# County holds tax hearing

By ANDREA LAMB Staff Writer

There weren't shaking fingers or red faces in the 17-member audience attending the county's tax increase hearing Monday night concerning the proposed 4 percent property tax hike for the 1988-89 fiscal year.

But concern about the county's economic future, and whether this proposed increase in taxes is a sign of the times for Deaf Smith County. came across loud and clear.

"Do you see the 4 percent increase in taxes for next year?" Rick Auckerman asked of the commission. "Is there gonna be some point where it all levels off?"

County Judge Tom Simons said he didn't think there was any leveling off in sight unless the tax base grew "and while I'm sure some may disagree with economic development to increase the tax base, it seems to me that that is the only opportunity for the county, city and school to generate the money. If we can't increase our tax base from that, I hesitate to think of what will happen."

The \$48,000 the county commissioners voted 3-2 in May to donate as part of the Economic Development Council's first-year expenses is one of the county's methods of improving the tax base.

It has also been a note of derision with part of the community because the money spent is not guaranteed to bring the needed industry into Hereford which would boost the tax

"I get the feeling there's a divisiveness (in the community) maybe going back to the nuclear dump thing," said Commissioner Troy Don Moore, also the county's representative to the Economic Development Council. "I can stick my head in an oven and get the same fleat from filere I'm getting from the community. But we need this economic development because we've cut the budget to the bare bone and it's taking the taxpayers to support even that."

Jim Steiert's said his disdain with the economic development funding is that approximately half of the \$120,000 (total amount given by the county, school and city) will be used for salaries.



#### Concerned at hearing

Joyce Walker (left) said taxes were hitting her in the face at the county's tax increase hearing Monday night. Tom Hyer (middle) said it seems the county, city and school are giving up on the Chamber of Commerce in rounding up new industry.

"We've had some fabulously paid the state says, 'We're not gonna probureaucrats and I'd like to see the most bang for the buck. If we spend half on salaries, we don't have a lot where the problem lies. The only peo-(of money) to get the industry in," stated Steiert.

The proposed county budget, which is dependent upon economic growth to interove; has increased by \$201,000 over last year's budget with big rises in insurance by \$26,000, legal expenses by \$42,000, a computer programmer for \$35,000, and a \$26,000 increase for the road and

"The cost of services just keeps going up," stated Simons. "The federal government says, 'We're not gonna provide this certain service any longer so, states, keep it going.' Then

\$50,000 home if the tax rate increases by 4 percent. vide this certain service any longer so, counties, keep it going.' That's

The county is planning for taxpayers to pay .4697 (up from .4516) per \$100 valuation to make up for the increased budget and lack of revenue after the county uses the remaining \$23,053 this coming year.

ple we have to turn to are the tax-

Even though the county has collected \$80,484 from a one-half cent sales tax installed Jan. 1, the money generated from that sales tax cannot be used to offset increases in ad valorem taxes until Oct. 1-the original purpose of the sales tax.

So for now, the windfall from that tax (projected to be \$120,000) will be used to offset a \$64,000 deficit in the general fund. The \$48,000 for

economic development was also sub-

And Fred Fox (right), Deaf Smith

County's chief appraiser, said a person

will pay \$228 in ad valorem taxes on a

tracted from the windfall tax. "I'm not against economic development," stated Jerry Walker, "but if you add up all the taxes we have to pay from penny one, it's sharing funds which will be depleted scary. All this taxing has got to stop somewhere."

> "I know, and I see your point," said Simons. "But I do hope you believe that we aren't proposing raising taxes on a whim. I hope you believe we're trying to put the county in sound financing.

> The commissioners will officially adopt the budget at its next meeting

# Spotty rain keeps area drought-free

By JOHN BROOKS

**Managing Editor** When you call to get rainfall reports from around the Hereford area, the voices on the other end sound thankful for every drop they see in their rain gauges.

There's no drought in Deaf Smith County. Local farmers and ranchers aren't having to deal with moisture deficits of over 20 inches like some farmers and ranchers in the Midwest or Southeast, or even in downstate Texas.

"There's no such thing as a bad rain," one farmer told the Brand this morning. "I don't have my wheat in, and it's raining this morning, but I'm not going to turn down a rain anytime, anywhere."

The rains that have fallen intermittently across the area since Saturday evening have been heavy in some places, light in others.

Since Saturday, KPAN, Hereford's official National Weather Service observation station, had picked up .67 inch of rain through 7 a.m. today. However, some backyard rain gauges had recorded as much as 1.75 inch from the three-day period.

The rains have been concentrated in small areas. Monday afternoon, officials were called to an accident at U.S. 60 and FM 2943, and, since it was raining heavily in mid-Hereford at the time, they felt rain-slick roads were probably responsible. When

they arrived at the scene, about three miles and five minutes later, the road was dry.

Rains around the region have been spotty, with the heaviest in the Summerfield area, where most reports were from 1.6 inch to 2 inches.

"We've had some small showers, and it's sprinkling a little right now," said an employee at Northwest Grain at Milo Center.

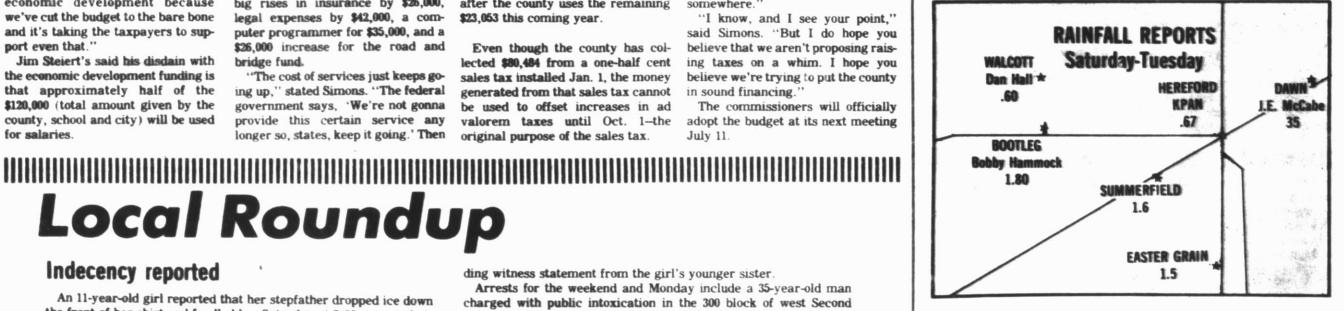
"We've had about 1.8 inch altogether," said Bobby Hammock at the county barn at Bootleg. "It's not that heavy stuff like we had before" in heavy rains that fell in late May and in mid-

"We've had about .6 inch," said Dan Hall in Walcott. "This has been real good rain.

"we've just had a little bit, only about .35 inch," said J.E. McCabe at Dawn. "We got about .10 inch on Sunday and another quarterinch yesterday (Monday)."

Forecasts are calling for a chance of showers and thunderstorms through at least Wednesday, the area has an ample moisture supply because of an upper-level low pressure center that is streaming moisture up from the Gulf of Mexico.

Rains have been spotty but heavy in other areas. The Childress area has picked up over four inches of rain since Saturday, and there was flooding Monday outside of Abilene.



# Local Roundup

### **Indecency** reported

An 11-year-old girl reported that her stepfather dropped ice down the front of her shirt and fondled her Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at their Hereford residence.

yet charged the suspect with indecency with a child because of a pen-

Investigating officer Sammy Sanchez stated that police haven't



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says the person who is bored when he is completely alone should understand the position of others when he is

A poem for Jim Cherry:

The barber takes the red hot towel as though he were just learning, And drops it quickly on your face to keep his hands from burning.

We hated to hear that Dr. Jim Herbertson resigned from the hospital board and will be leaving Hereford this summer. We heard the announcement in Austin, where we were attending a state press convention. We hope the board moves quickly to fill Herbertson's place in the medical community, as well as that

Some of the state's tough problems were discussed in programs presented at the Texas Press Convention in Austin this past weekend. Program topics included the school finance lawsuit, the crowded prison situation, the workers' compensation crisis, and the question of tax reform

State Comptroller Bob Bullock reviewed a plan he will soon present for public school financing. He says it will not take from the rich and give to the poor, nor will it bring the rich districts down to the level of the poor. He pointed out that the current problems of inequities mostly occur in the top five percent and the bottom five percent of the school districts.

State Rep. Richard Smith, Republican from Bryan, said a bill to correct some of the workers' comp problems will be one of the first ones considered in the next session of the legislature. Smith is co-chairman of the joint select committee on Workers' Compensation Insurance.

The Brand picked up three awards in the state newspaper contest-a first in advertising, and fourthplaces in editorials and general excellence. The awards serve to of Dr. A.T. Mims who plans to retire recognize our staff for the quality of work accomplished in comparison to other newspapers around the state.

We'd like to add a note of congratulations to Mauri Montgomery and the advertising department of our paper. The Brand has been awarded the first-place plague in the state for three of the past six years, as well as winning several regional awards for advertising composition. The general excellence covers all departments of the paper, so we're also proud of the entire staff!

ding witness statement from the girl's younger sister.

Arrests for the weekend and Monday include a 35-year-old man charged with public intoxication in the 300 block of west Second Street; a man, 41, was charged with public intoxication, assault and terroristic threats in the 300 block of east Fourth Street;

A 40-year-old man was charged with driving while intoxicated, unsafe lane changing and leaving the scene of an accident in the 300 block of west Second Street; a man, 22, was charged with driving while intoxicated and driving on the wrong side of the road at the Hereford Community Center; a 25-year-old man was charged with no liability insurance, second offense, in the 100 block of Union Avenue; and a boy, 17, was arrested in the 1300 block of east First Street for no drivers license, third offense.

Assault was reported in the 100 block of Avenue H but no charges were filed; assault charges were filed in the 900 block of west First Street; a domestic disturbance was reported in the 100 block of Catalpa Street; harassing phone calls were reported in the 200 block of west Sixth Street; a suspicious person was reported in the 300 block of Star Street;

Five minor accidents were reported with no injuries and 23 cita-

### County arrests 10

The Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Office arrested a 42-year-old man for a driving while intoxicated jail commitment; a man, 47, was arrested on a court order; a 22-year-old man was jailed for a driving while intoxicated commitment; a man, 23, was arrested for theft by check; a 29-year-old man was arrested for probation revocation on driving with a suspended license;

A man, 43, was jailed for a driving while intoxicated commitment; a woman, 20, was charged with telephone harassment; a 23-year-old man was arrested for driving while intoxicated; a woman, 32, was charged with theft by check and a 27-year-old man was arrested for violation of probation.

Reports include criminal mischief at San Jose Labor Camp in which a tire was slashed; a car was written on with shoe polish in the 400 block of Paloma Lane; a 15-year-old girl was reported missing on Raymond Street, but she was later located; and burglary of habitation was reported in the 100 block of Domingo Street but nothing was

### Rain chance continues

Tonight will be mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers and a few thunderstorms. The low will be 65, with southeast winds 5-10 mph.

Wednesday will be partly cloudy and warmer with a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. The high will be 92, with south winds 5-15 mph.

This morning's low at KPAN was 63 after a high Monday of 78. KPAN has picked up .67 inch of rain from Saturday night through 7

# Farmers in store for big bonanza

By WENDY E. LANE **Associated Press Writer** 

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - With harvest two months away, area growers hope recent crucial rains will mean they'll be taking healthy crops to a market where prices have risen due to a drought scorching much of the Farm Belt.

The croplands of the South Plains and Panhandle were sprinkled Monday and over the weekend, providing rainfall just when things were beginning to dry out, said county agents. Most of the area received 1-2 inches of rain Sunday and Monday, said the **National Weather Service**.

"We were approaching the critical stage for cotton moisture," said NWS meteorological technician Jerry English on Monday. "We got the rain we need at just the right time."

But in the Midwest and Tennessee Valley, suffering the nation's worst drought since the Dust Bowl, fields of corn, grain and sovbeans are disaster areas due to lack of rainfall and high temperatures.

Shriveled crops have caused commodity prices to jump sharply, which is good news to farmers with healthy crops.

"The way these commodity prices have gone up on corn and soybeans, if you're going to have something to sell, it looks pretty promising right now," said Bob Benson, Hale County Extension



DENNIS NEWTON

"If we'd had the vields of the last four years, our farmers really could have paid off some debt."

Although county extension agents said anything could happen between now and the fall harvest, the corn and soybean crops are thriving at the same pace as prices.

In the past month, corn prices have doubled from \$1.70-\$1.85 in May to \$3.521/2 a bushel, for July delivery, at Monday's closing on the Chicago Board of Trade. Sovbeans closed at \$10.59 a bushel for July delivery. Wheat prices, which hit \$4 a bushel Monday, are

up about \$1 from last year's level. (See BONANZA, Page 2)

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# **Babbling Brooks**

By JOHN BROOKS cause, and I want to let you in on one

A college-fund has been established for Paul Ramirez Jr. - Pogo to most of us, and once misidentified in this newspaper as Karl Schumacher - at the Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union.

This fund was set up on the QT by someone who will remain anonymous. Let it suffice to say that Paul has had some unique problems, and needs some special help to attend college. If there was ever a place where the whole community could help, this is it.

Just see any of the folks at the Credit Union, and they'll help you.

A couple of months ago I remarked about how a vouth-oriented organization in Hereford was making its own plans on how Hereford would cope with, say, a disaster in Amarillo that would force Hereford to host a big chunk of Amarillo's population, or, heaven forbid, a disaster right here.

The folks involved in that organization need to know (and the rest of us should know, too) that such a plan is already in place through the Emergency Operations Plan for Hereford and Deaf Smith County. It's the plan that will be followed by everyone else, so y'all might as well ask Jay Spain or the Deaf Smith County Chapter of the Red Cross about what you role might be.

There's no sense in duplicating what's already in place, and, if someone's going to be in charge, it might as well be someone that will have the police, fire and ambulance services on their side.

This plan is pretty complete, from what I've read of it. It covers everything I could think of and a few things I couldn't imagine. We're in pretty good shape. Let's all work with the plan we have.

I have heard from hither and von. far and wide about a couple of columns I wrote last week.

Here's a little note I got in the mail on Saturday from Brad Tooley, publisher of the Canyon News, about about not encouraging students to atmy column on West Texas State tend WTSU. As always, hindsight is University.

Dear John.

I read with interest your Babbling Brooks column of June 21.

While I can't agree with all your conclusions about "our" West Texas State University, you're certainly on target concerning your criticism of the WT regents and their disregard for the external panel. Remember,

they hired the panel and they spent I'm always a sucker for a good more than \$10,000 of WTSU's funds for the panel's report that they have kept from the public while at the same time discounting it.

I use the term "our" university because that's what West Texas State University is - The Panhandle's University. While it belongs to the taxpayers of Texas, it is the regional university for Hereford, Tulia, Amarillo, Canyon, Borger and all the other fine cities of the Panhandle.

It's been through some stressful times, and received more than its share of adverse publicity - but it remains a most viable institution of higher learning where the students of this region can receive a very comprehensive education on a very personal level.

Here are the facts:

-Approximately 95% pass the Examination for Certification of Educators in Texas (the ExCET test) on their first try.

-WT's accounting program ranks fifth among 20 Texas schools in preparing first-time students for the CPA exam

-More than 55% of WT's pre-med majors are accepted into medical school:

-More than 75% of WT's pre-dental majors are accepted into dental

-the women's bowling team won a second consecutive national championship, and the Lady Buff basketball team placed second in the nation this year.

-WT offers an outstanding 20/1 faculty ratio from a faculty with degrees earned from 65 institutions

In conclusion, John, please don't send our students down state or outof-state. Encourage them to attend the Panhandle's University where they can get the quality education they deserve.

Most sincerely. Brad Tooley, Canyon Thank you, Brad. As you might be

able to tell, Brad wrote the letter before the Attorney General finally ruled that the WT board of regents should release the committee report.

Most of the flak I have received has been about my little statement better than foresight. Monday Morning Quarterbacks are always better than the guy on the field that threw that last-minute interception.

Perhaps I should have said that WTSU has been, and could be, a better school - in some areas, a state and national leader. When the course is corrected at WTSU, I will be more than happy to be a big WT backer.



### No injuries in accident

A Hereford girl, attempting to avoid a collision at U.S. Highway 60 and Farm to Market Road 2943 at 1 p.m. Monday, stepped on her brakes, hit a road sign and skidded into the west-bound lane on U.S. Highway 60. Lisa Garrett, 19, was driving east on the highway in her white Buick when she said she thought Diana Reeder. 25, of Hereford, was attempting to pull in front of her at the intersection. No one was injured in the accident.



## **Hospital Notes**

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Amy Jo Boldon, Infant Girl Boldon, Jennie Buckner, Ermelinda Carbajal, Nancy Chavarria, Emma Cortez, Infant Girl Cortez.

Eric N. Degeer, Inf. Girl Estrada, Hortencia Estrada, Rebecca (Becky) Garcia, Velma Lee Lide, Orland Newell, Walter Paetzold, Helen Patterson, Evalee Potter.

Vella Kee Ruland, Charles (Chuck) Senter, Calvin Lee Stovall, Diane Sturgeon, Infant Boy Sturgeon, Criselda Villalovos, Fannie Ora Wells.

# Medicaid proposal to help needy

vices in Texas would benefit taxpayers and the poor, said the chairman of a special Senate committee.

Members of the Special Senate Interim Committee on Workfare Monday endorsed proposals to use the surplus to extend Medicaid services to about 69,000 more poor children

AUSTIN (AP) - A proposal to use and pregnant women and to extend bill for uncom money left over from the human ser- Medicaid nursing home care to about hospitals and for indigent health

> gram would have the virtue of actually providing a little tax relief to the local taxpayer." said Sen. Hugh Parmer, D-Fort Worth, committee

"Local taxpayers pay the entire elderly," he added.

"In addition to the savings that these costs would be paid for by the result from preventive care, this pro- federal government," Parmer said.

> The state currently "does a very poor job of providing even basic assistance to the most fragile groups in society: women, children and the

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"If that dry weather continues (in drought regions) so that their crops are expected to be reduced, particularly in the feed grains ... that would mean substantial improvement for prices for farmers here if they do make a good crop," said Kary Mathis, head of Texas Tech University's agricultural economics department

The healthy progress of the sugar beet and feed corn crops in Deaf Smith County has sparked keen interest in agricultural

marketing firms, said county agent Dennis Newton, with marketing representatives calling frequently to check condi-

"It's a shame that somebody else has to suffer before someone else makes a crop," said Benson. "A few years ago we were in a drought and the Midwest was laughing off with good prices. But that's just the cold, hard facts of farming."

One group of Panhandle

farmers wasn't able to capitalize on higher, drought-driven prices.

With harvesting about 80 percent completed, wheat yields are down by almost half on dryland crops due to disease and dry conditions in the early spring.

"If we'd have had the yields of the last four years, our farmers really could have paid off some debt," said Newton. "We had a situation where prices were up, but the crop's just not that good."

# Berend wins grand champ at Amarillo livestock show

Michael Berend of the Deaf Smith County 4-H won the grand championship Sunday in the Golden Spread Classic livestock show at the Tri-State Fairgrounds in Amarillo.

The show featured several classes in two divisions - progress steers, market-ready animals weighing more than 876 pounds, and prospect steers, weighing 875 pounds or less.

Berend also won his class in the show on Saturday and Sunday. He was awarded \$300 and a belt buckle for the grand champion-

Other local competitors in the prospect show Sunday included:

Polled Hereford: Class 2 - 3. Brandi Chinning: Class 2 - 1. Kelly Christin; 2.

Brek Binder: Maine Anjou: Class 2 - 2, Jeremy Myers. Charolais: Breed Champion - Colby

In Saturday's competition, placings included:

PROSPECT

rus: Class 39 — 3: Britney Bi

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Brek Binder; Class St.— 2. Michelle Str
Limousit: Class 60— 2. Colby Christ

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# Courthouse Records

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURT DISPOSI-TIONS

Roger Gaitan vs. Frank Bethune, preperty damages and medical expenses for \$2,500 plus court costs, letters sent to both parties for a hear-

Bill Bookout Masonry vs. Glenn Pierce, agent of Keelm Brothers Roofing, masoury repair plus court costs, 3919 pine court costs, check cleared and case dismissed. June 17. Augustine Tarango vs. Mr. and Mrs. Santingo

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Joe Maxie Martinez, sexual assault of a child eceacy with a child.

# Obituaries

MAURICIO LUCERO June 25, 1988 Mauricio Lucero, 74, of Hereford

died Saturday morning, June 25, 1988, at his home after a brief illness. Rosary was said Monday night in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Amarillo with the Rev. Peter Jaramillo, pastor, officiating. Mass was celebrated today at 10 a.m.

at the church with the same officiant. **Burial followed in Llano Cemete** in Amarillo under direction of Rix Funeral Directors of Hereford.

Lucero was born in Las Vegas N.M., and moved to Hereford in 1945. He married Antonia Salas in wember 1932 in New Mexico. He vas a retired farm hand for Hill Farms and was a member of San

s, Samuel of El Paso and Mauricio Jr., Jimmy and Augustine all of Amarillo; seven daughters Erlinda Maldonado, Isabel traw and Susie Venzor, all of minata Lucero of Alexdria, Va., Amelia Mungia of

Yorktown, and Bita Mejia and Barbara Silva, both of Hereford: a brother, Esequiel of Amarillo; 27/ grandchildren; and seven great-

RALPH GILBERT THRALL, JR.

June 26, 1988

Balph Gilbert Thrall, Jr., 31, of Guymon Okla., died Sunday, June 26, 1988. A sister, Kim Boper of Hereford, is among his survivors. Services will be at 10 a.m. Wedn

Mr. Thrail, born in Boise City Okla., moved to Amarillo in 1965. He was a graduate of Amarillo High School and attended West Ter

day in First Freewill Baptist Ch

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unon in 1982 and was or

# for places at show

4-Hers vie

Over 60 area 4-H'ers competed in the Deaf Smith county 4-H Horse Show held Saturday at the Circle A arena at Westway.

Winning top honors at the show were Kim Spring, grand cham-pion mare, and Chad Hill, grand champion gelding. Both are members of the Castro County 4-H. Youngsters competed in pee wee, junior and senior divisions in several competitions including timed races and equestrian events that focused on the abilities of the horse and the

Here are the results of the Deaf Smith County 4-II Herse Show held Saturday in Hereford. The first place winner and all Deaf Smith County winners (where there were entries) are listed in each category by placing, t-H'ers name, county, and herse's name. REGISTERED MARES 5 YEARS AND

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Mighty Hog; 18. Amenda SR. FLAG BACE - 1. Doy His ab, Bay Ball Ba

# Lifestyles



#### Shower honoree

Rebecca Rudd was honored with a bridal shower Saturday morning in the E.B. Black house. Greeting guests with the honoree was her mother while her sisters helped the hostesses serve guests. Pic-

tured from left is Colleen Rudd Robison: Vaavia Rudd; Mrs. Homer (June) Rudd, the honoree's mother; the honoree; and Elizabeth Rudd Moynihan.

# **Ann Landers**

DEAR ANN LANDERS: How's this for an argument to teach sex education in the schools, and perhaps in the legislature as well? The following appeared in the El Paso paper. I'm enclosing it so you can see that I am not making it up.

LEGISLATOR DOUBTS RAPE **IMPREGNATES** 

HARRISBURG. Pa.--The Legislature's chief abortion foe, Republican Rep. Stephen Freind, said the odds of a rape victim getting pregnant are "one in several million" because the trauma produces a certain secretion that kills

Richard Depp of Thomas Jefferson way. Do you agree?-Detoured From University in Philadelphia.

Freind said that he will produce medical documentation in about a

I can hardly wait. Care to comment?-Holding My Sides in El Paso

DEAR HOLDING: Rep. Freind ought to try his hand at fiction.

Please keep me posted. If he should come up with any startling scientific discoveries, I'd like to

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I was recently in the hospital for two weeks in a simi-private room. Until the last few days my roommates were fine. Suddenly the hospital had an unusual number of admissions and I was given two smokers as roommates. They said they try to match smokers doesn't always work out.

My first roommate was a heavy smoker and a compulsive talker. The second was a real nut. He arrived at 7 p.m., scheduled for a lung removal the following morning. (Cancer, of course.) The man smoked continuously from the time he arrived until he went into the operating

I was a smoker for 50 years and never realized how offensive smoking can be to others until I quit. It seems very unfair that nonsmokers must be forced to inhale smoke that could endanger their lives. I believe if enough nonsmokers raised a "That is nonsense," said Dr. serious stink they would have their Tobacco Road

> DEAR DETOUR: It doesn't always work that way. It has bene proven that smoking can be an addiction, and those folks who are hooked are in the same class with alcoholics and drug abusers.

> According to Time magazine, 26 percent of American adults now smoke, down from 38 percent 30 vears ago. But even those who would like to quit want to do it their way and not be pressured by laws.

> The smokers, however, are finding that public sentiment and legal eagles are making it more difficult. Forty-two states have passed laws restricting smoking in public places. Utah prohibits cigarette ads on billboards. Travelers in California

and nonsmokers when they can but it cannot smoke on planes, buses or trains. More than half the companies in America have restricted smoking

> on the job. Not smoking may have snob appeal and be a status-indicator. Donald Garner, an expert in liability law at Southern Illinois University, says that 25 percent of white-collar workers smoke, compared with 50 percent of blue-collar workers.

Nonsmokers are increasing in number as well as irritability. In time, I believe we enraged nonsmokers are going to force many more smokers to quit, hide or suffer even greater humiliation. Meanwhile to paraphrase the quote by editor Horace Greeley: "A cigarette has a

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Sirhan Sirhan was sentenced to death in 1969 for the assassination of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy. The sentence later was reduced to life im-

# Bridal shower fetes Rudd Saturday

Rebecca Rudd, bride-elect of John Dockery, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday morning in the E.B. Black House.

Guests were received by Miss Rudd and her mother, Mrs. Homer (June) Rudd. Presiding over the registry was the honoree's sister, Colleen Rudd Robison of Midland; assisting the hostesses in serving were Vaavia Rudd and Elizabeth Rudd Moynihan of Phoenix, Ariz. also sisters of the honoree.

Guests were served coffee, punch,

# **Alzheimers** support group to convene

The Alzheimers Disease and Related Disorders Support Group will meet at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Senior Citizens Center.

Presenting the program on selfesteem wil be Nila Cockrell.

# Military Muster

Marine Pvt. Louis F. Rico, a resident of Route 5, Hereford, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, Rico was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

A 1985 graduate of Hereford High School, he joined the Marine Corps Reserves in January 1988.



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sweet breads and fresh fruit from a table covered with a red cloth topped by a lace cloth which carried out the bride-elect's chosen colors. Centering the table was a seasonal bouquet displayed from a large crystal dish surrounded by five red votives set in crystal.

Hostesses for the event included Zula Arney, Violet Barton, Bera

Boyd, Velta King, Phyllis Cornelius, Faye Dirks, Leta Kaul, Betty Lady, Mary Lyles, Lois Matchett, Leona Miller, Joan Milton, June Owens, Alva Lee Peeler, Violet Reinauer, Betty Rusher, Rosemary Shook, and

Miss Rudd will become the bride of Mr. Dockery Saturday, July 2, in First Methodist Church of Hereford.



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# Sports



### Girls' basketball camp begins

Hereford High School head girls' basketball Coach Frank Belcher, at the right in the left photo, instructs ninth grade girls Monday during the first day of a basketball camp. In the right photo, the coach participates on offense as he conducts a 4-on-6 defensive drill.

# 'Triples' volleyball league planned at Hereford YMCA

A "triples" volleyball league is being organized at the Hereford and

Vicinity YMCA. There will be no age limitations for

## Four wallyball leagues planned for this summer

Four wallyball leagues, adult co-ed "A" and "B," high school and junior high school, are being organized for the summer at the Hereford and

Vicinity YMCA. Registration deadline is July 7, with the league seasons beginning on July 11-12. Playing days will be Mondays and Tuesdays.

The league seasons will be for six weeks, plus single-elimination playoffs. Registration fees are \$6 for YMCA members and \$18 for YMCA

non-members. If fewer than four high school and junior high school teams register, those leagues will be combined. If fewer than four adult teams sign up, the co-ed "A" and "B" divisions will

be combined. Wallyball is the sport of volleyball played on a racquetball court, with four people on each team.

### WT boosters set golf scramble at Dimmitt Thursday eight games, plus a tournament to

Golf scrambles have been scheduled Thursday in Dimmitt and on July 16 at Panhandle by the West Texas State University Booster Club, the Buffalo Club.

WTSU head football Coach Steve Graf will speak at a barbeque after each scramble. All proceeds from both events go to the WTSU athletic department.

This week's 9-hole scramble at the Dimmitt Country Club will start at 5 p.m. Thursday. Other expected to attend include Bruce Grimes, athletic director, and assistant coaches Jeff Hansen, Bubba Gibson, Jim Congerand Tod Mayfield.

For more information on the fundraising event, contact Ray Bain at 647-4151 or 647-4400.

The scramble at Panhandle on July 16 will be an 18-hole event starting at 1 p.m. at the Panhandle Country Club. For more information, contact Len Hasleoff at 537-3959.



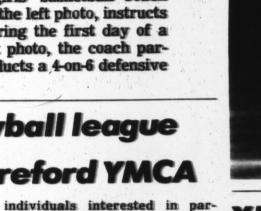
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games plus a single-elimination tour-

Registration fees are \$5 for YMCA

members and \$15 for YMCA non-

members. Divisions offered are co-

ed "A," co-ed "B," and men's. At

least six teams are needed to form a

place team members in each divison.

League rules include at least one

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female must touch the ball on a 2-hit

Men's softball

signup deadline

July 6 is the entry deadline for

teams to register for the Hereford

and Vicinity YMCA summer men's

The league is open to the first eight

teams that sign up. Entry fees are \$7

for each YMCA member on a team,

and \$21 for each YMCA non-member.

Tuesdays, and if necessary,

Thursdays. The league season will be

Each team must provide one

playable U.S.S.S.A. approved ball

for each game, and one base umpire.

U.S.S.S.A. rules will be used in the

decide the league championship.

Game days will be Mondays and

July 6 at YMCA

softball league.

Awards will be T-shirts for first

# YMCA youth soccer league registration is under way

Registration is under way for the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA youth soccer leagues.

The league formation will depend on registration. YMCA program director Jerry Brock said the goal is to have a first through third grade division and a fourth through sixth grade divisions, and also separate leagues for boys and for girls, if the interest is great enough.

If necessary, boys and girls will play in the same league, Brock noted. All participants must register by July 11.

The league games begin on July 18, and teams may begin holding practice sessions on July 14. The league season will be six games, plus some playoff games on Aug. 19-20.

Registration fees are \$5 for YMCA members and \$15 for YMCA nonmembers. Brock said volunteer coaches are needed to make the youth soccer league successful.

Brock also noted that the purpose of the league is to give boys and girls an opportunity to learn such soccer skills as agility, dribbling, trapping, shooting, throw-ins, passing, strategy, heading, and positioning, as well as coordination and good

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After July 11, late registration will be open only to fill up teams where more players will be needed. Teams will be drawn by the YMCA officers.

### YMCA waliybali 'draw' tourney set July 8-9

A wallyball "draw" tournament is scheduled July 8-9 at the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA.

Individuals signing up for the tour-nament will be drawn for teams. Enfee of \$5 for YMCA members and \$11 for YMCA non-members.

Divisions in the tournament will be men's and co-ed. Matches will be best-of-three 15-point games.

Individuals playing in the tournament may call the YMCA after 1 p.m. July 7 for their playing times

# YMCA horseshoe tourney set Saturday afternoon

A horseshoe tournament has been scheduled Saturday at the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA.

Competition begins at 4 p.m. with singles and doubles divisions for en-trants 16 and older and for entrants 15 and younger. Entry fees are \$3 for YMCA members and \$6 for YMCA

Awards will be T-shirts for first and second place finishers. Entry leadline is noon Friday.

The spring training roster of the Los Angeles Dodgers in 1966 listed eight players from the Dominican

For more information on the horseshoe tournament, contact the YMCA at 364-6990.

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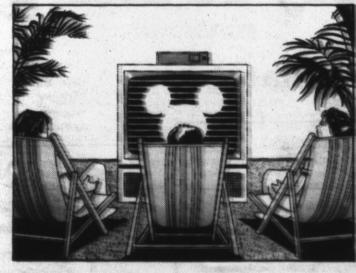
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# Bankhead, Mariners beat Rangers, 6-3

SEATTLE (AP) - Seattle Steve Balboni and Jim Presley Mariners' pitcher Scott Bankhead homered off Kilgus to spark a fivefinally got some long overdue sup- run Seattle rally in the sixth inning.

Bankhead, 2-3, got more runs from the Seattle offense than in any of his Mickey Brantley double and other outings this season Monday night while holding the Texas Rangers to two runs on seven hits through seven innings en route to a 6-3 decision.

the way through before getting tired in the seventh inning," Seattle in-terim manager Jim Snyder said. "If had trouble." r Wilson kept the rally we could get him six runs every time alive with a single and Presley lined out, he probably wouldn't have a a home run just over the right field

The 24-year-old Bankhead, a member of the 1984 U.S. Olympic baseball team, underwent offseason surgery for tendinitis in his shoulder. He returned from rehabilitation in May and received only two supporting runs in his first three starts. Despite pitching effectively, Bankhead suffered three losses while the Mariners tallied just two runs bined in those three starts.

"I knew my luck would change sooner or later," said Bankhead who struck out a season-high seven batlers with two walks

Texas starter Paul Kilgus, 7-6, stymied the Mariners' offense for five innings, allowing only a second-inning single to Glenn Wilson.

"He (Kilgus) pitched real good for five innings," Rangers' manager Seattle reliever Mike Ja Bobby Valentine said. "They got a scored on an Espy single. couple bloop hits off him, but they also got the two home runs to break and recorded the final two outs to the game open."

Rey Quinones' two-out single open-ed the Seattle rally, followed by a Balboni's three-run home run. It was

the fourth homer for Balboni. "He (Balboni) is a dead low ball hitter and the pitch was high," said "Scott (Bankhead) was great all run on the road this season. "He wall, his eighth, to put Seattle ahead

> "Balboni got us started and Presley gave us a big one for a three run lead," Snyder said.

> Kilgus gave up six runs on eight hits. He struck out two and walked one before reliever Craig McMurtry replaced him after seven innings.

> Brantley tripled in the eighth inn-ing and was balked home by McMurtry for the final Seattle run.

> The Rangers opened the scoring in the third inning as Ruben Sierra's two-out single scored Scott Fletcher from second base.

> That lead increased to 2-0 as pinch runner Gino Petralli scored from third on a double by Cecil Espy.

Petralli singled in the ninth inning advanced to second on a balk by Seattle reliever Mike Jackson and

Mike Schooler replaced Jackson earn his second save.

Houston gets only two hits

# Dodgers' Hillegas blanks Astros, 4-0

**AP Sports Writer** HOUSTON (AP) — Los Angeles pitcher Shawn Hillegas put plenty of pressure on the Houston Astros and he hopes some of it spreads to Dodger management.

Hillegas, called up to the major league team one week ago, alread has two victories, including Mondi night's 7-inning stint that helped the Dodgers blank the Astros 4-0.

He hopes it earned him a perma-nent spot with the Dodgers.
"I think I put a little extra pressure

on them (Dodger management) to put me in the rotation," said Hillegas, called up June 18 from the

Albuquerque Class AAA farm team.
"That's what the game's all aboutpressure," Hillegas said. "You get pressure and you put pressure on. I hope I'm putting some pressure on them now. This game just added pressure on them, not me."

Hillegas allowed two hits in his seven innings and extended the Astros' hitting slump for another

The Astros finished with five hits and dropped 4% games behind the first place Dodgers in the National League's Western Division.

But pressure could be coming from the other direction. The Dodgers second run.

signed Mario Soto, released last week by Cincinnati, for the rest of the season, it was announced Monday

"It's not going to affect me," Hillegas said. "I'm not going to let it affect me. I know what I can do and if I go out and do my job, everything else will take care of itself."

Hillegas took care of the Astros Monday night.

He allowed one runner to reach third base and yielded singles by Bill Doran and Rafael Ramirez.

Mike Scioscia's second homer of the season in the fourth inning was all Hillegas needed to beat the slumping Astros.

Hillegas got relief help from Tim Crews, Jesse Orosco and Alejandro Pena to preserve his shut out.

Houston starter Joaquin Andujar, 0-3, yielded the home run to Scioscia and took the loss despite an outstanding pitching effort.

Andujar then continued his policy of not speaking to the media.

Jeff Hamilton got an infield hit off Andujar in the seventh and a fielder's choice grounder by Dave Anderson chased Andujar.

A throwing error by shortstop Rafael Ramirez scored Hamilton from second base with the Dodgers'

Los Angeles got two more runs in the eighth inning off Dave Smith. Rick Dempsey doubled to left field, went to third on Steve Sax's single and scored on Smith's balk.

Sax scored the final Dodger run on double to right field by Franklin

Scioscia said his home run came only after weeks of hard work to break out of a slump.

"The last three weeks I haven't been able to hit anyone," Scioscia said. "I've been kind of scratching. But I started working just trying to get more consistent with my

The Astros still are searching for a solution to their hitting slump.

"Some people say you try too hard and it makes things worse but I don't think you can try too hard," Astros third baseman Buddy Bell said. "We're going to keep trying as hard as we can and we'll come out of

Elsewhere, it was Pittsburgh 2, New York 1; Chicago 2, Philadelphia 1; San Diego 9, Cincinnati 2; San Francisco 10, Atlanta 9; and Montreal 6, St. Louis 3, in 14 innings.

The Pittsburgh Pirates are learning what it means to play a big game. Learning very well.

After struggling for four years, the

Pirates have put together a talented young club. Led by 25-year-old righthander Mike Dunne and 26-year-old shortstop Rafael Belliard, they defeated New York 2-1 Monday night to pull within 3½ games of the first-place Mets in the National League

Dunne, 5-6, walked eight in 61-3 innings and hit a batter, but scattered three hits and allowed only one run. Belliard hit a tie-breaking single in the fifth inning off Mets ace Dwight Gooden as the Pirates wor their fifth straight game.

The Pirates finished last from 1984-86. But with the acquisition of Dunne, outfielder Andy Van Slyke and catcher Mike LaValliere from St. Louis and the emergence of prospects like second baseman Jose Lind and left-hander John Smiley, Pittsburgh improved to 80-82 last

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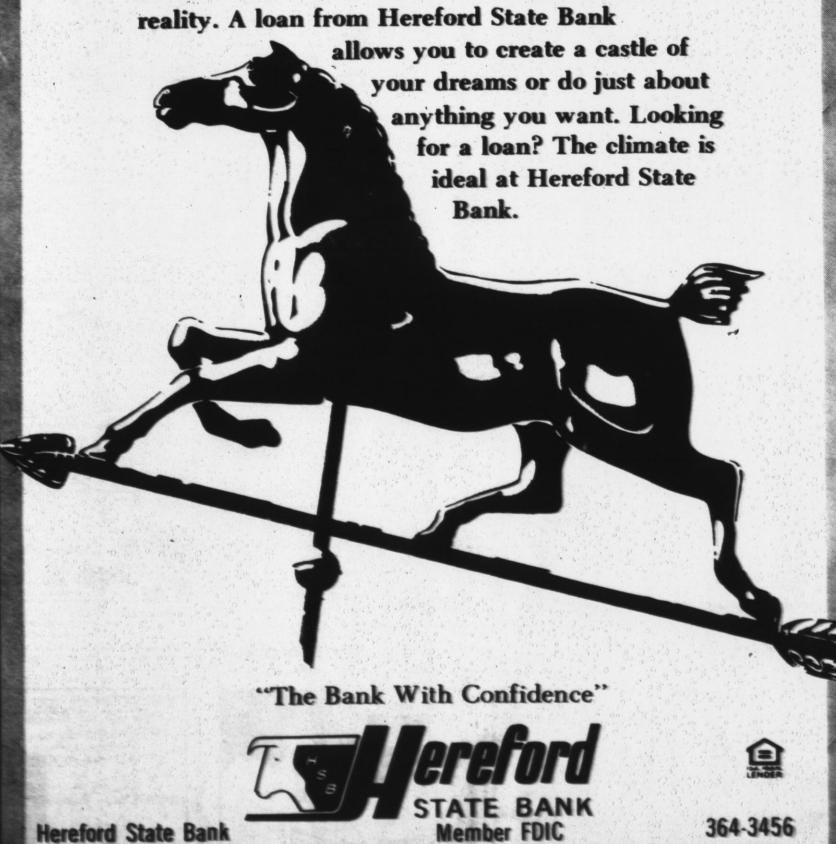
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NEW YORK (AP) - The Duchess of York has been preparing for motherhood by writing children's stories, according to her publisher.

Two chidren's books by the 28-year-old former Sarah "Fergie" Ferguson are scheduled for publication at about the time of her own child's first birthday, Simon & Schuster said Monday. She and her husband, Prince Andrew, are expecting their first child in August.

The two children's stories, about a helicopter named Budgie, will be aimed at very young children and will be illustrated by one of Britain's top children's book illustrators, according to the publisher.

NEW YORK (AP) - Tonight's "Late Night with David Letterman" will be the the first original program since the Writers Guild of America strike forced the talk show into reruns three months ago.

Guests on tonight's NBC-TV show include Billy Crystal, Susan Sarandon, Graham Parker and Los Angeles Lakers coach Pat Reilly.

As of Monday, Letterman was expecting to come back without his writers, though the show's producers were trying to work out a guild waiver that would allow the writing staff to work.

Head writer Steve O'Donnell stressed last week that whether or not they were at work, Letterman was going on the air with the writers' blessings and in no way was trying to disadvantage the guild, of which Letterman is a member.

Letterman is not violating the strike as long as he writes his own material, which he will do if his writers aren't allowed back to work.

Sellers, daughter of actress Britt Eklund and the late Peter Sellers, was ordered to undergo counseling for violating probation imposed for her role in a cocaine ring.

U.S. District Judge David Kenyon told the 23-year-old actress Monday that any more violations of her 1987 probation would result in prison.

"The judge made it clear that he was at the end of his rope and she was at the end of her tether," said Assistant U.S. Attorney Mark Werksman.

Miss Sellers was on probation after pleading guilty in federal court in New Jersey to one count of failing to report a crime as part of her role in a cocaine ring headed by Reed Wallace, her agent and housemate.

Miss Sellers was ordered to undergo 600 hours of community service by a judge who said the actress fell victim to a hedonistic lifestyle.

This month, she admitted to violating probation by testing positive for cocaine, failing to report for drug testing, missing her \$75-a-month payments on a \$500 fine and leaving the Los Angeles area without permission.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Comedian Arsenio Hall's first movie role is based on a character he plays in real life: a friend of Eddie Murphy.

In "Coming to America," Hall plays the role of Semmi, a confidante of Murphy's Prince Akeem, who has come to America from a mythical African nation to find a bride.

Hall, who shot to fame and a contract with Paramount Pictures after his stint as a host of the Fox Television Network "Late Night" show, said he and Murphy first met backstage at a Los Angeles comedy

"Eddie's mom saw me on the tube," Hall said recently. "She told him, 'I thought I saw you, but it was some guy who looks like you or acted like you. His name was Arsenio

Murphy, who was on the West Coast after signing for his first movie, "48 Hrs.," went to see Hall at The Improv.

"He came up afterward. I knew who he was from 'Saturday Night Live." Hall said.

"And he said 'You don't look like me." I looked at him and laughed. Who said I did?' And then he said his mother did, and I guess he was kind of embarrassed, because he said, 'Hey, let's hang out.' And we did, and we've been buddies ever since."

# **Golf clinic** is tonight

Hereford Golf Course will be the site of today's benefit golf clinic set to begin at 6 p.m.

Sponsored by the Deaf Smith County unit of the American Cancer Society, all proceeds from the event will benefit the ACS. Linda Craft, a 1987 **Ladies Professional Golf Association** Teacher of the Year, will lead the outdoor golf clinic, providing tips on correcting bad golf shots.

Participants should bring a small lawn chair, a pad and pencil for the hour and-a-half golf instruction ses-

For more information, contact Kee Ruland, president of the local ACS, at 364-0857.

# Non-residential beauty spot

The Women's Division beautification committee has chosen the First United Methodist Church as the non-residential

beauty spot for June. The church is located at 501 N. Main St.

# Hereford collegians to lead Buff Branding

Three West Texas State University freshmen in August 1982, it is students adjust to the college life and students from Hereford will serve in modified this year to include transfer different capacities during the students. Last year 585 new students seventh annual Buff Branding Aug.

Debra Schroeter will serve as an activity coordinator while Glenn Backus and Gary Rahlfs will serve as counselors. Schroeter is a 1984 graduate of Hereford High Shcool majoring in journalism/public relations; Backus is a 1985 HHS graduate majoring in accounting; Rahlfs is also a 1985 HHS graduating majoring in accounting/finance.

Buff Branding is an orientation program designed to acquaint new students with the campus and with other students. Established for

gathered for dances, a picnic with faculty, a fair given by campus organizations, games, campus tours, vigorous competition for a spirit award, informational sessions, a closing bonfire and more.

"Counselors are there to help new

the campus as quickly as possible in their first few days," assistant director of admissions Tana Miller said. "Activity coordinators help the steering committee make sure everything runs smoothly."

For more information on Buff Branding, call 656-BUFF.

# Detten named to Dean's List

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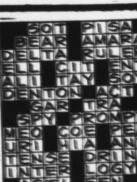
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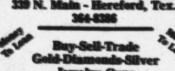
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Reports



**CONVICTS CHOOSING PRISON OVER PROBATION** 

AUSTIN - Something strange seems to be happening in Texas' criminal justice system. More and more convicted criminals are choosing to serve their sentences in pris-

on rather than on probation. This phenomenon first was noticed by reporters for a Houston newspaper who quoted one pros-ecutor as saying defendants "laugh in my face" when offered probation as a sentencing option. More than a few, the prosecutor said, claim prison is a much better

option. Here's why: When a person is convicted of a crime, a judge has two choices in imposing a sentence. The judge can order the defendant to serve time in prison or, if the prisoner does not represent a major threat, on probation.

A person serving time on probation must follow a strict set of court-imposed guidelines, such as maintaining constant employment and making restitution to the victims of the crime. Probation in most circumstances lasts for

the full term of the sentence. Those currently serving time in prison face a different set of circumstances. Texas' prisons are severely overcrowded, so non-violent prisoners are being paroled very early in their sentences. Some serve less than one-fourth of the time to which they were sentenced

Once paroled, these convicts technically must meet a set of parole guidelines, but enforcement of parole rules at times is weaker than enforcement of probation rules. Parole violations often are harder to detect and the prisons are so overcrowded that only serious violations result in parole revocation

So, the prosecutors q Houston story say, many convicted criminals would just as soon serve

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**Meet State Standards** Many youngsters will be away from home for the first time this summer at camp, and the Texas Department of Health (TDH) is helping to ensure that the experience is a safe and healthy one.

TDH will regulate more than 500 summer camps this season through its licensing and inspection program.

As might be expected, TDH inspectors will check for safe drinking water supplies, adequate garbage and sewage disposal facilities, and sanitary food service operations. But the inspectors also ensure that the camps meet the specific standards of the Texas Youth Camp Safety Health Act regarding qualified counselors and adequate medical care.

The Act specifies that camp activities such as swimming, archery, horseback riding, and riflery must

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be conducted by experienced counselors whose qualifications are on record at the camp. There must be at least one adult supervisor for every 10 children in the camp. Also, each camp must have an infirmary or first-aid facility to handle health and emergency cases. The infirmary must keep a health

record on every child, and a physician must be on call at all times. Any serious accident, illness, or death must be reported to the TDH Youth Camp Program within 10 days. Foodor water-borne diseases, such as dysentery, salmoneleosis, shigellosis, or infectious hepatitis, must be reported immediately.

"The Texas Youth camp regulations came about mainly because of national publicity given to accidents and deaths at camps in other areas of the nation," said Travis Mansell, a chief sanitarian with the camp inspection program.

a brief prison sentence and be sentence easier to live with than the longer-lasting probation.

The obvious question is whether we have a serious problem in our criminal justice system if criminals would rather go to prison that serve their time at home. Surprisingly, the answer is no.

You have to understand that Texas is releasing convicts early not because it wants to but because a federal district judge has ordered the state to keep its prison population at 95 percent of capacity or face severe fines. No one in state government likes the federal court order, but we have to comply.

We are responding by building new correctional facilities as fast as we can - one new one is slated for Amarillo - so that we can end this early-release problem as fast as possible.

Secondly, you must remember that the people who are choosing prison instead of parole are those who do not have a history of violent crimes. These usually are people who commit crimes against property; that's why they are eligible for both probation and, if they choose prison, early parole.

The best solution frankly is for Texas to keep moving in the current general direction. We are building new prisons, and that will ease the overcrowding problem which in turn will cut down on early paroles. Suddenly, real prison terms will get longer and maybe they won't look so much better than probation.

If we could add a couple of be to improve parole supervision, so that the prison/early parole option would seem even less attractive. And then, most important of all, we would recommend the state continue its recent efforts to stress crime prevention.

During the course of our hearings with the Senate Select Committee on the Juvenile Justice System, the evidence has become clearer and clearer that if we could do a better job in Texas of rehabilitating juvenile offenders we could begin closing down prisons in Texas rather than spending millions on new ones.

If you have any questions about the prison overcrowding problem or other issues, please write us at P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas,



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# **Between the Covers**

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It is a remarkable publishing debut for author Mark Graham. The Harbinger is an exciting thriller of triphammer pace and an intricate, unpredictable plot.

An exiled black revolutionary leader escapes from police surveillance in Botswana...a white labor union officer is found murdered in the "blacks only" ladies lounge of the Port Elizabeth railway station...a government official is activitated by a foreign power after 16 years as a "sleeper" agent...an American arms merchant in Connecticut assembles a shipment of weapons destined for a South African golf mining company.

These events at first are seemingly unrelated, but as more details are uncovered, they lead to an international conspiracy. The object of that conspiracy: an imminent South African revolution under the sponsorship of foreign interests. The challenge both to solve the murder and uncover the plot falls on one man, Chief Homicide Inspector Nigel Mansell of the Port Elizabeth Police Department. Immediately at odds with Major Hymie Wolffe. his



Herbert Hoover was the first U.S. President to have a phone on his

Branch, the police of Apartheid. Mansell can trust only his crack team of detectives and forensic technicians. But loyalties began to count for less and less. Mansell finds himself hunted for the murder of a prime suspect and he must pursue his leads knowing that the time left to expose the conspiracy is dropping from weeks to days to hours.

The Books of Blood by Clive Barker is three collections of short stories originally published in paper-

One of these stories, "Midnight Meat Train", take place on the New York subway. A woman's body was found, completely stripped. Every shred of clothing, every article of jewelry. More bizarre than the stripping was the neat and systematic way in which the clothes had been folded and placed in indvidual plastic bags on the seat beside the corpse. This was a highly organized mind: a lunatic with a strong sense of tidiness. The body had been meticulously shaved. Every hair had been removed from the head, from the groin, from beneath the arms; all cut and scorched back to the flesh. Finally this body was hung by the feet from one of the holding handles set in the roof of the car, and a black plastic bucket, lined with a black plastic bag, had been placed beneath the corpse to catch the steady flow of blood from its wounds.

Mahogany was a chosen man. He was a night stalked like Jack the Ripper, a living emodiment of death, a wraith with a human face. He was a haunter of sleep, and an awakener of terrors. Sometimes Mahogany longed to announce his identity to the world, but he had responsibilities. He couldn't expect fame. His was a secret life, and it was only pride that longed for recognition.

Then one night someone saw him butchering his next victim and Mahogany was going after him, just like his other victims for the slaughter. Who will be the one left alive? Who will be the next victim? What other evils lurk in the underground subways of New York?

Clive Barker breathes life into our deepest darkest nightmares, creating visions that are at once terrifying, tender and witty and that's exactly what he's done with this

What Your Doctor Didn't Learn in Medical School by Stuart M. Berger, M.D. is a book about the problems in our way of doing medicine and what people can do to overcome them. The author states that it is not ineptitude or incomptence on the part of doctors or health professionals. He says that they are frustrated. Doctor's like us, are mired in the same difficult system, squeezed by the same counterproductive rules and procedures constrained by the same assumptions.

The best selling author of the Immune Power Diet and How To Be Your Own Nutritionist offers both inspiration and hope for those sufferers who have been misdiagnosed as hypochondriacs. You will learn of political pressure. She has lived

Epstein-Bar virus, cytomegalovirus, and human B-cell lymphotropic virus, among other ailments that are frequently misdiagnosed. He shows readers how to identify their own risk factors and offers nutritional recommenda-

tions to help conquer these illnesses. Dr. Berger warns that overzealous surgeons and hospitals can often render unnecessary and expensive services to the unwary. He shows that health insurance companies are more concerned about profits than patients. The technical approach favored by modern medical schools produces specialized doctors who become more distant from the people they treat, and they don't listen to the patients or see them as unique in-

This book gives us a good idea of how well our health care system is working to keep us healthy and make us well when we're not.

Makeba: My Story by Miriam Makeba tells of the relentless oppression and humilation she was subjected to in her homeland of the enormous talent and spirit that raised her above this oppression, of the international acclaim and the exile she endured when the South African government feared it could not keep her from speaking out against apar-

Her personal life has been volatile: five marriages, a touching and ultimately tragic relationship with her only daughter, and deportation from country after country because

through a plane crash, car accidents, a cancer operation at the age of thirty-one, a terrifying African coup, jailings, riots, and an invasion in which she was forced to take up arms to defend her home.

Miriam Makeba is a singer who has enthralled millions. She is a native South African who has never ceased to fight for the rights of her ple. With poignant grace, Miriam Makeba portrays her remarkable life; a life that encompasses the splendor of international acclaim, bitter personal tragedy, political intrigue and violence, and the irrepressible power and triumph of a

Remarkably, all this intrigue swirls around a shy woman wit voice that skyrocketed her to celel ty and rang out in the General Assembly of the United Nations, which she addressed twice. It's a voice that has been heard in virtually every major concert hall in the United States and throughout the world. And it is a voice that, at long last, is prepared to tell its own story. This is a very touching and ins tional book. A book many people will enjoy reading.



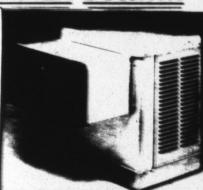
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