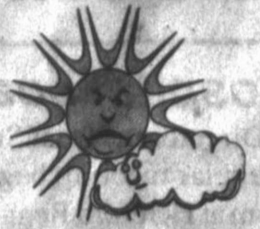


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Garage sales draw crowds

Lookers at the Danny Martin home at 206 Ranger were among hundreds who visited garage sales at approximately 120 locations Saturday in the first-ever Citywide Garage Sale/Sidewalk Sale/Arts

and Crafts Show. At least 360 persons from other cities registered in the day's activities. Sponsored by the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, the event was called a "big success."

Citywide event makes economic impact

The economic impact on Hereford from Saturday's Citywide Garage Sale/Sidewalk Sale/Arts and Crafts Show could easily top \$300,000 according to Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce officials.

Calling the event a "big success" Don Cumpton, executive vice president of the chamber, said 360 people living outside the community registered for the day's top prize, \$100 Hereford Bucks.

He didn't have an exact count of the number of people registered from

within the community but he knew there were a lot.

That grand prize was won by Mrs. Rebella Skypala whose registration form was drawn when the day's activities ended at 5 p.m.

Cumpton also said he conducted a poll Monday morning of people who held garage sales and found the average income was \$350 per sale and with 120 participating in the garage sales that comes to a grand total of \$42,000.

Multiply that times seven, the

number of times the National Chamber of Commerce says a dollar changes hands in a community before it leaves and that total is \$294,000.

Add to that the amount of money merchants received in their sidewalk sales and the arts and crafts booths and the figure could easily top the \$300,000 mark.

"I thought we had a really good turnout," Cumpton said. We had visitors from a big area. They came from Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and of course, Texas."

He said the longest distance traveled by a shopper was from Greybull, Wyo.

There were 33 different cities represented by the visitors according to Cumpton.

"It was a success," he said. "We made some mistakes but we can correct those next time, we can make it better."

"I am really happy about this because the (entire) community got involved and this made it a success."

Commission asks recommendations for Place 2 vacancy

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

After accepting the resignation of Joe Soliz Jr., Monday night, the Hereford City Commission decided to seek a replacement for him in Place 2 by accepting recommendations from the community.

Soliz submitted his one-sentence resignation on July 10, two weeks after a Deaf Smith County Grand Jury returned a two-count indictment against him for forgery.

In the abbreviated commission meeting Monday evening, Mayor Bob Josseland announced that citizens interested in serving the remainder of the term could contact members of the commission or City Manager Chester Nolen.

The commission's short agenda also included a report by Mike Hatley, executive director of Hereford Economic Development Corporation.

He listed several business and industry prospects for Hereford, including two food processing companies, a paper recycling facility, a fertilizer plant and a manufacturer of galvanized towers.

Hatley told the commission that information about the potential for development here has been provided the interested companies.

Under the agenda item related to the Soliz resignation, Mayor Josseland said "in fairness" to the district served by Soliz, a successor in the office should be appointed.

The mayor suggested that citizens interested in serving their city contact him or other officials. He said qualifications should be listed in letters written to the city.

Commissioners present, Roger Eades, Carey Black and Tom Coneway, agreed with the mayor's suggestion. Commissioners Silvana Juarez and Wayne Winget were absent.

Soliz was elected to the seat on the commission in May 1996. The term will expire in May 1998.

In a statement made after he tendered his resignation, Soliz said his decision was "completely irrelevant with the criminal charge, and time will show my innocence."

The indictment against Soliz accuses him of signing the name of his former father-in-law, Joe T. Mendez, to a pair of documents related to purchase of a satellite receiver.

A businessman and activist in the Hispanic community, Soliz in his statement to *The Brand* said that he planned to move to Amarillo.

At the time he was indicted he

declared he had no intention of leaving Hereford and would not resign from the commission.

His statement to *The Brand* about his resignation said his decision to move was motivated by "more opportunity for someone like me" in Amarillo.

Soliz currently is free on \$2,500 bond posted when he surrendered to authorities on June 27, after the Grand Jury returned the indictment.

HISD sets meeting

The Hereford Independent School District Board of Trustees will face a lengthy agenda when they meet in regular session at 6 p.m. today.

The agenda includes 27 items including 11 on the action agenda in addition to several personnel items and regular reports.

The board will consider:
- depository contracts.
- certificates of authority for the school lunch programs and approval of meal prices.

- appointment of an Integrated Pest Management Coordinator.

- administrative cost ratios.
- approval of the transportation department handbook.

- appointment of superintendent to the Region 16 advisory council.

- possible sale of property at Moorman and Kingwood.

- adoption of a local supplement schedule for classroom teachers who have doctoral degrees.

- setting the dates for budget workshops, hearings and adoption of budget.

- discussion and consideration of board of trustee conflict of interest affidavits.

- approval of update 55.

In the personnel area the board will consider hiring of elementary and secondary teachers, hiring of administration staff, acceptance of resignations, setting goals of the superintendent for the upcoming school year and adopting a superintendent's appraisal form.

The personnel items may be considered in executive session with any action to take place in the public meeting.

Regular reports from assistant superintendents and the various school departments will also be heard.

Hispanic population seeks economic share

CHICAGO (AP) - Hispanic Americans, who are expected to be the largest minority in the United States within 10 years, are struggling to find ways to share in the nation's economic boom.

A study of Hispanic economic status indicates that a third of all Hispanic Americans live in poverty and trail other ethnic groups in educational levels, home ownership and health insurance protection.

Community leaders gathered at the annual conference of the National Council of La Raza, the nation's largest Hispanic advocacy group, are seeking to reverse those trends.

"The problems must be attacked on several fronts," said Raul Yzaguirre, president of the National Council of La Raza. "We need progressive tax reform, we need greater home ownership, and we need fairness."

The nation's Hispanic population is 32 million people; in 10 years, Hispanics are expected to be the largest U.S. minority.

"What happens to the Hispanic community is important to what happens to America," Yzaguirre said. "Whether America has a Social Security system that is viable, whether America has a Medicare system that is viable, will be determined by Hispanics."

In a luncheon address to the conference on Monday, Vice President Al Gore credited Hispanics with helping fuel the U.S. economic boom that has raised wages, lowered inflation and created a winning investment climate.

But Gore told the audience of 2,200 he agreed that Hispanic Americans were not sharing fully in the economic good times.

"Not enough Latinos are participating," Gore said. "We have a lot of work to do, and we will not rest until everyone in every community shares fully."

During the four-day conference, more than 4,000 participants will attend workshops on dozens of topics

affecting the Hispanic American community, such as welfare and immigration reform, job readiness, nonprofit job opportunities and community mobilization.

The economic status report was based on a range of university studies and census data. It represents "a mixed bag" of indicators, but "the negative stuff is pretty serious," said Sonia Perez, director of the research for La Raza.

"The positives give us some promise of what we need to build the strength of the community," Perez said.

Positives in the report were few. Chief among them were that Hispanic men have the highest labor participation rate, meaning they are more likely to be working or in search of work.

Another hopeful sign was that the ranks of Hispanic women classified as managers or professionals increased from 14.7 percent to 17.5 percent between 1990 to 1996.

But the good news was overwhelmed in a sea of statistics indicating Hispanics were being trapped in a cycle of low-paying jobs, poor education and a lack of health insurance that is sapping the community of its vast potential, Yzaguirre said.

Early voting opened Monday on a constitutional amendment that would provide some tax relief, in the form of an increase in homestead exemption, for homeowners in Texas school districts.

The election will be held on Aug. 9. Early voting will be conducted in the office of Deaf Smith County Clerk David Ruland weekdays through Aug. 5.

Ruland said an election with a single item to be decided ordinarily does not attract a large turnout. He encourages voters to take advantage of the early voting period.

He pointed out that election day is scheduled during the annual Town and Country Jubilee in Hereford, with the Jubilee Junction and Parade on Aug. 9.

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tions to another qualified homestead.

Voters wishing to cast their ballots early may go to courthouse between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. Information about mail ballots may be obtained by calling 363-7077.

Ruland said the conflict caused by Jubilee being on the same day as the election has made staffing with election officials difficult.

He is looking for persons with some experience in serving in positions on election day to help out on Aug. 9.

Amendment election is target of get-out-the-vote campaign

By JUAN B. ELIZONDO Jr.
Associated Press Writer
AUSTIN (AP) - Texas homeowners could have a "no-brainer" tax break awaiting them at the ballot box. But state officials fear a low voter turnout and some people say the obvious choice has consequences.

Early voting for the Aug. 9 election began Monday and runs through Aug. 5.

On the ballot is a single question, asking voters whether homestead property tax exemptions should be increased from a minimum of \$5,000 to a minimum of \$15,000.

The higher exemption will cost school districts about \$1 billion every two years - money lawmakers have pledged to replace.

Secretary of State Tony Garza, the state's chief elections official, began his week in South Texas on a get-out-the-vote tour. He has not set an estimate on how many of the state's 10.6 million registered voters will cast a ballot in the election.

Ann McGeehan, Garza's election director, said she expects between 10 percent and 15 percent.

"Constitutional elections are uphill battles in terms of getting people out to vote," Garza said, adding that when there aren't candidates on the ballot, fewer people bring attention to the election.

"I'm trying to raise the awareness level," he said.

The tax exemption question

comes after lawmakers failed to approve an attempt to lower and cap local school property taxes. The House and Senate approved separate plans to cut the locally set tax rates, but could not agree on a final version of the idea.

Instead, they approved a plan to increase the amount of a home's value not subject to taxation for schools. Also included is dedicating lottery revenues to education and a provision allowing Texans' 65 and older to transfer a proportionate amount of their homestead tax freezes from one home to another if they move.

The lottery-to-education provision goes into effect Sept. 1 regardless of the election. The tax freeze portability is contingent on the election.

Bush has said there's little argument against increasing the tax exemptions. Even so, the governor also plans a get-out-the-vote tour before Aug. 9.

"He hopes that Texans vote early or make sure they get to the polls on Aug. 9," said Bush spokesman Ray Sullivan.

Dick Lavine, an analyst for the Center for Public Policy Priorities, said it's hard for Texans to turn down a tax cut because of future consequences. But he said voters should think about what they are deciding.

"It puts us at least \$1 billion in the hole in every future (state) budget," Lavine said of the proposal.

As property tax rates continue to go up, school districts will lose more money because of the tax

exemption. That means the exemptions will cost more than \$1 billion in the future.

The \$1 billion being used to pay for the tax break in the next two-year budget, beginning Sept. 1, came from state funds reserved for such spending. Lavine said there is no guarantee that money will be available in the future.

"It's putting a little extra pressure on the budget," he said.

Lavine added that while the money used to pay for the tax breaks will come from all taxpayers, only homeowners will get the benefit.

"The good news is that homeowners are going to get a tax break and it is a progressive tax break because its \$140 no matter what the value of your home is," he said.

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Local Roundup

Hospital board meets tonight

Directors of Deaf Smith County Hospital District will hold a regular meeting beginning at 6:30 p.m. today in the board room at Hereford Regional Medical Center. A notice of meeting sent to The Brand Friday incorrectly listed the meeting date as being on Monday. Topics of discussion include: Building financing/Reimbursement resolution; retirement plan consideration; real estate counter offer to purchase land; planning study approval; departmental presentation by Shellie Hamby; and financial and operations reports.

Tax office closed Thursday

Deaf Smith County citizens who need to conduct business at the county tax offices are reminded that the office in the courthouse will be closed all day Thursday, July 24, so that information may be downloaded into the office computers and regular business will not be conducted on that day.

Decreasing chance of storms

Monday, Hereford reached a high of 94 and a low of 67. We received .09 of an inch of precipitation. Tonight, it will be partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low near 65. South to southwest wind 5-10 mph. Wednesday, it will be partly sunny with a 20 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms. High 90 to 95. Southwest to south wind 10-15 mph. Wednesday night, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the middle 60s. The extended forecast looks for partly cloudy skies with a slight chance of mainly late afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms. Lows in the middle 60s. Highs in the middle 90s.

News Digest

ROCKPORT - A former Texas mayor accused of kidnapping and killing his business partner with carbon monoxide is the innocent victim of someone else's dirty work, his defense attorney says. Jurors were to resume deliberations today in the capital murder trial of Mark Crawford.

DALLAS - The Roman Catholic Diocese of Dallas ignored "a mountain of evidence" that a priest was molesting boys and later worked to cover up the scandal, plaintiffs attorneys alleged as an 11-week civil trial wound down. Jurors heard closing arguments Monday in the trial against the diocese and the former Rev. Rudolph Kos. The 11 plaintiffs, who allege Kos molested them, when they were boys, seek \$146.5 million in damages. A jury of 10 women and two men was expected to begin deliberations today.

WASHINGTON - Rep. Tom DeLay, a scrappy former exterminator who posed for a magazine story a year ago with bullwhip in hand, could be the next casualty of the foiled coup against House Speaker Newt Gingrich. But not without a fight.

WASHINGTON - Prosecutors have told the Senate that three of four Buddhist nuns GOP investigators want to grant limited immunity to may have been more than just pawns in a scheme to launder Democratic Party donations, committee sources say.

BELFAST, Northern Ireland - Northern Ireland's biggest political party is sticking with the peace process, despite its suspicions about the Irish Republican Army's cease-fire and unhappiness with arrangements for negotiations. One small pro-British party has walked out of the Belfast talks, and the Rev. Ian Paisley's uncompromising Democratic Unionist Party has pledged to withdraw, too, if Sinn Fein stays. First, however, Paisley plans to confront British Prime Minister Tony Blair today in London.

Obituaries

FRANCES A. MORTON July 18, 1997

Frances A. Morton, 72, of Childress, died Friday. She is the mother of Carol Jones of Hereford.

Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. today in Childress Cemetery with Dr. David Hamblin officiating. Arrangements by North's Funeral Homes of Abilene.

Mrs. Morton was reared in Memphis. She moved to Childress in 1945. She was the director of the first outreach clinic in Childress and moved to Abilene in 1984. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church.

She married Doug Morton in 1975 at Hollis, Okla.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Clifford Cates of Amarillo, and Kelvin Cates of Lafayette, La.; a daughter, Carol Jones of Hereford; two stepdaughters, Becky Fleming of Amarillo, and Johanna Barrentine of Shallowater; two sisters, Edith Marcum of Amarillo, and Dorothy Ayers of Borger; three grandchildren; six stepgrandchildren; a great-grandchild; and three stepgreat-grandchildren.

ALVIN KELTON CATES July 19, 1997

Alvin Kelton Cates, 53, of Ulysses, Kan., died Saturday. He was born in Hereford.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday in United Methodist Church in Ulysses, with the Rev. Ron Thrasher and the Rev. Pat Thrasher officiating. Additional services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church at Dimmitt with the Rev. Howard Rhoades officiating. Burial will be at Westlawn Cemetery in Dimmitt.

Mr. Cates was born in Hereford. He was an employee at Meza, Inc., and was the superintendent of the Santa Meza Plant. He was a veteran of Vietnam. He had moved to Ulysses from Binger, Okla.

He married Janice Lynn Baldrige in 1966 at Dimmitt.

He was a member of Faith Fellowship Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Ty of the home; two daughters, April

Loftis of Ulysses, and Robin George of Hinton, Okla.; and a sister, Darlene Waters of Dimmitt

HERMINIA ULIBARRI July 20, 1997

Herminia Ulibarri, 60, died Sunday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Rosary services will be recited Tuesday and Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the San Jose Catholic Church in Hereford under the direction of Parkside Chapel.

Funeral mass is pending. Ms. Ulibarri was born July 18, 1936 in Ballinger. She lived in Hereford for more than 40 years. She was a retired sales clerk. She was a member of the San Jose Catholic Church.

Ms. Ulibarri was preceded in death by one brother

Survivors include two daughters, Delfine Mazzamuto of Lubbock and Dana Limon of Las Vegas, Nev. She had four grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to the American Cancer Society and the San Jose Catholic Church of Hereford.

ALICE KALKA July 20, 1997

Alice Kalka, 73, of Amarillo, died Sunday.

Services were held 2 p.m. Tuesday in Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors Bell Avenue Chapel with the Rev. Ken Keller of St. Mary's Catholic Church officiating.

Burial services followed in Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Mrs. Kalka was born in Lawton, Okla. She married John Kalka in 1948 at Hereford. They farmed in the Westway community for 40 years. They moved to Amarillo in 1974.

Mrs. Kalka was preceded in death by her husband in 1980.

Survivors include a daughter, Joyce Howell of Amarillo; four sisters, Ruth Walls of Amarillo, Louise Stewart of Hedley, Christine Harnden and May Belle Walls, both of Camino Island, Wash.; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Medicare changes are major budget issue for Republicans working for united position

By LAURA MECKLER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congressional Republicans, working to form a united GOP position, have been unable to agree on groundbreaking changes to Medicare.

Mapping their budget-balancing bill, GOP leaders also failed to decide whether they should raise the tobacco tax to provide more money for children's health. The Senate voted a 20-cent-a-pack increase; the House, nothing.

"That's got to be part of a bigger negotiation," Sen. Pete Domenici, R-N.M., the Senate Budget Committee chairman, said Monday.

The decisions came as Republicans tried to forge a unified position on measures aimed at balancing the

budget by 2002 while cutting taxes by roughly \$135 billion. The Republican-controlled House and Senate approved similar versions and are now trying to work out their own differences to prepare for bargaining with President Clinton.

On Medicare, the Senate is insisting on structural changes that would charge the wealthy higher premiums, raise the eligibility age and force those who use skyrocketing home health-care services to pay \$5 per visit.

House Republicans, who suffered politically for their attempt to overhaul Medicare in 1994, told Senate negotiators that they will not go along without stronger leadership from Clinton, said House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga.

"The senators felt strongly they

wanted to go back to him and urge him to actually offer leadership," Gingrich said. "That's why we're still in abeyance."

Republicans did agree to a host of other, lower-profile Medicare issues, including how health maintenance organizations would be paid and new preventive benefits.

In addition, GOP leaders agreed to drop \$250,000 limits on many medical malpractice awards that the House had included in its budget-balancing measure, said participants who spoke on condition of anonymity.

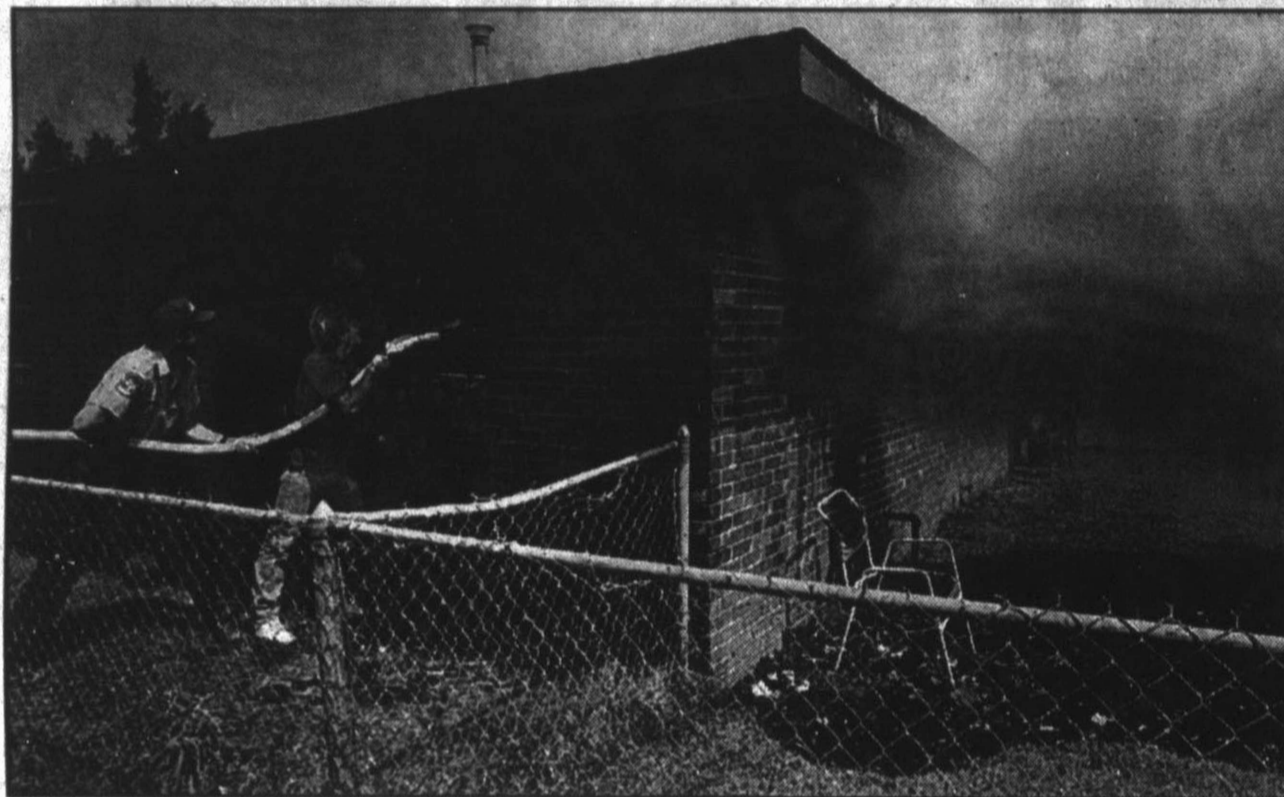
On immigrant welfare benefits, Republicans set up a battle with Clinton, deciding that only noncitizens already collecting welfare may stay on the rolls. The White House wants immigrants who are disabled in the future to become eligible.

Republicans are also likely to clash with the White House over the structure of the children's health program.

The Clinton administration supports the Senate bill, which would require the money to be spent on a comprehensive insurance package. The House bill would let states spend as much as they want on direct services.

GOP leaders proposed letting states spend 15 percent of their money on administration and direct health services - payments to hospitals, for instance.

The rest of the money would have to be spent on insurance, and states could choose among several plans. This allows states to offer packages with significantly fewer benefits than the Senate mandated.



Firefighters

The Hereford Fire Department rushes to extinguish a fire at 416 Barrett Street. The fire was reported at 11:44 a.m., but was believed to be smoldering since early that morning. The fire was believed to have started on the mattress. The Red Cross was called in to assist the family.

U.S. House members working to flush 1992 toilet bowl law

AUSTIN (AP) - It has become known as the federal toilet law.

To conserve water, Congress in 1992 approved legislation reducing the amount of water that can be used each time a toilet flushes, thus also reducing the water pressure and the ability to clear the bowl of its contents.

After complaints flooded in from people saying that they now need to flush two and three times to get enough pressure to clear the bowl - thus wasting more water than before - several U.S. House members on the Corrections Advisory Group are now attempting to flush the law, once and for all.

That group, comprised of 12 House members, is going across the country looking for other "foolish and ridiculous laws" for repeal or amendment.

On Monday, the group was represented by Reps. Sam Johnson, R-Plano, and Kay Granger, R-Fort Worth, at a hearing open to the public.

Since its inception in 1995, the legislative corrections process has resulted in 23 bills being passed by Congress and 16 being signed into law.

The House members heard an assortment of stories Monday, mostly focusing on overburdensome regulations being administered by agencies such as the Environmental Protection Agency.

Michael J. Nasi, an attorney representing the city of Frisco, just north of Dallas, said actions taken by the city regarding the discharge of effluents by a battery company had been targeted for \$125,000 in fines by one arm of the EPA and cited for an award by another EPA section.

Nasi said the EPA had cited the city for allowing too much effluent, which included salt water, into its water system.

The city, rather than reroute the effluent to a larger body of water where it would be diluted according to EPA standards, tried to work with the plant responsible for discharging

the salt water on a method that would eliminate the pollutants completely.

"We want to do better than the EPA standards," Nasi said. "We want to fix the problem with an innovative treatment process."

David Bary, an EPA spokesman in Dallas, said, "We are quite used to criticism of the agency."

"The enforcement actions that we do take are done to protect human health and the environment," Bary said. "That tends to be unpopular among certain groups but it is a mandate that the agency must follow."

Don Summers, a 65-year-old owner of an electric generator service business in Austin, complained about a federal law requiring him to send certain taxes withheld from employees directly to the IRS via wire.

As part of the law, businesses have the option of allowing the IRS to withdraw the money from their accounts directly or authorize their bank to wire the money.

Emergency Services

Activities reported by law enforcement agencies:

POLICE DEPARTMENT

--A 37 year old male was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana, several outstanding Hereford Municipal Court warrants, several traffic violations, and for falsely identifying to a police officer.

--A 49 year old male was arrested on outstanding Potter County warrants.

--A 19 year old female was arrested for assaulting a family member.

--A 54 year old male was arrested in the 600 block of North 25 Mile Avenue for public intoxication.

--A 22 year old male was arrested in the 100 block of Pine Street on disorderly conduct charges.

--A 17 year old male was arrested on a criminal mischief warrant in the 800 block of Park Avenue.

--A 17 year old male was arrested for traffic offenses in the 200 block of Elm Street.

--A 29 year old female and a 26 year old male was arrested after police responded to a domestic disturbance call in the 400 block of Avenue H.

--A domestic disturbance at a residence located in the 100 block of Avenue B. No charges filed.

--Burglary of a building located in the 100 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

--Criminal mischief done to a car parked in the 200 block of Avenue E.

--Theft was reported in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

--Domestic disturbances were reported in the 200 block of Avenue J, the 1500 block of Blevins, and the 100 block of Pine Street.

--Aggravated domestic assault was reported in the 100 block of Avenue H.

--A welfare concern was reported in the 300 block of Avenue D.

--Theft was reported in the 300 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

--A domestic disturbance was reported in the 900 block of South Julian.

--Theft was reported in the 300 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

--Criminal attempt was reported in the 400 block of West 1st.

--Damage to a window was reported in the 100 block of Avenue H.

--An incident report in which two girls were missing was reported in the 100 block of Pine Street.

--Domestic disturbance was reported in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

--Theft was reported in the 100 block of Pine.

--A runaway was reported in the 200 block of Aspen.

--2 curfew citations were issued.

--64 traffic citations were issued.

--One accident reported with minor injuries.

--One accident reported with no injuries.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

--A 29 year old female was arrested for possession of cocaine.

--A 21 year old male was arrested on a warrant for traffic citations.

--A 27 year old male was arrested on a Parmer County warrant for theft by check.

--A 22 year old male was arrested for escaping.

--A 22 year old female was arrested for public intoxication.

--An 18 year old female was arrested for surrender of surety, bail jumping and failure to appear.

--A 45 year old female was arrested for assault.

--Vandalism was reported.

--Theft was reported.

--Public intoxication was reported.

--Juvenile runaway was reported.

--Harassment was reported.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

--The department responded to a major accident at the intersection of Park and 385.

--The department responded to a grass fire north of the city.

--The department responded to a structure fire at 11:44 a.m. at 416 Barrett Street.

Applications are available for Jubilee

Applications to participate in the annual Hereford Town & Country Jubilee are now available at offices of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, 701 N. Main.

The jubilee will be held Saturday, Aug. 9 at Damron Park and will be preceded by a parade.

Booths should be set up by 10 a.m. Saturday and removal may not begin until 5 p.m.

The parade is scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. and will start at Hereford High School. Judging will be at 9:30 a.m.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the chamber offices at 364-3333.

Crime Stoppers

Hereford police are investigating the armed robbery of a local convenience store on the date of June 28, 1997. At around 11:55 p.m., three black males entered Tice Grocery located at 817 West Park Avenue. The three suspects then demanded that the clerk open the cash register and give them the money. The three suspects then fled the store taking the cash along with two 18-packs of beer.

Anyone having information which leads to the arrest and indictment in the Crime of the Week can receive a reward of up to \$1,000.00. Anyone having any information about the Crime of the Week or any other criminal activity is urged to call the CLUE LINE at 364-CLUE (2583).

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



The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 10-17-19-21-42-47

Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$8 million.

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

2-0-1
(two, zero, one)

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

6-8-5
(six, eight, five)

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery:

18-29-34-38
(eighteen, twenty-five, twenty-nine, thirty-four, thirty-eight)

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Lifestyles



Creation in glass

This purple butterfly and coral rose stained glass panel created by Helen Rose will be awarded in a drawing sponsored by Los Ciboleros Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution. The 17-1/2" x 20" panel is valued at \$750. Tickets for the panel are \$2 each or three for \$5 and may be obtained from any member of Los Ciboleros Chapter DAR. The drawing will be held during the Town and Country Jubilee at 3 p.m. Aug. 9 in Dameron Park.

Ann Landers

Calls from sleazy phone pest should be handled by husband

Dear Ann Landers: My husband has a friend who is an alcoholic and a total sleazebag. "Otis" calls at any hour of the day or night. If I happen to answer the phone, he'll blab on endlessly, and I am stuck. His conversation consists primarily of tasteless jokes that degrade women and minorities. I neither care to listen to him nor do I have the time to talk. I can never get him off the phone, so I wind up hanging up on him. This infuriates my husband.

I installed caller I.D. on my phone so I can avoid these calls. However, last week, I was in bed with bronchitis and thought it was my office calling, so I picked up the phone without checking. Otis knew I was sick and could barely speak, but he wouldn't get off the phone. I told him three times I was going to hang up and said goodbye each time. He kept talking. Finally, I just hung up. My husband and I have been fighting about it ever since. He said I was inexcusably rude.

I say Otis is the one who is rude. When I told Otis I was sick and would take a message for my husband to return his call, he should have thanked me and hung up immediately. My husband insists I apologize to Otis. Do you think I should? Who's right? -- Still Arguing in Lee's Summit, Mo.

Dear Summit: You do not owe that sleazy phone pest an apology. Your husband owes you one for insisting that you stay on the phone and listen to his nonsense.

Obviously, ending a phone conversation with this man is virtually impossible. Whenever you hear Otis' voice, hand the phone to your husband immediately and say, "Honey, it's for you."

Dear Ann Landers: You recently printed a Gem of the Day that said, "Many people complain that the mail

delivery is slow and cuss out the Postal Service, but when was the last time your gas, electric or phone bill was late?"

Once again, the Postal Service is the butt of a cheap joke. As a former postal worker, I want to tell you why your bills arrive on time and many of your letters never get delivered. The people who send bills use the correct form of address, name first, street address or post office box on the second line, city, state and correct zip code on the third line.

They do not address their letters to "Auntie Bertha." They do not write with calligraphy pens. They do not use silver ink on blue envelopes. They do not decorate their envelopes with drawings and stickers.

Please urge your readers to remember the purpose of sending a letter is to communicate with another person and the soul of communication is clarity. Tell them to type or print the name and address and be sure to use the right zip code. (The Postal Service is required to send your letter to the zip code you specify, even if it is incorrect, so don't guess.)

Also, tell your readers to fill out a change-of-address card when they move and ALWAYS put a return address on all letters. Even if you don't know the correct address of the person you're writing to, you ought

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Dear Vermont: Thanks for a letter in support of Postal Service workers for a change. They are so accustomed to being clobbered that your comments will be like a breath of fresh air.

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Hospital Notes

Report from Hereford Regional Medical Center on July 21:

Admitted: Juanita Rodriguez, Mary Ray.

Discharged: Adan Lamas, Velva Elliott, Dorothy Lundry, Francisca Galvan, Isaac Haskin, Maria Martinez.

Thank You

The family of Norman Lytal wishes to express its sincere thanks to everyone who so graciously shared in our loss of a most special husband, father, grandfather & great-grandfather. Thanks for the kind expression of sympathy you extended, including the food, flowers, cards, phone calls & memorials.

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Workforce sets business seminars

Amarillo College's Workforce Development Division will sponsor three business seminars at AC's Business and Industry Center, 1314 S. Polk St.

"Delegating without Anxiety: A Survival Skill for Supervisors" will be offered from 8 a.m. to noon July 29. This seminar led by Melinda Sjauson, a professional corporate

trainer, is designed to help supervisors learn effective delegating and monitoring skills.

"Understanding Emotional Intelligence" will be offered from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. July 29. This seminar is geared specifically toward those involved in the criminal justice profession, but is open to interested parties from all walks of life. Al

Havenstrite, chief probation officer for the Northern District of Texas, will teach the seminar.

"Fundamental of Financial Planning" will be offered from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. July 30. Issues addressed will include how to manage your money, and how to live on what you really ear. Havenstrite will also teach this seminar.

Registration is required. For more information or to register for one of these three seminars, call 806-371-5129.

Varner garners most votes as evaluator, topic speaker

Pat Varner took the most votes for best evaluator and for best topic speaker at the Thursday morning meeting of Hereford Toastmasters.

The vote for best speaker was a tie between Sharon Cramer and Wayne Winget.

Cramer spoke on "How to Get a Refreshing Night's Sleep" and was evaluated by Clark Andrews.

"Circle the Wagons" was the topic of Winget's speech which Varner evaluated.

Dan Hall served as topicmaster. Topic speakers were Andrews, who addressed the question, "Dow Jones shatters 8,000 mark, what next?" and Varner, whose question was, "Should we bring the men in the Mir station home?"

Varner presided over the meeting. Hall led the pledge and Jigger Rowland gave the invocation.

Rowland served as timer and general evaluator.

Hall served as AH counter, grammarian and wordmaster, introducing the word auspicious.

Interested parties are welcome to attend the regular Toastmaster meetings which are held at 6:30 a.m. Thursday at the Ranch House Restaurant.

Breast cancer exams available

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a breast cancer screening clinic at South Plains Health Care Providers, Inc., 603 East Park, on Aug. 8.

This clinic is available only to women who need financial assistance. A minimum of 15 women need to register in order for the mobile mammography clinic to come to area towns.

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Kelly and "family"

Kelly, a handmade porcelain doll, was won by David Purdy in a drawing held during the King's Manor Founders Association barbecue recently. Kelly joins Dr. Purdy's dental office staff, from left, Raquel Hastings, Debbie Fetsch and Anna Rohrbach. A second doll was won by Amanda Moss. Proceeds from the drawing will be used to re-carpet a room for one of the King's Manor residents.

Today in History

By The Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, July 22, the 203rd day of 1997. There are 162 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History:
On July 22, 1934, a man identified as bank robber John Dillinger was shot to death by federal agents outside Chicago's Biograph Theater.
On this date:
In 1587, a second English colony, also fated to vanish under mysterious circumstances, was established on Roanoke Island off North Carolina.
In 1796, Cleveland was founded by Gen. Moses Cleaveland.
In 1812, English troops under the Duke of Wellington defeated the French at the Battle of Salamanca in Spain.

In 1916, a bomb went off during a Preparedness Day parade in San Francisco, killing 10 people.
In 1937, the Senate rejected President Roosevelt's proposal to add more justices to the Supreme Court.
In 1943, American forces led by Gen. George S. Patton captured Palermo, Sicily.
In 1946, Jewish extremists blew

VFW Auxiliary chairmen listed

Committee chairmen for the coming year were appointed during the recent meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to Roy Wederbrook Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4818. Appointed were Linda Maeder-Americanism and loyalty day, and safety; Essie Martin-buddy poppy; Ruth Morris-legislative; Marie Goheen-Voice of Democracy; Betty Boggs and Erna Loving-flowers; Imogene Sweeney-telephone and food.

The charter was draped in memory of deceased member Ada Hollabaugh. One visitor, Colleen Schaeffer, was in attendance and members present were Mildred Clements, Peggy Oakes, Celia Redding, Terry Rhyne, Earline Schneider, Anita Vardell, Boggs, Goheen, Morris and Murphey.
The next meeting will be at 8 p.m. Aug. 4, preceded by supper at 7 p.m.

up a wing of the King David Hotel in Jerusalem, killing 90 people.
In 1975, the House of Representatives joined the Senate in voting to restore the American citizenship of Confederate Gen. Robert E. Lee.
In 1991, police in Milwaukee arrested serial killer Jeffrey L. Dahmer, who was later murdered in prison.

In 1991, Desiree Washington, a Miss Black America contestant, charged she'd been raped by boxer Mike Tyson in an Indianapolis hotel room. Tyson, convicted of rape, served three years in prison.

Ten years ago: The United States began its policy of escorting re-flagged Kuwaiti tankers up and down the Persian Gulf to protect them from possible attack by Iran.

Five years ago: Colombian drug lord Pablo Escobar escaped from his luxury prison near Medellin. He was slain by security forces in December 1993.

One year ago: Friends and families gathered on a Long Island, N.Y., beach for a tearful memorial service dedicated to the 230 victims of the crash of TWA Flight 800.

Today's Birthdays: Sen. William V. Roth Jr., R-Del., is 76. Former Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole of Kansas is 74. Singer Margaret Whiting is 73. Actor-comedian Orson Bean is 69. Fashion designer Oscar de la Renta is 65. Actress Louise

Hints from Heloise

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Dear Heloise: For years I struggled to remove gummed labels and price tags from packages without damaging or marring the packages with only nominal success at best. Recently, I decided to try something new.

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Fletcher is 63. Rhythm-and-blues singer Chuck Jackson is 60. Actor Terence Stamp is 58. Game show host Alex Trebek is 57. Singer George Clinton is 57. Actor-singer Bobby Sherman is 52. Movie writer-director Paul Schrader is 51. Illinois Gov. Jim Edgar is 51. Actor Danny Glover is 50. Actor-comedian-director Albert Brooks is 50. Rock singer Don Henley is 50. Actor Willem Dafoe is 42. Rhythm-and-blues singer Keith Sweat is 36. Folk singer Emily Saliers (Indigo Girls) is 34. Actor John Leguizamo is 33. Actor-comedian David Spade is 33.

Thought for Today: "The love we give away is the only love we keep." — Elbert Hubbard, American author (1856-1915).

Horse Salve Eases Arthritis Pain

LOUISVILLE, KY -- An ingredient derived from hot peppers that decreases inflammation in racehorse's legs, is now recognized as safe and effective for human use. The ingredient has been formulated into a product called ARTH-Rx. ARTH-Rx comes in a strength designed for humans. Researchers are excited and say the formula can relieve arthritis pain for millions.

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Return of two-piece swim suit is not for sex appeal, officials say

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) - After years of being covered up, bellybuttons will be back on center stage at the Miss America Pageant.

In a break with tradition, contestants this year will be allowed to wear a two-piece suit in the swimsuit competition. But there are limits.

Thongs and teenie-weenie bikinis are a no-no. The two-piece suits must have "full or moderate" bottoms, while tops must be "full coverage" with straps at least a half-inch wide.

The suits must be bought off the rack by contestants, who will have to tell where they bought it and certify it wasn't custom-made. They will also wear sandals with heels of 2 inches or less, three years after switching to bare feet from the traditional but uncomfortable high heels.

One-piece suits are still permitted, although all suits must be a solid color.

With last year's telecast drawing the lowest ratings ever, pageant officials insisted Monday that the changes are not for sex appeal.

"The reason we're doing that is we're trying to stress the importance of coming to compete in the type of clothing you wear at home, that you're not going out to buy a costume to compete in the Miss America program," said Leonard Horn, who heads the Miss America Organization.

"The hope is we'll see something that reflects who they think they are and not someone else's idea."

Ever since it began as a bathing beauty contest in 1921, the pageant has endured a sort of love-hate relationship with the swimsuit segment. In 1947, all contestants wore two-piece suits, but the

competition has never been a contestant favorite.

In 1950, winner Yolanda Betbeze refused to pose in a swimsuit after capturing the crown. That prompted swimsuit maker Catalina to withdraw its sponsorship and start the rival Miss Universe pageant.

Pageant officials have said privately they would like to do away with the competition. But because of its popularity, doing so could kill the TV ratings and jeopardize the entire program.

Two years ago, viewers were asked to call in during the telecast and vote on whether the swimsuit competition should go on as scheduled. It did.

Among the other changes in store for the Sept. 13 pageant:

- A switch to ABC-TV after more

than 30 years at NBC.

- No call-in segment. In 1995, it was the swimsuit call-in. Last year, viewers encouraged to call 900 numbers to voice their choice for semifinalists ran into technical problems and couldn't get through.

- Regis Philbin, who was the host last year after sharing the duties for several years with Kathie Lee Gifford, was replaced by "All My Children" stars John Callahan and Eva LaRue.

- A journalist still to be chosen will conduct on-stage interviews with five finalists, no holds barred.

- The talent segments of the 10 semifinalists will be scattered throughout the 2 1/2-hour telecast, instead of being presented consecutively.

Dallas choral group wins barbershop world series

Mickey Bonesio, a former resident of Hereford and son of Elizabeth Holt, is a member of a Dallas barbershop chorus, the Vocal Majority, who recently won the World Series of Barbershop Harmony in Indianapolis.

This was the eighth time the 152-man group has won the title, setting a record.

The Vocal Majority beat 21 other groups from the United States, Canada and Sweden at the 59th annual convention of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America Inc. Their ballad medley

included "You'll Never Know," "My Buddy," and "Redhead."

In June the group released a new religious album *How Sweet the Sound*, containing 23 sacred and inspirational songs.

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Local wrestlers win top awards

Junior Olympics next stop for YMCA team

The Hereford YMCA wrestling team earned gold, silver and bronze medals in the AAU Grand Nationals last week and will advance to the Junior Olympics next month.

"They did real good, I'm proud of them," Coach Rip Evers said of the four wrestlers he took to last week's competition in Bakersfield, Ca. Jeremia Beltran captured the only gold medal with his first place finish Saturday.

over time before he pinned the opponent's shoulder and got three points. That was the winning margin."

Beltran had to go four times against this opponent to gain that gold medal victory.

The silver medal went to Kris Hammerbeck who lost only when he entered the finals match.

Javier Alonzo and Kris Cathey won third place bronze medals for their efforts.

Cathey hurt his back before entering the semi-final round but

decided to go for the silver anyway, his coach said.

"He was hurting pretty bad but they (trainers) iced his back down and he told me he was ready to go. I told him he could withdraw and still get the bronze medal but he was determined to compete."

In that semi-finals match Cathey almost had his opponent pinned when his back began hurting again and he had to give it up Evers said.

"This (AAU) meet had tough competition for all of our guys,"

Evers said. "None of them had easy matches, they got what they earned."

Competition in the meet involved wrestlers from Russia, Belgium, Panama, Hawaii, Canada and other countries as well as the United States.

Evers said the group will not concentrate on improving their skills and getting into shape for the trip to Charlotte, N.C., for the Junior Olympics. They will also conduct a fund raising drive to secure funding to make that trip Evers said.

Harrington close to deal with Houston's Rockets

HOUSTON (AP) - Former first-round draft choice Othella Harrington said Monday he's planning to remain with the Houston Rockets next season even though other teams are interested in signing him.

"I'm very close to signing with the Rockets," Harrington told Houston television station KRIV. "A couple of details have to be worked out but I plan to be a Rocket next year."

Harrington played in 57 games

with the Rockets last season and averaged 4.8 points and 3.5 rebounds per game. He expects to sign a one-year deal worth \$327,000.

Harrington said Sacramento, Vancouver, Boston, Seattle and Philadelphia also expressed interest in him.

"I could have gotten some money had I chosen to sit out and wait," he said. "But I feel a sense of loyalty to the Rockets and I want to be here and that's the end of that."

Smith ready for good year with Cowboys

AUSTIN (AP) - Emmitt Smith played last season with a jammed neck, a bad ankle and a sprained knee and still managed 1,204 yards of rushing and 12 touchdowns.

Yet Smith was blamed by some for the Dallas Cowboys' drop to 24th in the NFL in offensive production.

It's enough to make Smith wonder what he must do to please his critics.

"Many people would say they had a successful season if they produced what I did after what I had to go through," Smith said.

"Besides being hurt I had the mental strain of all my frustrations. I think I had a hell of a season considering what happened. But some people wanted to rip me and rip the team."

Smith hurt from his ankle to the top of his head, which he landed on while diving in the season opener against the Chicago Bears.

His lips tightened as he explained the pain of last year's lost season in which his injuries, teamed with those to the offensive line, now-retired tight end Jay Novacek and Eric Bjornson, grounded the high-flying offense.

"It was a long, hard year," said Smith, who underwent surgery in January for removal of bone spurs from his right ankle. "But this one is going to be different."

Coach Barry Switzer agrees.

"Emmitt is quick and that's what we missed last year when he was injured," Switzer said. "He was a half-step slow to the hole sometimes

because of his injuries, but you have to admire him for wanting to play."

Quarterback Troy Aikman said Smith has been impressive so far in camp.

"Emmitt is working hard, and as far as I'm concerned he looks as good as he's ever looked," Aikman said.

That may have something to do with his new hairdo. Smith pulled off his hat to reveal a shaved head, his good luck symbol for the new season.

"It's all part of my new attitude," Smith said. "I'm ready for boot camp. I'm ready for the best season I've ever had."

That would take some doing. In 1995, Smith rushed for 1,773 yards and scored 25 touchdowns. In seven years, he has won four NFL rushing

titles and amassed 10,160 yards and a Super Bowl MVP award.

"My physical strength is as good as it has ever been, and my body fat is down," said Smith, who has never been known as a weight-lifting fiend. "I'm quicker than I've ever been. My ankle was healed with surgery. I'm ready for the wars. I repeat, I'm ready for the wars. I'm almost 100 percent."

A determined Smith behind a healthy offensive line is a welcome sight for Cowboys fans.

"Last year we couldn't pass the ball because of all our injuries and they just teed off on our running game," said Smith, who averaged a career-low 3.7 yards per carry.



Winner

Cricket Weber of Mineola, Tx., granddaughter of C.L. & Irene Weber of Hereford, and Buddy & Zella Cates of Amarillo, won fifth place in the Orlando, Fla., national speed relays competition after winning first in the Speed Relay of Texas.

NFL Roundup

Peter back in action with Giants

By The Associated Press
Play after play, No. 99 in the blue jersey is stuffing things in the middle of the line or hustling to chase down a runner.

Christian Peter, clearly the most visible newcomer in the New York Giants' training camp, is taking full advantage of a second chance.

"This has been a lot of fun," said the former Nebraska nose tackle, out of football last season after a bout with alcoholism and legal problems ranging from sexual assault to urinating in public.

"I'm having a good time, but I feel rusty. I feel as long as I stay focused and study and work hard, it will all come into play."

New England selected Peter in the fifth round of the 1996 draft, but cut him days later after coming under fire because of his legal problems at Nebraska. The former New Jersey prep star signed with New York in December.

"I'm doing the best I can. If it's not good enough, at least I can look at myself and say I did the best I could," Peter said Monday after a practice at Albany, N.Y. "I can't change what has happened in the past. I can just go forward, that's what I plan on doing."

Peter joined the Giants after agreeing to participate in a rehabilitation program that included substance abuse treatment and psychological

counseling, treatment for attention deficit disorder and a program to complete his undergraduate degree.

Colts

Trev Alberts failed to show up for scheduled shoulder surgery, the latest move in a confusing stalemate between the linebacker and Indianapolis.

The No. 5 pick in the 1994 draft was scheduled for reconstruction of his right shoulder, which was first dislocated in college at Nebraska.

Alberts was told to report to training camp last Thursday, but never appeared. The team is fining him \$5,000 a day until the issue is resolved.

He has missed 20 games in three seasons because of a dislocated right elbow, concussion, partially dislocated left shoulder and hamstring injury.

Chiefs

Kansas City offensive tackle John Alt retired after 13 seasons.

"There'll always be a part of me that wants to play," Alt said during a news conference at the team's camp in River Falls, Wis. "But I made a commitment to myself and my family a long time ago that I did not want to stick around when I thought my skills were diminished."

Chargers

San Diego waived Jimmy Oliver, a 1995 second-round pick who never

played a regular-season game. The receiver failed a physical Thursday, and an MRI exam Friday confirmed he had torn cartilage in his right knee.

Also, defensive tackle Reuben Davis underwent surgery to repair his torn right Achilles tendon. Davis, who signed a \$5.6 million, four-year contract in March, was injured Saturday in a non-contact drill.

Cardinals

Arizona defensive end Simeon Rice, last year's NFL defensive rookie of the year after tying the rookie record with 12 sacks, missed his second and third practices because of a headache of unknown origin. He

was hospitalized at Flagstaff Medical Center on Sunday for about 12 hours.

Guard Eric Jonasson sustained a season-ending right knee injury, tearing the medial collateral ligament and rupturing the anterior cruciate ligament.

49ers

Defensive tackle Steve Emtman took part in his first practice with San Francisco, a day after signing a one-year \$230,000 contract with an option for next season. Emtman, selected first overall in the 1992 draft by Indianapo-

lis, had 55 tackles last season for Miami.

Jets

New York terminated the contract of linebacker Bobby Houston, a six-year player who told the team he had no interest in playing for it. Also, quarterback Glen Foley was removed from the physically-unable-to-perform list. He strained a calf muscle Saturday.

Saints

New Orleans guard Chris Naeole, a former Colorado player selected 10th overall in the April draft, is expected to be sidelined for at least four weeks after injuring his left knee in practice at La Crosse, Wis.

Jaguars

Renaldo Wynn, Jacksonville's No. 1 draft pick, made his training camp debut after agreeing to an undisclosed contract. The former Notre Dame defensive lineman was selected 21st overall.

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Alvarez strikes out 4 batters in one inning

By The Associated Press
When Wilson Alvarez became the first Chicago White Sox pitcher to strike out four batters in an inning, he had something else on his mind.

"I don't think about that," Alvarez said after becoming the 28th pitcher in modern major league history with four strikeouts in an inning. "But I like to be in the history book when the White Sox win."

In the seventh inning, Tony Clark was first up for Detroit - and the first to strike out. When Phil Nevin fanned on a wild pitch, he reached first base safely. But Alvarez (9-7) then struck out Melvin Nieves and Orlando Miller to end the inning.

"We didn't swing at many strikes, and when you don't make the pitcher throw strikes, he doesn't have to," Detroit manager Buddy Bell said. "Wilson picked up early on the trend that we weren't swinging at strikes."

Alvarez worked 7 1-3 innings, striking out nine and giving up three hits in Chicago's 3-0 win over the Tigers.

"Wilson's pitched outstanding for us I don't know how long now. It's been a lot," White Sox manager

Terry Bevington said. "He had an excellent changeup. It was probably his best pitch besides his fastball."

Alvarez, who has won six of his last seven decisions, usually rates his changeup as his third-best pitch, but he relied on it against the Tigers.

"In the first inning, I threw a couple right where I wanted and said, 'Oh boy, that's going to be my pitch tonight,'" Alvarez said.

Roberto Hernandez pitched the ninth for his 25th save. He struck out three and worked around two infield errors.

Frank Thomas, who ended a 1-for-13 slump with four hits Sunday at Baltimore, hit a two-run homer off Justin Thompson (8-7) in the first inning. Thomas was 2-for-3 to raise his American League-leading average to .375.

Yankees 7, Brewers 3
In Milwaukee, Andy Pettitte picked off two batters to run his league-leading total to 11 as he won his fourth straight decision.

Pettitte (12-5), who gave up three runs and nine hits in 6 2-3 innings, has not lost since June 21 at

Cleveland. Loser Bryce Florie (1-2) made his first major league career start after 134 relief appearances, pitching five innings.

New York took a 3-0 lead in the first inning with the aid of two errors, three stolen bases and a hit batter, then added a run in the second on Pat Kelly's RBI double.

After Milwaukee closed to 4-3, the Yankees added three runs in the ninth on consecutive run-scoring singles by

Paul O'Neill, Tino Martinez and Charlie Hayes. It was Martinez' league-leading 92nd RBI.

Orioles 5, Rangers 1
Rafael Palmeiro put Baltimore in front for good at Texas with a two-run homer to back Jimmy Key's six-hit pitching for six innings.

Key (13-6) struck out seven and walked one to pull out of a tailspin during which he had lost five of his previous six decisions. Key

outpitched Darren Oliver (6-10), who allowed four runs and six hits in 6 1-3 innings.

The Rangers have lost six of eight. Palmeiro, who played for the Rangers from 1989-93, put the Orioles in front 2-1 in the sixth with his 19th homer after Geronimo Berroa singled.

Red Sox 3, Indians 1
Steve Avery flirted with a no-hitter for five innings and won his second

straight start as Boston took three of four at Cleveland.

Avery (4-2), who hasn't pitched a complete game since May 1996 with Atlanta, didn't allow a hit until Julio Franco singled leading off the sixth. The left-hander allowed one run and four hits in 7 1-3 innings, pitching into the seventh for the third straight time.

The last-place Red Sox have won six of eight.

Schilling sets record, loses game

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

The fans at Veterans Stadium in Philadelphia got their last look at Darren Daulton in the Phillies dugout, and gave him a standing ovation.

Later Monday, after cheering Curt Schilling's 15-strikeout performance, the crowd had good reason to wonder whether it has seen the last of the Philadelphia ace.

Schilling, the subject of several trade rumors, set an NL high for strikeouts this season. But the last-place Phillies lost 3-2 to the Pittsburgh Pirates when rookie Kevin Polcovich hit a tiebreaking home run in the seventh inning.

"My goal is to win," said Schilling, who increased his league-leading strikeout total to 191. "Strikeouts didn't help me win today. To strike out 15 and lose doesn't mean that much."

Before the game, the Phillies traded Daulton, who began playing for the Phillies in 1983, to Florida for outfielder Billy McMillon.

Padres 10, Marlins 2
Wally Joyner and his San Diego teammates teed off at Florida, getting 15 hits until Marlins outfielder John Cangelosi took over to pitch a scoreless ninth inning.

Joyner went 3-for-4 with two walks, scored twice and stole two bases. Needing a home run to complete the cycle, he flied out against Cangelosi.

Cangelosi became the first position player to pitch for the Marlins, and allowed just a walk. He also pitched for Pittsburgh in 1988 and Houston in 1995, and has given up only one hit in four shutout innings.

Tony Gwynn ended his longest hitless drought of the season at 11 at-bats with an RBI single. He went

2-for-17 in the four-game series, leaving him at .385.

Expos 8, Rockies 4
Henry Rodriguez broke a 7-for-76 slump in a big way, hitting a grand slam with two outs in the bottom of the ninth inning at Olympic Stadium.

Rodriguez was 0-for-4 in the game and hitless in his last 13 at-bats when he hit a 1-2 pitch from Darren Holmes (3-2) barely inside the right-field foul pole.

Rodriguez has 19 home runs, two of them slams. Montreal stopped a three-game losing streak and sent Colorado to its 16th loss in 18 games.

Mets 5, Reds 3
Carl Everett hit two home runs at Shea Stadium, leading New York to its fifth straight win. The Mets moved within one-half game of Florida for the NL wild-card spot, but now begin an 11-game road trip to the West Coast and Houston.

Everett hit a 449-foot shot in the second inning and a two-run drive in the eighth that broke a 3-3 tie. It was his fourth career multihomer game, including two this season against Cincinnati.

The Mets won despite getting only four hits. Jon Nunnally homered for the Reds, who lost their fourth in a row.

Braves 5, Dodgers 4
Jeff Blauser singled home the winning run with two outs in the bottom of the 10th at Atlanta. The Braves went 6-6 on their longest homestand of the season.

Blauser's single came one batter after Rafael Belliard was thrown out at the plate trying to score on Mike Mordecai's grounder to third baseman Todd Zeile.

Tom Glavine pitched six innings before leaving with a slightly sprained

right hamstring, but said he does not expect to miss a start for the Braves.

Raul Mondesi and Eric Karros homered for Los Angeles and Fred McGriff connected for Atlanta.

Cardinals 7, Giants 2

Gary Gaetti homered, doubled twice

and drove in three runs as St. Louis won at Busch Stadium.

San Francisco leadoff hitter Darryl Hamilton was ejected for arguing a called third strike to open the game, and Giants manager Dusty Baker also was thrown out in the dispute.

WAC, Big 12 agree to bowl game

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) - The Copper Bowl will be played Dec. 27 and will feature teams from the Western Athletic Conference and the Big 12.

The second-place, or a choice, team from the WAC will meet the sixth-place team from the Big 12 in the ninth annual edition of the game.

The Copper Bowl Foundation said

Monday it is pressing ahead with plans for this year's game despite the absence of a title corporate sponsor.

Last year's game, in which Wisconsin beat Utah 38-10, was played without a title sponsor and the city of Tucson had to pay \$73,683 to help the bowl game make ends meet. Each team received \$750,000 for last year's game.

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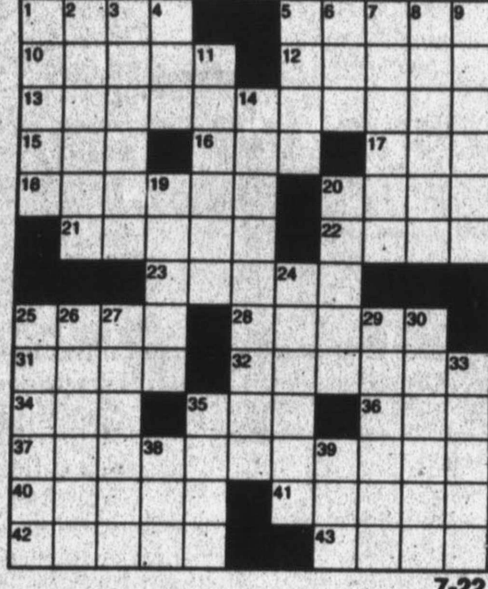
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Family estate gives way to progress in Dallas

By MICHAEL E. YOUNG
The Dallas Morning News
DALLAS - From the front porch of the old farmhouse, George Caruth looks off toward the buzz of Central Expressway and remembers when all within his view was field and pasture, and all of it Caruth property.

But now heavy construction equipment reshapes the last wedge of empty land, making way for apartments and shops and office buildings and a necklace of single-family homes that will nestle against the walls of the old family estate, Caruth Hill.

Once the heart of a 30,000-acre plantation in North Texas, Caruth Hill now commands slightly less than five acres. It serves as a symbol of all that the Caruths accomplished in a handful of generations and the way that history weighs on the generations that follow.

This has been the Caruth homestead for 125 years and George Caruth's house for almost 30, and he sometimes wonders whether his family will be the last to live here.

It's a beautiful place to be sure, a sanctuary on a little patch of prairie upland. But living in a museum-piece of a home, with staggering taxes and enormous maintenance costs, requires a commitment few people have.

George Caruth says his children don't want to take on that kind of responsibility, and his brothers and cousins have all built homes of their own. And with development changing the world just outside his gates, he doesn't know whether he wants to stay here, either.

As a holder of the Caruth name, he found himself in the middle of the fight to develop the last parcel around the homestead, even though it was no longer Caruth-owned land.

"People are not always kind and gracious," he says.

When he looks at that raw wound of open, tumbled land, he points to where the horse barns once stood, one here and another over there, and the houses where the field hands lived. He sees NorthPark Center across Northwest Highway and the office buildings along Central, and he

considers the new stores and apartments to come.

"It feels like a noose tightening around your neck," he says.

The story of the Caruth family is

the story of this part of Texas. It begins in 1848, when an adventurous, ambitious young man rode down from his home near Bowling Green, Ky., with a few dollars in hand, along with a hard appreciation for the value of land and a willingness to work to get it.

Within a few years, William Barr Caruth, with his brother, Walter, had started a mercantile business and acquired their first bit of property, a parcel about six miles from what was then the small hamlet of Dallas.

Here, William Caruth built his first home, a modest farmhouse with post oak joists shaped with a broad ax and clapboards hauled from Shreveport, La.

The brothers opened their business there, but within a year or so, they moved downtown, renting space in the Simon's Warehouse Building near Main and Houston streets. They sold their wares from a big green table, 12 feet long with a cash drawer at one end.

As the Caruths started making money, they bought more property, most of it on the north side of Dallas, much of it adjoining Caruth Hill.

"Sometimes people didn't have money to pay their bills," George Caruth says, "so they deeded over property and we acquired some land that way."

William Caruth was primarily a merchant, but he and his wife, Mattie Worthington Caruth, appreciated the value of land and the money that could be made from cotton.

Mattie Caruth grew up in Mississippi and spent much of her childhood on an uncle's plantation. And as the Caruths' fortune grew in Dallas, she longed for the home she had known there.

"So one day, Mattie took a stick and marked off the new house in the dust," George Caruth says. "She said, 'I want a 15-foot-square room in this corner, and I want a 15-foot-square room in that corner. I want fireplaces in each room, and a closet and a pass-through. And I want the same things on the other side of the house.'"

What emerged from that drawing in the dirt became the solid, two-story mansion called Caruth Hill.

Through their lives, William and Mattie Caruth acquired roughly 20,000 acres in North Texas, much of it in

Dallas and some in Kaufman and Johnson counties.

George Caruth isn't sure that estimate is right, but the family did own almost everything from Mockingbird to Forest Lane between Inwood Road and Abrams. It was the foundation of their wealth and their philanthropy and it impressed the Caruth name on North Texas in dozens of ways.

Dallas has a Caruth Boulevard, a Caruth Court and a Caruth Haven Lane. Caruth Drives are found in Garland and Rowlett, and Caruth Lane is in Rockwall. Caruth Auditorium graces the campus of Southern Methodist University, which was built on land donated by William Walter Caruth Sr. Austin College in Sherman has a Caruth Hall.

But in the latter part of the 19th century, and in the first part of the 20th, the Caruths valued their land for the land itself. William Barr Caruth's business was business, but his son and heir, William Walter Caruth Sr., was a man of the soil.

"Granddad was a farmer," George Caruth says. "He could grow debt, but he couldn't grow enterprise."

He held the family estate together, though, and acquired an additional 10,000 acres of farmland, and the Caruths grew cotton and wheat and raised cattle, horses and mules, operated ranches and dairies and a pair of cotton gins.

But William Walter Caruth Sr. was happiest farming and uncomfortable with the business side. So when his son, William Caruth Jr., came home from college, with an undergraduate degree from SMU and a master's from Harvard, his father came by one day, dropped a document on his desk and gave Will Jr. power of attorney and control of the family property.

"William Barr was the acquirer, William Walter was the holder, and Dad was the developer," George Caruth says.

And perhaps more than anyone, William Walter Caruth Jr. reshaped the face of North Dallas.

"They say genius comes along in a family every seven generations," George Caruth says, and it's clear that he's speaking of his father.

Will Caruth Jr. left behind a staggering legacy when he died in 1990. He transformed the family land and property he bought on his own through a series of real estate developments - into a fortune estimated at \$500 million. Much of that money was funneled to educational charities through family foundations and the rest set aside for the Caruth family.

"God provided the Caruth family with the ability to do good - or, because of God, the Caruth family prospered and we've been able to give back," George Caruth says.

The sons of Will Caruth Jr. followed their father in supporting charitable causes. But it's difficult to follow a genius in business, and none wanted to try.

When it was clear his sons wouldn't take over his development company, Will Caruth Jr. placed the family's holdings in various foundations and left their day-to-day care to bankers and administrators.

Like all the Caruths before him, George Caruth loves his land.

He walks slowly around the old house, pointing out the formal garden a man from England planted free for Caruth's grandmother because he thought it would suit the place.

He stops by the old family cemetery, surrounded by a tangle of shrubs and vines, and explains the history of each building dotting the estate.

Every view triggers memories of days when Caruth land seemed to roll endlessly from the big house on the hill and neighbors didn't back up to the brick walls.

George Caruth remembers when he was five or six and his grandfather, dressed in his three-piece suit, his hat and tie, took him fishing at a family pond one summer afternoon.

Caruth inherited Caruth Hill from his grandmother when he was 18, he says, because he seemed to enjoy it more than his brothers or his two cousins.

"I'd come by here after school and grandmother had a little rifle that took rat shot, and she'd pay me three cents for a sparrow and 25 cents for a woodpecker because she didn't want them chewing holes in her house," he says.

George Caruth and his wife, Jo Ann, raised their four children in the house.

But now George Caruth thinks about what will happen when he dies. Though not yet 60, he comes from a family concerned about its legacy.

"There's an aura (to the name), I guess. I can't do anything illegal, immoral or fattening," Caruth jokes.

He laughs, but there's truth in what he says. As part of the family that built so much in Dallas since William Barr Caruth arrived in 1848, George Caruth feels the burden of his heritage.

"There's this house and this property, and my kids - none of 'em - want it," he says. "And I don't want it to be a burden on my wife when I'm gone."

His grandmother's will says that if Caruth doesn't want the house, he should offer it to his brothers and his cousins. If none wants it, she asked that the house be razed.

He isn't legally bound to do that, he says, but his grandmother's wishes are important to him. So he struggles to find what he calls "a mutually agreeable way to preserve it."

"There's a lot of history here," Caruth says.



James A. Garfield, 20th President of the United States, could write in two different languages at the same time.

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Abney awarded \$10,000 scholarship at FFA meet

Cassie Abney was awarded a four-year, \$10,000 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo FFA scholarship July 10 in ceremonies at the FFA State Convention in Amarillo.

Abney, the daughter of Temple and Karen Abney, was one of 50 recipients honored in the festivities. Abney graduated fourth in her class from Hereford High School. She plans on majoring in animal science at Texas A&M University.



CASSIE ABNEY

She has received several honors from her participation in her local FFA chapter. During this past year her show animals placed first in the Hereford Stock show, third in the San Antonio Livestock Exposition's Maine-Anjou competition and 14th in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo's American and Other Breeds competition. She also has been a recipient of the Star Greenhand and Star Chapter awards.

Abney's FFA team participation accomplishments include placing seventh in the area FFA livestock judging and competition and fourth

in the state's FFA livestock judging competition. She served as president of her chapter and chairman for her FFA Recruitment Committee and canned food drive.

Names in the News

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Faye Dunaway can't seem to shake her reputation as a diva.

"People never get past that label - the whole thing about being a diva," the actress said. "I'm someone who feels life in an intense way. I've always been demanding of myself. It's about perfectionism and it's always, always about the work."

Dunaway is playing another diva - opera legend Maria Callas - in Terrence McNally's "Master Class," which opened Friday at the James A. Doolittle Theatre in Hollywood.

She admits the role is not too much of a stretch for her.

"I know what it's like to be the eye of the hurricane - to be misinterpreted and misjudged. People say wonderful things and not such wonderful things," she said. "And the pressure of (fame), of being on view at all times - it's emotional territory I've lived."

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) - Valerie Harper is taking a serious turn with her next role - make that roles. Harper will play more than a dozen figures in Pearl Buck's life as well as

the author herself when she takes the stage next month in the one-woman play "The Dragon and the Pearl."

The four-time Emmy-winning actress, best known for the role of Rhoda Morgenstern from "The Mary Tyler Moore Show," will star in the Marty Martin play premiering July 25 at TheaterWorks. The production will move in August to Lamb's Theatre in New York.

Buck was the first woman to win the Nobel Prize for literature and wrote more than 70 books, including "The Good Earth," which won a Pulitzer.

"She's such a wonderful and practical visionary," Harper said Monday. "She totally knows the human heart."

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Students say A&M thrives on traditions

By CHIP BROWN
Associated Press Writer

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) - Talk to students at Texas A&M about what makes the nation's third largest university special and they'll tell you, one after the other - tradition.

In the new student handbook, several pages detail the school's folklore, including the five-story-high bonfire before football games against rival Texas, the Aggie yells and how students symbolize the "12th man" by standing through football games.

But none is more important than A&M's purebred American collie mascot, Reveille.

Reveilles I through IV - there have been six dating back to 1931 - were buried with their paws and faces pointed so they could look through the north tunnel at Kyle Field and see the stadium scoreboard.

"... So that they can always watch the Aggies outscore their opponent on the field," the handbook says.

It's understandable then, that when the administration announced the grave site was being moved to accommodate a \$30 million expansion of Kyle Field, a number of devoted Aggies didn't take it lightly.

"One of the reasons students come to A&M is because of the deep-rooted traditions, and moving Reveille's grave seems like an example of how the school is losing sight of that," said Debbie Perez, a mother of two who grew up in College Station and has returned to A&M to get her degree.

One Aggie alum compared it to moving the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier out of Arlington National Cemetery.

Perhaps no school in the country treats its mascot with as much

reverence as Reveille.

The dog, a ringer for Lassie, is the highest ranking member of Texas A&M's famous Corps of Cadets and is addressed by freshmen cadets as "Miss Reveille, ma'am."

She wears five diamonds stitched on the maroon-and-white blanket draped over her back, like a five-star general. The highest rank a human cadet can achieve is four diamonds.

Other than seeing-eye dogs, she is the only animal allowed into all buildings on campus and attends classes with the mascot corporal, a sophomore cadet from Company E-2 who is assigned to take the dog wherever he goes, even on dates.

Lore has it that if Reveille barks during a class, that class is supposed to get out early.

When one of the Reveilles dies, she receives a military funeral service at Kyle Field's 50-yard line to which the entire school is invited. Cadet members wear white gloves and there is a 21-gun salute.

"When Aggies see Reveille, they don't just see a dog, they see all the traditions of Aggies throughout history," said Lance Hill, a cadet who just finished serving as mascot corporal.

Before proceeding with stadium expansion plans, officials in the athletic department gained approval from a committee of students representing the school's Traditions Council, Student Senate and E-2, the company of cadets responsible for Reveille.

But after outraged faxes, letters and e-mails started coming into E-2 cadets, Hill and Jeff King, who will be E-2 commander in the fall, began having second thoughts about moving the grave site.

"At the time, we underestimated

the amount of alums who were opposed to the idea," King said.

The grave site is supposed to be moved in the near future to a garden area across the street from the stadium until the expansion is completed in 1999.

Then they are to be moved to a new, larger, tree-lined plaza with lights, just outside the north end of the stadium. But the tunnel that opened to the grave site would be filled in with an elevator shaft leading to luxury sky boxes.

"I respect the leadership at Texas A&M for their forthrightness in planning for a modern, first-class facility," said Robert Keathley, a retired school teacher in Corsicana who graduated from A&M in 1961 and comes from a prominent family of Aggie alums.

"But the case of the Reveille grave site and tunnel view being traded for a large elevator shaft to provide access to private apartment sky boxes, is just too much of a violation of the spirit of Aggieland."

Keathley said he plans to form a group called "Friends of Reveille" to keep the grave site from being moved.

Said A&M Athletic Director Wally Groff: "Nobody liked the idea of having to do it, but it wasn't practical to build around them so we proceeded with the plan."

"It would be expensive to redesign

everything," he said. "I don't see that happening. The president and the Board of Regents have approved everything to this point."

Because the reworking of sewer lines for the expansion only began this summer, many students are unaware of the debate. And some aren't fazed by it.

"I'm not losing any sleep over it," said Rebecca Vahabzadeh, who is busy starting a new campus group called Tattooed and Pierced Aggies. "Not as many people know the traditions. And more and more of them are going by the wayside."

Students over at rival Texas in Austin couldn't help but snicker over the controversy, including one who said making such a fuss over where "Lassies" are buried "sounds about right" for Aggies.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, a former A&M yell leader who is considering a run against Republican incumbent George W. Bush for governor, said Aggieland will survive.

"Every time we've changed something at A&M, someone has said we are going to lose our uniqueness," Mauro said. "They said it when we changed from being an agricultural and mechanical college to a university, from being all male to allowing women in, from being all corps to partially corps."

"I suspect we can find a way to properly honor Reveille and protect those core values."

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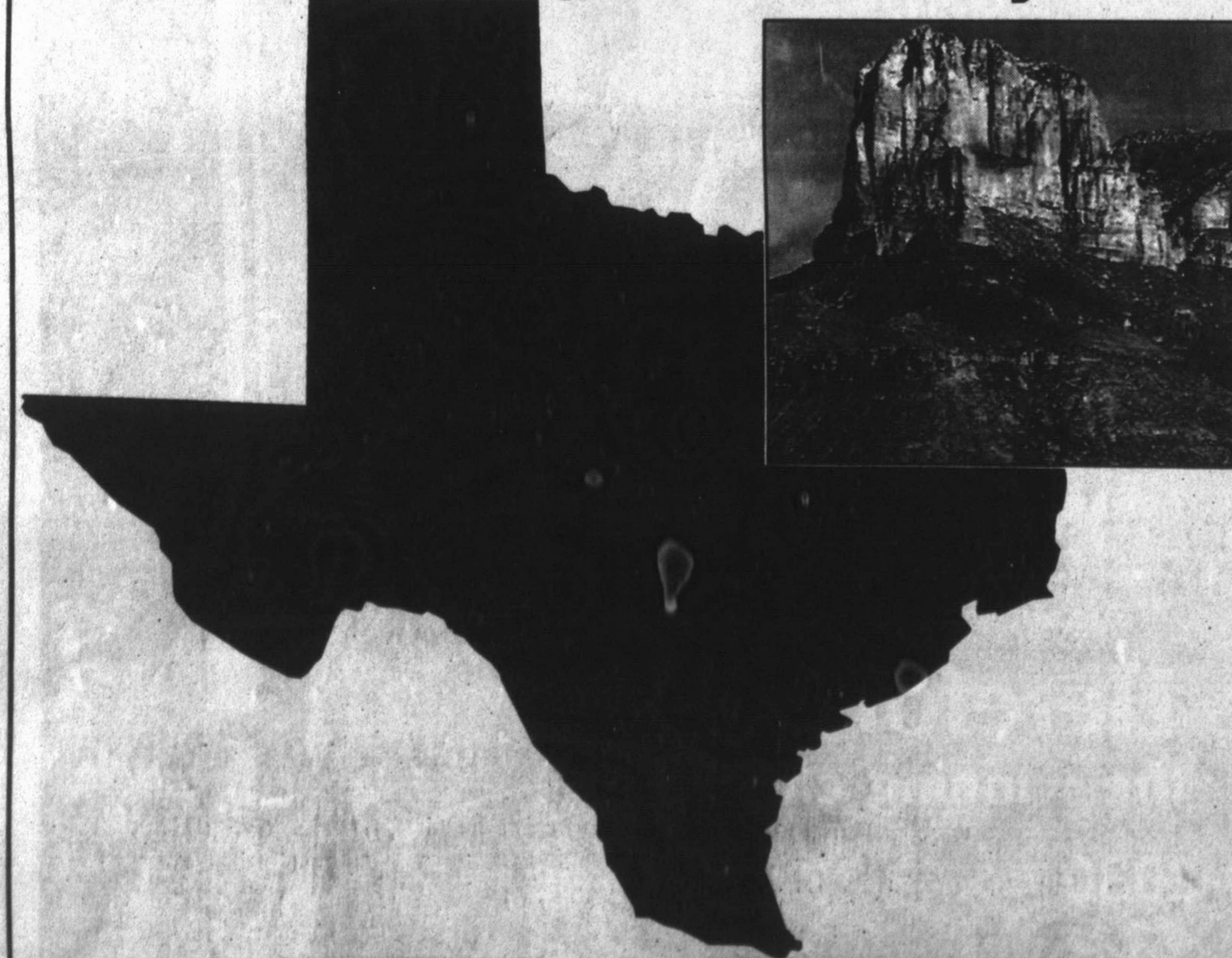
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