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## Clinton fires Sessions; tabs Freeh to be new FBI director

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton took months to fire FBI Director William Sessions, but he had already settled on a successor - U.S. District Judge Louis Freeh of New York - when he did so, administration officials say.

Freeh is a 43-year-old former FBI agent and federal prosecutor.

The president was expected to announce his nomination today. During a picture-taking session on Monday in the Oval Office, Clinton said his new director would have "good law enforcement qualifications."

Administration officials, speaking on the condition of anonymity, said that, barring any unforeseen late-minute difficulties, Clinton would nominate Freeh.

Clinton interviewed Freeh last Friday and was the only candidate for the FBI post under active consideration, the officials said.

Freeh became a federal judge in Manhattan in September 1991 after five years as an FBI agent and a decade as a federal prosecutor.

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In dismissing Sessions, Clinton cited "serious questions" about

Sessions' conduct and leadership. And Attorney General Janet Reno cited "deficiency in judgment" on the part of the director.

Sessions was accused of ethical lapses by the Justice Department's Office of Professional Responsibility in January. The OPR accused him of disregarding rules restricting his use of FBI cars, airplanes and other benefits.

Sessions insisted Monday that he had done nothing wrong and

### Report notes variety of charges against Sessions

By The Associated Press  
A Justice Department report accuses FBI Director William Sessions of a variety of ethical abuses, including:

-Employing a "sham" to avoid paying taxes on transport to and from work in an armored limousine. Sessions put an unloaded gun that he is not trained to handle in a briefcase in the trunk to claim a law enforcement exemption.

-Chauffeur family members on FBI planes and cars and taking trips at taxpayer expense for personal reasons that had only limited bureau involvement.

suggested his dismissal had been politically motivated. "It is because I believe in the principle of an independent FBI that I have refused to voluntarily resign," he asserted at a news conference.

He is the first FBI director to be dismissed in the agency's seven decades. Appointed in 1987 by Ronald Reagan, the 63-year-old former Texas federal judge had 41 years left on his 10-year term, but he served at the pleasure of the

### Installing a \$10,000 taxpayer-provided fence at his home that does not meet security needs. Sessions and his wife, Alice, rejected an FBI-approved fence that would have cost more than \$90,000.

Declining to release documents so Justice Department officials could investigate whether he received a sweetheart deal on his home mortgage. After the critical report was issued, Sessions signed the releases and the investigation continued. Subsequent findings and documents were sent to the White House.

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Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole of Kansas called the firing "a potentially worrisome precedent."

And Rep. Henry Gonzalez, D-Texas, who represents the San Antonio, Texas, district where Sessions used to sit as a federal judge, called the fired director "an honest reformer... cut down by intriguers in the FBI."

Sessions told reporters it had taken Clinton two calls to fire him. First Clinton called to tell him he was being dismissed, then he called back to say it would take place immediately, Sessions said.

"So that you will know with clarity the effect of my conversation with President Clinton, I am in the building as a visitor. I am escorted wherever I will be in this building. And I am now a citizen, a private citizen," Sessions said.

Sessions accused the Clinton White House of trying to politicize the FBI, noting that at his confirmation hearing in 1987 chairman Sen. Joseph Biden, D-Del., had warned him "your antenna better be up" if the White House called seeking special favors.

"Little did I realize that we would have that very scenario played out here in the last days of my service as FBI director," he said, an apparent (See FBI, Page 2)



### Looking for books

Sisters Lori Wilburn, 17, right, and Jodi, 13, look like bookends themselves as they peruse the shelves at Deaf Smith County Library this week, looking for a little summer reading. The library has been sponsoring its annual summer reading contest for children, and is open daily to offer anyone the opportunity to pick up something to while away the dog days of summer.

### Bridge opens in Iowa

## Rain stops, but Mississippi River still running high

By STEPHANIE NANO  
Associated Press Writer

Road crews reopened a bridge on the Mississippi River, providing the only way across for 200 miles. Des Moines, Iowa, still had no running water today because people opened the faucets too soon.

For much of the Midwest the weather was clear and sunny Monday. River levels began dropping below flood stage in Minnesota and Wisconsin. And in St. Louis, the Mississippi apparently crested Sunday night and was dropping off.

But the all-clear hasn't been sounded just yet.

"The good news is that the river has crested," said Tom Dietrich, a National Weather Service hydrologist in St. Louis, where the river reached 46.9 feet on Sunday and had slipped to 46.7 feet by Monday night. "People feel a sense of relief, maybe they can get through this without any more damage."

"The bad news is that it's going to stay high for quite awhile," he added. "There's still a lot of water coming down the upper Mississippi."

A 480-mile stretch of the Mississippi from Dubuque, Iowa, to the mouth of the Ohio River is still above flood stage. River towns below St. Louis are piling up sandbags while they wait for the crest to work its way downstream.

But flooding is expected to disappear below Cairo, Ill., where the Mississippi and Ohio rivers meet, and the river gets deeper and wider.

The 11 months of flooding in the Midwest has caused at least 31 deaths and \$10 billion in damage, left 16,000 square miles of farmland underwater, and damaged more than 22,000 homes.

On Monday night, a bridge between Keokuk, Iowa, and Hamilton, Ill., was reopened after crews laboring through the weekend used bulldozers and dump trucks to spread gravel on a washed-out access road. Traffic was limited to two lanes instead of four and held to 5 mph. It is the only passable bridge over the Mississippi for 200 miles.

"Ah, I'm going home - finally. No

more detours," said truck driver George Smeat of Farmington, Ill.

Des Moines' efforts to restore running water to 250,000 people faltered when customers ignored orders and turned on taps while the water mains were being filled to restore pressure. The city now doesn't expect to begin some water service until Wednesday.

"For the greed of a few, it is hurting the masses, and we don't think that is fair," said L.D. McMullen, general manager of the water plant.

City officials said angry residents rattled on 50 businesses and apartments that turned on water. Water crews were sent to lock the offenders' valves.

Since the water plant was knocked out by floodwaters July 11, Des Moines has drawn portable toilets like magnets. They stand like sentries outside office buildings, swanky department stores and the gilded state Capitol.

"You don't go in unless it's absolutely necessary and you don't stay any longer than absolutely necessary," Charlotte Ayers said.

Among other developments: In the French colonial settlement of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., volunteers from around the country helped stack sandbags to protect houses dating from the late 1700s. "People are the reason I'm here," said 77-year-old Dave Bark of Greenville, S.C.

Some 350 residents of Prairie du Rocher, Ill., were sent to shelters because of a leak on a Mississippi River levee. Randolph County spokesman Larry Willis said the leak was being repaired and no water was coming into the town.

In Davenport, Iowa, the Government Bridge reopened Monday, reducing congestion on four other bridges across the Mississippi at the Quad Cities. The bridge to Rock Island, Ill., closed June 30 when an approach was flooded.

President Clinton declared parts of Nebraska and South Dakota disaster areas, making them eligible for aid. Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin and Minnesota got the designation earlier.

## Hereford man joins protestors in abortion action in Dallas-Fort Worth

By GARRY WESNER  
Managing Editor

For many people in Hereford, the much-publicized struggle between abortion rights advocates and those striving to save the unborn is remote, something only seen on the television news.

But for Robert Chavez, it has become something that has molded his life.

Chavez recently returned from Dallas-Fort Worth, where he spent 10 days participating in the nationwide Operation Rescue "Cities of Refuge" campaign, where abortion protestors staked out abortion clinics and the homes of doctors performing abortions in an effort to raise awareness and prevent women from obtaining abortions.

"We rescued every day. We had

one doctor quit abortions. He's not going to be killing any other babies," Chavez said on Monday.

In addition, the group recorded seven "confirmed saved" unborn babies in the area, whose mothers agreed to accept help from Operation Rescue and not obtain abortions.

For his efforts, Chavez got to spend one night in jail.

He was among 32 people arrested in Fort Worth on charges of criminal trespass during the rescues.

Normally, he said, the rescuers stayed on sidewalks in front of the targeted clinics, talking to potential clients and passersby.

Police officers patrolling the scene are allowed past the protestors, he said, but they are the only ones. Doctors and clients are turned away.

If a woman attempts to gain access to a clinic during a rescue, Chavez said, the protestors will violate police orders to stay off the property and will do everything they can to keep the woman out of the clinic - even if it means getting arrested in the process.

"We stay back unless there's going to be someone go into the abortion mill ... to kill the children, then we will walk across to the door ... and see what we can do for her," Chavez said. "We will not allow them to go in, but they are free to leave."

Chavez said he arrived in the Metroplex on July 8 and returned to Hereford on Sunday.

He was arrested last Thursday - ironically not while he was on abortion clinic property.

"I was arrested on Thursday," he said, "underneath his (the abortion

doctor's) vehicle. He tried to run over me. He was trying to get into his place of business."

Chavez said the doctor tried to use a back way to sneak into his clinic, but protestors - including Chavez - blocked the road.

The doctor, he continued, refused to stop. "I fell in front of him and he tried to run over me."

In fact, Chavez said, "They stopped him just in time because my face was against his tire. It's only by the grace of God that I'm here today."

Chavez said he was arrested in the street leading to the abortion clinic.

"I was actually handcuffed feet and hands and thrown onto a stretcher, then carried onto his property," he said with a laugh, noting that the police wagon for holding detainees was located on the property.

"We were arrested at 12:40 p.m." Thursday and "we got out Friday at probably 7 p.m.," he said.

Bond for the protestors was set at \$1,500 each, with the defendants required to pay \$300 each to get out.

However, Chavez said, none of the group would pay. Neither would they take a state-mandated tuberculosis test, which meant authorities were required to keep them in solitary confinement.

The group spent the night Thursday in the Fort Worth city jail, Chavez said.

The next day, they were transported to several area jails before being released on their own recognizance, not having to pay the bond.

No court dates have been set yet, Chavez said, because authorities are reviewing video tapes of the arrests

and violations to see which charges were most likely to gain convictions.

Chavez said the group refused to pay bond because they wanted to be treated just like any other person charged with criminal trespass and to "set the standard" for future rescue arrests in Fort Worth.

National media reports indicate the seven-city "Cities of Refuge" rescue was unsuccessful and that number of protestors were down from previous efforts.

Chavez disputed that, noting that in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, rescuers were working eight sites simultaneously, with 50-100 people at each location.

In addition, he said, the fact that seven women decided not to kill their babies and one doctor stopped his work made it a success.

The doctor, he said, changed his mind after the hospital where he practices informed the man he needed to stop performing abortions.

For the mothers counted among the "confirmed saves," Chavez said, Operation Rescue provided money for living expenses, doctors visits and other necessities, and offered to work with the mothers through its Operation Adoption to find parents for those wanting to give up their children.

Chavez said the next stop for Operation Rescue will be Denver, Colo., next month, in a rescue conducted Aug. 15 while President Clinton, Pope John Paul II and the national media is in town.

The rescue will be coordinated with several other rescue groups, including Rescue America and The Lambs.

Chavez said he is not sure if he will be able to attend that rescue, because of business considerations here.



ROBERT CHAVEZ

## Clinton putting gays in military behind him; Senate hearing on policy scheduled today

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton hoped to put a major political problem behind him when he backed off on his pledge to lift the ban on gays serving openly in the military. But Congress is still intent on having the final say on the fractious issue.

Six months after he promised to fulfill a campaign pledge and end the half-century ban outright, Clinton unveiled a policy Monday that made few modifications to the original regulation.

Clinton called it "an honorable compromise" and "not a perfect solution." Gay rights advocates, predicting court challenges, said the policy would force homosexuals to remain in hiding.

Clinton's policy directs the

military to allow homosexuals to serve as long as they remain silent about their sexuality. It would, for instance, make gays subject to dismissal for all forms of homosexual activity, from holding hands to sexual acts. But they would not be discharged for simply going to a gay bar, reading homosexual publications or marching in a gay-rights parade.

The plan, to take effect Oct. 1, closely resembles to one put forth by Clinton's chief Democratic critic, Sen. Sam Nunn of Georgia.

Nunn's initial response to the plan was positive.

"The policy appears to set forth standards of military conduct that are consistent with traditional military practice," Nunn said in a statement.

But the Georgia senator said he was reserving final judgment until after top Pentagon officials testify at a hearing today before his Senate Armed Services Committee.

Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman Gen. Colin Powell and Defense Secretary Les Aspin, who negotiated for months on the contentious issue, were among those scheduled to testify.

Clinton, unveiling his policy in a speech at Fort McNair, Va., acknowledged: "It is not a perfect solution. It is not identical with some of my own goals. And it certainly will not please everyone, perhaps not anyone, and clearly not those who hold the most adamant opinions on either side of this issue."

The debate over gays in the military has been one of the most painful chapters in Clinton's presidency, throwing his administration off stride and undercutting him politically. It also highlighted the deep strains in his relations with the military.

Rep. Ike Skelton, D-Mo., a conservative Democrat who harbors misgivings about lifting the ban entirely, said, "It keeps military homosexuals in the closet."

Rep. Ronald V. Dellums, D-Calif., chairman of the House Armed Services Committee and a leading congressional liberal, said: "A first step has occurred today, but a complete reversal of the ban is still long overdue."

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# Local Roundup

## Blood drive set

The Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Women's Division will sponsor a blood drive here on Wednesday afternoon. The drive, conducted by Coffee Memorial Blood Center in Amarillo, will be held from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center. All residents are encouraged to stop by and give the gift of life.

## City Commission to meet Wednesday

Hereford City Commission will hold a special meeting Wednesday, beginning at 7:30 p.m., at the commission chamber in City Hall. Agenda items include: Consider request for paving Lafayette Street; consider request for annexing one block of Campbell and one block of South Ironwood streets; consider and approve ordinance relating to returned check fees; consider and approve ordinance relating to service deposits and service calls; consider and approve members appointed to Convention & Visitors Board; and an executive session to discuss sale of real estate.

## More rainfall, more predicted

Hereford had 1.21 inches of moisture from rains Monday and Monday night, reports KPAN Weather. High was 85 Monday and the low was 63 this morning. Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the mid 60s. South wind 5-15 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High around 90. South to southwest wind 10-20 mph and gusty.

# News Digest

## World/Nation

UNDATED - Trucks and cars began rumbling across the Mississippi River on the only open bridge for 200 miles. In Des Moines, Iowa, the resumption of water service had to be delayed at least one more day because businesses disregarded warnings to keep their taps closed.

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WASHINGTON - Supreme Court nominee Ruth Bader Ginsburg faces scant opposition as the Senate Judiciary Committee opens its hearing on whether to confirm her as the high court's second female justice.

WASHINGTON - Court papers suggest that influential Rep. Dan Rostenkowski may have received embezzled funds in the House Post Office scandal.

## State

SAN ANTONIO - Former congressman Albert Bustamante feels positive about the outcome of jury deliberations in his federal bribery and racketeering trial.

GARLAND - After two days of relentless searching, authorities and volunteers have not found missing 8-year-old Garland boy Kim Nguyen.

WASHINGTON - The North American Free Trade Agreement would have little impact on U.S. employment, the Congressional Budget Office says.

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EL PASO - Two people arrested following the seizure of more than 2 tons of cocaine have been linked to a drug ring responsible for moving "many, many loads" of the drug, a DEA official says.

HOUSTON - A lawsuit has been filed by a group of Houston-area attorneys who are seeking to overturn a new state law preventing lawyers from soliciting clients through direct mail.

DALLAS - Televangelist Robert Tilton was the loser in the latest round of legal wranglings that have plagued his Word of Faith ministry, clearing the way for Friday's contempt hearing against him.

DALLAS - A Texas lawmaker says he will continue to fight for legislation to secure an all-out ban on gays in the military despite President Clinton's new middle-of-the-road policy.

AUSTIN - Classroom teachers got one in four dollars of the additional spending budgeted by schools last fall, according to a Texas Research League report. Their share totaled \$370 million.

# Rostenkowski facing scrutiny in House Post Office scandal

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rep. Dan Rostenkowski, one of the most influential members in Congress, faces fresh scrutiny in the House Post Office scandal because of court documents that suggest he may have received embezzled funds.

Rostenkowski declined comment Monday on the latest developments in the case, in which former House Postmaster Robert Rota pleaded guilty to conspiracy and embezzlement charges.

As part of federal court papers filed in Rota's plea, Rota confessed he had worked with "Congressman A and Congressman B," who were "knowingly embezzling and converting" post office funds to their own use.

The papers did not identify the lawmakers by name. But they contain dates and amounts of vouchers submitted to the post office for stamp purchases that match vouchers submitted by Rostenkowski and former Rep. Joseph Kolter, D-Pa., as recorded in public records issued by the House.

A source close to the investigation, speaking only on condition of anonymity, confirmed that Rostenkowski was Congressman A and Kolter was Congressman B.

Neither Rostenkowski nor Kolter

could be reached for comment, but both previously have denied any wrongdoing in connection with the House Post Office investigation.

# Crime Stoppers

The Hereford Police Department is seeking clues into the burglary of a storage building located in the 600 block of South Texas.

The burglary took place between June 18 and June 22. The damage and items taken is estimated at more than \$4,000. Some of the items taken were:

- Golf clubs in a leather bag.
- A brown refrigerator.
- Antique tools.
- An industrial type fan.
- Any having information which leads to the arrest and indictment in the **Crime of the Week** can receive a reward of up to \$500.

Anyone having any information about the **Crime of the Week** or any other criminal activity is urged to call the Clue Line at 364-CLUE.

All callers may remain anonymous by using a code name or number.



## Trip winner

Rhonda Nicklaus of Kings Manor Methodist Home presents Thomas Humphries of Amarillo with the grand prize from a drawing held during last weekend's Founders Day golf scramble and race. Humphries won airline tickets for two. The prize winner's name was drawn from among those who paid entry fees to participate in the two sporting events.

## FBI

reference to the White House's efforts to involve the FBI in the firing of five travel office employees.

But Sessions had been called seriously to task over his alleged ethical misdeeds by President Bush's Justice Department in Bush's final days. Bush left it to the new president to make the decision on the director's future.

Administration officials hoped that Freeh could be quickly confirmed, given the wide respect for him in the law enforcement and judicial communities.

As an assistant U.S. attorney, Freeh coordinated the Department of Justice investigation into the bombing of Fifth Circuit Judge Robert Vance and related mail bombings in 1990.

# Police Beat

Here are excerpts from weekend Hereford Police Department activity reports:

- TUESDAY**
- A 26-year-old male was arrested on a warrant for aggravated assault.
  - Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of Main in the amount of \$300 and in the 100 block of West Fourth in the amount of \$15.
  - Criminal trespass was reported in the 300 block of Lake, the 400 block of Mable and in the 400 block of Avenue F.
  - Civil problem was reported in the 700 block of Stanton.
  - Burglary of a habitation was reported in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.
  - Theft of beer was reported in the 500 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.
  - Assault by threat was reported in the 600 block of McKinley.
  - Theft of items valued at \$150 was reported in the 400 block of West First.
  - Theft of bikes valued at \$170 was reported in the 100 block of Ranger.
  - Seventeen citations were issued. There were four minor accidents.
- MONDAY**
- A 26-year-old male was arrested

at Austin Road and South Schley for DWI.  
-- A 45-year-old male was arrested at 15th and Avenue J for DWI.  
-- A 22-year-old male was arrested in the 300 block of Avenue D for public intoxication.  
-- Livestock in the city was reported in the 100 block of Brevard.  
-- A license plate that was found at the Bull Barn was turned in to the police department.  
-- Harassment by phone was reported in the 300 block of Higgins.  
-- Reckless damage or destruction was reported in the 600 block of McKinley. The suspect spun the wheels on his vehicle, throwing gravel and damaging the paint on the complainant's vehicle.  
-- Two reports of criminal trespass were reported in the 600 block of Irving at the same location, but involving two different subjects.  
-- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 300 block of Cherokee.  
-- Class C assault charges were filed in the 100 block of Avenue I.  
-- Theft was reported in the 600 block of Avenue K and at South Main and Austin Road.  
-- Three citations were issued.  
-- There was one minor accident with no injuries.  
-- The fire department was dispatched at 11:01 p.m. Sunday to a dumpster fire behind Homeland.

**SUNDAY**  
-- A 22-year-old male was arrested in the 400 block of Jowell on a warrant for violation of probation.  
-- A 20-year-old male was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue H for possession of marijuana under two ounces.

-- A lost child was reported in the 300 block of Avenue J. Officers responded to the area and found the child in a back yard in the 200 block of Avenue J. He was returned to his mother.  
-- Disorderly conduct by abusive language was reported in the 100 block of Avenue H. No charges were filed.  
-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 400 block of South Lawton, where all the tires were slashed on a vehicle, causing \$350 damage.  
-- Reckless driving was reported at Grand and Avenue I.

-- Evading detention was reported in the 300 block of Avenue C. The suspect was later arrested in the 400 block of Jowell on a warrant for violation of probation.  
-- Class C assault (domestic violence) was reported in the 400 block of Jowell. No charges were filed at this time.  
-- Class C assault (domestic violence) charges were filed in the 400 block of Paloma Lane.  
-- Assault by threat charges were filed in the 600 block of Irving.  
-- Thirteen citations were issued.

One embezzlement count said Rota "aided and abetted Congressman A in willfully and knowingly embezzling and converting to Congressman A's own use" the post office's funds.

# Obituaries

## OWEN J. STAGNER July 17, 1993

Owen Jennings Stagner, 86, a retired rural mail carrier and native of the Hereford area, died Saturday morning at Golden Plains Care Center.

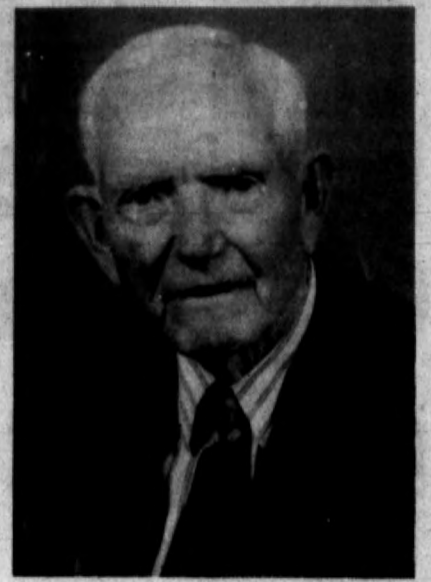
Funeral services were held today at 10 a.m. in First Baptist Church with Dr. Ron Cook, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Rest Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Stagner was born April 24, 1907, in Castro County. He was married to Lillie Clark on May 6, 1932 in Beaver, OK.

Mr. Stagner attended Frio, Easter and Lakeview rural schools and graduated from Hereford High School. He attended West Texas State College and later taught at Frio. In 1931, he became a rural mail carrier for Route 4, Hereford, a position he held for 41 years.

A deacon in First Baptist Church, Mr. Stagner taught Sunday School classes for many years.

Survivors include his wife, Lillie;



OWEN J. STAGNER

a son, Wayne of Santa Rosa, CA.; a daughter, Donna Parrot of Knoxville, TN.; two brothers, Fred and Earl Stagner of Hereford; two sisters, Donnie Owen and Della Stagner of Hereford; and four grandchildren.

## JOHN F. HEISELMAN July 18, 1993

John F. Heiselman, 95, of Adrian, a farmer in this area for 70 years, died Sunday in St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

Services were scheduled at 2 p.m. today in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Vega with Father Brendon Sherry officiating. Burial was in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery in Hereford under direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Heiselman was born in Clermont County, Ohio. He came to

Deaf Smith County in 1923 from Crosby County, TX. He married Theresa Huckert, Oct. 24, 1927, in Hereford. She died in 1989.

Survivors include two sons, John L. of Amarillo and Paul F. of Adrian; four daughters, Theresa Heiselman and Angela Heiselman of Adrian, Marguerite Herrington of Albuquerque, N.M., and Jo Ann McMahon of Tulsa, OK.; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

# Hearing on Ginsburg nomination begins

WASHINGTON (AP) - Supreme Court nominee Ruth Bader Ginsburg faces scant opposition as the Senate Judiciary Committee opens its hearing on whether to confirm her as the high court's second female justice.

Barring unexpected trouble, the 60-year-old federal appellate judge and former women's rights lawyer could breeze through the hearing by the weekend - in stark contrast to the uproar over Clarence Thomas' nomination in 1991.

"My guess is that she will be approved unanimously," said Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill., a committee member.

President Clinton wants the Senate to confirm Ginsburg to replace retired Justice Byron R. White before Congress recesses in early August. She would join Justice Sandra Day O'Connor on the bench, putting two women on the Supreme Court together for the first time.

In another first, the Judiciary Committee hearing opening today includes a closed session to allow senators to raise any possible issues about Ginsburg's personal life or conduct.

Committee Chairman Joseph Biden, D-Del., said that does not mean such allegations have been made against Ginsburg.

But he said closed hearings will be routine in all future Supreme Court confirmation hearings in an effort to avoid the fiasco over Thomas' nomination, when law professor Anita Hill's allegation of sexual harassment was leaked to reporters although only a few senators had heard about it.

The closed hearing is to be held after senators finish questioning Ginsburg and before testimony by members of the public.

In selecting Ginsburg on June 14, Clinton said he hoped she would be a consensus-builder on the high court, which has not had a nominee by a Democratic president since Lyndon Johnson named the late Justice Thurgood Marshall in 1967.

Her nomination won quick endorsements from Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., and Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah, the Judiciary Committee's ranking Republican.

Hatch said she would make an excellent justice even though he disagrees with her on some issues, such as her support for abortion rights.

Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., also a committee member, complained Monday that Ginsburg in effect had been granted a "coronation in advance." He said he was concerned that she could become an activist member of the high court.

Liberal activists and many conservatives have praised Ginsburg - albeit sometimes grudgingly. Some conservatives say she is the best they could expect from a Democratic president.

# Hospital Notes

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL**  
R.L. Blakely, Alexandra Chapoy, Infant Boy Dimas, Veronica Dimas, Carole Ellison, Maria M. Garcia, Minnie L. Johnston.

Erma D. Murphey, Inf. Girl Rios, Patricia Rios, Jacqueline Kay Taylor, Naomi Trevino, Doyle O. Vines

## NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Esteban Cabrera are the parents of a girl, Ana Gabriela Cabrera born July 3, 1993. She weighed 8 pounds 6 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Douglas Murray are the parents of a girl, Anissa Nicole Murray born July 12, 1993. She weighed 7 pounds, 0 ounces.

# Florida pair struck by lightning

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) - A Florida couple was struck by lightning Monday evening while sightseeing with their children at Palo Duro Canyon State Park.

James Valentine and his wife Jackie Valentine of Clarksville, Fla., were taken to Palo Duro Hospital in Canyon. Valentine was in serious condition and his wife was in satisfactory condition late Monday, a hospital spokesman said.

The lightning struck the Valentines as they stood on an overlook near the park's entrance at about 5 p.m., said park spokesman Mike Valentine.

James Valentine's tennis shoe was blown off and a crater was left where he was standing, Wilson said. The Valentines' five children were about 50 feet away from their parents when the lightning struck. One son, Nathan, said his hair started to stand on end just before the strike.

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# Lifestyles



## New officers installed

The 1993-94 officers of the Order of Eastern Star were installed recently during special ceremonies conducted in the Masonic Hall. Pictured are (front row, from left) David Euler, marshal; Marie Cline, chaplain; Bonnie Hartley, Rudy; Audrey Rusher, Adah; Mildred Fuhrmann, worthy matron; Linda Knowles, associate conductress; Dottie Darden, associate matron; Lupe Cerda, warden; Ludie Greeson, Esther; (back row, from left) Margaret Bell, secretary; Larry Knowles, associate patron; Suzan Schriber, organist; Jayne Euler, Martha; and Guy Walser, sentinel. Officers not pictured include L.J. Clark, worthy patron; Joy Bunch, conductress; Clara Brown, Electa; and Courtney Brooke, treasurer.

## Passive smoke is harmful

Did you know that sitting in the smoking section of your favorite restaurant could jeopardize your health? Or that smoking in your home could cause asthma in your child?

Thousands of innocent people die every year from exposure to "second-hand" or passive smoke. And many more thousands suffer from heart disease because of this invisible killer.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recently issued a report identifying the dangers of passive smoke. The report said passive smoke can cause lung cancer in nonsmoking adults, leading to 3,000 deaths a year.

The EPA also said passive smoke increases risk of acute lower-respiratory and middle-ear infections, asthma, and respiratory irritation for children exposed to tobacco smoke in the home.

Smokers claim the right to smoke. But that is not a license to kill others. Non-smokers should guard their health by actively encouraging laws to protect themselves.

And if you do smoke, stop now. Smoking kills 435,000 Americans a year. That's a tragedy.

## Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: Knowing that you often give advice concerning pets, I had to write and tell you about the near tragedy that occurred with my precious dog last weekend. Gretchen is 6 years old, in excellent health and very active.

Last weekend I brought her to the veterinarian for her parvovirus booster and while I was preparing to pay the fee, she keeled over and began salivating heavily.

The receptionist called an attendant who brought her back into the examining room. She had gone into anaphylactic shock as an allergic reaction to the vaccine. She had this vaccine every year and had never had a problem. They gave her several injections and had to put her on oxygen and kept her the remainder of the day.

Thank goodness she is now back to normal, but I am so glad this happened at the office and not when I was driving home. She would not have survived long enough for me to get back to the office.

The veterinarian said this does not happen often, but when it does, it happens within about 20 minutes of receiving the vaccine. Believe me, in the future we will wait around the vet's office for about 20 minutes after receiving any vaccines.

Hope this information can help prevent a tragedy.—Mary Ellen Orth, Metairie, La.

### HANDY GIFT WRAP

Dear Heloise: I have been wanting to submit a hint for a long time. Here goes:

I am never without gift wrap — I use the Sunday comic section for the wrapping. It's colorful and the price is right. — Sandy Leininger, San Antonio, Texas

Send a money- or time-saving hint to Heloise, PO Box 795000, San Antonio TX 78279-5000 or fax it to 210-HELOISE. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

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## Keep vegetation in check

What's a sore spot to the eye can also pose a hazard to human health.

Overgrown weeds and brush are more than unsightly. They're often unsafe. That's why those in charge of vegetation management along roadsides, at plant sites, government installations, railroad right-of-ways and utilities count on a combination of specialty pesticides and mechanical controls to keep weeds in check.

Effective vegetation management can:

- Protect public safety. Well-maintained vegetation in medians along city streets and highways provides a buffer zone against oncoming traffic. Roadsides, free from trees and overgrown vegetation, provide needed space for emergency stops when vehicles accidentally leave the road. Controlled vegetation also improves the scenery and breaks the monotony of a lengthy trip.

- When weeds are under control, road signs, which serve as safety warnings and travel guides, are easier to see. Improved sight distance allows for safe stops and passing. In addition, studies indicate fewer collisions with wildlife occur when roadsides are clear.

- Reduce public nuisances. At utility sites, for example, vegetation growth controls reduce the number of power outages and

shortages, particularly in rainy, windy weather.

Vegetation management along the road shoulder improves drainage, helping roads last longer. Also, when specialty pesticides are used in combination with mowing and other mechanical controls, it often means fewer trips with the mower are needed. The reduced frequency of mowing means fewer damaged windshields from flying debris.

- Eliminate noxious weeds. Vegetation management prevents the overgrowth of problem weeds, including bindweed, Canadian thistle, johnsongrass and kudzu, which pose a serious threat to crops, other valuable plant and even livestock.

With noxious weeds removed, eye-catching wildflowers, desirable grasses, rare plants and native vegetation have a better chance to take root.

SO, while the absence of overgrown weeds may go unnoticed, the public safety and environmental advantages of vegetation management are a benefit to all.

NEW YORK (AP) - Film legend Mickey Rooney doesn't mind not being the top banana on Broadway.

"I'm a ham who wants to be a small part of anything," Rooney said.

The 73-year-old actor joined the cast of "The Will Rogers Follies" last weekend, in the supporting role of Will's father.

"This seems to be a family show and I'm proud to be in it," Rooney said in a recent interview.

Rooney finished shooting his latest film, "The Revenge of the Red Baron," a horror movie, two weeks ago.

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# Sports

## Nieman twosome captures Hereford 50/50 Tournament

Craig and Speedy Nieman shot a low-ball 67 to win the first Hereford 50/50 Golf Tournament Sunday afternoon at Pitman Municipal Golf Course.

Mark and Ron Hiner of Amarillo were one shot back. Larry Chapman and Pat George of Tulia took third place with a 69, beating out Larry Kelting and Kyle Kelting of Amarillo on a scorecard playoff.

The winners were one of several father-son teams in the unique tourney format where one player must be 50 or over and one under 50 years of age. And, each player must use his score on at least six of the holes.

Cory Newton and John Robinson captured first-flight honors with a one-under par 70 on a scorecard playoff. Robert Jones and Max Leon also had a 70 and took second place. Two teams had a 72 with Jerry and Steven Stevens winning third, and Mike McWhorter and Helen Ann McWhorter finished fourth.

Another father-son team won second flight honors. Scott and Pat McGinty shot a 73 to win that flight. J.R. Blackwell of Amarillo and Steve Sanders of Hereford took second with a 74. Temple Abney and Bob Sims were third with a 76, while Frankie Bezner and Charles Hoover finished fourth with a 77.

There were 27 teams in the three flights.

Pro Dave Kaesheimer reports the Oldsmobile Scramble will be held here Sunday. A Night Scramble has been set for July 30, and the City Match-Play Tournament is scheduled to start July 31. Call the pro shop for more information.

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## High wins at Hoop-It-Up Hodges twins take their division

Former Hereford resident Stacey High was a member of a team that won the top women's division in the Hoop-It-Up three-on-three basketball tournament held Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo.

High joined with Nikki Allen, Vanessa Wells and Teresa Tinner to form Black Power. The team won the Amarillo tournament last year and went on to win the national tournament. They have qualified for this year's national Hoop-It-Up, to be held in October.

At least one other Hoop-It-Up division was won by players from Hereford. Mag 4, the winner of Division 21, included Hereford's Cody and Slade Hodges, the 10-year-old twin sons of Sharon and Steve Hodges.

Cody and Slade teamed with Garrett Poole and Cole Campbell, both of Amarillo, for Hoop-It-Up. Those four and five other Hereford youths make up the West Texas Sharks, which will be playing in a national AAU basketball tournament later this month in Cocoa, Fla.



## Elks donation

Harold Finch, right, of the Hereford Elks Lodge, presents a \$250 check from the lodge to Roy McCracken, left, and Eric McNutt of the West Texas Sharks 11-year-old boys AAU basketball team. The team is raising money for a trip Aug. 1-7 to Cocoa Beach, Fla., where they will participate in a national tournament.

## Babe Ruth All-Stars take 2nd

Hereford's 13-year-old Babe Ruth All-Stars lost 12-8 to a team from Plainview in the regional tournament Saturday in Plainview. The loss left Hereford in second place in the tournament.

Hereford scored the first six runs of the game to take an early lead, but Plainview came back in the late innings with help from some Hereford miscues, coach Johnny Wall said. Hereford led 6-4 going into the fifth inning, he said, but Plainview took the lead with three in the fifth inning and put it away with five in the sixth.

"We hit the ball good--everybody pretty much did," Wall said. "We just had some errors in the fifth and sixth innings that cost us."

**Correction:** A story in Sunday's edition of the **Brand** incorrectly stated that Hereford's 13-year-old Babe Ruth All-Stars were knocked out of the regional tournament by a 21-11 loss to Plainview Friday in Canyon. The team that lost to Plainview Friday was Hereford's 14- and 15-year-old All-Stars.

## Bates likely to make Cowboys again

**By DENNE H. FREEMAN**  
AP Sports Writer  
AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - You just can't get rid of Bill Bates.

You can bring on younger, faster, muscular players out of the college football factories.

You can tear up his knee and put him in the hospital.

You can tell him his playing days over.

Bates won't listen and he won't quit.

Expect him to make the roster of the world champion Dallas Cowboys for the 11th consecutive season.

Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson just marvels at his gritty warrior.

"Three weeks ago I would have given you 10-to-1 odds that Bill Bates wouldn't have a chance to make the team," Johnson said. "But he's an amazing person. It really is incredible what he has done."

"Now I'd say with the expanded roster there's no way he won't make the team. He's too valuable on special teams."

The 32-year-old Bates missed the final 11 regular season games, the playoffs and the Cowboys' Super Bowl victory over Buffalo when he

tore the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee last year.

It happened while he was covering a kickoff against the Seattle Seahawks. And it cost him \$125,000 in bonus money.

"I didn't think it was that bad, a sprain or something," Bates said. "Until that injury, I had been fortunate to never miss many games. I was mad. I wasn't going to let them cut on me."

But reason prevailed as Bates, who has battled to make the Cowboys roster every training camp, decided he wasn't going down without a fight.

"I could have put my head in the sand and said it was the end of my football world," Bates said. "I chose to accept it. And I decided to give everything I had to come back."

Bates began workout schedules that would have maimed a lesser athlete. The Cowboys road games were hard for him to watch.

"I'd sit on the couch and say 'OK, they're lacing up their shoes right now and just about to walk down the tunnel,'" Bates said. "I could just visualize what was happening in the lockerroom before the game. It

almost drove me crazy watching those games on television."

Bates got to go to the Super Bowl as a spectator.

It made him even more determined to come back.

"All I wanted them to do was give me a chance to play again this year," Bates said. "I've always done well with slim chances. A slim chance is all I need."

Bates' physical improvement has stunned most of the team.

His 40-yard dash time increased and had coaches double-checking their stop watches.

"I ran a 4.58 in the 40 and the best I had ever done was 4.6," Bates said. "For some reason I can run faster. It has amazed even me."

Bates' body fat level has dropped and he can still vertical jump 30 inches.

"I trained hard for nine months to be ready for testing day because I knew that would mean so much," Bates said.

Until training camp Bates wasn't sure how his knee would hold up.

"I got hit and looked around to see if I still had all the pieces," Bates said. "The knee felt great. It felt good

to hit and be hit again.

"I'm back. My confidence is way up. I ran all those dashes in the heat and didn't even get tired."

Bates got a Super Bowl ring but he still hasn't played in one. He vows to be around this year if the Cowboys make it again.

"It drives me," Bates said. "It drives me. I'm not bitter because I didn't get to play in the Super Bowl. I earned my ring for all the hard years I put in. I just want to be sure I play in the next one."

Former pro quarterback Sammy Baugh was a passer, ball-carrier, punter and punt-return man at Texas Christian.

**By MICHAEL FLAM**  
Associated Press Writer

On Dan Reeves' first day of training camp, he let the New York Giants know that two years out of the playoffs is too many.

The tackling and running drills uncommon for a first day of summer practice indicated to the two-time Super Bowl champs that their new coach was not about to allow a repeat of last season's 6-10 disaster.

Reeves introduced the Giants to something he brought with him from the Denver Broncos, a drill wide receiver Mark Jackson called "Oklahoma." In it, defensive backs must shed a block from a wide receiver and tackle a running back. At full speed, of course.

"Whenever Dan wants to set the tempo, we have that little Oklahoma drill," Jackson said. "It gets everyone's nostrils to open a little bit.

The blood flows after that. You can't do it every day, but as a tempo setter it's a great drill."

Reeves also has let everybody know almost every job is up for grabs.

"I think for the first day of practice, I was pleased with the tempo," said Reeves, who led the Broncos to three Super Bowls in 12 seasons before being let go at the end of last season.

### Bills

Pro Bowl defensive end Bruce Smith reported to training camp Monday for his 10th season. He's not expecting to be in Buffalo for an 11th. Smith missed the opening of camp in a contract dispute that still hasn't been settled.

Smith is in the last year of a contract that pays him \$1.6 million a year. He is seeking \$4 million a year.

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# Ryan lifts Rangers to win in successful return

By JAIME ARON  
Associated Press Writer  
ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) - Nolan Ryan took 72 days off before returning to the mound. Once he got there, he took his own sweet time. Ryan knew his track record of first games back from the disabled list wasn't a good one: 1-4 with a 7.97 ERA since joining the Texas Rangers in 1989. So entering Monday night's comeback against the Milwaukee Brewers, Ryan decided to slow down.

His patience, focus and concentration paid off with two first-inning strikeouts and a ton of confidence that carried throughout the night. "I just wanted to make sure I didn't have a long first inning and get into a streak where I didn't lose my rhythm," Ryan said after the Rangers' 5-3 victory, the 321st of his career. "I wanted to establish my pitches so that no first inning situation would dictate the outcome of my performance." In a way, it did. But only in a

positive way. Ryan opened his first start since May 7 with a swinging strikeout - what else? - of Milwaukee leadoff hitter Darryl Hamilton, who entered the game as the American League's fourth-best hitter. Robin Yount chased a high pitch, but he fought it the other way for a double to right. That's what eventual Hall of Fame hitters do against guys they'll be seeing in Cooperstown. Next up was Greg Vaughn, who saw mostly hard stuff. The Brewers' lone All-Star ended up flying out to right.

Then came former Ranger Kevin Reimer, who cost Ryan several victories last season with atrocious fielding. He saw mostly change-ups and quickly became strikeout victim No. 2. When Ryan went back for the second inning, he had the comfort of a 1-0 lead provided by a Julio Franco homer. Ryan gave up another double that inning, but also made Tom Brunansky his third strikeout victim of the night - this one looking.

By the time he was pulled with two outs in the sixth, Ryan had allowed only three hits - all doubles - and had six strikeouts to up his record total to 5,684. Hamilton and Brunansky each went down twice. Ryan, also the all-time walk leader, only had one base on balls, throwing 57 strikes and 34 balls overall. He was clocked at a high of 96 in the fourth and he averaged 94 mph in his last 2-3 innings, up one mph from the first three.

Ryan credited his success to a long recovery and a deliberate first inning. "Normally, I don't pitch well when I come back from an extended layoff like this. So I really took my time in the first inning. I wanted to make sure I got through the inning without digging myself a hole," he said. Rangers rookie manager Kevin Kennedy, who was able to write Ryan's name in the lineup for only the fourth time this year, noticed that Ryan was properly pacing himself. "Getting through the first inning was the key," Kennedy said. "He showed good bite with his curveball. That really keeps his fastball difficult to hit." "Everyone was upbeat in the dugout before the game, and they were even more pumped after his two

## A's experiment has rough start

By CHRIS SHERIDAN  
AP Sports Writer  
It sounds like a rule for little leaguers instituted by a worry-wart skipper: No one throws more than 50 pitches.

In this case, however, it's the big leagues. And this manager is no amateur. Tony LaRussa of the Oakland Athletics, looking for a remedy for a staff with a 5.03 ERA - second-worst in the AL - instituted Monday one of the more bizarre edicts of the season. All pitchers will be limited to 50 throws so they can be called upon to return to the mound with just two days rest.

"It's an interesting shot to take. We'll watch it real closely and see what happens," said LaRussa, who gave no indication of how long his experiment will last.

It didn't work too well Monday as Cleveland jumped out to a 3-0 first-inning lead against rookie Todd Van Poppel (0-2) in a 4-2 victory.

Van Poppel, a 21-year-old former No. 1 overall draft choice, left after four innings and was replaced by Ron Darling, who made his first relief

appearance since 1990, a span of 84 consecutive starts.

"I don't even mess with saying I understand truly what's going on. Tony and (pitching coach) Dave Duncan really think this is good for the ballclub," Darling said.

Cleveland's Wayne Kirby singled with one out in the first and scored when center fielder Lance Blankenship let Carlos Baerga's single get past him for an error. Belle followed with a two-run homer, his 25th of the year.

Cliff Young (3-3) allowed two runs and eight hits in eight-plus innings, striking out a career-high six. Three relievers pitched Cleveland out of a bases-loaded jam in the ninth.

**Red Sox 8, Angels 6**

At Fenway Park, Billy Hatcher went 3-for-5, raising his average to .322, and rookie pitcher Aaron Sele (3-0) stayed undefeated as Boston won for the 19th time in 24 games. Hatcher is hitting .402 with 24 RBIs in his last 24 games.

**Orioles 6, Royals 5**

At Camden Yards, Jamie Moyer

(6-4) pitched two-hit ball for six innings and Baltimore survived a shaky outing by stopper Gregg Olson.

**Yankees 8, Mariners 2**

Tim Leary, traded from New York to Seattle last August, returned to Yankee Stadium and pitched like he did when he was a Yankee.

Leary (7-4) allowed six hits, three walks, one hit batsman and five earned runs in only 1 1-3 innings, dropping his career record in the Bronx to 3-19.

Bernie Williams homered and drove in four runs to support Scott Kamieniecki (3-3), who tossed an eight-hitter.

**Blue Jays 15, White Sox 7**

In a matchup of division leaders at Comiskey Park, Toronto scored seven runs in the first and went on to get a season-high 21 hits.

Turner Ward drove in four runs, Randy Knorr had a three-run homer, Joe Carter drove in three runs and John Olerud had three hits.

**Twins 4, Tigers 2**

Minnesota spoiled Sean Bergman's first major-league start by scoring four runs in the first two innings at Detroit.

## Rangers' Gonzalez in shoe commercial

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) - Texas Rangers All-Star outfielder Juan Gonzalez's monster reputation is growing, and not entirely because of his monstrous home runs.

Gonzalez is featured in a new 30-second Reebok television commercial dubbed "Monstruo," or "Monster."

A Spanish version will be broadcast on Spanish language television stations, including Telemundo's weekly baseball highlights program, "El Mundo de

las Grandes Ligas."

Dave Ropes, Reebok vice president of marketing services, said the Gonzalez commercial for the brand's Preseason collection of athletic footwear represents Reebok's first major advertising effort directed at Spanish-speaking consumers.

In the commercial, which begins with lightning striking a haunted-looking house, three young boys approach the dwelling hoping to catch a glimpse of their hero.

Gonzalez, whose nickname is

"Igor," is seen in the basement of the house furiously lifting weights, doing sit-ups, running a treadmill and hitting in a batting cage. Gonzalez says in a voice-over: "To be a giant on the field, you have to train like a monster."

The boys finally work up the courage to enter the house, where Gonzalez greets the youngsters with a smile and invites them to join the workout.

The commercial also was produced in English.

## Jordan's big hits KO Braves

By The Associated Press

Two homers in one game are better than two interceptions any day. Just ask Brian Jordan.

The former Atlanta Falcons strong safety hit two home runs to back the six-hit pitching of Donovan Osborne and three relievers as the visiting St. Louis Cardinals beat the Atlanta Braves 4-0 Monday night.

"Outside of football, these were the two biggest hits I've had in this park," joked Jordan, who played for the Falcons from 1989-91 at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium before signing a baseball-only contract with the Cardinals.

"This will be something I'll remember."

Mark Whiten also helped with his fourth home run in five games for St. Louis.

"You love to play good in front of fans who rooted for you when you were here before. Thank goodness I did good," Jordan said.

Jordan, who attended Richmond University, played three seasons for the Falcons and was selected an alternate on the 1991 Pro Bowl team. He was drafted by the Buffalo Bills in 1989.

"Jordan's homers were great. I hated to see them, because they were for the other team, but they were great," said Atlanta's two-sport star Deion Sanders, a former teammate of Jordan's with the Falcons.

Osborne (9-3) won his sixth straight decision by pitching four-hit ball for seven innings. Osborne, Rod Murphy, Omar Olivares and Lee Smith (33 saves) combined to pitch the fourth shutout of the season for the Cardinals.

Pete Smith fell to 3-8.

**Astros 4, Pirates 2**

Eric Anthony hit a tiebreaking homer in the sixth inning off Bob Walk (10-7) and Pete Harnisch won his ninth game, leading Houston past Pittsburgh at Three Rivers Stadium.

Harnisch (9-6) held Pittsburgh to just one hit in five innings after allowing two runs in the first.

**Giants 6, Expos 2**

Pitcher Dave Burba (7-2) drove in the go-ahead run with a single off Chris Nabholz (5-6) in the fourth inning, helping San Francisco break a two-game losing streak by beating Montreal at Candlestick Park.

Burba scattered eight hits and two runs in 6 2-3 innings. The right-hander was filling in for the injured Bud Black.

**Phillies 7, Dodgers 5**

Jim Eisenreich drove in two runs, including a tie-breaking single in the seventh inning, as Philadelphia beat Los Angeles at Dodger Stadium.

Darren Daulton led off the seventh with a ground-rule double against reliever Omar Daal (1-3) and scored

on Eisenreich's single to make it 6-5. Rookie Kevin Stocker, who had three hits, drove in another run with a groundout.

**Mets 2, Padres 1, 10 innings**

Charlie O'Brien hit his first homer of the season leading off the 10th inning against reliever Gene Harris (4-4), lifting visiting New York over San Diego.

Winner John Franco (3-0) blew a save opportunity in the ninth by allowing Tony Gwynn's two-out RBI single.

**Cubs 6, Reds 4**

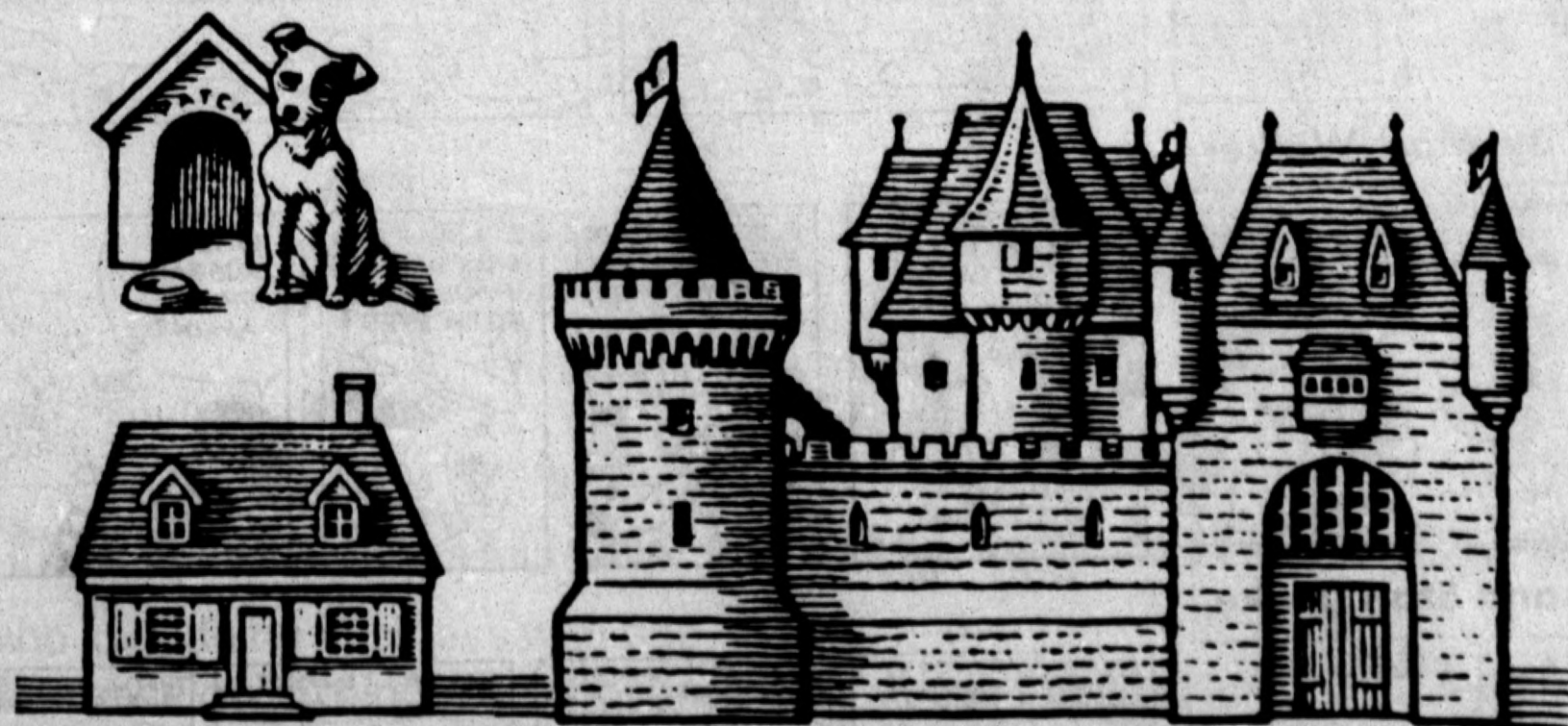
Chicago won its season-high fifth straight game by turning Larry Luebbers' wildness into a five-run lead against Cincinnati at Riverfront Stadium.

**Marlins 3, Rockies 1**

Ryan Bowen (5-8) allowed one run in seven innings and Darrell Whitmore hit the longest home run in Florida history, leading the Marlins over Colorado at Joe Robbie Stadium.

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21 Cinemax  
22 MTV  
23 VH-1  
24 Nashville Network  
25 The Discovery Channel

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31 Nickelodeon

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## TUESDAY JULY 20

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Movie:	Zorro	Walt Disney Presents	This Was America 1968	Genesis: No Admittance	Movie: Back to Bataan	John Wayne					
News:	Cur. Affair	Movie: One Special Victory	(1991) John Larroquette	Dateline							
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour:	Nova	New Explorers	Perspective	Greenroom	Thinking	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour					
B. Hillbillies:	(3:5) Major League Baseball	St. Louis Cardinals at Atlanta Braves		(3:5) Movie: Living Proof	The Hank Williams Jr. Story						
News:	Wh. Fortune	Full House	Mr. Cooper	Roseanne	Coach	Thom Birds					
Life Choices:	Spirit	Sullivans	Joy-Music	VISN Agenda	In Touch						
Paradise:	Major League Baseball	Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds		News	Night Court	Kojak					
News:	Married...	Rescue 911	Movie: Bump in the Night	(1991) **1/2							
Roseanne:	Murphy B.	Beverly Hills, 90210	Key West	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Arsonio Hall				
Sportsctr.:	Water Skiing	World Tour	Pro Beach Volleyball	Baseball	Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced						
Waltons:	Young Riders	Father Dowling Mysteries	700 Club	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Bonanza						
Movie: Return-Lagoon:	Movie: Gate II Louis Tripp	**1/2 R	(3:5) Movie: Acting on Impulse								
(5:30) Movie: Ski Patrol:	Movie: Buffy the Vampire Slayer	PG-13	Poetic Jus.	Movie: Coming to America	Eddie Murphy	*** R					
(5:00) Movie: The Deep:	Movie: Clearcut	(1991) Ron Lea, Graham Greene	R	Movie: A Friend of the Devil	Ben Kingsley						
American Music Shop:	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	American Music Shop	Club Dance	Crook						
In Witness:	Terra X	Treasure	Invention	Next Step	Teeth of Death	Terra X	Treasure	Invention			
In Search Of...:	Biography	Wynton Marsalis	Movie: Time Will Tell	**1/2							
Unsolved Mysteries:	L.A. Law	Movie: Switched at Birth	(1991) Bonnie Bedelia	***	Unsolved Mysteries	Mysteries					
L.A. Downs:	Jet Skiing	Olympic Basketball Final	Croatia vs. USA	Sports Outlet	Pro Beach Volleyball						
Jetsons:	Bugs & Pals	Movie: Comes a Horseman	(1978) Jane Fonda, James Caan	***	Movie: Oklahoma Crude	(1973) George C. Scott	**1/2				
Looney Bullwinkle:	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Lucy Show	Hitchcock	Superman		
MacGyver:	Murder, She Wrote	Boxing Benny Amparo vs. Pancho Segura	Eden	Hitchhiker	Quantum						
Rosangelica:	Los Parientes Pobres	Entre la Vida y la Muerte	IVeronica!	Notici.Uni.	Movie: Jalisco Canta						

## WEDNESDAY JULY 21

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Movie:	Davy Crockett	Magoo	Fraggle	Wonderland	Care Bears	Quack	Kids Incomp.	Mickey	Movie: Back to Hannibal		
Our Lives:	Another World	John & Leeza-Hollywood!	Oprah Winfrey								
Body Elec.:	Nova	Painting	Sesame Street	Reading	Sandiego	Sg. 1 TV	Club				
Movie: T.A.G.:	The Assassination Game	Tom & Jerry	Flintstones	Jetsons	Brady B.	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Jeffersons	Andy Griffith		
Rush L.:	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Sally Jessy Raphael	Family Feud	You Bet-Life	Jeopardy!	ABC News				
Headlines:	Worship	Point	Jewish Songs	Sacred Songs	Sunshine	Junction	Campbells	Options			
News:	Joan Rivers	Design. W.	3 Stooges	C.O.P.S.	Flintstones	Captain N	Charles	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell		
Bold-Beau:	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Matlock	Edition	Hard Copy	News	CBS News				
People Ct.:	Perry Mason	Highway to Heaven	Melodies	Tom-Jerry	Tiny Toon	Batman	Saved-Bell	Full House			
Rotterdam Marathon:	Water Skiing	World Tour	Fishing	Max Out	WRHL Hockey	Max Out	Inside PGA	Up Close			
Make Deal:	Zorro	My 3 Sons	Littles	Mario Bros.	Popeye	Gadget	Rin Tin Tin	Zorro	Life Goes On		
Movie: *** Action in the North Atlantic:	(1:15) Movie: Old Explorers	Jose Ferrer	** PG	Movie: Star Trek V: The Final Frontier	William Shatner	Movie:					
Movie: Any	Broadcast Tapes	Movie: A Christmas Story	*** PG	Movie: Star Trek V: The Final Frontier	William Shatner	Movie:					
Movie:	(1:15) Movie: The Devil at 4 O'Clock	Spencer Tracy	***	Movie: Two of a Kind	John Travolta	*	Movie: Absence of Malice				
Crook	Be a Star	:10 Seconds	Cookin'	On Stage	Club Dance	American Music Shop	VideoPM				
Great Chefs:	Cholesterol	Graham K.	Easy	Homeworks	America Coast to Coast	Beyond 2000	Nature	Wildlife			
Rockford:	Movie: The Royal African Rifles	(1954)	Wilderness	Fugitive	Mrs. Columbo	Rockford Files					
Shop-Drop:	Anything	Ultman	Moonlighting	Movie: Daddy	(1987) Dermot Mulroney	***	Supermkt.	Shop-Drop			
Basketball:	Cycling	Bodies	Karate	Trainer	TBA	High Five	Sports	Outdoors	Sports Outlet		
Movie:	(1:15) Movie: The Walking Hills	(1949) Ella Raines	***	Movie: Deadly Game	(1977) Andy Griffith	**	Bugs & Pals	Planet			
Gnome	Dennis	Flipper	Yogi Bear	Looney	Underdog	Muppets	Hey Dude	Salute	You Do	GhostBust.	
Sale	John's Wild	Tic Tac	Press Luck	Scrabble	Pyramid	Pyramid	Two Dads	Ten of Us	G.I. Joe	GhostBust.	
Macarena:	De Frente al Sol	Tennis Que Ser Tu	Cristina	Noticias y Mas	Cuna-Lobos	Notici.Uni.					

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	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Frags	Pooch Corner	Umbrella	Dumbo	Tracks	Jump	Gummy B.	Lunch Box	Walt Disney Presents	Movie: Davy		
Today	Jenny Jones	Geraldo	American Music Shop	Club Dance	Caesars	Concert.	Our Lives				
Perspective:	Perspective	TimeGrow	TimeGrow	Lamb Chop	Barney	Sesame Street	Mr Rogers	Station	Lifeline		
Gilligan:	Bewitched	Little House on the Prairie	(:05) Movie: Date With an Angel	(1987) **1/2	(:05) CHIPS						
Good Morning America:	Donahue	Regis & Kathie	Little House on the Prairie	News							
Worship:	Views	Recovery Line	Falwell	Gate-Truth	Cope	Over the Hill Gang	1 in Spirit				
Flintstones:	Bozo	Cartoon	Perry Mason	Joan Rivers	Geraldo	News					
(6:00) This Morning:	Vicki!	Design. W.	Family Feud	Price Is Right	Young and the Restless	News					
Goof Troop:	Darkwing	Beetlejuice	Hogans	700 Club	Robert Tilton	K. Copeland	Family Ties	Love Con.			
Sportsctr.:	Jake	Bodyshape	Sportsctr.	Fitness Pros	Getting Fit	In Motion	Bodyshape	Sports			
Gadget:	Popeye	Waltons	(7:00) Club	Flashback	Cross-Wits	Pursuit	Triv. Purs.	Name-Tune			
Mr. Edmund:	Movie: Erik the Viking	(1989) Tim Robbins, Gary Cady	Movie: Short Circuit	Ally Sheedy	**1/2 PG						
Babar:	Pinocchio	Entertainment Report	Movie: A Time of Destiny	Timothy Hutton	** PG-13	Movie: Any Which Way You Can	PG				
Movie:	Movie: A Stolen Life	(1946) Bette Davis, Glenn Ford	Movie: Tune in Tomorrow...	Peter Falk	**1/2 PG-13	Movie: Johnny Belinda					
(Of Air)	VideoMorning	Kitchen Ex.	Great Chefs	Cholesterol	Graham K.	Easy	Homeworks	Kitchen Ex.			
Paid Prog.:	Paid Prog.	America Coast to Coast	Kitchen Ex.	Wilderness	Fugitive	O'Hara, U.S. Treasury	Rockford				
In Search Of...:	Workout	Gourmet	Your Baby	Baby Knows	Movie: Rage	(1980) David Soul	***	Gourmet	Born Lucky	Supermkt.	
Musclesport:	Horseworld	Golf: Charity Classic	Bodies	Baseball	Sports	Olympic Basketball: Croatia vs. USA					
(6:00) Bugs Bunny & Pals:	Adventure Quest	Charlie's Angels	Charlie's Angels	Rounders	Movie: Massacre River						
Home Run for Love:	Eureka's Castle	Elephant	Cappelli & Company	Just Stories	Muppets						
Scoby Doo:	GhostBust.	Denver	Dinosaurs	American Gladiators	Movie: Wolfen	(1981) Albert Finney	***	Talkabout			
Nos.los G.:	El Chavo	Papa Soltero	Chespirito	Alcanzar una Estrella	Candido P.	Macarena					

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Movie:	Huck Finn	Movie: Looking for Miracles	Greg Spottiswood	**1/2	Carole King: Going Home	Movie: State Fair	Jeanne Crain	**1/2			
News:	Cur. Affair	Unsolved Mysteries	First Person	Law & Order	News	(:35) Tonight Show					
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour:	National Geographic	Movie: In the Good Old Summertime	(1949) ***	Tony Brown	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour						
B. Hillbillies:	Sanford	(:05) Movie: Blood & Orchids	(1986) Kris Kristofferson, Jane Alexander	**1/2	Movie:						
News:	Wh. Fortune	Wonder Y.	Doogie H.	Home Imp	Delta	Thom Birds	News	(:35) Cheers	Ent. Tonight		
Jesuit:	Design. W.	Sullivan	Music	Portraits	Prestonwd	Missions	Hometand	Gospel	Heart-Matter		
Paradise:	Design. W.	Movie: Men at Work	(1990) Emilio Estevez	**	News	Night Court	Renegade				
News:	Married...	Family Dog	Family Dog	In the Heat of the Night	48 Hours	News	Golden Girls	Design. W.			
Roseanne:	Murphy B.	Beverly Hills, 90210	Melrose Place	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Arsonio Hall				
Sportsctr.:	Outside the Lines	Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced									
Waltons:	Young Riders	Father Dowling Mysteries	700 Club	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Bonanza						
Movie:	Erik the Viking	(1989) Tim Robbins, Gary Cady	Movie: Deep Cover	Larry Fishburne	*** R	Comedy Club All-Stars	VII	Movie:			
(5:30) Movie: Harley PG:	Movie: Ruby	(1992) Danny Aiello, Sherilyn Fenn	R	Sanders	Dream On	Crypt Tales	Movie: Boomerang	** R			
Movie: Absence of Malice:	Movie: Murder Blues	Francesco Quinn	NR	Movie: Waxwork II: Lost in Time	** R	(:45) Movie: Netherworld					
(5:00) VideoPM:	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	On Stage	Club Dance	Crook						
In Witness:	Atlantic Realm	Wings	In the Realm of the Shark	Atlantic Realm	Wings						
In Search Of...:	Our Century	Am. Justice	Spies	First Flights	Evening at the Improv	Our Century					
Unsolved Mysteries:	L.A. Law	Movie: Killer Instinct	(1988) Melissa Gilbert	**	Kathy & Mo Show	Mysteries					
Speed:	Major League Baseball	Houston Astros at Pittsburgh Pirates	Golf	Auto Racing: NASCAR	- Miller 500						
Jetsons	Bugs & Pals	Movie: Mackenna's Gold	(1969) Gregory Peck, Omar Sharif	**1/2	(:45) Movie: I Walk the Line	(1970) Gregory Peck	***				
Looney Bullwinkle:	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Lucy Show	Hitchcock	Superman		
MacGyver:	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Lies of the Twins	(1991) Isabella Rossellini	**	Eden	Hitchhiker	Quantum				
Rosangelica:	Los Parientes Pobres	Entre la Vida y la Muerte	Horangel	Notici.Uni.	Movie: Cartas Marcadas						

## The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



## Marvin By Tom Armstrong



## Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell



## BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



## BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake



# Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** May I give you a gentle rap on the knuckles for your response to "L.T.D.," the overweight woman who wrote and said, "All women want to be loved and accepted for who they are."

I didn't see much love and acceptance in your reference to those thin women you described as looking "consumptive." I spent years being painfully underweight, and it's no fun. A lot of women who are now pleading for sensitivity are the very ones who called Twiggy "The Toothpick."

This preoccupation with weight is a pain in the neck. I wish they'd bag it. -Canadian Reader

**DEAR C.R.:** I accept your gentle rap on the knuckles for my insensitivity to the underweight sisters. Describing them as looking consumptive didn't show much compassion.

## Dye summer T-shirt with blueberries

Looking for a new art-to-wear activity for your pre-teen kids? Here's a new twist on dyeing T-shirts. Instead of using commercially made dyes, create your own palette of colors from nature. It's a great opportunity to get back to basics with kids.

We've made dyes from onion skins, tea, cabbage and beets. Our latest discovery for making a beautiful dye is with blueberries. It's a favorite. Here's how:

**Step one:** Prepare the fabric: Use white, pre-washed, 100 percent cotton T-shirts. You may also wish to dye white, 100 percent cotton socks, scarves, napkins and place mats.

The day before, fill a large pot with about 3 quarts of warm water. Stir 2 tablespoons of alum (available at your local pharmacy) and 1 teaspoon of cream of tartar in the water. Place the T-shirt in the water mixture and simmer on low heat for about an hour. Let it cool overnight. The next day, wring out the T-shirt.

**Step two:** Prepare the dye: Fill a large pot with 2 quarts of water, add 1 pint or more of fresh blueberries. Bring to a boil and simmer the berries for 40 minutes or until the water is dark blue/purple. (Your house will smell good from the aroma of the blueberries).

An adult should stain the dye and pour the liquid (the dye) back into the pot. Place the T-shirt in the dye and simmer on low heat for approximately one hour. Turn off the heat. When the dye is cool, remove the shirt, wring it out and rinse in cold water until the water runs clear.

Hang the shirt to dry, away from sunlight. Enjoy wearing the shirt you've dyed yourself using color from nature!

Send your favorite family craft ideas to share with other readers to Donna Erickson, P.O. Box 16188, Minneapolis, Minn. 55416.

I agree that entirely too much attention is paid these days to who is fat and who is thin. I, too, wish they would bag it.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I need to blow off some steam, so get ready. My husband and I built our home last year. The contractor indicated that it was important to him that we be completely satisfied.

During construction, whenever we criticized anything, he'd give us a long-winded excuse. Our complaints were not unreasonable. One involved improper venting in the bathroom. Another was an uneven kitchen counter. Although he agreed to fix things, it was always a rush job, poorly done.

Unfortunately, we are still working out the kinks that this contractor should have taken care of. It is proving to be very inconvenient as well as expensive.

I hope others who are planning to build homes or additions will remember that the contractor works for the customers, and it is his responsibility to satisfy his clients. Don't back down, or you'll pay for it later.

I also hope building contractors learn that the customer always has the last word. I can assure you that when our friends ask for a building contractor referral, our reply will be, "DON'T CALL HIM!"--North Jersey, N.J.

**DEAR N.J.:** Almost everyone who has built a home has some tale to tell. Thanks for yours. I'll bet there will be a load of horror stories in the upcoming mail about experiences with contractors. I'm ready.

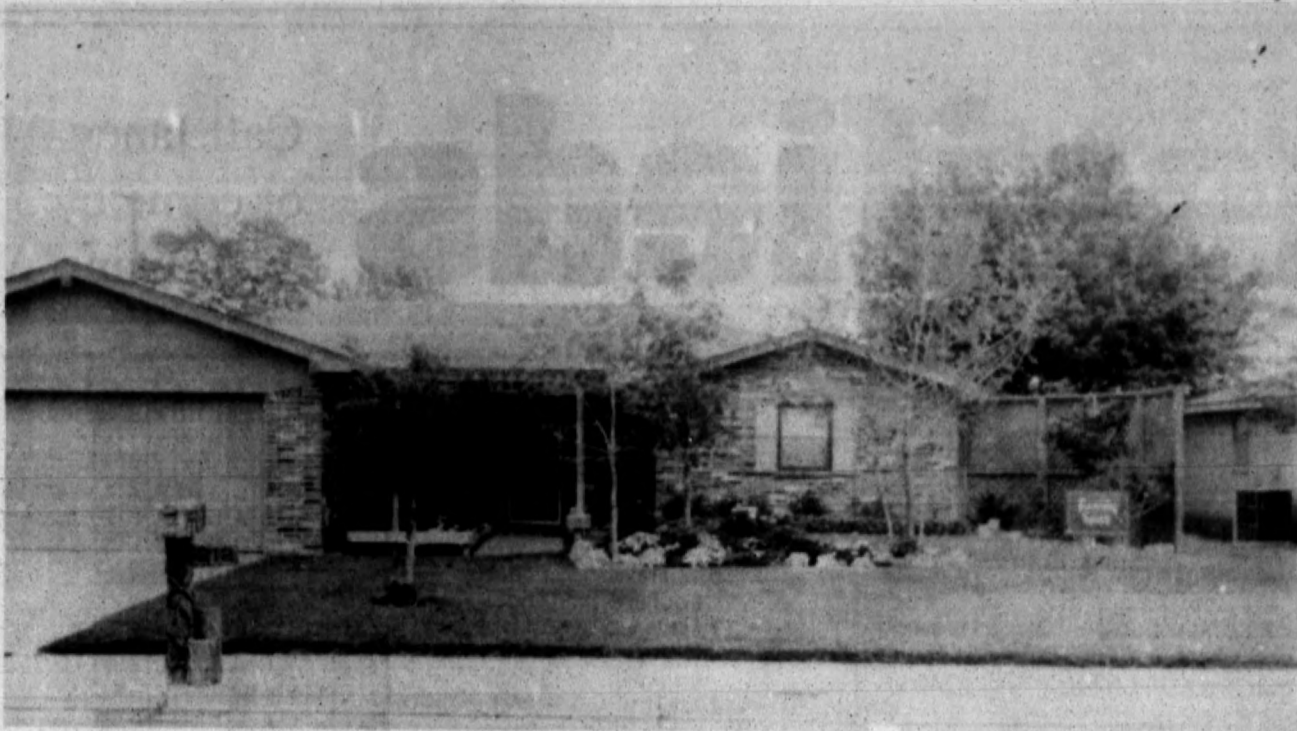
**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I just read in the newspaper that a police dog in Virginia was drinking at a public school water fountain. Parents who complained were told by health experts that a dog's mouth is cleaner than a human's.

Is this an old wives' tale? Do dogs have germ killers in their saliva or what? I'm sure millions of your readers would like to know.--Mike in Omaha

**DEAR MIKE:** We spoke to Peter Poholik, director of Animal Care and Control for the city of Chicago. He said a dog uses its nose to identify everything -- including animal droppings. The nose is attached to the mouth.

Since a dog cannot wash its face or brush its teeth, it is unwise to share a drinking fountain with a dog. Although it's a fact that a human bite contains more bacteria than a dog's, that doesn't make the dog's bite less dangerous. Rabies, for example, is transmitted solely through saliva. I wonder how many people knew that. I didn't.

Is life passing you by? Want to improve your social skills? Write for Ann Landers' new booklet, "How to Make Friends and Stop Being Lonely." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$4.15 (this includes postage and handling) to: Friends, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562.



## Residential beauty spot

Members of the Women's Division beauty spot of the month committee have chosen the home of Ivan and Martha Tipps as one of the residential beauty spots for July. The home is located at 212 Juniper.

# Ask Dr. Lamb

**DEAR DR. LAMB:** After having X-rays taken of my stomach, I was told I had gastritis, an inflammation of the stomach lining. I was put on Pepcid. My nausea subsided somewhat, but not completely, especially in the morning. When X-rays were taken again, they showed I still had some gastritis. Tums, Maalox and other antacid drugs only gave me temporary relief, if at all. Now my doctor has taken me off Pepcid, and I still have the nausea. I would appreciate any suggestion or advice you can give me.

**DEAR READER:** Gastritis and ulcers are not the only cause for nausea. Gallbladder disease is another cause, as is liver disease. It is impor-

tant to determine what is actually causing your symptoms.

Gastritis is not the same as an ulcer, but they are closely related. As you were told, it is an inflammation of the stomach. Some patients have ulcer symptoms with no physical findings. These individuals are often said to have functional dyspepsia. A high percentage of them do develop ulcers at a later date, and others may have small ulcers that were not noted on examination.

Gastritis is often associated with an infection with H pylori bacteria. So are peptic ulcers. This has been increasingly well accepted in recent times. That means antibiotics and bismuth products often are success-

ful when standard measures to control gastric acidity alone are not.

For more information about this, read my new Special Report 139, Update on Ulcers and Acid Indigestion. I'm sending you a free copy. Others who want this report can send \$3 with a stamped (52 cents), self-addressed, No. 10 envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/139, P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077-5537.

You only mention X-rays. Often it is important to look directly into the stomach with a procedure called gastroscopy. Since you continue to have a problem, you might consider seeing a gastroenterologist and have a more complete study than your letter indicates.

## Keep computer printer repairs costs down

Everyone knows that when the printer is down, work comes to a halt. In today's fastpaced business world where time is money, it is helpful to know that there are ways to minimize both downtime and repair costs.

The best way to keep repair costs down is to keep the printer running smoothly. One way to do this is to implement a periodic maintenance/cleaning schedule. Adjustment, cleaning, lubrication and replacement of worn parts will keep your equipment running at peak efficiency for longer periods of time.

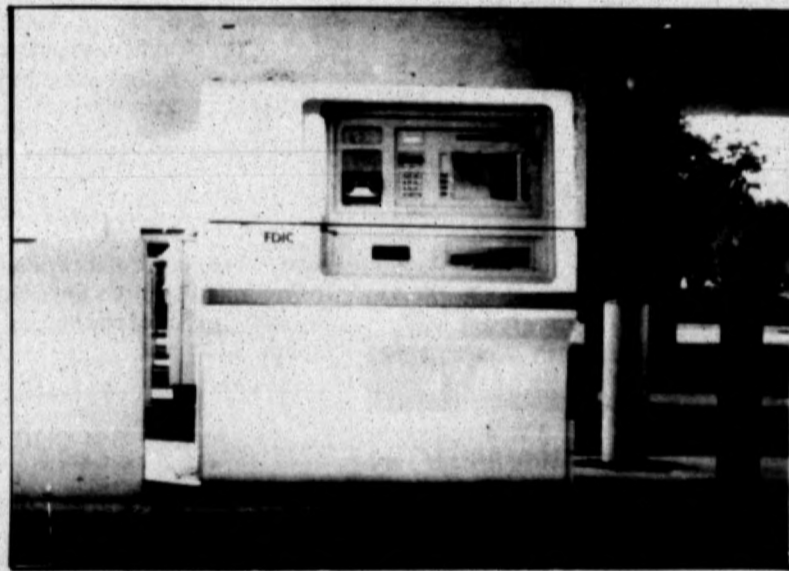
Buying a service manual can also help. These manuals usually have trouble-shooting guides, disassembly and assembly instructions and parts lists. The manual may help you to diagnose or even solve a problem yourself before calling for service.

Always purchase genuine manufacturer's replacement parts and supplies. While there are companies that sell cheaper imitations, the genuine parts are guaranteed by the manufacturer not to cause damage or premature failure to your equipment, thereby preventing higher repair costs in the future.

Be sure to purchase parts from a supplier that offers a low minimum purchase requirement. While many suppliers only fill orders of a minimum of \$50 to \$150, there are companies like Agson, Inc. that provide service for order amounts as low as \$10. In addition, make sure the supplier can deliver the parts in a time frame that meets your needs.

Experts at the Department of Transportation point out that many allergy medications make you drowsy. If you are taking one that does, don't drive.

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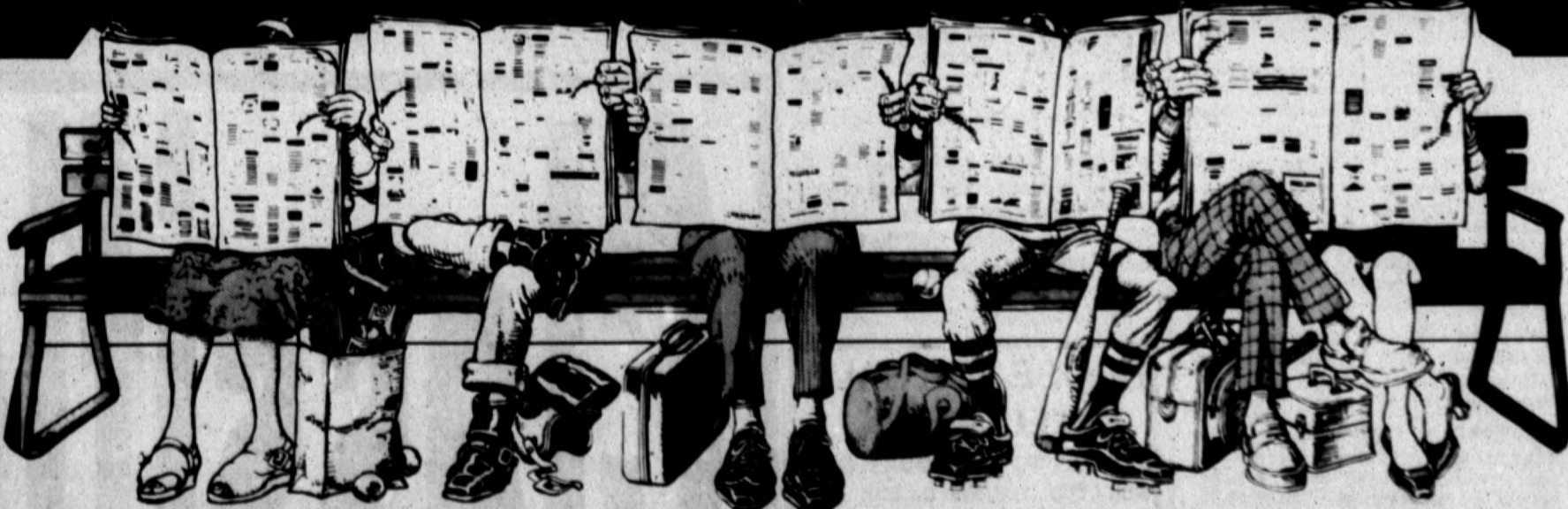
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### Group to perform here

The Velvet Knights Drum and Bugle Corps will perform a free concert at 7 p.m. Wednesday in Whiteface Stadium. The Anaheim, Calif.-based group, which is on tour this summer, will stop in Hereford early Wednesday en route from Albuquerque, N.M., to Tulsa, Okla. They will rest during the morning, then practice in the afternoon and perform the concert at night to thank the community for providing the rest stop.

## Drum & bugle corps to rest here, present public concert

The Velvet Knights Drum and Bugle Corps of Anaheim, Calif., will be in Hereford this week for a day's rest and rehearsal during its 30th anniversary tour.

In addition, the group will perform a free concert that night in gratitude for having been provided a place to rest.

James McLaskey, Hereford High School band director, said the group had planned to travel from a Tuesday show in Albuquerque, N.M., to Tulsa, Okla., for a show on Thursday.

However, arrangements were made here for the 128-member corps to stop in Hereford, rest in the Hereford Junior High School gymnasium and practice at Whiteface Stadium.

The group will arrive here Wednesday morning and rest in the

gym, recuperating from the previous night's performance and trip.

A public rehearsal will be held from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday in Whiteface Stadium.

Then, at 7 p.m., a full concert will be held in the stadium. It is open to the public at no cost.

The Velvet Knights were founded in 1963. The group is composed of young people between the ages of 14 and 21.

There are three units in the group -- brass, percussion and color guard. Ninety percent of the members come from Orange County, Calif., with the remainder coming from all over the U.S. and abroad.

The Velvet Knights hold the 1965 American Legion State Championship title and are a top 12 finalist for

the past nine years at Drum Corps International Summer Music Games.

The corps is traveling to the summer festival this year, winding its way from California to New York, then to Jackson, Miss., for the DCI contest on Aug. 19-21.

The tour will include 30 stops, 15,000 miles and 15 million audience members, watching both in person and by television.

This year's theme is *Kartoon Klassics*, which includes old favorite cartoon characters accompanied by the sounds of such music as the "Barber of Seville," "Hungarian Rhapsody" and others.

In addition, a separate piece produced by Tom and Catherine Float will feature the percussion section.

### State Capital HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams and Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

ing to fund raising and political work Criss did for Hutchison.

Hutchison, a Republican who was elected to the U.S. Senate in June, has said she was unaware of the alleged abuse, and her aides have called the grand jury an attempt by Democrats to discredit her before next year's election.

#### Workers' Comp Panel

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock has appointed state Sens. Don Henderson, D-Houston; John Montford, D-Lubbock; and Jim Turner, D-Crockett; to the Workers' Compensation Legislative Oversight Committee.

The panel will coordinate various agencies' work toward protecting the income, health and medical care of Texans who are injured on the job.

Bullock said workers' compensation will be a major issue when lawmakers convene in 1995 because the Workers' Compensation Commission is set for sunset review.

#### 13.7% Rate Reduction

Meanwhile, the state board of insurance reduced the rates for workers' compensation for employers who can't get coverage from private insurers.

The 13.7 percent reduction in overall rates will save Texas businesses an estimated \$7 million to \$13 million.

The decrease was based on reductions in claim costs for the Texas Workers' Compensation Insurance Facility, which provides coverage to about 12,500 Texas businesses that are unable to secure insurance in the open market.

"The 1989 workers' compensation reforms are cutting claim costs dramatically, and employers covered by the Facility should share in the savings," said Claire Koriath, the board's chairwoman.

#### More Schools Defy Law

More property-rich school districts have decided to challenge the new school finance law.

Lawyers said last week that school boards in Richardson, Andrews, Klondike, Allison and Borden County districts had passed resolutions to join the lawsuit against

the school funding law.

The judge who oversees the long-running school finance case has set July 15 as the deadline for filing challenges.

The law gives the state's wealthiest districts several options for sharing wealth with property-poor districts.

#### Richards Picks Judges

Gov. Ann Richards has appointed two judges, Robert Seerden of Corpus Christi as chief justice of the 13th Court of Appeals, and Joseph Kelly of Victoria as judge of the 24th District Court.

Seerden, who has served on the 13th Court of Appeals since 1984, will replace Paul Nye of Corpus Christi, who resigned. His appointment is subject to Senate confirmation.

Kelly replaces the late Judge Clarence Stevenson of Victoria.

#### Other Highlights

■ Amy Johnson, the state's advocate for insurance consumers, was sworn in for a second two-year term last week by Gov. Richards. Richards said Johnson and her office have saved consumers billions of dollars in premiums. Johnson, who won Senate confirmation last session, earns an annual salary of \$65,000.

■ Texas' school property tax base declined almost one percent from 1991 to 1992, from \$627.2 billion to \$621 billion, according to state Comptroller John Sharp. Sharp certified the estimates to Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno this month. The Texas Education Agency uses the estimates to determine state aid to schools.

■ TU Electric Co. customers could see a smaller rate increase than expected if the Public Utility Commission approves a settlement reached last week between the utility and the consumers and cities it serves. TU Electric requested a 15.3 percent rate hike, which would mean an \$11 increase on the average residential consumer's monthly bill. If the settlement is approved, the increase will be substantially less, said Public Utility Counsel Luis Wilnot.

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## Texan will fight for ban against gays

DALLAS (AP) - A Texas lawmaker says he will continue to fight for legislation to secure an all-out ban on gays in the military despite President Clinton's new middle-of-the-road policy.

U.S. Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis, who has co-sponsored a bill that would make the military's ban a law, called the president's compromise a "Don't think" policy.

In a prepared statement, Barton called the plan a "badly flawed policy," and said he will work for its removal by legislation.

"We must now work to bring the policy back into line," he said. His office says 105 representatives have signed on as co-sponsors to the Barton-Dorman bill.

Clinton on Monday announced "an honorable compromise" on the issue, allowing gays to serve in the military but only if they refrain from all homosexual activity.

The proposal drew immediate criticism from people on both sides of the issue.

Dallas Gay and Lesbian Alliance spokesman David Taffet said the compromise violates gay service members' First Amendment rights by prohibiting them from openly discussing their sexuality.

"This is a clear violation of free speech," Taffet said.

Taffet said the most disturbing aspect of the policy is the fact that gays and lesbians who engage in homosexual behavior off-base will be subject to military discipline.

"Right now, the way it is, although the president says there won't be witch hunts, there will be witch hunts," Taffet said. "And we're going to continue wasting millions and billions of dollars throwing people out of the military."

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