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Hustlin' Hereford, home of Kim Buckley

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## Schools looking at taxes, raises

Several Hereford businesses were recognized for their contributions to Hereford's public schools through the Adopt-A-School Program at Tuesday's Hereford school board meeting.

The board also heard a call for pay increases for teachers and learned they will likely be faced with a tax increase to avoid losing state funding for the school district.

Catherine Cortez, representing the local Classroom Teachers Association, said the group is "concerned about losing teachers to other districts because of salaries."

"We are also concerned about the fact that we are having hard times financially, yet new positions pop up," Cortez said. Cortez urged the board to give special consideration to teachers whose salaries are "frozen."

Some teachers, based on their years of experience and the degree they hold, reach the top of the pay scale. Last year, those teachers received smaller pay raises than teachers with much less experience. Most of the less-experienced teachers last year received pay increases of \$900 to \$1,200, while more-experienced instructors received a \$300 raise.

Superintendent Charles Greenawalt later told the board that he would like to propose "substantial" pay increases for all teachers along with

state-mandated raises in the 1990-91 budget now being formulated by administrators.

Greenawalt explained the budget process has been hindered by indecision by lawmakers and the possibility of court-mandated programs.

State legislators last week finally passed, and Gov. Bill Clements signed, a school finance-and-reform bill. That legislation must pass the muster of State District Judge Scott McCown. The Supreme Court of Texas ruled in May 1989 that the method then used for funding public education was unconstitutional because it did not adequately fund poorer school districts.

McCown has appointed a master, former Texas Supreme Court Justice Bill Kilgarlin, to formulate a plan to evenly fund education in the state.

Under Kilgarlin's first draft, the Hereford district would lose about \$500,000, unless it raised its tax rate to about 91 cents. The current tax rate is 78.5 cents.

Under the legislative plan, the district would receive an additional \$500,000 at the present tax rate, but would receive about \$200,000 more from the state with a tax increase.

Greenawalt and Richard Souter, assistant superintendent for business, are working on three budgets: one with the legislative plan, one with the

court master's plan, and another "compromise" plan splitting the difference between the two.

The budget will likely call for a tax increase, but it will probably be much less than the 12.5 cent increase that would get the district to 91 cents.

Several Hereford businesses received stylish plaques for helping schools in many ways through the Adopt-A-School program the past school year. Businesses honored Tuesday included:

--Whiteface Ford, which provided superachiever t-shirts for almost 80 percent of the students at Aikman Primary School and other treats during the year.

--McDonald's, which helped Northwest Primary School with drinks for parties and other activities, and free food for top students.

--Moore's Supermarket, which provided certificates to students at West Central Intermediate School for achievements, treats for rewards for special projects, and discounts for treats at parties and other occasions.

--Sirloin Stockade, which provided field trips for students at Bluebonnet Intermediate School, reduced-price meals for those students, and other activities.

--Sonic Drive-In, which gave certificates for perfect attendance and honor roll students at Shirley School, and honored students at other schools.

--Long John Silver's, which held a car wash and helped with a book fair to purchase new trees for Tierra Blanca Primary School, and helped with treats and other items for activities at the school.

"We appreciate the businesses in the community who support our schools and our children," said Board President John Fuston. "When we spend money on our children they are not wasted."

Fuston was re-elected as board president, with Dennis Newton elected vice president and Steve Conaway re-elected secretary-treasurer. The board accepted the resignations of board members Kathy Moore and Shirley Wilson, and will accept applications from persons who live in those single-member districts (four and five) to fill the positions through May 1992.

Persons who would consider serving must have lived in the school district for six months and must be a registered voter. Persons considering serving should apply by July 2 at the school administration building.

"Shirley and Kathy spent a tremendous amount of time working for the district," said Fuston. "They were very dedicated, very hard-working, and they are going to be missed."

The board also honored Diana Compean, a special education aide at Shirley, and Nena Veazey, director of special programs for the district, as the employees of the month.

After an executive session, the board approved hiring new personnel, accepted resignations and adjustments of personnel within the district.

Marilyn Leasure will be transferred from assistant principal at Hereford Junior High to a new position, director of student services. Corky Lockmiller, director of special programs, has been given a new title of assistant superintendent for special program.

Resignations were accepted from Christina Johns, Bluebonnet teacher;

Lonidene Edmonson, Tierra Blanca teacher; Tommy Haney, director of vocational programs; Jon Ann Crow, a diagnostician; and Lynn Gilbreath, a coach/teacher at high school.

Hired were teachers Janna Williams, Billy Rowe, Emily Knight, Shelley Kay, Donna Abramski, Christy Horn, Twyla Corbell, Cynthia Engle, Tammy Hardin, Mary Sheffield, Tanya Gaye Jones, Dianne Tannahill, Linda Anderson, Thelma Elaine Forester and Richard Saucedo.

## Sooner, or later, border battle will be solved, maybe

WICHITA FALLS (AP) -

Texans and Oklahomans want to draw the line once and for all that determines the exact border of the Lone Star State - and they'd rather do it sooner than later.

The Red River has separated the two since Spain and the United States signed a treaty in 1819 to set the southwest boundary of the Louisiana Purchase.

But exactly where the line is drawn - north or south bank - is a question continually fought out in the courtroom and the halls of the state capitols.

In dispute is a 110-mile stretch of the river which runs from about Byers, Texas, to Oklaunion, Texas. The U.S. Supreme Court tried to settle the question in the early 1920s by issuing four opinions, which set the boundary at the river's south bank.

But each time the course of the river's flow is altered, usually by flooding, new quarrels arise. The confusion has caused disputes over taxes, mineral rights and law enforcement jurisdiction.

So once again, Texas and Oklahoma officials and the federal Bureau of Land Management are meeting to solve the boundary question - for good, they hope.

The federal agency will present a boundary proposal this summer to officials from both states:



Oklahoma senators representing counties along the river and state Sen. Steve Carraker, D Roby, said Paul Tanner, area manager for the Bureau of Land Management's Oklahoma City office.

Tanner predicts the boundary will be fixed at a permanent spot on the south bank of the river - the Texas side - which isn't influenced by flooding. At the meeting later this summer, the Bureau of Land Management will recommend that each state establish a Red River Boundary Commission, Tanner said.

Because the boundary probably will be located on the Texas side of the river, Oklahoma stands to gain acreage and increase its tax base, he said. Texas counties fronting the river probably will lose some taxable land, he said.

## Sales tax rebate up in Hereford

The City of Hereford will receive a sales tax rebate of \$48,735 this month, up 31.6 percent from the April 1989 rebate.

This month's rebate, based on collections by merchants in April and reported to the state comptroller's office by May 20, pushed this year's total to \$315,723. That's 8.8 percent more than the \$290,272 through June 1989.

Most other area cities also reported increases in the June 1990 rebate compared to the June 1989 check.

Amarillo, with the addition of a half-cent to the sales tax to fund economic development, collected \$1.36 million, compared to \$836,525 reported in June 1989. That 63.4 percent increase pushed total collections for the year to \$7,056 million, up 11.3 percent from the 6.34 million for the first six months of 1989.

Plainview continues to pull in more sales tax dollars. This month's rebate is for \$156,581, up 27 percent from the June 1989 report. For the year, Plainview has received \$1,032 million, up 6.2 percent from 1989.

Deaf Smith County received \$20,956 this month from its one-half cent sales tax. That is up 6 percent from the June 1989 rebate. For the year, the county has received \$156,913, \$10,000 more than received through the first six months of 1989.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said checks to cities this month totaled \$74.9 million, an increase of almost 13 percent over rebates to cities last June. For the year, total rebates to cities are up 7.8 percent.

from region to region while the economy nationally has expanded for more than seven years.

"One of the characteristics of the 1980s was the rolling recession," said James J. McDermott Jr., an analyst with Keefe, Bruyette & Woods, a New York securities firm. "Now we are having rolling recoveries as well.

## Gorby proposes sovereign states

MOSCOW (AP) - Faced with a splintering empire, Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev is proposing to counter secessionist drives by transforming the Soviet Union into a looser federation of sovereign states, officials say.

The Soviet leader has also significantly softened his position on German reunification, saying a united Germany could be an "associate member" of the NATO alliance while at the same time joining a new pan-European security order.

He did not define exactly what "associate membership" would entail, but the Kremlin up to now has opposed a new Germany whose sole military allegiance is to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

Gorbachev made his proposal about the Soviet republics on

Tuesday, the same day the parliament of the huge Russian republic approved a resolution declaring its laws to carry more weight than federal statutes.

Also Tuesday, Gorbachev met with the presidents of Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia after refusing for weeks to negotiate with the secessionist Baltic republics unless they agreed to abide by the Soviet constitution.

President Vytautas Landsbergis of Lithuania hinted that the Kremlin might soon end the economic embargo imposed on his republic, and President Anatoly Gorbunov of Latvia said Gorbachev made a concrete offer to enter negotiations.

"This is an absolute recognition of the legality of our declaration" that Latvia has begun a transition to independence, Gorbunov claimed.



### New collection at museum

Lewis McDaniel, left, Hereford district manager for Southwestern Public Service company, and Donna Brockman, director of the Deaf Smith County Museum, look over the collection of old electrical appliances presented by SPS on long-term loan to the museum.

## SPS donates antiques

Wonder what persons used, say, 70 years ago, to iron clothes, curl hair and light rooms?

You can see those appliances and more at the Deaf Smith County Historical Museum, thanks to a long-term loan of 35 historical electrical appliances from Southwestern Public Service Company.

"SPS has collected these antiques down through the years," said Lewis McDaniel, SPS Hereford District manager. "I believe people will enjoy looking at some of the first electrical appliances and will realize how electricity changed life for the better."

Electrical items began flooding the marketplace in the late 1890s. Among the earliest appliances generally available were the iron, fan, light bulb and toaster. In the early 1900s, refrigerators, hot plates, waffle irons and electric ranges hit the market. Electric clothes washers and dishwashers showed up in the early 1920s.

Among the appliances on display at the museum are a 1918 General Electric iron, a 1923 curling iron-heater, a 1908 goose-necked map and electric toasters from the 1920s and 1930s.

## Bank fortunes turning in Texas

WASHINGTON (AP) - Texas banks are back in the black after more than four years of steady losses, while once-thriving Massachusetts institutions have become the industry's biggest money-losers.

Nationally, commercial banks earned \$6.2 billion in the first three months of 1990, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. said Tuesday. The performance, except for a sharp earnings dip in the last half of 1989,

was in line with bank profits over the past two years.

But the overall performance masked dramatic turnarounds in some states.

Texas banks, which lost \$42 million during the first quarter of 1989, turned a profit of \$164 million in the first quarter of this year. It was their first quarter in the black since their first quarter of 1985.

Massachusetts banks went the other direction. They earned \$202 million in the first quarter last year but lost \$171 million in the January-March 1990 period, the worst loss of any state. The other states to post losses were New Hampshire and Rhode Island - which border Massachusetts - and Arizona.

Economists said the reversal was telling evidence of the phenomenon of rolling recessions that have moved



Rex and Rita Saurus have another special project for you in our Family Reading event--Details are on Page 7

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## Local Roundup

### Three persons arrested

Hereford police arrested two persons on Tuesday. Two men, ages 20 and 39, were arrested for no liability insurance, second offense. The 20-year-old was also arrested on charges of driving without a license.

Deputy sheriffs arrested one man, age 24, and revoked his probation. Reports on Tuesday included the windshield of a car at Fourth and Park Ave. broken out by a water balloon thrown by a teenager, causing \$300 damage; a tire of a pickup in the 600 block of Irving was slashed, causing \$80 damage; the headlights of a truck parked in the 100 block of Lawton were broken out by the owner's girlfriend, causing \$20 damage; a woman in the 700 block of South Texas sold some clothes to a friend and then filed charges against the friend when the friend did not pay for the clothes; another woman, in the 800 block of Irving, filed charges against a friend she had lent clothing to after the friend refused to return the clothes;

Other reports included four missing children, including a boy who ran away in the 200 block of East Sixth; a girl who ran away in the 200 block of Ave. A; and two teenage boys were reported missing, one from the 500 block of Ave. G and the other from the 900 block of Brevard.

Hereford police issued eight citations and responded to one minor accident on Tuesday.

### Warm weather continues

Tonight will be fair with a less than 20 percent chance of isolated evening thunderstorms. The low will be in the mid 60s with south to southwest wind 10 to 20 mph.

Thursday will be partly cloudy with isolated afternoon thunderstorms. The high will be in the lower 90s with south to southwest wind 10 to 20 mph and gusty. Rain chance is less than 20 percent.

The extended forecast through Sunday is for isolated late afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Otherwise mostly fair. Highs around 90. Lows in the mid to upper 60s.

This morning's low at KPAN was 70 after a high Tuesday of 99.

## News Digest

### World/National

**GALVESTON** - Firefighters declared the fierce blaze aboard the supertanker Mega Borg under control and turned their attention today to the crude oil spilling directly into Gulf of Mexico from the smoking, 886-foot hulk.

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**WASHINGTON** - Government officials say Attorney General Dick Thornburgh acted within the law in heading discussions on revising the Clean Air Act even though 20 percent of his assets are in stocks affected by the legislation.

**WASHINGTON** - Sen. Dave Durenberger, R-Minn., says he doesn't deserve the "harsher than warranted" penalty of being denounced by the Senate for financial dealings that he admits broke ethics rules.

**WASHINGTON** - President Bush's string of successful vetoes remains unbroken, but Democrats are maneuvering for a second chance to force an Amtrak aid bill into law over his objections.

**MOSCOW** - Mikhail S. Gorbachev, faced with a splintering empire, proposes to remake the Soviet Union as a looser federation of sovereign states. He also indicates a willingness to accept a united Germany's membership in NATO.

**FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla.** - The crackdown on ribald rappers 2 Live Crew is part of a morals wave breaking across the land of sand, sun and fun - a ban on nude bars in Fort Lauderdale; a West Palm Beach attempt to censor TV commercials for "phone sex numbers;" the prohibition in Sarasota of thong bikinis that don't cover the buttocks, and a Daytona Beach crackdown on X-rated videos.

### Texas

**GALVESTON** - Firefighters say they have brought a fierce supertanker blaze under control nearly four days after an explosion rocked the 886-foot vessel carrying 38 million gallons of crude oil; a baby shrimp crop along the Texas coast worth millions of dollars could be lost if oil leaking from a crippled tanker in the Gulf of Mexico reaches the shore, shrimping officials said; the wreck of a Norwegian supertanker off the Texas coast illustrates the two problems Congress has failed to resolve in its oil spill disaster legislation, officials say.

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**NEW ORLEANS** - Southern Baptists solidified conservative control of the nation's largest Protestant denomination by electing a fundamentalist minister from Texas.

**DAYTON LAKE ESTATES** - Some Trinity County residents want the Federal Emergency Management Agency to buy out their flood-damaged homes, but a federal official says only those who bought flood insurance after suffering similar damages last year would qualify for a federal buyout.

## Today in History

By The Associated Press  
Today is Wednesday, June 13, the 164th day of 1990. There are 201 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight In History:**  
On June 13, 1966, the U.S. Supreme Court issued its landmark "Miranda versus Arizona" decision, ruling that criminal suspects had to be informed of their constitutional rights prior to questioning by police.

**On this date:**  
In 1888, Congress created the Department of Labor.  
In 1898, the Yukon Territory of Canada was organized.  
In 1900, China's Boxer Rebellion against foreigners and Chinese Christians turned violent.  
In 1927, a ticker-tape parade welcomed aviation hero Charles Lindbergh to New York City.  
In 1944, Germany began launching flying-bomb attacks against Britain during World War II.  
In 1967, President Lyndon Johnson nominated Solicitor-General Thurgood Marshall to become the first black justice on the U.S. Supreme Court.  
In 1971, The New York Times began publishing the "Pentagon Papers," a secret study of America's involvement in Vietnam.  
In 1977, James Earl Ray, the convicted assassin of civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., was recaptured following his escape three days earlier from a Tennessee prison.  
In 1983, the U.S. space probe Pioneer 10 became the first spacecraft to leave the solar system, 11 years after it was launched.  
Ten years ago: The European Community issued an 11-point declaration urging full self-determination for Palestinians and suggesting the PLO be "associated with" Middle East peace talks.  
Five years ago: Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi addressed a joint meeting of Congress, signaling disagreement with U.S. policies on defense, Pakistan and foreign aid.  
One year ago: The Detroit Pistons won their first National Basketball Association title, sweeping the Los Angeles Lakers in four games.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actor Richard Thomas is 39. Actress Ally Sheedy is 28. Tennis player Bettina Bunge is 27.

**Thought for Today:** "What intellectual snobs we have become! Virtue is now in the number of degrees you have - not in the kind of person you are or what you can accomplish in real-life situations." - Eda J. LeShan, American educator (1922-).



The Chamber's Hustlers held a ribbon-cutting ceremony for Nutri-Systems Tuesday morning with manager Elthie Hand (center, holding scissors) and her staff taking part in the ceremony. Nutri-Systems is located at 110 N. 25 Mile Ave., Suite D, next door to HCR Real Estate. C of C President Doug Josserand and Hustler chairman Bill Harris led the group in welcoming the new business to Hereford.

### Hustlers welcome Nutri-Systems

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## Astonomer: Indians saw Crab Nebula 900 years ago

**ALBUQUERQUE (AP)** - A 23-pointed star painted on a pottery bowl shows that a supernova seen by ancient Asians and Arabs also was witnessed by New Mexico's prehistoric Indians, researchers said.

"The bowl provides us with the best supported historic record from the Western Hemisphere of the supernova that created the Crab Nebula," said R. Robert Robbins, an astronomy professor at the University of Texas at Austin.

"In fact, the bowl is the most certain record of the supernova that has ever been discovered outside China and Japan," he said Tuesday during the 176th meeting of the American Astronomical Society.

The white earthenware bowl, from the Mimbres Indian Classic Period between A.D. 1000 and A.D. 1150, also shows the black-painted figure of a rabbit curled into a crescent shape to symbolize the moon, Robbins said.

The rabbit is a god in the folklore of ancient cultures stretching down toward Central America, Robbins said.

In many Indian cultures in the New World, the rabbit commonly represents the moon because Indians tended to see a rabbit in the moon rather than a man in the moon, he said.

Chinese astronomers recorded the appearance of the Crab Nebula

supernova in 1054 in the constellation Taurus. Their records showed the star was so bright it could be seen in the daytime for 23 days.

The supernova also was recorded by the Japanese, Robbins said.

Steve Maran, senior staff scientist at the Goddard Space Flight Center at Greenbelt, Md., said the supernova also was noticed in Bagdad, where it was recorded in an 11th century medical publication.

The Mimbres bowl is decorated with a small black-painted sunburst with 23 rays at one of the rabbit's rear feet.

The 23 rays represent the 23 days that the supernova was clearly visible during the day, Robbins said.

The Crab Nebula is a huge cloud of gas in space that is the remnant of the supernova. Supernovas are dying stars that blow up and eject matter in all directions.

Astronomers believe that all but the lightest elements in the universe were created by supernovas, and therefore planets and all life on them are made of star dust from the ancient explosions.

The Crab Nebula is about 6 light years wide and about 6,500 light years from Earth. One light year equals almost 6 trillion miles, which is the distance light travels in one year.

American astronomers discovered early in this century that the Crab Nebula is expanding at a rate implying an explosion beginning about 900 years ago when first seen from Earth.

A computer analysis shows the position of the sunburst and the rabbit generally coincides with the location of the supernova and the crescent moon on the morning of July 5, 1054, Robbins said.

The Mimbres lived in small farming villages in what is now southwestern New Mexico.

Their early bowls contained mostly geometric designs suggestive of lightning and water. But the Classic period depicted rabbits, deer and other animals found in the Mimbres Valley.

The figures showed scenes such as hunting, fishing, making love and giving birth, Robbins said.

## San Antonio bans 2 Live Crew albums

**SAN ANTONIO (AP)** - Record store managers yanked a controversial album by the rap group 2 Live Crew from their shelves as police scoured the city warning that the album's lyrics are obscene.

"We're merely making the record store owners and operators aware of the fact that we feel that this is obscene, and we're asking for voluntary compliance," San Antonio Police Chief William O. Gibson said.

Detectives set out Tuesday to notify 84 stores that sell records that the lyrics of the million-selling album "As Nasty As They Wanna Be" are obscene, said police vice squad commander Lt. Jerry Pittman.

Stores have about five days to remove the albums before possibly facing obscenity charges for selling them, he said. The Texas obscenity law requires that a defendant be aware material is obscene in order to be convicted of selling it, Pittman said.

Some record store managers and workers said they were asked by police to sign a statement saying they had been warned the lyrics are obscene.

"We've been ordered to pull them off the shelves and return them and that it's illegal for us to sell them," said Greta Colbin, manager at a Hastings Records and Tapes store.

"The vice squad came into my store earlier and ordered me to do so."

Ms. Colbin, who was asked to sign

a police statement about the lyrics, said the stores in her chain have a rating policy prohibiting anyone under 18 from buying "R" rated albums. But that didn't seem to matter to the officers, she said.

"It's censorship, and they're starting it," she said. "It's a violation of our rights."

Pittman said Bexar County assistant district attorney Mike Schill reviewed transcripts of the album lyrics and listened to them on tape before determining some of the words violate the state's obscenity law.

In Florida last week a federal judge ruled that material on the 2 Live Crew album was obscene, and two members of the band were arrested on obscenity charges after performing the material at a concert.

Complaints from local anti-pornography groups sparked the police action, Pittman and Gibson said. Pittman said the album describes "deviant sexual intercourse" and "is inundated with obscene language."

"We're getting compliance," Pittman said of the request that albums be removed from store shelves.

Pittman said he had hoped to keep the police action out of the limelight at first because publicity might boost sales.

The penalty for conviction of selling obscene material in Texas - a Class A misdemeanor - can be a year in jail and up to a \$2,000 fine.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bobby of Brownfield and Richard A. (Dickie) of Hereford; two daughters, Vicki Faught of Brownfield and Geneva Harris of Lamesa; five brothers, Don of Amarillo, J.W. of Wellman, Kenneth of Ardmore, Ernest of Port Huron, Mich., and Gene of Levelland; three sisters, Hazel Summerville of Dalhart, Earlelan Pelton of Ardmore and Lora Battles of Lebanon, Okla.; and five grandchildren.

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Funeral services are planned for 10 a.m. Thursday at Nelson Funeral Home in Berryville. Burial will be in Berryville Cemetery.

Mr. Smith was born May 29, 1927, in Berryville. He was married to Donna Smith. He was transferred by Holly Sugar to Hereford in 1964 as a shift superintendent. He retired from Holly in 1981 as an assistant factory manager. He began his career with Holly in 1948 in California at the Tracy and Braley factories.

Survivors include his wife, Donna of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Wallace (Cheryl) Hill of Amarillo, former Hereford resident; and two grandchildren.

The family will be at 304 Hanna St., Berryville, Ark. 726216.

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Services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Union Baptist Church with the Rev. Cletus Caswell, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

He was born in Quanah. He moved to Ardmore, Okla., and then to Tokio in 1937. He served in the U.S. Navy in World War II. He married Billie McNeil Feb. 24, 1947 in Gaines County. He farmed in the Union area until retiring in 1977. He was a member of Union Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon.

## Mega Borg blaze being controlled

**OVER THE GULF OF MEXICO (AP)** - White smoke spewed from the rear section of the Mega Borg, indicating that the fire that has raged for days aboard the listing supertanker is at its lowest point yet.

Fireboats continued spraying water on the tanker, crippled in the Gulf of Mexico, but the towering column of black smoke and balls of flame were gone Tuesday. They were replaced by a smaller white plume that could only be seen for about 15 miles.

Coast Guard officials said the fierce blaze that had erupted early Saturday was finally brought under control Tuesday, although oil continued to pour from the vessel.

Five fireboats showered the rear section of the Norwegian tanker with 10 water cannons but no flames could be seen.

The tanker's fire-ravaged superstructure, which had been obscured by the black smoke, was more visible Tuesday. Its tall, blackened stack was bent over from the intense heat, and the rest was a twisted mass of steel.

Cleanup crews could be seen on the vessel for the first time. Several people were sitting on the railing of a small bridge in the middle of the ship, while one was walking across the Mega Borg's front end.

They were dressed in either orange or blue work clothes, and none were using any type of equipment at the time.

The left rear of the ship was extremely close to being awash Tuesday afternoon, but the rest of the rear section was a little higher above the calm sea. Coast Guard officials reported Monday that the rear section had dipped below the surface of the Gulf of Mexico.

Earlier, a long trail of flaming oil snaked from rear of the ship. But by Tuesday morning, only a small pool of oil about a half-mile away was burning. It had burned itself out later in the day.

A slick of rusty brown oil extended a short distance from the rear of the ship, while a thin and broader sheen was more widespread around the vessel.

A Coast Guard cutter patrolled the area west of the ship while several other boats, with oil-collecting booms extending from their sides, were sucking up patches of oil farther from the tanker.

## Obituaries

### BOB G. SMITH

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## Hospital Notes

J.T. Carroll, Alberto Castillo, Charles Vernon Darden, Bertha Drager, Bonnie Estep, Paul Estrada, Josephina Y. Garcia, Petra Garza, Maria Guerra, Roy Guerra, Delia Ann Johnson, infant girl Johnson, Lou Ellen Johnson, Alberto Mata, J.O. Morris, Guadalupe Nieto, and Emmett Ziehr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Johnson are the parents of a daughter, Martha Leslie, born June 11, 1990.

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# Lifestyles

## Bridal shower held for Julie Ann Simons

A bridal shower was held for Julie Ann Simons Saturday, June 9, in the home of Mrs. Roger Williams. The bride-elect and Brett Jayson Clements plan to marry June 23.

Welcoming guests with the honoree were her mother, Jenna Simons; the prospective bridegroom's mother, Adelle Clements; and his grandmothers, Martha Clements and Katherine Smith, both of Friona.

Kim Williams, Kristen Cassels and Natalie Sims served refreshments of fruit bowl, miniature chicken salad cream puffs, bacon tidbits, cheese ball, banana nut bread, miniature fruit and cinnamon rolls, date supreme, fruit punch and toasted almond creme coffee.

The honoree was presented a beige and mauve floral print comforter designed with a gray and mauve floral print border from the hostesses: Sharon Hodges, Sue Sims, Tricia Sims, Gladys Merritt, Marline Watson, Joan Fuston, Karen Abney, Carolyn Clark, Jane Coplen, Lucy Rogers, Sue Powell, Irene McKinster, Evelyn Hacker, Betty Martin, June Rudd, Becky Weatherly, Shelia Thames, Mary Bartlett, Pat Scott and Judy Williams.

The Victorian style refreshment table was covered with a beige and mauve floral print cloth and was centered with Bromeliad in a silver pitcher. Further enhancing the table setting were crystal and silver appointments.



### Bride-elect honored

Julie Ann Simons, June 23 bride-elect of Brett Jayson Clements, was feted with a bridal shower June 9 in the home of Mrs. Roger Williams. Greeting guests with the honoree were, from left, hostess, Judy Williams; the bride-elect's mother, Jenna Simons; the prospective bridegroom's mother, Adelle Clements; and his grandmothers, Martha Clements and Katherine Smith, both of Friona.

### PITCH FOR A BETTER STROKE

NEW YORK (AP) - To protect your shoulder from tennis injuries, train like a baseball pitcher, says the Reebok Aerobic Information Bureau. It says researchers at the Kérlán Jobe Orthopedic Clinic in Inglewood, Calif., studied the biomechanics of the tennis stroke and found it to be remarkably similar to an overhand throw.

While few shoulder strengthening programs have been developed specifically for tennis players, the researchers concluded that the sophisticated programs developed for pitchers can also help improve your tennis game.

The sea cucumber, although it looks very much like a garden cucumber, is actually an aquatic animal.

## Learn where to dispose of used motor oil

Those of you who perform your own oil changes probably aren't sure what to do with that gallon of black, used motor oil sloshing around in your drain pan. Should you:

A. Pour it down a drain or into the sanitary sewer system?

B. Pour it over a gravel road to keep down the dust?

C. Pour it over the ground in an out-of-the-way corner of your yard?

D. Place it in a sealed container in your trash?

If you answered "yes" to any of these choices, read on.

The U.S. Department of Energy estimates that 61 percent of do-it-yourself oil changers improperly dispose of their used motor oil. Do-it-yourselfers produce about 391 million gallons of used oil a year, so almost 240 million gallons of used motor oil are dumped into our soil and water each year.

Pouring used oil into the storm sewer or sanitary sewer system is like giving it a direct pipeline to the water supply. If spread over the ground, the oil will seep into the groundwater, and eventually the water supply. The same is true of putting oil in the trash—when it is taken to the landfill, the container will break and the oil will run into the soil and water.

One quart of oil can ruin the taste of 250,000 gallons of drinking water, according to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. That same quart can produce a film two acres wide on the surface of water. It can kill plants and animals in water and cause serious damage to equipment at water treatment facilities.

On the other hand, used oil can be

collected and reprocessed for new products, such as fuel oil substitute for industrial uses. The American Petroleum Institute estimates that if all of the used motor oil generated in the U.S. could be collected and burned for electricity, it would meet the needs of 900,000 homes a year.

So what can you do with that used motor oil? The best solution is to find a used motor oil collection center in your community that will take your oil and properly dispose of it.

Valvoline Instant Oil Change, which operates more than 250 quick lube service centers, recently announced that it would accept used motor oil from do-it-yourselfers. Many service stations, independent quick lubes and retail stores that sell new motor oil will also accept used oil.

Some states and local organizations have established networks of used oil collection sites in their areas and can refer residents to the one nearest them.

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## Hall speaks at meeting

Lana Hall, Hereford High School speech teacher, recently spoke to the Hereford Toastmasters on various accomplishments of the 1990 speech team. The club will be sending Hereford speech students to camp at West Texas State in July.

Rocky Lee was presiding officer and Joe Walters served as grammarian. General Evaluator was Margaret Perez and Joe Don Cummings served as toastmaster. Larry Leon was timer and Clark Andrews introduced the word "levity."

New officers elected were Roy Shave, sergeant at arms; Perez, secretary treasurer; Jigger Rowland, educational vice president; Bruce Hernandez, administrative vice president; and Larry Leon, president.

Members present were Dr. Milton Adams, Bob Lohr, Joe Weaver, Noemi Soria, Lee, Cummings, Leon, Walters, Hernandez, Lynn Cook, Shave, Perez, and Rowland.

Guests at the meeting were Anita Perez and Hall.



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# Sports



## Tied for second

The Walcott Wildcats (top photo) and the Little Rascals tied for second place in the first through third grade division of the Hereford YMCA youth soccer league. Members of the Wildcats are (front row, from left) Michael Hall, J.R. Medina, Brent Coleman, Hannah McWhorter, (middle row, from left) Will McGowan, Aaron Hafliger, Brian Hysinger, Kristie Jack, Emilee Hafliger, Leah Turner, (back row, from left) Meredith McGowan, Melissa Meyer, Amy Perrin, Toni Eicke and Katie Jack. Not pictured is Brady Matysek. The team was coached by Lucy McGowan and John Perrin. Members of the Little Rascals are (listed alphabetically) Austin Aycock, Tessa Baker, Janet Blakely (not pictured), Libby Brockman, Chad Christie, Craig Cothrin, René Hernandez, Dustin Lewis, Jensen Rawley-Whitaker, Brian Revell, Shannon Revell and Louise Romero. Coaches are Raymond Ramos and Mary Ann Ramos.

## Thomas sparks Pistons to 112-109 win, 3-1 series lead

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) - Beating the Trail Blazers three consecutive games in Portland is tough. So is winning two consecutive NBA titles.

The Detroit Pistons can do both with one more victory.

Isiah Thomas made a championship celebration Thursday night a possibility in a building where the Pistons, until this week, hadn't won in 16 years. His 32 points led Detroit to a 112-109 victory Tuesday night.

The Blazers must make history - no team has survived a 3-1 deficit in the Finals - to stop the Pistons from becoming only the third NBA franchise to win consecutive titles.

"We're one win away, but we don't take anything for granted," Detroit's Mark Aguirre said.

"How about this?" Detroit coach Chuck Daly said. "We won two games in this building."

"The home court advantage is great," Portland's Clyde Drexler said. "The fans give you a lift emotionally, but you still have to come out and play well."

If necessary, the Pistons would be home for the sixth and seventh games.

They won Tuesday night despite Drexler's 34 points and Jerome Kersey's career playoff high 33, despite blowing a 16-point third-quarter lead and despite front court foul problems.

They had another strong backcourt performance. After outscoring

Portland's guards 75-49 Sunday, Detroit's guards held an 80-51 advantage Tuesday night. Joe Dumars, playing two days after his father's death, had 26 points and Vinnie Johnson 20.

But the Pistons' victory wasn't assured until a 3-point basket from 25 feet by Danny Young, first ruled good, was determined to have been launched after the buzzer. Replays confirmed the reversed call was correct.

"I couldn't tell," said Young, who was scoreless as part of a bench that was outscored 26-8. "I was trying to get as close to the basket as I could."

Detroit, trailing 32-22, held Portland to 14 second-quarter points and led 51-46 at intermission. The lead was 65-60 midway through the third quarter.

Then Thomas went crazy.

Starting with 5:13 left, he scored Detroit's next 16 points in a span of 2:56, making the score 81-65. Twelve of those points came on four 3-point baskets.

Foul trouble limited Thomas to just one minute in the second quarter and he had two points at halftime.

"While I was sitting on the bench watching," he said, "I saw that we had the chance to really go after them and knock some wind out of them."

"So when I got in the third quarter, I just wanted to take it to

them and take it to them, and after I made my first few shots I felt like I could make them from anywhere."

But it took the Blazers just 8:57 to wipe out that entire lead.

Their defensive trap flustered Detroit and their aggressiveness in driving to the basket drew fouls or resulted in layups.

Terry Porter's short jumper with 5:20 left climaxed a 28-11 run that put Portland ahead 93-92.

The lead changed hands for the sixth time after that when Drexler's two foul shots gave Portland a 107-106 lead with 31 seconds remaining.

Thomas' basket from the far right corner put Detroit on top 108-107 with 25 seconds to go. Then with 8.4 seconds remaining, Thomas stripped the ball from Porter from behind, was fouled by Young and made both shots.

Porter's two free throws cut the lead to one with 6.5 seconds to play, but Gerald Henderson's breakaway layup with 1.3 seconds left made the score 112-109.

Referee Mike Mathis then ruled Young's 3-pointer beat the buzzer, but the decision was changed after he consulted with partners Earl Strom and Hugh Evans.

"You can't catch the ball, take a dribble, cross over (midcourt) and shoot, all in 1.2 seconds," Detroit's Bill Laimbeer said. "That's impossible."

## Sierra's prayer answered

ARLINGTON (AP) - Nearly a year ago on a hot, muggy Texas night Ruben Sierra lost a ball in the lights at Arlington Stadium and Nolan Ryan lost a no-hitter.

Dejected, Sierra apologized and said all that he could do was pray for another chance.

He got it Monday night when he sprinted from right field to foul territory and grabbed Willie Randolph's fly on the run to end Ryan's record sixth no-hitter.

"Last year I got close a couple of times and it just didn't look like it was going to happen," said Ryan, at 43, the oldest man in the history of the game to toss a no-hitter.

When Randolph hit the 2-0 pitch Monday night, "I thought I finally had a chance," Ryan said, "if only the ball stayed out of the stands."

"Then, when I turned and looked

at Ruben, I knew we'd finally gotten it over with."

Ryan thrust his fist into the air and Sierra raced to hand him the ball. Texas players mobbed Ryan and carried him from the field.

"That's really a neat feeling," Ryan said after the game, a 5-0 victory over the defending World Champion Oakland Athletics.

It was a fitting way to cap the historic night.

It was what Ryan and baseball fans everywhere had been hoping to see since Sept. 26, 1981 - that last time Ryan had thrown a no-hitter.

And it was what Sierra had been praying for since June 25, 1989.

That's when Cleveland's Brook Jacoby lined a trademark Ryan fastball into the gap in right field with two outs in the eighth inning and

Ryan trying for that elusive sixth no-hitter.

Sierra looked to have a bead on it, but lost the sinking liner and it dropped just below his glove, bouncing softly to the wall.

"I lost it in the lights," he told his teammates in the dugout. "I feel bad," he told reporters in the locker room. And, "I'm sorry," he told Ryan.

"Nonsense," Ryan retorted. "He would have had to make a sensational catch to come up with that. Pure nonsense."

It was one of four times last year that Ryan took no-hit bids into the eighth inning only to come up empty handed.

"I just hope I can get another chance," Sierra said that night. "Maybe one day I can make it up to him."



## Strange goes for 3rd Open

MEDINAH, Ill. (AP) - The odds against Curtis Strange winning a third consecutive U.S. Open title this week may not be as long as they seem.

"I really think I have a shot at it," Strange said Tuesday after a practice round for the tournament that begins Thursday at the Medinah Country Club.

So do some of his principal opponents in the 156-man field.

"If he's won two, he can win three," said British Open title-holder Mark Calcavecchia. "There's no reason he can't win again."

"Sure, he's under a lot of pressure. But Curtis handles pressure as well as anybody in the game."

"Curtis has a real chance to do (See US OPEN, Page 5)

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# Rangers rally in SF continues hot streak 9th against A's for another win

**By BEN WALKER**  
AP Baseball Writer

Someday, Dennis Eckersley was bound to walk someone. And some time, he was destined to blow a save. So maybe it's no coincidence that both things happened at once.

Eckersley's first walk in 52 innings since last August set up Ruben Sierra's two-out, two-run double, capping a four-run rally in the top of the ninth inning that led the Texas Rangers over the Oakland Athletics 6-5 Tuesday.

Eckersley had been perfect in 21 save opportunities when he relieved to start the ninth with a 5-2 lead. But an error helped get Texas going and a walk to Julio Franco set up Sierra's hit on a 3-2 pitch.

Eckersley, who walked only three batters all last season, was upset with blowing the save chance. He was even more bothered by what he perceived as the Rangers' slowdown technique.

"The whole inning was irritating," Eckersley said. "What is this timeout stuff. ... Definitely they were trying to get to me. But what's a guy to do? If you call them on it, it will take another 15 minutes."

In other games, California beat Kansas City 3-0, Seattle stopped Chicago 5-2, Toronto topped Minnesota 5-4, Baltimore beat Milwaukee 4-3 in 10 innings, New York downed Boston 5-4 and Cleveland defeated Detroit 7-3.

An error by shortstop Walt Weiss on Kevin Reimer's one-out grounder started Texas' rally in the ninth. With two outs, Gary Pettis hit an RBI double and scored on a single by Rafael Palmeiro that pulled the Rangers to 5-4.

Pinch runner Cecil Espy stole second, Franco walked and Sierra, after stepping out of the batter's box several times as Eckersley prepared to pitch, doubled off the wall in right field.

"Sierra was one thing, but it was Franco in particular," Eckersley said. "He was ridiculous. Pettis took forever and Bobby Valentine had to make his 12th appearance of the game."

Valentine, the Rangers manager, strolled to second base to talk to two umpires during the comeback.

"We weren't trying to disrupt anybody," Valentine said.

Eckersley (2-1) took the loss and reliever Brad Arnsberg (1-0) was the winner.

**Orioles 4, Brewers 3**  
Cal Ripken played his 1,308th

straight game and moved past Everett Scott into second place on the all-time list, behind only Lou Gehrig's 2,130. Ripken went 0-for-4 and is batting .213.

Mickey Tettleton hit a solo home run with two outs in the ninth inning off Milwaukee relief ace Dan Plesac to tie it. Randy Milligan led off the 10th with his 10th homer against Plesac (0-3).

Gregg Olson (3-0) got the final out.

**Angels 3, Royals 0**  
Chuck Finley outdueled Bret Saberhagen for the second time in six days and Dave Winfield doubled and singled twice.

Finley (9-4) scattered seven hits in eight innings, striking out six and walking two. Bryan Harvey got his seventh save.

Saberhagen (5-5) allowed 10 hits in 7 1/3 innings.

**Yankees 5, Red Sox 4**  
Stump Merrill won in his managerial debut at Yankee Stadium as pinch-hitter Steve Balboni singled home the tiebreaking run in the eighth inning and Dave Righetti got his 200th save.

Roberto Kelly led off the eighth with a single for his third hit and stole second. Kelly moved to third on Don Mattingly's one-out fly ball and scored when Balboni singled off Rob Murphy (0-4).

Lee Guetterman (3-2) got the victory.

**Mariners 5, White Sox 2**  
Randy Johnson won his third straight start and Jay Buhner hit his fifth home run of the season, all this month.

Johnson (6-3) gave up two runs on three hits in 6 2/3 innings.

Mike Schooler pitched one inning for his 15th save. Adam Peterson (0-1) was the loser.

**Indians 7, Tigers 3**  
Chris James hit a three-run homer and Sandy Alomar had three hits.

Bud Black (5-3) gave up eight hits in his second complete game and Brian DuBois (3-4) took the loss.

James' fourth home run of the season capped a four-run third inning.

**Blue Jays 5, Twins 4**  
In Minnesota, second baseman Fred Manrique's three-base error helped Toronto rally for two runs in the seventh inning.

Mookie Wilson singled with one out in the Toronto seventh and Junior Felix followed with a grounder that rolled past Manrique and went to the wall. Wilson scored on the play and Tony Fernandez followed with a sacrifice fly for a 4-3 lead.

**By DICK BRINSTER**  
AP Sports Writer

Whatever became of the June swoon through which the San Francisco Giants fell to infamy? Only 12 times in 32 previous seasons have the Giants posted a winning record in the season's third month. This year, it would seem, they can't miss.

At 10-1 this month, the defending National League champions are the hottest team in baseball. That's a dramatic turnaround from a dreadful start which relegated them to last place in the NL West, 14 1/2 games behind Cincinnati as late as May 29.

The Giants moved into third place Tuesday night as Will Clark led a 7-2 victory over San Diego. After Atlanta's 8-3 and 3-2 victories over Cincinnati, the Giants find themselves only 7 1/2 games out.

Clark, who had three hits in the victory, figures the bad start was of some benefit to the Giants.

"It is a positive to go through it early in the season," Clark said of the Giants' problems. "That way you can get on to playing better baseball towards the end of the season."

"That's what's happening now. It seems like once the tables turned, it seems like we came out of it with a vengeance."

Despite their run, the Giants are not overconfident about overtaking the Reds.

"Right now I don't think we want to think about it," MVP Kevin Mitchell said.

With 13 hits against the Padres, the Giants reached double figures for the eighth time in 11 games this month. They've scored 87 runs in June while batting .334 (143-for-428).

The raw numbers mean little to Manager Roger Craig, however. He's interested only in the bottom line.

"The most important thing is to gain ground," Craig said.

Elsewhere, it was New York 19, Chicago 8; Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 3; Houston 5, Los Angeles 4; and Philadelphia 7, Montreal 2.

The Giants got a victory and RBI single from Don Robinson (2-0), who allowed five hits over six innings.

The Giants, who battered Dennis Rasmussen (6-3) for 12 hits in seven innings, got solo homers from Rich Parker and Gary Carter. Benito Santiago homered for San Diego.

**Braves 8, Reds 3**  
**Braves 3, Reds 2**

Greg Olson hit a grand slam and Ron Gant had two doubles, a triple and a homer.

Olson's fifth homer was the big blow in a five-run inning.

Gant had a pair of doubles in the opener and led the way in the nightcap with an RBI triple in the first inning and a solo homer, his 10th, in the third off Jose Rijo (4-2).

Tommy Greene (1-0) got his second major league victory by allowing three hits - including Ken Griffey's solo homer - in five-plus innings in the nightcap.

**Mets 19, Cubs 8**

Kevin McReynolds hit two homers and Dave Magadan doubled his season RBI total by driving in six runs.

Magadan, who entered the game with six RBIs in 75 at-bats, went 4-for-4 as the teams combined for 37 hits. McReynolds, who had four RBIs, hit his ninth and 10th homers as the Mets took a 10-1 lead with the wind blowing out at 25 mph.

Dwight Gooden (4-5) won his first game since May 21.

**Pirates 6, Cardinals 3**

Neal Heaton joined New York's Frank Viola as the league's only nine-game winners and Bobby Bonilla had two RBI doubles.

Heaton (9-1) gave up seven hits in seven innings.

Todd Zeile had a two-run homer for St. Louis.

**Astros 5, Dodgers 4**

Franklin Stubbs' two-run homer highlighted a five-run first inning.

Bill Doran went 4-for-4, is 7-for-8 in two nights and has reached base in eight of his last nine trips. Mike Maddux (0-1) lasted one-third of an inning.

Glenn Wilson homered and threw out Kirk Gibson to cut short a Dodger rally.

**Phillies 7, Expos 2**

Ken Howell won his sixth straight decision and Dave Hollins hit a three-run homer in the second inning.

Howell (8-3) allowed seven hits, struck out three and walked three in eight innings. Zane Smith (3-4) took the loss.

Sil Campusano and Tom Herr added two-run homers for the Phillies.

# Belgium tops So. Korea

ROME (AP) - It has taken Enzo Scifo four years and 90 minutes to redeem himself.

Scifo was the budding star of the Belgian soccer team in 1986, when Belgium went to the semifinals of the World Cup. He was expected to become the leader of the country's movement toward the top of European soccer.

Instead, he stagnated, plagued by bad decisions that took him to the Italian League before he was ready, and by criticism at home that he was too inconsistent to amount to anything special.

Scifo was very special Tuesday, inspiring the Belgian attack in a 2-0 victory over South Korea. Clearly he was the best player on the field, and he set up the first goal. Arguably, his performance was the best of the tournament's first week.

"Most players take a whole career to go through what I have already been through," the 24-year-old midfielder said. "I feel like I am 30."

"I feel I am ready to play a leading role on the team. I am ready to take the responsibility."

While Scifo was asserting himself, Dutch stars Marco van Basten, Ruud Gullit and Frank Rijkaard struggled against Egypt, which rallied for a 1-1 tie with the European champions. That continued the trend of early-round surprises and strengthened

Africa's claim that it should have more than two berths in the world soccer championship.

Cameron made an even bolder statement for greater African representation in the opener last Friday night, shocking defending champion Argentina 1-0.

"We certainly deserved this draw," Egypt coach Mahmoud el-Gohary said. "This was an all-around team performance, not one by an individual. We have worked hard."

"I think you can see the emergence of top-class football in the Third World. We have 140 players abroad and performing at a good level. It augurs well for the future of football in Africa, as this tournament is proving."

The American team, trying to put a 5-1 rout at the hands of Czechoslovakia behind it and preparing for Thursday's game against powerful Italy, is one of the few outsiders to fail in the first round.

"It's out there for us," U.S. goalie Tony Meola said. "It's out there for us to shock the world. It's just a matter of us going out and doing it."

A victory by the United States at Olympic Stadium would be as unlikely as the American team's 1-0 win over England in 1950. But upsets do happen, even monumental ones, and this has been a tournament of strange outcomes.

"They're at home. They need to come at us," said Paul Caligiuri, who scored the Americans' goal on Sunday. "They're looking for a victory, and also their fans are probably expecting a lot of goals. They probably want more than five goals to be better than Czechoslovakia."

Scifo was better than anyone Tuesday with his creative rushes, sharp passes and threatening kicks. He was the sparkplug.

"I could do it for the national team," he said.

Some of the veteran players who hadn't been fond of Scifo in the past have changed their opinions of him.

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it," said his close friend Greg Norman. "He has a lot weighing on him, but Curtis is equal to it."

"If I can't stop him, I hope he goes ahead and does it. It would be good for the game."

But history disagrees with Strange, Calcavecchia and Norman. History says his chances are remote.

Only one man has ever won three consecutive U.S. Opens: Willie Anderson in 1903-05. No one has even had a shot at it since Ben Hogan scored successive victories in 1950-51.

Strange, 35, gave himself the opportunity to stroll into history with his victories in Brookline, Mass., (a playoff over Nick Faldo) in 1988 and in Rochester, N.Y., last year.

The triumph at Oak Hill, however, is the only one he's gained in the last 18 months. And this is from a man who won 10 tournaments and three money-winning titles in the preceding four seasons.

For the last three months, his focus has been on this tournament.

"I've thought about it for 12 months. Every idle moment I've thought of Medinah. I've practiced for it for three months. Now it's here."

"I think I'm ready for it. I'm ready to get on with it."

He faces a field of 156 of the world's finest players and a golf course that is, arguably, the toughest of all the Open courses.

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"It will probably be the toughest Open since 1975. And that's the last time it was played here," Strange said.

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# McLain Garden Center result of second career for couple here

After feedyard merger, McLains built their 'mountain cabin' in Hereford and turned it into a nursery

By ORVILLE HOWARD  
Special Feature Writer

Ken McLain built his mountain cabin on the flatlands of Texas—on the west edge of Hereford about halfway between the Rockies and the Ozarks.

And when the rustic structure was completed, he wrapped the perimeters in pines, lined the vaulted beams with Nature's green and called it the McLain Garden Center.

"I had always wanted a mountain cabin but had never been able to afford the luxury of having one just for the weekends and holidays," said McLain. "So, I built my mountain cabin here in Hereford and turned it into garden center."

But McLain's garden center is much more than just another retail outlet—it's like taking a deep breath of spring to walk among the hanging foliage blended with natural timbers...rows of deep-green meticulously arranged for the most critical gardener.

And the farther you walk the deeper you're entwined in the rich beauty of Nature—hanging florals, potted plants, bedding plants, cactus and colorful foliage plants reflecting nearly every color of the rainbow. And trully, when nursery attendants sprinkle the rows of new life, miniature rainbows arc from plant to plant as the natural sunlight beams from ceiling domes. There's nothing plastic at McLains except the containers. And if Ken and Marcella McLain had their way, these, too, would be of organic origin.

Keep moving, but not too fast. McLain display aisles are not the kind one finds in the giant supermarkets. Instead of millions of plants half dead from neglect, the McLain plant and tree inventory is a selection of the finest plants that can be grown by mankind—from the hanging ornamentals to the rugged Live Oaks direct from the Texas Hill Country. And the McLains they believe in what they sell. Every tree, no matter how large or how small, is guaranteed to live if planting instructions are followed...or if they handle the planting and early growing period themselves.

Pinpointed on the west edge of Hereford where Park Avenue blends into Harrison Highway, the McLain Garden Center is a year-around outlet for most nursery stock and landscaping plant life, form a score of grasses to about every variety of shade and ornamental trees adaptable to the Plains of Texas. An assortment of walkway and surface materials area also a part of the McLain landscaping inventories...crushed white rock and various colors of volcanic rock.

But it's the delicate plants of the patio that gets the tender touch of Lucy Villarreal or Mary Bell or Kari Malamen. These plant caretakers-and sometimes salespersons—routinely check individual plants for anything out of the ordinary...a wilted leaf or a suspicious speck. Not a single root or leaf goes hungry or gets thirsty at McLains—not unnecessarily pampered, but nurtured for the finest growth possible. And this responsible management is reflected in the rich greenness of foliage and deep colors of flowers found in this mountain cabin niche out on Park Avenue.

Ken and Marcella McLain didn't stumble into an inheritance or unexpected windfall that led to the mountain cabin scene. They worked for it every inch of the way form a

## HUSTLE HEREFORD

Midwest stock farm in Nebraska to the flatlands of Texas.

"We started this nursery in October of 1982 as sort of a second career," said McLain, as he recalled the events that led to the garden center. "This became a new way of life, you might say rather late in life, for both of us, but it was a good move...the Hereford nursery business has been good to us."

The McLains were born and reared near the small Nebraska town of York about 60 miles west of Lincoln in the eastern half of the state. And in this Midwestern farming atmosphere of family farms and farm feedlots, the McLains met, married and started a family, just as their ancestors had done before. Ken and Marcella, however, went a step further to develop additional irrigation and expanded cattle feeding operations to a 1,200-head unit.

But the headlines of the media telling about the boom days of Hereford in the 1960s enticed even the strongest, such as the McLains whose family roots ran deep in Nebraska. And one day a farm sale was staged out near York and the McLains and their two sons moved to Texas.

"It's kinda hard to explain but we had gotten to the point that we felt hemmed in even though we both had been born and reared around York," recalled McLain. "It seemed like our whole world began and ended with the farm fence line, and we decided there was more to life than that...so we followed the cattle boom to the Texas Panhandle."

McLain told even the Midwestern newspapers and magazines carried stories of the big cattle feeding developments around Hereford.

"We had just experienced some pretty tough winters and the big feedlots were a big attraction to me," said McLain. "So, we sold the farm and came to Hereford."

The Nebraska cattle feeder arrived just as the Southwestern Feedyard, 5 miles northeast of Hereford, was moving under construction in 1969. He joined the investor group and for the next 12 years became a key person in management of Southwest Feedyard, handling the feeding end of the business.

Just as most of the larger commercial feeding units of the Great Plains, Southwest experienced profitable years in the early 1970s, but then reeled under the market crash of 1973-74, but managed to hold together, lock, stock and barrel. During the years McLain was connected with Southwest, Marcella worked as a dental assistant in Hereford. And then came the years of the feedyard mergers of the 1980s. As result of a merger arrangement, McLain was looking for a new cattle feeding job in 1981.

"We really had a great set of stockholders who started Southwest Feedyards," said McLain, as he recalled each one by their first names. "It's kinda fun to remember

how we started...5,000 head of cattle and no feedmill."

McLain told how in the beginning Southwest hauled its feedstuff with a couple of new trucks. "When I wasn't feeding cattle I was in a truck hauling feed from Cattle Town or from an old feedmill here in Hereford by the name of Hertz. By the end of the year, we had our mill completed and of course were getting in more cattle. We didn't have many stockholders, but we sure had a few good ones."

"Over the 12 years, we developed a real fine operation and dealt with a lot of wonderful people during those years."

When Southwest merged with another corporation that brought in new personnel, McLain was faced with the decision of remaining in the cattle feeding business or seeking a new role in life.

"I really loved the cattle feeding business and loved the people in it, but here I was without a job late in life so I was taking my time in looking around," said McLain. "There were jobs available to me away from Hereford, but 1981 wasn't the time to try to sell a home in Hereford and make a move—beside, we loved the town."

At this point in time, one of the McLains' sons, Melton, and his wife, Linda, had established a wholesale nursery operation near Albuquerque, N.M., where they grew nursery stock for retail outlets throughout most of the state. And on an occasion when McLain was helping his son distribute stock, the thought occurred to him that a nursery might work in Hereford.

"We began to explore the idea more and more, but having never been in the nursery business, we had a lot of research to do," said McLain. "For several weeks, we read books and asked questions...about all we did was listen. Then one day we made a decision to go for it."

The McLains bought a tract of land out on West Park Avenue and then came the idea of the mountain cabin concept: "Since I had always wanted a mountain cabin, I decided that would make an ideal setting for a garden center. So, I sketched out the plans and hired an architect to draw up the blueprints." The entire building, boasting an open cathedral ceiling of massive beams, is built almost entirely of rough-hewn wood.

In an effort to have a family business, Mrs. McLain gave up her job in the dental profession to join her husband in the nursery and garden business. McLain gave much credit for his store adequate inventory to dependable field reps of various wholesale supply companies.

"When we first started out the thing that worried us most was being competitive with the big retail chains," said McLain. "We knew we couldn't match prices with our limited purchasing power so we decided from the start to offer the very best products available and go

for service and quality rather than quantity."

Looking back over the past eight years of growth, McLain said they made the right move: "Next to quality, service is the best thing to offer in the nursery business." And so it is at McLains, to the point that much of their time is spent on the consulting end of the business.

"I guess if we charvered for consulting work, as do many of the professionals, we'd get rich," said Mrs. McLain, with a knowing grin. "But that is part of our service work. Folks call us all hours of the day and night and frequently stop us on the street for questions about plants and trees."

McLain pointed out that a plant or tree can recover from an injury or an illness with proper care and can handle much stress—"But plants are a whole lot like people, most of them don't die in day...they die over a long period of time. But with proper care, the longevity of trees may be greatly extended."

The McLains started the business with a garden store inventory, then little by little expanded into the tree sales which eventually developed into a complete landscaping service of McLain Garden Center.

"Our actions here are the result of what the customers told us they wanted," he added. "Due to our landscaping service, most of our trees are larger than what you'd find at a mass-merchandising store."

Most of their large shade trees are from 5 to 7 years old, bagged-root trees that can be planted throughout the year. But the McLains halt tree planting during July and August due to the stressful times of heat in the Texas Panhandle.

"When folks see the need for shade during the hot months of July and August, they frequently come in to buy their trees. But when they do, we put them off until cooler weather," said McLain.

According to the McLains, the ideal planting time for trees in the Hereford area is from February to mid-June and during the fall months. The McLains prefer fall planting of trees over spring planting due to cool temperatures that lie ahead of the planting.

As far as popularity is concerned, McLain said Hereford homeowners have many preferences when it comes to trees: "For those who want shade tomorrow, it's generally the cottonwoods, willows or Sugar Maple. But we call the Red Oaks the Cadillacs of the tree lines." The McLains get some of their oaks out of the Texas Hill country south of Abilene, while another line is a nursery developed tree that has a little faster growth than the natives of Texas. Though there is a lot of Live Oaks and Red Oaks growing very well in the Panhandle, they apparently don't attain the growth as those in South Texas. On the evergreen side of the fence, the Austrian Pine is one of the favorites of Panhandle gardeners, along with the faster growing Mondell Pines. The native New Mexican Pinon trees are also popular among Hereford-area customers, while some of the favorite Juniper varieties will reach great heights with age.

The McLain Garden Center offers about everything a homeowner needs to maintain a garden or lawn. And on the business side of the business, McLain handles complete plant landscaping service for a number of Hereford's professional and retail business outlets.

"We offer a special arrangement where we sell the business firms their plants and then we take care of the plants on a routine schedule," said Mrs. McLain. "This has worked out real well for a number of our Hereford business customers."

McLain's offer landscape rock



Marcella, Ken McLain

by the bag or in the bulk, along with a complete line of commercial fertilizers and insecticides. Dozens of unique garden and home decorations can also be found on the display shelves at McLains, along with a complete selection of bedding plants during spring planting season. Though most bedding plants grow and produce very well in the fall, few Panhandle gardeners maintain a fall run on gardening.

Frequently, tree lovers turn to the Pecan for its stately appearance in a landscaping scheme, but the more popular shade trees of the day-to-day customers are the Red Bud, Washington Hawthorne, Silver Maple, Crab Apple, Weeping Willow, Globe Willow, various varieties of the Ash, Honey Locust, Sweet Gum, Red and Live Oaks and the Purple Leaf Plum. The non-fruiting Bradford Pear is also a favorite among the landscapers, due to its conical shape and stately appearance. Though fruit trees are handled in season, the McLains big business is in the shade and ornamental varieties.

Christmas trees sales fill a winter

gap between fall and spring plantings. All varieties of plant bulbs are also offered in season, along with most varieties of the plant annuals and perennials. Nearly all of McLain's greenhouse plants are produced by the son's operation at Albuquerque. The McLains' other son, Richard, is in the insurance business at Clovis, N.M.

Though the McLains are not in the cut-flower business, they offer free delivery of plants to homes, businesses and hospitals.

"This service has become a very rewarding part of our business," said Mrs. McLain, who frequently sees the lame and shut-ins during the course of a day's work.

Though the McLains developed a new business lifestyle late in life, the work is about as demanding as the Nebraska farm in younger years...hard work and long hours: "It really turned our social life to shambles, but we have enjoyed the nursery work very much...we're so very glad that we decided to move to Hereford."



Lucy Villarreal working with plants



Kari Malamen, Mary Bell provide tender touch



Garden Center located on West Park Avenue

TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY

## Who to contact on worker's comp

Dear Commissioner Nabers, Is there a counterpart to your position with the TEC on the new Worker's Compensation Commission? I would like to know who to contact for information about Worker's Comp claims.

T.M.  
Lufkin, Tx.

Dear T.M., There are three EMPLOYER ADVOCATES on the WCC; Jack Garey, Joe Hanson, and Mark Dewey.

LABOR ADVOCATES on the WCC are Ramon Class, Edward K. Hayse Jr., and O.D. Kenemore.

All advocates can be reached at: Texas Worker's Compensation Commission  
200 E. Riverside Drive, 1st Floor  
Austin, Tx. 78704  
(512) 448-7900

Dear Commissioner Nabers, Two of my employees were recently arrested after being stopped by a policeman for a traffic violation. It turns out that one had an arrest warrant for outstanding traffic tickets; the other one had an arrest warrant for burglary! Is there any way I can obtain information about a person's arrest record prior to hiring him?

L.S.  
Waco, Tx.

Dear L.S., The Records Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety is the central repository for criminal arrest and conviction records in Texas. They advise that it is a federal offense for them to give out information concerning a person's criminal record to anyone except public safety officials, school districts, and those licensing and regulatory agencies which have specific statutory authority to receive such information. Of course all arrests and convictions are a matter of public record at the time and in the local area in which they occur and are published in local newspapers, but that

COMMISSIONER  
**Mary Scott Nabers**



is not really very useful for pre-employment purposes. Local police or sheriff's departments may, at their discretion, give information on local arrests, but they are not supposed to divulge the existence of arrests or convictions from another area.

Employers can inquire into an applicant's conviction record on the job application form. Questions concerning arrests are less advisable since a person is presumed innocent until proven guilty. Motor Vehicle Reports can also be required of applicants prior to hire but it would be hard to justify such a requirement except for drivers. Employers must be careful to limit inquiries to areas which are relevant to the individual's ability to do the job.

Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers represents all Texas employers. If you have any questions you want answered, please write Commissioner Nabers at: TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY, 614 TEC Building, 15th and Congress, Austin, Tx., 78778.

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## FHA mortgage insurance program could be another S&L debacle

NEW YORK (AP) - One reason why the government's mortgage insurance program could go broke is that in some respects it has been skewed to reward those who don't need it and deny those who do.

It is just one of many defects in the nation's public housing program, many of which developed during the tenure of Samuel Pierce Jr., the former Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

It is also another chapter in a big book, of how another well-intended government program, one that theoretically could make

home-ownership more possible for the poor, becomes twisted in the practical application.

That twist has helped produce some incredible losses in the single-family home-mortgage program. The Federal Housing Administration's single-family mortgage programs, for example, lost more than \$1 billion in 1988.

Critics, to be found everywhere in Congress, in the FHA itself, among lenders and among neighborhood action groups - fear that by the end of the decade the government insurance program could become another S&L debacle.

That financial disaster, for those

who need reminding, could cost American taxpayers as much as a half-trillion dollars, and some blame for it can be attributed to poor government supervision and regulation.

The FHA mortgage insurance program, like government guarantees on deposits in now insolvent savings and loan associations, is also victimized by some lax regulation, bad loans and favoritism toward certain borrowers.

Designed with middle-income and low-income homebuyers in mind, it has in some instances become a financing tool for yuppies who, it often turns out, may be poorer risks

than the poor. That, at least, is what the figures show.

"Providing 100 percent insurance on loans to yuppies in speculative housing markets is a sure-fire recipe for a new federal bailout, this time of the FHA," says Gale Cincotta, chairman of National People's Action.

To Cincotta, an authority on community reinvestment and housing - she was appointed by HUD Secretary Jack Kemp to a commission on affordable housing - this is but one of many distortions of the Federal Housing Administration program, but a very significant one.

Why should 100 percent government-insured loans be going to yuppies with good incomes, and who have the option of obtaining a variety of other loans, rather than to the more needy, who have little or no other choice?

That, however, is the situation, and that situation has still another dimension: The bigger loans, such as those that Cincotta says go to the yuppies, often have the highest foreclosure rate.

She refers to studies, one by the Mortgage Insurance Companies of America in 1989 and another just completed by the United Guaranty Residential Insurance Corp., that demonstrate this correlation on privately insured mortgages.

She maintains that much the same pattern applies to FHA loans, that is, the larger they are the stronger becomes the correlation with foreclosure. And the reverse: The smaller the loan, the smaller the foreclosure ratio.

But why should FHA-insured loans go to the more rather than less affluent? Because, she says, while the federal government might lose on them, the lenders and brokers who originate the loans find them more profitable.

Many mortgage companies imposed minimum loan amounts on FHA loans, even in violation of the law. They do it simply by refusing to make loans under \$25,000 and by adding on points to loans under a certain amount, such as \$40,000.

The reason why is understandable if not defensible: Every origination fee a mortgage banker receives is a percentage of the size of the loan. The larger the loan, the bigger the fee.

## Group health insurance policies provide continuation/conversion

Loss of group health insurance can be a devastating side-effect of unemployment, divorce or the death of a breadwinner.

Both state and federal law, however, offer an opportunity to continue coverage when health benefits are no longer available through an employer.

### State Law:

Let's examine, first, your rights under Texas state law.

If you lose your job except termination for gross misconduct, group health policies sold by insurance companies must offer you one of two choices. They must offer you (1) continuation of existing group coverage for six months, or (2) conversion to an individual policy or "group conversion" policy.

Because the choice is the insurance company's, continuation of group insurance coverage is rarely offered. The most common option is conversion to an individual policy.

Although these "conversion" policies may not be equal to your employer-sponsored group insurance, you can't be turned down for coverage, regardless of your health.

To qualify, you must have

been continuously insured under the group policy for at least three months. You must submit your application and first month's premium within 31 days after your employer-sponsored coverage ends.

When you receive the new policy, read it carefully. If you have questions about the benefits, call the insurance company.

Continuation of coverage under the group policy also is required for dependents, for a period of up to three years, upon divorce from or retirement or death of the group member. Dependents must have been a member of the group for one year or be an infant less than one year of age.

Premiums will be the same as for other spouses and dependents under the group policy plus a \$5 per month administrative charge. Consult your insurance certificate or group plan booklet for the procedure you must follow. Continuation could terminate before the end of three years if you become eligible for similar health insurance coverage.

Other questions, concerns or complaints may be addressed to:

State Board of Insurance  
ATTN: Complaints (016-5)  
P. O. Box 149091  
Austin, TX 78714-9091

### Federal Law:

If your employer has at least 20 employees and provides group health benefits, a federal law called "COBRA" gives former employees and dependents the right to continuation of group insurance.

COBRA is so named because the insurance continuation law was written as a provision of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) of 1985.

People who stay in a group health insurance plan under COBRA must pay the full premium, plus two percent for administrative expenses.

Further information about COBRA may be obtained from:

Office of Program Services,  
Pension and Welfare Benefits  
Administration  
U.S. Department of Labor  
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20210  
(Telephone: (202)523-8784 or 202/523-8776)

### Family Reading Challenge 1990

## Boys and Girls . . .

Rex and Rita Saurus challenge you and your family to sign on for The Family Reading Challenge 1990.

How does it work? Read at least two books, two magazine articles and two newspaper articles between June 8 and Sept. 8 and discuss what you have read with a parent, guardian or other adult.

All participants ages 5-12 who successfully complete the challenge will qualify for a nationwide drawing for thousands of awards, including prizes such as bicycles, computers, family trips, cassette tapes, hamburgers and encyclopedias. Look for an official entry form in this newspaper. It will be printed several times during the summer.

The Family Reading Challenge 1990 begins on June 8 with the first-ever National Read Aloud. Parents, kids and famous people will read aloud in their homes and schools and on television and radio all across the country.



The program ends on Sept. 8 when millions of families across the United States and Canada will have the opportunity to show that they met the Challenge by taping their newspaper's front page in a window of their home.

Watch these pages for some enjoyable summer reading activities that will help you and your family read and use the newspaper together.

And just who are Rex and Rita Saurus? They are the famous "dinosaur" twins who have been encouraging children to read for the past two summers. Rex and Rita firmly believe that "Winners Read and Readers Win."

### Family Reading Challenge 1990

## Know Your Library

Visit your local library with a parent or other adult today. If you haven't already chosen your books and magazine articles for the Family Reading Challenge 1990, browsing at the library can help you decide.

While you are there, play detective! Try to locate the items or services listed below, and put a check mark beside each one that you find. Hint: You can make this a race if you are with a brother or sister or friend!

- A librarian
- A microfiche reader
- A copying machine
- A children's section
- A computer
- A drinking fountain
- Encyclopedias
- Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature
- This newspaper
- Highlights for Children (a magazine)
- Records or cassette tapes that can be checked out
- A card catalog
- Books in large print
- Adult mysteries
- Youth mysteries
- A book about horses
- A collection of Garfield cartoons

How many of the above could you find?



# Abundant Life

**CHOOSE HAPPINESS**  
By BOB WEAR

There is widespread indication of 'unhappiness' in many lives. If this is, as it appears to be, it is because these people never seem to know when they have enough; or when they do enough; or when they have done their best. In one way or another, they do not seem to be thankful for what they do have; or pleased with what they do. They may get more, they may do more and they may continue pushing themselves; but personal happiness seems to remain elusive.

For these people, personal happiness will not be found in getting more, or in doing more, or in going more. They may honestly need something, but they could be happy even while they legitimately try to fill their need. If, however, the desire for more is nothing but greed; there can be no happiness. There can be no happiness, because there will never be enough. These people may do more and they may go more, but the doing and the going for them become nothing more than escapism, and so unhappiness continues.

There is, of course, a life situation in which unhappiness may be justified. It is a situation in which the need for more is a legitimate need, and not an artificial one of greed. In some instances, however, the people involved will be relatively happy in their thankfulness for what they do have. Undoubtedly, there is some

merit in the observation that 'happiness' is a state of mind, that it is within us and is not in things or in our possession of things. It is not in where we are, or in what we do; even when there is a bona fide need and desire for change. True happiness is not a static inactive condition; but is

positive, and progressive, and filled with the life elements of wholesome and continuing improvement.

To a great extent, we have a choice between being happy or unhappy; so we can choose to be happy. This seems to be the wise choice.

## Social Security

Social Security does not discriminate on the basis of sex.

Given the same circumstances, the same benefits are available whether you are a husband or wife, a widow or a widower, a mother or a father. This column, however, is directed to women because lifetime work and earning patterns mean many more women than men will receive at least part of their benefits based on the earnings record of a spouse or deceased spouse.

Wives or widows of retired, disabled or deceased workers can receive maternal benefits at any age if caring for children under age 16 or for adult disabled children. Dependent or surviving children receive benefits until they reach age 18-age 19 if still in high school-or for life if disabled before age 22.

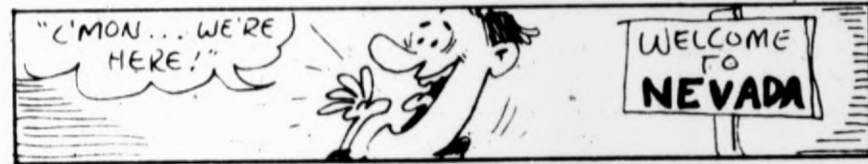
Wives can receive full spouse benefits at age 65 or reduced spouse benefits at age 62 if the husband has retired or is receiving disability

insurance benefits. Women of retirement age who are divorced after 10 or more years of marriage and still unmarried are eligible for divorced spouse benefits at age 62 if the former husband is eligible to retire even if he has not left the work force. Divorced widows who remarry after age 60 remain eligible for widow benefits, but, with only very limited exceptions, divorced spouses who remarry forfeit benefits regardless of the age of remarriage.

Wives or widows who are eligible for their own Social Security benefits can retire at age 62, but, again, benefits are reduced if benefits are received before full retirement age. (Full retirement age for all benefit categories will rise gradually from 65 to 67, but no one born before 1938 is affected.)

Personal eligibility for Social Security permits a wife to retire early on her own work record even if her husband has not yet retired or is not yet old enough to retire.

For more information about Social Security and Medicare, write the National Committee, 2000 K St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.



In the ten years between 1970 and 1980 the state with largest percentage gain in population was Nevada, with 62.8 percent.

# Television

## WEDNESDAY

- 6:00** **News**  
**MacNeil Lehrer NewsHour** **MOVIE: The Joker Is Wild** \*\*\* The life of the beloved nightclub wit and comedian Joe E. Lewis is portrayed, from his start as a singer in speakeasies and burlesque. *Frank Sinatra, Jeanne Crain (1957)*  
**Abbott And Costello**  
**Night Court**  
**SportsCenter**  
**Webster**  
**Dennis The Menace**  
**Miami Vice** A judge with heavy gambling debts tries to persuade his college all-star son to throw a game. *Don Johnson, Philip Michael Thomas*  
**Music Row Video**  
**Rendezvous**  
**New Wilderness** The osprey of Florida Bay constantly battle hunger.  
**Spenser: For Hire**  
**James Robison**  
**Amanda Sabater** Novela de Venezuela. *Mani Carmen Regueiro, Flavio Caballero*
- 6:05** **Jeffersons What Makes Sammy Run**
- 6:30** **Danger Bay** Doc Roberts, the troubleshooting veterinarian, and his family live an adventurous life in the beauty of Canada.  
**Cosby Show**  
**Wheel Of Fortune**  
**Night Court**  
**Home Run Derby** Henry Aaron vs Ken Boyer (T)  
**Mr. Belvedere**  
**Looney Tunes (HBO)** **MOVIE: Saturday The 14th Strikes Back** \*  
**World Monitor**  
**World Of Survival** John Forsythe encounters warring crabs on the seemingly carefree beaches of Bermuda.  
**Morris Cerullo**  
**Rubi Novela** de Venezuela.
- 6:35** **Sanford And Son** Fred's Cheating Heart
- 7:00** **MOVIE: King Kong** \*\*\*\* While on a mysterious island, a group of filmmakers find a gigantic ape and brings him back to New York, where he escapes and wreaks havoc. *Fay Wray, Bruce Cabot (1933)*  
**Unsolved Mysteries** Profiles an Oklahoma boy's search for his grandfather. A near-fatal attack on a Connecticut woman; A deaf woman tries to find her natural father. (R)  
**Survival Specials** From the wood-

## THURSDAY

- 6:00** **News**  
**MacNeil Lehrer NewsHour**  
**MOVIE: Dick Tracy, Detective** \*\*\* Dick Tracy trails a killer who leaves a trail of corpses. *Morgan Conway, Anne Jeffreys (1945)*  
**Abbott And Costello**  
**Night Court**  
**SportsCenter**  
**Webster (Pt 1)**  
**Dennis The Menace**  
**Miami Vice** Crockett almost loses control, trying to figure out who's shadowing him, always asking the same question. *Don Johnson, Frank Zappa*  
**Music Row Video**  
**Rendezvous**  
**New Wilderness** The bad-tempered Northern elephant seal roars back from extinction.  
**Spenser: For Hire**  
**James Robison**  
**Amanda Sabater** Novela de Venezuela. *Mani Carmen Regueiro, Flavio Caballero*
- 6:05** **Jeffersons The Command Post**
- 6:30** **Railway Dragon** An enchanting, animated special which tells the tale of a little girl who is a believer. Her faith enables her to share an adventure with a dragon. *Leslie Nielsen, Barry Morse*  
**Cosby Show**  
**Wheel Of Fortune**  
**Major League Baseball** Chicago Cubs vs Philadelphia Phillies (L)  
**Night Court**  
**U.S. Open Golf Championship 1st Round**. From Medinah, IL (T)  
**Mr. Belvedere**  
**Looney Tunes**  
**World Monitor**  
**World Of Survival** John Forsythe finds out how an ornithologist can track a particular settlement of swans.  
**Morris Cerullo**  
**Rubi Novela** de Venezuela.
- 6:35** **Sanford And Son** The Party Crasher
- 7:00** **MOVIE: Adventures Of Huckleberry Finn** \*\*\* Based on Mark Twain's classic, here are the adventures of Huck, Tom, the Widow Douglas and all the other well-remembered characters. *Eddie Hodges, Tony Randall (1960)*  
**Cosby Show** Denise tries to fix up Vanessa with a boy they met in a restaurant. Olivia selects an adult book to read to Cliff to prove she's a big person. (R) *Lisa Bonet, Tempestt Bledsoe*  
**This Old House** A concrete slab is poured in the basement. Outside the barn, the siding goes on, while interior partitioning is constructed within.  
**Father Dowling Mysteries** Father Dowling and Sister Steve discover that a blind man is blackmailing a wealthy parishioner. (R) *Tom Bosley, Tracy Nelson*
- 48 Hours**  
**MOVIE: Some Kind Of Hero** \*\*\* A disheartened POW turns to crime when he returns to a disappointing homecoming. *Richard Pryor, Margot Kidder (1982)* R Profanity, Violence, Adult Themes.  
**Dobie Gillis**  
**Murder, She Wrote** Old Habits Die Hard  
**MOVIE: Talk Radio** \*\*  
**American Music Shop**  
**Secrets Of Nature** The Crane Man Of Kushiro  
**Crusade In Europe** The Royal Air Force and Luftwaffe clash high above Britain as war continues to rage down below.  
**Moonlighting**  
**Success-N-Life**  
**Amandote II**
- 7:05** **Hollywood Wives (Pt 1 Of 2)** The public and private passions of rich and famous women, as well as their struggles for happiness and notoriety, are exposed. *Candice Bergen, Frances Bergen (1985)*
- 7:15** **MOVIE: Dick Tracy Versus Cueball** \*\*\* Dick Tracy pursues Cueball on a dangerous chase into the depths of the underworld. *Morgan Conway, Anne Jeffreys (1946)*
- 7:30** **Different World** Dwayne ponders the advice of a friend who suggests he develop a more ivy League image. (R) *Kadern Hardison, Glynn Turman*
- 8:00** **Cheers** Sam hopes to raise money by convincing Robin Colcord to lend him his yacht in a high stakes regatta, but his plans may be blown sky high. (R) *Ted Danson, Rhea Perlman*  
**Mystery!** Rumpole takes on the case of elderly Captain Gleason's car brakes fail, causing a wreck, and young Mrs. Gleason is caught embracing a young man.  
**Young Riders** Surrounded by Indian trouble, Hickok and Emma are trapped at a remote army post, under the ruthless control of a murderous captain. (R) *Josh Brolin, Lenny Von Dolin (1988)*  
**NBA Basketball Final, Game 5 (L)** (If Necessary)  
**Green Acres**  
**MOVIE: The Awakening** \* A daughter returns 18 years after her father leaves her mother for his assistant and unwittingly sets off a series of violent murders. *Charlton Heston, Susannah York (1980)* R Profanity, Violence, Adult Themes.  
**MOVIE: The Keep** \* German forces take over an ancient Romanian castle during World War II, unmindful of the fact that a powerful and evil entity dwells therein. *Scott Glenn, Ian McKellan (1983)* R Profanity, Violence.  
**MOVIE: Pumokinehead** \*\*  
**Nashville Now**  
**Beyond 2000** Plastic And Ceramic Guns  
**American Playwrights Theatre** In this Tennessee Williams adaptation, a child bride becomes the unwitting pawn in her husband's swindle of a neighbor. *Leslie Ann Warren, Ray Sharkey*  
**MOVIE: The Case Of The Hillside Stranglers** \* A Los Angeles police detective and an investigator are assigned to the arrest and conviction of the serial killers known as the Hillside Stranglers. *Richard Crenna, Dennis Farina (1988)*  
**Richard Roberts**  
**Simplemente Maria** Novela de Mexico.  
**Seinfeld** Jerry finds that trying to end an old friendship with a guy he dislikes is not an easy task. *Jerry Seinfeld, Jason Alexander*  
**Batman**  
**Top Rank Boxing 12-Round NABF Jr. Flyweight Championship**- Michael Cabajal vs Fernando Martinez (L)  
**Donna Reed**  
**What Catholics Believe**
- 9:00** **Sinatra** This special focuses on the singing career of Frank Sinatra through film and concert clips.  
**L.A. Law** Van Owen must decide whether to put a five-year-old girl on the witness stand; a drought of cash and clients has the firm looking for a rainmaker. (R) *Susan Dey, Diana Muldaur*  
**Lawrence Haggy: An Era, A Vision**  
**Primetime Live**  
**700 Club With Pat Robertson**  
**Gunsmoke**  
**Saturday Night Live (MAX)** **MOVIE: Shag** \*\*  
**Secret Life Of Machines** The Refrigerator  
**Vivaldi: The Four Seasons** The Israel Philharmonic conducted by Zubin Mehta, performs Vivaldi's The Four Seasons, one of the world's best-loved classics. *Issac Stern, Pinchas Zukerman*  
**Great Life Today**  
**Copa Mundial En Resumen**
- 9:05** **Hollywood Wives (Pt 2 Of 3)** Gina cements her seductive hold on Neil; Buddy returns to hustling; Elaine is arrested for shoplifting; Deke persists in his search for his mother. *Candice Bergen, Frances Bergen (1985)*
- 9:30** **News**  
**Fernwood 2-Night (HBO)** **Vietnam War Story**  
**Crook & Chase**  
**City Safari Of Eels And Seagulls**  
**Fama Y Fortuna**
- 9:35** **It's Garry Shandling's Show** A neurotic comic deals with the important issues facing any healthy young modern man. *Garry Shandling, Michael Tucci*
- 10:00** **Adventures Of Ozzie And Harriet** Ozzie and Harriet raise their two real sons, David and Ricky, in a house modeled on the Nelson's actual home in Hollywood.  
**Computer Chronicles**  
**Scorecrow & Mrs. King**  
**Baseball Tonight**  
**Mama's Family**  
**Laugh In**  
**Miami Vice** A murder puts Crockett on a collision course with Hackman, the killer who last year conned Crockett into helping him gain freedom from Death Row. *Don Johnson, Sherry Easter*  
**Comedy Club Network** This unique, short-form showcase spotlights rising stand-up comics performing in clubs around the country. (HBO)  
**Comedy Hour**

# Comics

## BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake



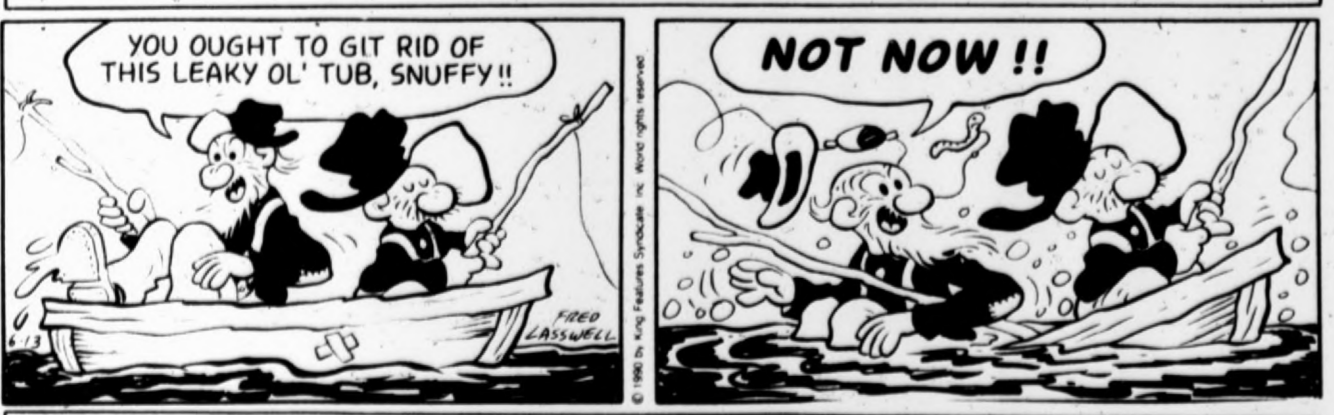
## Marvin By Tom Armstrong



## BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



## Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell



## The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart







### Taking a stand

St. Anthony's sixth graders have been performing a musical entitled "Pinocchio, Don't Smoke That Cigarette." The production has been performed for several Hereford public schools, four Amarillo Catholic schools, D.A.R.E., and St. Anthony's educational classes. The production tells of Pinocchio's misadventures with drugs, pills, and alcohol.

## Give dad a special breakfast

**NEW YORK (AP)** - Delicious Fruit Yogurt Coffee Cake is easy to prepare and will win Dad's heart on Father's Day. The recipe is provided by the makers of Bisquick baking mix.

**FRUIT YOGURT COFFEE CAKE**  
2 cups Bisquick baking mix  
1/4 cup sugar  
2 tablespoons margarine or butter, softened  
1 egg  
3/4 cup fruit-flavored yogurt (about 8 ounces)

1 teaspoon vanilla  
Streusel (recipe follows)  
Heat oven to 375 degrees F. Grease an 8-by-8-by-2-inch pan. Mix all ingredients except streusel; beat vigorously 1 minute. Spread in pan; sprinkle with streusel. Bake 30 to 35 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes; cut into squares. Makes 9 servings.

**STREUSEL:** Mix 1/4 cup Bisquick baking mix, 1/4 cup sugar and 2 tablespoons firm margarine or butter until crumbly. Stir in 1 tablespoon grated lemon or orange peel if desired.

For a coffee cake with no cholesterol, use margarine, not butter. Substitute 2 egg whites or 1/4 cup cholesterol-free egg product for the egg and non-fat, fruit-flavored yogurt for the yogurt. Use margarine in the streusel.

**High Altitude Directions** (3,500 to 6,500 feet): Heat oven to 400 degrees F. Grease a 9-by-9-by-2-inch pan. Decrease baking mix to 11/2 cups; add 1/2 cup all-purpose flour. Bake 25 to 30 minutes.

## Senior Citizens

### LUNCH MENUS

**THURSDAY**-Mr. Ribb barbeque, pinto beans, potato salad, coleslaw, apricots or fresh fruit, Texas toast.

**FRIDAY**-Cod nuggets, parsleyed potatoes, beets, carrot and cabbage slaw, applesauce cake.

**MONDAY**-Baked ham, broccoli with cheese, corn on cob, Waldorf salad, angel food cake, French bread.

**TUESDAY**-Roast beef, steamed cabbage, pinto beans, vegetable salad, fruited cheese cake, roll.

**WEDNESDAY**-Sliced turkey breast, mashed potatoes, giblet gravy, cauliflower au gratin, seasoned peas,

tomato salad, fruit cobbler ala mode.

### ACTIVITIES

**THURSDAY**-Oil painting 9:30-11:30 a.m., choir 1 p.m.

**FRIDAY**-Advanced line dance 10 a.m., beginners line dance 1:15 p.m.

**MONDAY**-Advanced line dance 10 a.m., devotional 12:45 p.m., beginners line dance 1:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY**-Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., bowling 1:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**-Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., ceramics 1:30 p.m.

## Degrees awarded to students

Degrees have officially been conferred on 63 West Texas State University master's candidates and 379 baccalaureate candidates who completed academic requirements during the 1990 spring semester.

Undergraduates with an overall grade point average of 3.50 or better were recognized as honor graduates and were eligible to wear gold honor cords at the May 12 commencement ceremony.

WTSU's spring graduating class represented seven states and 65 Texas towns and cities.

Students receiving degrees from Hereford were Rhonda L. Urbanczyk, master of education degree in counseling; Misti L. Hardin, bachelor of science degree in nursing; Roberta Gamboa, bachelor of arts degree in physical education; Robyn K. Inmon, bachelor of arts degree in psychology; Dewey E. Deloe, bachelor of science degree in biology II; John T. Morrow, master of education in education;

Mary E. Whipkey, bachelor of science degree in social work; and Rodney D. Allen, bachelor of science degree in biology II.

**ASPEN, Colo. (AP)** - "Gonzo" journalist Hunter S. Thompson says he's tired after his near-miss with a drug trial, though he believes he would have crushed the prosecution "like rotten eggs."

"It was going to be fun," Thompson said this week after eating a 3 p.m. breakfast at the Woody Creek Tavern. "We were going to cut them into small chunks and slivers."

Four felony drug and explosives charges against Thompson were dropped last week.

Thompson, 53, was charged after Gail Palmer-Slater, a former porn film producer, accused him of grabbing her breast and throwing a drink at her.

## Calendar of Events

### THURSDAY

Ladies Golf Association, City Golf Course, 10 a.m.  
Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Immunizations against childhood diseases, Texas Department of Health office, 914 E. Park, 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.  
San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.  
Weight Watchers, Community Church, 6:30 p.m.  
Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.  
Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.

TOPS Club No. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.  
Story hour at library, 10 a.m.  
Hereford Toastmasters Club, Ranch House, 6:30 a.m.  
VFW, VFW Clubhouse, 8 p.m.  
BPOE Lodge at Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.  
Elkettis, 8 p.m.  
Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8:30 p.m.

### FRIDAY

Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, Caisson House, 6:30 a.m.  
Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Deaf Smith County Crimestoppers Board of Directors, Chamber of Commerce board room, noon.

### SATURDAY

Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at First Church of the Nazarene.  
AA, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m. on Saturdays and 11 a.m. on Sundays.

### MONDAY

AA meets Monday through Friday, 406 W. Fourth St., noon, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. For more information call 364-9620.

Spanish speaking AA meetings each Monday, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.

Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall,

### 7:30 p.m.

TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Rotary Club, Community Center, noon.  
Planned Parenthood Clinic, open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
Civil Air Patrol-U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.  
VFW Auxiliary, VFW Clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.  
Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, 7 p.m.  
Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only.

### TUESDAY

TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.  
St. Thomas 12-step recovery program, open to public, 7:30-8:30 p.m. For more information call the church office at 364-0146.  
Ladies Golf Association, City Golf Course, 5:45 p.m.  
Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.  
Problem Pregnancy Center, 505 E. Park Ave., open Tuesday through Friday. Free and confidential pregnancy testing. Call 364-2027 or 364-7626 for appointment.  
Free women's exercise class, aerobics and floorwork, Community Church, 7:30 p.m.  
Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.

Social Security representative at courthouse, 9:15 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.  
Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden

K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.  
Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 9 a.m.

Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Heart Association, Hereford State Bank, 7 p.m.

Hereford Board of Realtors, lunch at the Hereford Country Club, noon.

Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.

Young at heart program, YMCA, 9 a.m. until noon.

AI-Anon, 406 W. Fourth St., 5 p.m.

Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, noon luncheon.

Well baby screening Clinic for preschool age children, Texas Department of Health office, 914 E. Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m.

Knights of Columbus at KC Hall, 9 p.m.

**SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP)** - Michael Jackson, hospitalized for chest pains, has been under pressure to finish an album and was distressed by the deaths of his grandmother, AIDS victim Ryan White and Sammy Davis Jr., says a spokesman.

Jackson, 31, had been ill several days when he suffered pains Sunday at home and was brought to St. John's Hospital and Health Center.

Jackson's cardiologist said a "temporary setback" in his condition Monday delayed tests to find the cause of his pain, and the singer may have to remain in the hospital for another day or two, spokesman Bob Jones said Tuesday.

"In the meantime, Mr. Jackson remains under observation. His condition is stable and he is resting comfortably," Jones said at a news conference.

**NEW YORK (AP)** - Georgette Mosbacher, wife of U.S. Commerce Secretary Robert Mosbacher, was robbed at gunpoint at a hotel but was not hurt, police said.

The socialite was getting off an elevator on the 20th floor of the Barbizon Plaza Hotel on Tuesday when a man with a gun confronted her, and took her wedding ring, watch, earrings, two other rings and \$400 in cash, police said.

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I dread going to a doctor because the first thing that happens is the medical technician gets concerned about my blood pressure and checks it several times. When this happens, I can even sense my pressure is elevating. I tell them my blood pressure goes high when checked by the medical staff, but an issue is made of it every time.

When my pressure was 212, the doctor checked my heart and eyes. He said he didn't feel I should be on medication, but that I must continue home monitoring, and if my pressure is elevated at home to seek medical advice.

Another doctor believes I should be on medication. I am not eager to take medication, although I do want to do what is necessary.

DEAR READER: The record of blood pressure readings you enclosed shows your diastolic (lowest) pressure has ranged from 72 to 78 (average 76) and your systolic (highest) pressure, 140 to 160 (average 150). Assuming these are the ones taken in the doctor's office, I would not be greatly impressed if you have normal systolic pressures at home.

Not many years ago it was believed that only the diastolic pressure elevations were important, but studies have shown that the systolic pressure

better their physical condition, the more likely the systolic pressure will rise and the diastolic pressure will stay about the same or actually fall.

The term "white coat hypertension" is just a jargon word. For decades doctors have known about people who have your problem. Once individuals with this reaction were called vascular hyper reactors. Some get labeled as essential hypertension.

The sudden elevation of your systolic pressure is a response to situational anxiety. If you were to be treated, it would probably be more appropriate to treat the anxiety, not the blood pressure reading.

I have discussed the mechanisms of blood pressure and their significance in Special Report 72, Controlling Your Blood Pressure, which I am sending you. Others who want this report can send \$2, with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/72, P.O. Box 19622, Irvine, CA 92713.

It is important for you to continue to monitor your blood pressure at home. Keep a chart of it for your doctor. If you begin to have very many readings that are elevated you should see your doctor about it.

In some forms of "labile blood pressure" there is a greater likelihood that it will progress to true essential hypertension. These cases should be treated as it does increase your risk of a stroke in particular.

Meanwhile it is important to keep your weight down, follow a sensible regular exercise program -- which does lower blood pressure and even helps relieve stress -- and limit your salt intake.

DEAR DR. LAMB: My husband is considering having a vasectomy as we have finished our family and have two healthy children. I had two high-risk pregnancies, the last one ending with our baby in neonatal intensive care. We do not want to chance another pregnancy.

Is there any chance of my becoming pregnant once he has had the vasectomy and has been confirmed as safe from his doctor after a sperm analysis? I have heard of women becoming pregnant after a vasectomy.

DEAR READER: A man may still have fertile sperm for some time after a vasectomy is performed. The sperm cells may have been stored in the prostate before surgery. But after sufficient semen analyses without viable sperm cells, he should be sterile. This usually requires six to eight weeks and 15 to 20 ejaculations.

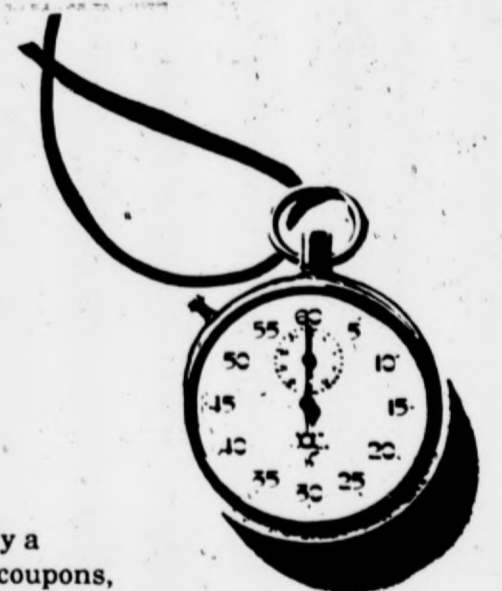
There is the very rare case where the duct has repaired itself and caused a man to regain his fertility. That is so rare I would think you need not worry about it.



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### Surimi seafood cakes

Surimi seafood is made from a mild white fish, usually Alaska pollock. Flavorings, binders and a stabilizing ingredient are added, and the surimi seafood is then shaped to resemble cramb, shrimp, scallops or other seafood.

### Use surimi just like fish

WASHINGTON (AP) - Americans consumed 135 million pounds of surimi seafood last year, according to the National Fisheries Institute, up from 18 million pounds in 1982. Surimi seafood is made from lean, mild-tasting white fish, usually Alaska pollock. It is low in fat and cholesterol, and it is an excellent source of protein. There are only about 90 calories in a 3 1/2-ounce serving. Sugar and sodium levels vary according to brand.

Surimi (pronounced sir-REE-mee) is a Japanese term applied to a category of minced fish. Freshly caught Alaska pollock is the foundation for most surimi presently used in the United States. It is boned and skinned, minced, washed and strained to yield a concentrated fish paste.

Small quantities of salt, sugar and sorbitol are added to preserve the texture of the protein. The paste is quickly frozen, then shipped to processing plants to become the raw material for food products that will eventually be called surimi seafoods.

Scallop, shrimp and lobster look-alikes are also available; each is shaped and colored like the real thing. Shrimp and scallops come unbreaded and breaded.

Surimi can also be flavored and shaped to look and taste like meat, poultry or vegetables. It has already been blended with meat to make Italian and summer sausages, sliced luncheon meats and a jerkylike product. Smoked salmon and white fish blend is a recent seafood development.

Surimi seafood is completely cooked. It can be used in cold salads, dips and sandwiches. It can also be used in hot dishes. Overheating will toughen it, just as it does other types of seafood, so add surimi seafood during the last few minutes of cooking.

All surimi seafood products are required by law to be labeled "imitation" so as to not be confused with the products they imitate. Refrigerated surimi seafood is codedated for convenience. Frozen surimi seafood will keep in the freezer for several months. Store thawed or opened products in the coldest part of the refrigerator. Once the package is

opened, use within 2 or 3 days, just as you would any other perishable product.

The following recipe is provided by the Surimi Seafood Education Center of the National Fisheries Institute:

**SURIMI SEAFOOD CAKES**  
3 tablespoons reduced-calorie mayonnaise

2 large eggs, beaten  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard  
1/2 teaspoon bottled hot pepper sauce  
3 tablespoons finely chopped parsley  
2 tablespoons finely chopped celery  
1 tablespoon finely chopped onion  
1 pound surimi seafood, crab-flavored, flakes, chunks, or salad-style, well flaked and lightly chopped  
2 cups fresh whole-wheat bread crumbs (4 slices, whirled in food processor)

Vegetable cooking spray  
Lemon wedges  
Combine mayonnaise, eggs, lemon juice, mustard and pepper sauce in large bowl. Stir in parsley, celery and onion. Gently stir in surimi seafood and bread crumbs. Shape into eight to twelve 1/2-inch thick patties.

Heat large non-stick skillet with cooking spray. Place over medium-low heat until hot. Add patties and cook 5 minutes per side or until browned. Serve with lemon wedges. Makes 4 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 287 cal., 21 g pro., 9 g fat (30 percent of calories), 1,308 mg sodium.

(Recipe from: Surimi Seafood Education Center, National Fisheries Institute, Washington, DC)

## Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** You are sure to get a ton of letters as a result of the column in which a reader wrote "Something is wrong with the divorce laws in Massachusetts when a woman tells the judge that her spouse was a good husband and father," admits to infidelity and still gets custody of the child, ownership of the house and a generous portion of her husband's salary." What's more, the adulterous wife who made \$1,000 a month more than the child's father was awarded by the court almost one-third of his salary.

Well, Ann, something is also wrong in Colorado when a husband pleads guilty to third degree assault and comes out with sole custody of a 3-year-old daughter. Furthermore, the mother must pay child support even though the father makes three times as much as she does. Meanwhile, her husband's record of violence is erased because he took a course on parenting. This is a perfect example of our great legal system at work, thanks to all those high priced lawyers and judges who have no idea how difficult it is to be a single parent in today's world. What we really need, Ann is more females on the bench. -- P.W.

**DEAR P.W.:** You're right. I did get a ton of mail (mostly from men) complaining about what a rotten deal they got in court. Read on:

**FROM CHICAGO:** My wife was a Phi Beta Kappa. She had a B.A., an M.A., an M.B.A. and had been earning \$100,000 a year. We decided to split after 27 months. (Our child was 6 months old.) The judge said she didn't have to go back to work and gave her the house and everything that I had accumulated after working for 21 years. I must give her 60 percent of my income and am now having trouble with visitation rights.

**NEW YORK (AP) -** Dick Clark has kept the company of millions during his 43 years in broadcast. But he always plays to an audience of one.

"I visualize in my mind, I learned this from my idols of years ago, that there's only one person listening or watching and you direct yourself to that person," Clark said in an interview.

"It's a secret that Arthur Godfrey knew very well, Garry Moore knew very well - the pioneers learned that lesson years ago."

On Wednesday, Clark was counted among the pioneers. He accepted membership in the Emerson Radio Hall of Fame along with Charles Osgood, Paul Harvey, Harry Caray, Bob Hope and Frank Stanton.

Your correspondent who said divorced women end up poorer is a few bricks short of a full load.

**JACKSONVILLE, FLA.:** I sympathize with your Massachusetts reader whose paycheck had been carved up in divorce court by an adulterous wife. I have worked for 20 years as a legal secretary and seen many similar cases of unequal justice. The original intent of alimony and child support was to prevent the mother and child from becoming a financial burden to society. Today, I feel that any woman under the age of 50 who can walk out of a divorce court on her own two feet should be able to work and support herself. Child support is honorable and decent. Alimony is an obscene rip-off and should be abolished.

**FROM CLEVELAND:** Divorce in Massachusetts cannot be worse than in Ohio. I have been around the track twice and was picked clean both times. Anyone who thinks the divorce laws favor women should take a look at what we have to deal with in this state. I am moving to Minnesota just in case I get married again, and it doesn't work out.

**FROM VIRGINIA:** Sorry about the man in Massachusetts who was shafted, but there are plenty of incompetent and nutty lawyers in our state, too. My husband was married before and had two children. He came home from his second job (his wife refused to work) and found everything gone -- I mean wife, kids, furniture, microwave and washer-dryer. (He was still paying on some of the appliances.) She then filed for divorce and asked for child support. Out of the "goodness of her heart" she permits him to see his children two days a month.

**Gem of the Day:** If you really want the last word in an argument, try saying, "I guess you're right."

What can you give the person who has everything? Ann Landers' new booklet, "Gems," is ideal for a nightstand or coffee table. "Gems" is a collection of Ann Landers' most requested poems and essays. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$4.85 (this includes postage and handling) to: Gems, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$5.87.)

## Effective exercise helps you look great

The slender, well-toned look is very much in style for today's fashion-conscious men and women. If you need to lose weight, or have trouble maintaining your weight, medical experts agree that the best solution is to raise your body's metabolism through regular aerobic exercise.

"People who want to become thinner need a safe, effective way to help their bodies balance out at a lower level of fatness," wrote Joel Gurin in an article in Working Woman magazine. Gurin, co-author (with William Bennett, M.D.) of The Dieter's Dilemma, explains that "Dieting won't do it. Drugs won't do it. The only approach that works is exercise."

When you exercise, you increase your metabolism not only while you're exercising, but for hours afterwards. Exercising also decreases fat and increases muscle tissue. Muscle tissue takes more calories to sustain itself than fat tissue, so it's easier to lose weight, or to maintain a weight loss.

"Many women who have been heavy all of their lives write or call to tell us that they've finally lost their excess weight by eating a diet that's low in fats and exercising regularly on NordicTrack," says Pauls.

Most physicians recommend that you include a high calorie burning exercise for maximum weight loss with your exercise program. Studies done by the Human Performance

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### THE GLOW OF HEALTH

Being healthy always makes one look better, and in the case of the skin, the results are especially visible. According to a recent article in the Prevention Magazine, "some skin-care experts feel that exercise is beneficial to your skin because it increases circulation, others because it may simulate the production of collagen fibers."

In fact, exercise is probably the best "foundation of youth" for the skin. "I happen to believe that exercise is one of the single most important controllable factors in age control," says Susan Fox of Feraud Aubrey Cosmetics.

Regular aerobic exercise also gives you the energy and vibrancy that helps you to get the most out of life. "Juggling work, family and other obligations leaves many men and women with very little time to take care of themselves. That's why an in-home exerciser such as NordicTrack is the answer," says Pauls.

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