

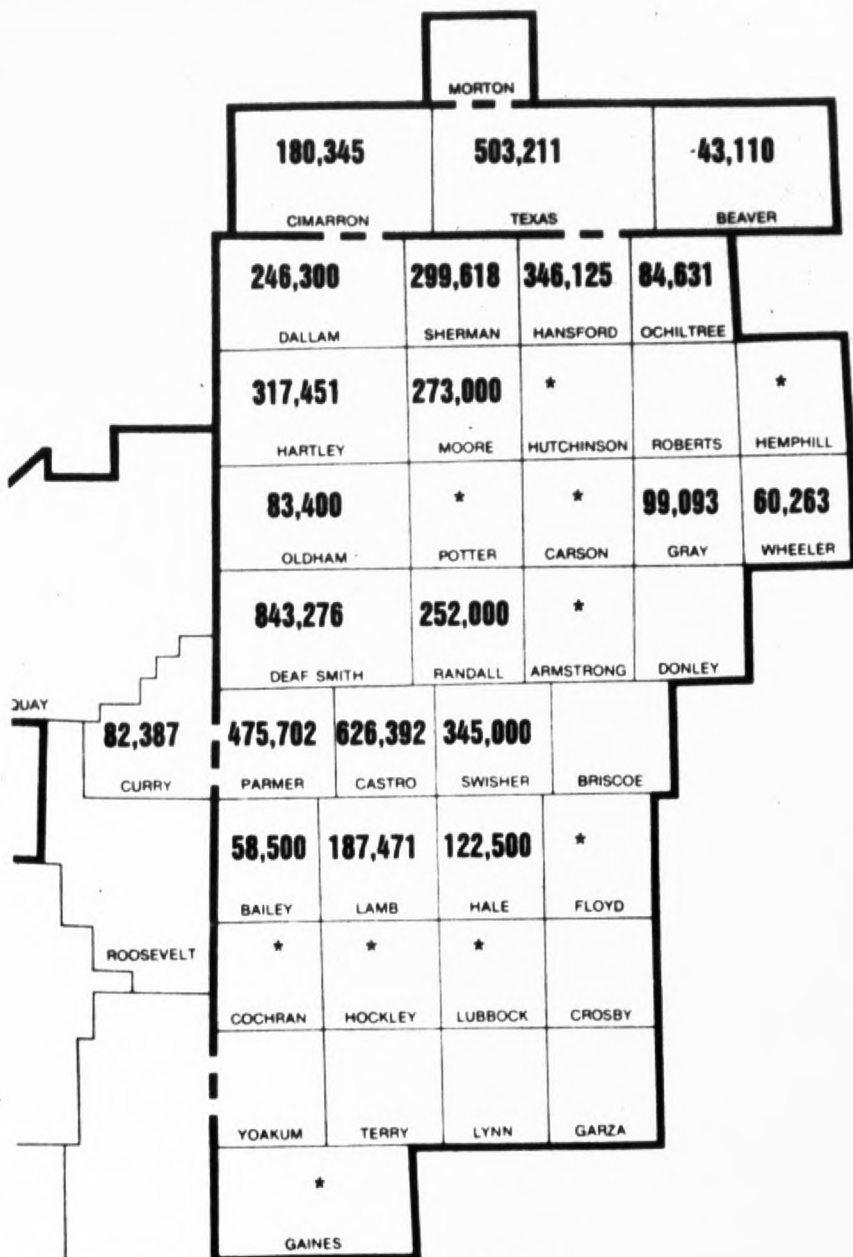
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## SPS Fed Cattle Survey

The annual Fed Cattle Survey, conducted by Southwestern Public Service, includes this map showing the number of fed cattle in each county of the Panhandle, as well as parts of Oklahoma and New Mexico. Deaf Smith County continues to head the list.

## Fed Cattle study released Survey shows Deaf Smith tops in cattle

Another record-breaking year in the area's cattle industry was reflected in the annual Fed Cattle Survey conducted by Southwestern Public Service Co.

The survey shows a six percent increase in fed cattle from 1991 to 1992, the fourth consecutive year of growth. Feedlots in the SPS service area fed 5,988,196 head of cattle in 1992, compared with 5,644,133 in 1991.

Deaf Smith County again led the way by a large margin—feeding 475,702 head of cattle in 1992. The listings show 13 feedlots in the county with a one-time lot capacity of 387,000 head. Castro County was second with 626,392, and also had 13 feedlots. Parmer County was next in Texas with 475,502 head of fed cattle.

The "Golden Triangle" of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer accounted for 1,945,370 head of fed cattle, or 38 percent of the Texas total.

Of the 124 yards in the SPS area,

93 were in Texas. The number of feedlots in the survey increased by two since last year. Texas claimed 5,174,143 of the total fed cattle in the SPS area.

"The six percent increase in fed cattle is three times higher than last year's percentage," said Dave Krupnick, SPS manager of agricultural and wholesale marketing.

Other good indicators from the survey are the increases in one-time capacity, from 2,904,585 to 2,944,575, and the increase in the number of cattle slaughtered at the 12 beef-packing plants in the SPS service area. Several packing plants are located just outside the SPS area, accounting for the difference between the number of cattle slaughtered and the number fed.

SPS annually prepares a Fed Cattle Survey including feedlots in its service area, which covers 52,000 square miles. The region includes the

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## GOP opposition kills jobs deal

WASHINGTON (AP) - Jubilant Senate Republicans say their defeat of President Clinton's jobs bill shows he will have to deal with them when he tries to move health care and the rest of his agenda through Congress.

But Democrats say their decision to drop the package in the face of a month-long GOP filibuster leaves minority Republicans facing the wrath of voters for blocking job creation and perpetuating legislative gridlock.

Clinton suffered his first big defeat in Congress on Wednesday when Democrats, bowing to GOP pressure, dropped from the bill \$3.2 billion for road building and \$8.2 billion for job training and other programs.

After thus effectively killing a major leg of Clinton's economic recovery agenda, the Senate on a voice vote approved \$4 billion for jobless benefits, the only part of the

package that never had been controversial.

House action on the trimmed-down measure was possible as early as today.

"It's not a big defeat for me," Clinton told reporters as each side tried to put the best face on the vote. "It's a big disappointment to the hundreds of thousands of Americans who would have had jobs."

Clinton also tried to contrast the battle with the support Republicans showed for former President Bush's efforts to help American allies.

"The people who have voted for this sort of spending repeatedly to help other countries and wouldn't do it to help their own folks and did it when the deficit was going up - and I'm bringing the deficit down - they may have to explain some things," he said.

Republicans said they had the

support of Americans tired of spending legislation that does little but cause swelling budget deficits and relentless tax increases.

"We believe the taxpayers won this time," said Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan.

And while Dole was reluctant to call the showdown a defeat for Clinton, he said the White House will have to seek GOP support on health care, campaign finance reform and other issues. The new president, flush with last month's lightning-quick congressional passage of his budget, did not try to woo any Republicans to support his jobs package.

"Sometimes, they ought to consult the Republican leader," Dole pointedly told reporters.

But Democrats took pains to remind voters that the GOP action bore a strong resemblance to the congressional standoffs that so

disturbed the public last year.

"While the other side is congratulating each other on proving they are a force to be reckoned with, they have only proved that they are the guardians of gridlock," said Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va.

The bill's demise came after Democrats failed Wednesday for the fourth time to halt the Republican filibuster that had frozen the bill.

The roll call was 56-43 - four votes short of the 60 needed. Sen. Richard Shelby, D-Ala., was the only lawmaker to cross party lines, and Sen. Alan Simpson, R-Wyo., did not vote.

After that vote, as Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, consulted with Clinton and other administration officials, Democrats and Republicans fruitlessly swapped proposed compromises.

## Bill passes Senate that would revoke licenses of people arrested for DWI

AUSTIN (AP) - People arrested for driving while intoxicated could automatically lose their driver's license under a bill that has been approved by the Texas Senate.

The measure by Sen. Judith Zaffirini, D-Laredo, which has died twice before in the Legislature, passed the Senate Wednesday. It now goes to the House for consideration. Critics of the proposal say it penalizes people without giving them a fair hearing.

"We need to be careful when we start playing political games with people's lives," Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, said.

But Ms. Zaffirini said, "We have bent over backwards to ensure that due process is honored."

Under the bill, a person arrested for DWI would have their license revoked and be given a temporary license for 40 days. During that time, the person could appeal the revocation before an administrative law judge.

If the person loses the appeal, or fails to appeal, he or she would lose their license for 90 days. The suspension period would increase to one year if they had a previous DWI or drug-related charge in the past five years.

NO TOPLESS TEEN-AGERS  
Texans would have to be at least 21 to work nude or topless under a bill given preliminary approval by the Texas House. The current age requirement is 17. If approved in another House vote, the bill goes to the Senate for consideration.

NO PASSING  
Drivers who illegally pass a school bus would face increased penalties under a bill adopted by the state Senate. The maximum fine would rise from \$200 to \$1,000. The bill, which earlier passed the House, returns there for consideration of Senate amendments.

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NO GANG RETALIATION  
Killing someone in retaliation, such as a witness or informant, would be punishable by the death penalty under a bill that won preliminary House approval. The bill is part of a package of anti-gang bills by Rep. Eddie De La Garza, D-Edinburg. If given final House approval, the bills go to the Senate for consideration.

NO DISCRIMINATION  
All polling places would have to be accessible to the elderly and physically disabled under a bill given

preliminary House approval. The measure by Rep. Debra Danburg, D-Houston, would eliminate current exceptions in law, such as for temporary polling places. The measure goes to the Senate for consideration if approved by the House in another vote.

AND...

The conviction of a man sentenced to death in the slaying of a 7-Eleven clerk in El Paso was overturned by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals. Jesus "Jessie" Munoz had been found guilty in the shooting death of

Dawn Marie Silver during a 1989 robbery. But the court said prosecutors did not present any evidence to back up accomplices' testimony linking Munoz to the crime.

QUOTE OF THE DAY  
"An 18-year-old cannot go in the front door of a topless bar, but they can go in the back door and take their clothes off. They can't see the entertainment, but they can be the entertainment." - Rep. Yolanda Flores, D-Houston, who favored a bill raising the age at which teen-agers can work topless from 17 to 21.

## Numbers of jobless people jumps by 26,000 to 359,000

WASHINGTON (AP) - The number of Americans filing first-time claims for jobless benefits jumped by 26,000 in mid-April, the first increase in three weeks, the government said today.

The Labor Department reported new applications for unemployment insurance totaled 359,000 during the week ended April 17, up from a revised 333,000 during the previous week. The department originally estimated claims totaled 335,000 during the week ended April 10.

Many analysts had expected claims to increase by about 14,000 last week, to what economists at Mitsubishi Bank in New York called a "more 'trend-like' reading" after two weekly drops from a weather-related surge in late March.

Claims had dropped to 373,000 during the week ended April 3 after shooting up by 32,000 to 379,000

during the week ended March 27.

The four-week moving average of jobless claims, which many analysts track because it smooths out the volatility of the weekly numbers and more accurately reflects the labor situation, also rose in the latest reporting period. It totaled 361,000,

up from 358,000 a week earlier.

The report also said 26,021 applications were filed under a federal emergency unemployment program during the week ended April 10, up from 23,498 during the previous week.

## Stocks higher at midday

NEW YORK (AP) - Stocks were higher at midday, as dealers rushed to cover short positions after short-term Treasuries turned higher.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones Industrial average was up 20.80 points at 3,460.24.

Volume reached 145.9 million shares on the New York Stock Exchange, up from 132.87 shares on Wednesday.

Advancing issues overtook

declining ones on the NYSE, with 864 up, 818 down and 665 unchanged.

Broad-market indexes were higher. The NYSE Composite index was up 0.53 at 245.60. On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up 0.89 at 419.92.

Stocks fell 15 points at the opening after the Department said first-time claims for jobless benefits jumped by 26,000 for the week ended April 17.

## At-large school board candidates address community

By GARRY WESNER  
Managing Editor

Five of the seven candidates seeking election to two at-large seats on the Hereford Independent School District board of trustees brought their campaigns to the public on Tuesday, via a public forum that also will be televised today.

The forum was hosted by the Hereford Educators Association and the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce's governmental affairs committee.

Joe Flood, James Marsh, Kyla Farmer-Flores, Jeff O'Rand and Steve Bigham appeared at the meeting.

Absent were incumbent Dennis Newton, who was out of town on business, and Joe Hernandez.

The forum will air on Hereford Cablevision Channel 19 at 7 p.m. today. It also will be broadcast at 7 p.m. on April 27 and April 29.

Voters go to the polls on May 1 to select the two board members, as well as one trustee for District 2, two city commissioners, a mayor and three members of the hospital district's board.

Also on the ballot will be three state constitutional questions dealing with school finance.

The following is a summary of the

statements and answers to questions by the five candidates.

The questions were asked by Carolyn Waters of the HEA and were taken from those submitted to the chamber office by local citizens.

Not all candidates answered every question. The candidates are listed in the order in which they presented their opening statements.

**Kyla Farmer-Flores**  
OPENING STATEMENT: "My concerns are our children," Farmer-Flores said.

As a board member, she said, she would like to see more parental involvement in the school process, and would like to see students "make decisions through the self-awareness they have learned" at school.

HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT BILINGUAL EDUCATION? IS IT HELPING OUR CHILDREN OR ONLY DELAYING THEM FROM LEARNING FUNDAMENTALS?

"It is important these children learn English," she said, noting that teaching English ought to be the priority for the program so students can be placed in a regular classroom as soon as possible.

Farmer-Flores said she agrees with bilingual education.

DO YOU SUPPORT OR OPPOSE

THE CONCEPT OF YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL? "If it came up for it, I would show my support for round the year school."

She said year-round school would give students more interaction with each other and allow them to learn more about themselves.

The district could establish a two-week interval between terms and work out a cooperative program with teachers to give them time off.

Year-round school would also give students more time for lab-type work.

WHAT DO YOU FEEL YOUR ROLE SHOULD BE IF ELECTED TO THE SCHOOL BOARD (Which includes the closing statement): Farmer-Flores said one role would be to set district policy.

"I feel that, being a woman, I would have a different opinion to give" to the school board.

She said the schools cannot be relied upon to teach children morals, values or self-esteem - those need to be taught by parents. Business also, she added, has a role in the process.

Jeff O'Rand  
OPENING STATEMENT: "I think it's about time I started putting back into this community like people have done for me," said O'Rand, who has lived in Hereford most of his life.

IF ELECTED, WOULD YOU BE

WILLING TO DECREASE THE ADMINISTRATOR POSITIONS, THEN USE THE DOLLARS SAVED IN SALARIES TO: A) PURCHASE MATERIALS, TAKE FIELD TRIPS, AND USE IN DIRECT TEACHING OF STUDENTS WITH THE HIGHEST POTENTIAL; AND B) INCREASE TEACHER SALARIES? "First I think you'd have to do a study and see if we have too much administration," O'Rand said.

If such a study revealed too many administrators, he said, would be willing to act.

WHAT ARE TWO STRENGTHS YOU SEE PRESENTLY IN OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM AND WHAT AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IN THIS SCHOOL DISTRICT? "Our teachers are one of the main assets here," he said.

In addition, such programs as the DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) program are strengths.

One thing that would help, he said, is "Better cooperation and communication between the administration and the teachers."

ROLE/FINAL STATEMENT: Board members, he said, should make sure policies of the district are enforced.

One of the main things the board also does, he continued, is to act as

a go-between between the public and the administration.

"I think everyone here would be a worthy person to be on the school board," O'Rand said, urging his audience to get out and exercise their right to vote.

James Marsh  
OPENING STATEMENT: Marsh said he is a farmer-rancher and a Hereford High School graduate with two children in the school district.

"Some of my main concerns and objectives are first discipline in the schools" and to have the school district support the local economy as much as possible.

He said he would like to see more support given to teachers in disciplinary matters, would like to see more constant discipline and stiffer penalties for repeat offenders.

Within the district administration, he said, there has been growth in the number of administrators, even though the number of students is dropping off.

Finally, he noted, the HISD is the city's largest employer and needs to support local businesses. He also noted a concern for the number of teachers who live outside the district.

ADMINISTRATION: "I would definitely be willing to decrease the administrative positions, then use those dollars to fund new technologies in

the classroom and then increase teacher salaries."

He said there is a big difference at the state level between teacher and administrative salaries.

YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL: Marsh said he basically opposes the concept of year-round schools because of possible decreases in extra-curricular activities, which are a main part of the students' lives.

Marsh said he does not believe this school system would save money by going to year-round schooling.

"In our particular situation, I would have to vote against it."

STRENGTHS/IMPROVEMENT: The district's main strength "would have to be our teachers," Marsh said. "And our other strength is our extra-curricular activities," which include sports and band.

Areas of improvement, he said, include seeing discipline problems addressed and more emphasis being placed on the basics such as reading and mathematics.

WOULD YOU BE IN FAVOR OF A POLICY THAT WOULD REQUIRE SCHOOL PERSONNEL TO LIVE WITHIN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT? "Yes, I would like to see more local teachers," he said, adding

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## Local Roundup

### Gusty winds continue

Hereford had a high of 68 Wednesday and a low of 46 this morning, KPAN reports. Tonight, partly cloudy with low around 50. Southwest to west wind 10-20 mph and occasionally gusty. Friday, considerable high cloudiness. High in the mid 80s. West wind 15-25 mph and gusty.

## News Digest

### State

**WACO** - Three of about 40 bodies found scattered in the smoking ruins of the cult compound had recent bullet wounds. Not clear whether they were shot or hit by ammunition exploding in the fire.

**WACO** - Six Branch Davidians who survived a devastating blaze to their compound say a tank that drove into their home triggered the fire by crushing a large propane container and knocking over many lanterns.

**WASHINGTON** - Stymied in negotiations to end the standoff at the Branch Davidian compound, the FBI considered everything from killing cult leader David Koresh by sniper fire to offering him an in-prison televised address to his followers if he surrendered.

**WASHINGTON** - Lawmakers and hostage negotiations are dubious of the FBI's assertion that fatigue was a "key factor" in its fateful decision to escalate operations in the 51st day of the standoff with the Branch Davidians.

**DALLAS** - Attorneys for a Dallas obstetrician say a judge's temporary injunction against anti-abortion activists balances the doctor's right to privacy with demonstrators' right to protest.

**EDINBURG** - Defense attorneys are trying to steer the jury's attention away from the Coca-Cola truck driver charged with 21 counts of involuntary manslaughter in the state's worst school bus accident.

**AUSTIN** - The minimum age for working nude or topless would be raised from 17 to 21 under a bill that has won preliminary Texas House approval. A critic wanted to raise the age only to 18, saying he feared lawsuits.

**CORPUS CHRISTI** - Texas Attorney General Dan Morales and Corpus Christi-based Whataburger Inc. are involved in a legal battle with possible statewide implications for restaurants and their accommodations for nonsmokers.

**WASHINGTON** - Texas Sen. Phil Gramm is hailing defeat of President Clinton's \$12.2 billion jobs bill, of which Texas stood to get up to a half billion dollars.

**AUSTIN** - The Texas Supreme Court rules that an intoxicated patron who is injured after drinking heavily may sue the bar that served him.

**SWEETWATER** - City officials and several black teen-agers have reached a resolution they hope ends hard feelings over alleged police misconduct and racial prejudice.

### World/National

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**WASHINGTON** - Jubilant Senate Republicans say their defeat of President Clinton's jobs bill shows that he will have to deal with them when he tries moving health care and the rest of his agenda through Congress.

**WASHINGTON** - After struggling for years to raise money, gay rights organizations say they're enjoying an unprecedented financial windfall. And they expect this weekend's march on Washington to provide another fund-raising bonanza.

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that a policy requiring it "I would have to say would be impractical."

However, Marsh added, the district does need to strive to get teachers to move here.

**ROLE/FINAL STATEMENT:** "I feel like my role on the school board would be basically to set policy" and relay local opinion.

"Hereford is very fortunate to have three private schools," he said, but urged parents of those students to become involved in HISD activities because one day their children will attend public schools.

**Joe Flood**

**OPENING STATEMENT:** "You all know me. I have four kids, High School, Junior High ... one in West Central, one in Northwest."

"I'm just a concerned person who was asked to do this," said Flood, who added he agreed to run because nobody else had filed for the ballot at that time.

The reason he was asked to run, Flood said, was "self-responsibility. I felt that people need to be responsible for their own actions. People cannot be free unless they are self-responsible. ... We can teach our kids this. When kids carry weapons to school, do drugs, become sexually irresponsible, do they know who is responsible for this?"

Flood also noted that, "Good education is more than books. It is stretching of the mind. Some teaching remains the same," whereas some, such as the space shuttle and computers, changes.

He said he wanted to "serve because the community has been my whole life."

**YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL:** "I oppose it because I like having the kids home for the summer."

**WHAT DO YOU FEEL COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE TEACHER AND STUDENT MORALE IN THESE TOUGH TIMES:** As an employer, Flood said, when he sees a morale problem, he finds a problem somewhere that someone needs to get out.

When that is done, more people get involved and find a solution to the problem.

But, he stressed, "(you) need to have goals to shoot for."

**ROLE/FINAL STATEMENT:** "I feel like I should maintain a good working relationship with (superintendent) Charles (Greenawalt)."

The board, he said, is responsible for hiring the superintendent, who in turn is in charge of hiring teachers.

"If I can't go to Charles and say what I think ... if that communication and that relationship isn't there, then I don't think we have anything to build on."

The children's future, he continued, is what must be thought about. "Without them we have nothing."

"Go out and vote. That's your voice that you have in your system."

**Steve Bigham**

**OPENING STATEMENT:** Bigham said he has lived here 12 years and is on the board of Kids Inc., and coaches a minor league team. His wife teaches at West Central Intermediate School.

"I believe our children are our future. They are the future of our town" and need a good education.

He said he feels he can help them get that education and face problems as they come up.

**BILINGUAL EDUCATION:** It is very important, as it teaches English to those children with limited English skills. "It also helps them in their daily life."

But, he continued, more teachers are needed for the program, which would give smaller classes and more personal attention from teachers.

**STRENGTHS/IMPROVEMENTS:** "I've noticed in a couple of schools teachers have gone to a less structured class," which allows more creativity and allows students to better express themselves.

In addition, building committees made up of parents and area residents help the schools get input "without the school board standing over them telling them what to do."

What Bigham said needs to be improved is that a lot of schools put too much emphasis on the lower-achieving students.

That emphasis needs to remain, but more emphasis needs to be placed on higher-achieving students as well.

**LOCAL TEACHERS:** "If we were to put in a policy, it would restrain us from hiring the best (teachers available)," he said.

**ROLE/FINAL STATEMENT:** "The future of our school system lies in the future of our children," he said. Everyone needs to work together in every aspect of their lives.

"If we make the wrong decision, they're going to fail. Make the decisions you think should be made."



### Shirley science fair winners

Students at Shirley Intermediate School participated this week in the first all-school science fair. Nearly 80 entries were received in three categories: life, earth and physical sciences. Theme of the fair was "Stairway to the Stars." It was displayed Tuesday for parents and all day Thursday. First-place trophies were given out in each category and for each grade. Shown are trophy winners, from left: Pedro Hernandez, sixth grade life sciences; Nathan Parson, fifth grade life sciences; Jered Johnson, fourth grade life sciences; Joshua Satterfield, fifth grade physical sciences; Jessica Ripley, fourth grade physical sciences; Tessa Baker, fourth grade earth sciences and grand prize; and Janet Blakely, fifth grade physical sciences. Not shown are Erica Delgado, sixth grade earth sciences; and Estella Abeyta, sixth grade physical sciences.

## Sweetwater police, teens resolve incident dispute

**SWEETWATER, Texas (AP)** - City officials and several black teen-agers have reached a resolution they hope ends hard feelings over alleged police misconduct and racial prejudice.

Police Chief Jim Kelley and others announced Wednesday that the city will hire a police liaison officer. The city also promises to establish a Human Rights Commission.

In exchange, the teen-agers and their parents have dropped a complaint filed with the City Commission.

The problems stemmed from a parking lot altercation Jan. 30 in which the teen-agers contended they were physically and verbally abused by four police officers.

Wednesday's announcement won support from all sides.

"No one is ever completely satisfied, but I do feel they are trying to work with us," said Jimmie Bender, whose daughter was among

those detained. "I think they've listened to us, and that's important."

"If nothing else, this has opened a lot of eyes to the need for better understanding, better communication," Kelley said.

The incident started with an 11:30 p.m. emergency call to police that two armed gangs were fighting outside Beall's Department Store. Police who responded found a group of white teens and a group of black teens, about 40 people altogether, but no weapons or fighting.

The teen-agers who filed the complaint said the officers poked them with batons and made racially offensive remarks.

The black teens complained that they were detained, but none of the white teens were searched or even questioned. James Moore, 18, was arrested for evading arrest, but the charge has since been dropped.

"We did not violate anyone's civil rights," officer Les Soules testified

at a public hearing that drew about 100 spectators. "There is absolutely no history of racial prejudice by myself or anyone else on this force."

Soules and Sgt. Edyth Brothers described the black group as hostile and abusive.

A Texas Ranger investigation cleared the officers of wrongdoing. District Attorney Frank Conard chose not to take the case to a grand jury.

Attorney John Young, who represented the 11 complainants, said he was pleased the matter was resolved out of court.

"The police officers that I'm familiar with and the men and women I'm friends with seem to have a keener awareness of the fact that every time you have a group of black people on a parking lot playing music and visiting, doesn't mean there's bad conduct going on," Young said.

"And the kids have a keener appreciation for what the police officer's job is."

## Morales, Whataburger do battle over smoking areas

**CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP)** - Texas Attorney General Dan Morales and Corpus Christi-based Whataburger Inc. are involved in a legal battle with possible statewide implications for restaurants and their accommodations for nonsmokers.

A Texas Restaurant Association lawyer said Wednesday that Morales is trying to force major restaurant chains to make a tough choice: break city ordinances or be sued by the state.

The Attorney General's Office counters that the real issue is warning nonsmokers that a nonsmoking section isn't necessarily smoke-free. If the ventilation system in non-smoking areas isn't separate from that of smoking areas, Morales has said, restaurants are obligated to let customers know.

Failure to do so is a violation of deceptive trade laws, according to Morales.

Whataburger disagrees, saying that the state's investigation is an attempt to make law rather than enforce it. The company's position is that no such law exists and that it is not the attorney general's province to make law, in essence, through creative enforcement.

The Texas Restaurant Association agrees.

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Texas and Oklahoma panhandles, the Texas South Plains, eastern and southeastern New Mexico and southwestern Kansas.

The survey includes a chart on the 10-year history of feed cattle, the one-time capacity of surveyed feedyards, as well as information on the number of feedlots with 5,000 head capacity or more. It also has a county breakdown of lot capacity and numbers fed.

Krupnick said information from the survey is used across the country by ag-related industries. Copies of the report and survey are available at SPS offices across the area, or may be obtained by contacting the SPS ag marketing department at 806-378-2180.

"The attorney general is, in essence, threatening them," said Glen Garey, general counsel for the association. "They are saying, 'You are going to have to pay \$10,000 to defend yourself for complying with a city ordinance.'"

Many cities - including Corpus Christi - require restaurants to set aside nonsmoker seating. Designating those sections isn't deceptive, Garey argued - it's simply complying with a local ordinance.

But Joe Crews, chief of the attorney general's Consumer Protection Division, said that's not the issue.

"The issue is what sort of disclosures must a facility like Whataburger make to its consumers if they are going to allow customers to smoke in their restaurant," Crews said.

On Tuesday, the attorney general filed a lawsuit against Whataburger, seeking to force the company to answer 23 questions about its smoking policies. Whataburger has refused to cooperate with the

### Assasination one thought in cult standoff

**WASHINGTON (AP)** - Stymied in negotiations to end the standoff at the Branch Davidian compound, the FBI considered everything from killing cult leader David Koresh with sniper fire to offering him an in-prison televised address to his followers if he surrendered.

Senior officials said the sniper idea was rejected almost immediately.

"It would be a terrible precedent for law enforcement officials on the scene to be judge, jury and executioner," one official said Wednesday. "We talked about it, and we dismissed it in the same breath."

The officials, in a briefing with reporters Wednesday, defended the agency's handling of the seven-week siege near Waco, Texas, and its deadly climax.

## Bullock calls for study of phone issue

**AUSTIN** - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said a two-year study of telecommunications should lead to a policy that promotes technological innovation, competition and universal service while protecting consumers of monopoly services from unfair pricing.

"These are attainable goals," Bullock said. "But before we can set policy, we need time to study the complex issues involved in drafting a telecommunications policy that will guide the communications revolution that is about to explode in the state."

Bullock said he opposes giving Southwestern Bell Telephone carte blanche to pay for its expansion in Texas out of the pockets of telephone customers rather than out of company profits until the matter is reviewed.

"Southwestern Bell's profits rose 12.7 percent in 1992 and investors received a 19 percent return, almost twice that of the seven other Bell operating companies," Bullock said. "Is this a company that can't pay for its own business expansion? This is something that deserves serious study."

Bullock referred to a recent study by the LBJ School of Public Affairs that called for the creation of a task force committee to draft a long-term telecommunications policy for Texas.

"The issue facing us is not just deregulation," Bullock said, "but the creation of a telecommunications policy that looks about 15 years into the future and sets out a goal or vision for the coming information age."

The LBJ School report suggested that the task force be charged with studying a broad range of issues affecting information providers, computers, computer networks, cable and telephone--both public and private.

"A thoughtful policy should serve as a yardstick for measuring the effects of all regulation and deregulation--not just the immediate demands of Southwestern Bell," Bullock said.

## Sheriff's Report

Here are excerpts from Thursday's Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department's daily activity report:

- An 18-year-old male was arrested for assault.
- A 25-year-old female was arrested for theft by check.
- A 26-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
- A 26-year-old male was arrested on a Bailey County warrant.
- Criminal non-support was reported.
- DWI was reported.
- Theft over \$20 and under \$200 was reported. Two bicycles were taken.
- Possible theft was reported.

## Hospital Notes

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Rev. Timothy F. Dran, Elizabeth Enriquez, Debbie Foerster, Inez Fults, Inf. Girl Grisham, Lou Ann Grisham, Wynell Mills, Cam Mireles, Celia Ortega, Gary Phipps, Rene Ruiz, Katie Smith, Inf. Boy White, Marcie White.

## TEXAS LOTTERY

**AUSTIN, Texas (AP)** - Here are results of Lotto Texas winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery:

28-46-30-20-21-4

(twentyeight, fortysix, thirty, twenty, twentyone, four)

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: \$8 million

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# Lifestyles

## Conklin presides at meeting

Hereford Rebekah Lodge #228 met Tuesday evening with Noble Grand Anna Conklin presiding.

It was reported that 20 visits to the sick had been made, 14 dishes of food delivered and two flowers sent.

The commission of Lodge Deputy Genevieve Lynn was read followed by a resume of President Maxine Elliott's yearbook which was presented.

Representatives from Hereford will attend the Panhandle Association of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Saturday and Sunday in Borger.

Lynn, hostess, served refreshments to Conklin, Jo and Tony Irlbeck, Susie Curtsinger, Ben Conklin, Faye Brownlow, Ursalee Jacobsen, Illy Inman, Lydia Hopson, Marie Harris, Irene Merritt, Leona Sowell, Sadie Shaw, Dorothy Collier, Mary Lou Weatherford, Ocie Bolton and Nan Rogers.



## High school poetry winners

Mandie Tijerina, left, earned second place, worth \$15, and Terance High claimed third and a \$10 cash prize, in the poetry contest sponsored by the Rotary Club of Hereford and Rotary International. First place winner, receiving \$25, was Brenda Nunley, not pictured.

## Keep your kids alive

More than 10,000 city residents across America are killed by hand guns each year. Guns are known as the weapon of choice among young people.

To examine this alarming phenomenon, The Salvation Army recently sponsored a symposium entitled, "Guns Keep Your Children Alive" in Brooklyn, NY. Out of that meeting came some practical tips for families. Among them:

-Channel the need for love, attention and power into wholesome activities for the young.

-Play an active role in solving children's problems.

-Enroll children in community programs for sports, education, and socialization.

-Design mediation systems to resolve disputes among teenagers non-violently.

-Avoid trouble and people who cause it.

-Practice wholesome family values. Remember the role God and church can play in lifting self esteem and self worth.

Students of any nationality and any major can apply for a \$5,000 scholarship from the National Italian-American Foundation.

Ideas are a capital that bears interest only in the hands of talent.

## Linda Gilbert given special recognition

Linda Gilbert was given special recognition during the Hereford CattleWomen's meeting Tuesday at the Hereford Country Club. Gilbert organized the members' recent casserole sale which netted approximately \$730.

Karen Keeling led the group in prayer and during the business meeting with President Lisa Klett presiding, Secretary Charlene Sanders read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved.

Mandy Walker, winner of the Showmanship Award at the recent Hereford Young Farmers Junior Livestock Show, was introduced as a special guest as was her mother, Carol Walker.

Karen Sherrod gave the treasurer's report and presented the organization a list of 46 paid CattleWomen members.

It was announced that Sandy Josseland will chair the Beef for Father's Day promotion, and Julia Laing and Leslie Easley will chair the scholarship committee.

Lisa Klett reported on the spring

convention which she and Leslie Easley attended.

Jay Johnson with the Deaf Smith County Extension Office and the local 4-H program was introduced to the group.

The next meeting will be held May 18 at the Country Club. Kim Buckley, representing the Deaf Smith General Hospital Wellness Program, will be the guest speaker.

Members present were Charlene Sanders, Rachael Hunter, Karen Keeling, Nancy Josseland, Christie Josseland, Connie Banks, Erin Alley, Marty McElhaney, Sandy Josseland, Shelly Moss, Leslie Easley, Beverly Davis, Julia Laing, Brenda Johnson, Linda Gilbert, Christy Gestes, Jackie Murphey, Lisa Klett and Sue Sims.

The next time someone asks you to come with him to the casbah you can tell him the area of Algiers was so named for the fortress (which is what casbah means in Arabic) that stands on the hill there.



Whales have no sense of smell and most species have poor eyesight.

## Know warning signs of periodontitis

A sore throat and stuffy nose may warn that you're catching a cold. And, if you're running a temperature, you may be coming down with the flu. But, what you may not know are the warning signs of a disease that 75 percent of us are affected with: periodontitis or gum disease.

Gum disease is a disease of the bone and other structures that support your teeth. If left untreated, it can progress and cause loss of the bone supporting the teeth, and eventually the affected teeth may have to be removed.

The American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) reminds you to look out for the following signs of gum disease:

- 1) Puffy or red gums;
- 2) Bleeding gums (contrary to what many people believe, bleeding gums are not normal and can signal an

excessive build-up of plaque on or around the gum-lines)

- 3) Persistent bad breath;
- 4) Widening spaces between teeth;
- 5) Loose teeth;

6) Receding gums (the hardest warning sign to detect; look for teeth that seem to have grown longer, which often means that the gums have receded to expose more tooth surface).

The first two symptoms of periodontitis - puffy, and bleeding gums - may indicate a common and reversible form of gum disease called gingivitis.

Remember, if gum disease is caught early, you can get the care you need in time to prevent more extensive and costly treatment.

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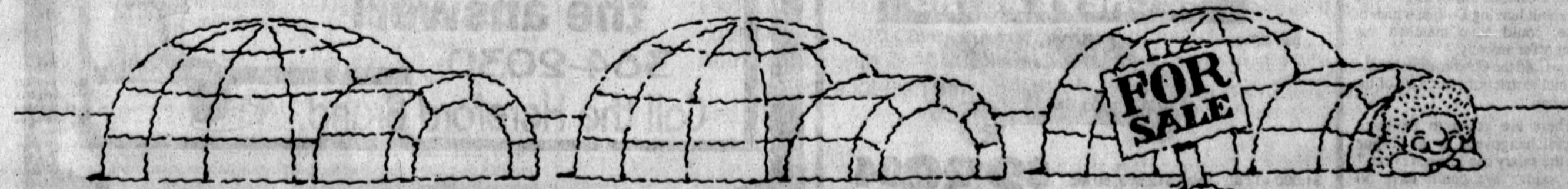
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# Sports

## Cardinals reel in Beuerlein

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) - Steve Beuerlein is 12-7 as a starter during the regular season, enough to make the Phoenix Cardinals think he may be able to lead them to the playoffs.

Small wonder, when the Cardinals are 13-35 in three seasons under coach Joe Bugel.

Beuerlein signed a three-year, \$7.5 million contract Wednesday and then told a news conference he was excited about the Cardinals' commitment to improving a team which has been an NFC East doormat.

"I think everybody's goal in this whole organization is to get to the Super Bowl as soon as possible," said Beuerlein, who got there last season as a backup to Dallas quarterback Troy Aikman.

He mentioned the free-agent signings of receiver Gary Clark and safety Chuck Cecil.

Beuerlein said he and Tom Condon, his agent, agreed to terms quickly after San Francisco and Kansas City closed a deal sending Joe

Montana to the Chiefs. Until then, the Cardinals harbored hopes of landing Montana.

Beuerlein, a fourth-round draft choice of the Los Angeles Raiders in 1987, has been Aikman's understudy for two years. But the Cardinals said he may be their starter.

"When Troy was injured, he was the guy that took the team to the playoffs and won a playoff game," college scouting director Bob Ackles said, referring to the 1991 season.

Beuerlein, 8-7 as a starter for the Raiders, came on in relief of Aikman and helped preserve a 24-21 win over Washington, then directed four straight victories to put the Cowboys in the playoffs for the first time since 1985.

Last season wasn't as productive. Beuerlein tried only 18 passes, completing 12 for 152 yards, no touchdowns and one interception.

Ackles, who left Dallas to join the Cardinals nine months ago, helped assess Beuerlein for the Cowboys.

"I've never really considered Steve a backup quarterback because when I watched him with the Raiders, I thought he was their best quarterback at that time," Ackles said. "And then when he came to Dallas, I thought, 'We're very fortunate to have two guys who can start in the league.'"

Bugel denied Beuerlein was a "consolation prize" in the quarterback hunt.

"We actively pursued him even when we were talking to Joe Montana," Bugel said.

Beuerlein never approached the NFL heights of Montana, but he left Notre Dame as its career leader in passes (850), completions (473) and passing yardage (6,527).

Offensive coordinator Jerry Rhyme said he would introduce Beuerlein to the Phoenix playbook today.

Rhyme said the May 11 start of mini-camp is a deadline for the return

of Timm Rosenbach, who took every snap in 1990 and missed all of the 1991 season because of a knee injury, then lost his starting job to Chris Chandler last year. Rosenbach, who owns a ranch in nearby Gilbert, has not contacted Bugel, Rhyme or general manager Larry Wilson since the season ended.

Bugel omitted Rosenbach when he referred to Beuerlein, Chandler and second-year pro Tony Sacca as the team's quarterbacking corps.

"It's hard to talk about Timm when he's not here," Rhyme explained.

The Cardinals allowed 36 sacks last season, and Rosenbach was injured in each of the first two games. The second time, Rosenbach missed four games, opening the door for Chandler.

Beuerlein said he had no qualms about the offensive front.

"I think from the talent standpoint, this offensive line has got people that can line up every Sunday and control the line of scrimmage," he said.

Chandler, who will make \$900,000 this year, said he doesn't mind competing against a friend, not even one who will make \$2.5 million this year.

"That's just the nature of the beast in free agency," Chandler told The Phoenix Gazette. "Next year, I get my chance."

## Herd teams go on road

This weekend is the calm after the storm.

After the busiest weekend for Hereford High School sports, this weekend is relatively dead. No Hereford teams are playing in Hereford.

The baseball teams will play a doubleheader at Pampa Saturday. The varsity starts at 1 p.m., and the junior varsity teams play afterwards. The Herd, 3-3 in District 1-4A, needs a win to stay in the hunt for a playoff spot. Pampa also is 3-3 in district.

Both of Hereford's golf teams and three singles tennis players are gearing up for regional competition Monday and Tuesday in San Angelo. The district champion girls' golf team and the runner-up boys' team will both play at Riverside Golf Course.

The Region 1-4A Track Meet is April 30 and May 1 in San Angelo, and Hereford has both boys and girls going. While the girls take the weekend off to rest, the boys who qualified for regionals will be competing in Odessa Friday.

## Local wrestler wins US tournament

Brent Thomas of Hereford won his division of the United States Association for Blind Athletes National Wrestling Tournament, held recently in Indiana.

The tournament was held April 3 at the Indiana School for the Blind in Indianapolis.

## Kids Inc. tryouts

Kids Inc. will hold try-outs for the Babe Ruth league (for boys ages 13-15) at 5:30 p.m. today at the Kids Inc. Complex in Hereford.

## Kramer could come to Dallas

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
AP Sports Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) - Could Erik Kramer, who handed the Dallas Cowboys their most disheartening loss of the Jimmy Johnson era, be coming the Dallas?

Kramer, who led the Detroit Lions to a 38-6 ambush of Dallas in the NFL playoffs two seasons ago, was at the top of the list today as the world champion Cowboys went shopping for a replacement to backup quarterback Steve Beuerlein.

Beuerlein's defection to NFC East division rival Phoenix didn't catch

Cowboys owner Jerry Jones off guard.

"It was no surprise that Steve went to another team because he had wanted to get out of his backup status," Jones said. "We appreciate what he contributed to our team. He certainly gained our respect."

"We wish him all the luck in the world except twice a year."

"We've talked to Erik but we've also talked to other quarterbacks," said Jones.

The Cowboys originally had their eyes on Minnesota quarterback Wade Wilson, who signed with New Orleans.

Coach Johnson said, "we want a veteran backup quarterback. We learned how important that was two years ago when Troy got hurt. It's

difficult for a young quarterback to handle the situation."

With Troy Aikman on the sidelines, Beuerlein led the Cowboys to their first playoff appearance since 1985. He led Dallas to come-from-behind victories in the fourth quarter of each of the last three 1992 regular season games. He then quarterbacked the Cowboys to a wildcard victory over the Chicago Bears in the first round of the NFL playoffs before Dallas was knocked out by Kramer and the Lions.

"Steve was very consistent," said Johnson. "He's a good one. He's a winner."

Jones said, "we would have preferred another team besides one in our division got Steve. But that's the way it goes."

## Will Emmitt be in Cowboys training camp?

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
AP Sports Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) - Will Emmitt Smith be with the Dallas Cowboys in training camp? Or will he miss another July at St. Edward's University in Austin in a contract squabble?

Smith missed training camp his rookie year before signing with Dallas. He currently is a free agent and his contract negotiations could be long and drawn out.

Dallas owner Jerry Jones kidded Smith at Valley Ranch this week, telling him, "Emmitt should really pay us to play this year."

Smith, the NFL's leading rusher and catalyst for the Cowboys' Super Bowl championship season, laughed and told bystanders "leave ol' Emmitt and Jerry alone. Don't start anything. We'll be talking."

Smith, who has said he wants some \$4 million per season, hasn't had an offer from another NFL team. The Cowboys could keep Smith simply by matching any offer.

"I want to play for Dallas and it wouldn't surprise me if I didn't get an offer from another team," Smith said while working out at Valley Ranch. "But I want to be paid what I think I'm worth."

Smith was the 17th pick for the Cowboys three years ago and his salary last year was a little less than \$500,000.

Jones said for Cowboys fans not to sweat it, Smith will be playing for Dallas.

"I've never had any doubt that Emmitt Smith's future is with the Cowboys," Jones said. "In the near future we will sit down and negotiate aspects of an agreement and I'm confident something will get worked out."

Agent Richard Howell and Smith met with the Miami Dolphins and coach Don Shula but never got an offer. The Dolphins said they weren't sure how serious Smith might have been about leaving Dallas, which of course, could have matched any Miami offer anyway.

Jones said the Cowboys could have financial restrictions because of the salary cap.

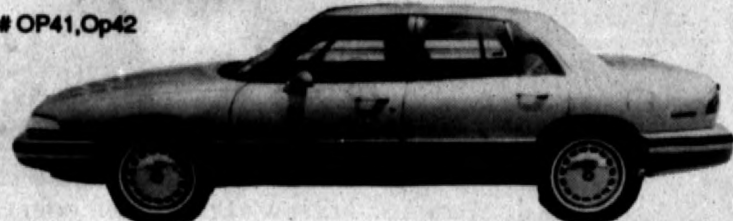
"There are going to be some financial hangers in the league when the salary cap hits next year," Jones said. "We could have 50 percent of the teams over the salary cap in 1994. There could be a wholesale dumping of players. We're talking financial gravity here. But we want to give Emmitt a fair deal. He's certainly earned it."

Smith is also seeking a guaranteed contract, but Jones will battle that notion.

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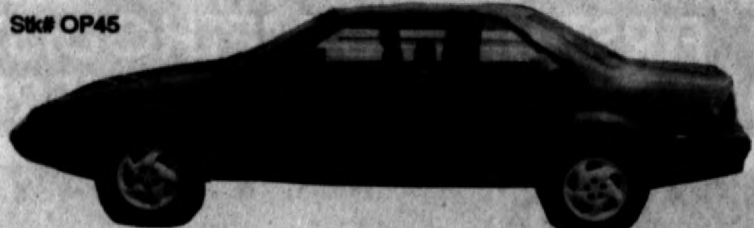
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# Hornets clinch their 1st playoff trip

By The Associated Press

The NBA playoff race is down to one berth.

Charlotte clinched its first postseason appearance with a 119-111 victory over Milwaukee, and Atlanta also grabbed a playoff spot Wednesday night by defeating Washington 119-98.

The win by the Hornets, who joined the NBA in 1988, was extra special for Dell Curry and Muggsy Bogues, who have been with the team since it started.

"I feel great for the veterans," two-year veteran Larry Johnson said. "We call Muggsy and Dell the originals. They deserve this because they have worked their tails off."

Bogues and Curry both played for the Hornets when the first-year NBA

club won just 20 games. The next season, they won only 19.

"When that last second ticked off, I wanted to keep the basketball and take it home with me," said Bogues, at 5-foot-3 the shortest player in NBA history. "We've been through everything, Dell and I. We've been here since Day One. We've experienced all the good and the bad."

Johnny Newman led six Hornets in double figures with 30 points. Alonzo Mourning had 19 points and 18 rebounds, while Johnson finished with 20 points and nine rebounds for Charlotte.

Blue Edwards scored 20 points and Todd Day 15 for Milwaukee.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was Boston 126, Orlando 98; New York 105, New Jersey 74; Philadelphia

107, Miami 97; Cleveland 111, Indiana 95; Denver 137, Dallas 112; Utah 113, the Los Angeles Lakers 102; and Golden State 132, Sacramento 105.

## Hawks 119, Bulls 98

Dominique Wilkins sank consecutive 3-point baskets 36 seconds apart in the third quarter to key a 13-3 run by Atlanta against the Bulls.

Wilkins paced the Hawks with 30 points, while Doug Overton had 17 points for Washington, which dressed only nine players for the game because of injuries and lost for the eighth time in nine games.

## Cavaliers 111, Pacers 95

Indiana stayed one game ahead of Orlando for the final Eastern Conference spot despite its loss at home to Cleveland, which won for the 10th straight time.

Mark Price scored 20 points, while John Williams and Danny Ferry made up for the absence of injured center Brad Daugherty with 18 each for the Cavaliers, who beat the Pacers for the ninth straight time in two seasons.

## Celtics 126, Magic 98

Boston clinched homecourt advantage for the first playoff round and dealt a serious blow to Orlando's postseason hopes.

Six Celtics scored in double figures, led by Sherman Douglas with a season-high 24 points and Xavier McDaniel with 19. The visiting Magic were led by Shaquille O'Neal and Scott Skiles with 20 points each.

**Nuggets 137, Mavericks 112**  
Denver had its biggest offensive showing of the season as LaPhonso Ellis and Chris Jackson scored 21 points apiece against Dallas.

Jim Jackson finished with a career-high 29 points for the Mavericks, who have two games remaining to avoid matching the worst record in NBA history. Dallas

is 9-71; Philadelphia finished 9-73 in 1972-73.

Robert Pack had 20 points and a career-high 13 assists as the Nuggets, embarrassed by a 13-point loss at Dallas last week, opened an 11-2 lead.

## Jazz 113, Lakers 102

Karl Malone led a 23-6 second-half run and finished with 31 points for Utah against visiting Los Angeles.

The Jazz trailed 79-69 with 4:43 left in the third quarter when Malone started a 12-2 run that tied the score 81-81 with 44 seconds left in the period. After Duane Cooper scored at the buzzer to put the Lakers ahead 83-81, Utah scored the next 11 points to move in front 92-83 with 9:05 to play.

Benoit Benjamin scored 17 points for the Lakers.

## Warriors 132, Kings 105

Reserve forward Andre Spencer scored a career-high 24 points and also had 11 rebounds and eight assists, lifting Golden State to a victory at home against Sacramento.

The Warriors overcame a career-high 34 points by Sacramento guard Spud Webb in an error-plagued game between teams looking ahead to the NBA draft lottery.

## Knicks 105, Nets 74

John Starks scored 22 of his 31 points in the first half and New York opened a 1 1/2-game lead over Chicago in the Eastern Conference by defeating New Jersey.

Sam Bowie and Drazen Petrovic had 15 points each for the Nets.

76ers 107, Heat 97

Hersey Hawkins scored 20 points and recently acquired Thomas Jordan had 18.

Alec Kessler paced Miami with a season-high 17 points, while Harold Miner scored 11 of his 15 points in the fourth quarter.

# Eck blows second consecutive save

By The Associated Press

All of a sudden, no lead is safe with Dennis Eckersley.

For the second straight game, and for the third time this season, Eckersley blew a save chance Wednesday night and the New York Yankees rallied to beat Oakland 5-3.

Admittedly, this was no easy situation. Eckersley relieved in the ninth inning with the bases loaded, no outs and the Athletics ahead 3-2. After striking out pinch-hitter Jim Leyritz, Dion James sliced a two-run single and Bernie Williams hit an RBI single.

Before this season, Eckersley had never even blown two consecutive save chances. Last year, when he won the American League's MVP and Cy Young awards, he was successful on 51 of 54 save tries.

"It's just a statistic," Eckersley said, "and that stuff turns around the other way just as fast. I just didn't save three in a row, and that's a story, so here I am."

On Tuesday night, Eckersley gave up three runs in the ninth inning in a game Oakland eventually won 9-7 in the 10th. Eckersley, who has converted only two of five save chances this year, has a 6.75 ERA.

Rickey Henderson, whose home run in the 10th inning won Tuesday's game in Oakland, and Ruben Sierra homered to give the A's a 3-2 lead.

The Yankees loaded the bases in the ninth on an infield single by Danny Tartabull off starter Bobby Witt, a double by pinch hitter Randy Velarde off Rick Honeycutt (0-1) and a walk to Mike Stanley.

With one out, James grounded a 2-1 pitch from Eckersley through the left side of the infield.

Rich Monteleone (2-1) pitched 1 1-3 scoreless innings. Steve Farr, who also blew a save chance Tuesday night, pitched a perfect ninth for his second save.

## Tigers 5, Rangers 4

Rob Deer hit two home runs and threw out Jose Canseco at the plate to end the game, giving Detroit its victory over Texas at Tiger Stadium.

Deer hit a two-run homer and later hit a solo shot, his fifth. The Rangers trailed 5-2 going into the ninth, but scored twice and went on to load the bases with one out. Dean Palmer flied out to Deer in right field, and his throw home caught Canseco.

Bill Krueger (2-1) pitched out of several jams in the first six innings,

allowing just one run on 10 hits. Mike Henneman got his fourth save of the season. Craig Lefferts (1-3) was the loser.

## Mariners 5, Red Sox 0

Ken Griffey Jr. hit two home runs and Randy Johnson pitched a four-hitter, leading Seattle past Boston at the Kingdome.

Griffey hit a two-run drive in the third inning and a solo shot in the fifth.

Johnson (2-1) struck out eight and walked one in his sixth career shutout. Danny Darwin (0-3) was the loser.

## Angels 7, Indians 6

Rookies Tim Salmon and J.T. Snow each homered for the second straight game, helping John Farrell win for the first time since 1990.

Farrell (1-2) gave up two runs on five hits in five innings. His last victory in the majors was with Cleveland on June 24, 1990. He left that game with elbow problems that have sidelined him for two years.

Steve Frey got the last out for his first save. Charles Nagy (1-3) has given up five home runs in 27 innings this season.

## Royals 6, Blue Jays 5

Greg Gagne dashed home from second base on Kevin McReynolds' infield single with two outs in the bottom of the ninth inning, and Kansas City won its third straight game.

Gagne started the ninth with a single off Mike Timlin (0-1) and stole second, and George Brett was intentionally walked with two outs.

McReynolds hit a grounder up the middle and Luis Sojo, making his first start of the season at shortstop, stopped the ball behind second. Gagne never broke stride and beat Sojo's throw home.

Jeff Montgomery (1-0) pitched one hitless inning.

## Brewers 10, Twins 8

John Jaha hit a tie-breaking, two-run double in the 10th inning and Milwaukee overtook Minnesota at the Metrodome.

The Brewers fell behind 7-3 in the fifth inning on Kent Hrbek's eighth career grand slam. Greg Vaughn's home run began Milwaukee's comeback.

Jaha doubled off Mike Hartley (0-1) and scored on Joe Kmak's double. Carlos Maldonado (1-0) was the winner.

# Galarraga makes his old teams miss him

By The Associated Press

Andres Galarraga is making his former teams look bad lately.

Almost everyone had given up on the husky first baseman. Colorado manager Don Baylor did not.

Galarraga had three hits and scored twice against his former teammates to lead the Rockies past the St. Louis Cardinals 11-2 Wednesday night at Busch Stadium.

Galarraga, signed as a free agent with the Rockies last November after hitting .243 with St. Louis last year, also drove in a run. He's hitting .426 this season, with a team-high 15 RBIs.

"They didn't really give me a chance here, and I'm happy to prove to them that I can still play," said Galarraga, plagued by injuries much of last season.

Galarraga broke his wrist when he was hit by a pitch in the second game of the 1992 season, missing the next six weeks. When he returned to the lineup, he got off to a slow start and was benched.

But Baylor, the Cardinals' batting coach last season, saw something he liked and convinced the Rockies to sign Galarraga.

"Andres went 0 for 12 in spring training and was a little down, but I

thought he would hit once the season started," Baylor said.

Galarraga is 13 for 26 against his other former team, the Montreal Expos.

Rookie David Nied improved to 3-1, and now has three of the Rockies' five victories. He allowed two runs and six hits.

Dante Bichette hit a three-run homer and drove in four runs for the Rockies.

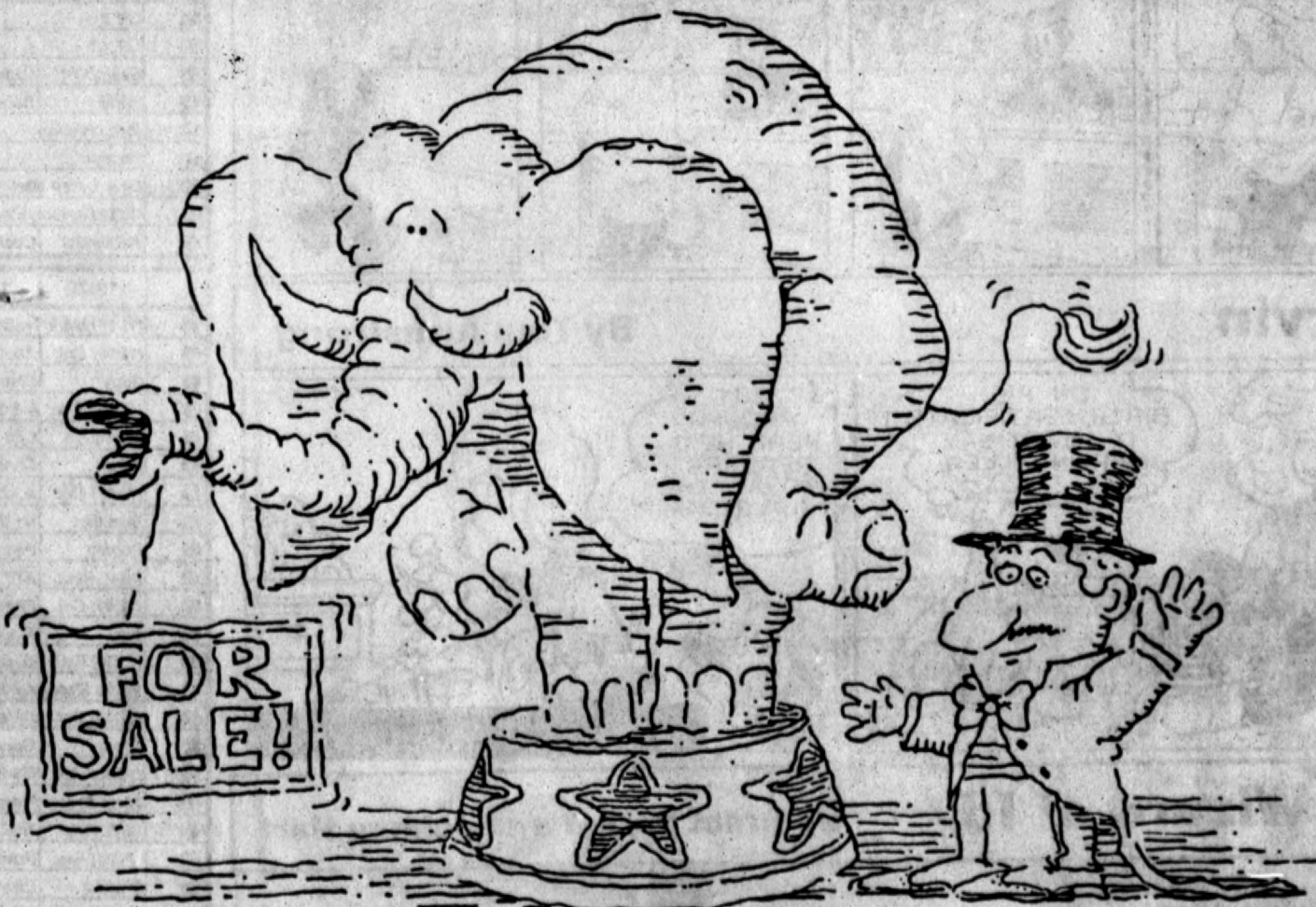
Elsewhere in the NL, it was Houston 2, Chicago 0; Montreal 6, Los Angeles 4; Atlanta 7, Florida 4; New York 10, San Francisco 0; and Cincinnati 8, Pittsburgh 7 in 12 innings. San Diego at Philadelphia was postponed by rain.

## Astros 2, Cubs 0

Doug Drabek (2-2) pitched a six-hitter for his third straight complete game and 17th career shutout as Houston defeated Chicago at Wrigley Field. Drabek outpitched Mike Morgan (1-3) to become the first Astros pitcher to toss three consecutive complete games since Joe Niekro did it seven straight times in 1982.

The Astros scored on Jose Uribe's single in the fourth and Jeff Bagwell's single in the fifth. Morgan allowed nine hits in seven innings.

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As a junior this year, Kieschnick has done nothing to tarnish that image.

He now has 41 career home runs, easily breaking the former school record of 33 set by Scott Bryant, and is one away from tying Bryant's

This is rather unpleasant news for remaining Longhorn foes. As a

11. "He's a two-time All-American

"I had reached a point where I was hitting home runs, but my average was down in the .320s," he says. "Coach Gus sat me down and said, 'The home runs are nice, but why don't you pick up three or four other hits in between?' So now I'm just

This year, we can win it."

# Television

Jenkins has denied each charge as it occurred and he issued another denial on Wednesday.

Staggs charged on Tuesday that he participated with Jenkins in making payments to help a prospective player attend summer school in 1988 so he could become eligible to play for the Cougars. The athlete never enrolled at Houston.

The Cougars received a three-year probation on December 1988. Under NCAA regulations, teams convicted of a second major violation within five years of the first, could get the death penalty.

# Comics

## By Mort Walker



## by Dean Young and Stan Drake



**By Tom Armstrong**



**By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart**



**By Fred Lasswell**



**APRIL 22**

|    | 6 PM                     | 6:30           | 7 PM                                | 7:30                           | 8 PM                             | 8:30                            | 9 PM                        | 9:30                              | 10 PM                 | 10:30                    | 11 PM       |
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| 59 | (5:00) Fern              | Celeb          | Mickey Mouse Club                   |                                | This Island Earth                |                                 | Movie: Gorillas in the Mist | *** S. Weaver (1988)              |                       |                          | Ghidrah     |
| 60 | News                     | Curr. Affair   | Cheers                              | Wings                          | Cheers                           | Sinfeld                         | L.A. Law                    |                                   | News                  | (35) Tonight Show        |             |
| 61 | MacNeil/Lehrer           |                | Changed the World                   | Mystery!                       |                                  |                                 | Played in the USA           |                                   | Chron.                | MacNeil/Lehrer           |             |
| 62 | Hillbillies              | Sanford        | Movie: Conagher                     | *** S. Elliott, K. Ross (1991) |                                  |                                 | Movie: Papillon             | *** S. McQueen, D. Hoffman (1973) |                       |                          |             |
| 63 | News                     | Wheel          | Matlock                             |                                |                                  |                                 | PrimeTime Live              |                                   | News                  | (35) Cheer.              | (35) Tonig. |
| 64 | L'style                  | Prose          | Sullivans                           | Joy Music                      | Showcase                         |                                 | Springdale                  |                                   | Jessy                 | LightMusic               | Good Faith  |
| 65 | Design                   |                | Jeffersons                          | Movie: Flashback               | *** D. Hopper, K. Sutherland (R) |                                 | News                        |                                   | Night Court           | Highlander               |             |
| 66 | Design                   | Married        | Bugs                                | McDonald                       | Street Stories                   |                                 | Picket Fences               |                                   | News                  | (35) Gold.               | (35) Studs  |
| 67 | Rossanne                 | Murphy B.      | Simpsons                            | Marlin                         | Li'l'g Color                     | Down                            | Star Trek: Next             |                                   | M*A*S*H               | M*A*S*H                  | Armando     |
| 68 | Sports                   | NHL Hockey     | Wales Cont. Playoffs, semifinal (L) |                                |                                  |                                 | B'ball                      |                                   | (15) SportsCenter     |                          | (15) NHL    |
| 69 | Welltons                 |                | Young Riders                        |                                | Father Dowling                   |                                 | 700 Club                    |                                   | Scorecard and King    | Bonanza                  |             |
| 70 | Movie: Lensa's Holiday   | ** F. Waterman | (c40) Mak's                         |                                | Movie: Silence of the Lambs      | **** J. Foster (1991)           |                             |                                   | Red Dwarfs            | Resurrected              | *** (1992)  |
| 71 | (5:00) He Said, She Said |                | Earth and the American Dream        |                                | Movie: Dead Ahead                | Exxon ****                      |                             |                                   | Comedy                | Murdering Mom            | ***         |
| 72 | (5:30) Curly             | (c45) Pre.     | Brain Donors                        | *** (1992)                     | (c20) Pre.                       | Movie: Split Second             | * R. Hauer (1992)           |                                   | Movie: Resurrected    | *** C. Sarandon          |             |
| 73 | (6:30) VideoPM           |                | Crook and Chase                     |                                | Nashville Now                    |                                 | Stardom                     |                                   | Club Dance            | Miller                   |             |
| 74 | U-Boats                  | Fast Jets      | Safari                              |                                | Firepower                        | World War                       | Hunters of the Plain        |                                   | Safari                | Firepower                |             |
| 75 | Search Of                | Search Of      | Real West                           |                                | Carnivore!                       |                                 | Brute Force                 |                                   | Evening at the Improv | Real West                |             |
| 76 | Unsolved Mysteries       |                | L.A. Law                            |                                | Movie: Killer Instinct           | ** M. Gilbert, W. Harrison (R)  |                             |                                   | thirtysomething       | ***                      | Mysteries   |
| 77 | Alan                     | Money Hole     | SportsTalk                          | MotorSports                    | Cycle World                      |                                 | MotorSports Hour            |                                   | This Week in NASCAR   | Cycle                    |             |
| 78 | Jetsons                  | Bugs           | NBA Basketball                      | Suns at Trail Blazers (L)      |                                  |                                 | (c20) NBA                   |                                   | (50) Movie: Sea Wolf  | *** C. Branson, C. Reeve |             |
| 79 | To Earth                 | Planet         | Get Smart                           | Van Dyke                       | Dagnat                           | Lucy Show                       | Mary T                      |                                   | Mary T                | Hitchcock                | B. Troop    |
| 80 | Quantum Leap             |                | Murder, She Wrote                   |                                | Movie: Hello Again               | ** S. Long, J. Ivey (1987) (PG) |                             |                                   | MacGyver              |                          | Hitchhiker  |
| 81 | Magica Juventud          |                | La Picara Sonadora                  |                                | Cara Sucia                       |                                 | Lente Loco                  | Bienvenid.                        | No! Un                | El Libro de Piedra       | (PG)        |

**APRIL 23**

|    | 7 AM                                          | 7:30                                               | 8 AM                                              | 8:30                                                | 9 AM                                             | 9:30                                   | 10 AM                           | 10:30                            | 11 AM                                    | 11:30                          | 12 PM                           |
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| 9  | Fraggle <input type="checkbox"/>              | Pooh <input type="checkbox"/>                      | Tree                                              | Dumbo                                               | Mouse <input type="checkbox"/>                   | Jump                                   | Gummi                           | Lunch Box                        | Walt Disney Presents                     | Mark Twain                     |                                 |
| 9  | Today <input type="checkbox"/>                |                                                    |                                                   |                                                     | Jenny Jones                                      |                                        | Geraldo                         |                                  | Secrets                                  | Concen.                        | Days/Lives                      |
| 9  | Time Grow                                     | Time Grow                                          | Lamb Chop                                         | Mr. Rogers                                          | Barney <input type="checkbox"/>                  | Sesame Street <input type="checkbox"/> | Bus. File                       | Bus. File                        | Write <input type="checkbox"/>           | Write <input type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| 9  | Jeanie                                        | Bewitched                                          | Little House                                      |                                                     | Movie: Pollerpelet *** J. Williams, G. T. Nelson |                                        |                                 | Perry Mason                      |                                          | Wind **                        |                                 |
| 9  | Good Morning America <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                    |                                                   |                                                     | Donahue <input type="checkbox"/>                 |                                        | Regis & Kathie Lee              |                                  | Little House                             | News                           |                                 |
| 9  | Worship                                       | Marble Col.                                        | On the Line                                       |                                                     | Thomas Day                                       |                                        | COPE                            |                                  | Can I Live?                              | Jesuit Jmi                     |                                 |
| 9  | Flintstones                                   | Bozo                                               |                                                   | Captain N                                           | Beet/Lifestyles                                  |                                        | Joan Rivers                     |                                  | Geraldo                                  | News                           |                                 |
| 10 | (6:00) CBS This Morning                       | Vicki                                              |                                                   |                                                     | Design <input type="checkbox"/>                  | Family                                 | Price Is Right                  |                                  | Young and the Restless                   | News                           |                                 |
| 9  | Good Troop                                    | Derwining                                          | Beetjuice                                         | Flintstones                                         | 700 Club                                         |                                        | Robert Tilton                   |                                  | Copeland                                 | Family Ties                    | Love                            |
| 9  | (6:00) SportsCenter                           | Body                                               | Body                                              |                                                     | SportsCenter                                     |                                        | Fitness                         | Getting Fit                      | Body Mo'n                                | Body                           | Thorough.                       |
| 9  | Gadget                                        | Popeye                                             | Waltons                                           |                                                     | 700 Club                                         |                                        | Flashback                       | Paid Program                     |                                          |                                | Bonanza                         |
| 9  | Movie: Two of a Kind ** J. Travolta (PG)      |                                                    |                                                   | Movie: Play Dirty *** M. Gains, N. Davenport (1968) |                                                  |                                        | Monkey <input type="checkbox"/> |                                  | Movie: Pincchcliffe Grand Prix ** (1980) |                                |                                 |
| 9  | Barbar                                        | Pinochole                                          |                                                   | Movie: Troll II *** M. Stephenson (1992)            | Movie: River Rat ** T. Lee Jones (1984)          |                                        |                                 | Marlynn <input type="checkbox"/> | A Father's Revenge ** (R)                |                                |                                 |
| 9  | (6:15) Mov                                    | (45) Movie: City for Conquest *** J. Cagney (1940) |                                                   | Movie: American Hot Wax *** (1978)                  |                                                  |                                        |                                 |                                  | Movie: Brother Orchid *** (1940)         |                                |                                 |
| 9  | Off Air                                       |                                                    | VideoMorning                                      |                                                     |                                                  |                                        |                                 |                                  | Country                                  | Cookin'                        | Crook                           |
| 9  | Off Air                                       |                                                    | Azimuths                                          | Indonesia                                           | Travel Mag.                                      | Great                                  | Gourmet                         | Graham                           | Easy Does                                | Homeworks                      | Pesquele                        |
| 9  | Search Of                                     | Search Of                                          | Movie: Killers *** L. Marvin, A. Dickinson (1964) |                                                     |                                                  |                                        | Fugitive                        |                                  | City of Angels                           | Rockford                       |                                 |
| 9  | Baby                                          | Baby                                               | thirty something <input type="checkbox"/>         |                                                     | Movie: Promised a Miracle *** R. Arquette (1988) |                                        |                                 |                                  | Moonlyighting <input type="checkbox"/>   | Supermar.                      |                                 |
| 9  | (6:30) Hockey                                 |                                                    | To Be Announced                                   |                                                     | High Five                                        | Prime                                  | Baseball                        | NBA Action                       | Ed Randall                               | Adventurer!                    | ATP                             |
| 9  | Popeye                                        |                                                    | Pink Panther Parade                               |                                                     | CHiPs                                            |                                        | Charlie's Angels                |                                  | Movie: Fastest Gun Alive ** (1988)       |                                |                                 |
| 9  | Dear Lovey Hart                               |                                                    | Eureka's Castle                                   |                                                     |                                                  |                                        | Elephant                        | Cappelli                         | Penner                                   | Anytime                        | Muppet <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9  | (6:00) Cartoon Express                        |                                                    |                                                   |                                                     | Murder, She Wrote <input type="checkbox"/>       |                                        | Divorce Cl.                     | Judge <input type="checkbox"/>   | Judge <input type="checkbox"/>           | Superior                       | Hollywood                       |
| 9  | Hablado                                       | Cocine                                             | El Chavo                                          | Pape                                                | Cheesprito                                       |                                        | Dies Sin Luna                   |                                  | Dr. Perez                                | Ines Duarte                    |                                 |

|   | 12:30                                  | 1 PM                                                       | 1:30                                                                    | 2 PM                                   | 2:30                                           | 3 PM                                   | 3:30                            | 4 PM                                    | 4:30                            | 5 PM       | 5:30       |
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| ● | (12:00) Mark Twain (1991)              | (3:55) Pony                                                | Fraggle <input type="checkbox"/>                                        | Wonderland                             | Care Bears                                     | Quack <input type="checkbox"/>         | Kids Inc.                       | Mickey <input type="checkbox"/>         | Forever Young ** (1978)         |            |            |
| ● | (12:00) Cnt.                           | Another World <input type="checkbox"/>                     | Scrabble                                                                | S'gories                               | Oprah Winfrey <input type="checkbox"/>         | Maurty Povich <input type="checkbox"/> | COPS <input type="checkbox"/>   | NBC News                                |                                 |            |            |
| ● | Body                                   | Changed the World <input type="checkbox"/>                 | Tom Lynch                                                               | Sesame Street <input type="checkbox"/> | Read <input type="checkbox"/>                  | Sandiego? <input type="checkbox"/>     | Square One                      | Shin's <input type="checkbox"/>         | News                            |            |            |
| ● | (12:00) Wind and the Lion ** S. Conner | C. Bergen                                                  | Flinstones                                                              | Jatsons                                | Brady                                          | By the Bell                            | 3's Co.                         | Happy                                   | A. Griffith                     |            |            |
| ● | Umbaugh                                | One Life to Live <input type="checkbox"/>                  | General Hospital                                                        | Sally Jessy Raphael                    | Family                                         | You Bet                                | Jeopardy!                       | ABC News                                |                                 |            |            |
| ● | Prism                                  | Christ                                                     | Faith 20                                                                | Man Alive                              | Heart                                          | Portraits                              | Sunshine                        | Quigley                                 | Rainbow                         | Good Min.  |            |
| ● | (12:00) Cnt.                           | A. Griffith                                                | Honey.                                                                  | Major League Baseball                  | Reds at Cubs (L)                               |                                        |                                 |                                         | Prattbridge                     |            |            |
| ● | Beautiful                              | As the World Turns                                         | Gutting Light                                                           | Metlock <input type="checkbox"/>       |                                                | In Edition                             | Hard Copy                       | News                                    | CBS News                        |            |            |
| ● | People                                 | Perry Mason                                                | Highway to Heaven <input type="checkbox"/>                              | Marry <input type="checkbox"/>         | Jerry Kids                                     | Tiny Toons                             | Batman                          | Full House                              | Dff World                       |            |            |
| ● | Road Race                              | ATP Tennis Monte Carlo Open, quarterfinal (T)              |                                                                         | Monsie                                 | Dream                                          | AMA Supercross Racing                  | Checker                         | Up Close                                |                                 |            |            |
| ● | (12:00) Cnt.                           | Family Edition                                             | Little's                                                                | Mario                                  | Popeye                                         | Gadget                                 | Rin Tin Tin                     | New Zorro                               | Prince Val.                     | My Dog     |            |
| ● | Mov.                                   | Movie: Cast a Giant Shadow *** K. Douglas, J. Wayne (1966) |                                                                         |                                        | Movie: Two of a Kind ** J. Travolta (PG)       |                                        |                                 | Hospital *** (1971)                     |                                 |            |            |
| ● | (11:30) Fat.                           | Bosling <input type="checkbox"/>                           | Movie: Ladybugs *** R. Dangerfield                                      |                                        | Movie: Rock High Forever ** (1990)             |                                        |                                 | Follet ** T. Seltack (1992)             |                                 |            |            |
| ● | Movie: Sleeper *** W. Allen (1973)     |                                                            | Movie: Reds *** W. Beatty, D. Keaton (1981) PG <input type="checkbox"/> |                                        |                                                |                                        |                                 | Lunatics                                |                                 |            |            |
| ● | (12:00) Cnt.                           | Be a Star                                                  | 10 Seconds                                                              | Cookin' <input type="checkbox"/>       | On Stage                                       | Cub Dance                              | Be a Star                       | VideoPM                                 |                                 |            |            |
| ● | Great                                  | Gourmet                                                    | Graham                                                                  | Easy Does                              | Homeworks                                      | Rand McNally Videotips                 | Beyond 2000                     | Harp Seal                               | Wildlife                        |            |            |
| ● | (12:00) Cnt.                           | Movie: Andromeda Strain *** A. Hill, D. Wayne (1971)       |                                                                         |                                        | Fugitive                                       | Dalvecchio                             |                                 | Rockford Files <input type="checkbox"/> |                                 |            |            |
| ● | Shop Drop                              | Movie: Once Again *** R. Cox, J. Harper (1986)             |                                                                         |                                        | Anything                                       | Anything                               | Jane Pratt                      | Superman                                | Shop Drop                       |            |            |
| ● | High Five                              | This Week in NASCAR                                        | Paid                                                                    | Ed Randall                             | HS Extra                                       | Paid                                   | Transworld Sports               | Aust. Ftbl                              |                                 |            |            |
| ● | (11:00) Fes.                           | Movie: Fastest Gun Alive *** G. Ford, J. Gray              |                                                                         |                                        | Movie: Captain Pirate ** L. Hayward, P. Medina |                                        |                                 | Bugs                                    | Planet <input type="checkbox"/> |            |            |
| ● | David                                  | Dennis                                                     | Flipper                                                                 | Yogi                                   | Looney                                         | Underdog                               | Muppet <input type="checkbox"/> | Hay Duds                                | Fifteen                         | Would You? | Crazy Kids |
| ● | Sale                                   | John                                                       | TheYec.                                                                 | Press Luck                             | Scrabble                                       | PGA Golf K mart Greensboro             | Open, 2nd ml (L)                | Dennis                                  | Q                               | Dinoaus.   |            |
| ● | (12:00) Iner                           | Valerie v Maximiliano                                      | Cresco H. Zuris                                                         |                                        | Critique                                       |                                        | Notices v M                     | Cars Lobo                               | Noit Ul                         |            |            |

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| (5:00) For.                             | Danger Bay                                       | Movie: A Girl Named Sooty *** C. Leachman              |                                               |                                                              |                        | Movie: Alan & Naomi *** L. Hess, V. Zouli (1992) |                                          |                                            |                             | Pinup Stars |
| News                                    | Curr. Affair                                     | Secret Service <input type="checkbox"/>                |                                               | Movie: P. Mason: Bride *** R. Burr, B. Hilt (1992)           |                        | News                                             |                                          | (35) Tonight Show <input type="checkbox"/> |                             |             |
| MacNeil/Lehrer <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                  | D.C. Week                                              | Wall St <input type="checkbox"/>              | Texas Debate                                                 |                        | Educ. Revolution <input type="checkbox"/>        | Be's                                     | Video Cafe                                 | KACVide                     |             |
| Hitlites                                | CHIPS                                            |                                                        | Major League Baseball Braves at Cardinals (L) |                                                              |                        |                                                  |                                          | Selection ** M. Fairchild                  |                             |             |
| News                                    | Wheel <input type="checkbox"/>                   | Fmly <input type="checkbox"/>                          | Stop <input type="checkbox"/>                 | Getting By                                                   | Where I                | 20/20 <input type="checkbox"/>                   |                                          | News                                       | (35) Cheer.                 | (35) Tonig. |
| Catholic                                | Families                                         | Sullivan                                               | Jay Musko                                     | Everyman                                                     |                        | Phoenix Rep.                                     |                                          | Family Enrichment                          | Lawson                      |             |
| Design <input type="checkbox"/>         | Major League Baseball White Sox at Blue Jays (L) |                                                        |                                               |                                                              |                        | News <input type="checkbox"/>                    |                                          |                                            | Uptown Comedy Club          |             |
| Design <input type="checkbox"/>         | Married <input type="checkbox"/>                 | Palace <input type="checkbox"/>                        | Dudley <input type="checkbox"/>               | Driving Challenge <input type="checkbox"/>                   |                        | Bodies of Evidence <input type="checkbox"/>      | News                                     | (35) Gold.                                 | (35) Studs                  |             |
| Roseanne                                | Murphy B.                                        | America's Most Wanted                                  | Sightings                                     | Sightings                                                    |                        | Star Trek: Next                                  | M*A*S*H                                  | M*A*S*H                                    | Arsenio                     |             |
| Sports                                  | Major League Baseball (L)                        |                                                        |                                               |                                                              |                        | Major League Baseball (L)                        |                                          |                                            |                             |             |
| Brother <input type="checkbox"/>        | Rin Tin Tin                                      | Movie: Enigma Fulver *** R. Walker Jr., B. Ives (1964) |                                               |                                                              |                        | 700 Club                                         | Ross/Street                              | Ross/Street                                | Bonanza                     |             |
| (5:00) Hospital *** (PG)                | Movie: Gladiator *** J. Marshall (R)             | (4:00) Bo's                                            |                                               |                                                              |                        | Punchout at the Pyramid <input type="checkbox"/> | Nunn vs. Ashley (L)                      |                                            | Hudson (R)                  |             |
| (5:00) Folkl <input type="checkbox"/>   | Movie: Super *** J. Pesci, V. Gardella           | Movie: My Cousin Vinny *** J. Pesci, R. Macchio        |                                               |                                                              |                        |                                                  |                                          | Crypt Tales                                | Comedy                      |             |
| (5:00) Lunatics: Love St.               | Movie: Prospero's Books *** J. Gielgud, M. Clark | Movie: Desert Kickscore ** (1991) (R)                  |                                               |                                                              |                        |                                                  |                                          | Lady C. in Tokyo ** (1991)                 |                             |             |
| (4:30) VideoPM                          | Crook and Chase                                  | Nashville Now                                          |                                               |                                                              |                        | Travis Tritt                                     |                                          | Club Dance                                 | Miller                      |             |
| Rommel                                  | Fighter                                          | Wildlife                                               | Antlers                                       | World/Valor                                                  | Skybound               | Sharks: Hunters                                  |                                          | Wildlife                                   | Antlers                     | World/Valor |
| Search Of                               | Search Of                                        | Time Machine                                           |                                               | Investigative Reports                                        | Caroline's Comedy Hour |                                                  | Evening at the Improv                    |                                            | Time                        |             |
| Unsolved Mysteries                      |                                                  | L.A. Law <input type="checkbox"/>                      |                                               | Movie: Good Fight *** C. Latt, T. O'Quinn (1992)             |                        |                                                  | thirtysomething <input type="checkbox"/> |                                            | Mysteries                   |             |
| Baseball                                | Hockey                                           | SportsTalk                                             | NBA Basketball Timberwolves at Mavericks (L)  |                                                              |                        |                                                  |                                          | Baseball                                   | Hockey                      | ATP Tennis  |
| Jetsons                                 | NBA Basketball                                   | Get Smart                                              | NBA Basketball Nets vs. TBA (L)               |                                                              |                        | Movie: Deadly Game ** A. Griffith, D. O'Harity   |                                          |                                            | 13 Ghosts                   |             |
| Looney                                  | Backside                                         | Old Man                                                | Van Dyke                                      | Dragnet                                                      | Lucy Show              | Movie: T. T. Mary T.                             | Movie T.                                 | Hitchcock                                  | Superman                    | F Troop     |
| Quantum Leap                            |                                                  | Murder, She Wrote <input type="checkbox"/>             |                                               | Movie: Looking for Mr. Goodbar *** D. Keaton, T. Welf (1977) |                        |                                                  |                                          |                                            | State Park ** T. Nugent (R) |             |
| Melissa Joanand                         |                                                  | La Picara Sonadora                                     |                                               | Movie: Chorus de Ernesto A. Zazo, R. D'Amico (1991)          |                        |                                                  |                                          |                                            |                             |             |





### Benefit sale this weekend

Members of L'Allegra Study Club will be conducting their annual benefit geranium sale this weekend. The plants will be sold from 4-6 p.m. Friday and from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday at The Atrium. All proceeds will be used to help construct a gazebo on the grounds at Deaf Smith General Hospital. Exhibiting one of the plants are Rhiana Noland and Amanda Wall.

## Ask Dr. Lamb

**DEAR DR. LAMB:** My daughter has been diagnosed as having chronic fatigue syndrome. I believe I heard on a medical program that one of the viruses that causes this is related to HIV or AIDS. Is this true? Can you tell me what causes chronic fatigue syndrome and how it is transmitted from person to person? By breathing? Hands? Kissing? Sex? What can you tell me as to the best treatment? So far, her doctor has made no headway in treating her condition in spite of the handful of pills and vitamins she takes each day.

What does her future hold? She is 46 years old and has two almost grown children and is skilled in the use of the computer and in accounting.

**DEAR READER:** No, chronic fatigue syndrome is not related to AIDS in any way, although any serious illness can cause fatigue, whether it is AIDS, congestive heart failure or chronic lung disease. That is one reason a search for any underlying disease when the complaint is fatigue is mandatory. Adrenal insufficiency may go unrecognized. At one time tuberculosis was a frequent cause of fatigue.

The cause and treatment of chronic fatigue is not yet understood. When that is the correct diagnosis, it does seem to be contagious and has been shown to be contracted by young children who have casual contact with each other.

An early suspect cause was the Epstein-Barr virus that causes infectious mononucleosis. That is also known as the kissing disease, but that idea has been largely discredited at this point.

Rather, it appears to be some abnormal function of the immune system, not AIDS. It may even be the opposite with the formation of excess amounts of substances the body forms to fight infections. The excessive immune reaction may be triggered by a variety of virus infections.

I have discussed chronic fatigue syndrome in Special Issue 37-12, Don't Ignore Fatigue, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send \$3 with a long, stamped (52 cents), self-addressed envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/37-12, P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077. Until more is known about

the disease, supportive treatment to help manage the symptoms seems to be the only choice.

**DEAR DR. LAMB:** I need to know what amyloidosis is, how it is diagnosed and treated. What would be the major symptoms or signs? My brother-in-law recently died from it. He was not really diagnosed until death, although they suspected it. He had a severely swollen tongue and they biopsied the front section, which proved negative. The doctor said the biopsy was from the front and should have been in the back by the throat to show the proof. This man suffered so at the end, even going blind.

**DEAR READER:** Amyloid is a protein formed in the body. Normally, it is destroyed and not allowed to accumulate. But if that fails for some reason, or perhaps because of excess production, the amyloid can be deposited in tissues throughout the body. It becomes an inert substance and as the deposits build up they can be harmful to the tissues involved. This can be in the tongue, the kidneys, the heart and even the brain. Products from amyloid have been found in the brains of patients with Alzheimer's disease.

Initially, the deposits may be silent. Later, the symptoms depend on what organ is involved, such as kidney failure if it is the kidney and heart failure if it is the heart. The cause is not clear and the diagnosis and the treatment are difficult.

**DEAR DR. LAMB:** My 21-year-old son has stooped shoulders, as his father does, and is trying to improve his posture. His father suggested he wear a shoulder brace he used three years ago after he broke his collarbone skiing.

He has been wearing it for a couple of weeks, but I think the brace is self-defeating. As long as the brace is the only thing holding his shoulders back, he slumps as soon as he takes it off. He is physically active and fitness-minded. He bicycles 30 miles a day, plays racquet ball, and works out with weights. What do you suggest?

**DEAR READER:** While I don't know what kind of brace your son is using, it is generally true that a brace is of little value in improving pos-

ture. They are good to rest joints or support weak joints, as a brace for the wrist in certain wrist problems.

Your son should have an X-ray of his spine to be sure he does not have a physical abnormality that needs attention. But if it is strictly habit, and muscular, he needs a proper exercise and stretching program.

The shoulders are pulled forward by muscles over the front of the chest. When these are too strong and shortened, that can cause the shoulders to be rounded. To correct the problem these muscles must be stretched. If your son is doing a lot of exercises with weights to build up these muscles, that could be a factor. It is fine to have large, strong muscles, but it is also essential that they be stretched for the best posture.

How do you stretch these muscles? The best way is to stand in an open doorway. Put your hands on each side of the door jams and lean forward through the door. When you do that, you will feel the pull on the muscles over the front of the chest. By placing the hands at different levels of the door jamb, you can stretch all the muscles over the front of the chest.

I have described this exercise in more detail, along with other stretching exercises, in Special Report 76, You Need to Stretch, which I'm sending you. Others who want this report can send \$3 with a long, stamped (52 cents), self-addressed envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/76, P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077. It will also give you information on how to stretch muscles. Stretching regularly is an important part of maintaining good flexibility for everyone, and particularly necessary as people get older. That is even important for neck muscles so one can turn the head easily when necessary during driving.

The rapid stretching movements are usually not successful. A slow stretch after warming up is better. A muscle should be warm to stretch it properly. One can begin a light exercise program to warm up muscles. Another approach is a good hot shower or, preferably, soaking in a hot tub until the body is good and warm. Then you stretch the muscles to their maximum, but not so far as to be painful. Overstretching is not helpful. Hold the stretched position for 30 seconds, then relax.

Stretching is also useful for many people who have arthritic complaints. Muscle spasm is often the cause of pain, and stretching will relieve the spasm.

Your son also needs exercises for the muscles between the shoulder blades over the back, similar to the backstroke movement, to counterbalance the pull from muscles over the front of the chest. He could do exercises that involve pulling the shoulders back against resistance using exercise equipment. The spring devices that you grip at each end, hold in front of your chest and then pull the shoulders back against the resistance are helpful. If he is at a gym, they should have equipment he can use to work these muscles.

Dr. Lamb welcomes letters from readers with health questions. You can write to him at P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077. Although Dr. Lamb cannot reply to all letters personally, he will respond to selected questions in future columns.

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Reintroduced to the nursery trade in the 1970s, "Sunny Border Blue" is highly valued for its ease of growth and long bloom season. Its luxurious, dark green, rounded leaves are oppositely arranged on the stems. The

plant, which stands 18 to 24 inches tall when in bloom, features dark violet-blue flowers borne in erect spikes that are highly prized for cutting.

This perennial, known for its ease of culture and minimal maintenance, will flower throughout the summer and into early fall and is a reliable performer in the USDA hardiness zones three through eight. It grows best in full sun to very light shade. Well-drained soil is key to its successful culture.

Bare roots are best planted in early spring. Potted plants should be set so they are at the same depth as they were in the pot. These can be planted anytime from late spring until about a month before a hard, killing frost.

"Sunny Border Blue" combines effectively with a number of garden perennials in the flower border and also in other areas of the landscape. It looks especially pleasing with white, pink or yellow flowered plants. Many agree that the fellow who first cultivated it, Bob Bennerup, was nothing less than a blooming genius!



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## 1A-Garage Sales

### GARAGE SALE

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Garage Sale 304 West 6th Thursday & Friday 8-7 Childrens clothes, boys size 6-8, girls size 4, shoes, adults, misc. 23560

Yard sale 427 N. 25 Mile Avenue 9-3. Thursday, Friday & Saturday. TV's, sewing machine, childrens clothes, entertainment bar and more. 23562

Garage sale Gold Star Mini Storage Building 385 & 16th Friday, 9a.m. until Saturday until noon. Furniture, stove, refrigerator & freezer, lots of misc. 23563

Moving sale: Sleeper sofa and lots of miscellaneous. 1 1/2 mile East of Allsups on South Main and 1/2 mile south, Friday 9-5 & Saturday 9-noon. 23565

Garage Sale 305 Cherokee Friday 8-12; Saturday 8-3. Childrens & adult clothing, exercise bicycle, odds & toys & misc. 23566

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Yard sale 401 W. Gracey Friday & Saturday 7-5. '72 Olds stationwagon, \$900; tools, baby & adult clothes, two refrigerator & two stoves. 23572

Garage Sale 708 Miles. Saturday 8-4; Sunday 8-12. 2 family, shoes, clothing, baby clothes & shoes, baby crib. 23579

Garage Sale 114 Ave A Friday & Saturday. Beds & dressers & misc. 23581

Garage sale 329 Cherokee Friday 8-7 Saturday 8-1. Clothes, all sizes & misc., king & reg. headboard & Nintendo 23582

Garage Sale 131 Ave J Friday, 8-5; Saturday 8-4. Shoes & clothes all sizes, sheets, pillows, bedspreads, baby bed, walker, entertainment center, refrigerator. 23583

Garage Sale 507 W. 4th Womens clothes, girls clothes, dishes, furniture, entertainment center, desk, baby clothes, several families garage sale & misc. 23585

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## Hints from Heloise

**Q.** Has anyone ever explained why rings leave a black substance around some people's fingers? I take a tissue and a little water to clean it off and it looks like carbon paper on the tissue.

This has plagued me for years, and it seems no one knows what causes it or what to do. My husband said he thought it happened with cheap rings, but when we married he bought expensive wedding rings and it still happens. It must be a chemical reaction.

I would appreciate any solution to the problem. — Betty Jane Postma, Anchorage, Alaska

**A.** According to the Jewelers of America, Inc., your problem is caused by one of five reasons, which I will explain so that through the process of elimination you can find your particular cause.

1) Your skin secretions or perspiration could contain chemicals such as chlorides and sulfides which react with the gold alloys in karat-gold jewelry, making dark-hued salts which smudge your finger. Possible solution: Wear white gold (a combination of gold, nickel and zinc or gold and palladium to produce the silver color) or higher-karat-gold jewelry.

2) The environment could be responsible. For instance, living near the coast where chlorides from the sea mix with skin secretions causes chemicals that are corrosive to karat-gold jewelry. Or something in your work environment (such as a plant) may produce sulfides that mix with skin secretions and tarnish the jewelry. Also, a chemical in makeup or a detergent you use may be reacting with your skin secretions, causing your karat-gold jewelry to smudge your skin. Possible solution: Same as No. 1.

3) Air pollutants could be the cause. If your city has industrial plants, fumes and smog they emit could be the culprit. Possible solution: Same as No. 1.

4) Black dermatographism is rare, but it is caused by small specks of powder or dust embedded in the skin, and when they come in contact with karat-gold jewelry they act as an abrasive. This wears away fine specks of the gold which appear on the skin as a dark smudge. Possible solution: Washing the skin often (remove jewelry and wash it too) and drying and patting some alcohol or astringent on the area before replacing the cleaned jewelry may help. Or buy karat-gold jewelry with harder alloys.

5) The most unlikely cause is an allergy. A doctor can confirm this with a gold patch test. If this rare allergy to karat-gold is your reason, you could wear platinum.

If you just have to wear a karat-gold ring that smudges your finger, you can have the inside plated with pure gold or rhodium. This could be

your least-expensive alternative.

I hope this information helps you and anyone else who has this problem with karat-gold jewelry, either occasionally or all the time. Good luck! — Heloise

### NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS

Dear Heloise: As I read the daily newspaper, I often run across articles that would be of interest to my out-of-town relatives and friends.

After reading the paper, I mark the front page with a red "X" to remind me to cut out the article before putting the newspaper in the recyclables.

This leaves the paper intact for each member of my family to read throughout the day. I then keep the articles on my desk until I write a letter to someone to whom I want to send the article. — Maurine Matthews, Springfield, Mo.

Dear Heloise: I save a half-gallon plastic milk bottle (with a screw top) and wash and dry it thoroughly, then fill it with one box of dishwasher-soap granules and label the bottle. It pours easily and there is no more unsightly trail of granules under the sink where I keep the soap.

Also, I save a lot of money by buying the generic brands of dishwasher soap. They clean just as well as the big name brands. — Reader, Olathe, Kan.

### SEND A GREAT HINT TO:

Heloise  
PO Box 795000  
San Antonio TX 78279-5000  
or fax it to 210-HELOISE  
PLASTIC WRAP

Dear Heloise: My favorite hint of all time is how to find the beginning of a roll of plastic wrap. Have you ever gone crazy pulling, grabbing and finally stabbing the roll to get it started?

My easy solution is to wrap tape, with the sticky side out, around my two fingers. I press down on the roll as I turn it. When the tape touches the beginning of the roll, it will lift up. — Roseann Laurice, Elmont, N.Y.

I agree, it certainly can be frustrating trying to get the roll started again.

Thanks for your hint. — Heloise

### FRUIT JUICER

Dear Heloise: I bought an electric fruit juicer for \$4 at a garage sale.

I buy lemons and limes when they are in season and inexpensive. It doesn't take long to extract the juice and put it in ice-cube trays. After they freeze, I pop them out and put them in zipper-type bags and always have lemon and lime juice.

One cube makes a glass of lemonade or limeade. — C. Adams, Houston, Texas

Inability to pay decides for many of us perplexing questions that worry the well-to-do.

## Is it time to repot?

The days are starting to get longer and houseplants are feeling the effect, showing it with the beginnings of tender new growth. Below ground, roots are doing likewise, which makes this a good time for repotting.

Not all houseplants necessarily need to be repotted.

Take a look at each of your houseplants, and repot only if the plant seems disproportionately large for the size of its pot.

Don't get over-enthusiastic, though, for there are some plants that look best cramped in a pot and go years without repotting. Aloe is one such plant, looking very much at home spilling over the sides of its flowerpot. Snake plant is another example, not needing repotting until its thick, fleshy roots start forcing their way up and out of its pot.

Another way to tell whether or not a plant needs repotting is to look at its roots. Turn the pot upside down, give the rim a sharp rap on the edge of a counter top, and the entire root ball should slip out intact. This works best if the soil is only slightly moist.

For large plants, wedge the pot between your feet, grasp the trunk, and yank upwards. In either case, if thick, brown roots are circling around the outside of the root ball, the plant is potbound and needs to be repotted. If not, just slide the intact root ball back into its pot.

The first step in repotting any plant is to loosen worn-out soil from the outside of the rootball. This is a messy job, so set your depotted plant on some newspaper. Then comb the roots with a stick, pencil, or chopstick. This splay the roots outwards, coaxing them out into new soil once repotted.

Have ready a clean pot, an inch wider than the pot from which the plant was removed. Avoid the temptation to shift your plant to a much larger pot; the plant will look and feel lost in such a home. The dry pores of new clay pots soak up lots of water, so soak new clay pots in water for 12 hours before use.

Cover any drainage holes in the bottom of a pot so that the potting soil

will not wash through. Use a piece of window screen, or enough gravel or pieces of broken clay pots to just cover the hole or holes.

The new potting soil should not be sodden, but just moist enough to form a mold when squeezed in your hand. Put a handful into the new pot, then set the plant on top. Add or take away dirt so that the soil line will be at the same depth on the plant's stem before and after repotting.

Remember that the final soil level in the pot should be one-half to one inch below the pot's rim, depending on pot size. Finally, add soil around the root ball, firming it as you go with your fingertips or a stick.

What about the plant that already is as big as you want it to be? A weeping fig, for example, will grow to a full size tree in the tropics; indoors, 6 feet or so is a convenient height.

Such a plant still needs periodical repotting, with root pruning to make space for new roots.

When you have the root ball of such a plant exposed in front of you, slice an inch off all around the sides and bottom with a sharp knife. Also loosen some soil from the shoulders of the root ball. Then repot the plant in the same pot it was in, as if you were shifting it to a larger pot.

This time of year, plants recover rapidly from root pruning, but they need some help.

Balance root loss by pruning some of the plant's branches. (You didn't want the plant to grow any bigger, anyway) The end result of this whole process will be new growth below and above ground, and by the end of a year, the roots and tops will have grown to where they were before pruning and repotting.

That this process can be carried out indefinitely is attested to by 300-year-old bonsai trees, still only a couple of feet high due to their yearly root and shoot pruning, and repotting.

Give a newly repotted plant a thorough watering by standing it in a basin of water until thoroughly soaked. After the soaking, water regularly, but at a slightly different schedule than previously, when the plant's roots filled its pot.

## Ann Landers

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** This is a very painful letter for me to write, but I need to get this off my chest. My mother passed away last December after a long illness. She had asked to be cremated. We contacted a funeral home and were told, "We will handle everything. Don't worry about a thing." They said they would deliver my mother's remains to us within a week.

Well, they did exactly that. The funeral home messenger arrived at my front door at the appointed time with my mother's remains in a CARD-BOARD BOX. On top of the box was a label which said, "The Remains of 'Ann Smith'—Temporary Container."

Needless to say, I was totally shocked, as was my sister, who was visiting me at the time. After a few moments of stunned disbelief, my sister contacted the funeral home and asked why in the world they did this incredibly cruel and thoughtless thing. She was told, "If you are interested, you can purchase an urn from us for your mother's remains."

I hope no one else ever has to go through such a horrible experience. We found out the hard way that because it's difficult to think straight at a time of great sorrow, it's a good idea to have someone who is not emotionally involved take charge of the arrangements. I certainly wish we had. —Still Upset in Girard, Ohio

**DEAR OHIO:** The insensitivity of the funeral director is beyond belief. To send the remains of a loved one in a cardboard box and suggest that you might purchase an urn is incredibly callous.

Girard, Ohio, is not a very large town. When this letter appears in print, there's going to be quite a lot of conversation. I believe the facts are as you stated them. If there's more to the story, I'd like to hear about it.

My condolences to you and your family on the loss of your mother.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** This letter is for "Cheverly, Md." who hated family reunions.

I, too, come from a family of bores, hypocrites, luses and egomaniacs.

Family get-togethers have subjected my four children to all of the above, and believe it or not, my kids are well-adjusted, friendly, kind and non-judgmental. Perhaps it is because they learned at a young age how to deal with relatives who had every flaw imaginable.

Maybe when my kids have to face a boring in-law, an egomaniacal boss, a hypocritical co-worker or a neighbor who was a luse, they are able to cope better than others because of all those years of training at family get-togethers. That's really what childhood struggles are about—training for the future.

One thing I learned from the bores, hypocrites, luses and egomaniacs is that when tragedy strikes, they sometimes turn out to be the most loyal, empathetic and kind ones of the entire bunch because they understand what it's like to have problems, unlike the "perfect" woman who wrote to you.

Oh yes, we also have snobs in our family, but I love them, too. Sign me—Kathy from Florida

**DEAR KATHY:** I loved your letter. It's full of good, old-fashioned truth. Thanks for a slice of real life.

Gem of the Day: Think twice before you speak, especially if you intend to say what you think.

What can you give the person who has everything? Ann Landers' booklet, "Gems," is ideal for a nightstand or coffee table. "Gems" is a collection of Ann Landers' most requested poems and essays. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$4.85 (this includes postage and handling) to: Gems, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60621-0562.

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## Preventing pregnancy

Long ago, when Mexican women wanted a break from childbearing, they ate wild yams. A tradition passed down from mother to daughter for many generations, eating the wild yam was considered to be a natural birth control method.

So what does the yam have to do with today's birth control? The answer may surprise you.

The hormones in Desogen, the most prescribed birth control pill in the world, have a natural origin. They are derived from the root of the Mexican species of the Dioscorea plant D. mexicana—a type of wild yam.

Several species of the Dioscorea plant, including D. mexicana, contain diosgenin, a natural substance that is chemically converted into the hormones (a progestin called desogestrel, and an estrogen called ethinyl estradiol) in this birth control pill.

Women of the 1990s have a lot to be thankful for—and to look forward to—when it comes to fertility control options. Although the yam may still be a tasty addition to a family meal, thankfully, we no longer have to rely upon it to limit the size of our families.

**Dr. Milton Adams**  
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## Consumer calling tips

Have you ever had a problem reaching your long distance company from a public phone? Government regulations now make it much easier to complete phone calls using the company of your choice when traveling away from home.

The first thing you should do is look on the phone for the name of the long distance company that serves it. (Or, if at a hotel, ask the front desk.) If you see your carrier's name, then make your call using the dialing procedures it recommends.

If you see another company's name, you can reach your long distance company by dialing its access number. For example, you can reach the three largest long distance companies by dialing these numbers:

• AT&T 102880 or 1-800-3210 AAT  
• MCI 10220, 950-1022 or 1-800-950-1022

• Sprint, 103330 or 1-800-877-8000.

If the long distance company isn't named on the phone, you can dial "00" and ask the operator which company is providing service.

After dialing, listen for a recorded announcement to ensure that your company is carrying your call. If that announcement is made by a company that you don't want, you can hang up before your call is completed (and not be charged for a call) and then try to reach your carrier using the access numbers shown above.

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