teresa Wright is 80. Actress Nanette Fabray is 78. Baseball Hall-of-Famer and sportscaster Ralph Kiner is 78. Actress Ruby Dee is 74. Former Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher is 73. Actor-comedian John Cleese is 59. Country singer Lee Greenwood is 56. Actress Carrie Snodgrass is 52. Rock musician Garry Tallent (Bruce Springsteen & the E Street Band) is 49. Author Fran Lebowitz is 48.