

# GAO attacks bailout as costly

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congress' auditing agency today attacked the government's 1988 spree of savings and loan sales as too costly and said it would have been cheaper in a third of the deals reviewed to shut down the institutions and pay off depositors.

Charles A. Bowsher, comptroller general of the General Accounting Office, said in testimony prepared for the Senate Banking Committee that S&L regulators required the purchasers to invest too little of their own money.

Officials at the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp., which guarantees S&L deposits up to \$100,000, also underestimated, by 20

percent to 40 percent, the value of tax breaks offered to buyers, Bowsher said.

The report comes as White House and Treasury Department officials are reviewing a complex financing plan aimed at protecting regional economies from the precipitous sale of billions of dollars of real estate now in government hands as a result of S&L failures.

S&L regulators already control about \$7.5 billion in real estate. According to Jerome Blank of the National Association of Realtors, after all insolvent S&Ls are cleaned up, regulators "will become the largest landowner in the United States and

will have to dispose of over \$150 billion in real estate."

Discussing the 1988 S&L sales, GAO sharpened the tone of previous criticism as it presented its review of 12 of the biggest deals.

For the year, regulators spent or made commitments to spend about \$37 billion to close, sell or prop up 222 ailing thrift institutions. Of those, 179 were sold to new owners with government subsidies totaling \$28.4 billion.

Regulators have said most of the rescues will be less costly in the long run than liquidation and were the only

option for the cash-starved agency in the short run.

However, Bowsher said that in four of the 12 rescue deals examined, the government would have been better off simply to close the institutions and pay off depositors.

The tax breaks offered in last year's rescues totaled \$7 billion to \$8 billion and, in nine of the deals examined, they will permit the new owners to recoup their investment, on average, in only three years, and in at least one instance in as little as a year, he said.

The comptroller general also criticized the process for attracting investors to failed S&Ls, saying it

"was loosely structured and administered inconsistently ... (and) may have decreased the pool of prospective bidders."

Meanwhile, former Deputy Treasury Secretary R.T. McNamar presented the real estate plan to Bush administration officials in a private meeting late last week. According to an outline prepared by McNamar and obtained by The Associated Press, it would create state or local Real Estate Liquidation Trusts.

The trusts would issue bonds, partly backed by the federal government, partly by state or local governments, and use the money to buy distressed

S&L real estate from the federal government.

The trusts would be independent of local government and would hire private sector staff who would manage the properties with the goal of selling them at the highest price possible over 10 to 15 years. Trust managers' compensation would be based on long-term performance of the properties under their care.

White House and Treasury Department officials on Monday did not immediately return telephone calls seeking comment.

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### Surrounded by smoke

These horses seek refuge in a corner of their corral on Monday evening, north of Hereford on Avenue K, as smoke from a surrounding grass fire obscures the horizon. The Hereford Volunteer

Fire Department has been kept busy with grass fires in town and in rural areas. The fire danger won't decrease until the area receives beneficial rainfall.

## Fire danger extremely high Groups pushing state pay raise

Uncontrolled burning of trash and fields has led to at least eight fires in the past three days that have been fought by the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department.

The situation, firemen say, won't ease up until the area receives appreciable rainfall.

"It's just so dry," said Hereford fireman Mike Watts. "We just want to ask people not to burn their stubble, not to burn their trash, until some time when it's not so dry and not so windy."

Hereford and Walcott firefighters worked for over three hours last Friday at a fire five miles southwest of Hereford in which a barn, mobile home and 40 acres of grass were burned.

The cause of the fire was listed as burning trash.

On Monday, firefighters were going to a fire two miles west of Hereford, where stalks burning in a field got out of control, crossing over a farm-to-market road and into another field, when another alarm came in from north of Hereford.

There, firemen worked for almost three hours, trying to keep a pasture fire from consuming a barn filled with hay.

"All of these fires have resulted from uncontrolled burning of trash or stubble," Watts said.

He said one person had called the fire department on Monday asking if it was okay to burn off tumbleweeds that had accumulated around her house.

"We told her to have someone haul them off, and she said they'd just build back up. I told her to have 'em haul them off again."

"It's the same way with trash. If you have trash, don't burn it. We just don't need anything burned until it's not so dry and not so windy."

Firemen have been kept busy all over the state, with over 44,000 acres of land blackened since Saturday.

38,000 of those acres were in Dickens County in a grassfire that started Sunday afternoon. Six families were evacuated and a fire truck from the Spur Fire Department was destroyed in the fire. A dozen head of cattle died and a home was burned in the fire.

The largest fire in the history of Big Bend National Park destroyed 615 acres in the High Chisos Mountains on Sunday and Monday. The fire resulted from human carelessness.

A lit cigarette thrown from a car started one fire along Interstate 10 near Kerriville, while other fires were started in the Kerriville area from open burning.

There were 151 total fires reported in the Piney Woods in southeast Texas, burning over 3,500 acres.

A state official said a moratorium may be called on open burning throughout the state to help prevent more devastation.

--Written by Managing Editor John Brooks. Brand staff writer Andrea Hooten and the Associated Press contributed.

## Local Roundup

### Charges stem from accident

A man driving a motorcycle allegedly struck a pickup's rear in front of a convenience store on north U.S. Highway 385 Saturday night, and the man later bolted from the police officer's vehicle where he was sitting in the back seat.

Domingo Diaz III, 19, suffered injuries to the head when the motorcycle he was driving, belonging to Joe Martinez, ran into the back of the 1976 pickup driven by Shane Earnest, 16. Earnest was attempting a right-hand turn into Pak-A-Sak, 830 S. 25 Mile Ave.

Police officer Ron Tucker put Diaz in the back seat of his vehicle and was talking to others involved in the accident when Diaz ran from the car.

Martinez came to the scene and began shoving Earnest and threatening to kill him if Earnest did not repair his motorcycle, said Earnest in a statement.

Earnest has filed charges of assault by threat and assault by bodily contact on Martinez.

Diaz was charged with unsafe passing to the right, leaving the scene of an accident, no liability insurance, failure to produce a driver's

license and having no motorcycle endorsement.

Tucker said today that the accident is still under investigation and more charges may be filed.

### Assault charges filed

Darrell Russell, 217 Ave. A, was charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon Saturday morning in the 100 block of Campbell Street after he allegedly fired a shotgun at Kenneth Stacy on Friday night over a civil dispute.

According to Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Office reports, Russell, 26, a friend of Stacy's estranged wife, missed hitting Stacy after a person in a vehicle caused the shotgun to miss its aim.

Russell is free after posting \$10,000 bond at Deaf Smith County Jail.

### Police arrest three

The Hereford Police Department arrested a man, 32, for driving while intoxicated in the 100 block of Avenue B; a 37-year-old man was charged with driving with a suspended license (second offense), no

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## Hearings begin today on Cheney

WASHINGTON (AP) - Defense Secretary-designate Dick Cheney's voting record on military issues toes the Republican line, showing strong support for former President Reagan's record peacetime Pentagon buildup.

But the pragmatic lawmaker from Wyoming may not be that predictable as head of the Pentagon.

The Senate Armed Services Committee begins hearings today on President Bush's nominee with lawmakers expressing hope that the process can be wrapped up by week's end, when the Senate breaks for a two-week recess.

"The more rapidly we get through this the better," said Sen. Tim Wirth, D-Colo., a member of the committee. "I would hope we could be done by the end of this week."

Bush announced Friday that Cheney would be his nominee for the Pentagon post, one day after the Senate rejected John Tower, a former Texas senator, by a 53-47 vote.

The vote capped a bitter, partisan debate in the Senate where lawmakers expressed concerns over allegations of excessive drinking and womanizing against Tower and his work as a paid defense consultant after government service.

Cheney lacks Tower's defense experience, but his background as former President Ford's White House chief of staff for 14 months and reputation as a compromiser places him in good standing.

"I think Dick Cheney knows what one needs to know when one takes over that post," said Senate Democratic Whip Alan Cranston of California.

"He will learn a lot more detail now. He is well aware of the broad concepts and as chief of staff at the White House he had to know a great deal about national defense matters."

Cheney is a member of the House Select Committee on Intelligence and the ranking Republican on the panel's program and budget authorization subcommittee.

The six-term congressman has supported the MX missile; funding for Reagan's Strategic Defense Initiative, commonly known as Star Wars; production of new chemical weapons; and passage of the Intermediate-range Nuclear Forces treaty, the U.S.-Soviet pact eliminating medium- and short-range missiles.

But his comments in May 1984 raise questions about whether Cheney will support the MX.

## Search on for tainted grapes

WASHINGTON (AP) - Virtually all grapes and some other fresh fruits are gone from store shelves today as Food and Drug Administration officials try to determine the source and extent of an apparent cyanide poisoning attempt.

The FDA, in one of the largest actions of its kind, on Monday warned consumers not to eat any fruit imported from Chile after traces of the poison were found in seedless red grapes shipped from the South American country to Philadelphia.

The cyanide was confirmed in testing ordered after an anonymous threat to poison Chilean fruit was telephoned to the U.S. embassy in the Chilean capital of Santiago.

"This may be an isolated incident, but we can hardly take that chance," said FDA Commissioner Frank Young.

The FDA urged that all fruit imported from Chile be removed from U.S. markets and Chilean fruit not yet distributed be held while tests continue.

Supermarkets across the country began clearing their shelves of the produce soon after the announcement Monday evening, said Karen Brown, a spokeswoman for the Food Marketing Institute.

Virtually all the fresh grapes sold in the United States at this time of year come from Chile, FDA officials said, adding that grapes make up about two-thirds of the Chilean fruit currently being shipped to the United States.

## Lawmakers' salaries set by Texas Constitution. They also receive \$30 a day for expenses during sessions, but they last received a salary hike - from \$400 monthly - in 1975.

AUSTIN (AP) - Tripling state lawmakers' pay from its current \$600 a month would increase the number of people who could serve in the Legislature and reduce the influence of well-financed lobbyists, says a citizens' group that backs the pay hike.

"The current salary of \$7,200 a year leaves legislators vulnerable to the influence of well-financed special interest lobbies and creates a scenario ripe for conflict of interest," said Pam Fridrich, executive director of Common Cause.

The special interest lobbyists enhance the advantages they enjoy over individual citizens and public interest groups through offers of free meals and entertainment, while they establish personal relationships with legislators and provide their viewpoint and information to them," she said.

Ms. Fridrich said Monday that the pay raise for the part-time lawmakers would make it possible for Texans to serve who might otherwise lack the financial resources to spend the 140-day biennial sessions and frequent special sessions in Austin.

"Personal wealth should not be a requisite for serving in the Legislature. Yet, today, Texas makes it extremely difficult for those without substantial personal resources to serve as a legislator," she said.

Besides Common Cause, a citizen lobby, other groups endorsing the pay raise proposal by Rep. David Hudson, D-Tyler, included the League of Women Voters, National Organization for Women, Texas Consumer Association and American Association of Retired Persons.

Lawmakers' salaries are set by the Texas Constitution. They also receive \$30 a day for expenses during sessions, but they last received a salary hike - from \$400 monthly - in 1975.

Texas ranks well below the national average of \$16,400, and pays lawmakers the least of the nation's 10 largest states, Ms. Fridrich said.

Hudson's proposed constitutional amendment, which has 45 co-sponsors, would boost legislators' pay to one-fourth the salary paid to the governor. The speaker of the House and lieutenant governor would get half the governor's salary.

If the amendment passes the Legislature and then wins voter approval in November, lawmakers would receive about \$23,000 annually beginning in 1991.

Although his proposal doesn't include it, Hudson said he wouldn't object to putting limits on how much in entertainment and gifts legislators could accept from lobbyists.

"I certainly would give consideration to it. I don't have an objection to those kinds of limitations," he said.

Hudson also said he wasn't worried about recent public outcry over a congressional pay raise because that controversy showed the difference between state lawmakers' \$7,200 salaries and the more than \$80,000 paid congressmen.

"For the first time in a long time, many many more people are coming to an understanding of just exactly what legislative salaries are," he said.

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## News Digest State

**PLAINVIEW** - A high school tennis coach was being held without bond in Conroe after being charged with capital murder in a December execution-style slaying.

**SWEETWATER** - The arrival of a handful of protesters to the Sweetwater Snake Roundup surprised some visitors, but underscored a growing dispute surrounding the fate of the snakes.

**AUSTIN** - Too many people in Texas have died riding in the back of a pickup, says a lawmaker whose bill would prohibit the practice for children younger than 12.

**AUSTIN** - Legislators who favor a plan to give Texans the power to decide on some of their own laws through initiative and referendum may require a lengthy fight, but it's a worthwhile struggle.

**AUSTIN** - A bill authorizing \$138.5 million for new prisons is part of a developing plan to provide more Texas Department of Corrections facilities while building a system in which "all roads don't lead to TDC," the bill sponsor said.

**AUSTIN** - A proposal to triple state lawmakers' pay from its current \$600 a month is gaining support from organizations who say the increase would reduce the influence of well-financed lobbyists.

**AUSTIN** - While some black lawmakers oppose combining a Martin Luther King Jr. holiday with Confederate Heroes Day, others believe that it is the only way to get a King state holiday approved.

## World-National

**CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla.** - Discovery's astronauts, having successfully launched their \$100 million to orbit, turned their attention today to chicken eggs, crippled rats and photographing the Earth.

**SALT LAKE CITY** - Utah State University researchers Frank Salisbury and Bruce Bugbee see beyond hybrid wheat thriving in hydroponic gardens to a day when the fruit of their experiments will feed human colonies on the moon and Mars.

**WASHINGTON** - Traces of cyanide found in seedless red grapes from Chile led to a sweeping Food and Drug Administration warning against eating any fruit imported from the South American nation.

**WASHINGTON** - Several television ministries whose finances are being audited by the Internal Revenue Service in the wake of the PTL scandal are in danger of losing their federal tax exemptions, the IRS says.

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**WASHINGTON** - Defense Secretary-designate Dick Cheney's voting record on military issues is a mirror image of the Republican line, showing strong support for former President Reagan's record peacetime Pentagon buildup.

**NEW YORK** - A troika of court-appointed watchdogs will oversee the entire Teamsters union for the next three years under the unprecedented settlement of a federal lawsuit to wrest control of the nation's largest union from alleged mob domination.

**WASHINGTON** - One of the ultimate insiders in the 1988 presidential race, Sen. Paul Simon, offers blunt observations on his own campaign and those of his Democratic rivals in a book being released today.

**ATHENS, Greece** - Premier Andreas Papandreu and his Socialist party begin putting the political pieces together after the government, its credibility damaged by a financial scandal, defeats a censure motion in Parliament.



### What time is it

Larry Wartes, Ed coplen (obscured behind Wartes) and Cuby Kitchens put the eye on the runners as they come around the corner at Saturday's track meet in Hereford. Dozens of volunteers worked as timers, event supervisors and compilers at the meet at Whiteface Stadium.

## Plainview teacher arrested

**PLAINVIEW (AP)** - A high school tennis coach was being held without bond in Conroe after being charged with capital murder in a December execution-style slaying.

Jon David Weatherred, coach of Plainview High School's tennis team and a physical education teacher at the school, was arrested Monday in between classes, officials said.

The coach is accused of fatally shooting William Strawn, 35, the boyfriend of Weatherred's former girlfriend, on Dec. 12, officials said.

Weatherred, 30, could be suspended, but continue to receive his salary, as a result of his arrest, said school Superintendent Dennis Townsend. No decision on a suspension can be made until school officials talk with Weatherred, who under school district policy would remain under suspension until a hearing could be held to decide whether to reinstate him, he said.

Strawn was shot once in the back of the head with a .38-caliber weapon at the home of Pamela Beene, a Conroe school teacher who was Weatherred's ex-girlfriend. The gun has not been recovered, officials said.

Montgomery County Sheriff Joe Corley said capital murder charges were filed in the case because the victim's car and one of his personal checks were stolen. The car was recovered two weeks later in Houston.

Strawn was shot as he lay face down on a floor in the residence, according to Corley.

Weatherred taught tennis and physical education at the high school.

## ROUNDUP

liability insurance and running a stop sign in the 200 block of Floss Street; and a man, 26, was charged with running a stop sign in the 200 block of Lake Street.

Class A assault was reported in the 400 block of Avenue C; unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 600 block of Avenue K; civil standby and assault by threat were reported in the 400 block of Avenue F in which a husband and wife were arguing; a dog bite was reported in the 400 block of Barrett Street; a domestic disturbance was reported in the 100 block of Alamo Calle; a dog was reported loose in the 400 block of Texas Avenue; a loose dog was reported in the 100 block of Douglas Street;

A civil matter was reported in the 100 block of Norton Street; disorderly conduct was reported in the 200 block of Avenue A; Class A assault was reported in the 400 block of West Park Avenue; two 12-packs of beer were taken from a convenience store; criminal mischief was reported in the 700 block of Stanton Street.

Offenses on Monday included disorderly conduct in the 600 block of Avenue I; reckless driving in the 100 block of Thunderbird Street; trespassing in the 200 block of Barrett; a dog bite in the 200 block of Avenue E;

Theft in the 900 block of East Park Avenue, the 500 block of Avenue J, and the 500 block of Union; assault by threat in the 100 block of East Park; disorderly conduct and criminal trespassing in the 600 block of East Park; and criminal mischief in the 100 block of Avenue H.

Police issued three citations Monday.

## Weather not so warm

Tonight will be clear and cooler with a low near 30. East-northeast winds will be 5-15 mph.

Wednesday will be sunny with a high near 60. Southeast winds will be 5-15 mph.

This morning's low at KPAN was 54 after a high Monday of 81.

## Sheriff's office busy

The Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Office arrested a man, 37, on traffic warrants from the Department of Public Safety; a man, 42, was charged with writ of attachment for not paying his bills; a woman, 25, was charged with theft by check; a 27-year-old man was arrested for reckless driving;

A man, 43, was charged with traffic warrants from county court; an 18-year old female was arrested on probation revocation from county court; a man, 18, was arrested on minor consuming alcohol charges; and a woman, 26, was arrested for furnishing him with the alcohol.

## Gramm searches for SSC support

**WASHINGTON (AP)** - Sen. Phil Gramm says the super collider is in trouble in Congress and currently doesn't have the votes needed to authorize construction of the \$4.6 billion atom smasher.

But Rep. Joe Barton, an Ennis Republican whose district includes the super collider site, Waxahatchie, Texas, said Monday: "We're in decent shape. ... I think we do have the votes in the House."

Barton acknowledged that there are still many in Congress who do not know much about the proposed atom smasher, which backers hope will help scientists understand the fundamental nature of matter and provide spinoffs in fields such as medicine, communications and transportation.

Gramm, a Texas Republican, says he's trying to "activate" scientists, laboratories and contractors with a stake in the super collider to contact their representatives and senators in support of the project because "it is in trouble."

"I'm basically alerting everybody in the next couple of months (that) this is going to come to a head," Gramm said in an interview Friday. "Today we do not have the votes to fund the super collider."

Although President Bush has endorsed construction of the super collider, Congress has yet to approve any money for building the high-energy physics project at the site south of Dallas.

Super collider supporters expected an uphill battle this year in convincing Congress to authorize construction of the project, but none has been as frank as Gramm in acknowledging the depth of skepticism on Capitol Hill.

Barton said he believes the key to funding is "convincing a majority in the House and Senate this is a national project, not a Texas project."

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, a Texas Democrat, also says supporters have an uphill battle. "no question about it."

"The size of the federal deficit alone ensures we'll have to wage an all-out fight but I'm an optimist and I'm determined to get the votes needed to begin construction of the superconducting super collider in the coming fiscal year," Bentsen said.

## Courthouse Records

### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURT DISPOSITIONS

Deaf Smith County vs. Joe I. Garcia, delinquent taxes of \$135.75 plus court costs, paid Feb. 27.

Hereford Independent School District vs. Janiece Garrett, delinquent taxes of \$145.68 plus court costs, paid Feb. 27.

Hereford Independent School District vs. Opal L. Johnson, delinquent taxes of \$27.55 plus court costs, paid Feb. 24.

Reynaldo Marquez vs. John Jublett, use of front end loader, \$2,450 plus court costs, dismissed, filed against wrong party, Feb. 27.

### COUNTY COURT FILINGS

State of Texas vs. Mary Angelica Riojas, false report to a peace officer, March 7.

State of Texas vs. Gonsalo Lira, false alarm, March 8.

State of Texas vs. Bryan Hal Gilbreath, driving while intoxicated, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Bryan Hal Gilbreath, resisting arrest, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Norberto Frausto, criminal trespassing, March 8.

State of Texas vs. Fernando Lopez, no liability insurance (second offense), March 9.

State of Texas vs. Daniel King Dickinson, justice of the peace appeal for speeding, March 8.

State of Texas vs. Antonio Saucedo, no liability insurance (second offense), March 10.

State of Texas vs. Patricia Fuentes, theft of service, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Duane Spearance, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Nora Hernandez, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Lucille Sabedra, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Richard Castillo, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Rosa Alvarez aka Rosa Castillo Alvarez, Corina Alvarez, Rosemary Alvarez, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. George Crafton, theft by check, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Francisca Lopez, no liability insurance (second offense), March 10.

State of Texas vs. Nick Garcia, reckless driving, March 10.

State of Texas vs. Adio Guerra, assault, March 13.

### COUNTY COURT DISPOSITIONS

State of Texas vs. Donald Buxton, criminal mischief, probation six months, \$1,000 fine, three days in jail, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Donald Buxton, criminal mischief, three days in jail, \$250 fine, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Diana Mungia Guerrero, no liability insurance (second offense), dismissed, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Earl Willis, assault, \$200 fine plus court costs, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Jorge Palacios, no liability insurance (second offense), \$300 fine, March 9.

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State of Texas vs. Efrén Elizalde Sr., no liability insurance (second offense), \$200 fine, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Fernando Madero, no liability insurance (second offense), \$450 fine, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Pedro Cervantez, driving while intoxicated, violation of probation, probation revoked, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Ernesto Castro, driving with a suspended license, \$200 fine, three days in jail, March 9.

State of Texas vs. Tonya Dee Parkinson, theft over \$20 and under \$200, dismissed, March 13.

### DISTRICT COURT CIVIL FILINGS

Producer Marketing Inc. vs. Rinta Custom Feeders Inc., suit on account, March 8.

### DISTRICT COURT CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

State of Texas vs. Jimmy Jack Aragon aka J.J. Gonzales, guilty plea, felony driving while intoxicated, five years TDC, \$1,000 fine, 180 days driver's license suspension, March 6.

State of Texas vs. Lionel Gonzales Jr., guilty plea, delivery of marijuana under 4 ounces but over 1/4 ounce, five years TDC probation, \$1,000 fine, March 6.

Mary Jones, Cynthia Black, Dennis Adams, Alice Adams, individually and Alice Adams as administrator of the estate of Monique Black, deceased vs. Mark Ammor, defendant discharged of all liability, March 6.

State of Texas vs. Eneodella "Adelia" Castillo, guilty plea, aggravated assault on a peace officer, eight years probation, \$1,000 fine, 30 days in jail, \$661 restitution, March 7.

State of Texas vs. Pedro Cervantez, nolo contendere, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, 10 years TDC probation, \$500 fine, \$155.50 restitution, March 7.

State of Texas vs. Pedro Cervantez, nolo contendere, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, 10 years TDC probation, \$203 restitution, March 7.

### MARRIAGES

Francisco Carrisalez and Melissa Quintero, March 6.

Patrick Edward Mercer and Soledad Pochy Soliz, March 7.

James Michael Bridges and Connie Beth Giesler Hart, March 13.

David Casarez and Jesus Diaz Casarez, March 13.

### DIVORCES

Kip Winfield Barker and Patricia H. Barker, March 6.

Curtis Leo Ritchie and Lani Suzanne Ritchie, March 7.

### WILLIE CAGLE

March 10, 1989

Willie Cagle, 53, of Hereford died at 8:15 p.m. Friday, March 10, 1989, in Deaf Smith General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were held Monday afternoon in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home. Burial was in Rest Lawn Memorial Park under the direction of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Cagle was born in Parkins, Ark. He married Pat Lacombe Jan. 22, 1954, in Wynn, Ark. She died in 1988. He was a farmer and grain elevator worker and a Baptist.

Survivors include two sons, Gary Wayne of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Sammy of Hereford; three daughters, Tammie Ambold, Darlene Ponder and Sandra Cagle, all of Hereford; eight brothers, Cecil and Larry, both of Peoria, Ill., Bobby, Johnny, Roger, Bruce and Paul, all of Rochelle, Ill., and Ronald of Rockford, Ill.; six sisters, Jewell Russell of Rochelle, Ill., Georgia Carol McCoy and Mary Alice Cagle, both of Wynn, Ark., Marie Stevens of Parkins, Ark., Martha Sue Cagle of Indiana and Betty Cagle; and 10 grandchildren.

The flying fish, when pursued by enemies, can soar above the water from two to 15 seconds and cover distances of 45 to 200 yards.

The Utah Jazz had the heaviest squad in the NBA in the 1988-89 season. The JAZZ averaged 224.23 pounds per man.

### JOHN M. VARNER

March 11, 1989

John Matthew Varner, son of Tom and Melody Varner, was stillborn Saturday, March 11, 1989.

Graveside services were planned at 3 p.m. today in Memory Gardens Cemetery of Amarillo with Garvin McCarrell, youth pastor at Trinity Fellowship Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Schooler-Gordon Bell Avenue Chapel.

Survivors include his parents; two brothers, Brett Varner and Aaron Varner of the home; a sister, Lisa Varner of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Varner of Hereford and Mr. and Omar Parker of Amarillo; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Peoples of Amarillo.

### REBECA CORDOVA

March 12, 1989

Rebeca Daria Cordova, 58, of Friona died at 2:20 p.m. Sunday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in Iglesia Jesus of Christ in Hereford with Jesus Cervantes officiating. Victor Maldonado of Iglesia Church of Christ in Friona will assist. Burial will be in Restlawn Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Cordova was born in Rio Grande City. She had lived in Friona the past nine years, moving from Springlake. She married

Guadalupe Cordova in 1965 in Floydada. She was a housewife.

Survivors include her husband; six daughters, Angie, Maria, Isable, Millie, Cindy and Sally, all of Friona; two sons, Perfecto of Friona and Lupe of Waco; three brothers, Marino Garcia of Hereford, Juan Garcia of Plainview and Mike Garcia of Edcouch; two sisters, Maria Delgado of Amarillo and Rafaela Morales of California; and three grandchildren.

The body will be at the church in Hereford until service time.

### ALBERT GERBER

March 12, 1989

Albert A. Gerber, 72, of Nazareth died at 5:45 p.m. Sunday at Amarillo's St. Anthony's Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Rosary will be held at 8 p.m. today at the Holy Family Catholic Church with the Rev. Brendan Sherry, pastor, officiating. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday. Burial will be in the Holy Family Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Gerber lived his entire life in Castro County. He married Virgie Stark on Aug. 19, 1941, in Nazareth. He was a welder and owned Gerber and Sons Welding in Nazareth from 1948 until 1972.

He was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church and an honorary member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a charter member of the Lions Club. He

## Hospital Notes

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Tony Balderaz, Federico Balderrama, Mary Carrillo, Nicholas Garcia II, Cecilia Garza, Robert Greenawalt, Mary Ellen Greider, Peggy Gutierrez.

Jean Henderson, Neva Hennington, Lydia Montgomery, Ben Noyes, Infant Girl Ramirez, Maria Elena Ramirez, Diane Reeder, Carolyn Waters, Pamela Whitson, Rosa Rodriguez, Callie Vandever, Casandra Pesina.

Survivors include his wife; seven sons, Carroll, Keith, Harold and Dan, all of Nazareth, Eugene of Odessa, Rick of Austin and Kevin of Plainview; five daughters, Beverly Hill, Sandee Hoelting and Glenna Birkenfield, all of Nazareth, Donna Gerber Hamby of Hereford and Tricia Rose of Tulsa; a sister, Rozena Albrach of Amarillo; four brothers, Leonard and Tony, both of Nazareth, Henry of Amarillo and Bill of Umbarger; and 24 grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Panhandle Area Kidney Patients Auxiliary, 5920 Amarillo Boulevard West, Amarillo, Texas, 79106, with envelopes to be marked to the attention of Pat Burdett.

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# Lifestyles

## Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** "Please come home early." This was the most unreasonable request ever made by my wife of almost 40 years.

She didn't make this request often. It came mostly on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, but it seemed that I always had so many things to do that in spite of her gentle urging, I rarely came home early.

I don't want to give the impression that I was never at home. I was at home a lot. We rarely did anything out of the ordinary. We enjoyed the kids and the grandchildren. We listened to music, read the paper and had meals together. Sometimes we would just talk about how the day had gone.

Now I know why she asked me so often to "Please come home early." She wasn't just lonely, she was lonely for me. When she passed away a short time ago, I learned firsthand what loneliness is all about.

I have a supportive family and many good friends. I'm free now to go places and do things, but I'm lonesome. Lonesome for her.

Now that she's gone, I've found the time to "come home early," but there is nobody to come home to. There is nobody to do those simple little things with, such as watching the evening news, listening to music and reading the paper. And nobody cares how my day went.

If I should get a call from the good Lord to "Please come home early," I won't fight it.--Lonesome in K.C.

**DEAR LONESOME:** How sad that so many of life's lessons are learned after it is too late to put them into practice.

I'll bet thousands of husbands who are asked to "Please come home early" will look upon that request in a different light after reading your letter. And they may even do it. Cheer up. You've helped a lot of people today by sharing a real love story.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** My wife

and I live in a modest suburban neighborhood about two blocks off a busy commercial strip leading into Washington, D.C.

Christmas Eve, around midnight, we returned home from a party to find a tired-looking couple on our front doorstep. They said they were traveling to Virginia from somewhere in the Midwest, their truck had broken down, and they needed \$18 more for motel lodging. They sounded sincere and looked pretty pathetic.

We asked if they had eaten. They said they hadn't, so we gave them \$36 for the motel and some dinner and wished them a merry Christmas. They seemed very grateful and walked off into the darkness.

Since that night we've been wondering if we did the right thing. If this were Norman Rockwell's America we would have taken them in, fed them and let them sleep in the second bedroom.

We won't miss the \$36, but were we wrong not to have shared our home? Should we have made more of an effort to see that they repaid the money instead of nervously giving it to them and shooing them away? What do you think, Ann?--T.C.M., College Park, Md.

**DEAR T.C.M.:** I think Norman Rockwell's America is a thing of the past. To invite a strange couple into your home these days (at midnight yet) would be sheer lunacy. You were far more generous than most people would have been under the circumstances. Please stop feeling guilty.

**What are the signs of alcoholism? How can you tell if someone you love is an alcoholic?** Alcoholism: HOW to Recognize It, How to Deal With It, How to Conquer will give you the answers. To receive a copy, send \$3 and a self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope (45 cents postage) to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562.

## Workshop planned

The Women of St. Thomas Episcopal Church met Saturday at the church. Vera Threewit read the devotional and offered a prayer.

Jerre Clark, president, led the session and in the absence of the secretary, she also read the minutes which were approved.

The treasurer's report was given by Threewit, followed by a discus-

sion on the budget.

A letter from Bishop Hulseby was read thanking the women for their donation to his discretionary fund. Also, literature was received from Peggy Soucy concerning a workshop on "Women Of Vision" to be held in Amarillo April 7-9. Members were urged to attend.



In old Bavaria, children were sprinkled with flax seed to make them thrive.



## Wo-He-Lo presented

Jill Johnson, left, received the Wo-He-Lo medallion during the 1989 annual awards banquet of Camp Fire held March 9 in the Bull Barn. The Wo-He-Lo medallion is the highest award in Camp Fire; observing the presentation was her mother, Teri Johnson.

## Collegiate choir to perform

The West Texas State University Collegiate Choir may be heard in concert beginning at 8 p.m. Monday, March 27, at Northern Recital Hall on the campus at West Texas State University.

The concert is free and open to the public.

The choir will open the performance with Robert Ray's "Gospel Mass" conducted by Larry Brandenburg. They will also perform a number of selections conducted by Bill Bingham including Anerio's "Christus Factus

Est", Haydn's "Gloria", Stravinsky's "Ave Maria", Dello Joio's "Come To Me My Love" and Diemer's "Dance, Dance My Heart."

The Chamber Singers will then perform English madrigal selections as well as "Five Canzonets" by Jean Berger.

For more information, call the WTSU department of music and dance at (806) 656-2840.

**LOS ANGELES (AP) -** Angela Lansbury, who recently agreed to stay for another year on CBS' highest rated show, "Murder, She Wrote," has been named Woman of the Year by the Hollywood Radio & Television Society.

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## Annual Camp Fire awards banquet held

The annual awards banquet of Camp Fire was held the evening of March 9 at the Bull Barn.

"Spring in with Camp Fire" served as the theme of the Father-Youth banquet which was attended by 550-600 people. Opening the event was a flag ceremony led by the Discovery and Horizon Clubs.

"I'm Indestructible" served as the opening sequence of the program and featured the song from the Summer '88 Olympics album.

Youths also performed to such songs as "One Moment in Time", "Cast Your Cares", "Climbing My Mountain", "All through the Day and Night", and "Forever Young." Camp Fire members Kristen Jesko, Chelli Cummings, Melissa Davis, Kerri Lange, Leisha Deyke, Erin Bullard, Misty Pagett, Laura Davis, Stacy Cochran, Kristi Halford, and Jill Johnson led other Camp Fire members in participating in the song session.

The awards ceremony began with the presentation of candy awards. These awards were distributed to the youth according to the number of boxes of candy they sold during the year, beginning with sellers of 40 boxes of candy.

Recognized for selling 100 or more boxes were Natalie Nino, Kimberly Scott, Becky Henderson, Kerris Montgomery, Richard Salinas, Diane Wilhelm, Aimee Gooch, and Anely Villegas. Selling 150 or more boxes were Shannon Guy, Jill Ramaekers, Jana Horton, and Allyn Garza while Kirk Pagett was the top seller with 225 boxes sold.

Three clubs claimed group awards as they represented the highest selling clubs in all levels of Camp Fire. Wo-Kin-Ya-Ta Discovery Club averaged 54 boxes per member with Stacy Lea as advisor; Micky and Minnie Blue Birds averaged 47 boxes per member with Rhea Jo Scott and Pat Northcutt as leaders; and Tan-Da-Ki-Ya Adventure Club also averaged 47 per member with Jainie Guy as leader.

Tenure awards were given, beginning with the three-year tenure

awards. Receiving their 12-year tenure awards as Horizon Club members were Kerri Lange, Erin Bullard, Kristen Jesko, Laura Harris, Misty Pagett, Jill Johnson, Vicki Mongold, Jennie Rodriguez, Jessica Dearing, Carrie Skelton, Jerilyn Baker, Tracy Flood, and Sara Rose.

Leaders were recognized as national awards were presented. The Wakan award, recognition for "exceptional and imaginative services to youth for a period of several years," was given to three local leaders.

Wakan recipients were Stacy Lea, Rose Mary Barrett, and Phillie Garza. Lea and Barrett have each served for four years and Garza has been a leader for six years, beginning two years ago in Nazareth.

Hiitani awards recognized leaders who provide "extensive and innovative service to youth for four or more years." Hiitani awards in the form of a gold pin were given Grace Skelton, Jackie Flood, and Judy Baker. They have been leaders for 11, 10, and 9 years, respectively.

The Wo-He-Lo medallion this year was bestowed on Jill Johnson. This award is the highest award in Camp Fire and was presented to Johnson by Gary Phipps, Camp Fire president.

**SUNDANCE, Utah (AP) -** A burglar stole an antique clock and more than \$1,500 worth of ski equipment from Robert Redford's office at his Sundance Ski Resort, police said.

Stolen early Tuesday were the clock, four pairs of skis, a pair of poles, gloves and some boots.

The burglar "went through a closet and took only the best skis and Robert Redford's ski poles," then left through the front door, according to a statement from the Utah County Sheriff's Department.

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# Sports

## Sandies, Rebels win track team trophies

Amarillo High, in the varsity and junior varsity boys divisions, and Tascosa, in the varsity and junior varsity girls divisions, won the team trophies in the Deaf Smith county Chamber of Commerce Invitational Track Meet on Saturday at Whiteface Stadium in Hereford.

The Hereford varsity boys, buoyed by a strong, 40-point showing in the field events, were second.

The Hereford girls finished sixth in their division with 38 points.

Hereford's boys mounted a lead during the morning during the field events. Benny Gonzales won the shot put with a toss of 53 feet, 8 1/4 inches; Brad Mason won the pole vault at 13 feet; Tate Smith was second in the high jump with a leap of 6-2; and Kevin Paetzold was second in the discus with a toss of 144-1 3/4.

But Amarillo dominated the running events during the afternoon to earn the team championship.

The Tascosa girls used overall strength to pull away for the varsity girls title, winning five gold medals and placing in every event.

Medalists for the Hereford girls included Cande Robbins, third in the discus with a toss of 101-3/4, and Teresa Castillo, first in the 800-meter dash in 2:32.24.

Here are the results from Saturday's meet, with the top three finishers and Hereford contestants who placed sixth or better:

**JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS**  
 Team totals: 1. Tascosa, 147; 2. Estacado, 117; 3. Pampa, 101; 4. Clovis, 68; 5. Hereford, 41; 6. Randall, 31; 7. Dunbar, 27; 8. Borger, 9; 9. Levelland, 6.  
 Discus: 1. Burgen, Tascosa, 81-7; 2. Miller, Clovis, 81-5; 3. Miller, Pampa, 76-7 3/4.  
 Triple jump: 1. Turner, Tascosa (no distance listed); 2. Jeffrey, Pampa, 29-10; 3. Walker, Estacado, 29-4 1/4.  
 Shot: 1. Norris, Estacado, 31-7 1/4; 2.

Childress, Estacado, 27-11; 3. Vincent, Pampa, 27-10.

Long jump: 1. Turner, Tascosa, 14-6; 2. Brooks, Hereford, 14-4 1/4; 3. Walker, Estacado, 14-1 3/4.

3200: 1. Romero, Clovis, 13:47.45; 2. Rallsback, Tascosa, 14:01.52; 3. Sally Garza, Hereford, 14:10.45; 6. Aracely Nava, Hereford, 14:45.31.

400 Relay: 1. Tascosa, 51.82; 2. Estacado, 53.66; 3. Pampa, 54.6.

800: 1. Herbert, Tascosa, 2:41.02; 2. Romero, Clovis, 2:41.94; 3. Allen, Randall, 2:43.45.

100 Hurdles: 1. Turner, Tascosa, 18.05; 2. Amber Brooks, Hereford, 18.53; 3. Nunley, Estacado, 20.37; 4. Robles, Hereford, 20.97.

100: 1. Johnson, Dunbar, 13.09; 2. Austin, Estacado, 13.2; 3. Dunham, Pampa, 13.52.

800 Relay: 1. Tascosa, 1:54.27; 2. Pampa, 1:55.33; 3. Estacado, 1:56.4.

400: 1. Allen, Randall, 69.31; 2. Organ, Pampa, 70.09; 3. Johnson, Dunbar, 70.21.

300 IH: 1. Turner, Tascosa, 71.56; 2. Brooks, Hereford, 58.55; 3. Drager, Clovis, 58.88.

200: Johnson, Dunbar, 28.85; 2. Childress, Estacado, 29.21; 3. Halbrooks, Levelland, 29.41.

1600: 1. Herbert, Tascosa, 6:23.70; 2. Allen, Randall, 6:28.09; 3. Sally Garza, Hereford, 6:35.24.

1600 Relay: 1. Estacado, 4:37.77; 2. Pampa, 4:40.66; 3. Clovis, 4:41.28.

**JV BOYS**

Team totals: 1. Amarillo, 194; 2. Borger, 124; 3. Clovis, 75; 4. Hereford, 64; 5. (tie) Monterey and Plainview, 24; 7. Caprock, 22; 8. Dumas, 7.

Shot: 1. Staller, Clovis, 46-1 3/8; 2. Huntington, 41-10 5/8; 3. Mark Daniel, Hereford, 40-10 1/2.

Pole vault: 1. Devenney, Caprock, 12-6; 2. Lee, Borger, 11-6; 3. Das, Amarillo, 11-0.

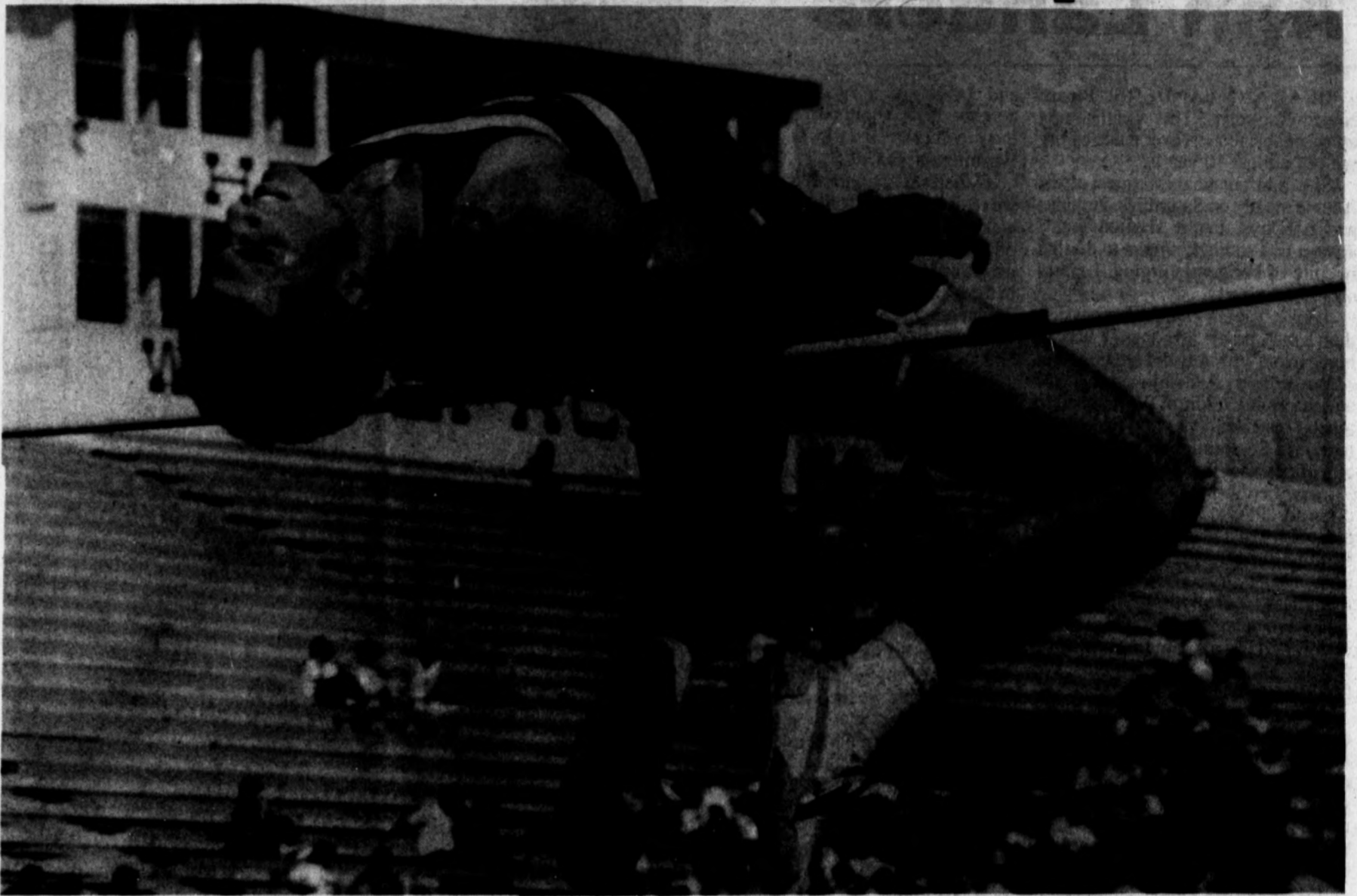
Discus: 1. Waters, Caprock, 114-10 1/4; 2. Lane, Monterey, 111-2 1/2; 3. Mark Daniel, Hereford, 110-7 1/4; 4. Ben Weatherly, Hereford, 107-1 1/2.

High jump: 1. Childress, Clovis, 5-8; 2. Jim Hillwig, Hereford, 5-6; 3. Hagle, Clovis, and Wilson, Borger, 5-6.

Long jump: 1. Blackburn, Amarillo, 19-11 1/2; 2. Paulk, Amarillo, 18-5; 3. Crane, Borger, 18-4; 5. Hillwig, Hereford, 18-2.

400 Relay: 1. Amarillo High, 45.02; 2. Borger, 45.86; 3. Hereford, 46.02.

800-1. Ash, Amarillo, 2:10.57; 2. Helm,



### Crossing the bar

Tate Smith clears the high-jump bar at 6-2 during Saturday's Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Invitational Track

Clovis, 2:11.13; 3. Sells, Monterey, 2:11.39. 110 hurdles: 1. Pirtle, Amarillo, 16.52; 2. Hanna, Borger, 16.82; 3. Muncie, Amarillo, 16.85; 6. Bentley, Hereford, 17.83.

100: 1. Jones, Amarillo, 11.56; 2. Paulk, Amarillo, 11.7; 3. Knighton, Borger, 11.73; 4. Hillwig, Hereford, 11.9; 6. Lemons, Hereford, 12.04.

400: 1. Marsh, Amarillo, 53.06; 2. Bias, Cantu, Hereford, 53.21; 3. Martinez, Plainview, 53.64.

300 IH: 1. Pirtle, Amarillo, 42.11; 2. Brown, Borger, 43.5; 3. Muncie, Amarillo, 43.55; 5. Bentley, Hereford, 46.58.

200: 1. Doby, Amarillo, 23.96; 2. Jones, Amarillo, 24.06; 3. Crain, Borger, 24.1.

1600: 1. Giesler, Clovis, 5:09.08; 2. Vanhees, Clovis, 5:11.01; 3. Telford, Amarillo, 5:20.47; 4. Martinez, Hereford, 5:20.63.

1600 Relay: 1. Amarillo, 3:38.47; 2. Plainview, 3:39.49; 3. Borger, 3:48.78; 4. Hereford, 3:49.56.

**VARSITY GIRLS**  
 High jump: 1. Mulkey, Tascosa, 5-4; 2. Rexrode, Randall, 5-2; 3. Ryan, Pampa, 5-2; 4. Shantel Cornelius, Hereford, 5-0.

Triple jump: 1. Wallace, Palo Duro, 36-3; 2. Mulkey, Tascosa, 35-6; 3. Mathis, Pampa, 34-8; 6. West, Hereford, 32-11 3/4.

Discus: 1. Bailey, Levelland, 115-1 1/2; 2. Samsa, Pampa, 102-6 3/4; 3. Cande Robbins, Hereford, 101-3/4; 4. Cornelius, Hereford, 99-8 1/2.

Shot: 1. Williams, Pampa, 38-2; 2. Bailey, Levelland, 34-4 1/2; 3. Robinson, Borger, 33-10 1/2; 6. Robbins, Hereford, 31-5.

Long jump: 1. Sheppard, Borger, 19-10 1/2; 2. Wallace, Palo Duro, 16-8 1/2; 3. Mulkey, Tascosa, 16-6 1/2.

3200: 1. Reyna, Tascosa, 12:25.1; Dum Hamby, Pampa, 13:27.76; 3. Elms, Pampa, 13:41.75; 4. Alma Benitez, Hereford, 13:58.02; 6. Aracely Nava, Hereford, 14:45.31.

400 Relay: 1. Dunbar, 51.4; 2. Tascosa, 51.49; 3. Borger, 51.52.

800: 1. Teresa Castillo, Hereford, 2:32.24; 2. Seltz, Tascosa, 2:35.77; 3. Smith, Borger, 2:36.45.

Meet at Whiteface Stadium. Smith finished second in the high jump, missing three tries at 6-4.

Paetzold, Hereford, 144-1 3/4; 3. McKinney, Amarillo, 136-10; 4. Betzen, Hereford, 130-8 3/4.

High jump: 1. Pettis, Lubbock, 6-2; 2. Tate Smith, Hereford, 6-2; 3. Mills, Clovis, 6-0. Shot: 1. Benny Gonzales, Hereford, 53-8 1/4; 2. Thompson, Plainview, 51-1/4; 3. Davis, Caprock, 47-11.

Long jump: 1. Lawrence, Lubbock, 22-8 3/4; 2. Jarrett, Borger, 21-6; 3. Reams, Amarillo, 21-5.

3200: 1. Reagan, Amarillo, 10:12.27; 2. McLaughlin, Amarillo, 10:13.77; 3. Marmoles, Lubbock, 10:24.23; 6. DeLozier, Hereford, 10:58.5.

400 Relay: 1. Plainview, 43.02; 2. Hereford, 43.52; 3. Clovis, 44.36.

800: 1. Baker, Amarillo, 2:02.56; 2. Lambert, Clovis, 2:05.13; 3. Baker, Amarillo, 2:05.42; 4. Lehen, Hereford, 2:06.02; 6. Avila, Hereford,

2:10.81. 110 hurdles: Rattan, Amarillo, 14.68; 2. Walker, Plainview, 15.37; 3. Mercer, Hereford, 15.37.

100: 1. Jackson, Plainview, 10.94; 2. Squyers, Amarillo, 11.03; 3. Styron, Monterey, 11.04.

400: Kuyon, Amarillo, 50.33; 2. Horner, Amarillo, 51.78; 3. Kelvin Brown, Hereford, 51.88.

300 IH: 1. Powell, Monterey, 39.74; 2. Hall, Lubbock, 40.07; 3. Walker, Plainview, 41.40.

200: 1. Anglin, Amarillo, 22.1; 2. Squyers, Amarillo, 22.28; 3. Jefferson, Monterey, 22.3; 4. Perkins, Hereford, 22.45.

1600: 1. Reagan, Amarillo, 4:36.92; 2. McLaughlin, Amarillo, 4:40.37; 3. Lambert, Clovis, 4:51.

1600 Relay: 1. Amarillo, 3:24.43; 2. Monterey, 3:27.28; 3. Hereford, 3:27.99.

200: 1. Anglin, Amarillo, 22.1; 2. Squyers, Amarillo, 22.28; 3. Jefferson, Monterey, 22.3; 4. Perkins, Hereford, 22.45.

1600: 1. Reagan, Amarillo, 4:36.92; 2. McLaughlin, Amarillo, 4:40.37; 3. Lambert, Clovis, 4:51.

1600 Relay: 1. Amarillo, 3:24.43; 2. Monterey, 3:27.28; 3. Hereford, 3:27.99.

Hereford has a 1-0 district slate.



### Gonzales wins shot put

Benny Gonzales of the Hereford varsity boys' track team gets ready to toss the shot put at Saturday's meet. Gonzales ended up just short of the school record with a toss of 53 feet, 8 1/4 inches, but easily won the gold medal Saturday.

On Bastille Day, July 14, 1988, track announcer Terry Wallace at the Ak-Sar-Ben race track called a race in French in honor of France's national holiday.

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- deletion of the current regulation which restricts E911 Service to a single exchange area which has 50,000 exchange access arrangements or more;
- revising the tariff text to clarify that costs associated with network rearrangements required to accommodate the 911 code may result in additional charges to be determined on an individual case basis;
- a text addition to clarify that telephone company provided Public Safety Answering Equipment is required when a service includes Automatic Location Identification (ALI); and
- a text addition to explain emergency ringback.

The application is styled Docket No. 8565, Application of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for Approval of Amendment of Universal Emergency Number Service (911) Tariff. It is anticipated that Docket No. 8565 will be evidentiary in nature.

The public may intervene or participate in this docket but it is not required to do so. Anyone who wishes to intervene in this proceeding or comment on the relief sought by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 or call the Public Utility Commission Information Office at (512) 458-0010 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf. Motions to intervene in this proceeding must be filed with the Commission's filing clerk by April 12, 1989.

At Dumas Tournament  
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 Tascosa, 16-6 1/2.  
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 400 Relay: 1. Dunbar, 51.4; 2. Tascosa, 51.49; 3. Borger, 51.52.  
 800: 1. Teresa Castillo, Hereford, 2:32.24; 2. Seltz, Tascosa, 2:35.77; 3. Smith, Borger, 2:36.45.

Jason Scott and Kyle Andrews. Saul Garcia, Dusty Thomas (4) and Dave Venhaus. WP--Scott (2-0). LP--Garcia (0-1). 2B--Russell Backus 2, Clint Cotten 2, Jason Scott, Glenn Parker. 3B--Kyle Andrews, Keith Brown.

## Herd wins at Dumas

Jason Scott gave up just one hit, a leadoff single in the third inning, while Hereford powered eight extra-

base hits as the Herd dumped Dumas, 12-0, to take the championship in the Dumas Baseball Tournament.

Scott had 12 strikeouts over six innings for his second-straight win.

The Hereford hitting attack was led by Russell Backus and Clint Cotten, who each had two doubles and two runs batted in. Roger McCracken

had three RBI for the Herd, now 6-1 on the year. Scott and Glenn Parker also doubled, while Kyle Andrews and Keith Brown tripled during the game. The teams will meet each other today at 4 p.m., this time in a District 1-4A game at 4 p.m. at the Hereford diamond.

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# Girls rally for title

The Hereford High School girls' golf team rallied from nine strokes back after Friday's round to win their division of the Hereford Invitational Golf Tournament on Saturday by nine shots over Pampa.

Naomi Grijalva won medalist honors with a two-day total of 170. Melissa Grijalva finished third among medalists with a 183.

The Hereford boys' A team finished fifth with a two-day total of 664. Borger won the boys' division with a 644 and Denver City claimed second

with a 647. The two teams had been tied after the first round.

Canyon, who had been tied with Hereford for third place after Friday's round, was third with 652. Levelland made up 21 strokes on Saturday to place fourth with 663.

Scott Simons, who was seventh among medalists with a 159, led the Hereford team.

Chris Ray of Randall took medalist honors with a 153. Michael DeLosSantos of Denver City and John Dawson of Canyon tied for second at 154, but DeLosSantos won a coin flip.

The Hereford golfers will take this week off, then play their first District 1-4A round on March 23 at Plainview. Here are the results from the tournament:

## HEREFORD INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT GIRLS

Team totals: 1. Hereford, 390-363-753; 2. Pampa, 381-381-762; 3. Borger, 403-389-792; 4. Levelland, 436-432-868; 5. Dumas, 486-459-945; 6. Palo duro, 471-490-961.

Medalists: 1. Naomi Grijalva, Hereford, 86-84-170; 2. Whitney Sikes, Borger, 89-91-180; 3. Melissa Grijalva, Hereford, 94-89-183.

Low ball: 1. Pampa, 79-79-158; 2. Hereford (won on coin flip), 82-77-159; 3. Borger, 79-80-159.

Hereford: Naomi Grijalva, 86-84-170; Melissa Grijalva, 94-89-183; Brenda Allen, 105-91-194; Krystal Sims, 105-99-204; Lori Lacey, 112-106-218.

## BOYS

Team totals: 1. Borger, 325-319-644; 2. Denver City, 325-322-647; 3. Canyon, 329-323-652; 4. Levelland, 342-321-663; 5. Hereford A, 329-335-664; Randall, 341-336-677; Dumas, 336-354-690; Hereford B, 372-358-730.

Medalists: 1. Chris Ray, Randall, 78-75-153; 2. (won on coin flip) Michael DeLosSantos, Denver City, 79-75-154; 3. John Dawson, Canyon, 76-78-154.

Low ball: 1. (won on coin flip) Denver City, 70-66-136; 2. Borger, 69-67-136; 3. Hereford, 70-69-139.

Hereford A: Scott Simons, 77-82-159; Todd Schroeder, 83-82-165; Jason Walterscheid, 88-80-168; Keith Kelso, 86-91-177; Max Mungia, 83-100-183.

Hereford B: Robert Jones, 84-91-175; Kevin Kelso, 89-89-178; Anthony Gale, 101-89-190; Mikel Walser, 101-90-191; David McCarter, 98-101-199.

# Rodeo team opens season

Kirby Kaul won the steer wrestling. Clay Jones teamed up with Beau Blue of Dumas to win the team roping, and Regina Lewis won the goat tying to pace Hereford competitors at the Tri-State High School Rodeo held Saturday at Floydada.

Other placers included Toby Hill and Burt Noland in calf roping; Shawn McCormick in steer wrestling; Noland and Hill in team roping; Lewis in poles and breakaway roping; Marcie Smith in goat tying; and Alison Lookingbill in breakaway roping.

The team will compete this Saturday at Happy.

Here are the results from Saturday's rodeo.

Barebacks: 1. Todd Kile, Perryton, 68; 2. (tie) Ken King, Canadian, and Pat Sanchez, Dumas, 65; 4. Charley Williams, River Road, 62; 5. Toby Leffew, Merritt, Okla., 61.

Calf roping: 1. Ryan Haby, Claude, 11.281; 2. Shane Goad, Wheeler, 12.157; 3. Joel Prall, Gruver, 12.256; 4. Scott Powers, Wellington, 12.601; 5. Toby Hill, Hereford, 12.851; 6. Trent Johnson, Happy, 13.994; 7. Burt Noland, Hereford, 14.310.

Steer wrestling: 1. Kirby Kaul, Hereford, 9.535; 2. Twister Cain, River Road, 18.643; 3. Shawn McCormick, Hereford, 21.093; Greg Hughes, Tascosa, 23.090; 5. Richard Wood, River Road, 43.713.

Ribbon roping: 1. Clint Patterson, Spearman, 9.41; 2. Newt Hendricks, Happy, 9.471; 3. Dwight Thomas, Wheeler, 9.889; 4. Shane Goad, Wheeler, 10.617; 5. Daniel Grubhtey, Adrian, 10.650.

Team roping: 1. Blue, Dumas-Jones, Hereford, 9.288; 2. McCloy, Gruver-McEntrie, Wheeler, 9.912; 3. Noland, Hereford-Lookingbill, Dumas, 11.263; 4. Ryan Hamby, Claude-Noland, 14.070; 5. DeShong, Amarillo-McCarley, Happy, 14.220; 6. Hill-Jones, Hereford, 14.757; 7. Labrier, River Road-Gudgell, Adrian, 17.275; 8. Smith, Childress-Goad, Wheeler, 19.785.

## GIRLS

Barrels: 1. Kimbra Pierce, Canadian, 18.572; 2. Kara Pierce, Canadian, 18.604; 3. Brandy Lynch, Canadian, 18.661; 4. Kelly McCloy, Gruver, 18.698; 5. Tamra Johnson, Pampa, 18.852; 6. Nancy Hill, Channing, 18.890.

Poles: 1. Lynch, Canadian, 21.702; 2. Amy Hill, Channing, 22.544; 3. Johnson, Pampa, 22.959; 4. Shelly Thompson, Channing, 24.623; 5. Regina Lewis, Hereford, 25.255.

Goat tying: 1. Lewis, Hereford, 11.423; Dawn Bleiker, Channing, 11.712; 3. Marcie Smith, Hereford, 12.140; 3. Nancy Hill, Channing, 12.234; 5. Kerrie Pitts, Floydada, 12.320.

Breakaway roping: 1. Nancy Hill, Channing, 4.319; 2. McCloy, Gruver, 4.580; 3. Pitts, Floydada, 4.915; 4. Alison Lookingbill, Hereford, 6.090; 5. Amy Cunningham, Tascosa, 7.490; 6. Cindy Denny, Dumas, 12.405; 7. Lewis, Hereford, 12.952.



## Girls team wins first

The Hereford High School girls' golf team rallied to win first place in last weekend's Hereford Invitational Golf Meet at John Pitman Municipal golf course in Hereford. The team includes (back, from left) Krystal Sims, Naomi Grijalva (also the meet's medalist), Brenda Allen and Lori Lacey; (front, from left) Jenetta Britten and Melissa Grijalva. The team shot a two-round total of 753, nine strokes ahead of Pampa.

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**Lotsa laps to go**

Cuby Kitchens, left, shows Hereford runner Alina Benitez and other runners that they have four laps left to run during the 3,200-meter run at Saturday's track meet in Hereford. Benitez finished fourth in the race.

**Elliott heads AP team**

By The Associated Press  
Sean Elliott didn't have to be told he had made The Associated Press All-America team. But he was happy to find out.

"It's a real good feeling. Going into the (NCAA) tournament, it's a real emotional boost," the Arizona senior said. "By this time, there's something that tells you, you almost know you're going to be on the team."

Elliott, the only repeater on the first team announced Monday, was joined by seniors Danny Ferry of Duke, Stacey King of Oklahoma, Sherman Douglas of Syracuse, and freshman Chris Jackson of Louisiana State.

"This is a tribute to our team and its position," said Elliott, who added that this year he is "a lot stronger and a lot smarter on the court, and 100 percent better on defense."

The voting was done by the same national panel of sports writers and broadcasters which selects the weekly Top Twenty. Each voter selected three teams with points distributed on a 5-3-1 basis.

The second team was comprised of seniors Pervis Ellison of Louisville,

Glen Rice of Michigan, Mookie Blaylock of Oklahoma and Charles Smith of Georgetown, and sophomore Jay Edwards of Indiana.

The third team was seniors Todd Lichti of Stanford and George McCloud of Florida State, juniors Hank Gathers of Loyola Marymount, the nation's leading scorer and rebounder, and Lionel Simmons of La Salle, and freshman center Alonzo Mourning of Georgetown.

Elliott, the 51st player to repeat as an All-American in the 41 years a team has been selected, was the top vote-getter with 324 points and was named on the first team by 63 voters, just edging Ferry, 318 and 61, and King, 316 and 60.

The 6-foot-8 Elliott, the Pac-10's all-time leading scorer, leads the top-ranked Wildcats by averaging 22.0 points and 4.3 assists and is second in rebounding at 7.0. He is considered the perfect swingman, switching easily from the forward to the guard position.

Jackson, college basketball's all-time freshman scoring leader with 942 points, became only the second player of his class ever to make the team. Wayman Tisdale of Oklahoma was the

only other freshman selected as an All-American.

"I'm quite surprised about being named to the All-America team as a freshman. It is a great honor," Jackson said. "I'm shocked I've been able to do some of the things I've done. I thought my freshman year would be like anyone else would have; you know, that there would be some adjustment time to play college basketball. I've worked real hard and been preparing and it appears that has paid off."

Ferry has already been to the Final Four with the Blue Devils and the 6-10 forward averaged a team-leading 22.7 points and 7.4 rebounds while handing out 5.0 assists per game. He is the only Atlantic Coast Conference player ever to amass 2,000 points, 900 rebounds and 480 assists.

King, a powerful inside player at 6-10, suffered a broken index finger on his shooting hand midway through the season, but it failed to deter from averages of 26.3 points and 10.0 rebounds per game while blocking 70 shots and shooting 52.3 percent from the field.

**McNeese proud of first-ever tourney bid**

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP) - Despite a 16-13 record this season, the McNeese State Cowboys deserve to be in the NCAA tournament just as much as any of the other 63 teams in the field, Coach Steve Welch says. "It's a tremendous challenge for

us," Welch said Monday. "We will try to use the same tactics that we used to win the Southland Conference tournament. It's just a bigger hill to climb."

McNeese plays in its first NCAA tournament game ever Thursday

against fourth-ranked Illinois in an opening-round contest at Indianapolis.

Illinois was selected Sunday as the top seed in the Midwest regional. The other No. 1 seeds were third-ranked Georgetown in the East, second-ranked Oklahoma in the Southeast and top-

ranked Arizona in the West.

Georgetown, the Big East champion, opens Friday against Princeton at Providence. Later that day, Oklahoma will play East Tennessee State in Nashville, and top-ranked Arizona will be in Boise, Idaho on Thursday against Robert Morris.

Welch has seen his share of trouble since taking the helm at McNeese State last year.

He inherited a program on probation and docked two scholarships because of recruiting violations by his predecessor, Glenn Duhon. That probation ran its course and expired last month.

McNeese was 7-22 last year, its first under Welch.

"Our first five players are comparable to a lot of players, if we work hard. But we don't have the depth that other teams have, partly because we're only working with 13 scholarships now," he said.

The lack of depth was never more apparent than the 12-game period during which point guard Terry Griggley was sidelined with pulled abdominal muscles. The Cowboys lost seven of those games, six of them consecutively.

Before Griggley's injury, McNeese almost always played man-to-man

defense and worked patiently for the good shot. Even though he returned to health before the Southland Conference tournament, McNeese has gone almost exclusively to a zone or a triangle-and-two.

Offensively, Griggley keeps the Cowboys patient and tries to work the ball inside to Anthony Pullard, 6-foot-10, or Mark Thompson, 6-9, who play the double post. If that's not there, the post men kick it out to 6-4 guard Michael Cutright, the team's leading scorer.

Cutright averaged 20.1 points, Pullard 17.4 and Thompson 11.7.

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Thence West parallel to the North line of said Block, 153.58 feet to a point;  
Thence North parallel to the West line of said Block, 300 feet to the place of beginning.  
The Board of Adjustment will hold a meeting, open to the public, at 9:00 A.M. at the City Hall on March 20th, 1989, for the purpose of considering an appeal from certain zoning regulations applicable to the above property.  
/s/ Bonna R. Duke  
City Secretary  
179-1c

The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County will open proposals for "Law Enforcement Professional Liability" Insurance for the period of April 23, 1989 to April 23, 1990 at 9 AM on April 10th, 1989 in the Court-house. Specifications and history may be obtained at 242 E 3rd Street in Hereford, Texas. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

178-5c

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
TO: Jack Ray Spoon  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 222nd Judicial District, Deaf Smith County, Texas at the Courthouse of said county in Hereford Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Kelly Lea Spoon, Petitioner filed in said Court on the 15th day of February, 1989, against Jack Ray Spoon Respondent and the said suit being number DR-89B-028 on said docket of said Court, and entitled, "In the Matter of the Marriage of Kelly Lea Spoon and Jack Ray Spoon and in the interest of Justin Ray Spoon and Ashley Renee Spoon, children," the nature of which suit is a request to grant a divorce to Petitioner. The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.  
Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Hereford, Texas, this the 10 day of March, 1989.

Lola Faye Veazey  
Clerk of the District  
Court Deaf Smith  
County, Texas  
By Grace De Cerda  
Deputy  
179-1c

## Forum scheduled for child-care providers

A forum will be held March 28 for registered child-care providers to share their views on changes to the minimum standards for registered family day homes, according to Betty Swaringen, regional licensing director for the Texas Department of Human Services.

The forum will be at 7 p.m. in the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo. It is one of 15 forums across the state.

"The 1987 Texas Legislature asked us to strengthen the minimum

standards for the protection of children in care, and we solicit the advice of every caregiver," Swaringen said.

Swaringen said the meeting is based on the premise that qualified family home caregivers can reduce the risk of harm to the health, safety and well-being of children in family day homes.

"We want to obtain community support for proposed caregiver qualifications, promote the concept that the physical environment of homes must be safe and healthy for children and discuss other standards

of concern to home-based caregivers," Swaringen said.

A committee of home-based caregivers developed recommendations for pre-registration qualifications which include training in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) of infants and children, home health, safety and sanitation, and child management, including discipline and guidance.

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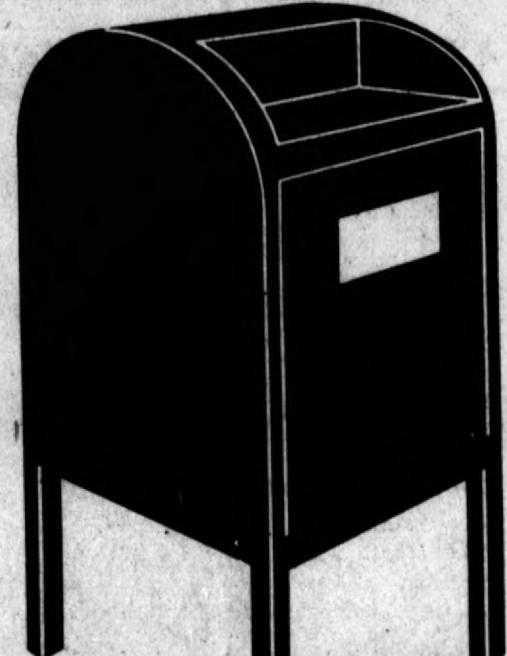
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### March exhibitor

Eight-year-old Matt Wilcox has his display of horses on exhibit at Deaf Smith County Library. Several horses, collected by the youngster since he was five years old, can be seen along with their stable, which was made by Matt's father. Matt is the son of Nancy and J.T. Wilcox and is a student at the Community Church School.

### Students inducted

Fifteen West Texas State University students were initiated into the Iota Theta Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an honor society in education, during March 5 induction ceremonies.

Among the 1989 spring inductees

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados (AP) - Britain's Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip have arrived in Barbados for a four-day visit to mark the 350th anniversary of the Caribbean nation's Parliament.

was Sue Creekmore Haney of Hereford, a junior at WTSU.

Membership is elected from education students who exhibit the ideals of scholarship, high personal standards and promise in teaching and allied professions. Students must achieve a minimum overall grade point average of 3.25 and a 3.0 in professional education classes.

For more information, contact Dr. Enid Bates, faculty sponsor of the Iota Theta Chapter, at (806) 656-2605.

## Roseylee Palmer featured as artist of the month

The feature artist for March at the National Cowgirl Hall of Fame and Western Heritage Center is Roseylee Palmer of Borger. The public may view her works of art from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Palmer, who is originally from Henryetta, Okla., is the former chairman of the Fine Arts Division of Frank Phillips College. She has a dual career as a nationally known professional artist and an outstanding teacher of art.

Her art works reveal a deep love of the Western landscape, the working cowboys and their horses, the cattle on the range, rodeo events, ranch homes, windmills, and other contemporary Western scenes that surround her in the Panhandle of Texas. She paints wildlife with such realistic detail that birds and

animals seem to be alive on the painting panel. She also paints the past and she has completed many historical paintings and murals about the West.

Palmer's artistic talent has been a part of her life since childhood but she never feels that talent alone is enough. Education, training, practice and lifelong learning are important to her. She is a graduate of Henryetta High School. She attended Odessa College and received a degree of associate of arts from Frank Phillips College. She has a bachelor of science degree in art education and a master of arts degree from West Texas State University. She has also had training in commercial art for two years from Art Instructions, Inc., of Minneapolis, Minn.



ROSEYLEE PALMER

## Hints from Heloise

### PESTY ANTS

Dear Heloise: I moved into a new home and after a month I noticed ants in the kitchen. I never had that problem in my other home. Please let me know how I can get rid of them. — Mrs. Janie Morris, Miami, Fla.

Most times these pests live in a kitchen where there is water and food. There are commercial products sold to exterminate them or you can use boric acid or borax powder.

Sprinkle either one along trails and entrances where you see them coming in. Also vacuum up any crumbs. This will help control them. — Heloise

### CLEAN POTATOES

Dear Heloise: So many of us peel the skin off potatoes and we shouldn't since it contains vitamins.

I used to scrape the skin with a knife before I started using my plastic pot scrubber I bought in the supermarket. It scrapes perfectly and is so much easier than using a knife. — Mary Lewis, Mobile, Ala.

### BACK SCRUB

Dear Heloise: Here's a great tip for a good back scrubber. It's easy to make and works much better than the type sold in stores.

Get a strip of nylon net about the length of a towel. Put a bar of soap in the middle, wrap the net around it a few times, then tie a knot at both ends to keep it in place.

While showering, just pull the towel back and forth across your back as you would when drying. — Sophie Blanchard, Bayonne, N.J.

Send a money- or time-saving hint to Heloise, P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio, TX 78279. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

## Vinson directs program for general meeting recently

Members of the Baptist Women of First Baptist Church met March 8 in Kinsey Parlor of the church for their monthly meeting and coffee.

Helen Eades, director, presided in the absence of Bonnie Sublett. She mentioned the need of prayer in accordance with the Week of Prayer for home missions.

Costaline Lee, mission action chairman, asked for the Bible of the Month Club offering for seamen. These Bibles are printed in all languages. Lee announced that March 22 will be the date of the W.M.U. luncheon which will be served in the Baptist Student Union building at West Texas State University. Also, Eades reported that 80 G.A. members attended the G.A. lock-in March 3 in the church fellowship hall.

The program, "Pray That They May Believe", was directed by Lolita Vinson. She was assisted by Lillie Stagner, Clovis Seago and Donnie Owen. Vinson emphasized

the need of prayer in families. She told of the needs of troubled families and spoke of special work with singles. Also, home mission work in Missouri was discussed.

Marie Stringer presented the Prayer Calendar and Lee led the prayer for missionaries.

Lillie Stagner, Donnie Owen and Della Stagner were hostesses to 12 members including Jewel Hargrave, Lee, Jennie Terrell, Louise Kinsey, Margaret Young, Eades, Seago, Thelma Auten, Stringer, Grace Covington, Vinson and Mildred Drake.



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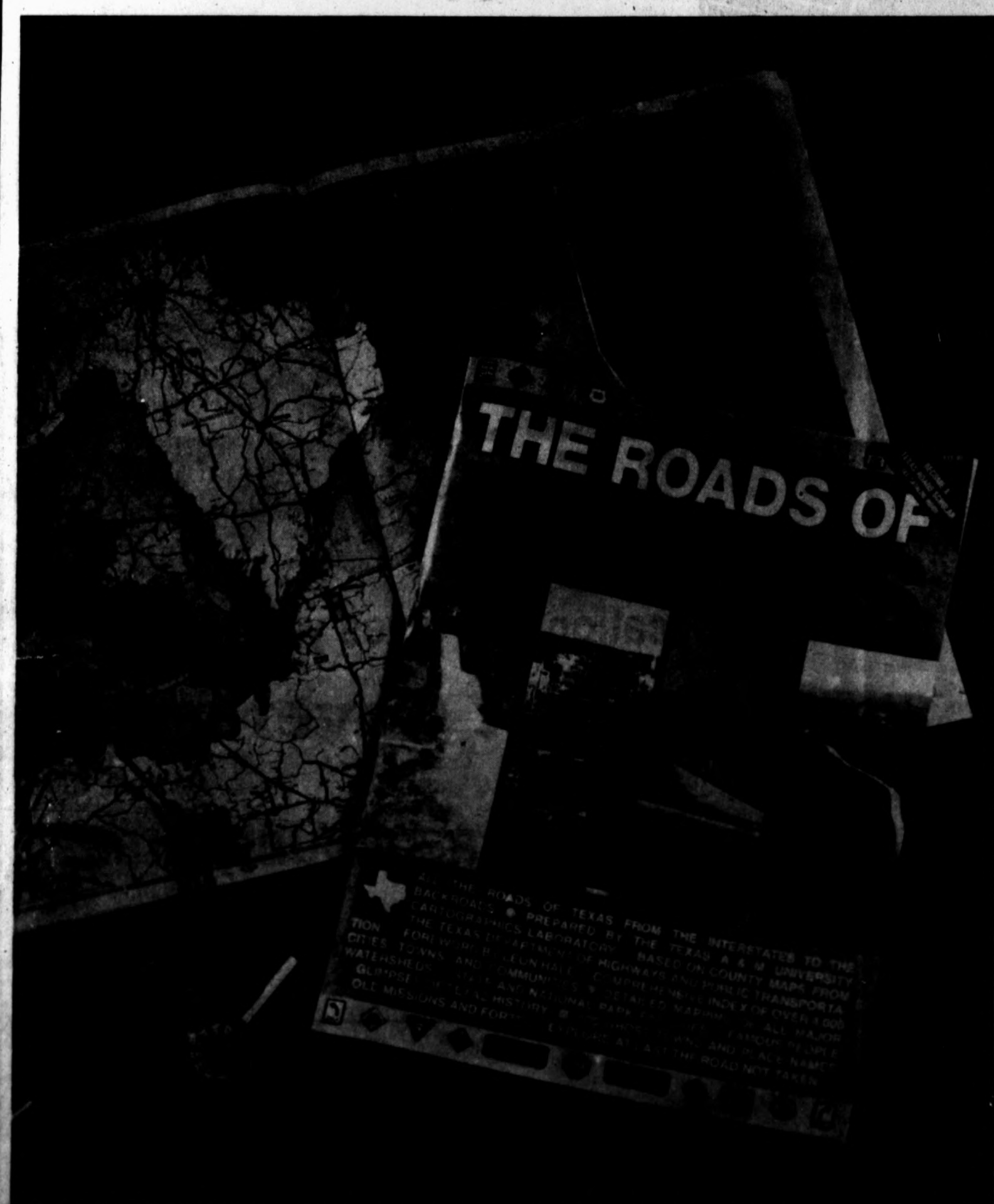
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