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Market prices are being driven down because ranchers, who are quickly running out of feed and water because of the heat, are liquidating their herds and flooding the markets.

Drought's painful toll continuing; cattle prices fall

Hearing that the drought's fallout and that is expensive. is not as bad as 1996 doesn't help.

cattle prices are falling quickly, this week. they're not quite as low as they were

\$200-\$300," said Texas Agriculture Extension Service cattle specialist Dennis Herd. Economists say that in \$200 a head.

Market prices are being driven down because ranchers, who are quickly running out of feed and water because of the heat, are liquidating their herds and flooding the market.

If ranchers can't sell their cattle, they can be stuck with too many animals to feed.

Elmo Lopez, a rancher near Laredo, says he has lost eight cattle to the intense heat and expects to lose more before the drought is over.

"It's as bad as its ever been," Lopez said. "We're running low on water and its hard to keep the cattle

Herd said that the heat-induced crop failures have left ranchers with no choice but to look to other states

"The heat is killing some cattle outright but the biggest problem

By The Associated Press

thunderstorms will dampen some

areas around the state, but there is

A stationa y frontal boundary over

There is a chance of thunderstorms

A heat advisory was in effect for

central areas of North Texas through

Oklahoma will keep any cooler

weather from moving southward into

over most areas of West Texas

the state through Saturday.

over the entire state.

through Saturday

Some scattered showers and

... and no relief is in sight

105-110.

eastern areas on Saturday.

another hot day.

A few isolated showers and

thunderstorms will dampen some

areas of South Texas through this

evening. But skies will be clearing

tonight and Saturday should be

Lows tonight will be in the 70s in

West Texas and in the 70s and 80s

immediate relief from the heat wave. eastern areas. There is a slight chance

LUBBOCK (AP) - Few words can around the state really is the affect the console West Texas ranchers drought has had on food supplies," watching cattle die in the sweltering Herd said. "Ranchers are being forced to go to other states for hay

Other regions around the state But researchers say that while battled different effects of the drought

In San Antonio, the drought is dropping the level of the Edwards "A good, muscular animal, which Aquifer by nearly half a foot a day, usually could be sold for \$500-\$700, prompting the Edwards Aquifer can now only be sold for Authority to seek approval for cloud seeding in the hope of bringing rain to the parched area.

The authority regulates withdraw-1996, market prices fell to less than als from the huge natural underground reservoir that's refilled by rainfall and streamflows.

> In Raymondville, a small town of 8,000 people about 30 miles north of Harlingen, farmers began dipping into the old well the city reopened to brace for the worst of the drought.

Residents can count on 1 million gallons a day out of the deep-water well, and city commissioners last week passed a water conservation law to make sure nothing is wasted.

"It's a lot more serious a situation than the public really knows; we're just praying," Mayor C.M. Crowell told the Valley Morning Star.

"The farmers are being cut off. If the drought continues, there's no doubt there'll be a lot of bankruptcies. If it doesn't end, the Rio Grande Valley's going to go out of busi-



Hereford in the early days

Hereford is just a jumbled collection buildings on the horizon when this photograph was taken sometime in the early part of the 20th century. The infant community, formerly known as Blue Water, was adjacent to the rail line, which is being constructed when this photo was taken. Hereford will celebrate its 100th birthday next month during the annual Town & Country



Heat wreaks havoc with hay, other crops

dwindle and prices rise. Texas cattle raisers are being told to start looking beyond the current crisis and plan for winter, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reports.

"It is definitely a supply and demand situation," said David Bade of College Station, Extension forage

Available hay must be transported, so delivery costs increase the expense

to livestock owners, Bade said. Charles Brown, who ranches near Benchley and is the chairman of the Brazos Area Hay Producers

Association, said ranchers are getting index values will ranged from hay from anywhere they can. 'People are calling for hay and It will be clear tonight in western wanting to know where are pastures that can be leased that someone's not and central areas of North Texas, but

nothing in the weather forecasts to it will be partly cloudy with a chance running cattle on," he said. "You can hardly find either one." provide Texans with any hope of of some isolated thunderstorms in He encouraged ranchers to It will be partly cloudy and hot of some thunderstorm activity in coordinate with others to locate, buy and have hay delivered in the most

efficient manner. Bade cautioned against buying hay that has not been tested for nutritional

"Because of the money involved, it is very important that when you buy hay that you know something about the quality of that hay," Bade said.

Those who purchase hay left over from last year should not only have

COLLEGE STATION (AP) - As the forage tested for nutrient content, the drought drags on, hay supplies they should also consider the amount weathering during storage

"At the price of hay today, it would be unfortunate that you would have to add a lot of corn and cottonseed meal before you can feed it," Bade said.

"It is not going to get any better unless we have some rain," Bade

But Extension forage specialist Don Dorsett of College Station doesn't believe Texas will get enough rain to make a difference and he's telling ranchers to deal with summer, but plan for winter.

'Our next big opportunity for rain is September, so we might as well go ahead and put the rye grass or oats or wheat or whatever you are going to plant for winter pasture and be ready for it," Dorsett said.

Dorsett says the hay supply will be even more depleted going into the winter, therefore ranchers will be forced to rely on winter pastures.

"Just plain old rye grass pastures could make a lot of difference to people this year, especially the amount of hay they have to feed or the amount of supplement they are going to have to buy," Dorsett said.

In Southwest Texas, district Extension director Joe Pena said

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'This sorching heat shows no sign of abating. It has destroyed crops, led to widespread power outages and, worst of all, has resulted in the deaths of over 100 people.

- President Clinton

Clinton orders aid to weather victims

broiling summer's toll on humans and who are being forced to sell all their agriculture prompted President Clinton to declare a disaster for Texas farmers and order \$100 million to pay electric bills and buy air conditioners

The president also repeated his support Thursday for several measures in Congress to help farmers across the country who are suffering from incomes that are down 35 percent compared to 1996, partly because of disasters and partly due to lagging foreign trade coupled with big harvests.

'We simply can't flourish if we let our rural roots shrivel and decline," the president said from the White House in a session broadcast to radio stations in farm states.

Clinton, noting that the summer of 1998 is on track to being the hottest on record, said: "This scorching heat shows no sign of abating. It has destroyed crops, led to widespread power outages and, worst of all, has resulted in the deaths of over 100 people.

To help people stay cool in 11 Southern and Western states, Clinton ordered release of \$100 million from the low-income home energy assistance program

"Those who cannot afford air conditioning are at real peril of further health risks as the heat wave goes on," Clinton said.

The 11 states eligible for emergency aid are Alabama, was made and we want to correct it," Arkansas. Florida, Georgia, Clinton said. He invited farmers to Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas.

Hit by drought, chronic wet weather and declining export markets tional Monetary Fund, which would especially in Asia, the Commerce Department reported that farm income in the first three months of the year was \$17.8 billion. That is off more than a third from the \$27.2 billion farmer earned in the first quarters of both 1996 and 1997.

The election-year crisis has Democrats and Republicans scrambling to respond.

"In Texas, almost three quarters of the cotton crop is lost," Clinton said. "And in North Dakota, retired auctioneers are being pressed into trade deals are negotiated.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The duty just to handle all the families

Clinton declared all Texas counties eligible for disaster assistance, making federal aid available to farmers. He also said he will send Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman to Texas and Oklahoma next week to inspect areas hit hardest by the drought and harsh temperatures.

The president urged House Republicans to support the Democrats' \$500 million emergency aid package passed by the Senate. House Speaker Newt Gingrich has

tentatively endorsed the plan, which particularly aimed at Upper Midwest farmers who have suffered repeated crop losses due to wet weather and disease. Gingrich and Clinton also are

together in supporting legislation to speed up the \$5.5 billion in payments that many farmers are due to get later in fiscal 1999, which begins Oct. 1.

'We must never turn our backs on farmers when Mother Nature or the world economy turns a callous eye," Clinton said.

He expressed sympathy with farmers' complaints that the government's crop insurance program, which is supposed to protect against calamities, is not working after Congress rewrote farm laws two years ago to end automatic government disaster assistance.

"This is one where an honest error suggest ways to make the program more affordable and fairer. Clinton also called on Congress to approve \$18 billion to replenish the Internaloan money to foreign governments to buy American farm products.

"American farmers cannot afford to wait," the president said. "They need help now.

Clinton acknowledged that the fast-track trade legislation - supported by many Republicans but opposed by most House Democrats - probably would not be approved before next year, after the November elections. Many farmers believe it would help increase agricultural exports once new

Teeing off at scramble

Randy Dean, Hereford High School boys basketball coach, tees off Thursday evening at Coaches Gelf Scramble, sponsored by the Whiteface Booster Club at Pitman Municipal Golf Course. The nine-hole scramble gave golfers a chance to meet the coaches in Hereford Independent School District.

Photo by Julius Bodner ·



HEREFORD BRAND Local roundup

Country clean-up day

A "Texas Country Clean-up Day" will be 8 a.m.-noon Aug. 6 at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

During the morning, empty, rinsed plastic pesticide containers, used motor oil and filters, old tires (less than 24.5 inches) and lead acid batteries will be accepted for recycling.

The clean-up day is sponsored by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and the Department of Agriculture.

For more information, contact the Deaf Smith County Extension Office at 364-3573.

Jubilee singers needed

All churches who wish to have a group sing at the communitywide church service during Jubilee week need to contact Lani at the Church of the Nazarene 364-8303.

Churches are asked to bring five to 10 freezers of homemade icecream and bowls for the ice cream social.

Audience members should bring their own blankets and lawn chairs.

Mostly clear

Tonight, a 20 percent chance of evening thunderstorms, otherwise mostly clear, low in the upper 60s, southwest to south wind 5-15 mph.

Saturday, partly sunny with a 20 percent chance of mainly afternoon thunderstorms, high in the mid-90s, southwest to south wind 15-20 mph with higher gusts possible. Saturday night, partly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms, low in the upper 60s.

Extended forecast

Sunday through Tuesday, partly cloudy with a chance of afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms, lows in the mid- to upper 60s, highs in the upper 80s to lower 90s.

<u>HEREFORD BRAND</u>

Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for July 23, 1998. include the following:

POLICE DEPARTMENT Arrests

-- A 30-year-old man was arrested on a Potter County warrant and charged with theft.

Incidents

a door at a local motel.

-- Rocks were thrown at a parked van in the 500 block of Brevard. Damage is estimated at \$750.

-- A boy's bicycle, valued at \$169, was stolen from a residence in the 600 block of Blevins.

law enforcement officers believe to be marijuana, was found in the 200 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.

-- Theft of gasoline was reported in the 2900 block of East First.

500 block of George.

-- A loud party was reported in the 600 block of Stanton.

-- A fight between several children all under the age of 8 was reported in the 400 block of North Texas.

-- Theft of gasoline was reported at a convenience store in the 2900 block of East first.

-- A suspicious person was -- An unknown person kicked in reported in the 300 block of North

> -- A two-car accident, without injuries was reported in the 1400 block of East First.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Arrests -- A 23-year-old woman was -- A clear baggy, containing what arrested and charged with public

intoxication. -- A 29-year-old man was arrested

and charged with violation of parole. FIRE DEPARTMENT -- 12:31 p.m. firefighters

-- A stolen car was reported in the responded to a locomotive fire 4 miles east on highway 60.

NEWS in brief

Denton ambulances will charge heavy people more

DENTON (AP) - As if squeezing into narrow theater seats and enduring taunts weren't bad enough, heavy people in Denton will soon pay more to ride in an ambulance.

The North Texas city this week adopted a \$25 ambulance fee for anyone who weighs 300 pounds or more. Officials say the fee is necessary to cover the increased risk of injury to firefighters and paramedics who must carry

Fire Chief Ross Chadwick said that overweight patients also require larger gurneys, and the \$25 fee will help cover the cost of those and other pieces of equipment used by emergency workers. He said similar fees are

Not everyone thinks the fee is such a good idea.

'It's so darn petty, and it's embarrassing to me as a City Council member," said Councilman Mike Cochran. "It will bring in very little revenue for the city, and it's wrong to penalize someone for their weight. When you single out a class of individuals with weight problems, it lacks compassion."

Alleged gang members face court hearing in lawsuit AUSTIN (AP) - Seven alleged gang members faced a court hearing

today in Texas' first civil lawsuit to prevent gang activity.

State District Judge Wilford Flowers issued a temporary order July 10 to prevent the gang from operating in the neighborhood just north of Austin's Mueller Airport.

Flowers was to hear arguments today whether to make the order permanent. Under the civil court order, prosecutors would not have to prove the alleged gang members committed a crime or were conspiring to commit

Simply appearing in the neighborhood together, using a pager in the neighborhood or violating any other portion of the court order could land them in jail, the attorneys said.

Elsewhere:

METEORITE AUCTION: A three-day auction begins today for a four-inch meteorite that fell to earth four months ago in the West Texas town of Monahans. Seven boys who were playing basketball nearby will share the auction proceeds. ... SMUGGLERS-RANSOM: A Houston woman has been reunited with her 6-year-old daughter and 2-year-old son. She said the smugglers she paid to bring them into the country took her children hostage held them hostage for a ransom. ... CHILDREN'S INSURANCE: Lawmakers have told state health officials to come up with a simpler, more efficient plan to expand the state's Children's Health Insurance Program. Health commissioner William Archer says he'll comply, but said simple is not always best.

Neighbors helping neighors, urged Bush

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov, George W. Bush hopes all Texans will help their neighbors as heat and drought scorch the state. He's pitched in \$500

Bush on Thursday donated \$500 to Energy AID, a utility company program that helps pay electric bills, then asked fellow citizens to kick in to keep air conditioners running.

"Most Texas utilities offer checkoff programs where you can voluntarily add a dollar or five or 10 to your utility bill payment to help those less fortunate," Bush said.

"It's easy, and your money goes directly to help pay the bills of needy residents of your community.'

Energy AIDS is a program of TU Electirc in Dallas that uses customer contributions to help those with severe financial hardships who are temporarily unable to pay their bills.

Neighbor helping neighbor is one

of the best ways for all Texans to get through this summer, Bush said, as federal help was announced for the

The heat has killed at least 88, caused \$1.5 billion in agricultural damage and sparked more than 6,600

President Clinton on Thursday declared all 254 Texas counties eligible for disaster assistance, making federal aid available to farmers whose crops have been damaged by drought.

The president also included Texas among 11 Southern and Western states eligible for \$100 million in emergency funds to help pay for air conditioners, fans and other means of

'In times of human crisis we have an obligation to act," Clinton said in Washington.

Bush praised Texans who've been

fighting fires, checking on the elderly water, health, agriculture and utility and ill, donating fans and offering rides to air conditioned emergency

"Experts tell me the best way to save lives during the hot weeks ahead is for neighbors to check on their neighbors, for sons and daughters to check on their parents, for young and healthy Texas to help look out for friends and neighbors who are elderly or ill," Bush said.

Bush's office will provide \$1 million in emergency fundings to help more than 10,000 Texans pay utility bills and to purchase portable air conditioning units for the elderly and

He said officials don't know yet how much of the \$100 million Clinton authorized is headed for Texas, but he praised the president for providing the money.

Leaders of the state's fire-fighting,

agencies outlined measures being

taken to cope.
- Agriculture Commissioner Rick
Perry said farmers and ranchers already have lost \$1.5 billion, creating a total economic impact now estimated at \$4.5 billion.

"The numbers are rather staggering as of today," he said, adding that this year's losses already include 70 percent to 80 percent of forage, 50 percent of the cotton crop and \$250 million of corn.

- State Health Commissioner Reyn Archer said state and local health departments are warning people of the dangers of heatstroke and the need to move to air conditioned spaces. VISTA volunteers and others are helping spread that word.

"Fans don't help above 90 degrees and 35 percent humidity. So that pretty much gets rid of the Texas climate. We need air conditioners in Texas," Archer said.

- The state's environmental agency said water supplies are adequate in most areas of the state, except the lower Rio Grande Valley

But Barry McBee, chairman of the **Texas Natural Resource Conservation** Commission, said distribution is a problem and urged all to save as much water as they can. "Every homeowner, every business in our state needs to save water," he said.

- The Texas Forest Service said that since May 1, 6,600 fires have been fought on more than 286,000 acres. But only four houses, four mobile homes and 44 vehicles have been lost, and only one firefighter has been injured, said Jim Hull, executive director of the service.

Because of the hot weather, he said firefighters are able to battle blazes for only one to two hours, rather than their formal 12-hour shifts. Sixty-two prison inmates will undergo initial training to help fight the fires, Hull said, adding that the total could reach

- In Donna, 12 illegal immigrants were found in a dark, hot building Thursday afternoon. An employee with Central Power and Light saw a man trying to hook up electricity to a building in Donna and called police.

When police arrived at the building, which had had its electricity cut off, there were 15 people inside, many of which were working, said Gilberto Carrizales, a community officer with the Donna police department.

Predictably collecting the least in

travel reimbursements was Republi-

can Gov. George W. Bush, who just

took office in January 1995. Still, his

total for the four-year period was a

relatively low \$10,229, with much of

that for trips to Washington for

National Governors Association and

In using state-owned planes, Mauro has the largest tally - 366 trips

from January 1991 through last

month, including 188 since fiscal year

with 162 trips on state-owned planes

Bush also was a frequent flier,

1995 began in September 1994.

Politicians defend state travel expenses

as beneficial to Texas. Some are just travel since on state planes. as quick to decry their opponents'

Just goats

candidate Garry Mauro, for example defends his travels as land commissioner to promote such programs as

beach cleanups. the difference in Texas beaches today community," she added. compared with 15 years ago,

absolutely it's a good investment," said Mauro spokesman Billy Rogers. But he questions travel by Republican Gov. George W. Bush, saying one of his trips on a state-owned plane included a national reporter who wrote about Bush's

presidential prospects in 2000. "When you're simply out to year 2000, I think it does raise some spokesman Kelly Fero. questions that need to be answered by

the governor's office," Rogers said.

ARCHIE SKAGGS

July 23, 1998

Archie E. Skaggs, 86, Gorman will

be 4 p.m. Saturday at Higginbotham

Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev.

Craig Rhoton officiating. Burial will

Mr. Skaggs died Thursday in a De

He was born in Rock Bluff in

Comanche County and married

Georgia Fae Sanders in 1931. He

worked as a peanut buyer for 23 years

for the Southwestern Peanut Growers

Association and served with the U.S.

Navy during World War II. He was

a member of the First Baptist Church.

Georgia; one son, Jerry Skaggs of

Hereford; two daughters, Julia Beth

Cook of De Leon and Emma Jane

Larch of Irving; two brothers Virgil

Joe Skaggs of Palo Pinto Lake and

Vernon Skaggs of De Leon; three

sisters Elsic Robinett, Marie White,

and Bernice Farley, all of De Leon;

Survivors include his wife,

be in Gorman-Oaklawn Cemetery.

Leon Hospital.

GORMAN - Funeral services for

<u>THE HEREFORD BRAND</u>

AUSTIN (AP) - State officials are the reporter asked political questions, impacted by floods and droughts and \$71,068 in travel reimbursements quick to defend their own state travel and he hasn't allowed reporters to to find new export opportunities for

members of the Genesis 4-H Club, made up primarily of children living in the Colonias in

and around Deaf Smith County, are taking on new projects. Club calves are to expensive

and pigs and sheep just aren't much fun, but the pasture goat project provides the members

experience of raising stock and all the fun and charm of goats. Tony Aranda, Center is pictured

with his mother and sisters and two of the goats he has raised for the project.

She said if Bush has even one political stop on a particular day, he ments for such things as commercial caution.

'Gov. Bush does believe it's planes. important for him to spend a lot of In the lieutenant governor's race,

Democrat John Sharp decried Republican Rick Perry's travels to an agricultural trade-mission. Sharp total 264 to Perry's 252. took office as state comptroller in January 1991, when Perry became agriculture commissioner.

'Texans would be better served if he went to Waller County than promote your non-candidacy in the Weisbaden, Germany," said Sharp Perry spokesman Ray Sullivan

said, "Rick Perry has been an Bush spokeswoman Karen Hughes effective agriculture commissioner said the governor's campaign in part because he's willing to travel reimbursed the state for that trip after to rural Texas to visit with those

Obituaries

six grandchildren; eight great-

ALMA HOWELL

July 23, 1998

Alma Howell, 71 of Frisco, will be

3 p.m. Monday at the Coulter Road

Baptist Church in Amarillo with the

Rev. Jess Hightower officiating.

Burial will be in Memorial Park in

Amarillo. Arrangements are under the

direction of Cantrell Funeral Home

IHS Nursing Home in Sherman.

Mrs. Howell died Thursday at the

She was born Nov. 18, 1926, in

Amarillo to E.T. and Gracie Hazel

Grishim Allred. She married Billy

Jack Howell Aug. 21, 1949 in

Wildorado. She was a member of the

Coulter Rd. Baptist Church in

Amarillo and was a retired educator

Howell of Frisco; one daughter, Kikki

Gamble of LaPorte; five grandchil-

Survivors include one son, Leslie

AMARILLO - Funeral services for

grandchildren.

of Frisco.

and homemaker.

Texas products.' Officeholders receive reimburse-

Democratic gubernatorial uses a politically-financed plane the or private planes, hotels and meals. entire day "out of an abundance of Reimbursements are accounted for separately from trips on state-owned A review by The Associated Press

"When you look at garbage time traveling in Texas. Texas like of travel records for the four collected on Texas beaches and see to have their governor visiting their candidates found that Perry has received the most in state-reimbursed travel expenses since January 1991, compared with Sharp's \$61,194. But when it comes to travel on

such spots as France and Germany for state-owned airplanes, Sharp's trips

In the governor's race, Mauro had



BOBBYE NELL ELLIS

July 22, 1998

Bobbye Nells Ellis, 60, of Odessa

were today at the Sunset Memorial

Gardens of Odessa with Rev. John

Cary officiating. Burial will be in

She was born Feb. 4, 1938, in

Mrs. Ellis was a ceramic artist, and

Survivors include her husband

Sunset Gardens Memorial Park.

on Sept. 2, 1954, in Hereford.

a beatician. She was a Baptist.

ODESSA - Funeral services for

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning

since taking office.

since January 1991.

other meetings.

Cash Five numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery: 3-4-6-14-27 AUSTIN (AP) - The winning

Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 0-1-1



Not all dinosaurs were huge The smallest were about as big as chickens.

Mrs. Ellis died Wednesday at Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

THE HEREFORD BRAND Plainview. She married Darrell Ellis Che Christmas Day and New Year's Day by The Brand Inc., 313 N. Lee, Hereford, TX 79045. Sec

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na, 857.50 a year; outside Texas, The Board is a member of The Ar Darrell Ellis of Odessa; two sons.

Southland, Traci J. Blanton of Lubbock, and Staci A. Jones of Kermit; 10 grandchildren. The family suggests memorials be

made to the American Cancer

Terry Lynn Ellis of Houston and Tommy Darrell Ellis of Dayton; three daughters, Marilyn Jones of

Lifestyles

Ann Landers

Mother knows best this time

Dear Ann Landers: This is another one of those "how we met" letters for those who enjoy them.

The year was 1945. I was supposed to meet my sister at the home of a friend whose parents ran a boarding house. When I rang the bell, one of the boarders opened the door. He introduced himself and said he was a Norwegian seaman who had sailed during the war but couldn't go back home to Norway because his country

was occupied by the Germans.
We chatted for a while, and he asked me to join him for dinner. I accepted. I had a fairly good time but was not especially impressed. When I introduced him to my mother, she said, "Grab him. He is a good man. Mark my words." I trusted my mother's judgment, and six weeks later, we were married. To top it all, he invited my mother, who was a widow, and my sister and her husband to go with us on our honeymoon to Sea Bright, N.J.

Mother did know best when she advised me to grab him. She showed great wisdom because he turned out to be a very good man. We've been happily married for 52 years and have been blessed with wonderful children and four beautiful grandsons. --Staten Island, N.Y.

Dear Staten Island: Thanks for heartwarmer. Yes, it's true -mothers usually do know best, and yours proved it.

Dear Ann Landers: In a recent column, you asked for the secret of how those World War II marriages endured. My marriage to Mrs. King has "endured" for over 60 years, and we have been very happy. The secret -- she makes all the minor decisions, and I make all the major ones. So far, nothing major has come up. -- C.K. in Walnut Creek, Calif.

Dear C.K.: Not so fast, Mr. King. Something "major" may come up when she reads this in the Contra Costa Times. Let me know if you need some help.

Dear Ann Landers: So often, people accuse you of making up letters. I know this is not so, Some of the situations that have occurred in this small travel office are beyond belief. I am writing to share a few with you.

A young man walked in recently and wanted to take a cruise with his girlfriend, Kathy. We asked for Kathy's legal name, which is essential for travel documents. He did not know if it was spelled Kathryn or Katherine. He asked if he could go home and phone us later. I said, "No problem." It turned out that her name was Kathleen.

A few days later, another Canada, send \$4.55.) gentleman came in. He wanted to take To find out more about Ann Landers and read his wife, Jackie, on a trip to Europe. We asked if her name was Jacquelyn web page at www.creators.com. ANN

A month later, a young woman came in and inquired about a foreign vacation with her boyfriend, Tom. We asked her if his legal name was Thomas. She said, "I don't know. I never asked."

I cannot imagine going on a date, much less a trip, with someone whose name I didn't know. Don't you find it odd? -- Wisconsin Travel Agent

Dear Wisconsin: Not really, but I'm printing your letter anyway. I'm sure a lot of readers are now going to ask their mates, "Honey, what's your REAL name?" I'd bet on it.

Dear Ann: You asked readers who had been married a long time to share their secret. Ours is honoring the three C's -- communication, compassion and caring. My wife and I have practiced this for 48 years. It works. -- Oklahoma Sweethearts

Dear Sweethearts: Beautiful. Planning a wedding? What's right?
What's wrong? "The Ann Landers
Guide for Brides" will relieve your
anxiety. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.75 (this includes postage and handling) to: Brides, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In

her past columns, visit the Creators Syndicate or Jacqueline. He said, "I really don't LANDERS (R) COPYRIGHT 1998 know. I always call her Jackie." CREATORS SYNDICATE, INC.

Today in

History

By The Associated Press

Today's Highlight in History:

On this date:

in the Pacific.

On July 24, 1959, during a visit to

In 1969, the Apollo XI astronauts,

In 1974, the U.S. Supreme Court

unanimously ruled that President Nixon had to turn over subpoenaed

White House tape recordings to the

Watergate special prosecutor.

Today is Friday, July 24, the 205th



Video performers

The youth group of New Beginnings Assembly of God, "God's Power and Light," will perform a human video during Sunday morning worship at Fellowship of Believers. The group recently performed in a fine arts festival in San Antonio and received a Superior rating with an invitation to nationals in Springfield, Mo., on Aug. 2-7. They will hold a fund-raising car wash beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday at Auto Zone to help pay for the trip. Members of the group are (clockwise from center back) Trey Madrigal, Julia Madrigal, Sayra Apodaca; Nicole Mendoza, Ana Avila, Gloria Orozco, Ashley Madrigal, Patricia Sanchez, and center, Johnny Esparza. Not pictured is Jonathan Rosado. Dora Madrigal is in charge of the youth group and Cindy Rosado is in charge of the drama team.

Hereford Toastmasters select Andrews as best topic speaker

topic speaker at Thursday morning's meeting of Hereford Toastmasters.

Sharon Cramer presided at the governor Charles Caldwell will attend

the training session.

Clark Andrews was voted best Oscar Barrera as timer. Cramer was AH counters, grammarian and wordmaster.

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It is enrollment time at St. Anthony's School. Emily Brorman, future student, and Allyson Paetzold, former student, look over the technology room at the school. For information on enrollment call the school office at 364-1952.



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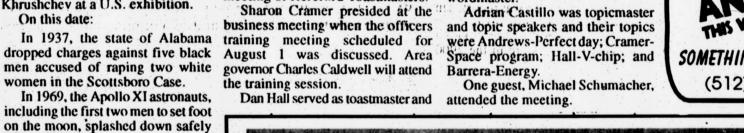
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Church News

AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH The congregation of Avenue Baptist Church, 130 North 25 Mile Avenue,

invites you to worship with them. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship follows at 11. Sunday evening worship begins at

The new pastor of Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. Jim Bulin, his wife Kim and 4-year-old daughter Jennifer, arrived in Hereford this week. Rev. Bulin, 41 years old, was born in Borger. He attended Amarillo College and Wayland Baptist University to obtain his bachelor's degree. He and Kim received their masters' degrees from Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Kansas City, Mo. They have been in a pastorate at Rothville, Mo., for the last eight years.

Everyone is invited to come and get acquinted with them.

The Ladies Prayer Service and Book Study, led by Thelma Cherry, meets Monday evenings at 6:30.

Choir practice has been changed to 5 p.m. Sundays for the summer. Brian O'Donnell, music director, invites anyone who likes to sing to become a member of the choir.

Wednesday night prayer service is at 6:30. Call the church office, 364-1564, if you have a prayer request.

CENTRAL CHURCH **OF CHRIST**

Come worship with us each and ' at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for all ages.

We are located at the corner of Sunset and Plains.

and study God's word with us. Our minister is Tom Bailey.

NEW BEGINNINGS ASSEMBLY OF GOD BILINGUAL CHURCH

The congregation of New Beginnings along with Pastors Rafael and Linda Rosado would cordially like to invite you to join us this Sunday morning at 9:45 for an incredible study in prophecy. There kids.

Sunday evening praise and worship is at 6.

Wednesday night Bible study is on the book of Genesis at 7.

Youth night service is at 7 p.m.

The ladies meet for prayer and If you need prayer call 363-9007 or 364-0210.

God bless you. See you in church. We are located at the corner of Bradley an Ironwood, across from West Park Cemetery.

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Pastor Warren McKibben is pleased to announce the opening of an Acts 2:38 Bible believing church. We welcome all for a truly down to earth praise and worship experience with our Lord.

If you are seeking answers, come and let's worship together in the name of Jesus. If you are looking for a blessing and still believe in miracles, then this is the place to come. We are one big happy family of God.

We invite all to attend our services at 2 p.m. Sunday.

For further information, call 1-800-454-6051.

HEREFORD CHURCH

OF THE NAZARENE Pastor Ted and the Nazarene congregation invite you to join us at 10:30 for our Sunday morning service. His sermon is "Praise-The Key to Unlocking Miracles.

This week, all children (K-4 through 6th grade) will follow their regular Sunday School and Children's Church schedule; however, the teen and adult classes will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the NCA Library for coffee and donuts and fellowship instead of going to their regular Sunday School Class.

You won't want to miss Pastor Randy Bird's message Sunday evening at 6.

Wednesday evening at 7, we will continue our study of "Biblical Solutions to Life's Problems."

The Grief Recovery Group will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday in Jim Pope's office. The class is led by Stan and Karen Solomon and is open to the community.

Pastor Carol invites children in K4 through 6th grade to join her in Children's Church at 10:30 when she will teach on "Holiness."

If you need a ride call the church office, 364-8303.

Heavenly Summer Nights for 1st through 6th graders is at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Faith Roots for K4-5 meets in room 103 with Mrs. Rose.

Teen will return from Senior High Camp Saturday at 5 p.m. Sunday Night Live activities will be announced at the Sunday evening worship service. Join us for "Club Paradise" on Wednesday evening for fun, fellowship, praise band,

giveaways, surprises, etc. Join us at Nazarene Kid's Korner

Day Care on Wednesdays and Fridays for kid's day out. All children are welcome to come share in the fun, games and outings we enjoy. For more information call Leslie Easley at 364-8161.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor Terry Cosby and the congregation of First Baptist Church invite you to come worship with them each Sunday. Sunday services are

Sunday school-9:45 a.m.; morning worship-10:50 a.m.; evening worship-6:30 p.m. Wednesday activities prayer meeting

at 6:15 p.m.; Hang Time for youth at 7 p.m.; and choir practice at 7:10 p.m. On July 30, at 7 p.m. there will be

an all men cook-out at the Aquatic Center. Please plan to attend. Admission is one boy -- yours or a borrowed one. On Sunday, August 2 an arts and

crafts show will be held and a taco salad luncheon will be served immediately after church. This event is to raise money for Mission India, which is a special emphasis that the Women on Missions are conducting.

First Baptist church offers a warm Christ-centered atmosphere for worship and Christian fellowship. We urge you to come join us in praise and honor of Jesus Christ.

FIRST UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH**

Dr. Tom Fuller's sermon topic for every Sunday at 10:25 a.m. and 6 this Sunday will be "When You Try p.m. Bible Classes are held Sunday to Run God" or "You Can't Keep a Good Man Down," based on Jonah 3:1-5 and Matthew 12:40-41.

Early morning worship begins at 8:30, followed by Sunday School at We would love to have you come 9:30 and the late worship service at 10:45.

> The UMYF will meet for its regular Sunday evening snack supper

> A silver tea hosted by the local chapter of United Methodist Women will be held from 10-11:30 a.m. Thursday in Fellowship Hall. Donations of silver will benefit the new Welcome Center Kitchen.

A meeting of the Landscaping are classes for all ages, so bring your Committee is set for 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Gathering Room of the Welcome Center.

Bring a lawn chair and a freezer of homemade ice cream to Dameron Park at 7 p.m. August 2 and join in the Centennial Celebration of Hereford's Christian Heritage. The women of the Sanctuary Choir and Bible study on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. soloist Margaret Williams will perform two special songs at this community-wide church service.

Bishop Alfred L. Norris will be present at First United Methodist Church on August 23 to preach at the 10:45 a.m. service and to consecrate the new Welcome Center. Special music has been planned for the service by music director Betty Wolle and a covered dish lunch will be hosted by the Family Life Committee.

CALVARY **BAPTIST CHURCH**

We at Calvary Baptist Church extend a hearty welcome for you to attend our Sunday school and church

When you come, we believe you will especially enjoy the wholesome Christian fellowship and spiritual service. There will be a Sunday school class for every member of your family.

Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. and worship is at 11 a.m. Ray Sanders is the pastor.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH The congregation of Bible Baptist

Church and Pastor Travis Curry invite you to worship with us each Sunday at 10 a.m. for Sunday School and 11 a.m. for the preaching of God's Word. We also invite you to our Sunday night service at 6 and our Wednesday Prayer Service at 7 p.m.

Come help us exalt Lord Jesus Christ and the Word of God. A warm and friendly welcome awaits you at 1204 Moreman. For more information, please call 364-3102, 364-5157 or 364-3729.

IMMANUEL

LUTHERAN CHURCH Immanuel invites you to come worship with us this Sunday at 10:30 a.m. We are located at the corner of Avenue B and Park Avenue, across from Dameron Park.

This Sunday's sermon theme is "Why be nice?" focusing in on Luke 10:25-37. Pastor Stadler will preach on finding the ability to be nice to our neighbors,

when at times it seems very hard. Immanuel also offers two Bible studies with one on Sunday morning at 9:15 a.m. and the other on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. The Sunday morning class is beginning a Bible study on what the Christian church believed in the 16th century. The Wednesday evening Bible Study is a study on the

parables of Jesus Christ. Pastor Stadler begins the day on Tuesday through Friday morning with a short morning prayer service and invites others to join him. The service time for the prayer service is 7:45 a.m. yourself?" and lasts about 15 minutes. Hope to have you join us at any one of our services or activities at Immanuel.

DAWN BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor Charles Ellingburg and congregation invite you to worship with them.

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and morning worship is at 11. Nursery is provided for all services.

Team Kids meet each Sunday evening at 5:30 p.m. at the Dawn Community Center. Evening worship services are at 6. Pastor Ellingburg is speaking on the Ten Commandments.

For more information or prayer needs, contact Pastor Ellingburg at 258-7330.

Please join us this Sunday and every Sunday and worship with the Dawn Baptist Church.

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Catholics who have been away from the church, Christians from other churches, unchurched fellow brothers and sisters, you are most welcome to come join in worshipping our God in liturgies at 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sundays at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. Scripture readings to be heard and studies in this week's services are Genesis 18:20-32, Colossians 2:12-14 and Luke 11:1-13.

Veronica Nava and Samantha Bordayo-Guerrero from our faith community, will be workshop presenters on "Good News About Sex," for a Diocesan Youth Rally on August 1 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Amarillo Civic Center. Registration is \$15 by July 20, for grades 7-12.

Want to know more about the Catholic church, faith, traditions? If you or someone you know would like to get an invitation to the RCIA class beginning the last week of August, call Janie at 364-7626 or Martha at

All lay leaders in the parish/diocese are expected at a leadership conference August 7-8 at Amarillo's Radisson Inn. Register at the office with Charlotte and get a schedule of workshops.

Celebrating 17 years of prayer in our Diocese, all are invited to a 6:30 p.m. Mass on August 15 celebrated by Bishop Yanta at the Capuchin Monastery, Amarillo. A \$20 per person dinner will follow the mass in the monastery garden. Reservations are needed; call 806-355-2965 or

St. Anthony's PTO is holding a two-week Scrip Blitz which began July 20. Every \$50 Scrip purchase \$25 Scrip give-away. \$2000 worth of Scrip sold results in only 40 entries.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Dorman Duggan and congregation invite you to come and worship and praise with them Sunday morning.

Sunday school for all ages begins at 9 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10. A nursery is provided.

The Sunday evening service is at 6 and a nursery is again provided. The Intercessory Prayer Group

meets Monday night at 7 p.m. Tuesday morning at 9:30 the

Ladies Prayer Group meets. On Wednesday we have our Children's Church and Youth Group meet at 7 p.m. Also, we have our Home Groups for anyone over 18years-of-age. Call 364-8866 for information on places and times for

Home Groups. For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday school begins at 10 a.m.

and the Sunday worship services are held at II a.m. and 5 p.m. Pastor Ed Warren and the church

congregation invite the public to all services at the church located on S. Hwy. 385 and Columbia St.

For additional information, call 364-3487.

FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

FOB was honored to have shared worship wit the Episcopal Christians of St. Thomas' last Sunday. We were witnesses to the grand drama of liturgy handed down to us through the wisdom of the Anglican reformers. The ministry of St. Thomas' in

Hereford is unique, vital and healing. Meanwhile, back at FOB, this Tenth Sunday After Pentecost, the lectionary gospel (Luke 11:1-13) invites us to look at prayer. Pastor Stone is putting the final touches on a sermon entitled, "Rethinking the Prayer-thing: Shall We Pray for Rain?" Questions arise: "Does God move heavenly sprinklers from place to place or does God leave such things to the natural processes built into the universe?" "If 'The Lord's Prayer' suggests we pray for 'daily bread,' is it okay to pray for daily pizza or donuts?" "Is it fair to say that, whatever else prayer may or may not be, it is at least talking to

The sermon is a piece of worship that begins at 10:30 and concludes no later 11:25. Included in worship this

week will be a brief, creative presentation (miming to music) by a group called "God's Power and Light."
This group, from New Beginning
Assembly of God Church in Hereford, is made up of young people ages 13 to 18. They were given a rating of "superior" at a recent fine arts festival among AOG churches. The group will travel to a national competition in Springfield, Mo., in August.

Mary Thomas will be our guest

pianist. FOB gathers for coffee, conversation and homemade goodies at 9:15. "Forum" follows at 9:30. "Forum" is **FQB's version of Sunday School: lively** (sometimes) dialogue about a variety of topics in light of a Christian worldview.

Fellowship of Believers is an interdenominational, ecumenical and independent church, honestly seeking to be non-exclusive. We promote a faith that thinks, feels deeply, reaches out generously with as much anonymity as possible and knows how to laugh and enjoy life. FOB is a young church with few traditions. We are making memories as we go. FOB is a work in progress.

FOB is located at 245 North Kingwood (at Moreman), next door to the Hereford Care Center. For transportation to the services, please phone 364-0359. A supervised nursery is available at all services.

WESTWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

Services continue to reach out to all at Westway Baptist Church. Dr. Wesley Langhan of Amarillo, coordinator for Mission Service Corp in the Amarillo Baptist Association,

will be our speaker this week. Mission Service Corp is the volunteer arm in the Southern Baptist Convention. Volunteers go out to assist churches, camps, children's homes, Christian schools, etc. where ever God sends them. There are presently more than 5,000 such volunteers across our world.

Westway Baptist Church has experienced this volunteerism a few years back when 10 couples came to upgrade and restore our church and parsonage.

Each of you are urged to come and experience God at work through Brother Wesley as he speaks. Sunday School is at 9:45 a.m. and worship time is 11 a.m.

We will be looking for you to join us as we worship.

COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD

401 Country Club Drive Pastor Woody Wiggins and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities at the church.

The following is the regular

schedule of services. Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at II a.m. and 6 p.m. Services are

conducted at 6 p.m. each Wednesday. Thursday evening prayer service is at 6 p.m. Gospel singing will be held the last

Sunday of each month starting at 5

A nursery is provided during all services. Pastor Wiggins says, "Come and experience what God is doing here a church where the Spirit is alive and God is moving by His power, a church full of love where you are

somebody and Jesus is Lord." Our 24 hour prayer line is 364-

GOOD NEWS CHURCH 400 N. 25 Mile Ave. Sugarland Mall

Pastor David Alvarado and the Good News congregation invite you to come and worship the Lord Jesus Christ with us in the spirit of love. Come and experience the goodness

of God and His power. Sunday services are at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday services are at 7 p.m. There is also a Tuesday worship service at 10 a.m.

If you have any questions or you need prayer, please call Pastor David Alvarado at 364-5239. God bless you.

NEW HOPE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 13th and Avenue H

Pastor Elda Olivarez and congregation invite you to worship with them.

Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship is at 10:30. Evening worship is at 6 on Sunday and 7 on Wednesday.

The youth meet Friday at 7 p.m. There are monthly meetings for en and women.

New Hope Church of the Nazarene was founded by Pastor Olivarez in June 1992, right in the center of the barrio. We are reaching out to single mothers, teenagers, the elderly and lots of children.

We would like to thank all who were involved in our Vision of "expanding out to reach out." Our new addition will include four Sunday school rooms, a cry room, fellowship hall and restrooms.

BARN CHURCH

Changes are happening at Barn Church. God has provided a full-time pastor, Randy Bird. This caring, spirit-filled servant of God will minister to the cowboy, western culture in our area and across the U.S. We feel privileged to have Randy and Linda Bird come be part of our lives.

Barn Church is a non-denominational Christian ministry. Our goal is to worship God and fellowship with each other. Barn Church is for everyone that likes things a little on the country

Barn Church meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at B Bar S Arena.

It's come as you are, so dust off your jeans and come on out. Bring the family and tell your friends.

FRIO BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor Larry Perkins and the

congregation of the Frio Baptist Church invite you to join them for Sunday and Wednesday services. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m.

and is followed by worship at 10:45 a.m. Evening services begin with Discipleship Training at 5 which is followed by evening worship at 6. We would also like to invite any

youth to join us and our interim youth minister Brett Baldwin.

Wednesday prayer services begin at 7 p.m.

CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

Christian Assembly is a nondenominational church desiring to minister to individual needs. Congregational participation is welcomed with open sharing and ministry by the people as well as the

If you don't presently have a church home or feel like you are dying on the vine then Pastor Rick Anderson invites you to come join us for praise, worship and sharing God's word Sunday mornings at 10:30 and Sunday evenings at 6. Wednesday nights at 7 there is from home to home.

Feel free to contact us at the church at 364-5882 or call 364-2599, 364-0974 or 364-2284 for more information.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH In our 10:30 a.m. worship time, the

Rev. Jeremy M. Grant will preach on "Suffering's End." The scripture is Old Testament Job 10 and Gospel Mark 5:25-34.

Sunday School teachers will be Sunday.

You are more than welcome to join us for Bible study in one of our Sunday morning classes at 9:15. We have a nondenominational class for people with special needs. We also have classes for young married and singles, other adults, youth, elementa-

ry age, preschool and a nursery. At 10:10 a.m., we gather each Sunday for a cup of coffee, goodies and great fellowship. Come and meet

a friend this Sunday. Little Blessings Day Care is open from 7:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Space is limited. Call

for a reservation. Session meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Logos staff meeting is set for 7 p.m. Wednesday. Adult choir will practice at 10 a.m.

A community-wide church service will be sponsored at 6 p.m. in Dameron Park on Aug. 2 by the Hereford Ministerial Alliance as part of Religious Heritage Day, during Hereford's centennial celebration.

For more information, call the church office between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. at 364-2471.

ST. THOMAS'

EPISCOPAL CHURCH The Rev. James Mock Plainview will officiate at St. Thomas' on the 8th Sunday After Pentecost. The Holy Eucharist, Rite II, will be celebrated at 11 a.m. There is a coffee hours after the service. Supervised nursery care is provided during the worship hour.

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. and includes the Litany of Healing with the Laying-on-of-Hands, along with the Service of Evening Prayer. Intercessory prayer requests from

the community are most welcome. To have them included in the prayers of the people at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message. Heavenly Treasures Day Care

meets at St. Thomas' on Thursdays and Fridays. For information on enrollment, please call Sylvia Martinez at 363-6468.
In case of emergency call Amy

Gililland at 364-2211. If you want more information about the Episcopal Church, call Earl Brookhart at 364-0249.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH The pastor, H. Wyatt Bartlett, and the congregation of the Temple Baptist Church, Avenue K and Forrest Avenue, invites everyone to come worship with them Sunday and the coming week. Sunday School and Bible Study

begins at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all ages. The morning worship is at 11. The pastor will bring the message "Journey's End" from John 14:1-6.

The evening service begins at 7.
The pastor will bring the message of "Seven Secrets of Spiritual Success" from Luke 5:1-11.

Mid-week, Wednesday at 7 p.m. is the time of our prayer meeting. We are also studying various books of the Bible. Choir meets at 7:45 p.m. with John Curtis.

FAITH MISSION CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST Come and worship with us at Faith

Mission Church of God in Christ, 307-309 Brevard. Sunday School is at 10 a.m. We

teach it like it is. Morning worship is at 11 a.m. We

preach it like it is. Richard Collins, pastor, said, "We neither take from, nor add to, what's written in The Book."

WESLEY UNITED

METHODIST CHURCH Pastor Tammy Passmore and members of Wesley invite you to visit

our services each Sunday. Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and the worship service is at 11 a.m.

The first Sunday of each month is Communion Sunday. Also on the first Sunday of each

month the Methodist Men meet at 9 a.m. for food, fun and fellowship. The youth meet at 5 p.m. each Sunday.

Wednesday evenings are for committee meetings, women's U.M.W. or choir practice at 7 p.m. Come and enjoy any of these

happenings with us TEMPLO EL CALVARIO

ASSEMBLY OF GOD Templo El Calvario is located at 137 Avenue G. Josue Daniel Garza is senior pastor and Ben Gonzales is

minister of youth. Bilingual services are held. Sunday a prayer meeting that currently goes School is at 9:45 a.m. with worship at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Monday youth services are at 7 Wednesday evening service is at

There is a children's service during the Sunday evening and Wednesday evening services.

A nursery is provided for all ou approach every gazabivide "For more information, call 364-

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH 606 E. 15th

Pastor Mike Sullivan and the congregation of First Assembly would like to extend a warm welcome to worship and experience the Lord

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m.

and Sunday Morning worship is at 10:45. The evening service begins at On Tuesdays at 7 p.m., we have Royal Rangers and Missionettes for the boys and girls. Our Youth

at 7 p.m. A nursery is provided for all services. Men's Fellowship meets on the first Monday of the month at 7 p.m. For the ladies, Joy Fellowship is on

Service, as well as the Mid-Week

Adult Bible Study, is on Wednesdays

the third Thursday at 7 p.m. If you are looking for a place to help in God's work, or just want to enjoy the presence of the Holy Spirit, come by and see us.

For more information about the

church or if you just need prayer,

please call Pastor Sullivan at 364-0305 or 364-4848. SUMMERFIELD

BAPTIST CHURCH 6 miles west on Hwy. 60 The public is invited to attend all of the church services. Sunday school is held at 10 a.m.

at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. The Bible Study is at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Transportation is available upon

and the Sunday worship services are

request. For more information or to make arrangements for a ride, call 357-2535 or 364-5657.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Hereford Brand labor Church News Items as a comm service. Churches in Deaf Smith County are farited to submit information about upcor church activities for publication in the Cha Nows listing. Information must be submitted to the <u>Brand</u> offices by 5 p.m. Wednesd for the following Friday's paper. News ites may be edited for length.)



Sports

British runner-up Watts still undecided about future.

By BRAD TOWNSEND

The Dallas Morning News DALLAS -- After the perform-ance of his career, a week that no doubt will forever change their lives, Brian Watts and wife Debbye took a fittingly long and circuitous route home Monday.

They left Southport, England, where Brian finished second to Mark O'Meara on Sunday in the British Open. Then it was on to Manchester, England; to Chicago; to Harrison, Ark., to pick up year-old son Jason; and home to Edmond, Okla.

Compared to Brian's career path, Monday's was a short com-

"It's been a long road," said Watts, 32. "Sometimes it's been hard. But I also feel very fortunate to have the opportunities I've had.'

Now, thanks to the \$329,000 he earned Sunday at Royal Birkdale, the Carrollton Newman Smith (High School) product can say

"sayonara" to the Japanese PGA

He can say goodbye to five years of 14-hour flights between Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport and Tokyo's Narita Airport; to cramped, \$200-a-night hotel rooms; to 22 weeks a year of playing on the opposite side of the globe from Debbye and Jason.

Though Watts said he has not made a firm decision, all signs point to him playing on the PGA Tour next year. His second-place check Sunday virtually guarantees he will finish among the tour's top 125 money winners, good for a

one-year exemption.
"I'm happy for him," said
Scott Verplank, Watts' close friend
and former Oklahoma State teammate. "I know he wants to play over here, to be closer to his son.

'He's got some obligations in Japan, sponsorship stuff. But I would be pretty surprised if next year he didn't play a full PGA Tour schedule.

"Hopefully, I moved up a little notch, gained some respect for the Japanese tour. A lot of people have been writing bad things about Jumbo Ozaki (the 51-year-old Japanese star). I can tell you, he's a much better player than I am."

-- Brian Watts

It isn't, however, as though Watts were dying to get off the Japanese tour. In fact, he said he hopes his British Open performance proves what he has been saying about the tour since he joined it in 1993.

'Hopefully, I moved up a little notch, gained some respect for the Japanese tour," Watts said. "A lot of people have been writing bad

things about Jumbo Ozaki (the 51-year-old Japanese star). I can tell you, he's a much better player than I am.

"For people to say, 'The guys over there aren't good,' those people don't come over and watch

Watts won the Class 5A state championship in 1984 and the NCAA Championship in 1987, but he considers himself a product of the Japanese tour.

He turned pro after his final year at Oklahoma State, 1988, but missed earning his PGA Tour card for the 1989 and '90 seasons. He qualified for the 1991 PGA Tour season, but in 29 events he missed 18 cuts, earned only \$40,000 and lost his card.

In the midst of an unsuccessful 1992 season on the Hogan Tour (now the Nike Tour), Watts admitted he "was contemplating doing something else." But in April of that year, he turned to his New Orleans-based teacher, Rob Noel.

"We pretty much overhauled everything," Watts said. "I took about three steps backward to get six or seven steps forward.'

Watts attempted PGA Tour qualifying school in the fall of 1992, and when he came up short, decided to play the Asian Tour. That's where he earned his first big break, winning the 1993 Hong Kong Open. The victory earned

him a playing card on the more prestigious Japanese tour.

There are professional tours in Australia, South Africa and India, among others, but Watts said he believes the Japanese tour is the third-strongest in the world, behind the PGA Tour and European PGA Tour.

Still, Watts conceded, the PGA Tour and Japanese tour are vastly different.

"First of all, the competition (on the Japanese) tour is a lot less," he said. "That's nothing against the Japanese tour. It's just the fact the American tour is so strong, from No. 1 to 156 players each week.

"And Japan doesn't have the land it needs to build really fine golf courses, so we (in Japan) tend to play on a lot of courses that are on sides of mountains, those kinds of things.'

Watts said Japanese tour cours-

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Rangers double K.C., 8-4

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) -- If Rusty Greer hit every pitching staff the way he hits Kansas City's, he'd have the AL's highest batting average.

Greer went 3-for-5 and drove in three runs Thursday night, boosting his career average against the Royals to .366, as the Texas Rangers beat Kansas City 8-4.

That's his best average against any single opponent, but Greer said there's nothing special about Royals pitching that makes it easier to hit.

You approach every game with the same attitude, and that's to bave good at-bats and try and put the ball in play hard. My job is to get on base for Juan Gonzalez, and that's the approach I take to every game."

Greer wasn't the only Texas batter to have a big night Thursday -- or the only one who's doing better against the Royals than against anyone else.

Gonzalez drove in a run for his major league-leading 114th RBI. He has 26 this season against the Royals, more than against any other team, and is one RBI away from breaking the single-season record for RBI against one opponent.

Darryl Strawberry, then with the Dodgers, had 27 against Houston in

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RANGERS NOTES

Gonzalez has a season-high

13-game hitting streak . . . Green extended his longest hitting streak of the year to eight games . . . During the course of his slump, Rodriguez's average dropped from .349 to .336. By the end of Thursday's game, it was back up to .342 Gonzalez is still ahead of Hack Wilson's record RBI pace of 190, set in the 1930 season. Wilson had 106 RBI after 101 games . . . Texas third baseman Fernando Tatis turned an unassisted double play to deny at least one Royals run -possibly two -- in the first inning.

RODEO

Rookie bull rider vaults into 1st slot at Cheyenne

lesson from a former world champion helped boost a rookie bull rider into the lead during the sixth performance at the Cheyenne Frontier Days rodeo on Thursday.

Danell Tipton of Spencer, Okla., scored 89 points on a Charlie Battles bull named "CB73" to take over first place in the second go-round and in the overall standings.

riding champion Charles Samp-

"Me and Charles been together all day and been working on some basics at his house (in Denver)." said Tipton. "I've been having trouble bucking off when bulls turn back to the left.'

Tipton's lesson was successful, but it almost lasted too long. He and Sampson arrived at the arena just minutes before Tipton was scheduled to hop on his bull.

"I knew I had a good one," Tipton said. "So when we got here, my adrenaline was already flowing. The only thing I had to do was put that adrenaline to work and make a good bull ride.'

He held a five-point lead over Vince Stanton of Weiser, Idaho, in the second round and owned a

CHEYENNE, Wyo, (AP) -- Here are the results after the sixth performance of the 102nd annual Cheyenne Frontier Days rodeo

STEER ROPING 2ND GO-ROUND

1. Shorty Garten, Pawhuska, Okla, 11.8 seconds; 2. Jim Davis, Abilene, Texas, 12.1;

3. Galen Hoelscher, Talpa, Texas, 12.5; 4. Buster Record, Buffalo, Okla., 13; 5. Ski

J.C. Jensen, Bingham, Neb., 29.1; 3. Buster Record, Buffalo, Olda., 29.2; 4. Sid Howard,

1. Dan Fisher, Andrews, Texas, 28.7; 2.

on, Texas, 29.6; 5. Ora Taton, Bison,

Howard, Canyon, Texas, 13.2. CUMULATIVE

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP) -- A 162-159 edge on Stanton in the overall race.

Santa Anna, Texas, steer roper Jim Davis made quick work to move into second place in the second round.

Davis' time of 12.1 seconds was only three-tenths of a second slower than a run earlier in the week by Shorty Garten of Pawhuska, Okla. W. ol vi

"I won second here once, you Tipton, 25, said be has been know, placed in the average working with 1982 world bull several times, but never won the big prize," Davis said.

> Dan Fisher of Andrews, Texas, led the overall standings.

> In steer wrestling, Leon Vick of Bennett, Colo., tackled his steer in 8.1 seconds during morning slack to move into first in the overall standings.

John Hall of Stringtown, Okla., held the lead in the second round on the strength of a 6.7-second run Wednesday.

In saddle bronc riding, Bronc Collier of Snyder, Texas, earned 75 points on "Sundog" to post the top score of the day.

Current world all-around leader Ty Murray of Stephenville, Texas, still was atop the leader board after Wednesday's 77.

CALF ROPING 2ND GO-ROUND

1. Charles Russell, Shamrock, Texas, 11.1; 2. (tie) Kyle Kosoff, Ogden, Utah, Scott Lammers, Fairburn, S.D., 11.7; 4. (tie) Tommy Eaton, Ada, Okla., Travis Houff, Medicine Hat, Alberta, 12.1.

CUMULATIVE

1. Tomory, Faiton, Ada, Okla., 24.5; 2

1. Tommy Eaton, Ada, Okla., 24.6; 2. Cody Ohl, Orchard, Texas, 25; 3. Scott

Lammers, Fairburn, S.D., 26.8; 4. Marty Becker, Manyberries, Alberta, 28; 5. Charles

1. John Hall, Stringtown, Olda., 6.7; 2. Allen Good, Long Valley, S.D., 6.8; 3. Joe Bell Jr., Salem, N.J., 6.9; 4. Clyde Hirnes, Big

ssell, Shamrock, Texas, 28.1. STEER WRESTLING 2ND GO-ROUND

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL FINALS RODEO

11.711; 2. Jordan Wiseman, McAlester

GILLETTE, Wyo. (AP) -- Results hursday after the fifth of 13 performances the National High School Finals Rodeo.

BREAKAWAY ROPING

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1. Casey Haynes, Oxford, Ala., 2.975;

2. Lyndsie Brower, Pocatello, Idaho, 3.123;

3. Rosle Marvel, Paradise Valley, Nev.,

3.138; 4. Margaret Opela, Stapleton, Neb.,

3.957; 5. Marcey Teixeira, Santa Maria,

Call, 4.56.

BREAKAWAY ROPING OVERALL Lyndsie Brower, Pocalello, Idaho.
 159; 2. Margaret Opela, Stapleton, Neb. 7.341;3. Kacl Riggs, Forney, Texas, 7.887; 4. Rosie Marvel, Paradise Valley, Nev., 7.981;5. Suzie Hull, Brodhead, Wisc., 9.926. BARE BACK

1. Cody Demers, Clancy, Mont., 66; 2. Jet McCoy, Tupelo, Okla., 65; 3. Dustin Headley, Pasco, Wash., 63; 4. Matt Clemons, Okeechobee, Fla., 62; 5. (tle) Trent Wylle, Rigby, Idaho., and David Klumpp, Deerfield,

BARE BACK OVERALL

1. Cody Demers, Clancy, Mont., 136; 2. Jet McCoy, Tupelo, Okla., 134; 3. Trent Wylle, Rigby, Idaho, 129; 4. T.J. Morehouse, Flintstone, Ga., 119; 5. (tie) Nuly Daniels, Ainsworth, Neb., 111 and Dustin Headley, Pasco, Wash., 111. CALF ROPING

 Jay McClain, Yuma, Ariz., 9.228; 2.
Cory Caperton, China Springs, Texas, 9.244;
 Matt Shiozawa, Logandale, Nev., 9.504;
 Shane Erickson, Yelm, Wash., 9.648; 5. CALE BOPING OVERALL

Matt Shiozawa, Logandale, Nev., 19.551; 2. Shane Erickson, Yelm, Wash., 20.938; 3. Robert Sperry, Trotters, N.D., 21.256; 4. Bailey Moore, Mt. Vernon, Mo., 22.132; 5. Charlie Martin, Soledad, Calif.,

POLE BENDING 1. Landa Guio, Big Piney, Wyo., 19.879; 2. Lacie Bacon, Wibaux, Mont., 20.29; 3. Wylene Wilson, Mesa, Ariz., 20.444; 4. Kerri Ann Moore, Lake Charles, La., 20.446; 5. Shyann Haddock, Bosque Farms, N.M.,

POLE BENDING OVERALL 1. Landa Guio, Big Piney, Wyo., 40.576; Shyann Haddock, Bosque Farms, N.M., 41.037; 3. Kerri Ann Moore, Lake Charles La., 41.087; 4. Jackie Lynch, Walla Walla Wash., 41.239; 5. Brenda Clement, Ridgeview, S.D., 41.844.

STEER WRESTLING 1. Jim Pat Smith, Melrose, Mont., 4.459; 2. Luke Boeser, Stapleton, Neb., 4.746; 3. Luke Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif., 5.425 4. Shane Wimberly, Moriarty, N.M., 6.057;

Jay Johnson, Bow Island, Alberta, 6.418 STEER WRESTLING OVERALL 1. Luke Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif., Okla., 11.728; 3. Shane Wimberly, Moriarty, N.M., 12.493; 4. Tye Casey, Hastings, Mich., 14.288; 5. Jesse James Kirby, Dodge City, Kan., 15.108.

SADDLE BRONC

1. Jerad McFarlane, Redmond, Ore., 57;
 2. Rawley McFarland, Dewey, Arlz., 54; 3.
(tie) Justin Meston, Tees, Alberta, and Eric Waddell, Mason, Tenn., 50.
 SADDLE BRONC OVERALL
 1. Intered McFarlane, Redmond, Ore. 135;

1. Jerad McFarlane, Redmond, Ore., 125; 2. Rawley McFarland, Dewey, Arlz., 118; 3. Eric Waddell, Mason, Tenn., 97; 4. Jesse Bail, Buffalo, S.D., 79; 5. J.J. Eishere, esville, S.D., 72. GIRLS CUTTING

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1. Tiffani Meier, Fredericksburg, Texas,
147;2. Jaime Tilion, Orangevale, Calif., 146;
3. Lindsay Sears, Nanton, Alberta, 144; 3.
Alissa Sue Vincent, Jensen, Utah, 144; 4.
Jessica Bolerjack, Gillette, Wyo., 143; 4. Kim
Ravenscroft, Hyannis, Neb., 143; 5. Tricia
Pickard, Carthage, Mo., 142; 5. Calif Rusche,
Wolf Point, Mont., 142.
GIRLS CUTTING OVERALL
1. Tiffani Meier, Fredericksburg, Tayan

 Tiffani Meler, Fredericksburg, Texas, 294; 2. Jaime Tilton, Orangevale, Calif., 291.5; 3. Alissa Sue Vincent, Jensen, Utah, 286; 4. Jessica Bolerjack, Gillette, Wyo., 282; 5. Lindsay Sears, Nanten, Alberta, 280. TEAM ROPING

 Lane Morrow, Brush, Colo., Justin Hammerich, Ft. Morgen, Colo., 8.255; 2. Lieu Drake, St. George, Utah., Bronson Blood, Richfield, Utah, 8.594; 3. Rowdy Dymond. Adel, lowa, Chad Day, Coon Rapids, Iowa, 8.721; 4. Justin Ertz, Mulino, Ore., Levi Piquet, Prineville, Ore., 9.322; 5. B.J. De Lima Jr., Hilo, Hawaii., Nick Rodrigues, Hilo,

Hawaii, 9.897. TEAM ROPING OVERALL 1. Lane Morrow, Brush, Colo., Justin Hammerich, Ft. Morgan, Colo., 16.1; 2. Justin Ertz, Mulino, Ore., Levi Piquet, Prineville, Ore., 17.111; 3. Jed Erickson, Lewisville, Idaho, Pat Woodcock, St. Anthony, Idaho, 21.092; 4. Tyler Smith, Mills, Wyo., Cole Francis, Worland, Wyo., 23.778; 5. B.J. De Lima Jr., Hilo, Hawali., Nick Rodrigues, Hilo,

Hawli. 24.141. 1. Teka Brock, Glendive, Mont., 8.005; 2. Leah LaGrande, Williams, Calif., 8.375; 3. Sunnie Fish, Buffalo Gap, S.D., 8.548; 4. Shana Schalble, Watford City, N.D., 9.715; 5. Robin Warbols, Kermit, Texas, 9.88.

GOAT TYING OVERALL -1. Teka Brock, Glendive, Mont., 16.509; Shana Schalble, Watford City, N.D., 19.232; 3. Khara Brodrick, Welsh, La., 20.571; 4. Sarah Morrissey, Merritt, British Colombia., 21.786; 5. Chevis Howell, Fruitland Park, Fla., 22,327. GIRLS BARREL RACING

1. Libs Devine, Oconto, Neb., 17.114; 2.

Tiffani Burton, Gypsum, Colo., 17.483; 3.
Tessie McMullan, Bronte, Texas., 17.492;4.
Keely Forrer, Defiance, Mo., 17.518;5. Kodi
Balen, Veyo, Utah., 17.603.
GIRLS BARREL RACING OVERALL 1. Libs Devine, Oconto, Neb., 34.6; 2. Keely Forrer, Dellance, Mo., 34.916; 3, Tiffani Burton, Gypsum, Colo., 35.267; 4. Tessie McMullan, Bronte, Texas, 35.301; 5. Rebecca Lee, Choteau, Mont., 35.442. BOYSBARREL RACING

1. Bert Thompson, Carnduff, Saskalchewan, 69; 2. Jamey Reynolds, White Bluff, Tenn., 64; 3. Cole Mewbourn, Canton, Texas, 58; 4. Jesse Ball, Buffalo, S.D., 57; 5. Todd Herzog, Innistall, Alberta, 54.

BOYS BARREL RACING OVERALL 1. Jamey Reynolds, White Bluff, Tenn., 128; 2. Todd Herzog, Innisfail, Alberta, 118; 3. Jesse Bail, Buffalo, S.D., 116; 4. Casey Sweat, Pitkin, La., 82; 5. J.J. Koopman, North Battleford, Saskatchewan, 80.

1. Reed Fischbach, Brandon, Fla., 147.5; 2. Aaron Hughes, Spanish Fork, Utah., 147; 3. Phillip Rails, Buellton, Calif., 146; 4. Andy Welch, Calhan, Colo., 145; 5. Cory Hunter, Petal, Miss., 144.
BOYS CUTTING OVERALL

boys Chrimd Overhalt 1x 1. Reed Fischbelch, Brandon, Fla., 295.5; 2. Agron Hughes, Spanish Fork, Utah., 293; 3. Andy Welch, Calhan, Colo., 290; 4. Phillip Reils, Buellton, Calif., 289; 5. Cory Hunter, Petal, Miss., 286.

ALL AROUND ROOKIE COWBOY

 Shane Erickson, Yelm, Wash., 210; 2 Todd Willis, Venus, Fla., 110; 3. David Klumpp, Deerfield, Kan., 105; 4. Scott Ledoux, Vinton, La., 30; 5. Mike Gill, Merritt, **ALL AROUND COWBOY**

1. Jet McCoy, Tupelo, Okla., 305; 2. Jesse Ball, Buffalo, S.D, 270; 3. Shane Erickson, Yelm, Wash., 210; 4. (tie) Ryan Watkins, Alliance, Neb., and Michael Shows II, Beaumont, Miss., 150.

ALL AROUND ROOKIE COWGIRL 1. Tessie McMullan, Bronte, Texas, 190; 2. Margaret Opela, Stapleton, Neb., 160; 3 Chevis Howell, Fruitland Park, Fla., 80; 4 Megan McLeod, Star, Idaho, 140; 5. Kim Ravenscroft, Hyannis, Neb., 105. ALL AROUND COWGIRL

1. Khara Brodrick, Welsh, La., 300; 2. Kara Hadley, Plain City, Utah, 250 3. Anne Beauboeuf, Deville, La., 240; 4. Sandi Ganey, Trout, La., 200; 4. Hayley Atwood, Molalla, Ore., 200; 5. Tessie McMullan, Bronte, Texas.

STATE STANDINGS 1. Texas, 2140; 2. Utah, 1680; 3. Colorado, 1490.8; 4. Louisiana, 1385; 5. Idaho, 1375; 6. South Dakota, 1295; 6. Florida, 1295; 7 Oklahoma, 1180; 8. Wyoming, 1168; 9. Oregon, 1135; 10. Alberta, 1110.

FRONTIER DAYS

Spring, Texas, 7.2; 5. Sean Mulligan, Valentine, Neb., 7.5.

CUMULATIVE 1. Leon Vick, Bennett, Colo., 14.5; 2. Tom Duvall, Henryetta, Okla., 15.3; 3. Mickey Gee, Wichita Falls, Texas, 15.7; 4. Clyde Himes, Big Spring, Texas, 16.3; 5. Byron Walker, Ennis, Texas, 16.9. BULL RIDING 2ND GO-ROUND

1. Danell Tipton, Spencer, Okla., 89 points; 2. Vince Stanton, Weiser, Idaho, 83; 3. Chad Brennan, Ellsworth, Neb., 81;4. (ile) Johnny Chavez, Bosque, N.M., Ashley CUMULATIVE

1. Danell Tipton, Spencer, Okla., 162;

2. Vince Stanton, Weiser, Idaho, 159; 3. Casey Gates, Miller, S.D., 158; 4. Chad Brennan, Ellsworth, Neb., 157; 5. (tie) J.W. Hart, Marietta, Okla., Chad Klein, Jackson,

SADDLE BRONC 2ND GO-ROUND 1. Ty Murray, Stephenville, Texas, 77; 2. Shawn Tibbs, Dupree, S.D., 76; 3. Bobby Griswold, Moore, Okla., 75; 4. (tie) Jim Brown, Stephenville, Texas, Joe Slag Carlin, Nev., Bronc Collier, Snyder, Texas, CUMULATIVE

1. (tie) Shawn Tibbs, Dupree, S.D., Mike Outhler, Weatherford, Okla., 153; 3. Bobby Griswold, Moore, Okla., 150; 4. (tle) Ty Murray, Stephenville, Texas, Justin Salcito, Skull Valley, Ariz., 149.

BAREBACK BRONC 2ND GO-ROUND

. Scott Lund, Bozeman, Mont., 82; 2. (tie) Sean Culver, Grandview, Wash., Jason Wylle, Rosebud, Ark., 79; 4. Eric Mouton, Weatherford, Okla., 78. 5. (tie) Scott Chesarek, Billings, Mont., Chad Klein, Jackson, La., Shawn Vant, Great Falls, Mont., Heath Ford, Greeley, Colo., Larry Sandvick, Kaycee, Wyo., 77. CUMULATIVE 1. Clint Corey, Kennewick, Wash., 160;

2. Chad Klein, Jackson, La., 159; 3. Shane Call, Hulbert, Okla., 158; 4. Scott Lund,

MLB ROUNDUP

Cubs 2, Expos 1

CHICAGO -- Mark Clark and Rod Beck combined on a six-hitter Thursday and the Chicago Cubs won their fifth straight game, 2-1 victory over the Montreal Expos. The Expos lost their seventh

against Montreal this season at Wrigley Field. Clark (6-9) allowed four hits in eight strong innings. He walked one and

struck out four. Beck pitched the ninth for his 29th save. Mark Grudzielanek singled to start the Expos ninth, but was caught stealing. Vladimir Guerrero then doubled, but Beck retired the next two

batters. Clark set down 14 in a row before Guerrero hit his 21st homer into the center field bleachers in the seventh

Jeremy Powell (0-1) lost in his major league debut. He gave up two . runs and three hits in six innings.

Mets 6, Browers 5 MILWAUKEE -- Mike Plazza singled for his third hit and scored on

pinch-hitter Matt Franco's single in the ninth inning Thursday, giving the New York Mets their fourth straight win, 6-5 over the Milwaukee Brewers. Piazza singled off Mike Myers (2-2)

with one out in the ninth. After Bernard

Gilkey was hit by a pitch, Chad Fox straight game. The Cubs are 6-0 relieved and gave up Franco's single down the third-base line. The Brewers rallied for four runs in the seventh to tie it at 5. Mets starter Al Leiter had allowed just three hits

> before allowing a double to Jose Valentin and a run-scoring single to Marquis Grissom. Mark Loretta's single chased Leiter, and reliever Greg McMichael (2-3) failed to protect the lead as the

pitch and bloop RBI singles by Jeff Cirillo and Jeromy Burnitz. John Franco got three outs for his 20th save.

Brewers scored three runs on a wild

Cardinale 8, Giante 1 SAN FRANCISCO -- Kent Bottenfield allowed one run and three hits in seven innings and drove in a run for the first time since 1993 as the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the San

Francisco Giants 8-1 Thursday.

Mark McGwire, who leads the majors with 43 homers, went 0-for-2 with three walks, an RBI and two runs scored. He was hitless in six at-bats as the Cardinals swept the two-game series in San Francisco.

Bottenfield (3-5), who had not won since June 18, walked five and struck out three. His run-scoring groundout in the fifth was his first RBI since he had three in 1993 for the Colorado Rockies.

Danny Darwin (6-8) lost his fifth straight decision, allowing three runs on seven hits and three walks in 51-3 innings. The Giants have lost 11 of 13 games since the All-Star break.

Padres 3. Diamondbacks 0 SAN DIEGO -- The San Diego Padres increased their NL West lead to a team-record 13 games, defeating the Arizona Diamondbacks 3-0 Thursday behind eight sharp innings by Joey Hamilton. Hamilton (9-9) gave up four hits,

struck out 10 and walked none. He

has won four straight decisions

despite recent rumors that he was on

the trading block.

The Padres won for the 10th time in 12 games to extend their lead over San Francisco, which lost 8-1 to St. Louis.

Trevor Hoffman pitched the ninth for his 32nd save, striking out two. He has converted 40 straight saves since last season, tying Dennis Eckersley (1991-92) for the second longest streak ever and moving him within one of the mark of 41 set by San Francisco's Rod Beck (1993-95).

Brian Anderson (7-9) allowed three runs in seven innings for the expansion Diamondbacks.

Braves 3, Phillies 2 PHILADELPHIA -- Javy Lopez and Curtis Pride hit back-to-back homers to snap a sixth-inning tie and helped the Atlanta Braves edge the Philadelphia Phillies 3-2 Thursday night.

Kevin Millwood (11-5) gave up eight hits and two runs in seven innings, and Kerry Ligtenberg struck out the side in the ninth for his 12th save. Lopez hit his 21st homer and Pride followed with his third in the sixth off

Tyler Green (6-7) to give the Braves

a 3-1 lead.

A wild pitch by Green on a third strike to Andruw Jones led to Atlanta's first run in the fifth. Jones scrambled to first on the wild

pitch, moved to third on a single and scored on Keith Lockhart's sacrifice Jones took over the NL lead in outfield assists in the third inning when

he threw out Scott Rolen from center trying to take third on a fly ball. Tigers 3, Indians 2

CLEVELAND -- Damion Easley extended his hitting streak to 19 games with a single in the sixth inning and scored the go-ahead run on Bobby Higginson's single as the Detroit Tigers beat the Cleveland Indians 3-2 Thursday

Easley, who also had a 19-game hitting streak earlier this season, became the first Tigers player to have two streaks that long in the same season since 1953, when the team began keeping such records. Alan Trammell had streaks

of 18 and 21 games in 1987. Frank Castillo (3-6) shut down Cleveland for 5 2-3 innings despite

entering the game with an 8.07 ERA. Outdueling Jaret Wright (9-6), Castillo allowed two runs and seven hits in 5 2-3 innings with two walks and one strikeout.

Pirates 9, Marlins 1

PITTSBURGH -- Jose Guillen and Lou Collier drove in three runs apiece and Jon Lieber won his third consecutive start Thursday night as the Pittsburgh Pirates routed the Florida Marlins 9-1.

The Pirates have won six of their last seven games with Lieber (8-10) getting two victories in the span.

The Pirates scored three runs in the fourth against Brian Meadows (9-7), who had been 5-0 in his last six starts. Red Sox 8, Blue Jays 7, 10 innings BOSTON -- Jason Varitek's pinch-hit

single in the 10th inning capped Boston's comeback from a five-run deficit and gave the Red Sox an 8-7 win over the Toronto Blue Jays on Thursday night. Trailing 6-1, Damon Buford's grand

slam in the eighth cut it to 6-5. Mike

Stanley's RBI single in the ninth put

Toronto up 7-5, but Randy Myers, who

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es average about 7,000 yards, or about 150 yards less than most PGA Tour tracts.

Even after five years, Watts struggles with the language barrier. Watts admitted he has "very little" communication with playing partners during rounds, unless he's paired with one of the other Americans on tour (Brandt Jobe or David Ishii) or one of about a dozen Australians.

"In press conferences, I have to have interpreters answer the questions," he said. "I can go through my round shot-by-shot in Japanese, but that's about it when it comes to press conferences."

Food isn't a problem because, as Watts says, "I eat anything but sushi." Although he has made more than 475 million yen (roughly \$4.5 million) on the Japanese tour, he lives far from luxuriously.

"I can't afford a house there," he said. "I can't afford an apartment that I'd like. The hotels are \$150 to \$200 a day, for something very marginal. I wouldn't say it's a great lifestyle over there, but I get

He has been a celebrity in Japan ever since 1994, when he won the money title. Along with seeing his picture on the side of buses and on billboards, Watts often has fans see him on the streets and say, "Oh, Brian Watts."

"Most of the people who play golf over there are over 40," he said. "I'd say I'm very well

known to over 40-year-olds."

No wonder the decision to play on the PGA Tour isn't cut and dried. All of Watts' sponsorships are with Japanese companies. He will walk away from more than \$1 million a year in on- and offcourse earnings by returning to

But Watts will be closer to Debbye and Jason, even during weeks he's playing PGA Tour events. Brian missed it when Jason took his first steps last week. Debbye videotaped the moment, but Brian doesn't want to miss many more of his son's milestones.

'I feel worse for her (Debbye) than for me," Watts said. "She's the one who's always there, knowing when I'm missing

Verplank said he looks forward to having Watts, the friend, on tour. And he believes Watts will fare much better than he did in '91.

'The British Open should help his confidence immensely,' Verplank said. "I remember the last couple of years, that was the thing that kind of held him back a little bit. He was obviously confident in Japan, not quite as confident here.

'The British Open is the world's stage. That ought to prove to him that he can get it done."

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to help the Rockies win the opener

Bichette's 15th homer off Pete

Game 2 gave the Rockies a 2-0 lead

before rain forced the grounds crew

extended Colorado's scoreless

innings streak to a team-record 16

before surrendering a three-run homer

Astros 8, Dodgers 6, 10 innings

walked Ricky Gutierrez on four pitches

with the bases loaded in the 10th

inning Thursday night to force in the

go-ahead run as the Houston Astros

rallied for an 8-6 win over the Los

The Astros trailed 6-0 after the first

inning but came back against Los

Angeles' bullpen, scoring five runs in

Angeles Dodgers.

the eighth.

LOS ANGELES -- Mark Guthrie

to Paul Konerko in the eighth.

In the opener, Pedro Astacio (8-10)

to cover the field after the second.

AREA HAPPENINGS

Foursome putts to scramble victory

From staff reports The foursome of Lewis McDaniel, Wallace Hill, Wendell Burdine and Dave Hopper won a four-way puttoff to win the Whiteface Booster Club Golf Scramble Thursday at John

Pitman Municipal Golf Course. The winning team shot a nine-hole

total of 29 to tie with three other

Thursday. Ivan Rodriguez, who had been in an 0-for-12 slump, and Mark McLemore each had three hits for Texas manager Johnny Oates gave

Rangers

Rodriguez a night off from catching, using him as a designated hitter.

"I was possibly going to give him (Friday) night off if he struggled offensively, but now with three hits, I know he'll be ready to play tomorrow," Oates said. "He was struggling more mentally than physically.

Bill Haselman homered and drove Jose Offerman went 4-for-4 for in two runs for the Rangers on Kansas City. Jermaine Allensworth had three hits for the Royals.

Greer, Gonzalez and Roberto Kelly each hit RBI singles in the third. Greer added a two-out, two-run single in the fourth for a 5-0 lead.

Reliever Xavier Hernandez (5-1) defused two Kansas City rallies in the middle innings. He took over for starter Darren Oliver with two outs and three runs across in the Royals' four-run fifth, giving up an RBI single to Terry Pendleton but then retiring Sal Fasano on a fly ball.

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Coaches say they're ready for pressure

By MIKE DRAGO

Associated Press Writer DALLAS -- In a profession where pressure and scrutiny are as much facts of life as gravity, Colorado coach Rick Neuheisel and Iowa State's Dan McCarney face more than their share of both in 1998.

But neither would say so Thursday as Big 12 Conference coaches and players gathered to talk about their teams' chances this season.

There also was plenty of talk about forgetting last season from Neuheisel, McCarney, Oklahoma's John Blake and Texas Tech coach Spike Dykes, whose team remains under the dark cloud of a pending NCAA decision on sanctions for rules violations.

"We went through a whole year of turmoil," Dykes said. "Nobody ever asked about our players. Everybody wanted to know about the NCAA. ... It was just a nightmare season. You're glad when it's over with.

Neuheisel, whose team went 5-6 last season after going 20-4 his first two years, knows the feeling. The Buffs were technically reduced to winless after they reported having used an ineligible player.

"When you have a season like we had it takes awhile to get that taste out of your mouth," he said.

Despite Colorado's 1997 flop, Neuheisel said he doesn't feel any additional pressure to win.

"It seems to me that every year has been a pivotal year in my career," he said. "I went from two years of 'please stay' to one year of 'please go.' So I'm somewhere in the middle of that, and hopefully I've learned to gain perspective. -- THE ASSOCIATED PRESS I'm never going to be as good as

everybody thought I was and I'm never going to be as bad as everybody thought I was. I'm just going to do the very best I can, and I can

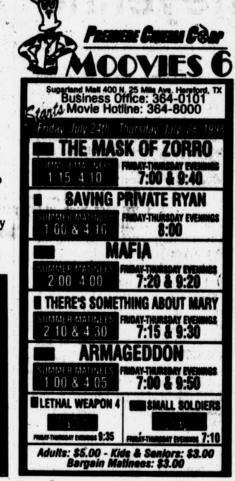
live with that. Blake, 7-16 in his third year with the Sooners, is hoping for his first winning season.

"There was pressure the first day I took the job, but I also understand the situation," he said.

Talk about pressure. Nebraska Frank Solich is taking the helm of the defending co-national champions and trying to fill the shoes of retired coach Tom Osborne, merely one of the best coaches in college football history.

The folks in Lincoln aren't letting him forget it.

"I know what the expectations are," Solich said. "Some people might have 8-3 expectations. haven't run into many of them. They don't seem to ask me how we're going to do. They tell me how we're going to do.



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had converted 59 of his previous 62 save opportunities, couldn't get one 6-4. this time.

The Red Sox tied it in the ninth on Harnisch (7-5) in the first inning of John Valentin's RBI double and Troy O'Leary's run-scoring single.

Tom Gordon (5-3) held Toronto scoreless in the 10th. Myers (3-3) retired the first two batters in the bottom of the inning. But Darren Lewis singled and stole second. Valentin then was walked intentionally.

Varitek pinch-hit and dumped a soft hit into short right field as Lewis scored easily.

Orioles 9, Athletics 7 BALTIMORE -- Lenny Webster's two-run homer in the bottom of the ninth inning lifted the surging Baltimore Orioles to their fourth straight victory Thursday night, 9-7

over the Oakland Athletics. Webster's drive to left off Mike Fetters (1-5) followed a leadoff walk to Joe Carter.

The victory lifted Baltimore to .500 (51-51) for the first time since May 15. Armando Benitez (4-2) worked the ninth inning as the Orioles extended their home winning streak to 10.

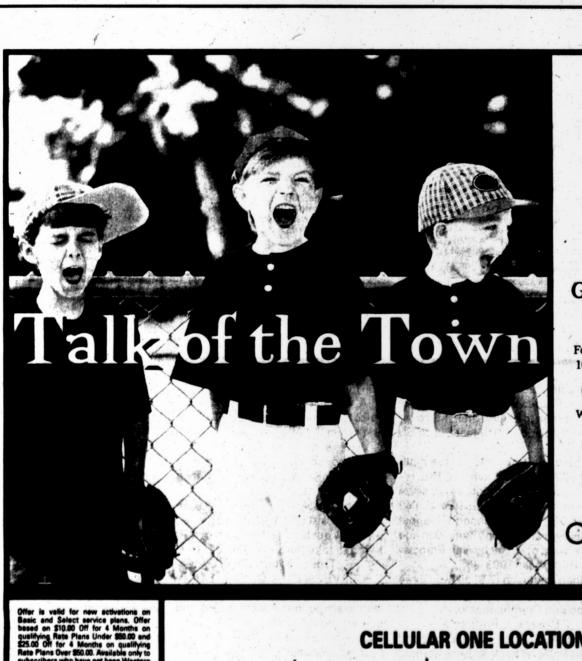
Rockies 6, Reds 4, 1st game Rockies 6, Reds 4, 2nd game **DENVER** -- Dante Bichette and Larry Walker each hit two-run homers as the Colorado Rockies beat Cincinnati 6-4 Thursday night to

header sweep of the reeling Reds. Walker had his seventh three-hit game of the season and scored twice

complete a soggy day-night double-

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WHAT WOULD JESUS DO? Bracelets not just for church kids anymore

DALLAS (AP) - Lee Ferguson, fresh out of the pool after swim practice, sits with her pals under a shade tree fiddling with her fluorescent yellow bracelet embroidered with the letters "W.W.L.D."

cent yellow bracelet embroidered with the letters "W.W.J.D."

Ah, youth. Is this another teen-ager pondering the question, "What Would Jesus Do?" - a slogan that's wrapping wrists of kids across the country?

"I wear it because it matches my based on the book, "In His Steps," bathing suit," said Ferguson, a 19th-century spiritual classic. In it, blue-eyed 14-year-old hanging out at a dying beggar challenged townsfolk

New grocery store

DALLAS (AP) - Lee Ferguson, a Dallas neighborhood pool club.
sh out of the pool after swim / WWJD bracelets are not just for

In fact, some kids have changed the meaning to "We Want Jack

Great. Just great.

That's not what Dan Seaborn had in mind nine years ago when he came up with the idea for his Christian youth group in Holland, Mich. It was based on the book, "In His Steps," a 19th-century spiritual classic. In it,

to ask themselves, "What would Jesus do?" before they take any action.

Seaborn thought it was a great message for modern kids, so he asked his friend Ken Freestone of the local Lesco Co. to make some buttons with the WWJD legend. The message soon spread from the youth group to the Christian schools.

Freestone said he and his brother came up with the idea to embroider the letters on nylon wrist bands. In 1996, after a big promotional push,

the company sold 250,000, which retailed for about \$1 apiece. Last year, Freestone said, sales skyrocketed to 15 million after CNN televised a story about them.

"This is the first time a trend started in the Midwest, I think," Freestone said, noting how the fad is fanning out to both coasts.

Lesco was not allowed to license the slogan, so other companies jumped into production, making WWJD golf balls, shoelaces, blinking pins, pencil sharpeners and more. "It's hard to keep them in stock," said Jason Neeley, manager of Family Christian Stores in North Dallas where WWJD trinkets are displayed next to packages of "Testamints" breath mints. "In Christian circles, they're as popular as Beanie Babies."

They also move quickly at Wal-Mart, mall accessories stores and corner gas stations.

Now, kids stack them along their arms and trade them like baseball cards for camouflage and rainbow colors. Even kids with baggy pants and pierced tongues wear them.

The bracelets have their own protocol: If someone asks about one, the wearer is supposed to offer it as a gift to help spread the message.

"It helps me to think before I do something stupid," said Christine Hoffsten, 14, of Grosse Pointe, Mich., who attends a public school. "Almost everyone in my grade has them. For some people it makes them better, but I've seen some people wear them just because it's cool. I've seen people use the Lord's name in vain wearing them."



Photo by Julius Bodner

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Well, not exactly. Taylor & Sons supermarket will be moving into this building at the junction of Park Avenue and 25 Mile Avenue. The building formerly was occupied by Buddy's, a discount outlet. Also, the building once housed Taylor & Son's supermarket before it relocated to Sugarland Mall.

'Yalie' faces re-arrest

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) -Tonica Jenkins was about to get a second chance.

Instead of facing a likely prison sentence for allegedly cheating her way into Yale University, Ms. Jenkins was poised to accept a plea bargain that would have allowed her to remain a free woman.

"We believed this to be a wonderful outcome," said her lawyer, Norman Pattis. "I spoke to her Monday, and it was clear she was coming to Connecticut to accept the deal."

*But as the judge, district attorney and her parents waited for her in court Wednesday, it became increasingly clear that Ms. Jenkins wasn't going to show up.



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EMMY NOMINEES

'Ally McBeal' gives fresh face to selections

By LYNN ELBER **AP Television Writer**

LOS ANGELES - It looks a lot like last year. There's the new hit Fox series, "Ally McBeal," and HBO's 12-part "From the Earth to the Moon," but otherwise the Emmy nominees look very familiar: "ER," "The X-Files," "Frasier," "NYPD Blue"

and "The Larry Sanders Show."
While "ER" and "The X-Files" grabbed more nominations, the attention was on the 10 given to politically incorrect "Ally McBeal," with its man-hungry, mini-skirted lawyer that has feminists shuddering. In addition to best comedy, its star, Calista Flockhart, was nominated as best actress.

The watchdog Parents Television Council even included "Ally McBeal" on its "dirty dozen shows" list released Thursday, critical of overt sexual content including "oral sex, the differences between marital and non-marital intercourse (and) prostitution."

The most nominations announced Thursday - 17 went to "From the Earth to the Moon," the Tom Hanks/Brian Grazer-produced story of the space program.

'We had no idea it would be received this well. The demographic these days is all about teen-agers and 'Dawson's Creek' and all and everybody still saw it," Grazer said.

NBC's "ER" and Fox's "The X-Files," had 16 nominations each, and the NBC miniseries "Merlin" earned 15. NBC's "Frasier" got 11 and HBO's "The Larry Sanders Show" and ABC's "NYPD Blue" had 10 each.

The 50th anniversary Primetime Emmy Awards will be broadcast live Sept. 13 on NBC.

NBC led the way with 86 nominations, followed by HBO with 72, ABC with 54 and CBS with 36. Fox received 35 and Turner Network Television got 18.

"Ally McBeal" creator-producer David E. Kelley gambled that his hourlong series about oddball lawyers and their oddball love lives would fare better in the comedy category than in the drama category. The comedy category is usually limited to half-hour sitcoms, but producers can enter shows almost any way they want.

Kelley, a protege of "NYPD Blue" producer Steven Bochco, also scored a coup with a best drama nomination for his other legal show, ABC's "The Practice," and with writing nominations for both series. It's the first time a producer has had two series nominated for best comedy and drama in one year.

"He could end up winning both sides and be the spoiler at 'Frasier's' party this time," said Thomas O'Neil, author of the book "The Emmys." The NBC sitcom will set a record if it wins its fifth best comedy

"I'm thrilled for him," Bochco said of Kelley. "He's this tremendously talented man. I'm happy for him. And I hope we beat him.'

Besides "Ally McBeal" and "Frasier," the best comedy nominees are "Seinfeld," "The Larry Sanders Show" and "3rd Rock From the Sun."

In the best drama category, besides "ER," "The X-Files" and "The Practice," the nominees are "NYPD Blue" and last year's winner, NBC's "Law & Order."

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forage availability has become critical.

"The region remains at about 30 to 40 percent of long-term average cattle stocking rates," he said.

East Texas district Extension director Tony Douglas said the drought conditions are severe there.

and the hay yields are off 80 percent," Douglas said.

Terry Lockamy, district Extension

and range conditions continue to

"Livestock are losing body condition quickly and supplemental feeding is heavy," he said.

The following crop and weather conditions were reported by district Extension directors:

PANHANDLE: soil moisture very 'Pastures are in critical condition short. Hot, dry with isolated thunderstorms providing limited moisture. All dryland crop production severely hurt or lost. Corn poor to director for South Texas, said pasture good. Irrigated sorghum and soybeans low.

fair to good. Peanuts fair to good. Range declining.

SOUTH PLAINS: soil moisture very short. Hot and dry conditions prevail. Corn doing well. Irrigated cotton fair to good. Sorghum and soybeans fair to good. Peanuts good; hot weather will reduce yields. Pastures and ranges in poor to fair condition.

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This is a fantastic Auction of fine antique furniture, collectible and designer furnishings from various estates and consignments. Every quality item will be moved to the large Bull Barn for your comfort and convenience where there will be plenty of parking, seating and air conditioning! Everything must be sold and moved day of sale! A partial listing: A very beautiful antique 1890s American Golden oak bedroom suite with 7 ft. tall heavy carved bed and matching carved dresser in mint condition - A must see! A very rare "Yietor" Victrola with tall ornate music cabinet stand and records - A must see! A very beautiful carved formal Chippendale table and 8 matching chairs - A must see! A very nice hallseat with beautiful beveled mirror. A very ornate antique Victorian bedroom suite with 71/2 ft. tall double door wardrobe, matching marble top dresser, nightstand and tall carved bed - the nicest we have seen! A rare 1873 hex barrel authentic Winchester .32 cal. rifle in very good working condition - A must see! A heavy carved 1860s American cak bookcase. A very nice 9 pc. antique dining room suite with large china cabinet, buffet, big legged table and 6 chairs. A very rare 7½ ft. tall antique Victorian cylinder roll desk with carved crown bookcase top. A large collection of western bronze statues by Fredric Remington - such as the "Mountain Man" and others. A heavy carved crystal cabinet. A beautiful oriental dressing screen. A beautiful large French entry console with hairy paw feet and double marble top. A large bronze lamp titled "Wheat Lady" with Tiffany-style shades - A must see! A beautiful antique German grandfather clock with carved oak case in very good working condition, dates 1920. A large leaded glass lamp in Tiffany-styling with heavy bronze base. A powder box signed "Wavecrest" in mint condition. Silver dollars, tea sets, mirrors, Hummels, Galle' and over 50 pcs. of fine cut crystal and much, much more!!

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Hereford will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 28, 1998 at 5:30 a.m., in the City Commission Chambers of Hereford City Hall. The City is in the process of developing a request for grant assistance from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for funds to improve the City's park and recreation system. The purpose of this meeting is to familarize residents with the City's current proposal to develop a new baseball complex and to obtain citizen comments and input regarding this proposed project. During the same hearing, the City Commission will also consider adopting a recently developed draft Local Park, Recreation and Open Space Master Plan. The master plan is intended to guide the City's recreational facilities/program development efforts during the next five years.

The City invites all interested residents to attend this public hearing and to make their views known to the City Commission. Written comments and suggestions may be sent to Mr. Chester Nolen, City Manager, P. O. Box 2277, Hereford, Texas 79045-2277. Disabled individuals wishing to attend this meeting should contact City Hall at least 48 hours prior to the meeting in order to make any necessary arrangements for assistance.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION ADVERTISE-

Jaime Garcia has made application with the Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Wine & Beer Retailer's Off-Premise Permit to be located at the north/south intersection of FM2856 and Highway 60, County of Deaf Smith, and operated under the trade name of J+J's Beer & Wine.

NANS in brief

Jury convicts Palestinian, acquits second in bomb-plot

NEW YORK (AP) - A self-proclaimed terrorist has been convicted of planning to blow up a busy New York subway station, the third successful prosecution involving bomb plots in the nation's most populous city in the past five years.

A federal jury found Gazi Ibrahim Abu Mezer, 24, guilty of plotting to blow up the station with a pipe bomb. Prosecutors said he planned the attack to "burn the Jews" and win freedom for six Arab militants imprisoned in the United States and Israel.

Abu Mezer, who faces life in prison, jumped to his feet after Thursday's verdict was read and shouted "Allahu Akbar! (God is great)" as he held up the Koran, the Muslim holy book. He later held both hands up, index fingers extended, and smirked as he was escorted away in handcuffs.

Odwalla pleads guilty in E. coli outbreak

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) Juice maker Odwalla Inc. has pleaded guilty to federal charges and agreed to pay a \$1.5 million fine for an E. coli outbreak blamed on bad apple juice that killed a baby and made 66 others ill two years ago.

It is the first criminal conviction in a large-scale outbreak caused by contaminated food, federal officials said Thursday. It is also the largest criminal fine in a food injury case in history.

The outbreak was blamed on contaminated unpasteurized apple juice made at an Odwalla plant in Dinuba, near Fresno.

GM's relationship with UAW could change

could fundamentally change.

use its strongest tool - the strike against any of the Big Three to work for a month. automakers. The union would be more likely to turn to arbitration to suspended Depardieu's driver's resolve national disputes between license for 15 months. triennial contract talks.

University labor professor. "What it films in the United States. would do in the long run is reduce the number of local strikes."

Troubled juvenile prison under new management

TALLULAH, La. (AP) Louisiana's only privately run juvenile prison, hit this summer with allegations of savage abuse and inhumane conditions, has been taken over by the state.

Corrections Secretary Richard Stalder said his department replaced Trans-American Development Associates Inc. on Wednesday as operator of the 620-bed Tallulah Correctional Center for Youth. Stalder said the decision was

prompted by Warden David Bonnette's resignation and by two separate incidents in which 15 inmates were locked in their cells and another set fire to his clothes.

warming funding Republican-led Congress, setting its own spending priorities, is moving to

sites. The House approved legislation Thursday cutting Clinton's requests for climate-related energy efficiency programs. Lawmakers also moved toward approving legislation that

blunt many of President Clinton's top

environmental initiatives, from global

warming to cleaning up toxic waste

climate treaty reached in Kyoto, Japan. Critics charged the White House was maneuvering "through the back door" to achieve the goals of the Kyoto accord, reached in Japan last December, without the Senate first

ratifying the pact. Administration

would bar spending on activities to

comply with a yet-to-be-ratified

officials have denied any such intention.

The House also reduced money requested by Clinton for public land purchases and for endangered species protection. The moves came as lawmakers, by a 245-181 vote, approved a \$13.4 billion spending bill for the Interior and Energy depart-

The bill provides \$632 million for energy conservation and research programs, about \$200 million less than what the administration had wanted for its climate initiatives.

Climate-related spending by the EPA, included in a separate bill debated Thursday night but not expected to be approved until next week, would reduce Clinton's climate funding requests by nearly 60 percent, or \$106 million less than requested.

The president, in a statement, said the cuts were unfortunate and would restrict our ability to move forward with cost-effective steps to reduce greenhouse gases that cause global warming.

The White House won a partial victory when the House voted 226-198 to strip from the EPA spending measure language that would have barred environmental areas.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The agencies from even debating or holding seminars on climate change.

Final action on the EPA legislation, part of a massive \$94 billion spending bill that also covers veterans and housing programs, was put off until next Tuesday.

The bill includes \$1.5 billion for the Superfund toxic waste program, about \$650 million short of what Clinton had sought to speed up cleanup at waste sites. Sponsors of the bill said funds should not be increased for Superfund until it is revamped.

The spending levels approved by the House for natural resource programs brought a sharp response from Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt, who likened it to Republican assaults on environmental laws three years ago.

"It's 1995 all over again. Rather than attempting to repeal or gut these laws head-on, they're doing it by starving the programs," Babbitt said in a telephone interview.

The Interior bill calls for:

- Less money for endangered species protection than the administration had sought. Babbitt said the shortfall would threaten efforts to develop new agreements with private groups for species protection.

- Scrapping a Northwest regional ecosystem management program for the six-state Columbia River Basin. Babbitt predicted that without the regional approach "it will be another spotted owl train wreck" over protecting salmon and other imperiled species in the Northwest.

Rep. George Nethercutt, R-Wash., called the regional program a "monstrosity (that) has become a nightmare" and which infringes on property rights and local control of environmental management. An attempt to salvage the program failed 202-221.

While the bill would boost overall spending for operating national parks, it cuts funds requested by the administration for land purchases in or near refuges, parks, and wilderness

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GERARD DEPARDIEU

VERSAILLES, France (AP) DETROIT (AP) - If an arbitrator Gerard Depardieu, whose agrees with General Motors Corp. blood-alcohol content was five times that two crippling United Auto the legal limit when he crashed his Workers strikes violate their national motorcycle last May, was given a contract, the balance of power three-month suspended sentence and between the company and union fined \$1,600 for drunken driving.

The star of "Cyrano de Bergerac" Such a ruling, if upheld, likely and "Green Card" suffered leg and would make the UAW less willing to facial injuries in the accident in nearby Clairefontaine and was unable

The court on Thursday also

Depardieu told the court that he "That would certainly civilize the had been drinking heavily the night process a great deal," said Dale before the crash after clinching a Brickner, a retired Michigan State contract to distribute three French

ROY ROGERS ESTATE LOS ANGELES (AP) - The estate

of the late Roy Rogers and his widow owe more than \$700,000 in back taxes and penalties for shares in real estate partnerships given to their children, the Internal Revenue Service says.

Rogers, who died earlier this month of heart failure, and his wife, Dale Evans, listed the value of the partnerships at around \$600,000. But the IRS said they were worth more than \$1.4 million, the Los Angeles Times reported Thursday.

The partnerships' main asset is a 50-acre Victorville property that houses the Roy Rogers-Dale Evans Museum.

WAYLON JENNINGS

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - Before signing on with Ark 21, a record label missile technology to Iran.

founded by the former manager of the Police, Waylon Jennings said he had a few firm rules.

"I said, 'I just want to cut an album, and I don't want anybody to look at it and say that's rock or that's country or that's what," Jennings said of his 72nd album, "Closing in on the Fire.

The result is a little bit country, a little bit bluesy, a little bit rock and a little bit honky-tonk.

Jennings, 61, predicts his age will keep the record off radio playlists.

'They won't play anyone over 45," he said. "I don't know what age has to do with it."

AL GORE, SERGEI KIRIYENKO MOSCOW (AP) - Vice President

Al Gore and Russian Prime Minister Sergei Kiriyenko drew up plans today for a presidential summit that is likely to take place in a little more than a It was Gore's first meeting with

Kiriyenko since he became prime minister earlier this year, and the vice president said he was impressed. "He's committed to reform,"

Gore told NBC-TV News. "He's a dynamic, decisive young prime minister. He seems to be off to a great start." The leaders' main task was to set

the agenda for a Moscow summit between President Clinton and Russian leader Boris Yeltsin, planned for the end of August or early September.

The two sides also discussed two topics of long-term concern to the United States: the spread of Russian

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Trading improves

NEW YORK (AP) - With more than 400 points gone in less than a week, Wall Street's summer rally isn't looking so powerful. But at least today's early trading didn't make things any worse.

The Dow Jones industrial average managed a 37.85-point gain to 8,970.83 in the opening minutes today after its sixth-worst point drop on Thursday lopped 195.93 of the closely followed market gauge.

The drop came as aircraft maker Boeing joined a chorus of blue-chip companies predicting profit troubles ahead.

Thursday's close of 8.932.98 was the first below 9,000 since July 1 for the Dow, which only last Friday closed at a record high of 9,337.97.



Photo by Julius Bodner

Taking shape

Work is progressing rapidly on the new car wash on North 25 Mile Avenue. The car wash, which will be the "northern" branch of Cowboy's Car Wash, will be open for business soon, easing some of the lines that manage to creep into the street at the "southern" operation.

Ruling party picks

after a meeting with Israeli Public Security Minister Avigdor Kahalani.

black WWII veterans WASHINGTON (AP) - More than a half-century ago, they answered the call to arms against Germany.

Army honors five

NEWS in brief

Only on Thursday did the five black soldiers finally get full recognition from the Army.

At a ceremony in the Pentagon's Hall of Heroes, the Army's No. 2 general awarded medals to the soldiers. They were among 2,221 blacks answering Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's emergency request to serve in the front lines with units depleted in the fight against Germany.

The opportunity to be the first black soldiers to serve with white troops on the front lines came with a catch, however. The volunteers had to give up their noncommissioned officer's stripes and serve as privates. When they returned to their units at the end of the war, their lost rank was pride," said Chris Allgood, 18. not restored.

After the war, when the military decided to award the Bronze Star to all who had served as combat infantrymen, these men were not contacted.

Experts adviser approval for vision laser treatment

WASHINGTON (AP) - The first laser system to correct farsightedness has won recommended approval from the government's scientific advisers.

Visx Inc.'s laser already is used widely to correct near sightedness, the inability to see clearly at a distance.

Advisers to the Food and Drug Administration voted unanimously Thursday that the laser appears also to help mild to moderate farsightedness, or difficulty in seeing objects at close range. The panel was split on whether Visx provided enough data to prove it helps severe farsighted-

The panel did set conditions for approval. Expressing unease about the stability of patients' eyes after surgery, advisers urged the FDA to require six months of follow-up data on certain test patients.

Arafat agrees to resume direct talks with Israel

Viagra isn't

on VA list

medical treatment facilities.

department.

RAMALLAH, West Bank (AP) -In a change of position, Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat agreed today to resume talks with Israel over the scope of a West Bank troop withdrawal.

Arafat made the announcement

The Palestinians had said after three negotiating sessions with Israel this week that they saw no point in returning to the table until Israel accepted a U.S. proposal for an Israeli troop pullback from 13 percent of the West Bank.

Teens cite alienation, pride in violence

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) - Ask teen-agers to discuss violence, and they recite a string of causes from wounded pride and malicious gossip to a deeper sense of not belonging,

'It takes one word of gossip, it takes one bad word from your friend," 18-year-old Zohra Atmar told Attorney General Janet Reno and Education Secretary Richard Riley at their first talk session on school violence. The violence "comes down quickly," Atmar said Thursday. "A lot of violence comes from hurt

The only way for the slighted person to divert the shame is to bring the attention on the other" through violence, said Kate Riddile, also 18. "Nobody wants to back down and look like a coward." When a fight breaks out, others encourage it by forming a circle.

Police seek paper carrier accused of killing boss SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich. (AP)

Ken Fazzari crouched in terror beneath a desk in the office of The Evening News as footsteps came toward him.

Moments earlier, two shotgun blasts had shattered the Thursday morning hum of activity in the building. He had seen circulation manager Anthony Gillespie mortally wounded. Now someone was walking in the direction of Fazzari, the newspaper's editor.

"I was just thinking, you know, 'Oh my God. What next?' because I really thought it was the shooter. Thank God it was one of my co-workers," he said.

Fazzari grabbed a phone and called-911 before he and the newspaper's advertising manager bolted for the back door, where police officers were waiting. About 15 employees remained inside for nearly five hours as police surrounded the building, thinking the gunman might be holding hostages.

It now appears he left shortly after the shooting.

veteran politician

party lawmakers overwhelmingly picked Foreign Minister Keizo Obuchi as their choice for prime minister, ignoring public calls for a fresh face to help surmount the country's drastic economic problems.

Obuchi, a party stalwart with a long but conventional career in government, snared 225 of the 411 votes cast in the first ballot, easily beating former Chief Cabinet Secretary Sciroku Kajiyama and Health Minister Junichiro Koizumi: Kajiyama came in second with 102 votes and Koizumi took 84.

While the vote was technically to pick the president of the Liberal Democratic Party, that person automatically becomes the party's candidate for prime minister when Parliament convenes to choose a new premier, expected on July 30. Obuchi is nearly certain to win because the LDP has a comfortable majority in the powerful lower house, which can overrule opposition from the upper

People in Tokyo expressed resigned displeasure at the LDP's choice of staid party-insider Obuchi, who had the least popular support among the candidates. "I'm beyond disappointment,"

said trading company employee Yuko Imamura, 28. "This way, there was no point in having the upper house elections.

Obuchi, 61, would take over from Prime Minister Ryutaro Hashimoto, who announced last week that he would resign after the party's stunning setback in July 12 elections for the upper house. He also would assume stewardship of Japan's economy, now in its worst recession since World War II.

The new LDP standard-bearer vowed today to straighten out Japan's financial mess. "The key issue at the moment is to repair Japan's economy, fulfill our expected role in the international community and ease the public's uncertainty about the future," Obuchi told reporters in a news conference after the vote.

It was uncertain if Obuchi was up to the task of making major changes analysts say are needed to solve the myriad problems with his country's economy.

So far, he has prescribed an income tax cut worth \$42.6 billion and \$70.9 billion in new spending to kickstart growth and spur lagging consumption, moves economists say

TOKYO (AP) - Japan's ruling are needed but possibly insufficient. "There will be a new face, but no big policy, changes," said Shigenori Okazaki, a political analyst at SBC Warburg Japan Ltd., pointing out that Obuchi is supported by the same party cliques that were behind

Hashimoto. In currency trading, Obuchi's victory failed to trigger a massive sell-off of the yen that some had predicted, despite some doubt about the strength of his economic program. Obuchi was elected after trading ended on the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

The vote followed what was by Japanese standards a rough-and-tumble campaign for party president, an open race forced by a boisterous band of younger dissidents who argued the ruling party had to abandon backroom politics and appeal directly to voters to enhance its popular support.

Kajiyama, 72, jumped into the race after establishing himself in recent months as an economic reformer, at one point declaring that more than half of Japan's debt-laden banks should be allowed to fail. Koizumi, 56, who has proposed privatizing Japan's massive postal-savings system, was the favorite of party

As the second-place finisher with appeal inside and beyond the party, Kajiyama, who served for a time under Hashimoto, could be in line for a prominent spot in an Obuchi cabinet.

'Today is a new start for me," he told reporters, vowing to work inside the party to make it more appealing

Party dissidents were disappointed, There were rumblings that some of the more disaffected members could defect or abstain from the upcoming Parliament vote, but the numbers were small enough that the threats were unlikely to block an Obuchi premiership.

"I was surprised. I thought I would be the runner-up," said Koizumi. "I guess the LDP has not developed enough flexibility to approve me."

A top opposition leader said Obuchi's emergence would not lead to a change in Japan's direction.

Without changes in the LDP's politics and its systems, there is little hope that they can live up to the public's expectations," said Kunio Hatoyama, vice president of the largest opposition group, the Liberal Party.

GOP lawmakers express alarm at missile testing by Iranians WASHINGTON (AP) - A month misleading" the public about threats

after Secretary of State Madeleine Albright invited Iran to establish normal relations, Republican lawmakers are expressing alarm over the implications of Iran's test of a missile capable of hitting much of the Middle East.

Sen. Sam Brownback, R-Kan., chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee on the Near East and South Asian Affairs, said Wednesday's test creates "a new and incredibly more dangerous environment for the Middle East."

Sen. Richard Shelby, R-Ala., chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, said if Iran has a missile capable of threatening its neighbors, what is to stop them from developing the means to deliver such a weapon upon the United States and any of our allies?"

House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., reiterated calls for a national missile defense system and accused the administration of "consistently

to the nation's security.

'We've been telling the administration for over a year the Russians are helping the Iranians," Gingrich said Thursday evening in a keynote speech at the Young America's Foundation conference for conservative students.

'We are tired of the Clinton-Gore administration misleading us," he

Rep. Jim Saxton, R-N.J., criticized the administration's "warm and fuzzy" approach to Iran and China and said the true power in Tehran continues to rest with militant clerics and not the more moderate elected leadership led by President Mohammad Khatami.

At the State Department, spokesman James P. Rubin also expressed concern about the test but said the most prudent course was to engage Iran so that such issues could be dealt with directly between the two

At the time last month when Albright called for steps toward normal relations, she did so "with her eyes wide open," Rubin said, adding that the secretary was well aware of Iran's dark side.

The question is, will Iran pursue policies that don't threaten the interest of its neighbors in the world. And we think one of the ways in which we can try to achieve that objective, in addition to retarding and deterring the assistance to Iran from other countries, is to talk to the Iranians and express our concerns directly to them," Rubin said.

Rubin added that despite the test, Iran's missile capability is still in the developmental stage.

He said Iran obtained the technology from North Korea, disputing suggestions of a Russia and Chinese role in assisting the Iranians. He also indicated that the test does not cancel out what he described as the positive actions Iran has taken in such areas as terrorism.





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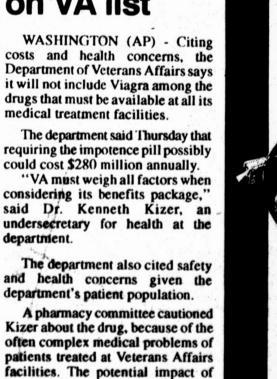
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