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•Hustlin' Hereford, home of Rosemary Thomas

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**Election may affect hospital's future**

**Medicare not always paying off**  
**Medicare isn't always a paying proposition at Deaf Smith General or other rural hospitals. Let's say your bill is \$5,000.**  
**Deductible: \$615**  
**Medicare pays: \$2,385**  
**Total paid: \$3,000**  
**Written off: \$2,000**



America's next choice for president could have a profound impact on Deaf Smith General Hospital.

Ron Rives, DSGH administrator, told Hereford Lions Club on Wednesday that the United States will have a new national health care plan next year. The scope of the plan will depend on who is elected.

"If President Bush is re-elected, the scope will be somewhat smaller than if Bill Clinton is elected," Rives told the Lions. Rives told the Lions a comprehensive health care plan may

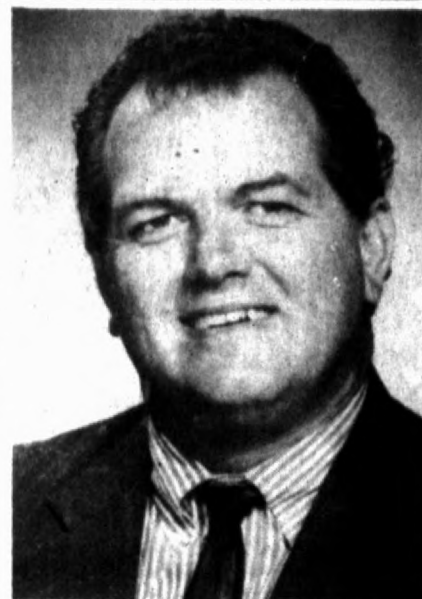
not have much of an impact here, though: sixty-five percent of the hospital's business is either Medicare or Medicaid.

"The doctor's lobby is real strong," Rives said. "I think a new plan will focus more on hospitals and consumers. Those are the two areas likely to be hit hardest."

Rives said the hospital will take several possible plans into account when it begins a strategic planning process in November. The hospital has issued cards to many residents, and is waiting on answers to the

questions before beginning the planning.

"We want to know where the people of Deaf Smith County want their hospital to be 10 years from now," said Rives. "We want to set short-term and long-term goals through this process. The hospital had been through a period of crisis management without any type of planning before we came on the scene, and we need some goals so we can know where we want to be now and in the future."



RIVES

**Hard freeze strikes area**

A cold front, accompanied by 50 mph winds, light rain and blowing dust, moved across the Panhandle Wednesday and, more importantly, dropped temperatures below the freezing mark early this morning.

KPAN Radio, the official weather station here, reported the season's first hard freeze with the mercury dipping below the freezing point about 3 a.m. today and the overnight low was 28 degrees around 7:30 a.m. The rain left only .06 inch of moisture.

Dennis Newton, Deaf Smith County Agent, said it appeared the freeze "really nailed sorghum and cotton crops," after he drove around some parts of the county this morning. "It will take several days

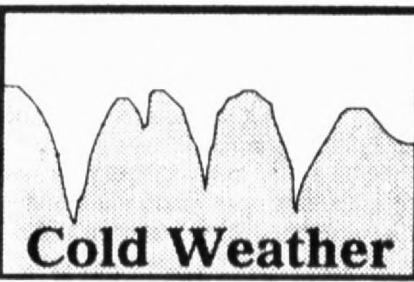
to really assess the damage, but it appears we got a killing freeze."

However, Dennis Printz, Holly Sugar ag manager, said the freeze probably will not affect the area's sugar beet crop. The harvest is about 20 percent complete.

There were many reports of wind-damaged trees around Hereford, and the wind caused a power outage that knocked KPAN Radio off the air for about 30 minutes Wednesday morning. Wind damage was widespread, according to Associated Press reports, with one man critically injured and three others hurt by flying debris when the storm moved across the State Fair of Texas at Dallas.

A tornado damaged four homes at Talco in Titus County. Elsewhere, tornadoes were sighted two miles north of Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport and near Sugar Hill in Titus County.

Some strong thunderstorms were reported during the pre-dawn hours ahead of the front in South Texas. At College Station, 1.23 inches of rain fell during a thunderstorm during the night.



**Farmer hopes for federal bale-out**



With more round bales around, and all of them having that same tan look, John Birkenfeld decided to do some decorating on one bale at his place southeast of Hereford.

**Guerrero: opponent was inept**

AUSTIN (AP) - Democrat Lena Guerrero, in a new television commercial, accuses GOP Railroad Commission candidate Barry Williamson of being an inept manager of a federal energy agency.

Responding, Williamson's campaign manager said the charge was based on "lies and deceit."

In a television commercial that began airing Wednesday night, Ms. Guerrero's campaign refers to a congressional inquiry into the federal Minerals Management Service that Williamson headed from 1989 to 1991.

"The report cites his inept management and failure to collect millions of dollars from oil companies," her commercial says.

"The committee chairman said Williamson's failure to collect oil taxes may have cheated taxpayers out of a billion dollars a year. While Barry looked the other way, oil companies didn't have to pay taxes. But you did," the ad says.

The Railroad Commission oversees the Texas oil and gas and transportation industries.

Williamson campaign manager Jeff Norwood called the attack misleading and erroneous.

"Lena is lying again," Norwood said. "This report was commissioned by a far-left, anti-energy, check-bouncing liberal from California who wants to shut down all off-shore drilling."

To back up the new ad, Guerrero campaign aides referred to a February report by the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, headed by Rep. George Miller, D-Calif.

The minerals service is responsible for collecting royalties from companies that lease federal lands for mineral development, including offshore and onshore oil and gas drilling.

Royalty payments are the second biggest source of revenue to the federal treasury after taxes and are shared with states and Indian tribes.

"Despite (the service's) promises that longstanding issues are being addressed, the program has progressed with glacial speed while serious program and system deficiencies continue," the House report said.

**Bush questions Clinton's patriotism**

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Raising questions about patriotism and character, President Bush says Bill Clinton was wrong to demonstrate overseas against the Vietnam War and that he needs to "tell us the truth" about a student trip to Moscow in 1969.

"I'm just saying, level with the American people on the draft, on whether he went to Moscow, how many demonstrations he led against his own country from a foreign soil," Bush said Wednesday night on CNN's "Larry King Live" program.

Trailing in the polls 26 days before the election, the president was heading to New Orleans today for a rally, then rushing back to Texas for a Houston fund-raiser. Both states were solidly in Bush's victory column four years ago but now are considered tossups.

Bush explored new attack themes against Clinton at his first appearance

on a broadcast show that took telephone questions from viewers.

Rejecting charges that he had not "come clean on Iran-Contra," the president said, "I've answered every question. If Bill Clinton would do on the draft what I've done on Iran-Contra, we'd have the facts out there."

King asked Bush to react to recent stories about Clinton's trip to Moscow in the winter of 1969-70 while he was at Oxford University as a Rhodes Scholar.

"To go to Moscow after Russia crushed Czechoslovakia, not remember who you saw - I really think the answer is, level with the American people," Bush said.

"I'm just concerned about it because it's a pattern here" about Clinton's judgment.

Responding to Bush's charges, Clinton's communications chief George Stephanopoulos said, "It's a pathetic ploy by a desperate man.

He's reading the polls and he's scared. He said he would do anything to get elected and now he's stooping to the lowest form of innuendo."

**Maybe I'm old-fashioned, but to go to a foreign country and demonstrate against your own country when your sons and daughters are dying halfway around the world, I am sorry but I think that is wrong," said Bush.**

Clinton has said he visited Moscow as part of a 40-day tour of Europe during a winter break in 1969. Several other class members also toured the Soviet capital. And Clinton has not denied taking part in antiwar demonstrations in London.

Bush declared, "I cannot for the life of me understand mobilizing demonstrations and demonstrating against your own country, no matter how strongly you feel, when you are in a foreign land. I just don't think you should do that."

"Maybe I'm old-fashioned, but to go to a foreign country and demonstrate against your own country when your sons and daughters are dying halfway around the world, I am sorry but I think that is wrong," Bush said.

In recent days, Rep. Robert Dornan, R-Calif., has wondered aloud whether Clinton's visit was "handed" by the KGB, and whether the Soviet spy agency encouraged him to lead antiwar demonstrations. Dornan acknowledged he had no evidence.

After the program, Bush expressed dismay to the audience about "the ugliness" of this political year.



BUSH

**Richards plans November session on schools**



RICHARDS

AUSTIN (AP) - Texas lawmakers likely will be called to a special session on school finance the week after the November election, Gov. Ann Richards says.

She said the lame-duck session would debate a finance plan being prepared by her, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and outgoing House Speaker Gib Lewis.

"I expect us to present a unified plan... Are we going to be successful? I can't tell you that. I don't know. We're going to try very hard," Richards said Wednesday.

The Texas Supreme Court repeatedly has struck down school finance plans, saying the system wasn't equitable to poor districts. The issue has been one of the most bitter and divisive for legislators since the late 1980s.

At least three dozen of the current House and Senate members, including the House speaker, are lame ducks. They won't be returning for the 1993 Legislature because of retirements or primary election defeats.

But Richards said she wants to debate school finance in November rather than waiting until the regular session opens in early January with the new lawmakers.

She said that is because the proposal will include a constitutional amendment that needs to go to voters before the June 1, 1993, court deadline for action.

Any proposed amendment would have to clear the Legislature by Feb. 21 to make the ballot, her aides said. Richards said meeting that deadline would be difficult to do in the first month of a new regular session.

"It's very important to address the issue in November to get a constitutional amendment on the ballot," she said. "I hope very much we can get the 100 (of 150) votes in the House that are necessary for a constitutional amendment. But I can't make you any guarantees at all that that will happen."

Richards said she doesn't plan to reveal details of the school finance proposal until "right before the session."

Her staff and those of Bullock and Lewis have been working for months to craft a plan that passes court muster.

"It's going to be along the lines we've discussed since the beginning - very limited recapture (of money) from a small number of districts to bring equity," said Rafe Greenlee, a spokesman for Bullock.

Richards had discussed calling a special session in May, shortly after she unveiled her own proposal to levy a statewide tax on business property and divide that money among all school districts.

However, legislative support was lacking for the idea, and no session was convened.

Republicans are pushing hard to increase their numbers in the 31-member Senate, where they now hold nine seats. An increase of two would give them more than one-third of the seats, allowing them to block such actions as ratification of proposed constitutional amendments.

Richards' executive assistant, Paul Williams, said that had nothing to do with the timing of the November special session.



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## Local Roundup

### Clothes needed for family

Donations are being accepted for Ramona Haney and her family. Their trailer home was destroyed in a fire on Tuesday, and all of their possessions are lost.

The family needs size 4T and 6T for boys ages 3 and 5; size 3 shoes and size 8 clothes for a 10-year-old girl; size 14 clothes and 7 1/2 shoes for a girl, 13; and ladies size 12 or 14 clothes.

Clothing and other donations may be taken to the Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross office on S. Main.

### HJH yearbook orders

Orders for the 1992-93 Hereford Junior High yearbook are being taken through Friday at the school.

Annuals are \$13 each, with a \$3 charge to have the student's name imprinted on the front cover. A down payment of \$5 may be made this week, or the full price may be paid. The balance must be paid before Thanksgiving.

### Deputies arrest three

Three persons were arrested Wednesday by Deaf Smith County sheriff's deputies: a man, 19, for violation of probation; a man, 57, for surrender of surety; and a man, 33, on an assault warrant.

Reports by Hereford police on Wednesday included an assault in the 700 block of East Second; domestic disturbance in the 100 block of Brevard; criminal mischief worth \$550 to a house in the 200 block of Lawton, with juvenile suspects being questioned; theft of gas on E. First; and theft of a license plate sticker in the 500 block of Whittier.

Police issued 11 tickets Wednesday and investigated a minor accident.

Hereford volunteer firefighters were called to a grass fire Wednesday morning at Quince and Plains. There was minimal damage. The alarm came in while a school group was touring the station, so the children got to see what the volunteer firefighters do in a real emergency.

### Warmer weather Friday

Tonight, clear and not quite as cold. Low in the upper 30s. Southwest wind 5 to 15 mph.

Friday, mostly sunny and warmer. High in the upper 70s. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph, becoming north by late afternoon.

The extended forecast: Saturday, cooler again, but continued dry. Highs in the 60s. Sunday and Monday, sunny days and clear nights. Lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Highs in the 70s.

This morning's low at KPAN was 28 after a high Wednesday of 58 at 8:45 a.m.

# Senate stymied by energy plans

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congress approached the last hurdle in a two-year struggle to enact a major energy bill that would promote conservation and give a boost to alternative energy sources.

The Senate planned today to try to clear a roadblock by Nevada's senators, Democrats Richard Bryan and Harry Reid, who were concerned that the measure would reduce health standards at a proposed nuclear waste dump in their state.

The energy legislation touches on everything from requiring new standards for lights and shower heads to making it easier to build nuclear power plants and deliver electricity.

Once the Nevada issue was resolved, lawmakers were expected to approve the 900-page energy package and send it to President Bush, who has indicated he would sign it. The bill cleared the House by a 363-60 vote Monday.

Final action on the energy bill came as the Senate prepared to adjourn, perhaps by late today, and after most House members already had left Washington, their business completed Tuesday.

The Senate on Wednesday passed and sent to the White House bills that would:

-Impose user fees on drug manufacturers to help pay for government reviews of the safety of their products. The bill was aimed at speeding up the licensing process so that new drugs for combatting cancer, AIDS and other diseases can reach the market sooner.

-Make fleeing a state to avoid child support payments a federal crime punishable by up to six months in prison and a fine of up to \$5,000 for a first offense.

-Make consumers pay royalty fees on blank digital audio tapes and on digital recording equipment. The fees would be forwarded to musicians, recording companies and music publishers as compensation for copying their original recordings.

The energy bill - the first major overhaul of U.S. energy policy since the 1970s - is the product of many months of negotiations and compromises in an attempt to balance the concerns of dozens of interest groups from environmentalists to power companies.

At the heart of the package were measures aimed at curbing the use of energy or shifting energy use from traditional fossil fuels such as oil and coal.

They included:  
-Tax incentives for developers of renewable energy sources such as solar and wind power.

-New efficiency standards for lights, electric motors and commercial heating and cooling systems, and measures to encourage utilities to provide energy conservation rebates.

-A pilot program for home mortgages that take into account energy efficiency improvements, and a call for states to adopt energy-efficient building codes.

-A requirement for government and private fleets to buy vehicles that run on fuels other than gasoline, or on electricity; also tax breaks for buying such vehicles.

But some critics have argued that the package does too little to promote domestic oil and gas production.

With the exception of a \$1.1 billion tax break over five years for independent oil and gas producers, the petroleum industry is barely mentioned. And efforts to open a pristine arctic refuge in Alaska to oil and gas development was rejected early on.

The nuclear industry, however, was a clear winner.

The legislation called for streamlining the licensing of nuclear power plants so a utility needs only one permit for both building and operating a reactor. Critics charged the fast-track process will inhibit citizen involvement in approval for plants.

## News digest

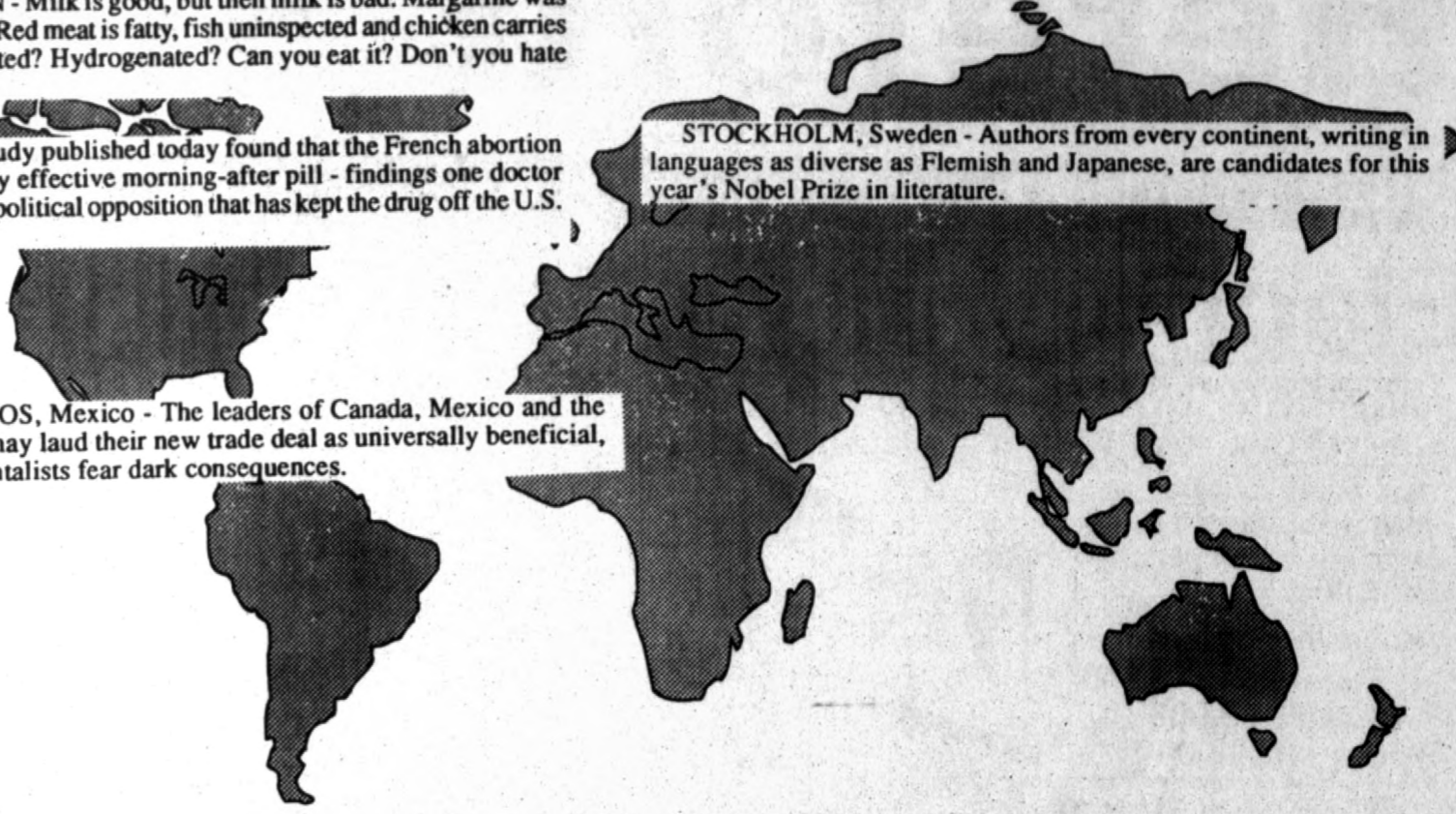
WASHINGTON - Milk is good, but then milk is bad. Margarine was good, now it's bad. Red meat is fatty, fish uninspected and chicken carries salmonella. Saturated? Hydrogenated? Can you eat it? Don't you hate it?

BOSTON - A study published today found that the French abortion drug is also a highly effective morning-after pill - findings one doctor says could ease the political opposition that has kept the drug off the U.S. market.

MATAMOROS, Mexico - The leaders of Canada, Mexico and the United States may laud their new trade deal as universally beneficial, but environmentalists fear dark consequences.

ANDERSON, Ind. - Jeanne Vandergrift counts herself among the survivors in a manufacturing city battered by layoffs and recession. But now the 14-year General Motors factory worker wonders whether even the survivors will last. The United Auto Workers have threatened a strike at her GM parts plant, a walkout that could shut down all of the company's North American assembly plants.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden - Authors from every continent, writing in languages as diverse as Flemish and Japanese, are candidates for this year's Nobel Prize in literature.



### Lions contribute to United Way

Donna Brooks receives a pledge of \$1,000 from Boss Lion John Brooks of the Hereford Lions Club at the club's meeting on Wednesday. With Mrs. Brooks are Jeff Torbert and Greg Buckley, who are division chairmen for the UWDSC campaign.

### PUC questions Bell earnings of \$32 a customer

AUSTIN (AP) - The state's public utility consumer agency is calling for a cut in Southwestern Bell's rates and an investigation into the telephone company's earnings.

The Office of Public Utility Counsel said Southwestern Bell was overcharging each Texas customer an average of \$32 per year.

"There is no question that a full investigation of Bell's earnings is in the best interest of Texas ratepayers," said Luis Wilmot, public counsel.

He noted that Oklahoma regulators recently reduced Southwestern Bell's rates by \$92 million.

Wilmot asked the Public Utility Commission to launch an investigation into the "excess profits" that Southwestern Bell is making.

He also asked the PUC to reduce Southwestern Bell's rates by at least \$234 million, and terminate a four-year agreement between the state and phone company.

About \$15 million in customer refunds that were guaranteed under that agreement have not been shared with customers because of Southwestern Bell's "accounting gamesmanship," Wilmot said.

Southwestern Bell denied the accusations.

"Our initial reaction can be captured in one word: astounded," said David Cole, an assistant vice president for the telephone company.

He said that Southwestern Bell could not be overcharging customers because its basic service rates have remained the same since 1985.

"Three-fourths of what OPUC alleges is overcharging comes from a single accounting gyrations; establishing a new cost of capital from thin air," Cole said.

He also denied the company was not returning excess earnings to customers.

Wilmot's accusations are a "disservice" to consumers, he said.

# Here are key facts on NAFTA

WASHINGTON (AP) - Here are key facts about the North American Free Trade Agreement that would link the United States, Mexico and Canada economically.

-WHAT IT DOES: Tariffs and other barriers to the movement of goods, services and investment among the three countries would be eliminated, creating the world's largest and richest trading bloc, covering 360 million people.

-TIMING: The pact, which must be approved by the legislatures of all three nations, would take effect Jan. 1, 1994. Congress is not scheduled to begin consideration of the proposal until next spring at the earliest.

-TARIFFS: All tariffs would be eliminated over a 15-year period, with industries that suffer the most from import competition getting the longest time to adjust. About half of all U.S. exports to Mexico would be eligible for duty-free treatment within five years.

Currently, U.S. tariffs on Mexican products average less than 4 percent, while Mexican tariffs on American products average 10 percent.

-ENVIRONMENT: The agreement states that national and state laws protecting the

environment, health or safety cannot be overruled by the pact. Environmentalists have expressed concerns that the agreement would increase pollution along the U.S.-Mexico border unless Mexico beefs up its enforcement.

-JOB PROTECTION: The Bush administration has pledged that U.S. workers who lose their jobs because of the trade pact would be eligible for retraining assistance either through existing or expanded federal programs.

-AUTOS: To qualify for duty-free treatment, the North American content of cars, now set at 50 percent, would have to reach 62.5 percent after eight years. This would prevent a country such as Japan from shipping parts to Mexico for assembly into cars destined for the United States.

-AGRICULTURE: U.S. farmers would be given 15 years to adjust to added competition from Mexican producers of such crops as peanuts, broccoli, cauliflower, onions, orange juice concentrate, melons, sugar and asparagus. Mexican import licenses, which cover about 25 percent of U.S. exports, would be dropped immediately.



-FINANCIAL SERVICES: U.S. and Canadian banks, virtually shut out of Mexico at present, would be allowed to establish wholly owned subsidiaries in Mexico.

-TEXTILES: Mexico would be able to escape high duties on shipments to the United States and Canada if the clothing is made from yarns and fabrics that come from North America.

-TRUCKING: Mexico would allow foreigners to invest in its trucking firms and buses and trucks with international cargo would be given "open roads" throughout the continent.

# Textbooks still filled with errors

AUSTIN (AP) - Conservative textbooks critics say new U.S. history books shipped to Texas schools this fall still contain more than 500 errors, nearly a year after controversy erupted over such mistakes.

"We're concerned," Norma Gabler of Longview told a State Board of Education textbook committee Wednesday.

Mrs. Gabler and her husband, Mel, first called attention to errors in proposed history textbooks last November, when the board was considering adopting the books for use in Texas.

Among mistakes cited Wednesday by Mrs. Gabler is the statement that the House voted to impeach President Nixon in 1974. That didn't happen, although the House Judiciary Committee voted to recommend

articles of impeachment to the full House.

The \$20.3 million worth of books, including 10 titles, underwent intense scrutiny in the adoption process.

After more than 5,500 mistakes were discovered in the sample textbooks proposed for adoption, publishers were fined \$647,000 and ordered to make corrections before the books went into the classroom this school year. The fines were paid in additional textbooks.

In July, some of the history books were among textbooks in various subjects that were found to contain uncorrected errors. The Education Board voted for additional penalties that were estimated to be worth nearly \$860,000. Correction sheets also were required for the books.

The history book publishers could face more fines and be required to provide correction sheets if the additional errors cited by Mrs. Gabler are verified by the Texas Education Agency staff, said Carolyn Crawford of Beaumont, head of the Education Board. She said the board would have a response next month to the information provided by the Gablers.

The board has set up a procedure for dealing with errors, and has discussed hiring outside consultants to review textbooks, Ms. Crawford said.

"We are determined to do something about this situation," she said.

Joe Bill Watkins, a lawyer representing the Association of American Publishers, said he hadn't seen the list of purported errors.

## Hospital Notes

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL**  
Kreahle Eileen Behunin, Isabel Brown and infant girl, Sylvia Cumpian, Robert Estrada, Sally Garza, Boyd Jones, Cindy Lopez, Jill McCracken and infant boy, Jose Murillo, Sarah Payne, Lupe Torres.

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# Life!

## Inspect equipment to help prevent fires

National Fire Prevention Week is Oct. 4-10, a good time for Texans to start inspecting their home heating equipment.

Heating equipment is the second leading cause of home fires in the United States, accounting for 619 deaths and 84,600 fires in 1990, the latest year for which statistics are available from the non-profit National Fire Protection Association. Cooking is the number one cause of fires in the home.

Portable and space heaters accounted for nearly two-thirds of home heating fire deaths and half of the 2,078 injuries in 1990. Human error is involved in most heating fires, the association found.

"Fires can be avoided by doing a thorough check of heating equipment in your home, but even before you do this make sure you install smoke detectors," said Dr. Susan Quiring with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Smoke detectors should be placed on each floor of your home outside of each bedroom and checked weekly to see if they are working."

Heating equipment should be used and maintained properly, she said. Keep all flammable material away from heating equipment and never leave heaters unattended.

Quiring recommends that people follow precautions recommended by the National Fire Protection Association when using these heat sources:

-Space heaters should be placed at least 36 inches away from anything that's combustible, including wallpaper, bedding, clothing. Never leave space heaters operating when you are not in the room or when you

go to bed. Don't leave children or pets unattended. Electric space heaters should be checked each season for fraying or splitting wires and overheating.

-Use only the fuel recommended by the manufacturer for liquid fuel-powered space heaters. Never use gasoline or any other substitute fuel. Always turn off the heater and wait until it cools down before adding fuel. Check with the local fire department before purchasing a kerosene heater to find out if it is legal in your community. Store the kerosene away from heat in a container approved by the fire department and be sure it is clearly marked with the fuel name.

-Fireplaces--Have chimneys inspected and cleaned if necessary by a professional prior to the start of every heating season. creosote, a chemical substance that forms when wood burns, builds up in chimneys and can cause a chimney fire if not properly cleaned. Always use a sturdy screen in front of the fireplace. Remember to burn only wood -- never burn paper or pine boughs, which can float up the chimney and ignite a neighboring home. Never use flammable liquid in a fireplace. If you are purchasing a factory-built fireplace, select one listed by testing laboratory and have it installed according to local codes.

-Wood stoves or coal stoves must bear the label of a recognized testing laboratory and meet local fire codes. Follow manufacturers recommendations for proper use and maintenance. Chimney connections and chimney flues should be inspected at the beginning of each heating season and cleaned periodically. Follow the same safety rules for wood stoves as you would for space heaters. Burn only a wood, and be sure the wood stove is placed on an approved stove board to protect the floor from heat and hot coals.

There is a pleasure annexed to the communication of one's ideas, whether by word of mouth or by letter, which nothing earthly can supply the place of.--William Cowper



### Community gathers at courthouse

Over 200 residents, representing several local churches, gathered on the lawns at Deaf Smith County Courthouse Sunday afternoon, Oct. 4, for the Pro-Life Rally held in conjunction with the National Prayer Chain. The hope of those that participated is that next year, over one million abortions will be prevented in America.



### Leonard, Jackson to compete in Amarillo this weekend

It was announced during the Hereford Toastmasters meeting Oct. 1 at the Ranch House that Chris Leonard and Rick Jackson would participate in the Toastmasters Division Contest in Amarillo Saturday, Oct. 10. The men won at the recent area contest.

Clint Savoini led the pledge and Jigger Rowland the meditation. Suzanne Finch presided.

Leonard served at Toastmaster; Rowland, timer; Joe Walters, "ah counter"; Finch, grammarian; Wayne Winger, wordmaster; and the word for the meeting was "neophyte."

With Joe Weaver as topicmaster, the topic speakers were Dave Kimmel, Dr. M.C. Adams, Liane Poell, Rowland, Walters, Margaret Del Toro and Winger.

Rick Jackson spoke on "The Ultimate Swimmer" with Sharon Cramer serving as evaluator, and Margaret Del Toro spoke on "It's An Opportunity" with Clint Savoini as evaluator.

Amy Rogers gave the reading. Kimmel was chosen as the best topic speaker; Savoini, best evaluator; and Jackson, best speaker. Joe Don Cummings was the general evaluator.

Also, attending the meeting was Adolfo Del Toro.

The public is invited to attend the Toastmasters meetings held at 6:30 a.m. each Thursday at the Ranch House and at noon each Tuesday in the Community Center lounge.



Curdled hollandaise sauce may be smoothed with some sour cream.

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<b>WEDNESDAY</b> Vegetable Beef Soup Salisbury Steaks Hot Wings Red Beans and Rice Green Beans	
<b>THURSDAY</b> Potato Soup Meat Loaf Fried Wings Fried Squash Steamed Cabbage	
<b>FRIDAY</b> Chicken Noodle Soup Fish and Chips Fried Rice Buttered Corn	
<b>SATURDAY</b> Vegetable Beef Soup Lasagna Hot Wings Broccoli and Cheese Rice Corn on the Cob	
<b>SUNDAY</b> Dinner All Day Choice of Roast Beef, Ham Chicken Noodle Soup Cornbread Dressing Mashed Potatoes and Gravy	

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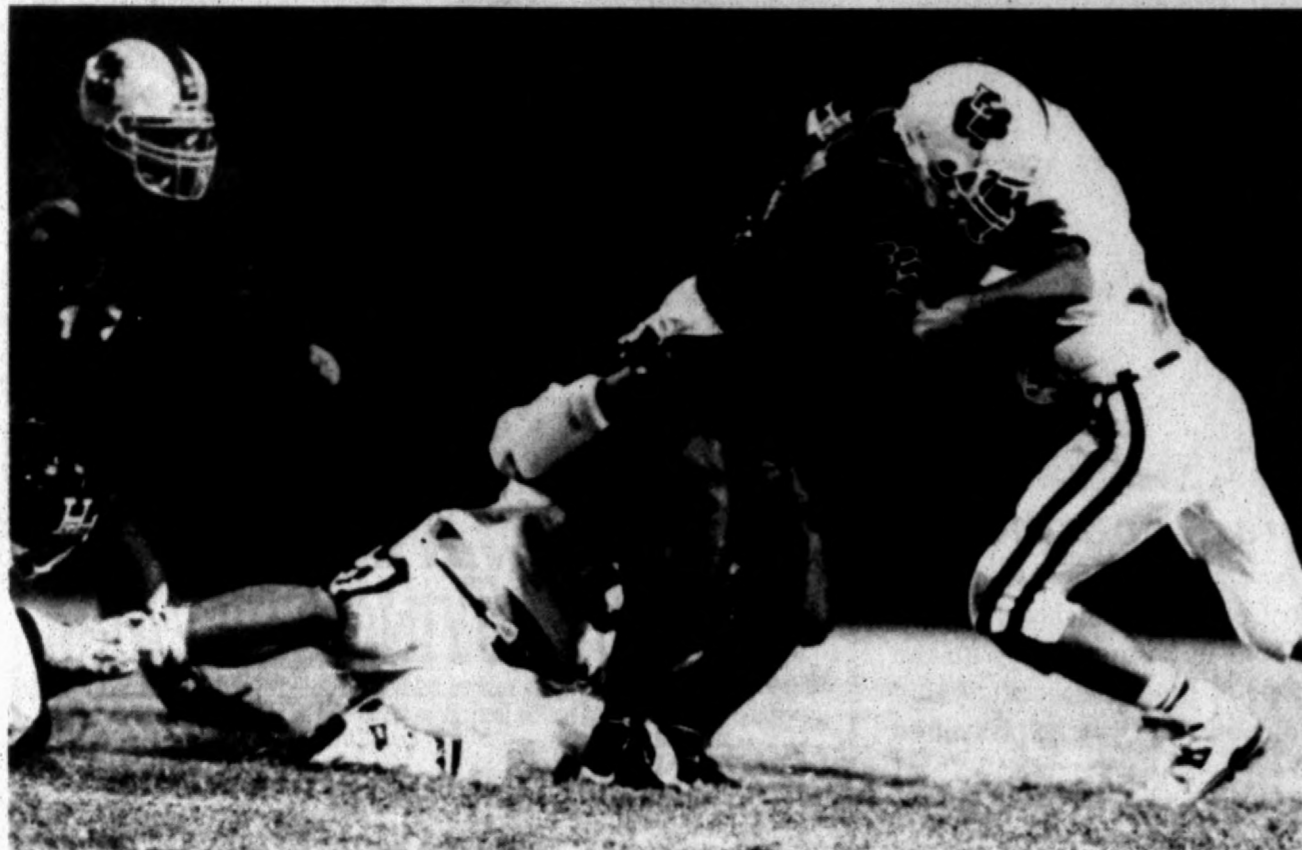
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# SPORTS

## Streaking Hereford takes on struggling Borger



### Another sack for Sims

Hereford linebacker Eric Sims (48, on ground) sacks Levelland quarterback Kelly Ramsey with help from a teammate. Sims had two sacks, a tackle for a loss, and 12 tackles overall in the 23-6 win Friday, and he is the Defensive Player of the Week. Petey Colvin is the Offensive Player of the Week, mostly for his 85-yard kickoff return for a touchdown.

By JAY PEDEN  
Sports Editor

The Hereford football team starts district play this week on a three-game winning streak. They take on a Borger team which is still looking for its first win.

Borger has struggled with a coaching change. Stocky Lamberson, who led Randall to a win over Hereford and to the playoffs last season, has taken his Run-and-Shoot offense to Borger. The Bulldogs don't have it perfected yet.

The low point of Borger's season came two weeks ago when the Bulldogs lost at home 19-17 to Lubbock High. Borger turned the ball over nine times as the Westerners

ended a 20-game losing streak. Last week, Borger lost 41-6 to a Lubbock Monterey team which had lost to Hereford 35-24.

The Bulldogs have struggled, and Hereford coach Danny Hanev hopes they won't put it all together this week.

"They've been inconsistent at best," Hanev said. "A large part of it is due to the new system and inexperience at quarterback."

"They've been inconsistent on offense, but they've got ability," he said. "They've got good running backs and receivers, but their quarterback is young. They've shown sparks of greatness. They'll sure get after you if you give them a chance."

Hereford rolled 43-13 in last year's meeting as the Herd ran up more than 600 yards of offense in the last game of the season. It may not be that bad this year. In fact, Hanev compares Borger to Levelland. Levelland also lives by the pass, and is winless, but Hereford's 23-6 win over the Lobos last week certainly couldn't be called a massacre.

"This game is not too much different from the Levelland game," Hanev said. "Our front six will have to stop the run and not let the secondary worry about the run. Offensively, we've got to pick up stunts and not have any assignment breaks."

(See HERD, Page 6)

## Herd picked to rout 'Dogs

Hereford is a 29-point favorite at Borger, according to the Harris Rating System.

Hereford is ranked 59th in Class 4A with a rating of 179. Borger (0-5) is ranked No. 165 out of 173 4A teams in Texas. Borger's rating is 145.

As for the rest of the district, Randall is a 15-point pick at home against Caprock, while Pampa at Dumas is rated a toss-up.

Hereford is the highest ranked team in District 1-4A. Dumas at 69th and Pampa at 70th both have a rating of 176. Randall is ranked No. 100, with a rating of 169. Caprock is No. 150 with a 155 rating.

The Bad Game of the Week in the Panhandle will be in Hart, where the No. 4 ranked team in Class A meets the No. 123 (out of 125) team, Kress. Hart has a rating of 172, while Kress has a rating of 109. Harris won't even pick a score for this massacre.

Following are Harris picks for area games. Home teams are in all CAPS.

5A  
AMARILLO HIGH 48 over Lubbock High; Palo Duro 1 over CORONADO; TASCOSA 13 over Monterey; AUSTIN CROCKETT 4 over Abilene High; San Angelo Central 7 over ABILENE COOPER; MIDLAND LEE 18 over Odessa High; and ODESSA PERMIAN 49 over Midland High.

4A  
RANDALL 15 over Caprock; Hereford 29 over BORGER; Pampa even with DUMAS; SNYDER 18 over Levelland; ESTACADO 14 over Lamesa; PLAINVIEW 25 over Frenship; Andrews 6 over BIG SPRING; and Monahans 14 over PECOS. Fort Stockton is idle.

3A  
Childress 7 over RIVER ROAD; DALHART 6 over Canyon; SANFORD-FRITCH 8 over Perryton; Littlefield 16 over DIMMITT; Floydada 32 over MULESHOE; Tulia 28 over FRIONA; Brownfield 16 over LUBBOCK COOPER; DENVER CITY 15 over Seminole; and SLATON 27 over Lubbock Roosevelt. Dunbar is idle.

2A  
SUNRAY 9 over Boys Ranch; Gruver 2 over SPEARMAN; STRATFORD 26 over West Texas; Wellington 13 over CANADIAN; MEMPHIS 5 over Clarendon; PANHANDLE 18 over Wheeler; NEW DEAL 20 over Abernathy; SPRINGLAKE-EARTH even with Olton; SHALLOWATER 24 over Hale Center; LOCKNEY 13 over Morton; Seagraves 1 over CROSBYTON; Idalou 25 over POST; and

Ralls 16 over TAHOKA. Highland Park and Sundown are open.

A  
Claude 15 over BOOKER; HAPPY 21 over Vega; WHITE DEER 22 over Shamrock; Nazareth 48 over Bovina; Sudan 32 over FARWELL; Spur 12 over CROWELL; Munday 10 over KNOX CITY; PADUCAH 30 over Modley County. Anton, Lorenzo, O'Donnell, Petersburg, Plains and Whiteface all are idle.

## Fearless Forecasters

<b>Jay Peden</b> Sports Editor Last week: 20-5 Season: 86-35-4, 711	<b>Speedy Nieman</b> Publisher Last week: 15-10 Season: 81-40-4, 669	<b>Bud Jowell</b> Booster Club President Last week: 15-10 Season: 74-47-4, 612	<b>John Brooks</b> Managing Editor Last week: 17-8 Season: 80-41-4, 661	<b>Rick Castaneda</b> Press Foreman Last week: 17-8 Season: 78-43-4, 645	
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## Channer shoots age at Pitman

Doc Channer shot his age--81--on Oct. 2 at Pitman Municipal Golf Course, course pro Dave Kaesheimer said.



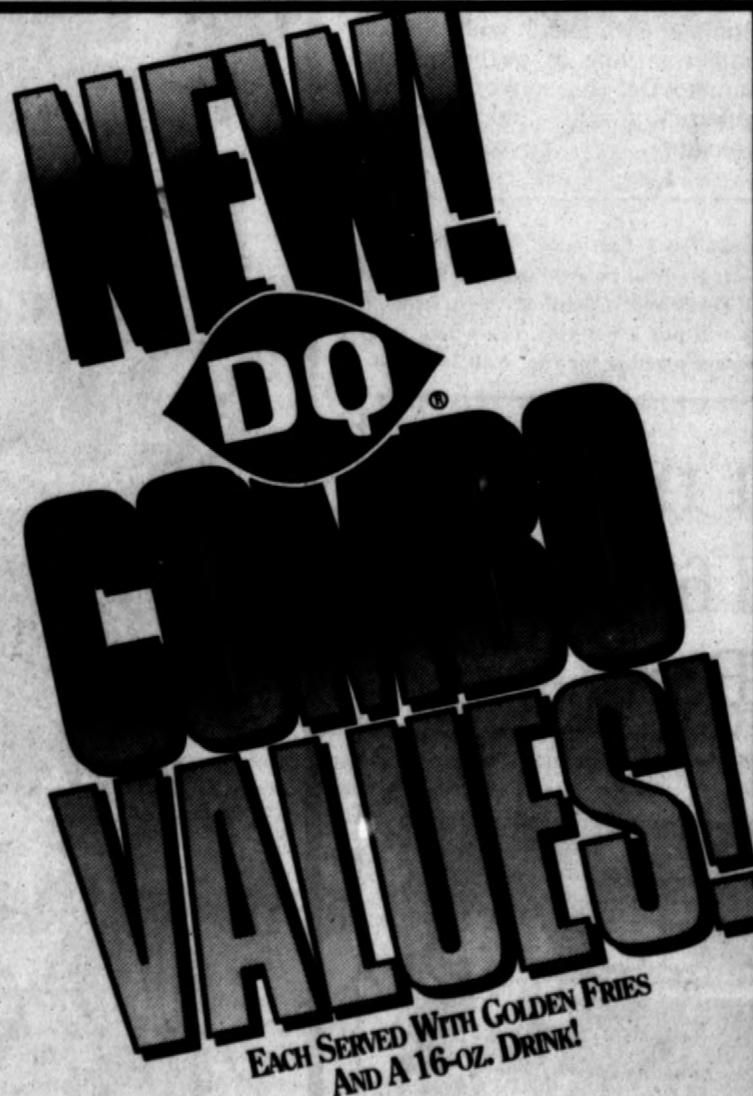
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# A's out-bash Jays in ALCS opener

TORONTO (AP) - The hurdles keep coming, and the Oakland Athletics keep rising above them. Losing a 3-0 lead Wednesday night was a mere nuisance, considering all they'd been through. Harold Baines simply flicked it away with a game-winning solo homer in the ninth inning.

The A's beat the Toronto Blue Jays 4-3 in the American League playoff opener, continuing their determined course through a tumultuous season.

Dave Stewart, despite his second straight subpar regular season, was superb. His hitters, despite the loss of slugger Jose Canseco, were smashing. His fielders, not as sure-handed as in past seasons, were slick.

And his team, which survived an injury epidemic and faces the loss of talented free agents, kept winning.

"I think maybe people don't give us the respect we deserve," Stewart said after Oakland's seventh straight playoff victory. "I don't think it should be a surprise."

"We showed we could come

back," Toronto's Dave Winfield said. "A first-game win is important for many reasons, but one loss in a best-of-7 series is not a catastrophe. We're not going to lose any sleep."

Stewart was staked to a 3-0 lead on Mark McGwire's two-run homer and Terry Steinbach's solo shot on

team's year by shrugging off that adversity with his leadoff homer.

"If you give up on yourself, you could defeat the purpose," he said.

Instead, he defeated the Blue Jays and their big-game pitcher Jack Morris.

"They beat me fair and square," said Morris, who is now 7-2.

Stewart, 5-0 in the AL playoffs, was the other half of the matchup of money pitchers and stayed cool despite getting himself into some hot spots. He retired the side in order in only one inning.

"The pitch count was up, but I had good stuff," he said. "Even though I didn't look in control of the game, I was in control at all times."

Russell got the win Wednesday night. Dennis Eckersley allowed one hit in the ninth and got his major league record 10th playoff save.

Mike Moore gets a chance to give Oakland a sweep of the two games in Toronto tonight when he goes against David Cone.

Oakland's pitchers no longer can count on the majestic swings and mammoth homers of Canseco, traded

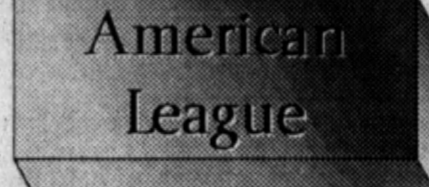
to Texas on Aug. 31. But the A's showed they still have plenty of power.

In the fourth, Sierra, obtained in the Canseco trade, raced to the right-center field wall to haul in Winfield's shot. In the seventh, he ran to his right to grab Borders' sinking liner.

McGwire made a sensational play in the third when he dove for Manuel Lee's smash into the first-base hole and made a perfect toss to Stewart, covering first, for the second out. The play became more significant when Devon White followed with a walk and took third on Roberto Alomar's single. Joe Carter then ended the inning by flying to center.

Shortstop Mike Bordick made nice plays to start double plays in the first two innings.

"It was a very typical A's-Blue Jays game over the last several years," Oakland manager Tony La Russa said. "They're always competitive over nine innings. When we are ahead, they always come back. When they are ahead, we always come back."



consecutive at-bats in the second inning.

Toronto blasted back with homers by Pat Borders in the fifth and Winfield in the sixth that made the score 3-2.

Stewart left after Winfield's two-out double in the eighth, and reliever Jeff Russell was greeted by John Olerud's game-tying single.

Then Baines, whose .253 batting average was the lowest of his 13 major league seasons, epitomized his



## Presbyterian golf winners

Team winners at the recent First Presbyterian Church golf scramble were Sue Schroeter, Paul Jones (top), Chris Bullard and Sid Ham. Other awards went to: Martha Jones, longest putt; Rose Marie Robinson, closest to pin; Scott Parker, shortest drive; David Arellano, looking longest in creek for ball; Brenda Johnson and Kari Bullard, newest players; Chris Bullard, longest drive; J.P. Jones, senior award. Players were treated to hamburgers at the Lynn and Randy Kriegshauser home after the tourney.

## Braves blast Bucs, take 2-0 series lead

ATLANTA (AP) - Before the Pittsburgh Pirates worry about their bats and arms, they have to take care of their heads.

They return home trailing 2-0 in the NL playoffs following Atlanta's 13-5 victory Wednesday in Game 2, and the first thing on their minds is preventing a rout.

"We've been getting our heads beat in and we've got a headache," Andy Van Slyke said. "We're in the emergency room and we hope we're not in intensive care by Friday."

The series resumes Friday night with rookie knuckballer Tim Lincecum pitching against Atlanta's Tom Glavine.

"It seems like the weight of the world is on their shoulders and they probably feel like they have to carry

the whole team," Game 2 winner Steve Avery said.

By the time Pittsburgh finally stopped Avery's playoff scoreless streak at 22 1-3 innings, the game already was a blowout. The Braves scored four runs in the second off Danny Jackson and Ron Gant's grand slam in the fifth made it 8-0.



"We were embarrassed," Pirates manager Jim Leyland said. "We're in an uphill climb and it's not a good situation to be in."

Avery blanked the Pirates for six innings. He had pitched an NL-record 16 1-3 scoreless innings in beating the Pirates twice in the postseason last year. The streak ended when Pittsburgh scored four times in the seventh.

"It was fun while it lasted," Avery said. "It came to a quick halt, though. When I got the big lead, I may have lost my concentration a little bit."

Pittsburgh scored on run-scoring double by Lloyd McClendon, Jose Lind's two-run triple and a wild pitch. The previous record for scoreless innings was set by Ken Holtzman, who did it in 1973-74 for the Oakland Athletics.

## Lasorda will return in '93

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Tom Lasorda can't understand what all the fuss is about. Of course he's coming back next year to manage the Los Angeles Dodgers.

"I'm the manager of the Dodgers. I've got a contract for 1993. Nobody has ever made me any kind of offer," Lasorda said Wednesday after the Dodgers announced he'd return for a 17th season as their field leader. "So what's the big deal? Nobody said I wasn't the manager, right?"

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Shouldn't a father who pays child support be allowed to claim that child as a dependent on his income tax? No way—my ex-wife claims our son on HER tax return, which is another break for her.

My ex-wife was the one who broke our marriage vows. It doesn't seem fair that I should have to keep her comfortable with extra cash. She filed for a no-fault divorce by mail, packed my bags, changed the locks and had all her bills sent to my mother's address. Then she had the nerve to charge \$1,200 worth of clothes on my account. After that, she sold our home with everything in it, including my tools. I never saw one cent of the money.

It's about time we put some pressure on our congressmen and senators to pass legislation that gives divorced fathers a break. Will you help?—Jim in Washington, Pa.

The poorest segment of society is the divorced woman with children. Far too many divorced fathers fail to pay child support. The government spends a fortune chasing divorced dads who run from state to state in an effort to avoid paying.

Thanks to computers, it is becoming easier to track the runaway bums, but even so, too many single mothers are having a rough time because their husbands took a powder.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** In my opinion, there is only one solution to the problems associated with smoking, and that is to make tobacco an illegal substance. The growing tobacco must be banned, and concurrently, the manufacture of cigarettes and other tobacco-related products prohibited.

I am 71 years old and have done my share of smoking. I started when I was 14 and didn't quit until I was 44. I am well aware that the manufacturers of tobacco products have a rich and powerful lobby. But is it morally right to continue such an operation when the end results are so devastating?

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welfare of millions of people. We all are well aware that the sickness, death and property damage caused by smoking is appalling.

Please, Ann, ask your readers to support the banning of tobacco products. As long as cigarettes are readily available, there will be smokers. And new smokers are getting hooked at such an early age it's tragic.—Harry in Newport News, Va.

**DEAR HARRY:** I share your sentiments about tobacco, but what you suggest would not succeed. We had a similar experiment and it was a miserable failure. It was called Prohibition. Remember?



## Lodge makes donation

Elks Lodge trustee, Harold Finch, at left, gives a \$250 check to D.A.R.E. Officer Esrael Silva.

## Residents' grandson honored

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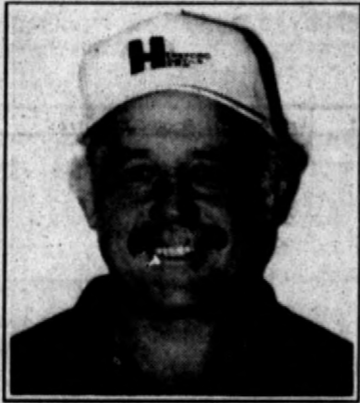
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Estate Sale 210 Ave. H 9-6 Friday & Saturday. Everything must go. 22379

**CROSSWORD**  
by THOMAS JOSEPH

**ACROSS**

1 Racer Yar-46 Corral  
5 Headed toward a target  
10 Overhead  
12 Sheepish  
13 "Casino Royale" star  
14 Gridiron units  
15 Keats creation  
16 Refrain bit  
18 Friend of Pooh and Piglet  
20 "I—It My Way"  
21 Lends a hand  
23 Unity  
24 Additional  
26 Skin opening  
28 Bad review  
29 Lockup  
31 Perform  
32 Singer Franklin  
36 Mock-'50s group  
39 Mai tai ingredient  
40 Emergency sound  
41 Alean beast  
43 Labor group  
44 Fizzy drinks  
45 Lowly

**DOWN**

1 River craft  
2 Tolerate  
3 Mrs. Howell, on "Gilligan's Island"  
4 Time before  
5 George-town player  
6 Track shape  
7 Hacienda balcony  
8 Touch-down boundary  
9 Infamous marquis  
11 Dictionary  
17 Blushing  
19 Rowing need  
22 Some football passes  
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25 Smallest of the Great  
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**Yesterday's Answer**

words Lakes

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10-8

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