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## WIPP needs studies

WASHINGTON (AP) — A House subcommittee chairman is telling Energy Department officials to "do your homework" before pushing Congress to approve the opening of an underground nuclear waste disposal facility.

Rep. Mike Synar, D-Okla., made the statement Tuesday after his Government Operations environment, energy and natural resources subcommittee was told that major questions remain about the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) in New Mexico.

The department wants to begin putting waste into the underground facility next month, but it has not adequately proven that it can operate it safely, according to witnesses and documents at the hearing.

Among those raising questions were the department's office of safety appraisals, its Brookhaven National Laboratory and an environmental consultant it hired to review WIPP.

At the same time, the congressional General Accounting Office said it would be premature for Congress to approve the Energy Department's request to pass legislation needed to launch the \$700 million project.

"There are many uncertainties involving WIPP performance that must be addressed before DOE can demonstrate that the facility is suitable," GAO's Keith Fultz said.

Synar called the hearing to look into the department's plan to place 125,000 barrels of so-called transuranic waste into the repository 2,150 feet below the ground near Carlsbad.

Transuranic waste, a byproduct of nuclear weapons production, is a combination of radioactive material and a wide variety of hazardous substances. The waste proposed for WIPP represents approximately half the amount now stored above ground in about half a dozen states.

Synar said energy officials should "go home and do your homework and then come back and ask us for the legislation. Don't put the cart before the horse. We're one month away from this targeted (waste) loading and you can't justify this loading."

Jill Lytle, deputy assistant energy secretary for nuclear materials, told Synar the agency plans to follow environmental laws governing the disposal of dangerous waste during a five-year test of the WIPP facility.

"WIPP will not endanger the safety and health of the public," she testified.

But in a memo written Sept. 2, James Knight, director of the Energy Department's office of safety appraisals, said the department's final safety analysis report lacks "sufficient information for us to independently conclude that the facility can be operated safely."



## Happiness is a good halftime show

Hereford twirler Gina Alley is all smiles during the Hereford High School Mighty Maroon Band's halftime performance at

the Hereford-Palo Duro game Friday night at Whiteface Stadium.

(Photo by Mauri Montgomery)

## Bush levies farm accusation

By DONNA CASSATA  
Associated Press Writer

Republican George Bush charged that rival Michael Dukakis wants to control farmers' lives with an outdated agriculture policy. The Democratic nominee hammered away on the defense issue as he promised to improve America's conventional strength and maintain a strong nuclear deterrent.

The vice president's criticisms of Dukakis, including Tuesday's attacks on his economic and agriculture policies, appear to have paid off — at least according to two public opinion polls.

A Gallup survey found Bush leading by an 8-point margin, and

Dukakis suffering his highest negative rating of the presidential race. A CBS News-New York Times poll also showed the Democratic nominee trailing by 8 points, and Bush capitalizing on defense issues.

Dukakis continued to respond to GOP complaints that he is weak on defense with a foreign policy speech today at Georgetown University in Washington and a visit to Annapolis, Md. Bush planned to tour a farmer-owned cooperative in Fresno, Calif., and visit San Francisco's Chinatown.

President Reagan planned a foray into Missouri today to stump for Bush with speeches on his administration's economic successes and the nation's military strength.

Democratic vice presidential candidate Lloyd Bentsen looked to reinforce Dukakis' defense stance as the former pilot inspected World War II aircraft today and toured a defense contractor in Texas. GOP candidate Dan Quayle planned a visit to NORAD, the North American Aerospace Defense Command, in Colorado.

Campaigning in Missouri on Tuesday, Bush pledged his support for expansion of American markets abroad and suggested that Democrats are only concerned with production controls, similar to the grain embargo imposed by former President Carter.

They want to "control the lives of the farmers," the GOP nominee said.

Bush cited a published report that quoted a Dukakis aide as saying the Democratic nominee might reexamine the U.S. policy of selling government subsidized wheat to the Soviets.

"Can you imagine another president who leaves open the door of using agriculture products to make the political points and using our producers in that way?" he asked.

Earlier, in a speech to Chicago businessmen, Bush said that Dukakis' promise of a "helping hand" from government would translate into that hand reaching "right for the wallet" of the taxpayers.

He said the economic picture has been bright during the Reagan ad-

ministration and promised to "strengthen and broaden our economic growth."

Dukakis used his campaign day to assess U.S.-Soviet relations and take a ride in an M-1 tank, considered one of the fastest and most advanced in the world.

The Democratic nominee, in a speech outside the General Dynamics plant in Sterling, Mich., said the nation "needs a new president who will invest our defense dollars in the fiber and muscle of our defense."

Dukakis promised a "strong and effective and credible" nuclear deterrent and continued research on strategic defense systems but said his main concern was improving conventional might.

The CBS-Times poll, which showed Bush ahead 47-39 percent, found that 28 percent of the probable voters surveyed believe Bush would make the nation stronger while only 4 percent said he would weaken its defense.

In comparison, 39 percent said Dukakis would make U.S. defenses weaker and 13 percent said stronger.

The poll surveyed 1,043 probable voters from Thursday through Sunday and had a margin of error of plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The Gallup poll, which found Bush leading 49-41 percent, showed that 40 percent have an unfavorable view of Dukakis, up from 32 percent last month and the Massachusetts governor's highest all year.



George Bush

## Coast braces for Gilbert

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — Residents along the Gulf Coast are stockpiling on food and supplies as they brace themselves for powerful Hurricane Gilbert while emergency preparedness officials make plans for evacuations.

The hurricane, packing winds of more than 170 mph, already ripped through Jamaica and the Cayman Islands and took aim early today on the resort island of Cozumel, Mexico, and was expected to move into the Gulf of Mexico late today.

Robert Sheets, director of the National Hurricane Center, said early today he expects Gilbert to make land fall on the Texas-Louisiana coast in about 48 to 60 hours.

"There's a little bit of uncertainty how fast it's going to turn to the north or northwest, so we're going to wait until the center moves off the coast of Yucatan Peninsula and we'll still have 38 to 46 hours," Sheets said during an interview on NBC-TV's "Today" show.

Bill Tompkins, coordinator for the Galveston County emergency preparedness, said communications systems were being tested and procedures were being reviewed. Based on weather forecasts from at least four sources, he expected the storm to be in the Gulf by Thursday morning.

"That's probably our most critical time," he said "We'll be making decisions Thursday morning about what to recommend to the citizens."

In Orange County, officials were meeting this morning to pre-plan a possible evacuation.

"This thing could come right at us," said Orange County Emergency Management Systems Coordinator Dick Stanfield.

Orange officials on Tuesday also began stockpiling sand for use in sandbagging operations should the hurricane continue to head toward the area.

"This could come right at us," Stanfield said. "I hope it doesn't. I hope it goes into the part of Mexico where nobody lives."

In Brownsville, Cameron County Sheriff Alex Perez said he has already posted special schedules for his officers to follow if a hurricane watch is issued.

"We've contacted all the schools for shelters, to see which ones we'll be using this time," said Perez. "We're getting all the emergency generators ready for the jails, and getting extra gas for the patrol cars and getting everything set up. It seems like it will be coming this way, so we are getting prepared."

For the second time in two weeks, oil companies evacuated thousands of workers from rigs in the Gulf.

Houston city officials also scheduled a meeting today to develop detailed emergency plans, said Dick Hawkins of the Office of Emergency Management.

He said the city's plans include cordoning off the downtown area, which was littered with glass from skyscrapers by Hurricane Alicia in 1983.

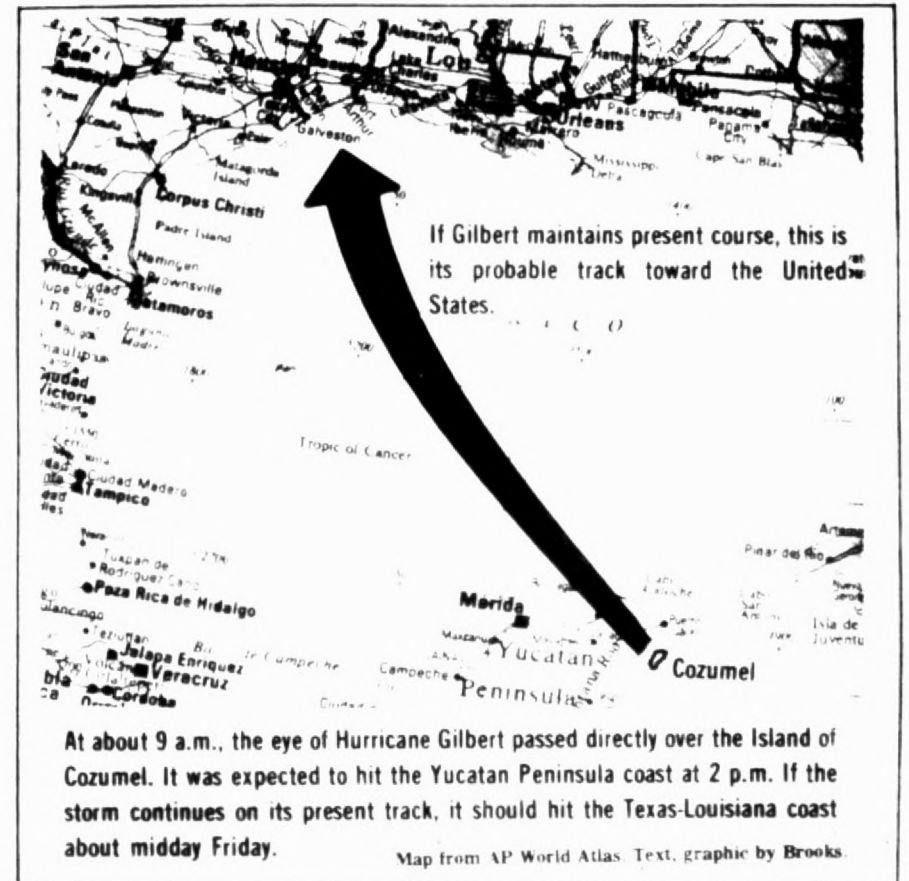
The Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center and all major hospitals in the Texas Medical Center asked eligible donors to give blood Wednesday and Thursday. Blood Center officials hope to collect 4,500 units because blood supplies will drop in the event of a severe storm.

Residents in Galveston crowded local stores in search of provisions such as batteries and plywood to board up windows.

"Oh man, business is really booming," said George Shannon, an assistant manager at a Wal-Mart store. "We've got people all over the place right now buying flashlights, batteries, lamp oil — everything."

"It's very steady and they're not just coming in getting a handful of

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## It's too early to predict landfall

DALLAS (AP) — Experts are reluctant to predict exactly where deadly Hurricane Gilbert and its powerful 175 mile-per-hour winds are heading, but some early guesses range from Freeport to the Louisiana coast.

"A hurricane is like a gorilla; normally it goes where it really wants to go," said Harlingen television weather forecaster Larry James when asked to predict landfall for the hurricane.

James has been doing the weather on television newscasts in Texas for 32 years and has been at KGBT-TV, Harlingen, since 1963. His experience with Texas hurricanes goes back to Hurricane Carla, which almost destroyed Port Lavaca in 1961.

James said he believes Gilbert will make landfall "probably somewhere on the upper Texas coast or the Louisiana coast sometime after noon on Saturday."

"But that can change in 10 hours,

of course," James added. Freeport is the mostly likely landfall for Gilbert, said Bill Hecke of Moody, meteorologist for the Texas AP Network and several Texas radio stations.

Basing his prediction on 20 years of monitoring tropical weather for the U.S. Air Force, Hecke expected the storm to track west-northwest after crossing the Yucatan Peninsula.

"My early-on prediction was Port Lavaca and that's modified now slightly to Freeport, but that's with no change in strength or intensity," Hecke said.

Hecke said the high pressure ridge over the southeastern U.S. has a weak spot in it and he thinks the storm will track toward the upper Texas coast.

Mike Pass with the National Weather Service in Alvin was reluctant to pick a specific landfall yet.

"The most important thing right (See GILBERT, Page 2)

## Local Roundup

### Police arrest two

Two persons were arrested Tuesday by Hereford police, including a man, 21, for assault in a domestic violence call in the 900 block of Miles Street, and a man, 40, for no liability insurance, second offense, at Sixth and Roosevelt.

Other calls included disorderly conduct, assault and assault by threat charges pending in connection with an incident in the 600 block of Irving; assaults involving juveniles in the 700 block of La Plata Drive and in the 200 block of Avenue F; \$100 damage to a fence in a criminal mischief incident in the 400 block of Avenue E.

Three tires worth \$375 cut on a car in the Hereford High School parking lot; criminal mischief in the 300 block of North Schley; a prowler report in the 500 block of Willow Lane; and harassing phone calls in the 200 block of Avenue D.

Police issued 18 citations Tuesday. No accidents or fire calls were reported.

### Sheriff's office arrests four

Four persons were arrested Tuesday by the Deaf Smith County sheriff's office, including a man, 23, for violation of probation; a woman, 24, for a driving while intoxicated jail commitment; a woman, 28, for aggravated assault on a peace officer; and a man, 19, wanted for burglary of a building.

### Rain chance continues

Tonight will be mostly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms and a low near 60. Southeast winds will be 10-20 mph. The chance of rain is 40 percent.

Thursday will be partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms and a high of 82. Southwest winds will be 10-20 mph. This morning's low at KPAN was 62 after a high Tuesday of 82.

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## Child abuse studied

AUSTIN (AP) — Dozens of changes recommended in a study of how the Texas child protection system operates offer a plan to combat child abuse and make the state's system one of the best, officials say.

"As private citizens and parents, we are not satisfied with a child protective services system in Texas that is merely average," said board member Rob Mosbacher in releasing the study Tuesday.

"We must have a program for Texas that is second to none. Today, we do not have that program. But for the first time ever, we have a plan to attain one," he said.

The study, conducted by the American Association for Protecting Children, will be presented to the human services board on Thursday. It found a number of problems and offered recommendations that Mosbacher said could lead to a "truly exceptional" system for Texas if they are implemented.

"What these experts found is that Texas, like most other states in the union, is struggling with the problem of child abuse and neglect," Mosbacher said.

No cost estimate has yet been prepared, he said, although it may not be that expensive.

"While resources is part of the problem, it is by no means the whole problem... But I don't think the problem is going to be that substantial," Mosbacher said. "A great deal of the help can come at the county level, and it can also come from private sector organizations."

Reported cases of child abuse soared 119 percent from 1976 to 1986, while the size of the state's Child Protective Services staff grew just 6 percent.

Among the recommendations, the study found a need to improve support for foster homes. "Despite the enormous need, the number of foster homes in Texas declined from 1984 to 1987," Mosbacher said.

The study also suggested improved cooperation between law enforcement officials and the child protection workers.

"Although CPS and law enforcement agencies are required by law to notify each other of abuse and neglect reports, a cooperative effort does not extend past that point," Mosbacher said.

The court system was the focus of other recommendations. Currently, the courts generally are involved only when state officials seek conservatorship or to remove a child from a

family.

And because the department can be represented in court only by local prosecutors or a member of the attorney general's staff, whose expertise may not be child abuse issues, Mosbacher said "the effectiveness of our legal representation is sometimes in question."

"If the working relationship among (the Human Services Department), law enforcement, legal counsel and the courts is poor, children become the innocent victims of the system," he said.

The study also said:

- Caseloads for some workers are two or three times higher than recommended standards of 15 to 25 per worker.
- An effective assault on child abuse "can only be waged with the combined forces of the community," but that in Texas the Human Services Department staff works in near isolation. "Those in the community who could be, and should be, our allies too often end up as adversaries," Mosbacher said.
- Crisis intervention is a strong point of the Texas system, but one of the weakest is the effort with a family to prevent future problems.



**Junior High cheerleaders**  
The 1988-89 cheerleaders at Hereford Junior High include (top, from left) Emily Fuston, Tiffanie Dewbre and Melissa Sanchez; (bottom, from left) Jeanette Flores, Claudia Ramirez, Melissa Celaya, Priscilla Hernandez and Jeannie Barrientez.

### Courthouse Records

- COUNTY COURT FILINGS**
- State of Texas vs. Ruben D. Escoto, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Marjorie Ediger, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Hector Lopez, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Eunice Harris, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Estrella Martinez, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Bill Klein, theft by check, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Esther Salinas Washington, theft over \$20 and under \$200, Sept. 8.
  - State of Texas vs. Jose Luis Martinez, driving with a suspended license, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Susie Uvalde Gonzales, bail jumping and failure to appear, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Delia Quintero aka Delia Veliz, bail jumping and failure to appear, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Joe Gonzales, bail jumping and failure to appear, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Freddie Torres, resisting arrest, Sept. 13.
  - State of Texas vs. Hector Castillo, criminal trespassing, Sept. 13.
  - State of Texas vs. Richard Castillo, assault, Sept. 13.
  - State of Texas vs. Steven Jones, driving with a suspended license, Sept. 13.
- COUNTY COURT DISPOSITIONS**
- State of Texas vs. Steve Offutt, consuming alcoholic beverages as a minor, \$75 fine plus court costs, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. Blas Andrade, assault, probation plus court costs, Sept. 6.
  - State of Texas vs. George Steward, driving with a suspended license, dismissed, Sept. 7.
  - State of Texas vs. Rosa Garza, assault, probation one year, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 7.
  - State of Texas vs. Elias Perez, driving while intoxicated, probation two years, six days in jail, \$750 fine plus court costs, \$500 suspended, Sept. 7.
  - State of Texas vs. Elias Gabriel Perez, driving while intoxicated, six days in jail, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Silvia Salazar, escape, probation six months, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 7.
  - State of Texas vs. Manuel Galvan, driving with a suspended license, three days in jail, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Manuel Galvan, no liability insurance, second offense, \$200 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Elena Arjullo, theft of services, court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Irene Cereceres, selling alcohol to a minor, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Rey S. Guerrero, driving while intoxicated, second offense, \$300 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Gerardo Zambrano, no liability insurance, second offense, \$200 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Tony Ojeda, theft of services, probation six months, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
  - State of Texas vs. Harvey Garza, theft over \$20 and under \$200, \$100 fine plus court costs, Sept. 9.
- DISTRICT COURT CIVIL FILINGS**
- Willbur-Elis Company vs. D & B Grain Inc., suit on account, Sept. 7.
  - State of Texas vs. \$3,438 U.S. Currency, forfeiture of property, Sept. 7.
- DISTRICT COURT CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS**
- Deaf Smith County vs. Messer, J.F. Estate and Messer Construction Company, Inc., defendant to pay delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. Garcia, Joe Stephen, defendant to pay delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. Garcia, Raul, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - HISD vs. Hereford Ford Lincoln-Mercury, defendant to pay \$7,666.66 in delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. Martinez, Joe, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. Dora Perez, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County, HISD, City of Hereford vs. Rodriguez, Pete, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County, HISD, City of Hereford vs. Rodriguez, Ruth, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. Rousek, Byron aka Great American Food and Beverage, delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County, HISD vs. House, Coy individually and dba Buckbee Service, \$262.81 in delinquent taxes, Aug. 25.
  - Deaf Smith County vs. King, Doyle individually

## TEA: literacy test wasn't biased

AUSTIN (AP) — State education officials are disputing a federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ruling that said the literacy test teachers were required to pass to keep their jobs discriminated against those who were black or older than 40.

"The test was a fair and accurate measure of the examinees' basic reading and writing skills that was in no way influenced by race or age," Education Commissioner William Kirby said Tuesday.

Kirby said another federal agency, the Office of Civil Rights, had looked at the exam and "found no evidence whatsoever of racial discrimination."

In the spring of 1986, all teachers and school administrators had two chances to pass the Texas Examination of Current Administrators and Teachers, or TECAT. Those who failed

the test — 1,875 statewide — were not qualified to work in Texas schools that fall.

But the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, in a ruling made public this week, said the test discriminated "against blacks and persons over 40 years of age who took the TECAT in 1986 and were removed from their teaching positions as a result."

The EEOC ruling came in response to complaints filed by several teachers against their school districts, the state of Texas, and State Board of Education, which approved the content and passing score of the exam.

The Texas State Teachers Association represented the teachers before the EEOC. The ruling could affect many of the educators who lost their jobs because of the exam, said TSTA.

"We said all along that the test was

discriminatory toward blacks and older teachers," said Ollie Besteiro, TSTA vice president. "This means that school districts will have to go back and review their records to see which former teachers might be eligible for reinstatement, back pay or pension adjustments."

State officials said they planned to negotiate with the EEOC in an attempt to modify or reverse the decision.

"The EEOC ruling — which was made without knowledge of the other, more comprehensive, federal (civil rights) review — relied on incomplete information that failed to take into account data on statewide results or test development procedures," education commissioner Kirby said.

Kirby said EEOC officials had asked for additional information, including the civil rights report. "We

are confident they will revise their decision when they review the complete information," he said.

Kirby said the statewide results showed that 99.29 percent of educators under age 40 passed the test, while 99.64 percent of teachers over 40 passed.

"Older educators did better on the test than younger ones. The results clearly refute the contention that the test discriminated against individuals on the basis of age," he said.

### Obituaries

**OLE T. LARSON**  
Sept. 13, 1896 - 1988

Ole T. Larson, 91, died at 11:30 p.m. Tuesday at Golden Plains Care Center.

Services are pending with Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Larson was born Oct. 28, 1896, in Gilman, Iowa. He came to the Oldham County and Deaf Smith County area in 1909 from La Grand, Iowa. He was a retired farmer and rancher and a Methodist. He married Jessie Turner in 1983 in Hereford.

Survivors include his wife of Hereford; three step-daughters, Lucille Borman, Jean Brown and Ruth Conn, all of Vega; and 10 step-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Girls Town or a favorite charity.

**ANNIE KUSS**  
Sept. 11, 1898 - 1988

Annie Kuss, 91, of Hermleigh died at 6:15 a.m. Sunday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness. She is survived by a sister, Freida Bartels of Hereford.

Rosary was recited Monday evening in Bell-Cybert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel and Mass was celebrated at 10:30 a.m. today in St. John's Catholic Church in Hermleigh with the Rev. Sean Costigan, a Catholic minister, officiating. Burial was in Hermleigh Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cybert-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kuss was born in Moulton and moved from Indian Territory to Scurry County in 1907. She married Frank Kuss in 1917 in Hermleigh. He died in 1960. She was a housewife and a Catholic.

Survivors include a son, Edwin of Hermleigh; a sister, Freida Bartels of Hereford; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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now is just kept tuned to the media and find out where the future course takes the storm," Pass said. "It's still just too broad to say exactly where it's going to landfall. There has been some suggestion that there is a reasonable chance that it will landfall in the Houston-Galveston area somewhere between Freeport and Galveston looks pretty good, but it might also go to the right of there which would lessen our threat."

"But these folks along the coast line really need to watch the future of this storm," Pass said.

If Gilbert moves in south or southwest of Houston, it will be much worse than if Gilbert makes landfall to the north or northeast of Houston, Pass said.

"If it moves anywhere between Galveston and Corpus Christi we're going to get bad effects out of this

storm. Terrible effects if it should move between San Luis Pass and Freeport area," he said.

That's because hurricane winds rotate counter-clockwise, giving it a powerful right punch.

Hecke said it's important that people take Gilbert's strength "very seriously."

He said many windows in downtown Houston were broken by Hurricane Alicia, which wasn't anywhere near as powerful as Gilbert.

Dr. Neil Frank, former director of the National Hurricane Center and now chief meteorologist at KHOU-TV in Houston, said it is important that coastal residents in threatened area make preparations.

"The local officials here are very well aware of how long it takes to

evacuate and that time is 26 hours. And that doesn't mean evacuate two million people. That's only evacuating those people who are going to be flooded by the sea or salt water," Frank said.

Hecke voiced concern about the Galveston seawall, built to protect the island after the great storm of 1900.

"I'm worried because the hurricane force winds so far ahead of the storm could undermine the wall and it would not last by the time the storm got there," he said.

Pass also warned of higher tides along the coast.

"We're going to watch that very closely for folks down around Bolivar Peninsula where the 4-foot above-normal water level begins to cut off any evacuation," Pass said.

who was 10 years old when Alicia struck. "Alicia did \$7,000 to \$8,000 damage to my house, so \$40 plywood is a good investment."

If Gilbert keeps its strength and makes landfall in Texas, it would rival Hurricane Carla in 1961. Carla, the most powerful storm on record, came ashore at Port O'Connor with a maximum wind of 175 mph at Port Lavaca. Damage was widespread for hundreds of miles along the coast from Corpus Christi to Port Arthur. In Texas, 34 people died.

In September 1900, Galveston was the scene of the nation's worst natural disaster, when an estimated 6,000 people were killed in a hurricane.

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stuff — it's cartloads of stuff."

The storm was making many people apprehensive.

"I stayed here for (Hurricane) Alicia because I didn't realize how bad it was going to be," said Verne Gordon. "But I vowed I'd never stay again."

**Hospital Notes**

Mr. and Mrs. Herminio Gutierrez are the parents of a girl, Margot, born September 12, 1988.

Mr. and Mrs. Julio Cerda are the parents of a boy, Nicolas Andrew, born September 12, 1988.

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL**

William L. Bankston, Milburn P. Bennett, Alice Black, Melonie Ann Brierley, Inf. Girl Cadena, Mary Cadena.

Grace Cerda, Infant boy Cerda, Kristen Estrada, Grace Gutierrez, Infant Girl Gutierrez, Larry Don Hood, Infant Boy Longoria, Rachel Longoria.

Eugene Martinez, Jr., Jewel E. May, Brenda Milam, Infant Girl Moya, Loretta Moya, Shad Reed, Jesus David Saucedo, Ruby Irene Smith, Shelly Rene Smith, Ruben Torres.

**MARRIAGES**

Ray Lynn Watley and Mary Theresa McCracken, Sept. 9.

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# Lifestyles

## Degree conferred on Anderson

A Hereford student at Angelo State University was among 160 students to receive degrees during summer commencement at the university.

Donnell Gordon Anderson received a bachelor of business administration degree with a major in computer science.

## Conkwright selected for choir

Robin Conkwright of Hereford has been selected as a member of Austin College's A Cappella Choir for 1988-89. A soprano, Conkwright is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Conkwright.

The 50-member choir will perform throughout the year in Sherman, Denison, Dallas and Fort Worth area churches.

Founded in 1942, the choir has been under the direction of Bruce Lunkley, AC music department chairman, since 1959. The group has toured extensively throughout the United States and Europe.

Lunkley teaches voice and opera in addition to his choral responsibilities. He holds degrees from the University of Minnesota and has taught extensively in master classes and clinic situations throughout the United States and England.

Members of the group are selected through a series of auditions open to all students regardless of their area of study.

Former members of the choir are active in opera, concert and oratorio in the United States, Canada and in Europe, while others are active in musical theater on Broadway and elsewhere.

## Family film scheduled Thursday

The public is invited to view the family film, "Namu, the Killer Whale", at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Deaf Smith County Library.

There will be no admission charge.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. James Brockman are the parents of a son, Christopher John, born Sept. 6 at High Plains Hospital in Amarillo. He weighed 6 lbs. 9 oz.

## Walcott School sets events

Walcott School began Sept. 1 with its largest first day enrollment in 16 years and has various September events planned.

Total enrollment for Kindergarten through eight grade totaled 68.

Len Slesick of Amarillo is scheduled to be a guest at the school Wednesday at 10 a.m. as he presents "A Living History of the Panhandle." On

## Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I have a message for family and friends, casual acquaintances and others who may not fit into any of the above. I hope you will print my letter because there must be thousands of women who feel exactly as I do.

Dear You-Know-Who-You-Are: Yes, we just had a baby girl. Yes, I know we already have two girls.

No, we are not disappointed that it wasn't a boy.

No, we are not going to try again for a male child.

No, my husband isn't interested in borrowing your son to take hunting and fishing. Girls like to do those things, too.

Only a fool would be unhappy about having a healthy child simply because it wasn't one sex or another. We feel blessed. Sign us—Tickled Pink in Pa.

**DEAR TICKLED:** Three cheers for the pink or the blue. My own dear parents had four daughters, and there was never any indication that we weren't exactly what they had hoped for. Parents who specify that they prefer a boy (or a girl) are one brick short of a full load. And friends who ask if they are disappointed are numbskulls.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** Can you stand one more letter about flying pets across the country? It illustrates the trauma that we seldom see or hear about, but it's there, nevertheless.

I recently picked up a friend at the airport in Colorado Springs. While waiting for her baggage to come around the turnstile I spotted a beautiful golden retriever in a crate so small that the retriever could neither turn around nor lie down.

I waited to see who came to claim the animal, but after the poor thing went round and round about 15 times I began to wonder if anyone was going to show up. Finally I asked an attendant if he could remove the crate from the turnstile so at least the dog would be on solid ground. He said, "Sorry, that's not my job."

I left the airport with a heavy heart, wondering how a human would like to be placed in a cage so small that he could neither lie down nor turn around, then put in a baggage compartment (not pressurized) and flown for several hours at an altitude of 30,000 feet and arrive at an airport and nobody is there to pick him up.

Any comment, Ann? — Jennifer H. Col. Spgs.

**DEAR JENNIFER:** What a pathetic story! Where are the

Friends of Animals, the ASPCA and all those folks who claim they love animals? Here's a project for you.

**DEAR READERS:** I hope you will not feel that printing the following letter is too self-serving. It made me feel good and I decided, after much deliberation, to share it with you.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I read with pleasure your column in praise of Maryland's handgun control laws. The passage of these regulations that ban the sale or manufacture of cheap Saturday night specials, in addition to plastic handguns, is an act of which I am extremely proud. For the first time, a state has acted to get these dangerous weapons off the streets. I hope our example will be emulated throughout the nation. I was particularly happy to learn

of your support because I know the influence you have in this country. With help from concerned and thoughtful public figures like you, we will surely succeed in making safe gun laws a national trend.

Thank you again for your help. We are lucky to have such a great advocate in our corner.—William Donald Schaefer, Governor of Maryland

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Keating is a junior majoring in elementary education.

She is also the cheerleader captain and is active in Special Olympics and Christian youth groups.

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# Sports

## Herd, Estacado ready for head-knockin'

By JOHN BROOKS  
Managing Editor

A traditional, head-knockin' rivalry between two good football teams will be renewed Thursday night when Hereford travels to Lubbock Estacado for the District 1-4A opener at Lowrey Field.

It's only the third game of the year, and the first district game, but the winner of Thursday's game will be the favorite to take the district championship. The loser won't be cast into the also-rans, but may not be able to afford another loss later.

"On that field Thursday night, you'll see two good football programs. Estacado has a great tradition. Hereford has a great tradition, said Hereford coach Don Cumpton. "Both teams will go all out to win. From the fan's point of view, you won't see a better game than you will Thursday night."

Estacado comes into Thursday's game with a 2-0 record after wins over Plainview and Big Spring. "Estacado has looked good in its first two games," Cumpton said. "They have scored a lot of points (64) and so far they have thrived on the big play. That's the strength of their team."

"They're a typical Estacado team. They have a big stable of running backs, and they're all quick."

"They don't do a lot of stuff, but everything they do, they do well."

The stable of running backs includes tailbacks Derick Shed and Robert Johnson, who will split time. "Their fullback is Clyde Boyd," Cumpton said. "He weighs about 205 lbs., and he played against us last year. He's a good football player."

"They have a better quarterback this year. He's Reginald Essix, and he's a good athlete. He plays basketball and baseball, too. Estacado probably throws the ball better than they have in the past."

"It's just like against Tascosa and Palo Duro: We must do a good job of containment," Cumpton said. "The best way to handle that is to keep them off the field, and not let them have the big play. We just have to control the football."

Estacado will present two problems for the Hereford offense. There is a quickness advantage, and there's an even-man front. It's the first time for Hereford to face an

### Hereford at Estacado

**WHEN, WHERE:** Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Lowrey Field, Lubbock.  
**YOUNG RIVALRY:** This is only the third meeting between the Class 4A powers. Estacado won, 28-18, two years ago in Lubbock. Hereford held on (remember Lee Young, not previously known as a speed demon, running down an Estacado runner last year?) for a 7-6 win last year that knocked Estacado from the playoffs.

**WATCH OUT FOR:** A few added wrinkles. Estacado will actually throw a few passes. Hereford has some new things to show that the Whitefaces have been saving.

**HOW IMPORTANT IS THE GAME?** Very. The winner of the game won't be assured of anything, but will be in the driver's seat for the district championship. For the loser, it's a tough loss, but there are seven more district games. It's very early in the year for a game to be called a "key" game, but it's a key game.

**IF IT WEREN'T FOR THESE TWO TEAMS:** District 1-4A has a combined 6-11-1 record. Hereford and Estacado are 2-0, Levelland is 1-0-1, Dunbar is 1-1. Everyone else is 0-2.

**CUMPTON'S KEYS TO THE GAME:** 1. Ball control. If Hereford can hold onto the ball like it did last week against Palo Duro, good things will happen for Hereford.

2. If Estacado's stable of running backs is kept in check by the tenacious Hereford defense, good things will happen for Hereford.

even-man front in three weeks, counting the Amarillo High scrimmage.

"It's just something we've had to adjust to," Cumpton said. "They don't do anything fancy on defense, either. They just execute very well."

"They lost their middle linebacker, James Dobbins, in two-a-days, but, like always, they have great depth. Their defensive end is No. 74, Billy Frances, and he played well against us a year ago. That guy, and all the people they just keep running at you, are their strengths. They don't lose much if they put a second-team guy out there."

How does Estacado compare with past teams? "They're better than they were a year ago," Cumpton said. "They're about like they were in '86."

"Against that '86 bunch we were in pretty good shape until they broke a 97-yard run that really broke our backs (Estacado won the game in 1986, 28-18). Of course, last year we had to chase 'em down a time or two." Hereford ended Estacado's 1987 playoff dreams with a 7-6 win at Whiteface Stadium.

If you want to get Cumpton fired up, just ask him about how much his team has improved.

"Our line really improved from the first game to the second," Cumpton said. "Last week they had a great effort with great execution. They con-

trolled the line of scrimmage throughout the game, and that should give them some confidence."

"They need to just take that and improve. They're a good bunch that works hard."

"Our whole rushing game is much more in sync now, and a lot of that had to do with just getting used to one another. The field might have had something to do with it, too: It was hard to run up in Amarillo (at Dick Bivins Stadium against Tascosa). That grass was so deep you had to pick your feet up a foot to step."

"Our defense really played good last week. We went into the Palo Duro game with two goals: To hold Michael Westmoreland at bay and to control the football. We made them earn every step. They had just one drive, and that was for 90 yards."

"It's critical this week that we not give anything away. It'll take a great effort from both sides."

One problem facing the Herd is the short week.

"Later on in the season it's a lot of repetitive stuff, but this early in the season we're still trying to work things out," Cumpton said. "We had to basically combine out Monday and Tuesday workouts and stayed on the field a lot longer than we would have liked. It was just something we had to do to get ready."

"We really had two good days instead of three, but it's the same for both teams. We don't worry too much about it because it's just something you have to do."

Hereford will be without Pat Rhodes, who will be out for at least a month with mononucleosis; Kyle Solomon, who will miss this week's game because of a scratch on his eye; and Gilbert Juarez, who is still suffering from a knee injury.

"We have some others who may still be a little bunged up because of last Friday. We'll just have to wait and see," Cumpton said. "We're glad John Tohm (defensive end-tight end) is back, and we hope the others will be able to go Thursday."



### Call for the defense

Hereford's defense will get its third straight tough assignment Thursday night when the Herd goes to Lubbock Estacado. The Herd defense has had few contain-

ment problems so far: In this picture, Hereford's Bud Shirley and Kevin Paetzold converge on Tascosa's Tim Johnson. (Brand photo by Mauri Montgomery)

DISTRICT 1-4A STANDINGS			
Team	Record	Pts	Opp
Hereford	2-0	32	16
Estacado	2-0	64	34
Levelland	1-0-1	46	14
Dunbar	1-1	57	28
Borger	0-2	27	103
Dumas	0-2	6	64
Frenship	0-2	4	52
Pampa	0-2	9	22
Randall	0-2	7	54

This week's games: Hereford at Estacado; Levelland at Borger; Pampa at Dumas; Dunbar at Frenship; Randall is open.

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## Tennis team earns victory

Hereford High School ran its team tennis record to 4-0 on Tuesday, winning on sets after a 9-9 finish at Canyon High School.

Winners included Jeff Eades and Derek Osburn in boys' singles; Kristie Allison, Wendy Connally and Brenna Reinauer in girls' singles; and the girls' doubles teams of Misty Reed-Kristie Allison, Bridget Baker-Wendy Connally, and Trisha Munoz-Brenna Reinauer.

Hereford will go to Lubbock on Saturday with matches against Lubbock High and the Coronado JV.

Swin, Canyon, 5-2; Joe Browder, Canyon, def. Paul Copley, Hereford, 5-2. Extra matches (do not count toward team score): Randy Robbins, Hereford, def. Curtis Crump, Canyon, 5-3; Myles Williams, Canyon, def. Brandon Flood, Hereford, 5-4.

**BOYS' DOUBLES:** Schneider-Foster, Canyon, def. Copley-Keenan, Hereford, 6-4, 6-1; Canonflecher, Canyon, def. Alley-Eades, Hereford, 6-9, 6-7, 7-6; Bradshaw-Landers, Canyon, def. Osburn-Robbins, Hereford, 6-3, 6-0.

**GIRLS' SINGLES:** Jennifer Baker, Canyon, def. Misty Reed, Hereford, 5-6; Kristie Allison, Hereford, def. Katie Chandler, Canyon, 5-2; Wendy Connally, Hereford, def. Tamara Powell, Canyon, 5-1; Carrie Childers, Canyon, def. Bridget Baker, Hereford, 5-5; Brenna Reinauer, Hereford, def. Reagan Metcalf, Canyon, 5-2; Missy Irish, Hereford, def. Jennifer Neill, Canyon, 5-3. Extra matches: Trisha Munoz, Hereford, def. Esmeralda Basaldua, Canyon, 5-2; Gina Alley, Hereford, def. Less Rindelsbacher, Canyon, 5-5.

**GIRLS' DOUBLES:** Reed-Allison, Hereford, def. Baker-Chandler, Canyon, 6-1, 6-1; Baker-Connally, Hereford, def. Metcalf-Childers, Canyon, 6-0, 6-2; Munoz-Reinauer, Hereford, def. Colky-Lindsey, Canyon, 6-3, 6-3.

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**BOYS' SINGLES:** Brandon Schneider, Canyon, def. Matt Copley, Hereford, 5-4; Colby Landers, Canyon, def. Rick Alley, Hereford, 5-3; Jeff Eades, Hereford, def. Todd Bradshaw, Canyon, 5-5; Matt Marian, Canyon, def. Matt Keenan, Hereford, 5-3; Derek Osburn, Hereford, def. Clint

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# Calendar of Events



### Dressed for chilly weather

Kathie Colville is prepared for fall's cool weather wearing this designer sweater and skirt ensemble furnished by The Vogue. An array of new fall and winter fashions will be modeled during a style show and brunch at 11:30 a.m. Thursday in the Lamar Room of King's Manor Methodist Home. Tickets are priced at \$6.50 per person and may be purchased at the door or the King's Manor business office.



The record for the most gold medals for Olympic swimming is held by American Mark Spitz. He won a record seven in 1972 as well as two in 1968 and of these, eight were won in record time. He also holds a silver and a bronze from 1968.

**THURSDAY**  
Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.  
San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.  
Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.  
Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 5:30 p.m.  
Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.  
TOPS Club NO. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.  
Story hour at library, 10 a.m.  
Hereford Toastmaster's Club, Ranch House, 6:30 a.m.  
Elketts, 8 p.m.  
American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8:30 p.m.  
Red Cross uniformed volunteers, noon luncheon.  
VFW, VFW clubhouse in Veteran's Park, 7:30 p.m.  
BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY**  
Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, 6:30 a.m.  
Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 5:30 p.m.  
Patriarchs Militant and Ladies Auxiliary, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY**  
Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at First Church of the Nazarene.  
AA, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.

**SUNDAY**  
AA, 406 W. Fourth St., 11 a.m.

**MONDAY**  
Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Rotary Club, Community Center, noon.  
Planned Parenthood Clinic, open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Ladies exercise class, Nazarene church, 5:30 p.m.  
Civil Air Patrol-U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
AA meets Monday through Friday, 406 W. Fourth St., noon, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. For more information call 364-9620.  
Spanish speaking AA meetings each Monday, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, 7 p.m.  
Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.  
VFW Auxiliary, VFW clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY**  
Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: regular museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only. Museum closed Monday.  
TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 5:30 p.m.  
Whiteface Booster Club, Hereford High School auditorium, 7:30 p.m.  
Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Free women's exercise class, aerobics and floorwork, Community Church, 7:30 p.m.  
Free blood pressure screening, Tuesday through Friday, South Plains Health Providers Clinic, 603 Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.  
Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.  
Social Security representative at courthouse 9:15 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.  
Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.  
Alateens and Al-Anon, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
Women's Golf Association Play Day, City Golf Course, 5:45 p.m.  
Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Problem Pregnancy Center, 506 E. Park Ave., open Tuesday through Friday. Free and confidential pregnancy testing. Call 364-2027 or 364-7626 for appointment.  
La Afflatus Estudio Club, 3 p.m.  
Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 9 a.m.  
Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 7:30 p.m.  
Toujours Amis Study Club, 7 p.m.  
Deaf Smith County American Heart Association, Hereford State Bank, 7 p.m.  
La Plata Study Club, 7:30 p.m.  
Hereford CattleWomen, noon luncheon.  
Hereford Board of Realtors, lunch at Hereford Country Club, noon.  
Ford Extension Homemakers Club, 9:30 a.m.  
Pioneer 4-H Club, Community Center, 4 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.  
Young at heart program, YMCA, 9 a.m. until noon.  
Al-Anon, 406 W. Fourth St., 5 p.m.  
Play school day nursery, 201 Country Club Drive, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Call 364-0040 for reservations.  
Knights of Columbus at KC Hall, 8 p.m.  
Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, noon.  
Well baby screening clinic for preschool age children, Texas Department of Health office, 914 E. Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m.

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When blending hot ingredients, be sure to remove the built-in feeder cap in the blender cover in order to allow steam buildup to escape. Soups will blend more easily if the liquid is placed in the container first, then the

solid ingredients.

Because the ingredients were blended while hot, just pour the delicious, hot soup into cups or bowls for a tasty light lunch. Or, allow soup to cool and serve chilled for an elegant prelude to dinner. Homemade soup has never been easier.

Try these appetizing soup recipes from the Home Economists in the Oster Test Kitchens.

#### RICH ZUCCHINI SOUP

1½ pounds zucchini, cut into 1" pieces  
1½ cups water  
½ small onion  
½ clove garlic  
2 teaspoons chicken bouillon granules

¼ teaspoon dried thyme  
Salt and pepper to taste  
¾ cup light cream

Place all ingredients except cream in 1½ quart glass bowl. Cover and microwave at HIGH 13 minutes, stirring twice. Allow mixture to cool.

Place mixture into Osterizer blender container, cover and process at LIQUEFY until smooth. Return mixture to glass bowl, stir in cream and microwave at HIGH two minutes to heat through.

YIELD: Two to four servings.

#### CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP

1 cup milk  
1 can (28 ounces) tomatoes  
2 tablespoons all-purpose flour  
1 tablespoon sugar  
1 thin slice onion  
Dash of pepper  
2 tablespoons butter or margarine  
1 teaspoon salt  
Dash garlic

In two-cup glass measuring cup, microwave milk on HIGH For two minutes. Put remaining ingredients into Osterizer blender container.

Cover and process at PUREE until smooth. Add to milk; cover and microwave on HIGH six minutes, stirring every two minutes.

YIELD: Four servings.

#### VICHYSOISE

2 cups chicken broth  
2 cups cubed potatoes  
¾ cup leek pieces  
1 cup milk

1 teaspoon salt  
Dash white pepper  
1 cup light cream

Put broth, potatoes, leek and butter in 1½ quart glass bowl. Cover and microwave at HIGH nine to 11 minutes, stirring once. Cool.

Put potato mixture, salt, pepper and milk into Osterizer blender container. Cover and process at LIQUEFY until smooth. Chill thoroughly. Before serving, stir in cream.

YIELD: Five to six servings.

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The Amarillo Tri State Fair, scheduled Sept. 19-24 not only offers livestock, display exhibits and big-name entertainment, but will also feature many other acts that will be free to the public.

Appearing on the children's outdoor stage three times daily will be YO-YO the clown. YO-YO has appeared at over 40 fairs and festivals in Texas alone and has been asked to return to over 25 of them. He does humorous magic and balloon creations. His show is a well-rounded family show, but is mainly directed toward children.

Other special entertainment will be the West Texas Sheep Dog Championship Finals for the second year

at the fair. The trials have been expanded to two days this year in the Bill Cody Arena. Performances will be from 5-9 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 20-21. Sheep dogs from throughout the southwest will fetch, herd and pen sheep for prize money and trophies.

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## Senior Citizens

### LUNCH MENUS

**THURSDAY** - Polish sausage, kraut, oven broiled potatoes, fried okra, fresh spinach salad, peach cobbler.

**FRIDAY** - Catfish fillets with tartar sauce, parsley buttered potatoes, stewed tomatoes, garden salad, dill pickle spears, lemon pie.

**MONDAY** - Green chili casserole, cabbage-carrot slaw, small white beans, banana pudding.

**TUESDAY** - Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, pineapple-cheese salad, sliced peaches, cookies.

**WEDNESDAY** - Baked chicken on long grain wild rice, broccoli spears with cheese sauce, raspberry jello with apple sauce and celery, carrot cake.

### ACTIVITIES

**THURSDAY** - beginners oil painting 9-11:30 a.m., advanced oil painting 1-4 p.m., choir 1 p.m.

**FRIDAY** - Advanced line dance 10 a.m. and beginners line dance 1:15 p.m.

**MONDAY** - Advanced line dance 10 a.m., devotional 12:45 p.m., beginners line dance 1:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY** - Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., Slover hearing aid 1:30-3 p.m., nutrition and education program 2 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY** - Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., Medicare and insurance assistance 1 p.m., ceramics 1:30 p.m.



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