TUESDAY September 7, 1999

WEATHER



TONIGHT 87°-92°

Howard County raises more than **\$20,000** for MDA

Howard County raised more than \$22,000 for the Dystrophy Muscular Association Monday, and the local challenge between the Harley Owners Group and the Big Spring Professional Firefighters Association earned the crown for the fire-

"I had to go on television and say I needed \$200 more within 10 minutes, and that if we raised it, I would take my ride on a motorcycle in a dress and a wig. We raised the money in less than two minutes," said Mitch Gill, secretary-treasurer for the firefighters association.

The two groups challenged each member to see which raised the most for MDA. If the HOG members won, they would receive a ride in a fire

Firemen will be treated to a ride on a Harley Davidson motorcycle, he said.

Gill said the firemen raised \$5,000 with their Fill the Boot campaign Saturday. HOG members raised \$3,400 selling barbecue, in a silent auction, and other fundraising activities and games Monday at the Big Spring Mall.

Jury selection begins in sexual assault trail

Jury selection was under way to day in 118th District Court in the trial of Alfredo Garza, 27, on sexual assault charges. The trial phase is expected to begin this after-

Garza has been indicted on two counts; sexual assault of a child and aggravated sexual assault of a child.

WHAT'S UP...

☐ Big Spring Quarterback Club, 7 p.m., BSHS Athletic Training Center. □ VFW Post No. 2013,

VFW Hall, 7 p.m.

☐ Big Spring Chapter No. 67, Order of the Eastern Star, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge, 219 Main.

WEDNESDAY

☐ Optimist Club, 7 a.m., **Howard College Cactus**

☐ Senior Circle Big Spring Mall Walkers meet at 9:15

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Auditions set tonight for 'The Perils of a Frontier Fotographer'

By JOHN H. WALKER

Preparations for the 150th anniversary celebration Capt. Randolph B. Marcy's discovery of the historic spring get under way tonight at 8:15 p.m. at the Heritage Museum with auditions for "The Perils of a



The 50-minute melodrama will be part of a weekend full of activities — include a period style and fashion show, parade, ice cream making contest and scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 2 and 3 as part of the "Rediscover the Spring" celebration.

It was on Oct. 3, 1849 that Marcy documented his visit to the spring.

According to "Gettin' Started: Howard County's First 25 Years' by local historian Joe Pickle, "none can say who was the first being to come upon the big

the town its name ... What seems fairly clear is that Capt. Randolph B. Marcy was the first to chronicle definitely his visit to the spring on Oct. 3, 1849 as he sought to blaze a leg on a

transcontinental trail.' One widely circulated theory is that Spanish explorer Cabeza de Vaca may have been the first white man to look upon the "big spring of the Colorado," as Marcy described it some 300 years after de Vaca visited the region.

But it was Marcy who first wrote about the spring.

MELODRAMA Auditions

For: "The Perils of a Frontier Fotographer'

When: Tonight, 8:15 p.m. Where: Heritage Museum

Who: Parts for seven women and three men

"Leaving the Salt Lake this morning, our bearing was N. 71 E for eight miles, where we reached the border of the high

bluffs in the direction we were marching, near which our guide informed us we could find a spring of water. Fourteen and a half miles of travel over a beautiful road brought us to the spring which we found flowing from a deep chasm in the limestone rocks into an immense reservoir some 50 feet in depth."

"We're planning a number of activities on Saturday and Sunday," explained sesquicentennial committee chairman Angie Way. "We want to

Potable water

coming to RV

Moss Creek Lake may soon

get a boost in the tourism arm

as an agreement to deliver

potable water to the site has

park at lake

By BILL McCLELLAN

News Editor

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Weekend brings much-needed rain to area

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

A long, dry summer was broken — at least in parts of the Crossroads — when rain began falling late Friday night and continued throughout the Labor Day weekend.

Officially, Big Spring received nearly three inches of moisture at the **USDA** Agricultural Research Station located on the north side of I-20.

"This weekend we received 2.81 inches of rain, with 2.11 inches falling on Sunday," said Charles Yates, engineering technician for the station.

"But the rain seems to have been light north of town, and northeast of Coahoma only four-tenths of an inch was measured," he said.

Rainfall measuring .31 inches fell Friday night, and another .39 inches fell Saturday night. The greatest amount of rainfall was recorded Sunday, 2.11 inch-

"This is really too late to help the cotton crops, but it will be good for the farmers because all the grass will grow. We're still about two inches down for the year, but that's better than being four inches down,"/Yates

Areas within Big Spring recorded 2.25 inches of rain, in the Edwards Heights and Hillside Drive area. But the rain fell less as it moved outside of Big Spring, according to some area farmers.

Robin Drinkard and Judge Ben Lockhart, who live near Midway Road, recorded 1 1/2 inches and 1.3 inches of rain, respectively. Drinkard lives south of I-20, while Lockhart lives north, she said.

John Wayne Metcalf, who



Water fills Birdwell Park, former site of Birdwell Lake, on Monday morning after the weekend rains.

At one point, water stretched from the dam near Eighth Street all the way to 10th Street. The water

reported in Ackerly by Marilyn

Skaggs at the Ackerly Co-op

Gin, but she said it was not

About 10 miles south in

Knott, at least a one-half inch of

rain was recorded, according to

Van Gaskins. Jim Bob Nichols,

who farms about four miles

north of Big Spring, said he

measured just over an inch of

And Larry Fryar, who farms

west of Big Spring on the

Howard-Martin county line

said he measured from 1.3

quickly drained into the creek that runs between the softball field and junior high school.

enough to measure.

rain for the weekend.

been reached. "It's been a goal to get some potable water

HERALD photo/John H. Walker

inches to 1.7 inches of rain.

"Some of my cotton looks fair

today, and some needs to be

plowed up, because it will cost

too much to harvest with the

price of cotton so low. This is

too late to help us with the

crop, but it might help what

bolls we have. We need to har-

vest a bale an acre this year,

because the price is lower than

it's been since the 50s, but we'll

be lucky if we get one-third

He said the recent moisture

(bale per acre) to one-half,'

Fryar said.

to the lake for a good while. We just don't

have good water there at the lake," said Emma Bogard, Big

Spring assistant city manager. "We have an

RV park at the lake but we don't even advertise it because the (drinking) water is not good. This should really enhance our ability to

attract campers at the lake. Developers Wade Choate and Jim Wright are putting in a subdivision in the Moss Creek Lake area, and paying for most of the materials. The city has paid \$5,000 for a 2-1/2 mile stretch of 2-inch line, according to Todd Darden, director of public works for the city, and will handle labor from the sub-

division to the lake. "We've needed water out there for some time, and we've looked at various ways to do it." said Bogard. "We've done some test wells, which have not been successful. We looked at a storage tank system to feed just the RV park, and that would have been more expensive than laying the line.'

Darden said there is a line from Moss Creek Lake to the water treatment plant, but it is no longer in use.

"We did have a 14-inch water line that came from the lake to the water treatment plant. It was probably built in the 1930s. Over the years, it has been repaired and repaired. We

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Building search on for Hirschfeld Steel expansion

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

Moore Development for Big Spring is hoping to locate a new building for Hirschfeld Steel, as the company wants expand and needs adequate space.



"They need a bigger building, with a minimum of 30,000 square feet, and we'd like to see 40,000 to 50,000 square feet. They are hoping to expand and increase by about 40 or 50 more employees," said Kent Sharp, executive director of Moore Development.

lives about one mile south of

Coahoma, measured about an

inch of rain. "The cotton looks

better, but this is really a little

late, It does help everybody's

feelings though, and it makes

the weeds and the grass grow,"

Garden City recorded about

precipitation,

1.8 inches of rain, while St

Lawrence did not receive any

according to Barbara Fuchs,

who lives southwest of St.

showers

Metcalf said.

measurable

Lawrence.

Scattered

Hirschfeld Steel, a San Angelo-based company, provides steel to companies all around the globe. The business expanded into Big Spring in September 1998, and employs more than 25 people now. Sharp said the company use of a hangar at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark has been on a grace period because the Airpark board hopes to have all aviation-related businesses in the larger hangars.

"They have allowed the company to use the hangar until another location can be found. We started with a one-year grace period, but they are allowing us find another facility," Sharp said.

All of the larger hangars and buildings at the Airpark are leased, he said. Only those buildings with about 3,000-4,000

square feet are available, and that space will not serve the needs of the steel fabricating company. "We've looked at different

land sites, and we've given them some options, such as building a new building," Sharp said. With the financial commit-

ment Hirschfeld Steel makes to the Big Spring community, and the promise of more jobs for the local workforce. Sharp said Moore Development will continue negotiating for the company until a new building is located.

'Sister's Sister' planned during Destination Dignity

HERALD Staff Report

Free tickets are available now for a local production of the professional stage show "My Sister's Sister" on Friday, Sept. 24.

The show marks this year's 'Destination Dignity," month dedicated to acknowledge the unique challenges and accomplishments of people with mental disabilities.

"My Sister's Sister" written and performed as a one-woman show by Obie Award winner Julie Portmar with live musical accompaniment by Paul Reisler of Trapezoid. The largely autobiographical play is a spellbinding drama about the impact of schizophrenia on an individual

and the family. Press information for the

production says, "Audiences who love great theater are not disappointed. 'My Sister's Sister' is about the universal experience of families through the deeply personal story of Julie and her sister. One sister struggles as an artist; the other struggles with schizophrenia.

"Most of all 'My Sister's Sister' is about the simple understanding it takes to accept each other just the way

The play will begin at 8 p.m. in the main sanctuary at First United Methodist Church, 400 Scurry. It is underwritten by a from the Margo grant Memorial Glickman

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Go! Project Head Start begins today with more than 200 students enrolled

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

Go! Project Head Start began with more than 200 students today, with 3-to-not-yet 5 yearolds eager to begin their school

"This morning has been very busy and little chaotic, as it always is the first day of school. When our students leave here, they always want to come back," said Dominga Shockley, Head Start site man-

The federally-funded program offers early childhood education to low-income families on a first come, first served basis. A waiting list for students exists as the schools fills its 254-student capacity.

"Our waiting list is very

short this year, and we take applications all year long," Shockley said.

The school has 13 classrooms, with a teacher and an aide in each one, she said. And in addition to classroom instruction, Head Start children also receive follow-up care for dental and physical exams, as well as speech therapy, she said.

"We serve breakfast, lunch and a snack for the children." she said.

A parent organization is comprised of every parent who registers their children with the program, she said. This organization does fundraising for the school, to purchase such things as play ground equipment, or supplies for the classrooms.

"The organization last year did very well, and they purchased equipment for the cafe-

teria. Each year the organization selects what they want to their goal to be for the year,' she said.

And the children are involved in other projects throughout the school year, she said. Santa Claus visits every Christmas, and the center, which is funded through the Greater Opportunities of the Permian Basin out of Odessa, provides a gift for each child.

Sept. 16 Head Start students will participate in a parade, which will begin at the school and conclude at Morgan Park.

'We're planning a big parade, and the older children will walk. The 3-year-olds will only walk about two blocks," she

Anyone interested in apply

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·MICHAEL D. ARDT, 50,

HOUSTON

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·JASON ORTEGA, 18, was

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•JERRY DALE McCAIN, 37.

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27, was arrested on a motion to

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•KENITH DWAIN SCOTT,

RICHARD DIAZ LOPEZ

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Dec. cotton 51.95 cents, up 31

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courtesy: Delta Corporation 9,116590 Other markets were unavailable by

Following is a summary of

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Spring

Department/EMS reports:

SUNDAY

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MARKETS

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ving with license suspended.

OBITUARIES

Thelma A. Morehead

Thelma A. Morehead, 91, former longtime Big Spring resident, died Saturday, Sept. 4, 1999 in Amarillo.

Service will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 7 at the First Baptist Church of Amarillo. Graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Trinity Memorial Park, Big Spring, with Mr. Rick Cunningham, Church of Christ minister, offi-

Mrs. Morehead was born in Stonewall, Okla., and married Gilbert "Gibby" Morehead in 1927. They moved to Big Spring in 1936 and Mr. Morehead preceded her in death in 1978.

She lived in Big Spring for 45 years and was a homemaker and member of the First Baptist Church, where she also taught a Sunday School class. She was also active in Gideons International auxiliary.

Survivors include: one daugh ter. Doris McCullough of Amarillo; one son, Robert Earl Morehead of Houston; eight grandchildren; nine greatgrandchildren; and one greatgreat-granddaughter.

Viewing will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday at Nalley Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Arrangements under the direction of N.S. Griggs and Sons in Amarillo and Nalley-Pickle & Welch.

DIGNITY

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Endowment administered through Howard College.

Pick up tickets at Howard County Mental Health Center, 319 Runnels; West Texas Centers for MHMR Clyde J. Alsup Building, 409 Runnels: First United Methodist Church, 400 Scurry; Howard College Administration Building; or Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

HEAD START___

ing to the school needs to fill out an application and bring their child's birth certificate and shot records to the inter-

Income verification must also be presented, and the program, will accept pay check stubs or an income tax return, she said. Social security numbers of the entire family are required, she

For more information call the Lakeview Head Start Center at

MELODRAMA_

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encourage families to turn out in the park after church and spend an afternoon together as a community.

On Saturday, the style show will begin at 10 a.m. at the Municipal Auditorium and will be followed by a parade through

The parade will feature antique vehicles, wagons, horses and buggies and "oldsters"

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and will begin on East Second onization. Cornwell was given Street and head west to Main, then north to First and west again to Scurry and back up to Second, where it will head east.

On Sunday, there will be a homemade ice cream contest and most authentic costume contest in addition to having a reenactment group portray Marcy's discovery of the spring. In addition, there will be the melodrama, food booths and

The play has parts for seven women and three men and 'good ole boys and thespians" alike are welcome to try out.

The committee will be selling a number of commemorative items to raise funds, including a key chain, coffee cups and wooden nickels.

"All of these items will be officially sanctioned by the sesquicentennial committee and the proceeds will be used to cover the costs of the celebration.

Way said the committee was in search of period clothing that might be used in either the style show or the melodrama. Persons are asked to contact Way at The Heritage Museum at 267-8255.

WATER

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abandoned it in about 1987. So we haven't had a line from town to the lake that is owned by the city since about 1987," Darden

"They (the developers) have come to us several times with this, but previously the cost to benefit ratio was not enough to the city for us to consider. Now they have completed enough of the project to where we have decided it is feasible," he said.

"We only did this for our benefit, not for two out-of-town developers," said Darden. "Hopefully we can generate some revenue from the RV park. We've had people we've' had to turn away in the past simply because we didn't have water to the park.'

Bogard said the work should be completed before the end of the year. Water will be supplied both to the main house and store and to the RV park.

Book says anti-Semitism of wartime Pope ran deep

NEW YORK (AP) - Pope Pius XII's deep anti-Semitism contributed to his refusal to blatantly condemn Nazi atrocities during World War II, a new book says.

Among newly discovered documents cited by writer John Cornwell is a letter the pope wrote in 1919, when he was a Vatican diplomat.

The letter describes a group of revolutionary Jews in Munich, Germany, as "a gang of young women of dubious appearance, Jews like all the rest of them, hanging around in all the offices with provocative demeanor and suggestive smiles.'

The book, "Hitler's Pope: The Secret History of Pius XII," is excerpted in the October issue of Vanity Fair.

Vatican officials contacted Monday wouldn't comment, saying they had not read the

magazine story. Pius XII has been criticized for failing to do more to help Jews during the war. The Vatican has consistently defended his conduct, claiming his behind-the-scenes work saved thousands of Jews. He has been praised for - among other things - ordering religious houses in Rome to hide

Cornwell's sources include the pope's own files and depositions taken under oath 30 years ago to support his eventual can-

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access to the secret Vatican archives because he initially set out to write a book vindicating the pope.

Cornwell found that in 1942, envoys from Britain and the United States presented the pope with details about Nazi atrocities and asked him to condemn them.

But the strongest public denunciation the pope made during the war — a Christmas Eve radio message in 1942 simply mourned the plight of

"hundreds of thousands who without any fault of their own, sometimes only by reason of their nationality or race, are marked down for death or gradual extinction.

Cornwell wrote that Pius XII knew 1,000 Jews from Rome were to be deported to the death camps in October 1943 but he did nothing to warn or save them. Only 15 of them survived the war.

Cornwell is the author of another controversial book about Vatican affairs, "A Thief in the Night: The Death of Pope John Paul I." The book dispelled rumors that John Paul I was murdered by his own aides after serving for just 33 days in

Internet auction site removes offers to sell babies

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) -Less than a week after a kidney was offered on the online auction site eBay, at least three listings of babies for sale were posted on the Web site.

All appeared to be hoaxes and were taken down, Steve Westly, eBay's marketing vice president, said Monday.

One posting, offering a baby boy, drew a high bid of

The seller purported to offer a boy, due to be born later this month, who would be the child of two law students at the University of Chicago. The posting also offered "intelligence scores of parents ... upon request."

Selling children is illegal. The company would not say whether law-enforcement officials were investigating.

Officials at eBay said they believe the postings were at least partially inspired by the kidney offering, in which a Florida man received bids of up to \$5.6 million. eBay said that was also probably a prank.

Earlier this year, San Josebased eBay banned the sale of guns and ammunition on the site, after people tried selling a missile, a bazooka, a rocket launcher and other military

FAIR RESULTS

Following are results from the canned good competitions at last week's Howard County Fair.

Canned Goods, Class I Fruits Grand Champion, JoAnn Peugh; Youth, Rhett Price; Reserve Champion, Kim Crowley; blue ribbons, Kim Crowley, JoAnn Peug, Rhett Price, Tara Price.

Canned Goods, lass II Vegetables Betty McChristian; Youth, Raylea Underwood; Reserve Champion, Dean Priest, Youth, Tara Price; blue ribbons. Valerie Avery. Wanda Lee, Betty McChristian, Phyllis Price, Rhett Price, Tara Price, Dean Priest, Raylea Underwood; red ribbons, Robbie Crenshaw, Walter Gleason, Betty McChristian, Phyllis Price, Rhett Price, Tara Price; white ribbons, Wanda

Canned Goods, Class 3 Pickles and Relishes - Grand Champion, Walter Gleason; Youth, Tara Price; Reserve

Cristianis

Scenic Mountain

Medical Center

601 W. 11th Place

263-1211

REUNIONS

THE CLASS OF 1949 will be having its 50th class reunion on Oct. 14-16.

The following is a list of missing classmates: John Brinkaeter, Roy Burke, Beverly Campbell, Winona Fincher, Helen Eubanks Harris, Irvin Hurt, Myrl Lou McGuire, Rodman Roberts, Vonia 'Scottie" Scott, Jean Seiler, Jo Ann Tanner, and Jean (Waldrop) Womac.

If you have any information of these classmates, please contact Katie Jones Cathey at 263-4611 or Jane Stripling Jones at

BIG SPRING HIGH CLASS of 1959 will have a 40th reunion Oct. 15-16. We need the address for the following people: Carol Aston Jerry Baird, Karen Baldwin Argo, Mary Ruth Barrington Kennemur, W.L. Bowen, Warren Boyd, Nancy Branch Hope, Ronald Paul Buie, Lewis Burns, Walter Brent Clark, Linda Fern

BIG SPRING MOVIE

HOTLINE

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SHERIFF

The following information was transcribed from the Howard County Sheriff's Department arrest logs through 8 a.m. Tuesday.

•SHIELA ANN WYATT, 38.

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Culwell Williams, Joe Davis,

Nancy Eldridge, Cliff Epps,

Beatrice Gonzales, Marilyn

Hall, Ronnie Hammack, Joan

Heise, Rosie Hinojos, Jo Ann

Lane, David Leppert, Joe

McCowan, Larry McNeill, Joe

McWilliams, Ross Plant, Don

Pederson, Don Richardson,

Tommy Roger, Amelia Rosas,

Irene Rudd Thornton, Marvin

Simmons, Bessie Lucille Smith,

Sylvia Valdez, and Charlene

267-7737 if you have any infor-

mation about these '59 gradu-

SUPPORT GROUPS

TUESDAY

Diseases, 6:30 p.m. second

Tuesday of each month,

Canterbury South. Public invit-

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.

group, 2 p.m., Canterbury

·Compassionate Friends sup-

port 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

Cancer support group, first

Tuesday of each month, 7-8

p.m., VA Medical Center room

213. Call Sue Jones, 263-7361

"Most Excellent Way," an

Alcoholics Anonymous, 615

Settles, noon open meeting and

IF YOU HAVE A SUPPORT

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addiction support group, 3610

Seniors' diabetic support

ed. Call Leslie, 267-1069.

South. Call 263-1265.

door. Call 267-2769.

ext. 7179 or 264-7518.

Dixon, call 264-9900.

8 p.m. closed meeting.

Support for MS and Related

Please Call Toni Hamby at

Williamson.

Champion, Ruby Lewis, Youth, Rhett Price; blue ribbons, Robbie Crenshaw, Walter Gleason, Wanda Lee, Ruby Lewis, Phyllis Price, Rhett Price and Tara Price; red ribbons, Valerie Avery, Robbie Crenshaw, Walter Gleason, Betty McChristian.

Canned Goods, Class 4 (jams, jellies and preserves), Grand Champion, Randy McKinney, Youth, Tara Price; Reserve Champion, Betty McChristian, Youth Rhett Price: blue ribbons, Janice Cearley, Robbie Crenshaw, Ruby Lewis, Betty McChristian, Randy McKinney, Helen Priddy, Rhett Price, Tara Price: red ribbons. Valerie Avery, Robbie Crenshaw, Kim Crowley, Betty McChristian, Phyllis Price, Helen Priddy: white ribbons, Valerie Priddy, Robbie Crenshaw, Wanda Lee.

Canned Goods, Class 6 (juice and syrup), Grand Champion, Betty McChristian; blue ribbons, Betty McChristian. Class 7 (peppers), Grand Champion, Betty McChristian; blue and red ribbons. Betty McChristian.

Class 8 (salsa and hot sauce), Grand Champion, Ruby Lewis, Youth, Tara Price; Reserve Champion, Valerie Avery; blue ribbons, Valerie Avery, Ruby Lewis, Phyllis Price, Tara Price; red ribbons, Betty McChristian.

BRIEFS

A COMMUNITY BLOOD **DRIVE** sponsored by Coahoma Lions Club is planned Wednesday from 4-8 p.m. at Coahoma Church of Christ. Fellowship Building. Call 394-4277, or drop-ins are welcome.

THE TEXAS DEPART-MENT OF Health will have a Saturday shot clinic from 8:30 to 11:30 and from 1 to 4 p.m. Please bring your child's shot record or a note from school.

BIG SPRING EVENING Lions Club will have free eyeglasses for all adults Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon at the Big Spring Evening Lions Club bingo building, 1607 East Third.

All adults needing eyeglasses who don't have the income to purchase the exam or glasses are welcome. The recycled eyeglasses are donated by the community as a service project of the Lions.

The Lions group offers the eyeglasses the second Saturday of each month. For more information call Janis Dean at 267-

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Monday and 8 a.m. Tuesday. •THOMAS MURPHY, 20,

was arrested for failure to ID. ·JOSE BEATY, 17, was arrested for class A assault.

•RAFAEL LOPEZ, 54, was arrested for public intoxication. •ESMAEL MUNOZ, 72, was

arrested on local warrants. •JORGE ESCAJEDA, 24, was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon.

·BURGLARY OF A BUILD-ING was reported in the 700 block of Willa.

•BURGLARY OF A HABI-TATION was reported in the 1600 block of Runnels. ·DOMESTIC

BANCES were reported in the 1500 block of Kentucky and the 600 block of Steakley.

·DISTURBANCES/FIGHTS was reported in the 1800 block of E. Marcy, and the 300 block of Owens.

•CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the 3300 block of W. Highway 80.

motion to revoke probation.

111 E. Marcy 267-8283 Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Carleton, medical call, service refused. 9:30 a.m. — 1900 block North 87, medical call, patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center. 9:47 a.m. — 1900 block Johnson, medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 3:31~p.m.-1000~block~West FM-700, traffic accident, two

patients transported to SMMC. three refused service. **MONDAY**

 $8:38 \ a.m. - 3600 \ block \ Dixon,$ medical call, patient transported to SMMC. 1:05 p.m. - 1900 block Simler, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

4:43 p.m. -2700 block Crestline, medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

RECORDS

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District Judge Sam Cummings

with scholarly treatises, encour-

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In response, 52 legal scholars

who support gun control filed

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'That decision and the opin-

ion were a major shot across the

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GRANBURY (AP) - It's 80 years late, but Roy Crittenden Sr. is getting a medal for his service during the world war the first one.

a chevalier of the National Order of the Legion of Honor -France's highest national

"It is conferred on you by the French government as a sign of the high esteem my country has for you who personally contributed to the decisive support the United States gave to French soldiers in the defense of their country during World War I," French Ambassador Francois Bujon de l'Estang said in a letter to Crittenden.

The consul general of France in Houston is scheduled to travel to Granbury next Monday to present the medal.

Crittenden's granddaughter Cherry Nowell said dozens of family members are coming from all across the country for

Bush has pardoned 16 convicts, records show HOUSTON (AP) - Gov. crimes or marijuana possession his decisions from about 300 George W. Bush has granted offenses, mostly when they pardons to 16 people convicted were in their late teens or early

4 1/2 years in office, according . The newspaper found two pardons went to men proved innocent of rape.

Five other pardons went to adults who committed a variety of offenses, ranging from writing bad checks to transporting undocumented workers.

Al Gonzales, now a Texas Supreme Court justice, was Bush's general counsel when most of the pardons were granted. Gonzales says Bush made applications based at least partly on the age of the offenders and what they had done with their lives since the arrest.

"There was no question about it that someone who had committed an offense many, many years ago when they were young had a better shot of getting a pardon, but no guarantee," Gonzales said.

Bush has granted three pardons to people who had drug offenses as youths. One of them became an embarrassment of

Steve Raney of Waxahachie was convicted in 1988 at age 28 of a misdemeanor for growing a marijuana plant in his back yard.

He paid a \$500 fine and spent a day in jail.

After assurances Raney had turned his life around, Bush granted him a pardon in 1995 so he could become a local deputy constable.

Less than four months later, however, Raney was arrested after he admitted stealing cocaine from a suspect during a

Legal scholars debate Second Amendment case

LUBBOCK (AP) - A judge's "Growing public senlandmark ruling that the Second Amendment gives inditiment for a final viduals, and not just organized militias, the right to bear arms decision on the issue has legal scholars sparring is high because of about the constitutionality of gun-control laws. school shootings and Earlier this year, gun-control opponents inundated U.S.

> -David Yassky, Brooklyn Law School professor

lating a restraining order for allegedly brandishing a handgun in front of his wife and her daughter.

office shootings."

Defense attorneys argued that law infringing on Emerson's right to own guns was unconstitutional.

Cummings agreed, ruling in April that the right to bear arms is a protected individual right — and not just a right belonging to an organized militia, as federal prosecutors had argued.

Prosecutors are appealing to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, but could not comment because of the judge's gag order.

Meanwhile, scholars say the decision sets the stage for the challenge of almost any law infringing on a citizen's right to possess a gun.

And they say the expected

appellate battle is crucial for both sides.

"Growing public sentiment for a final decision on the issue is high because of school shootings and office shootings," said David Yassky, a Brooklyn Law School professor who wrote the brief.

"The time is right for a serious decision to be made."

The brief criticizes Cummings for misinterpreting the Second Amendment, which Yassky writes was meant to "preserve organized, state-based militias," and not intended to "empower individuals or small groups of disaffected citizens to take up arms against the established

Yassky said Cummings' opinion reinforces the misconception that most legal scholars believe gun-control laws are

illegal. "The vast majority argue that the Second Amendment was intended to protect states' militia from the new central government created by Constitution," he said.

But Scott Powe, a constitutional law professor at the University of Texas whom Cummings cited in his ruling, denounced Yassky's brief, charging that only three of the co-signers were "serious" constitutional law scholars.

"The brief is seeking to suck Amendment is clear."

the meaning out of the words 'the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed," Powe said. "There are all sorts of things you could add or take away from that if you wanted to, but the meaning is clear. It couldn't be more

Advocacy groups also have taken a keen interest in the case

Jim Manown, a spokesman the National Rifle Association, said most Americans support the "traditional understanding" of the Second Amendment as the individual's right to bear arms. "The road to the Supreme

Court is a long one, but the interest this has generated and the fact that it is being appealed will only mean the importance of this case will be heightened," Manown said.

Nancy Hwa, a spokeswoman for the Center to Prevent Handgun Violence, said Yassky's brief likely will be crucial in any debate the reaches the Supreme Court.

"We view Cummings' ruling as a renegade decision that the gun lobby is trying to hide behind," Ms. Hwa said. "But this time, the gun lobby won't be able to hide. Scholars are stepping forward to make sure the reality of the Second

Tourism numbers up after milder summer

DALLAS (AP) — Texas tourist attractions drew thousands more visitors this summer than in 1998, travel industry officials say.

This year's intense summer heat began later than in 1998, which saw a total of 56 100degree days beginning May 6. The string of 100-degree days this year began July 28, closer to the end of the tourism sea-

"The projections were good and strong, and I think folks have been happy with this summer," Paul Serff, executive director of the Texas Travel Industry Association, told The Dallas Morning News.

Tourism employs nearly half a million people and is a \$30 billion industry — Texas' third-largest behind real estate and energy, state officials say. Shopping, amusement parks and nature tours are big moneymakers.

Final numbers for the summer of 1999 are unavailable, but a 1998 state government survey listed Texas' top three attractions as the Alamo, the Riverwalk in San Antonio and Six Flags Over Texas in Arlington.

The San Marcos outlet malls were fourth in the survey conducted by the Texas Department of Economic-Development, peating out the Johnson Space Center in Houston and SeaWorld San Antonio, among other perennial favorites.

Both Six Flags and Hurricane Harbor water park in Arlington "have had a very good year in contrast to last year," said Nancy St. Pierre, the parks' spokeswoman. "Our numbers are up at both parks, mainly because it wasn't as hot this year as last year.'

The San Marcos outlet malls are "probably there to stay," in the top 10, said Stan Hodge, research director at the state economic development department. "It's just a phenomenon of our life today.

The 115-store Prime Outlet 600 bus tours, said Vicki Motel Association.

Conley, Prime's district marketing director. She said through July, traffic was up nine percent for the year.

"I anticipate this summer coming in with a healthy increase for the three months. Summer was wonderful."

San Antonio still has four of the state's top 10 tourist attractions. SeaWorld and the San Antonio Zoo came in ninth and 10th on the 1998 survey.

The Alamo has seen a slight dip in attendance so far this year, said its director, Brad Breuer. Visitors fell from 1.61 million last year to 1.59 million through July. "It went down a little less

than 2 percent," Breuer said. "I personally look at it as relatively flat. Visitations at national parks and museums are down nationwide."

Fiesta Texas amusement park in San Antonio did well, although the park, like many others in Texas, doesn't release attendance figures.

Fort Worth's Stockyards Station ranked sixth on the 1998 survey, even before a daily longhorn cattle drive was started this year.

Numbers for restaurants and shops are up about 25 percent so far this year, said Margaret Kramer, director of marketing for the cluster of shops and restaurants that form part of the Stockyards complex north of downtown.

"Visitors to the information center in July show about a 43 percent increase in visitors to the area," she said.

Galveston's Gardens, the collection of gardens, a science center and rain forest housed in pyramids was joined by a 1.5-million gallon aquarium in June, which helped attendance rise.

"Our summer was a record high," said Jennifer Ott, public relations coordinator for the gardens. "The months of June and July had over 300,000 at the aquarium alone."

Hotel tax revenues in the state were up about 6 percent mall in San Marcos alone through July, according to Dan attracts more than 4 million Hansen, executive vice presivisitors annually and averages dent of the Texas Hotel &

Excavation of La Salle's fort to resume in January DALLAS (AP) A fort that instead into Matagorda Bay. ered, sitting side-by side, where the potential of being one of the

became Texas' first French setexplorer La Salle.

Excavation of one of his vessels, the La Belle, has already around a blind bend in the bay, yielded hundreds of thousands of shipwrecked relics including a 793-pound bronze cannon. But archaeologists say excavation of Fort St. Louis, scheduled for January, has much more poten-

The La Belle "was exciting. but the fort is the physical place site began using his metal that changed Texas history forever," James E. Bruseth, the Texas Historical Commission's director of archaeology, told commission. The Dallas Morning News in today's editions.

The fort was discovered in Victoria County, near the shipwreck sites offshore. The Texas Historical Commission last year decided to disperse items salvaged from the wrecks to six museums.

Rene-Robert Cavelier Sieur de La Salle, setting sail from France in 1684 with four ships and a crew of 400 to settle the Mississippi River basin, sailed around the tip of Cuba but missed the river — wandering

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Crittenden, 99, is to be named

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> believing that he had found a Before burning the fort, De Leon had buried the cannons to western outlet to the be recovered later. Mississippi. When a state archaeologist located La Belle in 1995 in

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OUR VIEWS

United Way drive moves

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nother campaign kickoff luncheon has sig-

naled the start of the annual drive for United

Way of Big Spring and Howard County. This

is an effort everyone can get behind, because

The few dollars each of us gives to United Way goes

a long, long way. Through scouting, YMCA, after-

school programs and the like, kids learn teamwork,

responsibility, and the value of participation. It helps

keep our youth focused on positive things and off the

Programs such as Rape Crisis/Victim Services gives

those who have victimized a place to turn to, new

hope, and the ability to carry on with productive lives.

Red Cross helps us in times of disaster, whether it be

a tornado, or a house fire. Dora Roberts Rehabilitation

Center helps us recover from physical setbacks and

get back on our feet again. Salvation Army provides

school supplies, coats and shoes for those who don't

have them; food those who are hungry; Christmas for

those who would not otherwise share the joy and the

peace in a time of the season that means so much to

most of us. In short, it helps those who are having a

tougher time of it, and need a warm, caring hand to

Combined, they ensure that someone in our county

Because of this, those few dollars each of us con-

tributes keep our neighborhoods safer. They ensure

our children get an education. They provide the

means that allow single parents a step up to self-suffi-

This is not charity; it is ensuring the well being of

an entire community. We all have a stake in it. Many

of these people who need our help today, will be

among our leaders tomorrow. That is the goal - to pro-

vide the means for everyone in our county to have an

equal chance, to become a productive part of society.

We were pleased at the turnout for today's luncheon.

Not astounded, even though it was standing room

only. We expect that kind of turnout in Howard

County. If you attended — and we hope you did — you

noticed that United Way in Big Spring is not limited

to businessmen and businesswomen. It's not limited to

teachers, health care professionals, oil field workers,

secretaries, farmers or ranchers. It is not limited to

truckers or city workers, law enforcement, firefight

ers, social workers, pastors or clerks. It is all of us

As is usual, Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce

and the Big Spring Rotary Club — among others, we're

sure — relinquished their meetings to join something

they felt more important. That's because they under-

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these last couple of weeks, John H. Walker and now, they're trying to figure their **Bill McClellar**

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when the Wall Street Journal reported that ETS was considering a new program to award extra points on the SAT for students who perform above their expected level, based on a variety of factors, including family income, parents' education, the quality of the high school they

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The idea was to give extra points to those students ETS dubbed "strivers": poor and minority students who score 200 points higher than their peers or between 1000 and 1199 out of a possible 1600. Within 24 hours of the story breaking, ETS was deflating its own trial balloon, blaming the news media for "misleading" cover-

Schools may find SAT scores really do matter

Why this tempest in a teapot? Ever since voters in California passed a statewide referendum outlawing racial preferences in college admissions in 1996, those who favor affirmative action have been on the defensive. For years, most colleges and universities — especially academically competitive ones have admitted minority students whose grades and test scores, on average, were lower than those of white students.

Since black students, on average, score almost 200 points below whites on the SAT, college administrators argued that minority enrollment would drop dramatically if they applied the same criteria to blacks and whites. But this double standard has come under increasing attack, not just in California, but also in Washington state, which passed an initiative similar to California's last year, and in Texas, Mississippi and Louisiana, which must abide by a 5th Circuit court ruling that outlawed racial preferences in college admissions.

So, what's the solution? Most supporters of affirmative action would like colleges to place less emphasis on SAT scores or drop the test altogether,

which has ETS worried. After all, if schools stopped requiring the SAT, or its competitor, the ACT (produced by the

American College Testing Program), because blacks and Hispanics perform poorly on it, the testing people would lose the major portion of their higher-education business. No wonder ETS hoped to find a way to make their test more minorityfriendly.

Actually, this is only the latest in several such attempts dating back more than 25 years.

Although critics have accused the SAT of being racially biased for years, ETS has weathered those charges by continuously adapting its test questions to be more racially and ethnically sensitive.

Every service and product ETS offers undergoes a "fairness review" to ensure that the material meets the latest standard for political correctness and racial sensitivity.

Most importantly, however, the SAT itself pretty accurately predicts first-year grades for both whites and blacks, which is what the test is designed to do. (If anything, the test somewhat over predicts the grade performance of black students, who do even less well, on average, than their lower test

scores predict.) But the political pressure remains to find a way to boost the scores of blacks and Hispanics and close the racial gap with whites and Asians, which widened this

But giving some black and Hispanic test-takers extra points because they attended bad schools or their parents didn't finish college won't solve the problem. While some students may indeed perform above their "expected" level, based on their economic status, these strivers include whites and Asians as well as blacks and Hispanics.

Should poor whites or Asians be given less credit for exceeding expectations than similarly situated blacks or Hispanics?

If colleges and universities want to give extra consideration to students who have overcome social and economic adversity, why not do it on a color-blind basis?

And no matter what extra credit colleges give such strivers in the admissions process, the schools may find that SAT scores really do matter when it comes to college grades.

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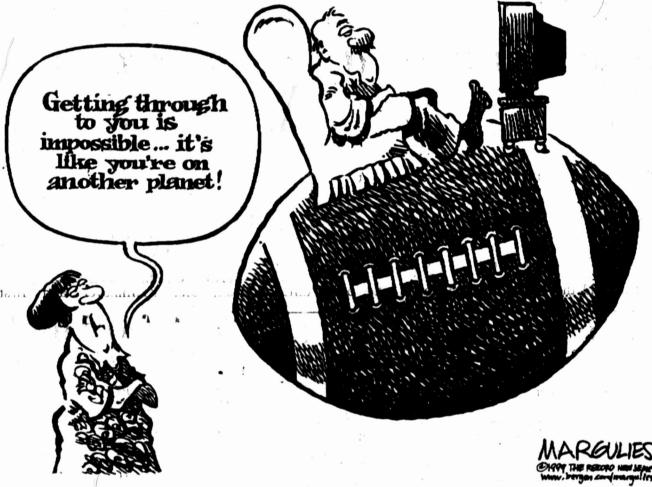
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Age is catching up with the U.S. military

he American military is in a death spiral. Since the present administration caused

it to go into a death spiral, it will be up to the next one to pull it out. If the next is headed by Al Gore, it's probably all over for the armed forces.

There are many problems. Here are a few random thoughts by a Marine colonel who just

"The modern service member is well-read and informed. He knows more about strategy, diplomacy and current events than captains knew when I first joined the Marines ... he is well-aware of the moral cowardice of his seniors and their habit of taking the easy way out that result in more pain and work for their subordimust have the moral courage to stop the misuse and abuse of the current force. The force is too small, stretched too thin and too poorly funded. These deficiencies are made up on the backs of the Marines, sailors, airmen and soldiers. ... Our equipment and infrastructure are shot.

'Quality of life is paid lip service, and everyone below the rank of colonel knows it. We need tough, realistic and challenging training. But we don't need low pay, no medical benefits and ghetto housing. ... This nation has been in an economic boom for damn near 20 years now, yet we expect folks in the military to live like lower middle-class folks lived

in the mid-'50s. The erosion of benefits is a dishonorable breaking of promises by Congress. That's one reason why all the services are having problems recruiting and retaining. Another is that monumental failure of senior leadership — the politicians in uniform — the colonel spoke about It is demoralizing when they go on television and tell lies. The troops know they are

Here's the deal: The Reagan administration built up a military nearly destroyed by the Carter administration. It was in top shape, as the Gulf War demonstrated. The Soviet Union collapsed. During the Bush administration, the forces were cut and a "procurement holiday" was instituted. The idea was that the post-Cold

War threats would become clear, and then procurement would be resumed to meet them. Enter the Clinton administra-

tion, probably the most antimilitary administration in history. There was no resumption of procurement, and, instead of clearly defining future threats, Bill Clinton embarked on a globalist policy of using American forces as step-andfetchits for the United Nations. More missions, not fewer, for a smaller force led to strains on both men and equipment.

Here are a few facts gleaned from a report by the Association of the United

States Army (www.ausa.org): The average age of fighters and ground attack aircraft is exceeding 20 years. The average age of aircraft assigned to reserve and guard forces is even older.

The CH-46 Sea Knight helicopters are more than 30 years old. The larger CH-53 is now so old it requires 38 hours of maintenance downtime for one hour of flight time. The Army's OH-58 Kiowas are older than the pilots who fly them, and the replacements are still seven vears away.

The B-52, the backbone of both the bomber fleet and the airborne nuclear deterrent, will be 75 years old when it is scheduled for retirement.

The death spiral is the result of the increasing age of the equipment,

It will result in a crash in 2010 unless procurement funds are increased dramatically starting right now.

At that point, in 2010, America's armed forces will have worn out obsolete equipment, and the replacements will still be years away.

You can bet America's enemies know this, too. Charley Reese's e-mail address is OSOreese@aol.com.

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Viacom to buy CBS Corp. in biggest media deal ever

NEW YORK (AP) - Viacom Inc., the price Friday of \$48.93fl. media company that owns Paramount Pictures and MTV, is buying CBS Corp. for \$34.45 billion in stock in the biggest media

The union announced today will create a major media and entertainment company with a top TV network, movie studio and several cable channels.

Viacom chairman Sumner Redstone will be chairman and chief executive of the new company, which will keep the Viacom

CBS president Mel Karmazin will be

president and chief operating officer. CBS shareholders will receive 1.085 shares of Viacom's class B stock, which based on Friday's close of \$45.060 values CBS at \$48.89 per share.

That's slightly below the closing CBS

The new Viacom will be a media powerhouse owning the CBS network, several major cable networks — including MTV, VH1 and Nickelodeon — along with film studio Paramount.

The deal marks a new chapter in the long career of Redstone, 76, who took control of Viacom in 1987 and seven years later greatly enlarged it by buying Paramount Communications Inc. and Blockbuster **Entertainment Group.**

The pact with CBS comes just a month after the Federal Communications Commission/relaxed television station ownership rules and triggered a round of discussions between media companies over possible mergers.

Viacom owns a TV station group and a 50 percent stake in the UPN network. The

future status of UPN was unclear because government rules prevent one company owning more than one network.

Viacom has been selling off assets to pay down debt, positioning it well for a merger. It recently floated shares in its Blockbuster subsidiary and said it plans to spin off the rest.

The merger reunites two companies -CBS and Viacom — split apart in the 1970s ago by government rules aimed at preventing networks owning their own programming. Those rules were eliminated a few years ago.

In recent years, deregulation has sparked a move toward vertical integration in the television industry, highlighted by Walt Disney Co.'s purchase of Capital Cities/ABC for \$19 billion in 1996, the previous record media combination.

School psychologists begin 'student profiling' to combat violence

 Much like the FBI developing psychological profiles to track terrorists and serial killers. school psychologists are putting together checklists of characteristics common among students

prone to violence. With the pain of the deadly shootings at Columbine High School in Littleton, Colo., still Wallingford Superintendent of Schools Joseph Cirasuolo said he would be remiss not to adopt "student

profiling" in his district of 7,000 pupils. "Our purpose in doing that is to intervene well before they ever decide to go out and buy a gun and do some damage," he

said. The profile of a potentially violent student will be given to

description, the student's par- or even be expelled. ents will be notified. Cirasuolo said.

"We intervene early if we think a youngster has reading problems. We intervene early if we think a youngster has adjustment problems and matters of that type," he said. "So why shouldn't we intervene early if we think a youngster may be prone to violence?"

There are similar efforts across the country. In Granite City, Ill., school administrators are measuring students against a behavior checklist that includes abusive language, cruelty to animals and writings reflecting an interest in "the dark side of life." Students who fit the profile can undergo coun-

schools. If someone fits the alternative education program

Critics call "student profiling" an overreaction to the rash of school shootings, including the Columbine attack in which 15 people died. They fear that children who do not reflect an image of the perfect student could be unfairly labeled.

"Different doesn't mean dangerous," said American Civil Liberties Union spokeswoman Emily Whitfield. "Not only are students being unfairly targeted but, in some cases, there's not a whole lot of thought going into

Nevertheless, there is increasing demand from school districts for training on warning

FBI agents led conferences on

WALLINGFORD, Conn. (AP) staff throughout the district's 12 seling, be transferred to an school violence recently in Hamden, Conn., and Lansing, Mich., instructing teachers on behavioral science and psychological profiling.

Peter Blauvelt, president of the National Alliance for Safe Schools in Slanesville, W.Va., said he has spent the summer crisscrossing the country, giving workshops in schools from Georgia to Washington state.

"I wouldn't call it panic, but people are saying, 'Look we realize that we are not prepared to deal with a major crisis and we need to be prepared," he

There are plenty of character checklists for teachers to draw from, The National School Safety Center in Westlake Village, Calif., has created a list of 20 warning signs.

Black leaders criticise Bush's stance on Confederate flag

SIMPSONVILLE, S.C. (AP) — Black leaders criticized Texas Gov. George W. Bush for trying to woo white South Carolina voters by dismissing an NAACP national tourism boycott of the state to force down the Confederate flag from the Statehouse.

Bush, while campaigning in the state Monday, declared that outsiders should "butt out" out of the issue.

His stance shows he "is wooing the white voters of South Carolina to support his candidacy," said the Rev. H.H. Singleton, president of the Conway branch of the NAACP.

Bush said the group's boycott plans were initiated by "some people who don't live in South Carolina, evidently."

When asked if the civil rights group should back off, Bush said, "That's up to the NAACP.

In a separate appearance later in the day, Bush said "my advice is for people who don't live in South Carolina to butt out of the issue. The people of South Carolina can make that decision." That prompted cheers from holiday festivalgoers in Simpsonville.

"I didn't particularly like it when people came in to tell me what to do in Texas;" Bush

Bush and other candidates are courting South Carolinians for the Feb. 19 Republican primary, which is considered an important early barometer for how

candidates will do in the conservative South.

The flag controversy has embroiled South Carolina for several years. The state is the only one to fly the Confederate flag over its Statehouse, although Georgia Mississippi incorporate it into their state flags.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People says the flag is a symbol of racism. But supporters say the flag represents Southern heritage and honors South Carolinians who died in the Civil War.

Democratic candidate Bill Bradley said in April that "I wouldn't fly it. I think that it sometimes offends a large part of the population."

Walking in a Labor Day parade and attending another Labor Day festival in Simpsonville, Bush also said "it's up to the people of South Carolina to figure out how best to fund their schools.

South Carolina residents will vote next year about whether they want a lottery to fund education improvements. South Carolina's schools lag behind others in Scholastic Assessment Test scores

Bush also countered criticism that he is anti-union.

"I'm for job creation, and a person who's got a plan to make sure that our economy continues to produce high-paying, high-quality jobs is a friend of the working man," he said.

Seven party-goers are killed, six injured in Iowa house explosion

RICHLAND. Iowa (AP) — A pretty good shape," said Renee powerful explosion destroyed a ranch-style house in this farming community, killing seven people and injuring six others who had gathered for a party.

The blast hurled the owner of the home, his 8-year-old daughter and two 10-year-old boys as far as 30 feet away. Two women managed to crawl from the rubble in the rear of the house, witnesses said

"The three adults were dazed. nience store employee. "I The children, really, were in looked around the corner and

Pfeifer, who was working at a convenience store when the house exploded Monday about 200 yards away.

in the basement of the home. Sheriff Ron George said the remains were taken to Des Moines for identification. Their identities were not released.

"It felt like an earthquake," said Thomas Hoekstra, a convethere were humongous flames. The whole house was caved in. I heard crying and moaning."

The State Fire Marshal's Office sifted through the The seven bodies were found mounds of bricks, wood and other debris that were still smoldering from the explosion. The cause of the blast was unknown.

"There's just a hole in the ground," George said.

The owner of the house, Jerry Usovsky, and the injured were

survived the bombing. "What can you say about conthey are — theories," said Bud Welch, whose daughter, Julie,

died in the blast. lost family members.

surfacing. It's sure cleaning the slate for the people who have been deemed the right-wing nuts," said Kathy Wilburn, who also lost two grandsons, Chase and Colton Smith, in the bombing.

University Hospitals in Iowa City, about 50 miles northeast of Richland, a community of about 550 people.

The other survivors were identified as: Barb Dyer of Richland; Bev Gartner of Iowa City; Trey Gartner, 10, of Iowa City; Josh Kleinmeyer, 10, of Iowa City; and Marlena

Usovsky, 8, of Richland. Dyer and Bev Gartner were in critical condition today. Trey Gartner was in serious condi-tion, and Kleinmeyer

Marlena Usovsky were still being evaluated.

Maria Reif, a neighbor and friend who lived two blocks away from the Usovsky family, said she had driven by the house about 15 minutes before it exploded.

"We've known them forever," she said. "They're wonderful people. He built that house himself and it was a beautiful home.'

helped care for Jerry Usovsky. "He kept saying, "The grill. The grill," she said, adding that there was a gas grill in the kitchen.

Another neighbor, Marian Dickinson, said her husband, Raymond, was in their garage when the blast jarred her house. "I thought, what on earth did he just do?," she said.

When she went outside, "I saw a flash and smoke. It was Reif said she was one of the all-consuming. It was just terrifirst people on the scene and ble," she said.

Waco revelations reopen bombing controversy Fresh-faced frosh: 10-year-old begins college

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Survivors of the Oklahoma City bombing and victims' family members are divided over whether new information about the government's role at the Branch Davidian standoff has any bearing on its investigation of the bombing.

Jannie Coverdale said the disclosures about the FBI's use of potentially flammable tear gas canisters at the standoff in Waco, Texas, six years ago accusations denied by the government since the incident have raised even more ques-

"I don't trust the information we've gotten so far about Waco or the information we've gotten on the bombing. I can't believe what we've been told," said Ms. Coverdale, whose grandsons, Aaron and Elijah, were among 168 people killed in the April 19, 1995, bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building.

the federal government for my grandchildren dying,'

Government prosecutors have said convicted bomber Timothy McVeigh chose the Oklahoma City federal building because he believed people responsible for the Waco siege worked there and because the building was an easy target.

The April 19, 1993, fire at the Branch Davidian compound killed leader David Koresh and more than 80 of his followers.

"I'm not mad at my government over that," said Dan McKinney, whose wife, Linda, a Secret Service agent, was killed. "It's just something else that people are looking to

blame the government about." "Some of these people like to blame the government for everything. That is such a shallow interpretation of the real evidence," said Paul Heath, a sives charges.

"After what I've heard about psychologist for the Social Waco, I'm beginning to blame Security Administration who

> spiracy theorists? They have their theories and that's what

> But Ms. Coverdale's distrust is shared by others who also

"I'm thrilled to see the truth

Conspiracy theorists have alleged all along that the government started the fire that ended a 51-day siege by federal agents who were trying to serve a warrant for Koresh's arrest on firearms and explo-

ASHLAND, Va. (AP) - The weight of the textbooks almost knocked 10-year-old Greg Smith to the floor as he packed his bag. Otherwise, the first day of

college went off without a hitch. Three years after his parents' dropped him off for the first day of second grade, Greg arrived at Randolph-Macon College on Monday for a 17-credit honors courseload.

"This is my dream. This is what I want to be happy," said Greg, who breezed through 10 grades of school in three years and graduated third in his high school class of 650 in June.

On the surface, Greg appears to be a typical kid. He plays soccer, likes Bugs Bunny and plays

with friends his own age. But talk to him further and you learn that he develops nonviolent conflict resolution programs. After college, he wants to cure cancer and AIDS, colonize space and become presi-

dent of the United States.

Greg has already earned attention for his scholastic achievements, appearing on "60 Minutes" and "The Late Show

with David Letterman.' After classes Monday, Greg climbed on a riser, peered over a podium and read to reporters from memory — a prepared statement thanking the college, asking the audience to "walk with me into a century of peace and compassion," and quoting Eleanor Roosevelt.

Greg's father, Bob, admitted to being a little nervous, saying he thinks he has done the right thing and that "given how hard he has worked, we could not say Smith, who works in publishing, and his wife, Janet, have

moved and changed jobs several times to be near Greg during his accelerated academic program. "To my wife and I, this has

never seemed like much of a

sacrifice," Smith said. "After

all, what could be more important than a child's education?"

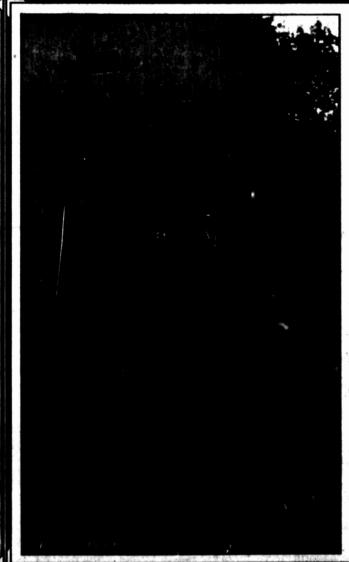
Greg will live with his parents and commute to classes at the 1,100-student liberal arts college, about 20 miles north of

Richmond. After blasting through high school, Greg plans to go through Randolph-Macon at more or less a normal pace, finishing in about four years. He and his parents looked at other, better known schools but chose Randolph-Macon because they liked its small class sizes and feared he would be over-

whelmed at a larger university. "What I'm really looking for is a small class environment where you can really get to know the professors," Greg

After graduation, Greg said he might end up at a larger college for one of the three doctorates he wants — in political science, biomedical engineering and

aerospace engineering.



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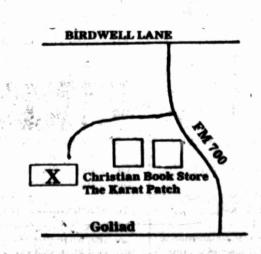
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IN BRIEF

Tickets for Bulldogs game now on sale

Advance tickets for Friday's Coahoma-Grape Creek football game are currently on sale at the Coahoma superintendent's office and the Coahoma High

School office. The tickets, which will be available until noon Friday, are priced at \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. All tickets purchased as the gate in Grape Creek will be \$5.

Forsan runners experience mixed results at Odessa

Forsan's Buffs, paced by Adam Dunlap and Logan Stanley, finished second as a team at the Ector County Independent School District Cross-Country Meet in Odessa on Saturday.

Dunlap finished 14th individually, while Stanley was 16. Other competing for the Buffs were Javier Becerra, Brandon Bingham, J.D. Newton, Kyle Newton, Ross Rhottten, Stephen Tilley and Blake White.

Forsan's inexperienced girls squad, however, finished 10th overall. Erica Hector paced the Queens with a 28th-place finish in the individual standings, while Candace Gamble was 53rd.

Other members of the Queens squad were Jancy Crow, Megan Fishback, Cindi Herrera, Lyndsey Newell and Amy Smith.

Beach volleyball tourney scheduled for Sept. 18

A beach volleyball tournament sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Sports Committee has been scheduled for Sept. 18 at Comanche Trail Park.

Entry fees for the event are \$40 per team. Each team must have at least six players.

Three sand courts will be set

up just west of the Dora Roberts Community Center or the **tournament**.

For more information, call Javier Becerra at 664-9874 or 267-4560.

YMCA inline hockey registration continues

Registration is now under way for the Big Spring Family YMCA's fall inline hockey program.

Boys and girls between the ages of 8 and 17 are eligible to play. No tryouts will be conducted, all children registering will be placed on a team.

Fees for the program are set at \$15 for full YMCA members, \$25 for for program members and \$32 for nonmembers.

A seven-game schedule will begin the week of Sept. 13. For more information, call the YMCA at 267-8234

YMCA swim team begins practice for fall season

The Big Spring YMCA swim team has begun practices for its fall season.

Team membership is open to anyone between the ages of 6 and 14 who can swim one length of the pool.

Practices are held from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday at the

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

LOCAL GAMES

HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

7:30 p.m.

· Big Spring Lady Steers Lamesa Lady Tornadoes.

ON THE AIR

Radio

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

6:40 p.m. — Cleveland Indians at Texas Rangers, KBST-AM

Television MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

6:35 p.m. — St. Louis Cardinals at Atlanta Braves, TBS, Ch. 11.

7 p.m. — Cleveland Indians at Texas Rangers, TCA Ch. 97.

6:30 p.m. — U.S. Open men's fourth round and women's quarterfinals, USA, Ch. 38.

Redmond leads Arizona State to 31-13 win over Red Raiders

played all the way to the end this time.

The No. 25 Sun Devils, who had an even higher preseason ranking last year. but slumped to a 5-6 record after losing their opener to Washington in the final seconds, never let up in a 31-13 win over Texas Tech on Monday night.

"I'm really proud of this group," coach Bruce Snyder said. "There has been a lot of pressure on them from last season, and I think we can kind of put that to rest now.'

J.R. Redmond an for 157 yards third highest of his career - and two touchdowns, outplaying Ricky Williams of the Red Raiders in a comparison test between two of the best tailbacks in the

Williams had a career-low 33 yards in

sixth in the first road race of his career.

After turning in strong performances at the

Paralympic

European Cycling Championships for the

Disabled, Big Spring's Richard Cypert is clearly

setting his sights on a trip to Sydney, Australia,

But before he can make reservations in

Australia, Cypert must earn a spot of the United

States Paralympic Team during trials set for

And with those two goals in mind, Cypert says

he's not only increasing his training schedule –

riding regularly with a Midland-based cycling

club and spending countless hours lifting

weights — but is buying a new \$1,800 bicycle

made possible by donations from local contribu-

"If anything, I'm more excited about compet-

ing in Sydney than I was after coming back

from the world championships in Colorado

Springs," Cypert said of his 11-day stay in

Blouise, France, where he and the rest of the

American team took part in the European cham-

there as a courtesy," he explained, "but it was a

great experience. I think all of us (American

Cypert, who stepped onto the international

stage with a sixth-place finish in the 5,000-meter

time trial for athletes with cerebral palsy at the

1992 Paralympics in Barcelona, Spain, did admit

having to deal with several frustrations during

Not the least of them was discovering that one

of the races in which he was entered, originally

scheduled as a 5,000-meter event (3.1 miles) had

been changed to a much longer distance of 17

"That changed everything for me," he

team members) had a lot of fun. I know I did."

"We weren't competing for medals, but were

By JOHN A. MOSELEY

for the 2000 Paralympics.

Sports Editor

International

June of next year.

pionships during July.

ing on a 1 yard run 3:18 into the game. He hurt his left knee in the second quarter and left the game in the third.

It was symbolic of the way the Red Raiders played — a good start and then a lull. Arizona State scored 31 consecutive points after Williams' TD.

"We lost our poise," Texas Tech coach Spike Dykes said. "We went into the tank, and ASU had a lot to do with that. J.R. is a heck of a player. He's hard to tackle. We hit him and hit him, and he didn't go down.'

Redmond, who played decoy to spring Delvon Flowers on a 40-vard scoring reverse, outgained Williams on one scoring run — a 56-yard burst that tied the game 23 seconds into the second quarter.

Big Spring's Richard Cypert poses with Blouise, France, in the background during a break in the

European Cycling Championships for the Disabled. Cypert, who has his sights set on the 2000

Paralympics in Sydney, Australia, took part in the championships, finishing fifth in a time trial and

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"My dad always told me that the short-

ahead," he said. Dykes said Williams' injury is more

frightening because of his courage. 'When he doesn't get up and get back to the huddle, it's usually pretty serious," Dykes said.

The Sun Devils played three quarters without quarterback Ryan Kealy, who sprained his right knee late in the first.

They compensated with sophomore John Leonard, who was 7-of-17 for 117 yards; big defensive plays, including five sacks; and Redmond, who also had a 3yard scoring run.

"I think we have kind of a blue-collar attitude this year," said Kealy, expected to return to action Sept. 18 against New Mexico State. "Last year, we went out expecting to win; this year, we know

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) - Arizona State 13 carries and was not a factor after scorest way to the end zone is straight how hard you've got to work to win."

Stephen Baker kicked field goals of 40, 35 and 34 yards to help deny Dykes his 77th win, which would have made him the winningest coach in school history. Dykes' record dipped to 0-6 in road openers against ranked teams since 1987.

Baker kicked the Sun Devils into a 13-7 halftime lead, and Flowers broke the Red Raiders when he scored on the reverse 2:57 into the third quarter.

Snyder opted for a 2-point conversion, and Leonard passed to Tariq McDonald to make it 21-7.

The next two Sun Devils scores came after spectacular catches by Todd Heap — a 41-yard grab at the Tech 3 that set up Redmond's second TD, and a 22-yard reception that led to Baker's last field goal and a 31-7 lead with 4:34 remaining.

No. 1's stay on top, upsets give new look to AP poll's Top 10

From staff and wire reports

All five No. 1 teams in The Associated Press high school football poll remain atop their respective classes this week, while three teams who knocked off ranked opponents on Friday each entered the Top 10 for the first time this year.

In Class 4A, Terrell, which upset former No. 3 Jacksonville 31-0, is now the ranked ninth. Abilene Wylie moved into the 3A No. 10 spot after beating former No. 6 Breckenridge in a 21-20 thriller, and Burkeville joined the 1A rankings at No. 9 after its 36-14 win over former No. 6 Tenaha.

The panel of 20 sports writers and broadcasters also gave Carroll Southlake Finish in European races has Cypett eyeing Sydney Giddings (3A), Goldthwaite (2A) and Muenster (1A) their first appearances in the Top 10 this

1 ranking in 5% with a season opening 49-7 win over El Paso Coronado, while Duncanville, Lewisville, Austin Westlake and Copperas Cove all won to retain their positions in the top

In 4A, Stephenville retained its stranglehold on No. 1 with a 28 7 win over Fort Worth Richland, and La Marque staved put at No. 2 by escaping Galveston Ball with a 17-14 win. Texas City, New Braunfels Canyon and Greenville all moved a bit closer to the top because of losses Jacksonville and Grapevine.

Big Spring's Steers, who took a thrilling 28-21 win over Frenship on Friday, retained the one ranking point they received last week.

Monahans' Loboes, the team Big Spring will face Friday, maintained its No. 5 ranking in Class 3A.

Sealy maintained its strangle-

hold on the No. 1 spot in Class 3A after beating 2A No. 6 Brookshire-Royal, 39-7, to stay ahead of Cuero, Aledo, Royse and Monahans. City Breckenridge and Manor dropped out of the Top 10.

In 2A, Omaha Paul Pewitt, Mart and Celina stayed on top, while Brookshire-Royal fell to No. 9 and No. 4 Elysian Fields fell out of the rankings. Stanton received five points

in the panel's voting in Class For the third straight week,

Wheeler, Bartlett, Aspermont, Detroit and Dawson top the 1A rankings. Tenaha and Paducah dropped out.

SCHOOLBOY POLL

The Associated Press high school footbal oil, with first-place votes in parentheses

and current records.		
Class 5A		
Team		Record
1. Midland Lee (14)	* .	1-0
2. Duncanville		1-0
3. Lewisville (1)		1-0
4. Austin Westlake	1	2-0
5. Copperas Cove (3)	1	1-0
6. South Grand Prairie (1)	1	1-0
7. Aldine Eisenhower	7	1-0
8. Katy		2-0
9. SA MacArthur (1)		1-0
10. Converse Judson		1-1
Also receiving votes: Od	essa P	ermian 16,

Jersey Village 12, Tyler John Tyler 11, Arlington Lamar 7, Lufkin 5, Victoria 5, Aldine 4, Plano 4, SA Roosevelt 4, Euless Trinity 2.

Texas City (1) Brownwood Bay City Schertz Clemens

Jacksonville 15, Fort Worth Wyatt 10, Coppell 8, WF Hirschi 8, Belton 7, Smithson 7. Corsicana 6. Plainy Orange-Stark 6, Mount Pleasant 5, Borger 3

Denison 3, Highland Park 3, Lincol	n 3,
Hereford 2, Big Spring 1, Sherman 1.	
Class 3A	
1. Sealy (14)	1-0
2. Cuero (2)	1-0
3. Aledo (2)	1-0
4. Royse City (2)	1-0
5. Monahans	2-0
6. lowa Park	1-0
7. Cleveland	1-0
8. Atlanta	1-0
9. Giddings	1-0
10. Abilene Wylie	2-0
DROPPED OUT: No. 6 Breckenridge	No.

10 Manor. Also receiving votes: Aransas Pass 15 Frisco 12, Breckenridge 11, Madisonville 11 Newton 10, Teague 6, Childress 5, Sween 5, Commerce 4, Manor 4, Corrigan-Camder 3, Lake Worth 3, Alvarado 2, Crane 2, Marlir

2, Diboll 1, Hallettsville 1, Jefferson 1.

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Class 2A	
Omaha Paul Pewitt (16)	1-0
2. Mart	1-0
3. Celina (3)	2-
4. Iraan	1-0
5. Grand Saline (1)	1-0
6. Boyd	24
7. Alto	1-
8. Italy	2-
Brookshire-Royal	0-
10. Goldthwaite	.1-

DROPPED OUT: No. 4 Elvsian Fields Also receiving votes: Comfort 22, Elysia Fields 21, Réfugio 12, Pilot Point 11 Thorndale 6, Seagraves 5, **Stanton 5** Lexington 3, Timpson 3, Canadian Spearman 2, Hull-Daisetta 1, Mason 1.

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6.	lola				
5.	Dawson		*		¥
4.	Detroit (2)			1	345
3.	Aspermont				
2.	Bartlett (3))			
1.	Wheeler (1	.5)			
1.1	Class A				

Also receiving votes: Marfa 8, Era 6, Nazareth 6, Tenaha 6, Bremond 5, Louise 5,

Rangers add to home run total in sweep of White Sox

explained. "I'd trained for a 5K race and really

felt like I'd finish in the top three ... maybe even

Instead, Cypert finished fifth with a time of 41

"It was kind of frustrating ... not just because

my time was pretty slow, but because I was basi

cally riding blind," Cypert noted. "I hadn't even

ridden the whole course because we'd planned

on a much shorter race. You wind up having to

change your strategy. And since I wasn't pre-

pared, all of a sudden my goal was simply to fin-

Cypert's second event was a road race that

"Actually, I was pretty pleased with that

race," he admitted. "It was the first time I'd ever

entered a road race and wound up finishing

Perhaps the biggest challenge for the 30-year

old athlete, however, was missing comforts most

"It's hard to adapt to the differences in cul

ture," Cypert explained. "We had nice accom-

modations, but the hotel rooms weren't air con-

ditioned. And believe me, it gets just as hot

"You'd go out there and sweat your guts out on

a training ride, all the while thinking like you

would if you were home," he added. "I'd catch

myself thinking that as soon as I got through, I'd

get to go back and relax in a nice air-condi

tioned room. Instead, you go to your room and

There was one advantage to competing in

"We were there at the same time the Tour de

France was going on," Cypert explained. "They

have a television channel that had nothing but

the Tour de France," he added. "So every day

we'd finish our rides and get watch the entire

France that only an avid cyclist could truly

covered two laps of a six-mile course.

sixth. That wasn't bad at all."

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ARLINGTON (AP) — Home runs are flying off Texas Rangers bats at a record

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The Rangers got homers from Todd Zeile, Rusty Greer, Juan Gonzalez and Royce Clayton to give them 200 for the season as they swept a doubleheader against the Chicago White Sox on Monday night.

Zeile's grand slam keyed a five-run first in the opener, and the Rangers went on to an 8-6 victory

In the second game, Greer's three-run shot put Texas ahead to stay, and Gonzalez added a two-run homer in a 6-3 decision.

Clayton also homered in the first game for the Rangers, third in the majors in homers behind Seattle's 211. Oakland is second with 204. Texas is on pace to shatter the club record of 221 set in 1996. We've got some clutch hitters,"

Rangers' manager Johnny Oates said. 'We've got five guys with a shot at 100 RBIs. It's an impressive lineup when everyone's healthy."

The Rangers also got strong pitching as they finished their season series against the White Sox with a 5-5 split. Second-game starter Jeff Fassero's debut as a Rangers starter was their

most encouraging sign of the night. Fassero won for the first time since July 5, giving Texas' its first start of the season by a left-hander.

"The biggest thing was that once he got the lead, he smelled a win," Oates said. "He gave us five good innings." In the first game, Rick Helling won his

seventh consecutive decision. Fassero (5-14) gave up two runs and six hits in five innings, ending a personal six-game losing streak. He was acquired from Seattle in a trade Aug. 27, and had allowed five runs and seven hits in two innings of relief for the Rangers.

"It boosts my confidence," Fassero, who ended his two-plus seasons with the Mariners in the bullpen. "It's a breath of fresh air to be back in a rotation. I wanted to get a win. It had been a long time."

Fassero is auditioning for a spot in the playoff rotation.

'Coming here is the best thing that could have happened to me," said Fassero, who threw 67 pitches in his first start since Aug. 6. "Starting is something I love to do. Body-wise, I felt good. Arm-wise, I'm getting there. I hadn't thrown that many pitches in a month.'

John Wetteland pitched the ninth in both games, giving him 39 saves.

Chicago took a 1-0 lead in the second game on Magglio Ordonez's third-inning See RANGERS, page 7

double. Texas came back against John Snyder (9-11) in the third on a three-run homer by Greer, his 19th. Greer has six homers against the White Sox this season and 16

opponent. Tom Goodwin's sacrifice fly in the fourth extended Texas' lead to 4-1. Gonzalez made it 6-1 in the fifth with a

for his career — his most against any

two-run homer, his 33rd. Chicago rallied in the sixth on Brook Fordyce's two-run single to reduce the

deficit to 6-3. In the opener, Helling (13-7) took advantage of the five-run first highlighted by Zeile's sixth career grand slam and remained unbeaten since June 21.

"It's nice to be on a roll in the middle of a pennant race," Helling said. "I'm

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Top five rankings remain unchanged in AP college poll

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Colorado's out, Colorado State's in.

In the biggest upset of the week, the Rams stunned the Buffaloes 41-14 and moved into The Associated Press' Top 25 college football poll at No. 24. Colorado, which had been ranked No. 14, dropped out in the only major move.

The top five teams remained the same, with Florida State No. 1, followed by No. 2 Penn State, No. 3 Tennessee, No. 4 Florida and No. 5 Nebraska.

In balloting Monday by the 70 sports writers and broadcasters on the AP panel, the Seminoles received 31 first-place votes and 1,698 points. Florida State (1-0) did not play over the weekend.

Penn State (2-0), a 70-24 winner over Akron, had 26 firstplace votes and 1,691 points, while Tennessee, 1-0 after a 42-17 win over Wyoming, got 11 first-place votes and 1,631 points.

Florida, which opened the season with a 55-26 win over Western Michigan, had one first-place vote and 1,446 points, while Nebraska had 1,402 points after its 42-7 season-opening win over Iowa.

Michigan (1-0), a 26-22 winner over Notre Dame, moved up a spot to No. 6, followed by No. 7 Texas A&M, No. 8 Miami, No. 9 Wisconsin and No. 10 Georgia

On Saturday, Georgia Tech, which beat Navy 49-14, is at Florida State.

Virginia Tech, with one firstplace vote, was No. 11, followed by No. 12 Georgia, No. 13 Ohio State, No. 14 UCLA, No. 15 Arkansas, No. 16 Notre Dame, No. 17 Kansas State, No. 18 Southern California, No. 19 Arizona and No. 20 Purdue.

Despite the loss to Michigan, the Fighting Irish dropped only

Alabama was No. 21, followed by No. 22 Virginia, No. 23 North Carolina State, No. 24 Colorado State and No. 25 Arizona State.

In the USA Today-ESPN coaches' poll, the top five were: Florida State, Penn State. Tennessee, Florida Michigan.

RANGERS

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throwing the ball really well right now. I think I give the team a chance to win each time I go out there."

Helling allowed three hits in the first six innings before running into trouble in Chicago's three-run seventh. He gave up four runs and seven hits in 6 2-3 innings, including solo homers to Chris Singleton and

Luis Alicea and Ivan Rodriguez opened the first for Texas with singles off Jim Parque (9-12). Alicea scored from third when Mark Johnson committed a passed ball on a third strike to Gonzalez.

Parque hit Rafael Palmeiro with a pitch to load the bases, and Zeile followed with a drive over the center-field wall for his 21st homer and first grand slam of the year. Zeile is 12-for-22 with the bases loaded.

White Sox manager Jerry Manuel said his team's starting pitching hasn't been competitive lately.

'We're just outmatched right now," Manuel said. "Right now, guys (starters) are giving up six or seven runs before we get out of the dugout."

Notes: White Sox DH Frank Thomas has missed three straight starts due to tendinitis in his right ankle. He struck out as a pinch-hitter in the ninth of the first game. Thomas planned to return to Chicago today for treatment while the rest of the team goes on to Anaheim. ... The teams played twice on Monday after Sunday night's game was rained out. ... Zeile's grand slam was the sixth for the Rangers this season. ... Three umpires worked

was attending a family funeral. ... Rodriguez scored his 100th run, the 11th time a catcher has done that. Rodriguez scored 116 runs in 1996. ... Texas had its first doubleheader sweep since taking two from the New York Yankees on April 7, 1996.

the doubleheader. The fourth

member of the crew, Jim Joyce,

The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associate Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses and records through Sept. 5:

. Penn St. (26) , Tennessee (11) . Florida (1) . Nebraska . Michigan . Texas A&M . Miami . Wisconsin

10. Georgia Tech 11. Virginia Tech (1) 12. Georgia 13. Ohio St. 14. UCLA 5. Arkansas 6. Notre Dame 7. Kansas St. 8. Southern Cal 19. Arizona 20. Purdue 21. Alabama

Others receiving votes: Texas 104, Marshall 98, BYU 83, Mississippi St. 59, Michigan St. 43, Louisville 42, Syracuse 26, Colorado 25, Air Force 23, Oklahoma 14, Oklahoma St. 8, LSU 6, Miami,

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Greg Maddux isn't struggling

"It was vintage Maddux. I don't know if it was his best stuff of the year, but it's about

as good as you can pitch," Braves manager Bobby Cox said after Maddux's three-hitter led Atlanta to a 4-1 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals on Monday

Maddux (18-6), who has won eight consecutive decisions and is one victory shy of the league lead, has lowered his ERA from 5.02 on May 21 to 3.36. He got 16 outs on grounders and retired his final 23 batters following Alberto Castillo's third-inning single.

"He's been doing this for years. He's one of the best," said Adam Kennedy, who had one of the Cardinals' hits.

In other National League games, it was Cincinnati 6, Chicago 3: New York 3, San Francisco 0; San Diego 4, Pittsburgh 3; Houston 6, Philadelphia 5; Colorado 5, Montreal 3; and Florida 8, Los Angeles 6.

In American League games, it

9, Oakland 7; Anaheim 5, New York 3; Cleveland 7, Baltimore 6; and Minnesota 13, Tampa Bay 7. Texas swept the White Sox in a doubleheader, winning 8-6 and

At Atlanta, Chipper Jones backed Maddux with his third homer in two games as Atlanta maintained a 21/2-game lead in the NL East over second-place New York.

"I threw good and the mistakes I made, I got away with," Maddux said.

Garrett Stephenson (5-1) allowed four runs and nine hits in seven innings. Mark McGwire was 0-for-4, remaining at 54 homers.

Reds 6, Cubs 3

Sammy Sosa hit his major league-leading 58th home run, but Cincinnati got a three-run homer from Dmitri Young and remained 21/2 games behind Houston in the NL Central and four games behind New York in the wild-card race.

Sosa pulled four homers ahead of Mark McGwire with a long solo shot off Juan Guzman (5-2). Sosa needs 12 homers in 26 games to tie the record

Micah Bowie (1-5) allowed all

six runs and six hits in 4 1-3 innings. Danny Graves pitched the ninth for his 19th save in 26 chances.

Mets 3, Giants 0

Maddux throws three-hitter in Braves' 4-1 win

Kenny Rogers (4-0) pitched a four-hitter to win his 18th straight home decision and struck out a season-high nine one short of his career high.

Mike Piazza hit a sacrifice fly off Mark Gardner (4-10) in the sixth, and Rickey Henderson had a two-run single in the seventh as the Mets won for the 10th time in 13 games.

San Francisco dropped 61/2 games behind idle Arizona, which leads the NL West.

Astros 6, Phillies 5

Houston scored all of its runs in the sixth inning to enable Jose Lima to become the NL's first 19-game winner.

Lima (19-7) left the mound after the bottom of the fifth trailing Philadelphia 4-0, but in the top of the sixth, pinch-hitter Russ Johnson, batting for Lima, Lit a three-run homer off Randy Wolf (5-7).

Billy Wagner pitched a perfect

Philadelphia has lost 10 of 11.

Padres 4, Pirates 3

Tony Gwynn hit his second go-ahead, three-run homer in four days and Andy Ashby (14-7) limited Pittsburgh to five hits in seven-plus innings as San Diego overcame a 2-0 deficit at Pittsburgh.

Todd Ritchie (12-9) allowed three runs and six hits in five

Rockies 5, Expos 3

Dante Bichette hit his 29th homer, and Pedro Astacio (15-10) hit a two-run triple and allowed three runs - two earned — in eight-plus innings to win for the fifth time in six decisions. Dave Veres finished for his 28th save.

Mike Thurman (6-11) gave up all five runs, but just two were earned, allowing seven hits in four innings.

Marlins 8, Dodgers 6

Mark Kotsay hit the first grand slam of his career as Florida took a 5-0 lead in the first off Ismael Valdes (9-13) and overcame a pair of homers by Raul Mondesi.

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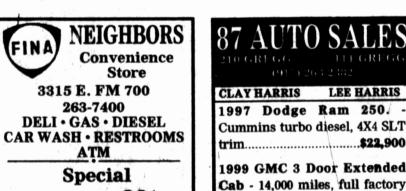
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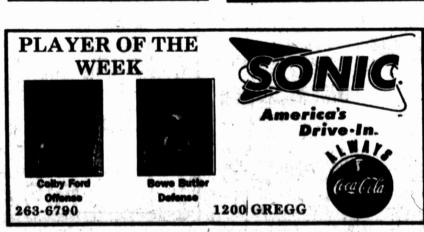
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CANCER (June 21-July 22) *****Make calls. Do not delay

an important talk. Others see eye to eye with you, especially regarding money matters. Don't let another push you too hard. A co-worker needs your help. Make time to pitch in, despite what is sitting on your desk. Tonight: Join a friend. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec.

****Your behavior reflects some of the deep thinking of recent days. You seem to hit the jackpot as others agree with you this morning. However, you might disagree with your own ideas by the afternoon. Don't sabotage an ongoing project. Tonight: Make that extra effort with someone important

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friends. "Mr.

seeing that had

guests, "stopped in" and invited himself for dinner after asking, "What do you have for me to drink?" When a beer was offered, he responded, "Oh, this cheap brand -don't you have

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anything else?' It upsets me that he has the nerve to invite himself when it is obvious that we're having company and he was not invited. I would never do that to him. Then, the insults we hear if we're serving only hamburgers and hot dogs and not having surf and turf, really put the icing on the cake. He always comes "empty-handed," which

does not improve the situation. This is a family of four. The father and son are the worst offenders. They are a middleclass family, like us, so it's not a case of "he won't eat tonight if I don't feed him." In addition, they have never once invited us to their home.

I have on several occasions made remarks, trying to drop the hint that they are not welcome to barge into my home on all occasions, but he just doesn't "get it." I don't want to make an enemy, but I cannot tolerate his rudeness anymore. Any suggestions? — NEEDS HELP WITH THE VISITORS

DEAR NEEDS HELP: I've often said, "If people take advantage of you once, shame on them — if it happens more than once, shame on YOU."

You are being imposed upon, and it will continue until you take a firm stand. The next time the freeloader drops by when you are entertaining, say: 'It's not convenient to have you visit us now. We'll see you another time.'

If it costs you a friendship, you haven't lost much.

DEAR ABBY: I was very disappointed in the advice you gave "Brokenhearted in Lake Forest, Ill." You advised her to put a rubber band around her wrist and snap it each time she thought about her ex-boyfriend because the pain inflicted on her wrist would distract her from the pain in her heart.

Abby, I work with a population of people who use this approach to the pain in their lives. They cut on themselves to take away their mental pain. It becomes very addictive and they cannot stop doing it.

A snap of a rubber band to remove the other pain is alarmingly close. It can lead to further self-abuse or mutilation.

Please offer the woman better advice: to take a long walk, deep breaths, hot baths, or to count the many things she has to be thankful for! — BRENDA HENDERSON, CORVALLIS, ORE., MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION

DEAR BRENDA: Although the rubber band technique is a very old one for behavior modification, the letters I have received from you and several people who identified themselves as "cutters" were eyeopeners. While the majority of people are not masochistic, in the future I'll recommend positive, rather than negative, rein-

forcement. DEAR ABBY: I applaud the advice from both you and the "Teacher Who Cares." I have been a schoolteacher and a principal. Children need to be taught respect for adults and authority. They need to accept the word "no." You would be shocked at how often students (even those in the primary levels) make disrespectful and rude remarks to teachers. You would also be surprised how these students - and their parents - react to discipline. They

do not approve of it. Yes, it is hard to say "no" to a child you love dearly. But not saying "no" creates a monster who ends up damaging him or herself and others. — ANOTH-ER EDUCATOR WHO CARES ABOUT THE FUTURE

DEAR EDUCATOR: Failure to teach children limits and appropriate behavior is a form of neglect that can handicap their educational and social development. Furthermore, children cannot be expected to know what their parents haven't taught them, and they mirror the attitudes of the adults after whom they model themselves. The child of parents who feel that rules do not apply to them will, predictably, be disruptive in the classroom and disrespectful of the rights of others — hardly a recipe for success.

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plain interesting. Whether you know them as Public Notices or as "the legals", it pays you to check the Public Notice columns in this newspaper each issue. What you don't know might cost you!

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> You are unusually clear and direct this year, a source of ideas and solutions. Others seek your help and advice. Confidential information often finds its way to you; learn to keep it hush-hush. Family and home need some adjustments, which could include remodeling, a residential move or a different domestic situation. Honor your needs and make appropriate choices. If you are single, you have an unusual amount of allure and charm. Admirers cannot stay away from you. You could enter a very important relationship. Open up to different styles. If attached, better communication bonds you. LEO understands

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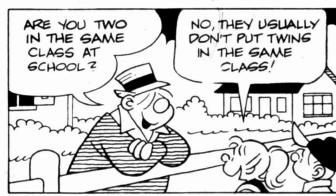


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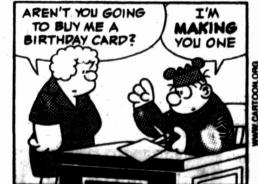


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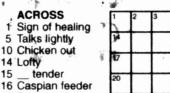
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Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 7, 1936, rock legend Buddy Holly was born Charles Hardin Holley in Lubbock, Texas.

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farewell to President John

Quincy Adams at the White

In 1892, the first major title

ended the Boxer Rebellion in In 1940, Nazi Germany began

its blitz on London during World War II. In 1963, the NFL Hall of Fame

was dedicated in Canton, Ohio. In 1969, Senate Republican leader Everett M. Dirksen died in Washington, D.C.

In 1977, the Panama Canal treaties, calling for the U.S. to relenquish control of the waterway to Panama by the end of 1999, were signed in Washington.

In 1977, convicted Watergate conspirator G. Gordon Liddy was released from prison after more than four years. In 1979, the Entertainment

and Sports Programming Network (ESPN) made its cable TV debut.

* In 1986, Desmond Tutu was installed as the first black to lead the Anglican Church in southern Africa.

Ten years ago: By a vote of 76-8, the Senate approved the Americans with Disabilities Act, forbidding discrimination in employment, public accommodations, transportation and communicatio s.

Five years ago: After a brief meeting, the United States and Cuba temporarily suspended talks on stemming the Cuban refugee exodus. U.S. Marines began training on a Puerto Rican island amid talk in Washington of a U.S.-led intervention in Haiti.

One year ago: St. Louis Cardinal Mark McGwire equaled Roger Maris' singleseason home run record as he hit No. 61 in a game against the Chicago Cubs. Russian lawmakers rejected Boris Yeltsin's candidate for prime minister, Viktor Chernomyrdin, for a second time, throwing the country deeper into political turmoil.

Today's Birthdays: Heart surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey is 91. Producer-director Elia Kazan is 90. Pianist Arthur Ferrante is 78. Sen. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, is 75. Jazz musician Sonny Rollins is 69. Blues singer Little Milton is 65. Actor John Philip Law is 62. Singer Alfa Anderson (Chic) is 53. Singer Gloria Gaynor is 50. Rock singer Chrissie Hynde (The Pretenders) is 48. Actress Julie Kavner is 48.