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RELIEVER ROUTE MEETING

Citizens are invited to learn more about the U.S. Highway 87 truck reliever route and express their opinions at a Texas Department of Transportation public meeting on the topic at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Registration for the meeting begins at 6:30. The meeting, the last scheduled public forum on the topic, will be similar to one held in February.

FORSAN '80s REUNION

Anyone who graduated from Forsan High School in the period of 1980 to 1989 is invited to an all 1980s reunion that will take place Aug. 1-2.

Tentative activities include individual class get togethers on Friday, Aug. 1, and a golf tournament, tennis tournament and "Black and White Ball" on Aug. 2.

Some of the activities will be fund-raisers for the Forsan High School scholarship fund.

Any who graduated from Forsan during the period or knows someone who did, is encouraged to call Carole Madry at 268-9191 or email Rick Hope at chalfmhr2@aol.com.

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Runoff set Tuesday to fill 19th Congressional seat

By ROGER CLINE Staff Writer

It's time to vote, Howard County.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday in the 19th Congressional District runoff election between Randy Neugebauer, R-Lubbock, and Mike Conaway, R-Midland.

Early voting in the race concluded Friday. Only

1,048 of Howard County's 14,951 registered voters cast votes early, 1,000 in person and 48 by mail.

In the May 3 general election, 17 candidates vied for the position being vacated by retiring Rep. Larry Combest, R-Lubbock.

Neugebauer and Conaway were the top two vote-getters, Neugebauer with 12,844 and Conaway with 12,211.



CONAWAY NEUGEBAUER

Neither received the 50 percent of the total needed to avoid the runoff election.

The two candidates faced off in a pair of public forums Tuesday and Thursday.

Registered voters can cast ballots at one of five polling places, depending on what precinct they live in.

Residents in precincts beginning with a "1" will vote at the North Side Fire Station; those in Precincts 202, 203, 204, 205 and 208 will vote at

Washington Place School; voters in Precincts 207, 405, 407, 408 and 409 will vote at the Coahoma Community Center; those in Precincts 302, 303, 304 and 305 will vote at Goliad Intermediate School; and voters in Precincts 401, 402, 403, 404, 406 and 410 will vote at the Big Spring High School Library.

Those wishing to vote

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Linda and Bill Laws of Coleman, left, and Russell and Joy Madden of Denton visit during a reception held in their honor and to welcome the newest additions to the Hangar 25 Air Museum collection, T-28A and T-33 training aircraft. The collaborative efforts between Laws and Madden made the addition of the two new planes possible.

HERALD photo: Lyndel Moody

Seminar

Customer service focus of four-part event slated here

By ROGER CLINE

Staff Writer

Are your employees "customer ready?"

A four-part Customer Service Seminar starting Tuesday will help get them that way.

The eight-hour event, to be sponsored by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce Business Development Committee and the Howard College Continuing Education Department, will be Tuesday and Thursday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. the next two weeks.

The four-part seminar is planned to be a regular event. The first series of four sessions is free and open to the general public — not just chamber members — but is limited to

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There's a new jailer in town

Clint Galloway is responsible for keeping bad guys behind bars

By ROGER CLINE Staff Writer

There's a new man responsible for keeping Howard County's bad guys behind bars.

Clint Galloway — a 17-year veteran of jail work — has taken over the reins of the Howard County Jail as chief jailer.

Galloway said his last position was as jail administrator in Lubbock County.

"I grew up in southern Illinois," he said. "I moved to Midland and went to Midland College. Graduated from Midland College and went to Texas Tech. I graduated from Texas Tech with a degree in education. I later went to UTPB and

got a degree in criminology, then a master's in criminal justice administration."

The new chief jailer has been on the job about a week, and said his first goal is to get back to the basics.

"As far as dealing with inmates on a day-to-day basis, just get back to the basics of security and things of that nature," he said. "Learn to be more professional."

Galloway said the jail, on the fourth floor of the Howard County Courthouse, offers some challenges.

"One of the immediate problems that Howard County is facing is over-

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Clint Galloway has taken over the reins as chief jailer at the Howard County Jail. The Illinois native went to school in West Texas and has 17 years experience in the jail business, most recently as administrator of the Lubbock County Jail.

HERALD photo: Roger Cline

First adult Spanish class a success; more planned

By LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

Adios Amigos!

The adult Spanish class wrapped up its semester with musical entertainment, puppet skits and a feast.

"We will pick the class back up in the fall, probably in September," said Paula Underwood, Big Spring High School Spanish teacher. "If we're able to get another teacher to help out, we will have a beginning

level and a level II."

Offered for the first time at the high school, the free conversational Spanish class began with 115 students enrolled and was taught completely in Spanish. About 60 students finished the course, Underwood said.

Teachers Underwood and Sheila Abusaab, a Spanish teacher at the high school, used the teaching concept Total Physical Response.

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forms repetitively such as stand up, sit down, walk left, walk right, to reinforce word recognition to actions or names.

Underwood said the students pick up on the lan-

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Big Spring High School Spanish Club members Gabriela Lugo, left, Jesus Beltran and Samatha Newton provide entertainment to the adult Spanish class members.

HERALD photo: Lyndel Moody



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# A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

## Obituaries

### Katherine Elizabeth Smith



Katherine Elizabeth Smith, 83, of Tyler, formerly of Coahoma, died Friday, May 30, 2003, at the University of Texas Medical Center in Tyler.

Graveside service will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 3, 2003, at Coahoma Cemetery with the Rev. Dan Dale, pastor of the South Seminole Baptist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Smith was born on Dec. 14, 1919, in Alamogordo, N.M. She was the daughter of Henry and Annie Tanner.

She and her husband, Raymond Wayne Smith, were long time Sweetwater residents before coming to Coahoma in 1982. Mr. Smith preceded her in death in 1986. Mrs. Smith moved to Tyler one year ago to live with her son. She was a homemaker and a seamstress at Walls Industries in Sweetwater for 25 years. Her hobby was bowling.

Mrs. Smith is survived by one son, Raymond Smith and his wife, Lyndia, of Tyler; four daughters, Betty Estey of Pecos, Glenda Franke of Klamath Falls, Ore., Charlotte Liles of Snyder and Clara Smith and her husband, Leon, of Coahoma; three sisters, Lucille Donaldson of Oklahoma, Julia Parshall of Missouri and Helen Rose Wilgest of Oklahoma; 18 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; six great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one daughter, Bonnie Sue Smith; one brother, James Tanner; one sister, Shirley Doughert; and two grandchildren.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

### E. R. "Pancho" Lozano

E. R. "Pancho" Lozano, 70, of Big Spring, died on Saturday, May 31, 2003, in an Odessa hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 4, 2003, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Pastor Ken Davis with the Seventh Day Adventist Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born on January 24, 1933, in Kerrville. He married Carolee Bealon on July 30, 1955, in Lamesa. She preceded him in death on November 21, 1995. He then married Gladys Kenney on April 14, 1997, in Big Spring.

Mr. Lozano came Big Spring in the early 1960's. He had resided in San Angelo, Lamesa, Alamogordo, New Mexico and Odessa for short periods of time, but had always returned to Big Spring. He had worked for Gandy's for nine years, for 7-11 for 14 years and for Wal-Mart for six years.

Mr. Lozano was a jack of all trades, but basically worked as an electrician and a refrigeration technician. He was an artist and a golf fanatic.

He served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys Kenney Lozano of Big Spring; one daughter, Dora L. Day and husband, Dennis, of Forsan; three sons, Joe Lozano and wife, Millie, of Belton, Mo., Daniel Lozano and wife, Diane, of Brandon, S.D., and Dago Lozano of San Angelo; a step-daughter, Debra Radmacher and husband, Kenneth, of Pocatello, Idaho; one brother, Rafael R. Lozano and wife, Rosa, of Sonora; 19 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

He was also preceded in death by his parents, one son, five brothers, three sisters, one step-daughter and a grandson.

The family suggests memorials to: American Heart Association, 2905 W. Cuthbert, Ste. A-8, Midland 79701.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com)

### Ruth T. Faulkner

Ruth T. Faulkner, formerly of Big Spring, passed away peacefully of Alzheimer's-related complications on Thursday, May 22, 2003, at Trinity Care Center in Bridgeport.

Funeral services were conducted on May 27, 2003, at the First Baptist Church in Decatur under the direction of the Rev. Jack Gatewood. Interment is at Oaklawn Memorial Cemetery in Decatur.

Ruth was born May 2, 1915, in Meridian, Miss., to John Howard and Roxie (Cheatham) Kirk. She married Benard T. Faulkner (B.T.) on Dec. 25, 1933. They were married 58 years until he preceded her in death in 1991. Their son, Michael Faulkner, died in 1994.

Ruth is survived by her sons, Kirk Faulkner and wife Delores of Plano and Ben Faulkner and wife Dona of Fort Worth; daughters Pamela Roy and husband Tracy of Albuquerque, N.M., and Phyllis Boyer and husband Chris of Tucson, Ariz.; 11 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; brothers James Kirk and wife Faye of Vista, Calif., and David Kirk of Peoria, Ariz.; sisters-in-law, Yvette Kirk of Sanger and Betty Faulkner of Houston; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Ruth was a member of the First Baptist Church in Decatur where she and B.T. sang in the choir. They also were members of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring for many years.

She worked seven years for the Hospital of America in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, when B.T. was an engineer for the Corp of Engineers. Prior to retiring in Decatur, Ruth and B.T. lived and worked in Midwest City, Okla., and were members of the Midwest City Baptist Church.

The family suggests memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association of North Central Texas, 1400 West Fifth St., Fort Worth, 76102, or a charity of choice.

### Helene L. Storen

Helene L. Storen, 80, of Red Oak, formerly of Big Spring, died Friday, May 30, 2003, following an extended illness. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Monday, June 2, 2003, at the First Baptist Church of DeSoto, 221 W. Beltline Road, with Dr. Joel Swofford officiating. Interment will be at Fort Leavenworth National Cemetery, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 4, 2003.

Mrs. Storen had lived in Big Spring from 1963 to 1981 before coming to Dallas. She also served as a missionary for the Southern Baptist Mission Board in Jackpot, Idaho.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Henry, in 1971; sons Herbert D. and John David; and granddaughter Rebecca.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Mary Storen of Big Spring; daughter-in-law Connie Storen of Red Oak; grandson Allen Ward; granddaughter Heather Storen; and three great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made in her honor to the American Cancer Society or First Baptist Church of DeSoto.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of West, Hurr Funeral Home of DeSoto.

## Lottery

Results of the Lotto Texas drawing Saturday night: Winning numbers drawn: 6-19-21-27-33. Bonus Ball: 26.

Number matching five of five, plus Bonus Ball: none. Estimated jackpot for Wednesday night drawing: \$33 million.

Results of the Cash 5 drawing Saturday night: Winning numbers drawn: 10-15-27-33-34. Number matching five of five: none.

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday night: 7-5-3

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday afternoon: 7-7-8

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### MONDAY

Senior Circle Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics, Scenic Mountain Medical Center, 1601 W. 11th Place. People 50 years and older are invited to participate, 268-4721.

District Committee Lone Star of Big Spring, noon, 610 Scurry.

Big Spring High School Band Booster, 5:30 p.m., band hall, 707 11th Place. The band booster club will elect new officers. All band high school and junior high parents are asked to attend this meeting.

Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., La Posada, 206 NW Fourth St.

Concerned Citizens, 7 p.m., Fiberflex conference room on Bethel St. in the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark. The Public is invited.

Big Spring Chapter & Council RAM, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Building, 219 Main.

Howard County ARC, Bingo Hall, 806 E. Third, 264-0674.

## Police blotter

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

• **BERNABE AMADOR LOPEZ**, 25, of 2911 W. Highway 80 was arrested Sunday on a charge of failure to identify and for a Lubbock County warrant.

• **TANDE JO CASSELMAN**, 20, of 5822 Ranch Road was being held at the city jail Sunday for the Howard County Sheriff's Office.

• **FRANK LEE JACKSON**, 44, of 1506 Mesa was arrested Sunday on a charge of theft, more than \$50 but less than \$500.

• **ANGELA KAY CASTANDEA**, 42 of 2912 W. Highway 350 was arrested Saturday on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **JACOB JACK GARCIA**, 22, of 2001 S. Runnels was arrested Saturday for city warrants.

• **ASHLEY LYNN SMITH**, 18, of 644 Manor was arrested Saturday on a charge of driving under the influence—minor.

• **JANIE MARTINEZ**, 33, of 2525 Chanute was arrested Sunday on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **JESSICA ANN RIOS**, 25, of 2911 W. Highway 80 was arrested Sunday for city warrants.

• **ASSAULT CAUSE BODILY INJURY** was reported at a convenience store in the 900 block of Willa. According to police, a victim was allegedly attacked while sitting in his car. The victim reportedly was struck in the face and received a laceration on the nose. He was treated and released from Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **THEFT, less than \$50 but more than \$500**, was reported:

- at a convenience store in the 200 block of west FM 700 where jewelry/precious metals worth \$44.02 and other unnamed items worth \$12.51 were reported stolen.

- in the 1700 block of west Highway 350 where merchandise worth \$175 was reported stolen.

• **THEFT, less than \$50**, was reported:

- at a residence in the 3500 block of west Highway 80 where \$20 in cash was reported stolen.

- in the 1300 block of Settles Street where three mattresses worth \$5 were reported stolen.

• **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported:

- in the 1100 block of east 12th Street where electronic equipment worth \$930 was reportedly stolen and \$20 of damages were reportedly inflicted upon a window screen.

- at a specialty store in the 1600 block of east Third Street where \$2,200 worth of heavy construction, industrial equipment was reported stolen.

## Sheriff's report

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity:

• **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 5800 block of Ranch Road and in the 2100 block of north Birdwell Lane.

• **RECKLESS DRIVER** was reported at mile marker 192 on Interstate 20.

• **THREATS** were reported in the 200 block of Becker.

## Weather

Today — Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows near 90. West winds 5 to 15 mph becoming north by early afternoon.

Tonight — Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 60s. East winds 5 to 10 mph.

Tuesday — Partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s. South winds 10 to 20 mph.



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## NEWS BRIEF

**Legislature gets**  
AUSTIN (AP) - Texas lawmakers passed a bill Monday that would allow the state to sue for damages if a person is injured by a drunk driver. The bill would also allow the state to sue for damages if a person is injured by a drunk driver who is a minor. The bill would also allow the state to sue for damages if a person is injured by a drunk driver who is a minor. The bill would also allow the state to sue for damages if a person is injured by a drunk driver who is a minor.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Legislature gets budget passed

AUSTIN (AP) - Whew! Texas lawmakers narrowly beat the clock Sunday and passed a final version of the 2004-05 state budget. With just three hours left before a midnight deadline, the House by a 105-41 vote OK'd the only bill legislators are legally required to approve. The Senate passed it 24-7 earlier in the day. The regular session ends today. The \$117.4 billion budget was complicated by a \$9.9 billion shortfall, promises of no new taxes and last-minute problems with moneymaking and cost-cutting bills.

Top issues come down to final day

AUSTIN (AP) - Lawmakers signed off on an avalanche of major bills that rolled through the Texas House and Senate as the legislative session wound down. The last day is today, but Sunday was the last day of real work for the lawmakers. Racing against the clock, the two chambers approved compromises on key bills including civil lawsuit limitation, homeowners insurance, health and human services restructuring, college tuition deregulation and the state budget. The House had to suspend its rules to approve bills past a midnight deadline, barely passing an ethics bill and home-

owners insurance legislation. The Senate unofficially ended, its night about 9:30 p.m. when a state senator began a filibuster on an education bill.

Constable heads to trial

LUFKIN (AP) - A constable accused of stealing debris from the Space Shuttle Columbia planned to return the material to a collection site in Nacogdoches, not keep it, his defense attorney says. Robert Hagan II, 45, a Harrison County constable the past three years, faces federal charges he stole U.S. government property. Four other people, including a former Angelina County sheriff's deputy, have been charged with stealing debris. Hagan's case, scheduled to begin Monday, was the first set for trial. Longview attorney Eldred Smith, who is representing Hagan, said his client participated in the search for shuttle debris after the Columbia disintegrated over Texas on Feb. 1, killing all seven astronauts aboard. After two days of searching, Smith says Hagan turned in debris he and others collected to officials in Nacogdoches. Smith said Hagan then headed back to Marshall with plans to return later in the week. "There was one small plastic bag (containing debris) that did not get removed from his car," Smith said of Hagan. "He got off late and had to get to his job here. He was going to go back Monday."

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45 participants. It will take place in the Howard College Student Union Building's Tumbleweed Room. The event is being held in conjunction with the Business Development Committee's new "Big Spring At Your Service" customer service awards, given monthly to community-nominated businesses and employees that display good customer service skills. April's winner for the business of the month was Days Inn of Big Spring, while the employee of the month was Denise White of Big John's Feed Lot restaurant. For more information about the seminar or to reserve a spot, call the Continuing Education Department at 264-5131.

JAILER

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crowding, which forces us to house male and female inmates outside the county," he said. The necessity of transporting inmates to and from outlying counties is a logistical problem, Galloway said, but one that the county will likely have to live with for the foreseeable future. "(The commissioners)

are aware of the problems with the jail," Galloway said. "There's just not much that can be done right now because of the county's financial situation. We can't afford to go out and build a new facility right now. We can exist in this manner as long as the commissioners need us to."

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 263-7331 ext. 232 or by e-mail at newsdesk@crcom.net

RUNOFF

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should bring their voter registration card or another form of identification. Picture ID is not required. Any Howard County registered voter may vote in the District 19 runoff. It is not necessary to have voted in the May 3 general election to vote in the runoff.

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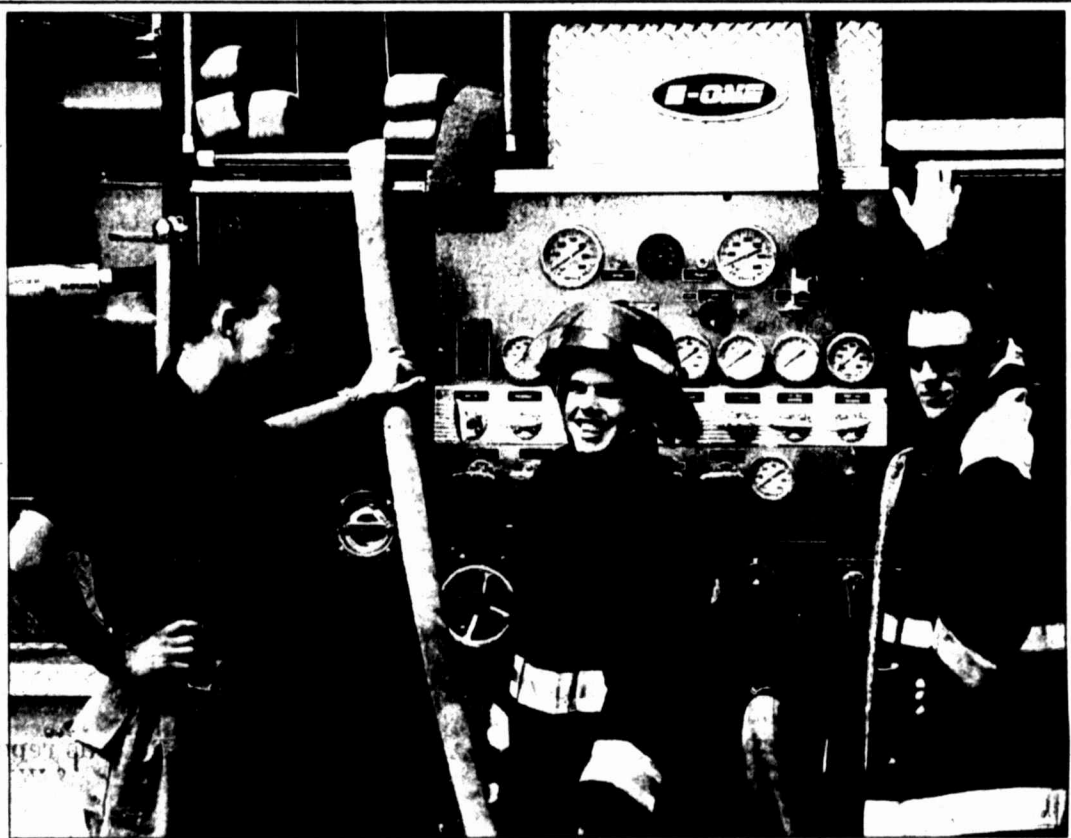
24th & Johnson 267- Katherine Smith, 86, died Friday. Graveside services are at 10:00 AM Tuesday at the Coahoma Cemetery.

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Courtesy photo Big Spring Fire Department Driver/Paramedic Jay Hold, left, Firefighter/EMT Greg McAllister and Firefighter/EMT-I Mike Tulley take a break during hose evolution training. The training was designed to teach the firefighters how to regulate pump pressure for multiple lines originating from a single pump truck.

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guage quickly. "It was amazing the speed of which they learned," she said. "The last things we learned were numbers, family members, clothing." During the last class of

the semester, the adult students enjoyed Spanish music performed by the high school Spanish Club members and later the high school student performed puppet skits for the crowd. For more information about the class, call Underwood or Abusaab at the high school at 264-

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### Camp of Champions to get started

The Big Spring School Camp Champions weight clinic is scheduled to begin June 9.

Students in grades 5-8 are eligible to participate in the clinic which runs through June 26.

Interested students should contact Long at 264-3333 for more information.

### Country club host junior golf

The Big Spring Country Club is holding a Junior Golf Clinic from Tuesday through Friday.

The clinic, for boys and girls, ages 5 through 12, will be held daily from 9-10 a.m. Player registration will begin at 8 a.m.

The cost is \$10 for non-members. Club members can participate free.

For more information, contact the Executive Shop at 267-5353.

### BSHS 'Black & White' tourney to be held

The annual Black & White Tennis Camp is returning to the Big Spring scene in June.

The four-day camp for area tennis players is scheduled to begin June 9 at the Big Spring Tennis Complex, which runs from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.

The camp is being coordinated by BSHS coach Sarah Corse and Dennis Smiley. Area tennis players interested in participating should contact Corse at 263-3333 or Smiley at 263-3333.

### BSCC to hold parent-child clinic

The Big Spring Country Club is holding a parent-child tennis clinic on June 9.

For more information, call 267-5354.

### Mickey Owen slated for Big Spring

The Mickey Owen Baseball School is holding a weight clinic for area players from June 9 through June 13 at the Big Spring League baseball field.

The camp will provide personal coaching for athletes in the defensive position of each player. The camp will provide specific drills and training techniques to help students become better in the catching and throwing. The camp will have three separate sessions including an afternoon and evening segment.

The camp is for players from grades 5-8.

For more information, call 1-800-998-8888 or visit the school's website at [www.mickeyowen.com](http://www.mickeyowen.com).

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#### Camp of Champs set to get started June 9

The Big Spring High School Camp of Champs weightlifting clinic is scheduled to begin June 9.

Students in grades 5-8 are eligible to participate in the event, which runs through June 26.

Interested persons should contact Coach Long at 264-3662 for more information.

#### Country club will host junior golf clinic

The Big Spring Country Club will be holding a Junior Golf Clinic from Tuesday to Friday.

The clinic, for players, ages 5 through 9, will be held daily from 9-10 a.m. Players 10 and over will begin at 10 a.m.

The cost is \$25 for non-members. BSCC members can participate free.

For more information contact the BSCC Pro Shop at 267-5354.

#### BSHS 'Black & Gold' tourney to be June 9

The annual Big Spring High School Tennis Camp will be returning to the local scene in June.

The four-day camp for area tennis players is scheduled to begin June 9 at the Figure 7 Tennis Complex. The camp, which runs from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

is being conducted by BSHS coaches Sarah Corse and Dennis Smiley.

Area tennis players interested in competing should contact Corse at 263-2275 or Smiley at 263-3848.

#### BSCC to hold parent-child event

The Big Spring Country Club will hold a parent-child tournament on June 6-7.

For more info call 267-5354.

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The Mickey Owen Baseball School will be holding a week-long clinic for area players from June 9 through June 13 at the National League baseball field.

The camp will provide personal training for athletes in the defensive position specialty of each person. The camp will employ specific drills and training techniques to help students become better in throwing, catching and pitching. The camp will offer three separate sessions, including a morning, afternoon and all-day segment.

The camp is open to players from 8 to 12 years of age.

For more information call 1-800-999-8369 or visit the school's Web site at www.mickey-owen.com.

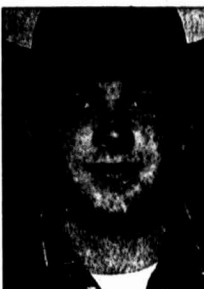
## McDowell rides to average crown in Hobbs

By TOMMY WELLS  
Sports Editor

Danny McDowell served notice on the collegiate rodeo world Saturday in Hobbs, N.M., that he will be someone to watch when it comes time to hand out national championship honors.

The Howard College star was the only rider to successfully stay on three animals during the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association's Southwest Region College Rodeo Championship Series and rolled to the event's average title.

McDowell, who had earned an automatic berth in the College National Finals Rodeo with a solid performance in the regular season, posted a final score of 285 on three bulls, including an 81 on



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the final round to finish atop the average standings.

Howard College's Seth Swearingen, despite a tough run in Hobbs, will also be advancing to the CNFR.

"We ran into some tough luck this weekend," said HC head coach Greg Kernick, adding he thought the two HC standouts had a shot at winning a championship in Casper, Wyo., this

weekend.

"I'm looking forward to things going really well for us in Casper. It only takes one (ride) to win a national championship and we've got a couple of guys that can win one."

Swearingen didn't have any luck in his performance in Hobbs. The Southwest region's No. 2-rated dogger, he posted a 9.1 second run and failed to make

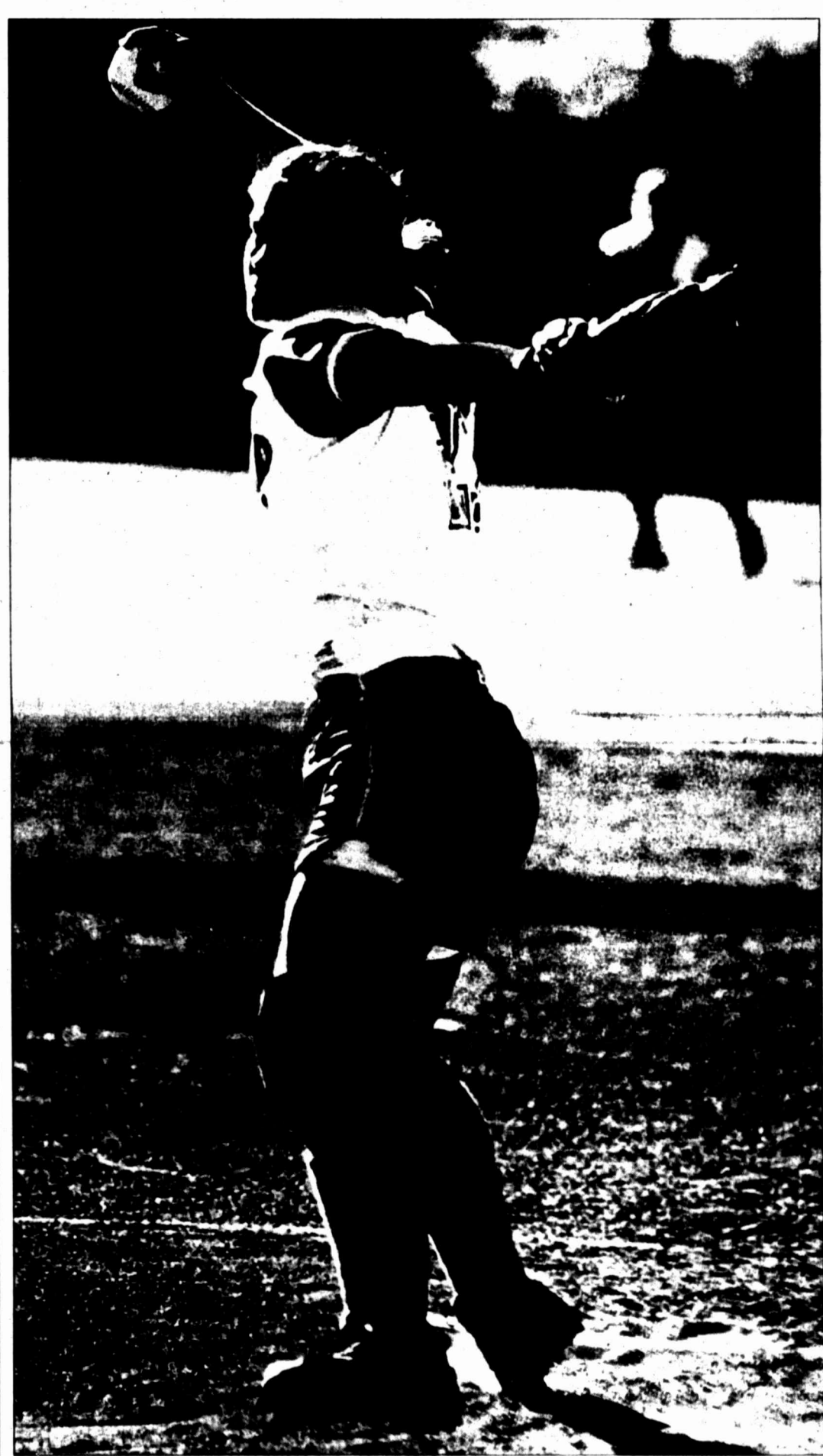
the short-go.

Tony Sauter also did have fate on his side. After dropping and tying his calf in the first round of the calf roping, he saw his hopes fade away when the calf managed to work itself free.

His run in the steer wrestling ended in misfortune as well as the steer ran long.

Like Swearingen and Sauter, Stanton calf roper Ryan O'Donnell didn't have much to write home about. He and his teammate failed to record a time in their run.

Trent Broussard just missed making the short round in the bull riding competition. He was bucked off his first ride at the 7.8 second mark. One full ride would have earned the Hawks' standout a spot in the rodeo's final round.



Herald photo, Tommy Wells

Former Big Spring ace Christina Gwyn capped her prep career with a state championship Saturday evening by leading the Keller Lady Indians to a 6-1 win over Bryan in the Class 5A state championship game. Gwyn was named the tournament's MVP.

## Former Coahoma, Big Spring star helps Keller claim 5A title

By TOMMY WELLS  
Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Christina Gwyn ended her high school career right where her collegiate days will end Saturday evening by leading the Keller Lady Indians to a 6-1 win over Bryan in the Class 5A softball state championship.

Gwyn, who had starred as a freshman and sophomore at Big Spring High School before transferring to

Keller, struck out nine batters and earned the tournament's MVP honors. The University of Texas signer pounded out several key hits in the Lady Indians' march to their first-ever state crown.

Keller, at a overall, jumped on Bryan early. The Lady Indians scored five runs in the first two innings and never looked back.

With the win, Gwyn capped her senior season with a 38-1 record.

## Gutierrez slam powers TNT past Shockers

By TOMMY WELLS  
Sports Editor

COAHOMA — The Coahoma TNT lived up to their namesake last week by exploding offensively and dealing the Shockers a stunning 9-5 setback in Coahoma Girls Softball Association 14 & Under action.

The TNT, sparked by a grand slam by Kayla Gutierrez handed the Shockers their second straight loss and avenged an earlier loss to the league-leading squad. TNT entered the game in third in the CUGSA standings.

TNT and the Rebels knocked the Shockers from the ranks of the unbeaten. The Rebels open the twinbill by taking a 2-1 win.

In the second game of the doubleheader, Gutierrez starred. She pitched a complete game gem and struck out five batters. She also sparked the TNT offense by cranking out a bases loaded home run off Shockers' ace Krista Kerby.

Christie Rich also had a big day at the plate for TNT. She finished with two-run triple, Kaysea Spiller, Kassie Holbrook, Alex Moore, Ashlie Martin, Laramie King, Ashley Buskey and Lauren Sloan also played

## Coahoma begins search for new baseball coach

COAHOMA — The beginning of a new era in Coahoma baseball is about to begin ... soon.

Coahoma Independent School District officials began the process of acquiring a new head coach for the District 3-2A powerhouse last week by taking a look at several early applications for the position. School officials said they plan to select a new coach in the near future, but that they were waiting to see if others would be applying.

School board officials discussed three applications last week at their regular meeting.

The Bulldogs' head coaching position came open recently when head coach Brad Hart accepted a similar position at Lake Worth in the Fort Worth area. Coahoma advanced to the state playoffs all three years Hart held the reigns.

The Bulldogs, led by underclassmen Kelby Kemper and Sam Tindol, finished the 2003 season as the District 3-2A runner-up. Colorado City won the district crown.

well offensively and defensively.

## Texans add top private school rusher to roster

By TOMMY WELLS  
Sports Editor

As a member of one of the winningest six-man programs in the history of the sport, Josh Hunter is accustomed to winning big games. He has no mention of breaking that tradition in July.

Hunter, a standout for the El Paso Jesus Chapel Chargers, gives Texas one of the top private school players in the state.

As a senior, Hunter helped carry the Chargers to the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools' state semifinals

and earned all-state honors as a running back.

"We're excited to have him coming to play," said All American coach assistant John Armstrong. "He's about 210 pounds with the ability to run a player's assemblage."

Hunter will try and lead Texas to its seventh straight win in the annual International six-man all-star game in July in Big Spring. Texas claimed a 44-22 win over the Nationals last year, avenging a 12-38 setback in 2001.

Hunter rushed for more than 1,000 yards last fall.

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**BY JOYCE JILLSON**

Emotional energy fluctuates quite impressively as the moon sails through Cancer.

Heightened senses and perception are wonderful, but being overly sensitive may be a disadvantage.

Jupiter and Neptune engage in a battle of wills. The best information comes from the collective unconscious. This begins a very creative period.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). The workplace has a complicated balance of power lately; do everything you can to stay out of the conflict. Happiness is the classiest way to be, and higher-ups will recognize you for staying upbeat.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Your need to be comfortable and at ease overrides much else. That's why you'll be able to accomplish more if you can work at home today. Following your own drummer makes life a total pleasure!

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). Your witty repartee is admired and could be the reason you get offered a job or a promotion. If you decide to break a date, do it decisively so your friend has a chance to make other plans.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). A case of the envious may have plagued you over the weekend, but now, you can be more objective. Think about it. Even if you had the opportunity, I'll bet you wouldn't trade lives with anybody in the world!

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Much is going right for you, but this is no reason to back off. Push forward with even more force. When you summarize last week, it's easier to get a handle on what you want to create for this week.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (June 2). You get results this year. The romantic road is smooth for the next three months, but you'll be going deeper, confronting obstacles and possibly making life-changing decisions in the last part of July. The best signs for lasting romance are sexy Taurus and confident Capricorn. Singles, a committed relationship finds you in September. Your lucky numbers are: 31, 3, 32, 35 and 48.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Both the brain and the body need exercise. It may be necessary to change your atmosphere in order to get more energy flowing through your mind. Little ones are picking up on your attitude about life.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). When a person is gloomy, everything goes wrong; when a person is cheerful, it all goes right. Speak of solutions, directing your energy toward the bright tomorrows you'd like to create. Someone dear needs to know he or she is valued.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). This is a day to rise above. You're strong enough to create whatever you think you can. The petty behavior of others cannot rob you of your own view of things. Don't think about the past. Have a forward-moving energy about you.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You make people trust you. Your

"what you see is what you get" attitude spurs a higher-up to give you the best assignment or encourages someone you're dating to devote more time to you.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You've got your money-making mechanism in fine working condition. Your personal sector could use attention, especially in the communication realm. Work on improving your storytelling or joke-telling skills.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Having a winning attitude might mean saying you're feeling fabulous even when you're not. Push yourself to look for the good in life by pasting a smile on your face. By evening, even you are buying into the fib.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). Anticipation of a long-awaited career victory has you feeling fidgety. Distractions like sports or a crazy flirtation at work help relieve the tension of a long wait. Things are brewing; success will come soon enough.

**ASTROLOGICAL QUESTIONS:** "My birthday is July 27, 1965, and my boyfriend's is March 9, 1972. He keeps telling me that he doesn't want me to take our relationship to the next level. Even though we have separate apartments, he practically lives with me. He is planning a vacation with an old friend (he says he's never had feelings for her), and he doesn't want me to go along. Should I wait for him to change the situation, or should I make a move? Also, I would like to have a baby. Will my current boyfriend be the father?"

This guy is cheating on you, has cheated on you and will be cheating on you very soon. Why else would he leave you out of the vacation? Leo is attracted to Pisces because all of the mysterious potential he has. There is no promise that he is actually going to follow through, and in this case, he won't. Split before all of this blows up in your face. Within the next month, keep your eyes peeled for a Capricorn bearing news. He or she will lead you to the man who will take you and your future family in a more stable direction.

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** Morgan Freeman is a Gemini with the Pisces moon so many wonderful actors seem to have in their charts. His chart also reveals that he's a fabulous singer, with Mercury (communication) in Taurus (lovely expression through the vocal chords). This year, he could record an album of songs that strike a spiritual chord. Or perhaps he'll sing a song on a soundtrack for a movie he's acting in as well.

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**Annie's Mailbox: Advice for those in need**

Dear Annie: My grandmother has a touch of dementia but is otherwise in excellent health at age 92. Fifteen years ago, my brother, "Walt," developed a debilitating back problem and moved in with Grandma. At the time, the family thought this was great. Walt provided companionship and helped with some chores, and Grandma cooked and cleaned for him.

Grandma has been getting worse lately, and she is forgetting things. Walt's health is also deteriorating, so we feel sorry for him, too. However, Walt has been treating Grandma more and more harshly, and I'm concerned he may be abusing her. She is definitely afraid of him.

The situation is unbearable to watch. Someone from the family visits every day, but we all say the same thing: "Walt's such a mean, nasty grouch." We don't want to report him to the authorities. What should we do? — Concerned in Connecticut

Dear Conn.: Abuse of the elderly by their caregivers is, unfortunately, not that unusual — especially if the caregiver is having health problems of his own. Sometimes the stress is too much to handle. Perhaps someone can relieve Walt of the responsibility of caring for Grandma, or you may decide it's time to consider a nursing home or assisted-living residence.

The National Center on Elder Abuse (NCEA) is a terrific organization that can provide resources to help you decide what to do. Please contact the NCEA at 1201 15th St. NW, Suite 350, Washington, D.C. 20005 ([www.elderabusecenter.org](http://www.elderabusecenter.org)) for information.

Dear Annie: My heartfelt compassion goes out to everyone serving in the military and their families. I ask your readers to consider two things: If you do not have an American flag waving at your residence, please consider purchasing one. If the flag you presently own is worn and faded, do not throw it away. Donate it to the local American Legion or Veterans of Foreign Wars Post Home for proper disposal.

I am a member of the Sons of the American Legion Squadron 223 in Sykesville, Md. The Post Home has a touching Flag Day retirement ceremony every year, performed by veterans of the Post along with the local Boy Scout troop that the Post sponsors. It is quite an overwhelming experience watching the Boy Scouts work side by side with the veterans.

Please let your readers know. Sincerely, Andrew H. in Sykesville, Md.

Dear Andrew H.: Thank you for the lovely suggestion, and on the perfect day. Today is Flag Day, folks. If you have a flag, please display it. If you don't, please consider purchasing one. Today is



Annie's Mailbox

also the 24th Annual Pause for the Pledge of Allegiance, to be recited at 7 p.m., Eastern time.

Dear Annie: I am a 29-year-old nurse. I am 5 feet tall and weigh 98 pounds, which apparently makes some people think I am a child. Patients and their family members constantly ask how old I am, how tall I am or how much I weigh. I'm sure they think this is a valid subject for conversation or is somehow complimentary, but I find it incredibly rude. These people would never ask me these questions if I weighed 300 pounds or looked middle-aged.

How can I let them know they have crossed the line, while maintaining my professional working relationship? Hates To Be Called Shorty

Dear Shorty: Just because they ask doesn't mean you have to tell them. Paste a smile on your face, and say, "Now why on earth would you ask me a question like that?"

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6 PM	News Wheel-	King of the Hill	Cyberchase Zoboombafo	7th Heaven (CC)	News Ent. Tonight	News (CC) Wheel-	News (CC) Seinfeld (CC)	Las Vias del Amor	Blind Date	(CC) Star Trek: Next	Extra-Soldiers	Scene of the Crime (CC)	On the Record	Update John Hagee	American Justice	Now See This!	Law & Order (CC) (DVS)	Sister, Sister Lizzie	
7 PM	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery	Movie: The King of the Hill	Movie: Sabrina	King King Yes, Dear	Stanley Cup Playoffs: For Love or Money (CC)	Fear Factor (CC)	Movie: EDtv (CC) (DVS)	Rebecca	WWE Raw (CC)	Movie: Bill & Ted's Bogus Journey	Amazing Medical	Inspector Morse: The Light of the Southwest	Bible Center Sam Peak	Biography: Tony Curtis	Monster House	Law & Order (CC) (DVS)	Moat	
8 PM	Finals Game 4	Shaggy Me	Story of Joseph Smith	Under (CC)	Raymond	Finals Game 4	For Love or Money (CC)	Entre el Amor	Cristina	Out of Order	DIY Surgery	Movie: A Beautiful Mind	Inspector Morse: The Way Through the Woods	Hour of Healing	Third Watch (CC)	Monster House	Law & Order (CC) (DVS)	Even Stevens	
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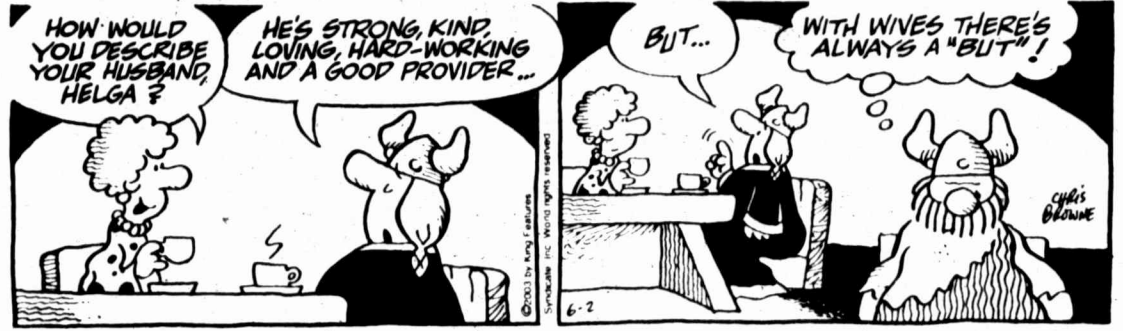
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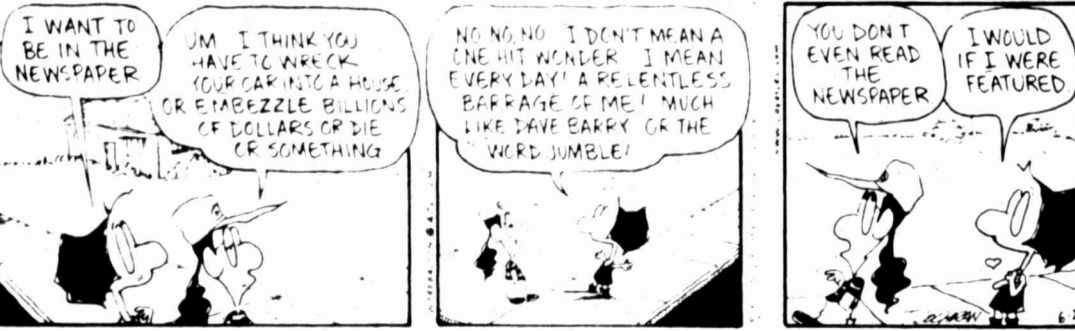
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People In The News

By the Associated Press

NEW YORK Former Mayor Rudolph Giuliani and fiancée Judith Nathan beamed as they picked up their marriage license five days before they plan to tie the knot.

The couple breezed into the city clerk's office Monday, walking past other prospective husbands and wives.

"They were very excited," said Sunny Mindel, a spokeswoman for the ex-mayor, who now runs a consulting firm, Giuliani Partners.

The lovebirds plan to marry at Gracie Mansion, the mayor's official residence, in a ceremony with Mayor Michael Bloomberg presiding.

They've been mum on details: Giuliani's teenage son, Andrew, reportedly

will serve as best man.

Giuliani, 58, proposed to Nathan, a 40-something former nurse, during a business trip to Paris in November five months after finalizing his divorce from Donna Hanover, his wife of 20 years.

Under the divorce settlement, Hanover received more than \$6.8 million. Besides Andrew, Hanover and Giuliani have a daughter, Caroline.

The Giuliani-Nathan nuptials will be a first for Bloomberg, who's making an exception from his policy of not performing weddings, said Bloomberg spokesman Ed Sklyer. Giuliani regularly officiated at weddings while in office.

DETROIT (AP) Fans and fellow singers held a candlelight vigil for R&B artist Luther Vandross, who's recovering from a stroke.

Arretha Franklin, a friend of Vandross, organized Monday night's event at the Little Rock Baptist Church.

"I felt he needed prayer, and he needed it now," said Franklin, who sang "Amazing Grace" for a crowd of 5,000 people.

Five weeks ago, Vandross was discovered in his New York apartment suffering the aftereffects of a stroke. He remains in the intensive care unit of the Weill Cornell Medical Center of New York-Presbyterian Hospital.

The Four Tops, Orthea Barns, Franklin's sons, Kecal and Eddie, Ursula Walker and Buddy Budson were among those on the program. The Detroit News reported Tuesday.

Answer to previous puzzle  
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Edited by Stanley Newman

- ACROSS
- 1 Have the role of
- 6 Dairy beasts
- 10 Minor quarrel
- 14 Place for a pay phone
- 15 "Very funny!"
- 16 Johnny Carson's successor
- 17 Lake boat
- 18 Molecule part
- 19 Choral voice
- 20 Hard to pin down
- 23 That fellow
- 24 Plum center
- 25 Fads
- 29 M\*A\*S\*H entree
- 31 Salesperson, for short
- 34 Seamstress
- 35 On the rocks
- 36 Slang refusal
- 37 Pompous
- 40 Arctic birds
- 41 Misfortunes
- 42 Actor Willem
- 43 Compass pt. opposite SSW
- 44 Oak or almond
- 45 Toots one's own horn
- 46 Clumsy one
- 47 Collie's covering
- 48 Orner
- 57 Add to the payroll
- 58 Movie-film holder
- 59 Soup herb
- 60 Feeling tense
- 61 Poet Sandburg
- 62 Household cleaner name
- 12 Poker-game starter
- 13 Pliers or plane
- 21 \_\_\_ for Evidence (Grafton book)
- 22 Point at the target
- 25 Congressional-session broadcaster
- 26 "Encore performance"
- 27 Got up
- 28 Mount Olympus bigwig
- 29 Post-office machine
- 30 Enlivens
- 31 House tops
- 32 Attraction in Walt Disney World
- 33 Small dogs, for short
- 35 The Emerald \_\_\_ (Ireland)
- 36 Final Four org.
- 38 Military flyers
- 39 Cute
- 44 File-folder projection
- 45 Subway alternative
- 46 Toes the line
- 47 Niagara \_\_\_
- 48 Backyard building
- 49 Neat
- 50 Press for
- 51 Bring up
- 52 Roman emperor
- 53 Writer Angelou
- 54 Khrushchev's domain
- 55 MGM mascot
- 56 Right-angle shapes

