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Today's weather OUTLOOK

Partly cloudy skies

Tonight: Partly cloudy with a low in the mid-40s, light southeast wind.

Wednesday: Mostly sunny with a high around 80, south wind 10 to 20 mph.

Wednesday night: Mostly clear with a low in the lower 50s.

Extended forecast

Thursday: Mostly sunny, high near 85.

Friday: Partly cloudy, low in the mid-50s, high in the mid- to upper 80s.

Saturday: Partly cloudy with a slight chance for thunderstorms, low around 60, high around 85.

Hereford weather

Monday's high, 64; low, 41; no precipitation.

New home sales jump

WASHINGTON (AP) — New-home sales in March shot up a surprising 4.5 percent to their highest level in more than a year, suggesting that an upswing in mortgage rates isn't sidelining buyers.

Americans purchased new single-family homes at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 966,000 in March, the highest level since 995,000 homes were sold in November 1998, the Commerce Department said today.

Many analysts were expecting new-home sales to fall by roughly 2 percent to a level around 900,000. The 4.5 percent gain posted in March was the biggest leap since a 6.8 percent increase in October.

In February, new-home sales fell 0.6 percent, a little weaker than the government previously estimated one month ago.

Since June 30, the Federal Reserve has boosted interest rates five times by a quarter-point each in an effort to slow the speeding economy and keep inflation under control.

The Fed's rate increases are designed to raise borrowing costs for big-ticket items such as homes and cars and in that way cool off demand and keep inflation from getting out of hand.

Given the outlook for strong continuing growth, many economists expect the central bank will raise rates again on May 16.

Even with an upswing in interest rates, robust construction and housing activity helped fuel the economy's strong growth last year.

The average rate on a 30-year fixed-rate mortgage was 8.24 percent in March, up from 7.02 percent for the same month a year ago.

Economists expect home sales to slow this year but still remain at healthy levels.

The West posted the biggest gain with sales rising 12.9 percent to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 272,000. Sales in the Northeast rose 11.5 percent to a rate of 87,000. In the Midwest, sales grew by 5.1 percent.

Aerial spraying contract OK'd

It didn't take very long for the Hereford city commissioners to take care of business, as they voted unanimously Monday night to approve a contract with a Plainview company to conduct aerial spraying of the city.

Southwest Aerial Service will receive \$5,926 per application to spray the city and unincorporated county areas adjacent to the city. The funds to pay for the mosquito-fly control spraying will come from a \$1 fee added to customer utility bills for the months of June, July, August and September. Deaf Smith County also will pay one-quarter of the cost because the spraying also targets unincorporated areas adjacent to the city.

Four applications are expected to be applied, City Secretary Terri Johnson said this morning.

The cost of the chemical for the spraying is 63 cents per acre, with the application cost put at 53 cents per acre. The spraying will affect 5,000 acres. According to City Manager Chester Nolen, the chemical used in the aerial application is a malathion-based material that is not harmful to humans or pets in the spray quantities.

Sirens to be tested

The city's tornado warning system will be tested at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, weather permitting.



VIETNAM:

It was another time, another place



Audie Mancillas, a pressman for North Plains Printing, served two tours in Vietnam in a war that he says the U.S. soldiers weren't allowed to win.

By **Dianna F. Dandridge**
Hereford Brand Staff Writer

They know — down to the number of days and sometimes even to the minute — spent in country. They remember first impressions and lasting horrors of a war many call a waste.

"Two years, 10 months, and 27 days," Audie Mancillas, a local Vietnam veteran, said.

A quarter of a century after the fall of Saigon, Mancillas shakes his head and says there is nothing special to remember.

"The waste — all those years, all those people. All our people lost, for nothing. All because of a war we were not allowed to win," said Mancillas. "No, I wouldn't have remembered Sunday was the 25th anniversary if someone hadn't reminded me."

Mancillas served two tours of duty, plus a six-month extension in Vietnam during the Tet offensive in February 1968. He spent his 21st and 22nd birthdays at a Marine air field near Da Nang.

"We were told, 'You're gonna hear rounds popping and rockets going off,' but the first thing that hit us was the heat. It was mid-March and rains had been over for about a month. The dirt was just powder," he recalls.

Mancillas volunteered first in 1964, but failed the physical. Then in 1965, after a hernia operation, he was drafted and passed the physical.

From boot camp, he went to Da Nang, where he served on a ground support team for freight and operations.

His first tour lasted 13 months. He then returned stateside in '67. In September of '67 he went back and was finally discharged in 1972.

Mancillas was one of the lucky Vietnam vets who returned with few emotional or physical scars.

"I was a hick from a small town. I didn't even know where it was. I remember reading about Indochina in school, but that didn't mean anything to me. All the time I was over there, I never fired my rifle. I carried it all over the place and I remember hearing the gunfire."

The gunfire was from the North Vietnamese Army units and their Viet Cong allies. Mancillas remembers seeing the North Vietnam artillery hitting the city.

He said the worst of his memories are of children tortured by the Viet Cong or of spies infiltrating the base under the guise of civilian personnel.



Mancillas: In Vietnam, 1969

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CAR-LOVERS' PARADISE

Hot rods, classics pull in spectators

By **Dianna F. Dandridge**
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Hot rods and muscle cars, rebuilt from the ground up or completely original; pampered pet to usable street machine — all have one thing in common. Owners and spectators alike love the entries at a car show.

Hereford area residents had the opportunity this weekend to enjoy a beautiful spring day in the park and look at some of the fancy collector and customized vehicles at the 2nd Annual Hereford High School Car Club Car show in Dameron Park.

Car club sponsor Monty Smith said many of the cars belong to members of the Panhandle Council Car Club, but a few belong to members of the HHS Car Club.

The cars showing at Saturday's event ranged in age from a 1973 Toyota Land Cruiser and mid-1960s model Chevrolet Impala all the way back to an early 'teens model souped-up hot rod Ford.

Jose Gonzalez, a second-year member of the HHS Car Club and president of the club, said, "You just have to like working with cars."

The club is open to any student in grades 9-12, not necessarily just those in the auto trades classes, Smith said.

Individuals showing cars have various reasons for getting into it, but mostly they all just like tinkering with or admiring classic old cars.

Burl Miller, a Hereford area farmer, arrived driving 1973 Toyota Land Cruiser, while his son, James, showed up in a 1969 Chevy pickup.

Burl said the projects got started just as a

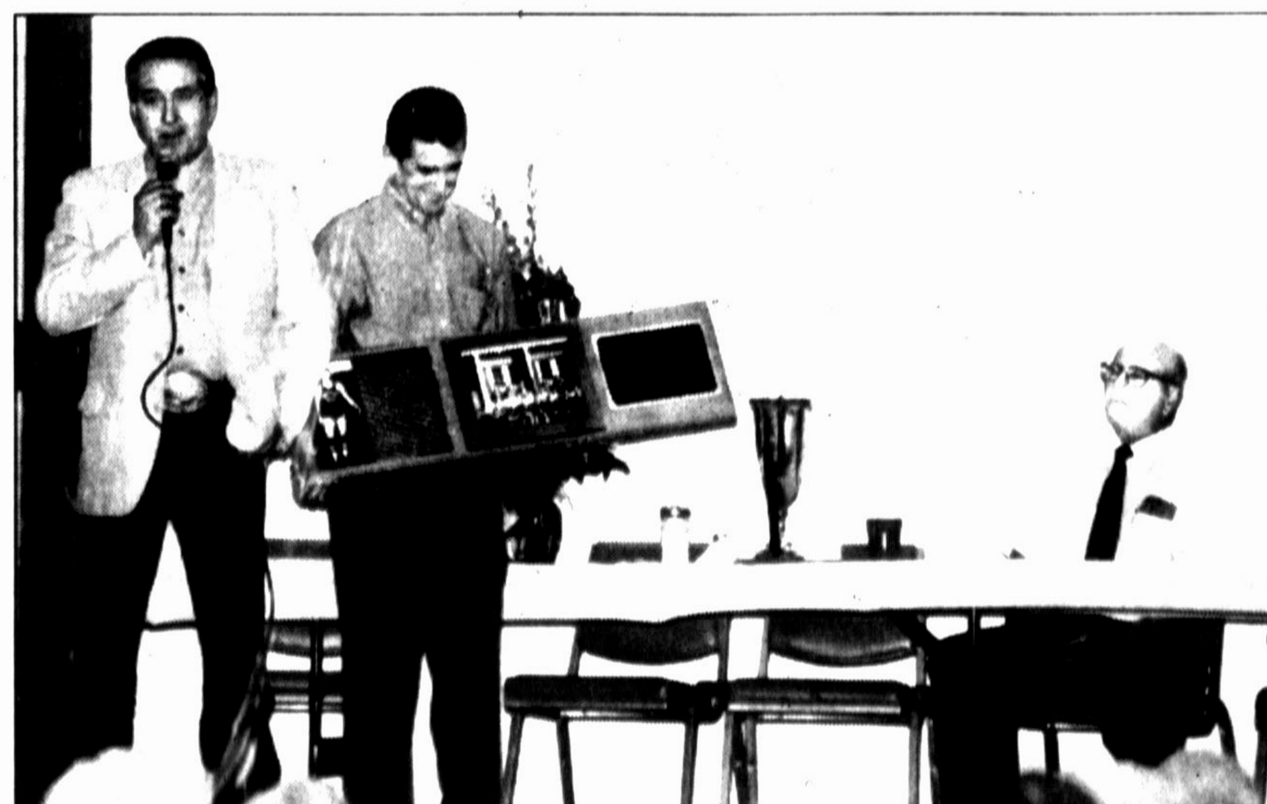


James Miller tunes his restored 1969 Chevrolet pickup truck Saturday at the 2nd Annual Hereford High School Car Club Car Show.

means of clearing some junk off his farm. "It was just a bucket of rust when we started," Burl says of the bright yellow Land

Cruiser. "We got started and one thing led to

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Kitchens honored at reception

Contrary to this photo's appearances, Cuby Kitchens (right) was not asleep at the table of honor Saturday when former Hereford High School basketball players Bob Shelton (left) and Milner Duvall presented him with one of two plaques during a reception honoring the longtime Hereford coach. Shelton and Duvall were joined by other members of the 1958-59 HHS state finalist team, family members, friends and community leaders in toasting and roasting Kitchens. In addition to a new set of golf clubs and shoes, Kitchens also was presented the Bull Chip Award of the Century by Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce executive vice president Sid Shaw. The reception appropriately preceded a day filled with basketball competition at the annual Cuby Kitchens Classic, where 60 AAU basketball teams pitted their skills in the tradition of the tourney's namesake.

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Local roundup

Northwest Scholastic book fair

Northwest Elementary school will hold a scholastic book fair through Friday. Hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. through Thursday and 8:30-10 a.m. on Friday.

Final Family Frameworks meeting

Tierra Blanca Primary School will host its final Family Frameworks meeting today from 6-7:30 p.m. There will be a cookout with games and lots of fun.

Daniel seeks veterans

Cassie Daniel, a freshman at Hereford High School, is seeking interviews with veterans and families of veterans for her History Fair project which she will present May 12-13 in Austin.

Her project deals with the Vietnam War and whether John F. Kennedy would have prevented United States combat involvement, had he lived.

Cassie can be reached at 532 Willow Lane or at 364-5787.

Peabody reception scheduled

The Deaf Smith County Farm Service Agency will host a going away reception for Ted Peabody from 1-4 p.m. Thursday at the FSA office, 317 W. 3rd.

The public is invited.

Historical Society annual meeting

Deaf Smith County Historical Society will have its annual meeting May 9 at the Hereford Country Club. The meeting begins at 10:30 a.m. and will be followed with a luncheon.

This is an open meeting for all historical society members or anyone interested in joining.

For reservations, contact Paula Edwards at 363-7070 by May 5.

Day of prayer to be in Bayne Park

Hereford residents are invited to participate in the National Day of Prayer Thursday at noon in Dudley Bayne Park, behind City Hall. Prayers will be offered for our schools, our city, our state and our country.

Supper for pageant hopefuls

The Women's Division of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce will hold a salad supper at 6 p.m. Thursday in the home of Francie Farr, 2026 Plains, for young ladies interested in participating in the Miss Hereford Scholarship Pageant and their mothers.

Information about the pageant will be provided with registration forms available.

Chamber seeks re-union organizers

Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce is seeking information from graduation reunion organizers regarding events for the upcoming Town and Country Celebration. Organizers are asked to call the chamber office at 364-3333.

Retirement party scheduled

Members of the Hereford Fire Department cordially invites the public to a retirement reception in honor of Jay C. Spain on Saturday, May 6 from 1-5 p.m. at the Hereford Fire Department, 215 N. Miles.

Quad Counties Job Fair planned

Employers who need workers or unemployed and underemployed workers will have a chance to get together next month at the Quad Counties Job Fair.

The job fair for Castro, Deaf Smith, Oldham and Parmer counties will be 10 a.m.-4 p.m. May 10 at the Hereford Community Center, 100 Ave. C. It will feature free registration and a meal for the workers. The deadline to register is May 1.

Booths will be provided and there will be door prizes and goody bags.

The fair is sponsored by the Texas Department of Human Services, chambers of commerce, Texas Workforce Commission and Catholic Family Services.

For registration forms, contact Nora Pesina, TDHS, 363-8612; Marin Rivas, TWC, 364-8600; or Belle Braddock, TDHS, 647-4181, extension 24.

Cinco de Mayo spring carnival

Students and staff of Bluebonnet Intermediate School invites the public to attend the Cinco de Mayo Spring Carnival, Friday, from 5-8 p.m. There will be games, music, and door prizes.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

News digest

Residents OK, town damaged

ELBERT, Texas (AP) — Unable to reach her niece by phone, 87-year-old Victoria Keeter drove 45 miles Monday from Haskell to her tornado-ravaged birthplace.

Keeter found out that everybody in Elbert was OK, but got a firsthand look at the damage caused Sunday by a tornado that went through the heart of the Northwest Texas farming community of 150 residents.

"I figured if anything would go, it'd be this, but it held through," Keeter as she stood inside the Elbert Farm Store owned by her niece.

"There are no injuries, just a lot of mess. Everybody knows everybody here, they'll take care of their own."

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Tobacco battle continues

HOUSTON (AP) — The state's top lawyer is still having trouble obtaining depositions from a group of outside attorneys who represented Texas in its lawsuit against the tobacco industry.

Last week Attorney General John Cornyn asked a state district judge in Houston to authorize depositions from the five lawyers.

But on Friday, one day after Cornyn's request, the group filed a notice of removal with a federal judge who presided over the tobacco case.

That action automatically moves the issue to U.S. District Judge David Folsom of Texarkana, according to the Houston Chronicle, and further delays Cornyn's legal ac-

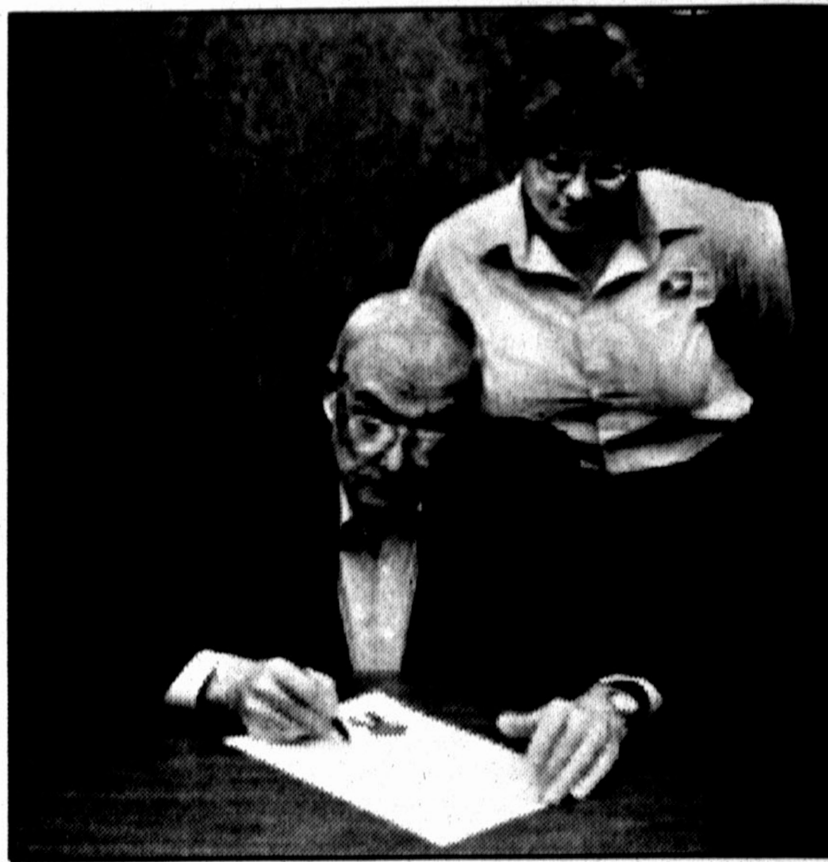
tion.

The attorney general, a Republican, wants the lawyers to address accusations that his predecessor, Dan Morales, may have solicited large sums of money from litigators he considered hiring for the state's lucrative anti-tobacco suit.

Morales, a Democrat, and the five lawyers have repeatedly denied that any improper solicitations were made.

The attorneys were awarded \$3.3 billion in legal fees after helping Morales win a \$17.3 billion settlement for Texas from cigarette companies in 1998.

Cornyn's petition stated he was investigating whether the five lawyers had breached their duty to the state.



Michelle Hammarbeck watches as Mayor Bob Josserand proclaims May 13 to be "National Association of Letter Carriers Food Drive Day" in Hereford.

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Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for April 28-May 1, 2000, include the following:

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Arrests

- A 34-year-old man was arrested in the 700 block of South Main and charged with driving without a license.

- Three men were arrested in the 500 block of Avenue G following a domestic disturbance. A 50-year-old man was charged with assault and resisting arrest; a 29-year-old man was charged with a Deaf Smith County warrant for violation of probation and an Ochiltree County warrant for driving while intoxicated; a 26-year-old man was charged with assault.

- A 32-year-old man was arrested in the 300 block of Avenue C and charged with driving without a license and fleeing the scene after possible assault.

- A 61-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue A and charged with public intoxication.

- A 21-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue E and charged with driving while intoxicated.

- Two 19-year-old men were arrested in the 100 block of South 25 Mile Avenue and charged with assault and minor in possession of alcohol. A 19-year-old man was arrested and charged with public intoxication. A 17-year-old woman was arrested and charged with evading detention and fleeing the scene.

- A 21-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue A and charged with evading detention.

- A 17-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue A and charged with public intoxication and minor in possession of alcohol.

- A 39-year-old man was arrested in the 500 block of West First and charged with driving while intoxicated and a 41-year-old man was arrested and charged with public intoxication.

- A 31-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Grand and charged with disorderly conduct.

Incidents

- Criminal trespass was reported in the 300 block of Avenue H.

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

- A dog bite was reported in the 200 block of Elm. The victim was transported to Hereford Regional Medical Center by a friend.

- Two men were cited at Second and Sampson for disorderly conduct, public affray.

- Telephone harassment was reported in the 500 block of Sycamore.

- Criminal mischief was reported in the 800 block of South 25 Mile Avenue. A van window was broken. Damage was estimated at \$200.

- A 27-year-old man was reported following his 21-year-old estranged wife in the 500 block of Avenue K.

- A criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of East Park.

- Gasoline theft was reported in the 2900 block of East First.

- Attempted theft of a dirt bike was reported in the 400 block of East Third.

- Criminal trespass was reported in the 200 block of Jackson where two individuals attempted to start a fight.

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

- Criminal trespass was reported in the 300 block of Avenue H.

- A 27-year-old man and an 18-year-old man were issued criminal trespass warnings in the 700 block of Park Ave.

- A woman reported being assaulted by her spouse in the 600 block of Irving for at least the third time.

- Theft of a dolly ad a tool box, valued at \$700, was reported in the 500 block of Irving.

- An infant was assaulted by a 35-year-old in the 900 block of 13th.

- A vehicle was test driven from the 300 block of North 25 Mile Avenue, by a white male, and never returned.

- Theft of a washer and dryer was reported in the 800 block of South Lee.

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

- A lost purse was reported in the 1100 block of West Park Avenue.

- Theft of a television and tools, valued at \$300, was reported in the 100 block of Austin Road.

- A two-vehicle accident was reported at South Lee and Gracy. No injuries were reported. One driver was cited for failure to yield right-of-way at a stop sign.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Arrests

- A 23-year-old man was arrested and charged with escape and parole violations.

- A 29-year-old man was arrested and charged with felony driving while intoxicated.

- A 33-year-old man was arrested and charged with criminal trespass and possession of marijuana.

- A 26-year-old man was arrested and charged with two counts of assault.

- A 26-year-old man was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana.

Incidents

- Three minors were cited for minor in possession of alcohol.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

April 29

- 2:23 a.m. Firefighters responded to 513 Ave. K to a smoke scare.

May 1

- 11:02 a.m. Firefighters responded to 815 S. Lee to an oven fire. Damage was minimal.

- 4:03 p.m. Firefighters responded to 321 N. 25 Mile Ave. for a car fire.

ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

Hereford animal control officers report picking up a black male Great Dane at the Aquatic Center. Available for adoption are six, mixed breed, short hair puppies, approximately 8 weeks old.

For information on these animals please contact animal control at 363-7120.

Carriers will collect more than just mail

Hereford mail carriers will not only collect mail on May 13, they'll collect food as well.

This will be the third year the Hereford carriers will participate in the annual National Association of Letter Carriers Food Drive.

Hereford postal employee Michelle Hammarbeck said all food collected will be donated to the Hereford Food Pantry.

Anyone interested in donating non-perishable food items for this event is asked to place the items in a bag and set it beside their mailbox by 9:30 a.m. May 13. The mail carriers will be responsible for picking up the food.

Hammarbeck said the goal for the entire Panhandle is at least 90,000 pounds of food.

The bags of food will be collected by the mail carriers only within the Hereford city limits.

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Obituaries



VESTA MAE NUNLEY
April 28, 2000

Services for Vesta Mae Nunley, 75, of Hereford were Monday in the First Baptist Church with Dr. Nathan Stone, pastor Fellowship of Believers Church officiating. Burial was in Rest Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Nunley died Friday at Northwest Hospital in Amarillo.

She was born Aug. 11, 1924, in Rosedale, N.M., to Joe H. Landers and Lola May Gunn. She married William B. Nunley on March 21, 1948, in Westway. She came to Deaf Smith County in 1927 and was a member of the Temple Baptist Church.

Mrs. Nunley taught school at Westway, Summerfield, and Friona. She served as Deaf Smith County treasurer for 24 years.

Mrs. Nunley was a member of the Hereford Pilot Club, Women's Division Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce, HOST program and the Hereford Senior Citizens.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Jackie McNeese of Hereford; two sons, Ronnie Nunley of Hereford, Rick Nunley of Amarillo; one brother, Ross Landers of El Paso; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Kings Manor/Westgate.

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PEARL WEST
April 29, 2000

Graveside services for Pearl

West, 81, of Dimmitt were today at West Park Cemetery under the direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. West died Saturday at her home.

She was born March 10, 1919, in Morgan County, Mo., to Ray West and Eva Hicks.

She married Thomas West on July 4, 1968, in Moriarty, N.M.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Betty Ruth Gonzalez of Hume, Calif.; one son, Billy Gene Boschert; four step-daughters, Jo Ann West, Joan West, Barbara Ann Hurst, Susan Worley; one step-son, Richard West; two brothers, Bob Hicks of Kemptner, Jack Hicks of Prescott Valley, Ariz.

She was preceded in death by one step-son.

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STACEY RENEE
WHATLEY

April 28, 2000

DIMMITT — Services for Stacey Renee Whatley, 27, of Dimmitt were Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt, with Rev. Howard Rhodes officiating. Burial was in Westlawn Memorial Park under the direction of Foskey-Lilley-McGill Funeral Home.

Ms. Whatley died Thursday at Covenant Medical Center at Lakeside in Lubbock.

She was born Feb. 26, 1973, in Hereford to Clinton Whatley and Cindy Clark. She graduated from Friendship High School and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt. Ms. Whatley was employed by Alternative Business Systems of Lubbock and participated in Special Olympics.

Survivors include her parents; one brother, Tanner Whatley of Canyon; three sisters, Whitney Ethridge, Lyndsey Ethridge, both of Lubbock, Catlin Whatley of Canyon; grandmother, Marzell Powell of Dimmitt; grandfathers, L.C. and Pauline Whatley of Stanton.

The family suggests memorials be made to March of Dimes.

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Delta Xi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma officers for the new biennium are, front from left, Jan Reeve, second vice president; Jeanie Conway, first vice president; DeeAnn Matthews, president; back from left, Deloris Dowell, recording secretary; Caroline Gilley, corresponding secretary; and Connie Gilbert, treasurer. Not pictured is Marge Bell, parliamentarian.

New officers of Delta Xi installed during candlelight ceremony

Officers for Delta Xi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma International for the next biennium were installed in a candlelight ceremony recently.

They are DeeAnn Matthews, president; Jeanie Conway, first vice president; Jan Reeve, second vice president; Deloris Dowell, recording secretary; Caroline Gilley, corresponding secretary; Connie Gilbert, treasurer; and Marge Bell, parliamentarian.

Kris Dollar, outgoing president, was presented the Achievement Award of the Year by Billie Birdwell for the energy, enthusiasm and dedication to the goals of Delta Kappa Gamma that she has

portrayed as president.

The scholarship committee reported that scholarships of \$350 each will be awarded to Erin Auckerman and Heather Hodges, both college students pursuing careers in education.

The program, presented by the ceremonials committee and led by Eloise McDougal, was a founders and birthday celebration. A cake, with layers of gold, red and white, was used to symbolize the strong foundation provided by the founders of DKG, the 44th birthday of Delta Xi and hope for the future. Committee members who assisted with the program were Linda Cumpton, Ann

Cummings and DeeAnn Matthews.

Donna Warrick and the membership committee recognized those who celebrated birthdays in April and those whose birthdays are in May, June and July. Twenty-one members with perfect attendance for the year were also recognized.

Hostesses for the meeting were Karen White, Betty Mercer, Louise Witkowski, Jan Metcalf, Marie Stringer and Linda Baird.

The next scheduled meeting for Delta Xi will be Sept. 11 at Hereford Community Center.

Victims of child molestation encouraged to speak out

Dear Ann Landers: You recently printed several letters about child molesters. One woman who wrote said her uncle had tried to molest her when she was a child, and he gave her \$5 not to tell anyone. She took the money, and has kept the secret all these years. I hope she reads this letter and breaks me into contact with this abuser. We must write letters and support child-abuse prevention programs. We must watch abusers with keen eyes, and let them know they are being watched. Abusers are extremely slick and manipulative, and skilled at gaining trust. Not telling is, of course, a lot easier, but the cost to the community is immense.

If you know someone who has abused a child, please don't be afraid to rock the boat! Abusers will not stop on their own. Victims who may have been silent as children need not be silent any longer. The shame is not theirs. It belongs to the perpetrators. Please, Ann, speak for the children who cannot speak for themselves. Do not use my name. Sign me — A Survivor in Corvallis, Ore.

Dear Oregon: You have written an important letter about a subject that needs to be discussed more openly, but because of its delicate nature, few people are willing to talk about it. The message from me to my readers of all ages is TELL TELL TELL. Even if several years have gone by, TELL. No one should be allowed to get away with this hideous crime, and the abusers will have gotten away with



Ann Landers

it if survivors remain silent.

I appreciate your letter more than words can express, because it will give other victims of molestation the courage to speak out. Thank you, thank you.

Dear Ann Landers: A while back, you asked your readers to send in their favorite column. Well, Ann, here's mine. I believe it is worthy of a repeat. Please let your readers see it again. — J.R. in L.A.

Dear J.R.: Thanks for the opportunity to rerun a golden oldie. I laughed for the umpteenth time when I read it.

Mystery Solved! It seems that when the good Lord was making the world, he called Man aside, and bestowed upon him 20 years of a normal sex life. Man was horrified, but the Creator refused to budge.

Then, the Lord called the monkey, and gave him 20 years. "But, I don't need 20 years," said the monkey. "Ten is plenty." Man spoke up and said: "May I have the other 10 years?" The monkey agreed.

The Lord called on the lion, and also gave him 20 years. The lion, too, wanted only 10. Again, Man spoke up. "May I have the other 10 years?" "Of course," said the lion.

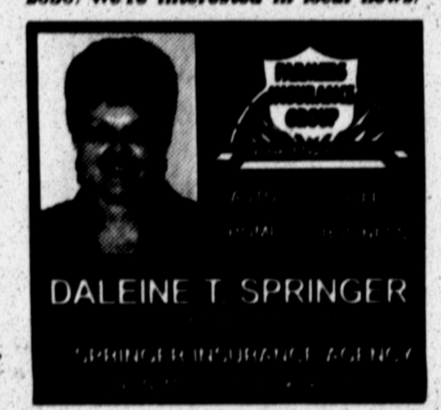
Then, came the donkey, who was also given 20 years. Like the others, 10 years was enough for him. Man again asked for the spare 10 years, and he got them.

This explains why Man has 20 years of normal sex, 10 years of monkeying around, 10 years of lion about it, and 10 years of making a jackass out of himself.

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Supper set for pageant hopefuls

The Women's Division of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce is hosting a salad supper at 6 p.m. Thursday in the home of Francie Farr, 2026 Plains, for young ladies interested in competing in the Miss Hereford scholarship pageant and their mothers.

This year's pageant will be held June 17 in conjunction with the Town and Country Jubilee.

Young ladies ages 16-21 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.

Information about the pageant will be provided to young ladies attending the supper and registration forms will be available.

"We hope that any girls interested in competing will attend the supper and turn in a registration form. This will assist us in finalizing plans for the pageant," Gail Richardson, pageant co-chairman, said. Completed forms not turned

Fellowship will meet Thursday

Hereford Flame Fellowship will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in Hereford Community Center.

Speaker for the meeting is Jackie Hammett from Amarillo. Hammett and her husband, Gary, have been married 23 years. They are members of God's Covenant Family Church.

Jackie has traveled overseas with ministry teams to Uppsala, Sweden in 1992, and to Kericho, Africa in 1994.

Meetings of Flame Fellowship are open to men, women and children. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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Former HHS student recipient of two honors at Texas A&M



Black Tie Award-- Jaime Steiert, right, a 1999 graduate of Hereford High School, received two honors at Texas A&M University last week. She was named the Department of Agriculture Education's Freshman Student of the Year. Here, she is shown with Sara Peebles, chairman of the public relations committee of the Opera and Performing Arts Society at the Memorial Student Center at Texas A&M, who presented Steiert with a Black Tie Performance Award for her work with OPAS during the 1999-2000 season.

Jaime Steiert, a 1999 graduate of Hereford High School, is the recipient of recent honors from the Department of Agriculture Education and the Memorial Student Center Opera and Performing Arts Society at Texas A&M University in College Station.

Steiert, an agriculture development major, was named the Freshman Student of the Year by the Department of Agriculture Education during its awards banquet last week. She was presented a commemorative pen in recognition of the honor by Dr. Joe Townsend of the agriculture department.

Also last week, Steiert was presented the Black Tie Performance Award for outstanding service on the Public Relations Committee of the Opera and Performing Arts Society during its 1999-2000 season. The award was presented by Public Relations Committee Chairman Sara Peebles, who selected the Hereford freshman for the honor on the basis of her participation, attitude, and ability. In making the award presentation, Miss Peebles credited Steiert's work for much of her committee's success during the 27th OPAS season.

The Opera and Performing Arts Society at Texas A&M is one of the largest organizations in the Memorial Student Center and is staffed by student volunteers. It operates on a \$1 million budget derived from ticket sales and donations.

Steiert is the daughter of Jim and Kerrie Steiert of Hereford.

LOOKING BACK

Today in History

By The Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, May 2, the 123rd day of 2000. There are 243 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 2, 1863, Confederate Gen. Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson was accidentally wounded by his own men at Chancellorsville, Va.; he died eight days later.

On this date:

In 1519, Leonardo da Vinci died at Cloux, France.

In 1670, the Hudson Bay Company was chartered by England's King Charles II.

In 1890, the Oklahoma Territory was organized.

In 1936, "Peter and the Wolf," a symphonic tale for children by Sergei Prokofiev, had its world premiere in Moscow.

In 1945, the Soviet Union announced the fall of Berlin, and the Allies announced the surrender of Nazi troops in Italy and parts of Austria.

In 1957, Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, the communist-hunting Republican senator from Wisconsin, died at Bethesda Naval Hospital in Maryland.

In 1960, convicted sex offender and best-selling author Caryl Chessman was executed at San Quentin Prison in California.

In 1965, the "Early Bird" satellite was used to transmit TV pictures across the Atlantic.

In 1972, after 48 years as head of the FBI, J. Edgar Hoover died in Washington at age 77.

In 1994, Nelson Mandela claimed victory in the wake of South Africa's first democratic elections; President F.W. de Klerk acknowledged defeat.

Ten years ago: The government of South Africa and the African National Congress opened their first formal talks aimed at paving the way for more substantive negotiations on dismantling apartheid.

Five years ago: President Clinton agreed to allow some 20,000 Cubans into the United States after months of detention at Guantanamo Bay, but said any more Cubans who fled their country would be forcibly repatriated.

One year ago: Yugoslav authorities handed over to the

Rev. Jesse Jackson three American prisoners of war who had been held for a month. Actor Oliver Reed died in Malta at age 61.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Theodore Bikel is 76. Actor Roscoe Lee Browne is 75. Rock musician Link Wray is 65. Comedy writer-voice actor

Lorenzo Music is 63. Bianca Jagger is 55. Country singer R.C. Bannon is 55. Singer Lesley Gore is 54. Singer-songwriter Larry Gatlin is 52. Rock singer Lou Gramm (Foreigner) is 50. Actress Christine Baranski is 48. Actress Elizabeth Berridge is 38. Country singer Ty Herndon is 38.



VistaCare Family Hospice has announced the addition of two Hereford medical professionals to its hospice team: Rose Mary Barrett, Registered Nurse (right) and Maribel Barron, Certified Nurses Aide. VistaCare specializes in hospice, providing "in-home" care for terminally ill patients and their family members in Deaf Smith County, as well as the West Texas area. For more information regarding hospice services, call 1-800-657-7183, 24 hours a day.

Owens is voted best speaker

Paula Edwards and Tronica Owens were speakers for the Thursday morning meeting of Hereford Toastmasters.

Edwards topic was "Why Do We Call that White House the Black House?" and Jigger Rowland served as evaluator. Owens speech on "Jekyll and Hyde" was evaluated by Clark Andrews.

The vote for best speaker

went to Owens and for best evaluator went to Rowland.

Rowland was presiding officer at the meeting. Andrews gave the invocation.

Sharon Cramer served as toastmaster, Andrews was timer, and Wayne Winget was AH counter and grammarian.

Daniel Morriset acted as wordmaster and introduced the word "ameliorate" which means

to improve or make better.

Ryan Norsworthy was topicmaster and topic speakers and their topics were: Andrews, "Gun Control"; Morriset, "Elian Gonzalez-Too Much Force?"; and Don Tardy, "Insurance-A Funny Business?"

Morriset was voted best topic speaker. David Castillo served as general evaluator.

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Herd clinches playoff berth after 7-6 win

■ DePriest glad baseball team is not left out in successful year

By Jeff Blackmon
Hereford Brand Sports Editor

A warning label should be attached to any who desires to watch a Hereford High School varsity baseball game.

It should read, "WARNING: Watching the Whiteface baseball team could be hazardous to those with a weak heart or on medication. Proceed with caution!"

The Whitefaces pulled out another nail-biter on Monday beating Dumas 7-6 at Palo Duro High School in a game to determine the third playoff seed in district 3-4A. The win sends the Whitefaces to the playoffs for the first time in more than 10 years.

"We are really excited to be in the playoffs," head varsity baseball coach David DePriest said. "It came down to the last inning and the last out. It was fun."

DePriest said making the playoffs was important to his team after starting out 1-4 in district play.

"We started out 1-4, and I kind of went into the theory that we had to win them all from here out," DePriest said. "We won five of the last six and did a great job of keeping focused."

The Demons entered the bottom of the seventh down 7-5, but the team scored one off fielder's choice. Dumas' first baseman Ireland then got into scoring position with two outs. Senior pitcher George Castillo, in relief, settled down and got the fly out to right field for the win.

The Whitefaces jumped ahead early by a score of 5-0, but the Dumas Demons refused to go quietly and battled until the end. Hereford added two

more insurance runs in the fifth and sixth innings that proved to be crucial to the Herd.

"Fortunately we got ahead early, and they kept scoring," DePriest said. "We scored a couple more and hung onto it."

The Herd's first run came in the top of the first off two consecutive doubles by short stop Andrew Ramirez and center fielder Richard Salinas. Salinas knocked in Ramirez to make the score 1-0.

Hereford went on to add four more in the top of the second with the help of three Dumas errors. Starting pitcher Eddie Lacey started the inning by reaching first base on an error followed by a walk to first baseman Brady Daniel. Left fielder Juan Ayala followed Daniel's walk by reaching on an error by the second baseman loading the bases for catcher Toby Torres. Torres singled in a run extending the Whitefaces' lead. Ramirez followed Torres with a single of his own scoring two runs making it 4-1 Hereford. The Herd added one more off Andrew Villarreal's RBI hit to left outing the Herd up 5-0.

Hereford added another run in the fifth off L.J. Vallejo's fly ball to center field scoring Andrew Villarreal for their sixth run of the day, and in the sixth Torres scored Hereford's seventh run of the day.

Junior hurler Eddie Lacey made another great pitching appearance as he fanned six batters for the win. DePriest said it is good to see Lacey pitching well after complaining of shoulder pain less than two weeks ago.

"It means a lot to have him back," DePriest said. "It adds depth to our pitching staff, and he has done a great job."

For the second straight start, Lacey had his best stuff working including a great curve ball that seemed to absolutely freeze hitters.

"He was throwing hard and throwing lots of strikes,"

DePriest said. "That is what he has to do to be successful."

Lacey attributes his renewed success to resting his arm and working in the bullpen.

caught for Lacey during his last two starts and says he can see Lacey's improvement.

"He's doing real good," Torres said. "He has worked

"George is pitching excellent right now," DePriest said. "He is throwing hard, and he has control of his breaking pitches."

Hereford's next task is to take on district 4-4A standout Frenship, but DePriest said he is just glad to be in the playoffs.

Hereford and Frenship meet in Plainview on Friday to begin a best of three playoff series. DePriest said almost all of the teams in Hereford have made the playoffs this year, and he did not want his team to be left out.

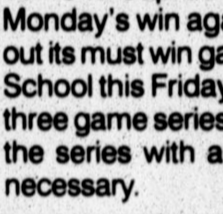
"Hereford's had a great run," DePriest said. "I guess every team has made it to the playoffs, and the team was feeling the pressure to make it. They really wanted it."



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BACK STOP

Toby Torres is the starting catcher for the Hereford baseball team and has been a key defensive member of the team. Torres tags a runner out (above) in Saturday's disappointing 15-10 loss at home to Caprock. Torres crosses home (below) in Monday's win against Dumas helping the team pull out its must win game. The Herd faces Frenship High School this Friday in Plainview for the first game of a three game series. On Saturday, the teams will finish the series with an early game and a late game if necessary.



BRAND/Jeff Blackmon

"I had to get in the bullpen and work on my control problem," Lacey said. "When I think about it and throw hard I throw strikes better."

One team member who can definitely tell a difference in Lacey is Torres. Torres has

hard on his curve, and it keeps getting better."

After allowing a fifth Dumas run in the sixth, Lacey was pulled for Castillo who pitched two innings of relief. DePriest said Castillo also had a good outing.

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FLOOD HEADING TO AUSTIN

By Jeff Blackmon
Hereford Brand Sports Editor

Only one Hereford track competitor moved on this weekend but all of them competed with every bit of their hearts.

Hereford High School senior Kurtis Flood left the regional meet in San Angelo with a state berth while the members of the girls' track team came home with no state hopes.

Flood placed second in the discus throw with a toss of 156 feet 2 inches. Discus coach Jim Conger said the throw was not Flood's best, but both of them are happy to get out of regionals and move on to state.

"I would have loved for him to have thrown better, because the object is to win," Conger said. "This is good though, and I am extremely proud of him."

Conger said he had some mixed emotions about coming in second place at regionals. Conger said he and Flood were glad to win second, they feel he could have won it all.

"On one hand you're not satisfied but on the other you are," Conger said. "His throw wasn't anything great, but he hung on."

Conger said Flood's ability to step up at state and hang on to second place was a direct result of pressures Flood has faced the whole year through. Flood was a part of Hereford's varsity football team that went to the state championship game, and Conger said he believes the pressures Flood experienced there placed him above the rest of the competitors.

"We talked about how he'd been through a lot of pressure because of football," Conger said. "None of the guys he was throwing against had been through what he has. He felt a little more special."

Conger said Flood knows he has had a special year, but

he continues to be incredibly level headed about his situation. Conger said he and Flood have made a decision to be humble about his success.

"He is a very humble individual," Conger said. "I equate him to Richie Cunningham off of 'Happy Days' because of his All-American boy attitude."

Flood travels to Abilene this Friday to throw in a track meet designed to be a warm-up for state. On May 12, Flood goes to the real thing in Austin and competes at noon.

Conger said he hopes Flood can make his best throw at state, but he says both of them know he has to face the best in state including two throwers who can reach 170 feet.

"He has his work cut out for him," Conger said. "If there is a way to get close to them he will figure it out."

On the girls' side of the meet, Brionne Yosten took hopes of three-peating at state in the 3200-meter run to San Angelo but was forced out because of an ankle injury.

Head girls' track coach, Ray Baca, said Yosten gave it her all but needed to drop out of the race and prevent any serious injury.

"I had to make her stop," Baca said. "It was her decision to run, and her right to compete but her ankle just hurt too much."

Baca said he has never seen such determination from an athlete than from Yosten. He said she has the drive any coach wants in an athlete.

"I honestly feel like she has the character and heart all coaches wish their athletes had," Baca said. "I have never seen so much heart and determination."

Baca said to see an athlete that is hurt run her hardest made him proud to be a coach, but he said he is proudest of Yosten's efforts by giving her best even with the injury.

"I can't put into words what it means," Baca said. "She just really went after it."

Baca said the severity of Yosten's injury should be determined this Thursday. Baca said he hopes the ankle is not fractured.

"The ankle just hasn't responded like a sprain should," Baca said. "It has been four weeks since the injury, and we are worried about it."

Toni Eicke placed second in the 200-meter dash at the district meet and qualified to

run in the regional meet last Friday. Baca said Eicke opted out of the race, because she decided she wanted to be at 100 percent for the girls 400-meter relay. Baca said he left the decision to Eicke, and she decided not to compete in the 200.

"I let her make the decision," Baca said. "She felt like that was what she needed to do, because she is such a team player."

The 400-meter relay team fell just short of going to state by placing third with a time of 4 minutes 4.05 seconds.

Baca said Eicke's team sacrifice was character of the track team's attitude this season.

"This has been the most enjoyable year to coach," Baca said. "We didn't have as many talented people, but they achieved what they wanted to."

Baca said watching them achieve their goals was a great feeling, but he thinks having a team that bonded together as a family was more important.

"In the past, some wouldn't get along or not work hard," Baca said. "This year we felt like a family."



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Austin Bound—Kurtis Flood (above) roars into the state meet to compete in discus on May 12.

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Car show

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another. First we put a new engine in and then put bigger tires on it. Then we found out the motor wouldn't pull the bigger tires, so we put in a Chevy 327 and automatic transmission. Now it's something fun, but it's useable. All the cars we do are useable.

Car owners all tell a different tale of why they do it and what they get out of showing cars.

Ike Avery, the owner of a completely original 1959 Ford Fairlane, says his father bought it brand new and he got it from his father.

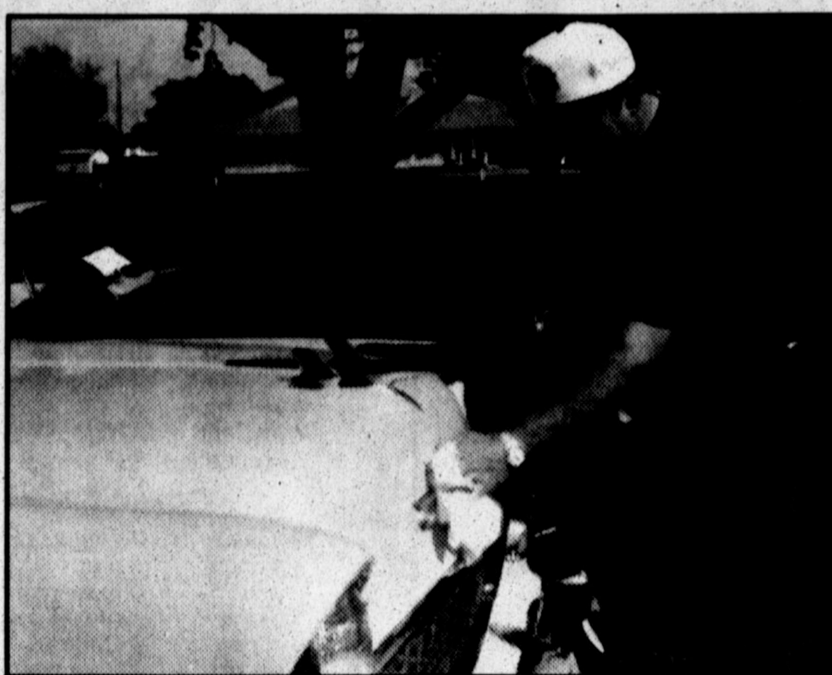
"It's more spoiled than my kids," Avery said. "It gets whatever it needs."

Avery is not the only one with a child-like fetish about the spoiled old beauties.

Denny Deaver showed a tanga-yellow 1955 Chevy; his wife arrived in a cherry red 1965 Ford Mustang.

"It's a second child-hood thing," said Deaver. "These cars were just making to the used car lots when I was in high school, so it's what a lot of us drove. Now we do it because we want to bring back something of those days."

A owner of a bright purple 1937 Chevy pickup, Ralph



Denny Deaver polishes his yellow 1955 Chevrolet. Deaver's wife arrived at the car show in a cherry red 1965 Ford Mustang.

Veach, said, "It's got more than 10 years of my life in it. My brother would work on it for a while ... then I'd have to go fix what he ruined. Finally I just bought it and fixed the way I wanted it."

Some of the participants enjoy doing the restoration from the ground up. They say that way they get the car just the way they want it.

James McGhee was among those who built his entry from the frame up. McGhee showed

only a '54 Chevy, which he says is his favorite, but has rebuilt a '53 GMC, a '56 Pontiac and two '65 Mustangs. He does all the work except the chrome.

"I'm looking for a convertible, like this one," McGhee said, looking at his '54 Chevy. "I'd sell two Mustangs to get the right convertible."

The proceeds of the car show will go to help buy car club gear, such as jackets and caps, as well as helping the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

First lady opens conference on helping families, teens

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS News digest

WASHINGTON — Despite their loud sighs and complaints about being misunderstood, teen-agers need and want their parents involved in their lives, says first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, who today hosts a White House conference on helping families through the often-turbulent teen years.

"Studies are showing that for all their protest and swagger, teen-agers need and want the everyday love, involvement and discipline of their parents," Mrs. Clinton wrote in an article about the conference published in this week's Newsweek. "Sometimes even modest efforts to reach out to your teen-ager can make a tremendous difference."

Parents, teens, teachers, youth workers and others were invited to the daylong conference to discuss ways to raise and mentor responsible and resourceful youth.

Mrs. Clinton was moderating two morning sessions, including one on what parents and communities can do to help teens succeed. Afternoon panel discussions were to address what can be done to make it easier for parents to spend time together, media's impact on youth and parenting and what parents, communities and young people can do to avoid risky behavior.

"Adults usually do not listen to young people and they don't make it their business to help them implement their goals," said panelist Dorothy Stoneman, founder of the Boston-based YouthBuild USA, which teaches low-income young people construction skills by building affordable housing in their communities. "What happens when you listen, young people get engaged and connected and they feel better about themselves."

The conference also was highlighting recent brain research that says the preteen years are as important in setting patterns for adult behavior as the first three years of life.

U.S. warships arrive off Puerto Rican island

VIEQUES, Puerto Rico — Helicopters hovered overhead and U.S. warships loomed off shore Vieques Island amid reports that federal agents were planning to evict protesters from a contested U.S. Navy bombing range.

Tensions increased Monday with reports that the USS Nashville and USS Bataan picked up 1,000 Marines in North Carolina en route to Vieques. The Marines reportedly would secure the range's perimeter once

protesters are removed.

"I'm not going to fight with them," said Luisa Guadalupe, 82, a protester helping to block the main entrance to the Vieques range. "But to get me out of here they're going to have to arrest me."

Navy exercises that had been held for 60 years on the island, just east of Puerto Rico, were suspended a year ago after stray bombs killed a civilian security guard, releasing pent-up resentment in the U.S. territory.

There are 50 protesters at several camps inside the range. They stand in the way of an agreement between the local government and President Clinton allowing the Navy to resume limited training until Vieques' 9,300 residents decide in a referendum whether the Navy should leave.

Arrests would be carried out by federal agents in an FBI-led operation, according to Pentagon officials.

On Monday, three U.S. warships appeared off Vieques' north coast, accompanied by two Coast Guard vessels. The hull number on one of them was 13, corresponding to that of the USS Nashville, an amphibious transport. The Bataan is an amphibious assault ship.

Scottish authorities make final preparations for trial

CAMP ZEIST, Netherlands — Court authorities want to keep the trial as routine as possible for two Libyans suspected in the bombing of Pan Am flight 103.

But as victims' relatives arrive, their emotions will mix with hundreds of reporters and unprecedented security as the trial begins in the 1988 bombing over Lockerbie, England, that killed more than 270 people, including 189 Americans.

"It's been a ghastly 111/2 years," Jim Swire, a spokesman for British relatives, told Associated Press Television News.

The long-awaited trial begins Wednesday at a Scottish court on Dutch soil. Dozens of relatives were expected to arrive in Amsterdam early today and make the 40-mile drive to a hotel near Camp Zeist, a former U.S. Air Force base.

Scottish court authorities said they were trying to keep the trial as routine as possible at the old base, converted into an \$18 million high-security courtroom and detention center.

Abdel Basset Ali al-Megrahi and Lamem Khalifa Fhimah are charged with murder, conspiracy to murder and endangering the safety of an aircraft in the Dec. 21, 1988, bombing of the U.S.-bound flight.

After interviewing 15,000 witnesses and collecting 180,000 pieces of evidence in the biggest murder investigation in history, prosecutors are convinced they have the culprits, who they claim are Libyan intelligence agents.

Minnesota to take aim at Holocaust-era insurers

ST. PAUL, Minn. — When Max Goodman's father died in Europe 60 years ago, he left his family a life insurance policy worth 1 million Romanian lei.

But Goodman and his Jewish family were never able to collect the money, worth about \$5,000 then or \$60,000 in today's dollars. They were imprisoned in a Nazi concentration camp in what is now the Ukraine until 1945, when he, his mother and sister were freed by Russian soldiers.

Goodman tried to cash in the policy after he was liberated, but dropped the matter when he realized the money would "maybe buy 10 loaves of bread" because of postwar inflation.

Goodman eventually settled in St. Paul, where he lives today with his wife. More than a half-century later, the retired accountant hopes he will finally get his money.

"I never thought of it that I would be able to file a claim," Goodman, 76, said recently.

The law signed by Gov. Jesse Ventura two weeks ago is designed to pressure a handful of European insurance companies with affiliates in Minnesota to cooperate with the International Commission on Holocaust Era Insurance Claims.

Possibility of executive privilege in e-mail case

WASHINGTON — The White House is suggesting it may invoke executive privilege to prevent Congress from seeing some documents in the controversy over missing e-mails that are being sought by investigators looking into a range of matters from Whitewater to campaign fundraising.

The White House has sent the House Government Reform Committee a one-page list of documents it is not immediately turning over to investigators because they are considered covered by executive privilege and attorney-client confidentiality.

Among the documents on the list, which was obtained Monday by The Associated Press, are handwritten notes by White House lawyers involving discussions they had with computer experts.

The list says the notes "reflect mental impressions" of the lawyers for the White House Office of Administration, which oversaw the computer system that, because of a technical glitch, was not properly archiving e-mails so they could be searched for possible turnover to various investigations.

Independent Counsel Robert Ray, the Justice Department and Congress are all investigating whether the White House's failure to promptly recover e-mails and check them for compliance with subpoenas.

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"We would watch them pace the hangars, different places on the base, then we'd realize they were pacing the space to relay information so the base could be bombed," he said.

Tears well in his eyes as he recounts the sight of a young chieftain's daughter, who had had her feet blown off.

"She walked on crutches, but the bottoms of her legs were like sticks with wads of cloth. It was terrible. The VC would use kids as booby-traps," he said.

Of his time in Vietnam, Mancillas says the thing he feared the most were the "dopers, potheads and the young anti-war Marines."

Mancillas reached the rank of sergeant E-5 before his discharge in August 1972.

"Talking from hindsight, Vietnam was purely political. When I got back, I just wanted to be left alone. My biggest problem was with the people — these people," Mancillas said, referring to the people in the United States who had changed while he was in Vietnam. "It was a different world. The whole country had made an about-face — the clothing, fashion and respect had all changed."

"What difference does it all make now?" he asks. "We can't change the past. Several men from here died. I'm just glad it was over there and not here."

Mancillas, who volunteered for military service, has little use for "draft dodgers" who would be pardoned by President Carter.

"It opened the door for people like (President) Clinton. I don't have much respect for him or the others" (who avoided military service during the Vietnam War.)

Mancillas remembers that Democratic presidential nominee George McGovern promised in 1972 to go to Hanoi to get POWs released, but that didn't impress him much.

"They wouldn't let us win; the rest of it doesn't matter," he said, adding the promises made by politicians.

"No, none of it is worth remembering. I wouldn't serve again."

Grand jury indicts 16

The Deaf Smith County Grand Jury returned 16 indictments on April 19 against the following individuals:

—Emeraldia Muniz, 28, 427 N. 25 Mile Ave., charged with theft by check over \$1,500, under \$2,000; in custody.

—Henry Harrison Belvin, 28, HC 70 Box 60, Boswell, Okla., charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle; released on \$5,000 bond.

—Leroy Galan, 19, 112 Ave. H, Apt. 10, charged with failure to register as a sexual offender; in custody.

—Juan Jose Casarez, 17, 612 Ave. K, charged with possession of controlled substance, namely cocaine; released on \$10,000 bond.

—Olegario Leon, Jr., 18, 211 E. Park St., charged with sexual assault; released on \$7,500 bond.

—Alfredo Penaber, 42, 204 Catalpa, charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon; released on \$7,500 bond.

—Charles Tallmon, 27, Route 1, Box 46, charged with possession of a controlled substance, namely methamphetamine; released on \$5,000 bond.

—Apollinar Cedillo, 42, 109 Kibbey, charged with felony driving while intoxicated; released on \$3,000 bond.

—Cesario Eumelio Marquez, 34, 117 N.W. 40th St., Albuquerque, N.M., charged with criminal non-support; released on \$5,000 bond.

—Jose Juan Vasquez, 20, 112 Ave. H, apt. 30, charged with possession of controlled substance, namely cocaine; in custody.

—Marciano Garza, 58, 1737 Spawling, San Angelo, Texas, charged with felony driving while intoxicated; released on \$5,000 bond.

—Israel Uvalle, 29, 907 S. Schley, charged with felony driving while intoxicated; released on \$500 bond.

—Jerry Lee Perez, 26, Route 2, Box 66, charged with indecency with a child; released on \$5,000 bond.

—Alejandro Perez, aka Alex Perez, 22, Route 2, Box 66, charged with indecency with a child, aggravated sexual assault of a child; released on \$10,000 bond.

—Jose Esqueda, 43, Route 3, Box 435, charged with possession of a controlled substance, namely methamphetamine; released on \$5,000 bond.

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTES — Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW. One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

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