TUESDAY

April 3, 2001

WEATHER

Tonight:



TUESDAY 85°-90° 60°-65°

Corbin meeting for Wednesday has been moved

The steering committee meeting with Carolyn Corbin, president of the Center for the 21st Centery, has been changed to the Big Spring Area Chamber

Commerce boardroom. The meeting is set for Wednesday from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m. and will discuss the her May 8 conference on developing a clearer vision of the future of Big Spring.

Corbin is the president of a Dallas-based socioeconomic think tank the provides executive briefings, research and analysis, consulting, organizational training and special studies in critical 21 century issues.

WHAT'S UP... TODAY

☐ Intermediate Line Dance class, 9 a.m., Senior Citizens Center.

Coahoma Senior Citizens luncheon, 11 a.m., Coahoma Community Center.

☐ Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room. □ VFW Post No. 2013,

VFW Hall, 7 p.m., 500 Driver Road. ☐ American Red Cross

will meet at Canterbury South at 7 p.m. ☐ Sheriff's Posse,

meets at 7 p.m. at the clubhouse on Andrews Highway. Big Spring Chapter

67, Order of the Eastern Star, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge, 219 Main.

WEDNESDAY

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

☐ Line dancing, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Center.

☐ Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics, 10 a.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center cafeteria. People 50 and older are

invited to participate. Beginning line dance class, 10:30-11:30a.m. Contact Margarita Durand-Hollis

at the Dance Gallery. ☐ Big Spring Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

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New exhibitors swell list of Arts and Crafts Show offerings

By LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

exhibitors New returning favorites will combine to make the 12th annual Spring City Arts and Crafts Show Saturday and Sunday

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bigger than it's ever been.

'We are up from last p.m. on Sunday. year," said Mel Prather, organizer of the event. "We probably have 40 to 50 more booths this year."

This year's event is expected to bigger with more variety as artists and crafters from throughout the Southwest will fill the foyer, concourse and main arena with original art and handcrafted items.

Saturday and from noon to 5

No admission fee will be charged

First-time participants will offer items such as crystal jewelry, porcelain dolls, functional stoneware pottery, clay animal caricatures, tapestries, barnwood furniture, pewter crosses and original art, Prather said.

Ceramics, hair acces-Hours for the show are sories, handmade quilts,

Dorothy Garrett Coliseum from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on cookbooks, food mixes, homemade candy, metal art, candles, wood shelves, bookcases, tole painting, crystal rocks, barbed wire baskets and stained glass mosaics

will be on display.

Also back are those who will be offering dress sets, broomstick vests and skirts, birdhouses, sport quilts, barnwood furniture, "Texas" art, cedar boxes, baby bibs, floral art, Shaker furniture, belt buckles and the like.

the public to come out even if it is for just a look at what's on display.

"It is great to be around so many creative people," he said. "You could get some ideas."

Prather estimated about half of the customers who attended the two-day event are not from outside the community, meaning that the show will mean additional income for numerous local businesses.

Area students advance with strong showings at district UIL contests

Herald Staff Report

Area high school students kept busy last week compet-University Interscholastic League (UIL) district academic meets.

Coahoma and Forsan high schools advanced a total of 15 students in UIL academic competition from the District 3-2A meet held in Plains on Thursday and Friday.

Students who placed first through third and teams placing first advanced to regional competition, scheduled on April 21 at Abilene Christian University.

Students advancing for Coahoma High School are Monica Chen, who placed first in computer applications, third in science and sixth in calculators; Leslie Phinny who placed second in prose; Jesse Hall, who placed second in accounting; and Brandon Wyatt, who earned third place in current events

Also advancing from Coahoma will be James Barton, who placed second in science, third in mathematics, fourth in number sense and fifth in poetry. Barton earned the top biology award, given to the student with the highest biology score in the science competition.

Other Coahoma competitors included Haley Butts, who placed fourth in editorial, while Casi Thompson earned fifth in news writing. Tawna Jacobs was fifth

in literary criticism.

Tiffani Paige was sixth in prose; Michael Batterton was sixth in ready writing; and Lane Belew earned sixth place for mathematics and science.

The team of Barton, Chen and Belew will serve as alternates in team competition for number sense, mathematics and science, after earning second place in all three events.

The current events team of Wyatt, Brandi Hart and Belew finished in third place, as did the calculator team of Chen, Matthew Ham and Barton. The literary criticism team of Jacobs, Batterton and Ashley Woolverton also placed third.

Forsan High School had 10 students earn the chance to advance.

Advancing to regional competition are Rachel Kaelin, first in literary criticism and second in ready writing; Josh Gibson, first in Lincoln Douglas debates; Taylor Bristow, first in informative speaking and sixth editorial writing; Lori Ellis, who earned first place in news writing and secondplace in both feature writing and informative speak-

Also advancing from Forsan are Meagan Knight, who earned second place in literary criticism: Kacv Liles, second in spelling; Ashley Pierce, second in poetry; Ross Rhoton, third

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return after taking part in state meet Spending several months would not believe that there **Herald Staff Report** are everyday, normal people researching this years topic privacy in America, stuout there that can find out University whatever they want about dents prepared to argue Interscholastic League 3-2A

Dr. Maria R. Montano-Harmon speaks to members of the Big Spring High School faculty

about teaching strategies this morning. Montano-Harmon will speak with the community

about education and parents' role in their children's education at 7 tonight in the high

Coahoma, Forsan cross debate squads

Cross Debate state competition, four area high school students argued, pleaded and reasoned their case in Austin.

school auditorium.

.Coahoma High School team of sophomores James Barton and Jessie Bennett and Forsan High School team of senior Jarrett Hopper and junior Michael Thomas participated in the contest held on March 12-13.

both the pros and cons in the debate.

Students competing in cross debate learn not only the ins and outs of debate, but also a great deal about the topic, said Forsan Wendy debate coach Justiss.

"Some of the things we have come across, as far as your privacy goes, are very scary," Hopper said. "You

you."

HERALD photo/Lyndel Mood

Students debate back in forth, each speaking for about eight minutes followed by a five minute rebuttal round. In the cross examination

portion of the debate, the competing teams asks questions of each other attempting to trap the opposition

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Howard College slates Community lege's director of communipus for any number of spe-College Month events

Herald Staff Report

Howard College is joining hundreds of other community colleges across the nation in celebrating Community College Month with several special events in April.

College "Community Month is an important event at Howard College," said Marsha Jones, the col-

cations. "This is also the year that community colleges across the nation celebrate 100 years of service as two-year institutions of higher education.'

"At Howard College, we are pleased to be a part of the Big Spring and Howard County community, and we invite the public to our cam-

cial events planned," Jones continued.

Some of the events planned this month are Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts flying kites on the college campus, a blood drive on April 30, a scholarship for the first baby born in April in Howard County and the Spotlight Employee of the

'Each work day morning,

an individual on the Howard College and SWCID campus will be selected to receive a special gift and public recognition for being the Spotlight Employee of the Day," said Jones. "This has become very popular with the employees and the light bulb-shaped glass

candy dishes have become quite coveted on campus.

Other events scheduled during the month include a special "Dinner on the Ground" on Friday, followed by a Hawks baseball game at 1 p.m.

"Experienced chefs within the Howard College staff

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Alon Refinery set to hold emergency drill Thursday By CARL GRAHAM

Staff Writer

Alon USA Big Spring Refinery will conduct an emergency response drill on Thursday, according to Don Riley, the refinery's safety director.

The drill will simulate a response to an emergency at one of the five underground hydrocarbon storage facilities commonly called a salt well. The drill will test the plant's emergency response team as well as the coordinated response actions of

various local agencies. Local responders will include personnel from the Spring Big Department, Big Spring Police Department, the Howard County Sheriff's Office and the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department.

Simulated casualties will be transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center (SMMC) and the VA Medical Center. "The reason we are get-

ting all the different agencies involved is we want this to be as realistic as pos-Riley. said sible." "Everyone involved will be acting as if this was a real emergency and we will be evaluated on how well we

Texas Railroad Commission has jurisdiction over this type of facility and personnel from its Midland office will monitor and critique the drill. The sirens will sound as the drill begins near mid-morning on Thursday.

Salt wells are under ground storage facilities

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From left, Caela Strickland, Shiloh Sanders, Ross Berry, Codye Burt and Kimberly Berry take donations Saturday for the Relay For Life fund-raiser at the Wal-Mart parking lot. All five were helping the Sid Richardson "Men In Black" that were cooking burritos and fajitas to raise money for the relay.

Lucille Francis

Funeral service for Lucille Francis, 86, of Big Spring, is pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Francis died Tuesday, April 3, 2001, at her daughter's residence in San Angelo.

Lacy (Mozelle) Porter

Funeral service for Lacy (Mozelle) Porter, 95, of Big Spring is pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Porter died Monday, April 2, 2001, in a local hospital.

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in Lincoln Douglas debate; and Kesha Christian, who placed third in poetry.

Knight Kaelin, Elizabeth Sutton advance as a team in literary criticism after placing first in the district contest.

Serving as alternates are Syliva Roy, who took fourth place in accounting; and Haley Burks, a fourth-place finisher in persuasive speaking.

Other Forsan competitors included Neal Doring, who earned fifth place in accounting; Staci Borel, fifth in Lincoln Douglas debates; Michael Thomas, fifth in persuasive speaking and prose; Cassie Christian, fifth in prose; Chelsea Ferguson, sixth in accounting; and Jennifer Lopez, sixth in computer applications

Plains High School earned the highest overall score for the event while Forsan finished second followed by Coahoma in third and Stanton in fourth.

Other high schools in the included: competition Colorado City and Seagraves

Sands and Grady students competed in the District 9-A academic competition held in Gail on Tuesday and Thursday.

Sands sent two students on to regional competition which will be staged at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene on April 20-21.

They are Amanda Watkins, who placed third in spelling and vocabulary, and Ben Campbell, second in science, advanced.

Other Sands competitors included Steven Nichols, who placed fourth in current events; Brandi Woods,

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Marvin Winston Fuqua died Sunday Graveside services are 4:00 PM today at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

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www.npwelch.com Elder William J. Peterson. 83, died Saturday. Services will be 2:00 PM Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Mrs. Lacy (Mozelle) Porter, 95, died Monday. Services are pending.

Lucille Francis, 86, died Tuesday. Services are pending.

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who was fifth in prose; Hollie Gibbs, who earned sixth in feature writing and ready writing; and Tinsey Grigg, who placed sixth in literary criticism.

Grady had 11 students advance to the regional competition.

Leading the way for Grady High School was Scott Swift, who earned first place in mathematics, number sense, science, biology, chemistry and physics, as well as finishing in third place in calculator applica-

He will be joined at regional by Haley Madison, who took first place in news writing and fifth place in feature writing; and Samantha Yates, who finished first in feature writing, fourth in news writing and sixth in headline writ-

The calculator application team of Mary Harryman, Swift and Blythe Long; the number sense team of Swift, Trent May and Eric Tunnell; and the science team of Swift, Kristyn Hambleton and Joshua Tunnell also advanced to regional - all of them winning at the district level.

Also advancing were Harryman, second in calculator application; Hambleton, second in biology, third in editorial writing, third in ready writing and fifth in science; Audra Cooper, second in news writing, third in feature writing and fourth in poetry interpretation; Tunnell, third in science and fourth in computer application; and Whitney Hanks, third in prose inter-

Long placed fourth in calculator application, Callie Harryman placed sixth in calculator application and Lee Ann Miller placed sixth in current issues and events.

The mathematics team of Swift, Josh Tunnell and Eric Tunnell placed as a regional alternate.

On March 24, Garden City competed in the UIL District 8-A Academic Meet held at Odessa Junior College and will send six students to regional compe tition on April 20 at South Plains College in Levelland.

Advancing are T.J. Pelzel, who earned first place in computer science; M'Lynn Niehues, who was first in science and second in computer applications; and Ryan Batla, second in sci-

computer science The Pelzel, Erik team of and Brady Halfmann Kujawski and the science team of Niehues, Ryan Batla and Boyd Batla, both advanced to regional competition after first-place finish-

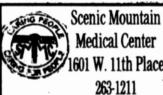
Summer Eoff placed fourth in ready writing for Garden City; Curtis Eggemeyer placed sixth in accounting; Rhetta Alvarado placed fifth in headline writing; and Halfmann placed sixth in computer science.

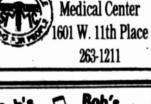
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into their position.

"The debate can last from hour and a half up to hour and 45 minutes," said Carrie Conley, Coahoma High School debate coach. "When you have four debates in one day, it can last close to 10 hours. It is exhausting.'







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Barton and Bennet won two of their debates and lost two, while Hopper and Thomas' state showing was one win, three losses. The teams qualified in district contest on Feb. 14 held in Stanton with Barton and Bennet placing first in District 3-2A, while Hopper and Thomas were second.

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will prepare food which employees may enjoy picnic style," Jones said. "Following the picnic, a Hawks baseball game at Jack Barber Field will provide entertainment for all employees who chose to Friday attend. Community College Day, and employees may leave their office to attend the pic-

nic and game. A special luncheon has also been scheduled for 25 which April Secretaries Day.

Jones credited the Community Involvement Committee with organizing the month's activities.

"This committee is very special, and very involved, she said. "Folks may have seem some of us at Around the World in 80 Bites, where we served more than 16 pounds of stuffed jalapeno peppers. We invite everyone to visit our campuses during the month."

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created by using water to flush out caverns in the salt beds. The zones are very stable and are able to hold the large volumes of LPGs under pressure. Salt wells are an important part of the local refinery and have been used safely since the 1950s at the local plant.

Fina Oil and Chemical Company sold the original Southwest Business Unit, including the local refinery to Alon USA LP in August

BRIEFS

COAHOMA'S 23RD KINDER-ANNUAL **GARTEN** stick horse rodeo will be 9 a.m., April 5, in the Coahoma Elementary School gym. Everyone is

ELBOW ELEMENTARY WILL HAVE a pre-registration Kindergarten Easter Egg Hunt. This will be for those children who plan to attend Kindergarten at Elbow Elementary for the school semester of 2001-2002. To qualify for Kindergarten the child must be 5 years old before Sept. 1, 2001. The parent attending this Easter Egg Hunt will need to bring the child's shot records, birth certificate and social security card. The parent will also be asked to fill out registration papers and a home language survey.

FORSAN ISD WILL BEGIN accepting applications for new transfers on April 2 at 9:30 a.m. in the Superindendent's office.

THE HANGAR 25 AIR MUSEUM, located at the McMahon Wrinkle Airpark, will be open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to

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noon and 1 to 4 p.m; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Sunday 1:30 to 4 p.m. The museum will be closed on all city holidays.

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A RELAY FOR LIFE TEAM Captain meeting will be held at 6 p.m., Thursday, April 5 at First Baptist Church. Enter through the southeast

SPRING TABERNACLE CHURCH, 1209 Wright, has free food for the area needy from 10 a.m. to noon every Thursday.

VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA) volunteers have been trained by the Internal Revenue Service and will be preparing 2000 Income Tax Returns for individuals beginning Monday, Feb. 5, and each Monday until April 9, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Senior Citizens Center, 1901 Simler Drive.

This is for all citizens, and there is no charge. Please bring your tax booklet received from the IRS, all W-2s, 1099s and other documents received showing 2000 income as well as your 1999 Income Tax Return. If you cannot come at that time or need further assistance, please call Dorothy Kennemur at 398-5522, or the senior center at 267-1628.

SUPPORT GROUPS

TODAY

· Caregivers Night Out, meets every fourth Tuesday every other month from 6 -7:30 p.m. at Community Care Hospice.

•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephen's Catholic Church, room 17, 4601 Neeley, Midland Call 263-

 Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12

WEDNESDAY

•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephen's Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-

·Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12

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SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activities between noon Saturday through 8 a.m. today: AVEL ABREO

RAMIREZ, 54, of 1504 W. Cherokee, was arrested on a charge of criminal trespass in habitation. (BSPD) • RUBY SMITH, 40, of

1508 Wood, was arrested on

a motion to revoke probation. (HCSO) JAMES DUANE JACK-SON, 26, of Gorman, was arrested on a charge of unauthorized use of a

motor vehicle. (HCSO)

 WELDON BRYANT DANIELS, 37, of 807 Anna, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana. (BSPD)

 HECTOR ROBLES **MELENDEZ**, 21, of 817 W. 7th, was arrested on a charge of driving while license suspended. (BSPD)

 ANDY WAYNE JOHN-SON, 36, of 504 Baylor, was arrested on a charge of driving while license suspended. (BSPD)

 JOHNNY LEE DUGAN, 52, of 1411 Princeton, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated. (BSPD)

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activities between 8 a.m. Monday through 8 a.m. today:

 MELANIE PATTER-**SON**, 28, of 2306 Thorpe, was arrested on local war-

· SANDRA JO SILVA, 28, of 710 Creighton, was arrested on a local warrant.

· RAFAEL LOPEZ, 56, of 508 1/2 Father Delaney Street, was arrested on a

charge of public intoxica-

• LONNIE RANSOM, 57, of 1714 11th Place, was arrested on local warrants.

consumption. RICKY LEE HAG-**GARD**, 29, of 1607 E. 6th, was arrested on local war-

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following weekend report for the weekend ending at 8

a.m. Monday, April 2: · ASSAULT, 1 ASSAULT/FAMILY

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 CONVENIENCE **STORE**, 13 BEER, 2 **GAS**, 10 • INCIDENTS, 6

· ACCIDENTS, 5 MAJOR, 1 MINOR, 4 ARRESTS, 19

FIRE/EMS

The following is a summary of the Big Spring Fire Department and EMS:

6:53 a.m. — 900 block of Goliad, trauma call, one patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

12:44 p.m. — SMMC, medical call, one patient transported to residence.

11:13 p.m. - 1700 block of Lancaster, trauma call, service refused.

RECORDS

Monday's high 90 Monday's low 62 Precip. Monday 0.00 Record high 94 in 1928 Record low 26 in 1975 Average high 78 Average low 46 Month to date 0.00 Year to date 2.84 SunriseWednesday 6:30 a.m. Sunset Wednesday 7:08 p.m.

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Bush demands crew's return, awaits contact from China

The United States wants to find a diplomatic solution to a standoff with China over the collision of two military planes but is not about to issue an apology, the U.S. ambassador to Beijing said Tuesday. '

"I've been a Navy pilot for 35 years, and I think the assertions they (Chinese officials) described for the collision are extremely unlikely, including where the fault lies," Ambassador Joseph Prueher såid from Beijing in an interview with

CBS' "The Early Show." "We really want to work this out through diplomatic channels," Prueher, a retired admiral, said. Asked

whether he would have a problem apologizing for the incident, which has ratcheted up tensions between the two nations, Prueher

'As a matter of fact, I do have a problem with it and I think our government would have a problem with it as well." He criticized "these assertions ... from the Foreign Ministry and ting for the last two nights as we have been talking to the Chinese" - that the United States is to blame.

China is holding the U.S. spy plane and its 24 crew members. Chinese officials have said the crew members are safe

'The facts are, our aircraft was operating in international airspace and was on a routine surveillance mission when the collision occurred," Prueher said.

"The responsibility fully lies with the American

the message I have been get- side," Chinese President America," said, "We have Jiang Zemin was quoted by Foreign Ministry spokesman Zhu Bangzao. "We have full evidence for

> The United States is demanding that China return the crew and their EP-3E Aries II surveillance plane, which made an emergency landing on the Chinese island of Hainan after the collision with a Chinese fighter jet early

> Prueher, interviewed on "Good Morning

every reason to think the Chinese have been all over the airplane," which is crammed with sophisticated surveillance equipment.

President Bush sternly called on China to hand over the crew and plane but gave no indication how the United States might react if China delays or refuses.

"Failure of the Chinese government to react promptly to our request is inconsistent with standard diplomatic practice, and with the expressed desire of both our tions," Bush said Monday.

China said U.S. officials would have access to the crew no sooner than Tuesday. But China did not promise to release either the plane or the crew.

The United States sent three representatives from its embassy in Beijing to see the plane's crew. The Navy late Monday released the names of the crew; they included 22 members of the Navy, one Air Force senior airman and a Marine Corps sergeant.

Investigations widen against Milosevic

(AP) — A defiant Slobodan Milosevic denounced his "politically arrest as staged" in an appeal that contained a startling admission — that the former president financed Serb rebellions that bloodied Bosnia and Croatia in the 1990s.

Milosevic, jailed in Belgrade's Central Prison as authorities build a case of alleged corruption and abuse of power against him, demanded his release in a statement written from his cell Monday.

Answering accusations that he illegally channeled millions of dollars to secret funds. Milosevic acknowledged for the first time that he funneled cash to ethnic Serb forces in neighboring unsuccessfully fought to prevent those republics from breaking away from the former Yugoslavia.

Milosevic said he financed the purchase "of weapons, ammunition and other needs" for the Bosnian Serb and Croatian Serb armies. "These expenses could not, as a state secret, be accounted for in the state budget," he said, denying police allegations that he used the cash for personal gain.

But in attempting to account for \$390 million in Yugoslav dinars and German marks that authorities say he took from the country's treasury, Milosevic risked building the case against himself at another court -- the U.N.

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia Bosnia and Croatia, who war crimes tribunal in The Hague, Netherlands.

The tribunal already has indicted Milosevic for crimes against humanity stemming from his crackdown on ethnic Albanians Kosovo in 1999. Prosecutors said Monday they were preparing additional indictments against Milosevic for atrocities committed in Bosnia and Croatia, including genocide.

Milosevic was to be interrogated again Tuesday as the criminal investigations against him widen.

Milosevic was arrested early Sunday following a 26hour standoff with police. Authorities added inciting violence to the growing list of charges pending against the former president.

Fire damages aircraft carrier, museum

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) -A blaze at the floating museum that features the USS aircraft carrier Lexington burned hot enough to warp parts of the ship's steel floors, firefight-

The historic ship was scheduled to be closed Tuesday while damage was assessed at the Lexington Museum on the Bay.

"I can only tell you this is my worst nightmare," Sandi McNorton, the museum's marketing director, told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times in Tuesday's editions. "It's just going to

take a long time to assess the damage. We need to make sure everything is secure and safe.'

A maintenance worker spray painting the navigation room on the superstructure's fifth floor created a spark with a spray gun that caught the room on fire, said Corpus Christi Assistant Fire Chief Eloy

The man's arms were singed by the flames but was not seriously injured. Other staff members setting up for an after-hours corporate dinner for Shell Oil Co. escaped without injury

after the first alarm went off at about 5:10 p.m. The museum had closed shortly beforehand and no visitors were on board. Firefighting efforts were

hampered by inadequate pump pressure from the ship's water supply system. Firefighters then had to run hoses from the shore to the ship, which delayed getting water for about 30 minutes.

Ceballos said firefighters also had trouble reaching parts of the fire, which spread to the floor above.

The fire and associated damage was contained near the top of the historic ship.

Inspections intensified at Mexico border

tural shipments and travel-

ers who have visited a farm.

McALLEN (AP)

Stepped-up inspections for

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb.

*** You toss a boomerang into another's plans. As a result, he could display an attitude. Pressure Luilds within your inner circle. A friend helps you by giving excellent advice. Schedule time for an important meeting on a one-on-one level. As a result, caring will

togetherness PISCES (Feb. 19-March

grow. Tonight: Try some

*** Listen to a friend or partner could be difficult, loved one. This person does whatever he must do to make your life work. Consider possibilities that surround a moneymaking venture. Someone you put on a pedestal comes through for you in a big way. Recognize possibilities. Tonight: Where the

crowds are. **BORN TODAY**

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foot-and-mouth disease tecting Texas' nearly 14 milalong the Texas-Mexico border are focusing on agricul-

American borders are under close scrutiny to help protect livestock producers from the virus that has ravaged herds in Great Britain and Europe.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's enforcement action is in place at border checkpoints, airports and seaports across the United States. Gov. Rick Perry has said that vigilance - and close questioning of travelers — is important to prolion head of cattle. "If theyve visited a farm

or been close to a farm, they need to make us aware so we can take appropriate action," Claudio A. Garcia, a USDA supervisor at the Pharr-Reynosa International Bridge.

Swift reactions another animal ailment, the so-called mad cow disease, have been designed to help control any possible outbreak. Federal agricultural officials had quarantined and held for euthanization at least 21 cattle in Texas to

HOROSCOPE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Wednesday, April 4,: You have unusual

strength and enthusiasm. Sometimes others see you as impulsive, but you always land on your feet. The sign you were born under is "a lucky sign" this year. Recognize limits within your own circle. Network and break past restrictions. Don't let insecurity stop you. You have a lot to offer. Your ability to communicate and express yourself helps others feel safe with you. If you are single, a relationship heats up your life. This person could be special, and this could be a long-term relationship. If you are attached, consider tying the knot or making a deeper commitment. A new home could be in the offing. VIRGO works well with

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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

Sort through your thoughts as you wake up. Test a financial concern rather than making a decision. Feedback affirms your thoughts. Review new information, which could involve a trip or possibly taking a course. Focus on one item at a time. Tonight: Do something good for your health.

TAURUS (April 20-May

*** Worries, combined with an erratic boss or loved one, exaggerate a down mood. Let go of this attitude and greet the possibilities. Don't feel locked in a situation. Use your everflowing creativity to find answers. A partner expresses concern. Tonight: Play the night away.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) *** Speak your mind when confronted with an erratic situation. Not everything is as you think. Dig into your imagination and find answers. Review potential and eve new possibilities. Someone presents you with the candy store, and more. Live up to your potential. Tonight: Mosey on home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)*** You could be faced with a money matter that you feel you cannot control. New possibilities knock on vour door. Assume responsibility, and much will work out. Make calls, and you'll receive answers. Tonight: Visit with a

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) **** Realize that another could feel jeopardized by you; this explains those odd reactions. But not everything is as it seems. Creativity surges when you deal with ideas and new possibilities. Don't forget the here and now. Deal with finances. Tonight: Pay

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) *** What starts out as difficult and challenging can work out to your benefit. Be tenacious and hope for resolutions. Answers stem from your resourcefulness and a partner's willingness. Express your strength of personality and humor. Tonight: Smile, and everything will work out.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) *** Work with others, even though you might be frustrated by what goes on. Your sense of humor emerges with a child or loved one. Give this person the benefit of the doubt. If you step back, another will walk up to the plate. Use your inner strength. Tonight: Get a good night's

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov.

**** Others seek you out for answers and new possibilities. What seems inevitable turns around. Think in terms of creating greater satisfaction in general. A but he cannot help himself. Understand another's pressure. Tonight: Where your friends are.

SAGITTARIU . (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

**** Work through problems by making calls and seeking out information. You could feel disdain for someone who seems destined to make noise. You're in the limelight. Take charge and use your naturally strong leadership skills. Draw others to you. Tonight: Make a must appearance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-

Jan. 19) *** Deal with a partner carefully. You could be disappointed by this person in some way. Assume greater control of your life, and realize how you influence others. Make phone calls and schedule a trip to gain a better perspective. Listen! Tonight: Movie night.



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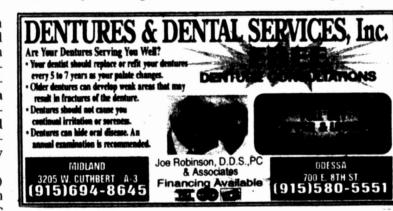
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OUR VIEWS

Victims need to know we support them

hink you are immune to violent crime? Think again. Or better than that, stop by the Howard County Courthouse lawn Wednesday morning for a program called, "Empowering Communities: Everyone Has a Role.

Victim Services, the local agency that aids victims of violent crime, is sponsoring this program to highlight April as a time for greater awareness of crime, including sexual abuse, spousal abuse, child abuse and murder.

And the point of the title, organizers say, is that everyone has a role in preventing crime. It takes all of us, law enforcement, victims, citizens and community leaders, to make prevention work.

The event begins at 11:30 a.m., with speakers, symbolism and a parade around the Howard County Courthouse. Big Spring High School choir students will perform, and two crime victims will speak.

Law enforcement from all five counties served by Victim Services will join crime victims in a parade around the square. Victims of crime will be encircled in a "Ring of Hope" for the parade.

Every two minutes during the program, a balloon will be released, marking the frequency with which a woman is abused or battered in this country. Big Spring mayor Russ McEwen will present a proclamation in support of Victim Services.

Organizers would like to see many people in the community come out for the program and show their support. It's one way we can show victims we care, and we will all do what we can to help.

Your Views

To the Editor:

We would like to thank all the wonderful people who helped make The Heritage Museum's annual 80 bites fundraiser such a success.

We are so appreciative to the people who worked so hard preparing and serving their dishes: LaJean Bailey, Mississippi Mud, Greg and Angie William's **Buffet from Dominos** Pizza, the Howard College Planning Committee's stuffed jalapeno's, Loma Jean Wynn and Virginia Davidson's tea cakes, Madelyn Boadle's Texas caviar, Jacque Mauch's cherry mash candies, Rachael and Lucy Clinton's apple cider. Blue Bell Creamery, Eunice Thixton's homemade bread and butter. **Butcher Block's meat** and cheese trays, Betty McChristian's hot sauce, Scenic Mountain Medical Center's shrimp, Senior Circle's shrimp, Hunan's Chinese buffet, the Byrd House Tearoom's Portuguese soup, KBST's coffee, HEB's doughnut holes, Lane and Janice Bond's Irish Cream cake. Al Scott's salsa, Halfmann Creation's variety ranging from chili to chocolates, Vivian and Jake

Glickman's chili con

cueso, Ida Lou Raney's

banana pudding, Katie

Cathey's beefalo goulash, Sonic Drive In's cherry lime Sprite and cherry cokes, Big Spring Country Club and Chef Angelo McCoy's smoked tenderloin beef and home rolls, Carriage Inn's finger foods, the Archeological Society of Big Spring and Borden County's meatballs, and the Howard County 4-H club's western bean soup.

Also, the Big Spring Symphony for its contribution of teriyaki chicken wings and their joint participation in the tick et sales for the Patsy Cline Concert, Richard Wright and Culligan Water's donation of water and dispensers and the Herald's wonderful coverage.

Thanks to all the wonderful volunteers who worked so hard in helping us-Nila Allen; Robert and Holly Moore; Shelley Burrow; Aloma and Don Koerber; Brenda Koerber and Brian Tubb; Janet, Chelsea and Katy Abner; Ethan Schrecengost; and

Brittany Raney. We also want to thank all the people who purchased tickets and supported our biggest 80 bites ever!

The Heritage

Trip to Pensacola thought provoking

hen I lived here as a small child, the latemiddle-aged couple across the street adopted a baby girl through circumstances I

knew nothing about. What I did know was that they were proud as punch to get her. She was the cencouple of

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modest means, and they lavished her with novelties and attention.

Whenever I spotted that curly-haired baby Patty toddling about the front yard in her crinolines and shiny Mary Janes, I daydreamed about the fairy tale where the real princess is determined by testing her ability to sleep on a pea. The real princess could detect a tiny pea beneath a high stack of mattresses. Royal sensibilities.

I bet my neighbors' child could feel a pea. My neighbors' child had it made. While tooling about this

historic town, I thought

about old Patty and was grateful I couldn't remember her last name. What if my childhood perceptions had been wrong? After all, I once thought my own family was rich because our cinder-block house was painted pink.

Maybe Patty's new parents died before she was 12, leaving her orphaned and alone. Maybe Patty grew up to be a wicked wino and sponged off her kind parents until the day they died. See?

I had witnessed such a lovely beginning, it might be testing fate to hear the ending. Some childhood memories are best left in a box, tied up with gauzy ribbon, never to be disturbed.

But it was a great relief to see that Pensacola, the town, looked much as I remembered. Larger now, of course, more crowded. but with the same textured collage of old and new, rich and not-so-rich, regal and seedy. There were the same romantic street names -Palifox and Cervantes and the green Gulf of Mexico as a big welcome mat.

I saw the old oyster bar my daddy loved, and the familiar weathered graves in a city cemetery strewn with Spanish moss

It was here I learned to appreciate boats of all kinds and sizes, learned to love seeing boats moored in yards, on trailers or sawhorses, poised for a launch or being patched up for another day. I don't trust a town so persnickety you can't leave a boat or two in your yard.

I wish I could say my memory was stout enough to store the beauty of the azaleas at their peak, but it wasn't. I think even fulltime residents must have trouble remembering from year to year just how magnificent they are

These are not the puny azaleas grown in Memphis or even Atlanta. These are excessive, over-the-top, house-high, fuchsia-colored Formosa azaleas, with the smaller, second-thought varieties thrown in for a little accent.

I wanted to rush home and pluck the pretenders from my own yard. They must look as silly as women who wear mink coats in hot climates.

Out on Santa Rosa Island, they have changed their story about Geronimo, the fierce Apache chieftain. When I was a child and toured Fort Pickens, the guides used to show off Geronimo's tiny cell, point

out the indentation in the floor where the mighty, fallen Indian had to lap up collected rain water like a

Now the rangers go out of their way to say Geronimo was practically royalty during his stay here, a real Pensacola tourist attraction, and that his three wives were brought to be with him in confused connubial bliss. He had the run of the fort and the island, they say, and was not confined to that dank cell I held captive in memory all these years.

One of these stories is revisionist history; I'm not sure which.

At any rate, Geronimo was a prisoner, and a warrior surely wouldn't have liked either scene much.

You can't edit memories much, anyhow, because they are your foundation in this life. Geronimo's cell if it even was - became the basis for my social sensibilities, such as they are. Seeing the ocean out a car window set my psyche differently than someone whose first sights were in Kansas.

And spoiled, pretty Patty, wherever she might be, proved that things achieved later in life at great difficulty are more precious.

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Crack babies are surely abused

rack babies — those children born to crack-using mothers are a national concern, but now comes a new study published this month in the Journal of the American Medical

CONSUMPTION

Association that claims the crackbaby stereotype is overblown. Whether this study will help or hinder those children, however, remains

unclear

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because there is fear that preventive methods might now be

undermined. The general perception has been that children born to mothers who used crack cocaine while they were pregnant were more prone to having social problems and faced greater difficulties in school. The study, written by Dr. Deborah A.

Frank, associate professor of pediatrics at Boston University, along with other researchers, finds that poverty and the abuse of alcohol and other drugs play equally important roles and that putting the blame solely on the use of cocaine unfairly labels children. The researchers examined the findings of some 36 other studies and found that many of the problems these children face "can be explained in whole or in part by other factors, including prenatal exposure to tobacco, marijuana or alcohol, and to the quality of the child's environment." Dr. Frank said, "There is

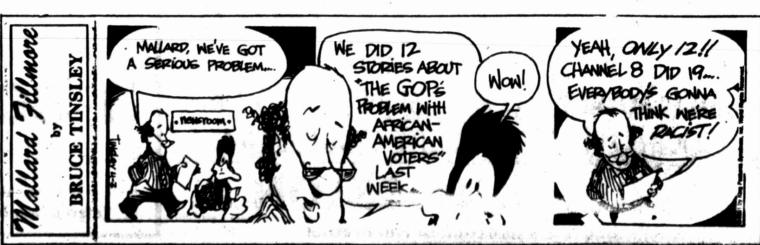
no need to assume that (cocaine-exposed babies) are a doomed generation or a biologic underclass, which is what was said about them initially. The idea that these children are uniquely 'unteachable' or somehow out of control is simply not supported by the data." Frank also stated, "I'm not trying to be Pollyanna-ish and say there are not problems. I'm saying there are many more serious risks to children's development.

The fear inspired by the "crack baby" caused many states in the 1990s to take active measures to prosecute pregnant women who were using crack. Some groups have even gone so far as to pay women who abuse narcotics to take birth control drugs or undergo sterilization. One such group, CRACK (Children Requiring A Caring Kommunity), has paid 389 women on this basis since 1997. The Southern California group's leader, Barbara Harris, says that she will not stop her campaign.

The director of the National Institute on Drug Abuse, Alan Leshner, said that while the effects of cocaine use during pregnancy "are not nearly as dramatic as people initially thought," people should not assume from this study that cocaine is not dangerous. "Most of the effects are thought to be on behavioral characteristics, most of which won't be apparent

until kids get older," he went on to add. Leshner also mentioned that "there are some subtle developmental outcomes that many laboratories are beginning to see as children get close to adolescence. We need to be careful not to fall prey to a false sense of security." The study's findings apply only to children under the age of 6, however, because long-range evaluations are not yet available. The National Institute on Drug Abuse, a branch of the National Institutes of Health, is currently studying some 14 groups of children whose mothers used cocaine during pregnancy.

What the study is most likely to produce is the idea that comprehensive measures need to be taken to protect babies. The upshot will likely be that we need to change the "crack babies" label and include them under the label of "abused babies' instead, recognizing that the definition of abuse includes anything that is detrimental to a child's well-being.





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Junior varsity baseball split over weekend

Big Spring's junior varsity baseball team split with Snyder Saturday winning 11-1 before falling 7-5 in game two.

Monday the Steers lost to Permian 9-8 and will play Saturday against Levelland and Frenship.

Late sign-ups for teenage league

There will be late sign-ups at 5:30 to 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon at the Roy Anderson Complex.

Tryouts for 13-14 year olds will be from noon to 3 p.m. Saturday; 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday for 15-16 year

The fee is \$40. For more information contact Sheri Nichols at 263-2917.

Swim lessons being offered at the YMCA

Parents can register their children for swim lessons at the YMCA today.

Classes will be held at 6 p.m. and will meet two nights each week.

Beginner and intermediate level classes are open for children age three to five and six and older.

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

Women's softball seeking players

The Big Spring United Girls Softball Association is seeking woman 20 and older to play fast pitch softball.

Registration is \$30 and teams are now forming.

For more information, call Alicia Buzbee at 264-OADEOT B. I.

Industrial league softball sign-ups

Anyone wanting to participate in the softball league, the sign-ups and entry fee deadline is Friday.

The entry fee is \$385 and there is a 20 roster sign-up limit.

For more information, call Sally Grant at 393 5237 or 268-4728.

Little league softball umpires needed

Umpires are needed for girls fast-pitch softball for girls ages 4 and up.

For more information contact Pat at 264-0634.

ACS still offering Texas Golf Pass

The American Cancer Society is again offering the Texas Golf Pass that entitles holders to more than 680 rounds of golf at 289 courses throughout the state.

The passes are \$35 each. Both the Big Spring Country Club Comanche Trail Course are participating in the program and order forms are available at the two courses.

For more information. call 1-800-ACS-2345.

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7 p.m. - L.A. Lakers at Utah Jazz, TBS. BASEBALL

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Dunleavy's 3s lead Duke to NCAA championship

keep shooting.

So a 1-for-6 first half from the field did not deter Duke's Mike Dunleavy in the NCAA championship game. He just kept firing away, and when his shots began to fall, the Blue Devils were on their way to the

Three straight 3-pointers inside of a minute early in the second half suddenly gave Duke a 10-point lead and provided a sense of relief for Dunleavy, a grown-up gym rat who has been around basketball all his

That's how it is when your father played in the NBA and now coaches the game.

"Coming into the second half, I

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - Shooters was just thinking 'Stay aggressive," Dunleavy said. "Shots didn't go for me in the first half, but that didn't change my mind-set. I came out in the second half and I think I missed my first two.'

That wasn't going to stop him. Not on this night. Not in this game.

Then came the third attempt, an NBA-style 3 that must have delighted his father, coach of the Portland Trail Blazers, who was in the stands at the Metrodome.

"It was pretty deep," Dunleavy said. "Shot it. It went in. That kind of got me going. And you know, I was really feeling it. It was good timing, too, to do it at the national championship game. I'm sure the rest of these guys are thinking, 'It's

about time." "Especially his roommate," piped up Shane Battier.

Dunleavy, limited to three points in the first half, scored 18 in the second as Duke defeated Arizona 82-72

Monday night. The Blue Devils set the NCAA record for 3-pointers made in a season, and Dunleavy was a big part of it, making 52 on the road to the

Final Four. That made the dreadful 4-for-15 first half an anomaly. And Dunleavy was the catalyst as the Blue Devils recovered. But he learned long ago that the only way out of a dry spell is to keep shoot-

"It gave us a big dose of confi-

Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said.

Arizona's Richard Jefferson took some of the blame for not being able to stop Dunleavy.

"He hit a couple 3s in a row; a couple times I missed my assignment," Jefferson said. "We did a good job defending the 3s overall, but we just couldn't get to him a couple times.

Arizona made a run at Duke after Dunleavy's first flurry. He responded with a layup, a dunk, a short jumper and then, of course, one more 3. It was an exclamation point by the lanky sophomore who's been hanging around the game since he was 3 and his dad was still playing for the Milwaukee Bucks.

Lady Steers tread past field in weekend meet

HERALD Staff Report

SAN ANGELO - The Lady Steer track team won the Concho Belle Relays Saturday with a total of 139 points among a field of seven teams.

The sprint relay foursome of Angelica Hinojos, Ka'Rissa Magers, Amanda Rubio and Melissa Forth won the 4 x 100 in a time of 48.99. Rubio and Hinojos combined with Britania Perez and Jeneanne Richard to take second in the 4 x 400 finishing in a time of 4:15. The 4 x 200 relay team of Rachelle Guinn, Magers, Rubio and Forth also placed second in a time of 1:47.

It was that kind of day for Hinojos who won the 200 meter dash in a time of 26:18 as well as the long jump with a mark of 17'-6". Guinn also made her mark in a number of events placing second in the 100 meter hurdles in a time of 16.8, finishing fourthain the 300 meter hurdles in a time of 50.6 and taking fifth in the triple ark of 33-feet.

Ma placed in a couple of fie. events as well, placing third in the long jump with a mark of 16'-5" and finishing fourth in the triple jump with a mark of

In the 100 meter dash Forth placed third in a time

of 12.6 while Richard finished fourth in the 400 meter dash in a time of 65.5. Chelsea Churchwell rounded up the runners with a third place finish in the 100 meter hurdles in a time of

Leandra Williams has been perfect all season taking first once again in the shot put with a mark of 39'-11" while Toya Banks finished fourth with a mark of 32'-3". In the discuss throw Cierra Butler finished fourth with a mark of 99'-3" followed by Amber Mayes who finished fifth with a mark of 98'-9".

In the high jump, Brittany Raney placed third clearing 4'-8" while Lindsey Phillips finished sixth with a jump

The junior varsity runners competed at the Lobo Relays and the 4 x 200 relay team of Tosha Banks, Andrea Torres, Ashley Hodge and Brittany Price won their event. Donetta Scott anchored the 4 x 100 team of Banks, Torres and Hodge to a second place fin-

In the 100 meter dash Joel Jackson finished fourth while Kourtnee Rushin finished sixth. Jackson also finished sixth in the 200 meter dash while Amanda Hart finished fourth and Priscilla Franco finished sixth in the mile run.



Amy Jackson (16) starts a first inning rally with a single to center field during the Lady Steers win over Levelland. The Lady Steers will face Estacado today at 4 p.m.

Big Spring track and fielders compete in Levelland; junior varsity wins meet placed third and Lance mile run, Jacob Marquez

Big Spring's Ryan Guinn throws to second to nab a steal during the Steer's 4-3 win over

Levelland Saturday. Since Guinn's move from first base to catcher the Steers have gone

2-0. Today the Steers will travel to Plainview to face the Bulldogs at 6 p.m.

HERALD Staff Report

LEVELLAND Spring Steer boys varsity and junior varsity track teams competed Saturday. The junior varsity boys won the Levelland meet with a total of 192 points.

The relay teams and long distance runners poured in a couple of top three finishes. Tony Arguello won the 3200 meter run in a time of 11:00.02, Victor Yanez placed second and Martin De los Santos finished fourth. The relay team won the 4 x 100 in a time of 47.05 while the mile relay team placed third with a time of 3:49.35

Pat Gonzales won the 800 meter run in 2:12 while Mark Hickman placed third. In the 200 meter dash Josh Pedigo won in a time of 24.81 while Josh Mirales

Brockman finished fifth. In the 100 meter dash Mirales and Pedigo took second and

third place. Arguello won the 1600 meter run in 5:01 and Yanez followed right behind for second place in a time of

Jonathan Lusk led the hurdlers placing second in the 110 high hurdles and the 300 intermediate hurdles. Nick Rushin placed third in both events while Jarred Phillips placed fourth.

In the field events Lusk won the triple jump and the long jump for the Steers. James Hodnett placed third in the shot and the discuss throw while John Solis placed fourth in the discuss. Jeff Stanley finished sixth

in the shot put. The varsity runners managed fourth place with a total of 70 points. In the

won the event with a time of 4:47, Michael Martinez placed second posting a time of 4:54 and Keith Hilario finished fifth. Hilario placed third in the 800 meter run in a time of 2:07 while Mike Solis fin-

ished fifth. Martinez returned in the 3200 meter run to place second with a time of 10:56 while Andy Arguello finished fifth. In the 200 meter run Joseph Bumbulis finished fifth.

The sprint relay teams finished fourth in the both the mile relay and the 4 x 100 posting a time of 45.2.

In the field events, Kyland Wegner won the pole vault clearing 11-feet. Jeremiah Baeza finished fourth with a mark of 44'-2" and fifth in the discuss throw with a mark of 22'-3".

Opening day: optimism, home runs and history

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

If there's any time to think big, it's opening day. And that's what the Kansas City Royals were doing.

"We're on a mission ... Take no prisoners!!" declared a handwritten sign in the Royals' clubhouse at Yankee Stadium.

Never mind that Kansas City, out of the playoffs since 1985, wound up losing 7-3 Monday to Roger Clemens and the three-time defending World Series champion New York Yankees.

Optimism and cheers filled ballparks, along with home runs and a

bit of history The Philadelphia Phillies, who tied the Cubs for the most losses in the majors last year, gave new manager Larry Bowa a 6-5 victory over Florida in 13 innings.

As the Phillies walked off the field

pitcher Amaury Telemaco handed Bowa the game ball. "Telly gave me the ball. That's

special. That means a lot to me," Bowa said. "He said, 'Give me the ball," Telemaco said. "It was important to

him.

The festivities at 10 stadiums came a day after Toronto started the major league season by beating Texas 8-1 in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Clemens added to his Hall of Fame resume, breaking the AL career strikeout record held by Walter Johnson with No. 3,509. None of them, by the way, came on those high strikes that umpires plan to call.

"I wanted to do it here in this setting and on this stage," Clemens

At Coors Field, Colorado newcom-

at Pro Player Stadium, winning er Mike Hampton got off to a sterling start. Trying to prove a pitcher can survive at the hitter-friendly field, he shut out Mark McGwire and the St. Louis Cardinals for 8 1-3 innings in an 8-0 victory.

When he left after two walks in the ninth, Hampton tipped his cap to acknowledge a standing ovation his third of the day.

"That was great," he said. "It was a great gesture on their part. Hopefully, it happens about 20, 25 more times.

Baltimore star Cal Ripken, at 40, got a warm reception from his home fans at Camden Yards as the Orioles played Boston.

San Diego star Tony Gwynn received a standing ovation from San Francisco fans during pregame introductions.

Also 40, he made his 18th straight opening day start.

Gwynn later was nailed at the plate by Barry Bonds, who also hit his 495th career home run in the Giants' 3-2 win

So which accomplishment did Bonds enjoy the most?

"I can't say it's throwing out Tony, because he's like 45," Bonds said jokingly.

Even Gary Sheffield managed to hear the cheers. Loudly booed by the sellout crowd of 53,154 at Dodger Stadium for most of the day — a reaction to his spring-training constract demand and trade request he was saluted after his home run lifted Los Angeles over Milwaukee

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LANDERS the affair, but lately, she has been treating me like pond scum. She says our different lifestyles make it impossible for us to be close anymore. I work full time, and she is a stay-at-home mother. She insists she makes her husband happier this way, but I know for a fact that her husband is plenty miserable, and he doesn't

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exactly hide it. If he hadn't slept with me, it would have been with somebody else. I feel bad that my friend is

going through life thinking she's with a man who is happy and loyal, when that's hardly the case. Should I tell her about our affair and clear the air? Please advise me. --Wondering in New York

Dear N.Y.: If your friend is treating you "like pond scum," you can bet your bottom dollar she already knows that you slept with her husband. You have done enough damage. Clean up your act and move on. That "friendship" is over.

Dear Ann Landers: My daughter just turned 17. Her grandparents sent her a very insulting birthday card, picturing an overweight "birthday girl." Inside was a punch line about gaining weight. "Bonnie" is NOT overweight, but teenagers are so sensitive to remarks about their appearance that I was appalled by my in-laws' thoughtlessness.

This isn't the first time they have behaved this way. My in-laws have never been fond of me and have said and done hurtful things over the years. I have put up with it for 20 years, but I refuse to allow them to do this to Bonnie. She was so upset by the card that she no longer wants to have anything to do with her grandparents. She has told me she will return any cards or gifts they send in the future and refuse to take their phone

calls. How should we handle this? My husband thinks we should confront them, but they are sure to pretend innocence and act insulted -

which could create even more problems. We are waiting until we hear from you before we do anything. Don't let us down, Ann. --Anxious in California

Dear Anxious in Calif.: I cannot imagine grandparents being so insensitive. Do nothing for the time being. Let the situation cool off. After a month or so, suggest that the grandparents send a small gift, along with a note, apologizing for their insensitivity. Meanwhile, do what you can to heal the breach. Tell

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always had a weird sense of humor. Try to forgive them." Dear Ann Landers: My wife is a compulsive shopper from hell. She owns dozens of handbags she has never carried and shoes she has never worn. Many of her blouses and skirts still have the price tags on them. Still, she is in the

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Dear Newark: Believe it or not, studies are currently being done with an antidepressant drug to help compulsive shoppers overcome their impulsive behavior and depression. The results, so far, are very positive. I will not, however, mention the name of the

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Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the letter from the Wiccan who was being harassed at work by a religious fanatic. I was once in a similar situation, not because-I am Wiccan, but because I am gay.

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Finally, I started to clip articles on gay-related activities, clubs, bars, sports leagues, and so on, and left them on her desk. After one week of this, she stopped harassing me, and that was the end of it. --

R.T. in Chicago Dear R.T.: I applaud your ingenuity. I say, "Don't get mad. Get even." You accomplished your mission without insult, rancor or bitterness. I'm sure your diplomacy earned you a place of respect around the office

and elsewhere. Bravo! Gem of the Day (credit J.R. from Wilmington, Del., a reader for 41 years): You know you're getting old when you wake up feeling like "the morning after," and you know darn well you didn't go anywhere.

Dear Ann Landers: My son is about to be married. He and his bride-to-be want a small, intimate wedding. I have offered to pay for half

the cost. My son has informed me that it is proper for the bride and groom to select ALL the wedding guests, including mine. They have told me how many people I can invite and which ones they want. I think this is unfair. I have a few close friends I would like included and am willing to pay for them, but my son says

I don't want to cause a rift in our relationship, but are they

right? Does the wedding couple get to choose all the guests? Am I not entitled to invite some of my friends since I'm paying for half the wedding?

Please tell me how to handle this before the invitations go out. I am -- Baffled in Denver

Dear Baffled: For most weddings, the bride's parents have a list, the groom's parents have a list, and the bride and groom have their own list of people they wish to invite. The person who is paying for the wedding determines how many invitations can be issued, and then divides the invitations equitably. (The number does not have to be equal.) It is NEVER

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LANDERS but lately, she has been

treating me like pond scum. She says our different lifestyles make it impossible for us to be close anymore. I work full time, and she is a stay-at-home mother. She insists she makes her husband happier this way, but I know for a fact that her husband is plenty miserable, and he doesn't exactly hide it. If he hadn't slept with me, it would have been with somebody

I feel bad that my friend is going through life thinking she's with a man who is happy and loyal, when that's hardly the case. Should I tell her about our affair and clear the air? Please advise me. Wondering in New York

Dear N.Y.: If your friend is treating you "like pond scum," you can bet your bottom dollar she already knows that you slept with her husband. You have done enough damage. Clean up your act and move on. That "friendship" is over.

Dear Ann Landers: My daughter just turned 17. Her grandparents sent her a very insulting birthday card, picturing an overweight "birthday girl." Inside was a punch line about gaining weight. "Bonnie" is NOT overweight, but teenagers are so sensitive to remarks about their appearance that I was appalled by my in-laws

thoughtlessness.

This isn't the first time they have behaved this way. My in-laws have never been fond of me and have said and done hurtful things over the years. I have put up with it for 20 years, but I refuse to allow them to do this to Bonnie. She was so upset by the card that she no longer wants to have anything to do with her grandparents. She has told me she will return any cards or gifts they send in the future and refuse to take their phone calls.

How should we handle this? My husband thinks we should confront them, but they are sure to pretend innocence and act insulted -

which could create even more problems. We are waiting until we hear from you before we do anything. Don't let us dov n, Ann. --Anxious in California

Dear Anxious in Calif.: I cannot imagine grandparents being so insensitive. Do nothing for the time being. Let the situation cool off. After a month or so, suggest that the grandparents send a small gift, along with a note, apologizing for their insensitivity. Meanwhile, do what you

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drug in my column. Check it out with your physician or psychiatrist.

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the letter from the Wiccan who was being harassed at work by a religious fanatic. I was once in a similar situation, not because I am Wiccan, but because I am gay

Almost 20 years ago, I worked at a power plant in Michigan. I was openly gay at the time, and most of my co-workers were comfortable around me. However, one particularly religious woman kept leaving antihomosexual biblical tracts and quotations on my desk. I told her I wasn't interested in her literature, but she insisted on trying to "save'

Finally, I started to clip articles on gay-related activities, clubs, bars, sports leagues, and so on, and left them on her desk. After one week of this, she stopped harassing me, and that was the end of it. --R.T. in Chicago

Dear R.T.: I applaud your ingenuity. I say, "Don't get mad. Get even." You accomplished your mission without insult, rancor or bitterness. I'm sure your diplomacy earned you a place of respect around the office and elsewhere. Bravo!

Gem of the Day (credit J.R. from Wilmington, Del., a reader for 41 years): You know you're getting old when you wake up feeling like "the morning after," and you know darn well you didn't go anywhere.

Dear Ann Landers: My son is about to be married. He and his bride-to-be want a small, intimate wedding. I have offered to pay for half the cost.

My son has informed me that it is proper for the bride and groom to select ALL the wedding guests, including mine. They have told me how many people I can invite and which ones they want. I think this is unfair. I have a few close friends I would like included and am willing to pay for them, but my son says

I don't want to cause a rift in our relationship, but

are they right? Does the wedding couple get to choose all the guests? Am I not entitled to invite some of my friends since I'm paying for half the wedding?

Please tell me how to handle this before the invitations go out. I am -- Baffled in Denver

Dear Baffled: For most weddings, the bride's parents have a list, the groom's parents have a list, and the bride and groom have their own list of people they wish to invite. The person who is paying for the wedding determines how many invitations can be issued, and then divides the invitations equitably. (The number does not have to be equal.)

It is NEVER appropriate to tell someone who they can and cannot invite. Since you are paying for part of the wedding, you should be permitted to invite some of your friends, and which ones should be your decision. Fair is fair.

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"Maybe you could grow a bigger lap, Grandma."

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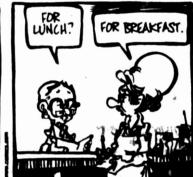
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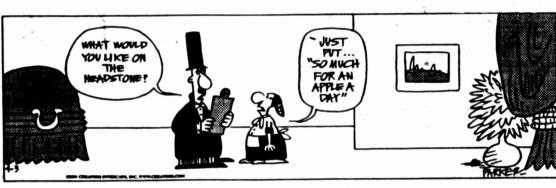
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THIS DATE

IN HISTORY

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Today is Tuesday, April 3, the 93rd day of 2001. There are 272 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 3, 1860, the legendary Pony Express began service between St. Joseph, Missouri, and Sacramento, Calif.

On this date:

George In 1776, Washington received an honorary doctor of laws degree from Harvard

In 1865, Union forces occupied the Confederate capital of Richmond, Va.

In 1882, outlaw Jesse James was shot to death in St. Joseph, Mo., by Robert Ford, a member of James' gang.

1936. Bruno In Hauptmann was electrocuted in Trenton, N.J., for the kidnap-murder of the

Lindbergh infant.

In 1946, Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma, the Japanese commander responsible for the Bataan Death March, was executed outside Manila.

In 1948, President Truman signed the Marshall Plan, which allocated more than \$5 billion in aid for 16 European countries.

In 1968, less than 24 hours before he was assassinated in Memphis, Tenn., civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his famous "mountaintop" speech to a rally of striking sanitation workers.

In 1968, North Vietnam agreed to meet with U.S. representatives to set up preliminary peace talks.

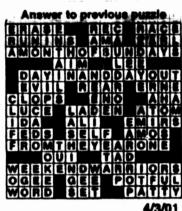
In 1974, deadly tornadoe struck wide parts of the South and Midwest before jumping across the border into Canada; more than 300 fatalities resulted.

In 1990, jazz singer Sarah Vaughan died in suburban Los Angeles at age 66.

Ten years ago: The U.N. Security Council adopted a

Gulf War truce resolution demanding that Iraq abolish weapons of mass destruction, renounce terrorism and pay reparations. English novelist Graham

Greene died at age 86. Today's Birthdays: Actor Marlon Brando is 77. Actress-singer Doris Day is 77. Actress Miyoshi Umeki is 72. Former German Chancellor Helmut Kohl is 71. Country singer Don Gibson is 69. Jazz musician Jimmy McGriff is 65. Actor William Gaunt is 64. Singer Jan Berry (Jan and Dean) is 60. Actress Marsha Mason is 59.



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