SUNDAY September 12, 1999

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Tax rate, budget on Big Spring council agenda

Big Spring City Council will meet at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday to consider adopting the annual budget and setting the tax rate for 1999-2000.

Also on the agenda is approval of the Moore Development for Big Spring, Inc. budget.

Council members will also consider asking the Texas Municipal League to support legislation allowing cities to receive an additional one cent from sales tax that the state receives and legislation simplifying municipal court costs/fees that are submitted to the state.

WHAT'S UP...

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

 Organizational meeting for book club, 7 p.m., Howard County Library.

☐ Big Spring Comandery No. 31, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. A 6:30 dinner served.

☐ Big Spring Assembly No. 211, Social Order of the Beauceant, 7:30 Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. A 6:30 dinner served.

TUESDAY

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

Quarterback Club, 7 p.m., Big Spring High School Athletic Training Center.

WEDNESDAY

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

☐ Senior Circle Big Spring Mall Walkers meet 9:15 a.m. in front of movie theater box

☐ Line dancing, 10:30 a.m., Senior Citizen Center, Industrial Park.

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

☐ Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, 7 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 W. Third.

THURSDAY

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

☐ Big Spring Senior Citizens Center art classes, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

☐ Kiwanis Club, noon, Howard College Cactus

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HOG goal realized as firefighters receive thermal imaging camera

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

Nearly seven months of effort culminated in a large celebration Saturday for Big Spring fir fighters and the Harley O'/ners Group, who presented t'e firemen with a thermal i naging camera.

"Everybody here in Big Spring and Howard County are responsible for purchasing this camera. We could not have done it without your help and contributions. We did not buy it, ya'll bought it," said Barry Barnett,

HOG member.

The presentation was held in conjunction with the celebration of the 70th anniversary of the Harley Davidson Shop in Big Spring.

In an effort that began in February, HOG members solicited donations from community members and had fundraisers throughout the year that brought the total to \$16,500, the cost of the camera.

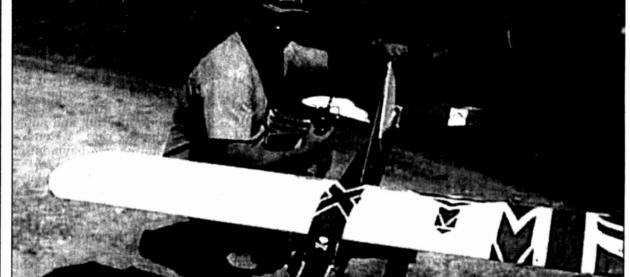
Lezlie Kurklin McCurdy, director for HOG, said the company that distributes the cam-

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Lezlie Kurklin McCurdy, director of the Harley Owners Group, Barry Barnett, HOG member, presented the thermal imaging camera and the payment of \$16,500 to Neal Radford of ADH Marketing and Robert Stapp of the Big **Spring Professional** Firefighters Association.

HERALD photo/Marsha Sturdivant



Steve Madry remote pilots his plane, a Sig Kit LT-40, Saturday at the Sixth Annual Don McKinney Float Fly, sponsored by the Big Spring Model Aircraft Association. Airplanes will continue flying from Comanche Trail Park Lake today, and the event is open to the public.

Howard County commissioners plan on adopting same tax rate Monday

RICK McLAUGHLIN

Staff Writer

A public hearing and adoption of the budget will highlight the Howard County Commissi-

oner's Court meeting Monday at 10 a.m., according to County Judge Ben Lockhart.

The court will hear comments from public the before it considers passing

LOCKHART

the budget, he said. "If anyone wants to comment, they're welcome to come," said don't have anyone who wants to come out.'

Howard County's tax rate will remain the same as last year at 45.89 cents per \$100 of valuation. Homeowners will see their tax bill stay the same, assuming the valuation is the same as last year, Also, the judge noted that county employees are going back to a 40-hour work week starting Oct. 1

In addition, county employees will receive a one-time Christmas "supplement" the first pay period in December.

That tax rate is expected to raise \$3,749,546. The same rate raised \$4,479,959 last year, a shortfall of \$730,413 due to declining mineral valuations. See COUNTY, Page 2A

Lockhart, "but normally we This will be the third consecutive year the court has kept the tax rate at 45.89, which will be officially set at the Sept. 27

> In addition to budgeting 40hour work weeks for employees, the commissioners have indicated they will include a \$500 bonus, or supplement as they called it, in the budget for full-time employees with more than six months of employment with the county. A supplement of \$250 was approved for parttime employees with more than six months.

> Commissioners will also take up the burn ban proclamation issued Sept. 3 by Lockhart only

Census

Coloring book explains importance of census to Big Spring ISD students

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

Charlene Wertz, partnership specialist for a 12-county area, told Big Spring Independent School District trustees last week a story about children, coloring books, and Census

"On April 1 in the year 2000 we will conduct the first census of the 21st century. This census

is important to tell us where build schools and shopping malls, houses and highways, and we need your help," Wertz said.

To enhance the awareness of every citizen in Big spring about the importance of Census 2000, Wertz said educating school children is one step to educating parents.

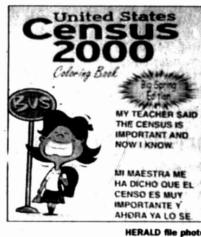
Toward that end, a special coloring book will be distributed to every BSISD student in grades kindergarten through sixth, as well as all Head Start students, beginning within the next few weeks.

"Our Census in the Schools program will feature lesson plans for teachers to assist them in helping the student understand the importance and awareness of the census," Wertz

said. These plans have a teacher's guide, "Making Sense of Census," and follow the curriculum criteria for math, geog-

raphy and social studies. She asked administrators to appoint one individual to be the census liaison for the district, and that all orders for curriculum and materials be submitted through that individual.

"We have printed 42,000 of these coloring books, which are in Spanish and English, for all the ISDs in my 12 counties. If the students know more about the census, they can educate their parents," she said.



HERALD file photo Students in Head Start through sixth grade will soon receive a coloring book to help them and their parents learn about Census 2000.

Wertz said estimates reveal that at least two million children were missed in the 1990 census, and that Texas lost \$1 billion is federal money because of individuals not counted.

Texas was one of the four worst states, and we missed 228,360 children in 1990," she said.

The census helps the federal government decide on funding for such services as day care programs, child care facilities, and public transportation, she

Administrators were asked to hand out flyers to students that will be taken to parents, concerning the census. Also, she urged each trustee to fill out their own census report when they receive it in the mail.

She asked to be included at any school function, such as a fair or a carnival, where she will hand out pencils and balloons promoting Census 2000, along with printed information.

And she stressed that residency is not considered when counting the people who live in the country. Confidentiality is insured for all those who fill our their reports, she said."We want to make sure everyone is counted. This is your future, so don't leave it blank," Wertz

Sands slates week-long homecoming

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

ACKERLY - Sands Consolidated School District has homecoming activities planned Monday through Friday.

"Sept. 13-17 is Round-Up, homecoming week, at Sands High School in Ackerly. Ex-students, parent, friends, teachers and students will enjoy this week's activities," said Eric Skiles, student council sponsor at the high school. At the Friday night football

game, the 1999-2000 homecoming queen will be crowned, Skiles said.

Kami Hambrick, who will be escorted by Coby Floyd, is the senior nominee for homecoming queen. She is the daughter

Team members, leaders needed for Memory Walk By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

Howard County's first Memory Walk 1999 for the local chapter of the Alzheimer's Association is

set for Sept. 25 at Comanche Trail Park, and team leaders and members are needed now.

"Our goal is raise

\$10,000, and a person does not have to be a part of team to walk. In fact, a person doesn't have to walk they can just give a donation if they want to," said Tabitha

Madry, a walk coordinator. Howard County organized as a committee of the Greater West Texas Chapter of the National Alzheimer's Association this

We have always taken part in the Memory Walk in Midland, but we've decided we can do this in Big Spring. The Big Spring community is so generous, and I believe this will become a very successful, annual event," said Vicki Cole, Mountain View Lodge executive director and local commitchairman for Alzheimer's Association.

Madry and Cole, along with Comanche Trail Nursing Center Alzheimer's unit director Karen Carruth, have organized the walk, which will begin with registration at 8:30

"A person can register earlier with their team leader, and not have to register that morning,' Madry said.

The walk begins at 9:15 a.m., and covers three miles at



Kayla Nichols, left and Aarika Thixton encouraged people to buy a candy sucker at their Hay Stack booth Saturday at Immaculate Heart of Mary's Fall Festival.

BITUARIES

Mary Cotten

Mary "Ma" Cotten, 88, of Big Spring, died on Friday, Sept. 10, 1999, at her residence. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, Sept. 13, 1999, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Elwin Collom, pastor of First Baptist Church in and Chaplain Coahoma Raymond Bugg, with Vista Care Family Hospice, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park

She was born Sept. 20, 1910, in Jacksboro, Texas and married A.D. Cotten on Sept. 8, 1953, in Clayton, N.M.. He preceded her in death on Feb. 17, 1975.

Mrs. Cotten was a member of First Baptist Church in

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Jo and Don Evans of Sand Springs; one son and daughter-in-law, Tim and Duckworth

Tahlequah, Okla.; six grandchildren, Ricky and Kim Evans of Midland, Cathy and Scott Paige and Randy and Karri Evans, all of Big Spring; Tammie and Dick Werger and Lisa Perry, all of Tahlequah, Okla., and Michael Duckworth of Atlanta, Ga.; 17 great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Elsie Green and Lula Maddox, both of Pampa.

Pallbearers will be Ricky Evans, Randy Evans, Chris Evans, Jimmy Don Evans, Spot Paige and Ryan Peckham.

The family suggests memorials to: Vista Care Family Hospice, 3210 E. 11th Place, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

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

Paid Obituary

Christine Birkhead

Christine Birkhead was born Feb. 2, 1913 in Eula, Texas to W.A. and Laura (Hurst) Farrar. She was reared in the Big Spring area and graduated from Big Spring High School.

On Aug. 6, 1932, she married E.P. Birkhead in Carlsbad, N.M. Mrs. Birkhead was a member of First United Methodist Church, past president of Boone Bible Class and member of D.Y.T. Social Club.

Jr. of Midland; her daughter, Camilla Birkhead Wallace of Moore, Texas; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; her brother, Paul Farrar of San Diego, Calif.; and her sister, Flovell Farrar Thomas of Big

Mrs. Birkhead died at her home Friday, Sept. 10, 1999.

Funeral services have been scheduled for 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 12, 1999, at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. John Rech officiating. Interment will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Birkhead, Graves

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Faye B. Moore L.V.N., 72, died Friday. Services will be at 10:00 AM Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Wallace, Roy Chisum, John Wesley Deats, James Windham and Martin Fryar.

The family suggests memorials be directed to the First United Methodist Church, 305 Baird, Midland., 79701.

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era in Texas, ADH Marketing-IGS Thermal Systems out of Brenham, offered to sell Big Spring the display camera at the reduced price.

'This camera is regularly \$25,000, but they agreed to sell us the display and saved us thousands of dollars," McCurdy

McCurdy said most of the fundraising efforts were the work of about four families within Big Spring and another HOG family from Midland.

"This is amazing and wonderful, that we were able to raise the money in just six and half months. I want to thank those families who consistently helped out at the fundraisers and the events. We are a small group, and we worked hard, and did this much quicker than we expected to. We may be shy about taking on another project of this size, but we'll wait and see what happens next year," McCurdy said.

Neal Radford with ADH Marketing was on hand to receive the \$16,500 check for the, camera, and to participate in the celebration.

We've never had a group raise this much money this quickly, and they really did all the work," Radford said.

Robert Stapp, a captain with the Big Spring Fire Department, accepted the camera on behalf of the firefighters association.

"This will definitely help us with our fire-fighting and life-Mrs. Birkhead is survived by saving efforts. We appreciate all her husband, E.P. Birkhead of the efforts of the HOG members and the citizens who had events to raise the funds, and all those who contributed to the fund," Stapp said.

The thermal imaging camera will be used by firefighters to see thermal images in a smokefilled, darkened home or room. The camera will help firefighters locate any victims if a fire, as well as locate hot spots that might erupt into flames.

Brian Jensen, EMS director for the Big Spring fire department, said the firemen are very gratified to receive the camera. Training provided by ADH

Marketing will be given to every member of the fire department, he said.

'We are really please with the HOG members efforts, and the fact that they did this in just under seven months. We will definitely benefit from the community's gift to us," Jensen

COUNTY

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hours before the first of several recent rains. Lockhart said that action was taken because a state of disaster has been declared based on the imminent threat of disaster from wildfires.

Recent rains prompted Lockhart to say Friday that the

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danger seems to have subsided for the time being.

'We will probably rescind it or just let it expire," he noted. "I told some farmers the other day, that had I known I could make it rain this easy, I would have issued the burn ban proclamation weeks ago.'

In other business, the commission will:

· Review the juvenile probation office budget.

 Consider renewing the contract for juvenile services with Garza County for the Juvenile **Detention Center.**

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park, she said. The trail will begin at the Old Settlers Pavilion, which is where the walk will conclude as well.

"Then we will have a lunch, and each walker will be given a ticket for the door prizes we will give away after the walk," Madry said.

Local businesses have donated prizes for the give-away, she said. Items such as gift certificates to hair salons or make overs, along with commemorative quilts and candles are just some of the prizes that will be awarded, Madry said.

"And each person on a team who raises \$50 will be given a Tshirt to wear on the walk," she

Incentives for raising money for the walk include the T-shirt, as well as a sweatshirt and coffee mug for \$200 raised, and a golf shirt and tote bag for \$300 raised.

"All the money raised locally stays local, within the Greater West Texas Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. The money is used for research, as well as education and support for the families," Madry said.

Locally, several Alzheimer's family support groups exist, providing education and assistance for families who have a member stricken Alzheimer's.

Cole said, according to the chapter in Midland, Howard County has 1,067 Alzheimer's patients.

But Madry suspects there are

"A diagnosis of Alzheimer's is very difficult, and cannot be absolutely proven except in an autopsy. Alzheimer's is truly a horrible disease, with no known cure, that robs a person of their dignity. We still have a lot to learn about it," Madry said.

For more information or to participate in the walk call Madry at 263-1271 or Carruth at

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of Reggie and Sharon Hambrick, and he is the son of Frosty Floyd and Kathleen Rollins.

Shelli Blagrave, escorted by Seth Smithson, is the junior class nominee. She is the daughter of Stan and Carla Blagrave, and he is the son of

Tommy and Debra Smithson. Stacey Bodine, escorted by Chance Nichols, is the sophomore nominee. She is the daughter of Steve and Brenda Bodine, and he is the son of Terry and Dorothy Nichols.

Amanda Watkins, who will be escorted by Chance Grantham, is the freshman nominee. She is the daughter of Jeff and Mary Watkins and he is the son of Terry Grantham and Shellie Grantham.

Sands Mustangs will host the Sanderson Eagles Friday at 7:30 p.m. The queen will be crowned during halftime, Skiles said.

Headquarters"

111 E. Marcy 267-8283

Mon.-Sat: 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

"Each day of this week is

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dress up day for students and teachers," Skiles said.

On Monday, Sands high school may look like every one just rolled out of bed, as the theme for the day is pajamas. Tuesday is T-shirt signing and cap day.

Wednesday is Hawaiian Day, and Thursday is opposite sex/favorite team day. Friday is brown and white day, he said.

SUPPORT GROUPS

SUNDAY

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting.

•NA 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.). MONDAY

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

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

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting.

•Alzheimer's support group, 7 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 N. Lancaster, first Mondays of each month. Call Galynn Gamble at 263-1271.

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

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

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

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

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

Coast Guard rescues tourists from glacier

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) - A hovering Coast Guard helicopter hoisted five tourists and their pilot safely off a glacier Saturday after they spent part of a blustery night huddled with their rescuers in a makeshift

There were no major injuries, said Steve Lewis, the head of a search team that packed tents, food and cold-weather survival gear through blowing snow to help the tourists make it through the night.

What began as a routine sightseeing flight over Juneau's spectacular glaciers and ice fields on Friday morning turned into a full-blown search for three downed helicopters in gathering darkness.

The tourist helicopter, owned by Temsco Helicopters of Juneau, flipped over in flat light that can make distinguishing the glacier from the sky almost impossible.

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the ground is," Lewis said. When the hour-long flight failed to return, the company sent out four people in two helicopters to search. But both wound up flipped on their sides more than a mile from the stranded tourists, who were about 20 miles north of Juneau and 4,500 feet up the Herbert Glacier.

Temsco called the Coast Guard, and a nine-member search and rescue team was dropped onto the glacier about 7:30 p.m. Friday well below the crash site.

Bob Bartholemew of Capital City Fire and Rescue and the rest of the team hiked three hours across the ice in snow and gusty winds, using headlamps to see as darkness fell. "You could see maybe 50

feet," he said. "We were shouting for them." The high-pitched yell of a woman led the team to the

upside-down helicopter. The tourists and all 13 rescuers wound up huddled together in two tents after the

makeshift igloo began to melt.

MEETINGS

Forsan ISD trustees will convene at 7:30 p.m. Monday to consider a new school buss and advanced classes identified for no pass, no play exemption.

Trustees will also set a date for a public meeting and adoption of the tax rate. A Census 2000 resolution and payment of bills are also on the agenda.

Stanton City Council will hold a public hearing on a tax increase and the proposed budget Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Following the hearing, the council will take action on the budget and the tax rate, proposed at \$1.15. Action on the Abstract

Building, delinquent tax roll and bills and reports for August are other items on the agenda.

Martin County Commissioners will meet at 9 a.m. Monday for a budget hearing, adopting of the budget and setting of the tax rate for 1999-2000. Other agenda items include

clerks for the November election, improvements and repairs. bills and a road report.

POLICE

Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents between 8 a.m. Friday and noon Saturday:

· JEREMY KLAUS, 20, was arrested for local warrants. WILLIAM GRAVES, 58.

was arrested for disorderly conduct/urinating in public. · CLIFTON GRIFFIN, 54, was

arrested for public intoxication. • ROBERT GRIFFIN, 46, was arrested for public intoxication.

• THOMAS REYNOLDS, 51, was arrested for traffic offenses. · JOHNNY PAYNE, 20, was arrested for public intoxication. JOHNNIE PAYNE, 41, was

arrested for public intoxication. · JOSUE PENA, 18, was arrested for public intoxication. CHRISTOPHER RODRI-GUEZ, 17, was arrested for pub-

lic intoxication. • EDWIN MATTHEWS, 36, was arrested for no driver's

license · CAROLYN HALE, 42, was arrested for public intoxication. · ALBERT LEOS, 29, was

arrested for public intoxication. • ISAAC CASTELLANO, 27, was arrested for public intoxi-

• MELVETT FORD, 43, was arrested for assault/family vio-

 BURGLARY OF A HABI-TATION was reported in the 1600 block of Harding. A compact disc stereo and speakers, valued at \$300, was reported

 BURGLARY OF A VEHI-CLE was reported in the 3200 block of East I-20.

JUVENILE PROBLEMS were reported in the 800 block of East Eighth, 2600 block of Dow, and 600 block of Johnson. • ASSAULT was repetted in the 2400 block of Carleton and

2500 block of Langley. DISTURBANCE/FIGHT was reported in the 1900 block of Wasson.

DOMESTIC DISTUR-BANCE was reported in the 3200 of Drexel. THEFT was reported in the

1800 block of Gregg and 1200 block of 11th Place.

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Coroner wants to take another look at some deaths in Waco standoff

WACO (AP) - As an independent probe prepares to look into the government's role in the 1993 Branch Davidian standoff, a medical examiner says he'd like to look again into the deaths of sect members who died from gunshot wounds.

"There is a feeling that one should go back and reevaluate," said Dr. Nizam Peerwani, the Tarrant County medical examiner. "The focus at the time was not whether the FBI was doing the shooting."

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About 80 people died after a fire ravaged the group's com-

pound 10 miles east of Waco. Peerwani said he wants to reexamine the deaths of 23 Davidians who died of bullet wounds. It may be possible to determine whether they were shot by someone outside the ordered the independent inves- afraid some of the ordnance or when a cooler failed at the

compound building, he told the tigation after revelations that ballistics could be matched up Tarrant County morgue. Waco Tribune-Herald for today's editions.

Did the builets go through an "intermediary target, like a wall or door, before striking these people?" he asked.

"We have sufficient photographs and other materials for us to review these issues. I have not started this, but I would certainly do so if asked by the proper authorities."

Justice Department spokesman declined comment on Peerwani's statements.

"All I can say is the attorney general certainly wants answers to the questions being raised," Myron Marlin said. "That's why she appointed a special counsel."

the FBI used potentially-flammable tear-gas canisters — allegations previously denied by the government - in the April 19, 1993, raid.

The government maintains the Davidians set fire to the compound

Justice of the Peace David Pareya, one of four McLennan County justices who ordered the autopsies, told the newspaper he has lingering questions about some of the deaths.

Pareya said he had no choice but to rule the cause of death for many Davidians as unknown because the FBI would not supply him with the results of the ballistics tests.

"The thing that always stayed Attorney General Janet Reno in my mind was if they were

with their weaponry," Pareya said.

Peerwani acknowledged there would be limits to what he could investigate.

"Obviously, I can say if a bullet went through an intermediary target and things like that. Beyond that, things have to stop," he said. "Deciding who shot whom is absolutely part of a criminal investigation, and it falls outside the purview of a medical examiner's duties."

Meanwhile, lawyers in a wrongful-death suit against the federal government told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram that they have been unable to fully explore the deaths of the Branch Davidians because many of their bodies liquefied

The cooler failed weeks after Peerwani performed autopsies on members of the religious sect, including spiritual leader David Koresh, the newspaper reported in Saturday's editions.

Fort Worth pathologist Stephen Putthoff, who also worked on the Davidians' bodies, said that even if the cooler malfunctioned, it would not have mattered because all of the autopsies had been completed and the forensic evidence col-

Kirk Lyons, who is representing three Davidian survivors of the fire and relatives of 23 dead sect members, said he has been, told that "somebody accidentally pulled the plug, and the bodies turned to soup."

Plaintiffs lawyers say that in Waco.

prevented a second, independent examination to learn more about the Davidians' deaths.

Forensic photographer Don Petty, who worked with Peerwani, said he believes that "approximately 40 or 50" unclaimed Davidian bodies were in the cooler when it failed.

Plaintiffs attorneys also have questions about the findings of Dr. Ronald Graser, a private pathologist hired by the family of Davidian Jimmy Riddle.

When Graser examined the remains of Riddle in a private mortuary in Fort Worth, he said part of the skull was missing, including the section where the bullet entered and exited

according to court documents. The wrongful-death trial is scheduled to begin next month

Student sues high school after being punished over picture

MIDLAND (AP) - A picture cretion that caused tongues to for students with behavior probthat 18-year-old Casey Riggan wag in this West Texas city of and two other Midland High School seniors snapped one Saturday last January of a car parked in front of an unmarried female teacher's residence has become the center of a federal

civil rights lawsuit. The vehicle was that of high principal

Richmond, who is married. Several months later, when Richmond learned of the photograph, he accused Riggan of starting rumors of sexual indis-

63,000.

The principal suspended Riggan and ordered him to apologize. Instead, Riggan sued in federal court, alleging that Richmond and the school board trampled on his rights of free speech. The lawsuit seeks unspecified damages.

When the youth refused to apologize or to drop his lawsuit, Riggan was suspended for three days and placed in an alterna tive school — a special campus

lems. He was also not allowed to whether to allow the lawsuit to attend his graduation ceremo-

The school board endorsed the discipline.

Gail Riggan, Casey's mother, said he was the first family member in six generations to graduate from high school. "We believe that they had no right to take one of the most special moments of my son's life away

from him," Mrs. Riggan said. U.S. District Judge Royal Furgeson of Midland is expect-

ed to decide later this month proceed. He has rejected several motions by school attorneys asserting that the judge has no authority to involve himself in internal school proceedings.

Richmond said the lawsuit is 'absolutely absurd. This is a lose-lose situation for both par-

"My personal opinion is that they needed a scapegoat to blame because word got out about the principal's affair,' Mrs. Riggan said.

NAACP calls for dismissal of top police, city manager

DALLAS (AP) - Talk to plaint to the end. He didn't civil-rights activists in answer." Greenville, about 50 miles northeast of Dallas, and they'll tell you that the point of greatest friction in local race relar actually worse now than in the tions is between police and the black community.

That's why it came as little surprise last week when the Greenville Branch of the NAACP voted to seek the dismissals of Police Chief Barry Paris, Assistant Chief Harold Rosenberry, Police Capt. Jim Fortenberry and City Manager Ed Thatcher.

The organization is unhappy with how the city and the police department have responded to a sweeping management study the city commissioned of the department, said Bill Glenn, NAACP state regional representative for Northeast Texas.

"We've got a guy who's unwilling to address any minority complaints (about police actions)," he said of the police chief on Friday, a day after the vote. "I asked him at a town hall meeting if he had ever pursued a minority com-

Sale Ends

Glenn said that sensitivity toward minority complaints against the Greenville police is Jim Crow days.

Back then, he said Greenville police chiefs often would respond informally to minority complaints.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People wants simple courtesy. he said. "We just want the chief to tell somebody, 'Don't do that."

Glenn, who is a private investigator, is investigating his own brother's murder at a Greenville motel July 4. However, he said he has been cooperating with Greenville police on the investigation.

In a letter to Mayor Sue Ann Harting, Greenville Branch president Clemon Lee wrote about year-old complaints of "frivolous charges filed against blacks, the police's lack of enthusiasm in handling black complaints, and the police's near-zero success rate in solving black homicides."

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Laguna Atascosa refuge expansion gets approval

BROWNSVILLE (AP) - A federal wildlife habitat preserve on South Texas' Laguna Madre has gotten the go-ahead for a major

The approval from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will allow land purchases to triple the size of Laguna Atascosa National Wildlife Refuge in the coming years from its current size of 45,187 acres.

The approval came despite opposition from leaders of such Laguna Madre communities as South Padre Island, Port Isabel and Bayview.

"I'm not the least bit surprised," retired Army Col. Randy Givins told The Brownsville Herald. The landscape architect said the agency has noble intentions, but that limiting growth is not good gov-

However, project manager Steve Labuda said the expansion will include only land acquired from willing sellers. He also said the expansion will not change current access to beach and fishing areas.

"There will be more recreational areas," he said. "There the Valley."

Walter Kittelberger, chairman of the Lower Laguna Madre Foundation, said approval of the expansion plan accurately reflects the wishes of lower Rio Grande Valley residents.

"It's just great," Kittelberger, who has been bowhunting on the refuge with his son, William, for much of the past decade. "I think it will give greatly enhanced access to the land that before has been

behind locked gates.' Cameron County

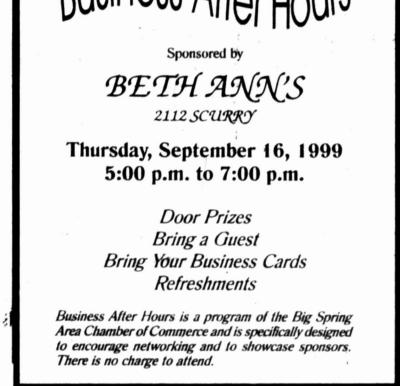
will be no negative impact for Gilbert Hinojosa said the expansion will help preserve nature in South Texas.

"The beauty of our area and wildlife is peculiar and not found anywhere else in the country or world," Hinojosa said. "We feel that a lot of this land will be developed and we want to have it for our children and grandchildren. And if we can preserve it without affecting the economy, we need to preserve it, then, or else, well, lose them for ever."

The plan could increase the Judge refuge to 153,314 acres.

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OUR VIEWS

Aluminum cans will help shelter stay in operation

or several years, volunteers and friends of the Big Spring Humane Society have collected aluminum cans to be recycled for the benefit of the shelter. Now the group wants to step up that effort by involving the entire community.

The humane society is currently participating in a new promotion from the American Humane Society, Friskies Cat Food and Alcoa Aluminum. If they send receipts from their aluminum recycling to a program called "PAWS For Recycling," they can earn cases of dog and cat food, and be entered in drawings for cash prizes.

Those benefits go above and beyond the money they will make from selling the cans to recyclers.

This is where you come in. The shelter relies on donations to house, feed and care for dozens of unwanted, abandoned and stray pets. While there, dogs and cats get all their vaccinations, spaying and neutering, and any other medical care they may

In addition, shelter workers repeatedly rescue animals from dangerous and abusive situations.

Thanks to them, we no longer have the problem of packs of stray dogs running through the streets. An hundreds of healthy, adoptable pets have been save from a sure death and given a new, happier life with local families.

Donate your cans to help the shelter continue its operations. As Fran Turrentine, shelter manager, said, this program is a good moneymaker for the group without taking cash from anyone's pockets. Aluminum cans are something we all use: Soft drinks, some foods and some pet foods are stored in them.

Set up another container next to your trash can, and just throw those used cans in it. Then take your donation to the shelter on I-20 north service road just west of Big Spring. Or call 267-7832 or 267-5646 and a volunteer will pick them up.

It's an easy way to assist a dedicated group of volunteers in this important work for our community.

Your Views

TO THE EDITOR:

What better time and place to have a prayer than before a football game? Players and families travel many miles to ge to a game. To have a pray r to ask God for added projection is a comfort. That does not violate the Constitution! Our young people are the future of our country. WE have a great many wonderful young peo-

What right does any judge in any court have to tell us when and where to pray? To be able to pray is a personal privilege. If our right to pray is taken away or restricted, our civil rights would certainly be violated. Our country has become great because our forefathers prayed, sweated and bled as they made their homes in this raw land. Life can be very difficult today, especially for our youth. God's love and lots of prayers are a constant in my life. They give **me th**e strength to go on.

I would suggest that we write to the judges of the **\$**upreme Court and tell them to make a ruling that prayer ts legal in schools or wherever people want to pray. I plan to write a letter to them myself.

MRS. CLEO S. BAILEY

TO THE EDITOR: I just returned from a football game between the sev-

enth and eighth grade Forsan Buffaloes and the Roscoe Plowboys. Just seconds into the fourth quarter, a Forsan player, Clay Kuykendall, was hit in the back. Hours later, (actually about 20 minutes) in a neck brace and strapped down on a back board, he was taken by ambulance to the hospi-

During that 20 minute period, I though about my grandson and all the other players on the field. I thought about how much better we all would have felt if a prayer had been said before the game.

I was raised and taught that there is only ONE GOD, but finding there are several thinking they have the same power, all because they have been appointed to a position that enables them to make laws. They're telling us that the Constitution that our forefathers wrote is unlawful. They're telling us that we do not have freedom of

I think whoever appointed these lesser Gods should un-

appoint them. All of my life, I have read and heard about dictatorships in foreign countries, now, I'm seeing it happen right here in this country. How much longer do we have to put up with their garbage? As Americans, we need to join together and get rid of these communists!

LARRY CHANDLER

Liberty, rule of law and honest government

sk not what your country expects of you; ask what you expect of your coun-

This twist on John F. Kennedy's famous statement is not intended as an appeal to be

selfish. In these times, such an appeal would be superfluous. It is a suggestion that Americans should think seriously about just what it is they expect

from

REESE

What is it they want here that they can't get in some other country? What sets off this country from other countries?

It seems to me many Americans take so much for granted that they end up with no standards by which to judge public people and policies. But if self-government is to be successful, people must have standards. If they don't know what

they expect from government, they won't know whether the government is doing the right thing or the wrong thing.

I can only speak for myself, but what I expect from I can make pretty good arguwe should be, that the rule of law is in tatters, and that too many public officials are disexpectations, then I have a basis on which to judge men and events.

ing economic on my short list. That's deliberate. It really isn't the economy, stupid. It really is about liberty, the rule of law and honest government. If you are looking for economic benefits from government, you'd be better off in Europe. Europeans receive a much better return on their tax dollar in terms of social benefits than Americans do. And, as we all know, there are entrepreneurs and million-

America was not invented

America is liberty, the rule of law and honest public officials. ments that we aren't as free as honest. But that's not the point I wish to make here. The point is that by having standards or

You will notice there is nothaires in practically every country, including Russia.

just so people could get a better itates the exercise of liberty. return on their investments. It was invented to provide liberty so people could pursue their own vision of happiness, whether that was economic, religious or art stic. Success was not part of the bargain. The only promise was that government would not infringe on people's freedom and would protect their freedom from enemies both domestic and for-

I don't know why I value freedom so much. For all I know, it may be genetic, since I am of Celtic descent and Southern-raised. I do know that, from earliest childhood, I have never liked being told what I must do or what I can't do. Even asking me to do something more than once triggers a determination to, if at all possible, not do it. Granted, I may be a little pathological on this point since, if asked too often, I will not do it, even if it is something that I originally wanted to do before I was asked. That's why it is said that trying to get Southerners to agree on anything is like trying to herd cats.

As for the rule of law, it facil-

There is no such thing as absolute freedom. Even one man on a deserted island is not absolutely free since thirst and hunger will force him to make some decisions and to undertake some tasks.

But in a civilized society, there needs to be a clear, fairly simple set of rules that applies to all alike. By knowing what those rules are, then we may safely pursue our own inter-

In the absence of the rule of law, there is never any security since no one knows from one moment to the next what the government will ignore. reward or suddenly decide to punish. I can think of no greater injustice than government punishing an individual for doing something it had previously told him was legal.

As for honest public officials, that, too, is essential to a free society.

People are not free in their decision-making if they are being manipulated by lies and propaganda.

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Your Views

TO THE EDITOR: And The River Ran Through

I never saw this movie, but the title describes just what happened to the canyon (now filled in), when the rains came to Big Spring and caused Cannibal Draw, Birdwell Tank and Birdwell Ditch, First and Second streets, and Little Cottonwood Park and the Wigwam Cafe to be so deep in water they went to check on as well as the other businesses, the Railroad Ticket office, etc., in a boat. All the little salt lakes were filled to flood stages

more than once. I came to Big Spring and married on the 12th day of November 1942. My husband and I went up on Sugar Top Hill and watched the lights of the city come on. We watched for the stars to come out, because it was war time, and our wages was 50 cents an hour at the refinery. People were all living on food stamps, rationed meat, sugar, stockings, and tires

Our other form of entertainment was to go to the canyon, behind East Ward School and watch the bluebirds come through in the spring. I was born on the plains, and I had not see mountains, springs, and canyons in a town until I

moved here. Every nook and cranny and garage and shanty shacks were turned into wartime housing. In the late 1940s and early 50s, a construction company under

the ownership of R.E. Powers began to build the Ridglea Terrace Housing area. My husband worked for them for a little while. The houses were built of green lumber due to the shortages from the war

"SUMMER'S OVER, KIDS! NOW, ALL YOU ROUND PEGS (JET BACK INTO YOUR SQUARE HOLES!"

There were no houses built in the area from Birdwell Tank to The East Ward (Boydstun School area) to the Goliad Street. Why? It was on a land fill. The canyon was being filled in. Someone got a bee in his bonnet and built a small building for the handicapped people, and it lasted a short time before sinking, cracking, and falling in. This was in the early fifties. I was helping to organize a scout troop for handicapped boys, and we met in that building a time or two before I turned them over to a man who became their leader. Most of the old time scout leaders I worked with are passed on. Garrett Patton, Bill Mims, Jack Owens, Backy and Bennie Regan and others who traipsed their scouts up the canyon trails, learning and earning merit badges.

In 1967 I was driving a school bus down Owen Street and had passed the YMCA. Five of us went on that street toward the overpass.

That was our route before splitting into other directions. Just a few minutes after the fifth bus passed the corner of eighth and Owens, the street caved in.

Somewhere in my school

scrapbooks I have picture of two school boys standing by that hole (one down in it). That is the north east corner of where the new Junior High

When our school authorities and the people who are testing the grounds tell us that there was or is no landfill, I would like to differ with them. There isn't much of Big Spring that isn't built on a full or partial landfill. Where I live now on Dallas

Street, there is an underground spring. How do I know? The first or second year I lived here I kept wondering where all the water went when I watered my yard. It was going under the back sidewalk. It would run for hours and never water anything. I asked the Scenic Mountain Ranger about it and he said, there is springs and rivulets all over Big Spring. They run down to the railroad or toward the VA and the big spring. They blasted the area at the base, to make a pavilion, and caused the big spring to stop running. When I married in 1942, the spring was running and so beautiful, and people cared enough to keep it clean and the fish were in the creek. Not so many snapping

So when anyone tells you you don't sit on a landfill, look again. There are still canyons all over Big Spring. Hills were scraped down to build houses on, but behind those hills are canyons, and the rivers still

run through them. You may never see the water, but it will be there.

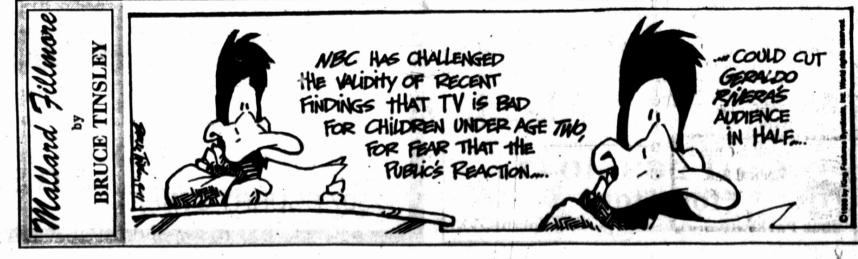
The mountains have been here a long time, and the landfill will still be done. And even if the government won't let us pray for the football boys whose lives are worth more than a million dollar school, we will pray that a solution will be found soon so the school will be safe and sound

They say the building is in no danger of tumbling down, but we have earth tremors and flooding areas, and natural disasters, and Columbine will be a small incident if the huge building doesn't hold. Then the courts won't hold all the people who will testify that there is a canyon and a landfill between Eighth and Owens, and 6th Street and it wasn't just a small gulley.

My husband was born here in 1917 and though he isn't here to talk about it now, he used to laugh about the family building an outhouse on the edge of that canyon and someone pushing it off the edge with his brother Bill in it. Now who would do a thing like

And the water still tumbles like a river down Birdwell Ditch from the Birdwell Tank area and rushes into a drain between Reeder's Insurance and the car lot to the west, which used to be my home on Fourth Street.

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> WASHINGTON (AP) — The Energy Secretary mishandling of a three-year spy Richardson, who had strongly investigation has prompted a recommended the disciplinary written reprimand to the former actions, said the sanctions by director of the Los Alamos the university "could have been a little stronger." Still, he said, weapons lab and sanctions the university did a "thorough against two of the lab's former security officers. job" in its review. The University of California,

> The three are likely to be the only individuals to face disciwhich manages the lab for the Energy Department announced pline in connection with the the disciplinary action Friday, widely criticized handling of although not naming any of the the Los Alamos case and broader criticism that the Energy individuals because of privacy Department for years has large-

intelligence matters at /the weapons labs.

Energy Department review last month found "systematic problems" in counterintelligence activities in the department's nuclear weapons program, especially research labs.

But it concluded there was insufficient evidence to single out any senior department officials for specific failures.

According to two sources

scores of them in his will.

But in July, he sold his firm

to CRH plc, a building and con-

struction firm based in Dublin.

Hecker, who headed the lab from 1986 to 1997, continues as a Los Alamos lab researcher.

taken against him.

Terry Craig, a former counterintelligence officer at the lab, received a letter of reprimand. had his salary frozen and

will stay on to run the business.

Thompson worked with senior

staffers to develop a share-the-

As the sale became final,

university's announcement:

The lab's former director,

Siegfried "Sig" Hecker, was

given a letter of reprimand, but

no additional sanctions were

Bill ly ignored security and counter familiar with the actions, and unspecified restrictions placed the general description in the on his job.

He continues to work at the

-Robert Vrooman, a former chief of counterintelligence at the lab, who has been a parttime consultant to the lab since his retirement, was barred from doing consulting services for at

least five years. The actions stem from missteps in the three-year FBI investigation of a Taiwan-born

401K plans, received \$2,000 for

each year of service; some

exceeded

Salaried workers, who don't

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salaries.

Lee, who as early as 1996 was the prime suspect in the alleged theft by China of nuclear secrets in the 1980s.

Lee was fired last March for violating security rules, but has not been charged with a crime. He has denied providing China any secrets.

But critics in Congress and elsewhere have questioned why Lee was allowed access to secret information for nearly three years while under investiga-

they can cash in at age 55 or 62;

Those range from \$1 million to

some retirees and widows in his

Thompson even included

\$2 million apiece.

Boss rewards workers' loyalty — by dividing \$128 million to reward his workers, naming its record of not breaking up most of whom have pensions or checks or annuity certificates

BELLEVILLE, Mich. (AP) -When Bob Thompson sold his company for \$422 million, he could have chartered a jet, flown off to an island and, heck, bought the island, too.

But he had a secret plan. Thompson had mulled it over for years, conferred with his wife, but kept it hush-hush to

all but a few of his workers. It was only when the sale of Thompson-McCully Co., his road building firm, became final in July that he let all of his workers know, in a letter.

First, he had good news: They would not lose their jobs.

Then, he had great news: They would share in the proceeds.

And did they ever.

The big-hearted boss divvied up \$128 million among his 550 workers. And for more than 80 folks, he had a bonus-beyondbelief: They will become millionaires.

"I was flabbergasted," says Rusty Stafford, an area manager who opened his envelope at home, with his wife, Tammy. She tearfully said, "Russ, I think the commas are in the wrong place," he recalls. "I looked at it, and kept looking, and thought the next thing I knew Ed McMahon would be

knocking at our door.' But the 67-year-old Thompson is downright casual about his generosity.

"It's sharing good times, that's really all it is," he says. "I don't think you can read more into it. I'm a proud person. I wanted to go out a winner and I wanted to go out doing the right let proves that. thing.

throwback to the era before but he and the seller were \$1 source — a businessman whose life reads like a Frank Capra

Humble guy with a soft spot for Norman Rockwell art. Starts a business in his basement with \$3,500, supported by his schoolteacher wife. Owns same modest house for 37 years. Expands asphalt company into roadbuilding juggernaut. Sells it after 40 years, collects nine-figure check. Shares the money with the salesmen and the secretaries, the guys in the gravel pits, the gals who hold the road

Boeing Co. laboratory chock-

full of computer terminals and

projection screens, teams of

technicians are "flying" the F-

22, a next-generation warplane

whose future is clouded by a

fierce debate over whether

America needs the most expen-

The Boeing lab, with a fully

fitted F-22 cockpit sitting front

and center, is working out the

bugs in nearly 2 million lines of computer code. They give the airplane, nicknamed Raptor, a

sophisticated electronic "brain"

that distinguishes it from every

fighter now in the sky or on the

"It's a dramatic step forward"

for U.S. air power, says Bob

Barnes, Boeing's top overseer of

Some on Capitol Hill are less enthusiastic: The House this

summer voted to withhold \$1.8

billion that had been earmarked

to begin Raptor production, sur-

prising the Air Force and F-22

contractors led by Lockheed

The fate of the \$63 billion project may be decided in House-

Senate negotiations starting this month on whether to

Skeptics ask: What is so spe cial about the F-22 that the Air

Force cannot live without it, especially because the plane it would replace, the F-15 Eagle,

already is acknowledged as the

release the \$1.8 billion.

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sive fighter jet ever built.

"People work exceedingly hard for us," he says. "It's a tough business and this is a demanding company."

Translation: Fourteen-hour days, six-day weeks, 99-degree sun, 300-degree asphalt.

Some people make a lot of money in the stock market, Thompson says, "but we're dependent on people, so it would just not be fair not to do it. They've allowed me to live the way I want to live.'

But frankly, that's pretty mod-

Thompson and his wife, Ellen, have a three-bedroom frame house.

She still mops floors and washes windows. His wood-paneled office has no Persian rugs or oil paintings. Instead, there are photos of their three children and five grandchildren, Rockwell prints, a copy of poet John Donne's "No Man is an Island" meditation, and a clock with its hands frozen shy of 3

Thompson doesn't play the stock market, belong to a country club or collect rich men's toys; the only boat he owns was inherited from his father — and it's a rowboat. His indulgences are few: He drives a Lincoln and he and Ellen travel and take in an occasional Broadway show.

His workers describe him as a no-nonsense boss who is down to earth, very demanding, driven, but fair and willing to lis-

He's also willing to take risks. A quarter he carries in his wal-

Years Thompson was If that philosophy seems like a negotiating to buy a business, greed was good, consider the million apart. They agreed to flip a coin over the difference. He lost, forked over the extra million, got the company and

kept the quarter. Thompson plans to give away much of what's left of the \$422 million and downplays what he already has doled out.

"I'm not trying to be a big shooter," he says. "A lot of people don't get the opportunity, but would if they could. ... This didn't change my life a whole lot when you get right down to

Thompson had long planned

The Air Force gives a two-

part answer: the aviation elec-

tronics, or avionics, that Boeing

is developing, and the Raptor's

radar-evading stealth and

unique ability to "cruise" at

supersonic speeds without

using afterburners.

Air Force pits fighter against critics

SEATTLE (AP) - Inside a best fighter in the world?

He says he chose it because of proceeds plan. Hourly workers, have pensions, were given Rory Noel Minck

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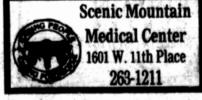
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Puerto Rican nationalists who were granted clemency are freed

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Eleven Puerto Rican nationalists granted clemency by President Clinton were freed from prison Friday amid a political furor over their release. and most were headed for Puerto Rico for a big welcome

.Ricardo Jimenez left the federal penitentiary near Terre Haute, Ind., in style, riding through the gates in a gold Mercedes-Benz.

The California legislature

passed major gay-rights legisla-

tion in the closing hours of its

1999 session Friday, including a

bill that would prohibit dis-

crimination of gay students and

Kuehl, who is openly lesbian,

said the legislation is necessary

to curb violence aimed at gay

teens and teens who are picked

en because others think they

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ment in school ... because they

are different or people think

they are gay or lesbian," Kuehl

Another bill passed Friday

'There are thousands of stu-

teachers.

Assemblywoman

said before boarding his flight that "with all conflicts, there are people who get injured. "As part of the independence movement, we have sustained

would create a state domestic partners registry for gay couples and let state and local gov-

benefits for their partners. A third bill would move state laws prohibiting discrimination against gays in employment and housing into the state's main

California Gov. Gray Davis plans to sign the domestic registry bill, but he does not vet have a position on the others, spokeswoman Hilary McLean

orientation to a state education law that already bars discrimination in public schools and colleges based on race, ethnicity,

The bill doesn't prescribe a

ernment workers get health

"I'm elated that I'm free, here

In Oklahoma City, Elizam

Escobar walked through Will

Rogers World Airport on a jour-

ney toward a new phase in his

life after spending 19 years in

The 50-year-old painter and

former art teacher expressed

regret for the bombings, but

with my family," he said.

an El Reno prison.

civil rights law.

Kuehl's bill would add sexual

gender or disability.

E. coli claims 2nd life in NY; 100 reportedly are sick in Illinois

coli outbreak at a county fair reported from the fair, held 30 claimed its second life as New York health officials said the outbreak could become the worst such contamination in U.S. history. A second large outbreak of the bacteria was reported in Illinois.

On Friday, the same day that 3-year-old Rachel Aldrich, the first victim of the outbreak, was buried, Ernest Wester of Gansevoort, N.Y., died at the Stratton Veterans Administration Medical Center Hospital in Albany.

Tests confirmed that Wester died of E. coli contamination. en hospitalized since Sunday, hospital spokeswoman Linda Blumenstock said.

have become sick after drinking contaminated coffee.

Lori Aldrich held a graveside deaths were reported. memorial for their 3-year-old daughter, then headed back to the hospital where their younger daughter, 2-year-old Kaylea, also is still struggling with kidney failure. Kaylea shared a glass of contaminated water with her sister Aug. 28 at the county fair.

More than 600 suspected cases

MALTA, N.Y. (AP) - An E. of contamination have been miles north of Albany, making it New York state's largest E. coli outbreak ever and one of

> Dr. Antonia Novello, the state health commissioner, said Friday the number of cases could exceed 1,000 once the outbreak runs its course.

the largest in U.S. history.

That would make it worse than the 1993 E. coli outbreak that sickened 700 patrons of Jack in the Box restaurants in Washington state and killed

Meanwhile, in Illinois, state health officials were trying to He attended the Washington reach about 1.800 people who County Fair Aug. 28 and 29 and attended a party in a cow pasture that now is linked to an I coli outbreak there.

The Illinois Department of Wester, 79, was believed to Public Health said today that more than 100 people have become ill and at least seven Earlier Friday, Wayne and have been hospitalized. No

The party was held Sept. 4 in a cow pasture near Petersburg, about 25 miles northwest of Springfield.

In New York, rain runoff is believed to have washed the potentially deadly E. coli bacteria from cow manure at a nearby cattle barn into the fair's underground water supply.

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many casualties over the years. don't like violence. Nobody likes it when people get hurt."

Most of the nationalists were members of FALN, the Puerto Rican independence group responsible for 130 bombings in the late 1970s and early 1980s that left six people dead and scores wounded.

They were serving sentences of up to 90 years in prisons from California to Connecticut on charges of seditious conspiracy and possession of weapons and explosives.

punishment, but by adding sex-

ual orientation to state law, it

make it easier for parents or

students to sue harassers or

Massachusetts has a similar

law, and Kuehl said about half

of California's public school dis-

where harassment

FALN was responsible for a series of bomb attacks and bank robberies in the New York and Chicago areas from 1974 to 1983 that killed six people and injured dozens.

None of those offered clemency was directly responsible for deaths or injuries, and they were required to renounce violence and stay away from each other as a condition for receiving clemency.

Clinton's offer outraged law enforcement officials and victims of FALN violence, and

tricts have similar policies.

study of more than 8,000 high

school students found one in 13

were targets of violence because

other students thought they

"When society allows harass-

ment and discrimination to go

were homosexual, Kuehl said.

complicated his wife's bid to 16 years. win a Senate seat from New York, which has a large Puerto Rican population.

On Thursday, the U.S. House condemned the clemency offer on a 311-41 vote that was little more than symbolic, since Clinton holds exclusive power over clemency.

Edwin Cortes, 44, left the federal penitentiary in Lewisburg, Pa., Friday afternoon, and arrived in San Juan shortly before 11 p.m. EDT.

He had been behind bars for

More than 200 people greeted him, whistling, yelling, banging on leather "pandereta" drums and simply screaming. They waved Puerto Rican flags and posters.

"We're delighted and content to receive our sons, sons of our nation who have sacrificed and given so much," said Lolita Lebron, a nationalist jailed 25 vears for the 1954 shooting up of Congress before being pardoned by former President Jimmy

California legislature passes major gay rights legislation Friday

unchecked in our educational force schools to advocate a A Centers for Disease Control institutions, we create a climate homosexual lifestyle. in which incidents of hate violence can flourish," said James Wagoner, president

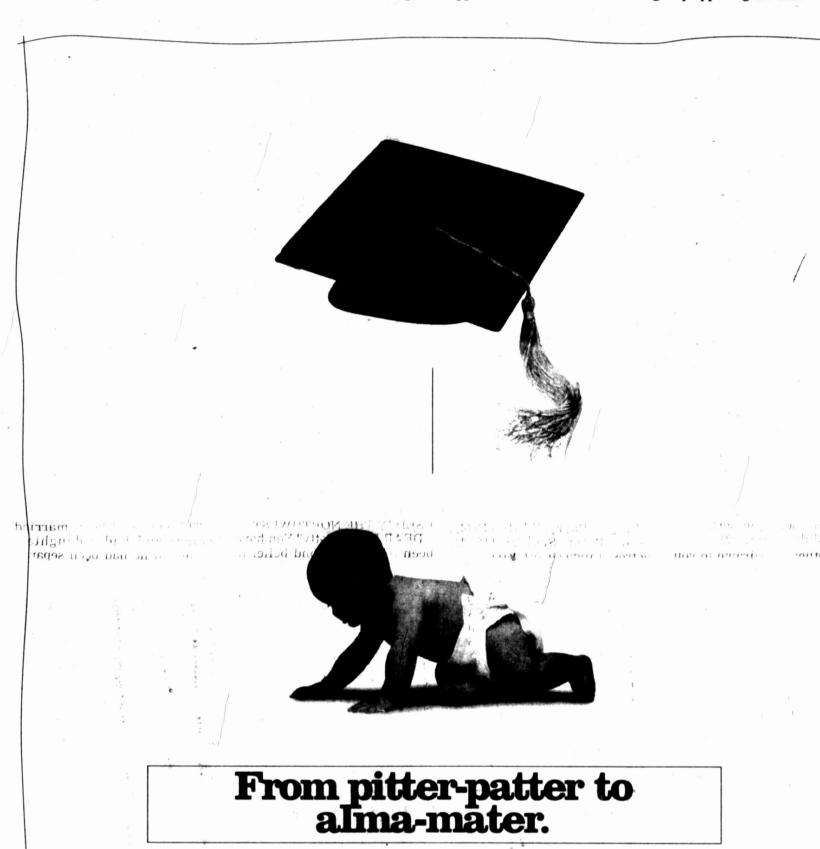
Youth, a

Washington, D.C.-based group supporting the bill. Opponents said the bill would

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Advocates

"Moms and dads don't send their children to school to learn from homosexual role models," said Randy Thomasson of Capitol Resource Institute, a conservative religious-oriented group opposing the bill.



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR SUNDAY, SEPT. 12: You are unusually successful

in both love and money this year. Your strong sixth sense leads you. Stay aware of your assets, where you are coming from and what is right for you. Never sell yourself short. If you are single, you'll meet someone quite delightful, though he may be emotionally unavailable. Check out your choices carefully. Give people time to reveal themselves. In early spring, romance blossoms. If attached, share more of your vulnerabilities with your mate. Frequent getaways together enrich your tie. LIBRA appreciates your intuition.

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

Difficult ARIES (March 21-April 19) *****Your efforts touch a partner's heart. You are relieved to see others finally interacting well. Be sensitive to a child; let the kid in you out as well. Your sense of humor delights others, who laugh and relax. Tonight:

Let a loved one make the call. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ****Mellow out at home. Discuss an important remodeling project with a partner. You get a lot done and have plenty of time for a favorite pastime. A family member wants to participate. Share more of your inner self. Good feelings bond friends and loved ones with you. Tonight: Order in

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) *****Kick up your heels. You have been tame long enough. Run errands, then make time for friends, neighbors or a key loved one. By not scheduling your whole day, you have plenty of time to visit, though you still might want to catch a movie. Tonight: How about an old-fashioned date?

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ****Build on established ground rules in a relationship. You surprise and delight another with a little indulgence. He will often think of this day and all the sharing. A purchase you are considering could cost slightly more than you'd thought, but you probably don't care. Tonight: Invite a friend

over for a special dessert **LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

*****Others are drawn to you. Your charm and allure are unique. Reach out for others, especially those with whom you haven't been in contact. Your attention and caring mean a lot more to another than you realize. Tonight: Beam in your heart's desire.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

****Spend some money on yourself; spring for a new toy or spruce up your wardrobe. You give so much of yourself don't you deserve to treat yourself well and splurge a little? Your intuition helps you hone in on the right choice. Tonight: Treat another to dinner.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) *****Join friends. Go to the movies or get together for a fun

Readers Corner

We accept reader's submissions for this monthly feature, including photos, poems or other items. It runs the fourth Wednesday of each month.

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activity that you all love. Though Libra is the sign of romance, friendship is also important to you. A loved one hits pay dirt as he does something special to please you. If single, a friendship could be changing. Tonight: Forget that

tomorrow is Monday!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) *** An older relative appreciates your caring. Do what you can to make him feel special. Pitch in and make that extra effort. You gain insight into a boss or an important person in your life. Take action, now that you understand better. Tonight:

Answer your e-mail or letters.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec.

*****Invite a friend or loved one along and take off for the day. Choose what to do or where to explore. Relationships flourish, out of their normal setting. You recharge. Go for what you want; don't stand back any longer. Tonight: Don't let the good times end.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan.

****A boss might want you to work. In any case, you zoom into the spotlight, taking charge wherever you are. A partner is grateful for your sense of responsibility; he feels very comfortable leaning on you. Make time for this special person. Tonight: Get a head start on tomorrow.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) *****Your mind is every. where but here and now. Take off and visit, or join with others. Socializing is right up your

alley. Enjoy the togetherness and seeing all your friends. You meet someone who makes you stop and think. What an interesting relationship this could be! Tonight: Anywhere but home

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

****Ask a partner or friend to chip in on a project. Not only do you have fun together, but sharing this common interest also relaxes you. Sometimes hearing another's ideas helps you. Together you make quite a team. Go out to a favorite deli or restaurant for lunch. Tonight: Take it easy.

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Free-loading college chums flunk course on manners

DEAR ABBY: I have a college friend who visits annually with her family. They've been coming in November, but we live in a small town and find it difficult to entertain them in the fall. So last November we suggested that, since there is a campground with a beautiful

lake nearby, they camp here during the summer. They came this July, but were tired of camping after a two-week vacation, so they asked if they could stay at our



ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

home. There are six people in

my family. My husband is a schoolteacher and I am unemployed. My friend has a family of four. Both she and her husband have good jobs, and their annual income must be roughly twice what ours is.

They don't offer to help pay for groceries, even though we always run out of milk or bread while they're here and they often go to the grocery store with us. We have gone out to eat with them, just so we won't have to buy groceries for them. They always pay for their own meals, but never offer to treat

Last month, my family stayed with my sister for four days. We bought \$50 worth of groceries, treated their family to pizza, bought them a videotape and gave them \$15 in cash. We weren't being generous; we just felt we were being fair.

Would it be wrong, the next time these friends tell us they are coming, to bill them \$10 per day for meals? We've dropped so many hints we're almost rude, but we feel, after 15 years, it's time they stopped taking advantage of us. We've stopped enjoying their visits and are afraid, now that they've come in the summer, they'll begin visiting us twice a year. I'd like to tell them how I feel but have never had the nerve. Am I being petty? -

USED IN THE NORTHWEST DEAR USED Petty? You have been tolerant beyond belief to have allowed these freeloaders years. It should be clear to you by now that if you don't put your foot down, they will continue to take advantage of you.

The next time your college chum calls to arrange a visit, tell her that you'll be charging them \$60 a day, to cover the costs of feeding them, and the additional water, electricity and telephone charges you have assumed during their past

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DEAR ABBY: The letters in your column concerning baldness prompt this letter.

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DEAR PAT: Thank you for the "heads up." A positive mental attitude and a sense of humor are seductive qualities, regardless of the state of one's hairline.

Those interested in learning more about Bald-Headed Men of America may write: 102 Bald Drive, Morehead City, N.C. 28557. The telephone number is 1-252-726-1855 and the e-mail address is: jcapps4102aol.com.

DEAR ABBY: I am a mammographer. I do screening and diagnostic mammograms for a living. I have a problem that seems to bother me more and more each day. I am asked several times a day, "Is this all you do, ALL DAY LONG?"

I find this question extremely irritating. I save lives. I have to bite my tongue to prevent sarcasm. Abby, how would you respond? — FRUSTRATED AND UNAPPRECIATED

DEAR FRUSTRATED: would just say "yes." And I'd add with a smile: "Isn't it wonderful that we have this lifesaving technology? Before we had the miracle of mammography, cases of breast cancer usually went undiagnosed until it was too late.

But don't be angry or sarcastic about a question that is asked out of ignorance.

DEAR ABBY: I feel that I must respond to the 31-year-old woman whose "live-in" wants to be married secretly. I know the results of what has ensued in a similar situation.

The man had been married before and had a daughter. Although he had been separated from his wife for many

divorced. The latter "wife" only discovered this when the man became seriously ill and his daughter was contacted.

You once printed something that I have never forgotten: "O. what a tangled web we weave, when first we practice to deceive." - A GRATEFUL READER WHOM YOU ONCE HELPED

DEAR GRATEFUL READER: I agree that the proposal of a secret marriage should not only raise a few eyebrows, but some suspicions as well. And I can-

Something tells me that once years, they had never been not take credit for that quote. It came from Sir Walter Scott (1771-1832) — and it's certainly appropriate.

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CORRECTION NOTICE

In our September 12 insert, we advertised Uncontrolled Substance by Inspectah Deck as being available Tuesday, September 14. Due to manufacturing delays, this title will be unavailable on this date. However, we will be offering rainchecks on this title.

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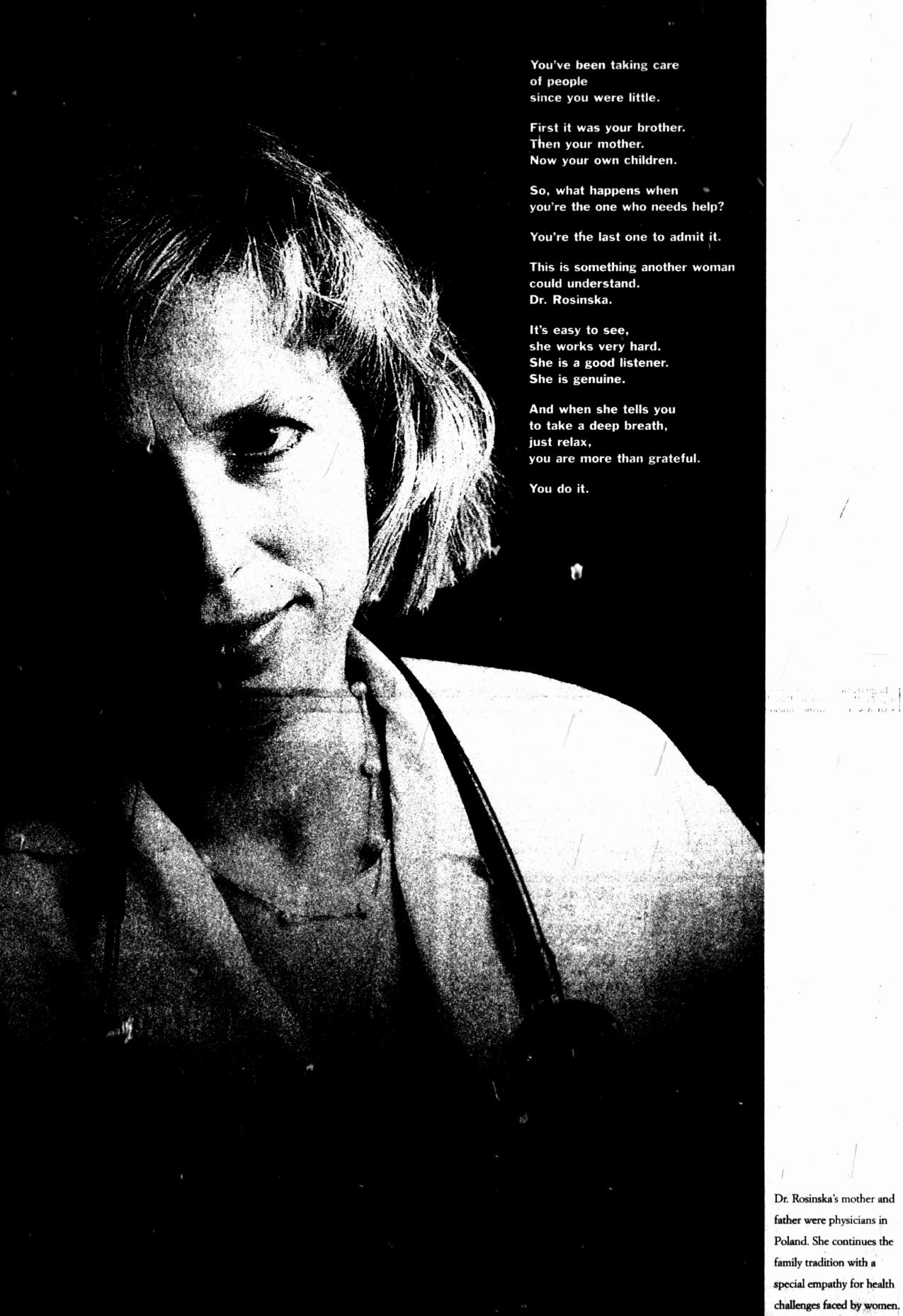
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IN BRIEF

Quarterback club slates meeting for Tuesday night

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Big Spring **High School Athletic Training**

Center's conference room. Boosters will review Friday's 52-12 Steers victory over Monahans.

UGSA now registering players for fall season

The United Girls Softball Association of Big Spring has scheduled a brief fall season for girls in Big Spring, Coahoma and Forsan.

Registration will continue through Saturday, Sept. 18, at MicroZone Services, Sound Decision and All-Star Sports. Teams in all divisions will

draft on Sunday, Sept. 19. Fees will be \$25 per player. Games will begin the last week of September and continue through October.

For more information, call Clay Slape at 268-9869 / or Marlon Hale at 267-6863.

Beach volleyball tourney scheduled for Saturday

A beach volleyball tournament sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Sports Committee has been scheduled for Saturday 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 for the tournament.

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

YMCA inline hockey registration continues

program. Boys and girls between the ages of 8 and 17 are eligible.

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

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.

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

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11 p.m. — World of Outlaws Duel in the Dakotas, TNN, Ch.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

1:30 p.m. — Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros, FXS, Ch. 29. NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE Noon — Dallas Cowboys at Washington Redskins FOX, Ch. 3. 7 p.m. — Pittsburgh Steelers at Cleveland Browns, ESPN, Ch.

2 p.m. - Senior PGA Comfort

Classic, final round, ABC, Ch. 2

4 p.m. — PGA Canadian Open, final round, ESPN, Ch.30. 3 p.m. - U.S. Gymnastic

Championships, NBC, Ch. 9

final, CBS, Ch. 7.

Bulldogs' ground game powers win over Grape Creek

By TOM RUIZ

Herald Correspondent

GRAPE CREEK - The Coahoma Bulldogs' rushing attack spread the wealth around like a philanthropist gone mad Friday

Unfortunately for Grape Creek, the Eagles were on the long end of the charity list, suffering a 20-13 defeat.

The Bulldogs (2-0) rang up 241 total rushing yards by nine different running backs. Leading the charge for Coahoma was Walt Bordelon who gained 88 yards on 10 carries.

Runningmate Mario Garcia was right behind with 78 yards on the ground. The seven other rushers rounded out the stat sheet with 75 yards.

It is the second consecutive week that

Coahoma has piled up more than 240 rushing yards. Last week against Lorenzo, the Bulldogs stayed on the turf for 329 vards.

Coach Robert Wood said before the game that he was confident with his team's rushing attack.

"What I would like to see is if we can pass the ball a little more," he admitted. The Bulldogs finished with 35 yards through the air.

Despite the dominating numbers, Coahoma had to come up with a fourthquarter touchdown to ice the game With under six minutes to play in the

game, and the score deadlocked at 13-13. the Bulldogs went to their workhorse Bordelon.

Facing first and 10 at the Eagle 30, Bordelon got the call and busted the play

into the end zone.

What was amazing about the run was the way Bordelon plowed past Eagles defenders. The touchdown gave Coahoma the edge it needed in the hardfought, physical and emotional game.

The momentum swung in Coahoma's favor only after the 'Dogs had lost it in the third quarter.

With Grape Creek (0-2) trailing 13-6, the Eagles drove back the Bulldogs defense to the Coahoma 30, but a heartstopping injury halted the game.

Grape Creek offensive tackle Robert Raine lay motionless on the turf after a one-yard loss by the Eagles. For more than 20 minutes the San Angelo emergency medical technicians attended to

According to a Grape Creek assistant coach, Raine was responsive and had feeling in his upper and lower limbs.

After Raine was stabilized, placed on the stretcher and wheeled into an awaiting ambulance, the game continued.

But the scare definitely had an affect on the Eagles.

Two plays later Grape Creek fumbled the ball away and the Bulldogs recov-

Coahoma failed to do anything with the Grape Creek turnover and ended the third quarter leading 13-6.

To begin the final period, the Eagles got the ball back at the Coahoma 44. Six plays later, Randy Childress dove into the end zone from two yards out to the tie the game at 13, with 9:12 remaining.

Coahoma responded by going on its second longest scoring drive of the

See COAHOMA, page 12A

Steers shock Monahans, 52-12

Brock throws for four TDs, runs for one in easy romp

By JOHN A. MOSELEY

Sports Editor

MONAHANS — Sometimes everything goes just right. Well ... almost everything.

That was the case for Big Spring's Steers on Friday, as they thrashed Monahans' Loboes, 52-12.

The Steers' victory was not only a lopsided one, but the first Big Spring has ever managed in Monahans.

What's more, it was delivered to a team that had entered the game undefeated and ranked No. 5 in The Associated Press' Class 3A schoolboy football

way for the Big Spring Family in fact, that Steers head coach program pressed to describe his team's performance.

"I think we jumped on them so quick ... scoring in the first minute and then stopping them cold on their first possession ... that we kind of knocked them back on their heels and just never could recover," Butler

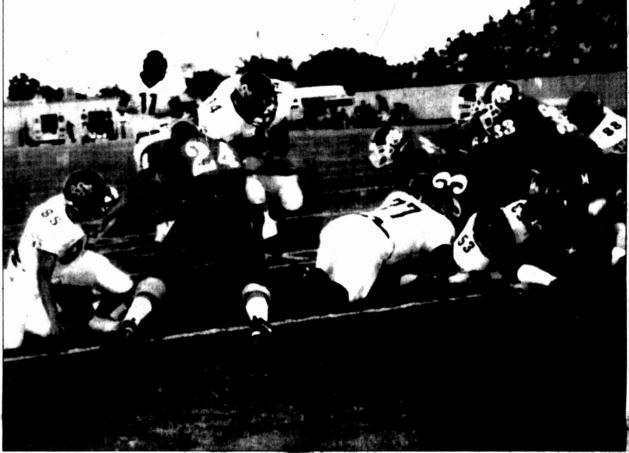
Indeed.

Before the night was done, the Steers had scored in virtually every way imaginable. In addition, they'd held the Loboes to just 90 yards of total offense.

Big Spring set the tone for the game on the first play from scrimmage when tailback Jason Woodruff, getting a rare start in place of Colby Ford, broke over left tackle and rambled 62 yards to the Monahans 1-yard line.

On the next play, quarterback Lance Brock bulled in on a quarterback sneak to give the Steers a 6-0 lead and the rout

Big Spring's defense let the Loboes hold the ball for six plays before starting their second touchdown drive from



HERALD photo/Bruce Schoole

Big Spring Colby Ford (14) bursts through the hole created by teammates Blair Nutting (85) and Stephen Stokes (77) and avoids the tackle attempt by Monahans' Roy Porras (24) to score the Steers' second touchdown of the first quarter Friday night. The Steers chalked up their first win ever in Monahans, thrashing the No. 5-ranked Loboes, 52-12.

their own 22. Eight plays later, Woodruff and Ricky Solis kept the Steers owned a 12-point Monahans from getting on lead after Ford had punched it in from one-yard out.

The big play of the drive was a 44-yard Brock strike to fullback Jose Carnero on a thirdand-10 play. That was followed by a 14-yard burst by Woodruff and an 18-yard keeper by Brock

to the Monahans two. Brock went on to have an almost perfect night, completing 7-of-8 passes for 190 yards and four more touchdowns. The first of those came on the third play of the second quarter when he hit tight end Blair Nutting from 21 yards out.

Josh Spencer, who'd missed his first extra-point attempt, was also perfect from that point out, and increased the Steers' lead to 22-0 with 5:22 left in the first half when he drilled a 36yard field goal.

Big defensive plays by

track and left the Loboes with a four-and-out possession.

Six plays later, Brock threw his second touchdown pass of the evening — this one from 30 yards out — as wideout James Clements made a spectacular diving catch in the end zone.

It seemed as if the Loboes might catch fire in the second half when Zach Dutcher bobbled the opening kickoff at his own four, got a couple of big blocks and set ail down the right sideline for a 96-yard touchdown return.

Their lead trimmed to 29-6, the Steers squelched any momentum Monahans may have built when they promptly drove 60 yards to take a 36-6 lead. Brock capped that drive with a 13-yard touchdown strike to sophomore tight end Mike Smith.

A Choate Interception on Monahans' next possession set up still another Big Spring score — this one a 56-yard thriller that saw Willis Morrison snatch a ball that had bounced out of Choate's hands

and sprint to paydirt. Big Spring's defense then got in on the scoring act directly. An errant snap over the head of Monahans punter Brandon Lee allowed a host of Steers to smother him in the end zone for a safety that made it a 45-6 lead going into the final 12 min-

By that time Butler had begun substituting freely. Monahans was never able to muster any offense, however, and Choate added insult to injury when he returned a punt 46 yards for the Steers' final

See STEERS, page 10A

Coyotes

By RICHARD JACKSON

Herald Correspondent GAIL - Borden County's

through West Texas' six-man football ranks like a knife through hot butter. The Coyotes improved their record to 2-0 on the season

Coyotes seem bent on going

Friday, taking an easy 56-0 win over New Home. Borden County was so dominant, in fact, that the game

came to a close at halftime on the 45-point mercy rule. The rout started on the Coyotes first possession, as they marched 60 yards in eight plays. Ed Rodriguez capped the

tacked on the conversion kick. Having shown their dominance offensively, the Coyotes next by allowing the Leopards no more than a four-and-out

drive with a 29-yard burst and

Robert Stamper gathered in the New Home punt and returned it 46 yards, setting Borden County up with good

field position. Rodriguez added a nine-yard touchdown burst to make it 16-0 and then broke loose on a 51yarder on the Coyotes' next pos-

session to make it 22-0. New Home would get its only first down of the night on its next possession, only to have Stamper intercept a pass on the next play, setting up a fouryard Joseph Hardman plunge that make it 28-0 with 1:55 still remaining in the first quarter.

The Coyotes waiting until the second quarter to continue their romp.

Another interception, this one provided by Tom Griffin, set the Coyotes up on the Leopard 22-yard line. Three plays later Hardman dashed in from seven yards out.

With Nick Flanigan and D.J. Smith leading the way, Borden County kept the Leopards at bay the rest of the evening,

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Mustangs score last in wild 34-32 win over Highlan



Sands' Cesar Martinez (20) tries to stay in bounds as he breaks loose on the final play of the first half

In the Mustangs' wild 34-32 win over Highland on Friday. Martinez was stopped just short of the goal.

By CARL GRAHAM

Herald Correspondent

ACKERLY - Country singer George Jones has a song called "It Just Don't Get No Better Than This!"

That adequately describes Friday night's six-man game between Sands' Mustangs and Highland's Hornets, as the Ponies managed to walk away with a narrow 34-32 victory.

It was anything but what had been expected, but Sands head coach Billy Barnett offered praise for the Hornets following the thriller.

"Their defense just played outstanding football," Barnett said. "(Corey Cornutt) and (Zach Fullwood) were just tremendous at defensive end ...

kept pressure on us all night." The visiting Hornets drew first blood when junior running back Jared Bowen scored from three yards out. The conversion kick by Martin Rodriguez was true, giving Highland an 8-0 lead with 8:23 showing on the

clock. Minutes later Sands came roaring back with senior Marcus DeLeon bursting in from six yards out, but Coby Floyd's conversion kick failed, leaving the Mustangs on the short end of an 8-6 score with 5:47 left in the period.

Highland would increase its lead in the second quarter when Kade Johnson scored on an 11yard trot, staking the Hornets

to a 16-6 edge. It took the Mustangs only 44 seconds to respond, however, as Sands went into the spread formation and Floyd found younger brother Dusty Floyd open for a big gain and hit Junior Martinez for the touchdown, trimming Highland's

lead to 16-12. A minute later Dusty Floyd deflected a Highland pass, gathered in the ball and raced 16 yards untouched, giving the Mustangs a 20-16 lead with 4:06

left in the first half. Highland recaptured the lead with 20 seconds remaining when Johnson scored, allowing the determined Hornets to take a 24-20 edge into the intermis-

See MUSTANGS, page 10A

SPORTS EXTRA

LOCAL BOWLING

WEDNESDAY NITE TRIO WEEK 2

RESULTS, American State Bank over Loan Stars 6-2, Big Spring Music over Arrow Refrigeration 8-0, KC Steakhouse over BSI 6-2, Timeless Design over Robertson Body Shop 5-3, MGM over Over BSI 0-2. Immersa Dussign over Robertson Body Shop 5-3, MGM over Team 14 6-2, Spanky's over No Name 6-2. Slow Starters over Alley Cats 6-2; hi sc team game American state Bank 592, Big Spring Music 556 and Stars 549; hi sc team series American State Bank 1668, Big Spring Music 1582, Slow Starters 15-27; hi hdop team game Big Spring Music 2038, Slow Starters 687, Spankys 682; hi hdop team series Big Spring Music 2038, Slow Starters 1992, Spankys 1973; hi sc game men Walter Little 247, O.D. O'Daniel 232, Jim Gaither 231; hi sc series men Jackle Lecroy 607, Walter Little 601, O.D. O'Daniel 598; hi hdop game men Walter Little 283, O.D. O'Daniel 281, Jeremy Smith 254, Jim Gaither 254; hi hdop series men O.D. O'Daniel 745, Walter Little 709, Dub Clintx 670; hi sc game women Pattie Hill 220, Kay water Little 7-9, but climbs 979, Hendricks 207, Cathy McMurtrey 174, Pam Brown 174; hi sc series women Pattie Hill 540, Kay Hendricks 535, Pam Brown 517; hi hdcp game women Kay Hendricks 252, Patty Mauldin 251, Deb. Cone 251, bit hos persons and the parties of the persons and the parties of the persons and the persons are persons and the persons and the persons and the persons are persons and the persons and the persons are persons and the persons are persons and the p

Kay Hendricks 252, Patty Mauldin 251, Paty Cypert 251: hi hdop series women Pam Brown 712, Pat Cypert 697, Marilyn Woodall 696. STANDINGS-Anterican State Bank 10-6, Slow Startlers 10-6, Loan Stars 10-6, BSI 19-6, Robertson Body Shop 9-7, Big Spring Music 8-8, MGM 8-8, Alley Cats 8-0, KC Steakhouse 8-8, No Name 6-10, Spankus 6-2. Timeless Name 6-10, Spankys 6-2, Timeless Design 5-11, Arrow Refrigeration 4-12, Team 14 2-6.

RESULTS-Mason's Collectables over O'Daniel Trucking 6-2, 1 St over Team seven 6-2, Trio Fuels ov. Parks Agency 8-0. Collums Restaurant over 8-0 Brock Ford 6-2; hi sc series Pat Carter 694, Gilbert Cisneros 681, Wayne Beene 637; hi sc game John Gibson 268 Pat Carter 267, Gilbert Cisneros 235; hi sc team series Team Six 2933, Trio Fuels 2823, Mason's Collectables 2730; his c team series Team 5 in 1041. 2739; hi so team game Team six 1041, BSI 967, Trio Fuels 965; hi hdcp series Pat Carter 847, Wayne Beene 811, Gilbert Cisneros 762; hi hdcp game Pat Cart 318, John Gibson 302, Wayne Beene 273; hi hdcp team series Mason's Collectable 3420, BSI 3362, Team six 3347; hi hdcp team game BS 1196, Mason's Collectables 1192, Team six 1179. STANDINGS-Trio Fuels 12-4, BS1 10-

6. Collums Restaurant 10-6. O'Daniel rucking 6-10. Masons Collectables 6-2, Bob Brock Ford 2-6, Team seven 2-6

TUESDAY COUPLES

RESULTS- Double R Cattle Co. ove White Motor Co. Stanton 6-2, Ups & Downs over Rosie's Gun Shop Loraine 6-2, The Four S's over Tonn Cleaners 6 6-2, The Four S's over Tonn Cleaners 6-2, Carlos' Restaurant over A Timeless Design 6-2, cowboy's over Nix Dirt Daubers 6-2, Hardison Appliance tied Parcks Agency, Inc.; hi sc game man Junior Barber 242; hi sc game women Alice Ewing 212; hi sc series man Junior Barber 631; hi sc series man Junior Barber 631; hi sc series women Lanelle Witt 518; hi hdcp game men Junior Barber 276; hi hdcp game women Becki Holt 280; hi hdcp series Junior Barber 733; hi hdcp series women Becki Holt 280; hi hdcp series Junior Barber 733; hi hdcp series women Jerilyn Wilkerson 697; hi sc team game White Motor Co. Stanton 722; hi hdcp team game Carlos' Restaurant 881; hi sc team series Double R Cattle Co. 2023; hi hdcp team series Double R Cattle Co. & The Four S's 2481. STANDING: Ups & Downs 10-4. Jardison Appli, oce 16:8. Parks Agency

Hardison Appli. nce 16.8, Parks Agency Inc. 14-10, White Motor Co. Stanton 14-10, Double R Cattle Co. 12-12, Cowboy's 12-12, Carlos' Restaurant 12-12, Rosie's Gun Shop Lorame 10-14. The Four S's 10-14. Nix Dirt Daubers 10-14, A Timeless Design 8-16, Tonn Cleaners 6-18.

RESULTS-Allans Furniture tied 631, Tom Cruz 618; hi sc game Jim Nipp 247, Tom Cruz 231, Robert A. Beaty 228; hi sc team series Scaltech 2711, Allans Furniture 2590, Team 5 2711, Allans Furniture 2590, Team 5 2430; hi sc team, game Scaltech 949, Allans Furniture 933, Scaltech 906; hi hdcp series Allan Johnson 698, Jim Nipp 681 Joey Gutierrez 666; hi hdcp game Jeff D. Anderson 268, Allan Johnson 26/4, Jim Nipp 258; hi hdcp team series Allana Furniture 3097, Scaltech 3053, SWCID 2913; hi hdcp team game Allans Furniture 1102, Scaltech 1063, Allan Furniture 1102, Scaltech 1063, Allan Furniture 1202. STANDINGS-Team 2, 14-0, Team 8 STANDINGS-Team 2 14-0, Team 8

Transactions

BASEBALL

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Detroit 7, Toronto 6
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Anaheim 4, Minnesota 2
Baltimore 5, Seattle 4, 12 innings
Kansas City 7, Texas 3
Cleveland 14, Chicago 6

Saturday's Games Late Games Not Included Minnesota 7, Anaheim (Boston 11, New York 10 Baltimore 4, Seettle 2 Toronto 9, Detroit 5 Oakland at Tampa Bay (n)

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Florida	57	83	407	311/2
Central Division				
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Houston	88	56	.611	-
Cincinnati	83	58	.589	31/2
Pittsburgh	69	72	489	171/2
St. Louis	68	74	479	19
Milwaukee	61	80	.433	251/2
Chicago	56	86	.394	31
West Division				
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Arizona	84	57	.596	-
San Francisco	77	65	.542	71/2
San Diego	67	75	.472 -	171/2
Los Angeles	66	75	.468	18

Atlanta 4, San Francisco 2

Saturday's Games

Atlanta 4, San Francisco 2

Houston 5, Chicago 2 Colorado 7, Milwaukee 6 San Francisco 3, Atlanta 2 San Francisco 3, Atlanta 2 Florida at Cincinnati (n) Pittsburgh at St. Louis (n) Philadelphia at Arizona (n) Montreal at San Diego (n) New York at Los Angeles (n)

Villone 7-6), 12:15 p.m.

Activated 18 Travis Lee and RHP Byung.
Hyun Kim from the 15-day disabled list.
FLORIDA MARLINS—Recalled INF.
Amaury Garcia from Calgary of the
Pacific Coast League and OF Julio
Ramirez from Portland of the Eastern
League.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Recalled

SACRAMENTO KINGS-Named Dave Twardzik regional and advance scout. National Hockey League
ATLANTA THRASHERS—Reassign

ATLANTA THRASHERS—Ressigned D Vladimir Siczk to Medicine Hat of the WHL, D Gernet Exelby to Saskation of the WHL, D Luke Sellars to Ottawa of the OHL, F Derek MacKenzie to Sudbury of the OHL, F Zdenek Blatny and F Devid Kaczowka to Seattle of the WHL, F Mark Phibbs to Peterborough of the OHL, F Joel Ward to Owen Sound of the OHL, F Chris Mariquest to Chisanto of the IMI. Chris Marinucci to Chicago of the IHL and G Rob Zepp to Plymouth of the

CAROLINA HURRICANES-Returned

Ferguson and F Andrew Long to Louisville of the AHL. Returned G G Alexey Volkov to Halifax of the Georgetown, D.C. 34, Holy Cross 16 Lehigh 49, Fordham 7 Massachusetts 34, New Hampshire 1 Penn St. 20, Pittsburgh 17 Robert Morris 34, Dayton 7 Sacred Heart 9, Siena 7 Sacred Heart 9, Stena / St. John's, NY 35, St. Francis, Pe. O Towson 35, Lafayette 7 Wagner 24, Story Brook 12 Wake Forest 34, Army 15 West Virginia 43, Miami, Ohio 27 SOUTH

Alabama 37, Houston 10 Bethune-Cookman 28, Morgan St. 25 Clemson 33, Virginia 14 East Carolina 27, Duke 9 Georgia 24, South Carolina 9
Hampton U. 28, Howard U. 27
Jacksonville 20, Davidson 15 Kentucky 45, Connecticut 14 Presbyterian 40, Charleston Sou

Tenn.-Martin 25, Lambuth 19 VMI 15, Concord 14 Vanderbilt 34, N. Illinois 31 Villanova 35, Richmond 30 Virginia Tech 31, UAB 10 MIDWEST

York (Clemens 12-8), 12:35 p.m.
Seattle (Halama 11-6) at Baltimore (Erickson 12-11), 12:35 p.m.
Oakland (Heredia 11-7) at Tampa Bay (Wheeler 0-1), 12:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Wright 7-7) at Chicago (Sirotka 8-13), 1:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Washbum 1-3) at Minnesota (Mays 5-8), 1:05 p.m.
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Monday's Games MIDWEST
Bowling Green 40, Tennessee Tech 15
Drake 47, St. Ambrose 3
Illinois 38, San Diego St. 10
Michigan 37, Rice 3
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Michigan 5t. 51, E. Michigan 7
Morehead St. 56, Butler 34
Nebraska 45, California 0
Northwestern 17, TCU 7
Purdue 28, Notre Dame 23
Stillinois 58, Murray St. 51 Seattle at Baltimore, 6:05 p.m. Oakland at Tampa Bay, 6:05 p.m. New York at Toronto, 6:05 p.m.

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Boston (Saberhagen 9-5) at York (Clemens 12-8), 12:35 p.m.

Boston at Cleveland, 6:05 p.m.

Pittsburgh (Ritchie 12-9) at St. Louis (Oliver 7-9), 1:10 p.m. Chicago (Trachsel 6-16) at Houston (Holt 3-13), 1:35 p.m.

Diego (Hitchcock 11-11), 3:05 p.m. Atlanta (Maddux 18-6) at San Francisco (Nathan 5-3), 3:05 p.m.

Milwaukee (Bera 3-0) at Colorado (Astacio 15-10), 7:05 p.m.

(Astacio 15-10), 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Grace 1-1) at Arizona
(Stottlemyre 5-2), 7:05 p.m.
New York (Rogers 4-0) at Los
Angeles (Gagne 0-0), 7:05 p.m.
Monday's Games
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Philadelphia at Houston, 7:05 p.m.
New York at Colorado, 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee at St. Louis, 7:10 p.m.
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Pittsburgh at Arizona, 9:05 p.m. Atlanta at San Diego, 9:05 p.m. Montreel at Los Angeles, 9:10 p.m. Only games scheduled

Montreal (Hermanson 7-12) at San

S. Illinois 58, Murray St. 51 W. Illinois 77, MVSU 7 Wisconsin 50, Ball St. 10 SOUTHWEST Oklahoma St. 46, Tulsa 9 **FAR WEST** Colorado 63, San Jose St. 35 Colorado St. 38, Nevada 33 Montana 41, Sacramento St. 38, 20T Montana St. 65, W. New Mexico 8

Oregon 47, UTEP 28 St. Mary's, Cal. 40, Humboldt St. 3 Wyoming 41, Weber St. 16

NFL SCHEDULE

Sunday, Sept. 12 Baltimore at St. Louis, 1 p.m. Buffalo at Indianapolis, Noon Carolina at New Orleans, Noon Cincinnati at Tennessee, Noon Dallas at Washington, Noon Kansas City at Chicago, Noon New England at New York Jets, N Oakland at Green Bay, Noon Detroit at Seattle, 3:15 p.m. Minnesota at Atlanta, 3:15 p.m

New York Giants at Tampa Bay, 3:15 San Francisco at Jacksonville, 3:15

Pi isburgh at Cleveland, 7:20 p.m. Monday, Sept. 13 Miami at Denver, 8 p.m.

NHL PRESEASON

Saturday's Games
T. Bay vs. Carolina at Fort Myers (n)
Boston vs. Buffalo at Rochester (n)

New York Islanders at Pittsbergh (n) Nashville vs. Atlanta at Columbus (n) Chicago at St. Louis (n) Montreal at Edmonton (n) Colorado at Dallas (n) Phoenix vs. Los Angeles (n) Anaheim at San Jose (n)

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Today's Games
New Jersey vs. Pittsburgh at
Columbus, Ohio, 2 p.m. Columbus, Ohio, 2 p.m.
New York Rangers at Detroit, 6 p.m.
Carolina at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.
St. Louis vs. Atlanta at Grand
Rapids, Mich., 6:30 p.m.
Toronto at Chicago, 7 p.m.
Dallas at Phoenix, 7 p.m.
Colorado at Anaheim, 7 p.m.
Ottawa at Edmonton, 7 p.m.
Montreal at Caligary, 8 p.m.

Montreal at Calgary, 8 p.m. Vancouver vs. San Jose at Spokane

AREA SCHEDULE

Big Spring at Lubbock Estacado, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 17 Mid Christian Mid Christian at Coahoma, 8 p.m. Sterling City at Forsan, 8 p.m. Stanton at Colorado City, 8 p.m. Jal (N.M.) at Garden City, 8 p.m. Borden Co. at Highland, 7:30 p.m. Buena Vista at Grady, 7:30 p.m. Sanderson at Sands, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 24

Rankin at Forsan, 8 p.m. Reagan County at Stanton, 8 p.m. Garden City at Miles, 8 p.m. Borden Co. at Balmorhea, 7:30 p.m Grady at Whitharral, 7:30 p.m. Sands at Lazbuddie, 7:30 p.m.

Big Spring at Ft. Stockton, 7:30 p.n. Coahoma at Seagraves, 7:30 p.n. Forsan at Ozona, 8 p.m.

Garden City · OPEN
Borden Co. at Westbrook, 7:30 p.m
Hermleigh at Grady, 7:30 p.m.
Ira at Sands, 7:30 p.m.

Stanton at Plains, 7:30 p.m

Friday, Oct. 1
Big Spring - OPEN
Wink at Coahoma, 8 p.m.
Forsan at Eden, 8 p.m.
Jim Ned at Stanton, 7:30 p.m.
Garden Cri - 11 Robert Lee, 7:30 p.m.
Whitharral at Littler County (home-coming), 7:30 p.m.
Paint Creek at Grady, 7:30 p.m.
Sands at Jayton, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 8

Friday, Oct. 8

COLLEGE SCORES

. 24. Monmouth, N.J. 16 Colgate 16 rostburg St. 22, Cent. Connecticut St

STEERS

Loboes' quarterback Raul Hinojos would return the favor with 1:43 remaining in the game, returning a Clements punt 58 yards to close out the

scoring. "The big key for us tonight was that our linemen dominated on both sides of the ball," Butler noted. "We were bigger, quicker and more physical ... that allowed us to do just about anything we wanted to do.'

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M - 11:43. Zach Dutcher 96 kickoff return (pass fails). BS - 8:54, Mike Smith 13 pass from Brock (Spencer kick)

Brock (Spencer kick). BS - 1:50, Safety (Brandon Lee tackled in end zone) Fourth Quarter

BS - 7:27, Jason Choate 46 punt return M - 1:43, Raul Hinojos 58 punt return (pass fails).

Lubbock Estacado's Matadors at Lowrey Field in Lubbock.

COYOTES

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including a fourth-down situation in which they turned into an eight-yard New Home loss.

That set up a 43-yard Hardman touchdown burst. Refusing to take prisoners,

New Home 30. Dale Grant got in on the offensive action this time, breaking loose for 20 yards on one play and moments later scoring from

six yards out. Moments later the Coyotes again forced the Leopards to turn the ball over on downs and Smith broke loose from 36 yards out, providing the final score of the night.

MUSTANGS

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In keeping with the tit-for-tat scenario. Sands retook the lead in the second half when Coby Floyd hooked up with Martinez on a 28-yard scoring toss to make it 28-24.

The Mustangs increased their lead behind Junior and Cesar Martinez, who pounded at the Hornet defense, eating up time. Junior Martinez covered the final four yards to make it a 34-24 lead with 1:55 left in the third quarter.

From that point forward, neither team could muster a sus-

tained drive. Bowen returned a Mustang

Coming off a disappointing loss at the hands of Grandfalls a week earlier, Barnett said he and his team had spent a great the Coyotes forced a fumble two plays later and recovered at the deal of work improving their

RESULTS-Mason's Collectables over

Scattech 4-4, SWCID over Team 6 6-2, Team 2 over Monitat 5 8-0, Team 5 tied Ghost 0-0, Team 8 over Team 4 8-0; hi sc series Jim Nipp 648, Aaron Bogard

14-2, Scattech 6-10, Allans Furniture 6-10, Team 4-6-10, SWCID 6-10, Team 6-26, Monistat 5-0-8, Team 5-0-0, Ghost

Mike Holtz from the 15-day disabled

BOSTON RED SOX-Activated RHP

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Activated RHP Jaret Wright, RHP David Riske and LHP Mark Langston from the 15-day dis-abled list. Recalled INFOF Joibert

Alexandria 4, Abilene 3

innings, Amarillo wins series 2-0 Abilene 6, Alexandria 4

Amarillo 7, Rio Grande Valley 6, 13

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ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS

INF Jay Canizaro from Fresno of the PCL. Purchased the contract of RHP Bronswell Patrick from Fresno. NEW YORK KNICKS-Signed F

CAROLINA HURRICANES—Returned F Jeff Heerema, F Jaroslav Svoböde and F Josef Vasiceic to their junior clubs. DETROIT RED WINGS—Reassigned D Jeremy Goetzinger, D Ryan Gaucher, RW Ken Davis, RW Kent McDonnell, C Brent Hobday and G Jake McCracken to their junior clubs. Released D Jeff Katcher, D Greg Labenski, LW JJ. Hunter, LW Quintin Laing, LW Doug Nolan, RW Mike Hurley, C Brandin Cote. C Chris Stanley and G Patrick Dovigi. FLORIDA PANTHERS—Assigned F Chad Cabana, F Dave Duerden, F Craig Chad Cabana, F Dave Duerden, F Craig

QMJHL, D Joe Rullier to Rimouski Oceanic of the QMJHL, G Cory Campbell to Belleville of the OHL and RW Brian McGrattan to Sudbury of the OHL. Released LW Jimmy Roy, LW Dmitri Leonov and D Reid Simonton.

NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Re-signed D Drake Berebowsky. D Drake Berehowsky.

PHOENIX COYOTES—Assigned D

Alex Andreyev, G Sylvain Daigle, C Eric Healey and D Sean McCann to Springfield of the AHL. Returned C Scott Kelman to Seattle of the WHL, C Ryan Lauzon to Hull of the QMJHL, LW Brad Raiph to Oshawa of the OHL and D TÜRONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Signed G Sebastien Centomo. Named Mark Hillier director of amateur scouting and

Thommie Bergman chief European scout Relassigned D Brian Wiseman to Houston of the IHL, D Morgan Warren to Moncton of the QMJHL, D Sebastien Centomo of the Rouyn-Noranda of the OMJHL. F Jonathan Zion to Ottawa of the OHL, F Luca Cereda to Ambri in Switzerland, F Allan Rourke to Kitchener Switzerland, F. Allan Rourke to hitchener
of the OHL, F. Vactav Zavoral to Sault
Ste. Marie of the OHL, F. Jonathan
Gagnon to Cape Breton of the QMJHL, F.
Vladimir Kulikov to HS CSKA in Russland
G Dwight Wolfe to Drummondville of the
QMJHL and D. Mirko Murovic to Moncton
of the QMJHL, Released F. Mark Murphy
and F. Dwight Company nd F David Comeau.

COLLEGE
GEORGIA SOUTHERN—Named Cathy Beene senior women's administrator.

LAFAYETTE—Named John Wong

NIAGARA—Announced the transfers of hockey F Scott Crawford from Michigan and hockey F Bernie Signist from Northern Michigan.
SACRED HEART—Named Ken Pierson women's swimming coach and Joy Woog women's ice hockey coach.
TEXAS-EL PASO—Named Jason Rabedeaux men's basketball coach.

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Big Spring	Team stats	Monahans
21	First downs	6
294	rushing yds.	67
190	passing yds.	23
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BS - 5:23, Colby Ford 1 run (pass fails). Second Quarter BS - 11:12, Blair Nutting 21 pass from Brock (Josh Spencer kick).

BS - 5:22, Spencer 36 field goal. BS - 1:20. James Clements 30 pass from Brock (Spencer kick). **Third Quarter**

BS - 6:06. Willis Morrison 56 pass from

punt 67 yards for the game's

final touchdown. Sands, however, returned to its ground attack with the Martinez brothers and DeLeon grounding out yardage and eating up the close to preserve the win.

"We worked on our defense all week long and they improved 100 percent ... I'm proud of our effort in that area," he added. "We kept trying to give the game away there in the fourth quarter, but we hung in there. It's good to get this one behind us.

The Mustangs, now 1-1, play host to District 7 power Sanderson's Eagles on Friday. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

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Scoring summary: First Quarter H - 8:23 remaining, Jared Bowen 3 run (Martin Rodriguez kick). S - 5:47, Marcus DeLeon 6 run (kick fails).

Second Quarter

return (C. Floyd kick).

H - 5:49, Kade Johnson 11 run (Rodriguez kick). S - 5:05, Junior Martinez 15 pass from Coby Floyd (kick fails). S - 4:06, Dusty Floyd 16 pass interception

H - 0:20, Johnson 6 run (Rodriguez kick). Third Quarter S - 7:15, Martinez 28 pass from C. Floyd (C. Floyd kick).

S - 1:55, Martinez 4 run (kick fails) Fourth Quarter H - 5:40, Bowen 67 punt return (Rodriguez

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Tense Redskins start Snyder era against undermanned Cowboys

Washington Redskins haven't been this healthy in years. The Dallas Cowboys are missing at least three key defensive starters, and Deion \$anders will keep everyone on their toes until kickoff guessing whether he can play on the one he hurt last year.

Sunday, September 12, 1999

BIG SPRING HERALD

hated rival and they're unveiling a defense with six first-round draft choices. Two of them, rookie Champ Bailey and 39-year-old Darrell Green, will make for an intriguing matchup against Michael Irvin and Dallas newcomer Raghib Ismail.

But the Redskins are a team on edge. new owner Dan Snyder, there is the er at New York, when the Giants er.

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) - The scored two quick third-quarter touchdowns and sent Washington snowballing to an 0-7 start and a 6-10 season.

"The first game sets the tone for the whole season," said defensive end Kenard Lang. "This game is the most important game.

The veteran Cowboys aren't as keen The Redskins are at home, playing a on taking Sunday's result as a bellwether for the season, but Troy Aikman understands the Redskins feelings. Simply rewind to one year ago, when Dallas was coming off its own frustrating 6-10 season.

"I think we're more confident than we were at this time last year," Aikman said. "Even though we knew Beyond the win-or-else pressure from we were a better football team than that, we still had some uncertainties as memory of last year's disastrous open- far as how it was going to come togeth-

"They got off to a rocky start. This lar Deion, the game changes dramatiopener, I would think, would be even cally. If he doesn't, the Cowboys could more important than a normal season opener for them," he said.

The Cowboys, by the way, won big in their opener last year, 38-10 over Arizona, and went on to win the divi-

The Redskins could get a similar bounce this year because they are catching the Cowboys at the right

Cornerback Kevin Smith is out with a bad back, linebacker Quentin Coryatt has an ailing Achilles and defensive tackle Leon Lett is suspended. Sanders, who has barely practiced on the big left toe that was surgically repaired in April, will decide Sunday morning if he can go.

If Sanders plays, and if he's the regu-

Houston 37-10 Saturday.

made it 23-10.

One

ranked Crimson Tide beat an 8-yard touchdown run.

Leading just 17-10 in the third

A 25-yard punt gave Alabama

the ball on Houston's 40-vard

line, and four plays later

Andrew Zow found a wide open

Freddie Milons in the end zone

for a 19-yard touchdown. That

possession

Alexander scored his third

touchdown of the day. He took

the handoff from Tyler Watts,

bounced off three defenders

and broke up the right side for

quarter, the Tide (2-0) put

Houston away on three plays.

be hard-pressed to find enough players to cover the three wide receiver formation of Michael Westbrook, Albert Connell and Irving Fryar, plus Larry Centers and Brian Mitchell out of the backfield.

"You prepare as if he's going to play," Centers said. "Then, if he doesn't, you're pleasantly surprised."

Fortunately for the Cowboys, the Redskins are hardly an offensive juggernaut. Conversely, the last thing the Redskins need to face in the opener is a tough defense.

New quarterback Brad Johnson has an iffy knee, and the line protecting him has been tenuously rebuilt after allowing 61 sacks last year. Center Cory Raymer is the only offensive play-

year ago.

The stronger battle comes with the tried-and-true crew of Aikman, Emmitt Smith, Irvin & Co. confronting a starting defense that didn't allow a touchdown in preseason.

Ismail gives the Cowboys the speedy receiver they've been missing since Alvin Harper left five years ago. Green can't concentrate on Irvin.

"Rocket definitely can stretch the field," said Green, who has spent the last month tutoring Bailey for this moment. "It's going to be double trou-

As for the game's importance, locker room leader Centers brought a gem of an analogy from Arizona to Washington to calm his new teammates' nerves.

Florida gives Vols something to think about

vard loss by Rose

The Irish didn't have enough

Jackson was 22-of-34 for 267

yards, a touchdown and an

interception. But he was inef-

fective running the ball, usually

one of his strengths, and had 1

yard rushing on 13 attempts.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP)

Shaun Alexander had three

touchdowns and Alabama

scored three times in just over

seven minutes as the 21st-

No. 21 Alabama 37,

Houston 10

time to get off another play.

ing week, No. 4 Florida played a game to be proud of. More importantly, the Gators gave Tennessee something to think

Doug Johnson connected with Travis Taylor for three of his four touchdown passes and the Gators scored seven touchdowns before halftime Saturday in a 58-27 victory over Central Florida.

Florida (2-0) extended its nation-best home winning streak to 29 games. The streak will be put to its first genuine test of this season next Saturday, when defending national champion Tennessee visits The Swamp.

Johnson, who had an interception returned for a touchdown in a 55-26 victory over Western Michigan, looked sharp, going 15-for-23 for 271 yards, all before the starters came out after the first half.

The special teams, which gave up a turnover that kept last week's game close into the third quarter, produced a touchdown off a blocked punt.

No. 5 Nebraska 45, California 0

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Eric Crouch became the first Nebraska player since Johnny Rodgers in 1973 to run, throw and catch a pass for a touchdown as the No. 5 Cornhuskers beat California 45-0 Saturday.

Golden Bears to 145 total yards and didn't allow an offensive touchdown for the second straight week. The Cornhuskers have outscored their opponents 87-7 this season.

Cal (1-1) was able to shut down Nebraska's powerful running game, holding the Cornhuskers to 114 yards on 48 carries, but penalties and big plays stopped the Bears. Cal was called for 14 penalties for 110 yards.

Crouch, who lost a preseason battle with Bobby Newcombe for the starting quarterback job, led the Cornhuskers' offense despite sitting out most of the first quarter and all of the fourth. He was 2-for-2 passing for 102 yards and a touchdown, had nine carries for 21 yards and two scores and caught one

pass for a 60-yard touchdown. Rodgers ran, passed and caught a pass for a touchdown in Nebraska's 40-6 win over Notre Dame in the 1973 Orange Bowl. Rodgers was the Heisman Trophy winner that season.

No. 6 Michigan 37, Rice 3

ANN ARBOR, Mich (AP) -Drew Henson may have gained a step in Michigan's quarterback race Saturday as he scored one touchdown and passed for another in the No. 6

Wolverines' 37-3 win over Rice.

Anthony Thomas ran for two

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GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) — touchdowns and Jeff Del Verne, In a big turnaround from open- a walk-on who received a scholarship earlier in the week, kicked three field goals for

Michigan (2-0). Rice ()-2), giving away nearly 40 pounds per man, never had the ball in Michigan territory until late in the fourth quarter when the Owls drove 56 yards for Derek Crabtree's 33-yard field goal with 30 seconds remaining.

Michigan rolled up 356 yards, while holding the Owls to 157.

Henson, a gifted sophomore who spends his summers playing third base in the New York Yankees' farm system, has battled fifth-year senior Tom Brady for the job all season. Brady, who started and played three quarters in the opener against Notre Dame, started against the Owls, too.

Brady completed 10 of 15 passes for 115 yards, while Henson was 8-of-14 for/109 yards. But it was Henson who got the Wolverines in the end zone.

No. 9 Wisconsin 50, Ball St. 10

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Ron Dayne moved 158 yards closer to a national rushing record and Nick Davis returned a kickoff for a touchdown as No. 9 Wisconsin rolled over Ball State

50-10 Saturday. The best offensive weapon for the Badgers (2-0) wasn't Dayne, who needs 1,424 in Wisconsin's nine remaining games to beat Nebraska (2-0) held the the NCAA major-college mark set last year by Texas Ricky Williams. He finished with 31 carries that included a 2-yard rush for a touchdown, his fourth of the season, in the

> third quarter. The star was Davis, a sophomore receiver and kick returner who racked up 227 yards on kick returns, pass receptions and rushes. Davis, who had a 76-yard touchdown punt return last week against Murray State, made a beautiful 77-yard TD run on the free kick following a second-quarter safety.

Davis also started at wide receiver in place of injured junior Chris Chambers and had four catches for 91 vards.

No. 20 Purdue 28, No. 16 Notre Dame 23

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) Purdue's Mike Rose stopped quarterback Jarious Jackson on second-and-goal with less than 15 seconds left Saturday to preserve the 20th-ranked Boilermakers' 28-23 victory over No. 16 on Notre Dame.

Travis Dorsch kicked two fourth-quarter field goals to put the Boilermakers (2-0) ahead, but Jackson led the Irish (1-2) to the Purdue 2 with time running

Tony Driver was stopped on first-and-goal, and Notre Dame called timeout to regroup. Jackson then ran left on an option but was dropped for a 9-

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How They Fared

Here's how the top 10 teams fared in this week's Associated Press nigh school football poll

Class 5A

1. Midland Lee (2-0) beat EP Franklin, 35-7 Duncanville (2-0) beat Plano, 19-3
 Lewisville (2-0) beat Tyler John Tyler, 28-21

4. Austin Westlake (3-0) beat Austin Reagan, 50-0 5. Copperas Cove (2-0) beat Austin LBJ, 55-6 6. South Grand Prairie (2-0) beat Grapevine, 35-13

7. Aldine Eisenhower (2-0) beat Alief Elsik, 16-0

8. Katy (2-0) is idle.
9. SA MacArthur (2-0) beat San Angelo Central, 20-19 10. Converse Judson (2-1) beat SA Taft, 17-6
Class 4A

Stephenville (3-0) beat Round Rock, 21-9

2. La Marque (1-0) is idle. 3. Texas City (2-0) beat Angleton, 31-13
4. N. Braunfels Canyon (1-1) lost to No. 8 Schertz Clemens, 49-8 5. Greenville (2-0) beat Denison, 42-25 6. Brownwood (3-0) beat San Angelo Lake View, 28-0

7. Bay City (2-0) beat Friendswood, 28-14
8. Schertz Clemens (2-0) beat No. 4 New Braunfels Canyon, 49-8 Terrell (1-1) lost to Sherman, 21-7 10. Southlake Carroll (2-0) beat Boswell, 21-0

1. Sealy (2-0) beat Waller, 27-8 Cuero (2-0) beat Columbus, 28-6 3. Aledo (2-0) beat Bridgeport, 41-6

4. Royse City (2-0) beat Crandall, 28-7
5. Monahans (2-1) lost to Big Spring, 52-12 7. Cleveland (2-0) beat Crosby, 40-14

. Atlanta (2-0) beat Linden-Kildare, 42-0 9. Giddings (2-0) beat Elgin. 24-23 10. Abilene Wylie (2-1) beat Graham, 21-6

5. Grand Saline (2-0) beat Mineola, 35-7

1. Omaha Paul Pewitt (2-0) beat Clarksville, 57-8 Mart (2-0) beat Rogers, 41-7
 Celina (3-0) beat Sanger, 35-14 4. Iraan (2-0) beat Wink, 43-0

6. Boyd (3-0) beat FW Christian. 35-0 7. Alto (2-0) beat Groveton, 39-14 8. Italy (2-0) lost to Addison Trinity Christian, 27-7 9. Brookshire-Royal (1-1) beat Kinkaid, 42-0

10. Goldthwaite (2-0) beat Eastland. 28-19 Class A Wheeler (2-0) beat Sunray, 35-7 2. Bartlett (2-0) beat Valley Mills. 41-12 Aspermont (1-1) lost to Olney, 36-16 4. Detroit (2-0) beat Prairiland, 53-6

. Dawson (2-0) beat Cayuga. 48-13 6. Iola (1-0) beat West Hardin, 28-0 . Baird (2-0) beat Rotan. 19-6 8. Sudan (2-0) beat Plains, 28-0

9. Burkeville (1-1) lost to \$an Augustine, 20-12 10. Muenster (1-1) lost to Paradise, 7-3

Whitehouse 23, Sulphur Springs 0 Wilmer-Hutchins 57, North Dallas 7 Wylie 21, Graham 6

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Stanton tops Midland Christian

HERALD Staff Reports

MIDLAND Stanton's Buffaloes scored twice in the final minute of the first half Friday night, erasing a Midland Christian lead and went on to take a 23-12 win over the Mustangs.

Stanton, which improved to 2-0. jumped on top when Adrian Hernandez broke loose on a 62yard scoring run. Clay White hauled in the conversion pass from Brady Cook to make it an 8-0 Buffs lead.

The Mustangs rallied, however, and took a 12-8 lead on a three-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Jamie Beeghley to Chase Feeler and a nine-yard run by Kurt Corley. But with 52 seconds left in the

half, White put Stanton back on top with a 3-yard burst. Will Harris tacked on a 39-

yard field goal as the half expired to make it a 17-12 Stanton lead. A 15-yard Harris pass to Cook

closed out the scoring in the fourth quarter. Following the win, Buffs head coach Mark Cotton said he was pleased with his team's show-

"I thought we did a really good job of responding to situations," Cotton said. "Their first touchdown came after wee shanked a punt ... they only had to go 40 yards for the score. The

second, we fumble it on the 12. "I knew how these kids had

Stanton	Team stats	M Christian
16	First downs	11
141	rushing yds.	100
79	passing yds.	83
4-10-0	Comp/Att/Int	
5-19.0	punts-avg.	5-38.6
1-0	fumlost	2-1
6-40	penyds.	7-50
M. Christian	0 12	0 0 - 12

Stanton 8 9 0 6 - 23 Scoring summary: First Quarter S - 11:41, Adrian Hemandez 62 run (Clay

White pass from Brady Cook). Second Quarter MC - 8:18, Feeler 3 pass from Beeghley MC - 3:36, K. Corley 9 run (kick fails).

S - 0:52, White 3 run (kick fails). S - 0:00, Will Harris 39 field goal. Third Quarter

Fourth Quarter S - 7:56, Cook 16 pass from Harris (kick

responded to pressure when they were on the junior varsity," he added, "but I didn't know if they'd respond the same way now that they're on the varsity.'

Plowboys explode late to dump Forsan, 26-6

ROSCOE - Four second-half touchdowns and a defense that shut out Forsan's Buffaloes for the final three quarters provided Roscoe's Plowboys with a 26-6 non-district win Friday.

The Buffs jumped on top late in the first quarter on a 23-yard Dustin Morgan to Brannon Bingham, but that would be all the Plowboys defense would allow

And in the third quarter, Plowboys quarterback Chase Holland began calling his own number ... and frequently.

His 43-yard option keeper early in the third quarter, coupled with Nick Anthony's extrapoint kick would prove to be all the Plowboys needed.

But Holland wasn't finished, piling up 139 yards on 20 carries, including three more touchdowns — a pair of oneyarders and a 32-yard burst.

Forsan	Team stats	Roscoe
15	First downs	12
90	rushing yds.	236
81	passing yds.	34
7-17-1	Comp/Att/Int	3-7-1
2-31.0	punts-avg.	2-27.0
1-1	fumlost	1-1
7-41	penyds.	1-15
Forsan	600	0 - 6

Roscoe 0 0 14 12 - 26 Scoring summary: First Quarter F - Brannon Bingham 12 pass from Dustin

Morgan (kick blocked) Second Quarter No scoring Third Quarter R - Chase Holland 43 run (Nick Anthony

R - Holland 1 run (Anthony kick). Fourth Quarter - Holland 1 run (kick fails). R - Holland 32 run (kick fails)

Bearkats post win over Water Valley

WATER VALLEY - Garden City's Bearkats found themselves playing a second straight road game Friday night, but that didn't seem to hold Kendall Goodwin and Justin Hillger down a bit.

Goodwin and Hillger combined for 255 yards rushing in leading Garden City to 374 yards of total offense and a 25-12 win over Water Valley's Eagles.

Water Valley's best weapon proved to be quarterback J.D. Tilson, who completed 5-of-8 passes for 87 yards, but he and his Eagles were limited to just 145 total yards by the Bearkats big defense.

G. City	Team stats	W. Valley
22	First downs	6
318	rushing yds.	58
56	passing yds.	87
6-7-1	Comp/Att/Int	5-16-3
1-35.0	punts-avg.	2-38.0
2-1	fumlost	4-2
5-45	penyds.	4-30
Garden City	13 6	0 6 - 25
Water Valley	6.0	0 6 - 12

Garza leads Wildcats past Wellman, 28-8

LENORAH - Senior running back Frankie Garza scored all four of Grady's touchdowns Friday in leading the Wildcats to a 28-8 romp over Wellman-Union's Wildcat version.

After a scoreless first quarter, Garza broke loose early in the second period with a 68-yard touchdown burst that allowed Grady to take a 6-0 halftime lead.

He then went wild in the third quarter, however, tacking on touchdown runs of three, 56 and two vards

He finished the night with 272 vards on 22 carries

Wellman	Team stats / Grady
7	First downs / 10
133	rushing yds. / 330
92	passing yds.
15-21-0	Comp/Att/Int 1-4-1
6-33.0	punts-avg. 2-32.0
1-0	fumlost 5-1
2-15	penyds. 5-43
Wellman	0 0 0 8 - 8
Grady	0 6 22 0 - 28

Second Quarter G - 9:46 remaining, Frankie Garza 68 run (kick blocked). Third Quarter

G - 8:21, Garza 3 run (Jed Hinojosa kick). G - 6:04, Garza 56 run (Hinojosa kick). G - 1:46, Garza 2 run (kick blocked)

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night. Beginning at their own 35, the Bulldogs stayed with their bread-and-butter rushing

Bulldog quarterback Chase Ward threw for the game's first score, a 24-yard pass to Lance Monteleone in the first quarter.

Adding to the drive was wingback Logan Long who had and eight-yard spurt, and the tandem of Travis McMillan and Ricky Richters teamed for a combined gain of 16 yards.

Then Bordelon nailed the ceffin shut on Grape Creek with his 30-yard bulldozing run.

Coahoma will host Midland Christian at 8 p.m. Friday

Coahoma	Team stats	Grape Crk.	
14	First downs	12	
241	rushing yds	174	
35	passing yds.	52	
3-8-0	Comp/Att/Int	4-9-1	
3-35.0	punts-avg.	1-50.0	
2-2	fum -lost	1-1	
2-15	pen-yds.	6-45	
Coahoma	7 0	6 7 - 20	

Grape Creek Scoring summary

First Quarter C - 9:04 remaining, Lance Monteleone 24 pass from Chase Ward (Ricky Richters

GC - 0:24, Chris Plummer 20 pass from Josh Timms (kick failed) Second Quarter

Third Quarter C - 3:41, Richter 1 run (kick fails)

Fourth Quarter GC - 9:12, Randy Childress 2 run (Shawn

C - 5:48. Walt Bordelon 30 run (Richters

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Ask me about my ...



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In the photograph at far left, Nancy Jones holds up a bulletin board covered by pictures of her grandchildren. She estimates that, of her five grandchildren, she has taken, or had taken, about 1,000 photos over the years. At left, Patsy Cawthon watched one of her grandsons, Ryan Beall, grow up in the family business, Chuck's Surplus. After spending countless hours there as an infant, toddler and child, the teenager worked there this summer for the first

sandchildre,

t's Grandparents Day, and that's a perfect excuse to get out all those pictures of your grandchildren. Go ahead, show them off, brag a little ... nobody would blame you, of all days, certainly not today.

If pictures tell the story, local grandparents are especially proud: Those scrubbed faces line many desks, fill wallets and decorate the walls. You can see grandchildren in their Halloween costumes, dressed in their Sunday best or smiling through messy faces.

And for some lucky folks, pictures are just extra, because they get to see the little darlings as often as they want to.

Nancy Jones, grandmother to five, admits she is crazy about them. And in her job, director of Retired Senior Volunteer Program, she gets plenty of chances to talk about

"In the age group I hang around with," said Jones, who first became a grandmother while still in her 30s, "you get to talk about your grandchildren. It's just something we do. "And we are such a close group, a lot of us bring our

She said the great thing about grandchildren is that, for the most part, grandparents have little responsibility — but

they have a lot of fun. "If you want to spend money on them, you can," she said.

"If you want to enjoy time with them, you can." Patsy Cawthon, also grandmother to five, said the enjoyment has much to do with age.

"You are older, and you appreciate the kids more," she said. "You can spoil them and then send them home." And talking about your grandchildren, she added, is just

"I brag on any of them," she said, "if somebody will lis-

Betty Kelley, grandmother to four, said patience is key. 'We have more patience with our grandchildren than we did with our children," she said. "With our kids, it was, 'Don't do this, don't do that.' But with our grandchildren it's,

'Well, that's OK.' She said the old saying, "If I had the choice, I'd have had my grandchildren first," is true. "They are just special."

Jones learned how special her grandchildren were when two of them moved to Japan. Her son is serving four years at a U.S. Air Force Base there, and took his children, including a 1-year-old who won't remember Grandma and Poppy when the family returns to the U.S.

"It's so hard," she said. "We can't really talk on the phone much, about once a month.'

But they are starting to use e-mail to communicate, and Jones' son is buying equipment to send digital photos to his

All this technology, Jones said, is necessary for grandparents these days.

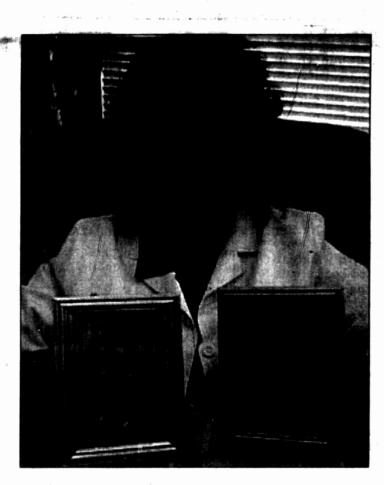
"This adds a new dimension to grandparenthood," she said. "And I think anything you can do to bring you closer, you

Cawthon had the joy of watching several of her grandchildren grow up in the community. When Ryan Beall, now 13, was a baby and toddler, he spent many hours with her at the family business, Chuck's Surplus. When she sees him today, she said she still remembers him strapped in a baby carrier, perched near her on the counter, sleeping.

And the first time she held one of her grandchildren in her arms is a moment Cawthon will never forget.

"There are no words to describe it," she said with a smile. Jones agreed. She said grandparenting has made her a more caring person.

"You are free to love as much as you want," she said. "Your love multiplies."



In the photo at left, Mary Dubose holds two of her three grandchildren, Peter, left, and Loree. Above, Betty Kelley holds photographs of two her four grandchildren. She keeps the portraits in her office.

Story and photos by Debbie L. Jensen

Library is more than books, it's a storehouse of knowledge

thought being a librarian would be a rather easy job, amid delightful surroundings. One could catch up on all his reading, then occasionally saunter over to check out a book. You

get the picture. Through the years, I began to suspect there might be more to it than that, but I never realized how much work the job entails until recently, when I joined the library staff at

College Baptist Church. I've learned a number of things. For example, the book number can be found at the Library of Congress informa-

Some publications, like those by a private individual, do not have this information.

I have also learned that cataloging books is a great deal of work. Loraine Redman, director of the Howard County Library, says that those who catalog books are "the unsung heroes of the library staff." I

Martha Vierra has that important responsibility at the local library.

From time to time, I have asked Loraine for help and advice. I have also chatted with front of the book, with the other friendly people including Rebecca Taylor, reference

dren's librariand an,

Milton Perkins, who is in charge of audio-visuhave

noticed that the circulation desk is a busy place. Vickie Alexander Patty



date.

Mauldin work there full time, and Suzanne Salgado and Vickie Sanchez, part-time. Charlie

As a youngster, I always tion. In most books, that is. librarian, Karen McIntyre, chil- Flores handles maintenance for the library.

One day I asked Loraine a question dear to the hearts of those of us who are intimidated by the computer. Was it really necessary to stop using the card catalog?

Her reply was, "Yes! Yes! Yes!" She explained that, with 68,000 volumes in the library, it is nearly impossible to keep the card catalog accurate and up to

Filing in the card catalog is also time consuming, whereas a book can be quickly entered into the computer, where it can be accessed by author, title, or

I can't refute the logic of this, but I still miss the card catalog. Loraine assured me she has kept one to place in a library museum she is planning.

Interesting statistics about the local library include the fact it has 9,220 patrons, with more being added daily. A total of 857 children participated in the summer reading program.

The church library is, of course, much smaller in scope than the public facility. Yet, it

has an important function for church members. Naturally, books in the

church library are screened for suitability and are not as eclectic as in a public institution.

However, the selection still includes several translations of the Bible, despite the fact they contain a fair amount of sex and considerable violence.

One of Loraine's favorite quotations is: "The library is a storehouse of knowledge, not a warehouse for books.

When the church library reopens Wednesday, after being closed for a few weeks, the library staff--Marcy Weir, Shana McGee and I--hope church members will be eager to sample that storehouse.

Jean Warren writes a monthly column for the Big Spring

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Fowler-Best

Summer Dawn Fowler. Austin, and Clinton Samuel Best, Jacksboro, were united in marriage on June 19, 1999, at the Brentwood Oaks Church of Christ in Austin with Kevin Moore officiating.

She is the daughter of Jerry and Pam Fowler of Austin.

He is the son of Tommy and Phyllis Best of Jacksboro, and the grandson of Loma Jean Wynn and the late Phillip Wynn of Coahoma.

Instrumentalists were Mike and Sara Fowler, aunt and uncle of the bride, Christiana Worley of Florida, and Gwenna Cearly, who played the harp.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a Mori Lee dress of candlelight. The top was covered in Victorian lace and imbeaded with pearls. It featured a halter-cut top, a full skirt and a long train with a bustle.

She carried a bouquet of red roses and ivory gardenias with an ivy trail.

Maid of honor was Kylie McCov.

Bridesmaids were Christina McCarty, Melanie Blanks, Elisa Foust, Heather Fowler, sisterin-law of the bride. Brooke Hailey and Amy Marino.

Alyssa Ray was the flower girl, and Tyler Davis and Carter Boyd were the ringbear-

Russell Best, brother of the groom, served as best man.

Serving as groomsmen and ushers were Shane Smith. Chris Dulin, Chad Collie, Josh Fowler, Casey Fowler and Jordan Flower, brothers of the

Following the ceremony, a

Brenda Grant and Trey

Terrazas, both of San Angelo,

were united in marriage on

Aug. 21, 1999, at the First

Christian Church in Big Spring

with the Rev. Gary Groves offi-

She is the daughter of

Carolyn and Tom Mills, Big

Spring, and the granddaughter

of Ruth Robinson of Big Spring.

Kathy Terrazas, Big Spring,

and the grandson of Russell

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Williams and Mary Eakman.

Given in marriage by her

father, the bride wore an ivory

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Maid of honor was Kristi

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Pennington, Christi Grant, sis-

ter of the bride, Teresa Sims

and Kyndra Pennington, niece

Marc Baker served as best

Serving as groomsmen were

Justin Robertson, Terry

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groom's brother-in-law, were

Candlelighter was Jared

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Brame-Bodin

Johanna Marie Brame and Gregory Paul Bodin were united in marriage on Aug. 21, 1999, at the Tres Rios Campground on the Brazos River with Steve "Spanky" Aune, evangelist/pastor of the Christian Nation Church in Sacul, officiating.

She is the daughter of Danny and Ann Gray of Colorado City. He is the son of Bill and Shirley Bodin of Sand Springs, and the grandson of Dale and

Bonnie Hein and the late

Dalton Cross of Big Spring. Given in marriage by Jimmy Minnick, the bride wore a long, fitted white satin gown. The bodice had a lace overlay and was embellished with clear sequins and miniature seed pearls.

She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses, yellow rose buds and baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Martha Baxter of Decatur.

Micah Kerr, of Odessa, was the best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception and dance was held at the Tres Rios Campground on the Brazos River. The Texas



MR. AND MRS. GREGORY P. BODIN

Ramblers provided the music. The wedding cake was a white cake with white icing

and trimmed with yellow roses. The bride is a 1989 graduate of Jal High School, Jal, N.M. The groom is a 1991 graduate

of Coahoma High School. He

attended Howard Coilege and is

currently employed by Mountain View Nursing Home. Following a wedding trip to

Glen Rose, the couple has made their home in Big Spring.

Key-Wooten

Tiffany Lee Key and Michael Lee Wooten, both of Wichita, Kan., were united in marriage on July 25, 1999, at the Viva Maya Resort in Cancun, Mexico with Lucio Kantun officiating.

She is the daughter of Dianne and Corky Harris of Wichita, Kan., and the granddaughter of Mae Normand and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harris, all of Big Given in marriage by her

parents, the bride wore a white embroidered slip dress with an ivy and baby's breath head wreath.

She carried a bouquet of white lilies and peach rose buds with ivy and white net-

The couple had a personal champagne dinner on the beach after the ceremony.

The bride's cake was a banana cream cake with white frosting with chocolate accents and topped with a bride and groom figurine. She is a 1994 graduate of

Coahoma High School. She is



MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL LEE WOOTEN

currently employed as a receptionist in a medical office.

The groom is a 1994 graduate of Lewisville High School. He is the assistant manager of a marketing firm.

Following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple has made their home in Wichita,

Locke-Byers

Cynthia Ann Locke and John Samuel Byers, both of Bryan, united in marriage on July 31, 1999, at the Central Baptist Church in Bryan.

She is the daughter of Larry and Doris Locke of Bryan.

He is the son of John and

Helen Neill of Wills Point. Harpist was Jirong Ye, and Gail Whittaker played the flute. The bride was given in mar-

riage by her father. Maid of honor was Kimberly Locke, sister of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Kim Heffernan, Amanda Foreman, Susan Siegert, Christy Hanson, and Jamie Webb, niece of the groom, was the junior brides-

Jim Webb, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. Serving as groomsmen were Greg Gunter, Kevin Snook,

Matthew Durham, Sean Conrad, and Wes Wilkinson served as junior groomsman. gran

The bride is a 1988 graduate of Big Spring High School, and Jamaica, the couple a 1992 graduate of Hardin their home in Bryan.



MR. AND MRS. JOHN SAMUEL **BYERS**

Simmons. She is employed by the Bryan ISD. The groom is a graduate of

Wills Point High School, and a 1987 graduate of Texas A&M University. He is employed by State Fairnfillisurance. State Fairnfillisurance. State Following a wedding trip to

Jamaica, the couple has made

Hernandez-Buske

Amanda Michelle Hernandez and Peter Andrew Buske were united in marriage on Sept. 4, 1999, at St. Thomas Catholic Church with Father Cornelius Scanlan officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Pete and Martha Hernandez, Big Spring, and the granddaughter of Lusia Cortez and Elvira Hernandez, Big Spring. The groom is the son of the late Russell and Nan Buske. Instrumentalists/vocalists

were Cindy Chavez, Steve Chavez and Hilda Lara. Given in marriage by her

father, the bride wore a white bouffant gown with a keyhole neckline and princess waistline. It had a cathedral length train and fitted long sleeves with lace inlets. She wore a pearl braided headpiece and fingertip veil. She carried a cascading bou-

quet of calla lilies accented with English ivy and sprigs of pearls. Matron of honor was Melinda

Reyes, sister of the bride of Big Spring,

Bridesmaids were Monica Gonzalez, cousin of the bride of Victoria, Lupe Moreno, aunt of the bride of Big Spring, Sarah Martin of Fort Worth, and Pandy Buske, sister-in-law of the groom of Big Spring.

Selina Gonzalez, cousin of the bride of Victoria, Megan Bobo and Elizabeth Bobo, both nieces of the groom of Big Spring, were the junior bridesmaids

Ashley Buske, niece of the groom of Coahoma, was the flower girl, and Christopher Michael Reyes Jr., nephew of the bride of Big Spring, was the ringbearer.

best man.



MRS. PETER ANDREW BUSKE

Serving as groomsmen were Joshua Preston of Oklahoma, Ion Parker, nephew of the groom of Dallas, Matt Parker, nephew of the groom of Bryan, and Mike Reyes, brother-in-law of the bride of Big Spring.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Dora Roberts Civic Center: 1 yboa" . 8

The bride's cake was four id basketweave tiers with Italian buttercream icing. The groom's cake was a German chocolate with a Texas Tech logo.

The bride is a 1995 graduate of Big Spring High School, and a 1999 graduate of SMMC of Radiologic School Technology. She is employed by SMMC as a radiologic tech-

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Big Spring High School, a 1995 graduate of Texas Tech University, and a 1997 graduate of Odessa College. He is employed by SMMC as a physical therapist assistant.

Following a wedding trip to the islands of Oahu and Maui, Hawaii, the couple will make their home in Big Spring.

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Following a wedding trip to

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MR. AND MRS. TREY TERRAZAS Pennington, bride's nephew.

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The bride's cake was a four tiered white cake with smooth cream icing decorated with pearl drop icing and lavender heather and listris and cream

The groom's cake was a two layered squared stacked chocolate cake with cream icing and cascading cluster of purple and green grapes. The bride is a 1993 graduate

of Coahoma High School. She attended Howard College and is currently employed by Medi-Mart Pharmacy as a pharmacist technician.

The groom is a 1995 graduate of Big Spring High School and attended Howard College. He is now attending San Angelo State University Nursing School.

Following a wedding trip to the Cayman Islands and Cozumel, the couple have made their home in San Angelo.

Marlee Matlin will play against type in TV movie LOS ANGELES (AP) typed. Being a woman and being someone who's deaf, they Imagine Marlee Matlin playing would say, 'Oh no, no, no, she

the prime suspect in the stabbing death of a political candi-Nah, the Academy Award-

winning actress' screen image is too upright and honorable, right? Matlin shows a different side of herself as a performer and

takes a slap at stereotypes in "Where the Truth Lies," airing 9 p.m. EDT Monday on Lifetime. Dana Sue Lacey (Matlin) runs

a floral shop in Memphis, Tenn., where she coordinates the state senate campaign of a friend, Dr. Sander Morgan.

Before the election, Sander is murdered and Dana, the only witness, becomes the prime suspect. She calls on defense attorney Lillian Rose Martin, played by Regina King, to prove her innocence. Dana is acquitted, but Lillian feels unsettled about the verdict. A tangled web of suspects emerges in Lillian's quest to find the real murderer.

"It's certainly different for me," Matlin said, her fingers flying in sign language interpreted by longtime friend Jack

"I do feel like I get stereo-

couldn't possibly do that and we couldn't possibly believe that she's the murderer.' I wanted the audience to have the sympathy and use it against them in a way."

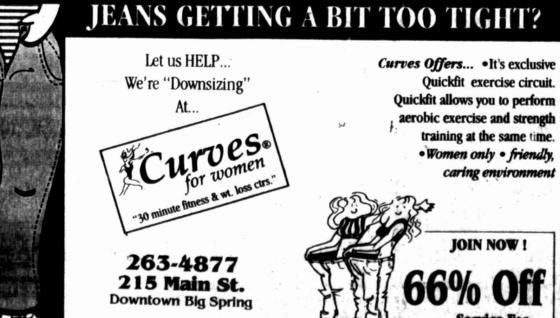
Like Matlin, her character is deaf and uses sign language and an interpreter. Matlin speaks some lines, but the movie's focus is on the suspense of finding the murderer.

"I avoid roles that have to do with deaf stories. Don't misunderstand me, I have to accept the fact that I'm a person who's hearing-impaired, but I don't want the story to be about being deaf," she said. Matlin said she wasn't being

offered the roles she wants, so she formed her own production company, Solo One. "If you want to be out there working, you have to come up with it yourself," she said.

Matlin notes there are jobs for deaf actors in television, but she would like to see them carry a film.

"But in this business, it's not easy the way it works," she said. "It's not going to be something that ever happens right in the near future.'



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WEDNESDAY-Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, brussel spouts, fruited gelatin, milk/rolls, cookies.

THURSDAY-Hamburgers, lettuce/tomatoes, french fries, beans, milk/buns, pies.

FRIDAY-Brisket, baked potatoes, beans, salad, milk/rolls,

ELBOW SCHOOL MONDAY-Soft bean taco, spanish rice, salad, fruit, milk.

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WEDNESDAY-Frito beans, salad, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY-Hamburger, potato chips, salad/pickle, fruit,

FRIDAY-Braised beef w/rice, green beans, peaches, hot rolls,

SANDS SCHOOL

MONDAY-Mustang sandwich. ranch style beans, cake or fruit, milk.

TUESDAY-Chicken fajita burritos, salad, corn, fruit, milk. WEDNESDAY-Frito pie, salad, pinto beans, cornbread,

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FRIDAY-Beef & cheese lasagna, salad, fruit, blackeye

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COAHOMA SCHOOLS MONDAY-Nacho grande, baked beans, fruit, spice cake,

TUESDAY-Chef salad, crackers (corndogs/fries), fresh fruit

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Brandon Adexander Senter,

boy, Sept. 2, 1999, 1:20 p.m., six

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Maria Nieto and Camilo and

Sharon Nieto, all of Big Spring.

Alejandra Maria Villa, girl,

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es long; parents are Mary Alice

and Stephanie Nieto.

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WEDNESDAY-Chicken

THURSDAY-Taco beef pie (bologna sandwiches), pinto beans, spanish rice, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY-BBQ sausage (burritos), macaroni/cheese, corn, fruit cup, bread, milk.

BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY MONDAY-Chili dog, potato rounds, pineapple, pickle spears, milk.

TUESDAY-Charbroiled meatballs, mashed potatoes, green beans, mixed fruit, hot roll,

WEDNESDAY-Chicken fajita, tortilla, black beans, spanish rice, fruit cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY-Philly steak sandwich, waffle fries, celery sticks w/peanut butter, banana,

FRIDAY-Southwest chicken

Grandparents are Guadalupe

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STANTON SCHOOLS

MONDAY-Hot dog or burrito/chili, buttered corn, veggie sticks, fruit cup, milk, fruit drink.

TUESDAY-spaghetti or corndog, green beans, tossed salad, fruit gelatin, french bread, milk, fruit drink.

WEDNESDAY-Steak fingers chicken nuggets, potatoes/gravy, broccoli/cheese, peaches, hot roll, milk, fruit

THURSDAY-Corndog or chili fries, pinto beans, tossed salad, fruit cup, cornbread, milk, fruit

FRIDAY-Pizza or baked potato, buttered peas, tossed salad, fruit cup, milk, fruit drink.

GETTING

ENGAGED

Lee Ann Richardson and Brant Ford Farris will exchange wedding vows on Sept. 25, at the First United Methodist Church in Bowie.

She is the daughter of Larry and Toni Richardson of Bowie. He is the son of Ford and Debney Farris of Mansfield, formerly of Big Spring. He is also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes and the greatgrandson of Mrs. Gladys . Winters, all of Big Spring.

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Brooks - Black Lab mix, 3plus yrs. old, male, neutered Faith - Cream and brown,

Shelbe - Sheltie mix, 2 yrs.

Retta - Black and white female, spayed, 2-plus yrs. old, Border Collie mix

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BEST SELLERS

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LaHaye and Jerry B. Jenkins (Tyndale House) 5. "In Pursuit of the Proper

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7. "White Oleander" by Janet Fitch (Little, Brown) 8. "The Killing Game" by Iris Johansen (Bantam)

9. "Mother of Pearl" by Melinda Haynes (Hyperion) 10. "The Edge" by Catherine Coulter (Putnam)

NONFICTION/GENERAL

1. "Tuesdays With Morrie" by Mitch Albom (Doubleday) 2. "Life Strategies" by Phillip C. McGraw (Hyperion)

3. "Suzanne Somers' Get Skinny on Fabulous Food" by Suzanne Somers (Crown) 4. "Yesterday, I Cried" by

Iyanla Vanzant (Simon & Schuster) 5. "The Art of Happiness" by

The Dalai Lama (Riverhead) 6. "Body for Life" by Bill Phillips and Michael D'Orso' (HarperCollins)

"Sugar Busters!" by

Steward, Bethea, Andrews, Balart (Ballantine) 8. "The Greatest Generation" by Tom Brokaw (Random

9. "Diana in Search of Herself' by Sally Bedell Smith (Times Books)

10. "The Other Side and Back" by Sylvia Browne (Dutton)

MASS MARKET PAPER-BACKS

1. "When the Wind Blows" by James Patterson (Warner)

2. "Dr. Atkins' New Diet 3. "Dark Lady" by Richard Revolution" by Robert C. Atkins (Avon)

3. "Unspeakable" by Sandra Brown (Warner)

4. "Rainbow Six" by Tom Clancy (Berkley) 5. "Still Waters" by Tami I.

Long (Bantam) "Protein Power" by Michael R. Eades and Mary Dan Eades (Bantam)

7. "Point of Origin" by Patricia Cornwell (Berkley) 8. "Summer Sisters" by Judy Blume (Dell)

9. "The Klone and I" by Danielle Steel (Delacorte) 10. "The Reef" by Nora Roberts (Jove)

TRADE PAPERBACKS

1. "The Pilot's Wife" by Anita Shreve (Back Bay Books) 2. "Memoirs of a Geisha" by

Arthur Golden (Vintage) 3. "Angela's Ashes" by Frank

McCourt (Touchstone) 4. "Chicken Soup for the College Soul" by Canfield, Hansen, Kirberger, Clark (Health Communication)

5. "In the Meantime" by Iyanla Vanzant (Fireside) 6. So Left Behrid ' by Tim LaHaye and Jerry B. Jenkins (Tyndale House)

7. "Suzanne Somers' Eat Great, Lose Weight" by Suzanne Somers (Three Rivers) 8. "Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood'' by Rebecca Wells (HarperPerennial)

9. "Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil" by John Berendt (Vintage)

10. "The Seat of the Soul" by Gary Zukov (Fireside)

Hispanic groups launch TV viewers' boycott starting today

tion of Hispanic organizations is calling for a boycott of the four major networks during the first two weeks of the TV season to protest "the continued invisibility of Latinos on televi-

The "brownout" of ABC. CBS, Fox and NBC begins Sunday and continues through

The National Council of La Raza, which is coordinating the boycott, counts just one Hispanic — Martin Sheen, on NBC's "The West Wing" among the lead characters in the 38 new series premiering this fall.

Three others continue on returning series: Bruno Campos (NBC's "Jesse"), and, on CBS, Hector Elizondo ("Chicago Hope") and Cheech

Marin ("Nash Bridges"). While Hispanics constitute 11

percent of the U.S. population. they make up less than 2 percent of all characters on primetime shows, according to Lisa Navarrete, a spokeswoman for La Raza.

The results of the boycott will not be measured by ratings, she said. "If we can educate a large proportion of the community and others who are interested in this issue, then we've succeeded," Navarrete said.

Responding to the planned boycott, CBS spokesman Chris Ender said, "We have talented Latinos in leading roles, but we recognize that there needs to be more representation both in front of the camera and behind the camera." "We are making improve-

ments and understand that we need to do more," ABC said in a statement. "This is an ongoing process and ABC is deeply committed to it.

New residents of Big Spring

welcomed recently by Joy Fortenberry and the Newcomer Greeting Service include the following:

and sons Charlie and Sam, Orange Grove. He is the pastor of First Christian Church. Bill and Dee Owen,

· Jimmy and Rayleen Watson

Midland. He works for Gerhardts Oil Field Supply in Midland, and she is the Kentwood Elementary princi-

WHO'S

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The Admissions and Records

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College at Sweetwater just

released the President's Honor Roll for the Summer 1999

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Jerry and Tammy Bethel **NEWCOMERS** and son Bret, Willcox, Ariz. He is employed by Fiesta Dodge Plymouth Jeep-Eagle.

· Stan and Ann Stonkowski, Las Vegas, Nev. He is retired from the military. · Chris Leyva and Emily

Chamness, Odessa. They are both students at Howard College. · Alan and Elizabeth Luethje, daughter Daniell and sons Ben, Matthew and Jeremiah,

Don's Tire Service. Austin, Colorado City. She does

Grantic City, Ill. He works for

· Laurie Taylor and son cashier work.

President's Honor Roll. The following students from the local area were recognized for their academic excellence: Matt Crawford, John Kaelin, Jason McVean, Kevin Menges, Tracey Pounds, all of Big Spring, Julie Hernandez of Coahoma, and Santos Ruiz of Loraine.

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Company to pay rivals up to \$1 million for failure to produce documents

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - State Southwestern Bell to pay as much as \$1 million in compensation to two companies trying to enter the Texas long-distance telephone market.

It is the first such penalty the Public Utility Commission has assessed against the state's dominant local phone company. The commission found Bell failed to disclose documents sought & Covad Communications Co. Rhythms Net Connections Inc., Internet companies wanting to

The commission voted 3-0 Thursday to require the subsidiary of San Antonio's SBC Communications Inc. to pay the smaller companies' legal costs, which could run up to \$1 mil-

trying to convince the PUC it has opened its markets to competitors, a necessary step in gaining approval to enter Texas' long-distance market.

Covad and Rhythms Net want to hook up to Southwestern Bell's network to offer highspeed high-speed ADSL Internet "If Bell had been upfront with us, we would have been done with this a lot sooner."

-Chris Goodpastor,

Bell. Their hearing, which began in April, would establish the terms under which they would access the network.

Santa Clara, Calif.-based Rhythms Net lawyer Lawrence Covad and Englewood, Colo.based Rhythms Net argued that Bell's failure to supply documents they requested for the hearing set back their efforts to. enter the Texas market.

"If Bell had been upfront with us, we would have been done with this a lot sooner," Chris Goodpastor, Covad's senior counsel, told the San Antonio Express-News.

After the companies requested documents relating to their case, Bell turned over 60 pages of paperwork to Covad's and ally Rhythms Net's lawyer's, said

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S. Smith.

But later, after a Bell employee mentioned related documents during cross-examination, more than 15 additional boxes turned up, Smith said. Covad and Rhythm then called about 20 more witnesses.

"This was not a trivial matter," Smith said. "A tremendous amount of material was turned up, and it went to the heart of the issues in our case

But Bell officials said they left the documents out unintention-

They blamed the slip-up on

the volume of paperwork for the proceeding, and said they plan to cooperate with the PUC and

pay the legal bills. "It wasn't our intention to leave anything out," Bell spokesman Bill Maddox said.

"We had to produce 32,000 documents over a five-day period." He contends Bell's failure to provide the papers didn't delay either company's efforts to com-

Bell reached interim agreements with Covad and Rhythms three months ago that let them access the Bell network and offer ADSL, he said.

Cooler temps cause fungal woes in yards

compete in long distance.

ith cooler temperatures just around the corner, many begin seeing a higher incidence of fungal related prob-

lems in their vards, trees. shrubs and gardens. Cooler, damper temperatures, especially at night, bring a greater incidence of fungal related problems. Be careful

DAVID KIGHT

not to get water on the foliage of your plants, and water in the early morning hours when moisture and humidity is lower. Cooler temperatures and higher humidity during the night increase the chances for fungal related

problems if you water at night. There are several broad spectrum fungicides that are very effective if fungal related problems occur. They are to bet used at labeled rates and coverage is to be made over all of the plant material, not just the infected portion of the plant. Fungal spores are always present in the atmosphere so what we must do is prevent the best conditions for fungal problems from occurring.

For additional information, contact the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, Howard County, at 264-2236.

Ag commissioner to visit Big Spring on Saturday, Oct. 9 **HERALD Staff Report**

Susan Combs, elected last November as the first woman to ever serve the state of Texas Commissioner Agriculture, will be in Big Spring on Saturday, Oct. 9.

Commissioner Susan Combs will be here for a Texas Department of Agriculturesponsored (TDA) town hall meeting at 5:30 p.m. at Howard College.

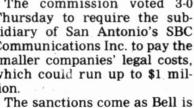
The meeting will be in the Fireplace Room of the Student Union Building

"I want to hear first-hand what's on the minds of the farmers, ranchers and citizens of our rural communities," Combs said. "I want to know what issues are affecting them, their families and their community and to hear their ideas and solutions for the

The town hall meeting is one in a series of meetings Combs is planning between Sept. 8 and Oct. 9.

TDA is working with the Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and various commodity groups to organize the meetings, which will all be free and open to the public.

Other meetings are Sept. 8, Titus County Civic Center, Mr. Pleasant at 9:30 a.m. and Angelina County Extension Office in Lufkin at 3:30 p.m.; on Sept. 9, Winnie-Stowell Community Center. Winnie at 9 a.m.; on Sept. 14, Victoria National Victoria at 2:30 p.m.; and on Sept. 20, Uvalde Senior Citizens Center, Uvalde at



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Covad senior counsel

Deidra Whatley, longtime Big Spring nurse, was honored Friday when Scenic Mountain Medical Center officials named the northwest building on the hospital campus in her honor.

In the top photo, Mrs. Whatley and Scenic Mountain CEO Loren Chandler pull the cover from the sign designating "Whatley Medical Plaza."

In the bottom photo, Mrs. Whatley, Chandler and members of her family are joined by the Big Spring Ambassadors Club for the ribbon cutting officially dedicating the

building. Mrs. Whatley began her career at Malone and Hogan Clinic Hospital when it was located on Main Street and moved to the hospital's current location when the building was

built. She told the audience of more than 150 persons that those who had been on the staff a long time still called it "the new hospital."

Big Spring Mayor Tim Blackshear also read a proclamation designating Friday as "Deidra Whatley Day."

HERALD photos/John H. Walker

4 companies reach tentative settlement in royalty lawsuit

LUFKIN (AP) - Four major oil companies have reached tentative agreements with U.S. prosecutors who had accused them of cooperating in schemes to shortchange the government by millions of dollars.

The tentative settlement, filed Friday in federal court in Lufkin, involved /about \$185 million in payments and would end a case that alleged the companies underpaid royalties by undervaluating oil extracted from federal and American Indian lands.

The settlement has yet to be finalized, the Lufkin Daily News reported in its Saturday editions.

Chevron USA Inc., BP America Inc., Amoco Oil Co. and Conoco Inc. agreed in principle to settle for \$95 million, \$32 million, \$32 million and \$26 million, respectively. The paper reported the agreement papers were filed just after 4 p.m. with U.S. District Judged John Hannah Jr.

Ken Dodd, the Assistant U.S. Attorney in Beaumont who is handling the case, refused comment on reports of a settlement.

Two Lufkin attorneys who have represented the oil companies said they were not aware of the deal, but told the News that a settlement was not surprising.

The 1996 lawsuit alleges that the companies, their affiliates and subsidiaries knowingly defrauded the government in royalties derived from the production of crude oil from lands spanning more than 27 million acres in 21 states.

According to the lawsuit, the defendants have underpaid oil royalties by calculating the royalties based on fraudulently deflated wellhead prices from as far back as 1988.

It alleged the schemes involved more than 6.000 onshore and offshore leases in Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, California, Alabama, Alaska, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Colorado, Arizona, Florida, Kansas, Michigan, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico, Nevada, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming.

In the court documents filed Friday, an accompanying motion said U.S. prosecutors wanted a stay of discovery

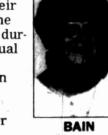
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IN THE NEWS

A number of City of Big Spring employees were recognized for their service to the

community during the annual **Employee** Appreciation Day Picnic. TERESA BAIN, water





tary SHIRLEY CROSS was

employee of the year. Others were recognized for their length of service to the community.

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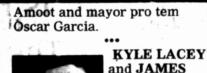
received the longest tenure award for his 35 years' service to the community. Other employees were presented awards for 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 years service by city

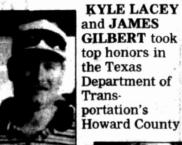
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The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce will hold another Business After Hours get-together at 5 p.m. on Thursdayat Beth Ann's.

The informal, come-and-go event will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., The public is invited and there is no charge. Business After Hours is a

chamber program designed to encourage networking and to showcase sponsors.

Door prizes will be given away. Refreshments will be

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The number of rigs actively exploring for oil and natural gas in the United States rose this week by 19 to 690.

Of the rigs running nationwide, 128 were exploring for oll, 561 for gas, and one was listed as miscellaneous, Houston-based Baker Hughes Inc. reported Friday, During the same week last year, Baker Hughes has kept track of the count since 1944. The tally peaked at 4,530 on Dec. 28, 1981.

Of the major oil-and gas-producing states, New Mexico gained seven rigs, Louisiana gained six, Texas gained four nd Wyoming gained or

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Jewelers predict millennium, aging baby boomers translate into profits

DALLAS (AP) - If you've year," said Robert DiNicola, been thinking about welcoming the new millennium with a diamond for that special someone, jewelers hope you're not alone.

Already riding the crest of several consecutive strong years, jewelry stores from the biggest chains to the shop on the corner expect this year's holiday season and the year 2000 to be great for business.

"The jewelry business is a business of love and emotion and special occasions. I don't think there is a special occasion quite like the millennium. I see it being a huge, huge jewelry year, especially a diamond boomers are now in their mid-

chairman of Irving-based Zale Corp., which operates Zales Jewelers, Gordon's Jewelers, Bailey Banks & Biddle Fine Jewelry and other chains.

Some analysts minimize the jewelers' excitement, but they too acknowledge the promise of glittering profits for peddlers of gold and other baubles in the new century. Much of the that optimism is based on demographics — the inexorable march of 76 million baby boomers into the prime jewelry buying years.

The leading edge of baby

50s, with the youngest boomers from one generation to the next. around 40. The prime jewelrybuying years are 45 to 60, according to Ken Gassman of Davenport & Co. in Richmond, Va., and author of a recent report on the industry.

In addition to getting older. those baby boomers are accumulating lots of money, partly from the long stock market rally, and industry studies show that wealthy people buy three times as much jewelry as their less-affluent neighbors.

Finally, economists also say that as the parents of baby boomers die, we will witness the greatest shift ever in wealth Boomers who have paid down their mortgages, cars and children's education will be tempted to spend some of the inheritance on luxury items, analysts

"As disposable income has increased, so have jewelry purchases, which have been rising 6 (percent) or 7 percent a year,' said Richard Zimmerman, an analyst " with Jannev Montgomery Scott

Philadelphia. "Jewelry isn't bought — it's sold. As long as jewelers market their products well, they'll continue to do well," Zimmerman Several jewelry industry

Jewelers are turning their marketing mettle to carving out new markets, especially for men, and high-end products such as platinum.

They're expanding to the Internet, noting the success of QVC and other television retailers at selling jewelry. "Many of the direct buyers - I like to call them the desperate male — they hate to shop, and they love the convenience of the Web," DiNicola said.

And the industry is talking up this little matter of the calen-

glants are trying to stoke demand with baubles fied to the changing of the millennium. There are rings and bracelets inscribed with special millenni- 43 um messages. The folks at Lazare Kaplan International are selling a limited edition diamond with "millennium 2000" bimpressed in such they script that you'll need a powerful looking plass to read it. Analysts are dubious that the

pricey items will be big sellers. To Mr. and Mrs. Average Customer, it's been a big yawn so far." said Gassman, the Davenport analyst. "But it's,

Drought trims crop production to provide modest price boost

drought has taken its toll on farmers who grow corn, soybeans and cotton, cutting yields up to a third in some states while providing a modest increase in depressed commodity prices, the government said Friday.

crop conditions, the Agriculture Department predicted that farmers will harvest 9.4 billion bushels of corn this year, 2 percent under last month's forecast. The expected cotton harvest is down 4 percent, and the forecast for soybeans fell 3 per-

"I don't see a whole lot of opti-

WASHINGTON (AP) — The mism at this point," USDA worse. The more states that get economist Larry Salathe said.

The crop losses are likely to increase pressure on Congress to fatten its planned bailout of the agricultural economy.

The Senate approved \$7.4 billion in farm aid last month to compensate growers for a sec-Based on its latest survey of ond year of low commodity prices. The Clinton administration is preparing its own proposal that is likely to include additional assistance for weather-related losses. The White House is considering recommending as much as \$800 million, Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., said.,

"The drought has gotten

hit, the more votes that show up for some kind of assistance package," said Mary Kay Thatcher, a lobbyist for the American Farm Bureau Federation.

USDA estimates the drought will cost farmers \$1.1 billion. It initially did the most damage in Ohio, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and other eastern states, but it has since spread across the South.

Tennessee and parts of Vermont and New Hampshire were declared agricultural disaster areas Friday, making farmers there eligible for lowinterest loans.

All or parts of 16 other states the 111 bushels they got in 1998 already received the designa-

Cotton yields are expected to be down this year in three of the six top-producing states: Texas, Mississippi and North Carolina.

in some places, but in other places it's coming up short,' said Jim Carrington, a spokesman for the Mississippi Farm Bureau. Rainfall in parts of Mississippi is as much as a

We've got some good cotton

foot below normal. Meanwhile, farmers Pennsylvania are expected to harvest just 72 bushels of corn to the acre this year, down from

bushels per acre. Soybean yields are off by a fourth in Pennsylvania and down a third in Kentucky. in Ohio, corn vields are expected to drop from 141 to 125 bushels an acre this year.

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yield nationally this year of 134

By comparison, corn yields in Iowa, which has had plenty of rain, are expected to soar to 151 bushels, up from 145 last year.

The department has raised its estimate of what farmers will receive for sovbeans this year to \$4.80 a bushel, up 30 cents from last month, but that's well under the average price two years ago of \$6.47. The price for corn rose a nickel from last month's forecast to \$1.96 a

Taxpayers, not farmers, could be the biggest beneficiaries of

the higher commodity prices. especially for soybeans, because the increase will be offset by reduced federal crop subsidies. payments triggered when commodity prices fall to very low levels. Prices have been depressed for the past two years. because of a worldwide glut of a: grain and the poor economies of Asia and Russia.

USDA lowered its estimate of this year's average wheat price by 10 cents to \$2.60 a bushel. down from \$3.38 two years ago. While American farmers reduced production this year. big wheat crops in Canada and Argentina are expected to offset the drop in the U.S. harvest.

Although conservatives have ** balked at the size of the Senate s > farm-relief package, farm-state legislators say it's almost a foregone conclusion that it will pass.

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Court Records:

Warranty deeds: grantor: Jack E. Rogers and Patricia

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against the oil companies so that the settlement can be approved by all parties.

After Friday's court papers were filed, in-house attorneys for the oil companies did not immediately return calls made by the News seeking comment.

When the case was filed in 1996, oil production in the U.S. had not dropped to today's regard lows.

Also, the demand for refined exceeded 17.7 million bertels a day, according to the

lawsuit

"Normally this would create a seller's market for the U.S.'s royalty oil which totals hundreds of thousands of barrels a day," the lawsuit said. "However, as a result of the schemes alleged herein, no

such seller's markets exists." The lawsuit was originally filed under provisions of the False Claims Act that would entitle the private plaintiffs to a portion of the funds if any recovery is made. The government would be entitled to triple the amount of losses plus civil penalties.

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ODESSA, TX. - The largest independent used car and truck dealer in West Texas has just announced plans to repeat the largest one-day used vehicle sales event in Odessa's history. This event will take place Saturday, September 18th, 1999. The sales location at 6101 E. Hwy. 60 has been selected because of it's enormous capacity. This General Fleet lot (#6) will accommodate more than 500 cars in a single location. "We have more vehicles in stock than ever before. We have rental (program) cars, luxury cars, travel vans, diesels, crew cabs, duallys, inexpensive school cars, work cars, commercial trucks, and fixer-up cars, trucks and vans. I've been given orders to sell some 2000 cars and trucks for as little as \$99.99 just to move them. We haven't been taking cars to the big aucjust to move them. we haven to be a service of have been thous and now they are stacked up everywhere. "I have been thousand now they are stacked up everywhere." ordered to move excess inventory", said Joey Lee. The go er went on to say. "I will sail some vehicles for \$1000.00 to \$3500.00 less than they would normally be priced."

General Fleet Brokers Inc.'s inventory has grown tremen because of an influx of trade-ins acquired from new case alers. These cars and trucks are usually wholesaled to othe dealers or sold at closed dealer auction. Some of these vehicles will be sold ASIS, but most have been inspected and recom-tioned to the highest standards and therefore are eligible a all of our normal used vehicle warranties and service policies.

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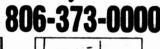
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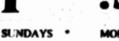
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