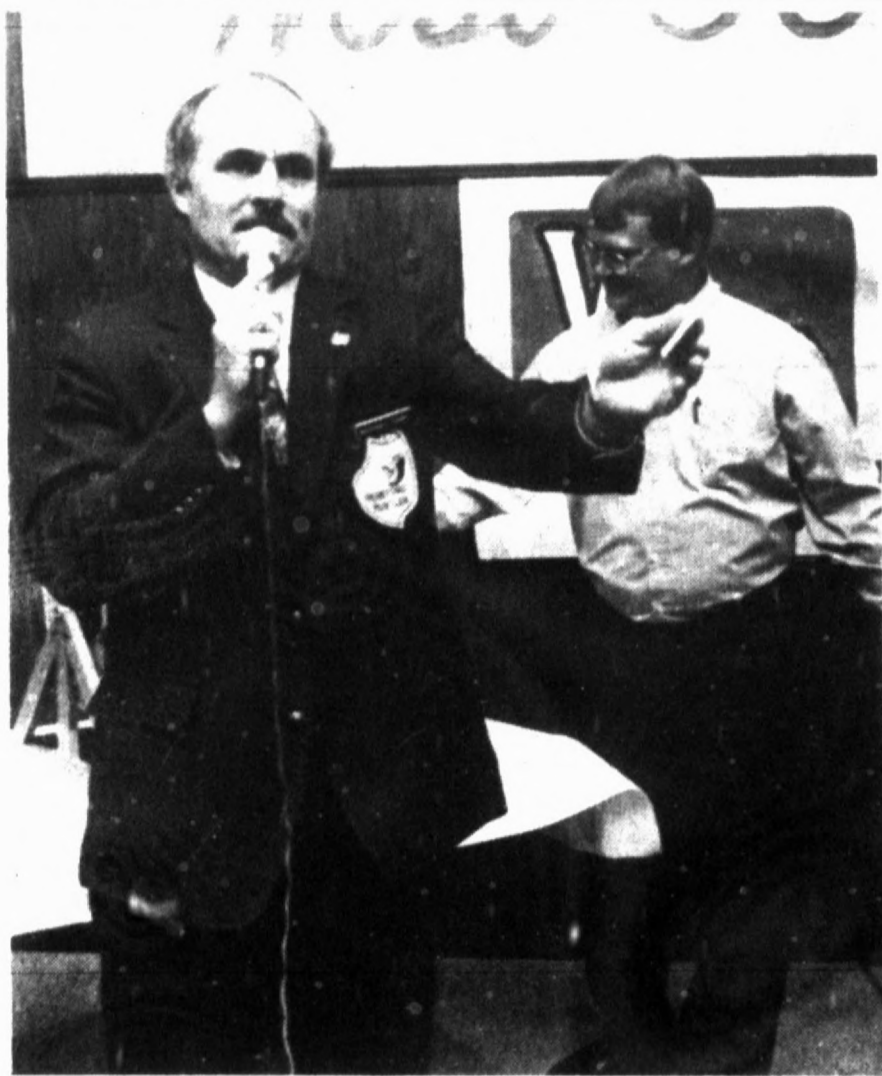


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Announcing vehicle winner

Winner of the vehicle given away by the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce was drawn and announced Thursday by Mike Carr. A.H. Broman of Vega was the winner. In background is John Stagner, emcee for the Fun Breakfast.

Vehicle drawing held at Breakfast

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

Thank goodness, winners of big prizes at the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Fun Breakfast Thursday morning didn't have to be present to win.

If that had been a condition of winning, it could have taken some time to complete the morning's business.

High expectations, though, apparently brought out a crowd of, maybe, record proportions. An estimated 300, or more, were in the Community Center.

But, the chamber's annual raffle ended with a winner of the grand prize -- either a pickup or car from Stevens Chevrolet-Olds or Hereford Auto Center -- with a Vega address, A.H. Broman. And, he wasn't present.

Earl Stagner took some pride in the drawing, announcing that he sold the \$50 ticket to the winner.

Fourteen other prizes in the raffle were given away, but only one winner, Joy Stagner, was present to accept her prize.

During the breakfast, attention was called to future events:

-- Alice Lockmiller, principal of Northwest School, announced a program to be implemented next year. HOSTS -- Help One Student to Succeed -- will use community volunteers.

-- Joe Weaver, assistant librarian at Deaf Smith Library, reminded that registration will begin Tuesday for the summer reading program.

-- Margie Daniels, Hereford Senior Citizens director, reminded that a pancake supper will be sponsored Friday night at the Senior Citizens Center, and that Khiva Bank will appear at the center on June 21.

-- Rita Bell and Julia Laing, co-chairmen of the Miss Hereford Pageant, introduced several of the candidates for the title and announced the pageant's date, June 12.

-- LaJean Henry reported that

Early voting nears close

Early voting in the June 5 special election will be open only two more days -- Friday and Tuesday -- because of the Memorial Day holiday, reminds Deaf Smith County Clerk David Ruland.

More than 350 ballots had been marked late Wednesday by voters choosing between two candidates for the U.S. Senate seat vacated by Lloyd Bentsen when he was appointed secretary of the U.S. Treasury.

Interim Senator Bob Krueger and Texas Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison are battling for the unexpired term. They were the top two vote-getters in the May 1 special election, called to fill the seat, that drew a field of 24 candidates. Hutchison edged Krueger in the count in May.

Statewide, the forecast for the election has been for a light turnout on election day.

In Deaf Smith County, the number of early votes cast may equal the more than 600 who voted early in the May election, say officials, based on the number already recorded.

The county clerk's office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. for voters but will be closed on Monday in observance of Memorial Day.

DSGH eyes funding options for renovation, construction

By GARRY WESNER
Managing Editor

The Deaf Smith Hospital District board of directors on Wednesday began discussing ways to fund a proposed hospital renovation and construction project, eyeing ways to raise about \$1.5 million.

Paul Fowler told directors that there are many different options available to fund the work, which would include a renovation and construction of a professional building.

No action was taken, but Fowler and administrator Ron Rives were directed by chairman John Perrin to meet with local bankers and try to come up with some sort of agreement before a meeting next month to consider bids on the project.

Rives told the board that bids are being accepted by the hospital's

architect on the work, but that the deadline to accept bids has been pushed back one week, to June 3.

That way, he said, more companies will have a chance to put together proposals for the work.

In discussing funding, Fowler said construction will have to be paid for with revenue bonds, which are private, rather than public general obligation bonds.

That, he said, is because to go public, the hospital would need to show from financial records of the past 60 months that it operationally can cover the debt service.

Unfortunately, in 1991, the hospital had a \$500,000 operational loss -- even after ad valorem taxes collected to pay a 1987 bond issue were added in.

As a result, private funding will be used.

One thing the board will have to consider in the financing package, Fowler said, is a required reserve fund.

Financing entities require one year's worth of principal and interest remain on deposit for the term of the bonds.

Fowler said that money could be included in the bond package, could be paid out of existing hospital reserves, or the hospital could try to negotiate a deal to pay the reserve over a five-year period.

Final decisions on funding the project will be made at a later date.

In other action Wednesday, Perrin, vice chairman Mal Manchee and secretary/treasurer Boyd Foster were unanimously re-elected to their positions.

Perrin announced appointments to board committees, noting that the

officers comprise both the executive and budget committees.

He appointed Manchee to chair the quality management committee, himself to head the marketing committee and Merle Clark to chair the physician recruitment/retention committee.

Also Wednesday, members:

-- Approved a Do Not Resuscitate policy, which allows patients to order doctors and hospital personnel not to perform CPR on them.

-- Received the operations report, which shows the hospital operated at an average daily census of 13.5 patients in April, including 11.9 adult and children patients and 1.6 newborns.

-- Received the financial report, which shows the hospital in April recorded \$46,939 of revenue over expenses for the month.

Krueger shuts down waste toll-free line

HOUSTON (AP) - Sen. Bob Krueger has shut down a toll-free hotline he started in February to collect confidential reports of government waste and fraud.

Krueger spokeswoman Samantha Smoot said Wednesday that too many abortion opponents were calling the number to express dissatisfaction with Krueger's stand on the abortion issue.

Besides, she said, Vice President Al Gore is heading a government efficiency task force that can handle similar complaints.

The fraud hotline was one of Krueger's first political moves after his appointment by Gov. Ann Richards to the vacancy left by Lloyd Bentsen's selection by President Clinton as Treasury Secretary.

Of about 1,700 calls to the hotline, Ms. Smoot said, only about 75 contained enough specific fraud information to be referred to various government agencies. The calls included reports of government employees receiving full salaries with no official duties, she said.

The telephone line activated a recording device in Austin that collected anonymous statements by federal workers and any other callers. It was advertised in the Washington Post in February as a way to make the government "100 fat-free."

Four appear in court here on charges

Four defendants appeared in 222nd District Court Wednesday to answer charges against them and three defendants were subjects of probation revocation proceedings. Judge David Wesley Gulley presided.

Probation of Maria Madrigal, convicted originally of tampering with government records, was revoked and the defendant was sentenced to four years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice institutional division.

Samuel Munoz Ramirez, convicted earlier of felony driving while intoxicated, was ordered to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice substance abuse punishment facility on revocation of probation.

Terms of probation of Moses Diaz, convicted of perjury, were amended in the court session. His sentence was reduced from one year in Deaf Smith County jail to the time served, 166 days.

Answering felony driving while intoxicated charges, Ruben Mata Rodriguez, 43, and Sylvia Cervantez Castillo, 26, entered pleas of guilty. Each was sentenced to five years probation and fined \$1,500.

Simon Ibarra, 26, entered a guilty plea to driving while intoxicated, second offense, and was sentenced to 180 days in jail, probated two years. He was fined \$700.

A five-year probated sentence was given Joe R. Lambert, 39, charged with forgery and passing. He also was fined \$1,000.



Hospital board presentations

Deaf Smith Hospital District board chairman John Perrin, right, and hospital administrator Ron Rives, left, present plaques of appreciation to outgoing board members Dr. Robert Bidwell, second from left, and Dr. Stan Fry Jr. during the board's regular meeting on Wednesday. The two declined to run for re-election the year. Elected in their place were Jo Beth Shackleford and Scott Turner.

Area corn sent to Japan as part of company's snack food tests

HART -- It may not dent the U.S. trade deficit to Japan, but the Texas Corn Producers Board believes this month's sale of high quality yellow food corn to a subsidiary of the giant Mitsubishi conglomerate could be a new market breakthrough for Texas corn farmers.

In what was believed to be the first ever purchase of Texas food corn by a Japanese company, Koikeya Co. Ltd. bought 40,000 pounds of yellow food corn from the Edmonson Wheat Growers food corn division here.

Koikeya is Japan's second largest snack food manufacturer.

The sale, which was completed May 19, resulted from a tour of Texas food corn country hosted by the TCPB.

"We have always promoted Texas food corn as the highest quality of its kind in the nation," said Carl King, TCPB executive vice president. "We have the research to back up our claims. We felt that's the reason the Japanese firm purchased our corn."

Robert Harrell of Edmonson Wheat Growers, a farmer-owned cooperative, said Koikeya is apparently testing corn from Texas and other states to determine which will best suit its needs.

"They want to start making corn chips," he said. "The hardness of our corn, which has always been popular among American snack food companies, was attractive to them."

A trade team from Koikeya visited the Edmonson plant on April 21. It was part of a tour that included Dimmitt Agri-Industries in Dimmitt, Corn Processors Inc. in Uvalde and



Japanese-bound corn

Robert Harrell of Edmonson Wheat Growers, shows some food grade corn like that sold to a Japanese snack food manufacturer earlier this month. The sale of 40,000 pounds came after representatives from the company toured several companies involved in corn production around the area.

Frito Lay in Hereford. Hereford Grain Corp. in Hereford also was on the agenda.

"Our corn producers board has hosted foreign trade teams for more than a decade," said King. "And we have made some sales that have benefitted our state's farmers."

"Even though this is a small purchase by the Japanese company, it could turn into a monthly program. And it could certainly lead to bigger and better markets once the Japanese public gets a taste of corn snack food products."

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Local Roundup

Warm days through weekend

Fair weather is on the menu for Thursday, Friday and Saturday with temperatures ranging from upper 50s to mid-80s. A few clouds will appear Saturday and a chance of thunderstorms is forecast for Sunday and Monday, Memorial Day. Partly cloudy skies should prevail for the holiday. In Hereford Wednesday, the mercury climbed to 83 degrees, then dropped to 55 degrees Thursday morning.

Holiday deadlines announced

Because of the Memorial Day holiday, **The Brand** will have some special deadlines in effect for the Tuesday edition of the newspaper. Commercial display advertising should be submitted by 3 p.m. Friday and the classified advertising deadline will be 9 a.m. Tuesday for that day's issue. Offices of **The Brand** will be closed Monday for the holiday.

Drill team to wash cars

The Hereford High School drill team will hold a car wash and bake sale on Saturday to raise funds for the group. It will be held from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at St. Anthony's School. Cost to wash cars will be a minimum \$5 donation, while prices vary on bake sale items.

MAD to host cancer doctor

The Mexican American Democrats will present a talk by Dr. Ernesto Contreras Sr. at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Community Center. Contreras is founder of Hospital Ernesto Contreras R. in Tijuana, Mexico, which treats cancer patients. The center specializes in oncology, internal medicine, surgery, urology, hematology, neurology and related fields. Contreras uses Amygdalin and other metabolic, non-toxic therapies.

News Digest

World/Nation

WASHINGTON - Democratic leaders confidently predicted a big win for President Clinton as the House prepared for a showdown vote on the administration's budget-cutting tax bill.

ZAGREB, Croatia - Serbs and Croats are expected to reach a territorial deal soon, and that implies agreement on the fate of Bosnia - sandwiched between Serbia and Croatia - where Serbs and Croats also are fighting for land.

BONN, Germany - After World War II, a broad asylum guarantee was written into the German constitution, partially in atonement for Nazi atrocities. Now the lower house of parliament has struck down those guarantees, and the upper house is likely to follow suit as lawmakers respond to the people's impatience and the country's increasing inability to feed and house immigrants.

WASHINGTON - The Clinton administration, told by investigators that Iraq was behind a plot to kill former President Bush, has no easy choices as it weighs a response.

State

AUSTIN - Sponsors of a bill that would allow Texans to carry handguns are trying to word their legislation to please Gov. Ann Richards.

EL PASO - A botched toy store robbery has resulted in the arrests of three men who may have been involved in a series of skillfully executed holdups in three states, police say.

HOUSTON - Life sentences have been handed to three members of a radical polygamous church who were convicted of federal charges in the 1988 murders of a young girl and three men who were slain for leaving the sect.

WASHINGTON - As congressional scrutiny of the super collider sharpens, supporters and opponents alike are honing their arguments for floor debate expected in the House next month.

BROWNSVILLE - A prosecutor says he will clear the name of an investigator who committed suicide after learning that his recorded statements were used in a failed blackmail scheme.

AUSTIN - Gov. Ann Richards is backing a school funding plan that would give property-rich school districts several options for sharing some of their wealth with poorer ones.

AUSTIN - The stakes have been raised in the fight between Gov. Ann Richards and the insurance industry. On Wednesday, a bill continuing the state insurance regulatory agency was declared dead.

ARLINGTON - Interim U.S. Sen. Bob Krueger and State Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison both claimed to have done all right in their hourlong televised debate sponsored by Ross Perot's United We Stand America.



Police Beat

Here are excerpts from Thursday's Hereford Police Department daily activity report:

-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of West Third, where a tree was broken off.

-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 300 block of Main Street, where a vehicle was egged.

-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 800 block of South Schley, where some letters were found torn in half.

-- Criminal attempt was reported in the 300 block of West 15th, where a license plate had been tampered with.

-- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of Centre.

-- Disorderly conduct was reported in the 100 block of East Park Avenue.

-- Assault was reported in the 900 block of Union. Charges were filed.

-- Assault by threat was reported in the 200 block of Avenue J.

-- Assault was reported in the 700 block of Union.

-- Violation of a court order was reported in the 200 block of Lake.

-- Unlawfully carrying a weapon was reported in the 200 block of 16th Street.

-- Theft was reported in the 1100 block of West Park Avenue, where a box of Dr Pepper syrup was taken from a truck.

-- Theft was reported in the 400 block of Avenue B, where a cable box and remote control were reported missing.

-- Theft was reported in the 600 block of North Main, where a juvenile reportedly looked at a ring valued at \$400, but never returned it.

-- Burglary of a storage building was reported in the 800 block of West Park Avenue, where several bags of croutons valued at \$14 were taken.

-- Ten citations were issued. There were three minor accidents.

Sheriff's Report

Here are excerpts from Thursday's Deaf Smith Sheriff's Department daily activity report:

-- A 33-year-old male was arrested for assault (domestic violence).

Producers call Btutax 'just bad idea'

Gas industry fears backlash at wellhead if bill passes

HOUSTON (AP) - Some oil and gas producers are drubbing as "just a bad idea" the proposed energy tax that makes up a major portion of the administration's budget-cutting plan, which faces a crucial House vote today.

"We do look at this tax and go, 'Ouch, we don't need this right now,'" Barney White, spokesman for Houston natural gas producer Zapata Corp., said Wednesday.

The proposed tax, which would hit almost all kinds of energy, would be pegged to the heat content of specific fuels, based on the Btu, or British Thermal Unit. A single Btu is the amount of energy it takes to increase the temperature of a pound of water by 1 degree Fahrenheit.

The Clinton administration says

the tax is a broad-based deficit reduction measure that generally does not favor one energy source over another because it's tied to content. But some in the industry worry that the tax will fall short of the retail level, hitting them instead of consumers and hobbling the economy in the long run.

"It's a big issue, particularly where the tax is levied," said Dan Hughes Jr., exploration manager for the Dan A. Hughes Co., an independent oil company in Beeville, Texas.

"The main thing is we're wanting to see the tax as far away from the producing end as we can," Hughes said. "The last 10 years, industry prices have been suppressed, and we sure don't want to see any taxes on the back of the producer."

Judy Leon, spokeswoman for the Independent Petroleum Association of America, said the IPAA - which includes 8,000 independent domestic oil and gas producers - opposes a Btu tax "in any form. It's just a bad idea."

"We are unalterably opposed to it," agreed Julian Martin, executive vice president of the Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Association, or TIPRO. "There are several ways in which that tax ... could result in backlash at the wellhead."

A Btu tax ultimately could result in lower wellhead prices for smaller producers, Martin said. The tax also could eat up the profit needed to keep marginal wells going, thus encourag-

ing dependence on foreign oil, he said. Some of the producers regarded the proposal as an unpleasant surprise from Clinton.

"We felt that this was an administration that understood the need to have an independent oil-producing industry," Ms. Leon said. "Instead of getting a policy to revitalize the industry, though, we got the energy tax, which is the opposite of what we expected."

However, some companies that focus mostly on natural gas say they can support energy tax proposal.

"I think if we're going to have a tax, the Btu tax is fine with me," said George Mitchell, chairman and president of Mitchell Energy & Development Corp.



Interview with inventor

A special guest at the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Fun Breakfast Thursday morning was Alexander Graham Bell, the guest of the breakfast's sponsor, West Texas Rural Telephone and WT Services. Interviewing the telephone "inventor" is John Stagner, emcee.

More news from Austin...

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That provision would continue allowing insurance organizations to provide the data to regulators which they use to determine insurance rates.

Under a 1991 reform bill, that practice was to end this year, and the Texas Department of Insurance would have compiled its own data. But a majority in the House and Senate have voted to repeal that.

Parker, D-Port Arthur, said the

insurance organizations have in the past conspired to present data that indicates large rate increases are needed.

"Rates are going to go out the ceiling and people are going to continue to be abused by insurance companies," if the policy continues, he said.

But Bill Smith of Dallas, regional vice president of Insurance Services Office, said the groups provide accurate data that in the long run helps consumers.

SCHOOL DAYS

Gov. Ann Richards threw her support behind a school funding plan that would give property-rich school districts several options for sharing some of their wealth with poorer

ones. Legislative leaders predicted passage of the school funding package in time to meet a June 1 court deadline for finance reform.

TERM LIMITS

A proposal to allow voters to decide whether to limit lawmakers' terms died in the Texas House. On Wednesday, the House tacked the measure on to a proposed constitutional amendment to allow people to run for the Legislature if they hold another office. But the larger measure, containing the term limits proposal, then failed to get the 100 votes needed for final passage.

AND

Two bills requiring new safety standards for the storage of hazardous

Insurance bill may die because of provisions to end industry reform

By SCOTT ROTHCHILD
Associated Press Writer

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John Hildreth of Consumers Union said, "The statement is real clear: Who controls the Texas Senate? The insurance industry or the public interest. Carl Parker and Gov. Richards are both adamant that no regulation is better than faulty regulation."

The measure is part of a "sunset" bill that makes structural changes to the Department of Insurance and

continues the existence of the agency.

If the bill doesn't pass before the session ends May 31, the agency could be phased out of existence in one year. The department is one of the largest in the state, with about 1,200 employees who regulate the \$35 billion per year insurance industry.

Jerry Johns, an insurance industry spokesman, said killing the agency "would definitely not help the consumer."

"Responsible insurers in the state of Texas want to be regulated in a reasonable fashion," he said.

Parker said some functions of the agency could be transferred, or Richards could call a special legislative session to work on insurance.

Richards' spokesman, Bill Cryer, however, said, "It is premature to talk about special sessions. We will await the outcome of this debate."

He added that if the insurance agency is killed "then at some point it would have to be reconstituted."

In his speech, Parker criticized lobbyists for the insurance organizations, saying they had more "stroke" than he or Richards.

One of those lobbyists, Kraege Polan, said, "It's unfortunate what happened today. I think the Legislature has listened to the debate in both houses and there is a clear majority that wants advisory organizations to continue."

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The statement is real clear: Who controls the Texas Senate? The insurance industry or the public interest." Consumer advocate John Hildreth on the fight between consumers and the insurance industry.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Vicki Davis, Jose G. Lopez, Mildred Maupin, Infant Girl Ramirez, San Juanita Ramirez, Hattie C. Roark, Clifford Smith, Inf. Boy Welch, Linda Welch.

TEXAS LOTTERY

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Here are results of Lotto Texas winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery:

14-15-19-23-29-31

(fourteen-fifteen-nineteen-twenty-three-twenty-nine-thirtyone)

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: \$9 million

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Ribbon cutting

Balfour Optical became the fourth new business to begin operations at North Gate Plaza here Tuesday during a ribbon-cutting ceremony hosted by the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce Hustlers. The business, which has other locations in Amarillo, Borger, Dumas and Pampa, will offer eye examinations in addition to a wide selection of eyewear options. Staff members participating in the grand opening ceremony were: Dr. Eugene H. Hendon, O.D., left center, area supervisor Betty McSpadden, manager Melinda Whitfill, Paula McGinley and Michelle Hammarbeck.

Lifestyles

Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: I recently saw you on a television show and you showed a poster that should include all emergency information, like police, fire and Poison Control Center phone numbers.

I do, however, have a suggestion that may sound a little odd until you read the entire explanation behind it.

Having worked for 14 years in a dispatch center that dispatches police, fire and rescue units, I have seen firsthand how an emergency situation can affect people.

Please add to your list of emergency phone numbers the following: OUR ADDRESS: Include city, for multi-jurisdictional agencies that

may have the same street names. OUR PHONE NUMBER: Include area code. People panic and forget.

Emergency operators always need your address and phone number, especially in areas where they don't have the enhanced 911 system that gives the emergency agency this information.

Thank you, thank you, thank you for telling parents the emergency number is 911 and not 9-eleven. You wouldn't believe how many people have said, "There is no eleven on my phone." —Phyllis Crawley, Boynton Beach, Fla.

Thanks so much for passing on this information. It could just save a few of those precious moments. No

one thinks they will forget their own address or phone number, but in an emergency you may not be able to think. — Heloise

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.

Schilling honored

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Amy Beth Schilling has been recognized for academic achievement as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner. She is the daughter of Wayne and Mary Schilling and a student at Slaton High School.

The honorees' grandparents are Hereford residents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Keyes and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schilling.



One rating received

Cristin Leasure and Robert Reinauer, students at Hereford Junior High School, received one ratings in the vocal solo competition during the recent Greater Southwest Music Festival. The event was held in Amarillo.

Parr guest speaker at annual banquet

Kiwanis Lt. Gov. Chuck Parr was the keynote speaker at the recent Annual Key Club Parent Appreciation Leadership Installation Banquet held at the Hereford Country Club.

The theme of the banquet was "Uncover the Darkness, Discover a Ray of Hope."

Numerous awards were presented to Key Club members by Bill Spies, facility advisor. Also, new officers and board members for 1993-94 were installed. Dominique Dominguez will serve as president; Colby Black, secretary; Keith Flood, treasurer; Ben Celaya and Stacey Sanders, senior board members; Greg Kalka and Scott Burkhalter, junior board members; Jeff Lambert and David Farr, sophomore board members; and D.J. Wagner, lieutenant governor of Divisions 7 and 33.

The 1992-93 officers and board members were given special recognition. They included Jayson

Mines, Kirk Self, D.J. Wagner, Jeremy Artho, Kyle Hansen, Tim Burkhalter, Colby Black, Dominique Dominguez, Greg Kalka, Jered Artho, Jeff Lambert, David Farr, Matt Coker and Natalie McWhorter (club sweetheart).

Welcomed as special guests were David Workman, Noon Kiwanis Club president; Dave Kimmel, Noon Kiwanis Club president elect; Mike Veazey, Kiwanis advisor to the Key Club; Wayne Winget, Kiwanis advisor; and Jerry Warren, president of the Whiteface Kiwanis Club.

Other guests present were Charles Greenawalt, superintendent of the Hereford Independent School District; Terry Russell, principal at Hereford High School; Mary Ontiveros, vice principal at HHS; Ken Cole, vice principal at HHS; Don Cumpston; Richard Souter; and Nena Veazey.



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Fish for a craft project

Now that fishing season is here, let your kids craft their own catch to decorate your camper or cabin. Or, stuff these fabric fish with beans and rice for an old-fashioned bean bag they'll enjoy all summer long.

Here's how:

First, thumb through books with colorful pictures of fish. Regional books featuring fish from your area are especially fun for kids as well as sports and fishing magazines. Help your younger kids with the names of the fish and talk about shapes and colors.

Let your child draw a picture of a fish on a piece of construction paper or butcher paper. Cut out the drawing to use as a pattern. Pin the pattern to two layers of muslin and cut out. With right sides together, an adult should sew along the outside edge of the fabric shape, leaving a 2-inch opening at the bottom of the design. Trim the seam and turn right side out. Press.

Your child will enjoy stuffing the fish with fabric scraps or polyester fiber stuffing. Stuff until firm and sew the bottom opening closed.

Paint the fish with bright acrylic paints, or use permanent fabric markers. Let dry.

For an eye-catching stringer to display on a wall or door, make several fish in a variety of colors and sizes and hang them lengthwise from a 24-inch long chain (available at hardware stores). Add a small "Gone Fishing" sign on an index card and hang it by the fish.

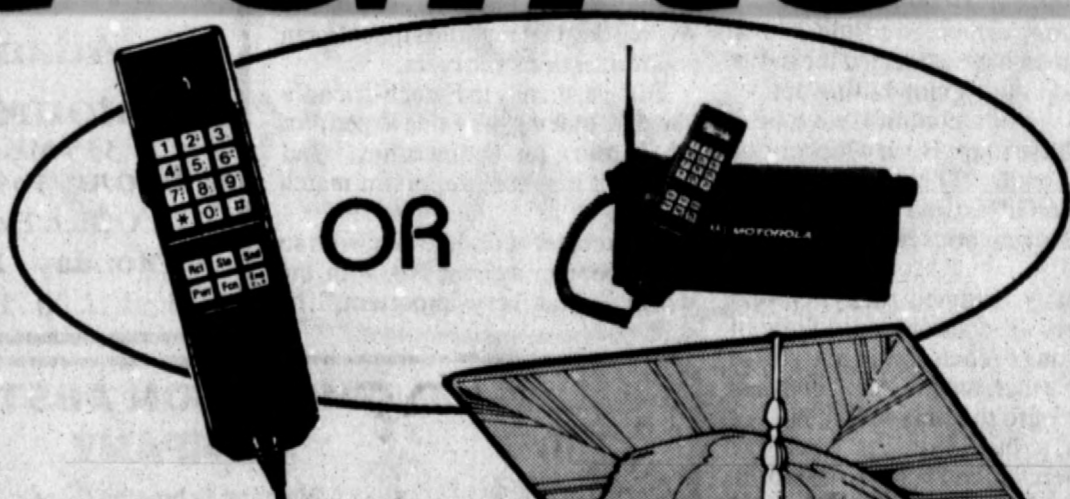
If you wish to make a fish bean bag, paint the fish before stuffing it and fill with beans or rice. Sew bottom opening closed.

Send your "Summer crafts" tips to share with other readers fishing for ideas to Donna Erickson, P.O. Box 16188, Minneapolis, Minn. 55416.

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Sports

Davis focuses on rehabilitating his multi-million dollar elbow

By ARNIE STAPLETON
AP Sports Writer
DALLAS (AP) - When he was growing up, Terry Davis shot baskets until his arms ached. It was his escape from the job at a produce company where he sorted out rotten potatoes and learned the value of hard work.

Last season, it all paid off when the Dallas Mavericks signed Davis to a four-year, \$7.4 million guaranteed contract extension less than four years after the Virginia Union star was overlooked in the NBA draft.

Now Davis spends his days and nights hooked up to a motion machine he prays will restore full movement in his left arm and rescue his teetering basketball career.

High school rodeo team members to go to state

The final standings for Region I of the Texas High School Rodeo Association have been released, and several Hereford youth have qualified for state finals in their events.

Region I includes the Panhandle and High Plains.

According to rodeo rules, only the top six finishers in each event qualify for the state finals.

A competitor who places in the top six in one event and in the top 10 in another event may enter state in both events.

At state, each contestant will have two goes. The top 10 will then compete in the short go, with the top four in each event advancing to the National High School Finals, to be held July 26-31 in Gillette, Wyoming.

The following are Hereford rodeo participants and their final regional standings by event:

- Bareback**
Champion, Justin Henderson.
- Cloverleaf Barrels**
Champion, Chasity Rickman; ninth, Samantha Winters.
- Goat Tying**
Champion (tie), Chasity Rickman; third, Samantha Winters, fourth, Michelle Meyer.
- Bull Riding**
Fifth, Justin Henderson.
- Pole Bending**
Seventh, Michelle Meyer; ninth, Misty Meyer.
- Breakaway Roping**
Champion, Chasity Rickman; reserve, Samantha Winters; third, Michelle Meyer.
- All Round Girl**
Chasity Rickman.

"Right now it's my best friend," Davis said Wednesday. "It stretches my arm back and forth and keeps it moving. If I didn't have that machine, things would be very hard for me."

Davis, 25, a power forward who has led the Mavericks in rebounding both seasons he's been in Dallas, shattered his elbow into six chunks May 2, when he lost control of his car and slammed into a tree on a road near his mother's home in South Boston, Va.

A college friend, Martin Moody, was killed at the scene. Two other friends walked away unscathed. Davis ran to a house for help, so concerned about his dying friend that he didn't realize his injury until he was sprinting back to the car and his elbow flipped back the other way. It was mangled like a crushed eggshell.

Davis was flown to Dallas, where team doctor T.O. Souryal has performed five operations, including reconstructive surgery May 19, when he wired together six large chunks of bone.

Already Davis has regained

functional motion, meaning he can lift his arm to feed himself. Because he is left-handed, Davis faces long odds of returning to his previous form.

Davis, still on antibiotics, will have his arm in the motion machine for another six to eight weeks as he works toward full mobility, Souryal said.

As to when Davis might be able to play basketball again, "I can't answer that one," Souryal lamented. "Nobody can."

For the first week after reconstructive surgery, Davis was on the flexing machine around the clock. Souryal said he will increase motion and decrease repetitions well into July.

"I've been doing it in my sleep," Davis said. "It's my best friend. I know it's the only thing that's going to heal the injury. It's not like I can put it to the side and not use it."

Souryal said he is "more positive today than the outlook I had two weeks ago" because there hasn't been a relapse of infection and Davis' flexibility is swiftly increasing. Right now, it's between 30 and 90 degrees;

normal range is 0 to 140 degrees. Souryal said Davis' range "may not seem like a lot to me and you. But that's very important because that's the functional range, meaning you can get food to your mouth. So, that's good that he already has functional range now."

Davis met with reporters Wednesday for the first time since the accident. His 6-foot-10 frame was at least 20 pounds lighter and sunglasses covered his eyes. He choked up sometimes when he talked about his rehabilitation.

"I feel great," he said. "I'm just happy to be out the hospital, just happy to be alive. It's a tough situation. I give a lot of thanks to the Good Lord. He spared me."

Davis said he wants to believe he will play basketball again, but he is haunted by doubts.

"I'm not sure. If it's the Good Lord's will, hopefully I will. I can't tell," he said. "It's too premature to tell. Hopefully, if things work out and go the way they are going, hopefully I'll be back on the hardwood."



AAU team presentation

Members of the Hereford Heat Girls 13 and Under AAU basketball team here present two recent trophies to Dave Hopper of Champion Feeders, which sponsors the team. The Heat received a second place award in last weekend's Top of Texas tournament in Amarillo, plus came in second in last month's Cuby Kitchens Classic here. The next tournament for the girls is the first weekend in June, when they will play in the regional AAU tournament in Amarillo. Shown making the presentation are: back row, coach Jackie Mercer; third row, from left, Briar Baker, Misti Davis, Julie Rampley and Kendra Wright; second row, from left, Catie Betzen, Nichole Albracht and Kesha Kimball; and front, from left, Staci Betzen, Hopper and Myca Langgood. Not shown are Jamie Marquez, Makesha Rives and assistant coach Eddie Chavarria.

Sabatini struggles, beats 145th-ranked Quentrec

PARIS (AP) - Third-seeded Gabriela Sabatini struggled against a low-ranked French opponent before advancing to the third round of the French Open.

The Argentine star, who has never reached the final in the Grand Slam event, looked lethargic at times and needed an hour and 26 minutes today to beat 145th-ranked Karine Quentrec 6-3, 6-3. It was a sharp contrast to Sabatini's brisk 6-0, 6-0 first-round victory over Radka Zrubakova.

In another third-round match, 14th-seeded Katerina Maleeva of Bulgaria beat Patricia Tarabini of Argentina 6-1, 6-2.

Among the men, two little-known Frenchmen have upstaged the entire field with their giant-killing act.

The victims couldn't have been more illustrious: Boris Becker and Ivan Lendl. Their conquerors, Rodolphe Gilbert and Stephane Huet, weren't even household names in France.

As play resumed today, Gilbert and Huet were among only three of a 19-strong French contingent still in the men's tournament. And Lendl and Becker were the only seeds, men or women, to have lost.

Gilbert, ranked 92nd in the world, beat Becker 7-5, 6-3, 7-5 in a second-round match Wednesday. He had taken heart from Huet's heroics the day before, a four-set shocker over Lendl by the qualifier with a

ranking of 297. Gilbert, who has never won a tournament or survived the third round of a Grand Slam event, said he didn't resent being neglected by France's Davis Cup selectors in recent years.

"But a match like that, and like Huet's yesterday, shows there are other Frenchmen capable of making good results," he said.

Aside from the Becker-Lendl losses, the seeds have been marching forward with only a handful of serious challenges. The two favorites, Jim Courier and Steffi Graf, won second-round matches so easily Wednesday that reporters quickly ran out of questions for them.

Gilbert, thanks to French-friendly schedule-making, was able to perform his heroics on center court, and termed it his most important match ever.

"On center court like that, with so many people, against No. 4 in the world, it was very important," he said.

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Dodgers win ninth straight despite loss of Hershiser

By The Associated Press
 Just how hot are the Los Angeles Dodgers? So hot that even the loss of Orel Hershiser can't stop them.
 Hershiser left Wednesday night's game against San Diego with a bruised right elbow, which was hit by Kurt Stillwell's line drive in the second inning. But the Dodgers went on to beat the Padres 8-3 for their ninth straight victory - their longest winning streak since 1980.
 When the Dodgers were slumping earlier this month, manager Tom Lasorda forecast an eight-game winning streak. Now he's thinking of even bigger things.
 "We might get 30," he said. "We're not going to stop just because

I said eight."
 Hershiser remained in the game after Stillwell's liner ricocheted off his elbow, and got the final out of the inning. But he was removed for a pinch hitter in the bottom of the inning.
 Lasorda said the injury doesn't appear to be serious, and that Hershiser probably wouldn't miss a start.
 Elsewhere in the National League, it was Chicago 4, San Francisco 2; Montreal 6, St. Louis 0; New York 5, Philadelphia 4; Florida 5, Pittsburgh 4; Cincinnati 4, Atlanta 0; and Colorado 3, Houston 2.
 Eric Davis and Tim Wallach each drove in two runs for the Dodgers

during a five-run fourth inning in Los Angeles. After Jose Offerman's RBI single broke a 2-2 tie, Davis hit a two-run double and Wallach followed with a homer off Padres starter Wally Whitehurst (0-3).
 Steve Wilson (1-0) worked two innings for the win. But he was sent down to the minors after the game to make room for reliever Todd Worrell, who is coming off the disabled list.
Reds 4, Braves 0
 At Cincinnati, Tim Belcher pitched a one-hitter to give Davey Johnson his first victory as Reds manager. Belcher (2-4) struck out 10 and allowed just a first-inning double to Deion Sanders as he won for the first time since April 20.

Chris Sabo homered and had an RBI infield single off Greg Maddux (4-4), who allowed four runs and seven hits over six innings.
Expos 6, Cardinals 0
 At Montreal, Ken Hill became the first Expos starter ever to win his first six games of the season. Hill gave up three hits, struck out two and walked three before being lifted after seven innings due to a strained groin. St. Louis starter Joe Magrane (2-5) allowed five runs on 11 hits before leaving in the seventh after giving up homers to Delino DeShields and Lou Frazier.
Mets 5, Phillies 4
 At Philadelphia, Dave Gallagher and Charlie O'Brien each drove in two runs in the ninth inning as New York rallied to beat Philadelphia. The Mets came back against relievers Mitch Williams (1-2) and David West. John Franco (2-0) pitched the eighth for the win, and Jeff Innis pitched a perfect ninth for his first save. Gallagher also homered for the Mets and drove in a career-high three runs.
Marlins 5, Pirates 4
 At Pittsburgh, Florida scored the winning run on Rich Renteria's 20-foot single in the ninth. Pittsburgh tied it in the eighth on Andy Van Slyke's two-run, inside-the-park homer. In the ninth, Florida's Chuck

Carr was walked by reliever Paul Wagner (1-2), stole second and moved to third when catcher Don Slaught's throw sailed into the outfield. Renteria then bunted the ball off the plate to Wagner, who had no play by the time the ball came down. Marlins starter Chris Hammond (3-4) had been 0-5 lifetime against Pittsburgh.
Rockies 3, Astros 2
 At Houston, Dante Bichette drove in all of Colorado's runs with a two-run single in the fourth and a tie-breaking single in the eighth. Bryn Smith (2-3) pitched the seventh

inning for the victory, and Jeff Parrett worked the ninth for his first save. Doug Jones (1-4) took the loss.
Cubs 4, Giants 2
 At Chicago, Mike Harkey won his third straight decision and San Francisco lost for just the second time in 11 games. Rick Wilkins and Steve Buechele homered for the Cubs, while Matt Williams and Barry Bonds hit consecutive homers in the second for the Giants. Harkey (5-1) gave up five hits and two runs in 5 2-3 innings, and Randy Myers pitched the ninth for his 14th save in 15 opportunities.

Minnesota outlasts Oakland in four-hour marathon slugfest

By CHRIS SHERIDAN
AP Sports Writer
 Check out these numbers: 31 hits, 23 runs, 22 LOBs, 13 pitchers, nine doubles, five wild pitches, three blown saves.
 No, that isn't the total for all of Wednesday's American League games. It all happened in one game - Minnesota's 12-11 victory over the Oakland Athletics.
 The game was a 4-hour marathon played in an off-and-on rainstorm. When it was over, the prevailing feeling was disbelief.
 "Nobody's figured this game out yet, and nobody ever will," Minnesota first baseman Kent Hrbek said.
 "Did we win? Somebody said we won. I don't remember," joked Twins manager Tom Kelly.
 Yes, skip, you won. Here's how:
 Oakland led 8-5 entering the eighth, and manager Tony La Russa called on relief ace Dennis Eckersley. Showing the lack of form that has cost him five saves this year - two more than he blew last season, when he won the Cy Young award - Eckersley allowed four runs and Minnesota led 9-8.
 Minnesota stopper Rick Aguilera came on, but he walked in two runs with the bases loaded to make it 10-9 for Oakland.
 Then came the ninth, and Minnesota quickly regained the lead. Pat Mearns had an RBI triple to make 10-10 and Kirby Puckett followed with a two-run single off Joe Boever (1-1).
 It wasn't over yet.
 George Tsamis (1-0) allowed a leadoff home run in the bottom of the ninth to rookie Marcos Armas, then gave up two more singles before retiring Ruben Sierra on a pop fly to end the game.
 In other games, Detroit beat Boston 4-2, Kansas City defeated Chicago 4-3, Seattle blanked California 2-0, Milwaukee beat Toronto 8-1, Cleveland edged Texas 7-6 and Baltimore beat New York 6-2.
Tigers 4, Red Sox 2
 Detroit extended its lead over Toronto to 3-1/2 games in the AL East by getting a performance from Bill Gullickson reminiscent of the past two years, when he was the lone bright spot on the Tigers pitching staff.
 Gullickson (2-1) worked 7 1-3 innings at Tigers Stadium in his best outing since he had arthroscopic surgery, giving up five hits, walking three and striking out three.
 Mickey Tettleton, Rob Deer and

Scott Livingstone had RBI hits for Detroit. One of the runs off John Dopson (3-3) was unearned.
Royals 4, White Sox 3
 At Chicago, George Brett had three RBIs and Mike MacFarlane drove in the winning run to help David Cone (2-5) get his second straight win.
 Brett's two-run homer in the third gave him 1,538 RBIs for his career and moved him past Joe DiMaggio into 31st place on the all-time list.
 Alex Fernandez (5-3) was the loser.
Mariners 2, Angels 0
 At Seattle, the Angels had a chance to move into a tie for first place with the White Sox, but didn't take advantage.
 Rich Amaral and Dave Valle delivered RBI singles in the eighth inning off Scott Lewis (1-2), and Randy Johnson, Rich DeLucia (2-3) and Norm Charlton combined to pitch Seattle's eighth shutout of the season.
Brewers 8, Blue Jays 1
 At Toronto, Jack Morris' ERA ballooned to 10.24 as he allowed eight runs on 10 hits over four

innings. His record dropped to 2-5.
 Tom Lampkin drove in three runs and Greg Vaughn capped a six-run fourth inning with a two-run homer. Jaime Navarro (3-3) allowed 10 hits in eight innings.
Indians 7, Rangers 6
 Jose Canseco provided highlight film material extraordinaire by letting Carlos Martinez's fly ball bounce off his head and over the wall at Cleveland.
 Cleveland spotted Texas a 3-0 lead, then came back with seven runs. Texas starter Kenny Rogers (3-4) has given up 23 earned runs in his last 11 1-3 innings. Jose Mesa (5-3) got the win with five innings of four-hit pitching.
Orioles 6, Yankees 2
 At New York, Mike Mussina (6-2) rebounded from the shortest outing of his career and Baltimore erupted for five runs following a Yankees' defensive lapse in the eighth inning.
 Jim Leyritz failed to catch a lazy fly ball, allowing the go-ahead run to score and shaking up Melido Perez (2-4), who was pitching well up to that point.

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Moves are 'isolated deal'

Slocum suspends two more players from football team

By KELLEY SHANNON
Associated Press Writer
SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Texas A&M football coach R.C. Slocum says two more players have been declared ineligible for accepting improper payments from a prominent Aggie booster who hired them for summer jobs.

Wide receiver Brian Mitchell and linebacker Jesse Cox were added to the list of Aggie players suspended as a result of the jobs scandal, Slocum said in a news conference Wednesday.

"This is an isolated deal over which we had no control or no knowledge," Slocum said. "They realize the tremendous problems they have caused to us and our program. They're embarrassed about it."

The coach made the announcement in San Antonio, where the Southwest Conference is holding its spring meeting.

The two players worked summer jobs at a Dallas company owned by Warren Gilbert and were paid \$200 weekly salaries, Slocum said. A Texas A&M and NCAA probe revealed that though the athletes worked at Gilbert Properties, they were paid for some hours they did not work.

NCAA rules require that compensation for summer jobs be paid to student-athletes only for work performed.

There were no time sheets or other records to help determine how many hours the players worked, Slocum said. Mitchell and Cox volunteered the information during interviews

conducted this spring by university and NCAA officials, he said.

"It's more a question of defining how much they worked, more than anything else. There's no question that they worked," Slocum said.

The two players bring to seven the number declared ineligible for accepting illegal payments from Gilbert, who owns several low-income housing projects in Dallas.

Slocum said he doesn't expect to find any more players were involved.

Four Aggies, including star running back Greg Hill, were suspended on Dec. 26 and declared ineligible for the Jan. 1 Cotton Bowl after The Dallas Morning News first reported the allegations.

Receiver Percy Singleton and offensive linemen James Brooks and Darius Smith also were suspended for the Cotton Bowl.

Slocum said a fifth player was found in March to have received illegal payments, but he refused to release the player's name, saying he hadn't sought the player's permission to do so.

Slocum said the players had made "mistakes in judgement." He said all the athletes involved remain on scholarship and will pay back any money they weren't entitled to. The players also will receive other as-yet undetermined penalties imposed by the NCAA.

Slocum said the seven players were paid a total of about \$12,000 over a two-year period for the jobs. However, he estimates the total restitution will be about \$5,000 in all

for the seven players.

After an internal investigation, school officials confirmed two of the players declared ineligible on Dec. 26 had accepted payments from Gilbert for summer jobs in Dallas while they were attending summer classes in College Station, some 200 miles away.

The university submitted a report to the NCAA in February, asking that the players be reinstated.

Slocum said the university is cooperating fully with the NCAA in its probe. And, Slocum said, as a show of "good faith" he and assistant Tim Cassidy passed lie-detector tests three weeks ago to prove they had no prior knowledge of the booster scandal. Slocum said the tests were performed by a Houston polygraph expert at the Texas A&M campus police station.

"There has not been and there will not be any type of cover up on the part of Texas A&M," Slocum said. "We could not have pursued this more honestly and more aggressively than we have."

The coach said he didn't know how much longer the NCAA investigation would last. Slocum denied the probe is overshadowing his upcoming season and said he is looking forward to building on the Aggies' success of last year.

"I don't have a cloud hanging over me or my team," he said.

From 1987 to 1989, Dana Barros made 291 three-point field goals in basketball for Boston College.

SuperSonics show balance with 103-99 win over Suns

PHOENIX (AP) - Seattle's star isn't Sam Perkins or Ricky Pierce or Shawn Kemp or Eddie Johnson's. It's all of them. It's everyone.

Seattle proved its balance once again Wednesday night, according to coach George Karl.

"Even though Ricky Pierce had a big game, we still kind of won by committee," Karl said after the SuperSonics snapped a four-game skid in playoff road contests with a 103-99 win. That evened the best-of-7 Western Conference finals 1-1 heading to Seattle for the next two games.

"I kept telling our guys, 'I know we can find a way to win. I know we can,'" Karl said.

Eddie Johnson, who played for the

Suns until traded to Seattle in 1990, said Karl's insistence sank in.

"In the first game, they got a 10-point lead, and we couldn't overcome it. Tonight, they got it up to 10, and we kept pecking away," Johnson said.

Gary Payton, Kemp and Derrick McKey all figured in the Sonics' fourth-quarter rally from an 82-72 deficit with 9:58 to play. But the scoring was uncharacteristically lopsided for a team with six players averaging between 15.8 and 10.7 points per playoff game.

Pierce had 34 points and Sam Perkins 19, including a pair of 3-pointers in the final 1:58. His 24-footer with 9.8 seconds left was the backbreaker that lifted Seattle to

a 101-99 lead.

"I didn't feel any pressure. The last two shots were great. Our team helped each other," said Perkins, who was in a woeful slump until the fourth quarter. He scored just nine points in Game 1, a 105-91 Phoenix victory, and was 3 for 16 in Game 2 until his last two shots.

Pierce had only six points in the first game.

Dan Majerle of Phoenix, who had career playoff highs of 29 points and three blocks, said poor free throw shooting hurt the Suns. Phoenix made 26 of 41 free throws to Seattle's 25 of 32.

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Auto Racing	Goody's Pole Day (R)			Adventurer!	Prime	Baseball	High Five	Ed Randall	ATP	Col. Track
(6:00) Bugs Bunny	Adv. Quest	Jonny	CHIPS			Charlie's Angels		Movie: Shirts/Skins ** R. Auberjonois		
Garden	Eureka's Castle					Elephant	Cappelli	Penner	Rapuzzel	Muppet
(6:00) Cartoon Express				Murder, She Wrote		Divorce Ct.	Judge	Superior	Hollywood	
Hablando	Cocina	El Chavo	Papa	Chespirito		Dias Sin Luna		Dr. Perez	Ines Duarte	

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
(12:00) Heathcliff	Movie: Pony Tales	Fraggle	Wonderland	Care Bears	Quack	Kids Inc.	Mickey	Beauty & the Beast (1986)		
(12:00) Cnt.	Another World	Scrabble	S'ories	Oprah Winfrey		Maury	Polovich	COPS	NBC News	
Body	Mine Eyes	Tom Lynch	Sesame Street	Read	Sandiego?	Square One	Preview	Descr		
(12:00) Paratroop **	(45) Fun	Tom	Flintstones	Jetsons	Brady	By the Bell	By the Bell	Jeffersons	A. Griffith	
Limbaugh	One Life to Live		General Hospital	Sally Jessy Raphael		Family	You Bet	Jeopardy!	ABC News	
Prism	Christ	Faith 20	Man Alive	Heart	Portraits	Sunshine	Quigley	Rainbow	Good Min.	
(12:00) Cnt.	Perry Mason	Major League Baseball	Expos at Cubs (L)						Partridge	
Beautiful	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Matlock			In Edition	Hard Copy	News	CBS News	
People	New Perry Mason	Highway to Heaven	Merry	Jerry Kids	Tiny Toons	Batman	Full House	Diff World		
(11:00) Ten.	Glory Days	JHS Cheerleading	Run & Race	Senior PGA Golf	Cadillac NFL Classic, 1st round (L)	Up Close	Max Out			
(12:00) Cnt.	Family Edition	Little's	Mario	Popeye	Gadget	Rin Tin Tin	New Zorro	Prince Val.	My Dog	
(11:00) Irma La Douce	Movie: Leonard Part 6 ** B. Cosby (1987)	Movie: One Foot in Heaven *** F. March, M. Scott	Gross Anatomy ** (1989)							
(12:00) Fat Man and Little Boy ** P. Newman (1989)	Movie: Skinheads	Movie: Her Alibi *** T. Selleck (1989)	(15) Loverboy ** (1989)							
Movie: Love and Death *** W. Allen	Movie: Chato's Land ** C. Bronson	(45) Movie: Palermo Connection ** J. Belushi (1991)	Leonard *							
(12:00) Cnt.	Be a Star	10 Seconds	Cookin'	On Stage	Club Dance	Be a Star	VideoPM			
Great	Gourmet	Graham	Easy Does	Homeworks	Rand McNally Videotrips	Beyond 2000	Grebes	Wildlife		
(12:00) Cnt.	Friday's Curse	Friday's Curse	Fugitive			Delvacchio	Rockford Files			
Shop Drop	Movie: Love Lives On * C. Lahti, S. Waterston (1985)		Anything	Anything	Jane Fonda	Supermar.	Shop Drop			
(12:00) College Track and Field Big Ten Outdoor Championship (T)	Paid	Ed Randall	Transworld Sports	Aust. Ftbl (T)						
Movie: Bridge to the Sun *** C. Baker, J. Shipeta (1961)			Movie: Captain Apache ** L. Van Cleef, C. Baker	Bugs	Planet					
David	Dennis	Flipper	Yogi	Looney	Muppet	Hey Dude	Fifteen	Would You?	Crazy Kids	
Sale	Joker	TicTac	Press Luck	Scrabble	PGA Golf SW Bell Colonial, 2nd round (L)			G.I. Joe	Ghostbust.	
(12:00) Ines	Valerie y Maximiliano L. Calderon, J. Ferrara		Cristina			Noticias y Mas		Cuna Lobo	Noti Uni	

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
(5:00) Mov	(35) Movie: If the Shoe Fits ** (1991)		(85) Movie: My Favorite Brunette (1947)	(35) Diana Ross						
News	Curr. Affair	Secret Service		Robert F. Kennedy				News	(35) Tonight Show	
MacNeil/Lehrer	D.C. Week	Wall St		Evening at Pops		David Frost		Be'g	Town	KAC/Video
Hillbillies	Major League Baseball	Giants at Braves (L)						Movie: Beasts Are on the Streets ** C. Lynyrd		
News	Wheel	Fmly	Step	Getting By	Home Free	20/20		News	(35) Cheer. (35) Tonig.	
Catholic	Families	Sullivans	Joy Music	Everyman		Phoenix Pap.		Family Enrichment	Lawson	
Design	Major League Baseball	White Sox at Yankees (L)					News	Night Court	Uptown Comedy Club	
News	Married	Palace	Dudley	Design	Good	Bodies of Evidence		News	(35) Gold. (35) Desig.	
Roseanne	Murphy B.	America's Most Wanted	Slighings	Slighings	Star Trek: Next		M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Arsenio	
Sports	NHL Hockey	Wales Conference, final (L)						Major League Baseball (L)		
Brother	Maniac	Movie: It Happens Every Spring *** R. Milland				700 Club		Scarecrow and King	Bonanza	
(5:00) Gross Anatomy	Movie: Mystery *** J. Casan, K. Bates (1990) (R)							Movie: Lawnmower Man *** J. Fahy, P. Brosnan		
(5:15) Loverboy * (1989)	Movie: Scanners II: The New Order ** D. Hewlett (R)					Movie: Scanners III: The Takeover ** S. Parrish (1991)		Comedy		
(5:30) Leonard Part 6 *	Movie: Night on Earth *** W. Ryder, G. Rowlands	(10) Movie: Deadly Bet * J. Winoff (R)	(40) Totally Exposed *							
(4:30) VideoPM	Crook and Chase	Nashville Now		On Stage	Club Dance			Miller		
Balance of Nature	Wildlife	Arctic	Cronkite Report	America	Wildlife	Arctic		Cronkite		
Search Of	Search Of	Time Machine	Investigative Reports	Caroline's Comedy Hour	Caroline's Comedy Hour			thirtysomething	Mysteries	
Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law		Movie: Cracked Up * E. Asner, J. Wilder (1987)							
PGA Today	Baseball	Auto Racing	Goody's Pole Day (R)			Indy Race Preview		Auto Racing	Goody's Sportsman 100 (R)	
Jetsons	Bugs	Charlie's Angels	Charlie's Angels			NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)				
Looney	Bullwinkle	Get Smart	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Lucy Show	Mary				

Brides rediscover platinum

Platinum, the most precious of precious metals, is being rediscovered by a growing number of American brides and grooms today. Platinum was the metal of choice for bridal rings until World War II when the U.S. government declared platinum a strategic metal and prohibited its use in most non-military applications, including jewelry. Today, platinum's popularity is rising, he reasons for its increased use in bridal jewelry and other fine jewelry categories are:

-Platinum is pure. In the U.S., platinum jewelry is 90% or 95% pure. By comparison, 18 karat gold is 75% pure and 14 karat gold is 58% pure. Because of its purity, platinum is hypoallergenic and will not tarnish.

-Platinum is rare. One of the rarest precious metals on earth, platinum is found in only a few locations in the world.

-Platinum is strong. Platinum, one of the strongest and most enduring metals in the world, is also one of the heaviest: it weighs 60% more than karated gold. Platinum is ideal for bridal jewelry that is worn every day because it exhibits no material loss, even after prolonged wear. Platinum jewelry is destined to become an heirloom as it will endure for many generations to come.

-Platinum is supreme. Platinum's rich white luster perfectly complements a diamond. Its neutral color enhances a diamond's brilliance and depth. A diamond and its setting should be forever. Platinum is best suited to secure stones because of its unusual strength and durability.

-Platinum is fashionable. Platinum jewelry appeals to many couples because of its subtle beauty, elegant understatement and its purity, rarity and value. Many unique, contemporary designs can only be fabricated from precious platinum. The newest platinum styles feature contemporary karat-gold accents which showcase the beauty of both metals and create a versatile two-tone look that can be worn with all your jewelry.

Platinum is truly unmatched by any other precious metal. No wonder so many couples today are choosing platinum bridal jewelry to symbolize lifelong love, just as their parents and grandparents did. Make platinum jewelry a part of your world.

The Supreme Court ruled in 1962 that the use of an unofficial, nondenominational prayer in New York State public schools was unconstitutional.

Rice was first raised successfully in North America near Charleston, S.C. about 1685 by H.H. Woodward, from seed given to him by a ship's captain.



Bride-elect honored

A bridal shower was held for Yolanda Chavez Saturday afternoon, May 22, in the home of Leona Schilling. The honoree and Tommy Saucedo plan to wed July 10. Welcoming guests with Miss Chavez were Janie Chavez, her mother, and Emilia Martinez, her grandmother.

Yolanda Chavez feted with bridal shower

Yolanda Chavez, July 10 bride-elect of Tommy Saucedo, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday afternoon, May 22, in the home of Leona Schilling.

Guests were greeted by the honoree; Janie Chavez, her mother; Emilia Martinez, her grandmother; and Linda Dominguez.

Linda Pena registered guests. Laura Lafuente and Teresa Perez served refreshments of almond tea, fresh fruit, assorted cookies and fruit breads.

The refreshment table was covered with a heavy white lace cloth and centered with pink and mauve flowers arranged in a crystal bowl. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

Miss Chavez was given a vacuum cleaner and attachments by the hostesses: Leona Schilling, Alma Pittenger, Jan Salazar, Cookie Taylor, Laura Lafuente, Linda Dominguez, Virginia Bordayo, Annette Albracht, Linda Pena, Carolyn Jansa, Pat Simmacher, Lorene Schwertner, Vickie Valdez, Belinda Barrett, Diana

Hanna, Dubelia Ortiz, Tanya Dominguez, Connie Recio, Janie Banner and Dolores Foster.

NEW YORK (AP) - Bette Midler set a box-office record at Radio City Music Hall, selling more than 50,000 tickets in one day for her monthlong engagement.

Thousands of fans lined up outside the theater Monday to buy tickets.

The one-day gross, also a record, totaled more than \$3 million, Radio City spokesman Kevin Brockman said Tuesday. The top ticket price is \$60.

Almost half the tickets for Midler's 20-performance engagement at Radio City, Sept. 14 through Oct. 9, have been sold, Brockman said.

Midler's engagement is part of her first major tour in 10 years. The tour begins in mid-August and includes stops in Washington, Los Angeles, Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Montreal and Toronto.

Officers installed at Keywanettes Banquet

"Reach for the Stars" was the theme of the Eighth Annual Hereford Keywanettes Installation and Awards Banquet held recently in Christ's Church Fellowship.

Awards were presented to numerous Keywanettes by Becky Weatherly, faculty advisor. Also, new officers and board members for the 1993-94 school year were installed. Hayley Lockmiller will serve as president; Erin Spies, Lt. Governor, Division 10; Shambryn Wilson, vice president; Susan Rickman, secretary; Mindy Salazar, treasurer; Lexi Sciumbato, reporter; and Chris Williams, beau. The senior board members are Jill Walser, Lee Harder and Misty Dudley; junior board members, Sarah Wagner and Karon Harder; and sophomore board members, Paige Robbins and Amy Andrews.

Given special recognition were officers and board members who served during the 1992-93 school term: Sara Zinck, Brook Weatherly,

Barbara Smith, Tracie Gilbert, Lezly McWhorter, Beth Weatherly, Drew Radford (beau), Jo Jo Lytal, Emily Fuston, Lexi Sciumbato, Misty Dudley, Taylor Sublett, Mindy Salazar, Paige Robbins and Natalie McWhorter.

The meal was catered by members of the Deaf Smith County Extension Homemakers Council.

Special guests included local Kiwanis members: David Workman, Noon Kiwanis Club president; David Kimmel, president elect; Jennifer Eggen, Kiwanis advisor to Keywanettes; Chuck Parr, Lt. Governor, Division 33; and Jerry Warren, president of the Whiteface Kiwanis Club.

Other guests included Charles Greenawalt, superintendent of the Hereford Independent School District; Terry Russell, Hereford High School principal; Ken Cole, HHS vice principal; and school board members.

Bring up baby on a budget

When baby is on the way, prepare for a noticeable dent in the family budget. Here are some thrifty ways to cut corners and save time.

-Shop consignment stores for maternity wear. Clothing is generally in tiptop shape and marked down 50 percent to 75 percent off the original retail price. Be sure to inspect the clothing for tears or incorrect sizing before your purchase, as most consignment stores have a "no-returns" policy. If you have a good experience at local consignment stores, return after baby is born to stock up on inexpensive clothes to keep you well dressed while your body is "in transition."

For another god bet, check the men's department at discount stores for great buys on roomy and colorful cotton shirts, sweaters and vests.

-Make your own baby wipes for under a dollar. With a sharp knife, an adult may cut a roll of plain paper towels in thirds. Use one cut section for the recipe. Remove the inner tube.

Meanwhile, in an airtight container the size of the cut toweling, stir together 1 3/4 cups distilled water, 1 1/2 tablespoons baby shampoo (choose a brand that is gentle for your baby's skin) and 3/4 tablespoon baby oil. Place the toweling section in the liquid, snap the lid closed and rotate it until the toweling is completely moistened.

To use, gently tear off each section as needed. Keep lid on tightly when not in use, and use within two weeks. (Discontinue use if irritating to baby's skin).

-Make night feedings easier by stocking your own comfort basket. Keep it by a rocker or wherever you feed baby. Stock with items such as an audio cassette player with favorite tapes, a new magazine, a good book, facial tissue and bottled water or juice. Essential items will always be in one place when you need them.

Send your "bringing up baby on a budget" tips to share with other readers to Donna Erickson, P.O. Box 16188 Minneapolis, MN 44516.



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Every effort is made to avoid errors in word ads and legal notices. Advertisers should call attention to any errors immediately after the first insertion. We will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion. In case of errors by the publishers, an additional insertion will be published.

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Two family garage sale, 304 Centre Friday & Saturday, Girls clothing, some furniture, household items, girls infant & childrens clothes. 23897

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Two family garage sale at 100 Redwood, Saturday 8-3. Including a Coke Machine & Ice Chest, antique cash register, baby items, storm door, tires, delco battery, clothing, etc. 23914

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1007 S. Julian-So. off Gracey St. moving sale. 18 years collection, some antique, tools, furniture, hoes, shovels, stoves, TV's, door, air conditioners, Lots of miscellaneous. Friday and Saturday. 23925

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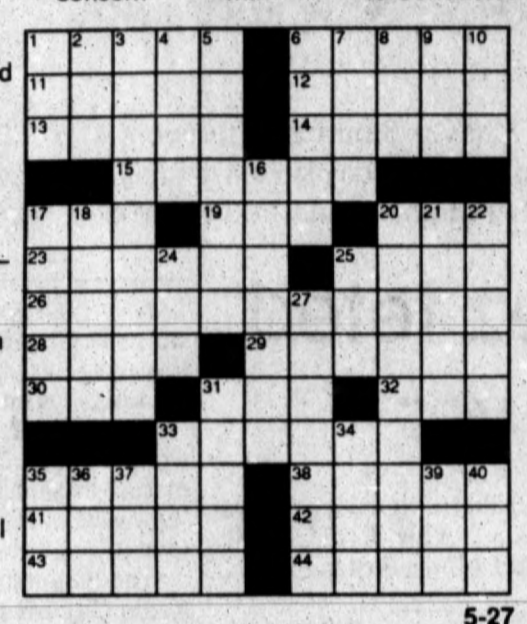
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4. REAL ESTATE

For sale 1984 14x80 mobile home, 3 bd, 2 bath, 364-8054 or 364-3102, 731 Ave. G. 23694

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Beautiful 3 bedroom home for sale. Has been remodeled-Has 2 rental apartments that go with it. Excellent rental property, located in the Hereford area. Also available for rent. Call 655-0092. 23813

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Two bedroom house, 708 E. 5th, \$225/monthly; plus utilities & \$75 deposit. 364-1736. 23845

For rent houses and trailers. Call 364-7525 talk to Bill or Martha. 23869

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6. WANTED

Wanted, Person to care for three boys in my home, Mon-Thurs. 9:30-4:30. Must like kids. Good references required. Must have own car. Call 364-0563 or 364-6147. 23912

8. HELP WANTED

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATE OF MARGARET COLLINS

Administration of the estate of MARGARET COLLINS, deceased, has been commenced by the issuance of original letters testamentary to Genevia Summers on May 24, 1993, by the Probate Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 4035, styled Estate of MARGARET COLLINS, deceased, in which court the matter is pending. The address of the Independent Executrix is P.O. Box 1311, Hereford, Texas 79045. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to me within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated May 26, 1993. Sid Ham Attorney for The Estate

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION STATE OF TEXAS TO: ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, RESPONDENTS

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the First Amended Original Petition in Suit Affecting the Parent-Child Relationship at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 28th day of June, 1993, before the Honorable 222nd District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas at the Court House of said County in Hereford, Texas. Said First Amended Original Petition in Suit Affecting Parent-Child Relationship was filed in said Court on the 6th day of May, A.D., 1993, in this cause, numbered DR-93C-056 (File A) on the docket of said court, and styled: IN THE INTEREST OF DEAF SMITH BABY JANE The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services PETITIONER and Father-Unknown Mother-Unknown RESPONDENTS A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Petition by Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services to terminate the parent-child relationship between the unknown father and unknown mother of the child, determination of paternity, appointment of the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services as managing conservator of the child. The date of birth of the child who is the subject of this suit is March 18, 1993. The place of birth of the child is unknown. The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption. NOTICE TO RESPONDENTS: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED. YOU MAY EMPLOY AN ATTORNEY. IF YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN ANSWER WITH THE CLERK WHO ISSUED THIS CITATION BY 10:00 A.M. ON THE MONDAY NEXT AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF FORTY-TWO DAYS FROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE OF THIS CITATION A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU. The name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is: Jim English, Assistant Criminal District Attorney, 235 E. Third, Room 401, Hereford, Texas 79045. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, Texas, this 12th day of May, 1993. Attest: Lola Faye Veazey District Court Deaf Smith County Courthouse, Hereford, Texas 79045

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Vega High announces 1993 honor graduates

Shyree Dawn Hester has been named 1993 valedictorian at Vega High School. She had a grade point average of 97.8. She is the daughter of Bob and Karen Hester.

Named as salutatorian was Sara Beth Brorman with a 96.9 grade average. She is the daughter of Frank and Dolores Brorman and granddaughter of Adeline Loerwald and Margaret Brorman of Hereford.

Cayla Ann Sides was recognized as honor student with a grade average of 96.4. She is the daughter of Danny and Ronda Sides.

As valedictorian, Shyree received outstanding student awards in accounting, anatomy/physiology, algebra II and trigonometry. Other awards include the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science award, the "I Dare You" award, the National Honor Society Scholarship certificate of merit and Who's Who. She was a member of the VHS state qualifying golf team and the regional qualifying basketball team.

Brorman received the Kiwanis Outstanding Student award, the UIL Scholar award, and several outstanding student awards in four courses. She was also a member of the golf and basketball teams and ran track one year.

Cayla received the UIL Scholar award, the Presidential Academic award, and was outstanding student in several courses. She was a member of FHA and the National Honor Society for three years. She was on the tennis team and ran track two years.



SHYREE DAWN HESTER



SARA BETH BRORMAN



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For salvation that comes from trusting Christ--which is what we preach--is already within easy reach of each of us; in fact, it is as near as our own hearts and mouths. For if you tell others with your own mouth that Jesus Christ is your Lord, and believe in your own heart that God has raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is by believing in his heart that a man becomes right with God; and with his mouth he tells others of his faith, confirming his salvation. For the Scriptures tell us that no one who believes in Christ will ever be disappointed. Jew and Gentile are the same in this respect: they all have the same Lord who generously gives his riches to all those who ask him for them. Anyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved. (Romans 10:8-13)

[Jesus said] "If anyone publicly acknowledges me as his friend, I will openly acknowledge him as my friend before my Father in heaven. But if anyone publicly denies me, I will openly deny him before my Father in heaven." (Matt. 10:12-13)

And who is the greatest liar? The one who says that Jesus is not Christ. Such a person is antichrist, for he does not believe in God the Father and in his Son. For a person who doesn't believe in Christ, God's Son, can't have God the Father either. But he who has Christ, God's Son, has God the Father also. (1 John 2:22-23)

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CATTLE-FEEDER (CME) \$/cwt per lb. May 88.17 88.25 88.30 88.35 -12 88.37 78.40 7.144
Aug 88.40 88.45 88.50 88.55 -13 88.57 78.50 7.144
Nov 88.50 88.55 88.60 88.65 -13 88.67 78.60 7.144
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Est vol 10,000; vol Tues 10,000; open Int 10,000 - 750.

GRAIN FUTURES

CORN (CBT) \$/bush per lb. July 227 227 227 227 + 1/4 227 227 112.487
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Dec 227 227 227 227 + 1/4 227 227 112.487
Mar 227 227 227 227 + 1/4 227 227 112.487
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Est vol 42,000; vol Tues 42,000; open Int 22,000 - 1,544.

WHEAT (CBT) \$/bush per lb.

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Sep 607 607 607 607 + 1/4 607 607 51 76,025
Dec 607 607 607 607 + 1/4 607 607 51 76,025
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May 607 607 607 607 + 1/4 607 607 51 76,025
Est vol 44,000; vol Tues 44,000; open Int 142,000 - 1,423.

CATTLE-LIVE (CME) \$/cwt per lb.

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Sep 52.50 52.50 52.50 52.50 -20 52.50 42.70 7.272
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Est vol 10,000; vol Tues 10,000; open Int 10,000 - 372.

METAL FUTURES

SILVER (COM) \$/ounce per lb. May 48.0 48.0 48.0 48.0 -8.0 48.0 35.5 779
July 48.0 48.0 48.0 48.0 -8.0 48.0 35.5 779
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Est vol 17,000; vol Tues 17,000; open Int 107,000 - 887.

FUTURES OPTIONS

CATTLE-FEEDER (CME) \$/cwt per lb. Strike Calls-Sells Puts-Sells Price May Aug Sep May Aug Sep
82 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
84 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
86 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
88 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
90 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
92 1.10 1.07 1.05 0.90 0.85 0.80 0.75
Est vol 1,077; vol Tues 1,077; open Int 1,077 - 1,077

CORN (CBT)

Strike Calls-Sells Puts-Sells Price July Sep Dec July Sep Dec
210 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
212 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
214 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
216 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
218 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
220 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4 1/4
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Ask Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB: I am 35 years of age, and although I am sexually very active, I cannot make my wife pregnant. I had a sperm examination, and I have insufficient sperm cells. Nothing is wrong with my wife's reproductive system according to the doctors. I am producing sperm but in low quantity and, I believe, my testicles are too small. I wonder if I can use some sort of tablets or injections such as testosterone to produce enough good sperm cells to get my wife pregnant. I am very much in need of my own child.

DEAR READER: Male infertility is rather common. In general, about one-third of infertility problems are related to the female, one-third to the male and one-third to the combination of the two.

The fact that you do produce sperm cells is encouraging. There are many factors that can cause a low sperm-cell count. One is as simple as having a varicocele — dilated veins to the testicles. This causes the cord to feel like a bag of worms and it interferes with keeping the testicles at a cool temperature, sufficient to produce sperm. Surgical removal of the varicocele often improves the sperm cell count significantly.

Injections of testosterone probably is not the way to go. But Clomid, the same medicine used to stimulate the maturation of ova in the female, can be used in some instances. It acts a lot in the male as it does in the female and may significantly boost the sperm count.

But you have to have normal transport mechanisms without blockage of the tubules in the testicles. That means you need to check more than just the sperm count. Usually the hormone that stimulates the testicles (follicle-stimulating hormone — FSH) is also measured. The combination of the FSH test and the sperm count can tell whether additional hormone studies need to be done or if the tubules need to be studied for blockage.

I have discussed this problem in much more detail in Special Issue 30-04, The Male Side of Fertility, and would have sent you a free copy if you had included your address on your letter. Those who want this report can send \$3 with a long, stamped (52 cents), self-addressed envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/30-04, P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077-5537. The sperm count can also often be improved with improved lifestyle. In men with a low sperm count, several specimens can be collected and pooled to increase the amount of sperm and used for artificial insemination with a better chance for success.

DEAR DR. LAMB: I read an article about bulimics which mentioned the use of vomiting and laxatives to achieve the loss of weight. I can understand the use of vomiting, but it is beyond me how laxatives could be used to aid in weight loss. I have considered this as a possible solution to my weight problem. Can you explain?

DEAR READER: It is a very bad idea! Not only can it be harmful, causing your colon problems and perhaps upsetting your body fluid and chemistry, it is not very effective. Some individuals have taken surprisingly large quantities of laxatives daily and do have frequent bowel movements, but they don't lose much weight. Food is digested in the small intestine, and the calories enter the body at that point. Laxatives act on the colon, after the calories have already been absorbed. Any weight that is lost is from body water and emptying the colon, not any significant loss of body fat.

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Five Hereford High School students made an outstanding rating in the vocal ensemble competition at the recent Greater Southwest Music Festival held in Amarillo. They included (standing from left) Vanessa Gonzalez, Tonya Selmon, Melissa Celaya, (seated from left) Mandie Tijerina and Amy Pesina.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am going to share with you the most horrifying experience of my life, in the hope that it will open the eyes of hospital personnel wherever your column appears.

My mother was seriously ill in a hospital. I was called at work and told she was "sinking fast". I left my office immediately and rushed over. When I arrived at the nurses' station, there was no one there. I went directly to my mother's room, walked in and began to talk to her. When I reached for her hand, I knew right away that she was dead.

I ran from the room and called a nurse. She informed me in a most matter-of-fact manner that my mother had died a half hour before I got there. The anger, shock and grief made me almost hysterical. I then had to wait at the front desk to sign papers while the head nurse chatted on the phone to a personal friend.

The more I think about the crass insensitivity of those nurses, the angrier I get. Don't you think they could have closed the curtain in my mother's room, left a note on the door, covered her with a sheet or caught me before I entered? I realize they see death every day, but must that mean they lose all sense of compassion? I will always remember my mother lying there, lifeless, while I talked to her. Please, Ann, say something in your column about compassion and sensitivity. People who don't have those qualities should not go into the nursing profession—Still Grieving in Martinez, Calif.

DEAR MARTINEZ: Your story is a chilling one. I'm so sorry you had to experience a double trauma.

I would say that at least 90 percent of the nurses are compassionate and caring. Too bad you ran into a few who were not. I hope you reported your horrible experience to the hospital superintendent. If not, you should take this column over there today and tell the chief honcho that this letter is yours. There's a nurse or two in that place who should be in another line of work.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Years ago, we used to laugh about going to other people's homes and being bored

to death with their travel slides and movies. Well, now it seems that everyone owns a VCR and a video camera, and it is beginning to be a plague.

My family loves to videotape special occasions, but they are very careful about showing them only to members of the immediate family who express a genuine interest. My in-laws, however, are not that considerate. They have periodic get-togethers when they haul out the old videos that go back 10 years, and it is brutal. Who wants to watch two hours of birthday parties, piano recitals, baseball games, fly fishing and family picnics?

We're scheduled for another get-together soon, and I don't have the heart to tell my mother-in-law that most people are not interested in watching 2,000 feet of film of her trip to Florida. I know she reads your column, Ann. Please help me out by printing this, so that when I broach the subject she'll have a better understanding of what I'm talking about. Thank you.—no Name, No City, No Country, No Planet

DEAR NO COUNTRY, NO PLANET: Thank you for performing a humanitarian service. You have no idea how many people you have spoken for today. Videos can be fun, but too many people don't know when to quit.

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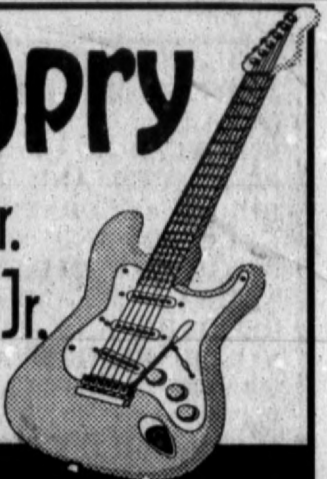


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