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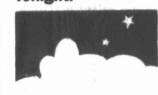
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#### MONDAY

May 20, 2002

## WEATHER

Tonight:



TONIGHT TOMORROW 56°-59° 84°-87°

## Akins to host a breakfast here Tuesday

Marty Akins, Democratic candidate for Texas Comptroller, will host a breakfast for the public from 7:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Fireplace Room on the Howard College campus.

Akins, a lawyer and rancher and All-America football player at the University of Texas, faces Republican incumbent Carole Rylander in the November general elec-

#### WHAT'S UP...

**TODAY** 

☐ Senior Circle, 4 p.m., SMMC. Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics. People 50 and over invited to participate. Call 268-4721.

□ DAV chapter 47 meets at 6:30 p.m. at 610 Abrams.

Christian Singles Fellowship 7 pm to 9 p.m. FUMC youth hall. All singles in the community are welcome to come for an evening of fellowship, food and table games.

### **TUESDAY**

☐ Intermediate Line Dance classes, 9 a.m., Senior Citizens Center. Call 267-1628.

Evening Lion's Club meets at noon every Tuesday at the Senior Center in the Whipkey

☐ Big Spring Rotary meets at noon at the Howard College Cactus

☐ Big Spring Band Boosters meets at 6 p.m. at the high school band hall. All band parents are invited to attend.

Big Spring Shrine Club meets at 6:30 p.m. for dinner with meeting to follow at First and Goliad. All Masons are welcome to attend.

☐ Big Spring Art Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Howard County Library,

Big Spring Chapter 67, Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge, 219 Main.

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# VFW Post 2013 to raise funds for needy veterans

By ROGER CLINE

Staff Writer "In Flanders fields the poppies blow, between the crosses, row on row.'

The immortal line was penned by Dr. John McCrae, a World War I soldier, to memorialize those who died in that war. In the poem, the spirits of dead soldiers urge the living to remain faithful to their cause. Ever since, poppies have been linked to the memory of those slain in

Big Spring's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2013 will be offering poppies for donations this Saturday at various locations around town, said past commander Leo

"These poppies are made by disabled veterans who are in hospitals and so forth," he said. "They derive a little bit of money for each one that they make and we buy them from the emblem and catalog outfit."

Veterans groups around the country offer the poppies in conjunction with Memorial Day to raise money for needy veterans. "We go out on a specific

day in May, the 25th of

See VETERANS, Page 2



**HERALD** photo/Roger Cline

Making sure we remember, these members of the Big Spring Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2013 will be offering handmade poppies Saturday for donations to benefit needy veterans. Shown, from left, are Service Officer Jerry Heatley, Commander-Elect Joe Hernandez, Post Commander Byron Range, Senior Vice Commander Al B. Scott and Past Commander

# Fund-raising by the numbers

By LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

A local fund-raiser took a personal turn for the students and staff of the Big Spring Junior High School.

"We (the junior high math teachers) were deciding whether to do the St. Judes (Children's Research Hospital) fund-raiser again," said Joey Roberts, eighth-grade math teacher.

Then the teachers thought about fellow junior high math teacher, Marvin Wynn and his son, Matthew. Both father and son are fighting cancer.

"We decided to have it for the Wynn family," Roberts

In 2001, the students raised about \$2,000 for cancer research to donate to St. Judes by performing different math problems. Each student found their own sponsors for the project.

In this year's Math-for-Matt, 84 seventh and eighth graders doubled the 2001 amount for the Wynn family.

"It was for a good cause and I know that dude (Matthew)," said seventhgrader Brandon Stowers, who raised almost \$350.

"I asked family and people at church (to donate)," said eighth-grader Juan Rocha, who raised almost

Once again, students completed math problems but this year the 12-page booklet was created by the junior high math teachers.

"Some of the teachers left a little for the students to



Top fund-raisers for Math-for-Matt, pictured are front, left, Felicia Daily, Chelsea Anderson, back left, Brandon Stowers, event cordinator Joey Roberts and Juan Rocha. Eighty-four seventh and eighth graders at Big Spring Junior High School helped raise funds for teacher Marvin Wynn and his son Matthew, who are both fighting cancer.

# Big Spring police search for robbery suspects

By ROGER CLINE

See MATH, Page 2

Staff Writer

Big Spring police are searching for two unknown subjects in an aggravated robbery which occurred Sunday.

The two men reportedly entered North Side Laundry in the 700 block of North

p.m. Sunday and demanded

Officers were dispatched to the scene at 7:41 p.m., and robbers from the victim.

"Suspect number one is sweatshirt and black jeans, was not hospitalized for described as a black male, approximately 6 feet 0 inch-

received descriptions of the a black male, short and minor injuries. stocky, wearing a black

> 15 to 17 years of age. The second robber was See ROBBERY, Page 2

Lancaster shortly after 7 es, 165 pounds, and 15 to 17 reportedly armed with a years of age, said Big black metal rod. The victim Spring Police Detective was allegedly struck with Lupe Liddick. "Suspect the rod several times during number two is described as the incident and sustained

Liddick said the victim

# **Rebates**

# Sales tax checks take tumble in May

By BILL McCLELLAN

News Editor

Big Spring joined most area West Texas cities in posting double-digit deficits when it came to sales tax rebates received for May, according to the State Comptroller's Office.

Sixteen of 18 area cities received rebates this month that were less than they received in May of 2001 and for nine of those communities, the deficit was 10 percent or greater.

Big Spring received \$376,281.19, some 14.16 percent less than the \$438,378.96 the Howard County seat received in May of 2001. For the year. Big Spring has received \$1.534.371.23. 5.08 percent less than it received in the same five-month period in

Coahoma had a 19.95 decrease in rebates for the month. The community received \$4,752.37, compared to \$5.937.09 for May 2001. Sales tax rebates for the year are up 5.43 percent, comparing \$18,851.07 this year to \$17,879.12 last year.

Forsan saw sales tax receipts go down 30.94 percent. The city received \$2,353.79 this month compared to \$3,408.46 in May of 2001. For the year sales tax rebates are at \$16,144.91, up 27.59 percent.

Abilene received \$2,437,160.13 this month, down 7.06 percent from the \$2,622,564.58 received in May of 2001. For the year, the Taylor County seat has received \$10,845,763.68, up 0.47 percent.

Sales tax rebates were up 62.42 percent for Andrews, which received \$142,474.66 this month compared to \$87,715.32 in May of 2001. For the year, Andrews has received \$479,085.20, up

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# Cheney: Another terrorist attack almost certain

WASHINGTON (AP) President Dick Cheney says it is difficult for the United States to respond to the latest intelligence hints that al-Qaida may be planning another attack because no specific information is available.

But he said they must be taken seriously.

"I think that the prospects of a future attack on the U.S. are almost a certainty," Cheney said on "Fox News Sunday." "It could happen tomorrow, it could happen next week, it could happen next year, but they will keep trying. And we have to be prepared.'

Cheney said he believes the United States has had success in disrupting Osama bin Laden's terrorist network, but it is impossible to prepare a perfect defense. So few people are told of plans that it is difficult to get details, he said.

"You try to read the tea leaves. We look for pieces of information and Giuliani defends administration

WASHINGTON (AP) - Former coming under scrutiny was col-New York Mayor Rudolph Giuliani defended the Bush administration's handling of intelligence information prior to Sept. 11, saying on Sunday he did not believe the federal government could have anticipated the terrorist attacks.

Giuliani, a Republican, suggested that the Clinton administration also should be accountable given that much of the intelligence now

lected during its watch. "Remember, the Bush adminis-

tration when this attack took place was a very new administration and they had just inherited the intelligence apparatus put in place by the Clinton administration so when you look at this you're going to have look at both," Giuliani said after a speech to graduates of Georgetown Law School.

evidence, but you never get the complete picture," Cheney said on NBC's "Meet the Press."

Sen. Bob Graham, D-Fla., chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, said the latest intelligence was similar to what has been

seen over the past year. you a particular course of action suspects connected to the investiga-

that you could take, other than a general increase in our level of sensitivity to possible terrorist activities," Graham said on CBS' "Face the Nation."

Newsweek magazine reported that from the summer of 2000 into 2001, the FBI was forced to shut down 10 "It was nonspecific, didn't lead to to 20 wiretaps of al-Qaida-related tion of the 1998 bombings of the U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania.

The action came after U.S. District Judge Royce C. Lamberth complained to Attorney General John Ashcroft that an FBI official had misrepresented petitions for taps on terror suspects, Newsweek said.

Cheney's comments followed disclosures that Bush had been told in an Aug. 6 intelligence briefing that al-Qaida might attempt a hijacking aimed at Americans. The administration has said the information was not specific enough for it to take concrete action to thwart the Sept. 11 attacks — an explanation similar to Cheney's about the difficulty of responding to the latest

intelligence reports. Democrats and some Republicans have cited the Aug. 6 briefing as one of several warning signs that.

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# **OBITUARIES**

### William David Kinman

Funeral service for William David Kinman, 75, of Marble Falls, will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 21, 2002, at Clements-Wilcox Chapel with the Rev. Tim Denton officiating.

Kinman died Mr. Saturday, May 18.

He was born on Sept. 23, 1926, in Big Spring. He was a plumber, served in World War II and was a life member of the VFW

Survivors include the mother of his children, Wanda Brock; one son, Mike Kinman of Marble Falls; three daughters, Brenda Bridges of San Angelo, Reba Kinsey of Marble Falls, and Pam Reagor of Burnet; one sister, Tommie Ruth of California; eight grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Seton Highland Lakes Hospice, P.O. Box 1219, Burnet 78611.

Arrangements are under the direction of Clements-Wilcox Funeral Home in Marble Falls.

## **REBATES**

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50.53 percent. Colorado City enjoyed a 21.28 percent increase in rebates, comparing the \$50,625.91 received this month to \$41,740.70 received in May 2001. Rebates are down 3.91 percent for the year as the Mitchell County has received \$176.241.29

Fort Stockton was hit with a 9.16 percent decrease in rebates, comparing the \$87,714.05 received this month to the \$96,562.96 taken in during May 2001. For the year, Fort Stockton going to be at the post office has received \$411,863.92, and other places of business down 1.51 percent.

this month, a decrease of will go to help veterans in percent from the \$30,102.41 collected a year ago. For the year, Kermit received \$142,512.00, some 1.28 percent above what it had received a year ago at this time

Lamesa saw a decrease of 14.68 percent in sales tax The Dawson County community received \$90,405.42 for the month, compared to \$105,961.89 in May of 2001. The check put Lamesa behind on year-todate totals as the \$362,404.71 in rebates is 6.21 percent below last year's total.

Sales tax rebates were down 4.14 percent for Lubbock, which received \$2,792,926.25 this month, compared to \$2,913,598.97 last May. For the year, Lubbock has received \$12,316,996.03, up Midland's sales tax rebates were down 11.9 percent, comparing the \$1,619,261.67 received this month to the \$1,838,032.05 received in May 2001. For the year, the Tall City has received \$7,445,580.50, up 1.56 percent.

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Rebates were down in Monahans this month. Monahans received \$67,972.40, down 26.8 percent compared to the \$92,860.83 taken in for May of 2001. For the year, the Ward County seat has taken in \$353,713.33, down 0.17 percent from a year ago.

May's rebates for Odessa amounted to \$1,374,692.67, down 7.44 percent when compared to \$1,485,195.80 taken in a year ago. To date this year, Odessa has received \$5,655,946.29, down 5.2 percent.

Rebates were down slightly for Pecos this month. That community received \$74,009.82, compared to \$75,384.64 for May of 2001. That's was a decrease of 1.82 percent. For the year, Pecos has received \$710,782.21, up 2.99 percent.

San Angelo saw rebates go down 8.2 percent, comparing the \$1,408,084.57 taken in month to \$1.534,005.12 received in May of 2001. To date this year, San Angelo has received \$6,030,668.27, up 2.83 percent.

Snyder pulled in \$98,864.58 this month, down 24.15 percent when compared to the \$130,343.04 it received in May of 2001. For the year, received Snyder has \$574,145.11, down 4.88 percent.

Stanton received \$11,673.33 this month, down 17.05 percent compared to the \$14,073.46 it received in May a year ago. For the year, Stanton has received \$52,241.63, up 0.62 percent.

Rebates were down 11.95 percent in Sweetwater, comparing this month's receipts of \$197,398.70 to \$224,198.71 taken in a year ago. For the Sweetwater has received \$790,539.68, and is ahead of last year's totals by just 0.09 percent.

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May," Welch said. "We're around town. Any money Kermit received \$28,319.07 that's collected in these jugs

Welch said that the poppy drive was started soon after World War I ended.

'I'm going to say 1923," he said. "79 years ago.

Remembering those who die in war serving our country is important, he said.

'If we don't take it up, they'll have died in vain,' he said.

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do the problems at the end of class but the majority of the work was done out of school," Roberts said.

A blood drive and several fund-raisers have been held throughout the community for Marvin, who is diagnosed with prostate cancer and 9-year-old Matthew, who is fighting cancer of the brain

The money is helping to offset the sky-rocketing medical costs associated with treating the disease.

'We're grateful to every one who had a hand in helping and especially to the kids at the junior high,' said Loma Jean Wynn, Matthew's grandmother.

Local businesses Sonic Drive-In and the Ritz Theater gave donations of prizes for the fund-raiser.

Top fund-raisers were: Stowers, \$349.25; Felicia Daily, \$341; Rocha, \$239.15; Chelsea Anderson, \$175; Matt Rodriguez, \$100: Jessica Chancy, \$100; Christina Helsely, \$100; and Katy Abner; \$100.

## **TERROR**

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together, might have prevented the attacks. Among the others were a July memo by an FBI agent in Phoenix warning of a



#### large number of Arabs training in U.S. flight schools, and the arrest in August Zacarias Moussaoui while training at a Minnesota flight school. He has been charged as a conspirator in the attacks.

"There's no question that were failures," Cheney said. He cited a lack of coordination between domestic law enforcement and intelligence agencies. and problems in analyzing information Many of those being problems addressed, he said.

"But I can't say at this point that even if we had all those pieces together that it would have led to the conclusion that they were going to hit the Trade Center, the Pentagon, et cetera," Cheney said.

Some lawmakers want an independent commission to investigate the attacks. Cheney said the administration is cooperating with a joint investigation by the House and Senate intelligence committees. He said he opposes an independent inquiry because it would tie up too many officials involved in fighting terrorism and could lead to release of classified information.

Similarly, he opposes any attempt by Congress to see the Aug. 6 briefing "because it comes from the most sensitive sources and methods that we have as a government." But, he said, the Phoenix memo is "fair game" for the intelligence. committees, although he opposes its public release.

vice president denounced the "feeding frenzy" of criticism that followed disclosures of the Aug. 6 briefing. He said he has "a deep sense of anger that anyone would suggest that the president of the United States had advance knowledge that he failed to act on.

Republicans have criticized House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., for his Watergate-style questions asking what the president knew and when he knew it.

Gephardt told Fox that those questions were in the interest of improving antiterrorism efforts. "I never ever, ever thought that any body, including the president, did anything up to September 11 other than their best," he said.

# ROBBERY

Continued from Page 1 injuries sustained in the

About \$250 was reportedly taken in the incident.

Anyone with information about this crime should call Crimestoppers at 263-8477 or the Big Spring Police Department at 264-2550.

## BRIEFS

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Contact Arnold Ross, 2916 Colonial Dr., Dickinson 77539-4439, or call 281-534-2459 E-mail ARoss14573@aol.com

**FREEDOM** THEPARADE WILL be held Saturday, July 6. Please call Russ Mullins at 394-4277 for more information if you would like to participate in the parade.

THE CITY OF BIG Spring Water Utilities Department will be replacing a valve in the water system. Date of repair will be May 21, from 9 a.m. to completion.

Customers in the following areas will experience low or no water pressure — On Mt. Vernon from E. 15th to George, on E. 14th from Birdwell to Park Ave.

THE COAHOMA LIONS CLUB has postponed its annual City Wide Garage Sale out of respect for the Relay For Life event.

It will now be held on Saturday, June 1.

If you would like to participate and have a garage sale in Coahoma register at The Little Sooper Market. Deadline to register is

Saturday, May Registration fee is \$15.

DISABLED AMERI-CUE fundraiser will be held at Comanche Trail Park 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday, June 1.

Burgers, hot dogs, fixings, dessert. Advance tickets are \$5 and are available at L&M Auto, Goliad and FM 700. For more information call 263-5163.

# RECORDS

Sunday's high 83 Sunday's low 54 Record high 106 in 1939 Record low 48 in 1967 Average high 88 Average low 60 Precip. Sunday 0.00 Month to date 0.00 Year to date 4.30 Sunrise Tuesday 6:44 a.m. Sunset Tuesday 8:41 p.m.

# FIRE/EMS

The following is a summery of EMS and Fire Department activity 6:09 a.m. — 3200 block of Parkway, trauma call, one patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center

10:12 a.m. - 1600 block of Lancaster, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

5:01 p.m. — 400 block of N. Gregg, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

5:31 p.m. - 2000 block of

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Virginia, trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

6:12 p.m. - 2000 block of Virginia, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

# **POLICE**

The Big Spring Police De partment reported the following activity from noon Saturday until 8 a.m. today:

 MIRABEL RUIZ **RAMIREZ, 27, of 2006 W** Rhode Island in Midland was arrested to hold for the Department of Public Safety.

 CHERISTOBAL OCHO-TORENA CHAVEZ, 20, of 1002 E. 21st St. was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana less than two ounces.

 JUSTIN RAY STEWART, 22, of 2201 E. Ninth St. in Odessa was ar rested on a charge of purchasing alcohol for a mi -

• HEATH DAVIS, 32, of 3913 Rice Road was arrested on a charge of driv ing while intoxicated second offense • IAN DILLON HEATH,

26, of 9520 Roual Lane in Dallas was arrested on a charge of public intoxica-ANTHONY GEORGE

**HERNANDEZ, 33, of 4402** S. Pecan in Midland was arrested on a charge of public intoxication. MICHAEL WADE AT

KINS of 2510 Cindy was arrested on a charge of public intoxication. LYNDELL BURL **KNOX II**, 18, of 212 S. Moss Lake Road was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana less than two

ounces and possession of local warrants NATASHA DANEALL **ADAMS**, 18, of 2306 Glen wood St. in Odessa was ar rested on a charge of minor

in consumption of alcohol. · MARK A. COLLIER, 36, of 3224 Cornell Ave. was arrested on a charge of as sault class C/family vio lence

· CECILIA MENDEZ, 25, of 811 Johnson St. was ar rested on 5 local warrants and one Department of Public Safety warrant. · JESSE CANTU, 34, of

1510 S. Main St. was ar rested for Department of Public Safety warrants. · RICKY LEE HAG-

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#### HOROSCOPE

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY for** Tuesday, May 21:

You often sense tension between what you would like to do and what really goes on. As a result, you easily could become irritated with others. Carefully consider your options surrounding an emotional topic, rather than giving in to the first thought that comes to your mind. You're strong-willed and full of personality. Others respond to you in a big way, especially in the second half of your birthday year. If you are single, romantic possibilities will soar after July. You might quickly decide not to be single any longer. You enter one of the most important relationships of your life. If you are attached, your relationship will become a lot warmer than it has been in a long time. Use a natural talent to make money. CANCER adores you.

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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 19) \*\*\*\* Be careful with another who could have a problem and could easily be temperamental. expressing what you have in mind, but also understand another's powerful response. Curb a tendency to go to extremes. Tonight: Let someone else lead.

TAURUS (A'pril 20-May 20) \*\*\*\* Call upon your financial creativity. Deal with another directly. You could be upset by an expense. Stop a pattern and make a new beginning. Schedule a lunch with a favorite person and then buckle down and do some work. Tonight: Burn the midnight oil.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) \*\*\*\* Don't get angry, just use your discomfort to straighten out a problem. Remember, you might have been dealing with this far

longer than you needed to. Your creativity revitalizes a project. You could be delighted by what you accomplish. Tonight: Your smile proves to be a win-

CANCER (June 21 July 22) \*\*\*\* Handle a personal matter. Curb your temper. You might have a tendency to overdo and overexplain right now. Extremes mark communication. Someone simply cannot get enough of you. Enjoy what is happening. Tonight: Mosey on

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

\*\*\* Expenses push you to take charge. Be careful when dealing with another who might aggravate you beyond your limits. Note a tendency to be a little touchy or overly sensitive. Detach and aim for a more intellectual approach. OK? Tonight: Have a long-overdue discussion

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) \*\*\*\* You're full of energy. Though you're very happy, you could inadvertently push another's buttons. Be ready to calm others down, as nervous energy could be high. Extremes mark your mood. Deal with a money matter head-on. Tonight: Pay bills.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) \*\*\* Slow down, especially in the face of a challenge. Your temper easily could wear you down. A boss or loved one, or maybe both, put you on a pedestal. Be on top of your work. Keep your own counsel. Listen more and speak less. Tonight: Be spontaneous. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov.

21) \*\*\* Use the moment to clear out as much as you can. Focus on your must list. Remain determined, especially if you hit a money snafu. Stay on top of a problem rather than letting it drag you down. Don't forget to touch base with an important person at a distance. Tonight: Do for yourself.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) \*\*\* Pressure builds at work, and tension occurs on the home front. Ask a loved one or trusted associate for help, if need be. You can count on this person. He or she comes through for you more times than not. In your mird, start 4hinking about an appropriate thank you. Tonight: Do something you love.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) \*\*\*\* Another simply cannot get enough of you. Clear out work as soon as possible. Think in terms of gain and change when dealing with someone at a distance. Learn to incorporate different perspectives and concepts. Focus on work, even if others distract you. Tonight: Nice and even works.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). \*\*\*\* Dealing with someone could be challenging. your nurturing instincts with a partner or associate. As a result, you will get a lot more done. A situation could demand unusual creativity and diversity. Realize more of what you want. Tonight: Take in a movie.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) \*\*\*\*\* Your amusement and delight with someone comes out, even in your most serious moments. Express your feelings about a matter that is close to your heart. Your family and home life demand your attention, despite a need to deal with work. Tonight: Follow another's lead

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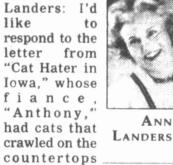
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## Readers respond to cat-hating

Dear Ann Landers: I'd like respond to the letter from "Cat Hater in Iowa," whose fiance, "Anthony, had cats that crawled on the



and made messes everywhere. I don't hold out much hope for the relationship, but my sympathies are with the cats.

You were right to say "Cat Hater" could solve the problem by cleaning the box and teaching the cats to stay off the countertops, but it is unlikely she will volunteer for the job, and Anthony is too lazy to do it. Please don't tell her to give him an ultimatum. If he chooses her over the cats, what happens to them? Do you have any idea how many cats need good homes? Shelters throughout the country are overflowing with them. If a home cannot be found within a reasonable period of time, the animal will be euthanized. (I hate the term "put to sleep.")

I know your heart is in the right place, Ann, but please think twice before suggesting that your readers give up a pet. — Cat Lover in Byron, Calif.

Dear Cat Lover: I was inundated with mail from animal lovers. Here's more:

From Kingston, Ontario: A cat who does not use the litter box concerns me. It means the box should be cleaned more often, or the cat has developed a health problem and needs to see a vet right away!

Los Angeles: Cats are wonderful, sweet and affectionate. Anthony should get rid of his fiancee and find a woman who appreciates him and his feline compan-

Chicago: Please don't blame the cats. The real problem is that Anthony is a lousy housekeeper.

Seoul, S. Korea: Based on how that man treats his cats, she should leave now. A pet is a member of the family. If Anthony is too irresponsible to take care of his cats, how will he take care of a wife?

Houston: Any woman who would make her fiance choose between her or the cats deserves to be dumped. My boyfriend wasn't thrilled about my cats, but I told him we were a package deal. He now loves my cats, and we've adopted another

Buffalo, N.Y.: A pet is a member of the family. I wouldn't give away my sister to a loving family if my fiance didn't like her.

Fredericksburg, Va.: If Anthony puts strips of twosided tape on the countertops, it will keep the cats off them. The cats won't like getting stuck and will stop jumping on the countertops.

Mantua, N.J.: Pets are not disposable! How would she feel if he demanded she get rid of her kids? If she truly loves the man, she will try to work it out.

Watertown, Relationships require compromise, not ultimatums. Anthony sounds like such a slob, she will be cleaning up after him anyway. How much more work could it possibly be to clean up after the cats as well?

Brewster, N.Y.: Why does she want to marry Anthony? He sounds like a lazy bum. She could do better. I hope she will look around for a replacement.

Leicester, N.C.: She knew Anthony had cats when she met him. I have a wonderful dog. As soon as I

start seeing someone, I ask if she likes dogs. If not, the relationship ends right

Corona, Calif.: Pets are a responsibility and a commitment. Cat lovers should never date cat haters. Anthony should say goodbye and keep looking.

Denver: When I was badly beaten by my drunken boyfriend, one of my cats attacked the guy and sat by my side until I could call for help. My two dogs did nothing to protect me. I left the jerk and kept the cats.

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# Immigration service fraught with problems

he nearly unanimous vote ... in the U.S. House to abolish the Immigration and Naturalization Service and rebuild it as two separate agencies reflected pent-up frustration with the incompetence of the agency. Even the Bush administration, which initially wanted only an internal reshuffling of INS, came out in favor of the House bill.

By creating a service branch (to handle, for example, naturalization requests) and a law enforcement branch, the bill seeks to address perennial complaints that the INS' split personality prevented it from doing either mission well.

Integration of INS' top brass with other law enforcement agencies is also essential: Lack of communication has been at the root of most INS problems in the handling of terrorists. ... Modern technology has had a hard time penetrating the INS, yet it is essential in tracking down terrorists, people who overstay their visas or those who want to become citizens or update their visas...

Even if the machinery is rebuilt and re-oiled. though, there will be substantive problems with the immigration system.

The elephant in the living room — the 7 or 8 million illegal immigrants living in this country

 is an issue that Congress and the White House must deal with through a program of earned legalization. It is counterproductive to rely on these immigrants for their work and economic contributions yet insist on effectively keeping them locked up in the nation's basement, subject to abuse and exploitation.

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# Here's the fallacy of liberal think

n the political arena of life, which is to say policies, issues and programs that affect every American citizen we often hear some politicians referred to

as liberals. Have you ever stopped to think about what the word "liberal" really means when it's used in this context? Over the past 200 years of our



nation's history, we have had a varied and rich history in relation to a good number of different political parties. Today the names have changed, but we still have several different political parties around but the two major parties that more or less control our nationsi policies are the Democratic and Republican parties.

In theory at least, each party represents a different political philosophy about

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how the government should go about serving its citizens. Within this context, we have given labels to people such as conservative, liberal and moderate. Each of these labels represents an attitude or philosophy a particular person holds in terms of how much government should do for its people.

In the larger scheme of things, from a philosophical viewpoint we identify liberals as people who want to do more and give more to the people they serve. Contrast this with the attitude of those identified as moderate or conservative who say our government has gone far beyond what it should be doing and it should conserve or cut back on the services it is now providing. Which view would you take — liberal or conservative? Do you think our government should do more for its citizens or less? You might say more, which would certainly place you with the majority

Without prejudging, let's look further for a moment. Today in the United States Congress there are a number of so called liberals who say we should not balance our nation's budget on the backs of the poor and we should not cut programs or services for the needy. On the surface, that's a pretty good argument and it's true, if you don't take this line of thinking any further. What the poor unfortunately do not know or understand is that they are exchanging their pride, self-respect and financial security when they vote for a liberal congressman or congresswoman who can vote for his own pay raise or tax exemption. When you increase taxes to pay for more services, it's not a good deal, except maybe for the additional revenue that enables our congressmen and women to give themselves a pay raise!

Personally, I resent the extravagance in lifestyle and travel that has become a regular regimen for many officials who are feeding at the public trough. You see, a liberal is someone who is loose and free with money he or she did not earn and this has led to excessive

incentive for hard working and honest people. To say it very simply, it's easy to be liberal with someone else's money and this includes "corporate welfare" which is, in reality, the 'good ol' boy' system at the highest levels of our nation's government.

As citizens, taxpayers and voters we just need to understand where public money is coming from and to hold our public officials accountable for how they are spending it. If you will think back a few years I believe you will agree that we had our finest hour when most people understood the principle of "an honest day's work for an honest day's pay." When we look to the government to provide for our individual needs we are losing the very foundation that gave us our collective freedoms. I hope the next time you vote you will consider what I've said: a liberal is a public official who wants to be loose and free with money he or she did not earn. That is the fallacy of liber-

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# Bush's foreign policy becoming a joke

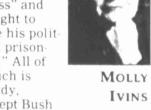
Bush's foreign policy is starting to look like a running gag on "Saturday Night Live." How inept can he

On Tuesday, Bush teed off on Castro of Cuba, say

ing he "ought to have free elections, "ought to have a free press" and ought to free his political prisoners." All of which is dandy, except Bush

was standing

right next to



one of our more questionable allies in the "war on terrorism," the prime minister of Malaysia.

Malaysia is also in serious need of free elections, a free press and freed political prisoners. Mahathir Mohamad is a far more brutal ruler than Castro ever dreamed of being. His party has been in power since 1957 (love those free elections.) He's been in office since 1981 and the subject of denunciations by human-rights groups the entire time. His ruling faction is far ahead of Castro on bloodshed points. And we're offering Mohamad

whatever he wants. OK, we knew when Bush won the coin toss in 2000 that he was no genius on foreign affairs. Nobody asked him to find Malaysia on a map, but where are

these great advisers who were going to make up for his lack of knowledge? This was supposed to be the "crack foreign policy team" with all the experience that was going to prevent the foreign-policy impaired president from making an ass of himself

Looks like we need to start with the fundamentals with this team. Peace is better than war. We like peace. We try to promote peace. Peace is good. When Jimmy Carter is down in Cuba jawing with the Old Bearded One (and getting in some great licks for our side), the smart thing would be to seize the chance to make progress.

Even if you decide to pass on the opportunity because Karl Rove has explained to you that you need the Cuban-American vote to carry Florida — it's really not smart to use the opportunity to make things worse. Announcing in the middle of Carter's visit that you're about to crack down on Castro yet again doesn't help anything. It isn't even necessary. Bush can keep the Cuban vote in Florida without that.

U.S. policy on Cuba was perfectly futile for decades and became utterly ludicrous after the Cold War ended. We're pals with Vladimir Putin, Bush trots over to China to exchange toasts with President Jiang Zemin, the Chinese veep Hu Jintao was just in D.C. last week, we've got undemocratic allies from Saudi Arabia to our paid-for warlords in Afghanistan, but we draw the line at Castro? I never understood that.

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Of course, there was that unpleasant time the Soviets put missiles down there. Naturally, we freaked missiles 90 miles from our borders. When you think about it, having missiles aimed at you from 90 miles away is not much worse than having missiles aimed at you from Russia. What would it take, maybe a minute longer? We like peace.

We've been cracking down on Castro through Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson, Nixon, Ford, Carter, Reagan, Reagan, Bush I, Clinton, Clinton and now George the II. Fat lot of good that's done. Most reasonable people would conclude it could well be time for a change in policy. This lulu Bush stuck in

the State Department, Otto Reich, assistant secretary for inter-American affairs, is the goofball who totally screwed up during the Venezuelan coup. We haven't looked that bad since the time the CIA tried to make Castro's beard fall out. Larry Birns, director of the Council on Hemispheric Affairs, says, "Reich now leads a veritable cabal of highly directed and radicalized Cuban-American administration officials intent on foment ing greater hostility between the two nations by concocting an atmosphere of near-hysteria. One of the right-wingers

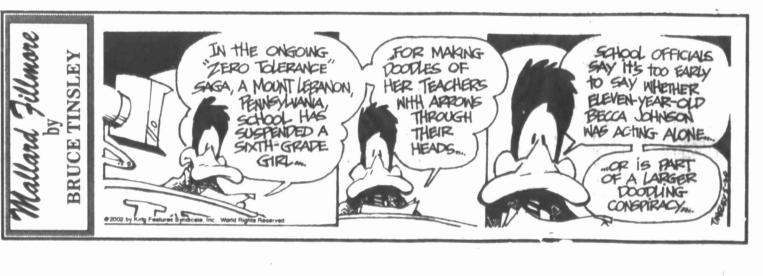
at State, John Bolton, chose

claim Cuba has "at least a limited offensive biological warfare research and devel opment effort." So the right jumps all over Carter, who then tours the research facility in question and gets Cuban assurances that foreign germ warfare experts can come inspect the place.

Good news, huh? Not according to the right wing - they're still in a stew How dare Carter imply from foreign soil that anything said by anybody with the U.S. government might be in error? Horrors. By now, both Colin Powell and Condoleezza Rice have backtracked on Bolton's claim, diplomatically disclaiming it.

The right wing, in its nutzoid way, has been on Bush's case about his supposed lack of "moral clarity" in foreign policy. The fact is, it's a complicated world and most of us understand that. What I resent is the administration's pretense that its policies are never hypocritical and are born solely of virtue and idealism, never influenced by business deals, strategic considerations, the need for oil and other facts of life. It's one of those, "How dumb do they think we are?" deals

The only president I can remember who conducted a foreign policy that was both consistent (mostly) and in line with America's finest ideals and values was Jimmy Carter. And he reaped the whirlwind in Iran of others' hypocrisies.





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Summer basketball meeting scheduled

Boys between the ages of 14 and 18 that would like to play summer league basketball are invited to meet at 7 tonight at Steer Gym to get information about the league and register to play.

Parents are welcome Those wanting to play who cannot attend the meeting should call Alvin Russell at 267-6891.

#### Special Olympics **Torch Run slated**

Local law enforcement officers and Special Olympics athletes from across Texas will join forces for the 2002 Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting the Special Olympics Texas Summer Games.

The torch will begin its journey in Area 18 on Tuesday in Fort Stockton, will travel to Monahans and then Odessa.

In Big Spring portion of the Torch Run will begin at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Howard County Courthouse.

The Big Spring leg is part of the more than 2,700-mile journey the torch will make across the state, culminating at the opening ceremonies of the summer games scheduled for May 24-26 in Arlington.

#### Lady Steers hoops camp scheduled

Big Spring Lady Steers head basketball coach Jimmy Avery will conduct the Lady Steers Fundamental Basketball. Camp from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. June 10-13 in the Big Spring Junior High School gymnasium.

The camp is open to current first- through eighth-graders.

The camp fee is \$45 and will cover instruction, a camp T-shirt, a camp photograph and certificate.

Send applications and fees to Avery in care of Big Spring High School. 707 11th Place, Big Spring, 79720. For more information, call Avery at 264-3647 or 264-0403.

#### Wynn benefit scramble set July 13

A four-man scramble with proceeds to benefit the Matt Wynn family of Coahoma will be held July 13 at Comanche Trails Golf Course.

Entry is \$200 a team. A 2002 F-150 Ford supercab will be presented for a hole in one. First through third place prizes will be awarded as will prizes for longest drive and closest to the

There will be two flights, one in the morning, the other in the afternoon.

For tee times, call Denise Coates at 393-5594.

#### Colonial changes may lure Woods back

ORT WORTH (AP) With a new sponsor and a new date, the Colonial has removed two obstacles to luring Tiger Woods back to a tournament he has played only once.

Colonial officials announced Sunday that Bank of America would replace MasterCard as title sponsor of the tournament beginning next

PGA Tour commissioner Tim Finchem also confirmed that next year's Colonial will be played on Memorial Day weekend. a week later than usual. But it will finish on Sunday, rather than Monday.

# Tampa Bay's Vaughn goes deep again and again

The Associated Press

As soon as Greg Vaughn remembered how to hit home runs, the Tampa Bay slugger hasn't stopped hitting them.

Vaughn enjoyed his second consecutive two-homer game following a 9 1/2month drought, leading the Devil Rays to a 4-0 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Sunday.

"If I could explain it I would have hit them a long time ago," 'Vaughn said. "It's funny, you know. You take good swings and you

don't get any results, and homer games. then you go on a little run. So I'm just going to try to enjoy the run."

Vaughn, who snapped a homerless drought spanning 222 at-bats with a pair of shots Saturday night, hit his third and fourth homers of the season. He now has 348 career home runs, and four in his last eight at-bats.

Vaughn is hitting a major league-worst .129, but became the first player in Tampa Bay history to have consecutive two-homer games. It was the first time he's had back-to-back multi-

"Last night was good, but in the back of my mind I'm saying, 'Let's keep it going," Vaughn said. "That going, was the biggest challenge for me today - let's get back out there and keep your swing and confidence.

In other AL games, it was: New York 3, Minnesota 0; Boston 3, Seattle 2; Anaheim 6, Chicago 1; Toronto 11, Oakland 0; Kansas City 5, Cleveland 4; and Detroit 2. Texas 1.

In the National League,

5-4 in 11 innings; Florida stopped San Francisco 4-2; Los Angeles Montreal 40-1; Philadelphia topped Arizona 4-3; Atlanta downed Colorado 2-1, St. Louis dropped Cincinnati 10-1; and San Diego defeated

At Camden Yards, Vaughn hammered a 1-1 pitch from Orioles starter Erickson (3-4) into left-center for a 2-0 lead in the fourth.

New York 4-3.

After Jason Tyner's RBI single in the fifth made it 3-Pittsburgh beat Houston 5-3; 0, Vaughn hit the first pitch

Chicago topped Milwaukee he saw from reliever Willis Roberts for a solo blast in the eighth.

> Tigers 2, Rangers 1 Seth Greisinger allowed one run and five hits in 6 2-3 innings and Dmitri Young homered to lead Detroit to a three-game

sweep at home. Detroit, which did not sweep a series after the All-Star break last season, has swept two series in the past three weeks. The Tigers took a three-game set from Minnesota on April 26-28 in

# Price triumphs at Colonial

FORT WORTH (AP) When Nick Price won the Colonial in 1994, he was one of the world's top golfers.

The feeling was a little different Sunday when the 45-year-old Price won the Colonial again for his first PGA Tour victory in four

"It wasn't sitting in front of me like so many of those wins in the early '90s," Price said. "I came here knowing I felt I was going to finish in the top 10 again because I was playing well, but I didn't have any idea I was going to win.'

Price closed with a 3under-par 67 to finish the Colonial at 13-under 267, five strokes better than David Toms and Kenny Perry. It was his 17th PGA victory, and first since the 1998 FedEx St. Jude Classic.

Just like many of his 15 wins in the 1990s that matched Tiger Woods for the most in that decade, Price won with consistent shotmaking and a deft putting stroke. He took control with birdies on Nos. 11,

After Price drove into a fairway bunker and found the rough on the 609-yard 11th hole, he sank a 35-foot birdie putt. He then made a 12-foot birdie on the 433yard 12th.

Price two-putted for par on the 178-yard 13th. He then put the tournament out of reach, getting to 13



Nick Price of Zimbabwe kisses The Leonard trophy after winning the Colonial Golf Tournament in Fort Worth Sunday. Price finished the tournament at 13-under-par.

from 30 feet on the 457-yard 14th after pitching his second shot over the green.

"I thought I had a shot, but Nick just kept making birdies," Perry said. "He

Price earned his biggest payday on tour at \$774,000. That gave him \$1.6 million ninth \$1 million season, and moved him over \$16

While he limits his schedule to spend more time with his family, Price has made this year, his tour-record the cut in all 10 tournaments he has played this year. The Colonial was his sixth top-10 finish.

## under with a chip-in birdie was cruising. million in career earnings. Rockets hit jackpot at NBA draft lottery

SECAUCUS, N.J. (AP) The first member of the Houston Rockets to know the team won the NBA draft lottery wasn't coach Rudy Tomjanovich or general manager Carroll Dawson.

It wasn't even star point guard Steve Francis, who was decked out in a lavender suit and matching sunglasses to represent the team at the official unveiling of the draft order in an NBA Entertainment 'I'V stu-

Nope, it was Nelson Luis, Houston's director of communications September.

That's because Luis sat in on the actual pingpong selection process Sunday with 11 other team reps (the Bucks chose not to have anyone there), a handful of NBA types, an accountant and four reporters. All were sequestered for two hours in a conference room two floors above the studio and ordered not to tell anyone what happened until the NBA announced the results at halftime of the Nets-Celtics game.

When the pingpong lottery produced the combination 13-8-11-4, Houston was

# Kidd leads Nets to victory

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) - They ran at every opportunity, scored with ease and never trailed. And with Jason Kidd doing everything he has done all season, the New Jersey Nets showed exactly why they're the No. 1 team in the East

Picking apart Boston's vaunted defense without much trouble, the Nets beat Boston 104-97 Sunday night in Game 1 of the Eastern Conference finals.

A big factor was Boston's Paul Pierce, who stated before the series that the Nets had no one who could defend him. What Pierce didn't realize was that something — foul trouble

could stop him. Pierce scored 14 points in the first quarter but was a non-factor the rest of the way. He picked up his fourth and fifth fouls in a 16-second span early in the third quarter, and the Nets went on an 18-8 run after he went to the bench.

pick for the first time since who helped the team win 1984. That year, the Rockets two NBA titles. The third awarded the No. 1 overall picked Hakeem Olajuwon, pick was a certain Michael



New Jersey's Jason Kidd (5) goes to the basket for two of his 17 points against Boston.

Kidd finished with 17 points, 13 rebounds and 11 assists, getting the tripledouble with 3:53 left when he fed Keith Van Horn for a jumper that gave the Nets a 97-86 lead.

Kerry Kittles, Todd

MacCulloch and Van Horn scored 14 apiece.

Chicago Bulls to six championships.

At the June 26 draft in New York. Houston will have a chance to take another big man from abroad, 7foot-5 Chinese center Yao Ming. Other possible topthree picks include a couple of early entries from Duke: Jay Williams and Mike Dunleavy.

"Hopefully, we can get a player who can come in and help us right away," Francis said. "What we really have to get is some aggression. We won't be looking for a point guard - anything else, I don't know.

Chicago will pick second and Golden State third. They tied for the league's worst record (21-61) and each had a 22.5 percent chance of winning the lottery. As owner of the NBA's fifth-worst record. Houston had only an 8.9 percent chance. But the team with the best chance of grabbing No. 1 hasn't done so since 1990.

Drawings determined the top three picks, and the rest of the draft order was set by reversing the non-playoff teams' order of finish during the season.

# **Indy 500** field filled despite rain

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) After two weeks of frustration, Team Kool Green placed all three of its cars into the Indianapolis 500 field as rain disrupted the last day of qualifying.

Two-time winner Arie Luyendyk and two of A.J. Foyt's drivers found the speed they had been lacking all month. And Billy Boat squeaked in for the second straight year Sunday when the final nine spots in the starting grid were filled.

"Last week, I scratched my head, and I think we all did," said Michael Andretti, one of the three teammates who drive for Barry Green. "We were like, 'Where did the speed go?"

On a cool afternoon, ideal conditions for quick qualifying laps, the speed was back. So was the rain, which forced the qualifying to end 65 minutes early.

For much of the afternoon, though, drivers who had spent so much time searching for answers finally found them as the 33-car field for the May 26 race set an average qualifying record of 228.648 mph.

Before it rained, the big name drivers who hadn't yet qualified for next Sunday's race made their

Luyendyk, a three-time pole-winner, was the fastest. His speed of 228.848 put him on the outside of the eighth row.

"Once you come flying around a corner, you wake up and say, 'We better do it today or we're going home, Luyendyk said.

Nobody was ready for that, least of all Team Kool Green and A.J. Foyt

Entering Sunday, Team Kool Green's non-qualified drivers, Paul Tracy and Dario Franchitti, and A.J. Foyt's three drivers Airton Dare, Greg Ray and Donnie Beechler — all were pondering what had gone

The solution was a fast track.

Dare and Ray, a former pole-winner, will start 30th and 31st after reaching 227.760 and 227.155. Beechler never got an opportunity to qualify.

Tracy and Franchitti also improved dramatically. After not being able to exceed 226 mph on the first of three qualifying days last weekend, they earned the 27th and 28th starting spots after hitting 228.177 and 228.006.

Team Kool Green also pulled the day's surprising withdrawing Andretti's already-qualified car so he could re-qualify in a backup car and eliminate the danger of being

### track titles Nebraska men, Kansas State women win Big 12

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) -Amy Mortimer and Trisha Culbertson came through in the 5,000 Sunday to give Kansas State the women's championship at the Big 12 Outdoor Track and Field

Championships. The Kansas State women finished with 121 points, edging Texas by a point. Nebraska scored 143 to win the men's title.

Mortimer finished fourth in the 5,000 and Culbertson finished eighth.

"It was very much a team effort," Kansas State coach Cliff Royelto said. "Amy and Trisha had to do what they did for us to win the meet." The Wildcats earned 25

points in the women's

javelin throw, with four ath-

letes scoring. Kendra Wecker won with a toss of 173 feet, 7 inches. Kansas State's Austra Skujyte scored 22 points during the meet, placing second in the shot put behind teammate Rebekah Green. Skujyte was selected as the top female

athlete of the meet. Texas' Aleah Williams won the women's 100 meters

in 11.42 seconds and teammate LaKeesha White took fourth.

Naleya Downer of Texas won the 400 and took second in the 200.

Colorado dominated the distance events, with Lesley Higgins Natalie and Florence going 1-2 in the 3,000-meter steeplechase. Sara Gorton won the 5,000

in 16:11.83.

On the men's side, Colorado's Ritzenhein (13:56.21) and Jorge Torres (13:56:33) swept the 5,000, breaking the Big 12 record by 11 seconds. They ran together for the entire race.

Torres won the 1,500 and teammate Steve Slattery

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read aloud in the Conference Room, City Hall, Secon Floor, 310 Nolan Street, Bio Spring, Texas 79720, with award to be made at a requi arly scheduled meeting of Big Spring City Council Bid information and specifications may be obtained in the office of the Director of Finance Hall 310 Nolan Street Bio Spring, Texas 79720. All bids nust be marked with the date description of the bid item The City of Big Spring reserves the right to reject any all bids and to waive any o

I formalities igned Russ McEwen, Mayor Signed Tami Matthews, Assistant City Secretary #3559 May 20 & 27, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey of Scenic Mountain Medical Center on June 20 and June 21, 2002.

The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organiza tion's compliance with nation established Join Commission standards The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which ed the organization

Joint Commission standards deal with organizational quality

of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information request a public information nterview with the Joint Commission's field represen tatives at the time of the survey. Information presented a the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation Requests for a public infor tion interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five working days before the survey begins request must also indicate the nature of the information to be rovided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to:

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181 The Joint Commission will acknowledge such requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the organization of the request for any interview The organization will, in tur notify the interviewee of the date, time, and place of the This notice is posted in accor

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Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show that they are adversely affect ed, or requests for further information concerning any should be submitted in writing. within fifteen days of publica tion, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Drawer 12967 Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 - Telephone (512)

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Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181 writing or by telephone and will inform the organization of the request for any interview notify the interviewee of the date, time and place of the meeting

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flight to France.

In 1932, Amelia Earhart took off from Newfoundland for Ireland to become the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic.

In 1939, regular transatlantic air service began as a Pan American Airways plane, the Yankee Clipper, took off from Port Washington, N.Y., bound for Europe.

In 1942, Glenn Miller and His Orchestra recorded "(I've Got a Gal in) Kalamazoo" at Victor Studios in Hollywood.

In 1961, a white mob attacked a busload of Freedom Riders Montgomery, Ala., prompting the federal government to send in U.S. marshals to restore order.

In 1969, U.S. and South Vietnamese forces captured Apbia Mountain, referred to as "Hamburger Hill" by of the Vietnam War.

Ten years ago: Proclaiming

In 1989, comedian Gilda

Today's Birthdays: Actor James McEachin is 72.

Roger Keith Coleman was

executed in Virginia's elec-

tric chair for the 1981 rape-

murder of his sister-in-law,

Wanda McCoy.

Actor Anthony Zerbe is 66. Actor David Proval is 60. Singer Joe Cocker is 58. Singer-actress Cher is 56. Actor-comedian Dave Thomas is 53. Musician Warren Cann is 50. Actor Dean Butler is 46. Ron Reagan is 44. Rock musician Jane Wiedlin (The Go-Go's) is 44. Actor Bronson Pinchot is 43. Actor Tony Goldwyn is 42. Singer Susan Cowsill (The Cowsills) is 42.

Answer to previous puzzle



### Newsday Crossword

**ACROSS** 

1 Atlantic or Pacific

6 Cook's abbr. 9 Shoots the

breeze 13 Where driftwood drifts

14 Pep-rally yell

15 Opposite of windward

16 Portions

of a play 17 Of rural land

20 American

game fish 22 Annoys

25 Sault

29 Came to a point

message

39 Germany,

42 Inconsistent

45 British lexicon:

48 Stays fixed on

57 Gay Nineties,

58 Small

59 Removes

mistakes scholar"

# PATTERNS by Lee Weaver

62 Sunday address:

Abbr.

**63** Tastelessly showy

**64** Requirement

**DOWN** 

2 Investigate

3 Long, long

war god

residence

6 Lags behind

instrument

little pieces

5 Robin's

7 Scottish

8 Tear in

9 Attire

time

4 Greek

65 USNA grad 66 From Geneva

1 Film award

**19** Tic-\_\_-toe

24 Omit, in

speech

Marie

26 End a hug

31 Secret-

writer

38 Night noises

Italy, etc. 40 Most

compassionate

43 Stays glued

Abbr.

50 Concludes

53 '60s hippie

for one

motorcycle

\_ o'clock

#### Edited by Stanley Newman 10 Rap-sheet 37 VCR button

datum

11 Animal

12 Perceive

13 Italian wine center

18 Lemon drink

21 Enjoy a book 23 McCarthy's

pal

27 Hudson Bay tribe

28 Not as much

29 "Shame!" 30 Black cuckoo

32 Social misfit

33 Stray dogs 34 Make a

speech

35 Work very carefully,

· in part 36 Prefix for

center

42 Pre-college grades, for short 44 Different

41 Grow more

profound.

as a plot

persons

45 Isle \_\_ (spot

off England) 46 Upper crust

47 Gift receiver

48 Valentine's mo. 49 Greet the day

51 Frock or gown 52 Kimono

closer

54 Strong breeze 55 Table supports

10 11 12

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56 Etch or sketch 60 Onassis'

nickname

16 17 19 22 24 26 29 30 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 40 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 58 63 62

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