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WEATHER

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TONIGHT 64°-67° TOMORROW 90°-94°

Lions Club offers free eyeglasses

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

All adults needing eyeglasses who don't have the income to purchase the exam or glasses are welcome. The recycled eyeglasses are donated by the community as a service project of the Lions. The Lions group offers the eyeglasses the second Saturday of month. For more information call Donna Groenke at 393-5298.

WHAT'S UP...

TODAY

□ Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, 7 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 West Third.

THURSDAY

□ Gideons International, Big Spring Camp No. U42060, Herman's Restaurant, 7 a.m.

□ The Senior Citizens Center will host an Arts and Crafts session each Thursday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Call Bobbie Leonard at the Senior Citizens Center for more information.

□ The Coffee Club will meet at Gale's Sweet Shoppe at 10 a.m.

□ Kiwanis Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room. Call Billy Smith.

□ Genealogical Society of Big Spring meets at 7:15 p.m. at the Howard County Library.

□ Masonic Lodge 1340 meets at 7:30 p.m. at 2101 Lancaster.

FRIDAY

□ Signal Mountain Quilting Guild meets from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Bring a lunch.

□ The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room.

□ AMBUCS meets at noon at La Posada.

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Plane, copter rides planned during museum's Air Fair

By LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

A view of Big Spring from the sky is just one of the opportunities for those attending the Hangar 25 Air Museum Air Fair and Fly-In on Saturday, June 16.



LEWIS

"We will be offering airplane and helicopter rides," said Susan Lewis, Hangar 25 Air Museum coordinator. "The flights will be over Big Spring."

Rides will be available in a four-passenger prop airplane for \$15 a flight or a helicopter and a refurbished antique Stearman biplane, both for \$35 a flight, Lewis said.

Rides will begin at 9 a.m. and be based on first come, first served basis, Lewis said. The last ride of the day

is expected to take off about 4 p.m.

Thousands are expected to come to the Air Fair and Fly-In, one of the largest fundraisers for the Hangar 25 Air Museum. Activities for the day-long event will be located in front of the hangar at the McMahan-Wrinkle Airpark.

Four hot air balloons from the Permian Basin Balloon Association plan to take to the sky in a dawn flight over Big Spring to kick off the festivities at 6:30.

Chelsea Shults, the winner of the Hangar 25 flag design competition, will raise her winning flag on the pole in front of the museum at 9 a.m. This is the first time the flag will be on display.

"Chelsea is a graduate of Forsan High School and designed the flag last fall in her sewing class," Lewis said.

About 15 to 20 airplanes will be on static display during the event and range from military aircraft to

corporate jets and private airplanes.

Also more than 60 airplanes from around Texas are expected to fly-in to the airport during the day.

The Big Spring Model Aircraft Association will be offering demonstration flights of model aircraft with a buddy box flight, Lewis said.

Participants will be allowed to fly a model airplane while members of the

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Forum centers on quality of life

By BILL MCCLELLAN
News Editor

Quality of life.

The 90 to 100 citizens who participated in a town hall forum Tuesday on the future of Big Spring may have been divided into four groups, but most of the discussion centered around what can be done to make the city a better place to live, work and visit.

"In each group, I heard a recurring theme and it was unmistakable," said Mayor Russ McEwen. "It all revolved around quality of life."

Whether a group was discussing education, infrastructure, finances or the broader of the four topics — quality of life — the discussion eventually centered on what can be done to make Big Spring more attractive, more appealing, more desirable.

Though there were almost



Bobby and Gloria McDonald were among the 90 to 100 citizens who took part in a public forum Tuesday on enhancing Big Spring. The group will meet again on June 19.

as many ideas as there were people in attendance, participants will meet again on Tuesday, June 19, to focus

on priorities. Just a few of the suggestions included enhancement of downtown

into the city, beautification of neighborhoods, and See FORUM, Page 2

City entrances, neighborhoods areas of focus

HERALD Staff Report

Enhancing entry ways into the city and cleaning up individual neighborhoods were quality of life issues those attending Tuesday's public forum would most like to see, according to written suggestions turned in as the meeting ended.

"You look over these, and a sense of

pride is what people feel is important," Mayor Russ McEwen said this morning.

The suggestions will be reviewed in a third forum set for 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 19, at the Dora Roberts Civic Center.

As Tuesday's meeting at Bauer Magnet School concluded, the estimated 90 to 100 participants were

invited to write down specific areas they would like to see addressed.

Of the nearly 50 slips of paper turned in, some 15 recommended enhancing the city's entrances. Another nine indicated neighborhood pride and neighborhood cleanup were most important to them.

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Soil training workshop to visit center here

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer

The Big Spring USDA Agricultural Research Service (ARS) Conservation Systems Research Laboratory will be one of the many stops when the Dryland



VAN PELT

Agriculture Institute at West Texas A&M University hosts a two-week workshop for about 20 international researchers and scientists.

The local stop, part of the 8th annual training workshop, is scheduled from 8:30 a.m. until noon on Wednesday, June 13. The focus will be on the principles and control of wind erosion.

According to Scott van Pelt of the USDA laboratory, the group will hear about

research being conducted in Big Spring.

"We will pack as much as we can in the short time they will be here with us," said van Pelt. "We will take them on a tour of the projects we have here on our Big Spring farm and Eddie Spurgin of the NRCS (Natural Resources Conservation Service) will talk to the group."

Following lunch, the group will visit a demonstration farm in Lamesa and

continue on to Lubbock.

The scientists and researchers, who will be coming from as far away as China, South Africa, Pakistan, Korea and India, plan to take advantage of the opportunity to study the Great Plains during the June 8-21 tour.

The purpose of the workshop is to present information on sustainable agricultural systems and environ-

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Summer no time to rest for Howard's Lynn Walling

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer

Most college professors look forward to school getting out and having a time to get away from the stress of teaching but for Howard College agriculture instructor Lynn Walling, June is when he starts back to back camps.

Walling, after several years of encouragement, started a successful run of lamb camps in June 1994. After doing so well and



WALLING

attracting campers from all over Texas, New Mexico and Colorado, the idea of holding a goat camp came about.

"Who would have ever guessed we would have the kind of success we have had with these camps," said Walling who just finished up his fourth successful goat camp on Tuesday. "Some have asked us if we could hold more than one camp but we just can't fit it in with all the other camps that are going on during the summer."

Walling doesn't get a lot of rest until all the camps are completed. This year's lamb camp will begin on

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Junior Division goat exhibitors prepare to show their goats at the annual goat show, held this week at Howard College. The lamb camp begins on Sunday and runs through Tuesday.

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Rodeo

Annual event will feature 'Youth Night'

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer

The 68th Annual Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo is just a few short days away from what should be another outstanding event.

According to Quail Dobbs, a professional rodeo clown and barrelman for some 35 years, opening night at the Rodeo Bowl, Wednesday, June 13, will be "Youth Night" sponsored by Tank Safety Gauge.

"We are excited about having a night for the area youth," said Dobbs, a member of the local rodeo board. "We have lined up teams from nine area schools that will participating in a calf dressing event."

The teams will consist of two boys and two girls and they will have to halter a yearling calf that is turned loose in the arena, pull it across the line, put underwear on it and then pull it back across another line at the other end of the arena," he explained.

Teams will consists of area youth from Big Spring, Coahoma, Forsan, Ackerly, Gail, Garden City, Stanton and Westbrook.

"I think it will be a real crowd pleaser," said Dobbs. "This is an event that is most commonly seen in college rodeos or business men's events, but the rodeo board members along with Chamber of Commerce director Terri Davis felt this event would go over real well and everyone agreed."

Dobbs said that a teen dance would follow the opening performance and would begin around 9 or 9:30 p.m. and last until midnight.



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organizations have dual controls and can take over if the plane begins to encounter trouble.

Back again this year is the celebrity cake auction, involving more than 30 Big Spring celebrities. Scott Emerson be will the auctioneer and Miss Rodeo Texas will be back to display the cakes during the auction. The auction is scheduled for 2:15 p.m.

The Schriener mini car demonstration and show will begin at 10 a.m. with the antique tractor parade starting at 11.

From noon until 2 p.m. Tom Alexander, author of *The Stars Were Big And Bright, Volume II*, will be signing copies of his soon to be released book.

"His new book is being released on the June 15 and it will have pictures of the Webb Bombardier School," Lewis said.

Some activities, including the balloon flight, airplane and helicopter rides and fly-in may be canceled because of inclement weather, Lewis warned.

A number of food booths, face painting and kid rides will begin at 9 a.m. and run until close to 4 p.m. All money raised from the event will be used for Hangar 25 Air Museum, Lewis said.

Lewis encourages everyone to attend.

"We are going to have a great and special day," she said.

FORUM

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improvements at Comanche Trail Park — specifically, the amphitheater.

Some such as John Weeks, general manager at KBST radio, felt that the most important step would be to instill pride in the community.

"We've got to get the pride in Big Spring first," said Weeks. He made the point that when people have pride in themselves, their homes, neighborhoods and community, they will pull together to accomplish what needs to be done.

He suggested that Big Spring might want to market itself to its citizens and develop a slogan or motto.

Though no one disagreed, some felt the best approach would be from the opposite direction — completing a project that would give citizens a sense of pride.

"If we made the decision to work downtown and in the neighborhoods. That will bring people out, because it will be happening in their neighborhood," said Irene Bustamante, Big Spring Independent School District board of trustees president. "They will say 'we are being included,' so they will start participating."

The group originally included committees on education, infrastructure and finances, but those committees appear to be on hold for now. Though no show of

hands or other poll was taken, no one voiced opposition to remarks that:

- Quality of education in Big Spring already appears to be heading in a positive direction;

- The city has enacted a plan to replace water and sewer lines and groups are pursuing ideas to improve technology;

- Financial solutions can't be developed until a project is defined and costs determined.

As could be anticipated, the focus became sidetracked at times with questions about responsibility of upkeep of ballparks, poverty and the like. However, the majority seemed to want to set and work toward a goal.

"We need to show them (the rest of the community) that we are serious. We aren't going to solve poverty tonight, but we can begin to do some things to make this community better," said real estate agent Bobby McDonald.

McDonald and Howard College President Dr. Cheri Sparks made it clear that they believe Big Spring has accomplished much in the past several years, mentioning the Hangar 25 Air Museum, the new air terminal and demolition of the Permian Building, Howard House and Apache Bend Apartments, among other completed projects.

"I feel we've made wonderful progress in the last few years... we just need to keep moving in the right direction," said Sparks.

Tuesday's forum was the second such meeting, and, like the first, the subject of more getting more minority participation came up. There were more Hispanics at Tuesday's meeting than the previous one, though the handful in attendance was far short of the census report which revealed that the city's population is more than 44 percent Hispanic.

The June 19 meeting is set for 6:30 p.m. at Dora Roberts Civic Center.

FOCUS

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Parks and recreation improvements, the amphitheater, tearing down of old businesses, internet access and telephone service, housing, and planting or more trees in the downtown area also received multiple votes.

Others included developing a higher educational level, improving water and streets and removing dead trees.

A few addressed other issues, such as the need to get ethnic groups involved.

RODEO

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"Vince Allen, a disc jockey from radio station KBST, will be playing for the dance," said Dobbs. "This dance is open to youngsters between the ages of 13 and 19. Your rodeo ticket is all it will cost to get in and soft drinks will be available."

The dance will be held at the Howard County Fair Barn next to the rodeo ground.

Dobbs said another popular event will make a return visit this year.

"We will have the Justin Mutton Bustin' event again

this year," Dobbs added. "Each night of the rodeo we will have groups of youngsters trying to ride these sheep until the buzzer sounds. This event is sponsored by Justin Boots and they provide all the safety equipment including the helmets for the riders, because you can never tell what those sheep might do."

Dobbs said an autograph session prior to Wednesday's rodeo parade is scheduled at the Wells Fargo bank, located at 400 Main, from 3 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. with the masked rider from Texas Tech, Miss Rodeo Texas, announcer Mike Mathis, bull fighters Rob Smets and Lance Brittan and barrelman Rick Young.

Advance tickets for the rodeo are priced at \$5 for adults and \$3 for children less than 12 years of age. If purchased the night of the performance the prices will be \$7 for adults and \$5 for children.

The rodeo will begin each night with the grand entry at 8.

WALLING

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Sunday and last until Tuesday. After that, Walling will start preparing for the annual FFA Leadership Training that will be held June 18-20.

"I realize there is a lot of work involved in putting these things together year after year but we do it for these kids and that makes it worthwhile," said Walling. "We try to put on a good camp yet keep the cost down as much as possible."

Participants in the goat camp paid \$70 each, which included a T-shirt or cap, six meals and dorm rooms for two nights.

"We take \$10 from each of the entry fees and that money goes into a scholarship fund," said Walling. "This year, we were able to give nine \$500 scholarships to some of these kids that return to attend Howard College."

Walling said that around 35 percent of those who attend the camps have attended previously.

"That's what is so good about it," said Walling. "These kids tell others about the camp and it just spreads. We had 230 in the goat camp and we probably turned away that many because we had our quota filled by the first of March. We have them coming from Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico and all parts of Texas."

SOIL

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mental issues, and to visit research facilities and farmers' fields in southern and central United States' Great Plains — from Temple to Sterling, Colo.

The participants of the workshop will meet on the campus of West Texas A&M at Canyon, the first couple of days and see presentations about soil and water resources of the Great Plains and the history of agricultural development in the region.

A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. Potato Head is headed for the funny pages

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — For more than two decades, Jim Davis has made us believe that a cat eats lasagna and drinks coffee. Now, he wants to give us a peek at the world through the eyes of a potato.

Davis, the creator of "Garfield," is working on a new comic strip starring Mr. Potato Head, that favorite toy of the baby-boomer generation.

"A potato is hysterical," Davis said from his Muncie, Ind., studio. "Carrots? They're OK. Cabbage? Not at all. Potatoes? Hysterical."

In the past half century, Mr. Potato Head has been through all kinds of incarnations.

He started in 1952 as a real spud whose bumpy flesh would be pierced with various metal-spiked facial features. Today, he's all-plastic, down to the brown, bulbous body, he's been featured in movies and video games, and he has Mrs. Potato Head for company. More than 75 million Potato Heads have been sold.

As an asthmatic child growing up on a farm, Davis spent many hours sketching and drawing and bringing his imaginary characters to life. He also played with a Mr. Potato Head, remembering that his first one was given to him by his mother.

"I have all the incarnations of Mr. Potato Head," he said.

Davis, 55, has spent more than two decades turning a portly orange cat into an indelible slice of Americana that now appears in every form, from greeting cards to stuffed animals. "Garfield" the comic strip is distributed to more than 2,600 newspapers nationwide.

"He's real. He writes his own material for me now," Davis said. "After 23 years of stretch. So far, Mr. P — as we've taken to calling him — every strip was a new exercise."

The comic strip is being done in collaboration with Pawtucket, R.I.-based Hasbro Inc., the maker of Mr. Potato Head, and cartoonist Brett Koth. It will be distributed by the Universal Press Syndicate beginning in July.

BRIEFS

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

JUNE IS PROSTATE CANCER Awareness month. Interested groups or organizations can contact Bill Birrell at 263-0659 for information on programs or

TEXAS LOTTERY

an 18 minute tape narrated by Sydney Poitier.

HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH will hold an evening Vacation Bible School Monday through Friday from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at 2000 W. F.M. 700. Grades kindergarten through sixth are invited. There will be crafts, games and a journey on the Trail of Hope. Each day's lesson will be on the secret of the stone tablets. Rides are available at 267-1639.

BIG SPRING DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB, meets Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 1 p.m. at the Big Spring Country Club. New members are welcome. \$4 fee. Contact Janell Davis at 267-2656 for more information.

CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP will be June 20-22 at Hughes Aquatic Base at Lake Colorado City. The theme for camp this year is Surfing C-City and activities will include archery, BB's, fishing, water activities, crafts and more. Cost for the camp is \$35 (\$10 more if registration is mailed after June 8). For more information contact JoAnn Sayles, program director at 267-3841 or Sandy Wallace at 394-4310.

ATTENTION BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1981. I am looking for classmates from the class of 1981. Please e-mail or call with your mailing address. Dee Earhart Thani Atheni@aol.com or 214-340-0645.

A CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION HISTORICAL book of the Big Spring Independent School district will be on sale at the BSISD administration building. The 56-page book features the history of public schooling in Big Spring and is on sale for \$10. The book includes the history of sports programs, clubs and organizations, along with notable graduates and memorable faculty and staff. Copies of the book can also be purchased at the Heritage Museum.

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Silver	4.31-4.39

FIRE/EMS

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

5:23 a.m. — 400 block of State, medical call, one patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

7:33 a.m. — 3200 block of Parkway, trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

11:56 a.m. — 600 block of N. Scurry, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

12:43 p.m. — Kenley Ln., medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

1:10 p.m. — 600 block of NE 10th, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

6:28 p.m. — 1700 block of Lancaster, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

10:08 p.m. — 1900 block of N Hwy 87, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

POLICE

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

- **RONNIE FREEMAN**, 44, a transient, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

- **MANUEL CUELLAR**, 28, of 252 Gunter, was arrested on a charge of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

- **ANNA CUELLAR**, 32, of 2529 Gunter, was arrested on local warrants.

- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1000 block of Stadium.

- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 1500 block of Aylesford and in the 600 block of Elgin.

- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1200 block of Wood.

- **THEFT** was reported in the 1000 block of Angola Road and in the 600 block of Canary.

- **BURGLARY OF A BUILDING** was reported in the 2500 block of Kelly Circle.

- **LOUD PARTY/NOISE** was reported in the 1100 block of Mulberry.

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Judge hears arguments on whether to postpone McVeigh's execution

DENVER (AP) — With the ordered execution of Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh only days away, his lawyers have requested another delay to analyze thousands of suppressed FBI documents that could point to others involved.

U.S. District Judge Richard Matsch was deconvene a hearing this morning to determine whether McVeigh's execution will proceed as scheduled June 11. There was no indication how long the hearing would last or when Matsch would rule.

In a court brief filed Tuesday, McVeigh's attorneys argued they may have been able to identify others who had major roles in the bombing if they had received the disputed 4,400 FBI documents before trial. They also alleged the government is continuing to withhold evidence.

McVeigh, 33, has accused the government of committing a "fraud upon the court" because it turned over the additional FBI documents and 11 CDs in May rather than before his 1997 trial and subsequent murder conviction.

Some of the newly released FBI materials apparently are related to the FBI's huge search for a

John Doe No. 2 suspect. Sketches of a dark, heavy-set man were circulated after the bombing but federal officials eventually identified him as an Army private who had no role in the attack.

"We have identified, in the new witness statements, at least 360 names of individuals which we have never seen before" prior to the trial, McVeigh attorney Richard Burr wrote in Tuesday's brief.

Prosecutor Sean Connelly has argued that McVeigh confessed to the car bombing in a recent book and said that he alone carried out the 1995 terrorist act in

which 168 people died. McVeigh has not identified any documents that could prove his innocence, Connelly argued.

McVeigh's lawyers contend that at least some FBI agents knew of the other possible conspirators but allowed their client to shoulder the blame alone.

"The overt acts alleged against Mr. McVeigh, together with the circumstantial evidence and absence of proof concerning the making of the bomb, created the impressions that Mr. McVeigh was the primary actor bearing full responsibility for the bombing," Burr wrote.

"In this context, any credible evidence that other specific individuals played a major role in the bombing, for example construction of the bomb, would have cast doubt on the overt acts committed by Mr. McVeigh," he said.

"If Mr. McVeigh's execution is stayed and he is given access to the tools of civil discovery, there is reason to believe that a nexus between some of these individuals and Mr. McVeigh will be established," Burr wrote.

Most legal analysts expect a quick decision from Matsch, which could be appealed immediately. A

10th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals spokesman said a panel could rule in three hours on any challenge.

McVeigh, held at a federal prison in Terre Haute, Ind., will not be present during the hearing. Some bombing survivors were expected to attend.

McVeigh was originally sentenced to die May 16 but when the Justice Department began turning over the disputed FBI documents, Attorney General John Ashcroft delayed the execution.

Terry Nichols, 46, is serving a life sentence for involuntary manslaughter and conspiracy in the bombing.

Daschle wants bipartisanship in Democrat-controlled Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — New Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle stressed bipartisanship Wednesday as Democrats took command of the Senate for the first time since 1994. But he cautioned he would also use his party's new muscle to stop President Bush on areas where they disagree.

Daschle, D-S.D., appeared on morning news shows on five television networks just hours before he was to be recognized on the Senate floor as majority leader for the first time.

With Vermont Sen. James Jeffords' departure from the GOP official with Tuesday's closing gavel, Democrats took the helm of the full Senate by a 50-49 margin, plus Jeffords, and of each of its committees.

"Our role is to try to find a way to work together, to agree where we can, to compromise where we find the real possibility of doing so. But obviously on occasion we will see it as our role to stop something that we don't think is appropriate policy," Daschle said on ABC's "Good Morning America."

"Both sides have to come to the middle. We can't just lob bombs," he said on NBC's "Today Show."

Daschle, who received a courtesy visit Tuesday from House Speaker Dennis

Hastert, R-Ill., said he planned to deliver a message of cooperation to Bush on Thursday when he has dinner with him at the White House.

"We've got to find a way to put aside the partisan differences and get on with governance. That's going to be my message," Daschle said on the Fox News Channel.

Daschle also predicted that Republicans would not use a filibuster — long procedural delays — to press their demands that Democrats let the Senate vote on Bush nominations, especially for judgeships.

Daschle cited education, patients' rights and energy as areas where he said the two parties can reach compromise.

But after his television appearances, he conceded in a brief interview that it may be difficult for the Senate to be productive with the narrow majority Democrats will have.

"That's what remains to be seen, what can the Senate produce under these circumstances," he said.

Republican leaders were also talking about compromise, but showing a combative side as well.

"I want everybody to understand that while we may not be in the majority, we are going to make sure

that the American people's agenda is considered as we see it," the outgoing majority leader, Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss., said Tuesday.

"We should have a war of ideas, and we should have a full campaign for the Senate in 2002," added Lott, whose five years as majority leader saw some conservatives accuse him of being too accommodating to members of the Democratic Party.

Before Jeffords' departure from the GOP, Republicans had used the tie-breaking vote of Vice President Dick Cheney to control the evenly divided Senate since January.

This is the first time Senate control has shifted during a session, other than after the 17 days last January when Vice President Al Gore temporarily gave Democrats the upper hand.

As of Tuesday evening, the plan was for a Republican to be in the chair at the start of Wednesday's session.

By voice vote, the Senate would quickly elect Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., the senior Democratic senator, to replace Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., as president pro tempore, a largely ceremonial post that is third in line for presidential succession. Byrd would then recognize Daschle to speak

as majority leader, kicking off the Democrats' rule.

Democrats ultimately will have a one-seat majority on each committee, but the Senate will have to approve a resolution to make that official.

That resolution is the subject of GOP talks with Daschle that were expected to resume sometime today, with Republicans insisting that Democrats also promise timely votes on Bush's nominations.

Physical evidence of the Democratic takeover also emerged Wednesday. Workers shifted Jeffords' desk a few feet over to the Democratic side of the center aisle, and the "Assistant Majority Leader" sign over the office door of Sen. Don Nickles of Oklahoma was replaced with one reading,

"Assistant Republican Leader."

For the first time, Jeffords joined Senate Democrats Tuesday at their weekly lunch and received a standing ovation from his colleagues.

"I was a little bit numbed," Jeffords said afterward.

Jeffords added that he has "never had second thoughts" about ending his lifelong affiliation with the GOP.

At the White House, Bush met with senators of both parties to discuss the bipartisan education bill wending its way through the Senate.

He preferred to cast his party's loss of Senate control in positive terms, while others took the harder line for the Republican party.

"There's going to be an

opportunity for us to work on a variety of issues" with Democrats, he said.

Even so, some Democrats were bristling at the feisty talk by Lott, who has referred to Jeffords' defection and subsequent turnover of the Senate to Democrats as a "coup of one."

"When I heard that statement I smiled broadly, because on that basis one could ask the same questions about the resident of the house behind me," said Sen. Joseph Lieberman, D-Conn., last year's Democratic vice presidential nominee.

He was pointing at the White House as he left the education meeting with Bush, winner of last year's bitterly contested presidential election.

TABC to probe why restaurant served Bush's daughter, friend

AUSTIN (AP) — The co-owner of Chuy's restaurant said Tuesday that a staffer shouldn't have called the police to report President Bush's 19-year-old twins on accusations of underage drinking.

"We believe that we made a mistake in calling the police in this matter and using 911 was a mistake. You don't use 911 except for in emergencies," Chuy's co-owner John Zapp told The Associated Press.

The call led to misdemeanor citations against Jenna and Barbara Bush on accusations they violated toughened underage drinking laws signed in 1997 by their father when he was governor.

Two weeks earlier, Jenna Bush pleaded no contest to underage drinking charges. She was ordered to take alcohol counseling and perform community service.

Zapp said he wanted to set the record straight about the May 29 incident, which he says has caused "overwhelming" response from around the world, including media reports inaccurately painting the popular Mexican restaurant as a breeding ground for underage drinkers.

"We did a very responsible job of preventing minors from drinking," Zapp said. "Our policies are correct and very firm and we do a great job of training and it worked."

However, the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission still plans to look into the restaurant's serving policies.

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OUR VIEWS

Your opinion important at public hearing

Citizens of Big Spring are invited to make comment Saturday on a proposed 68-unit apartment complex that would be constructed behind the Big Spring State School recycling center.

Members of the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will hold a public hearing on the funding of the project at 10 a.m. in city council chambers.

The complex, to be called the Limestone Ridge Apartments, would be targeted for hourly wage earners. The one, two and three-bedroom units would rent for between \$275 and \$470. Residents would pay electricity, telephone and cable while the apartment complex would pay water, wastewater and trash pickup.

The units would contain refrigerators, ranges and ovens, dishwashers and garbage disposals. According to the architect, the complex would include a furnished community room, computer room, laundry facilities, a children's playground and equipment, family recreation area and a picnic area.

The \$5 million project would be funded primarily through the Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program and would be a limited partnership between United Affordable Housing of Arlington, the Crossroads Housing Development Corporation and Big Spring Housing Authority.

The primary reason for the location — basically at the corner of U.S. Highway 87 and Interstate 20, is the income level of the area, which is low.

Designers have indicated the architecture of the complex will be in keeping with the adjacent Lamun-Lusk-Sanchez Texas Veterans Home and Big Spring State Hospital.

At quick glance, the project seems like a good one for Big Spring. It would provide construction jobs as well as what appears to be needed affordable housing for our community. Concerns that come to mind are: Will the complex still be as aesthetically appealing in 15 years or so, and will the intersection of two major highways pose an unreasonable traffic hazard, primarily to children who will live in the apartments?

Saturday's public hearing is your chance to become more educated about the project and, if you wish, to voice your approval or opposition. We hope you take the opportunity and attend.

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We'll admire Quinn long after he's gone

Anthony Quinn is dead at 86, the evening news announced on Sunday, and I felt as if I had lost a family member. Quinn was much more than an actor to me as I was growing up.

The first film I ever remember seeing was Elia Kazan's "Viva Zapata," in which Quinn played the brother of Emiliano Zapata, the peasant leader of the Mexican Revolution.

Five years old and sitting in the ornate Kimo Theater in Albuquerque, N.M., with my parents, I remember crying out loud in the auditorium Quinn's line as he rode across the screen after Zapata was killed: "No, no, he's not dead. He's in the mountains with his people." The movie, whose screenplay was written by John Steinbeck, can be seen on classic movie stations on cable sometimes and still brings tears to my eyes.

Mexican and other Latin

actors were relatively common in the '40s and early '50s. Gilbert Roland, Cesar Romero, Desi Arnaz, Ricardo Montalban, Carmen Miranda, Dolores Del Rio and Linda Darnell were romantic leads in many a Hollywood movie. But Quinn stood apart from the others. As he once observed, he rarely got the girl in any of his movies because his looks weren't the classic, fine-featured variety favored for those parts. But he became a popular character actor, not confined to playing Latin lovers, caballeros or bandits — the roles most often assigned to Mexican actors of the period.

Quinn played a Greek in his famous role, "Zorba the Greek," a Bedouin sheik in "Lawrence of Arabia," the French Impressionist painter Paul Gauguin in "Lust for Life," a Russian pope in "The Shoes of the Fisherman," and even an English king, Henry II, in a Broadway version of the play "Becket." What mattered more than his ethnic background was his charisma — an overused word today, but the only one to describe adequately Quinn's extraordinary appeal.

I met Anthony Quinn

when I was a graduate student at UCLA in the early '70s. He had been invited to a private lunch with a group of Hispanic graduate students, and I was dispatched along with another student to greet him outside Campbell Hall, where we had set aside a room to host the small affair. I remember I was taken by his swagger and his size as he walked down the hall toward us. He reminded me of my father, who was about the same age and height, over 6 feet tall, a rarity among Mexican Americans. Quinn wore a light tan sports jacket, dark pants, and an open necked shirt. When he sat beside me at lunch, I noticed he wore a thin, copper bracelet. I remember little of what he said, perhaps because he said so little. He was somewhat taciturn, answering a few questions, but mostly listening as the students complained of prejudice and discrimination on campus.

He seemed as if he didn't really want to be there, and I wondered if perhaps his agent had arranged the meeting to boost his reputation among young Hispanics. I don't recall ever reading that Quinn was much of a political or

ethnic activist, certainly not like Edward James Olmos and some of the other younger, more radical Latino actors who followed in his professional footsteps. Quinn did tell us that he regretted not earning a degree as an architect — his first ambition — and encouraged us to stay in school. And then the lunch was over, as quickly as it began.

In this hyper-ethnically-conscious age of ours, a Mexican American like Anthony Quinn seems an anomaly. His New York Times obituary quotes film historian David Thomson cleverly noting that Quinn was cast in parts in which he "dutifully let every Paramount white man slug him" during his early career. But Quinn never seemed bitter about his early typecasting as an Indian renegade or a Mexican outlaw. "I think I'm lucky," the Times quotes Quinn once saying. "I was born with very little talent but great drive."

In fact, Quinn's talent was as big and imposing as his physical presence. And he gave all of us, not just his fellow Mexican Americans, someone whose skills and grace we will admire long after he's gone.



LINDA CHAVEZ



I'll be going back to Harlingen

During a three day visit to Harlingen, I interviewed 27 people and

learned a lot about the city. It's young, as cities go. It was first called Rattlesnake Junction by railroad workers. By 1904 a post office was established. Because of the many irrigation canals similar to Holland's waterways, the place came to be called Harlingen, named for a city in the Netherlands. The city became an important military center and a trade and transportation hub. Harlingen is home to the original Iwo Jima Memorial, the working model from which the bronze statue in Arlington, Virginia was cast. It was donated to the city by the sculptor.



TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Harlingen has about three flocks of parrots, green with red heads, that fly over the city. Birds of all types have become a huge tourist attraction.

Harlingen has a birding festival in the fall that attracts visitors from all over the world. The city has two walking trails and a state of the art airport that serves the entire Rio Grande Valley.

Harlingen is filled with people who have a strong sense of community and a wonderful sense of humor. Bill DeBrooke made some money renting videos and started buying downtown buildings. He now owns a dozen or so. One of them houses his collections of trains, Tonka toys, batteries, fountain pens, cameras, toasters, signs and millions of other items.

G. Milton Jones, a pioneer in air conditioning huge farm equipment, has an outstanding collection of Studebakers. Enrique Ornelas owns the La Especial Bakery in nearby San Benito. His brick oven, with an arched ceiling, cooks cow heads and breads. It is a popular place with a long line of customers every morning.

John Houston of Rio Hondo has the Texas Air Museum, which features aircraft and vehicles from all wars. Billy Snyder builds serenity gardens and takes people on trips to see butterflies and dragon flies.

Normah Knight is an artist who has painted several murals in Harlingen. The city is planning to expand its murals and develop a mural park.

Gordon Hill is a water engineer who has two famous grandfathers: Lon C. Hill, the man who founded the town, and Tom Mix, the star of radio and movie westerns. Within 45 minutes of Harlingen is South Padre Island, a small city which has become a booming resort area in the last 25 years.

George and Scarlet Colley will take you out to see some dolphins.

Fishing and hunting are big around Harlingen, a city of 59,000 people. I'll go back there.

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Skin cancer death rate rises despite repeated warnings to the public

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — Deaths and disfigurements from preventable skin cancers continue to rise, worrying doctors who expect to treat another 1.3 million new patients this year.

Skin cancer effects roughly the same number of patients as all other cancers combined, according to the American Cancer Society. The society warns nearly 10,000 people will die from the disease in 2001.

The most common types of skin cancer, squamous cell and basal cell carcinoma, are curable in more than 98 percent of patients but early detection and treatment are crucial, said Dr. Martin A. Weinstock, head of the society's skin cancer advisory board.

For melanoma patients, Weinstock said the prognosis is bleak, however. About 7,800 Americans are projected to die from melanoma in 2001.

Doctors say that's because pieces of a melanoma tumor often spread to other parts of the body, invading key organs. "I'm seeing more young

individuals with melanoma, including individuals who are still teenagers and in their early 20s," said Dr. John E. Vine, director of dermatologic surgery at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey in New Brunswick.

Glenn Parker, of the New York Giants football team, is one such victim of melanoma. Parker, a self-proclaimed California "beach bum" and surfer said he wasn't aware of the necessity of sun protection while growing up.

"If anything, you put cocoa butter or baby oil on, and here I was at the beach everyday," said Parker, who had surgery last week to remove a 3-inch-square tumor from his right leg.

Dermatologists say many baby boomers who endured severe sunburns as children also risk developing skin cancers and should seek treatment if they notice changes in moles or their skin.

The incidence of skin cancer grew about 6 percent per year during the 1970s.

Blockbuster tries to settle late fee suits

DALLAS (AP) — Blockbuster Inc. hopes to settle nearly two dozen class-action lawsuits over the company's overdue video fees without abandoning the charges, a big part of its business.

Dallas-based Blockbuster, the world's largest video-rental chain, has denied any wrongdoing but is offering to give out coupons with a face value of about \$460 million in discounts for movie rentals and merchandise.

Company officials also say they won't change the late-fee policy that led to the lawsuits, and that has critics howling.

Late fees are important to Blockbuster's bottom line. In 2000, the company earned about 19 percent of its rental income from late fees — \$795.8 million out of \$4.16 billion.

Blockbuster used to add a charge for every day a rental was late. In February 2000, it changed its policy to treat late tapes as if the customer had rented them for another 2-day or 5-day period. Both practices were attacked in lawsuits, claiming that the penalty far exceeds Blockbuster's potential loss from late tapes.

"When you rent a car for \$300 a week and bring it in three hours late, they don't charge you another \$300; they prorate it and charge you for the extra three hours," said Brian Lysaght, a Santa Monica, Calif., lawyer involved in one suit.

Debbie Prince, an electrical engineer in Elk Grove, Calif., says she stopped renting from Blockbuster a couple years ago after the chain refused to remove a \$6.47

charge for two movies she returned a few minutes late. "I thought, 'They're surely not going to charge me a late fee because I'm a minute late.' Did they really think they were going to rent the movies out if I got them there a minute before midnight?" Prince said.

Blockbuster general counsel Edward Stead said the company's late-fee policy has been upheld in cases in California and Alabama but the company didn't want to face the expense of more litigation.

"We said, 'Let's see if we can resolve it once and for all,'" Stead said.

Under the Blockbuster plan, customers who were charged late or non-return fees between Jan. 1, 1992 and April 1, 2001 could get coupons for movie rentals and other discounts good

between Jan. 15 and May 15 of next year. The number of coupons vary depending on fees incurred. Customers can get coupons by submitting a claim by Dec. 15. Claim forms and details on the offer are available on the company's Web site by clicking "EVF Settlement Information." Those who paid a fee after April 1999 may get coupons automatically if they make a transaction at a Blockbuster store after Jan. 15.

In court documents, Blockbuster said it would pay attorney fees up to \$9.25 million, which it said was about 2 percent of the face value of the coupons that would be issued. Stead said the final settlement cost would be a small fraction of the coupons' face value — he declined to give specifics.

Napster deal with MusicNet members faces stiff challenges

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The deal between Napster and MusicNet now pits three major record labels against two in the race to develop an Internet music system consumers will pay for.

Napster, the former music industry bad boy, said Tuesday it struck a distribution deal with three major

record labels that are launching a music subscription service this summer.

MusicNet is a venture between record label owners AOL Time Warner Inc., Bertelsmann and EMI Group, as well as Seattle-based RealNetworks, whose software lets users to listen to music and watch video

through the Internet.

Their rival in the battle to turn the Internet from an undisciplined playground for Web mavericks into a corporate profit center is Duet, a joint venture between Sony Corp. and French media conglomerate Vivendi Universal.

While MusicNet has cast its lot with Napster, Duet is

working with MP3.com. The San Diego company, which was itself the subject of a massive lawsuit brought by the record labels last year, recently was acquired by Vivendi Universal.

Tuesday, MP3.com president and founder Michael Robertson gave the MusicNet deal with Napster little chance.

HOROSCOPE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Thursday, June 7.

Improving communication with a special person or a relative should take priority this year. Though gradual growth can occur in more than one area of your life over the next few months, November's planetary energies seem to promise measurable success. Work on a plan. Target July as a time to put it into action. Pay attention to someone new in December. You never know who or what might influence you, but a probable new perspective in early 2002 awaits you. If you are single, you could look at life in a completely different way. Whom you attract then will probably surprise you. If you are attached, there can be an enhancement of a personal relationship. Let CAPRICORN help with planning and discipline this year.

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)
**** You have a good idea of what it takes to reach your goals. Consider discussing your plans with an objective person who can give you a good argument. Your creativity will shine if you take some time with it. Develop your ideas before jumping in. Tonight: Trust your intuition.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
**** You're entering a comfortable time socially that could last several weeks. You should be able to express yourself artistically. Trust that what you create will be appealing. If you want to make money with your talent, do it now. Tonight: Put the phone on "answer."

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
*** Career and home life conflict. Talk things out to find the best solution. Let someone have input even if you think your ideas are best. Planning your next vacation could be a comfortable topic for discussion. Tonight: Romance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
**** You might be faced with relationship issues now. Responsibilities could be keeping you from spending time with a special person. You can have balance if you put effort into it. Ask for patience while you work out a solution. Tonight: Discussion after dinner.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
*** Before things improve,

communication can break down. Don't pretend all is well. Address small issues as they arise. Consider whether you really need to make that purchase if your partner disagrees. Learn to compromise. Tonight: Work must be done.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
**** Opportunity presents itself in developing a new project. With your quick mind, solutions come so easily, they surprise you. Even though you can balance more than one problem at a time, it might be best to focus on what is most important. Treat someone to a night out.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
**** Wait one more day before kicking up your heels. You probably have some work to do that you have been avoiding. Get it out of the way. Your efforts will not go unnoticed. Afterward, you can look forward to an almost perfect weekend. Tonight: Rethink an idea.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
*** Giving in to another person won't make life easier now. In fact, you'll probably be starting a trend that will be hard to change. Working on something that needs redoing can be bene-

ficial. You need more information -- get it. Tonight: With a friend.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
**** The possibility of success looms ahead when you take the right action, and it seems you know what that should be. Make adjustments where needed. Reduce involvement in too many activities, so you can focus on the main one. Tonight: Read into the wee hours.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
**** Combine business and pleasure. Taking a special person along to a must-go event lightens the mood and gives your partner a break. Ignore those who think you are shirking your duties. You know better. Tonight: Ah, sweet success!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
**** If you think you have one of the best ideas you've ever come up with, you're probably correct. Now, how can you put your plan into action? You know how to do it. Let your talent shine. Tonight: A little work before you relax.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
**** Digging for information can net a surprising

turn of events, but you'll have to be alert. The information you receive can be presented in a subtle way. You might get a little help from a Scorpio. Tonight: Celebrate a little.

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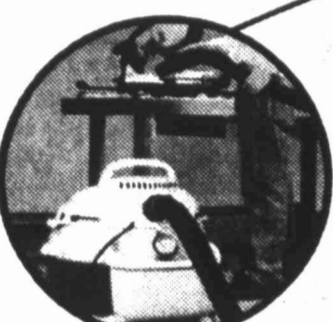
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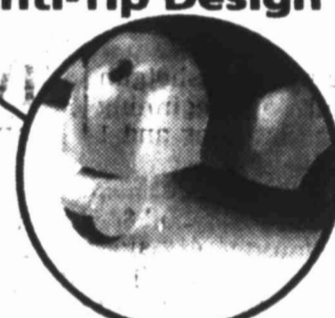


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IN BRIEF

Coahoma booster club meeting set

There will be an athletic booster club meeting Monday at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria. All are welcomed.

Archery 3-D benefit shoot

There will be an archery 3-D benefit shoot Sunday to help defray medical expenses for the Whitehead family.

There will be 15 targets double staked. The fee ranges from \$5-\$30 (cub to family max). There will be a very limited sighting in range so please be seated in before coming.

There will also be catering by the co-host, Price Construction employees (\$5/plate).

Registration begins at 7:10:30 a.m.

For more information contact Gary Maddux at 631-0138, 264-1309 or Julia Maddux at 267-1691.

Chicano golfers will hold annual tourney

The Chicano Golf Association will hold its annual golf scholarship tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course Saturday and Sunday.

The \$60 fee covers green fee for both days. There will be a barbecue Saturday.

For more information call 264-2366 or 263-4044.

Country club parent-child tourney

There will be a parent-child two-person scramble golf tournament at the Big Spring Country Club Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a shotgun start both days beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday and 1 p.m. Sunday.

The entry fee is \$80 in the open division and \$30 in the trophy division plus your golf cart (private carts are welcome). A parent may play with more than one child. The entry fee for the second team is half price.

To sign up call 267-5354.

Annual Coahoma ragball tournament

There will be a ragball tournament Friday and Saturday, July 6-7.

For more information contact Rocky New at 394-4041.

NFL players extend agreement

NEW YORK (AP) — The NFL will have labor peace through 2007 once the league and the players ratify Tuesday's agreement to extend the collective bargaining agreement for three years.

The NFL Management Council and players association agreed to extend the salary cap through 2006, with the final year of the extension an uncapped season. The players and league owners must vote on the agreement, but that is considered a formality, particularly for the players, who could receive an increase in salary to as high as 65.5 percent of designated gross revenues in 2005. Veteran players also will have a portion of their salaries paid out of a league-wide fund.

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BASEBALL
6 p.m. — Cleveland Indians at Minnesota Twins, ESPN, Ch. 30.

Destiny calls...Hingis and Capriati in French Open semis

PARIS (AP) — Serving for her first spot in the French Open semifinals in 11 years, Jennifer Capriati tensed up, double-faulted and blew a match point.

A set later, her nerves had settled and she was ready to reclaim the place she last held as a 14-year-old tennis prodigy.

Next round, Capriati might not be so lucky.

In the semis, she faces another player who badly wants to win a first French title, Martina Hingis.

The Thursday showdown, worthy of a Grand Slam final, pits two women whose tennis careers have become inextricably linked to the clay courts of Roland Garros.

For Capriati, Paris is where it all

began. In 1990 she became the youngest semifinalist in Grand Slam history and was propelled to the forefront of the tennis stage.

She failed to reach the final that year, and for the next decade was unable to get past the semis in any Grand Slam event.

She finally fulfilled her teen-age promise four months ago by winning the Australian Open, capping a comeback from tennis burnout and personal problems.

Hingis was her unlucky opponent in Melbourne.

"I'll have that in my mind," said Capriati, recalling her straight-set win. "I think that will be an advantage."

While Capriati is trying to com-

pensate for 11 years of lost opportunities, Hingis is motivated by more recent disappointments.

Like Capriati, the world No. 1 made her mark at the French at a young age, reaching the final in 1997 when only 16. She lost to Iva Majoli, blowing a chance to sweep all four Grand Slam titles in the same year.

In 1999, Hingis was three points from victory when Steffi Graf made a comeback and claimed her sixth Roland Garros crown.

Two years later, the French remains the only Grand Slam title Switzerland's Hingis hasn't won.

Hoping to change her luck in Paris, Hingis has sought coaching from her mother, Melanie Molitor,

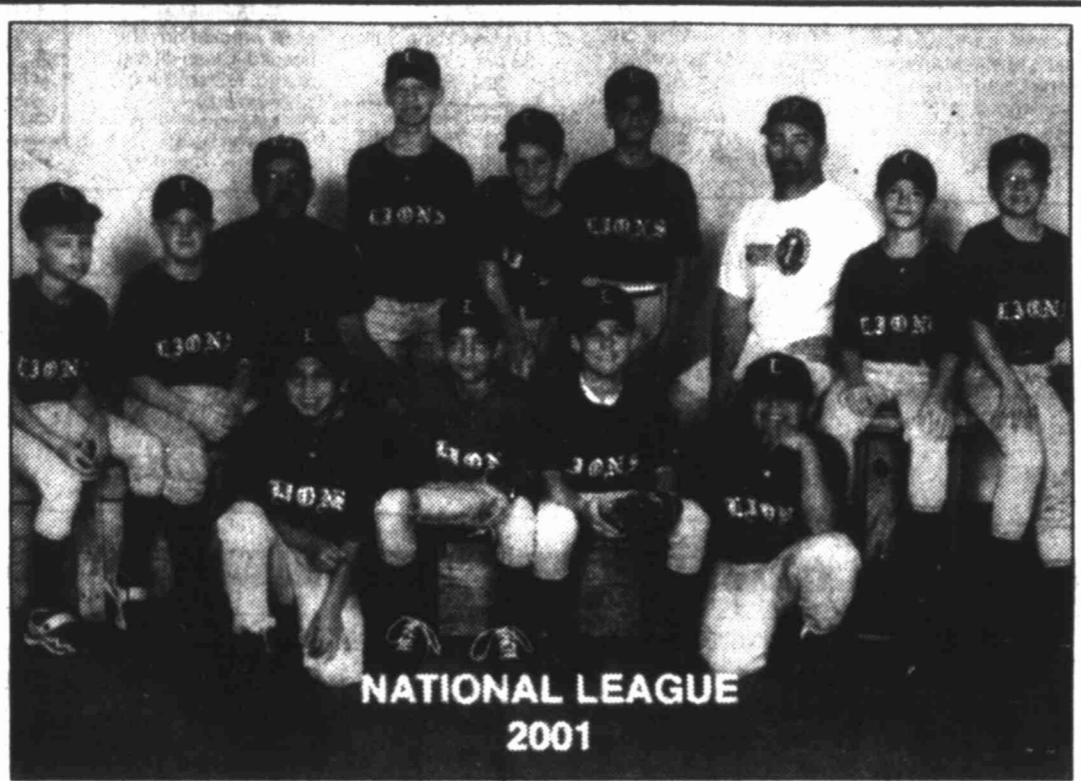
reversing a decision to put an end to their professional relationship. In an energy-saving measure, she also didn't play doubles.

"I never felt this good in previous years, because I always was a little bit tired toward the end of the tournament," Hingis said.

She will need all her energy against Capriati, one of the biggest hitters in the women's game.

"She's just a bigger, stronger girl," she said. "I think I've improved since the last time I played her."

Hingis will undergo her first real test of the tournament against the American, only the second seeded player she has faced at Roland Garros.



The Lions, who compete in the Major League (11 and 12 year old division) were undefeated this season finishing with a record of 15-0. Members — front left: Joe dela Cruz, Mark McKiski, Keaton Hughes and Robert dela Cruz. Back: Rusty Gressett, P.J. Daylong, Preston Daylong, Cameron Parker, Corbin Brown, Chris Martinez, Bobby Doe, Brett Doe and Shane Bowles.

Even before NBA Finals begin, there's dynasty talk about the Lakers

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The NBA Finals haven't even started, and already there's talk of a Los Angeles Lakers dynasty.

That's understandable considering what the Lakers have accomplished lately, although the Philadelphia 76ers swear they've come this far to win, not just provide Los Angeles with fodder for the finals.

Lakers coach Phil Jackson knows all about dynasties, having been involved the Chicago Bulls winning six championships in an eight-year span of the 1990s under his direction.

"Well, first of all, we have two great players, obviously players that are maybe not first-team all-NBA, but they are top players," Jackson said Tuesday, tongue obviously in cheek because Kobe Bryant was a second-team selection.

The 22-year-old Bryant and 29-year-old Shaquille O'Neal are not only two of the league's best players, they figure to continue to be for several more years.

And the supporting cast has been terrific in the playoffs, helping the Lakers become only the second team in NBA history to enter the

finals without having lost a playoff game.

"They are on a 19-game winning streak," 76ers coach Larry Brown said with admiration. "Everybody expected the team who came out of the West would be exhausted and bruised."

It's the 76ers who have reason to be exhausted and bruised, having required the maximum seven games in their past two series to reach the finals, which begin Wednesday night at Staples Center.

The Lakers, meanwhile, figure to be at least a little rusty as they haven't played since May 27, when they completed a sweep of San Antonio in the Western Conference finals.

That would appear to be their only concern.

"We've had 10 days to try and get better," is how Rick Fox put it.

"We're anxious to get this thing started," Horace Grant said. "Practicing against each other, you want to see a few new faces."

Robert Horry was a little more blunt, saying: "I think everybody's a little tired of looking at each other, playing against each other. We want some new blood."

Twins grant Mauer's wish with top pick

NEW YORK (AP) — Joe Mauer was having a difficult time describing how he felt after becoming a part of baseball draft history.

"I'm kind of tickled, I guess," said Mauer, a high school catcher drafted by the Minnesota Twins with the No. 1 pick in the draft Tuesday. "It's kind of a dream come true. Who'd have thought a year ago that I'd be sitting here today?"

It was something Mauer, a left-handed hitting catcher from Cretin-Derham Hall in St. Paul, Minn., fantasized about while growing up a Twins fan.

"I followed Kent Hrbek and Kirby Puckett and all those guys," the 18-year-old Mauer said. "This is kind of a fairy tale."

Mauer, a right-handed thrower, joined Danny Goodwin and David Clyde as the only players chosen by their home state teams with the No. 1 pick.

"This is a natural for the Minnesota Twins," general manager Terry Ryan said. "I don't know if you could write a better script."

Southern California right-hander Mark Prior, considered by some as the greatest college pitcher ever, was taken by the Chicago Cubs with the second pick.

"I know it's going to hit

me hard tonight when I sit down and think I'm going to be a Chicago Cub and I might have the opportunity to play in Wrigley Field," Prior said.

Next, Tampa Bay selected Middle Tennessee State right-hander Dewon Brazelton; Philadelphia took high school right-hander Gavin Floyd; and Georgia Tech third baseman Mark Teixeira was chosen by Texas with the fifth pick.

High school shortstop Michael Garciaparra, brother of Nomar Garciaparra; prep first baseman Dustin Yount, son of Hall of Famer Robin Yount; and Arizona outfielder Shelley Duncan, son of St. Louis pitching coach Dave Duncan were among those drafted with strong baseball bloodlines.

Rolando Viera, a Cuban pitcher who was denied a request for free agency Monday, was drafted in the seventh round by Boston with the 213th pick.

Matt Harrington, a right-hander drafted by Colorado with the seventh pick last year and the only first-round pick who didn't sign, re-entered the draft and was picked by San Diego with the 58th pick.

The 6-foot-4, 205-pound Mauer was a standout in baseball, basketball and football, and has accepted a

scholarship to play quarterback at Florida State.

"Right now, I just want to enjoy this," said Mauer, the first catcher drafted with the top pick since Milwaukee took B.J. Surhoff in 1985. He hit .605 with 14 homers and 46 RBIs this season.

Prior, 14-1 with a 1.50 ERA, had a school- and Pac-10 record 189 strikeouts and just 17 walks in 131 2-3 innings for the College World Series-bound Trojans.

Brazelton went from being an unknown pitcher to one of the best in college after going 6-0 with a Team USA-record 0.65 ERA last summer.

Floyd, from Mt. St. Joseph High School in Maryland, has a fastball that touches the mid-90s, a knee-buckling curve, and excellent command.

Teixeira, considered one of college baseball's best switch-hitters, was sidelined 10 weeks with a broken right ankle, but healed in time for the NCAA tournament, where he showed he hadn't lost his sweet stroke.

With the sixth overall pick, Montreal took UCLA right-hander Josh Karp. Next, Baltimore took Chris Smith, a left-hander from Cumberland (Tenn.).

Thompson, Arcain duo lead Comets

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Janeth Arcain and Tina Thompson are hoping to make people forget Sheryl Swoopes and Cynthia Cooper.

Arcain scored a career-high 27 points and Thompson had 23 points and 10 rebounds as the Houston Comets beat the Utah Starzz 72-68 Tuesday night.

"Getting the ball to Thompson and Arcain, they got 50 points and that's what's carrying us right now," Comets coach Van Chancellor said.

Swoopes, the Comets' star player, is out for the season with a torn knee ligament. She sat at the end of the bench and supported her teammates with high-fives

during introductions.

With Swoopes injured, and Cooper, the two-time league MVP retired and coaching in Phoenix, the Comets are relying on Thompson and Arcain to fill the holes.

"Right now, we have to keep going because we know nobody is believing in us with Swoopes and Cooper gone," Arcain said. "But we try to do our job."

Utah took its first lead, 66-64, on Adrienne Goodson's two free throws with 2:36 remaining. Arcain, the only player to appear in all 126 Comets games, scored eight unanswered points in the last 2:03 to secure the victory.

"Arcain hit some pretty hard shots and we could not

have played any better defense on her," Starzz coach Fred Williams said.

The Comets (3-1) won their third straight road game after a season-opening homecourt loss to Los Angeles.

Natalie Williams led the Starzz (1-2) with 14 points, but her streak of 21 straight double-doubles ended.

"We definitely wanted to limit Natalie's touches as much as we could," Thompson said. "We tried to make her as uncomfortable as possible and make the other players step up."

Margo Dydek scored 13 points and 10 rebounds for Utah, and Jennifer Azzi had 13 points in her best game since missing the preseason with a broken toe.



Ryan Wester, one of five members of the RJRDB team, poses with his bike. Wester competes in both the 125 cc division as well as the 250 cc. The two styles of bikes (125 cc and 250 cc) differ in weight and engine displacement.

Wester, Fulgham head to regionals

HERALD Staff Report

You can call them dare devils or even extreme sport enthusiasts. But whatever you call them, know that Ryan Wester and Duane Fulgham can live up to just about any name.

qualified for the Loretta Lynn Regional AMA Amateur which will be held Saturday and Sunday, June 16-17 in Village Creek.

After a grueling performance at Cooperland in Stillwater, Okla., Wester returned with first place in both of his motos in the 250

cc division while Fulgham returned with a fourth place finish. Wester also qualified in the 125 cc division, in the stock division and the modified.

The two are a part of the RJRDB Motocross race team which also includes John Rieland, Ryan Vaffar and Ben Moses.

The team trains through out the year and competes about two times a month, with the summer being their busiest season.

With a win at regionals, the twosome could qualify for the Youth National Championship which will be held in Hurricane Mills.

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Now hiring 1 full time 35-40 hrs/wk, 11-7 Shift and 1 part time 25-30 hrs week position for a 11-7pm shift. Must be able to work weekends. Come by 1315 Baylor for application. Must be able to work with people with developmental disabilities. Cooking skills needed. \$6.40/hr. Must have a valid Texas drivers license. EEOE

HELP WANTED

Entry level or experienced full-time soft drink route person needed. Requirements include being 18 or older, completion of high school or GED, good driving record, capability to perform physically demanding labor, ability to meet people and communicate effectively, and a willingness to work till the job is done. Applicants with Class A-CDL and route sales or commercial driving experience preferred, but the company is willing to train the right person. Please apply at:

Dr. Pepper/Peppi
3611 N. Hwy 87
Big Spring, Texas
EEO/AA Employer
263-4186

PEDIATRIC RN-LVN

Our agency is looking for an experienced Nurse to provide quality Pediatric care in the Lamesa/Big Spring area.

To Apply contact:
Sandy Simpson, RN
at Covenant Home Health Care
Big Spring
915-263-6816

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LOANS

NEED CASH NOW OPEN E-Z Cash \$100 to \$1000.00 No Credit Check
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FARM LAND

Glasscock County farmland with home. 337 acres and 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath property located off paved county road, extra covered parking for boat, RV, or tractor. 915-397-2533.

Nolan County Farmland between Roscoe and Loriane. 610 acres w/2 1/2 acre pond with rock sides, water wells, flat to slightly rolling terrain. 915-397-2533.

Reagan/Upton Co. Farmland - 640 acres, fenced, irrigation wells, no rocks, no improvements. Near Benedum Plant. Priced To SELL! 915-397-2533

DOGS, PETS, ETC.

AKC Chinese Pug, black male puppy. \$250. 263-3930.

AKC Golden Retriever puppies. 6 female, 3 male. Great w/children. 915-758-2332.

GARAGE SALES

3 Family Garage Sale. 3002 Cactus 7am-2pm. Fri. & Sat. Couches, chairs, carpet, used water heaters, school desk, boys husky & slim pants, teen girls clothes, books & toys & crib.

Estate Sale: Fri. & Sat. 1803 Morrison. 8:00 AM UNTIL 7:00 PM. Sixty seven years of stuff. Furn, nick-nacks, collectibles.

Garage Sale: 4024 Vicky. Sat. 7:30am. Furniture, TV, golfballs, str.dr., misc.

Garage Sale: Sat. June 9th. 8am-7:30pm Greenbriar (Off Baylor) Moss, Elm.

FURNITURE

E-Z Rentals is now under new management. Come by and meet... Martha Loveless 120 days same as cash!

Name brand TVs, VCR's, furniture, appliances, etc. 263-4315

MISCELLANEOUS

Anne of Green Gables and The Continuing Story Factory Sealed VHS Movies \$14.99 + S&H. Call Toll Free 1-866-744-8245

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Diabetic Supplies At No Cost to You 1-877-632-1422

MISCELLANEOUS

Big Screen TV for sale. Take on small payments. Good credit required. 1-800-998-9970

REWARD
A chair made out of horse shoes and a seat made from the seat of a farm implement. Has a lot of sentimental value. If you see them call 264-6119 or call the B. S. Police Dept. 264-2550 \$200.00 Cash reward.

WEDDING CAKES!
Beautiful & delicious. Free delivery & set-up. Arches, abras, catering. 1/3 down reserves your date. 267-8191

ACREAGE FOR SALE

3.26 acres, 3 miles South of city limits, corner of Garden City/Elbow Rd. Residential/commercial. Owner finance w/ \$500/dn. \$146/mn. 1-861-877-2563

MARTIN COUNTY
10.351 Acres near West Stanton on Cr 2300 E. 8.64% interest. \$117/Mo. Owner Finance Forest America Group. 800-275-7376

BUILDINGS FOR SALE

OFFICE & 700' SHOP
Also 1811 Scurry, \$36,000

EZ OWN HOMES, INC
915-264-0510

BUILDINGS FOR RENT

For Lease: Building & Warehouse on 5 acres fenced land, good location (Snyder Hwy). Approximately 8500 sq. ft. with nice offices. \$1250.00 month plus deposit. Call Westex Auto Parts, Inc. 263-5000

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Glasscock County: Kural Convenience store which serves area as cafe, coffee shop, supplier of necessities! Perfect for family business in country setting. Nearby home for sale also! 915-397-2533.

FARMS & RANCHES

317 Acres ranchland, Glasscock Co., 3 bdr, 2 bath, beams, tractor & equipment, 3 water wells. 915-264-7656.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

For sale: Bail & Grocery store at Lake Thomas. Phone 915-574-2111 or 915-965-3345

HOUSES FOR SALE

1100 S. Monticello For Sale By Owner. Owner Financing. Lower down payment. Low monthly. Very cute 2BR 1 bath. Recent washer, dryer, oven. Shop in back with garage. Call Kelly 915-425-9994

2 BR, closed in back porch, 2 large garages & carport. 1010 Sycamore. \$27,000. 267-7342

2400 Edgemere Rd. 3400 sq. ft. 42-1/2 1 + ac. lot, new pool \$199,000 - 268-9480

Big Lake: Older 5 bedroom / 3 bath home. Corner lot, has potential but needs some repairs. Owner willing to negotiate on price. \$40's. 915-397-2533.

Nolan County home on 1.93 acres between Loriane and Roscoe. 4 bedroom 4 bath, large den with fireplace, patio room, intercom system. Beautiful country home. 915-397-2533.

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1023 Stadium 3 bdr. 2 bath. C/H/A \$400/mn. \$250dep. 267-7240.

PUBLIC ESTATE AUCTION

The Living Estate of Levona and the late E.O. McNeese 2409 E. 25th Street, Big Spring, TX Saturday, June 9, 2001 "9:05 A.M." Preview from 1-6 P.M. Fri. June 8 and Sat. June 9, 8 A.M. to sale time. From East I.H. 20 west 181-A south on F.M. 700 to Birdwell Lane (1st light) left to 25th street & left to auction sight in Kentwood Addition. Watch for signs. Furniture - Gardeners wardrobe, Oak crash table w/phone, Blende toothbrush holder & cups, Five blue plates. Collectibles - Buddy Lee Phillips aut. Concorde & Shirley Memphis, Sat. Iron, Cast iron, Milk cans, Remington butcher knife, Old crocks, Livelihood chum, Old radio, Books, Costume jewelry, Military items, Old merridian, Old oval picture frames w/colored glass, Old pictures & post cards, Teenager's apparel w/long hair, handie and star. Coin collection including war time postage, 1985 silver dollar, 20th century coins, Eastern Seaboard money. Country stuff - Bede table, China, Vases, Horse collars, hobbles. Tools - Shop vac, Battery charger, New Sears water pressure tank, Cutting torch, Beach grader, Porta heat, Cactus burner, Shop trolley, Yard tools, Tool boxes, 3 new rolls of sheep wire, Cases of oil, Ford Model A Parts & other old car parts, power tools, 1 1/2 Craftsman riding mower, pipe wrenches, small sand blaster, or saw. Fishing - 1985 ISUZU w/30,000 miles. Game - Five and sixes German long range competition sporting rifle, single shot 410, 20 ga. and 22 Remington model 10 12 ga. Boxes - From Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Estate - Large wash buffet, New grolier w/leather, Red leather chair, Bible from Paul Haber. View pictures of our real estate listings on our website at www.auctioneers.com. Auctioneers Note - Partial Listing. This is a large estate with something for everyone. Bring your own chairs and stay for the day. Food & Drink available. No minimum - No reserve - No Buyers Premium Crossroads Auction Company Big Spring, Texas (915) 263-8200 David Lefever - Auctioneer - TX 13251

HOUSES FOR SALE

Cameo Investments
Open House. Sat. & Sun. 1-6 pm. or any time by appt. 2506, 2508, & 2308 Sh. Monticello & 3213 Fern. Call 915-520-9848.

For Sale By Owner 2506 Lynn 4 bd. 2 bt. 1800 sq. ft. lg. living area, new carpet \$69,500. 264-9902.

For Sale or Rent. Executive home. 4 bath 5 Bdrm, 1 acre lot. \$210,000. 267-3642

MAD? BANKS DON'T GIVE MORTGAGES LOANS DUE TO CREDIT PROBLEMS. I DO! L D KIRK (254)947-4475 TEXAS FAIR RATES.

Stanton: 4 year old brick 3 bedroom / 2 bath home on corner lot. 2 dining areas, ceramic tile, central vacuum system, privacy fence, water well with access to city water, also convenient to Midland or Big Spring. 915-397-2533.

Totally remodeled 4 bdr. 2 bath, 2 carport 2,800 sq. ft. \$56,500. 267-7025.

TUBBS Addn. Forsan Schools 3 - 1 1/2 mobile on 4 acres with 16x24 garage. \$28,000 Cash. 263-3022 5-10pm.

HOUSES TO BE MOVED

House For Sale to move. CHEAP. 110 E. 17th. 267-5420.

To Be Moved, well built 2 bdr house, siding, \$6,000. Includes moving costs. 263-2382.

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1806 Winston. Nice clean 3 BR 1 1/2 bath. Good neighborhood, C/H/A, garage, fenced yard. \$450/mo. \$200dep. 267-1543

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Kenny Davis/Building Official 3208 June 5 & 6, 2001

Anniversary party revealed more than one surprise

Dear Ann Landers: I am the oldest of three children. Last year, I gave my parents a surprise 50th wedding anniversary party. It was lovely, and everyone had a great time.

Here's the problem: During the planning of the party, two of my mother's closest friends said it was not my parents' 50th anniversary, but rather their 49th. I thought they must be mistaken, but I found out later it is true. That means my mother was three months pregnant with me when she got married.

I am so upset about this news, it is all I think about. More importantly, I am disturbed about why it was kept a secret. I am 49 years old, for heaven's sake. I am not a child. My parents should have let me in on the revelation before now.

I feel like a fool because all my parents' friends and relatives knew the truth, but went on letting me plan a big anniversary party on the wrong date. I feel the least they can do now is tell me the whole story, but my

parents say it is "none of my business." I am deeply resentful of all this secrecy. Please tell me how to approach my parents and get the answers I need. -- Lied To in San Diego, Calif.

Dear Lied To: You are 49 years old and have just learned that your mother was pregnant when she married, and now you feel the need to be told "the whole story." Get real, for Pete's sake. You already know "the whole story." That's all there is -- there ain't no more.

Those two so-called friends of your mother who gave you this earth-shaking update 50 years after the happening are candidates for my "Skunk at the Family Picnic" award. Please present it to them, since I have no plans to be in San Diego to do the honors.

Gem of the Day (sent in by R.C.D., a 40-year Ann Landers fan in Chicago): How long a minute is depends on what side of the bathroom door you are on.

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NOBODY ASKS FOR IT Help STOP Sexual Assaults Call 263-3312 Rape Crisis Services/Big Spring

FOR LEASE: 3 BR 2 bath, den, LR., dbl gar., storage bldg, fenced yard. Nice neighborhood. Avail. June 1. Call Coldwell Banker Ellen Phillips Realtors at 267-3633.

Clean, large 1 BR. Stove & refrigerator furnished. \$200/mo. \$100dep. 263-2382

1810 S. Monticello 2 Bdrm 1 bath \$325/mo. \$150dep. 263-1792 or 264-6006

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3 bdr 2 bth. 2 acres, C/H/A, 301 Echols. Coahoma. Call 915-524-9249 or 915-638-6471.9

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Garage Sale: Sat. only 8-4pm. Ref., and table, TV, Christmas-tree & decorations, lawn mower, & lot's of misc. 3202 Greenbriar, off Baylor, behind Moss elementary.

Child Care Provider for preschool aged children. Full-time & part time pos. available. Weekdays & weekends. 18 & older with High School Diploma or GED. Apply at YMCA, 801 Owens.

910 East 6th. 2 bdr., 1bath. No Pets. Call 267-3841 or 270-7309.

5 Family Garage Sale Sat. 24th E. 25th. A little bit of everything.

Medical Assistant for doctor's office. Phlebotomy exp. a plus. Send resume to P.O. Box 1431/2201, Big Spring, TX 79721

2 bdr., 2 bath, C/H/A, 2 bdr., 1 bath. Call for information 270-8665, 263-3375.

Garage Sale, Fri & Sat. 8-7 1306 Nolan. Furniture, clothes, lots of misc. items.

Garage Sale. 401 Washington Sat. 7-1pm. Lot's of stuff come and see.

Garage Sale: #1 Coachmans Circle off of Hunters Glen. Shotgun, pistol, radial saw, belt sander, queen mattress and box springs, notebook comp., etc. Sat. June 9, 8-12.

PUBLIC NOTICE Coahoma ISD is accepting proposals to upgrade the District's existing computer network, including equipment and installation of fiber optic cable, switches, patch panels, and other hardware and wiring. Proposal details may be obtained at Coahoma ISD Administration Building, 800 N. Main, P.O. Box 110 Coahoma, TX 79511 or by calling 915-394-4290 for bid packet. Proposals will be received until 2:00 p.m., Monday, June 25, 2001. The Board of Trustees will take action regarding any and all proposals at its regular meeting, July 16, 2001. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals. 3214 June 5 & 6, 2001

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WEDNESDAY

JUNE 6

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, June 6, the 157th day of 2001. There are 208 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 6, 1944, the D-Day invasion of Europe took place during World War II as Allied forces stormed the beaches of Normandy, France.

On this date: In 1844, the Young Men's Christian Association was founded in London.

In 1918, the World War I Battle of Belleau Wood, which resulted in a U.S. victory over the Germans, began in France.

In 1925, Walter Percy Chrysler founded the Chrysler Corp.

In 1933, the first drive-in movie theater opened, in Camden, N.J.

In 1934, the Securities and

Exchange Commission was established.

In 1942, Japanese forces retreated in the World War II Battle of Midway.

In 1966, black activist James Meredith was shot and wounded as he walked along a Mississippi highway to encourage black voter registration.

In 1978, California voters overwhelmingly approved Proposition 13, a primary ballot initiative calling for major cuts in property taxes.

In 1982, Israeli forces invaded Lebanon to drive Palestine Liberation Organization fighters out of the country. (The Israelis withdrew in June 1985.)

In 1985, authorities in Brazil exhumed a body later identified as the remains of Dr. Josef Mengele, the notorious "Angel of Death" of the Nazi Holocaust.

Ten years ago: NATO issued a statement saying it would not accept any "coercion or intimidation" against the emerging

democracies of Eastern Europe. Jazz saxophonist Stan Getz died in Malibu, Calif., at age 64.

Five years ago: The Senate narrowly rejected a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution as outgoing Majority Leader Bob Dole and the Democrats clashed over deficit reduction. A family of four became the first persons to leave the Freeman ranch in Montana since April.

One year ago: Unilever agreed to buy Bestfoods for \$20.3 billion in a deal creating the world's biggest food company.

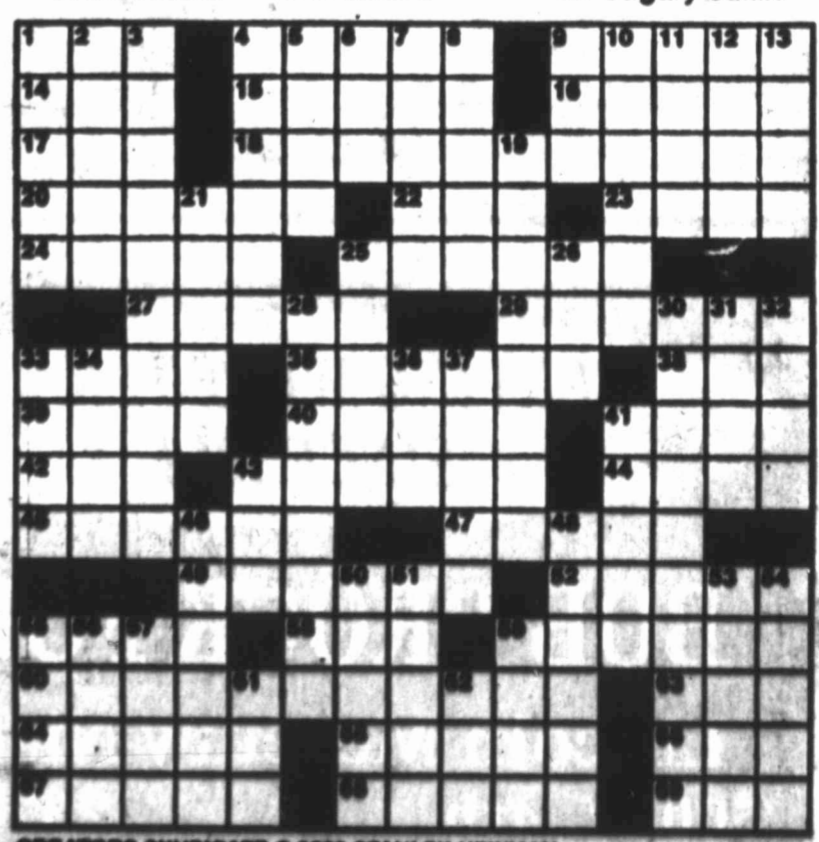
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RUGS	ERIC	BENOR
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Newsday Crossword

RARITIES by S.N.
Edited by Stanley Newman

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| ACROSS | DOWN | ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1 Soviet Union division: Abbr. | 1 First letter of "cent," e.g. | 60 Horse-racing rarity | 25 Putting to work |
| 4 Plant crops again | 2 Puppeteer Lewis | 63 Pavement material | 26 Author Fleming |
| 9 Balance-sheet plus | 3 Poker rarity | 64 Chou __ of China | 28 Summer-home spot, perhaps |
| 14 Taunting shout | 4 Type of tire | 65 Syrian leader | 30 Gymnastics order |
| 15 Ancient Greek marketplace | 5 Swelled heads | 66 Compass point: Abbr. | 21 Small bottles |
| 16 Tractor maker | 6 Former French coin | 67 Arens of Israel | 25 Putting to work |
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| 27 Niagara __ NY | | | 30 Gymnastics order |
| 29 Kramden's namesakes | | | 21 Small bottles |
| 33 Singer Carter | | | 25 Putting to work |
| 35 Military pilots | | | 26 Author Fleming |
| 36 __ de Cologne | | | 28 Summer-home spot, perhaps |
| 38 Numbered musical work | | | 30 Gymnastics order |
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| 41 Hat edge | | | 25 Putting to work |
| 42 __ boom bah | | | 26 Author Fleming |
| 43 Some newspaper ads | | | 28 Summer-home spot, perhaps |
| 44 Spherical hairdo | | | 30 Gymnastics order |
| 45 Reverbations | | | 21 Small bottles |
| 47 Extinguish, as a fire | | | 25 Putting to work |
| 49 Omelet ingredients | | | 26 Author Fleming |
| 52 Selects | | | 28 Summer-home spot, perhaps |
| 55 Clothing | | | 30 Gymnastics order |
| 56 Actress Joanne | | | 21 Small bottles |
| 58 Trio times two | | | 25 Putting to work |



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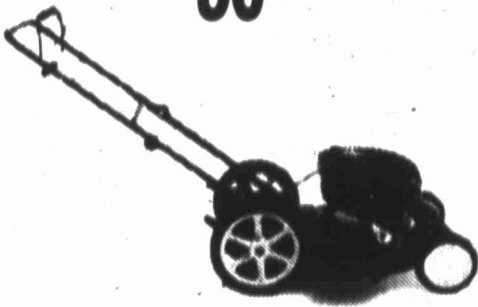
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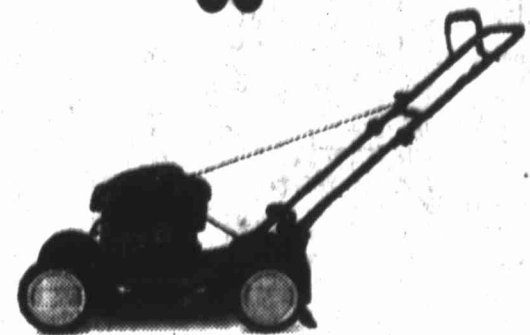
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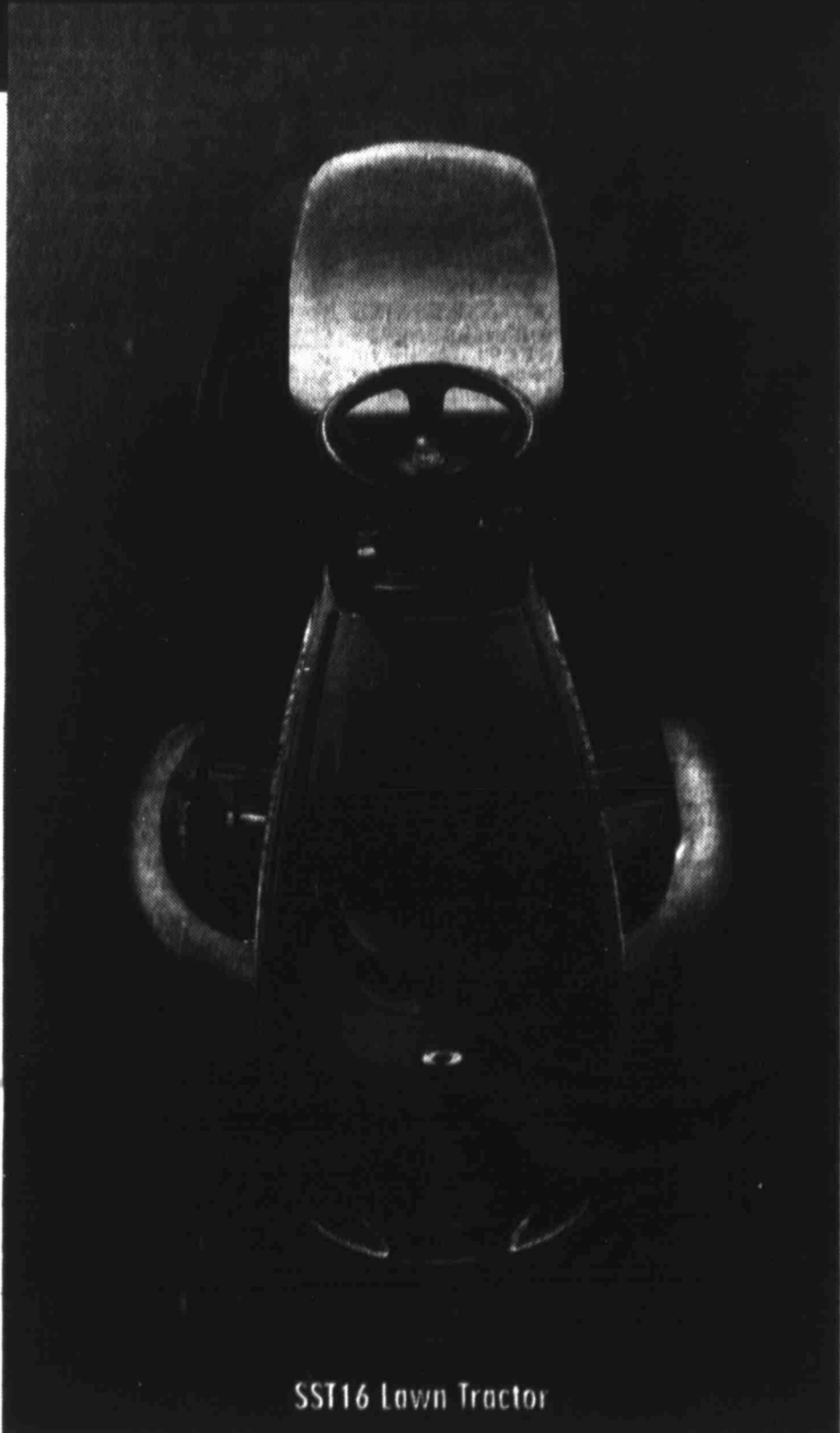
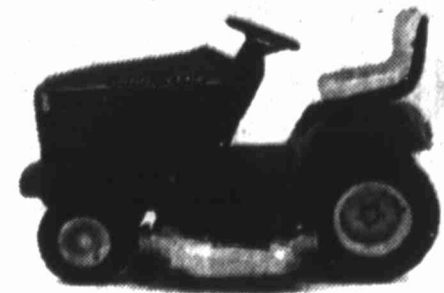
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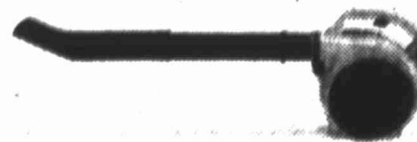


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