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Today's weather OUTLOOK

Wind advisory in effect

A wind advisory is in effect until 6 pm today. Tonight, partly cloudy with a low near 30, north wind diminishing to 15-20 mph with some higher gusts.

Thursday, partly sunny with a high in the lower 50s, north wind 15-20 mph and gusty.

Extended forecast

Friday, partly cloudy, low in the upper 20s, high around 50.

Saturday, partly cloudy. Low in the upper 20s, high in the mid-50s.

Sunday, partly cloudy, low near 35, high in the upper 60s.

Tuesday recap

High, 75; low, 40; precipitation, 0.5 inch.

Gramm aide to participate in ceremony at the library

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Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas

Special to The Brand

A top aide to U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm will be in Hereford on Friday to participate in a ceremony honoring the efforts of the Deaf Smith County Library to promote literacy and offer expanded educational opportunities in the community.

The ceremony, which is part of National Library Week, will begin at noon Friday at the library, 211 E. 4th.

Eric Sawyer, West Texas regional assistant for Gramm, will present a certificate of appreciation from the senator.

Sawyer also will read a letter from Gramm recognizing the library's efforts to promote literacy in the community. Librarian Rebecca Walls also will participate in the ceremony.

National Library Week is being celebrated through Saturday. This year's theme is "Read! Learn! Connect! @ the Library."

In a press release, Gramm, a former college professor, stated, "In every city across America, libraries are making a commitment to help promote literacy and learning."

"National Library Week is a time to recognize the people who have already made education awareness and reading a part of their life, and offers us an opportunity to encourage others to volunteer their time and talents to their local library."

National Library Week, sponsored by the National Library Association, was initiated to promote the use and support of all types of libraries and to make the public aware of the many services libraries provide their communities.



The rain which moved through Hereford on Tuesday left intersections, such as this one on Lee Street, flooded.

Many homeless following storms

Hail, rain and wind pound region; more than a dozen relief agencies convert church into command post

The Associated Press

Dozens of families are homeless and some residents were injured as twisters, baseball-size hail and heavy rains pounded West Texas, with some storms also producing straight-line gusts above 70 mph.

The U.S. Army Reserve, Red Cross and Salvation Army were summoned late Tuesday to help up to 150 southeast Midland County residents whose homes were ravaged by a storm of hail, rain and wind.

At least 20 homes were destroyed, said Lt. Judy Altom, a Texas Department of Public Safety spokeswoman. About 60 others were damaged or left without power, said Doug Belcher, a volunteer with the Red Cross Service of Southwest Texas.

More than a dozen relief agencies, under the glare of floodlights, converted Cotton Flat Baptist Church at Rankin Highway and County Road 150 into a command post that Belcher said will remain open for the next few days.

"We'll be open as long as shelter and feeding is needed," he told the *Midland Reporter-Telegram*.

The DPS reported minor injuries. "We've had quite a bit of damage," said Ms. Altom.

Although a funnel cloud reportedly touched down in the Valley View area south of Midland, Ms. Altom said authorities have not been able to confirm the twister. She said the wind did reach speeds of 70 mph and greater.

The National Weather Service said twisters touched down near Rotan, McCamey, Upton and Greenwood, where up to 3 1/2 inches of rain fell. No injuries were reported there.

In Deaf Smith County, a mini-twister tore the roof from a mobile home on County Road M and Hereford reported a half-inch of rain during the thunderstorms.

Dozens of homes were also damaged in Wellington as a cool front and accompanying squall line raced through the Panhandle.

"We have a list of extensive damage to 43 homes — roofs torn off and such — along with a lot of (power) pole damage," said LeAnn Popwell, dispatcher-jailer for Collingsworth County.

Top drivers Sapp, Porras gain spots in state's road contest

Special to The Brand

Two Hereford School Bus drivers recently took two of the top four places in the Region 16 Bus Road/E/O competition and will advance in the state Road/E/O meet in June. Only the best four drivers from each region of the state qualify for the state Road/E/O.

Bennie Sapp and Elva Porras captured second and third places respectively in the annual event conducted Saturday at Randall High School. They compete against the top drivers in the state June 19-23 in Corpus Christi.

Only full-time school bus drivers employed by districts within Texas are eligible for the competition and they are graded on a three-part test.

A written exam is administered to each contestant, who also must complete a pre-trip inspection of a school bus. In this part of the test, the driver must detect and identify six defects within a given length of time.

The third part of the contest is a driving skills event which requires the contestant to drive a certified school bus through a specially designed obstacle course which challenges their skills and ability to maneuver through special situations and conditions.

David Morris, director of Transportation for Hereford Independent School District, said the qualifications of Sapp and Porras for the state competition is the first time in several years that local drivers have advanced to the next level of competition.



Bennie Sapp, Elva Porras

President expected to call up reserves

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton is expected to call up thousands of military reserves to support a major buildup of NATO air power as strikes against Yugoslavia target more Serb troops hunkered down in Kosovo, U.S. officials say.

Pentagon spokesman Kenneth Bacon said today that "several thousand" reservists likely would be ordered to active duty. He would not be more specific, and said Defense Secretary William Cohen had not yet made his formal recommendation to the White House.

The Clinton administration, preparing for an extended air campaign now that three weeks of bombing has failed to halt the Serb war on ethnic Albanians, also will seek emergency money from Congress for the NATO operation.

The Pentagon said it could be \$3 billion to \$4 billion, but congressional estimates say \$5 billion.

"We are taking our allied air campaign to the next level," Clinton said Tuesday after asking members of Congress to give the NATO attack more

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Local candidates outline stands on the issues

By Dianna F. Dandridge

Hereford Brand Staff Writer

Candidates for Hereford City Commission, and the Deaf Smith County Hospital District and Hereford Independent School District boards on Sunday told voters where they stand on current issues during a candidate forum Sunday afternoon at the school district administration building.

Hospital board candidates Bobby Owen, Ernest Flood, Dr. Steve Lawlis, Joe Hamby, Shelly Brock and Jesse Rincones addressed questions regarding the care provided at Hereford Regional Medical Center, home health, and areas of concern. Candidate Pat Stone was unable to attend the forum, but her husband made opening and closing remarks on her behalf.

Brock, Hamby and Owen said they all have been patients in the hospital and had no complaints with the quality of care given.

The questions of home health care brought varying answers, but none of the candidates discussed Medicare, which controls most home health care.

Lawlis did say the number of local home health care facilities has decreased from three

to only one, but he feels that with some work from the board more services could be provided.

Candidates were also questioned on areas such as the additional medical care needed, and improved employee benefits.

Candidates' answers all showed genuine concern for the local hospital, its patients and employees.

The second most-contested race is the school board.

Incumbents Dave Charest, Charlie Arellano and Tracy Straughan and challengers Carolyn Waters and Lou Serrano fielded the school-related questions.

They were asked about needed improvements, the community in education, vouchers and the current financial status of the district.

Questions were primarily directed to incumbents Arellano, Straughan and his opponent Serrano because Charest and Waters are unopposed.

Serrano, who has a background as a juvenile probation officer and a children's protective service worker, voiced strong concerns for the need to put discipline back into the schools.

Serrano said board members should show strong communication ties with the teachers and the superintendent, but he believes the current administration is lacking in that regard.

He also placed strong emphasis on the need to select a superintendent who wants to call Hereford home and who has already given years of service to the district and the children.

Straughan said great strides have been made in the last three years, and he does not look forward to another superintendent search.

"We are now in the position of looking for a new CEO," Straughan said. "That's what schools have become — a business that is about educating our kids."

Straughan said the district is "very, very sound financially."

He said that following the March board meeting, the district had approximately \$3.7 million audit fund balance above what was budgeted.

Other financial items included the reduced tax rate and the programs which have been installed to improve the facilities.

"As of the last...meeting, the district had approximately \$10.9 million of the grant funds available, invested and earning 6 percent interest."

The subject of the volunteer exit incentive program, where teachers with 20 years total experience and at least three years in the district could opt for early retirement, drew considerable discussion.

Waters said no one was forced to take the buyout. Straughan said the program allowed the district to decrease over-staffing problems and cut costs by replacing many long-time educators with teachers of lesser experience, but not completely new to the field.

Serrano claimed the main goal of this program was to rid the district of more experienced teachers at the expense of the students.

City Commission candidates Joe Garza and Martha Rincon are challenging incumbent Silvana Juarez, but neither expanded on the questions presented.

Hereford Cablevision will present the Candidates Forum in its entirety at 7 p.m. April 15, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28 and 30 on Cable Channel 8.

THE HEREFORD BRAND Local roundup

FFA raising funds

The Hereford FFA chapter is participating in a special fundraising program through Thursday. The FFA members are collecting box tops from WIX filters and will receive 25 cents per box top plus a chance at two \$1,000 club bonuses. The funds will go to support club events. Tops can be turned in to any FFA member, at the Hereford High School or at any participating auto parts store.

Schools schedule book fairs

West Central PTO will be holding a Troll Book Fair next week in the school media center.

Hours are 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Friday.

The event features the best of children's literature, with hundreds of award-winning and other popular titles on display. The public is welcome.

For more information, call 363-7690.

Northwest Primary School, 400 Moreman, will conduct its book fair, 8:30-3 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 8:30 a.m.-noon Friday in the school library.

The public is invited.

Study club offers scholarship

The Nouvelles Amies Study Club will accept applications from graduating seniors for two \$250 scholarships. Applications are available in the Hereford High School office and all graduating seniors are encouraged to apply. For more information or to pick up an application, call 364-1834 after 6 p.m.

ME&T plans local session

Representatives of Motivation Education & Training of Plainview will be in Hereford at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in Room 200 of the Deaf Smith County Courthouse, 235 E. 3rd, to assist county agricultural workers who meet the criteria for training.

For more information, call Judy Baker, Deaf Smith County Social Services, at 363-7075.

Crisis advisory board meeting

The Hereford Women's and Children's Crisis Center advisory board will meet at noon of Friday in the dining room of Hereford Regional Medical Center. Items on the agenda include discussion of the Office of the Attorney General contract request, bylaws and report of upcoming events. This is an open meeting.

Community talent show

The Hereford High School Community-wide talent show will be April 29 at the High School Auditorium.

Tryouts will begin 2 p.m. April 18, in the auditorium. Prizes in the adult division will be \$100, \$50, and \$25. Student prizes will be \$100, \$50 for musical talent and \$100, \$50 variety. For more information or to pick up an entry form contact Poppy Head at the High School office at 363-7620.

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News in brief

Dogs in search; radius moves north

TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, N.M. (AP) — Investigators using cadaver-sniffing dogs fanned out in search of a missing woman's body in the desert near where two other women allege they were held in chains and sexually tortured.

The missing 22-year-old, Marie Parker, is believed to have been killed, and Dennis Roy Yancy, 27, is charged with murder even though her body has not been found. On Tuesday, two specially trained search dogs and accompanying officers covered an area 10 miles north of Truth or Consequences and Elephant Butte, state police Lt. Greg Richardson said.

"They are looking for anything that can help them locate a body, evidence, whatnot," Richardson said Tuesday. "We have someone who said he murdered someone. That's the only body we have to look for right now."

The Labrador retrievers combed arroyos off Interstate 25 near where investigators searched Saturday, then expanded the search radius to 10 miles north, Richardson said.

Yancy, 27, was arrested Friday. Parker vanished in July 1997 from a bar in Elephant Butte.

Investigators have said Parker's murder is connected to the Elephant Butte torture case against David Parker Ray and Cynthia Lea Hendy. But as of Tuesday, Yancy was the only one charged with murder. Police have not said how the cases are linked.

The case against Ray and Hendy broke March 22 when an Albuquerque woman fled their mobile home and told police she had been abducted, shocked with electricity and sexually tortured. A second woman came forward a few days later, accusing the couple of kidnapping and sexually torturing her in February.

Investigators say they haven't ruled out additional homicides and suspects.

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Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for April 13, 1999, include the following:

POLICE DEPARTMENT Incidents

— A 33-year-old woman was assaulted by her husband in the 900 block of Julian.

— Charges of a false report to a police officer and reckless damage and destruction were filed on two teens.

— An assault was reported in the 900 block of West First.

— Class C criminal mischief

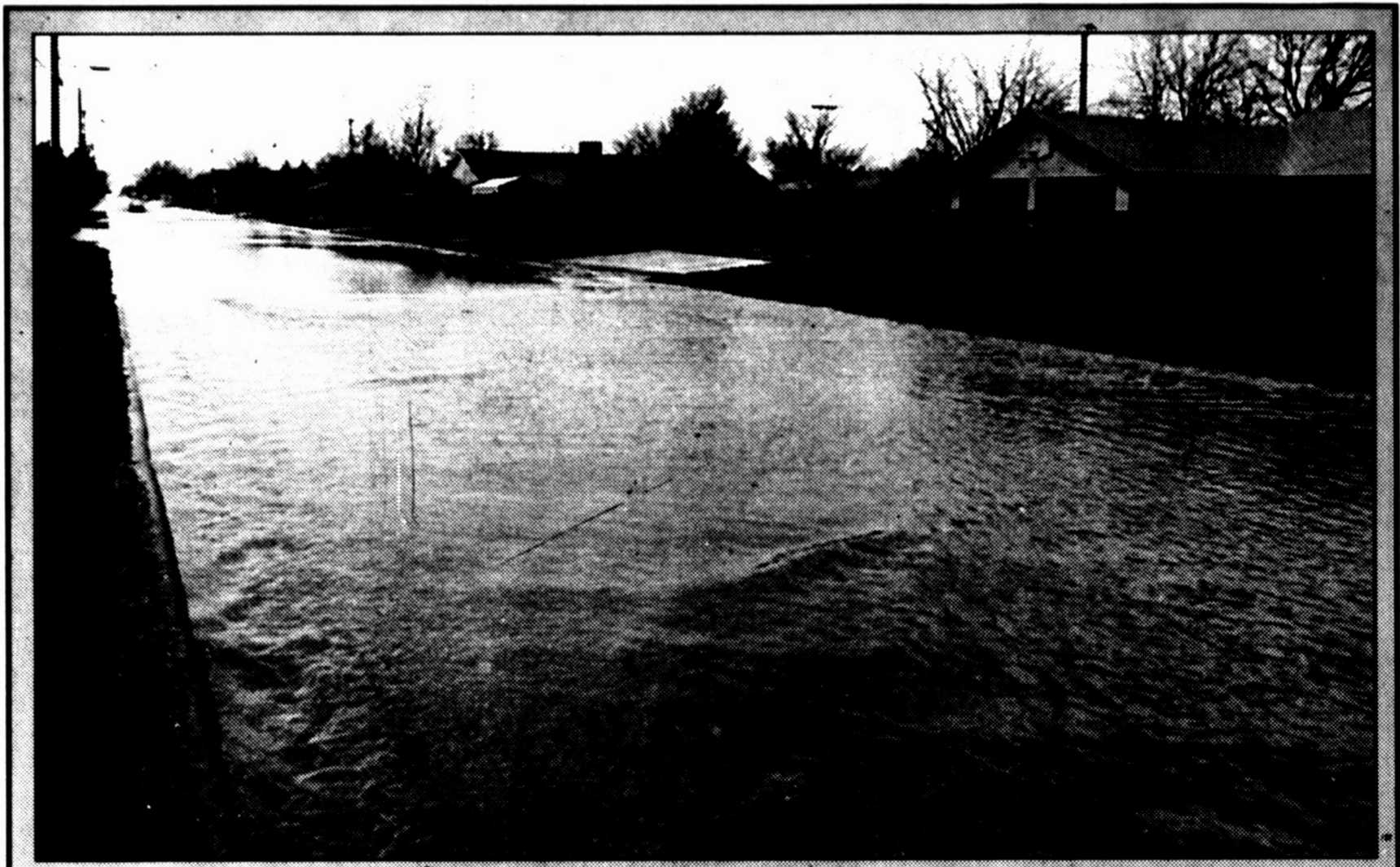
were filed against a 15-year-old boy for allegedly throwing a burrito at and hitting a car's windshield.

— Domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of Avenue H.

— A two car accident was reported in the 200 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT Arrests

— A 20-year-old man was arrested and charged with violation of probation.



Flooded intersection — A thunderstorm which moved about a half-inch of rain, causing some flooding, such as at the intersection of Centre and Plains in Hereford.

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Local economy declines

By Don Cooper

Hereford Brand Managing Editor

Hereford's economy dipped last month, according to the Texas Comptroller's Office.

The city's sales tax rebate payment for April was \$73,572.12, down 10.6 percent from the \$82,326.09 it received in April 1998. The April rebate, also was down from the \$75,641.56 received in March.

For the year, Hereford has received \$264,858.68, down 1.6 percent from the \$269,255.15 for the same period last year.

Deaf Smith County received a payment of \$25,442.99, down 12.3 percent from the \$28,977.85 it received in April 1998. The April payment also was slightly lower than the \$25,831.08.

For the year, the county has received \$118,112.24, a 1.7 percent decline from the same period in 1998.

The comptroller's office delivered a total of \$170.7 million in monthly sales tax payments to 1,094 Texas cities and 118 counties, a 7.5 percent increase over the \$158.7 million allocated in April 1998. It also represented a 7.4 percent increase for the first four months of 1999, compared to the same period in 1998.

April's rebates include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers in February and reported to the comptroller's office in March.

Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander delivered monthly sales tax rebates totaling \$156.8 million to Texas cities, 7.7 percent higher than last April's payments of \$145.5 million. Rebates of \$13.9 million to Texas counties were up 5 percent from the \$13.2 million allocated in March 1998. Another \$5 million went to 38 special purpose districts

around the state.

By law, the state collects sales taxes for Texas cities and counties that have local sales taxes. The comptroller's office then returns the portion of the taxes on a monthly basis.

The state charges a 6.25 percent sales tax and local sales taxes can be up to 2 percent above that.

Around the area: Dimmitt received a rebate of \$20,478.89, down 3 percent from the \$21,111.32 it received in April 1998. It also was down from the \$21,429.10 it received in March.

Dalhart received \$70,946.48, down 5.2 percent from the \$74,811.47 received in April 1998. The Dalhart rebate was up, however, from the \$68,923.97 received in March.

Pampa received \$187,457.90, down 1.7 percent from the \$190,677.22 for last

April, but up from the \$170,890.05 for March.

Plainview received \$184,577.23, up 4.1 percent from the \$177,250.02 received in April 1998. The city's total also was up from the \$181,270.46 received in March.

Borger received \$177,292.87, up 2.7 percent from the \$172,673.94 for April 1998, and also up from the \$175,557.28 for March.

Dumas received \$116,916.62, up 86.2 percent from the \$62,780.74 it received in April 1998 and almost unchanged from the \$116,711.62 for March.

Among the area counties, Castro County received \$8,592.99, unchanged from the \$8,593 received in April 1998; Hale County received \$75,738, up 14.4 percent from the \$66,194.18 for April 1998.

The comptroller's next sales tax allocation is May 14



Middleschool staff winners — Hereford Junior High School faculty recently attended the Texas Middle School Conference in Ft. Worth. HJHS eighth-grade history teacher, Randy Farr, left, was awarded the Outstanding Teacher Elmer Watson School Award. HJHS principal, Marilyn Leasure represented the Hereford Junior High, at the conference, and Fred Wagoner, right, Boys' Ranch middle School Principal and Region 16 TMSA Director presented the award. Farr will retire at the end of this school year, after 29 years of service.

Meatpackers to test market zapped beef

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Gene Ray envisions a world where children eat meat decontaminated by low-grade electron beams like they readily drink milk decontaminated by pasteurization.

Ray is president and chief executive of Titan Corp., which is installing what he says is the first system in the country to electronically pasteurize ground beef for commercial purposes.

"I think it's something that we have to do," he said Tuesday. "There is a real public health problem, and in every case, it has been proved that (the process) is perfectly safe."

San Diego-based Titan will build and operate the so-called "E-beam system" and meatpacking giants IBP Inc. and Excel Corp. will test mar-

ket the irradiated beef later by early 2000 to gauge consumer acceptance.

Interest in irradiation has grown since recent contamination scares, including 1997's recall of 25 million pounds of ground beef feared contaminated with E. coli bacteria.

"We've had several major customers express interest in offering the product," said Gary Mickelson, a spokesman for IBP. "So that's contributed to our interest. It's another layer of protection."

During irradiation, meat is subjected to low-level doses of gamma rays or electron beams. Ray believes the electron beam process is superior to gamma ray irradiation because the technology is easier and cheaper to implement. Both, he said, are equally safe.

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Obituaries

BERTIE LOUISE GREENWOOD April 13, 1999

Services for Bertie Louise Greenwood, 76, of Hereford will be 10 a.m. Thursday at Rix Funeral Chapel with Rev. Edward W. Warren officiating. Burial will be in Rest Lawn Memorial Park under the Direction of Rix Funeral Home. Mrs. Greenwood died Tuesday at Westgate Nursing Home.

She was born in Paris, Texas, and grew up in Paris and Athens. She married J.B. Greenwood Jr. on Dec. 28, 1940, in Spur. In 1956, they moved to Hereford, where she was active in the Avenue Baptist Church. She loved working crossword puzzles and playing board games.

Survivors include her husband, J.B. Greenwood Jr. of Hereford; three daughters, Louella Manning of Hereford, Gloria Casey of Dayton, Ohio, and Terri Martinez, of San Jon, N.M.; one son, Jimmy Greenwood of Amarillo; one brother, Sonny Waller of Ft. Worth; three sisters, Jewel Green, Junior Nelson and Thelma Farley; 11 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son.

JESSEE "DOC" JOHNSON April 11, 1999

PLAINVIEW — Funeral services for Jesse "Doc" Johnson, 70 of Plainview, father-in-law of Terry Johnson of Hereford, will be 2 p.m. Friday at the Lemons Memorial Chapel, with Pastor Randy Bird, pastor of The Barn Church, officiating. Burial will be at Parklawn Memorial Gardens under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

Mr. Johnson died Sunday in Plainview.

He was born May 27, 1928, in Petersburg. He married Virginia Bentley on July 22, 1945, in Billings, Mont. He worked on the LS Ranch and for SPS. He was a member of the Bar-None Rodeo Association, the National Rifle Association and the Texas Rifle Association. He was a founding member of Plainview's first riding club.

Survivors include two daughters, Peggy Simpson, Cindy Durrett, both of Lubbock; two brothers, Richard Johnson of Bartlesville, Okla., and Paul Johnson of Dimmitt; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, one son and one grandchild.

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Texas lottery

Cash Five

The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery:

2-6-22-25-34

Pick 3

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

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LIFESTYLES

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A bridal shower honoring Stephanie Walls, second from right, bride-elect of Russell McCann, was held Saturday in First Baptist Church Parlor. Joining the honoree in greeting guests were, from left, Anita Walls, her grandmother; LaVern McCann, her future mother-in-law; Winifred Hester, her grandmother; and Rebecca Walls, her mother.

Walls honored with bridal shower

Stephanie Walls, bride-elect of Russell McCann, was feted with a bridal shower Saturday in First Baptist Church Parlor.

The couple plans to be married May 15.

Greeting guests with the honoree were Rebecca Walls, mother of the bride-elect; LaVern McCann, mother of the prospective groom; and Anita Walls and Winifred Hester, grandmothers of the bride-elect.

Presiding at the guest register were Bobbie Jo Elliott and Amanda Williams.

Guests were served refreshments of assorted fruit tray, chocolate dipped strawberries, cinnamon rolls, sausage pin-wheels, quiche, banana nut bread, nuts, mints, punch and coffee.

The table was centered with a floral bouquet of mixed yellow and teal flowers accented with red berries. Appointments were

in silver and crystal.

A vacuum cleaner was the gift from hostesses Karen Bankston, Margot Sims, Susan Shaw, Susan Robbins, Pat Montgomery, Pat Manchee, Bettie Dickson, Grace Covington, Denise Teel, Sandra Saul, Connie Gilbert, Johnnie Turrentine, Darliss Peabody, Mary Edwards, Bera Boyd, Betty Stephan, Dee Dee Drake, Jessie Ann Davis, Judy Minchew, Polly Hays, Judy Watts and Barbara Burkhalter.

Reception slated for Davis brothers



Ricky Davis



Rusty Davis

Rusty Lee Davis and Richard "Ricky" Davis, sons of Linda Fortenberry Drake, have been called to serve two-year missions for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Rusty will serve in the San Diego, Calif., mission while Ricky will serve in the Ribeirao Preto, Brazil, mission.

Richard and Dixie Fortenberry will host a no gifts, come and go farewell party to honor their grandsons from 2 p.m.-6 p.m. Sunday, April 18 at 148 Northwest Drive, Hereford.

The reception is open to friends, relatives and neighbors who want to wish the boys well in their missions.

Fox awarded title of Miss Grant County

Kasey Fox, 18, daughter of Lisa Shelton of Hereford and Kevin Fox of Mimbres, N.M., was named Miss Grant County during a pageant recently in Silver City, N.M. The contest was a preliminary to the Miss America pageant.

As Miss Grant County, Fox will participate in the Miss New Mexico pageant to be held June 12 in Alamogordo, N.M.

Fox won the talent competition with her singing and she

also was the winner in formal wear and swimsuit competitions.

She attends Western New Mexico University in Silver City.

Grandparents are Peggie and Fred Fox and Sandra and Gerald Martin, all of Hereford.

Great-grandmothers are Wanda Lytal, Roberta Martin and Freda Hitch, also all of Hereford.



Kasey Fox
...Miss Grant County

Support group to see video

In affiliation with the Alzheimer's Association, Panhandle Chapter, the Hereford support group for family caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias, will meet at 10 a.m. Thursday in Fellowship of Believers Church, 245 N. Kingwood.

This week the group will view a 30-minute video entitled, "Caring for the Caregivers," featuring Doug Manning of In-Sight Books. Dr. Manning discusses "burnout," "the caregiver syndrome," and other dynamics that seem to characterize those who carry the responsibility of providing care. Following the film, the support group will reflect on its meaning for the caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's and related dementias.

Friends, relatives and neighbors of these brave caregivers are encouraged to offer to stay with the person with Alzheimer's to allow the caregiver a rest. Respite care is vital for these caregivers whose days are typically 36-hours long.

The "bible" for caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's is entitled, **The 36-Hour Day: A Family Guide to Caring for Persons with Alzheimer's Disease, Related Dementing Illnesses, and Memory Loss in Later Life** by Mace and Rabins. Thanks to the generosity of Hereford's Pilot Club, this excellent resource is available at no cost by calling 364-0359.

Group facilitator is Nathan L. Stone, Ph.D., pastoral counselor and former senior chaplain with Family Hospice of Temple.

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There were lots of reasons for the divorce, but we managed to stay friends and never stopped having sex.

Here's the real problem. Brent remarried after we divorced. I know it's wrong to keep seeing him, but we can't seem to stay away from each other. I have urged Brent to spend more time with his wife, but he won't listen. The truth is, I'm not sure I want his marriage to work. I feel certain Brent and I could make a life together again if we tried. In fact, I suggested he move in with me, but that scares him. He says he loves me but not the way he used to.

Brent is a wonderful father to our children, and they keep saying they want him to live with us again. Why is he still sleeping with me if he isn't willing to commit? I need some advice. — Confused in New York

Dear N.Y.: Brent is just using you for sex. Stop sleeping with him at once. If he wants to put the marriage back together again, he will

Dear Ann Landers: I am dating my ex-husband. I still love "Brent" the same way I did when we married 15 years ago.

have to give up his current wife. Make it plain. Put the ball in Brent's court, and tell him there will be no compromises.

Dear Ann Landers: I recently attended the funeral of a seventh-grade boy who had been killed by a drunk driver. As heartbreaking as that was, there was actually something more disturbing about that day. One of the child's friends came in as the service began and sat next to me. I held this little girl as sobs wracked her body. I later asked if she needed a ride home. She said her father would be picking her up but that he didn't like to attend funerals.

Ann, I know the parents of this little girl. They are good people. But I am appalled by their lack of sensitivity and that of the other parents who did not accompany their children. Please tell your readers that part of the responsibility of parenthood includes being there to give their child emotional support, even if it means attending funerals and missing work. — Outraged in Texas

Dear Texas: I feel sad for that child whose parents weren't there to comfort her. However, any pair of loving arms would have been fine, and you were dear to have volunteered yours. These days, when both parents work, they

can't always be present for such occasions, and it is lovely when some kind mom, such as you, comes to the rescue.

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell your readers the importance of getting regular eye exams, even if they don't need glasses.

My husband, age 41, never had a problem with his eyes. His vision was perfect, and he never saw an optometrist, let alone an ophthalmologist. He started having some problems reading, so he figured age had finally caught up to him and made an appointment for an exam. Thank God he did.

It turns out my husband

has glaucoma, which had been slowly robbing him of his eyesight. He had no idea it was happening. Glaucoma does not happen just to old people. It can happen at any age. If detected early enough, it can be treated and controlled so blindness won't occur. Urge your readers to get their eyes checked regularly, no matter what. — Wendy in Erie, Pa.

Dear Wendy: You did — and I thank you.

Gem of the Day (Credit Mortimer Caplan, director of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, 1963): There is one difference between a tax collector and a taxidermist — the taxidermist leaves the hide.



Second annual theater production of Community Christian School, "Mayhem in Mayville," will be at 7 p.m. on April 16 (for \$4 with concessions available) and 5:30 p.m. on April 17 (for \$10 with a full meal). A silent auction of items provided by local merchants will be held in conjunction with the theater productions. For more information call the school office at 364-8867.

DAR Honors Tea set Sun.

Officers and membership of Los Ciboleros Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution will host the annual Honors Tea at 2 p.m. Sunday in Hereford Community Center, 100 Avenue C.

can History essay contest winners and DAR Good Citizens.

Invitations have been extended to their parents, grandparents, other family members, friends, teachers, school administrators and librarians.

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WEDNESDAY-Beef/ham loaf, au gratin potatoes, seasoned

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ACTIVITIES

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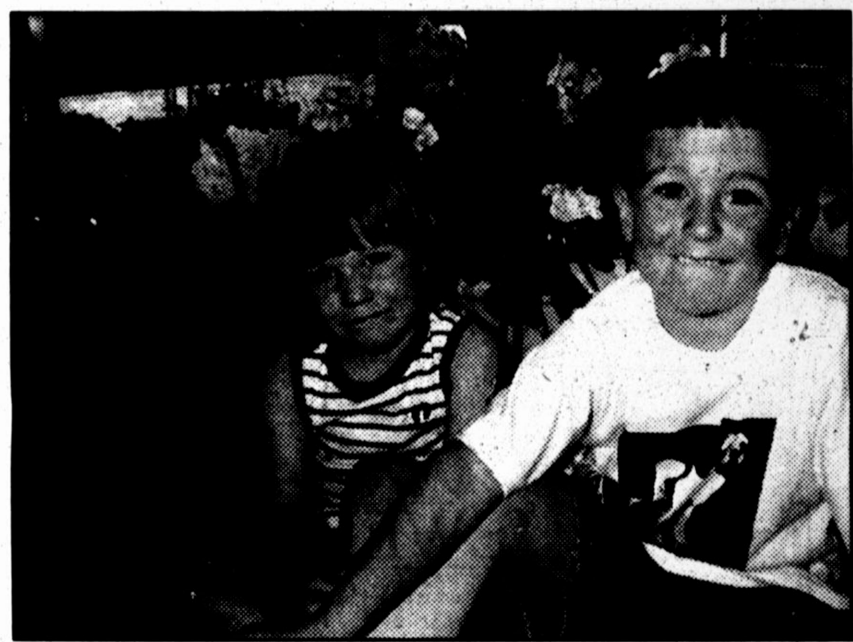
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Posing with plants—Plants like the ones pictured with Zachary and Mackenzie Clarke will be a possibility for anyone who attends the L'Allegra Plant Sale on April 22-23 at Hereford Community Center. As an added service this year, members of L'Allegra will pot the flowers purchased by anyone who brings their own container with soil to the plant sale. Featured will be geraniums, annuals and perennials and herbs.

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Registration continues for local pageants

Registration continues for those interested in competing in the Little Miss Hereford and the Miss Hereford pageants.

Pageants have tentatively been scheduled for early June. Registration forms are available at the Chamber of Commerce office, 701 N. Main.

Age divisions for the Little Miss Hereford pageant are Cutest Miss—preschool and kindergarten; Miss Petite—first, second and third graders; Little Princess—fourth, fifth and sixth graders; and Junior Miss—seventh, eighth and ninth graders. There is a \$10 registration fee.

Young ladies ages 16 to 21 are eligible to compete in the Miss Hereford scholarship pageant. Contestants vie for scholarships and prizes as they compete in casual wear, formal wear, interview and talent categories.

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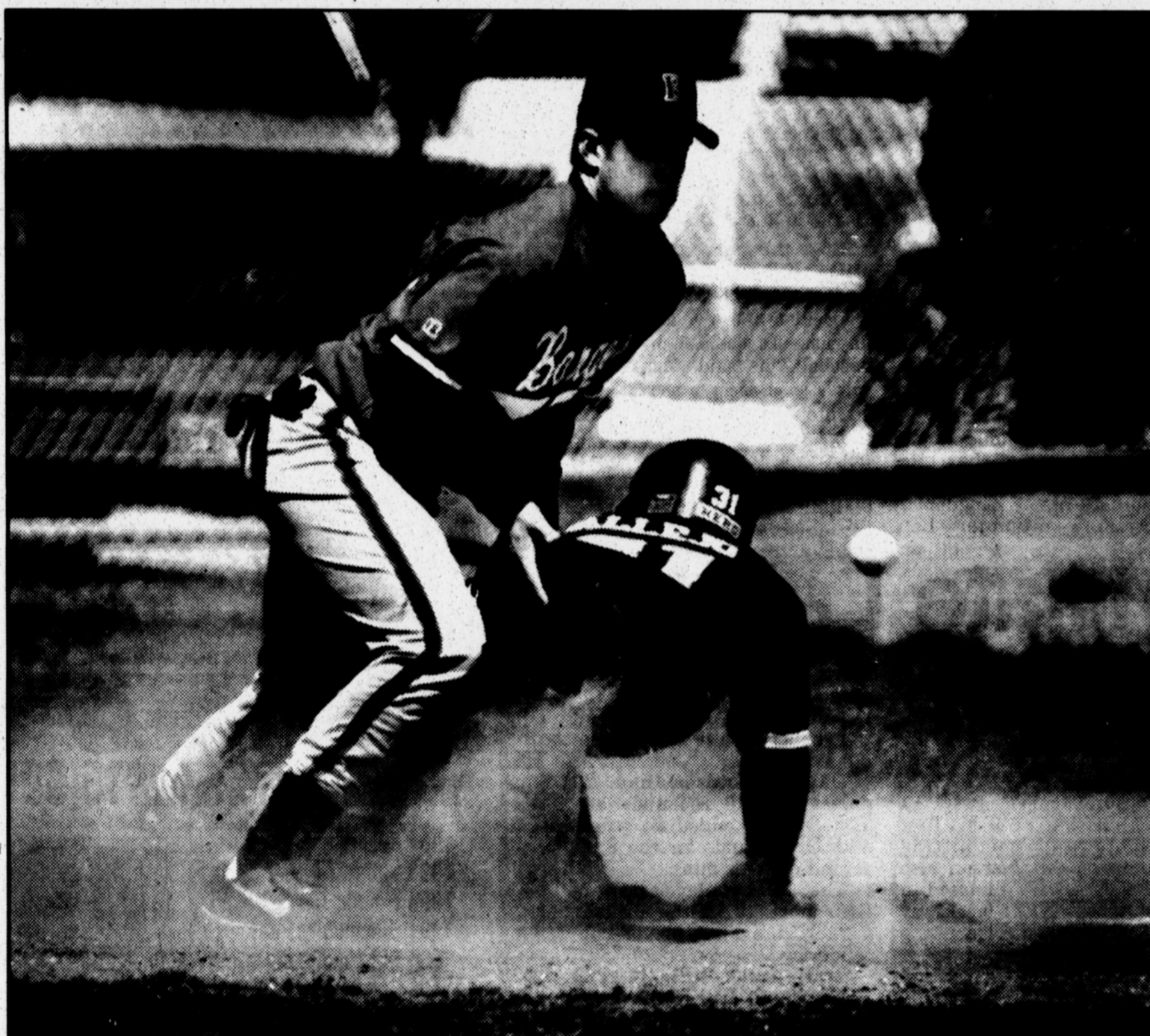
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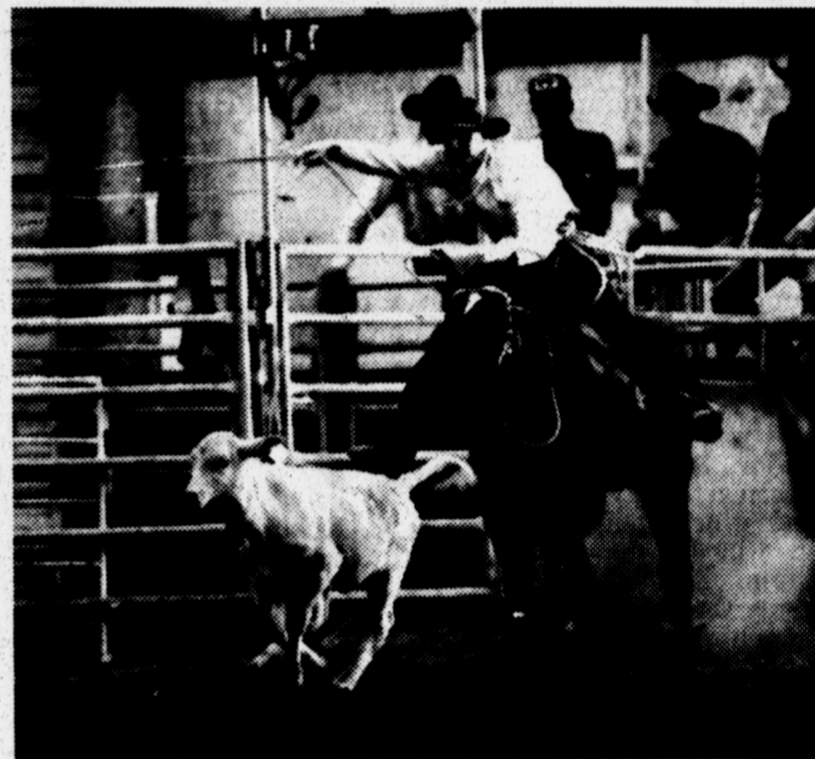
Blind faith



Eyes closed — Berger's third baseman instinctively shuts his eyes during a collision with Hereford base-runner L.J. Vallejo during a game here this past weekend. Hereford won the game 9-3 to improve to 1-3 in district play. Hereford was scheduled to meet Caprock here Tuesday, but the game was rained-out and rescheduled here Thursday at 4:30 p.m.

BRAND/Mauri Montgomery

Wilson, Sulzemeier win All-Around titles at Amarillo rodeo



RODEY WILSON

BRAND/Mauri Montgomery

From staff reports
AMARILLO — Rodey Wilson and Ashley Sulzemeier, both members of the Hereford High School Rodeo Team, won the All-Around Cowboy and All-Around Cowgirl titles at the Amarillo Tri-State High School Rodeo Saturday and Sunday April 10-11.

Wilson won first place in calf roping Sunday after he took a time of 10.087 in the event. He also placed first in team roping (heeling) for Kip Kendrick. The roping team clocked a 6.291 winning time.

Sulzemeier earned 32 points to win the All-Around Cowgirl title. She finished first in goat tying (7.600), first in breakaway roping (4.030), third in pole bending (20.910) and seventh in barrel racing (18.936).

Hereford Rodeo Team Results Amarillo Tri-State High School Rodeo April 10-11

SATURDAY BOYS

Barrel Race — 2. Mary Wilson, 58 points
Calf Roping — 1. Monty Lewis, 2. T.J. Good, 8
Rodey Wilson
Ribbon Roping — 5. T.J. Good
Team Roping — 1. Kip Kendrick-Rodey Wilson, 6.696; 4. Kip Kendrick-Jace Crabbe, 7.037; 8. Jordan Satterfield-Aaron Potter, 10.398; 10. Brady Johnston-Joe Mac Boggeman, 11.344.

SATURDAY GIRLS

Barrel Racing — 6. Amanda Schumacher, 16.351
Breakaway Roping — 7. Amanda Schumacher, 5.995; 10. Ashley Sulzemeier, 12.979
Goat Tying — 1. Ashley Sulzemeier, 7.726.

SUNDAY BOYS

Calf Roping — 2. T.J. Good, 10.317; 7. Monty Lewis, 11.982; 1. Monty Lewis, 5.497
Ribbon Roping — 6. T.J. Good, 9.556; 7. Jordan Satterfield, 10.058
Team Roping — 3. Kip Kendrick-Jace Crabbe, 7.703; 6. Blake Busby-Eric Fortenberry, 9.030; 8. Blake Busby-Jay Johnson, 10.928; 9. Brady Johnston-Joe Mac Boggeman, 11.549.

SUNDAY GIRLS

Barrel Racing — 5. Amanda Schumacher, 16.392
Pole Bending — 7. Tasha Bradford, 21.250

Raider Day golf tournament, dinner scheduled this month

The Sherrod/Legate Memorial Golf Tournament and personal appearances from members of the Texas Tech University coaching staff, including head football coach Spike Dykes and Tech Athletic Director Gerald Myers, are expected to highlight this year's installment of the annual Hereford and Dimmitt Red Raider Day which has been set here Wednesday April 28.



Following a sign-in at 1 p.m., Tech coaches and boosters are scheduled to play their annual version of the Red Raider Cup Matches at the John Pitman Municipal Golf Course beginning at 1:30 p.m. The tournament will be played as a Florida scramble.

Red Raider Day will conclude with a social hour and dinner at the Hereford Country Club from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., where boosters will also receive the latest updates and previews for Texas Tech sports.

The event is open to all Texas Tech sports fans. A \$45 entry fee includes green fee, cart rental, the social hour and dinner. Non-golfers are also invited to attend. The cost for only the social hour and dinner is \$15.

The deadline for golf entries is Monday, April 26. Entries may be made by calling the course Golf Shop at 363-7139; by mailing entries to Dave Hopper at Box 150, Hereford, Texas 79045, or by calling Hopper at 258-7255.

Junior varsity places fourth

In Plainview's Bulldog Relays

The Hereford junior varsity boys' track team placed fourth among five teams in the Bulldog Relays which were held in Plainview this past weekend.

The Whitefaces earned 97 team points. Levelland won the meet with 139.5 points. Plainview had 113 points for second. Frenship claimed third with 99.5 and Clovis completed the field with a fifth place finish and 61 team points.

Despite its low finish, Hereford still posted wins in several events.

Roger Rios beat the field in the 400 after he clocked a 54.6. Hereford also took fourth and fifth place finishes in the event after Jonathan Soto recorded a

second place finish.

Celaya, Ramirez, Rios and Soto posted a 3:43.0 in the 4x400, which was good enough to earn the sprint relay team a second place berth behind Frenship.

Marquez came back to take second place in the 300 intermediate hurdles with a time of 47.5. He also had a fifth place leap of 37'-11" in the triple jump — just ahead of Rios who placed sixth after jumping 37'-1".

Other highlights for the junior varsity included; fifth place finishes in the 3,200 and 1,600-meter runs by Juan Salazar, a sixth place finish in

56.8 and Rafael Ramierz netted a 59.4.

Jesse Edwards won first place in pole vaulting after clearing a height of 11'-3" and Josh Rodriguez followed with a 10-foot vault for third.

Alex Celaya raced his way to first in the 800 with a time of 2:15.6. Nathan Parson also contributed to the effort by taking a 2:21.3 for a third place finish.

The HJH 4x100 relay team, comprised of Jeremiah Castillo, Geoffrey Marquez, Ramirez and Rios, was edged out of first place by Levelland after Hereford recorded a 46.2 for a

the discus from Joe Cabezuela and Ramirez' sixth place in the long jump.

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SPORTS

Rangers top Seattle, 15-6

SEATTLE (AP) — Ivan Rodriguez felt like pinching himself after his first three at-bats.

The All-Star catcher drove in nine runs to set a Texas record, hitting a grand slam and a three-run homer to highlight the Rangers' 15-6 romp over Seattle on Tuesday night.

"It's not easy to get this many RBIs in one game. Sometimes you can't get this many RBIs in a week," he said. "So this is very nice and very enjoyable. It was a great night."

Rodriguez's RBIs all came in the first three innings. He homered into the second deck in the first, had a two-run single in the second and hit his first career slam in the third as Texas took a 13-0 lead.

"It's nice to have the game over that quick," he said.

It was the most RBIs in the major leagues since Mike Greenwell, playing for Boston, had nine against Seattle in the Kingdome on Sept. 2, 1996.

Jim Bottomley of the St. Louis Cardinals set the major league record of 12 RBIs on Sept. 16, 1924. Mark Whiten of the Cardinals tied that mark

when he hit four home runs on Sept. 7, 1993.

The AL record is 11 RBIs by Tony Lazzeri of the New York Yankees on May 24, 1936.

Rodriguez came up with two runners on base in the fifth inning, giving him a chance to tie the major league record, but flied out. He singled with none on in the seventh, and was taken out in the eighth.

Gregg Zaun, who replaced Rodriguez, batted with two on base in the ninth and walked.

Rodriguez agreed with the decision of manager Johnny Oates to take him out.

"It's a long season," he said. "I feel happy with the game I had. But I'm not looking for that. I'm just looking for wins for the team and that's what we did."

Oates said he decided to

rest Rodriguez rather than let him bat one more time and go for the RBI record.

"The same reason I took Juan (Gonzalez) out, the same reason (Ken) Griffey came out, the same reason (Russ) Davis came out, the same reason (Jay) Buhner came out," he said. "That's what you're supposed to do."

Rodriguez broke the Texas record of eight RBIs set by Gonzalez on June 17, 1993, and tied by Jose Canseco on June 13, 1994.

Rodriguez's previous RBI high was five, which he accomplished twice. He began the night with one homer and two RBIs in his first six games.

In the first inning, Rodriguez capped a five-run burst with a 425-foot drive to left field off Ken Cloude (0-1). Rodriguez became the 12th player to hit a ball into the second deck at the Kingdome.

Mariners manager Lou

Piniella said Rodriguez's big night was the result of poor pitching as well as good hitting.

"We are disappointed," he said. "We expected better."

Rodriguez's single in the second made it 7-0 and finished Cloude. In the third, he connected for a slam off Mac Suzuki to cap a six-run inning.

"I can't put a finger on it. I tried to muscle the ball too much," Cloude said.

Rusty Greer also had four of Texas' season-high 19 hits.

Mike Morgan (2-0), pitching for his record 11th major league team, won despite giving up homers to Jay Buhner, David Bell and David Segui.

After the game, Morgan was still shaking his head at Rodriguez's performance.

"Believe me, I've never seen anything like that in all my years in baseball," he said. "Actually, it was a tough night to pitch. I came up into the tunnel between innings to throw balls into the net trying to stay loose."

Morgan went 6 2-3 innings, giving up five runs and six hits.



Trail Blazers humiliate Lakers

By CHRIS SHERIDAN
AP Basketball Writer

Day 67 of this lockout-tainted season was the type of night when the Clippers could win, the Lakers could lose by 27, Allen Iverson could stink up Madison Square Garden and Nellie's Mavs could shock the Spurs.

The only thing that went according to form was Portland and Utah winning.

The Trail Blazers were the ones humiliating the Lakers, while the Jazz — playing their third game in three nights — needed overtime to win at Sacramento.

With 13 games left apiece, Portland and Utah are tied at 29-8 in the race for the best record in the West — and leaguewide. Both clinched playoff spots when the Jazz beat the Kings.

Utah defeated Sacramento 105-100 in OT, Portland beat the Lakers 113-86, the Clippers downed New Jersey 109-101, New York trounced Philadelphia 91-72, Dallas surprised San Antonio 92-86, Milwaukee topped Atlanta 91-84, Miami defeated Chicago 90-74 and Cleveland beat Washington 86-77.

Trail Blazers 113, Lakers 86

At Portland, the Blazers handed the Lakers their worst loss of the season in the long-awaited first meeting between the top teams on the West Coast.

"No doubt, they are better right now," said Los Angeles coach Kurt Rambis, who watched his team show all the bad traits — lack of hustle, discipline and heart — that has made the Lakers so hard to figure out.

"Their big guys weren't running the floor, and we took

advantage of that," said Portland's Rasheed Wallace. "Our shots were falling from all over. We were running the floor, getting dunks and hitting the 3s."

Portland continued its bid to become the first team in NBA history to go a season without losing two in a row.

Jazz 105, Kings 100, OT

At Sacramento, Karl Malone returned from a one-game suspension with 30 points and 10 rebounds as Utah won its eighth straight.

Malone scored on consecutive drives to the basket early in overtime, erasing a two-point Kings lead and putting the Jazz ahead for good. Fast-break layups by Greg Foster and Bryon Russell gave Utah a 103-97 lead with 1:25 left.

Two free throws by Jeff Hornacek sealed the victory for Utah, which rallied from a 13-point deficit in the fourth period.

Russell made five 3-pointers and had 24 points for Utah.

Clippers 109, Nets 101
At Los Angeles, the Clippers' secured their first two-game winning streak in over 15 months. They were coming off an 89-83 victory at Portland.

By winning for the third time in four games, the Clippers (6-31) made certain they would finish the abbreviated 50-game season with a better winning percentage than Philadelphia's 1972-73 team, which set a record for futility with a 9-73 record (.110).

Rookie Tyrone Nesby added 20 points and Maurice Taylor and Sherman Douglas scored 18 each for the Clippers, whose 109 points was a single-game high this season.

Knicks 91, 76ers 72
At New York, Patrick Ewing's sore Achilles' tendon

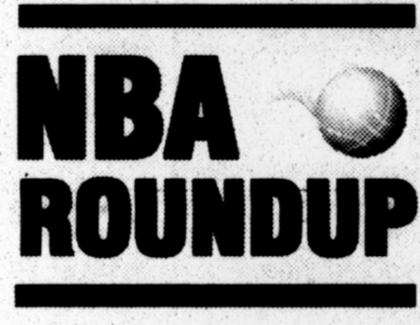
flared up in the second quarter with the Knicks ahead by 14. Without him, New York built the lead as high as 29 points and coasted to its third straight victory.

Iverson scored just 11 points, missing 11 of his first 13 shots and committing seven turnovers. Iverson also missed a breakaway layup and airballed a free throw.

Kurt Thomas tied his season high with 18 points for the Knicks, while Larry Johnson had 17, Latrell Sprewell 16 and Marcus Camby 15.

Mavericks 92, Spurs 86
At Dallas, rookie forward Dirk Nowitzki and second-year center Chris Anstey made major contributions down the stretch as the Mavericks beat one of the top eight teams in the Western Conference for the first time this season.

"It was an unexpected win and probably the best one for us all year," coach Don Nelson said. Nowitzki, getting his first



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Clutter of TV advertising soaring on prime-time



David Bauder
Associated Press

Wondering why you're reaching for the remote-control more often? The number of ads cluttering prime-time television is soaring. An average hour of prime-time TV contained 15 minutes, 44 seconds of advertising last November, a jump of 25 seconds over the year before, according to a study released Sunday.

It was the most ad time ever recorded since two trade groups began measuring in 1989. At 16:27, ABC had the most "clutter" during an average prime-time hour among the top four networks. Fox had been the network leader in ad time since 1989. Both ABC and NBC pack in nearly five minutes more of ads and promotions into a prime-time hour than they did a decade ago, the report said. "It's an indication of a business in trouble," said Jon Mandel, co-managing director of Mediacom, an ad buying firm. With viewership declining, the networks need to sell

more ads because they can't promise their sponsors as many people will see their message as they did in the past, he said. Programming costs have been going up at the same time, forcing network executives to look harder for more revenue. The advertising community is concerned that the commercials will have less of an impact on viewers because there are too many of them, said Stuart Gray, senior vice president of audience research for the ad buying firm BBD&O. "I don't really think that people are going to stop watching television because

there are too many commercials," Gray said. "I think it will have the effect of causing viewers to use the remote even more than they are using it now." Daytime network television is even more cluttered. The networks added 11 seconds of commercial time last year to crack the 20-minute barrier: one-third of each hour in daytime is taken up by commercials.

Network news programs and late-night shows had fewer commercial messages, on average, in 1998 than they did the year before. Entertainment Television, TBS and MTV ranked among the most cluttered cable networks last year, all with just over 18 minutes of ad time during an average hour, the study said. Mandel said he saw instances of a cable station

running an eight-minute commercial break during the airing of a movie. "The sad part is that they're ruining the viewing experience, they're ruining the advertisements' effectiveness and they're not getting anywhere," he said. The report was prepared by the American Association of Advertising Agencies and the Association of National Advertisers, Inc.

Sean Connery gets his star

LOS ANGELES — Sean Connery was the star of the day, hands down — and feet, too.

Connery pressed his hands and feet into wet cement at Mann's Chinese Theater on Tuesday, joining the gallery of cinema stars who have literally left their mark on Hollywood.

Connery, accompanied by wife, Micheline, was joined at the ceremony by actress Catherine Zeta Jones, his costar in the new movie "Entrapment."

The film opens April 30, with Connery as a legendary gentleman thief planning a heist on the eve of the new millennium.

Drew Barrymore
LOS ANGELES — Drew

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS People

Barrymore might be a Hollywood veteran, but she still did her movie homework before producing her first film. After teaming up with 31-year-old Nancy Juvonen, Barrymore rolled up her sleeves and spent two years deconstructing the film business.

The duo converted a room in Barrymore's home into an office, formed a production company, pored over scripts and met with agents and studio executives.

They also dissected and analyzed their own tastes in

movies to try to determine what young audiences want to see. Then they made their first movie — "Never Been Kissed."

"We wouldn't have the wholeness without each other," Barrymore, 24, said. "Everyone wants that producer plaque on their door, but it takes an extraordinary amount of work to get there."

The gambit seems to have worked. "Never Been Kissed" opened in second place behind "The Matrix" last weekend, bringing in about \$12 million.

Barrymore, who is John Barrymore's granddaughter, grew up in Hollywood and starred in "E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial" at age 6. She has more than two dozen film credits to her name.

TELEVISION

WEDNESDAY APRIL 14

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
News Hour With Jim Lehrer	Mark R.	Sensible	Great Composers	Charlie Rose	News Hour					
Show-Funny	Show-Funny	Life, Camera	Life, Camera	Movie: Panic in the Skies! (1996) Kate Jackson	700 Club	Show-Funny				
News	Ent. Tonight	Dateline	Most Amazing Videos	Law & Order	News	(35) Tonight Show				
Movie: Wish Upon a Star	Katherine Heigl	(35) Movie: Lucas	Cory Haim	PG-13	(10) Growing Pains	Walt Disney Presents	Zorro			
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) National Geographic Explorer			(05) Wild! Life Adventures	(05) National Geographic Explorer				
News	Fortune	Dharma	Its Like	Drew Carey	Norm	David Blaine: Magic Man	News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
News	Home Imp.	Payne	Nanny	60 Minutes II	Chicago Hope	News	(35) Late Show			
Friends	Friends	Dawson's Creek	Charmed	Rosie O'Donnell	Love	Change	Cobra			
Mad	Simpsons	Beverly Hills, 90210	Party of Five	Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Real TV		
Sportsctr.	Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced					Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced				
Movie: The Borrowers	PG	Movie: As Good as It Gets (1997) Jack Nicholson, Helen Hunt	PG-13	Pick-A-Flick						
(3:30) Movie: Titanic	Movie: Murder in the First	Christina Slater	R	Oz						
Movie: Last-Dogmen	Movie: Spice World	Melanie Brown	*	Movie: Switchback (1997) Dennis Quaid, Danny Glover						
Movie: Holiday in Mexico	Race to Save 100 Years	Movie: Take Me Out to the Ball Game (1949)	**1/2	Race to Save 100 Years	Movie: She					
Wild Discovery	Deadly Force	Discover Magazine	Seeking-Jesse James	Deadly Force	Discover					
Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Movie: Victim of Love (1991) Pierce Brosnan	**	Attitudes	Golden Girls	Golden Girls				
Sports	Last Word	Inside Winston Cup	Sports	FOX Sports	Major League Baseball Houston Astros at San Francisco	Giants				
ER	Movie: 36 Hours to Die (1999) Treat Williams				Movie: Someone to Watch Over Me (1987)	**1/2	Movie:			
Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Strange	Brady	Wonder Yrs.	Jeffersons	Laverne	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Brady
Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: A Face to Kill For (1999) Doug Savant		New York Undercover	Stalkings					
Gotita	Preciosa	La Usurpadora	Mentira	El Super Blablazo	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mejor-Ritmo			
20th Century	Cavemen	Century: America's Time	Household Wonders	Weapons at War	Cavemen					
Old House	Workshop	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Country	Interiors	Hollywood Homes	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Country	
Star Trek	Sliders	Highlander: The Series	Fri. the 13th Series	Star Trek	Sliders					
Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Dawson's Creek	Charmed	News	MacGyver					

THURSDAY APRIL 15

7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Barney	Teletubbies	Sesame Street	Arthur	Zoboo	Barney	Teletubbies	Reading	Mr Rogers	Cooking	
Bad Dog	Bobby	Mork	Knock	700 Club	Kangaroo	Station	Dino Babies	Adv. Mumfi	Bobby	
Today			Leeza	Sunset Beach	Judge Lane	News	Days-Lives			
Goof Troop	101Dalmts	Sing a Story	Pooh	Bear	Out of Bx	Madeline	Katie-Orbie	Mermaid	Pooh	Bear
Hillbillies	Hillbillies	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Griffith	Griffith	Matlock	Griffith	Matlock	Hunter	
Good Morning America			Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	The View	Young and the Restless	News				
This Morning			Ricki Lake	Price Is Right	Young and the Restless	News				
Mask	Dragon	Quincy	Knight Rider	Wiseguy	Jenny Jones	Major Dad				
Magic Bus	Magic Bus	Garfield	Hercules	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Benny Hinn	Life in Word	Kenneth C. Robison	Angel	
Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	
Movie: Invisible Dad	Daran Norris	PG	Movie: Cry, the Beloved Country	PG-13	(15) Movie: Battle of Austerlitz (1960) Leslie Caron, Jack Palance	**				
Movie: Batman Returns	Michael Keaton	**1/2	PG-13	(15) Movie: The Golden Child	Eddie Murphy	PG-13	Movie: Jingle All the Way (1996)	Sinbad		
Movie: Oh	(40) Movie: Vision Quest	Matthew Modine	**1/2	R	Movie: Act of Conscience (1997) NR	Movie: The Saint	Val Kilmer	**	PG-13	
Movie:	Anna Karenina (1935)	Greta Garbo	***	Movie: Little Lord Fauntleroy (1936)	***	Movie: Devil Is Sissy				
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design	Interior Motives	Home				
Designing	Designing	Next Door	Attitudes	Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie:			
Sports	Sports	Sports	Bodies	Health	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Last Word	
CH's	Reasonable Doubts	In the Heat of the Night	Movie: Someone to Watch Over Me (1987)	**1/2	Movie: Man					
CharlieB	Rugrats	Maisy	Blue's Clues	Little Bear	Franklin	Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Franklin
Major Dad	Ned-Stagey	Foxworthy	Something	Naked Truth	Boston	Wings	Wings	Videos	Videos	Movie:
(6:00) Despierta America				Maite	Ensename a Querer	Luz Maria	Pais			
Year by Year	Real West	Movie: We Dive at Dawn (1943) Eric Portman	**	Air Combat	Blood-Iron					
Garden	Grow	Carol Duvall	Quilts	Decorating	Room	Typical Mary	Solutions	Appraisal	Collect	Cooking
Lost in Space	Wonder Woman	Forever Knight	DarkShad	DarkShad	Twilight Z.	Beyond	Time Trax			
Tiny Toon	Animanics	PinkyBrain	Histeria!	Batman	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Matlock	News	

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Body Elec.	Alexander	Art	Finance	Finance	Nutrition	Nutrition	Zoom	Science Guy	Wishbone	Arthur
Menace	Casper	Ghostbstrs	Candy	Eek!stravag.	Bad Dog	Walter M.	3 Friends	Peewee	Addams	Addams
Days-Lives	Another World	Donny & Marie	Maury	Maury	Oprah Winfrey	News	News	News	NBC News	
Amazing	101Dalmts	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Off the Wall	Mad Lims	Dinosaurs	GrowPains	Brotherly	
Hunter	Movie: Support Your Local Gunfighter (1971)	***	Mama	Full House	Mama	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Rosie O'Donnell	Brown	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	News	ABC News	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Roseanne Show	Hollywood	Texas News	News	CBS News	News	CBS News	
Secret I.D.	Beast Wars	Jumanji	PinkyBrain	Histeria!	Batman	Batman	Jenny Jones	Love	Change	
Angel	Forgive or Forget	Little House on the Prairie	Spider-Man	Hercules	Rangers	Knights	Nanny	Grace Under		
Sr Golf	Firefighters' Challenge	NFL: Two Roads to Glory	Senior PGA Golf	Billiards	Billiards	Billiards	U Close	Sportscdr.		
Movie: Cry of the White Wolf	PG	Movie: Mr. Music	Mick Fleetwood	**	Movie: Legend of the Lost Tomb	**1/2	Movie: When Time Expires			
Movie: Hot to Trot	Bob Goldthwait	* PG	Movie: My Girl	Macaulay Culkin	*** PG	(45) Movie: Batman Returns (1992)	Michael Keaton, Michelle Pfeiffer			
Movie: Saint	Movie: Snowboard Academy	Jim Varney	Movie: Police Academy 6: Siege		Movie: The Woman in Red	Gene Wilder	Movie:			
Movie: Devil Is Sissy	Movie: Lord Jeff (1938)	***	Movie: Listen, Darling (1938)	**1/2	Shorts	Movie: Captains Cour.				
Home	Design	Interior Motives	Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Gimme Shelter	New House	Fix-It-Line			
(12:00) Movie: The Killing Mind (1991)	Intimate Portrait	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Ellen	Ellen			
PGA Golf MCI Classic -- First Round	This is the PGA Tour	Sports	Extremists	Sports	Baseball					
(12:15) Movie: The Man Behind the Gun	Kung Fu: Legend	Babylon 5	L.A. Heat	Due South						
Maisy	Doug	Doug	Garfield	Garfield	Rocko's Life	Rocko's Life	Catdog	Figure It Out	All That	Alex Mack
(12:00) Movie: The Public Eye (1992)	Silk Stalkings	Baywatch	Saved-Bell	USA High	Hercules-Jrns.	Que Crews	Noticiero			
Pais	La Mujer de Mi Vida	Gordo	El Blablazo	Cristina	Primer Impacto	News	News			
Blood-Iron	20th Century	Movie: We Dive at Dawn (1943)	Eric Portman	**	Air Combat	Blood and Iron				
Party-Home	Carol Duvall	Quilts	At Home	Homewise	Decorating	Decorating	Garden	House Dr	Hands On	
Time Trax	Sightings	Movie: Assault on Dome 4 (1997) Joseph Culp		Seaquest DSV	Quantum Leap					
News	Hawaii Five-0	Coach	Coach	Webster	Malibu, CA	Saved-Bell	Blossom	Full House	Full House	

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News Hour With Jim Lehrer	Full Circle	Great Railway Journeys	Mystery!	Charlie Rose	News Hour					
World's Greatest Magic III	Movie: Raise the Titanic (1980) Jason Robards	**1/2	700 Club	Show-Funny						
News	Ent. Tonight	Friends	Will & Grace	Frasier	Just Shoot	ER	News	(35) Tonight Show		
Movie: Secret of NIMH 2: Timmy	B Witched	(15) Movie: Can of Worms	Voice of Malcolm McDowell	Walt Disney Presents	Zorro					
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) Movie: Messenger of Death (1988)	**	WCW				
News	Fortune	Videos	Videos	Drew Carey	Spin City	Drugs-Adults	News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
News	Home Imp.	Promised Land	Turks	48 Hours	News	(35) Late Show				
Friends	Friends	Smart Guy	Jamie Foxx	Harvey	For-Love	Rosie O'Donnell	Love	Change	Stingray	
Mad	Simpsons	Wildest Police Videos	Fox Files	Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Real TV		
Sportsctr.	NHL Hockey Pittsburgh Penguins at Boston Bruins					Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball		
Movie: When Time Expires	Movie: Mad Love	Chris O'Donnell	PG-13	(3) Movie: Ride	Maik Yoba	**1/2	R	Movie: How I Spent	Movie:	
Movie: Gattaca (1997) Ethan Hawke, Uma Thurman	Movie: Supreme Sanction	R	Comedy	Real Sex 11	Movie:					
Movie: Beavis, Butt	Movie: Booty Call	Jamie Foxx	**1/2	R	Movie: The Confession (1999) Alec Baldwin, Amy Irving	Movie: Dreammaster				
Movie: Captains Cour.	Movie: Bathing Beauty (1944) Esther Williams	**	Movie: Thousands Cheer (1943) Kathryn Grayson	***	Movie:					
Wild Discovery	Witness Protec.	Science Mysteries	Into the Unknown	Witness Protec.	Science					
Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Movie: Lying Eyes (1996) Cassidy Rae, Vincent Litzary		Attitudes	Golden Girls	Golden Girls				
(5:30) Major League Baseball Texas Rangers at Seattle Mariners	Baseball	Major League Baseball Los Angeles Dodgers at Arizona Diamondbacks								
ER	Movie: Corrina, Corrina (1994) Whoopi Goldberg, Ray Liotta	**1/2	Movie: Hope (1997) Christine Lahti	**1/2						
Doug	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Skeeter	Brady	Wonder Yrs.	Jeffersons	Laverne	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Brady
Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: Witness (1985) Harrison Ford, Kelly McGillis	***1/2	New York Undercover						
Gotita	Preciosa	La Usurpadora	Mentira	Lente Loco	Bienvenidos	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mejor-Ritmo		
20th Century	Real Robinson Crusoe	Century: America's Time	Great Bridge	Trains Unlimited	Cruse					
Old House	Workshop	Almanac	How-Made	Decorating	Cents-Spring	Location	Dream	Almanac	How-Made	Decorating
Star Trek	Sliders	Movie: Innerspace (1987) Dennis Quaid, Martin Short	***	Star Trek						
Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Smart Guy	Jamie Foxx	Harvey	For-Love	News	MacGyver			

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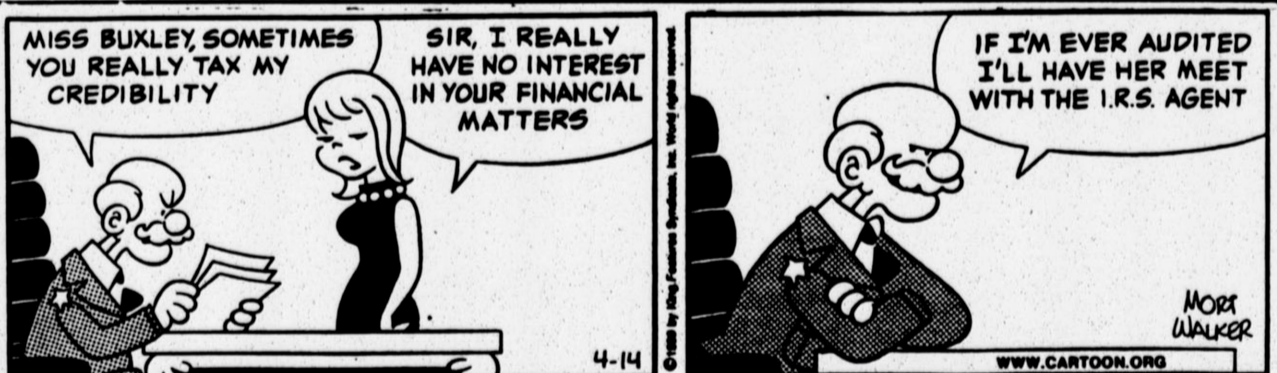
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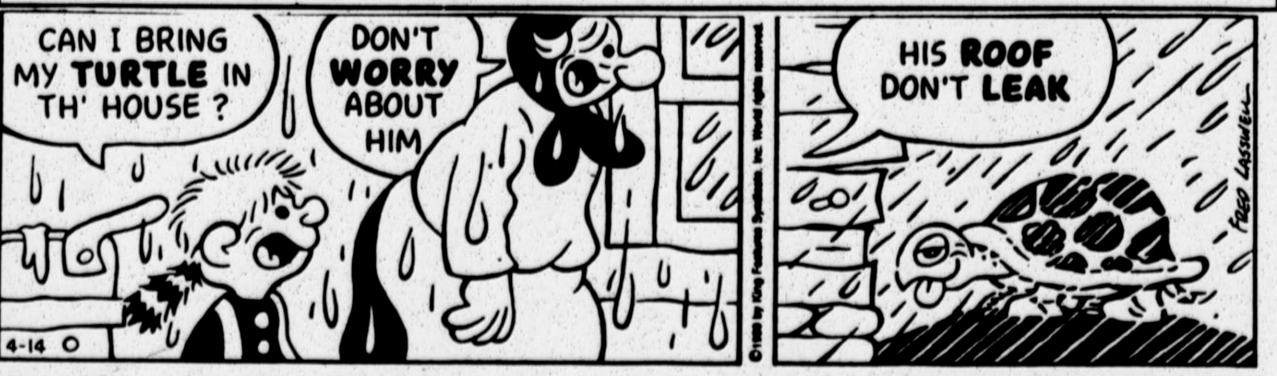
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Quayle launching bid for White House



Dan Quayle ... former vice president

NYC mayor: Bush good for U.S.

AUSTIN (AP) — New York City Mayor Rudolph Giuliani, while stopping short of endorsing Texas Gov. George W. Bush for president, says Bush is one of the GOP's brightest lights. Giuliani called on Bush at the Governor's Mansion, emerging to tout Bush as good for both their party and the country. "He's (Bush) one of the real stars of the party. ... From the point of the view of the Republican Party and the good of the country, I think this is a candidacy that Gov. Bush should very seriously consider." Giuliani is the latest presidential candidate to trek to Austin to meet Bush, who last month formed a presidential exploratory committee.

HUNTINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Former Vice President Dan Quayle, calling the 1990s "the dishonest decade of Bill Clinton and Al Gore," is formally launching his presidential campaign today by pledging to restore integrity and responsibility to the White House in 2001. "The time has come to reset the moral compass," Quayle said in a text of an address he was delivering at Huntington North High School. "We must not stand by and let our values be trashed." In his first bid for elective office since President Clinton toppled the Bush-Quayle ticket six years ago, the former Indiana senator sought

to both attack Gore — the potential Democratic nominee who succeeded Quayle as vice president — and acquit himself for casting a white-hot spotlight on the family values debate in the 1992 campaign. Quayle was criticized by Democrats and mocked by late-night comics for questioning the morality of a TV sitcom character in May 1992. "Murphy Brown is gone," Quayle now says, "and I'm still here fighting for the American family." He derided Gore for being the president's chief defender during the impeachment saga, accusing the pair of showing "contempt for the values parents try to teach their children."

"We are coming to the end of the dishonest decade of Bill Clinton and Al Gore, and America needs a fresh start." Quayle said. Quayle touted his proposed 30 percent across-the-board tax cut, billing it as a boon to middle-income families. And he portrayed himself as the best qualified potential commander-in-chief, recalling his participation in White House war councils and his service on foreign policy committees in Congress. He accused Clinton and Gore of compromising U.S. sovereignty, starving the armed forces' budgets and using the military "as a laboratory for their social experiments."

"When Ronald Reagan was elected president ... one of the questions was did he have any foreign policy experience. He was the governor of a great state, as Gov. Bush is the governor of a great state. "You look at the 12 years of the Reagan-(President) Bush administration, and just compare that to where our foreign policy is today. I think a lot of Americans would say, maybe leadership is the real key to whether or not you can handle foreign policy," Giuliani said. Bush last month formed a presidential exploratory committee that already has raised some \$7 million. Giuliani on Monday announced a U.S. Senate exploratory committee for a race that could pit him against first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, who's also

considering running. Bush had some kind words for the New Yorker as well. "He'd make an excellent candidate," Bush said. "It could be one of the great campaigns in the history of the United States Senate, the way the rumors are shaping up. ... He's a good guy, I like him." The governor, who has promised to remain in Texas until the Legislature adjourns on May 31, said New York would be on his itinerary when he begins traveling around the country. "Sure I'm going to go up to New York," Bush said. "I've got to go up there. It's a very important state. I've got a lot of support up there." The mayor said he told Bush that Republicans can win in New York.

NATO hits Serb power plant

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
News roundup

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia — In what Serb reports suggested was a lighter-than-usual night of bombing, NATO hit a hydroelectric power plant and a major food-processing factory early today, and the first known report of food rationing surfaced since the start of the allied air campaign against Yugoslavia.

A rare daytime air-raid alert sounded in Belgrade at mid-morning today, and jets were heard flying overhead. Two loud booms — possibly sonic booms — echoed through the city center.

In Brussels, Belgium, Balkan turmoil topped the agenda as U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan headed into talks with European Union leaders today. Both NATO and Russia, which has been sharply critical of the bombing campaign, have indicated they view Annan as a possible mediator.

Belgrade described Annan's visit as the "last chance" to peacefully settle the NATO-Yugoslavia standoff.

The allies launched their bombing campaign three weeks ago to force Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic to pull his forces out of the southern province of Kosovo. Serb police and army units are accused of a systematic campaign of atrocities against ethnic Albanians in the course of their crackdown on the separatist-minded Kosovo Liberation Army.

Milosevic's wife, Mirjana Markovic, who leads a neo-communist party, told an Italian TV talk show that the only danger in Kosovo was NATO, not Serb forces.

ners cited the German experience as one reason to rule out ground troops as an option in the Kosovo crisis.

"We always look at historical campaigns — that's something we always do" when planning a deployment, said Maj. Shelly Stellwagen, an Army spokeswoman. But she cautioned, "History alone is not enough — you've got to look at the big picture."

After insisting for weeks that no plans for ground troops were in the works, top Clinton administration officials now concede that some contingencies were studied and that plans could quickly be activated if NATO decided on a ground assault. U.S. lawmakers, frustrated with the continuing ethnic cleansing in the Kosovo province of Yugoslavia despite a three-week NATO air campaign, are pushing a resolution to authorize ground troops.

Pentagon planners said they were careful not to overdo the comparison of two markedly different armies fighting with different equipment in different political contexts. But the difficulty of the terrain and the stubbornness of the Yugoslav people remain powerful common denominators, they said.

Kevorkian pushed the law — and the law pushed back

PONTIAC, Mich. — Dr. Jack Kevorkian's crusade for assisted suicide began nine years ago in the back of his rusted Volkswagen van. There, an Alzheimer's patient from Oregon pushed a button on the retired pathologist's "suicide machine" and lethal drugs flowed into her veins.

Kevorkian has skirted the law and taunted its enforcers ever since, helping 130 people take their own lives. He left bodies in the middle of the night at motels, others at hospital emergency rooms. He burned state orders against him, showed up at court in costume and challenged authorities to do something about it. On Tuesday, they finally did.

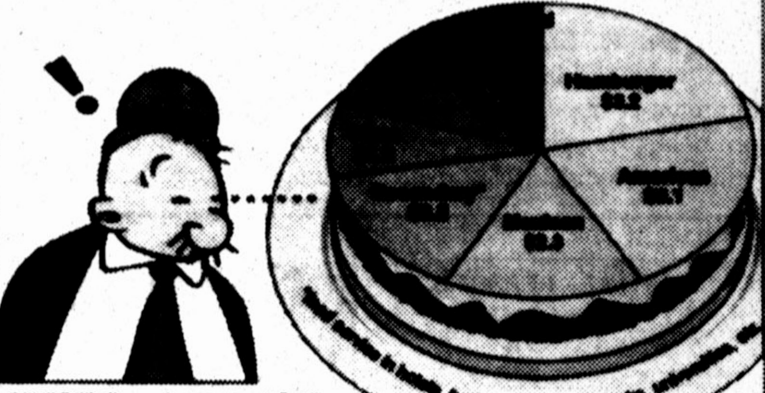
"You had the audacity to go on national television, show the world what you did and dare the legal system to stop you," said Judge Jessica Cooper. "Well, sir, consider yourself stopped."

Keeping an eye on Texas

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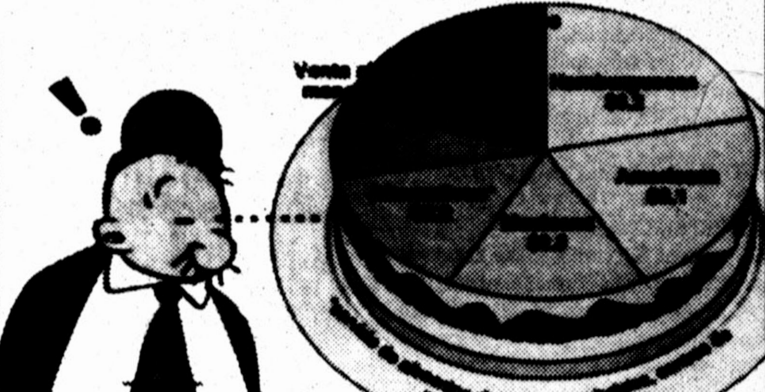
SOURCES: Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts (www.state.texas.us), and the Texas Restaurant Association. Illustration by Gilbert Corcoran.

Echándole el ojo a Texas

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'ER' on top, but it's struggling

NEW YORK (AP) — Is "ER" watched show, as it has been for all 18 weeks that first-run episodes have aired this year.

The medical drama's 17.9 rating and 30 share last Thursday was its lowest rating for a first-run episode since November 1994, its premiere year, Nielsen Media Research said Tuesday.

It was still the week's most-

popular show are down 11 percent from last year. NBC suggests last week's ratings were down because many other prime-time pro-

grams aired reruns, and that some viewers may have assumed that "ER" was doing the same thing.

The slump is bad timing for NBC, which under a new deal is paying a record \$13 million per episode for the drama — five times what it paid in the past.

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time to smash Serb forces instead of pushing for consideration of sending U.S. ground troops into Kosovo.

Most lawmakers appeared to listen, but they also said NATO airstrikes hadn't damaged Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic's military as much as hoped, according to briefings they received from Defense Secretary William Cohen and Army Gen. Henry Shelton, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

"We're disappointed there hasn't been more done," said Sen. Dick Lugar, R-Ind. "General Shelton, Secretary Cohen, they're all disappointed about this too."

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., said, "The bombing itself has not had the impact I would have liked it to have."

But House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., said Milosevic must contend with a new factor: "He now has an Albanian guerrilla force in the country, sometimes just over the border, that he didn't have before."

Interviewed today on ABC's "Good Morning America," Gephardt said, "If we will stay unified and keep our resolve ... we can get this done without ground troops."

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., a candidate for the presidency, who advocates preparing for a ground war against Milosevic, told ABC: "If we can't prevail here, then there will be very few places in the world where we can prevail."

Clinton, the lawmakers said, urged patience and emphasized that the air bombardment of Iraq during the Persian Gulf War in 1991 took 44 days. In that case, however, it also took a 100-hour ground war to end the fight.

The Pentagon is preparing to add 300 warplanes to NATO's air forces at the request of the NATO commander, Army Gen. Wesley Clark. Now, nearly 500 U.S. aircraft and 200 allied planes are involved. Cohen is expected soon to approve deploying all or most of the 300 American aircraft, defense officials said.

The U.S. reinforcements, which could include A-10 "tank killers" as well as F-15 and F-16 jet-fighters, would boost NATO's ability to attack ground troops, artillery and air defense sites.

Pentagon spokesman Kenneth Bacon said NATO aircraft are flying day and night now, but Clark "would like to fly more intensively ... to basically apply more pressure. A lot of what he's asking for will be targeted against units operating in Kosovo."

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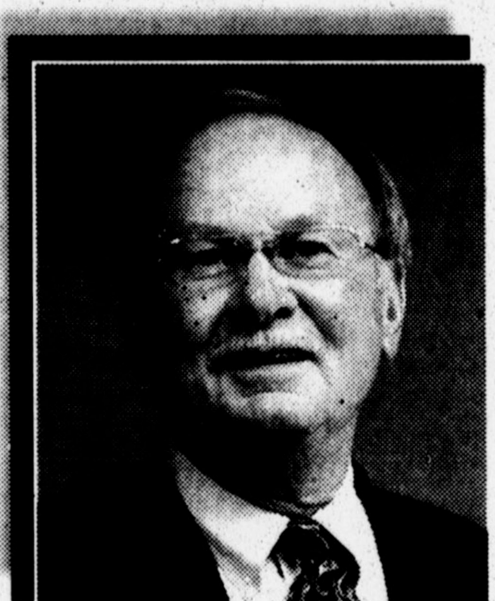
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