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The *Big Spring Herald* is in the process of updating information for its annual Community Guide, scheduled for publication on Sunday, July 25.

Deadline for providing updated information is noon on Wednesday, July 14.

The Community Guide is used as a year-long source of information on businesses by category, civic and service clubs, churches and a wide variety of other information.

Please provide us with any changes to last year's listing — such as a new business address or change in club or organization contact or, in the case of churches, new pastors — in writing.

If you are a business that is new to the community or a new organization, please provide us with all pertinent information that may be of interest to our readers.

We cannot be responsible for any information that is not updated.

Please fax the information to: 264-7205, attention Community Guide; drop it by the office at 710 Scurry, or mail it to: P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring. You can also reach us by e-mail at: jwalker@crcom.net.

To ensure accuracy, information will not be taken by telephone.

WHAT'S UP...

TODAY

□ Big Spring Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third.

TUESDAY

□ Intermediate line dance classes, 9 a.m., Senior Citizens Center.

WEDNESDAY

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

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

□ Line dancing, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Center, Industrial Park.

WEATHER

Tonight:



TONIGHT 74°-78°
TUESDAY 95°-99°

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Stargazing party rescheduled to mid-July after clouds dim June's view

By ALLISON THOMAS
Staff Writer

The annual stargazing party on Scenic Mountain, canceled because of cloudy skies on June 12, has been rescheduled for mid-July.

At that time, stargazers hopefully will have a chance to see constellations, planets and nebulas through high powered telescopes on July 17.

Beginning at 9 that night, the West Texas Amateur Astronomy Club will set up telescopes on the pavilion area at the top of Big Spring State Park.

Those attending will be able to watch the sunset atop the bluff while being informed by the amateur astronomers.

When the stars appear, it will be possible to observe the objects that should be in view that night.

The planet Venus, second planet to the sun, should be in view. Venus usually appears as a particularly bright star in the night sky, and should be very visible through the large telescopes.

Another planet that should be visible on the 12th is Mars. The star Spica, in the constellation of Virgo, appears to be extremely close to Mars at this time.

"The fact that these two objects will be quite close together is exciting, because that doesn't happen very often," said Ron Alton, manager of Big Spring State Park.

Constellations and nebulas will also be in view. Members of the astronomy club

will be on hand to point out the constellations Virgo, Lyra, Hercules, Leo and Signus.

The veil nebula, said to be quite beautiful, is located inside the constellation Signus. The constellation Lyra contains the ringed nebula M57, which should also be visible.

A globular cluster of stars can be seen through the telescopes. Entitled M13, the globular cluster is within the constellation of Hercules.

The Milky Way galaxy should be bright and clear that night, and there will be a quarter moon. Through the telescopes, it is possible to see craters and other formations on the surface of the moon.

Weather permitting, all of these objects should be easily seen through the astronomy club's telescopes.

"These telescopes are massive," said Alton. "They are three or four feet in width."

The Amateur Astronomy Club provides this event for free, paid only with pizza and soda, he said.

Alton asks those attending to consider carpooling due to the limited parking on top of the mountain.

For all park events, Alton recommends bringing comfortable walking shoes, a flashlight, binoculars, and bottled water. Park entrance fees apply as usual, \$2 per adult, \$1 for seniors, and children 12 and under are admitted free of charge.



City water department employees Michael Sizenback (left) and James Dalley fill in the hole after city employees replace an 8-inch water line on Third Street, directly across from the Settles Building. Seventy-two feet of water line was replaced on the project last Thursday and Friday.

Inmates TDCJ gives city verbal go-ahead on Avantech site

By JOHN H. WALKER
Managing Editor

After a more than six-month search, city officials have found a building suitable for housing the inmates in the Wilderness Camp work force.

City manager Gary Fuqua said the Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ) notified him late last week that the building currently occupied by Avantech Corp. would be acceptable as a housing unit. All he is waiting on is official notification from the state.

But the best news could be that the city is eligible for an expansion in the work force.

"We had asked them if we could get additional inmates, but they said 'no,'" Fuqua said.

"Then, on Thursday, they called and asked if we could take another 100."

Fuqua said he was told the extra 100 inmates could only be guaranteed for four months.

"But they told me," he said, "that once we got them out here, we could probably keep 50 of them indefinitely."

In order to house the prisoners, a building in being added on to the Avantech facility that will house 50 of them — while the other 50 will be housed in the ground floor of the former Webb Air Force Base barracks

building in which they have resided since the program began five years ago.

Fuqua said work in already under way modifying the building, which will house Avantech on one end and the prisoner work force on the other.

"They (TDCJ) told us they knew they had put us on a tight schedule during their decision-making process, but that they needed to have the housing ready by the end of July," Fuqua said.

Because the normal bid-letting process takes at least 60 days, the city is approaching the project under emergency guidelines, which will allow it to forego letting bids.

"We're contacting all of the local contractors to make sure they have a chance to bid on the work," Fuqua said.

Prisoners have been housed in the barracks, but more than a year ago, TDCJ officials told the city they considered that building to be unsafe and that other housing would have to be provided — or the city could lose the work force.

Since then, city officials have considered several sites, including the former Gamco building on the Snyder Highway, a vacant dormitory unit at Big Spring State Hospital and at least one other building at McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark. The city also considered the cost of construction for a new building.

Conservative estimates are that the inmate work force does at least \$50,000 of work in the community each month.



FUQUA

Full slate of events scheduled Saturday

By JOHN H. WALKER
Managing Editor

From running to parades to food booths, face painting, patriotic music and fireworks — there's something to do for just about anyone on Saturday.

Activities get under way at 8 that morning in Comanche Trail Park when the Big Spring Family YMCA holds a fun run and walk.

Adults will cover a 3.5 mile course while children 12 and under will traverse a one-mile course through the park.

Entry fees are \$5 per person for the event, which will begin at end near the Figure 7 Tennis Center and Dora Roberts Community Center.

Then, at 10 a.m., persons will have their choice of either the

Highlands South Kid's Parade or Coahoma Lions Club Freedom Parade.

The 31st annual Highland South Fourth of July parade is the oldest Independence Day parade in West Texas. It begins at 10 a.m. and will include bicycles, strollers, and all sorts of wheeled vehicles decorated with a patriotic theme.

The parade will be followed by a short program of prayer and music.

To join the event, simply arrive at the corner of Highland and Stonehaven by 9:30 a.m. to line up in the proper category.

Also set for a 10 a.m. start, the Coahoma Lions Club is still seeking participants for its annual parade, which will begin at the high school football stadium parking lot.

Entrants are invited to join the parade by arriving at the parking lot about 9 a.m. to line up. Call Russell, 394-4277, Irene, 394-4424, or Pete, 267-1950, for more information.

Then, beginning at about 4 p.m., one of the biggest Independence Day celebrations in West Texas will begin.

More than 10,000 persons are expected for the second Pops in the Park at Comanche Trail Park Amphitheatre.

The Amphitheatre will be open for seating at 4 p.m. and Texas singer-songwriter Allen Damron will perform at 6 p.m.

Following Damron, the Big Spring Symphony and Chorus will perform a variety of music before and during the fireworks presentation.

The program is free.

City crews laying water lines for veterans home

By JOHN H. WALKER
Managing Editor

Even though the signs proclaiming the location as the site of Texas State Veterans Home scheduled to be built in Big Spring have blown down, the laying of water lines to the site is under way.

"I'm thinking that it is about 3,200 feet of 12-inch water line going in out there," said Rick Boiles, Big Spring water department distribution and collection superintendent. "It serves two purposes, to get them (the Veterans Home) water and to help us loop that system."

The line runs from the north-

ern-most entrance at Big Spring State Hospital to the north service road of I-20.

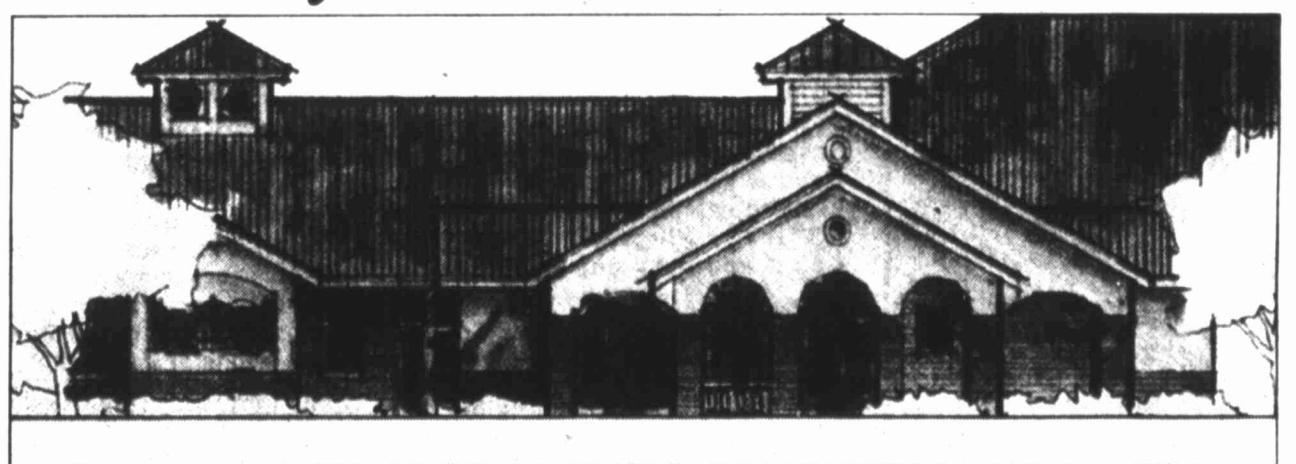
City crews have been working on the project for about a week and a half, said Boiles, but they've hit a snag.

"Right now we're waiting on the rest of the material to get here and then we can continue on," he said.

He estimated the project will take about two months to complete.

On-site water lines will be placed by a private contractor.

The City of Big Spring is providing the manpower for the water line, while Moore Development for Big Spring,



Architects' drawing of the Big Spring VA Nursing Home.

Inc. is funding the project, which will be about \$43,000. Big Spring is one of four loca-

tions in the state — along with Belton, Floresville and Temple — selected as sites for the vet-

erans homes.

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Interior renovations under way at Municipal Auditorium

By BILL MCCLELLAN
News Editor

Events at Big Spring Municipal Auditorium are on hold or being moved elsewhere, while construction crews make long-awaited repairs on the historic facility.

"They are doing all sorts of things — replacing the stage floor, plaster work, painting," said Emma Bogard, assistant city manager.

Johnston Construction Group was awarded the low bid — \$174,763 — to conduct the work. The damage, which is covered by the city's insurance policy, date back to the hailstorm of 1996 when the roof was battered, which led to interior damage.

The largest portion of the repairs includes a coat of plaster throughout the historic auditorium. The wooden stage floor is being removed and replaced. Most of the actual damage was underneath the

stage floor.

Painted ceiling tiles are being removed, repainted and replaced.

The lights will be replaced and cleaning of the carpet and some minor woodwork is part of the repair package, too.

Early on, crews had to remove curtains, which are new, so they wouldn't be damaged while repairs are being made.

The auditorium was built in 1931 as part of a \$200,000 bond issue. Voters at the time

approved the facility along with a city hall, jail and fire station in one complex.

In 1988, the Dora Roberts Foundation financed a complete renovation of the auditorium and added air conditioning.

Among the performers who have played the auditorium have been Elvis, Wayne Newton, Agnes Moorehead, the Marine Band, Herb Shriver, Charles Laughton, Basil Rathbone, Percy Grainger, Ballet Lubbock and the

Southwest Festival of Gospel Music.

The auditorium has also hosted symphony concerts, traveling shows, school plays and church services.

It is also home for the Big Spring Symphony and Crossroads Community Concerts series, most recently featuring Allen Damron.

Repairs to the 1,492-seat auditorium will take about two months, according to Bogard.

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OBITUARIES

William E. "Jack" Shaffer

William E. "Jack" Shaffer, 79, Big Spring, died on Saturday, June 26, 1999, in a Midland hospital. Service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 29, 1999, at Trinity Baptist Church with Dr. Randy Cotton, pastor, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.



SHAFER

He was born on Nov. 26, 1919, in Cass County, and married Rachel McKee on Dec. 14, 1940, in Big Spring. He came to the Centerpoint Community in Howard County in 1932 with his family. He was self employed and owned and operated Shaffer Real Estate and Appraisal from 1963 until the present. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and a veteran of the United States Air Force serving during World War II.

Survivors include: his wife, Rachel Shaffer of Big Spring; one daughter and son-in-law, Phyllis and Jeff Turney of Big Spring; one son and daughter-in-law, Phillip W. and Mary Shaffer of Denison; a granddaughter, Amanda Turney of Big Spring; a brother, Howard Shaffer of Big Spring; and a sister, Rosie Lee Miller of Carlsbad, N.M.

He was preceded in death by his parents, R.P. and Willie Garrett Shaffer, one brother, Roy Shaffer, one sister, Lena Mae Shaffer, and two half brothers, Clifton and Clinton Miller.

Pallbearers will be Jimmy Newsom, Tom Yeats, Clay Ingram, Elbert Long, T.C. Stockwell, Chuck Rosenbaum, A.N. Standard, Robert Moore, Ed Loveless and Ricky Long. Honorary pallbearers will be all past and present members of the Board of Deacons of Trinity Baptist Church.

Family suggest memorials be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund; P.O. Box 1448; Big Spring; 79721-1448; or The American Cancer Society Memorial Program; c/o Lucy Bonner; P.O. Box 2121; Big Spring; 79721-2121.

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

Paid obituary

Sulema Herrera

Service for Sulema Herrera, 63, Big Spring, is pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home. She died Saturday, June 26, 1999.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288
Joe Q. Laijas, 72, died Thursday. Funeral Mass will be 2:00 PM, Monday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Stockdale, Texas, with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery.
Sulema Herrera, 63, died Saturday. Services are pending.

NALLEY-PICKLE & WELCH Funeral Home

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

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Groundbreaking for the home was held late last summer, but since then, there have been numerous delays in regards to the start of construction.

According to Veterans Land Board chairman David Gloier, the four veterans homes should take six to seven months to complete once construction begins and will be single-story, pod-type units.

"These homes will also be energy-efficient as well as water and wastewater-efficient," Gloier said.

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

The Big Spring facility was scheduled to be a 150-bed facility, but has since been expanded to 175 beds. It will employ close to 200 persons.

The project is estimated to cost approximately \$11 million.

REUNIONS

BSHS CLASS OF '79 is searching for the following graduates:

Carol Adams, Vance Adams, Jeff Archambault, Annetta Baker, Rosalinda Ballon, Terri Beard Connell, James Bedford, Linda Berry, Susan Bristol Holley, Julie Brown, Russell (Burchett) Fuquay, Connie Butler, Janice Butler Phelps, Scott Campbell, Angela Cavnar, Sandra Chaney, Debbie Churchwell Phillips, Paul Cisneros, Joni Cline, Toni Cline, Carol Cone Barrier, Kenneth Crow, Paul Davis, Tere Deel, Bill Downing, Droyce Draper, Lorzenzo Duron, Joe Eastman, Paula Fields, John Fleckenstein, Lucinda Fleming Oline, John Garcia, Jose Garcia, Wilbert Grant, Ginny Green, Ricky Gutierrez, Marion Halecker, Charissa Hamner, Johnny Hardeman, Cody Harrington, Sonna Head, Gilbert Hernandez, Robert Hernandez, Keila Hill, Jerry Holten, Jamie Hulan, Marie Jackson, Terry Jenkins, Kevin Jodoi, Arva Jones Butler, Paula Kennemer, Lisa Lewis, Robert Little, Cheryl Loper Carroll, Phillip Lozano, Celina Lucio, Ricky Luevano, Tom Lujan, Kirk Mancill, Bradley Martin, Mark Martin, Lorenzo Martinez, Antonio Mata, Dianne Mayo, Virginia Mayo, Janine McDonald, Richardo Mendoza, Lisa Missman, Gerardo Monje, Kirona Montgomery, Joanne Morelino, Roberta Morgan, Kirk Nelson, Randy Nelson, Arron Nobis, Frankie Noyola, Richard Nunez, Eva Osberg, Malcolm Osburn, Vanessa Osburn, Kalavati Patel, Nayina Patel, Niru Patel, Ray Perez, Kenneth Pruitt, Eddie Puga, Julia Ray, Ronnie Rayos, Dorothy Rodriguez, Luis Rodriguez, Yolanda Ross, Oscar Rubio, Donald Sawyer, Steven Schollar, Lynn Shipman, Debbie Shumate Gerhard, Denise Smith, Brenda Stephens, Teresa Strowd, Lynde Thames, Michael Thomas, Darla Thomason, Tracy Thornton, Joe Travland, Dwayne Tucker, Christi Turner Madrid, Ellen Turner, Sandra Vasquez, Willie Walker, Chales Waters, Gary Don Weeks, Mike Welch, Brenda White, Arthur Williams, Kelly Williams, John Willis, Mary Ann Witowski, Paula Witte Kolb, Tammy Wood Gibb, Anthony Writght, and Tony Wyatt.

Please call Brenda Spears at 263-4185 or Cheryl Joy at 267-7755 if you have any information.

BSHS CLASS OF 1969 will be having a class reunion on Oct. 15-16. We are searching for the following graduates:
Steven Aubrey Austin, Ruth Bailey (Collins), Douglas Ball, Rhonda Barger, Warren Bell, Jessie Ladd Bennett, Linda Gall Benson, Brenda Bradbury, Dwight Brown, James Brown, Kenny Brown, Mike Brumley, Sherry Buford, Allen Bunn, Mary Beth Burcham, Bobbie Beatrice Byrd, Allen Carlile, Candace Carothers, Jimmy Ray Carter, Robert Michael Carter, Yvette Casillas (Padilla), Lucy Cervantes, Mary Lucy Cervantes (Sotello), Ema Chavez, Tim Childress, Gwen Clark, John Douglas

Cockerham, Elodia Corrales (Cherry), Kathryn Crenshaw (Milch), Benjamin Rush Crocker, Joann Davis, Alanda Deans, James Dement, Robert Christy Deming, Glenda Kay Digby, Robert Dominò, Janie Duke, Rodney Dunman, Callan Elliott, Debra Miller Erhardt, Michael Evans, Clifton Ray Fidler, Pattie Lue Finke, Marva Elizabeth Foster, Debbie Fritz, Larry Froman, Dicky Wayne Gibson, Wanda Sue Gipson, Kerry Gunnels, Nancy Jo Hall, Thomas Ham, Theresa Heard, Bill Henry, Selestino Hernandez, David Hilario, Iascuila Hilario, Luis Hinojós, Arthur Huse, Carlton Campbell Jackson, Johnny James, Doris Ann Jenkins, Deborah Ann Jensen, Nancy Kasch, Juanice Ann Key, Linda Key, Charles Kimble, Bertha Kirk, Victoria Lynn Knoepfel, Susan Lawhon, Mary Francis Lee, Joy Legg, Kenneth Charles Le Roy, Barbara Long, Roberta Hazel Marks, Juanita Mata, Gerald Matin, Carolyn McMurtrey, Wanda Jane Mesimer, Gene Willard Meyers, Earsie Jean Miller, Thomas Molina, Carolyn Ann Montgomery, Karen Marie Moore, Irene Munoz (McCurdy), Sherry Muse, Coleman Nalls, Garland Newton, Larry Newton, Doris Virginia Noble, Jane Ovalle, John Pannel, Ralph Passmore, John Patton, Richard Barry Payne, Roger Dale Peacock, Tony Perez, Janet Lee Perry, Alan Lee Peters, Angelina Carmen Phillips, Cynthia Jane Pinson, Sara Elizabeth Pohl, Cathy Poole, Arthur Porras, Paula Ramirez, Mary Rhodes, Peggy Riherd (Williams), Ophelia Alvarez Rios, Terry Joan Robertson, Jamie Rouch (Ethun), Pam Rowland, Karen Joyce Russell, Larry Russell, Jennifer Schneider, Adrian Saldivar, Adelyne Ann Scott (Lews), Rowan Settles, Larry Sloan, Gary Smith, Gerald Wayne Smith, Gwenthe Gayle Smith, Wendell R. Stewart, Sharon Swim (Lane), Don Thompson, Robert Gale Thompson, Linda Rose Thorpe (Howard), Fidel Tovar, Jesse Trevino, Antonio Subia Valencia, Armando Flores Vera, Carl Van Vleet, Charlie Voight, Roy Lee Warren, Glen Webb, James Webb, Wm. David Webb, Michael David Wiggins, William Robert Wilson, Rocky Wootley and Marlene Parra.

Please contact Shelane Pagnell Roberts at 267-2798 or 267-5858 if you have any information on these graduates.

COAHOMA LIONS CLUB WILL sponsor a blood drive Wednesday, June 30 from 4-8 p.m. at Coahoma Church of Christ Fellowship Building. Call 394-4277 for an appointment.

THE COAHOMA LIONS CLUB is seeking participants for its annual Fourth of July Freedom Parade. The event will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 3, at the high school football stadium parking lot. The route is south on First Street to the north service road of IH-20, east to Sixth Street, north to the high school, and west to return to the starting point. Entrants are invited to join the parade by arriving at the parking lot about 9 a.m. to line up. Call Russell, 394-4277, Irene, 394-4424, or Pete, 267-1950, for more information.

FORMER PRISONERS OF WAR are asked to call the Big Spring VA Medical Center for information and to access special benefit programs. There are several programs available that directly benefit former POWs, and the medical center maintains a master list of those living in the area. John Webb is POW coordinator. He can be reached at 1-900-472-1365, or call the Texas Veterans Commission officer, Carl Knappe, 264-4819.

COAHOMA EXES LIVING in the county need to provide their new 911 addresses for a mail-out in late fall about the reunion. Also, if you have addresses or other information about someone living out of town, call Shyrlee Reid, 393-5545; or Rae Nell Best, 394-4316.

ATTENTION CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS AND churches: The Big Spring

A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

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Clubs, community groups and organizations, please provide us with meeting times, places and contact person. Churches, we need the name, address and phone number.

Please fax the information to: 264-7205, attention Community Guide; drop it by the office at 710 Scurry, or mail it to: P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring. You can reach us by e-mail at: jwalkerc@rcrom.com.

THE BIG SPRING STATE Park will have nature walks on Saturday from 8 to 9 p.m. There will also be storytelling at 9 p.m. Meet at the pavilion on top of the bluff, located near the playground.

SUPPORT GROUPS

MONDAY
•TOPS Club (Take off pound sensibly), weigh-in 5 p.m. and meeting at 6 p.m., College Heights Christian church, 21st and Goliad.

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

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting.

•Encouragers Support Group (formerly Widow/Widower support group) will meet Monday, June 7, at 6 p.m. at Furr's Cafeteria. They will also meet Monday, June 21, at 6 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church, Seventh and Runnels (enter through the north door), for a covered dish dinner. Bring a covered dish.

•Alzheimer's support group, 7 p.m. Canterbury South, 1700 N. Loop East, first Mondays of each month. Call Galynn Gamble at 263-1271. The topic for June 7 will be on "Losing It All."

•Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.)

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

•Association of Retarded Citizens of Howard County meet 7 p.m. the first Monday of each month at 806 E. Third Street, the HARC bingo building. Call 264-0674 for more information.

•Family Education and Support, sponsored by Howard County Mental Health Center, meets the fourth Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at 409 Runnels, Clyde Alsop Building. AMI meeting to follow. For more information call 263-0027 or 267-7220.

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 Sue Jones, 263-7361 ext. 7179 or 264-7518.

•"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.

•Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 268-4189 (pager no.)

IF YOU HAVE A SUPPORT GROUP LISTING, PLEASE SUBMIT IT IN WRITING.

MARKETS

Table with market data including July cotton, Aug. crude, cash hogs, cash steers, July lean hog futures, Aug. live cattle futures, etc.

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. today.

•BRIAN JOHNSON, 18, and Frank Moncada were arrested for minor in possession in the 400 block of Pennsylvania.

•GILBERT CARRILO, 17, was arrested for consumption by a minor at Pennsylvania and Westover.

•ANNIE HOWELL, 21, was arrested on local warrants in the 1700 block of Hilltop.

•VALENTINE GONZALES, 41, was arrested on county warrants in the 1100 block of North Lamesa.

•DOUGLAS BAILEY, 31, was arrested for public intoxication in the 4200 block of Dixon.

•OSCAR PADILLA, 18, was arrested for minor in possession in the 100 block of Virginia.

•ROBERT GARZA, 51, was arrested for public intoxication in the 100 block of West 8th.

•MARWAN NASER, 35, was arrested for possession of marijuana at westbound Milepost 177 of I-20.

•ERNEST CLARK was arrested for public intoxication in the 600 block of West 4th.

•LETISHA RUIZ, 24, was arrested for driving with license suspended in the 1600 block of east 17th.

•EDWARD SMOKE, 38, was arrested for solicitation by a pedestrian at North Service Road and Highway 87.

•CHRISTOVAL MONDRAGON, 22, was arrested for public intoxication in the 4200 block of Dixon.

•NORMAN MORRISON, 62, was arrested for public intoxication in the eastbound lane of eastbound Milepost 172.

•DISTURBANCE/FIGHTS in

the 1900 block of Gregg, and the 2500 block of Chanute.

•DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE in the 500 block of Aylesford and 1900 block of East 11th.

•CRIMINAL MISCHIEF in the 800 block of Lorilla.

•THEFTS in the 2300 block of Wasson, 1400 block of Robin, 800 block of east I-20.

•MINOR ACCIDENTS, 2600 block of Gregg, 13th and Nolan, 1300 block of Stadium, NW Highway 87 and I-20, 1400 block of Mesa and FM 700 and Highway 87.

•MAJOR ACCIDENT in the 1700 block of FM 700.

•BURGLARY OF A BUILDING, 700 block of East 11th.

•BURGLARY OF A HABITATION, 1100 Wood.

FIRE/EMS

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

SATURDAY
7:37 a.m. - 2600 Cactus, medical call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

8:53 a.m. - 2300 block Wasson, medical call, patient transported to the VA Medical Center.

12:30 p.m. - 1200 block Sycamore, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

3:10 p.m. - 700 block Tulane, medical call, service refused.

3:20 p.m. - 2300 block Wasson, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

6:05 p.m. - 3200 block Parkway, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

7:48 p.m. - 3200 block Parkway, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

8:15 p.m. - 2000 block Virginia, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

8:54 p.m. - 2900 block Gail Hwy., trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

SUNDAY
3:04 a.m. - 1000 block Cypress, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

3:50 a.m. - 800 block Lorilla, trauma call, patient transported to SMMC.

1:56 p.m. - FM 700 and Birdwell Lane, traffic accident, four patients transported to SMMC and two refused service.

2:53 p.m. - 2500 block Rebecca, automobile fire, extinguished.

6:24 p.m. - 1400 block E. 18th, dumpster fire, extinguished.

8:19 p.m. - 1600 block E. Third, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

11:15 p.m. - 2300 block Marcy, traffic accident, two patients transported to SMMC.

RECORDS

Sunday's high 100
Sunday's low 75
Average high 95
Average low 70
Record high 115 in 1994
Record low 54 in 1985
Precip. Sunday 0.00
Month to date 1.84
Month's normal 1.87
Year to date 6.39
Normal for the year 8.11
Sunrise Tuesday 6:42 a.m.
Sunset Tuesday 8:57 p.m.
**Statistics not available

BIG SPRING MOVIE HOTLINE
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Murder suspect says he fathered child with intent to kill infant

FRANKLIN, Ind. (AP) — Ronald L. Shanabarger planned his revenge against his wife for several years. He wanted to father their son and then kill him, police said.

Shanabarger told police he planned the crime as a way of exacting punishment on his wife, Amy, who had refused to cut short a vacation to comfort him when his father died.

"Shanabarger said he planned to make Amy feel the way he did when his father died," according to an affidavit filed to support a murder charge.

Last Tuesday, just hours after the funeral of his seven-month-old son, Tyler, Shanabarger confessed to his wife that he'd killed their son. A coroner had ruled the infant died from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

The next day, Shanabarger allegedly told police he suffocated his infant son with plastic

wrap. He told officers he dreamed up the crime after his father died in 1996.

The affidavit said Shanabarger's plan included marrying Amy and getting her pregnant. He then "allowed time for her to bond with the child, and then took his life," the affidavit said.

Shanabarger, 30, who begged officers to shoot him after he confessed last Wednesday, is being held without bail.

Johnson County Prosecutor Lance Hamner hasn't decided whether to seek the death penalty because the investigation is ongoing.

"It's the most bizarre case that I've ever had any dealings with and probably the most bizarre motive I've ever heard of," Hamner said Sunday.

In his confession, Shanabarger said that on the evening of June 19, he wrapped

plastic wrap around his son's head and face, then left the boy's nursery to get something to eat and brush his teeth.

Twenty minutes later, he said, he returned, removed the plastic and placed Tyler face down in the crib before he went to bed.

Amy Shanabarger, 29, had been working that night at her job as a cashier at a grocery store. When she came home, she went straight to bed, assuming that Tyler was asleep, and found the boy's body the next morning — Father's Day.

Shanabarger, who worked at a tire retreading center, told police he confessed because the image of his son's face — flat and purplish from rigor mortis — haunted him.

Since then, he's confessed at least three times, Police Chief Harry Furrer said Sunday. Each time, the story has been

the same — that he hatched his plan because he was enraged by his then-girlfriend's refusal to cut short a cruise and return home after his father's death in October 1996.

The Shanabargers were married the following May.

Detectives, who have interviewed relatives, confirmed that Shanabarger had long resented Amy's refusal to cut the cruise short, Furrer said. "Their statements substantiate his confession," he said.

The Rev. Randy Maynard, a volunteer chaplain for Franklin police, accompanied officers to the couple's home in this town south of Indianapolis on Father's Day.

While most parents of children who die from SIDS are weeping and consoling each other when authorities arrive, Maynard said Shanabarger was cold, distant and offered no

comfort to his sobbing wife.

And after Mrs. Shanabarger's parents arrived later that morning, Shanabarger gave his father-in-law a Father's Day gift — a gift-wrapped commemorative knife — Maynard said. Shanabarger then passed the knife around, showing it to the officers.

"That really struck me as odd," he said.

Maynard said he's still troubled by the image of Tyler's tiny face.

"He was a beautiful boy," he said. "Even in death, he was just the most beautiful boy. I'm still getting goose bumps thinking about this guy."

Shanabarger's father-in-law, Robert Parsons, wears a tiny gold cherub pin to remind him of his grandson, who was born Thanksgiving Day. He won't discuss his son-in-law, but says his daughter, an only child, is

devastated.

"I don't want people to just talk about a six- or seven-month-old infant — a nameless, faceless infant. He was a little boy, he played, he laughed, he loved. We loved him dearly and that's what this is all about," said Parsons, 52.

"We don't want vengeance, but we do want justice."

Neil S. Kaye, a forensic psychiatrist who specializes in investigating infanticide cases committed by fathers, said he's never heard of a similar crime.

"A lot of times people say this or that crime was just too complicated of a plan to be anything other than a sign of pure wickedness," said Kaye, of Wilmington, Del.

"But science would say otherwise, that this man was delusional and you have to wonder about his overall mental state, his mental capacity," said Kaye.

In Mexican hometown, railroad killer recalled as calm, hardworking

RODEO, Mexico (AP) — The FBI describes him as a drug-using killer riding the rails to find his victims. In his little hometown, residents remember the man they know as "Angel" as hardworking and calm.

He turns up time to time in this town of about 5,000 people to visit his wife and infant daughter, residents say — the last time anyone saw him was two weeks ago, getting some exercise by riding his bike calmly past a police station.

"He seems like good people, but who knows what he has in his heart," said 60-year-old Eduardo Buceaga Perez, a bricklayer building a house on a lot owned by the suspect in this farming town about 275 miles southwest of the Big Bend area on the Texas border.

The FBI's 10 Most Wanted List says Rafael Resendez-Ramirez is suspected of a string of slayings in Texas, Illinois and Kentucky. He has had several scrapes with the law in the United States, which he has repeated entered illegally since at least 1976.

Police and residents in this Durango state town say the photo of the suspect distributed by the FBI is without a doubt the man they know as Angel. Relatives say the suspect's real name is Angel Leoncio Reyes Resendiz, and the name put out by the FBI is an alias.

A transit policeman said he remembered giving Angel a parking ticket on Sunday, June 13 — the last time he was seen spending a couple of days in town.

The FBI says that two days later, on June 15, the railroad

killer struck again in Gorham, Ill., shooting an 80-year-old man, George Morber, and beating to death his 52-year-old daughter, Carolyn Frederick.

Angel's wife, Julieta Dominguez Reyes, a lab worker in the town health center, described him as a "model" husband who never gave signs of being violent, the Houston Chronicle reported. A year ago, she and Angel bought a modest house in Rodeo.

Townfolk said the couple largely kept to themselves. "He doesn't have any friends," said the transit policeman. "He never talks with anyone."

While U.S. officials say the suspect is a user of drugs and alcohol, and is believed to be armed, no one here recalls seeing Angel in any cantina. He has no police record and has never been seen with any weapon.

A few years ago, Angel taught English in a private school next to the police station. Last year he attended adult education classes and passed his exam for elementary- and middle-school degrees in the same day, said a neighbor, Joel Vargas.

The contrasts make it hard for many to believe he could be killing people in the United States. The photos, especially those showing the suspect with a mustache, match Angel. But they wonder: is it possible for a serial killer to come home and live such a low-key life?

Marta Moreno, the manager a small Rodeo cafe, would be surprised if it's true.

"From the behavior that he has when he's here ... I don't think so."

Bush zooms to big lead in Iowa presidential race

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Despite only one visit to the state, George W. Bush apparently has impressed Iowa's Republicans, a new poll shows.

The Texas governor is the favorite of 40 percent of likely Republican caucus voters, according to a new Des Moines Register Iowa Poll.

Former Red Cross president Elizabeth Dole is a distant second in the poll, with 13 percent selecting her as their first choice for the Republican presi-

dential nomination.

Publisher Steve Forbes is third in the poll. He is the first choice of 10 percent of poll participants.

Thirteen percent of likely caucus voters say they are still either uncommitted or not yet sure which Republican would be their first choice for the GOP nomination if the caucuses were held now.

Eight other candidates each received 5 percent or less in the poll — commentator Patrick

Buchanan, commentator Alan Keyes, former Tennessee Gov. Lamar Alexander, conservative activist Gary Bauer, U.S. Sen. John McCain of Arizona, former Vice President Dan Quayle, U.S. Rep. John Kasich of Ohio and U.S. Sen. Bob Smith of New Hampshire.

Those polled were not questioned about U.S. Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah because polling started before he announced last week that he plans to seek the nomination and campaign

in Iowa.

The poll, conducted June 13-24, surveyed 397 registered Iowa voters who say they definitely or probably will attend the Republican caucuses. It has a margin of error of plus or minus 4.9 percentage points.

Bush's support in Iowa is similar to what the Republican has seen nationally and reflects a solid starting point for his goal of winning the first-in-the-nation GOP presidential caucuses next winter in Iowa.

Darlie Routier juror: 'I think we were wrong'

DALLAS (AP) — A juror who sent a North Texas housewife to death row for killing her 5-year-old son now says he and the other 11 jurors may have made a mistake in voting to convict.

Juror Charlie Samford, 55, told *The Dallas Morning News* he thinks he and the other Kerr County residents who voted to convict Routier in her son Damon's death were wrong.

"After the trial was over and I started thinking about different things and what I'd read, I just came to this conclusion, and I couldn't make it go away," he told the newspaper. "The more I think about it, the more I think that we were wrong."

Darin Routier, Routier's husband and the boys' father, said Samford's opinion proves that jurors didn't have all the facts.

"He's now become a victim because he made a decision based on information that he realizes wasn't very important," Routier said. "I appreciate the fact he is admitting he may have been wrong. ... I know he was wrong."

Time has only convinced lead prosecutor Greg Davis that Samford and the 11 other jurors were correct and that a just verdict was rendered.

"It's been now three years since the death of these two boys, and no one, including the Routier family, has ever brought me any credible evidence to suggest that anyone other than Darlie Routier killed

these two boys," he said. "I'm waiting every day for that."

Davis, a Dallas County chief felony prosecutor, said Routier stabbed Damon and 6-year-old Devon in June 1996 because of money troubles and the burden of motherhood, then staged the slaying scene to make it appear to be the work of an intruder.

Samford said he initially voted "not guilty" and regrets that he allowed other jurors to sway him to convict Routier. He said he voted for the death sentence because of the children's age and the crime's brutality.

Davis said give-and-take during deliberations is common, though it is unusual for a juror to speak out against a verdict.

Routier's supporters contend that one or more intruders burst into the family's home near Lake Ray Hubbard, killed the boys and left Routier with near-fatal injuries as her husband and youngest son slept upstairs.

Routier was arrested within two weeks and convicted and sentenced to death eight months later.

Samford contacted one of Routier's Kerrville attorneys and said he had made a terrible mistake and wanted to help right the wrong to clear his conscience.

"I feel like I didn't get the whole thing during the trial. ... I don't know how to explain it," he said. "Everything wasn't presented."

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IN BRIEF

Tindol earns MVP award in Heart of Texas series

Coahoma's Cassie Tindol totaled 62 points and earned her teams' Most Valuable Player honor Saturday in leading the West to the best-of-three championship in the Heart of Texas All-Star Basketball Classic in Ranger.

Tindol, who scored 18 points in the West squad's 59-51 win on Friday night, came back with 24 more in the series' second game that the East all-stars won, 57-52.

In the rubber game of the series, Tindol again led the West with 20 points as she and her teammates took a 54-47 win.

Tindol, who led the Bulldogettes to the District 3-2A championship during her senior year, will play for Tarleton State this fall.

YMCA schedules fun run, walk Saturday inside park

The Big Spring YMCA will host a fun run and walk at 8 a.m. Saturday at Comanche Trail Park.

The event's start and finish line will be near the Figure 7 Tennis Center.

Participants will be charged a \$5 entry fee.

Adults will cover a 3.5-mile course during the run, while children 12 and younger will run a one-mile course.

The adult age group will be split into two age groups and medals will be awarded to the top finishers in each of the age groups. In addition certificates will be awarded to all participants.

For more information, call the YMCA at 267-8234.

Tournament, skins game scheduled for July 10-11

The Chicano Golf Association of Big Spring's annual Golf Scholarship Tournament and Skins Game has been scheduled for July 10-11 at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Stated as a two-person scramble, the tournament will be staged Saturday and Sunday. The field will be flighted following Saturday's round. The Skins Game will be Saturday.

Fees for both events are \$85 per person.

For more information, call 264-2366.

Figure 7 Tennis Center sets clinic for July 7-8

Jeff Bramlett, the national high school tennis coach of the year, will join local professional Jim Blacketer in conducting a Doubles Tennis Clinic on Wednesday and Thursday, July 7-8, at the Figure 7 Tennis Center in Comanche Trail Park.

Clinic sessions will be from 9 a.m. to noon on both days.

Bramlett, a native of Midland, is the varsity tennis coach at Class 4A powerhouse San Antonio Alamo Heights.

For more information, contact Blacketer at 264-6834.

Softball, ragball tourneys scheduled for July 10

The Spring City Softball and Ragball Tournament has been scheduled for Saturday, July 10, at the Roy Anderson Baseball/Softball Complex.

Entry fees for the 20-team softball tournament will be \$100 per team. The fee for the 12-team ragball tournament will be \$80 per team.

For more information, call Chris Cole at 264-2100 or Jesse Rios at 264-6129.

IT'S MISSING

Results from the weekend's Best of the Rest golf tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course were not available.

ON THE AIR

Television

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

6 p.m. — Atlanta Braves at Montreal Expos, TBS, Ch. 11.

9 p.m. — Texas Rangers at Anaheim Angels, TCA Ch. 97.

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6:30 p.m. — Phoenix Mercury at Cleveland Rockers, ESPN, Ch. 30.

Inkster completes career Grand Slam, wins LPGA in style

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) — Juli Inkster started the biggest day of her career by making French toast for her daughters. She finished it by completing the career Grand Slam.

Three years ago, Inkster was determined to prove that she could make school lunches, go to softball practices and then compete with a new generation of stars on the LPGA Tour. On Sunday, she walked off the 18th green at DuPont Country Club with the best of both worlds.

With one of the most remarkable finishes in major championship history, Inkster went eagle-birdie-birdie to close with a 6-under 65 and win the LPGA Championship by four strokes over Liselotte Neumann.

The victory made her only the second woman to win all four of the LPGA's

modern majors. "I just can't comprehend it," Inkster said, searching for words to capture a feeling she had dreamed of for 16 years. "It's quite an accomplishment."

Inkster, whose U.S. Open victory was only three weeks ago, won two majors in a season for the second time in her career. As a rookie in 1984, she won the Dinah Shore and the du Maurier Classic.

"I always thought this is what I wanted, to win the four majors," Inkster said. "I won two really quick, and didn't think it was going to be that tough."

Since the Dinah Shore was designated a major championship in 1983, only Pat Bradley had been able to win the career Grand Slam. On the eve of the LPGA Championship, Bradley had a feeling she would have some company by the end of the week.

"It's a pretty difficult task," Bradley said. "You're dealing with majors, which aren't your everyday, ordinary tournaments. But I think if anybody has the savvy to do it, Juli is perfectly qualified for that task."

Inkster needed more than just savvy. She began the final round in a three-way tie for the lead. By the time she got to No. 6, two others had joined them.

In the U.S. Open, Inkster had a four-stroke lead going into the final round and never let anyone get closer than three strokes. At Old Waverly, it was her tournament to lose.

"This was anybody's tournament," she said.

Inkster played like it might belong to someone else by missing short birdie putts on two of the first six holes. The turning point was a downhill, sidehill, 8-

foot putt for par that dropped in the heart of the cup at No. 7.

"Just keep making them," her husband Brian whispered to her behind the 8th tee.

Inkster birdied the next two holes to take a lead she never gave up, although that didn't give her any room for error.

She heard the roar behind her for Nancy Scranton, who holed a chip from 40 feet to catch Inkster. She saw Neumann pump her fist ahead on the 16th after a birdie allowed her to join them at 12 under.

Inkster looked over and saw two tiny faces in the gallery. Nine-year-old Hayley and 5-year-old Cori had come out to watch their mother play the final few holes. Inkster winked at them, then hit the shot that sent her soaring into the record books.



Charlie Garcia follows through on his shot off the No. 1 tee during Saturday's action at the Best of the Rest Golf Tournament at the Comanche Trail Golf Course.

Griffey's bat, glove ruin for Rangers in Kingdome finale

SEATTLE (AP) — Ken Griffey Jr. didn't need to do something to be remembered. He still did it twice.

It would be hard to forget his final great catch in the Kingdome. Or his final home run in his first major league home for 10 seasons. Or the Seattle Mariners' 5-2 victory over AL West-leading Texas in their Kingdome farewell Sunday.

"He's the best," Edgar Martinez said of his celebrated teammate.

"I don't think anyone doesn't want to have a good day on the last day," Griffey said.

"I just live, eat and sleep baseball. You have to remember for a baseball player ... we have to do it today. We don't have the time to think about tomorrow."

After giving the Mariners the lead with a home run in the first inning, the nine-time Gold Glove center fielder outdid himself on defense.

With a spectacular, over-the-fence catch, he robbed two-time American League MVP Juan Gonzalez of a three-run homer.

"We've been watching him play like that for years," Martinez said. "It just amazes me he always comes through in a situation like today. That shows the class of player he is."

With his father, Cincinnati Reds coach Ken Griffey watching from the broadcast booth, Griffey gave the Mariners a 3-2 lead with a three-run homer in the first.

Then with two men on in the fourth, he leaped over the 81/2-foot wall in center to snare Gonzalez's 395-foot drive for the final out of the inning.

It might not have been his best catch for the Mariners, but it was one of them.

Said Seattle manager Lou Piniella: "You could tell by the way he was going back he had it timed. It was just a matter of if he could get to it."

Griffey, 29, helped the Mariners win for the 852nd time in 1,755 games in the Kingdome, their home since 1977.

And, fittingly, he was the hero. His superb play and the Mariners' 1995 AL West championship helped gain support for the city's new baseball stadium with a retractable roof.

"It was kind of strange," teammate Jay Buhner said. "It seems like it was scripted into

the whole deal. It was almost like it was supposed to happen."

The Mariners go on the road for 12 games before the All-Star break, then play their opening game at \$517 million Safeco Field on July 15 against San Diego. Their new stadium is outdoors, but has a retractable roof in case it rains.

After the NFL Seattle Seahawks' season, the Kingdome will be imploded and work will begin on a new outdoor football stadium for the Seahawks at the site of the Kingdome.

Griffey didn't sound too nostalgic about the Kingdome, where he played his first game as a 19-year-old rookie in 1989.

"It's great for tractor-trailer shows," he said. "It's what I'm used to. I haven't thought about what's next door. Now I can because that's going to be my new home."

The Kingdome's first sellout crowd of the season watched the Mariners beat the Rangers for the second straight day after losing 14-4 on Friday night.

Griffey broke out of a 1-for-15 slump with his 377th career homer, including 198 in the Kingdome. He trails Sammy Sosa and Jose Canseco, who lead the majors with 28 homers each.

After Rusty Greer hit a two-run homer in the top of the first, Aaron Sele (7-6) gave up a single to Brian Hunter and a walk to Alex Rodriguez before Griffey hit his 27th homer over the right-field wall.

"It was right down the middle and he doesn't miss pitches like that," Sele said. "I didn't even bother to watch it."

In the fourth, rookie Freddy Garcia (9-4) walked Tom Goodwin and allowed Greer's single before Gonzalez's long drive to center.

Griffey, who fractured his left wrist when he crashed into the Kingdome's center-field wall while making a catch in 1995, raced back to the wall, jumped and had both hands over the fence when he made the catch.

"What a great day he had," Piniella said. "It was a great day for Junior and a great way to close out the Kingdome."

Gonzalez wasn't surprised about Griffey's catch.

"I hit it hard," Gonzalez said, "but he's the best center fielder in the game."

Gimmicks work for Waldorf at Buick

HARRISON, N.Y. (AP) — Funny caps, funny shirts, funny name.

For more than a decade, Duffy Waldorf has had all of the gimmicks to get himself noticed on the PGA tour. Everything, that is, except victories, his only title coming at the Texas Open in 1995.

Waldorf may have changed his reputation as a golfer Sunday with an 11th-hour display of clutch shotmaking that culminated in a victory over Dennis Paulson on the first playoff hole at the Buick Classic.

Waldorf claimed the \$450,000 first prize, the biggest payday of his career. He denied Paulson,

his Southern California teen golf rival, of his first tour win.

There is one other aspect of Waldorf's schtick that may have a bit more value to it. He and his son routinely scribble slogans or emblems on the balls Waldorf uses in competition.

Waldorf's "Cool as a Cucumber" ball got him in trouble on the 15th hole Sunday, when he drove wildly and bogeyed to fall two shots behind Paulson. But better was the "It's up to you, N.Y., N.Y." ball Waldorf then started playing on the next tee.

A solid par at the troublesome par-3 16th was followed by a wedge to within 6 feet on the par-4 17th. Waldorf made that

putt, then got to within 4 feet in three shots with a long bunker shot at the 18th hole. He made the putt to force the playoff.

Waldorf played the "It's up to you" ball again on the first playoff hole, the par-5 18th, where he blasted out of a green-side trap to within 15 feet and made the putt — his third straight birdie — for the victory. Paulson, meantime, had lost his fairway wood right, taken two chips from the rough and was still not safely in lying 5.

Waldorf adopted New York motifs to his ball graffiti this week, and it seemed to work. He made a crucial eagle on Saturday with a ball marked with the Knicks' emblem.

Reds sweep Astros, move into first place in NL West

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Most teams are happy to return home after a road trip. The Cincinnati Reds may be an exception.

Baseball's best road team completed a perfect seven-game trip and moved into first place in the NL Central with a 5-2 victory over the Houston Astros on Sunday.

"We're clicking on all cylinders right now," said Cincinnati's Sean Casey, who went 13-for-27 (.481) in the seven games. "Our starting pitching has been good, we've been playing great defense and everybody's hitting."

By sweeping a four-game series in Houston for the first time since June 1995, the Reds moved one percentage point ahead of the Astros. They started the road trip with a three-game sweep over NL West-leading Arizona.

"It's nice to be there," Reds manager Jack McKeen said. "We're all delighted.

But I'm looking down the road and I'd like to be there in October when we come back here."

The Reds led the majors with a 26-10 road record, but are only 15-21 at home. They open a seven-game homestand Tuesday that will feature rematches against the Diamondbacks and Astros.

Cincinnati's Michael Tucker had two hits, including a homer, on Sunday. He went 5-for-10 with seven runs scored and six RBIs in the series.

The Astros, one of the best-hitting teams in the NL, struggled at the plate in the series. In three of the four games, they had a total of eight hits in 85 at-bats (.094) and were outscored 16-3. The other game was a 10-7 slugfest.

"Their pitching just dominated us," interim manager Matt Galante said. "It's tough to believe that could happen to a club that hits as well as we do."

In National League games, it was Atlanta 1, New York 0; Florida 4,

Montreal 3; Pittsburgh 6, Milwaukee 5; Chicago 13, Philadelphia 7; San Diego 5, Colorado 3; Arizona 3, St. Louis 2; and San Francisco 8, Los Angeles 7.

In American League games it was, Seattle 5, Texas 2; Chicago 7, Boston 6; New York 6, Baltimore 2; Tampa Bay 8, Toronto 0; Minnesota 12, Detroit 7; Cleveland 6, Kansas City 5; and Anaheim 4, Oakland 3.

Braves 1, Mets 0

Greg Maddux allowed only two hits in eight innings in his best outing of the season.

The Braves took the final two games of the series, expanding their lead over the second-place Mets to four games in the NL East. Maddux (7-5) walked two and struck out six before leaving for a pinch hitter in the eighth. He has given up only two earned runs in his last 21 2-3 innings.

Marlins 4, Expos 3

Dave Berg hit a tiebreaking two-run double in the eighth inning as Florida ended a disastrous road trip on a high note.

The Marlins lost the first 10 games of the trip — the longest losing streak in the majors this season — before winning the final two games at Olympic Stadium.

Pirates 6, Brewers 5

Ed Sprague hit a three-run homer for Pittsburgh, which dropped Milwaukee's major league-worst home record to 11-23.

Milwaukee's Jeremy Burnitz hit a grand slam in the eighth off Scott Sauerbeck.

Cubs 13, Phillies 7

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RENTED
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RENTED
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT
CHEVRON U.S.A. INC., P.O. BOX 1150, MIDLAND, TEXAS 79702, has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.
The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the IATAN, EAST HOWARD formation, in the following section and lease:
SECTION 7, Foster, W.L. #5 lease, Well No. 12W. The proposed injection well is located 8 miles East from Coahoma in the late. East Howard Field in Howard County. Fluid will be injected into the Golieta-Clayford (Permian) formation strata in the subsurface depth interval from approximately 2300' to 2820' feet.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the 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 that 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 Commission of Texas, P.O. Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967.
Telephone (512) 463-6792.
2302 June 28, 1999

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Call 263-7335 and place your garage sale in the Herald Classified section and receive a Garage sale kit Free!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 29:
Others frequently seek you out for feedback and information. Your personality melts barriers and allows others to approach you. Though you may become stuck or rigid on occasion, your solidity draws favor and affection. Learn to understand others and to walk in their footsteps. Listen to what they are really saying, not what you think they're saying! If you are single, you get what you want in a relationship, though you might question the prospect of a long-term commitment. Worry less about the future, and just have fun! If attached, work together to make what you have dreamed about a reality. CAPRICORN is a great business connection.
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)
*** Maintain a high profile. You accomplish a lot very easily. Others respond to your ideas; even arguing with you is stimulating! Establishing limits helps you make a better relationship. Being nice doesn't bring the same kind of results, as you will discover if you try that approach! Tonight: Working into the wee hours.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
**** Working as hard as you do has its rewards. Listen to news, sort through information and be willing to broaden your horizons. Stretch beyond your norm. New doors open because of your willingness to "hang in there." Seek an expert to address a concern. Tonight: Take in a movie.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
**** Intuition comes through for you when dealing with funds and a key relationship. Listen carefully to feedback that you are getting. You might decide there is a deeper message here than you are receiving! Be open; discuss what you feel is the main issue at hand. Tonight: Snuggle in.
CANCER (June 21-July 22)
HHHHH A friend does care, even if he is unusually tough on you at times. Stay light and easy when dealing with others. Let everyone express their feelings and opinions. Pulling ideas together for a common goal takes talent - and you have it! Tonight: Get together with a friend.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

HOROSCOPE
****Pace yourself. Take charge of your work, and get it done. Your serious demeanor tells others you mean business. Others cooperate easily and want to help. Your ability to ask for what you need can make all the difference. Tonight: Plugging along.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
**** It is easy for you to allow your creativity and ingenuity to reign, presently. Others appreciate this infusion of ideas. Sort through what is realistic and what isn't. Reach out for others. Keep asking questions. Answers come forth. Tonight: Remember, all is possible.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
**** Build strong foundations. Know what you want. Pressure builds as you reckon with that difficult, critical partner. Be imaginative. Open your mind to a new set of possibilities. Let another contribute as much as he can or wants, but eliminate any expectations. Tonight: Hang out at home.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
**** Take the first step and initiate a conversation. Others could be testy and sometimes difficult. Keep communication flowing. You might need to limit just how much talking and socializing you do. If you can, take time for a neighbor or a relative. Tonight: Talk up a storm.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
*** Play a supporting role rather than the lead. Carefully think through professional decisions. You might not always agree with co-workers about expenses and projects. Discussions are stilted and sometimes irritating. Do only what you must, presently. Take a long walk to recharge. Tonight: One step at a time!
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
HHHHH Don't let anyone or anything undermine you. Others aren't necessarily creative or positive. In fact, they might be a bit negative and lacking in imagination. You are in control. Call your own shots! Don't allow others to influence you. Tonight: Beam in what you want.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
** The less said, the better. You could be confused about what is happening, and you may be unable to grasp the whole picture. Do your own thing; don't let another push you in any way, shape or form. Mediate; keep your own counsel. Take a walk at lunchtime to restore your energy. Tonight: Switch on your answering machine.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
**** Stay in touch with friends; be the one to call, even if no one else does. Network to get past a difficult conversation. You or another could be very negative in a key talk. Be as understanding as possible. Your vision might not be communicated as clearly as you would like. Tonight: Chatting online.

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Elderly mom's messy house reflects clutter in her mind
DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Time to Move On" was right on! Her statement, "Remember the real clutter is IN HER HEAD," sums up my 20 years of observing chronically disorganized people.
I have come to the conclusion that disorganization is always a symptom of something else going on in the disorganized person's life. From hidden health problems to grief over the loss of a loved one, from political sniping at work to power struggles at home, and from a sense of helplessness, the amount, quantity and — would you believe? — the shape of the mess signifies what is really going on. Sometimes it's relatively simple, but many times it requires treatment at the root, not just a straightening up of the "symptom."
Many beginning organizers call me for advice, and I always caution them to take classes in psychology, and then refer difficult cases to a therapist or counselor. Much harm can be done by untrained people who don't understand why people "experience panic attacks as I peel away ... clutter" (to paraphrase from "Time to Move On").
Please tell any of your readers who may be disorganized that the clutter won't budge until the underlying reason for it is discovered. — LIZ THE ORGANIZER IN SAN FRANCISCO
DEAR LIZ: You said a mouthful! However, not all of the mail I have received was supportive of "Time to Move On." Read on.
DEAR ABBY: I can understand the distress of "Distracted Husband" who has to live along with his wife's mess, but I am not sympathetic when "Time to Move On" describes tackling her mother's house and its "three decades of clutter." Why would a daughter put an elderly woman through panic attacks to satisfy her own sense of orderliness?
My mom acknowledges her obsession with keeping five-plus decades of items. Her house is stuffed with objects, making most of the rooms unlivable. But as long as she's comfortable and safe, has her garden to putter in, and her countless unfinished craft projects to return to when she wishes — who is the clutter harming?
We tried to tackle some of the clutter when my dad was alive. We kids, all adult, finally decided that our mother's remaining years need not be made more difficult by clearing out the house, and we would not raise her blood pressure or endanger her health by doing it over her objections. We'll have plenty of time to do it when she's no longer with us. —THE THREE KIDS, OAKLAND, CALIF.
DEAR KIDS: Since your attempts to make your mother's house more "livable" endangered her health, you were probably right to stop. However, you "kids" would have been well advised to alert your mother's physician about what was going on, because he or she could have been helpful.
Read on:
DEAR ABBY: "Time" told how she "uncluttered" her mother's house and said it was not appreciated by her mother. Abby, there is a very good chance that her mother suffers from obsessive-compulsive disorder, and that's the reason she found the uncluttering so distressful. A trained therapist and medication might be just what the mother needs. — OCD PATIENT, LEHIGH VALLEY, PA.
DEAR OCD PATIENT: That's helpful advice. Hoarding can become an addiction, like alcohol and drugs. It's a problem that is resolvable, but only if the person is willing to admit to the problem and do something about it.
DEAR ABBY: This may seem trivial to you, but the more I encounter this the more it annoys me. It seems that almost every form to be filled out — organization, business, government agency, etc. — asks for first name, middle initial and last name.
Abby, there are thousands of us (maybe hundreds of thousands) who don't go by our first names. We use our middle names. When I try filling out forms using just the first initial, and writing in my middle name, they invariably revert it in subsequent correspondence.
Have these people never heard of T. Boone Pickens, H. Ross Perot and J. Paul Getty? It would be so simple to just put in the spaces and ask for first name OR initial and last name. Am I being petty? Sign me ... J. QUENTIN PUBLIC, NOT JOHN Q. PUBLIC
DEAR MR. PUBLIC: You are not being petty, and I empathize with your frustration. You are a square peg who doesn't quite fit into a round hole. Console yourself that at least you are in good company, because it's unlikely that the forms will be changed — even for H. Ross Perot, T. Boone Pickens or J. Quentin Public. (J. Paul Getty is beyond those worldly concerns.)
DEAR ABBY: This is in response to the letter from the brother-in-law of a restaurant owner concerning "unattended children." I couldn't resist sending a copy of a sign that was on the wall of a restaurant near Interstate 90 near Bozeman, Mont.:
"Children unattended will be Towed away at owner's expense!"
Abby, feel free to share it with your readers. — KEN CRANE, JORDAN, MINN.
DEAR ABBY: You had a letter in your column a couple of months ago from Kristy Hawkins, who was keeping a journal of her child's life. I do the same thing.
Abby, you heartily endorsed the idea, but you wrote that you were passing her idea along to "mothers" everywhere. I know you meant no slight, but the word should have been "parents." Fathers are everywhere in the lives of their children these days. I see them at school, sports, church, playing in the yard, and even at Girl Scout meetings.
I realize it is still common for the father to work to support the family while the mother cares for the little ones, but fathers play an important role in rearing children. If we are ever going to stamp out discrimination, we must be conscious of our own biases and stop giving only half the parenting partnership all the credit. — FRUSTRATED FATHER IN PORTSMOUTH, R.I.
DEAR FRUSTRATED FATHER: You are right, of course. It was a slip of the pen, and I'll take my lashes with the wet noodle.
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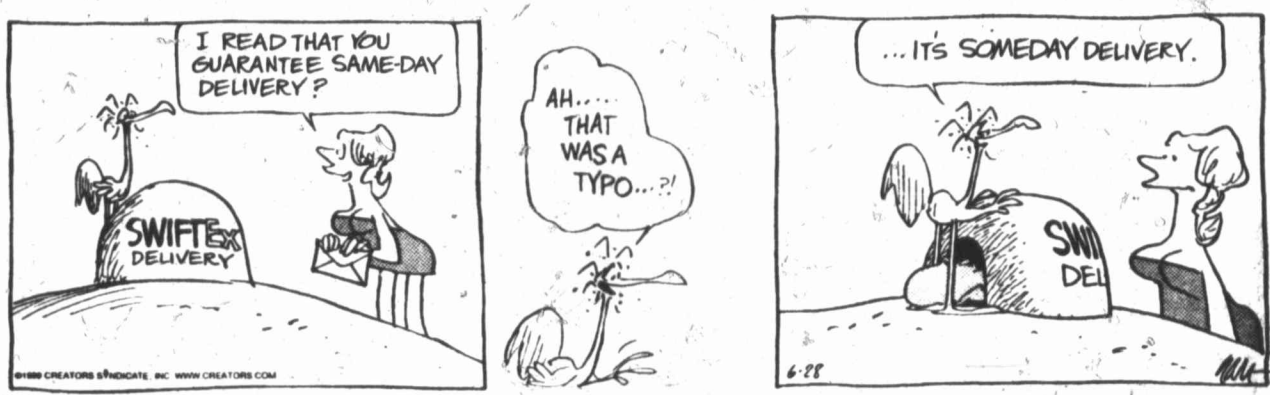
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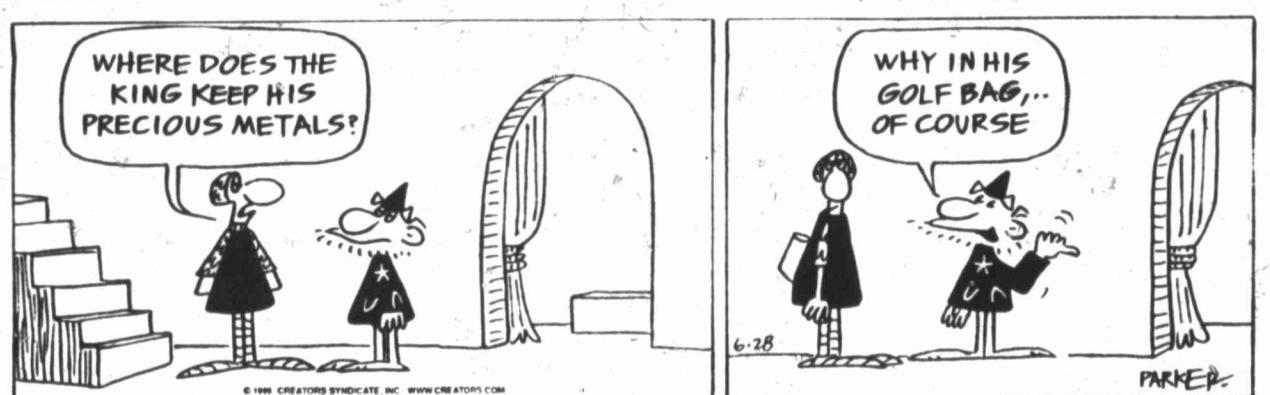


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The ASSOCIATED PRESS Today is Monday, June 28, the 179th day of 1999. There are 186 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On June 28, 1914, Austrian Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, Sofia, were assassinated in Sarajevo by a Serb nationalist - the event which triggered World War I.

On this date: In 1491, England's King Henry VIII was born at Greenwich. In 1778, 'Molly Pitcher' (Mary Ludwig Hays) carried water to American soldiers at the Revolutionary War Battle of Monmouth, N.J.

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

HI AND LOIS



In 1836, the fourth president of the United States, James Madison, died in Montpelier, Va.

In 1838, Britain's Queen Victoria was crowned in Westminster Abbey.

In 1919, the Treaty of Versailles was signed in France, ending World War I.

In 1919, Harry S. Truman married Elizabeth Virginia Wallace in Independence, Mo.

In 1928, New York Governor Alfred E. Smith was nominated for president at the Democratic national convention in Houston.

In 1939, Pan American Airways began regular trans-Atlantic air service as the 'Dixie Clipper' left Port Washington, N.Y., for Portugal.

In 1950, North Korean forces captured Seoul, South Korea.

In 1996, the Citadel decided to admit women, ending a 153-year-old men-only policy at the South Carolina military school.

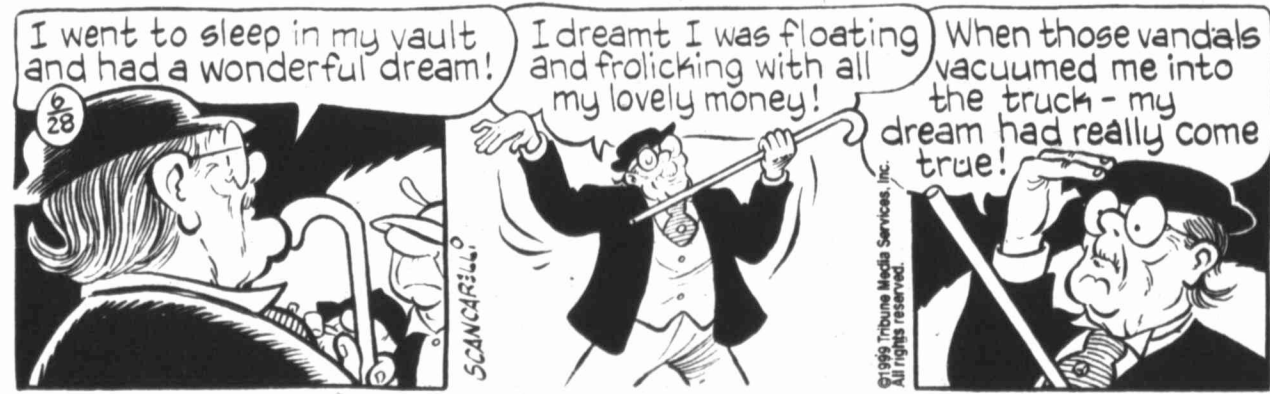
Ten years ago: China's new Communist Party chief, Jiang Zemin, said his government would show no mercy to leaders of the crushed pro-democracy movement, which he termed a 'counterrevolutionary rebellion.'

Five years ago: North and South Korea set July 25-27 as the dates for a historic summit (derailed by the death of North Korean President Kim Il Sung the following month). President Clinton became the first chief executive in U.S. history to set up a personal legal defense fund and ask Americans to contribute to it.

One year ago: The 12th World AIDS Conference opened in Geneva. The Cincinnati Enquirer apologized to the Chiquita banana company and retracted stories questioning the company's business practices; the paper agreed to pay more than \$10 million dollars to settle legal claims.

Today's Birthdays: Comedian-movie director Mel Brooks is 73. Actor Pat Morita is 67. Sen. Carl Levin (D-Mich.) is 65. Former White House chief of staff Leon Panetta is 61. Rock musician Dave Knights (Procol Harum) is 54. Actor Bruce Davison is 53. Actress Kathy Bates is 51. Actress Alice Krige is 45. Football player John Elway is 39. Record company chief executive Tony Mercedes is 37. Actress Jessica Hecht is 34. Rock musician Saul Davies (James) is 34.

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