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**NEWSDIGEST**

A quick look at today's news

**Local Stuff**

**JULY 4TH**

If you'd like to enter the parade, call 364-4670 (HCR Real Estate) or the Chamber of Commerce office at 364-3333. There are divisions for children, businesses and organizations. If you'd like to pitch in for the fireworks show, go by the chamber office at Seventh and Main. Your help, and dollars, are needed, and we'll list all contributors in the Brand. Children who would like to participate in a choir for July 4th are urged to attend practice sessions at 5 p.m. Wednesday and 9:30 a.m. Saturdays at the music room of the Nazarene Christian Academy (use the La Plata Drive entrance).

**RECYCLING**

You can help do your part to help the environment at the recycling collection sponsored by EnCoRe at the Red Cross office on S. Main, everyday. If you have glass, recyclable plastic, paper goods, newspapers or anything else you want to recycle (that is recyclable), take it by the collection station. There are new bins to help you sort your goods.

**KING'S MANOR**

**BARBECUE & FUN**

The King's Manor Founders Association will host its annual barbecue, with music, entertainment and lots of fun, Saturday, June 22 from 6-8:30 p.m. at King's Manor. Tickets are available from Founders Association members or by calling King's Manor at 364-0661. All proceeds will go to help residents who have outlived their means or who have less than it takes to live with dignity.

**Sports Stuff**

**BULLS WIN**

The Chicago Bulls won their first ever NBA championship, downing the Lakers at LA on Wednesday. Get the full scoop in Sports, Page 6.

**RANGERS, ASTROS**

There's something in the works: both the Rangers and the Astros are on winning streaks. That's never happened before (just kidding). Altogether last night the two Texas teams got six hits, but both won, the Astros beating the Phillies and the Rangers downing the White Sox.

**Weather**

**THINK SUMMER**

It's getting warmer and warmer, and it looks like the brief monsoon season could be over. There is a slight chance for some showers on Saturday, but highs will be near 90 and lows near 60 through the weekend. By the way, advertising does pay. Remember the First National Bank ad, calling for three inches of rain between May 26 and June 10? Well, it worked: we picked up 3.12 inches of rain during that time.

**Simons outlines tax rate**

By JOHN BROOKS  
Managing Editor

Deaf Smith County Judge Tom Simons gave an overview of the county's fiscal circumstances during an address Wednesday to the Hereford Lions Club.

Simons explained the reasons behind the move Monday by the commissioner's court to set the tax rate at 46.97 cents per \$100 valuation. That is the same tax rate as has been paid for the past several years here, but is actually a 14 percent increase.

In past years, taxpayers have had part of their county taxes dedicated solely to paying off bonds that were used to build the Deaf Smith County Jail. Since the jail is paid for, that portion of the taxes would have been lopped off the tax bills sent out in September.

However, commissioners have voted to leave the overall tax rate at 46.97 cents to generate more revenue for the county.

"Just like anyone else who is in business, or anyone who is just living for that matter, knows that the cost of doing business has risen dramatically in the past several years," Simons said. He gave several examples of large increases since 1987, including the cost for court-appointed attorneys, insurance, fire prevention and the county's share of funding the Tax Appraisal District Office. Simons said that in 1987 the jail expenses ran \$317,000; today, with additional personnel to run the jail (as ordered by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards) and other cost factors, the jail budget is \$493,000.

"All of our departments are doing everything they can do to keep costs down," Simons said, "but there are a lot of things we don't have control over."

One area where the commissioners "made both sides mad" was the four percent pay increase that will be given to new employees. "I still don't believe we have done all we need to do for our employees," Simons said.

Simons pointed out that since 1982, the county has lost about \$1 million a year in tax exemptions on cattle and farm implements, the new formula for evaluating farm land for tax purposes, and the loss of federal revenue sharing funds.

Simons said the only way to soften the tax bite for all county citizens is to attract new business and industry and help with the expansion of current business and industry.

"It is absolutely critical that we all have a vested interest in new business, in working to expand businesses we already have," he said.



**Original church**

This is a picture of the original First Presbyterian Church in Hereford. The building was originally constructed in La Plata, then moved to Hereford when the city was organized.



**Contribution made to centennial**

Marguerite Newell made a banner as a contribution to the First Presbyterian Church's centennial. The banner was hand stitched by Newell.



## Presbyterians celebrate 100th

Hereford's First Presbyterian Church will be celebrating its centennial during this month with several events planned to celebrate the first church in Deaf Smith County.

The original church, which was named Cumberland Presbyterian Church, was organized at La Plata on June 14, 1891 with 16 charter members. La Plata was the original county seat of Deaf Smith County until the railroad moved in and La Plata was moved to present Hereford.

After the building, which was moved by using fence posts as rollers and horse and mules to pull the building, was settled in Hereford, it was used as a worship place for all denominations.

In 1905, the Cumberland Church became First Presbyterian Church of Hereford.

The church on Fifth Street and Sampson Ave. was built in 1907 and was used until 1930, when a manse and the basement floor of a church were built. The ground floor was never completed because of the depression.

Church was held in the basement until 1950 when a new church and educational building were erected at Seventh and Lee. The old church, manse and basement floor were sold to the First Baptist Church.

The women of the church were "organized to help one another grow in christian faith and understanding." They also serve the community.

In 1909 a motion was made during Session to discourage members from dancing. The annual budget at that time was \$1,057.96.

The Session's minutes from 1913 notes a resolution passed, "one elected at any office in any organization or society of this church who plays cards or dances or entertains such that do; further, that such practices by the members be discontinued."

During the 1920's the Session authorized the purchase of one ton of coal for the winter and the budget during 1922 was \$3,500.

In 1928 the congregation decided to no longer have Deacons present during General Assembly and have one ruling body. The Session (ruling body) is made up of nine elders, elected for three year terms.

On Jan. 1, 1935, a request was made to the Session for a woman elder to be elected. Two months later the Session decided to allow the women to select a committee which would meet periodically with them to discuss their interests.

During the depression, 58 members pledged for giving to the

tithing during 1937. The budget remained around \$2,400 during the depression period.

After World War II began, the church saw an increase in their annual budget to \$3,893.50 for 1942.

Pastor Jimmy Aiken proposed to retire the church debt in four years by using a pledge system.

A congregational meeting on Feb. 11, 1945 allowed the church to select four 50' by 140' lots on Lee Ave. as a new church site.

In 1951, two lots east of the church were purchased for \$2,575. The lots were purchased to be used for parking. The year 1952 saw the building of a small storage building east of the church a the cost of \$260.

Air conditioning was added to the building in 1953 costing \$1,300.

On March 6, 1956, Session agreed to build a 40' by 70' addition to serve education program of the Sunday school.

Presently the church is governed by the Session and service duties are carried out by the deacons.

Those currently serving in Session are Velta King, Mary Dziuk, Larry Malamen, Bob Simpson, David Bone, Cameron Gault, Dave Hopper, J.A. McWhorter, Idie Gearn, Richard Robinson, Geary Gearn, Gene Hendon, JoAnn Hill and Martha Jones.

Dacons are JoAnn Hill, Lynn Schroeter, Wade Easley, Sid Ham, Nisar Chand, Lynn Gowdy, Carolyn Hacker, Lynn Hamby, Jan Metcalf, Joel Salazar, Martha Emerson, Paul Jones, Terri DeBord (youth member), Scott Robinson (youth member), Joe Kerr, Doug Schroeter, Linda Arellano and D.R. Bone (youth member).

Those having served the church as pastor have been J. Phillips, J.M. Burrow, C.M. Lotten, C.W. Dunn, Chalmer Kilbourn, J.K. Howard, W.G. Keiry, W.M. Baker, J.R. Sharp, James T. Ross, Elmer P. Gieser, W.M. Griffin, J.C. Thorns, James A. Aiken, Russell A. Wingert, Roger B. Knapp (interim), George Belford, Rober L. McLeod (interim), Bruce Kochsmeier and current pastor Dr. James W. Cory.

The charter members of the church were William D. Witherspoon, John M. Witherspoon, James F. Witherspoon, Coleman G. Witherspoon, Henry N. Wilsey, Ada Wilsey, Mrs. Sarah F. Wilson, Rachel Berry, Emma Witherspoon, Mrs. America Witherspoon, Mrs. Mary E. Beaver, F.H. Witherspoon, Emma N. Mercer, E.W. Tinsley, Allie Tinsley and Mrs. W.A. Witherspoon.

## Group warns against state tax

AUSTIN (AP) - A Texas think tank says creating personal and corporate incomes taxes here could seriously damage the Texas economy.

The Dallas-based National Center for Policy Analysis said an income tax such as that proposed by former Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby would lower the state's output by 2.7 percent, or about \$10.6 billion a year.

John Goodman, the center's president, said Hobby's proposal of a 6.5 percent corporate income tax would "raise a tiny bit of revenue but cause enormous harm."

On the other hand, Goodman said Wednesday, a tax proposal advanced by former Gov. John Connally, to replace the current corporate franchise tax with a new "business activity tax," would be a boost for the state's economy.

Goodman said his group's analysis of that proposal indicates it could boost production of goods and services in Texas by 4.3 percent, or about \$16.9 billion.

Connally heads the Governor's Task Force on Revenue, which will be making recommendations to Gov. Ann Richards and legislators who

convene in special session July 8 to write and fund a 1992-93 state budget.

The state faces a projected \$4.7 billion deficit if all current services are maintained at their present levels, according to legislative budget analysts.

Hobby is a member of the task force, which may vote Saturday on its recommendations.

Last week, the committee heard a tax proposal from Connally and one from Hobby and Dallas financier Jess Hay.

Connally proposed boosting the motor fuels tax from 15 cents to 35 cents per gallon, doubling state college tuition, increasing the motor vehicle sales and hotel-motel taxes from 6 cent to 6 1/4 cents, charging a 5-cent per gallon aviation fuels tax and replacing the corporate franchise tax with a business levy suggested by Comptroller John Sharp. That tax would be 2.35 percent on gross receipts, minus raw material costs.

Hobby-Hay proposed establishing a 6 percent personal income tax on earnings over \$16,000 per year for a

family of four, and a 6.5 percent business income tax to replace the franchise tax.

Their proposal also calls for a 25 percent reduction in property taxes, broadening the sales tax base to include most services but lowering the sales tax rate from 6.25 percent to 5.25 percent.

Goodman said his organization's study of the two plans indicates that the Connally plan would encourage new investment in Texas but the income tax proposal would discourage such investment.

"The difference in the two plans is staggering," Goodman said. "Enacting the Connally plan rather than the Hobby-Hay plan is worth about \$27 billion to the Texas economy over a period of one to three years."

He said the Connally plan would "give a boost to the Texas economy because it would substitute a better tax for a worse tax."

Current Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock also is calling for passage of a state income tax, with a 5 percent personal rate and an 8 percent corporate rate.

## Volcano spewing more ash

MANILA, Philippines (AP) - Mount Pinatubo spewed a deadly cloud of ash and gas more than 15 miles high today after a turbulent night in which the volcano shook with the most intense fury since it awoke from six centuries of sleep.

"What we are seeing now are phenomenal eruptions," said Raymundo Punongbayan, director of the Philippine Institute of Volcanology and Seismology. "The story of Mount Pinatubo is not quite over yet."

Two deaths have been reported from the eruptions, which began Sunday.

A Filipino serving in the U.S. Navy was killed Wednesday when his car skidded on an ash-slickened road north of the Subic Bay naval base, about 30 miles southwest of the volcano, and crashed into a bus.

The latest eruption occurred at 8:41 a.m. today.

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## Local Roundup State ignored firm's practices

### Police field reports

Hereford police fielded several reports Wednesday, including assault in the 100 block of Ave. H; disorderly conduct in the 800 block of E. Third and in the 300 block of Ave. H; criminal trespass in the 800 block of Blevins; a lost or stolen ring, worth \$4,000, in the 500 block of W. 15th; windshield wipers taken off a vehicle in the 300 block of Sunset; and indecency with a child in the 500 block of W. U.S. Highway 60.

Police issued three citations Wednesday.

Hereford firefighters were called to a house fire at 3K Cattle Company south of Hereford early this morning. A house formerly occupied by a night watchman was destroyed by the fire. That fire, and a fire in Castro County about two miles east of Simpson Dairy, 10 miles south of Hereford, are under investigation.

### Warm weather continues

Tonight, mostly clear with a low in the middle 60s. Southwest wind 10 to 20 mph.

Friday, partly cloudy with a high in the lower 90s. Southwest wind 10 to 20 mph and gusty.

The extended forecast for Saturday through Monday calls for a slight chance of thunderstorms Saturday, otherwise mostly fair. Highs in the upper 80s. Lows in the lower 60s.

This morning's low at KPAN was 62 after a high Wednesday of 89.

## News Digest

### World, National

WASHINGTON - President Bush and congressional Democrats are blaming each other for nagging problems like crime and education in a fight that sets battle lines for the coming presidential campaign.

WASHINGTON - A program to protect U.S. businesses by levying penalty duties on underpriced imports has huge administrative problems, including a backlog of cases nearly a quarter-century old, two investigations conclude.

MOSCOW - Preliminary returns indicate Boris N. Yeltsin is leading in his bid to become the first popularly elected president of the Russian republic, strengthening his efforts to speed the pace of reform.

WASHINGTON - More than half of the nation's cable TV systems could be subject to local price regulation under rules being considered by the Federal Communications Commission.

MANILA, Philippines - Mount Pinatubo spews a deadly cloud of ash and gases more than 15 miles high after a turbulent night in which the volcano shook with the most intense fury since it came to life after six centuries.

DENVER - Rocky Costarella thought the road to success in business was to sell a high-quality product and take good care of his employees with perks such as health-care benefits. But the employees of his ice cream business thought he was a hard-hearted millionaire out to take advantage of them and the customers.

Both sides learned a lesson from a seminar offered to help businesses through hard economic times.

### Texas

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WASHINGTON - Sanctions against employers who hire undocumented workers appear to be making a dent in illegal immigration, but a draft government report suggests the deterrent effect may be wearing off. The report also finds that despite the threat of civil and criminal penalties, some firms continue to hire and recruit unauthorized workers.

SPACE CENTER, Houston - Columbia's astronauts juggled blood and urine samples between two troublesome freezers and collected more medical data as they neared the end of their nine-day research flight. The shuttle is scheduled to land Friday morning at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif.

AUSTIN - Gov. Ann Richards and her counterpart from the Mexican state of Jalisco say a pact they have signed could set an example for U.S., Mexican and Canadian free trade negotiators. The governors OK'd an agreement Wednesday for promoting joint efforts in trade, tourism and economic development.

AUSTIN - Gov. Ann Richards' jail negotiator says he's not ready to give up on prison reform despite Harris County's decision to reject the state's offer for ending jail crowding lawsuits. The Harris County Commissioners Court voted Tuesday to reject a plan to solve crowded conditions at county jails, a move state officials said could scuttle the Legislature's \$500 million prison reform plan.

DALLAS - Dallas has joined a growing list of cities that have decided the best way to curb crime and protect juveniles is to get most teen-agers off the streets at night. But the American Civil Liberties Union is expected to challenge the curfew's constitutionality.

HOUSTON - Houston police say they were unable to help a woman who sought protection from her estranged husband 10 days before he shot and killed her two young sons.

DALLAS - Warehouse-style "superstores" are growing faster than any other kind of stores in the computer industry as customers grow smarter and machines become cheaper. Tandy Corp., owner of the 7,000-store Radio Shack chain and a leading maker of personal computers, today will become the biggest retailer to try the concept.

DALLAS - Mesa Limited Partnership finished a restructuring of its \$1 billion bank debt by receiving \$616 million from private investors. Mesa, led by investor T. Boone Pickens, stretched out the time it must repay the debt, freeing cash flow to be used for exploration and development.

WASHINGTON - A pickup in the performance of privately run savings and loans won't go very far toward stemming the rising cost to taxpayers of bailing out the industry, analysts say.

HOUSTON - A proposal to raise the annual license fee for each fertile dog or cat from \$10 to \$250 is expected to be met with growls and howls by Houston pet owners.

HOUSTON - An internal audit conducted by the State Board of Insurance is looking into the relationship between a former state insurance commissioner and a Dallas company under board investigation.

HOUSTON (AP) - An internal audit conducted by the State Board of Insurance is looking into the relationship between a former state insurance commissioner and a Dallas company under board investigation, a Houston newspaper reported.

In a copyright story, The Houston Post said the State Board of Insurance's internal audit found that the agency ignored possible wrongdoing and mismanagement by the Dallas-based Commodore group of insurance companies.

The audit further questions the relationship between associate insurance commissioner A.W. "Woody" Pogue and former insurance commissioner Tom Bond, now a lawyer with Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, which has ties to Commodore.

The Dallas law firm was co-founded by Robert Strauss, a former Democratic Party national chairman and President Bush's nominee to become U.S. ambassador to the Soviet Union.

The audit, conducted between January and April, was prepared

under the direction of internal audit chief Steve Klein. It portrays the state insurance board as being in disarray and easily influenced by former agency employees.

The top five state board employees have resigned since questionable Commodore transactions were approved in 1989.

Indications of possible wrongdoing by Commodore officials have been referred to the Travis County District Attorney's office, where they are being investigated by the insurance fraud unit, said Assistant District Attorney Steve McCleary.

Bond told The Post he had not seen the confidential report, which is subject to review by the state insurance board. Bond said he was a friend of Pogue's, but he denied taking advantage of the friendship to win board approval of the Commodore transaction.

Pogue was vacationing and could not be reached for comment, The Post said.

The audit showed that even though agency employees knew of possible wrongdoing and mismanagement at

the Commodore group of companies seven years ago, law enforcement officials were not notified and the firm's executives were not held accountable.

Instead, the board in 1989 allowed the Texas Property & Guaranty Insurance Association to recapitalize Commodore County Mutual Insurance Co. and then approved its takeover by a Mississippi savings bank now under federal government control.

Despite a large cash infusion, Commodore, primarily a marketer of high-risk auto policies, is back under government control. In addition, there are allegations of possible misuse of guaranty funds by the company.

The audit reported:

- Bond, who served as insurance commissioner from October 1982 to July 1985, was instrumental in proposing the Commodore rehabilitation plan to the state board and the guaranty fund in January 1989. At the time, Bond represented Beta Financial, the vehicle used by Mississippi Savings Bank to acquire Commodore. In addition, former

Akin, Gump attorney Michael Lange was a shareholder and chief executive of Mississippi Savings Bank and Beta Financial.

- Commodore's legal counsel in January 1989 was Mark Bennett, who was still on the state payroll as a former liquidation division attorney. Although his last day of work for the agency was Nov. 30, 1988, Bennett was on leave through April 28. The situation violated the agency's conflict of interest policy.

- The agency knew of solvency and other problems at Commodore County and two affiliated companies as early as 1985, but didn't take effective regulatory action until 1988.

- State board officials were aware of possible wrongdoing or gross mismanagement as early as 1984, but didn't notify the district attorney or challenge company executives.

- Commodore's post-rehabilitation owners violated terms of the recapitalization plan and the insurance regulators failed to properly monitor the company's progress to see if the guaranty fund money was spent as intended.

## Yelstin holds commanding lead

MOSCOW (AP) - Populist Boris N. Yeltsin held a commanding lead today in the first popular election for Russian president, with preliminary results showing him ahead in major cities and unexpectedly receiving much of the military vote.

If Yeltsin, running as an independent, wins more than 50 percent of the vote from Wednesday's balloting, he will avoid the need for a run-off election. Victory would strengthen his hand against Communist Party stalwarts who oppose his program to transfer ownership of state-owned farms and factories to individuals and shift political control from the Kremlin to the republics.

The white-haired Siberian is likely to travel to the United States next week to demonstrate his independence from Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

Russia has more than half the Soviet Union's 285 million people, three-fourths of the country's territory and most of its natural wealth and industry.

Preliminary results showed Yeltsin strong in major industrial cities but weaker in farm regions, considered a stronghold of his major rival, former Soviet Prime Minister Nikolai I. Ryzhkov.

Ryzhkov, the Communist candidate, advocates a more gradual transition from a centrally planned to a market economy.

Other preliminary results indicated victories for two other radical reformers seeking re-election to the top jobs in the country's two largest cities, where the executive powers of the mayor have been greatly

expanded.

Moscow Mayor Gavriil Popov received 59 percent to 77 percent of the vote, the official Tass news agency reported.

Leningrad Mayor Anatoly Sobchak received 70 percent of the vote in Leningrad, said Yuri Levin, a member of the city's electoral commission. A referendum to restore Leningrad's czarist name, St. Petersburg, was favored by a bare majority of about 54 percent, said Levin, citing preliminary figures.

Gorbachev and other Communist Party officials have opposed dropping the current name, which honors the memory of Soviet founder Vladimir Lenin.

Unofficial results today from an undetermined fraction of the 98,000

polling stations republicwide showed that Yeltsin won:

- 75 percent of votes in Moscow.

- 70 percent in Leningrad, the second-largest Soviet city.

- 90 percent in his hometown of Sverdlovsk, in the Ural Mountains.

- 81 percent in the Pacific and Indian Ocean naval fleets, and about two-thirds of the vote among fishing fleets off Nakhodka on the Sea of Japan.

## Obituaries

### SADIE ELIZABETH BRIDGES

June 11, 1991  
Sadie Elizabeth Bridges, 86, of Hereford died Tuesday, June 11, 1991. Services were held at 2:30 today in First Assembly of God Church with David Morris, pastor, officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bridges, formerly Sadie E. Horn, was born in Cooper. She married Lidge Bridges in 1924. She moved to Deaf Smith County in 1925 from Dickens County. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include eight sons, Loyd Bridges and Donald Bridges, both of Hereford, Jimmy Bridges and Joe Bridges, both of Amarillo, Earl Bridges and Frank Bridges, both of Casa Grande, Ariz., Edwin Bridges of Borger and Ronald Bridges of Odessa; three daughters, Juanita Phillips and Betty Turner, both of Amarillo, and Lucille Harper of Beaver, Okla.; two brothers, Joe Horn of Amarillo and LeRoy Horn of Vernon; a sister, Maggie Thacker of Spur, 26 grandchildren; and 44 great-grandchildren.

### CLARENCE W. BOTTS

June 11, 1991  
Clarence W. Botts, 79, of Hereford died Tuesday, June 11, 1991.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Rose Chapel of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery.

Mr. Botts was born in Twin Falls, Idaho, and moved to Hereford in 1971 from Idaho. He married Hazel Hamilton in 1945 at Clovis, N.M. He was a retired carpenter and a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Dale Botts and Don Shaw, both of Amarillo; a daughter, Wyonna Cummings of Bishop, Calif.; two brothers, Roy Botts and Marvin Botts, both of Portland, Ore.; three sisters, Ruth Ross of Honolulu, Grace Stevens of Willits, Calif., and Mary Nell Andres of Centralia, Wash.; 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

## Hospital Notes

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Anabel Casarez, Antonio A. Cervantez, Sue Cosper, Daniel Wayne Eichman, Infant Girl Gamez, Irene Gamez, Delilah Garcia, Grace Gutierrez, Infant Boy Hernandez, Martha Alicia Hernandez, Aileen Montgomery, Willie Rodriguez, Hortencia Trevino, Walter Warren, Infant Boy Yosten, Milinda (Lindy) Yosten.



### Donation to Tierra Blanca from Long John's

Lewis Fixsen, left, manager of Long John Silver Seafood Shoppe in Hereford, presents \$160 to Philip Shook, principal at Tierra Blanca School in Hereford. The funds were collected from donations made by customers to a fishbowl at the restaurant, which is Tierra Blanca's Adopt-A-School sponsor. The change had accumulated for about two months, and will be used to buy supplies and other needs at the school.

## Mesa ends \$1 billion debt

DALLAS (AP) - Mesa Limited Partnership finished a restructuring of its \$1 billion bank debt by receiving \$616 million from private investors.

Mesa, led by investor T. Boone Pickens, stretched out the time it must repay the debt, freeing cash flow to be used for exploration and development.

The partnership also said Wednesday it had obtained \$150 million in new credit in a bank facility with a life of three years.

Coupled with the partnership's \$200 million in cash, Mesa is now ready to expand gas processing operations and begin helium extraction from its fields.

"It is a turning point for us because we can now give our full attention to new business and the expansion of Mesa's operation and get away from trying to restructure the debt," Pickens said.

Mesa began the debt restructuring last year after a fifth straight year of depressed natural gas prices had

crimped its ability to repay bank loans.

"This will put us in a position where, regardless of the price of natural gas, we will be able to ride out whatever the market gives us," Pickens said.

The partnership received an average of \$1.61 per thousand cubic feet of natural gas. In 1985, Mesa received \$2.68 per thousand cubic feet.

"We got overleveraged ... we bet too heavily in the past the price of natural gas would stay above \$2," said Pickens, who became well known as a takeover pioneer in the 1980s.

Mesa earlier this year wiped out about one-third of its bank debt by selling natural gas assets in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado. The assets represented about 17 percent of Mesa's holdings prior to the restructuring.

As with the earlier bank notes, the private financing is secured by Mesa's prized reserves in the Hugoton fields of southwest Kansas. Mesa's reserves there are about 2.1 trillion cubic feet of natural gas equivalents.

The notes have a 15-year term and a weighted interest rate average of 10 percent.

Mesa formed a new subsidiary, Hugoton Capital Limited Partnership, to issue the notes, which were purchased by about 30 institutional investors and their affiliates.

Cigna Investments Inc. led the purchasers in negotiating and documenting the transaction.

Reports began circulating in November that Mesa was going to try the unique private placement. Pickens said it took some time to educate investors about natural gas.

"Somebody's going to have to get acquainted with the value of the property before they step up to that kind of loan," he said. "There was a lot of education in it."

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# Life!



## "Beef for Father's Day"

"Beef for Father's Day" is an annual campaign sponsored by the Hereford Texas CattleWomen to encourage families to serve dad his favorite food on Father's Day. Chip Guseman supports the beef industry and says beef certificates make a wonderful Father's Day gift.

## Guseman reveals favorite recipe for Father's Day

As Father's Day approaches, Chip Guseman is joining the Hereford chapter of Texas CattleWomen in their efforts to promote beef.

"Beef for Father's Day" is an annual campaign sponsored by the local organization to encourage families to serve dad his favorite food on Father's Day. Guseman is only too glad to lend his support. He raises cattle and knows the importance of the beef industry.

Not only is he a cattleman, but he also farms west of Hereford. He was born and raised in Hereford and is the son of Genevieve Guseman and the late Cecil Guseman.

He enjoys farming and ranching with his boys, Gus and Thad. They work cattle on horseback and are a big help to him around the ranch.

Summertime is cookout time and Guseman plays "head chef" for his wife, Kathy, and sons.

"I enjoy cooking outside on the grill and beef is my favorite food," he said. "I have a favorite sauce that I use and it's great for steaks."

Guseman wants everyone to remember that Beef certificates make a wonderful Father's Day gift for the father who likes to cook. Beef certificates are available at Hereford State Bank and First National Bank. They are redeemable at any grocery store in Texas.

Guseman's favorite recipes:

### GUSEMAN STEAK SAUCE

- 1 T. Worcestershire sauce
- 1 T. Heinz 57
- 1 T. butter (melted)
- 1 T. red wine
- 1 T. lemon juice
- 1 T. Season All

Melt butter and mix in small bowl and baste while grilling with pastry brush.

## Judges named for Little Miss Hereford Pageant

Judges have been named for the annual Little Miss Hereford Pageant on Saturday at 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the Hereford High School Auditorium.

The pageant begins with the Cutest Miss contestants at 5 p.m. The Miss Petite, Little Princess and Junior Miss contestants will begin at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$2 per person and will be available at the door.

The judges will be Markaye Rothman of Canyon, Carolyn Osborn of Dimmitt and Valerie Moore of Plainview.

Rothman, from Canyon, is manager of Tweedle Dee, a children's clothing store. She is a graduate of Canyon High School and attended North Harris County College. She enjoys playing with her son, Joshua, skiing, camping, cooking out and family outings along with her husband, Bobby. She is a former Little Miss Golden Spread, Little Miss Canyon and Little Miss Hardeman County and was first runnerup Little Miss Texas.

Osborn has been the county Extension agent in Castro County

since April, moving back to Texas from Arkansas. She was in business for herself for 14 years after serving with the Extension Service in Amarillo for seven years. The Swisher County native earned her BS degree in home economics at Texas Tech University and studied for her master's degree at Tech and at Texas A&M University. Her interests include traveling, reading and photography.

Moore is a math instructor in Plainview. She earned her bachelor's and master's degrees in education at West Texas State University. Her hobbies and interests include twirling, weight lifting, tennis and helping others.

## Honor roll students named

Several area students have been named to the honor roll for the spring semester at Angelo State University.

Listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 Honor Roll include Brenda Allen, an elementary education major, and Kendra Tisdale, a biology major.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 Honor roll include Jeff Hicks, an animal science major; Angela Banner; Kelby Hagar, an accounting major; and Chad Beavers, a psychology major.

The Brand welcomes news of friends, relatives, grandkids. Send to The Brand, Box 673, or call us. We're interested in local news!

## Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: I have a great idea for remembering to shut off my car lights. I keep a plastic colored clothespin clipped to the sun visor of my car. When I turn the lights on, I remove the clothespin and clip it to the keys in the ignition. It's a reminder to turn off the lights when I turn off the engine.

I know it saved my battery a few times and I hope it will help others. — Dianna Ayers, Himrod, N.Y.

I'm sure it will. I'm going to put one on my visor right now. — Heloise

### RUBBER BANDS

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from stretching out of shape. Also works great for dresses with spaghetti straps. The rubber bands prevent the straps from falling off the hanger. — May Feeshovies, East Brunswick, N.J.

### STICKY YARD STICK

Dear Heloise: When I lose a piece of laundry behind the washing machine, I cover the first 4 or 5 inches of a yardstick with masking tape, sticky side out.

This way I can use it as a "fishing pole" behind my washer to retrieve that lost article of clothing. — Sara Hubert, Fresno, Calif.

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We hope you enjoyed this. Don't forget to complete the entry form below as soon as you have met the requirements of the challenge.

**Family Reading Challenge 1991 Entry Form**

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**Social Security**

A January 1991 change in the Social Security law has expanded the rights of some wives and husbands to get Social Security benefits on the basis of a spouse's earnings, according to Jim Talbot, Social Security manager in Amarillo. The change helps women and men who married in good faith but found out later that their marriages were invalid.

"Under previous Social Security law, these people were considered husbands and wives for the purpose of receiving Social Security benefits only if no legal spouse received benefits," Talbot said. "The change provides that now Social Security benefits can be paid to both spouses. The amount of benefit one spouse gets has no effect on the amount of benefits the other spouse receives."

The change also applies to benefits for widows and widowers and divorced spouses. Divorced spouses' benefits can be paid to claimants if the marriage lasted at least 10 years. "Anyone who thinks he or she might be eligible for benefits because of the change in the law should contact us to file an application."



**'Now and Then' to play at King's Manor barbecue**

The bluegrass group "Now and Then" will perform at the annual King's Manor Founders Association barbecue on June 22 from 6-8:30 p.m. at King's Manor. The barbecue will include music, fun, food and fellowship. Tickets are available at King's Manor or by calling 364-0661.



A newborn hummingbird is the size of a bumble bee.

**Lodge holds meeting**

Hereford Rebekah Lodge #228 met Tuesday evening with Noble Grand Jo Irlbeck presiding.

Sadie Shaw was elected treasurer to fill the term vacated by the resignation of Anna Conklin. Susie Curtsinger was assisted by Mary Lou Weatherford and Lydia Hopson as they installed Shaw for the term ending in January 1992.

Officers elected to be installed in July were Genevieve Lynn as noble grand and Shirley as vice grand.

A donation of \$25 was voted to aid in the fire works display at the July 4 celebration.

Thirty-two visits to the sick, 26 cheer cards, nine dishes of food and four flowers were reported.

Ocie Bolton served as hostess to Lynn, Erma Loving, Jim Loving, Tony Irlbeck, Rosalie Northcutt, Irene Merritt, Faye Brownlow, Nelma Sowell, Ben Conklin, Peggy Lemons, Gene Bishop, Connie Ivey, Gene Ivey, Irlbeck, Shaw, Curtsinger, Weatherford and Hopson.

Louise Gray and Denny Brillheart were visitors at the fellowship hour.

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# Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** My parents have been married 49 years. They are financially secure retired professionals who have held positions of leadership in the community, church and their professions.

My father in recent years has become increasingly forgetful and is now beginning to be verbally abusive to my mother. To avoid confrontation, Mother is being uncharacteristically meek and submissive. He has always been somewhat domineering, but she has stood up to him when necessary and he valued her ideas and opinions.

I have read about hardening of the arteries in the older population and the symptoms of this disease. I think this may be what is happening to my father. He also has shown signs of depression these last few years. Here is the problem: Father distrusts doctors. He thinks they are all quacks, interested only in money. When Mother suggests a checkup, his response is, "I am not sick."

What can Mother do to get him to seek help? If she tries to reason with him he becomes angry and threatens divorce. He is pigheaded and insists

that the problem is with her. I can't bear to see my mother mistreated like this. Unfortunately, I don't live near them and have never been able to relate to my father. He has never given me credit for anything and would not listen to me.

Please us any or all of this letter, as you wish. Thank you for any help you can offer. -- Denim Dolly in Texas

**DEAR DOLLY:** Obviously you can do nothing with your father so my advice is to concentrate on your mother. She desperately needs

emotional support. Since you are not there to give it, suggest that she ask her physician or clergyman to recommend a good counselor.

Your mother must find the strength to stand up against her husband's badgering and make a life for herself. I am not suggesting separation. In this case it would be too destructive to both parties. Please write again and let me know how your mother is getting along. I really feel for her.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** It is obvious by your unsympathetic response to a recent letter that you

still have your own teeth. I refer to the letter about the overnight houseguest who accidentally lost her dentures in the toilet. The blocked drain and a plumber had to be called.

The question was whether to return them or keep quiet about the discovery. Your support of the no-return decision -- to protect the friend from embarrassment -- was full of cavities, Ann. Properly fitting, attractive dentures can be extremely costly. Frequent replacements are not looked upon kindly by dental insurers. It is possible that the

dentureless friend is still toothless. You certainly were no help.

The return of those dentures, with or without a kind note, would have been greatly appreciated. -- R.S., Riverside, Calif.

**DEAR RIVERSIDE:** A great many readers wrote to say I had given the wrong advice. Like you, they felt I should have advised the hostess to return the teeth.

I am still not totally convinced. It seems to me that the woman who lost her teeth down the toilet surely was aware of it. Apparently, her

embarrassment was so great that she preferred to say nothing and sacrifice the dentures. Let's hope the poor dear had an extra pair at home.

Is life passing you by? Want to improve your social skills? Write for Ann Landers' new booklet, "How to Make Friends and Stop Being Lonely." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$4.15 (this includes postage and handling) to: Friends, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$5.05.)

## Woman's Health

Besides eating right, watching your weight, and avoiding cigarettes and alcohol, an important part of staying healthy is visiting your doctor on a regular basis. The doctor many women see for check-ups and general medical advice is an obstetrician-gynecologist (ob-gyn).

Most women should have a gynecologic exam once a year beginning at age 18, or earlier if you are sexually active, you have menstrual problems, or you are planning to become pregnant.

During your first examination, the doctor will want to get a complete personal and family health history. He or she will ask you questions about your marital status, use of contraception, and the date of your last menstrual period, as well as about past illnesses, pregnancies or abortions, and medical problems of relatives.

The physical examination and laboratory tests provide information that the doctor needs to evaluate your health. He or she will measure your blood pressure and weight and check your breasts for signs of lumps. Your heart, lungs and abdomen will also be checked as part of the physical examination.

Part of the gynecologic exam is the Pap test. This is a test to detect changes in cells on the surface of the cervix, a condition that could develop into cancer. Other tests may be done if signs of a problem are found.

When your doctor is finished examining you and performing tests, he or she will discuss the results and answer any questions you have. This is a good time to bring up concerns about issues such as birth control, having a baby, infertility, or menopause.

Your doctor plays an important role in keeping you healthy, but it is a shared responsibility. You need to do your part by leading a healthy lifestyle and paying attention to your body for any signs that something may be wrong and by asking questions about anything that might be bothering you.

**NEW YORK (AP)** - David Merrick, the producer of "Hello Dolly" and other Broadway hits, was detained with his girlfriend for trying to take too much undeclared money out of the country, authorities said.

Merrick, 78, had about \$95,000 in cash and \$40,000 in money orders when he and Natalie Ting Teresa were stopped at Kennedy Airport on Wednesday, said Ann Driscoll, spokeswoman for the U.S. attorney's office.

Americans leaving the country can take as much money as they wish, but amounts over \$10,000 must be declared, said Customs spokeswoman Joan Baran. Merrick had reported only \$5,000, Ms. Driscoll said.

The two were interviewed by Customs agents, but no charges were filed.

Police at the airport detained Merrick two days earlier after he said he was carrying a pistol. He surrendered the unlicensed .38-caliber revolver and 19 rounds of ammunition, and no charges were filed, authorities said.



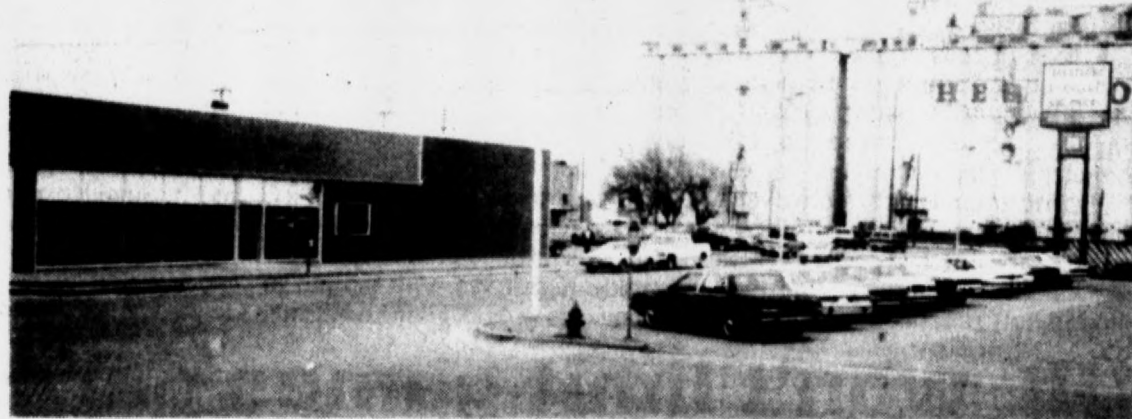
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# SPORTS

## Mendez ace highlights scramble

Carlos Mendez's team didn't win the Wednesday Scramble, but he was happy anyway. Mendez scored a rare hole-in-one on No. 3 during the scramble Wednesday at Pitman Municipal Golf Course. He knocked the ball in the hole from 135 yards out for his first ace.

The winning team with a 29 was composed of Blair Rogers, Bret West and Arthur Clark. Each player won \$44 in golf merchandise. The runnerup team with a 30 was composed of Grant Cettie, Ronnie Lance, Steve Sanders and Dave Hopper.

Mendez's team had a two-under par 33 score.

## Bulls win; Jordan sheds stigma

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) - Michael's moment was a moment to be shared.

The best basketball player in the NBA finally was part of the best team in the NBA. The shadow hovering over the Chicago Bulls disappeared as surely as the Los Angeles Lakers' hopes.

"It should get rid of the stigma of being a one-man team," Michael Jordan said. "My teammates have stepped up, and the stigma is removed."

The Bulls won the first title in their 25-year history, and Jordan got his first in his seven NBA seasons. They did it together by beating the determined but decimated Lakers 108-101 Wednesday night.

Jordan won the most valuable player award for the series. But it was the Bulls who won four consecutive games after losing the opener.

"There's not one MVP on this team," Jordan said, "there's a bunch of MVPs."

Scottie Pippen led Chicago with 32 points, the first time in the Bulls' 17 playoff games that Jordan wasn't their top scorer.

John Paxson buried jumper after jumper, scoring 10 of his 20 points in the last four minutes as the Bulls pulled out of a 93-93 tie with a 15-8 run.

Bill Cartwright had a career playoff-high of seven assists, including the one on Paxson's 19-footer that gave Chicago the lead for good, 95-93, with 3:54 left.

Horace Grant contributed 11 points, six rebounds and two blocks.

And Jordan, of course, did his share - 30 points, 10 assists and five steals while playing the full 48 minutes.

"I know we shocked a lot of people, but we did it. We as a team did it," Jordan said.

"You hear so much talk about him

as an individual player," the Lakers' Magic Johnson said, "but he's proved everyone wrong with this championship."

The Lakers nearly proved everyone wrong Wednesday night as they came close to extending the series to a sixth game Friday night in Chicago. Starters James Worthy, with a sprained ankle, and Byron Scott with a bruised shoulder, didn't play.

"When you play a great team, you need everybody," Johnson said.

But the Lakers got surprising contributions from rookies Elden Campbell and Tony Smith. Campbell had 21 points, exceeding his previous pro high of 12, and Smith added 12.

"We knew there would be different personnel," Chicago coach Phil Jackson said. "It took us about a half of the game to get ahold of the ballgame."

Sam Perkins led the Lakers with 22 points and kept them in the game down the stretch. Johnson had 16

points, 11 rebounds and 20 assists. Johnson "put out a great effort," Los Angeles coach Mike Dunleavy said. "I'm proud of the effort that our guys made ... especially the two young guys."

Each team's biggest lead in the first half was five points, and Los Angeles led 49-48 at intermission. The Bulls led 70-62 midway through the third quarter, but Los Angeles tied the game 80-80 going into the fourth.

With the Lakers ahead 88-86, Perkins was called for a flagrant foul and Pippen's two foul shots tied the game at 88. The Bulls retained the ball and Jordan's 10-footer put Chicago ahead 90-88 with 7:30 to go. But the Lakers fought back.

A free throw by Smith and a layup by A.C. Green gave them a 91-90 edge, and Campbell's dunk boosted the lead to three points with 6:35 remaining. But Los Angeles went scoreless for nearly the next four minutes.

Meanwhile, Pippen hit a 3-pointer to tie the game at 93. Then Jordan had two steals before Paxson put the Bulls ahead to stay with his 19-footer.

Paxson then hit an 18-footer on a feed from Jordan and a driving layup that made the score 99-93 with 3:03 remaining. A hook by Perkins broke Los Angeles' cold spell with 2:44 to go.

Chicago went ahead 103-96 on a layup by Jordan and a jumper from the top of the key by Paxson surrounding a Perkins free throw. Again, the Lakers charged back.

Perkins hit two free throws, a short jumper and another foul shot to close the gap to 103-101 with 1:13 left. But Paxson came through again with an 18-footer with 58 seconds to play, and Johnson missed a 3-pointer with 35 seconds to go.

The Lakers were forced to foul the rest of the way, and Pippen hit two two free throws and Jordan one to close out the scoring.

## Hot Andrade just riding out streak

CHASKA, Minn. (AP) - Billy Andrade, the skinny little golly-gee guy who can't believe his back-to-back wins, blinked with astonishment at the champions surrounding him in today's first round of the U.S. Open.

It looked like an ambush, the hottest kid on the tour wedged among the winners of seven Opens. Psyche-out time on the first tee. Felony intimidation.

Ahead of him stood Hale Irwin, who won his first Open when Andrade was 10 and his third Open last year. In the group behind loomed the winners of four other Opens - Curtis Strange (1988 and '89), Scott Simpson (1987) and Tom Watson (1982).

thought was pretty cool. I thought he handled himself very well with people. He is now a very close friend of mine. I wouldn't say I idolize him, but I like his style.

"That's sort of my personality. I don't get wrapped up in a lot of things. I'm pretty loose, fly by the wings, looney-goosey type. I don't get all uptight about some things. I'm not a type-A person. I enjoy myself, and that's the kind of the way Fuzzy is. That's the way I have to be. When I start getting all wrapped up in everything, and getting upset about little things out on the golf course, I don't play very good golf."

Andrade began his pro career in 1987 as if he were headed for immediate stardom.

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Hale Irwin has won more Opens than I've played," Andrade said, kissing off any suggestion that he should be among the favorites to win this tournament in his third appearance. Yet, he did not discount his chances.

"Right now I'm rolling, not really thinking about crashing," he said. "I just want to ride this out. I don't feel there's any pressure on me."

Andrade's attitude is straight out of the Fuzzy Zoeller school of golf course fun. Not quite Rodney Dangerfield in "Caddy Shack," but not overly serious.

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Andrade's magic ride began with his first tour victory at the Kemper Open two weeks ago and reached a higher level when he won the Buick Classic on Sunday.

Yet, Andrade wouldn't be here if not for a quick recovery from exhaustion during his qualifying round after the emotional victory in the Kemper.

Andrade had just beaten his best friend, Jeff Sluman, in a playoff, celebrated a little with his family, and had virtually no sleep before flying off for the qualifying round.

"I felt like walking in because I felt so bad," he said. "I wasn't hung over. I only had a beer and a little champagne. But because I didn't sleep the night before, I was totally exhausted. Then, on the 13th hole of the qualifying, I just kind of woke up and started feeling pretty good. I ended up shooting 10-under and qualifying for this tournament."

## YMCA sets 10-K run

There's only two months left to get in shape for the Greg Black Memorial 10-K Run.

The race, which coincides with a two-mile fun run and a two-mile walk, will be run Aug. 10. The races start at 8 a.m. at the Hereford YMCA and wind through the streets of Hereford back to the YMCA. A map of the course is on the back of the entry form, which is available at the YMCA.

There are six age divisions, plus wheelchair divisions, for both men and women in the 10-K race. The fun run and walk are divided only by sex.

The winners of each division in the 10-K race will receive a plaque, and medals will go to the second and third place finishers. Medals will also go to the top three men and top three women in the fun run, while all who finish the walk will receive ribbons.

The entry fee is \$8 until the day of the race, when it goes up to \$10. Day-of-race registration will be from 7-7:45 a.m.

## UIL won't limit games per week

AUSTIN (AP) - The University Interscholastic League has bypassed a proposal to limit the number of high school basketball games to one a week, recommending instead that schools with travel problems consider playing team sports on Friday and Saturday.

The Committee on Athletics also recommended Wednesday that a proposed rule to lower the enrollment cutoff for six-man football from 95 students in high school to 75 be delayed until the 1994-95 school year.

The basketball restriction was sought by officials of six small schools in West Texas and the South Plains, who claimed that travel time during the week was interfering with school work.

The officials proposed that no team or student participate in more than one basketball game a week, except for tournaments or district make-ups.

The six-member athletics committee did not take a direct vote on the proposal, but recommended that school officials who feel that team sports are cutting too severely into study time should consider playing only on Friday or Saturday.

A referendum of superintendents at schools that play six-man football

approved the change, 55-25, this spring but schools such as Chillicothe and Bosqueville opposed the change.

Bosqueville Superintendent Roy Trussell said if the ruling should stand, he has recommended that Bosqueville drop football "as there is no way we can compete in 11-man."

"As a former coach, you know how it feels to be everyone's homecoming," Trussell wrote UIL director Bailey Marshall.

A list of violations that could result in the ejection of a basketball coach after only one technical foul also was recommended for consideration by the 24-member council at its Oct. 21-22 meeting.

Violations would include physical contact with a game official, vocal threats, vulgar gestures, profanity or flagrant fouls.

Procedures were spelled out for certain school administrators at athletic contests to report unsportsmanlike behavior of fans, players or coaches and any unprofessional conduct by officials.

The athletics committee rejected coaches' proposals to expand the number of qualifiers at state meets in swimming and team tennis and at regional meets in track and field.

## Second City glad to finish first

CHICAGO (AP) - Partying fans packed downtown streets early today, hours after the Chicago Bulls won the first NBA championship in their 25-year history.

Cheering fans erupted from the homes and taverns as the Bulls took the NBA Finals with a 108-101 victory over the Lakers in Los Angeles Wednesday night.

Traffic ground to a halt on several major city streets. Fans leaped for joy on sidewalks, in the streets, even on the cars, shouting, waving and shooting off firecrackers and guns.

"I couldn't miss this moment for anything," said Rich Polli of Milwaukee, a Chicago native who returned for Game 5 of the Finals, the Bulls' first chance to win the title.

"I've waited 25 years for something like this. I've been through thick and thin with the Bulls, and that makes you appreciate it even more," Polli said.

"It's a definite upper for the city. It sheds a new light on the 1991-92 season," said one fan who rushed off to trade high-fives with people in passing cars without giving her name.

A 15-year-old girl was shot during celebrations on the South Side, said Officer Simeon Frost of the Chicago Police Department. The girl was on the street outside her home celebrating with friends when she was shot, apparently by stray gunfire, Frost said.

The girl, whom Frost would not identify, was in good condition today at Mt. Sinai Hospital with a gunshot wound in her thigh.

A welcome home rally for the team was scheduled for noon Friday

in downtown Grant Park, said Terry Levin, a spokesman for Mayor Richard M. Daley. Levin said the rally would be preceded by a short motorcade.

That doesn't mean nothing was planned for today.

Vendors were flooding the city with championship merchandise. And although the championship trophy was still in Los Angeles, another one was on hand for display in the Second - or is that First? - City.

Tiffany's, the jewelry company that designed and created the NBA trophy, made two. One was held aloft by Michael Jordan and company Wednesday night. Tiffany's planned to display the other at its Michigan Avenue store, said vice president Wallace Steiner.

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**PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT**

Senate Joint Resolution 42 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the newly created county education districts to hold elections to exempt from ad valorem taxation a percentage of the market value of the residence homestead of a married or unmarried adult. The percentage exempted could not exceed 20% of such market value, and the amount exempted could not be less than \$5,000. The amendment would also authorize county education districts to hold elections to exempt from ad valorem taxation not less than \$3,000 of the market value of the residence homestead of a disabled person or a person sixty-five years of age or older. Finally, the amendment would authorize elections in county education districts for the taxation of certain tangible personal property exempted from ad valorem taxation by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the voters of a county education district to adopt certain exemptions from the district's ad valorem taxation for residence homesteads and to provide for the taxation of certain tangible personal property."

**PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT**

Senate Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass general laws authorizing Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to issue and sell up to \$300 million of general obligation bonds to finance educational loans to students. The maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by the bonds would be set by law. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to provide for the investment of bond proceeds and to establish an interest and sinking fund to pay the bonds and provide for the investment of such fund. Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in an interest and sinking fund established at the end of the preceding year that is pledged to the payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds to provide educational loans to students."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 10 de agosto de 1991. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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# Twins clip Yankees; streak reaches 11

By DICK BRINSTER  
AP Sports Writer

The Minnesota Twins aren't wondering how they've managed to win 11 games in a row. They know how.

"We're playing good baseball in every aspect," Allan Anderson said Wednesday night after pitching the Twins within a victory of their longest winning streak ever. "We're scoring runs, getting good pitching and the defense has been outstanding."

The latter hasn't been lost on second baseman Chuck Knoblauch, who had three hits as the Twins beat the New York Yankees 6-3.

"If you look back on these 11 games, I'll bet there's been 15 or 20 great defensive plays," he said.

Minnesota will try tonight to match its 1980 mark of 12 straight victories.

Rookie Pedro Munoz hit a

first-inning grand slam for the Twins.

Anderson (4-4) won his third straight start for the first time since September 1989 and remained perfect in his career against New York. He pitched 6 1-3 innings, allowing eight hits while striking out four and walking none in raising his career mark against the Yankees to 5-0.

Steve Bedrosian worked the final 1 1-3 innings for his third save, sending the Yankees to only their sixth loss in 18 games. New York, with Jeff Johnson (0-2) taking the loss, got two homers and three RBIs from Jesse Barfield.

Rangers 4, White Sox 2

Ruben Sierra hit a bases-loaded triple as Texas, despite getting only two hits off former teammate Charlie Hough, beat Chicago.

John Barfield (3-1) summoned from the bullpen for only his fourth big league start, worked 6 2-3 innings. Jeff

Russell pitched two innings for his 13th save.

Hough (3-3) struck out nine but walked eight.

Blue Jays 1, Indians 0

Toronto rookie Mike Timlin, making his first major league start, allowed only one hit and one ball beyond the infield in six innings.

The 25-year-old Timlin (5-3) walked two and struck out six, combining with three other pitchers on a two-hitter.

Tom Candiotti (7-4) was the latest victim of the Indians' anemic offense, losing despite allowing only three hits - including Joe Carter's first-inning RBI single - in his third complete game.

Brewers 8, Angels 0

Teddy Higuera's comeback featured 10 strikeouts in six scoreless innings, but Fernando Valenzuela's was marked by five runs in 1 2-3 innings.

Paul Molitor had three hits and three RBIs, including a two-run homer when the Brewers scored four times against Valenzuela (0-2) in the second. Robin Yount had four hits, including a two-run double in that inning.

Higuera (1-2) allowed four hits. Athletics 3, Tigers 1

Terry Steinbach and Jose Canseco homered, and the Athletics combined for a three-hitter.

Mike Moore (8-4) gave up one hit in six innings - a sixth-inning single to Lou Whitaker - but came out after leading the bases in the fifth and sixth, walking five batters on 3-2 pitches.

Frank Tanana (3-6) took a no-hitter into the fifth before giving up Steinbach's homer.

Mariners 5, Red Sox 3

Ken Griffey Jr. had a homer and three RBIs for Seattle.

Bill Krueger (3-2) pitched a

four-hitter, but lost his bid for his first complete game since Oct. 2, 1985, in the ninth inning. The visiting Red Sox got an RBI double by Wade Boggs off Krueger and a run-scoring single by Phil Plantier off reliever Bill Swift before Rob Murphy and Mike Jackson came on to get the last three outs.

Royals 9, Orioles 8

Danny Tartabull had two homers,

including the decisive shot in the 10th inning, and a career-high six RBIs.

The Orioles, 0-4 in extra-inning games, had rallied from an 8-1 deficit before Tartabull hit the first pitch of the 10th by Mark Williamson (0-2) over the left-field wall.

Mark Davis (2-1) got the last two outs of the ninth and Jeff Montgomery pitched the 10th to earn his 12th save.

## Ryan revs Rangers

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) - The Texas Rangers didn't need Nolan Ryan when they won 14 straight games. But it took another sparkling performance by Ryan to put the Rangers back in the victory column.

Ryan's six-hitter led Texas to a 2-0 victory over the Chicago White Sox Tuesday night, snapping the Rangers' eight-game losing streak.

It was the first complete game by a Texas pitcher since Ryan's seventh career no-hitter on May 1. It also was Ryan's first victory since then.

"You've got to block that out," said Ryan, who was on the disabled list when the Rangers won a club-record 14 games in a row before their losing streak.

"Even though I hadn't won, I felt like I had been pretty consistent. I just hadn't had a lot of runs to work with, and I was on the disabled list for 15 days with arm trouble."

It was the winning streak that carried the Rangers from sixth to first in the American League West last month, but they lost 11 of the next 12 and plummeted to five games behind Oakland before Ryan bailed them out.

Ryan struck out 10 and walked one in pitching his 31st career shutout and recording his 306th victory.

The losing streak baffled some of the players.

"How do you explain winning 14 in a row and then losing eight? You don't," Rangers outfielder Gary Pettis said. "When things aren't going well, you have a tendency later on in the game to look for a break to get you back in the game. When things are going well, you tend to

create your own situations, especially when guys are hitting the ball as well as our guys have been."

Texas manager Bobby Valentine said he couldn't fault his starting pitching rotation for the slump.

"I think of the last 10 games or so, I'd take 7 or 8 of those starts every day of the week," Valentine said. Ryan's outing, in fact, the Rangers starting pitchers didn't perform well during the streak and were helped by the hitters and relievers.

But defense and hitting failed the Rangers during the losing streak. While Rafael Palmeiro, Julio Franco, Ruben Sierra and Juan Gonzalez led an attack that averaged eight runs per game during the winning streak, the foursome went into a collective June swoon.

In addition, Franco committed four errors in a four-day span to tie for the league lead for most errors by a second baseman, and after going all season without a single error, Sierra dropped a fly in right field that allowed both of Chicago's runs to score in extra innings Monday night.

Gonzalez and Kevin Reimer also committed costly errors in the outfield that contributed to losses.

But Ryan's return has boosted Valentine's hopes.

"Maybe now this can be the start of something," Valentine said. "Nolan Ryan sets a competitive tone for this team. He goes right after people once he has a lead. That's something the team notices. There's no one better at the competition of baseball..."

## Drabek, Pirates' defense beat LA

By The Associated Press

For the most part, Doug Drabek has looked like anything but a Cy Young winner this season. But with a little help from the Pittsburgh defense recently, he's starting to round into form.

"Those are the plays that make the difference between winning and losing," Pirates manager Jim Leyland said after his defense keyed a 2-1 victory behind Drabek over Los Angeles on Wednesday night.

Drabek, last year's National League Cy Young winner, allowed one run in seven innings, thanks to the sparkling Pirate defense, as he continued his comeback from a dreadful 1-6 start. The victory put his record at 5-7.

"I can think of four key defensive plays they made... and that keeps you in ballgames," said Drabek, who has allowed two runs in his last four starts. "When you're pitching to a lineup with three or four guys who can knock it out, you like the challenge, but you also like having a good defense behind you."

The game was the first this season between the two NL division leaders.

Drabek has allowed 17 hits in 14 innings but only one run in his last two starts, thanks mostly to Pittsburgh's defense. The Pirates turned a succession of highlight film-type plays for him last Friday as they beat San Diego 1-0 despite 13 Padres hits. Wednesday night was the same story.

Orlando Merced's two-out single and Jay Bell's triple scored Pittsburgh runs in the third against Mike Morgan (6-5), who is 0-5 lifetime against the Pirates and has a 6.46 ERA in Three Rivers Stadium.

Drabek, who allowed only a solo homer to Kal Daniels in the fourth, has given up two earned runs in his last 32 innings to lower his ERA to a season's low 2.78.

Astros 3, Phillies 2

Steve Finley's bases-loaded single with two out in the ninth inning gave the Astros their fourth straight win.

Al Osuna (3-2) pitched 1 2-3 innings. Joe Boever (3-5) was the loser.

Jim Deshaies shut out the Phillies until the eighth. Then Von Hayes and Jim Lindeman led off with singles,

moved up on a groundout and scored on a single by pinch-hitter Ron Jones, making his first at-bat of the season.

Braves 6, Mets 1

Steve Avery did it all by pitching a five-hitter and going 4-for-4.

Avery, Atlanta's No. 1 pick in the 1988 amateur draft, entered the game with two hits in 21 at-bats this season and 6-for-51 lifetime.

Avery (7-4) sparked a four-run fifth inning off Ron Darling (2-4) with a single, and tripled and scored on Jeff Blauser's sacrifice fly in the sixth. His fourth hit, a single leading off the eighth, also helped build a run.

Cubs 6, Giants 1

Shawn Boskie allowed seven hits over 7 2-3 innings, and Ryne Sandberg capped a five-run fourth inning with a two-run single.

It was the first victory since April 27 for Boskie (3-5), who lost his bid for a shutout and a complete game in the eighth inning when Tony Perezchica led off with a pinch double and scored on a pair of infield outs.

Don Robinson (3-5) was the loser.

Expos 10, Reds 9

Tim Wallach had four hits, including his third homer in four days, and Dave Martinez went 3-for-3 with two RBIs as Montreal outslugged visiting Cincinnati.

Scott Ruskin (2-1) pitched one inning to get the victory while Randy Myers (2-4) took the Reds' first loss in four games.

Wallach's fourth hit of the game, a single in the eighth inning, scored Marquis Grissom with the go-ahead run. Eric Bullock's sacrifice fly gave Montreal a 10-8 lead.

Padres 7, Cardinals 2

Tony Fernandez hit a tie-breaking single to ignite a five-run rally in the eighth inning, preserving a fine effort by Bruce Hurst as San Diego beat St. Louis.

Hurst (7-3) allowed four hits over eight innings. After allowing a two-run single to opposing pitcher Omar Olivares in the second inning, Hurst retired 14 straight batters before Rex Hudler hit a bunt single in the seventh. Hurst struck out four and walked one. Cris Carpenter (7-2) was the loser.

## Astros may be offered to NL rejects

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Astros owner John McMullen is seeking approval from baseball's ownership committee to sell the team to potential buyers in another city who could move the team, a published report says.

McMullen and Louis Sussman, a former St. Louis Cardinals official who now works for Salomon Brothers, the investment banking firm retained by the team, met Wednesday with the eight-member major league ownership committee in Santa Monica, Calif., the Houston Chronicle reported today.

One committee member who asked not to be identified told the Chronicle that McMullen and his associates requested permission to sell the franchise to an out-of-town buyer. There has been speculation McMullen would want to sell to one of the losing expansion groups.

"Their report was they are having trouble selling the club," said George W. Bush, minority owner of the Texas Rangers and a member of the

ownership committee.

Bush refused to comment on whether McMullen had support from other owners to sell the team to investors who would move the franchise.

McMullen wants to test the interest of the four cities that were expansion losers - Washington, D.C.; Buffalo, N.Y.; Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla.; and Orlando, Fla. New franchises have been awarded to Denver and Miami.

A group headed by retired Texas Commerce Bancshares chairman Ben Love and his son, attorney Jeff Love, made a formal bid on the Astros last winter and is believed to be preparing a new proposal.

Cincinnati Reds owner Marge Schott expressed support for an Astros move if a Houston buyer could not be found.

"I think a team should be allowed to move to a city where they are wanted," Ms. Schott said. "If they are not wanted where they are, then why should they stay?"

To move the team, McMullen would need approval from nine National League owners, eight American League owners and commissioner Fay Vincent, who has said he will not allow teams to move unless circumstances are extreme.

Three NL owners, Doug Danforth of Pittsburgh, Bill Giles of Philadelphia and Bob Lurie of San Francisco, told the Chronicle they would not support McMullen's request. That means he would need the support of all the remaining NL owners to move the Astros.

"I know I wouldn't vote for it," Lurie said. "I can't see where we would approve it, but I could be wrong."

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McMullen refused to answer reporters' questions after Wednesday's meetings. But he told the Orlando Sentinel, "I have intended from the start to sell to someone who does not want to move the team. And I still want to do what is in the best interests of baseball."

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The Custom Calling Services affected by the Company's application are optional telephone service arrangements that provide the following features: Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Three Way Calling, Speed Calling 8 and Speed Calling 30.

The Company's proposal would increase the monthly rate for the individual Call Waiting feature from \$2.10 to \$3.10 for residence customers. Also, the rates for certain combinations of Custom Calling Features (Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Three-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8) would increase or decrease depending upon the combination of features. In addition, the company proposes to obsolete the optional Custom Calling Service feature Speed Calling 30 for residence customers except for existing customers at their existing locations. Following are the feature combinations and their current and proposed rates.

One Feature Per Line	Current	Proposed
Call Waiting	\$2.10	\$3.10
Call Forwarding	2.10	2.10
Three-Way Calling	2.10	2.10
Speed Calling-8	2.10	2.10
Two Features Per Line	Current	Proposed
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding	3.75	4.50
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling	3.70	4.50
Call Waiting, Speed Calling-8	3.70	4.50
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling	3.70	3.50*
Call Forwarding, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50*
3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50*
Three Features Per Line	Current	Proposed
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and 3-Way Calling	5.30	5.90
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.90
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.90
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	4.90*
Four Features Per Line	Current	Proposed
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	6.90	7.30
Speed Calling 30	3.20	3.20**

\*denotes rate decrease.  
\*\*Southwestern Bell's application proposes to obsolete residence Speed Calling 30 except for existing customers at their existing locations.

Most of the Company's residence customers in Texas who subscribe to one or more of the Custom Calling Service features will be affected by the proposed rate restructuring. It is expected that the proposed rate restructuring of Custom Calling Services will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$15.9 million, which is an increase of approximately one half of 1 percent in the Company's adjusted revenue for the twelve-month period ending December 1990. The restructuring will result in an increase in the Custom Calling Services rates for approximately 2.5 million residence customers and rate decreases for approximately 15,000 residence customers. Also, the obsolescence of the optional feature Speed Calling 30 will affect approximately 156,000 residence customers.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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# Dravecky faces amputation

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Former San Francisco Giants pitcher Dave Dravecky drew on his religious faith to face the cancer that robbed him of his pitching career. Now, he faces amputation.

After a 2 1/2-year battle against cancer, Dravecky is scheduled to have his left arm amputated at the shoulder to alleviate chronic infection and nerve damage, the Giants announced Wednesday.

"My wife Jan and I are at peace right now," Dravecky, 35, said Wednesday in a statement issued by the Giants.

"We know that there is a reason for everything. This is for the best. Life goes on. My goal is to be back on the lecture circuit by mid-July, and I will continue with my life just as before. My thanks to everyone for their prayers."

Doctors removed 50 percent of the major pitching muscle in Dravecky's left arm in 1988 and told him he would never pitch again. But, just 10 months later, Dravecky wowed his fans by pitching seven shutout innings to beat the Cincinnati Reds 4-3.

Five days later, he broke his left arm while pitching against Montreal. The bone healed and Dravecky was considering another comeback when the arm was broken again, this time in an on-field celebration with his teammates when the Giants won the 1989 National League pennant.

The cancer has likely recurred in Dravecky's arm but has not spread elsewhere, said Dr. Murray Brennan, who will perform the surgery Tuesday at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in New York.

"It's a big operation," said Brennan. "But he should handle it. It shouldn't be life-threatening."

Dravecky, who lives in Boardman, Ohio, probably will be admitted to the hospital next Monday and remain hospitalized for two weeks.

Brennan said the amputation is required by a recurring staph infection and will relieve the pain Dravecky has been experiencing in recent weeks.

Dravecky couldn't be reached for comment on Wednesday. But in past interviews he indicated he had come to grips with the possibility of losing his arm.

"Amputation is something that I have already accepted," Dravecky said in an interview with the Los Angeles Times last December.

Dravecky's literary agent, Sealy Yates, told the San Francisco Chronicle that Dravecky's family has taken the news well.

"He told me his daughter said to him, 'At least now, I can hug daddy,'" Yates said. Dravecky has an 8-year-old daughter Tiffany and 6-year-old son Jonathan.

Dravecky's dramatic comeback from cancer in 1989 gained standing ovations from fans and players alike.

After his 1988 operation, Dravecky worked out through the winter although he could barely lob a ball 30 feet.

But after he broke his arm twice during the 1989 season, he retired. But he never stopped going.

Dravecky has thrown himself into a new career: speaking to church and convention groups about how his religious faith has helped his recovery.

Dravecky pitched for the San Diego Padres from 1982 to 1987, appearing in the All-Star Game in 1983 and the World Series in 1984.

He was traded to the Giants in July 1987 and won seven games that season as the team took the National League West title. He gave up only one run in 25 2-3 innings of postseason action that year.

He resumed pitching in 1988 with a three-hit victory against the eventual World Series champions, the Los Angeles Dodgers. But a partially detached bicep tendon limited him to seven appearances for the season, and that October the first of several malignant tumors was found in his arm.

# Baylor frosh runner won't rest on laurels

By GEORGE P. WHITLEY  
Henderson Daily News

LANEVILLE, Texas (AP) - It's been quite a year for Laneville's Corey Williams. Accolades have been coming in fast and furious for the Baylor freshman, but he has managed to stay a step ahead of the game.

Williams added yet another national championship plaque to his mantle.

He might ought to expand his trophy case, because if his next three years are anything like his first year, the gold will come rolling in.

The question arises: What can Williams do for an encore?

Check out his accomplishments from his freshman year with the Baylor track team: Southwest Conference indoor champion in the 600-meter dash, a race which he'd never competed in before; member of the NCAA indoor national championship 4x400 relay team; and anchor of the NCAA outdoor national championship 4x400 relay.

Not a bad first year at all.

"I realize everything has happened real fast for me. But I don't think I'll become satisfied and not work. I know I'll have to continue to work hard," said Williams.

"Everything is so much more competitive on the college level. If you slip, you may end up falling. I really enjoyed this past year, but I'm not satisfied. I want more."

Williams has had the look of a confident performer ever since he started running track for Laneville some five years ago.

"I've always had confidence in my ability to run. I don't go out wondering how I'm going to win. I just go out with the intent to win the race," Williams said.

"Pressure has never really bothered me. The only pressure you feel is what you put on yourself. I just don't let that kind of stuff get to me."

It was apparent from the start that Williams was not awed by big stadiums or large crowds. In his sophomore year at Laneville, he stepped off a state gold medal finish in the 400-meter dash, his natural race.

He was well on his way to a repeat performance his junior year, but a leg injury at the regional meet washed away that chance.

Williams rebounded with a gold medal showing in Austin his senior year. He wound up his three-year varsity career at Laneville having never lost a race.

It was at the state meet in 1988 that Williams caught the eye of Baylor coach Clyde Hart. Recruiting letters poured in from colleges all across the country, but it was Baylor that won him out in the end, and it's a decision

with which both are happy.

"When you hear of Baylor, you automatically think of speed. That's one of the primary things that appealed to me. I'd dreamed of running on the mile relay team," said Williams.

Williams didn't anchor the mile relay during prelims of the NCAA's and the Bears wound up finishing second. After some discussion with coaches, Williams was moved to the anchor leg.

"It's flattering that they have so much confidence in me. I guess it does make it easier for me to run, knowing that everyone believes in me," Williams said.

Williams took the anchor leg hand-off, fended off speedsters from Nebraska and Auburn, and led Baylor to its national championship finish.

"I really didn't concern myself with the other runners. I knew if I ran my race, I'd have a good chance to win. That's exactly what I did," said Williams.

With a SWC title and two national crowns under his belt, Williams has set his sights on the Pan Am Games. He will travel to Minnesota to compete in time trials with hopes of qualifying.

Williams admits it would be easy to become complacent after a star-studded freshman campaign, but says the chance of making the 1992 U.S. Olympic team inspires him to work harder.

"I'm not putting everything I have into making the '92 Olympics, but I would really like the opportunity to try out. The Pan Am Games will give me some indication as to where I stand," Williams said.

"I don't plan on running the rest of my life. A runner tends to peak before he's 30. After I graduate, I would like to have the opportunity to run professionally for a few years and shoot for the '96 Olympics."

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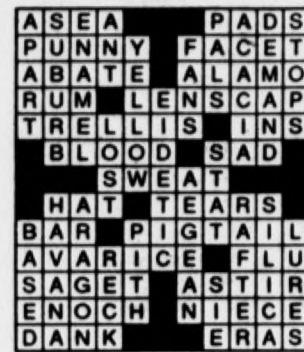
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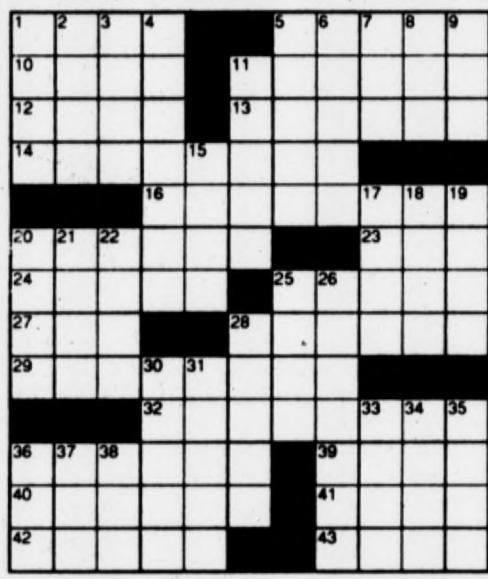
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Aug	87.70 87.40 87.40 87.25 + 25 86.00 85.20 7.76
Sept	86.52 86.45 86.35 86.77 + 25 85.10 84.75 2.416
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Est. vol. 1,800; vol. Tues 1,500; open int 12,500. -1.382	

**GRAIN FUTURES**

CORN (CBT) 5,000 bu., cents per bu.	
July	243 245 238 238 + 2 238 238 7.402
Sept	246 247 240 240 + 1 237 240 31.791
Dec	247 249 241 241 + 2 239 240 79.413
Mar	255 255 249 249 + 1 237 240 11.489
May	259 259 251 251 + 2 239 240 2.861
July	264 264 257 257 + 1 240 240 1.661
Dec	254 255 251 254 + 1 240 240 1.133
Est. vol. 45,000; vol. Tues 37,000; open int 20,500. -1.382	

**METAL FUTURES**

GOLD (COM) - 100 Troy oz., \$ per Troy oz.	
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## Hotline rules for food handling

There are some foods you just naturally think of when you think of Spring. Delicious hams--country fresh or canned, eggs--hardcooked and dyed or whipped into beautiful meringue baskets, corned beef on St. Patrick's Day, and briskets--hot and spicy for any gathering.

But did you ever stop to think that the way you handled those colorful eggs, that succulent ham or other foods could lead to foodborne illness?

Our callers to the USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline have, and many question "why" when given handling advice. To learn why special care is needed when preparing for spring festivities, listen in on a few hotline calls.

Q. Why do some canned hams need refrigeration? Most canned foods don't.

A. Whether or not a food product requires refrigeration to keep it safe depends on how the food was processed.

Most canned foods, like fruits and vegetables, have been heated to temperatures high enough to kill bacteria that cause both illness and spoilage. Small canned hams, usually less than one pound, have been processed in this way. These, like most canned foods, do not require refrigeration.

Other foods, like milk and larger canned hams that require refrigeration, are pasteurized. That means they are heated to temperatures high enough to kill pathogenic bacteria, but not other bacteria that can cause food to spoil over time. These foods are not heated to higher levels because the higher heat treatment changes the flavor and quality.

Canned hams with a "Keep Refrigerated" label should be stored in the refrigerator or they will sour very quickly.

Q. Recently, a chef on TV stated that it is now safe to eat pork rare. "Serve pork juicy and still pink," he said. I've always thought pork must be well done to be safe. What has

LONDON (AP) - Pete Townshend, The Who's lead guitarist, has been named a "Living Legend" of rock.

The 46-year-old musician known for his windmill-style playing was honored Wednesday at the International Rock Awards at Docklands Arena. Previous winners include guitarists Keith Richards of the Rolling Stones and Eric Clapton.

Other winners at the third annual show included Sting, bassist of the year; ZZ Top, video legends of the year; Chris Isaak, lead male vocalist of the year; Chrissie Hynde, female vocalist of the year, and Vernon Reid, guitarist of the year.

Also: Bruce Hornsby, keyboard player of the year; Chester Thompson, top drummer; Jesus Jones, top newcomer; The Black Crowes, artists of the year and winners of album of the year for "Shake Your Money Maker," and Paul McCartney, tour of the year.

Madonna won the Hard Rock Cafe Foundation's people's choice award.



About \$450 million worth of pickles and pickle products is made each year.

happened to change the cooking advice.

A. It is true that in past years a higher final internal temperature was recommended for fresh pork products. The concern centered on the trichina parasite sometimes found in pork.

Trichina levels in pork products have been reduced considerably in recent years due to efforts by USDA and the industry. But you must still cook pork, and all other raw meat and poultry products, to an internal temperature high enough to kill bacteria that may be in the raw food.

For optimal safety all meat and poultry products should be cooked to an internal temperature of 160 degrees. For pork, that is medium, and still quite juicy. If you prefer pork well done, cook it to 170 degrees.

Q. Recently, when purchasing corned beef I noticed that some brands had a sell-by date on the label, and some had use-by dates. The time spans were quite different. What exactly do these dates mean?

A. Although many products bear sell-by or use-by dates, product dating is not a federal requirement. The dates are placed on the labels by either the processor or the retailer.

A use-by date on a package is a reliable guide to the shopper. It indicates a safe time frame for home use of the product, if it is properly stored.

A sell-by date is an indication to the retailer as to how long a product should be out for sale. It is legal in most states to sell product beyond the sell-by date, if the product is still wholesome.

If you buy a product with a sell-by date, use it within a few days of purchase for best quality and safety regardless of the date.

Q. When preparing for spring holiday meals, I like to cook ahead. But I've always heard that it is dangerous to freeze foods with mayonnaise, like chicken salad. Is mayonnaise the problem?

A. Basically, with chicken salad, as with most foods, there are safety issues and quality issues. It's not dangerous, from a safety standpoint, to freeze chicken salad. It's just not wise because when mayonnaise is frozen, the consistency changes and becomes watery.

So, when considering freezing foods that contain mayonnaise, know that the food will be safe, but the quality will not be as good.

Try freezing the salad ingredients mixed with a little vegetable oil, and add the mayonnaise later when preparing to serve.

Q. I saw a recipe for a dessert basket made from baked egg white meringue. Why would this food be safe to eat, but the meringue on the pie might not?

A. There is some concern that Salmonella enteritidis may be in the whites of eggs as well as the yolks. Care must be taken when preparing meringues using raw egg whites.

Baskets made from meringue that have been heated and air-dried would be safe if all the moisture has been depleted by drying.

Meringues on a pie are safe if heated in a 350 degree oven for at least 20 minutes, and the temperature in the center of the meringue has reached 160 degrees.

There are also powdered egg white

products on the market. These products have been pasteurized, and are safe to use for meringue recipes.

Q. Cooking directions on a piece of beef brisket that I will prepare for our Seder meal suggested that it be cooked at 275 degrees for many hours. Is so low an oven temperature risky?

A. For optimal safety, we recommend an oven temperature no lower than 325 degrees. It may take too long for food to reach a safe internal temperature, one that will kill harmful bacteria, when it's cooked at a lower setting.

Brisket does require a longer cooking time for tenderness and quality. Perhaps cooking the brisket in a crock-pot would be a safe alternative.

Cut the meat into uniform sized pieces, fill the pot up to 2/3 full with sauce, and cook on a low setting until the meat reaches at least 160 degrees and is tender.

Crock-pot cooking is safe at the lower temperature because the heat is contained in the pot and the liquid provides a steamy atmosphere lethal to bacteria.



### Knives, carvings on display

Truett Wiseman's collection of knives and wood carvings will be on display at the Deaf Smith County Library during the months of June and July. He has been collecting knives for over 20 years. Among the knife collection are knives from India and Finland. Also displayed are wood carvings from Russia, Phillipines, Hawaii and Kenya, Africa.

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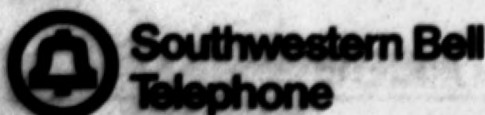
### Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (Company), in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), hereby gives notice of its intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas for Directory Assistance Services, effective August 1, 1991, unless otherwise determined by the Commission. The Company has filed an application with the Commission to restructure and change the rates for Directory Assistance Service.

To help recover its costs, the Company is proposing to increase the rates for Directory Assistance calls from \$.30 to \$.40 per call (after the three-call allowance). Southwestern Bell is proposing that there be no change in the number of free Directory Assistance calls allowed each month (currently three) and that customers who qualify for exemption of Directory Assistance charges because of visual or physical handicaps continue to be exempt from these charges. The company also proposes to begin charging \$.25 per call for Directory Assistance from pay telephones.

If approved by the Commission, this proposed rate change for Directory Assistance will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$15.4 million, which is an increase of approximately one half of 1 percent in the Company's adjusted revenue for the twelve-month period ending December 1990. This proposed rate change would affect approximately 900,000 residence customers, approximately 155,000 business customers, approximately 500 private pay telephone owners and all customers who make Directory Assistance calls from public pay telephones.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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