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Hustlin Hereford, home of James Barrett



Three hurt in fight tied to gangs

Two men and a woman were injured Sunday night and 10 men were arrested after an incident police are saying was believed to be gang-related.

The fight occurred at 11:43 p.m. on Sunday in the 300 block of Avenue B.

Officers called to the scene in reference to a fight discovered three people who had been assaulted with some type of clubs.

Reports said Randy Ramos, 26, Ismael Dominguez, 18, and Mila Dominguez, age unknown, were taken to Hereford Regional Medical Center, where they were treated and released.

Ten suspects fled the scene in a car and were later located by officers in the 200 block of Avenue C.

The alleged assailants -- three 17-year-old males and seven juveniles -- were taken into custody. The juveniles were turned over to juvenile authorities, while the adults were booked into Deaf Smith County Jail.

Witnesses at the scene told officers the suspects had attacked the victims with bats and clubs.

Reports said one was struck with a baseball bat, one with a beer can and Mila Dominguez was hit with a four-way tire tool. She required 12 stitches.

Officers confiscated several items at the scene, including a baseball bat, clubs, tire tools and beer cans.

Police are continuing their investigation into the incident.



Checking the puppies

Students throughout Hereford got back to the business of education on Tuesday after a three-day Labor Day weekend. Here, students in Tina Russell's fourth grade class at Bluebonnet Intermediate School check their puppies, peeking through the pet carriers to determine their condition and to reacquaint themselves with the animals after the long weekend. See related photo, Page 2.

Luis brings 160 mph winds to Caribbean; hurricane may be worse than 1989's Hugo

By MICHELLE FAUL
Associated Press Writer

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (AP) - Howling "like a million ghosts," the most threatening hurricane in a half-century roared into the Caribbean today, killing a French tourist and bending palm trees double even before it hit land.

Frightened tourists and islanders crowded airports and overwhelmed air charter companies in trying to get out of the danger zone. But several airports closed Monday evening.

In Guadeloupe, waves as high as nine feet swept a 29-year-old French tourist from a jetty where he was trying to photograph the sea. He drowned while the edge of the hurricane still was more than 100 miles away.

With gusts up to 160 mph, and a 60-mile-wide eye that is bigger than any of the islands it is approaching, Hurricane Luis threatens even more devastation than Hurricane Hugo in 1989.

The storm bore down on Barbuda, a tiny island of 1,400 people. The first slashing winds struck neighboring Antigua today, 25 miles to the south, with gusts up to 146 mph.

"It's like a million ghosts howling outside," said Jackie Butler, a Briton who teaches in Davie, in South Florida.

Butler, 35, got caught while

vacationing with her husband and five children.

In a pre-dawn telephone conversation, she said the shrieking wind was interrupted by bangs that sounded like the roof trying to lift off. "Touch wood, it's still on," she managed to joke.

Antigua government radio went off the air early today. Listeners switched to the Baptist station, Radio Lighthouse, which continued broadcasting warnings and news that some roofs had been wrenched from their houses and many telephone lines were down.

The 700-mile-wide Luis is following in Hugo's path, according to meteorologist Scott Stripling. At 9 mph, it was lumbering west, menacing islands from Dominica in the east to Puerto Rico.

In San Juan, the shrill of drills and drum of hammers rung out Monday from commercial and suburban areas of Puerto Rico as people drilled wooden shutters into metal window frames and merchants tried to protect shop windows with metal sheets.

Supermarket shelves emptied as people stocked up on provisions, especially water, candles and flashlights, remembering three weeks of no electricity and no water after Hugo hit. At one, there was a fight over a few remaining batteries.

"I've been in hurricanes, but I've

never been in anything this strong before," Stripling said at the National Weather Service's San Juan office. "It's a very serious situation."

He said Puerto Rico "will likely see more damage" than was caused by Hugo, the most devastating hurricane to hit the Caribbean since San Felipe in 1928.

The governors of Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands activated the National Guard.

"We are planning as if the storm is going to directly strike the island," Puerto Rican Gov. Pedro Rossello said. "We want to minimize the possibility of loss of life."

In Washington, the Federal Emergency Management Agency assembled a disaster strike force Monday and sent communications teams and equipment to Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.

A giant C-5A transport plane, loaded with eight to 10 trucks and support personnel, was to fly to Puerto Rico today, FEMA officials said. Two satellite communications units also were being dispatched.

At 8 a.m. EDT, the storm was over Barbuda and 30 miles north of Antigua.

Earlier, Luis' imminent arrival was heralded by tropical storm force winds that bent coconut palms nearly double in Antigua.

First Lady assails women's rights violations

By TERENCE HUNT
AP White House Correspondent

BEIJING (AP) - Hillary Rodham Clinton declared today that "it is time to break the silence" about the abuse of women and sternly rebuked China for harassment of activists gathering here for an international conference.

Addressing 1,500 delegates to the U.N.-sponsored Fourth World Conference on Women, Mrs. Clinton said, "It is indefensible that many women in non-governmental organizations who wished to participate in this conference have not been able to attend or have been prohibited from fully taking part."

The first lady's criticism drew loud cheers. Similarly, she was applauded when she declared that women's rights are inseparable from human rights, and listed a long string of violations.

Without mentioning China by

name, she attacked population-control policies, saying, "It is a violation of human rights when women are denied the right to plan their own families, and that includes being forced to have abortions or being sterilized against their will."

Referring to practices in India, she said, "It is a violation of human rights when individual women are burned with gasoline, set on fire and doomed to death because their marriage dowries are deemed too small."

And she said it is a violation of human rights when babies are killed because they are girls, when women are sold into prostitution or raped as prizes in war or subjected to violence in their own homes.

"Tragically, women are most often the ones whose human rights are violated," Mrs. Clinton said. "I believe that, on the eve of a new

millennium, it is time to break the silence."

"If there is one message that echoes forth from this conference," Mrs. Clinton said, "let it be that human rights are women's rights. And women's rights are human rights, once and for all."

The first lady's appearance had been sharply criticized in advance by conservatives who view the conference as a radical, anti-family gathering.

Human rights groups had complained her appearance was a propaganda victory for China, stung by criticism of its human rights record.

The first lady decried that 100 million women cannot obtain or are not using family planning services because they are poor, uneducated or lack access to care.

Congress returns to work Government shutdown no threat to Dole

By JOHN KING
AP Political Writer

CHICAGO (AP) - With an eye on bolstering his own White House hopes, Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole today served notice that Republicans were in no mood for an "autumn of compromise" with President Clinton in the bitter budget, welfare and Medicare debates.

With Congress due back this week from its summer recess to face a string of major legislative decisions, Dole used a speech to the Economic Club of Chicago to make it clear Republicans do not fear the prospect of a government shutdown if they cannot come to terms with Clinton on a budget plan.

Beyond the upcoming congressional battles, Dole's speech was part of an effort to reassert his status as the Republican presidential front-runner.

On Monday in Indianapolis, in his latest overture to the GOP's social conservatives, Dole endorsed making English the nation's official language, and criticized the "embarrassed by America crowd" he said was undermining the country's traditional values.

Later in Iowa he brought up his opposition to abortion - something Dole rarely does in campaign speeches - but also scoffed at suggestions he suddenly was remaking his message.

"I get tired of reading these stories that Bob Dole is moving to the right," he said. "Nobody has checked the voting record. They are all things I've talked about in the past."

Dole had two major goals for today's speech: to court economic conservatives with details of what a Dole administration economic

program would look like, and to serve notice to GOP rivals that he had no intention of legislative missteps - or questionable compromises - that might damage his campaign.

On the latter front, Dole was quite forceful, warning Clinton that time was running short if the president hoped to strike acceptable deals on reforming welfare, slowing the growth in Medicare spending and putting the budget on a path to be balanced by 2002.

Laying a marker for any such talks, Dole said: "We will never compromise away the mandate the American people gave us last November. We will fight to the end for fundamental conservative change, or we will take our case to the American people in 1996. This will not be an autumn of compromise."

As for economic policy, Dole delivered a sharp critique of Clinton, saying the president's 1993 tax increases and support for heavy government regulation were responsible for today's sluggish economy.

As for his own views, Dole provided flourishing new rhetoric but only a few new policy clues, one by endorsing a constitutional amendment that would require a super majority of three-fifths in Congress to approve any future tax increases.

Otherwise, Dole repeated his call for scrapping the current tax code in favor of one with "lower and flatter rates."

But he did not endorse any of several competing flat tax plans, or say whether he favors preserving any deductions, like those for mortgage interest or gifts to charity.

Clinton wants more money for education

By RON FURNIER
Associated Press Writer

MONTEREY, Calif. (AP) - With school bells ringing in a new year, President Clinton is urging Republican budget-cutters to go back to the chalkboard. "Don't cut education," he says. "Spend more on it."

The remarks came in Labor Day events designed to impress middle-class Californians with promises to reclaim jobs lost to defense cuts, fight for a minimum wage increase and protect school spending.

His two-day stop in vote-rich California, the 19th visit of his presidency, signals a higher level of intensity in the re-election campaign. Many political experts say Clinton must win California to earn a second term.

With that in mind, the president tailored his message Monday to frustrated voters in campaign-style stops at Monterey and in Alameda County.

"I want a high-wage, high-growth, high-opportunity future; not a hard-work, low-wage, insecure future for the working families of the United States of America," he said.

And he called Washington a cynical town "where talking is more important than doing."

Clinton was narrowing his attack today, teaching eighth-grade history before challenging Republican education programs in an address at Abraham Lincoln Middle School in the central California city of Selma.

He argues that GOP cuts would cost schools and job training programs \$36 billion. Head Start, drug-free school programs, college grants and loans, and the national service initiative called AmeriCorps would be drastically reduced or eliminated under GOP plans, the White House says.

Republicans maintain that sacrifices are necessary to balance the budget and many programs dear to Clinton are wasteful and inefficient. "We have to cut government

spending. I'm all for that," Clinton said. "But we ought not to cut education. We ought to increase our investment in education as we balance the budget."

Clinton wants to give tax deductions for the cost of college and provide unemployed Americans vouchers worth \$2,600 a year to use at job-training centers.

In a letter to newspaper editors mailed out for the start of school, White House chief of staff Leon Panetta said Clinton proposes to balance the budget in 10 years while increasing school spending by \$40 billion.

"Our educators, students and parents need to be aware that our nation's investments in education - in our nation's future - are under direct attack by the Republican majority in the House," Panetta said.

Schools aren't the only issue this fall. Clinton and Congress are on a collision course over several non-education budgets, including the environment and Medicare.

"When I go back to Washington and the Congress takes up its business, this will be no ordinary time," Clinton warned.

His Labor Day stops were rife with presidential politics. In a state decimated by military base closing, Clinton announced a \$3.4 million federal program to help build electric cars at a closed naval base. He also dedicated a college campus built - with the help of federal money - on another closed base.

Appealing to a blue-collar audience at a Labor Day picnic, Clinton reiterated his support of a minimum wage increase. "It is wrong to expect people to work for \$4.25 an hour," he said.

And he claimed a more moderate approach to key issues in the Republican presidential campaign of Gov. Pete Wilson: affirmative action and immigration.

"I'm against quotas. I'm against reverse discrimination," Clinton said.

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Local Roundup

Heat continues

The mercury topped out at 99 degrees Monday in Hereford and dropped back to 65 degrees Tuesday morning. Clear skies are on tap with a low early Wednesday in the mid-60s and a high in the upper 90s later in the day. Wind will be 5-10 mph from the south Tuesday night and 10-15 mph from the southwest Wednesday.

Correction

Harold Dillahay of Panhandle Milling in Dawn, was inadvertently not listed as full partner in Jowar Foods Inc., in an article in the Sunday edition of the Brand. The Brand regrets the error.

News Digest

World/Nation

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina - After a NATO deadline passes without renewed airstrikes, Bosnian Serbs began assembling weapons early today for possible withdrawal from an exclusion zone 12 miles around Sarajevo.

BEIJING - Saying that issues of concern to women are of concern to everyone, Hillary Clinton arrives for the world's biggest women's conference - a gathering it had looked as if she might miss. She's expected to steer clear of a sensitive topic that had jeopardized her visit: China's stance on human rights.

NEW YORK - William Kunstler, the grizzled, raspy voiced lawyer who proudly spoke out for "the poor, the persecuted, the radicals and the militant, the black people, the pacifists and the political pariahs," died after a brief illness. He was 76.

CHICAGO - With an eye on bolstering his own White House hopes, Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole today served notice that Republicans were in no mood for an "autumn of compromise" with President Clinton in the bitter budget, welfare and Medicare debates.

WASHINGTON, Pa. - Shana Hancher worries most about welfare and Wal-Mart. Hear her out, and the pairing is not as odd as one might think. Or as uncommon.

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico - Residents of islands from Dominica to Puerto Rico board up their homes and jam airports for flights out as Hurricane Luis, bearing winds up to 160 mph, roars in from the Atlantic.

WASHINGTON - Two days before two construction workers in Twinsburg, Ohio, plunged to their deaths in June 1994, federal inspectors had received complaints of safety problems. They were too busy to visit right away.

The employer hadn't been inspected in at least five years though its parent company had been fined twice during that period because workers did not have fall protection.

WORCESTER, Mass. - Sarah Cass is worried about her grades, and with good reason. If the Clark College sophomore keeps her 3.25 grade-point average, the school will pay her way through graduate school. Free tuition, discounts on room and board are just some of the incentives colleges across the country are using for their students to do well.

"We are in a period of our culture I would call the era of the incentive," one administrator says.

State

SAN ANTONIO - The drilling and hammering of construction crews tell the story. So do the shocked gasps of some tourists when they learn the price of lodging in San Antonio. If you've traveled to this city lately you may already know hotel rooms are a coveted commodity.

DALLAS - The Southern Baptist Convention's recent apology for condoning racism throughout most of its history came too late, according to the president of a predominantly black Baptist convention.

HOUSTON - Nearly one of every 10 people living in Texas in 1994 were born outside the United States, according to a new U.S. Census Bureau report. The 9.9 percent of Texans who were foreign-born exceeds the 8.7 percent national average, the highest since World War II. About 75 percent of those 1.8 million immigrant Texans had not yet become naturalized citizens, the report said.

HOUSTON - It's like trying to pour two gallons of water into a one-gallon jug. The explosion of fax machines, wireless and data phone lines, along with general population growth, has nearly exhausted the possible 7.9 million numbers in the 713 area code region.

AUSTIN - Gene therapy is being studied at a Central Texas hospital for possible use as a weapon against various forms of cancer. Twenty-five patients with a variety of cancers that have not responded to conventional treatments with surgery, medication or radiation are participating in the experiment at Scott & White Hospital in Temple.

Police, Emergency Reports

Weekend emergency services reports contained the following information, which is collected daily in a 24-hour period from 7 a.m. to 7 a.m.

HEREFORD POLICE

Tuesday

A 17-year-old female was arrested at Park and U.S. 385 for fictitious license plate, no drivers license, not liability insurance and unrestrained child under 2 years of age.

Reckless damage was reported in the 200 block of West Eighth. Criminal mischief was reported in the 100 block of Juniper.

Lottery

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

1-7-8 (one, seven, eight)

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Thefts were reported in the 400 block of East First and in the 1000 block of East Third. A runaway was reported in the 200 block of Avenue B. Officers issued 15 traffic citations.

Monday

A 29-year-old male was arrested in the 800 block of Union for domestic assault.

A 22-year-old male was arrested in the 200 block of North Lee on a city warrant for theft.

Possible child abuse was reported in the 100 block of Fuller.

A report was filed in the 200 block of Norton of a female possibly being suicidal. Officers investigated and found her to be intoxicated and had already calmed down.

Domestic disturbance was reported in the 400 block of Avenue I.

Theft was reported at South Main and Austin Road.

Assault by threat was reported in the 600 block of East First.

Aggravated assault was reported in the 100 block of Hereford Calle.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 300 block of Avenue B and in the 100 block of Avenue C.

Officers issued 26 traffic citations. One curfew violation citation was issued.

Two minor traffic accidents were reported with no injuries.

Sunday

A 22-year-old male was arrested in the 400 block of Brevard for evading and on a county warrant for violation of probation.

A 24-year-old male was arrested at Wulf and Irving on Randall County warrants for no seat belt and failure to appear. He was issued instant

citations for no seat belt and failure to display drivers license.

A 38-year-old male was arrested at Austin Road and Country Club Drive on an assault and criminal mischief warrant from Castro County. Charges also were filed for public intoxication.

A 27-year-old male was arrested in the 200 block of Avenue I for domestic assault.

A 24-year-old male was arrested in the 600 block of Irving for domestic assault.

A 61-year-old male was arrested in the 300 block of West Seventh for DWI.

A 27-year-old male was arrested in the 300 block of West Seventh for public intoxication.

An incident of a vehicle being damaged by a child was reported in the 500 block of Myrtle.

Harassment by phone was reported in the 800 block of Irving Street.

Criminal trespass was reported in the 900 block of South McKinley.

Burglary of a habitation was reported in the 700 block of Avenue G.

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

Assault was reported in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

Assault charges were filed in the 300 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.

Theft charges were filed against a female suspect in the 1100 block of West Park Avenue.

Thefts were reported in the 300 block of Avenue H and in the 500 block of Avenue H.

Criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of 13th Street, the 600 block of Irving, the 700 block of Brevard, the 100 block of North

Lawton and the 100 block of Avenue C. Officers issued 27 traffic citations. Two curfew violation citations were issued. One minor accident with no injuries was reported.

rebound from a devastating ruling on Fuhrman's recorded interviews.

"We're going to end on a high note," promised lead defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr.

"Everyone says Mark Fuhrman did not have the opportunity to plant the glove. We are going to show that he did."

The first order of business today: the filing of an extensive motion seeking to have Judge Lance Ito change his mind about allowing only two relatively innocuous snippets from the taped Fuhrman interviews.

Also planned was a renewed attack on all the evidence collected after Fuhrman scaled Simpson's wall without a search warrant the morning after the June 12, 1994, murders of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman.

Then it's the witness lineup, a series of people the defense hopes will paint Fuhrman as a racist of such disgusting depth he's capable of framing an American sports hero for murder.

The defense witness list included Kathleen Bell, who came forward a year ago to tell the defense about an ugly incident in which Fuhrman advocated the mass killing of blacks - only Fuhrman didn't use the word "blacks."

He said nigger.

Another woman who said she was stung by Fuhrman's racist tongue, Andrea Terry, was also on the witness list, as was screenwriting professor Laura Hart McKinny, who interviewed Fuhrman on the tapes. The defense hasn't said whether it plans to use the two excerpts Ito allowed. It also hasn't said whether it will put Simpson on the stand.

Simpson, 48, has pleaded innocent, claiming he is the victim of an elaborate police frameup in which Fuhrman played a key role. He is expected to wrap up his case this week with the anti-Fuhrman witnesses, and perhaps a couple of witnesses to discuss his hand cut.

After the defense rests, the prosecution gets to put on a rebuttal case, which could last two weeks.

Much of Simpson's hopes hinge on such witnesses as Bell, called to conjure an ugly image of Fuhrman in jurors' minds.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Jermyn Baker, Dollie Hathiaway, Doris E. Kerr, Eusebia R. Mancha, Lillie C. Stagner, Joyce Thomas and Genevieve Veigel.



Forget stories -- it's media time!

Students in Jean Wilson's kindergarten class at Bluebonnet Intermediate School seem more interested in mugging for the camera than in listening to their teacher read to them on Tuesday

morning. School students settled in for the long haul today, gearing up for class schedules that -- barring unforeseen circumstances -- continues unabated until Thanksgiving.

Obituaries

A.N. McRIGHT

Sept. 3, 1995

A.N. McRight, 92, of Hereford, died Sunday in Hereford Regional Medical Center.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Rix Chapel, with the Rev. Terry Cosby officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery, by Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. McRight was born in Mount Hope, Ala., and married Norma Powelson in 1930 in Hereford. He had owned and operated McRight Garage and Supply and had served on the loan committee of Hereford Federal Credit Union. Mr. McRight was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of First Baptist Church. He had served as president of the Cemetery Association of West Park Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife; a son, Terry McRight of Las Vegas, Nev.; three sisters, Ray Sneed of Mount Hope, Ala., Josephine Sneed of Hartwell, Ga., and Carrie Sneed of Russellville, Ala.; a brother, P.C. McRight of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. The family has suggested that memorials be directed to the

Alzheimer's Association.

GEORGE H. JONES

Sept. 2, 1995

George H. Jones, 74, of Hereford, died Saturday in St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

Services were set for 3 p.m. Tuesday in Rix Chapel with Ray Sanders officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery, by Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Jones was born in Paint Rock, Ala., and came to Hereford in 1957. He married Elsie Pearl Rhodes in Anton in 1941. She died in 1984. Mr. Jones worked for the highway department for several years and was a truck driver for Frito Lay for eight years. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

A son, George W. Jones, preceded him in death.

Survivors are two daughters, Judy Smith Boese and Janet Treadway, both of Hereford; two sons, Gregory Jones of Albuquerque, N.M., and Harley Jones of Anson; two sisters, Ethel Hays of Spade and Frances Brooks of Hereford; a brother, Harvey Jones of Hereford, 15 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

New attack on Fuhrman planned, lawyers for O.J. Simpson report

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN Associated Press Writer LOS ANGELES (AP) - O.J. Simpson's lawyers are going after Mark Fuhrman this week, tape or no tape, doing everything they can to

Another James Hoffa seeking presidency of teamsters' union

DETROIT (AP) - The Teamsters union must wage a long, hard fight to renew its prominence and James P. Hoffa wants to be the one to lead the charge.

"For 54 years, I have benefited by being a Teamster, by being raised in a Teamster home," Hoffa said before the start of Detroit's Labor Day parade. "Now, after 26 years of paying dues of working with the Teamsters, of helping you, it's time for me to stand up and take an active role."

More than 20 years after his father disappeared, Hoffa on Monday announced his candidacy for the presidency of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, a seat once held by his father.

"I pledge to you that we will not retreat from the battle to free our union of corruption," Hoffa told the crowd of several thousand that interrupted with frequent chants of "Hoffa, Hoffa, Hoffa."

"Our union cannot achieve its rendezvous with destiny if corruption lurks within," he said.

Hoffa later appeared at a rally in support of the 7-week-old strike at The Detroit News and Detroit Free Press.

Hoffa's father, Jimmy Hoffa, disappeared 20 years ago after leaving a Detroit restaurant and has never been found.

The younger Hoffa, 54, a labor lawyer and executive assistant to the Michigan Teamsters Joint Council 43 president, wants to unseat Ron Carey as head of the 1.4 million-member International Brotherhood of Teamsters in 1996.

It is only the second time the Teamsters rank-and-file has selected a president. The first elected president was Carey, who ran in 1991 on a platform of reform. The union agreed to open elections as part of its 1989 settlement of a federal racketeering lawsuit.

Chicano poet, praised widely, dies in El Paso

EL PASO, Texas (AP) - Ricardo Sanchez, who became a premier Chicano poet to prove his teachers wrong, has died of cancer.

The product of an El Paso barrio died Sunday. He was 54.

Sanchez, who had been teaching at Washington State University but returned to El Paso this spring to die, lost his nearly yearlong battle with cancer at a local hospital.

The fight was "just another struggle, not the first one, nor the last," he said in a May interview with the El Paso Times.

Sanchez, who grew up in South-Central El Paso's El Barrio del Diablo, frequently recalled that schoolteachers told him that Mexicans don't write poetry. As a result, he devoted much of his life to disproving them.

"Nobody will define me. I will define myself," he told the newspaper.

Sanchez's poetry often evoked the harsh realities of life on the border and life as a Chicano.

"He had the best ear of any Chicano poet when it came to mixing the Spanish and English languages - the language of the barrio," said poet Bobby Byrd, owner of El Paso's Cinco Puntos Press, which published one of Sanchez's books.

"He carried with him his whole life that anger that still seethed from the barrio," Byrd said.

Sanchez, who spent time in prison for robbery during the 1960s, didn't hide his past.

In 1971, a year after he was released from prison, "Canto y Grito Mi Liberacion," a collection of Sanchez's poems that helped define the burgeoning Chicano movement was published. In 1973, Doubleday released the paperback version.

Chicano studies scholar Luis Leal of the University of California-Santa Barbara wrote that Sanchez's first book "stands out as a key work not only in the appearance of a major Chicano poet, but also in defining an important trend in the history of contemporary Chicano poetry."

A funeral mass is scheduled Wednesday in El Paso.

Survivors include his wife, Maria Teresa Sanchez; sons, Rikard Sanchez and Jacinto Temilotzin Sanchez; and daughter, Libertad Yvonne Jones.

Lifestyles

Crib accidents kill 50 infants every year according to reports

By DARLENE SUPERVILLE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - When John and Rose Lineweaver put Danny to bed in a decorative new crib, it almost killed him. The 23-month-old nearly strangled when his clothes caught on a corner post as he tried to climb out in the middle of the night.

Severely brain damaged, he died last year at age 12. But he lives on through a support group the Lineweavers founded to comfort others whose children die under similar circumstances.

A government report released Thursday said crib accidents kill about 50 infants a year and warned consumers about the dangers of putting children to sleep or to play in cribs made before the mid-1970s.

"Because of the work of The Danny Foundation and the (Consumer Product Safety Commission), cribs with corner post extensions and decorative knobs are no longer being manufactured in the United States," Linweaver said at a news conference. "Nonetheless, thousands of children continue to be injured or die in older 'hand-me-down' cribs with other unsafe features."

The commission said more babies - most less than 1 year old - die in accidents involving cribs than in high chairs, playpens, carriers, walkers or strollers. Most of the cribs were

previously owned or used.

Commission Chairwoman Ann Brown said consumers should only use cribs that meet agency standards, imposed in 1973, which have been credited with reducing the yearly death total from about 150.

But since cribs last between 10 and 25 years, consumers may still be reusing them, the commission said.

Safe cribs should have:
-No missing, loose, broken or improperly installed screws, brackets or other hardware on the crib or mattress supports.
-No more than 2-1/16 inches between the slats.
-Firm, snug-fitting mattresses and tightly secured mattress supports.

-Corner posts no higher than one-sixteenth of an inch above the end panels.
-No cutouts on the headboard or footboard.

-No cracked or peeling paint.
-No splinters or rough edges.

Consumers should also look for a certification seal showing a crib meets the standards.

The report said that in most cases infants strangled or suffocated after becoming trapped when the side or end of the crib separated from the rest of it, usually because of missing or loose hardware.

Some babies were trapped beneath mattresses that were too small, in

gaps created by missing or improperly attached mattress supports, or between broken or improperly spaced slats, the report said.

Others, like Danny, strangled when clothing or items around their necks got caught on crib corner posts or hardware.

The Danny Foundation, Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association, American Academy of Pediatrics and Consumer Federation of America are sponsoring local efforts to collect and destroy unsafe, used cribs. Roundups are planned for San Francisco, Rochester, N.Y., Denver, and Washington.

For information on crib safety and crib roundups, contact the CPSC at 800-638-2772, or The Danny Foundation at 800-83-DANNY.



The first gas pump was made by Sylvanus F. Bowser of Fort Wayne Indiana, and delivered to local storekeeper Jake Gumper on Sept. 5 1885.



Exchange families

Sharon and David Passey, right, were surprise visitors in the home of Grant and Troyce Hanna for their 50th anniversary. Mrs. Passey was an exchange student here 26 years ago. On the left is Eva Dolozillcova, a 16-year-old exchange student who is residing with the Hanna's daughter, Cynthia Shattles and her daughter Michelle (second and third from left). Also pictured, back row, second from right, is the Hanna's daughter, Joette.

Former exchange student visits

Ties created 26 years ago were renewed recently when former exchange student Sharon Watson Passey returned to Hereford to visit.

Passey and her husband David flew in last week as a surprise 50th anniversary present for Grant and Troyce Hanna, who were her host family when she attended Hereford High School during the 1968-69 school year. When Passey returned to

England after her year with the Hanna's, she continued her education in college and received a teaching degree. She taught history, then after taking a few years off to raise three sons, returned to teaching as a special needs teacher for children with learning difficulties.

The Passey's sons are Stuart, 18, Matthew, 15 and Andrew, 14.

Also present for the Hanna's anniversary celebration were their

daughters Joette Hanna of Dallas and Cynthia Shattles of Perryton, and their granddaughter Michelle.

The Shattles are presently serving as host family for Eva Dolozillcova, a 16-year-old exchange student from the Czech Republic, who also attended the anniversary celebration.

On the Passey's return to England, they will serve as a host family for a German exchange student.

To Your Good Health

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Can you give me information regarding "syndrome X" in relation to a cardiac problem I have? My cardiologist's explanation is vague and of no help. — L.M.H.

ANSWER: There are two conditions known as "syndrome X." One involves chest pain. It resembles for all the world the pain of angina pectoris, but the patient actually has clean heart arteries.

People with the chest-pain syndrome X don't go on to have heart attacks, but for many the pains continue, and getting rid of them can be a problem for the doctor. Sometimes, calcium channel blocker drugs such as verapamil, diltiazem and nifedipine help.

It's not clear what the syndrome really represents. Perhaps there are small blocks in vessels, blocks too obscure to be seen on X-rays.

The second syndrome X has nothing to do with chest pains. Maybe we should call it "syndrome X-2." It involves symptoms of obesity, high blood pressure, elevated cholesterol and triglycerides. Also, poor action of the patient's natural insulin might not be permitting effective control of blood sugar.

Syndrome X-2 does pose the threat of future heart attack, and, so its various factors should be treated.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My grandson was diagnosed with transverse myelitis. We have seen no improvement. We pray that you can shed some light for us. — H.B.T.

ANSWER: Myelitis is spinal-cord inflammation. "Transverse" means the inflammation extends from one side to the other of the cord, thus interrupting nerve signals to and from the brain and body.

Transverse myelitis often comes on quickly, with back pain and reports of peculiar foot and leg sensa-

tions, auguring actual paralysis there.

Next comes the delicate waiting period. Sometimes transverse myelitis comes from a viral infection, in which case there might be improvement with time. Sometimes the myelitis results from serious trauma that includes spinal cord compression and bleeding. It also can be part of a more complex illness, such as multiple sclerosis.

In the meantime, neurologists will continue to monitor your grandson's neural and muscular activity.

It is a temptation for loved ones in such straits to travel widely and frantically for new medical cures. I know of none.

Unless told otherwise, why not stick with your apparently dedicated and knowledgeable doctors, whom I suspect can do as much for your grandson where he is than others might in the fanciest of settings? After six months, they should have enough evidence to predict the best or the worst outcome.

We are all hoping for the best for your grandchild.

DEAR DOC: My husband has nephrotic syndrome. Please comment. — T.M.

ANSWER: I omitted the body of your letter for space.

Nephrotic syndrome is made up of these findings: massive protein in the urine; a fall in blood protein; swelling of the ankles or other areas; and high cholesterol, high triglycerides or both.

I cannot go into the details of your husband's particular case. There are 10 different causes of nephrotic syndrome. A kidney biopsy can tell which lies behind his problem.

Depending on cause, permanent remission expectation ranges from 49 percent up to 95 percent.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My daughter, 15, has retinitis pigmentosa. Two specialists say there's no cure. As a parent, I feel obligated to find out about research in this field. Can you help me find it? — L.G.

ANSWER: Call the Foundation Fighting Blindness, toll-free, at (800) 683-5555.

The foundation estimates that at least 100,000 Americans have retinitis pigmentosa. The people at the foundation were most kind when I called them. They probably can help you.

Your daughter's disease involves pigment cells of the retina, those that form images. The cells transform light images cast on the retina — at the back of the eye — converting them into electrical impulses along the optic nerve to the brain, where vision happens.

With failing retinal pigment cells, vision blurs, a phenomenon more obvious at night. A dimly lit room becomes a hazard.

With progression of retinitis pigmentosa, vision loss gradually extends to daylight hours.

Your daughter's doctors are brutally correct: No cure exists. But from Harvard Medical School comes evidence that vitamin A can slow degeneration of the pigment cells somewhat. Don't jump to conclusions, however. Do not embrace the idea of a vitamin cure helter-skelter. Do not assume, for example, that if a little vitamin helps a little, a lot will help proportionally. It doesn't work that way.

You should consult your daughter's doctors. Ask them to evaluate the vitamin therapy for your daughter. It is at least a glimmer of light into the usually poor retinitis-pigmentosa prognosis.

Please let me know what happens.

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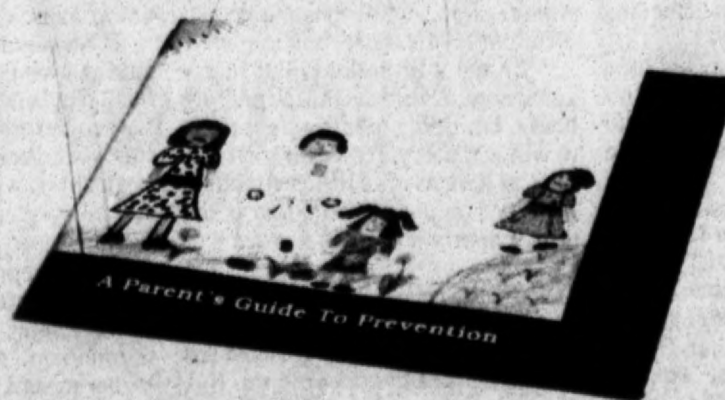
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Sports

Herd spikers claim title in Justin Lady Whitefaces knock off defending state champs

By JAY PEDEN
Sports Editor

The Hereford volleyball team played in a tournament with some of the best 4A teams in the state. The Lady Whitefaces proved, for one weekend at least, that they are better than all of them.

The Lady Whitefaces captured the Justin Northwest Classic by whipping Friendswood, the defending state champion in Class 4A, in the tourney finals. Hereford (9-2) jumped on Friendswood and won the first game 15-2; the Herd kept the pressure on and won the second game 15-8.

"We came out strong, which was what we wanted to do, and we pushed all the way through the second game," Hereford coach Brenda Reeh said. "We were concerned during that second game that we'd woken them

up...but we held our ground." Blocking was the key to win, Reeh said.

"We snuck in early and surprised them," she said. "In the first five points, Danielle (Cornelius) had three stuffs. We really stifled their hitters early on.

"Friendswood never got into a good, comfortable groove," Reeh said.

Cornelius, who recorded nine kills and six stuff blocks in the finals, was named the Most Valuable Player of the tournament.

All-tournament honors went to three other Lady Whitefaces. Heather Hodges, who had five digs in the Friendswood match, was named the all-tournament defensive player. Kari Barrett was voted the all-tournament setter. Cassie Abney also made the

all-tournament team after "blocking as well as I've ever seen her block," Reeh said.

The Herd got contributions from many girls in the winning effort.

"Our hitters as well as our passers did a great job," Reeh said. "Our hitters did a good job of mixing up their hits. They hit hard shots to different areas of the court, then hit soft shots to mix it up."

Tarabeth Holmes added six kills against Friendswood.

Friendswood lost a setter and an outside hitter from the team that won the state title last year. Reeh said that a conversation with the Friendswood coach left her with the impression that those girls had been replaced. The team was weakened, though, by the absence of a middle blocker who

has knee problems, Reeh said, and will be out until October.

Hereford went 5-1 in pool play Friday, then cruised through the field on Saturday. In pool play, Hereford: beat Green Hill (a Metroplex private school) 15-6, 15-10; beat Hallsville 15-7, 15-11; and split with Coppell - both teams won games 15-9.

"Coppell came out and played well," Reeh said. "They played better than what we'd seen all day. They really wanted a piece of us. We got stung."

Hereford handled Longview, the only 5A team in the tournament, 15-4, 15-2, in the first winners' bracket match. Hodges had four kills, and Holmes, Cornelius and Abney each had three. Aimee Alley served up three aces.

In the semifinals, Hereford dispatched Andrews, 15-1, 15-5.

"They ran a single blocker in the middle, so we'd either set the middle hitter or set the outside hitters in the middle," Reeh said.

Andrews made many errors in the match. Hereford needed only 20 swings in the match, and they were flawless: Hereford totaled eight kills, 12 successful attacks and no hitting errors. Hereford served for five aces and tallied 11 stuff blocks (six by Cornelius).

Andrews went on to beat Dumas in the third-place game, Reeh said, although the score was unavailable.

Hereford will go for two straight against defending state champions when Amarillo High comes to Whiteface Gym today. The junior varsity match starts at 6 p.m., and the varsity match will start about 20 minutes after the JV match is over.

Amarillo High won the Class 5A championship last year with a 37-0 record. The Lady Sandies are 15-0 so far this year, with two wins over Hereford.

Amarillo High was one of three teams which brought championship trophies from quality tournaments north

(See VOLLEYBALL, Page 5)

Cross country team starts well in Borger

The Hereford cross country team had its best start in several years Saturday in the Borger Cross Country Meet, as the boys finished third and the girls were fifth in tough fields.

"This was the best first meet of the season we have had in three or four years," Hereford coach Martha Emerson said. "All of the 25 runners did a great job for a start. This was a 4A-5A division, but obviously the best teams there were all District 1-4A."

The Herd boys, led by Inez Lopez' eighth place finish, scored 79 points and finished behind only Canyon and Caprock - last year's top two teams in 1-4A. Hereford finished only seven points behind Caprock. Hereford beat out 1-4A teams Borger, Randall and Dumas, as well as Class 5A Amarillo High.

The Hereford girls were led by Jamie Harrison, who finished 14th. Hereford, which was without two runners, finished behind Amarillo High, Randall, Canyon and Borger. Emerson said her two missing runners, Bethany Townsend and Monica Don Juan, would be back next week.

Although Emerson was excited by the good start, she said it was important for the teams to keep improving.

"We must not dwell on this race but continue preparing each day in order to contend for one of the top two team places at district on Oct. 28," she said. "This will be

an interesting season and our district will be extremely tough."

Following are the team results and individual finishes for Hereford runners. There were about 75 runners each in the boys' and girls' races.

Boys' teams: 1, Canyon, 35; 2, Caprock, 72; 3, Hereford, 79; 4, Borger, 96; 5, Randall, 98; 6, Dumas, 131; 7, Amarillo High, 142.

Herd boys (three miles): 8, Inez Lopez, 18:34; 12, Pedro Del Hoyo, 18:50; 14, Miguel Huerta, 18:55; 22, Joel Garza, 19:33; 23, Rafael Del Hoyo, 19:34; 27, Brandon Coleman, 19:40; 38, Miguel Carrillo, 21:13.

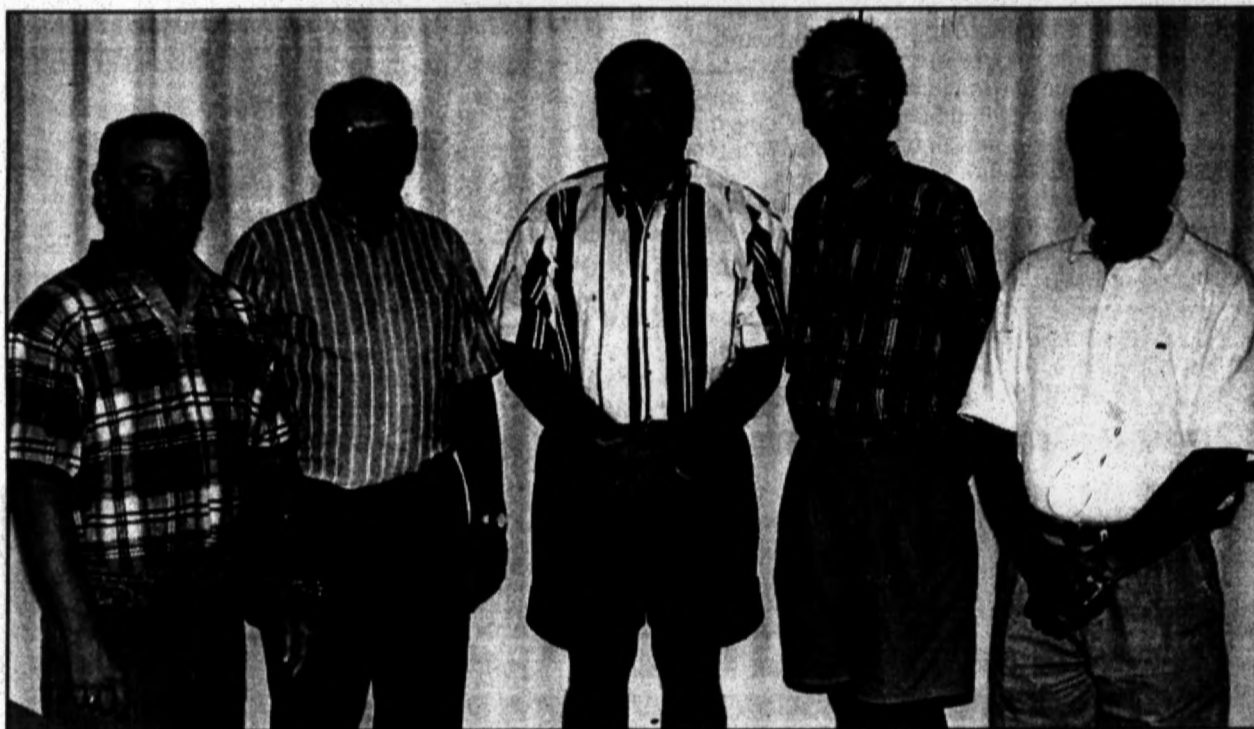
Girls' teams: 1, Amarillo High, 42; 2, Randall, 56; 3, Canyon, 60; 4, Borger, 81; 5, Hereford, 111.

Herd girls (two miles): 14, Jamie Harrison, 13:50; 24, Kitt Wimberly, 14:17; 25, Erica Delgado, 14:21; 27, Teresa Lopez, 14:23; 29, Jessica Lopez, 14:35; 42, Anna Delgado, 16:32.

Herd JV boys: 20, Josue Pena, 20:27; 22, Flavio Cardenas, 20:29; 23, Nacho Garcia, 20:34; 24, Chris Casarez, 20:45; 25, Justin Criner, 20:53; 31, Jason Stark, 21:22; 49, Ray Lucio, 24:04; 53, Marselino Ruiz, 24:26.

Herd JV girls: 65, Rebecca Drager, 16:42; 66, Jessica Harrison, 16:42; 79, Sarah Chavez, 17:12; 80, Christy Haney, 17:15.

Team scores were not kept in the junior varsity divisions.



HCC Member-Guest golf winners

Winners in the three flights of the Hereford Country Club Member-Guest Golf Tournament are shown after play Sunday. Left to right are Larry Richardson of Vega and Frank Brorman, championship flight winners; John Sherrod and Wade Wilson of Lubbock, second flight; and Max Moss, who teamed with Bill Holland of Dumas (not pictured) to win the third flight.

Country Club Member-Guest Golf Tournament

Brorman-Richardson team wins

Frank Brorman teamed with Larry Richardson of Vega to capture the 18th annual Hereford Country Club Member-Guest Golf Tournament Sunday at Pitman Municipal Golf Course.

The Brorman-Richardson team tied with two other teams with a 69 in the low-ball format Saturday, then recorded a scramble score of 64 on Sunday for a 133 total to win by four strokes.

Shorty Roark and guest Dave Waller of Houston also opened with a 69 and added a 68 to finish at 137 and take second place. Roy Riley and guest Lyman Schroeder of Dimmitt took third with a 70-68-138 after tying Rodney Barrett and Clint Savoini (69-69-138).

With a field of just 18 teams, the tourney was divided into three flights on the basis of low-ball scores on Saturday. Defending champs Blair

Rogers and Jeff Yates did not enter. John Sherrod and Wade Wilson of Lubbock won the second flight with a 136 total--four shots ahead of Leland and Jeff Shelton. Max Moss and guest Bill Holland of Dumas won the third flight with a 148.

Riley teamed with Earl Stagner to win the "Freeze-Out Derby" Sunday afternoon. The 10 players with the lowest scores were teamed with the 10 players with the highest scores for the elimination event. Ten teams started on the first hole and no more than two teams were eliminated on each hole.

Three teams made it to No. 6, where Speedy Nieman and Jim Motley of Bedford were eliminated, then Riley-Stagner edged Rodney Barrett and Dave Hopper on the 8th hole.

A number of prizes were awarded both days for longest drives, nearest

to the pin, and longest putt. The big prize Saturday--a watch from Cowan's--was won by John Elliott. The tourney committee included John Stagner, Pat McGinty, John Sherrod and Bob Sims.

BULLS

Brorman-Richardson 69-64-133; Roark-Waller 69-68-137; Riley-Schroeder 70-68-138; Barrett-Savoini 69-69-138; Nieman-Hamilton 72-69-141; Mitts-Mitts 73-70-143.

STOCKERS

Sherrod-Wilson 73-63-136; Shelton-Shelton 76-64-140; P. McGinty-S. McGinty 73-70-143; Jeff Torbert-Jack Torbert 76-69-145; Martin-T. Brorman 75-72-147; Elliott-Wilfong 73-76-149.

PACKERS

Moss-Holland 76-72-148; E. Stagner-Perrin 79-70-149; J. Stagner-G. Stagner 77-72-149; B. Sims-S. Sims 81-71-152; King-Mooley 82-76-158; Hopper-Purcell 81-78-159.

Agassi moves into quarterfinals

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - When Andre Agassi has played his best, he has been nearly invincible. Just ask Jared Palmer.

"He puts a lot of pressure on you," Palmer said. "He just started dictating and had me on my heels a lot and I... just wasn't able to stop the bleeding."

A year ago, Agassi came into the U.S. Open unranked and known more for his flash and hype than his game. This year, he entered the year's final Grand Slam tournament as defending champion and seeded No. 1.

"I have been pretty focused for a year now," Agassi said after defeating Palmer 7-5, 6-3, 6-2 to move into the quarterfinals at the National Tennis Center. "I am not only coming in playing real well, but I have the confidence that I can win it because I did last year."

Monday's victory also makes Agassi the only male player to reach the quarterfinals in all four Grand Slam tournaments this year. He will face rejuvenated Petr Korda, who eliminated Vince Spadea 6-2, 7-5, 6-4 in a battle of unseeded players.

In other men's fourth-round matches Monday, fourth-seeded Boris Becker defeated No. 13 Marc Rosset 7-6 (7-4), 6-3, 6-3 and Patrick McEnroe ousted Daniel Vacek of the

Czech Republic 7-6 (10-8), 6-3, 6-4. The winners will vie in the quarters.

In women's singles, No. 2 Monica Seles defeated No. 11 Anke Huber 6-1, 6-4; No. 4 Conchita Martinez stopped Zina Garrison Jackson 7-6 (7-5), 7-5; No. 5 Jana Novotna downed Katarina Studenikova 6-4, 6-3; and, in a mild upset, No. 16 Brenda Schultz-McCarthy defeated No. 7 Kimiko Date 7-5, 3-6, 6-2.

"Last year I went into the Open with not a lot of matches, and this year I'm going in playing a lot over the summer and winning a lot," Agassi said. "So there are two different levels there, you know."

"I have a lot more belief in my game now... I am definitely playing better, but doing what you got to do to win is the key. However well you play, as long as it's a little better than the guy you are playing, that is the most important thing."

Palmer, Agassi's former Davis Cup teammate, briefly raised the level of his play to challenge Agassi in the latter stages of the opening set. But Agassi's game was just too much, as was his intensity.

"He can generate as much pace as anybody when he goes for it," Palmer said. "But... the thing about him is he doesn't. He takes the ball early and he has a lot of control over the ball."

"He doesn't have to hit it hard. He can take it early and move it around."

"You can hit a big serve or a big groundstroke right at him and he has got such good hands that it is like he grabs it and throws it back on the other side of the court," Palmer said. "He is the best in the world at the moment."

While every eye has been on Agassi, Becker, the 1989 U.S. Open champion, has been quietly working his way through the draw. Agassi and Becker are the only seeded players left in the top half of the draw and could meet in the semifinals.

If he gets to Agassi, Becker will find an ever-progressing player, who has reached the final of every hardcourt tournament he has entered this year. Agassi is 92-10 since he began his run to the Open title a year ago.

Huber kept Seles on the court for 71 minutes, the first time anyone has pushed Seles past one hour in the tournament. And after Seles broke Huber to start the second set, Huber broke right back.

"I was a little mad at myself," Seles said. "I had control of the match, but then I let the control out of my hand. It could have been closer than it was."

"I just did a very weird service game. My mind wandered off."

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Cowboys blast Giants behind Smith's 4 TDs

By TOM CANAVAN
AP Sports Writer
EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) - If the first week of the season is any indicator, make the Dallas Cowboys the favorites to win a third Super Bowl in four years.

Unlike the San Francisco 49ers, who struggled to beat New Orleans on Sunday, the Cowboys came out in midseason form on Monday night and humiliated the New York Giants 35-0 in a game even more lopsided than the score.

Emmitt Smith scored on a 60-yard run on his first carry of the season and added three 1-yard runs while gaining 163 yards on 21 carries.

Troy Aikman threw for 228 yards, hitting Michael Irvin and Jay Novacek a combined 12 times for 200 yards and a touchdown, while Dallas' defense didn't allow New York closer than its 15.

"It was total domination in all areas, special teams, offense, defense," Cowboys coach Barry Switzer said. "When the Dallas Cowboys can run the football like we ran it tonight, it is very difficult to beat us. It's going to be really fun to look at the film and the offensive line and see how they gashed up."

The segment of film Switzer won't like seeing is late in the second quarter when cornerback Kevin Smith went down with what appeared to be a season-ending Achilles injury.

"I want to tell Jerry, 'Hey, it's serious now,'" Switzer said in a serious tone. "Get Deion (Sanders). We need Deion now."

While the Cowboys look to fill a cornerback slot, the Giants are definitely heading back to the drawing board after their worst regular-season loss since a 44-7 setback to San Diego in 1980. It was their first shutout at home since 1976 and their first shutout in an opener since 1934.

"If you use this as a measuring stick, we have a long way to go,"

said Giants coach Dan Reeves, who had hoped his team would challenge the three-time defending NFC East champion Cowboys this season.

It took the Cowboys only one series to show their superiority, going 75 yards in three plays. The last 60 came on a burst by Smith off the right side of the line that caught the Giants in a blitz. One step beyond the line and he was gone.

And so were the Giants, for that matter. "I think the first touchdown kind of hurt us, but you just say, 'OK, it's 7-0. Let's throw it out the window and let's go play football,'" Giants veteran safety Vencie Glenn said. "But we never got back on track. I can't never say we were on track, but we just never bounced back and they dictated the whole game, no ifs, ands or buts. They dictated every phase of the game."

Dallas pushed its lead to 21-0 with scoring drives of 65 and 59 yards in the second quarter. Aikman, who was 15-of-20, hit Irvin (7 catches for 109 yards) on a 7-yard scoring pass and Smith scored the first of the three short TDs.

Smith has 75 for his career, breaking the team mark of 72 set by Tony Dorsett.

New York's best scoring chance came late in the quarter, but a 42-yard field goal attempt by Brad Daluiso was partially blocked by Tony Tolbert.

After Phil Simms No. 11 jersey was retired at halftime by the Giants, Dallas came back on the field and finished off New York with a seven play, 80-yard drive.

"The shutout was great," Cowboys middle linebacker Robert Jones said. "I think that sends out a message to the rest of the teams that the Cowboys are not joking around this year. We had it taken away from us last year and we're going to fight for it this year."

Cowboys' Jones challenges NFL with contract with Nike

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) - Jerry Jones seems to be having fun challenging the NFL hierarchy. Why else would he sanction a news release headlined "Cowboys Owner Bucks NFL Again" to announce a deal with Nike?

It's not something that will delight the other 29 owners or commissioner Paul Tagliabue, particularly coming from a man who already has challenged the revenue-sharing concept on which the league is built.

The latest item is a seven-year deal with the sporting goods manufacturer that nearly overshadowed the Cowboys' 35-0 demolition of the New York Giants Monday night. In his typical understated fashion, Jones declared:

"This is a marriage of two organizations that transcend sports in the United States."

Jones, who is challenging the NFL

from the inside in a way Donald Trump and the USFL challenged it from the outside, already has signed a deal with Pepsi, contrary to the NFL's deal with Coke. And he has suggested licensing revenue go to teams rather than be divided equally among the league's 30 teams, a move that clearly would give the Cowboys, who lead the NFL in sales, far more money than all others.

The agreement with Nike calls for players and coaching staff to wear Nike products although Nike does not have a full agreement with NFL Properties, which must license all agreements.

Nike chairman Phil Knight, who attended the game, said the Cowboys would wear no logo, including Nike's. On Monday night, the Dallas coaches wore plain white shirts, black pants and a white jacket with no logos, not even "Dallas Cowboys."

VOLLEYBALL

to the Panhandle. The Lady Sandies won the prestigious Arlington Tournament, beating Red Oak, 15-2, 15-12. Red Oak was one of the few top 4A teams that wasn't in the Justin tournament.

Also, Palo Duro won the San Angelo Tournament Saturday, taking advantage of Hereford's absence. The Herd had won the San Angelo tourney in four of the last five years.

Hereford's junior varsity finished second to the host team Saturday in the Dumas JV tournament. Dumas' JV defeated Hereford, 15-10, 15-13. Hereford's Makesha Rives served for six points in the Dumas match, including two aces.

In the first round, Hereford beat Perryton, 15-3, 12-15, 15-4, then defeated Randall, 15-13, 9-15, 15-11, in the second round. Staci Betzen served for nine points against Randall.

Giants win despite Perez' fine start

By The Associated Press
When Carlos Perez left the mound in the seventh inning with a no-hitter intact, the fans at Candlestick Park gave the Montreal Expos rookie a standing ovation.

When David McCarty's first National League hit capped a two-run bottom of the ninth, those same fans were standing and cheering the San Francisco Giants' 2-1 victory Monday.

Perez was making his first appearance in two weeks because of a suspension for bumping an umpire and a stiff lower back. The Expos had decided to keep the left-hander on a pitch count and that became a hot topic when he hadn't allowed a hit through six innings.

He went out for the seventh and retired the first two hitters then walked Matt Williams, only the second Giant to get on base. That brought out manager Felipe Alou, who ended Perez's day at 83 pitches with the no-hitter still going.

"I knew they were going to take me out early today. I didn't think they were going to let me go that far," Perez said. "I need to take care of myself. I can't miss a start."

Alou agreed. "I believe the health of a young pitcher comes before everything else. We had a plan for 60, but the way he

was pitching we let him go a few more," Alou said. "As a fan I'd like to see a no-hitter. But I'd like to see the kid pitch five days from now, too."

In other NL games Monday it was: Chicago 2, Colorado 0; Cincinnati 6, Houston 1; Florida 7, Pittsburgh 3; Atlanta 6, St. Louis 5; San Diego 2, New York 1 in 10 innings; and Los Angeles 5, Philadelphia 1.

Gil Heredia got the last out of the seventh and the first two hitters in the eighth before pinch-hitter Glenallen Hill ended the no-hitter with a single to center. That turned out to be the least of the bullpen's problems.

Deion Sanders led off the ninth with a single and scored on Barry Bonds' double to left-center. Williams was intentionally walked and, two outs later, McCarty singled inside third base to drive in Bonds.

Cubs 2, Rockies 0

Frank Castillo threw a five-hitter for his first career shutout, his first complete game of the season and his third win this year over Colorado, which fell out of first in the NL West. Castillo (9-8), who didn't walk anyone, has just three wins in his last 14 starts.

Sammy Sosa hit a two-run homer in the bottom of the first, the fifth straight game he has homered against

the Rockies. Sosa tied Colorado's Dante Bichette for the league lead in homers (33) and RBIs (103).

Reds 6, Astros 1

The Reds improved to 11-0 against Houston this season and Mark Portugal evened his record since coming over in the deal involving Deion Sanders.

Portugal (9-9) allowed five hits in six-plus innings and is 4-4 since the trade.

Dodgers 5, Phillies 1

The Dodgers moved back into first place by one-half game as Raul Mondesi hit a two-run homer and Eric Karros and Brett Butler had sacrifice flies.

Braves 6, Cardinals 5

Marquis Grissom threw out a runner at home in the top of the ninth then drove in the winning run in the bottom of the inning with a one-out single that drove in Rafael Belliard who had doubled.

Ventura's 2 grand slams help Sox blister Rangers

By The Associated Press
Robin Ventura's feat was so impressive he was even cheered in Texas.

The Chicago White Sox third baseman became the eighth player in major league history - and the first in 25 years - to hit two grand slams in a game in a 14-3 victory over the Rangers on Monday night.

Seems Ventura isn't well-liked in Arlington, ever since he got into it with Nolan Ryan during a brawl in 1993.

"Yeah, I'm big in Texas," Ventura said with a laugh. "This is the first time people have ever cheered for me here."

They actually did cheer for him when he came to bat in the seventh inning, after having hit grand slams in the fourth and fifth.

Ventura, who tied a club record with eight RBIs, hit his first grand slam off reliever Dennis Cook to make it 8-2. It was the sixth of his career to establish a franchise record. His second, his career-high 25th homer, was off Danny Darwin and made it 13-3.

Frank Robinson was the last major leaguer to hit two grand slams in a game on June 26, 1970, for the Baltimore Orioles. The last member of the White Sox to drive in eight runs in a game was Jim Spencer in

1977. "I need another day to reflect on it, to try and figure out what kind of accomplishment this is," Ventura said. "I know it's not something I'll think about every day, but I won't forget about it either."

In other AL games Monday it was: New York 13, Seattle 3; Detroit 3, Cleveland 2; California 5, Baltimore 3; Minnesota 9, Milwaukee 6; Toronto 6, Kansas City 1 in the first game; and Kansas City 9, Toronto 7 in the second game.

Before each grand slam, Frank Thomas was walked to load the bases, although neither pass was intentional.

"Teams pitch around Frank with men on base, so Robin gets a lot of opportunities with men on base," White Sox manager Terry Bevington said. "That's quite an accomplishment. You don't get a lot of opportunities to do that."

Rangers manager Johnny Oates said there's no easy way to handle Thomas and Ventura.

"I have a great deal of respect for Robin Ventura but I also have a great deal of respect for Frank Thomas," Oates said. "Neither one is a piece of cake."

Juan Gonzalez had given Texas a 2-1 lead with a two-run first-inning homer, his 21st.

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TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 5

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Movie: The Brave Little Toaster 'NR'	Disney	Century-America Great	Rock Hudson-Tall, Dark	Twist						
News	Ent. Tonight	Billy Graham Crusade	Frasier	Larouquette	Dateline			(35) Tonight Show		
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Nova		Evening at Pops	Perspective	Thieves	Today's	Charlie Rose			
Griffith	(35) Major League Baseball St. Louis Cardinals at Atlanta Braves	(35) Movie: From Noon Till Three (1976), Jill Ireland **								
News	Wh. Fortune	Roseanne	Home Improvement	Barbara Walters: Happy	News	(35) Cheers	Nightline			
Perspectv	We Care	Joy-Music	Sullivans	Incredible Book Escape	In Touch	Gospel	Cap-News	Rights		
Love Con.	Jeffersons	Major League Baseball Chicago White Sox at Texas Rangers						News	Simon & Simon	
News	Coach	Copperfield	Movie: Judgment Day: The John List Story (1993)					News	(35) Late Show	
Roseanne	M*A*S*H	Movie: Mo' Money (1992) Damon Wayans. ** 1/2	Star Trek: Next Gener.					Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith	
Sportstr.	Outside the Lines	Track and Field Golden Four Series - ISTAF	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball					
Waltons	Guns of Paradise	Rescue 911	700 Club					Father Dowling Mysteries	Bonanza	
Movie: Cops-Robbers	Movie: No Place to Hide 'R'	(35) Roger Corman Presents	Red Shoe	Sherman	Full Frontal					
(5:30) Movie: The Chase	Movie: The Scout Albert Brooks. 'PG-13'	Comedy	(15) Movie: Scorned Andrew Stevens. 'R'	Taxicab						
Movie: Strictly Business	Movie: Dead Badge Brian Wimmer. 'R'	(35) Movie: The Unborn II 'R'	(05) Movie: Crackerjack 'R'							
Club Dance	News	Tanya Tucker	Music City Tonight	News	Club Dance	Backstage				
Bay. 2000	Next Step	Terra X	Treasure	How the West Was Lost	Himba of Namibia	Terra X	Treasure	West Lost		
Rockford Files	Biography	Touch of Frost				Law & Order		Biography		
Commish	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Mermaids (1990) Cher, Winona Ryder. ***				Unsolved Mysteries				
CISL Weekly	Press Box	Major League Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Houston Astros				Press Box	Preview	Press Box		
In the Heat of the Night	Movie: A Fistful of Dollars (1964) Clint Eastwood. ***	(05) Movie: Man of the West (1958) Gary Cooper. ***	Movie:							
Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeanie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke	Newhart
Wings	U.S. Open Tennis Men's Fourth Round and Women's Quarterfinals							Wings	Wings	Quantum
Caminos Cruzados	La Duena	Alondra	Primer Impacto Noc.			Noticiero	P. Impacto	Movie:		
Legends	Legends	How'd They Do That?	Wonders	Universe	Hometime	Home Pro	How'd They Do That?	Wonders		
Cartoon Planet	Garfield	ScoobScr	Flintstones	Jetsons	(10) Bugs & Daffy Tonight	Scooby Doo	Scooby Doo	Toon Heads		

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 6

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
(35) Movie: Old Yeller Dorothy McGuire.	Pluto's Day	Faerie Tale Theatre	Avonlea	Herbie, the Love Bug						
Our Lives	Another World	Jenny Jones	Maury Povich	Oprah Winfrey	News	NBC News				
Body Elec.	Furniture	Keeping Up	Painting	Government	Reading	C. Sandiego	Science Guy	ShellyTurtle	Destinos	
Major League Baseball: Cardinals at Braves	Scooby-Doo	Scooby-Doo	Brady	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Gro. Pains	Boys?	News	ABC News	
Rush L.	One Life to Live	All My Children	General Hospital	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!	News	ABC News			
Hallelujah!	1 in Spirit	Faces	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Americana Sampler	Rock V.D.O.	Bottom Line	American Family		
News	(15) Major League Baseball Colorado Rockies at Chicago Cubs					Tenth Inning	Charles P.	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Ricki Lake	Cur. Affair	Hard Copy	News	CBS News			
Hunter	Mattlock	In the Heat of the Night	Tiny Toon	Taz-Mania	Animaniacs	Rangers	Full House	Fresh Pr.		
Auto Racing: NASCAR - Southern 500	Auto Racing IndyCar - Molson Indy Vancouver					Racehorse	Yearbook	Up Close	Sportstr.	
Name-Tune	Split Sec.	Make a Deal	Punky B.	New Lassie	I'm Telling	Masters	My Dog	Rin Tin Tin	Shade	
Movie: Race-the Devil	Movie: The Philadelphia Experiment II	(15) Movie: The Poseidon Adventure Gene Hackman.	Movie: Josh and S.A.M.							
Movie: The Tuskegee Alirmen Laurence Fishburne.	Movie: Rock-A-Doodle ** 'G'	Movie: Hot Shots! Part Deux 'PG-13'	Movie: Krull	Movie: A Different Story (1978) Perry King, Meg Foster.	Movie: Under the Rainbow Chevy Chase.	(45) Movie: Maverick Mel Gibson. 'PG'				
Ralph E.	VideoPM					Wildhorse Saloon	Club Dance			
Home	Start	Easy Does It	Home	Graham K.	Great Chefs	Cuisine	Nature	Undersea	Wings	
Rockford	McMillan and Wife				Remington Steele	Lou Grant	Police Story			
Designing	Movie: Without Her Consent (1990) ** 1/2	Spenser: For Hire				Cagney & Lacey	Supernat.	Designing		
Harness	Horseworld	Paid Prog.	Gymnastics	USAIGC Champ.	Championship Wrestling	National Cycle League				
Kung Fu	How the West Was Won	Wild, Wild West	Movie: Carson City (1952) Randolph Scott. **	CHIPS						
Beetlejuice	Muppets	Chipmunks	Nick in the Afternoon	Looney Tunes			Temple	Rugrats		
(10:00) U.S. Open Tennis Quarterfinals							Knigh Rider			
Peligrosa	Como Tu, Ninguna	Maria Mercedes	Cristina	Primer Impacto	Dr Perez	Notici.Uni.				
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Shirt Tales	Toons	Top Cat	Tom-Jerry	Tom-Jerry	ScoobScr	Bond Jr.	Planet	SWAT Kats	Jonny Q.	G-Force

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7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Pooch	Care Bears	Gummi B.	Pooch Cmr.	Dumbo	Fraggle	Pony Tales	Quack	Movie: Chips, the War Dog ** 1/2		
Today				Geraldo	Lezaa	Gordon Elliott	Our Lives			
Universe	Universe	Sesame Street	Play	Storytime	Mr Rogers	Station	Barney	Puzzle Place	YanCooks	
Gilligan	Bewitched	Little House on the Prairie	3's Co.	(05) Matlock	Griffith	Major League Baseball				
Good Morning America			Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Montel Williams	Little House on the Prairie	News				
Worship	Views	Daily Mass	Accent	Life	Missions	Cope	Home Life	Max Glick		
News		Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Quincy	Geraldo	News		
(6:00) This Morning	Marlu	Carnie		Price Is Right	Young and the Restless	News				
Bobby	Aladdin	Mighty Max	Rimbas	700 Club	K. Copeland	Paid Prog.	Diff. World	Murphy	Hunter	
Sportscenter	Bodyshape	Getting Fit	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Auto Racing				
Xuxa	Prince Val.	Waltons	700 Club	Health Club	Make a Deal	Name-Tune	Music			
Movie: Son-in-Law Pauly Shore. 'PG-13'	(35) Movie: Josh and S.A.M. 'PG-13'	(15) Movie: The Lotus Eaters Shelia McCarthy. 'PG-13'	Movie:							
Smoggies!	White Fang	Movie: Robin Hood: Men in Tights ** 1/2	(45) Movie: Hot Shots! Part Deux ***	(15) Movie: Just One of the Guys ** 1/2	Movie: Gift-	Movie: Running Free 'PG'	Movie: Close to Eden (1991) Bayaertu, Badema. 'PG'	Movie: Krull Ken Marshall. ** 'PG'		
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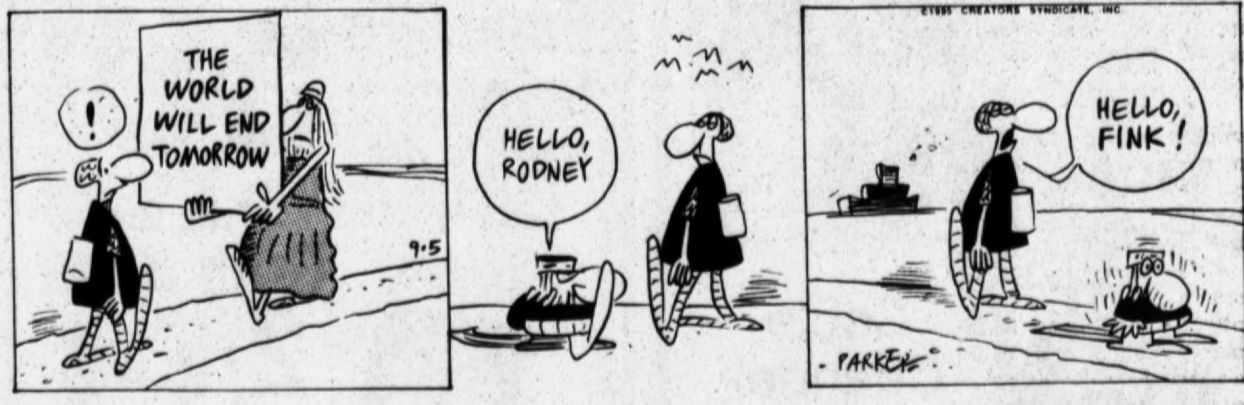
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Crop Family	Movie: Blank Check Brian Bonsall. 'PG'	Prehistoric	Movie: Man's Favorite Sport? Rock Hudson. ***	SpinMarty						
News	Ent. Tonight	Billy Graham Crusade	Dateline	First Person	News	(35) Tonight Show				
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	National Geographic	Missions to the Moon	Your Money & Your Life	Tony Brown	Charlie Rose					
Griffith	Griffith	(05) Movie: Cool Hand Luke (1967) Paul Newman. *** 1/2	(45) Movie: Runaway Train (1965) Jon Voight. ** 1/2							
News	Wh. Fortune	Grace Under	Ellen	Grace Under	Ellen	Primitime Live	News	(35) Cheers	Nightline	
Angels	Prism	Joy-Music	Center St.	Max Glick	Hallelujah!	Baptist Hour	WinWalk	Homeland	Cap-News	Take Two
Love Con.	Jeffersons	Sister, Sis.	Parent	Wayans	Unhappily	News	H'mooner	Simon & Simon		
News	Coach	Nanny	Dave's	Movie: Dying to Love You (1993) Tim Matheson.	News	(35) Late Show				
Roseanne	M*A*S*H	Movie: The Crush (1993) Cary Elwes. **	Hercules-Jrny.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Griffith					
Sportstr.	Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced	Major League Baseball Teams to Be Announced								
Waltons	Guns of Paradise	Rescue 911	700 Club	Father Dowling Mysteries	Bonanza					
Movie: Josh and S.A.M.	Movie: Son-in-Law Pauly Shore. 'PG-13'	(35) Movie: In the Army Now Pauly Shore. ** 'PG'	Movie: Full Frontal							
Composers' Specials	Movie: Robin Hood: Men in Tights Cary Elwes. 'PG-13'	Dream On	Sanders	Crypt Tales	Movie: Tuskegee Air					
(4:45) Movie: Maverick	Movie: Liberation (1994) ** 'NR'	(45) Movie: No Escape Ray Liotta. ** 'R'	(45) Movie: Sexual Intent							
Club Dance	News	Full Access	Music City Tonight	News	Club Dance	Full Access				
Bay. 2000	Next Step	Fangs!	Invention	Next Step	Hunters of the Kalahari	Fangs!	Invention			
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Commish	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: The Man With Three Wives (1993) Beau Bridges.	Unsolved Mysteries	Mysteries						
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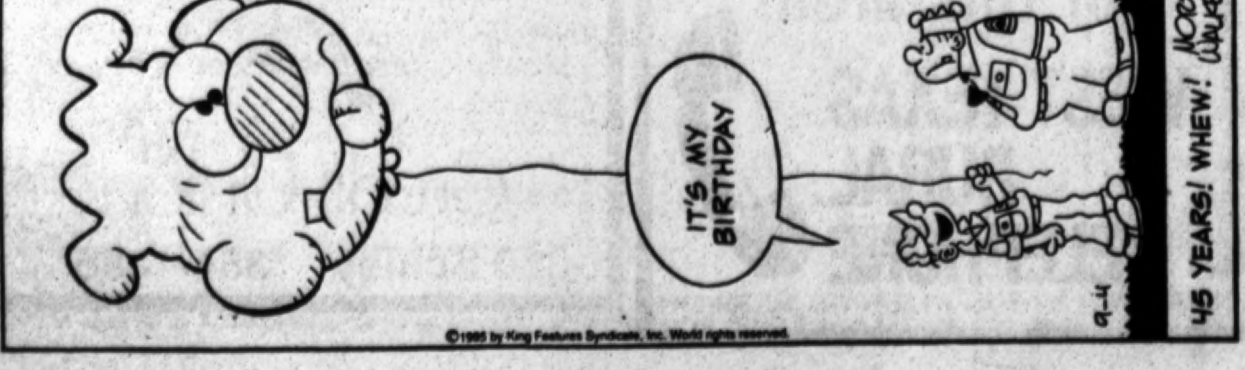
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Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am 15 years old, and I read your column in the Boston Globe. I have learned a lot from it. Not long ago, a parent asked about the dangers of allowing her children to inhale helium gas from the balloons given out at birthday parties.

A few days later, I read in the paper that a guy died from inflating helium balloons in the back room of a restaurant. This 20-year-old was showing a 17-year-old girl how to fill the balloons with helium for her birthday party. They began to horse around, taking "hits" from the tank. After only the second hit, the guy fell to his knees and passed out. They tried to revive him using CPR, but he died a few minutes later of "massive pulmonary hemorrhaging."

I realize that people of all ages operate these tanks. I have seen kids my own age working in stores using them to inflate balloons. The common perception is that helium is fun and

relatively safe. Obviously, this is not so. Maybe the helium in one balloon is harmless, but the compressed gas in the tanks can be deadly.

A local medical examiner reported that the 20-year-old guy literally, "blew his lungs out." Everyone in my town was shocked by this tragedy. I hope people who use these machines at work and for parties will realize how dangerous they can be. -- S.C. Newburyport, Mass.

DEAR NEWBURYPORT: The tragic incident you referred to was widely reported. I received several clippings.

The helium from a single party balloon poses little danger, but the tanks used to fill balloons should not be trifled with. This "sport" can be fatal.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: While visiting San Diego recently, I stopped at a health food store. A nicely dressed elderly lady was in the

checkout line ahead of me. When her bill was totaled, she became very embarrassed. She was short \$1.29.

I didn't want to be tied up in line, nor did I want to see her embarrassed, so I placed two singles on the counter. The elderly lady said I couldn't do that, and the clerk told me the same thing. I said I wasn't going to take the money back and she was just going to have to accept it.

By this time, several people were gawking, amazed that a total stranger would give someone \$1.29. Realizing that I meant what I said, the lady asked for my address so she could pay back the \$1.29. Rather than do that, I asked that she repay me by someday helping someone in need as I had helped her.

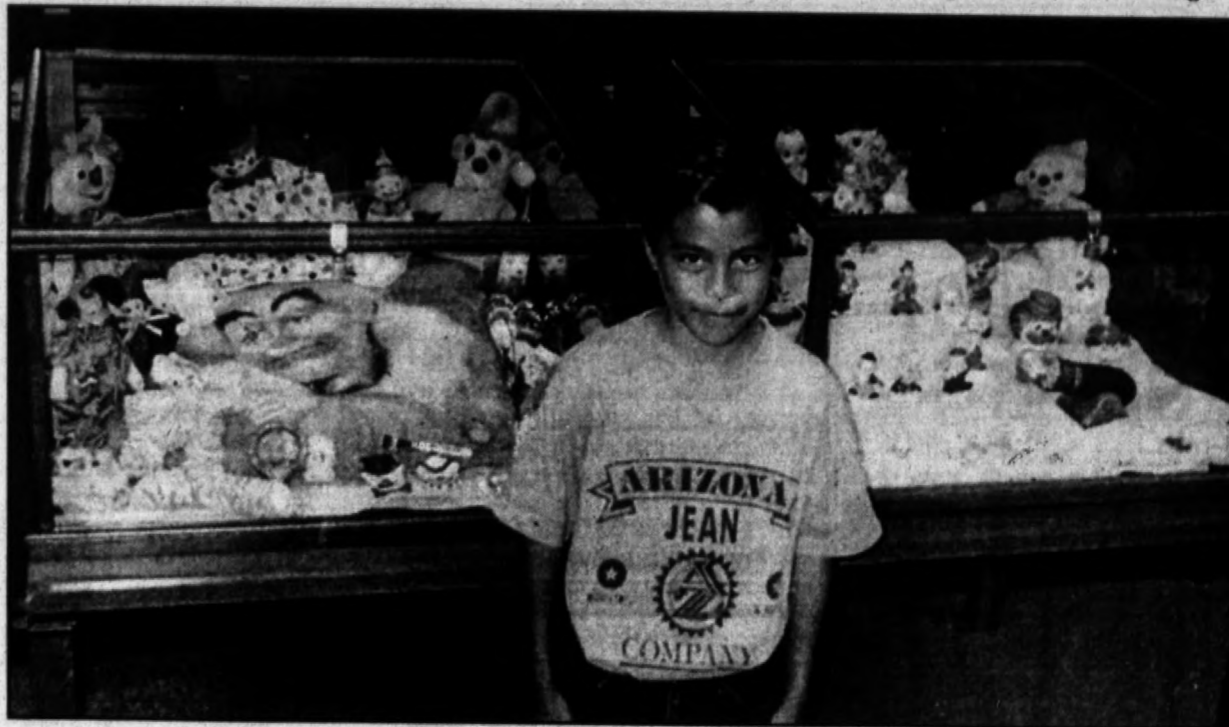
The transaction was completed, and the lady hurriedly exited. I then asked the clerk for my change, since I had given her \$2. Well, apparently, she was so rattled that she gave the change to the lady who had just left.

I guess this goes to show that a small act of generosity in some parts of the country sends the natives into shock. -- Friendswood, Texas

DEAR TEXAS: What a heart-warming story. Your small town in Texas has been aptly named. Thanks for letting us know about you.

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Display of clowns

When very small, Steven Gutierrez received a musical clown from his grandfather, and was fascinated by the sound and movement. Since then, the 11-year-old son of Herninio and Gracie Gutierrez has been fascinated with clowns of all kinds, and is displaying them through September at the Deaf Smith County Library.

Cancer screening to be held

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Health Systems will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening clinic at Hereford Community Center, 100 Avenue C, Hereford on September 14.

women who qualify.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call the Women's Center at Harrington Cancer Center at 1-800-377-4673 or 806-359-4673.

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Xi Epsilon holds regular meeting in Hafliger home

Xi Epsilon Alpha met recently in the home of Denise Hafliger for opening day.

President Ruby Sanders led the Opening Ritual.

Thank you notes were read including a note from adopted sister Billie Brown thanking the chapter for the VCR and movies presented to her at the birthday party.

An overview of each committee's plans for the coming year was given. The rush party will be held Sept. 5 in the Community Center.

Melinda Whitfill showed a video of the programs, socials and events

XEA held during the past year, then the video was presented to past president Ruby Lee.

Connie Matthews presented a "dream catchers" necklace to Sanders to reflect this year's theme.

Refreshments were served and games were played in Hafliger's back yard.

Members present were Susan Shaw, Linda Arellano, Dee Hamilton, Melinda Henson, Brenda Ramey, Sheri Jones, Deann Harris, Peggy Hyer, Holly Bixler, Kay Williams, Sharon Bodner, Sanders, Matthews, Hafliger, Whitfill and Lee.

Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: With your wide readership perhaps my hints would be useful to those of us who have hearing problems and for those who try to communicate with people who have hearing problems.

As you probably know, the telephone can be our best friend and our worst enemy at the same time. Perhaps these suggestions will help in making the telephone more user-friendly.

If you plan to call someone you know has hearing problems:

- Please let the phone ring more than four times. Sometimes it takes a couple of rings before the hearing-impaired person realizes that the phone is ringing and then needs time to make adjustments such as turning on a hearing aid or turning the TV or radio off.

- Do not eat or drink while speaking. It makes the words become distorted and the noise made while chewing interferes.

- The caller should try to minimize volume level of noise at their end as much as possible. The caller's words compete with the background noise. It is like trying to listen to two people talking at once.

- If it is necessary to yell at someone or a pet, or cough or sneeze, please cover the mouthpiece. If the person with hearing problems uses a hearing aid or has volume control on their telephone, these noises are amplified and can be painful.

- Don't hesitate to let the person with hearing problems know if you are having problems understanding them, so that he/she can make the necessary adjustments. Oftentimes, those with hearing problems can have speech problems, which can make it difficult to be understood.

Most important, though, keep calling the people you know who have

hearing problems. The telephone is an important link when communicating with family and friends. — Jennie Watkins, Redfield, S.D.

I hear you loud and clear and send my thanks for your helpful hearing hints. — Huga, Heloise

LETTER OF THANKS
Dear Heloise: Let me add my heartfelt thanks for your mention of the instructions in addition to your will, which will insure the immediate care of your beloved pet without a delay for the will reading.

It had not crossed my mind that there might be some delay due to the will being involved. I am writing instructions to take care of this.

One reason that this is so important to me is that I am a grieving recent widow and this puppy is not only my joy, but she is my salvation. I could not make this life anymore without her.

Keep writing your great column. — Betty Locklear, Durham, N.C.

I plan to! It's wonderful people like you and Jennie who make my job easy. A special pat on the head for your puppy from me and my three furry friends. — Heloise

MATERIAL SWATCH
Dear Heloise: Here's a tip for those who sew. Sometimes I forget which pattern I used for what garment, some are so much alike.

Now, I pin a little swatch of material to the pattern envelope and I remember right away what pattern I used for each garment. — V. Ryan, Lantana, Fla.

Dear Heloise: I would just like to have you remind people when they purchase new mugs and use them in their microwaves to be sure they are microwave safe.

They can cause bad burns and injury to little ones if they are underfoot. I just experienced a bad burn on my fingers.

Needless to say, the mug is being used as a pencil holder now. — Irene M. Warner, Rochester, N.Y.

Thanks for the warning, and you are absolutely right. If you'd like to test any dish/cup to see if it's microwave safe, here's what to do.

Pour a cup of water in a glass measuring cup and place it in the microwave, then put the dish or mug in question next to the measuring cup.

Close the door and turn the power on high for one minute.

If the water in the measuring cup is hot and the dish is cool, then it is microwave-safe.

If the dish is hot, don't use it in the microwave.

Also, don't use dishes with silver or gold trim or any metal parts in the microwave. — Heloise

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It is not enough to have a good mind. The main thing is to use it well. — Rene Descartes

Story hosts garden club

The first meeting of the year for the Garden Beautiful Club was recently held in the home of Bessie Story.

President Marguerite Cole presided over the meeting with Ruby Carmichael giving the program on how to plant a flower garden.

Louise Streun, vice-president, presented yearbooks to members.

Co-hostesses, Louise Axe and Dorothy Noland served refreshments to Jeane Dowell, Leona Andrews, Vada Axe, Doris Bryant, Cole, Audine Dettman, Jerry Jackson, Helen Spinks, Streun, Thelma Axe, Carmichael and Story.

Names in the news

LÓS ANGELES (AP) - Helen Slater's new daughter will be a super girl if she takes after her mom.

Slater, who starred in "Supergirl" and also has appeared in "Ruthless People" and "City Slickers," gave birth to Hannah Nika Watzke on Monday.

Slater, 31, is married to filmmaker and editor Rob Watzke. She recently signed with Viacom Productions to star in a television series based on "Operating Instructions," Anne Lamott's autobiographical account of the birth and first year of her son's life.

Hannah weighed in at 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

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HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — State lawmakers have approved a compromise plan that would provide health care to about half of the adults expected to receive coverage under the Legislature's Medicaid revision plan.

Gov. George W. Bush told lawmakers earlier that the state could not afford all the changes included in the Legislature's plan.

One senator said the compromise would simply shift the burden to local health care providers.

"The local entities have a tremendous concern about what this is going to dump in their lap and how much we're going to expect them to pay that they're not paying right now," said Sen. Mike Moncrief, D-Fort Worth.

An earlier proposal which Gov. Bush backed, was rejected by the House and Senate health care committees. It would have expanded Medicaid rolls by 255,000 adults next year.

The plan would not have reinvested savings from managed care into the Medicaid program — a key provision in the Legislature's reform package. Lawmakers had planned to use the savings from managed care to expand Medicaid rolls by 486,000 adults.

The compromise proposal, which was unanimously approved by the committees, would add 255,000 adults to the Medicaid rolls by limiting eligibility to single adults who have no children and earn no more than \$3,000 a year, or 45 percent of the poverty level.

Coverage would not be guaranteed, but the proposal includes a target of guaranteed coverage for 12 months.

The new plan still must be approved by the federal government, which must give the state permission to waive certain federal rules to implement the changes.

Karen Hughes, Gov. Bush's press secretary, called the compromise a "more conservative and cautious approach."

"The governor wanted to make sure that as people are transferred

from county indigent care to Medicaid that we put children and families first, and this clearly does that," Hughes said.

But Moncrief said the plan would make the situation worse for hospitals because it concentrates on children, who face less risk of contacting serious illnesses.

"It's going to increase the burden, and it's going to reduce their enthusiasm over participation," he said.

Judge's Comments Blasted

Attorney General Dan Morales and a Hispanic lawmaker from West Texas last week criticized comments by a judge who ordered a Mexican native to speak English to her 5-year-old daughter.

State District Judge Samuel Kiser of Amarillo says he is standing firm on his order, but said he will meet this week with anyone in the community who is concerned by his ruling.

"I do feel it is necessary for parents to facilitate their children's education, and thereby stand by my ruling that this child be truly bilingual," he said in a written statement.

Kiser's statement came in response to news reports that, at a summer hearing, he told Maşa Laureano she was abusing her daughter by speaking only Spanish to her. He ordered her to begin speaking English to the girl, as well as Spanish.

"I think the judge was way off base," Morales said. "One danger that I can see here is in the prospect of trivializing real child abuse."

Meanwhile, Rep. Pete Gallego, D-Alpine, promised to "take whatever steps necessary next legislative session to see to it that decisions such as this are eliminated."

No Gun Bans in City Parks

When carrying concealed handguns become legal in Texas, the weapons may be banned from businesses, buses and county parks, but not city parks, Attorney General Dan Morales ruled last week.

Most Texas cities and counties currently ban guns and other weapons from their parks. However, Morales ruled that "the Legislature has specifically taken away a municipality's authority to prohibit or restrict the licensed carrying of a concealed handgun."

Reaction to the decision was mixed. While business owners and transit officials praised the opinion, city officials questioned why cities were left out.

Other Highlights

President Clinton will visit Houston and Dallas on Oct. 16 to raise money for his 1996 election campaign. Land Commis-

sioner Garry Mauro, chairman of the Clinton-Bush re-election campaign in Texas, said the president's schedule includes a luncheon in Dallas and a dinner in Houston.

The Texas Department of Insurance staff has recommended rate rollbacks that would save consumers \$500 million less than previously estimated. The staff presented its recommendations to Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer during last week's public hearings on the reductions required by the 1995 Texas Legislature. Bomer must decide on rate rollbacks by late September.

The Texas Senate has increased public access to information by creating a home page on the World Wide Web, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock announced. Texans can get information about their state senators and Senate committees, Bullock's office and specific bills and their authors. The home page can be found at <http://www.senate.state.tx.us>.

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Plano considered safe place, but many enroll in gun classes

By JULIA PRODIS Associated Press Writer PLANO, Texas (AP) - Plano was named an "All-American City" last year and it's one of the safest in Texas - the most common crime is thefts of golf clubs and lawn mowers from wide-open garages.

But, like many Americans, people here are afraid.

They see the carjackings and muggings on the evening news. They remember the massacre at Luby's Cafeteria in Killeen, the kidnap and murder of a little girl from a Plano park two years ago.

They want to carry guns in their pockets, purses and fanny packs. As of Jan. 1, a new state law will allow them to do so.

And so they gave up their golf games and left their children with housekeepers to spend Labor Day weekend in classrooms, qualifying for licenses to carry concealed handguns.

"I'm a mother, I have a 4-year-old and a 4-month old and if anything were to happen, I want to be in a position to defend us," said a 39-year-old woman with a gentle face and blue plaid sun dress. Her name is Paula, she drives a Mercedes, her husband is a lawyer and she doesn't want to give her last name.

"I'm not going to just scream, I'm going to fight back. I'll have a gun."

This is not the Texas of good ol' boys and cattle drives, cowboy hats and sprawling ranches. This is the "technoburb" of Plano, where residents have moved from other states to work as engineers and executives at high-tech companies, where identical pink brick subdivisions have names like Stonebriar and Steeplechase and nearly every new home has vaulted ceilings, sunken tubs and security systems.

Paula lives in a subdivision of \$175,000 homes and Range Rovers and homeowners associations that don't allow overnight parking on the street. Crime watch signs are hammered into front lawns and posters of McGruff, the crime dog, are posted in front windows.

"People drive through the neighborhood in beat-up cars," she

said. "They don't belong here."

She is one of thousands of Texans across the state enrolled in gun classes - for about \$150 a course - at shooting ranges, hotel conference rooms and even a church.

In Plano last weekend, 150 people, mostly professionals in Bermuda shorts, boat shoes and designer golf shirts, brought cell phones, brief cases and pagers to the packed hotel conference rooms. They won't need their guns until later this week when they take their marksmanship test. For now, their weapons are legally stowed at home in night stands, closets and safes.

Sitting through 12 hours of lectures and demonstrations; they asked where they could carry their guns and when they could shoot them and not be jailed.

The state-certified instructors didn't have all the answers. But one thing was certain, said an instructor from the Bullet Trap shooting range.

"If you've got a weapon, you have to be prepared to use it," Ron King told the class. "Have you really thought about being able to shoot somebody? Are you ready to take a life? That's what this is all about. ... If you have doubts, you have to ask yourself, 'Do you really want to be here?'"

Come Jan. 1, they will be able to carry guns while driving through bad neighborhoods and lonely highways, walking across dark parking lots, eating at Luby's.

Despite Texas' Wild West image, carrying handguns has been illegal, for the most part, since the 1870s. With the passage of the law, Texas joins 25 other states that grant concealed gun permits to most non-felons.

"The instructor says this isn't the Wild West, but I disagree," Tony Martin, owner of an oil and gas company in North Dallas, said during a break in the course. "We have the same problems they had in the Wild West, but we can't defend ourselves. It's time we took back that right."

Robbie Puig, a 66-year-old grandmother who attended the workshop with her husband, said she

will carry a handgun in her fanny pack whenever she takes a walk. And if she encounters someone needing help, "I feel like I would go up and display the weapon and try to scare the attacker. You hear about someone being attacked in a crowd and no one doing anything?"

Randy Walker, a maintenance supervisor at a Plano apartment complex, says he wished the gun law had been in effect 12 years ago when he says he was nearly beaten to death by his girlfriend's father.

"If I had a gun, after the first hit, I would have shot him. The first hit broke my jaw," he said. "I've been beaten up real bad. It will never happen again."

State officials anticipate upwards of 200,000 Texans will apply for concealed gun licenses. No felons, deadbeat parents or drug addicts are allowed. Each candidate must send in two photos, fingerprints and a \$140 check. They also have to pass a background check, a marksmanship test and a multiple choice exam on gun safety, laws and usage.

Opponents fear the new law will cause more violence, escalating even minor traffic altercations into shoot-outs.

Plano Police Chief Bruce Glasscock said gun toters, with their limited training, will have a false sense of safety.

"We train our officers across the country in hours and hours of training in conflict resolution and 'shoot, don't shoot' situations. We still have police officers who make mistakes," he said.

Besides, he said, "unless someone is going to walk around with their hand on the gun, the offender is always going to have the advantage."

Pat Adair, president of a Plano telecommunications company, said he would use the gun to protect himself and his family and anyone else who needs it.

"I'll carry it 90 percent of the time. Why not? I've gone to the trouble," said Adair, 45, whose wife plans to take the class in a few weeks.

Although he acknowledges Plano is a safe place to live, "the crime just takes time to get here," he said. "But it will make it."

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OSHA personnel spread thin for industry inspections

Response to worker complaints requires much of time of government agency

By BOB PORT and JOHN SOLOMON
Associated Press Writers
WASHINGTON (AP) - Two days before two construction workers in Twinsburg, Ohio, plunged to their deaths in June 1994, federal inspectors had received complaints of safety problems. They were too busy to visit right away.

The employer, Esprit Constructors, hadn't been inspected in at least five years though its parent company had been fined twice during that period because workers did not have fall protection.

Last summer, a 35-year-old worker at American Derringer Corp. near Waco, Texas, was fatally shot in the head as he and a colleague tested a pistol.

Before the deaths, federal safety inspectors hadn't checked on the facility since 1987. Afterwards, the government found 29 violations, citing the company for failing to protect workers from accidental gun shots.

In his 10 years of business, John Cembruch, owner of Connecticut Tank/Trailer Inc. in North Branford, Conn., said he can't recall one surprise safety visit from federal inspectors. A man was killed there in March when a cover blew off a tank.

"There's enough deaths going around that keeps them pretty well tied up all the time," said Cembruch, whose company paid a \$2,500 fine and improved its safety practices.

The fact is it is rare in most workplaces to get a preventive safety inspection from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, the federal agency created to protect American workers.

Three-quarters of U.S. work sites that suffered serious accidents in 1994 and early 1995 had never been inspected by OSHA during this decade, according to an Associated Press analysis of six years of agency records.

Those accidents claimed the lives of 1,835 workers and injured thousands more.

With 2,000 inspectors and 6 million work places, the agency is hamstrung by a legal mandate that requires it to respond to every complaint, no matter how routine. More than half the time, those complaints turn up no serious violations, while nearly a third turn up no violations at all, according to the AP's computer analysis.

AP obtained records of the 778,000 inspections conducted by OSHA between January 1989 and May 1995 and examined the most serious accidents in 1994 and through April 1995. OSHA used its own computers to confirm many of AP's findings.

Officials at OSHA acknowledge that they often don't arrive until after a lethal accident occurs.

"We save lives where we focus our attention, but we can improve," OSHA chief Joseph Dear said.

Dear says OSHA is trying to weed out unfounded complaints by fax or telephone, better target its surprise inspections and build cooperative agreements with industry. At the same time, OSHA is struggling this fall to ward off congressional efforts to cut its budget and curtail OSHA's authority to conduct inspections.

AP's analysis focused on 6,411 workplaces where OSHA inspectors recorded fatal or catastrophic

accidents in 1994 and the first four months of this year. In most states, accidents are classified as catastrophic when someone dies or at least three workers are hospitalized. Some states, like California, classify an accident with fewer than three injuries as catastrophic.

The AP analysis found that 4,830 of those workplaces, or 75 percent, never had been visited by OSHA in the five previous years. More than half were small shops with fewer than 50 employees. Seventy-six percent of the uninspected companies were non-union.

In Elyria, Ohio, the Aztec Catalyst Co. chemical plant was rocked by a series of explosions that spewed 3,000 gallons of toxic chemicals and sent 84 people to hospitals. Firefighters

had been called to the plant 21 times between 1982 and the 1993 explosion. OSHA had not been to the plant for any sort of inspection since 1974.

In Georgia, a construction company in business for 14 years was never inspected by OSHA until one of its four workers was suffocated beneath eight feet of clay in a trench collapse. If the work site had been inspected and the trench properly supported, "my brother would be alive today, definitely," believes William Collier of Zebulon, Ga., the victim's brother.

To make the most of the resources it has, OSHA targets hazardous industries - manufacturing, construction, oil and gas - for unannounced workplace inspections, called "program inspections." These surprise visits can lead to citations and six or even seven-

figure fines, creating an incentive for businesses to heed safety laws.

But computer records show that many OSHA offices, both those run by states and the federal government, are not doing large numbers of surprise inspections. Instead, they exhaust staff resources checking out complaints.

Nationally, OSHA offices performed about 54 percent of their inspections by surprise during the period studied by AP. But several states, inundated with complaints that must be inspected first, lag far behind the national average.

Among the states where OSHA offices performed the smallest percentage of unannounced inspections since 1989 were Nebraska (8.6 percent), California (20 percent), Connecticut (26 percent), Ohio (34 percent) and Illinois (38 percent).

"With so few people there's no way we can do many program inspections," said James Washam, OSHA's assistant director in Cincinnati. "We haven't done a surprise inspection in general industry in so long I don't even know. I couldn't estimate."

In most states where surprise inspections are down, inspections prompted by work complaints are up. OSHA inspectors spent nearly 106,000 hours in 1994 alone on complaint inspections that did not result in a single violation, the review showed.

OSHA officials say their hands are tied by the 1972 law that created the agency and required that all worker complaints be inspected.

Dear, the OSHA chief, defended his agency's mandate to investigate every complaint.

96 inspectors check 427,000 worksites where 6.5 million Texans are employed

By MICHELLE MITTELSTADT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - At least 117 workers killed on the job in Texas were employed at workplaces that had not been inspected by federal safety officials in the previous five years, government records show.

The deaths at facilities not inspected during the 1990s by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration amount to nearly 87 percent of all job-related fatalities in Texas during that time frame.

Nationally, three-fourths of the workplaces that had deaths or serious accidents in 1994 and early 1995 had not been inspected by OSHA in the previous five years, according to an Associated Press analysis of the agency's computerized records.

OSHA officials defend their inspection record, pointing out that the agency's personnel is stretched thin.

"Our people are doing an absolutely tremendous job for the

resources we have," said Glen Williamson, deputy regional administrator of OSHA's Dallas office, which oversees Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

The agency's 96 inspectors in Texas are responsible for some 6.5 million employees at 427,000 worksites.

"You divide out the numbers in terms of staff ... and it's no wonder we may not have been at an establishment the previous five years to the occurrence of a fatality," Williamson said.

"I don't think we can walk away from the fact that employers are expected to protect their employees and let them go home healthy."

OSHA levied nearly \$11 million in penalties for on-the-job health and safety violations at Texas workplaces during fiscal 1994, Williamson said.

Instead of preventive inspections, OSHA expends much of its resources nationally inspecting sites where workers complain - more than half the

time without finding any serious violations.

But Williamson defended the complaint-driven inspections as a worthwhile tool. More than 58 percent of those complaint inspections result in the issuance of serious citations, he said.

In fiscal 1994, the Texas inspectors conducted some 4,700 surprise inspections and another 2,800 that were driven by complaints, referrals or monitoring visits.

The rate of surprise inspections in Texas between 1989 and last May, 63 percent, exceeded those of 32 other states and District of Columbia.

The Texas Chemical Council, which represents 129 plants employing some 57,000 workers, acknowledges that OSHA plays a key role but questions some of its focus - particularly on the chemical industry.

"The thing I would encourage Congress to do is have OSHA focus on the industries and individual companies with the highest injury

rates because that's where the biggest impact can be made," said Ken Martin, safety technology leader at DuPont's LaPorte plant and head of a Texas Chemical Council occupational safety subcommittee.

Chemical Council members recorded only two fatalities and an injury rate of 2.86 percent per 200,000 manhours last year - significantly lower than the overall industry average of 10 percent, Martin said.

But Williamson said OSHA's attention to the chemical industry is warranted.

"The potential for catastrophic release of a toxic gas or explosion or fire that could have dramatic impact is the main focus we believe is important in that particular industry."

In fall 1994, for example, some 1,200 Texas City residents sought hospital treatment for breathing difficulties and burning eyes after 3,000 pounds of ammonia was accidentally released from a plant.

Record shows OSHA visits

By The Associated Press

Total number of inspections, by state, done by OSHA between Jan. 1, 1989, and May 5, 1995, according to OSHA's computerized records.

Table also gives the percent of total inspections done by surprise versus those prompted by complaints in each state. The remaining percentage involved other forms of inspection such as those prompted by referrals or accidents.

North Dakota and South Dakota share one OSHA office.

State	Inspections	Complaint	Surprise
Alaska	6433	13.3	69.2
Ala.	8223	17.5	56.3
Ark.	5796	17.2	67.0
Ariz.	17082	14.4	62.8
Calif.	70835	50.0	20.0
Colo.	6657	41.7	20.8
Conn.	9096	29.4	25.7
D.C.	1626	8.1	51.4
Del.	1013	22.3	50.5
Fla.	18647	21.7	39.0
Ga.	14287	22.3	44.9
Hawaii	11731	5.6	77.3
Iowa	7062	26.3	53.7
Idaho	2823	25.8	30.8
Ill.	19211	30.7	37.7
Ind.	29338	13.7	71.1
Kan.	3954	29.7	52.6
Ky.	11663	18.9	63.8
La.	6679	11.6	74.8
Mass.	13460	16.4	46.6
Md.	15827	12.2	54.3
Maine	3601	24.5	37.5
Mich.	66644	11.9	74.5
Minn.	22151	14.0	75.6
Mo.	11021	23.7	60.8
Miss.	4480	19.6	50.0
Mont.	2472	26.1	43.0
N.C.	17678	21.2	56.7
N/Dak.	620	17.7	63.9
Neb.	1999	35.9	8.6
N.H.	2566	20.9	46.7
N.J.	18797	16.2	48.8
N.M.	3786	15.0	51.3
Nev.	4546	16.6	51.9
N.Y.	60357	14.7	38.6
Ohio	20574	38.7	33.7
Okla.	6991	18.2	67.6
Ore.	37012	14.9	75.8
Pa.	20540	29.5	43.5
R.I.	2798	20.8	40.4
S.C.	17851	8.8	74.0
Tenn.	19539	15.4	73.2
Texas	37201	15.5	62.9
Utah	5800	16.5	61.4
Va.	18406	16.2	56.7
Vt.	4001	7.1	82.6
Wash.	43075	17.6	65.8
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W.Va.	3768	27.9	44.7
Wyo.	4822	8.2	83.3



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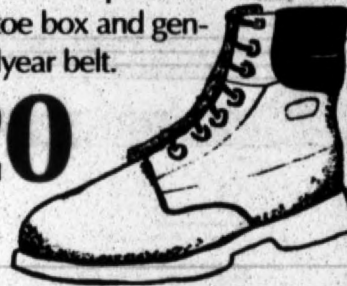
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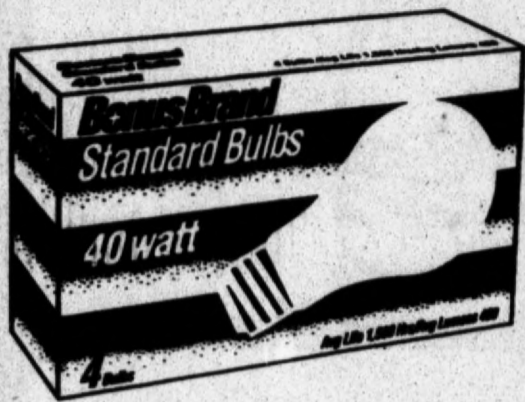


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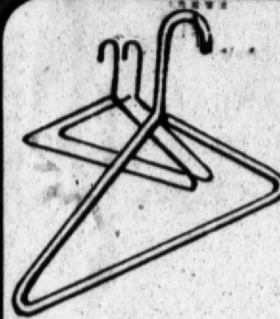


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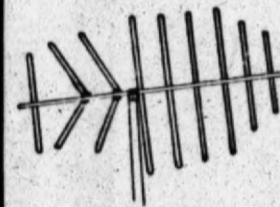
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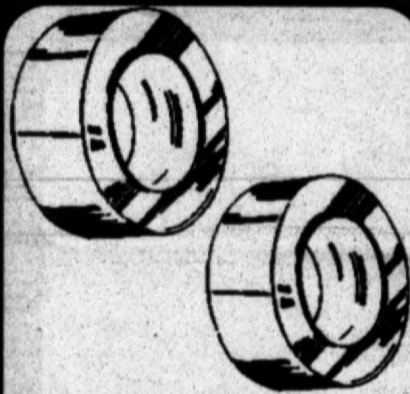
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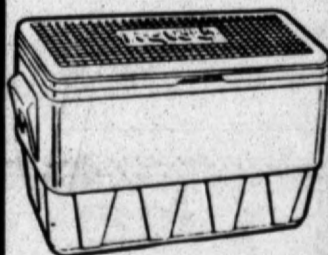
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