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Gang robs man walking at night

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

A Big Spring resident was robbed in the 1800 block of Runnels late Wednesday night.

Big Spring Police Sgt. Victor Brake says Stacy Robertson, 30, was walking down the street around 11:30 p.m. when four people jumped out of a van and chased him.

Robertson ran from the group

but they reportedly pushed him down, hit him then took his wallet. Brake said \$60 cash and other contents were stolen. Robertson received minor bruises and was treated and released from Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

The suspects are described as three Hispanic males and one Hispanic female. The victim was unable to give any further description of the robbers or their vehicle.

Commissioners pound budget for items to cut

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Howard County Commissioners hammered away at the 1995-96 budget Wednesday by reviewing all departments to determine where and if expenditures could be cut.

Commissioners worked on the budget, keeping in mind the fact the county lost more than \$32 million in appraised mineral value in 1995, a trend expected to continue.

The last mineral value translates into about \$160,000 in lost

tax revenue for the county. Commissioners are uncertain at this point because the budget process is still preliminary, but the county could be facing a tax increase for the 1995-96 fiscal year.

During the budget work session commissioners cut approximately \$230,000 from the proposed budget, most of that coming from the county's equipment operating fund.

The county's tax rate for the 1995-96 fiscal year probably won't be formally adopted until

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Man pleads guilty to robbing convenience store

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

A Big Spring man has pleaded guilty to robbing a convenience store earlier this year. Daniel Jesus Lemon, 27, of 1411 Wood, admitted in 118th District Court he was one of two men who robbed Friend's Convenience Store, 400 Gregg, on May 29.

Enrique Sabedra Jr., 25, of 1708 West Third, was allegedly the second suspect involved

who brandished a knife at the clerk and took an undetermined amount of cash.

Both men had fled on foot and were apprehended by police officers in the 400 block of West Fourth Street.

Lemon was sentenced to 10 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and remains in custody in the county jail.

Sabedra has been indicted for aggravated robbery and his case is still pending in the district attorney's office.

Latest tropical depression could be a boon to crops

HOUSTON (AP) — A tropical depression moved near the Texas coast today, with agricultural officials mixed on whether it would work to the benefit or harm of the state's parched crops.

The National Weather Service issued a tropical storm warning Wednesday along a 275-mile stretch of coastline from Baffin Bay in South Texas to La Pesca in northern Mexico, where the storm was expected to come ashore.

The storm was actually a tropical depression on Wednesday — bearing the formal title of Tropical Depression No. 8. It was packing 35 mph winds and heavy rains.

Parched by a summer drought, many in South Texas likely will welcome the rain.

But some farmers warn that healthy cotton crops are now in the final stage of harvest and heavy rains would be unwelcome.

"The crop is at a vulnerable stage now. The rain could delay the harvest, and we face possibly losing the remainder of the crop or perhaps the profit," Corpus Christi cotton farmer Jerry Hunt said.

Should the depression become a storm with winds in excess of 40 mph or higher, it has a 1-in-4 chance of striking Brownsville

Please see STORM, page 4A

Big Spring police officers talked an unidentified man off the roof of the Settles Hotel Wednesday afternoon. The man is reported to be a patient at the Big Spring State Hospital and told officers he was up on the roof because he was tired of everything.

Man talked off top of Settles

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

A potential tragedy was averted Wednesday afternoon when Big Spring Police officers were able to talk a man into coming off the Settles Hotel roof.

At approximately 3 p.m., police responded to a call of a man walking around on the roof of the Settles Hotel.

When police arrived, the man was sitting without a shirt on the south edge of the roof with one leg hanging off the roof.

Police say the unidentified man, eventually talked down by Officer Charlie Calvert, is a patient at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Once he was talked down, the man was turned over to the Crisis Intervention Unit of the

BSSH.

Police Sgt. Victor Brake said a Crisis Intervention Officer was on the way to the top of the building when Calvert talked the man down.

As to why the man went to the top of the Settles Hotel, Brake said Calvert reported the man said he was tired of everything.

Brake said the man did exhibit what police perceived as sui-

cidal tendencies.

"Looking from the front of the police building," Brake said, "he had one leg over the edge and at times he had both legs hanging over. At one point he did stand up on the edge of the building."

Brake added in situations like these, the department's job is to secure the situation and immediately turn the person over to the state hospital.

U.S. Trivia
Washington's farewell address included what warning?
Strongly warned against big public debt and permanent alliances with foreign countries

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WORLD/NATION

World: Accusing police of widespread links to organized crime, a group of Russian businessmen offered a \$1 million reward Wednesday for the culprit who fatally poisoned a top banker. See page 3A.

Nation: Even with more than a touch of gray, Jerry Garcia was a potbellied, fizzy-haired symbol of youth gone wild. See page 6A.

STATE

Tossed out
A U.S. district judge has thrown out the state's lawsuit seeking reimbursement of \$1.3 billion from the federal government for the costs of illegal immigration. See page 3A.

On the lam
When the two met in 1992, Joyce Carolyn Stevens was the mousey, timid daughter of a minister working at a Houston psychiatric hospital as an aide. See page 3A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight
98 [▲] Highs **72** _▼ Lows
Fair

Tonight, fair, low around 70, south winds 5 to 10 mph.

Permian Basin Forecast
Friday: Mostly sunny, high mid 90s, south winds 10 to 15 mph; fair night, low near 70.
Saturday: Mostly sunny, high mid 90s, south winds 10 to 15 mph; fair night, low near 70.
Sunday: Partly cloudy, high near 95. Partly cloudy night, low near 70.

OBITUARIES

J.R. Gould

Services for J.R. Gould, 75, Big Spring, will be 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 10, 1995, at Myers & Smith Chapel with Rev. Eldon Cook and the Rev. Ken McMeans officiating. Graveside services will be 4 p.m. at Brown Ranch Cemetery in Coleman County with the Rev. Ken McMeans officiating. Mr. Gould died Tuesday, Aug. 8, in a local hospital.

He was born Oct. 16, 1919, in Callahan County near Burkett. He married Lillian Virginia McQueen on May 11, 1946, in Dublin. He was a veteran of World War II having served in the Army in North Africa and Europe, Germany and Italy. He attended the Army medical training in Colorado and graduated second in his class. He was a medic in the Army. Mr. Gould was a deacon for many years and was a member of College Baptist Church. He was employed by Trinity Memorial Park until retiring in 1988.

He is survived by his wife: Lillian Gould, Big Spring; one daughter: Pamela Henderson, Big Spring; four grandchildren; one brother: Oscar Gould, Coleman; and three sisters: Virginia Shewmaker, Texarkana, Ludie Cox, Landers, Wyo., and Lavorne Evans, El Paso.

He was preceded in death by one son, Gaylor Ryan Gould; one daughter, Debra Darlene Gould; one brother, Dalton Gould; and one sister, Nellie Arrington.

Arrangements under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

John Cullom

Graveside services for John Hillman Cullom, 74, Big Spring, will be 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 11, 1995, at Trinity Memorial Park. Mr. Cullom died Tuesday, Aug. 8, in a local hospital.

He was born on April 18, 1921, in Quinlan, and married Dorothy Higdon on Sept. 17, 1946, in Sterling City. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of El Paso and a member of the Retired Officers Association and National Association of U.S. Services. He was a 1st Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps (Ret.) having served in the Pacific during World War II. He was a graduate of Quinlan High School, San Angelo Junior College and Sul Ross State College and did post graduate work at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque. He taught on both elementary and secondary levels at Terulurde, Colo., Florence, Colo., Belen, N.M., Estancia, N.M. and El Paso. He had lived in Big Spring since 1987.

Survivors include his wife: Dorothy Cullom, Big Spring; one brother: Gordon G. Cullom, Greenville; three sisters-in-law; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Egbert and Lois Cullom; and four brothers, Hugh, Alfred, William and Robert.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL
24th & Johnson 267-9288

J.R. Gould, 75, died Tuesday. Funeral services were 10:00 AM Thursday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at 4:00 PM Thursday at Brown Ranch Cemetery in Coleman County.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel
906 GREGG 267-6331

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IN BRIEF

Citizens for Tax Reform meet tonight

Citizens for Tax Reform will meet Aug. 10, in the County Courtroom on the second floor of the Howard County Courthouse at 7 p.m.

Items on the agenda will include a discussion of various funding vehicles, an equitable tax structure that allows everyone to participate in city, county, school and state funding and what to expect for the next three years.

Citizens for Tax Reform has moved its meeting times to the second and fourth Thursday of each month. For more information call 267-3013.

One-act plays on for this weekend

Three one-act plays will be performed free 8 p.m. Friday and 2 p.m. Saturday, on the Howard College Auditorium stage. The show features nearly two dozen local young actors and lasts about one hour. It is designed as family entertainment. There is no fee for admission.

Prices set for Forsan ISD meals

Cafeteria meals at Forsan Junior High and High Schools this year will be \$1 for lunch and 50 cents for breakfast. Lunch at Elbow Elementary will be 75 cents and breakfast will be 50 cents. Children may either pay cash when they go through the cafeteria line or buy a meal ticket at the principal's office before school.

Applications for free or reduced-price meals are available from the superintendent's office. Children are eligible for free or reduced-price meals based on family income. Foster children are eligible for reduced price meals regardless of family income.

For more information on cafeteria prices, or to receive an application for free or reduced-price meals, please call Peggy Evans at Forsan Jr. High.

BSISD board meets tonight

The Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the board room to discuss or approve the following items:

- Resignations/employments
- Employee benefit handbook
- Fleet insurance
- Fuel bid
- Drug-free school and math/science co-op
- Travel mileage
- Flagship station for 1995 football broadcasts
- Athletic supplies bids
- Opening school information

College returns to fall hours Aug. 14

Howard College will begin their fall school hours Monday, Aug. 14. The office hours are 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m.-3 p.m. on Fridays.

Every office will be open during the lunch hour. For more information call 264-5000.

Management training course provided

The business department at Howard College is offering supervisory and middle management training to full-time and part-time employees.

For more information call Doris Huibregtse at 264-5125.

Boll weevil meeting Aug. 16

The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is planning a public hearing Aug. 16 in Lubbock.

The board of directors want to solicit comments on the High Plains Eradication Program. The hearing is scheduled from 1:30-6 p.m. in the Best Western-Lubbock Regency Hotel, 6624 Interstate 27, in Lubbock.

Malone and Hogan Clinic
1501 W. 11th Place
267-6361

Big Spring ON THE RUN

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents during a 24-hour period ending 8 a.m. Thursday:

•**ROSENDO C. RODRIGUEZ**, 25, of 804 Lancaster, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•**MATILDE RODRIGUEZ**, 48, of 804 Lancaster, was arrested for disorderly conduct by gesturing.

•**BERLEY SAPP II**, 68, no address given, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**ANN M. ANGUIANA**, 24, no address given, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•**TRICIA DIANA DIAZ**, 19, of 1304 Colby, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•**ROSENDO JIMENIZ**, 32, of 120 Airbase Road Building #31, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**ALFREDO PINEDA**, 28, no address given, was arrested for driving while license suspended.

•**BARRY KENT BLAUSER**, 24, of 3608 Parkway, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** in the 800 block of Interstate 20.

•**ASSAULTS** in the 1000 block of North Main, 600 block of Gold, 400 block of West Third and 400 block of West Fourth.

•**THEFTS** in the 500 block of North Lamesa and 1700 block of East Marcy.

•**SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY INVESTIGATIONS** in the 500 block of East 17th, 1600 block of Mesquite, 800 block of Owens, 300 block of West Fifth, 1100 block of Mulberry, 1200 block of Johnson, 1500 block of Nolan, 400 block of Gregg, 200 block of East Third, 2600 block of South Monticello, 1600 block of Harding, 4300 block of West Highway 80, 1100 block of State and 300 block of Gregg.

•**LOUD PARTIES** in the 1400 block of Lincoln, 1700 block of Young, 500 block of East 12th, 2600 block of Hunter, 1500 block of East 15th and 500 block of Westover.

•**DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES** in the 1500 block of Wood, 600 block of East 15th, 1600 block of Virginia and 1400 block of Main.

•**ASSAULT/FAMILY VIOLENCE** in the 600 block of South Goliad.

•**MINOR ACCIDENT** in the 1500 block of East Cherokee. Citations for failure to control speed and no driver's license were issued.

•**MINOR ACCIDENT** at intersection of East 11th Place and FM 700. A citation for failure to control speed was issued.

•**DAVID YOUNG**, 58, of 109 N.E. Ninth, surrendered himself via a bondsman to the sheriff's office on an outstanding warrant for possession of a controlled substance. He was later released on a \$10,000 bond.

•**EPIFIANO JOSE GUZMAN**, 24, of 1202 Sycamore, surrendered himself to the sheriff's office on three outstanding warrants. They were a motion to revoke his probation, unlawfully carrying a weapon and possession of marijuana under two ounces. He had been on probation for driving while license suspended and was later released on bonds totaling \$3,500.

•**JASON BLUNDY CASTEEL**, 23, of 703 Settles, was transferred to Oklahoma City after being arrested on two Oklahoma warrants for concealing stolen property.

•**TIMOTHY FRUITT**, no address given, was transferred to the county jail after being arrested by Amarillo DPS troopers on an outstanding warrant for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

•**SUSPICIOUS SUBJECTS** on Pine Street.

•**OPEN DOOR** at business on South Highway 87.

•**DOMESTIC PROBLEM** on Elder Street.

•**CIVIL STANDBY REQUESTED** on Oasis Road.

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** on Kyle Road.

•**ALARM** at the women's dorm at Southwest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf. Someone was cooking in their room and it set off the alarm.

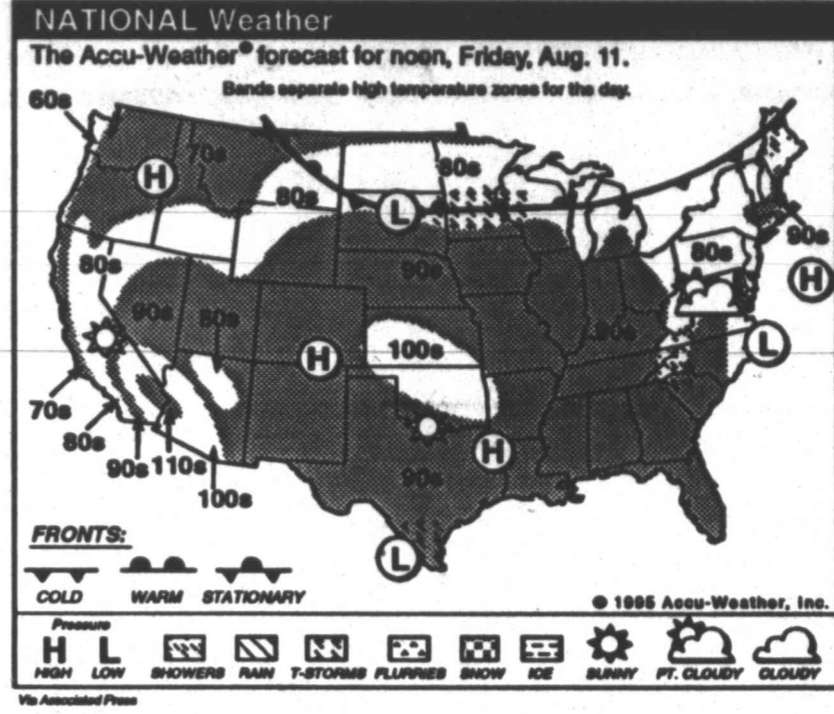
•**GAS LEAK** in the 1500 block of Main. Firefighters stood by until a representative from Energas was on the scene.

•**DUMPSTER FIRE** in the 1000 block of Hearn.

•**BURNING BUSH** in the 100 block of Lockhart. The fire was extinguished by a neighbor.

•**ALARM** in the 2800 block of Stonehaven. The plumber at the residence accidentally set off the alarm.

•**STRUCTURE FIRE** in the 200 block of Driver Road. There was about \$2,500 worth of damage to a storage building.



NATIONAL SUMMARY: Very hot, steamy air will begin expanding from the central Plains into the Ohio Valley tomorrow. The East will also be warmer and more humid than recent days. Thunderstorms will flare up at random from Pennsylvania to Georgia. There will also be some thunder in southern Texas. Cool, dry air will move through the Northwest, while the Southwest remains hot.

DID YOU WIN? LOTTO: 5, 8, 9, 10, 38, 44
PICK 3: 8, 4, 1

•**JASON PAUL MURPHY**, 23, of Route 2 Box 153, was arrested for revoking his probation. He had been on probation for theft over \$20 and under \$500. He was later released on a \$500 bond.

•**MACK ALLEN WILLIAMS**, 36, of Hobbs, N.M., was released on modified conditions of probation. He had been arrested for revoking his probation for driving while intoxicated.

•**GRACIE LEAL**, 24, of 1806 East 11th, pleaded guilty to revoking her probation. She had been on probation for welfare fraud. She was sentenced to one year in the Substance Abuse Felony Punishment Facility, 10 years probation and ordered to pay restitution.

•**LAFAWN JOHNSON**, 22, of 1107 North Goliad, pleaded guilty to revoking her probation. She had been on probation for burglary. She was sentenced to one year in the Substance Abuse Felony Punishment Facility and five years probation.

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FIRE

The Big Spring Fire Department reported the following incidents during a time period between 8 a.m. Aug. 2 and 8 a.m. Thursday:

•**STUMP FIRE** at vacant lot in the 2400 block of Johnson.

•**STRUCTURE FIRE** in the 500 block of South Birdwell. A pot of food was left on the stove at a restaurant. There was about \$300 worth of damage to the building.

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RECORDS

Wednesday's temp.	95
Wednesday's low	74
Average high	95
Average low	69
Record high	106 in 1951
Record low	59 in 1959
Rainfall Wednesday	0.00
Month to date	0.54
Month's normal	0.38
Year to date	13.26

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents during a 24-hour period ending 8 a.m. Thursday:

MARKETS

Oct. cotton futures 73.30 cents a pound down 2 points; Sept. crude oil 17.81 cents up 3 points; cash hog steady at 50 cents lower at 47.50 cents even; slaughter steers steady at 50 cents lower at 63 cents even; Aug. live hog futures 47.32, down 15 points; Aug. live cattle futures 62.90, down 40 points.

Courtesy: Delta Commodities
Noon quotes provided by Edward D. Jones & Co.
Index 4672.89
Volume 95,589,600

ATT	52% +
Amoco	64% -
Atlantic Richfield	112% - 1
Atmos	19% nc
Boston Chicken	25% -
Cabot	55% -
Chevron	49% +
Chrysler	50% +
Coca-Cola	67% +
De Beers	25% -
DuPont	65% +
Exxon	70% +
Fina Inc.	49% nc

Ford Motors	28% -
Halliburton	41% +
IBM	109% nc
JC Penney	47% -
Laser Indus LTD	9% -
Mesa Ltd. Prt	4% nc
Mobile	98% +
NUV	9% -
Pepsi Cola	46% +
Phillips Petroleum	34% +
Sears	32% +
Southwestern Bell	49% -
Sun	28% nc
Texaco	65% -
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Texas Utilities	34% nc
Unocal Corp.	28% nc
Wal Mart	25% +
Amcap	13.93-14.78
Euro Pacific	23.24-24.66
I.C.A.	20.90-22.18

New Economy	16.02-17.00
New Perspective	16.87-17.90
Van Kampen	14.59-15.32
Gold	383.80-384.30
Silver	5.23-5.26

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Judge moves Selena trial to Houston

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — A judge has decided to move the trial of the woman accused of killing Tejano singer Selena to Houston.

"It's the closest big city that will be likely acceptable to everybody," state District Judge Mike Westergren said Wednesday.

Yolanda Saldivar's attorney had contended that his client could not receive an impartial jury in Corpus Christi, where Selena grew up, became a star and was gunned down at a budget motel on March 31.

Court-appointed defense lawyer Doug Tinker, who has been tight-lipped about his strategy, hinted during cross-examination Wednesday that he will contend that the shooting was accidental.

Tinker also signaled that he will contend that Selena was having a falling out with her father, Abraham Quintanilla Jr., who managed her music career.

Without giving specifics, Tinker said he will fight Quintanilla's allegations that his client had stolen money from Selena's boutique and fan club.

Ms. Saldivar, a 34-year-old San Antonio nurse, founded the Selena Fan Club and was a close friend of the star.

Quintanilla has described Ms. Saldivar as obsessed with Selena.

Tinker asked the judge to order a deposition from Dr. Ricardo Martinez of Monterrey, Mexico. The doctor performed liposuction surgery on the singer two months before her death, Tinker said.

"My client was asked by Selena to go down there (Mexico) to help care for her," Tinker said.

Tinker told the judge that a conflict concerning the doctor had emerged between Selena and her father.

"There were several things going on... that caused this conversation and caused this accidental shooting," Tinker said.

Teen's statement to be allowed at her murder trial

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A judge has ruled that a 12-year-old girl's statement to police, in which she allegedly admits to suffocating a toddler, may be used as evidence at her juvenile capital murder trial.

Defense attorneys sought to suppress the statement, arguing that detectives coerced fifth-grader Victoria Dalton into confessing to suffocating a 2-year-old.

Attorney Juan Neri accused detectives of using threats and promises to intimidate the girl into confessing.

Beach buzzing under investigation

DALLAS (AP) — An investigation has been launched to determine whether a retiring American Airlines pilot put a planeload of passengers at risk by doing a low-level fly-by of Waikiki Beach, according to a published report.

In a copyright story, The Dallas Morning News reported today that the pilot made the low flight to celebrate his last flight from Honolulu to Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport on July 28.

The newspaper reported that the veteran captain wanted to leave Hawaii with a flourish on his final flight. He reportedly asked air traffic controllers for permission to fly low over the Diamond Head volcano, FAA officials said.

The airplane appeared to be flying as low as 500 feet over Mamala Bay, witnesses said. But airline officials say the aircraft was never below 1,000 feet above sea level as it flew near the 761-foot-tall extinct volcano.

Officials told the newspaper that the air traffic controllers who approved the pilot's request have been reprimanded. The plane was never in any danger, according to both airline and FAA officials.

The investigation has been hampered because the flight crew turned off an instrument in the cockpit that would have automatically sent altitude information to air-traffic radar.



Bail bondsman Clement Romeo, who has been distributing fliers and seeking media attention to find two Houston women wanted on robbery and kidnapping charges, displays t-shirts he had printed depicting wanted posters of the women Wednesday.

REAL-LIFE THELMA AND LOUISE

Two women who skipped on robbery, kidnapping charges sought

HOUSTON (AP) — When the two met in 1992, Joyce Carolyn Stevens was the mousey, timid daughter of a minister working at a Houston psychiatric hospital as an aide.

Rose Marie Turford was a registered nurse and Canadian transplant just starting work at the same hospital, already living the American suburban dream, complete with a computer executive husband, a nice home and Little League practice for her boys.

What turned the two to lure and rob men through a telephone dating service, their skip bond and opt for felonious flight has authorities stumped in Canada and the United States.

Their antics have earned them the nicknames of "Thelma and Louise," the characters in a 1991 film about two women on the lam.

This real-life version, though, includes a mysterious sinister force called "Avery" and a bail bondsman with a heart of gold.

The initial story broke March 14 when police arrested the two at a Houston-area motel. They were charged with three counts of aggravated robbery for robbing three different men at gunpoint.

They later were charged with one aggravated robbery and one kidnapping involving another man in Galveston County.

The arrests shocked their

friends and family and left law enforcement officers puzzled, since women with such backgrounds rarely get in so deep.

"It just doesn't make any sense," says Mrs. Turford's attorney, Mike Lamson. "Upper-middle class. It just doesn't jive."

Friends remember Ms. Stevens, 30, as a timid woman who spoke in a low voice. She was arrested last December at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport for carrying a gun in her bag but she failed to show up for a hearing. Other than that run-in with the law, there is no other indication she had a taste for crime.

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Suit seeking money for illegal immigrants thrown out of court

AUSTIN (AP) — A U.S. district judge has thrown out the state's lawsuit seeking reimbursement of \$1.3 billion from the federal government for the costs of illegal immigration.

In a ruling released Wednesday, U.S. District Judge F. Lee Vela said Congress, not the courts, has the authority to order payment to the state.

"Only in a political forum can the myriad causes of illegal immigration and its costs and benefits be laid fully on the table," the judge wrote in his 16-page order.

The ruling echoed others reached in California and Florida, where similar lawsuits have been dismissed. Arizona, New Jersey and New York also are suing.

Texas Attorney General Dan Morales, who filed the lawsuit last year, said he would appeal.

"We have always anticipated that this issue would be ultimately resolved by the U.S.

Supreme Court," Morales said.

"The federal government has a constitutional obligation to reimburse the states for costs resulting from federal immigration policies," he said. "Federal immigration policy imposes a direct financial burden upon the taxpayers of Texas."

Nevertheless, a Justice Department official said it is no surprise that all federal judges who have addressed the issue agree with the federal policy.

"In all of our cases, we've made the claim that this type of issue raises questions that are best met in a legislative forum than in a court. The courts have supported our decision," said Ana Cobian, a Justice Department spokeswoman.

State Rep. Roberto Alonzo, who heads the Mexican-American Democratic Caucus, praised the ruling and said he hopes it helps alleviate any anti-immigration sentiment.

Rabies vaccine drop planned for Atascosa Co.

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Thousands of baits laden with vaccine will be dropped over a 250-square-mile area south of San Antonio next week because of increasing reports of rabid coyotes in Atascosa County.

Health officials dropped 650,000 baits in a 60-mile-wide arc across the state, including Atascosa County, in February to halt the northward spread of canine rabies from extending to Bexar County and beyond.

At that time, 25,000 baits were held in reserve for any so-called "hot spots," or clusters of canine rabies occurring at the line.

Those rabies baits will be dropped from Texas Animal Damage Control helicopters over three or four days, beginning Monday, concentrating on areas near water and other places coyotes frequent.

"This is of concern, but it is by no means a disaster or unexpected," said Dr. Keith Clark, chief of zoonosis control with the state health department. Zoonosis refers to diseases animals spread to people.

The timing of the drop is less than ideal, Clark said.

"Because of the hot weather, the coyotes aren't moving as much," Clark told the San Antonio Express-News. "They have quite a bit to eat right now..."

But Dr. William Lammers, head of animal control with the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District, said the effort will not stop canine rabies from reaching Bexar County.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"Censorship strikes at the taproot of our free society." Newton Minow, attorney, 1961

Increased security: Sign of the terroristic times

Increased security at airports across the nation may be a little inconvenient, but it may save lives of those flying the skies.

The reason for the increase in security is to deter possible criminal or terrorist acts. This comes in the wake of the death of Mousa Abu Marzuk, alleged Islamic terrorist leader; the trial of a man on charges of conspiring to bomb terrorist acts; and the disappearance of Pope John Paul II.

Not only are the airlines beefing up their security, other methods of transportation, such as railroads and buses, are being asked to check their security.

Increased security, as long as people see it as a means to an end, will help make travel safer.

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Charles C. Williams Publisher DD Turner Managing Editor

As we have found out the hard way - through the bombing of the World Trade Center - we are not immune to international terrorism. We have learned through the bombing of the federal building in Oklahoma City we are not immune to terrorism from citizens of the United States.

It is sad that we have to live this way, but burying our heads in the sand and wishing for simpler times doesn't help save lives. Acknowledging the potential for terrorist action and taking steps to prevent it does.

Reassurances given, prices set as ambulance service readied to go

By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Writer

Big Spring Fire Chief Frank Anderson reassured the City Council the department is on track to provide Big Spring with a first-rate ambulance service by Oct. 1.

Anderson said County Commissioner Sonny Choate has had several elderly residents express concern about the date the department will take over, as well as whether the department will accept Medicaid/Medicare assignments.

Choate attended Tuesday's council meeting when the council was introduced to Sheri Harris, the city's new billing and collections clerk for the ambulance service.

Anderson said, "We will be ready start the operation and we will accept Medicare and Medicaid assignments. Whatever Medicare and Medicaid say they will cover is what we will charge, no more."

Harris told the council she has eight and a half years experience in the area of billing and collecting and feels confident the city will be able to collect its fees from the ambulance service.

On first reading, council unanimously approved an ordinance setting fees for the ambulance service once the department takes over.

The schedule of fees: -Basic life support/Mobile Intensive Care Unit will be \$360 plus \$4 per mile over five miles during transport. -Transfer/Transport Service - \$360 plus \$4 per mile over five miles.

-Pharmaceuticals and IVs - \$50 for each item administered.

Anderson said he is extremely impressed with the progress of the paramedic training to this point.

To clear up any confusion about Medicaid/Medicare assignments, Anderson told the council if Medicare approves a \$200 fee (and will pay 80 percent), the city will not exceed the amount either approves.

Harris added, "The city will file secondary insurance papers

for customers or bill them for the 20 percent Medicare doesn't cover."

The ordinance also set the subscriber fee for ambulance service at a \$49 yearly rate. This fee will cover all emergency and medically necessary ambulance services for the subscriber's entire household.

According to the ordinance, everyone is eligible for membership, regardless of lack of private insurance coverage. If a member does have insurance coverage, the charges will be filed with the insurance company for payment. The member will not be responsible for any remaining balance after insurance reimbursements.

As for the firefighters' paramedic training, Anderson said, "It's even going better than I expected."

According to Anderson, all of the equipment is in except for one ambulance, and inspectors will be in Big Spring Aug. 17 to inspect the fully loaded ambulances for certification.

Anderson said, "It looks like everything is falling into place."

Iraq

AMMAN, Jordan's latest sighting of Iraq's inner commander Hussein's husbands and officers fled King Hussein's political asylum. Their departure deepened the deteriorating economic situation which has been its August 10, Kuwait. "Two daughters..."

ON 1 Serb attacked Croatia

ZAGREB, Croatia's first of several refugees arrive early today after journey through angry mobs harassed them.

In Topusko, Serb-held town, fled, Croatian treating men for children among 1,000 Serb town, said Jam spokesman. "Under the terms of the ceasefire, the Croats are allowed to leave out interference. The Croats are holding the men for war crimes."

The United Nations cease-fire agreement Wednesday night fighting in the parts of Serb-held Croatia, allow to Yugoslavia refugees in the and put Serb under U.N. control. Remnants of a battalion from the southern part of Bosnia, said U.S. Maj. Rita LePage. "It's a very rare. A very rare. have six tanks..."

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Storm warnings up along Gulf coast

MIAMI (AP) - Tropical storm warnings were up along the Gulf of Mexico coast for northern Mexico and southern Texas as forecasters watched a depression headed for land today - and a strengthening Tropical Storm Felix in the eastern Atlantic.

"At this point, the depression is just about at tropical storm strength," hurricane specialist Ed Rappaport of the National Hurricane Center said this morning. "There will likely be some modest strengthening before landfall so the system could well become a tropical storm before making it to the shoreline in the next 12 hours or so."

If the depression's maximum sustained winds reach 39 mph, it would become Tropical

Storm Gabrielle. At 5 a.m. EDT, it was centered near latitude 23.8 north, longitude 96.8 west or about 145 miles south-south-east of Brownsville, Texas. That's also about 60 miles east of La Pesca, Mexico.

It was traveling west at about 8 mph and was expected to hit northern Mexico, with heavy rains starting about noon, Rappaport said. Top winds were near 35 mph.

If the system continued its early-morning motion as forecasters expected, "most of the effects will be south of the Rio Grande," Rappaport said.

A tropical storm warning was posted for the Texas coast from Baffin Bay south of Corpus Christi. The Mexican government extended the warning from the Texas border to just north of Tampico.

Storm

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and a 1-in-8 chance of hitting Corpus Christi, National Weather Service meteorologist Bill Read said.

Rain from the storm could dump from 4 to 10 inches in parts of South Texas, with Mexico expected to receive even more precipitation, he said.

South Texas has been gripped by unusually dry weather this summer with Brownsville receiving only 9.2 inches of rain this year compared with the 12.8 inches it usually gets by early August.

Budget

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sometime in September when the budget is finalized, but the proposed effective tax rate will be somewhere around \$0.46281 or 46 cents per \$100 valuation.

Commissioners said the final tax rate could be somewhere around 47 cents per \$100 valuation, which is higher than the 1994-95 rate of \$0.44324 or 44 cents per \$100 valuation.

Commissioner Sonny Choate said, "If we go out and tell people why we're going to have to raise taxes, they'll understand. They don't want us to say what we're going to do and just stop there."

Commissioner Bill Crocker said the upcoming year will be very tough for the county, but commissioners will do whatever it takes to survive.

"We've cut as much as we can," Crocker said. "It would be nice to say we didn't have to raise taxes, but it's our responsibility to see that the residents

of Howard County have adequate services. We don't want to have to go to the bank at the end of the year and borrow money just to finish out the year."

The county's three biggest expenses come under the headings of salaries, road and bridge and the Sheriff's Department. Approximately 60 percent of the 1994-95 budget went toward salaries.

County Auditor Jackie Olson told commissioners if they stayed with the same tax rate, they would be limiting themselves.

Crocker said, "My feeling is that we should instruct Jackie to use the effective tax rate. If we had not suffered losses in our tax base, we could have stayed with the 44 cents per \$100 valuation. Our tax base has been dropping every year and we have also been asked to take on more mandates by the government. Indigent health care is one example."

The proposed increase of .1957 or 2 cents in the tax rate would generate approximately \$4.59 million at a 95 percent tax collection rate in the upcoming fiscal year.

Commissioners also pointed out the proposed increase includes .1214 cents being dedicated to the recent bond issue voters approved for renovations to the courthouse.

Commissioner Jerry Kilgore added, "The fat has been cut where we could cut it, especially in the road and bridge department."

Commissioners would also like to take the \$50,000 set aside each year for courthouse maintenance and begin a reserve fund for the county.

According to Choate and Crocker, commissioners will continue to look at the preliminary budget to see if any other areas can be cut without limiting services to Howard County residents.

Crime

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Family members are keeping mum.

"I really have no comment. And that's all I have to say for the time being," said mother-in-law Shirley Turford, of Canada.

What's happened is either a case of collusion or coercion. Just who coerced whom is another riddle altogether.

The friendship between the two began soon after Mrs. Turford, 36, joined Spring Shadows Glen rehabilitation hospital three years ago. According to earlier police reports, Ms. Stevens convinced her new friend that she was in trouble with the mysterious "Avery."

Lamson contends his client was kidnapped or under some sort of duress when the two jumped their combined \$500,000 bond, one day after it was posted by relatives on May 12.

But bail bondsman Clement Romeo discounts that theory. He's started a T-shirt publicity campaign with the women's pictures on it to drum up possible sightings and capture.

He points the finger at Carolyn Stevens, speculating she lured Mrs. Turford into an exciting dark world with phony tales of espionage and danger.

"Carolyn is Avery," Romeo said. "But I don't know Rose knew this. I think Carolyn was able to weave a web."

Police say the duo may be connected to five other incidents in Las Vegas and Houston beginning in January.

Soon after Ms. Stevens moved in with the Turford family, she began showing up with injuries she says were inflicted by "Avery" and that he was threatening the Turford family.

Mrs. Turford's husband Brian, now working for a firm in the Detroit area, did not return a phone call to The Associated Press on Wednesday.

The last real clue in the case came in July when a stolen rental car obtained by a Joyce Stevens in Edmonton, Alberta

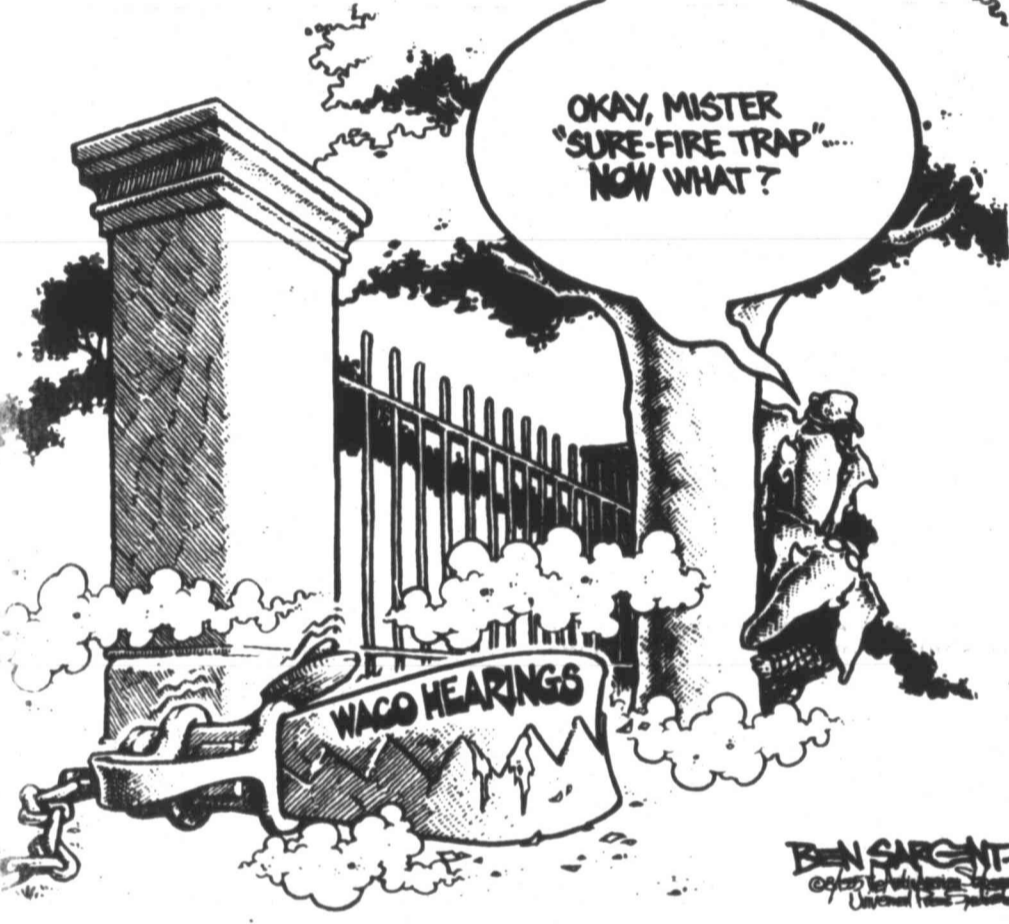
was discovered in Toronto. A note left in the car apologized to the rental agency and asked them to inform police that the car no longer was stolen. Stevens' name was on the note.

Since that time, dozens of sightings, most turning out to be false, have been made in Canada.

Romeo says he's trying to help find the women so their parents' property will not be foreclosed on and he, in turn, doesn't appear as some sort of villain. So he's turned to T-shirts.

"The only way we can keep the heat on these girls to keep them in front of the public eye is to do things unusual to cause the media to pay attention," said Romeo.

Ms. Stevens' attorney Bill Burge says he has little to offer. He last heard from his client shortly after she disappeared. "I already told her she needs to come in," Burge said. "She said she was going to."



Welfare As We Know It

Is there a welfare opening for President Clinton?

By WALTER REARS AP Special Correspondent

AP NEWS ANALYSIS

WANTON (AP) - Welfare reform was supposed to be done soon, but that schedule may not match for the Republican president may be an opening for President Clinton, who has vowed to change the system. The congress acts or not.

Each year, presidential and congressional politics, efforts to reform the welfare system are on hold until September, with pledges but no guarantees of action then.

Clinton already had said he will use his executive powers to make major changes in the system. "We don't have to wait for Congress to go a long way toward ending welfare as we know it, we can build on what we've already done," he told the nation's governors on July 31, after they had heard Sen. Bob Dole, the majority leader, urge his version of welfare reform.

At that point, Dole, R-Kan., was saying he'd hold the Senate in session, scuttling recess plans for weeks, in order to get a welfare overhaul through. But he acknowledged that without the 60 votes it would take to shut off debate at some point, "we'll probably have to decide it cannot pass."

After two days of debate and dispute, Dole decided on Tuesday to shelve the bill until after Labor Day, while he tries to build support for his bill to undo the current federal system and turn control, and funds, over to states, with far fewer Washington strictures on how they handle it.

Dole said the Senate could have worked all night all week

without getting a final vote. He said there were Democratic signals that it wouldn't be possible.

"The problem is that the Democrats have been filibustering every bill," said Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah.

But Republicans had their own differences, with conservatives insisting on more stringent rules to deny cash welfare to teen-age mothers and immigrants who are not citizens, and to prevent increases for babies born to women already on welfare, provisions like those the House swiftly approved more than four months ago. And other Republicans want more liberal provisions on child care benefits to go along with the requirement that welfare recipients go to work, at least half of them by 2000.

The bill Dole drafted in an effort at Republican consensus also would limit welfare benefits to two years at a stretch, no more than five years in a lifetime. It also would freeze federal welfare grants to the states at 1994 levels.

He had 33 Republicans backing his bill, and said he hoped almost all of the 54 GOP senators will be on board before the Senate goes on vacation at the end of the week. That would take changes to placate conservatives, among them his presidential campaign rival, Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas, who has his own welfare proposal.

But a turn toward the right will stiffen the resistance of Democrats, who want more funding for child care and job training, along with a requirement that states maintain their

welfare budgets at present levels.

Dole said if there is no action on a separate welfare bill, he will put it into the massive budget bill that Congress is supposed to pass by Oct. 1.

Clinton said he is going ahead with "real welfare reform."

"It is time to put partisanship and politics aside," he said, urging the Senate to take swift action in September. But there are few more politically charged issues, as he demonstrated when he campaigned on this one in 1992.

And while Clinton urges congressional action, it serves his political purpose now to demonstrate that he can and will act himself, with executive orders and rulings.

Clinton has promised the governors federal approval within 30 days for state welfare reforms that:

-Require welfare recipients to go to work, while providing child care so they can.

-Limit the duration of welfare benefits, and deny them to people who turn down jobs.

-Force delinquent fathers to pay child support.

-Require teen-age mothers to live at home and stay in school.

-Permit states to pay the cash equivalent of welfare and food stamp costs as wage subsidies to employers who hire people off welfare rolls.

He said he hoped such moves would spur Congress to act, "but we don't have to wait for them, and we shouldn't."

Walter Rears, AP special correspondent for The Associated Press, has reported on Washington and national politics for more than 40 years.

Iraq leadership in turmoil as two seek asylum in Jordan

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) — In the latest sign of turmoil in Iraq's inner circle, two of Saddam Hussein's daughters, their husbands and a group of army officers fled to Jordan, where King Hussein granted them political asylum.
Their departure underlined the deteriorating political and economic situation in Iraq, which has been isolated since its August 1990 invasion of Kuwait.
"Two daughters of President

Saddam Hussein and their husbands, Hussein and Saddam Kamel, met with King Hussein on Tuesday and made a personal plea for asylum, which was granted to them immediately," Jordan's foreign minister, Abdul-Karim Kabariti, said today.
Kabariti said that a "large number of officers was also granted asylum." He would not say on what basis the asylum was granted.
Maj. Gen. Hussein Kamel al-

Majidi, a cousin of Saddam and the husband of Saddam's eldest daughter, Raghda, was the highest-ranking member of the group. He was fired Wednesday as industry minister and head of Iraq's weapons programs.
He was accompanied by his brother Saddam Kamel, a colonel in the missile forces who is married to Saddam's daughter Rana.
The Iraqis, Kabariti said, are "safe in King Hussein's big house."

King Hussein has distanced himself from the Iraqi government for the past three years, urging liberalization and human rights reforms in Baghdad.
The granting of asylum to defectors goes far beyond his previous differences with Saddam, and could indicate the seriousness of the current power struggle.
Kamel Abu Jaber, a well-informed analyst and former Jordanian foreign minister,

said al-Majid's defection was "an indication of serious trouble at the top in Iraq."
"It seems that the inner circle is deteriorating," he said. "It's obvious that the leadership is cracking."
It was not clear how the dismissal of al-Majid, reported today by the Iraqi News Agency and monitored in Cyprus, related to his appeal for asylum, which had been made on Tuesday.
As head of Iraq's military

industrialization organization for much of the 1980s, al-Majid oversaw the development of Iraq's burgeoning arms industry, particularly chemical and biological weapons and ballistic missiles.
It was not clear whether his dismissal was connected with Iraq's efforts to satisfy the international community that it has dismantled its weapons programs and thus win the lifting of crippling international sanctions.

ON THE ATTACK

Serb refugees attacked by Croatian mobs

ZAGREB, Croatia (AP) — The first of several thousand Serb refugees arrived in Yugoslavia early today after a harrowing journey through Croatia where angry mobs hurled bricks and abuse at them.

In Topusko, the formerly Serb-held town that the refugees fled, Croatian troops were separating men from women and children among the approximately 1,000 Serbs left in the town, said James Kanu, a U.N. spokesman there.

"Under the terms of the cease-fire all refugees were to be allowed to leave the area without interference," Kanu said. The Croats presumably were holding the men for "screening" for war crimes.

The United Nations secured a cease-fire agreement on Wednesday that was to halt fighting in the remaining pockets of Serb-held territory in Croatia, allow for safe passage to Yugoslavia for the 40,000 refugees in the Topusko area and put Serb heavy weapons under U.N. control.

Remnants of a rebel Serb tank battalion remained in control of the southern part of Dvor, a town near the border with Bosnia, said U.N. spokeswoman Maj. Rita LePage.

"It's a very tense situation there," LePage said. "The Serbs have six tanks and a number of



Associated Press photo: A man breaks away from a Croatian mob attacking Serb refugees to chase an Associated Press photographer in Sisak, Wednesday. The photographer was trying to take an image of the scene. Several hundred Croats threw bricks, eggs and manure at convoys of refugees as they passed by en route to Serbia. The photographer was unharmed.

men under arms. We have been unable to arrange any kind of cease-fire in the isolated region as it appears the Serb commanders have been killed and we are unable to establish talks to arrange a weapons collection site or anything else."

Weapons collection points set up in Topusko and Glina, two former rebel towns in southern Croatia, had received many weapons, including armored personnel vehicles and 100-mm guns, she said.

The first group of about 400 shellshocked refugees from the Topusko area arrived in Serbia,

which borders Croatia and is the largest of Yugoslavia's two republics, shortly before dawn today. Thousands more were following their path after a day-long trek of horror out of Croatia.

"Virtually not a single car windshield in one group of vehicles remained unsmashed or a single refugee stood without bleeding from cuts," LePage said.

Soldiers among the refugees were being put in Yugoslav army trucks, witnesses said, presumably to be sent back to the front lines.

UNTOUCHABLE

Teacher beats girl for touching pitcher for higher castes

MADRAS, India (AP) — Doctors in a southern Indian town operated Wednesday on a 5-year-old girl whose teacher blinded her in the right eye after she drank from a pitcher reserved for people from a higher social caste.

Dhanam, a first-grade student from a low-caste family in Kattunaickenpatti village, about 260 miles from Madras, was beaten by her teacher on June 29 after she rushed out of her classroom and drank the water. Dhanam has no family name.

According to the rigid, centuries-old caste system, children from low-caste families are considered "untouchable" and are supposed to gesture for water and wait for someone to pour it into their cupped hands to

drink. The person pouring the water must ensure that the pitcher does not touch the child.

Since 1950, the practice of untouchability has been outlawed, but caste boundaries are observed all over India.

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When D. Subramaniam, the teacher, caught Dhanam dipping into the water container, he attacked her with a cane, which struck her in the right eye.

On Wednesday, doctors at the

Government Hospital in Madras said they had replaced the damaged lens in Dhanam's eye and expected her vision to be fully

restored.

The government in Tamil Nadu state ignored a complaint by Dhanam's father for nearly a month. It was only after the national newspapers reported the incident in July that the local police arrested the teacher on charges of assault and practicing untouchability.

British journalist killed in Croatia

LONDON (AP) — A British journalist was killed and two others wounded Wednesday when Croatian forces opened fire on their armored car in a convoy headed for Bihac, the British Broadcasting Corp. said.

John Schofield, 29, died of a single shot through the neck, the BBC said in London.

Schofield, a BBC radio reporter, was traveling with three colleagues from BBC World Service Television. A BBC TV News report Wednesday evening said the men had gotten out of their armored car so the cameraman could film.

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Businessmen offer reward for capture of banker's killer

MOSCOW (AP) — Accusing police of widespread links to organized crime, a group of Russian businessmen offered a \$1 million reward Wednesday for the culprit who fatally poisoned a top banker.

Leaders of the Russian Business Roundtable also said they will watch the murder investigation closely and help gather clues.

Ivan Kivelidi, who died Friday, is the most prominent in a string of Russian businessmen whose assassinations have gone unsolved.

Kivelidi's slaying has drawn new attention to Russia's cut-throat business world, where competition is often resolved by guns and extortion. Bankers routinely surround themselves with bodyguards and send their families to live in the West.

The newspaper Izvestia ran a large front-page photo Wednesday

of "the latest businessman" to be murdered, an unidentified man lying twisted on the pavement, his face and chest smeared with blood. The report said 13 contract hits were carried out Friday and Saturday alone in Moscow.

The daily Kommersant said at least four businessmen were killed Monday and Tuesday, and three wounded. And statistics show contract killings are frequent across the country.

Most of the 500 recorded contract killings in Russia last year remain unsolved.

Mikhail Yuryev, first deputy president of the Roundtable, said part of the problem is the public, and police, view all businessmen as dishonest.

Just ask pensioner Vera Komarova. "It's terrible that people are being shot, but they're like wolves robbing each other and us," she said.

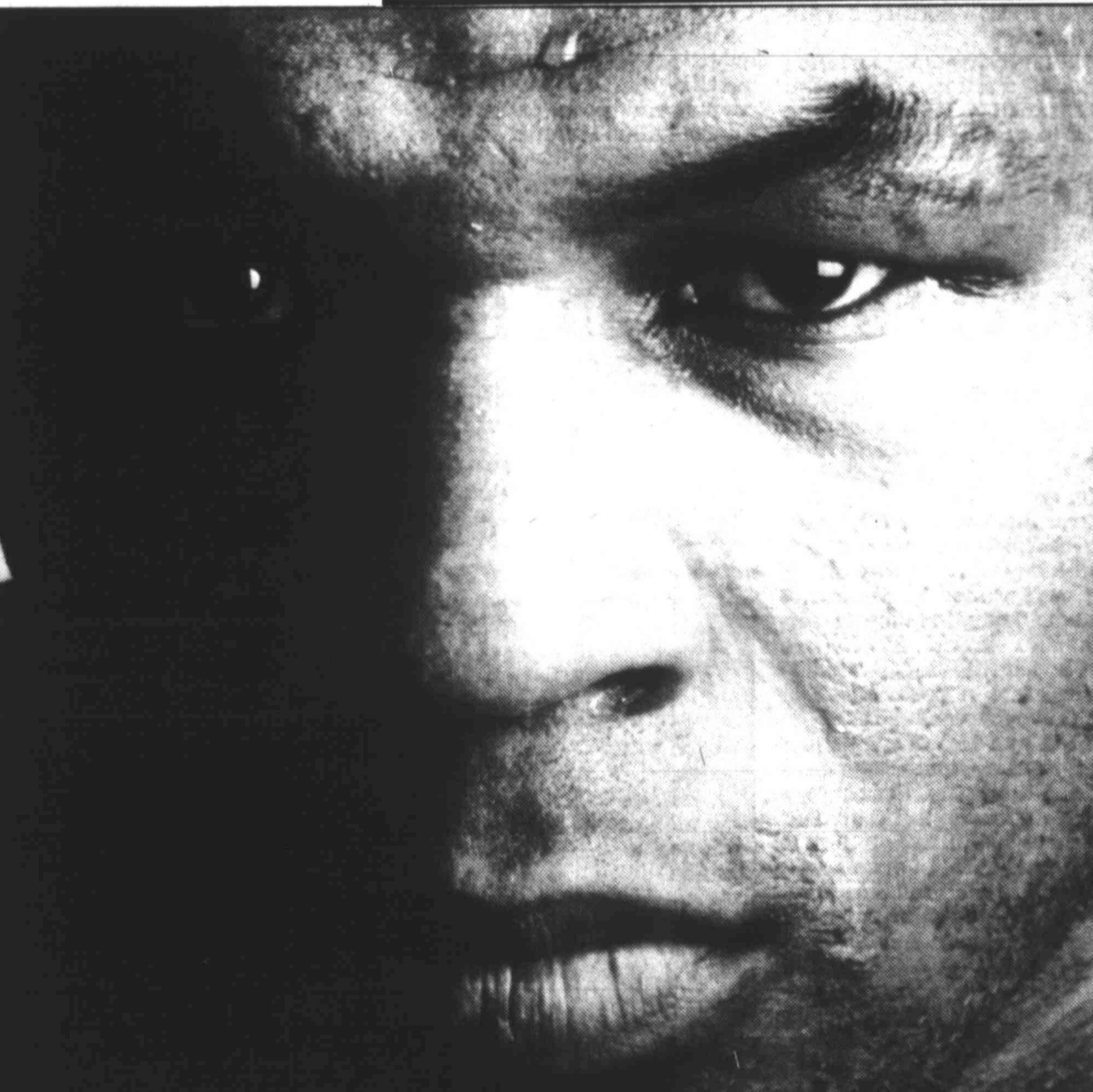
Jet crashes into volcano

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — A Guatemalan jet carrying 65 people on a flight from Miami slammed into a volcano during a storm, and an airline spokesman said today at least 60 of them were killed.

Aviateca's Flight 901 originated in Miami on Wednesday and had stopped in Guatemala City. It was on its approach path to the San Salvador airport when it crashed on Chichontepec volcano, also known as San Vicente, 37 miles east of the Salvadoran capital, officials said.

The Boeing 737 was to have gone on to Managua, Nicaragua, and San Jose, Costa Rica, the airline said in a statement.

The plane was carrying 58 passengers and seven crew members when it crashed.



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Indictments expected today in bombing case

KINGMAN, Ariz. (AP) — On a pole outside Michael Fortier's fading, cluttered trailer home, a yellow flag emblazoned with a coiled rattlesnake and the words "Don't Tread on Me" flaps in the desert wind.

The banner is one of the few outward signs of Fortier's alleged discontent with the government — a sentiment prosecutors say led him to help plot the April 19 bombing of the Oklahoma City federal building.

The allegations — and the swarm of FBI agents that preceded them to Fortier's trailer — surprised many who know Fortier as a rather ordinary guy who returned to his hometown on Old Route 66 after a hitch in the Army and married his high

school sweetheart.

Fortier has agreed to plead guilty to lesser charges and testify against Timothy McVeigh, Fortier's lawyer, Michael McGuire, told The Daily Oklahoman on Tuesday. Authorities say Fortier has admitted casing the building last December with McVeigh.

McVeigh and an Army buddy, Terry Nichols, are being held without bail under a federal anti-terrorism law that carries the death penalty. A grand jury in Oklahoma City is under a Friday deadline to indict both men.

Terry Vandeman, manager of the True Value hardware store where Fortier worked for more than a year, recalled him as

friendly and polite but private.

"I don't think any of us actually did anything with him after work," Vandeman said. "He came here to do his job and that was it."

Others speak of an angrier side to the slightly built 26-year-old man in wire-rimmed glasses, shoulder-length hair and goatee.

One is Walter "Mac" McCarty, a gun-toting retired Marine who met Fortier at the hardware store and gave him handgun lessons last summer.

With Fortier was a friend: McVeigh, an Army buddy who is now the prime suspect in the bombing that killed 168 people and wounded more than 500.

McCarty said he and Fortier

often met at his desert home to discuss "the social woe of America."

Which woe?

McCarty, known around Kingman for his weekly gun-control protests at the courthouse, reels off the fervent complaints of those who believe the government and its Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms have overstepped their authority.

Two rallying points are the 1993 raid on the Branch Davidian compound near Waco, Texas, and the 1992 killing of the wife and son of white supremacist Randy Weaver.

"We got together many times, usually to talk about things like Waco, Randy Weaver and other injustices that the big boys at

the FBI and ATF got involved in," McCarty said. "We liked to discuss guns and the right to carry weapons. I think he was very frustrated with the justice system of this country."

Fortier grew up in this small town in the dry mountains of northwestern Arizona. He graduated from Kingman High School in 1967 and worked briefly at the hardware store before enlisting in the Army and serving with McVeigh and Nichols at Fort Riley, Kan.

A shoulder injury led to Fortier's discharge from the Army in 1991, but he and McVeigh remained friends.

A web of shared views and connections between Fortier and McVeigh led the FBI to

Fortier's trailer early in the investigation: Fortier helped McVeigh get a job at the hardware store where he'd returned to work, chose him to be best man at his 1994 wedding in Las Vegas, and let him stay at the trailer and use the address as a reference when he signed up for a private mail drop he allegedly used to peddle weapons.

There are more ominous connections as well. When an unusual rifle stolen from an Arkansas gun collector turned up in a Kingman pawn shop, it was traced to Fortier's next-door neighbor, who said he got it from Fortier. Investigators believe the bombing suspects may have been involved in the robbery.

Travel security beefed up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Airline travelers can expect closer scrutiny of themselves and their luggage as the federal government moves to "deter possible criminal or terrorist acts."

Some measures are already in effect. Airline officials said the changes might lead to delays, although no immediate travel disruptions were reported.

"What the public will see is more uniformed police inside the terminals. They'll see more canine units and handlers inside the secured area of airport," explained spokeswoman Angel Biasatti at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

"Passengers will see more signs advising them to have their luggage with them at all times and that their luggage will be subject to search," said Mark Pesci, a spokesman for Philadelphia International Airport.

He added: "Passengers will be asked questions at ticketing counters and SkyCaps about whether any strangers have given them items in their possession and may be asked to produce identification."

"Generally, it's a heightened sense of security and everyone will be more aware of what's going on," said Pesci.

Transportation Secretary Federico Pena announced the new precautions Wednesday, a day after the Federal Aviation Administration notified the airline industry.

Pena said other transportation carriers — railroads, ships and mass transit — also are being asked to review their security precautions.

He said he acted "to prevent or deter possible criminal or



Airport preboard scanner Kelly McIntosh of Arlington helps people through a security checkpoint at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport in Grapevine Wednesday. Citing unidentified potential for criminal or terrorist acts, the government is ordering tougher security precautions for the nation's airports but less than during the Persian Gulf War.

terrorist acts," but would cite no specific threat. The move was prompted by "information provided by federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies which I am not at liberty to discuss," he said.

There were indications, however, that several factors had a part in the decision. These include the recent detention of Mousa Abu Marzuk, who is alleged to be an Islamic terrorist leader; the New York trial of 11 people on charges of conspir-

ing to plot terrorist acts; and the upcoming visit of Pope John Paul II to the United States.

Ms. Biasatti at the Dallas-Fort Worth airport predicted that if security is tightened even further, "The public might further see things like no one-hour parking in front of terminals, no unattended vehicles, requiring photo IDs — things like during Desert Shield-Desert Storm — or airlines implementing procedures that affect the traveling public."

Clinton to outline steps to combat teen smoking

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Ready to order unprecedented steps to combat teen smoking, President Clinton went to the heart of tobacco country Wednesday to make his case for strong government regulation.

People have to change, he said, "and somebody has to help them."

Clinton offered no specifics, but a senior administration official said the president would announce plans Thursday to give the Food and Drug Administration power to regulate nicotine as an addictive drug as it relates to young people.

The move would represent a sharp setback for the tobacco industry and its allies, who have tried to sidetrack regulations in favor of a voluntary campaign against smoking by teen-agers.

The industry immediately said it would fight any form of FDA regulation, seeing it as the first step toward broader restrictions on smoking.

"We don't need big government trying to run our lives," Democratic Gov. Jim Hunt told reporters as Clinton arrived in Charlotte.

"We just need to do it in a voluntary way that works, instead of overregulating from Washington."

The FDA's notice of intent to regulate was to be published in Thursday's Federal Register, triggering a 90-day public comment period before new rules would be issued, officials said.

A senior official who spoke on condition of anonymity said it was unclear whether Clinton would specify what rules the FDA should impose. Among those under consideration are regulating vending machines and advertising and requiring proof of age for purchases.

Aides said Clinton still held out some hope that the tobacco industry, faced with the threat of new regulations, would come up with an acceptable compromise, perhaps avoiding actual imposition of the rules.

Clinton's decision is fraught with political consequences: He can ill afford to alienate Southerners heading into the 1996 elections, and the tobacco industry is known to bring powerful pressure to bear.

But anti-smoking groups stress that surveys show most Americans — even those in

tobacco-growing states — believe the federal government should play a bigger role in regulating tobacco use.

In Wednesday's speech, Clinton

sought to pave the way for his announcement by first acknowledging the economic importance of tobacco in states such as North Carolina.

Garcia's death marks end of era

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Even with more than a touch of gray, Jerry Garcia was a potbelled, frizzy-haired symbol of youth gone wild.

When the leader of the Grateful Dead died of a heart attack Wednesday at 53, a way of life may have passed for legions of nomadic fans who followed Garcia's rock group everywhere and hoped his long, strange musical trip of peace and love would live forever.

"The major part of my life just died," said a woman who gave her name only as Becca. "We were going to do fall tour, and now there's nothing."

The steady beat of drums rose over tourist traffic in San Francisco's Haight-Ashbury district, the center of a psychedelic 1960s counterculture that Garcia and the Grateful Dead came to represent.

A single red rose was tied to a tree at 710 Ashbury, the birthplace of the band in 1964. A simple white sign propped up on the sidewalk read: Jerry G. — R.I.P.

"He really had no equal," Bob Dylan said in a statement. "To me he wasn't only a musician and a friend, he was more like a



Grateful Dead fans gather for a candlelight ceremony mourning the death of guitarist Jerry Garcia.

band's publicist and historian. Garcia had a history of drug abuse, but recently had been trying to clean up and lose weight.

Many have tried to explain the appeal of Garcia, a portly, shaggy man who was an uneven performer, especially in recent years.

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Texas 13, Detroit 5
Montreal 6, Houston 5

Wednesday
Midland 9, El Paso 1

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Steers' top priority: Finding defensive starters



Big Spring linemen go through agility drills during the first day of preseason practice Wednesday afternoon. The Steers open football season Sept. 8 at Borger. Herald photo by Steve Reagan

By STEVE REAGAN
Sports Editor

Preseason football practice is a time for players to establish themselves and questions to be answered. The most questions for the Big Spring Steers appear to lie on the defensive side of the ball.

The Steers opened preseason practice Wednesday, and the team's most immediate need is for some defensive players to step to the forefront - and fast.

Big Spring returns only two players - tackles Kenny Dupree and Jon Green - from the top-ranked defense in District 4-4A last season. Having all-district quality in the middle is a good place to start, but finding players to surround Dupree and Green is the biggest challenge facing defensive coordinator Jay Kennedy.

"Anytime you return only two starters, I'd say that was a big challenge," Kennedy said. "We're going to give a lot of people a long look. It might

Crossroads Country Preseason Tour Big Spring Steers

take longer (to find replacements) than we anticipated."

Both Kennedy and head coach Dwight Butler said the competition for the defensive spots is wide open - so wide open that Butler declines to name anyone as even a possible starter.

Although the clock is ticking - the Steers' first scrimmage is Aug. 24 against Lamesa and the regular season begins Sept. 8 at Borger - neither Butler or Kennedy are sounding any alarms.

"The best thing is, the kids did so well in the off-season," Kennedy said. "A lot of these guys pretty much picked up where they left off after spring practice. This year actually looks a little better than last, in that we have some better ath-

letes."

Things look much better for Big Spring on the offensive side of the ball, where senior quarterback Bucky Crenshaw leads a list of eight returning starters.

Butler conceded that the Steers' offense will probably outpace the defense, at least through the early part of the season.

"Anytime you get (eight) guys back - and not all of them in one position - that makes things a little more stable," Butler said.

Aside from Crenshaw, other returning offensive starters include all-district tight end Daniel Franks, fullback Donny Hill, wide receiver Marc Baker and linemen Tim Rios and James Escobar.

Junior tailback Toma McVae, who filled in for injured starter Quentin Dickson last season, will probably share running duties with Jose Pesina and Frankie Green.

Friday: The Coahoma Bulldogs.

BASEBALL

Rangers pummel Tigers

ARLINGTON (AP) — Lou Frazier has had a big jolt since his trade to the Texas Rangers.

"I thought I was coming here to pinch run and play defense," Frazier said. "But I'm out there everyday. It's been a nice surprise."

Frazier, a Detroit farmhand for three years without getting a major league callup, knocked in four runs Wednesday night as the Texas Rangers produced a season-high 17 hits in a 13-5 rout of the Tigers.

"I was under contract to Detroit for three years but never got higher than double A London (Ontario)," Frazier said. "I don't believe in that revenge stuff but I did want to have a good game."

Frazier was obtained from Montreal on July 30 for pitcher



Otis Nixon, left, of the Texas Rangers scores on a double by Lou Frazier during the eighth inning of the Rangers' 13-5 win over Detroit Wednesday in Arlington. Associated Press photo

Hector Fajardo. "I sat on the bench for 24 straight days in Montreal," Frazier said. "I'm happy the Rangers made the trade. They've given me a chance. That's all I've asked." Frazier has been playing the

outfield and has been in every Rangers game since the trade. Texas manager Johnny Oates said "Everytime he gets to the plate he gets on to start something. He is exciting. His speed gives us another dimension. He's also played well in the out-

field. "We brought him here to improve our bench and give us speed and defense in the late innings. But because of injuries, he's been playing Please see RANGERS, page 8A

Mantle's condition worsens; slugger listed as 'serious'

DALLAS (AP) — Despite an ominous turn in the course of Mickey Mantle's illness, at least one friend has found the former New York Yankees slugger is keeping his typical fighting spirit.

Mantle's condition worsened from stable to serious at Baylor University Medical Center, where he was being treated for a anemia brought on by chemotherapy. Mantle is suffering from hepatoma, an aggressive form of cancer.



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self," the friend said. "At one point, his grand-daughter came in the room and he said, 'There's my Miss America.' I found him to be chipper and showing a good sense of humor."

Mantle also offered his thoughts on his former team. "I think they are going to be right in there this year," the friend quoted Mantle as saying.

"The Yankees sent him a baseball signed by the team with 'Get Well, Mick' on it," the friend added.

At Yankee Stadium, the scene of many of Mantle's greatest triumphs, the mood was somber.

"It sounds serious. It's very depressing news," manager Buck Showalter said. "Certainly we're praying for him, but it puts a damper on things and gives a sense of reality of what life's all about."

"I think it's something on all Yankees fans' minds, and I'm a Yankees fan. It makes you realize that we're all eventually going to move on," he said.

Yankees captain Don Mattingly called Mantle "a mythical figure in baseball." "He's part of the legacy of the great Yankees players. We're praying for him," Mattingly said.

At Mantle's request, his doctors would not talk specifically about his case.

"He's doing OK and I really can't say much more," said Dr. Daniel DeMarco, Mantle's gastroenterologist.

However, the latest disclosures about Mantle's health troubled medical experts outside the Dallas hospital.

"This particular cancer can go anywhere ... usually the lungs, the abdomen and sometimes the bones," said Dr. Isaac Philadelphia cancer specialist.

PGA course to Pavin's liking

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Nearly a half century since Ben Hogan's memorable run at Riviera Country Club, another small shotmaker loomed large as the PGA Championship opened on the venerable layout.

If Corey Pavin ever was destined to win a major tournament, he couldn't have picked a better place than Riviera, where Hollywood stars once cavorted and O.J. Simpson played his last round of golf.

On a course that favors a shotmaker, Pavin has already won twice in the last two years and now threatens to follow in Hogan's footsteps as one of only a handful of golfers to have won both the U.S. Open and

PGA Championship in a single year.

"Just because I've won a major doesn't mean I'm not hungry," the 5-foot-9 Pavin said before today's first round. "I'm just as hungry as before I won the U.S. Open."

Pavin tops the strongest field of the year for the final major of the year at Riviera, whose narrow fairways, small greens and towering trees force golfers to be creative with their games.

The greens have been rebuilt, and the kikuyu rough is deeper than during Hogan's run 47 years ago, but the same shot-making skills that favored Hogan now tilt the advantage to Pavin.

"It's definitely going to be a tournament where you're going to have to keep it in play to even have a chance," newly crowned British Open champion John Daly said.

That points to a golfer like Pavin, who is as straight off the tee as he is short, and who played Riviera frequently while growing up in the Los Angeles area.

"Anytime you come back to a golf course where you've had success, you have good feelings, and you remember good shots you've hit under pressure," Pavin said. "Those are always very good things to have going tournament week."



Corey Pavin tees off during a practice round for the PGA Championship Wednesday in Los Angeles.

BOTTOM of the ORDER

SHOT OF THE DAY



Why is this man smiling?

Houston pinch-hitter Milt Thompson heads to the bench after striking out against the Montreal Expos Wednesday night.

TEXAS SPORTS

Russell back on DL

ARLINGTON (AP) — Texas reliever Jeff Russell was placed on the disabled list Wednesday for the second time this season with lower back pain.

Russell, who leads the Rangers with 16 saves, was disabled retroactive to Aug. 2. He also spent time on the disabled list in June and July.

His spot on the active roster was taken by Bobby Witt.

Stars sign left winger

DALLAS (AP) — Left wing Patrick Cote signed a three-year contract with the Dallas Stars, the team announced Wednesday.

Cote was the Stars' second round draft pick, 37th overall, in the 1995 NHL Entry Draft. He spent last season with the Beauport Harfangs in the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League.

NATION/WORLD

Bad day all around

BALTIMORE (AP) — Two hours after the Baltimore Orioles sent him to the minors in June, outfielder Damon Buford was arrested for trying to solicit sex in front of a roadside hotel, the (Annapolis) Capital reported.

Buford, son of former major leaguer Don Buford, was traded July 28 to the Mets in the Bobby Bonilla deal.

Johnson claims gold

GOTEBORG, Sweden (AP) — Michael Johnson ran away from the competition in winning the 400 meters in 43.39 seconds, the second-fastest time in history, at the World Championships.

ON THE AIR

Baseball

Cincinnati at Atlanta, 6:35 p.m., WTBS (ch. 11).
Detroit at Texas, 7:30 p.m., PRIME (ch. 29).

Track and Field

World Championships 6:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

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BASEBALL

American League

All Times EDT
East Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	55	39	550
New York	49	45	521 6 1/2
Baltimore	46	49	484 10
Detroit	42	53	442 14
Toronto	40	55	421 16

Central Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	63	30	577
Milwaukee	47	47	500 16 1/2
Kansas City	44	48	478 18 1/2
Chicago	40	54	426 23 1/2
Minnesota	34	61	358 30

West Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	60	36	625
Oakland	45	53	459 16

Wednesday's Games

Baltimore 7, New York 2
Boston 9, Cleveland 5
California 9, Kansas City 1
Oakland 6, Minnesota 3, 10

Thursday's Games

Toronto (Hentgen 8-9) at Milwaukee (Sparks 7-5), 2:05 p.m.
California (Langston 11-1) at Kansas City (Jacome 0-2), 2:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Nagy 10-4 and Ogas 5-3) at New York (Rivera 4-2 and Hitchcock 5-6), 2:45 p.m.
Baltimore (Erickson 7-8) at Boston (Cormier 4-2), 7:05 p.m.
Detroit (Lira 7-7) at Texas (Darwin 1-9), 8:35 p.m.

Friday's Games

Baltimore (Brown 5-7) at Boston (Madux 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Hershler 9-5) at New York (Petitte 6-6), 7:35 p.m.
Seattle (Johnson 11-2) at Kansas City (Gubica 8-9), 8:05 p.m.
California (B. Anderson 6-3) at Minnesota (Trombly 2-6), 8:05 p.m.
Oakland (Fernandez 5-8), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Moore 5-11) at Milwaukee (Givens 2-2), 8:05 p.m.
Toronto (Hurtado 3-1) at Texas (Pavlik 6-8), 8:35 p.m.

National League

All Times EDT
East Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	60	35	632
Philadelphia	48	48	500 12 1/2
Montreal	46	50	479 14 1/2
Florida	41	51	446 17 1/2
New York	39	57	406 21 1/2

Central Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	60	33	645
Houston	54	42	563 7 1/2
Chicago	47	47	500 13 1/2
Pittsburgh	40	54	426 20 1/2
St. Louis	39	57	406 22 1/2

West Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Colorado	52	44	542
Los Angeles	51	45	531 1
San Diego	45	49	479 6
San Francisco	43	53	448 9

Wednesday's Games

San Diego at Chicago, ppd., rain
San Francisco 4, Pittsburgh 3

Thursday's Games

Florida 2, Colorado 1
New York 4, Philadelphia 0
Cincinnati 9, Atlanta 3
Montreal 6, Houston 5
Los Angeles 4, St. Louis 2

Friday's Games

San Diego (Blair 4-1 and Williams 2-8) at Chicago (Castillo 7-5 and Trachsel 4-8), 2:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Parris 4-4) at San Francisco (Brewington 2-1), 3:35 p.m.
Colorado (Rekar 3-0) at Florida (Lewis 0-1), 7:05 p.m.
New York (Pulipher 3-6) at Philadelphia (Juden 0-1), 7:35 p.m.
Cincinnati (Smiley 11-1) at Atlanta (Glavin 10-5), 7:40 p.m.
Montreal (Henry 6-8) at Houston (Drabek 7-5), 8:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Petrovsek 4-3) at Los Angeles (Nomo 9-2), 10:05 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Cincinnati (Portugal 5-7) at Florida (Rapp 5-7), 7:05 p.m.
Montreal (Perez 10-3) at Philadelphia (Fernandez 2-1), 7:35 p.m.
Colorado (Reyno 4-3) at Atlanta (Avery 4-8), 7:40 p.m.

New York (Jones 7-8) at Houston (Cile 4-12), 8:05 p.m.

St. Louis (Jensen 2-4 and Jackson 2-11) at San Diego (Ashby 7-8 and Valenzuela 2-3), 2:45 p.m.

Pittsburgh (Erica 3-4) at Los Angeles (Valdes 8-7), 10:05 p.m.

Chicago (Bullinger 9-2) at San Francisco (Leiter 7-6), 10:05 p.m.

Texas League

Second Half Eastern Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Shreveport	30	17	638
Arkansas	25	22	532 5
Tulsa	21	26	447 9
Jackson	21	26	447 9

Western Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Wichita	25	22	532
San Antonio	24	23	511 1
El Paso	21	26	447 4
x-Midland	21	26	447 4

Wednesday's Games

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Midland 9, El Paso 1
San Antonio 8, Wichita 3
Arkansas 9, Tulsa 8
Jackson 9, Shreveport 3

Thursday's Games

Midland at El Paso
Wichita at San Antonio
Arkansas at Tulsa
Shreveport at Jackson

Friday's Games

Wichita at Midland, 7 p.m.
El Paso at San Antonio
Tulsa at Shreveport
Arkansas at Jackson

Texas-Louisiana

Second Half Northern Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Amarillo	19	7	731
x-Lubbock	13	11	542 5
Arlene	12	12	500 6
Tyler	11	16	407 8 1/2
s-Pueblo	-	-	-

Southern Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Corpus Christi	15	12	556
Rio Grande	12	11	522
x-Alexandria	10	15	400 4
Mobile	9	17	346 5 1/2
s-Laredo	-	-	-

Wednesday's Games

Corpus Christi at Mobile 3
Alexandria 10, Rio Grande Valley 6
Amarillo 12, Tyler 7
Arlene 5, Lubbock 4

Thursday's Games

Corpus Christi at Mobile
Rio Grande Valley at Alexandria
Amarillo at Tyler
Lubbock at Arlene

Friday's Games

Alexandria at Lubbock
Rio Grande Valley at Arlene
Mobile at Amarillo
Corpus Christi at Tyler

Thursday's Games

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water; smallmouth are slow to fair on crank baits, and spinners fished in 20 to 40 feet of water over rocky areas; white bass are fair on crank baits and slugs; crappie are slow on minnows and jigs fished over brush; channel and blue catfish are fair on rod and reels and trotlines baited with shrimp, night crawlers and prepared bait; yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch; walleye are poor.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water clear; close to normal level; black bass are slow on worms and spinner baits; striped bass are good on live bait; white bass are slow; crappie are very slow on minnows and jigs; catfish are fair on shrimp, night crawlers and prepared bait.

PROCTOR: Water murky; lake full; 81 degrees; very few fishermen out due to poor weather conditions.

SPENCE: Water clear; 33 feet low; 80 degrees; black bass are slow and small on worms fished in 12 to 14 feet of water; striped and white bass are fair to good on topwaters fished early and late; crappie are very slow on minnows and jigs; catfish are good on minnows, worms and liver fished near the bridge.

TWIN BUTTES: Water clear; extremely low; very few fishermen out due to low water.

WHITE RIVER: Water clear; low; black bass to 6 pounds are fair on live minnows, spinner baits and on topwaters fished early and late; catfish are fair to good on minnows, night crawlers, shrimp and prepared bait.

TENNIS

USTA Boys 14

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Results Wednesday of the U.S. Tennis Association's Boys 14 National Championship tournament held at the McFarlin Tennis Center: (seeds in parentheses, A - alphabetical seeds):

Singles

Nicholas Monroe, Clatsco, Kan., def. Trea Davis, Lubbock, Texas, 6-4, 6-2; Cody Conley (A), Florida Knobs, Ind., def. Lesley Joseph (8), Rock Hill, S.C., 6-2, 7-6 (11-9).

Scott Lipicky (4), Merrick, N.Y., def. Michael Rubin, Canton, Ohio, 6-1, 6-1; Ramez Qamar (7), Fairfax, Va., def. Phillip King (A), Long Beach, Calif., 7-6 (7-4), 6-4.

Taylor Dant (5), Newport Beach, Calif., def. Eric Robertson (A), Milwaukee, 6-4, 5-7, 6-0; Michael Duquette (3), Virginia Beach, Va., def. Bo Hodge, Watkinsville, Ga., 7-5, 3-6, 6-1.

Stephen Morse (8), Sarasota, Fla., def. David Lingman, Irvine, Calif., 6-2, 6-1; Jackie Jenkins (A), College Park, Ga., def. Dustin Friedman (2), Owings Mills, Md., 6-4, 6-0.

Fifth Round Singles Consolation

Rakesh Jassani, Aiken, S.C., def. Andrew Golub, Miami, Fla., 7-5, 5-7, 6-4; Phillip Metz, Mentor, Ohio, def. Alexander Popescu, Stamford, Conn., 6-2, 6-2; Lee Porter, Chapin, S.C., def. Whi Kim, Pueblo, Colo., 6-2, 6-4; Josh Tarkoff, Miami Beach, Fla., def. Jonathan Scott, Yorkville, Ill., 6-2, 3-6, 6-4; Nicholas Weiss, Malibu, Calif., def. Ryan Gerstner, Austin, Texas, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2; Pete Stroer, Salina, Kan., def. David Giorgio, San Diego, Calif., 7-5, 6-1; Josh Axler, Huntington, N.Y., def. Mark Grae, Staten Island, N.Y., 6-4, 6-2; Steve Sarkis, North Miami Beach, Fla., def. Brad Kilgore, Alabamaria, N.C., 6-2, 6-3.

Jeremy Wurtzman, Rochester, N.Y., def. Wade Orr, Clarksville, Tenn., 6-0, 7-6 (7-3); Kevin Gill, Indianapolis, def. Daniel Oberio, Fresno, Calif., 6-2, 6-4; Ryan Waguespack, Baton Rouge, La., def. John Williams, Snellville, Ga., 4-6, 7-5, 7-5; Shawn Brooke, Highland Beach, Fla., def. John Paul Frufer, San Marino, Calif., 6-2, 6-4; Duko Nguyen, San Francisco, def. Bart Scott, Colorado Springs, Colo., 6-3, 6-0; Levar Harper-Griffith, Brooklyn, N.Y., def. Kevin Whipple, St. Cloud, Minn., 6-3, 7-5; Michael Marquez, Ventura, Calif., def. Brandon Nicholson, New Iberia, La., 6-3, 6-3; Cody Jackson, Westminster, Calif., def. Chad Harris, Denver, 6-3, 6-2.

Sixth Round Singles Consolation

Metz def. Jassani 6-2, 6-2; Tarkoff def. Porter 6-4, 6-1; Weiss def. Stroer 6-4, 5-2, 6-3; Axler def. Berke, default (injury).

Wurtzman def. Gill 6-2, 6-2;

Waguespack def. Brooke 4-6, 6-4, 6-2; Harper-Griffith def. Nguyen 6-3, 6-3; Jackson def. Marquez 4-6, 6-0.

Doubles Quarterfinals

William Boyles, Pensacola, Fla.-Dustin Friedman (4) def. Mores-Andy Roddick, Boca Raton, Fla. (A), 7-6 (7-5), 6-2; Duquette-Yorke Allen, McClain, Va. (2), def. Harper-Griffith/Neil Barman, Muttontown, N.Y., 6-1, 6-2.

Doubles Third Round Consolation

Ryan Kirkpatrick, Plano, Texas-Matthew Toney, Mission, Texas, def. Orr-Trevor Short, Lascassas, Tenn., 6-7 (5-7), 6-3, 6-3; Ryan Evioloff-Josh Haskins, Scottsdale, Ariz., def. David Bere, Midland, Mich.-Phillip Metz, Mentor, Ohio, default.

Doubles Consolation Semifinals

Kirkpatrick-Toney def. Hodge-Williams, default; Jonathan Argo, Ocala, Fla.-Andrew Golub, Miami, Fla., def. Evioloff-Haskins, 6-4, 6-0.

Doubles Consolation Championship

Argo-Golub def. Kirkpatrick-Toney 7-5, 6-2.

NEW YORK (AP) — This time, NBA players have plenty of time to analyze a new labor deal negotiated by their union and the league.

An earlier agreement was a rush job, presented to players for a vote less than 48 hours after it was put together. For that reason, one player agent said Wednesday, a revised agreement stands a fair chance of being ratified, bringing an end to a 40-day lockout.

"The union now won't make the mistake of jamming it down the players' throats," said Bill Duffy, whose clients include Dallas' Jason Kidd, Seattle's Gary Payton and Indiana's Antonio Davis.

Instead, the union will use the time before an Aug. 30 vote to hold several regional meetings to brief a divided membership and sell the proposals' merits. The league will launch its own lobbying effort, communicating to the players through

its teams.

"We believe we will win if we're aggressive and effectively communicate to the players and satisfy them it's a good agreement," said Simon Gourdine, the union's executive director. "If we're complacent, we won't win."

What was to have been an Aug. 30 vote on disbanding the union will now serve as a ratification vote. The union has said players can either vote for decertification or for accepting the new contract, which replaces the one players rejected in June.

The other voting day is Sept. 7. More than 400 eligible players can cast ballots either day at regional offices of the National Labor Relations Board. A simple majority will decide both the fate of the union and the revised labor pact, and results will be announced on Sept. 12. Owners have to ratify the

agreement as well, but NBA commissioner David Stern indicated a vote won't take place until the players make their decision.

The NLRB called the election last month after approximately 200 players, led by Michael Jordan and Patrick Ewing, signed petitions saying they no longer wished to be represented by the union.

One player who signed a decertification petition, Miami's Matt Geiger, told the Palm Beach Post he now supports the new deal.

"I'm very happy," he said. "It sounds like it came a long way from when we wanted to decertify. I feel everybody will go back to the union and the union will be stronger than ever, and the league will be stronger than ever."

If the players vote down the deal, the union would be dissolved.

Rangers

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everyday. He's been a regular player."

Kenny Rogers (11-5) lasted six innings, giving up five runs and seven hits. He was thankful for the run support.

"I wasn't sharp but the offense did the job tonight," Rogers said.

C.J. Nitkowski, making his second start for the Tigers after being acquired from Cincinnati for David Wells July 31, went just four-plus innings, giving up five runs and seven hits.

Houston falls to Montreal

HOUSTON (AP) — Pedro

Martinez didn't get his second complete game of the season but he did get his 10th victory.

Mike Lansing paced a 16-hit Montreal attack with a two-run double in the three-run fifth inning and Martinez scattered 11 hits over eight-plus innings, as the Montreal Expos defeated the Houston Astros 6-2 Wednesday night.

"He made a few mistakes but he made a lot of good pitches too," Expos manager Felipe Alou said. "Even when I took him out, the balls that they hit were in the 90s."

Martinez (10-7) yielded Tony Eusebio's two-run homer in the second inning and then shut the Astros down until the ninth

inning when he gave up singles to Eusebio and Craig Shipley to start the inning and then left the game.

"I tried to battle as long as possible, I tried to finish," Martinez said. "I felt better after the fifth. When I started, I didn't like the way I felt. But that's me. If you don't get to me in the first three or four innings, I'm going to make it hard on you."

Still, Martinez knew it was time to go.

"I'm happy with the way I pitched but I respect him, when he took me out in the ninth he was right all the way," Martinez said. "I respect him. I never argue with him."

NAACP, Central coach at odds

SAN ANGELO (AP) — The NAACP has asked the San Angelo school board to intervene on behalf of a black quarterback who has been moved from quarterback to wide receiver despite having led the district in passing last season.

School trustees refused Tuesday night to hear the complaint against San Angelo Central head coach Don Gandy because the matter was not on the agenda.

Instead, the board would meet in executive session next Tuesday on the complaint by the San Angelo chapter of the NAACP on behalf of quarterback Bobby Townsend.

Townsend threw for 1,454 yards and 10 touchdowns with 15 interceptions last season and also scored 12 touchdowns in Central's 3-5-2 season.

Gandy met with the player in February and decided to give the starting quarterback's job to August Pfluger, who is white. Pfluger shared time at quarterback last year before Townsend won the job.

The NAACP entered the dispute after Townsend's father, Bobby Townsend Sr., complained to the organization. NAACP officials complained to school administrators in June and showed up at Tuesday night's board meeting after getting no response.

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INSIDE

MINI-PAGE

The Mini-Page will not appear in today's *life!* section but will return Thursday of next week.

Got an item?

Do you have a good story idea for the *life!* section? Call 263-7331, Ext. 112.

Niki Schwartz dances her way to national awards

By JANET AUSBURY
Features Editor

Niki Schwartz, 18-year-old daughter of Floyd and Martha Schwartz of St. Lawrence, was named female dance winner at the International Modeling and Talent Association (IMTA) convention in New York City July 22-29.



SCHWARTZ

Her winning routine in the category for ages 18 and over was a tap dance to "Shout and

Feel It" from the movie "Swing Kids." She also placed as first alternate in the monologue competition and third alternate in the "Real People" competition.

Schwartz, who represented the Midland modeling agency P.S. Images, competed in acting, print model and dancing competitions as well as attending learning seminars and sightseeing.

She received call-backs from agents and casting directors from New York City and Los Angeles.

Earlier in July, Schwartz captured the talent title for ages 16 and up at the All-Star National Pageant in Dallas.

In addition to the talent crown, she was named winner

in the portfolio and photogenic categories as well as being named "Cover Star Kid" (for ages four and up), with her picture appearing on the cover.

She received crowns, trophies, banners and cash prizes. Schwartz's winning performance was a tap dance to "Doop," which has won her state, national and international titles.

In January, she was named junior dance champion at the Los Angeles IMTA competition and also Miss Texas All-Star Teen and Talent winner in Dallas.

Schwartz is a 1995 graduate of Garden City High School and will attend West Texas A&M University in Canyon this fall as a dance performance major.

MMMMM...LUNCH



A female rhinoceros browses near daffodils in the Knowsley Safari Park near Liverpool in northwest England.

Garden City girl receives scholarship

By MARY McATEER
Staff Writer

Karla Dawn Jones, daughter of Wendell and Linda Jones of Garden City, recently received a \$15,000 San Antonio Livestock Exposition Scholarship.

Karla, a graduate of Garden City High School, has been a 4-H member 10 years, and was the winner of a Texas Gold Star, First Place in Livestock Judging, a National 4-H Santa Fe Railroad Scholarship, and a State Fair of Texas Honor Award.

She has been Outstanding District Six Senior Girl, a member of the third highest team in national livestock judging competition, and attended the Texas Pork Leadership Institute.

Karla's major projects in 4-H include swine, citizenship, clothing, entomology, foods and nutrition, sheep, beef, leadership, electricity, and fashion design.

Karla plans to use her scholarship toward attending Texas A & M university as an agricultural engineering major. Her ambition is to obtain an advanced degree and work as an environmental engineer consultant for agribusiness.

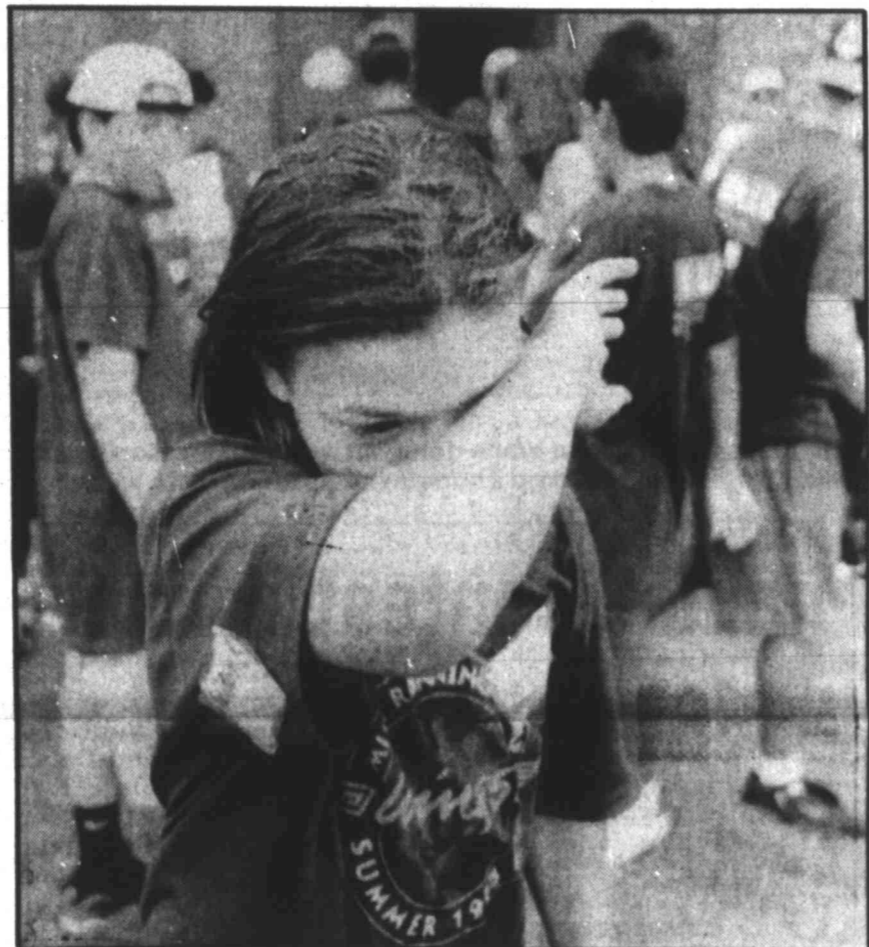
Boy Scouts to have camp-out

Special to the Herald

Boy Scout Troop #5 will have a patrol camp-out Aug. 11-13 at First Baptist Church by the Scout Hut. Camp will begin 5 p.m. Friday and end 10 a.m. Sunday.

Bring \$5 and money for a movie; bring a friend (will need \$10 plus money for movie). This is the last camp-out for summer.

For more information, call 263-5657.



Derek Garza wipes water off his face after taking a break from some afternoon running activities in Andarko, Okla. Garza was one of several children participating in the Wings of America running camp.

Camp keeps little feet running

By PAOLA BANCHERO
Wichita Eagle

ANADARKO, Okla. (AP) — The little feet running over the hills of the Washita River Valley today are as fast and steady as those of the past.

There is a rhythmic pat, pat, pat upon the red earth.

But the purpose of running is not what it was once, when American Indians ran for the hunt, for communication, for ritual. Today, young Kiowas, Wichitas and Pawnees run for different reasons.

Wings of America is teaching them to run for the love of it.

Wings is a program that gets American Indian youngsters involved in cross-country and track-and-field. During the summer, it becomes a traveling health clinic, spreading the word of good nutrition and exercise to reservations and American Indian communities.

Last weekend, the camp came to Anadarko for Wings of the Southern Plains, a region that encompasses Kansas,

Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas.

So far this summer, four collegiate runners have led about a dozen two-day camps. Their stay in Anadarko was one of the last legs of their tour through the West and Southwest.

By reaching 50 children here, another 50 there, Wings is slowly rounding up talented youth for the sport of running. At each stop, it's a matter of convincing people of the benefit of exercise, and the important place that running has in the heritage of American Indians.

"A lot of good kids haven't found out about Wings yet," said Phillip Castillo, an Acoma Pueblo from New Mexico who leads the camps.

Castillo holds the 1992 NCAA Division II cross-country title and is training for the Olympic Marathon Trials in February. His fellow camp counselors were: Pamela White, a Navajo from Arizona who runs for Adams State College in Colorado; Chance Rush, a

Hidatsa/Arapaho/Sioux from Oklahoma Baptist University; and Myra Truax, a White Mountain Apache from the University of Arizona.

The camp began Friday with the kind of humidity that foretells of uncomfortable heat. Parents and eager children signed up in the musty gym of Riverside Indian School, one of the country's oldest Indian boarding schools. Many of the parents came from Shawnee, a two-hour's drive east, or other parts of the state. Rather than drive several hours back and forth to their homes, they chose to sit in the bleachers and watch. By the end of the camp, they were walking the paths as their children jogged ahead of them on the asphalt.

But the families at the Wings camp were just a few of the ones who could have come. It hasn't been an easy task to get the word out about the camp. There are five Wings regions and each one has its own office. In Oklahoma, Wings is spon-

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Education pays off for these inner-city kids

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Rev. Tom Johnson has an effective way of getting young people to sit down to their studies.

He pays them.

Ten students in Johnson's three-week church-sponsored summer school graduated recently, some of them having earned as much as \$265.

They walked up to the altar at the Allegheny United Church of Christ on Pittsburgh's North Side, received a certificate bearing their name and later an envelope full of dollar bills.

"I'm going to buy some clothes," 15-year-old Veronica Marrow said as she counted her cash. Another 15-year-old, Reena Ray, said she was going to spend her money on outfits for her 1-year-old daughter, Shaneaqua.

People get paid for learning on the job, Johnson reasons, so

it makes sense to give inner-city students the same kind of incentive.

"This is a mirror of what goes on in the workplace," he said. "I did not know all I needed to know, or all I do now, about being a pastor for a church, and I got paid while I learned. Doctors get paid for learning to be doctors."

The program includes lessons in social studies, math, sex education, public speaking and word-processing. It is characterized by an intimate, personal flavor.

Every weekday morning starting at about 8:30 a.m., Johnson picks up the children in his white Dodge van. He drives them back to the church, where a short worship service is followed by breakfast of

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The Rev. Tom Johnson, wearing tie left rear, poses with the graduating class of 10 Northside youths at the Allegheny United Church of Christ on Pittsburgh's north side. Each student was paid \$20 per day to attend a three-week summer school at the church. The program, held for the first time last summer, includes lessons in social studies, math, sex education, public speaking and word processing.

SLICE of life!



PICTURE THIS

Over the edge
Wes Lowman, 12, of Eureka, Kan., cools off in the Fall River as temperatures neared 100 across Kansas Tuesday. Many folks like Wes were looking for a way to beat the heat. (Associated Press photo)

LOCAL TIDBITS

Local youth attend seminar

Robb Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Walker, and Aaron Barr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Barr, attended the Texas Farm Bureau's 33rd annual citizenship seminar in San Angelo June 19-23. The seminar was on the campus of Angelo State University.

Sponsored by the Howard County Farm Bureau, the seminar hosted approximately 400 high school juniors and seniors from more than 150 counties across the state.

The purpose of the seminar is to provide the students with a better understanding of American heritage and the capitalistic free-enterprise system, according to Mike Moates, president of the county farm bureau.

Unique camp for diabetics hosts Big Spring boy

A unique camp eight miles east of Gainesville, Texas, now has a special connection to Big Spring. Jimmy Wright of Big Spring joined 550 campers ages six to 18 at Camp Sweeney, designed for children with diabetes.

Camp Sweeney's 80-member staff offers medical attention around the clock and training in blood-sugar monitoring and insulin injections. Children participate in activities and meet other children learning to cope with diabetes.

Camp Sweeney is operated by the Southwestern Diabetic Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 918, Gainesville, TX 76241, (817) 665-9502.

THE LAST WORD

Even though we never like it, and even though we wish they didn't write it, and even though we disapprove, there isn't any doubt at all that we could not do the job at all in a free society without a very, very active press.
—John F. Kennedy

According to American principle and practice, the public is the ruler of the State, and in order to rule rightly, it should be informed correctly.
—William Randolph Hearst

Newspapers are the school masters of the common people.
—Henry Ward Beecher

A world beyond campus: Studying abroad

By ED BATTLE

Scripps Howard News Service

International business studies in Vienna.

Field study, cultural immersion and language training in Africa in Swahili, Krio or Wolof.

A semester in Hanoi or Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.

Learning about Brazilian ecosystems in the Amazon.

Computer-aided mechanical engineering in Finland.

Never before have the opportunities for studying abroad been so numerous, so diverse or so exciting.

With federal financial aid now portable overseas, the

opportunity to combine academic study with the excitement and adventure of travel is attracting more American students to the idea of study abroad.

Or, as one university's promotion for its cultural history tours describes it: "Your world doesn't have to end where your campus does."

As the number and diversity of students, locations, and programs grows, the decisions about what and how to choose become increasingly difficult.

Study abroad programs are not all created equal. So what questions should students be asking about international study options? What criteria

should students consider in choosing a program? What kinds of programs are being offered and what are the trends? And how should students evaluate the quality of study abroad programs? Who is studying abroad and what are the trends?

Studying abroad used to mean a semester in London or a summer in Paris, Florence or Madrid. The profile of a typical student studying abroad a decade ago was likely to be a female student in her junior year pursuing theater studies in London or art and language studies in France. Italy or Spain.

But that profile is changing.

According to the latest statistics found in the Institute of International Education's (IIE) 1994-95 report, a record 71,154 Americans received credit for study abroad in 1991-92, the latest period for which figures are available.

And, though women still outnumber men by almost two to one, more men are joining their ranks.

Also, students are likely to be less affluent, they're likely to be more interested in business or industry and they're spreading out beyond Europe to other parts of the world.

Where do these students go to study? Western Europe is still far and away the most popular

destination. According to IIE's survey, 71 percent of the students studying abroad in 1991-92 chose European countries. Though that figure seems high, it's noteworthy that the percentage of students studying in Europe has fallen by 10 percent since 1985-86.

Behind Europe is Latin America, which attracted 12 percent of American study-abroad students, followed by Asia (6 percent), Oceania (3 percent), the Middle East (3 percent) and Africa (2 percent).

The most popular countries are Britain (28 percent), followed by France (12 percent), Spain (10 percent), Italy (8 percent) and Mexico (7 percent).

Kids

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French toast or pancakes cooked by a church member.

The children split up into three groups for classes, which are taught by Johnson and volunteer teachers from the Shady Side Academy, a private school in Pittsburgh for which Johnson is a trustee.

A field trip to a nearby museum to see a civil rights photography exhibit might be part of the day, or a behind-the-scenes visit to a television station.

The students also spend three days a week at Carnegie Mellon University, where members of the computer science department teach them how to do word-processing and use graphics programs.

"One of the issues these kids face is cultural illiteracy," Johnson said. "They don't move much beyond their neighborhoods. This gets them out in the world in ways they ordinarily wouldn't."

The children, who are selected by Johnson from two youth groups he works with, earn \$20 per day. Bad behavior such as cursing or fighting gets them docked \$5. So does missing class.

Two students who began the program dropped out before it ended, but the rest stuck with it. And many seem to have benefited from it in other than financial ways.

Sixteen-year-old Darrell Mitchell was up at about 7 a.m. every morning, at least an hour before the van was supposed to arrive, according to his grandmother, Annie Pool.

"He couldn't wait to get there," Mrs. Pool said.

Darrell said the classes were better than those at public school because they were smaller and more tightly focused. "There's less people to distract you," he said.

Johnson came up with the idea for the program about two years ago after being frustrated with what he saw as a "chaotic" situation in Pittsburgh's inner-city public schools. The approximately \$6500 needed to fund the school is supplied by the congregation and the national United Church of Christ.

Susan Schotz Rhodes, head of history at the senior school of Shady Side Academy and the children's social studies teacher, said she saw many students perking up and taking an interest in learning by the end of the three weeks.

Although she said she would prefer not to have to pay them to take the classes, "if that's what it takes to get them into a disciplined environment, where learning can take place, I'm willing to do it."

Vet's touch includes animal acupuncture

By REBECCA JONES

Scripps Howard News Service

Radius submitted peacefully to the poking and prodding, snorting only occasionally as Rhonda Rodman tugged on his hoof and tickled him on the neck like an annoying fly to check his range of motion.

It wasn't until she started inserting acupuncture needles into the 8-year-old Trikaner that the horse did anything noteworthy: He fell asleep.

"The longer they're in, the more you sedate the animal," said Rodman, one of a handful of licensed veterinary chiropractors and acupuncturists in Colorado. "In most cases, they don't object. They figure out you're trying to help them and they work with you. During acupuncture, most horses go to sleep."

Radius, a champion jumping horse for Colorado's Long's Peak Farm, was just getting his monthly tune-up. It's a long horse show season, and a sore back can mean a grumpy, less-motivated, less-agile animal. By making sure he's not developing any joint problems, making sure everything from his spine to his fetlock is moving as it should, Rodman believes she can keep the horse happy, healthy and productive.

"The first time I saw it, I thought, 'Come on, we've got vets. Why do we need this?'" admits Pam Wiley, trainer at Long's Peak. "But after seeing these horses on the road for five weeks at a time, and Rhonda taking care of them ... well, you can just tell it makes a difference, in the way the horse behaves, the way it feels under you."

This is not as controversial as it once was.

Just weeks ago the American Veterinary Medical Association adopted a resolution encourag-

ing investigation of the use of chiropractic adjustment by veterinarians as an adjunct to traditional care, and to explore offering veterinary chiropractic training.

If less than a ringing endorsement, at least it's not the outright hostility Rodman has faced from traditional veterinarians.

"If I could say one thing to other veterinarians, it would be to please know that this is out there, that it's going on and to open up enough — even if they don't think it will help — to advise their clients of who they can turn to that won't do harm to the animal," says Rodman.

Rodman's 1990 degree in veterinary medicine from Colorado State University gives strength to her opinion. While she doesn't run a conventional practice — she doesn't give shots or sew up cuts or supplant traditional veterinary care — she does have the same training as other vets.

She also has extensive training in veterinary chiropractic care and veterinary acupuncture. She spent her first year after graduating from vet school taking courses sponsored by the American Veterinary Chiropractic Association and the International Veterinary Acupuncture Society. Not one of the 31 veterinary schools in the United States and Canada trains students in chiropractic care.

"But I didn't go to vet school just to go into regular practice," says Rodman. She more or less applied to vet school on whim, after spending a year managing a horse ranch near Aspen. "I had the desire to do something different."

"I try to keep one foot in the conventional world, one foot in the alternative world," she says.

ABSOLUTELY FABULOUS



As others look on, Mandy Osborne looks in the mirror while doing an acting exercise as part of the West Texas Center for the Arts Youth Drama Camp Thursday afternoon.

Farm Bureau names contest winners

Special to the Herald

The Howard County Farm Bureau named winners in its annual Queen and Talent Find Contest July 14 at the Big Spring Country Club.



HOELSCHER

Kimberly Hoelscher, 16-year-old daughter of Jerry and Arlene Hoelscher of Garden City, was crowned Miss

Howard County Farm Bureau and awarded a \$550 scholarship to Howard College. She will be a senior at Garden City High School this fall, where she is active in school activities. She

plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in agricultural economics and business. Runner-up was Chanda Lawdermilk, 17-year-old daughter of Bobby and Mary Lawdermilk of Big Spring. She received a \$250 scholarship to Howard College.

She also won the Talent Find award and received a \$550 scholarship to Howard College. She will be a senior this fall at Big Spring High School, where she is involved in drama, Key Club, National Honor Society and one-act play.

Also entered in the queen competition were Kirstie Moates, 17, daughter of Mike

and Sheree Moates of Big Spring; Kimberly Webb, 16, daughter of Mark and Debra Hardgrave of Knott; Jill Allen, 16, daughter of Bruce and Marsha Allen of Coahoma; Barbara Hammett, 16, daughter of Mary Ann Wallace of Ackerly; and Melissa Snell, 16, daughter of Marion and Joy Snell of Ackerly.

Others entered in the talent competition were Robb Walker, 15, son of Ryan and Pam Walker of Big Spring; 1994 queen Niki Schwartz, 18, daughter of Floyd and Martha Schwartz of St. Lawrence; and Jill Allen.

Judges for the contest were Susan Lee, Deedra Cope and Barbara Grueben of Lamesa. Derwood Blagrave was emcee. The contest is sponsored each year by the bureau's Young Farmer and Rancher Committee, chaired by Steve Blagrave.

Wings

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sored by the Jacobson Foundation, a center in Norman that promotes Indian arts and culture. The idea is that someone in Oklahoma will have contacts that someone at Wings' headquarters in Santa Fe, N.M., will not.

Unlike the Southwest, Oklahoma doesn't have established reservations or pueblos. And Anadarko, about an hour southwest of Oklahoma City, has a diverse mix of tribes. A drive through the town, with its boarded-up Redskin Theater on one end and a busy Braum's restaurant on the other, revealed many children who either did not know about the camp or didn't think it would be for them.

"Look at those kids," said Carol Whitney, executive director of the Jacobson Foundation. "They could be at the camp. There's nothing else for them to do here."

Still, about 45 children, ranging in age from about 8 to 15, were there on the first day. Their parents paid the \$7 registration fee for two days of activities and two meals.

Caren Turtle, from Dale, brought her three children and a friend's son to the camp.

"The Olympics sparked Jodi's interest," Ms. Turtle said, pointing to her athletic 9-year-old daughter. "She's expressed interest in getting into the Junior Olympics."

Jodi, whose lithe body moved

with agility, might someday follow in the footsteps of Chance Rush or great Indian runners, such as Billy Mills, who won a gold medal in the 10,000-meter run at the 1964 Olympic Games and remains the only American to ever win the event.

"When we heard that Chance was going to be here — you know we try to follow his progress — that confirmed it that we were going to come," Ms. Turtle said.

The first day of camp started with a prayer circle and then a warm-up.

Before going on a one-mile fun run, Castillo gave the children a bit of advice.

"Think about rhythm," he said. "If you all took off fast, it wouldn't be good. We're going to take off all at a good little pace."

That afternoon, Castillo introduced several traditional Indian games, such as touch-and-go, invented by Indians in the Northwest.

Then he described a game based on the use of Indian messenger runners in his native New Mexico.

"My people participated in the Pueblo Revolt," Castillo explained to the mesmerized children.

During the historic revolt, the Pueblos used long-distance runners as messengers to neighboring tribes to help force the Spaniards out of New Mexico in 1680.

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READ ALL ABOUT IT

Test your reading comprehension by reading the story below and answering the questions that follow.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — A Swedish man digging in his garden unearthed a spectacular find: an ornate gold necklace believed to be 2,000 years old.

Weighing about 17 ounces, the necklace consists of two bulbs adorned with granular and filigree gold, linked by strands of braided gold thread. It was made in a Celtic style probably in the early Iron Age, experts said.

"This is sensational," said curator Karin Rex Svensson, whose Alvsborg Museum about 173 miles southwest of Stockholm was the first to examine the discovery.

Only about six other necklaces of a similar style are known in the world, said Svensson, who notified outside experts about the piece after the gardener brought it in early in July.

Swedish archeologists were thrilled with the discovery, saying the necklace could indicate a trove at the site. Sweden was visited for centuries by raiders or traders from around Europe and the Middle East.

"It probably was worn by a (person of) royalty, or with the clergy," Svensson said.

The discoverer, a man in his 50s who wanted to remain anonymous, told the curators that he stumbled upon the artifact five years ago in his garden.

Unaware of its value, the man kept it in his home until recently, when co-workers urged him to notify a museum.

"He didn't realize what he had found," Svensson chuckled. The necklace may not bring much for its discoverer. He is obligated by law to sell his souvenir to the state for its gold weight plus 10 percent.

With gold selling at about \$384 per ounce this week, the man would get about \$7,450 for his priceless piece of history, which will be displayed at the Swedish State Historical Museum in Stockholm.

Use the information from the story to answer the following true and false questions:

1. While digging in his garden, a Swedish man found an old piece of iron.
 2. When the gardener found the gold necklace, he immediately called the Alvsborg Museum.
 3. The man wished to remain anonymous (not named) because he was angry that he only found one treasure.
 4. Experts think that the necklace may have been made in the early Iron Age.
 5. The valuable discovery is believed to be 2,000 years old.
 6. According to the article, the rare necklace weighs a little more than a pound and is made of braided gold thread.
 7. Two light bulbs are attached to the ends of the gold artifact (man-made object).
 8. The ancient necklace may have been worn by a person of royalty or a religious official.
 9. During the past century, about 50 Celtic-style gold necklaces have been discovered in different parts of the world.
 10. Swedish law requires that the man sell his treasure to the state for 10 percent of its value.
- BONUS: The state will probably pay the Stockholm man more money for the necklace than it is worth.

Answer Key:
1-F, 2-F, 3-F, 4-T, 5-T, 6-T, 7-F, 8-T, 9-F, 10-F, Bonus-F.

PART TWO DIGGING DEEPER:
The price of an ounce of gold changes every day. Look in the business section of your local newspaper to find the latest price.

Can you figure out how much the 17 ounce, gold necklace is worth today? Don't forget to add in 10 percent. It's worth a try!

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If there's a pain in your chest, be a pain in the neck.

Consult to a doctor.

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FOR FRIDAY, AUG. 11, 1995
ARIES (March 21-April 19): You might not like today's tone, but you can deal with it. Everyone seems to be having a bad hair day-including you. Maintain your perspective and sense of humor as you deal with others; you'll gain in the long run. Say very little. Tonight: T.G.I.F. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Focus on friends and plans. Listen carefully to whispers; you could get some startling news later if you don't. Be more aware of where others are coming from, and try to understand their confusion. A little gentleness makes you a winner. Tonight: Play time! ****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are definitely out of sorts. Determine whether you and those around you are communicating clearly. Take responsibility early on for a misunderstanding, and you'll come out a winner. You will notice that others applaud your integrity. Tonight: Be out and about. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be ready to revamp your plans not one, but twice. Your sense of humor and gracious attitude make a big difference in the outcome of your projects. You are popular at home and with co-workers. Make long-distance calls. Tonight: Take off for the weekend. ****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): One-to-one relating is highlighted in all aspects of your life. Be flexible, and reevaluate things. Examine your worth, both emotionally and financially. You might need to discuss spending, pay raises and a general financial decision. Tonight: Go for togetherness. ****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Be easygoing as you face an obstacle or a person who seems to be an obstacle; you'll come out with a huge Cheshire cat grin by the end of the day. Gentleness takes you a long way. Appreciate someone for what he offers. Tonight: Say yes to an invitation. ****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Your nervous energy could be more of a disruption rather than an impetus to get work done. Realize the power of being centered, and then go for it. You can accomplish a lot if you so choose. Handle an anxiety attack. Screen your calls. Tonight: Burn the midnight oil. **

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):

Creative insights come from confusion. Hold on to them, and you'll come through with flying colors. The unexpected occurs with plans. Your ability to handle problems makes you a winner. Don't get into a power play. Tonight: clear out stress in your most fun way. ****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): When the unforeseen occurs, get down to basics. Be sincere when push comes to shove as you deal with a family member. Follow your instincts with a domestic matter. Don't worry about a boss who is out of sorts. Tonight: Head home. **

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Reach out to someone, and find imaginative solution. focus on your long-term goals and desires. This is an unusually dynamic period if you don't get stuck in a rut. be willing to adapt, brainstorm and make new plan. Your fun side emerges. Tonight: Be a little naughty. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Question a financial decision, especially if there is some evidence that it isn't working. Bring more positive energy into your daily life. Realize your limitations, and honor what you want in a key relationship. Open up to a special friend. Tonight: Your treat. ***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be open to positive changes. A partner could confuse you, give you flak or just annoy you. Remain steady and centered, and you'll make the right choices. Opportunities come to you because of your integrity. Tonight: Accept an invitation. ****

IF AUG. 11 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: The emphasis will be on partnership and growth this year. You might need to be more centered than you have been because others will test your ideas. Be open to change, and build on a strong, integrated basis with your work and emotional life. If you are single, romance occurs in the next six months. This could be an important relationship. If attached, listen to and honor your partner's opinions more. PISCES helps you look at important issues.

THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult. ©1995 by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

Woman's cosmetic surgery gives happy lift to her life

DEAR ABBY: My husband of 18 years left me for a silicone princess. My son, who was in college, told me to fight fire with fire. So I had upper torso enhancement surgery, which increased my 32Bs to 34DDs. You would not believe how it changed my life.

I was interviewed for a job afterward and was hired on the spot! My first day on the job, I was asked to dinner by three single men. Zowie! A year later, I married a man 20 years my junior. That was more than 10 years ago.

"Frank" is kind, gentle and sensitive. He doesn't drink, smoke, swear, nag or cheat. He adores me. I am in heaven. He admitted that what first attracted him to me was my cleavage. I don't want to disillusion him, and since I haven't had any problems, why should I tell him?

The recent publicity about breast implants has made me wonder if I should tell him. What do you think, Abby? -- I'VE GOT A SECRET
DEAR SECRET: If he asks, tell him the truth.

DEAR ABBY: I need your help. Here's the situation: I have been dating my boyfriend

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of a public hearing on the 1995-96 budget for the Howard County Junior College District to be conducted by the Board of Trustees beginning at 12:30 on Monday, August 14, 1995 in the Board Room of the Dora Roberts Student Union Building on the college campus.
Donald McInney
Board of Trustees
Howard County Junior College District
9457 August 10 & 15, 1995

since April 1994. We plan on announcing our engagement next month.

He is churchgoing, loving, kind, doesn't cheat, and he has never hit me. He seldom drinks, doesn't hang out too much with his friends, and doesn't stay out late unless we are together. However, while eating, he chews his food with his mouth open.

I say that this is rude, not classy, and it spoils my appetite. Sometimes I get so irritated I don't even want to talk to him. He says he enjoys eating his food that way, and I shouldn't try to change him.

What do you think, Abby? Should I count my blessings and leave him alone about this? Please respond. We both admire your wisdom. -- TURNED OFF AT MEALTIME

DEAR TURNED OFF: Don't rush to the altar — there is more involved here than meets the eyes, and the mouth. The fact that he is unconcerned about your feelings in this regard should be a warning sign. His insensitivity may extend to other, more important issues.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
City of Coahoma
Fair Housing Ordinance
Ordinance #60
It is hereby declared to be the policy of the city to bring about through fair, orderly and lawful procedures, the opportunity of each person to obtain housing without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, national origin, physical or mental handicap, marital status, parenthood, or age.
It is further declared that such policy is established upon a recognition of the inalienable rights of each individual to obtain housing without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, national origin, physical or mental handicap, marital status, parenthood, or age; and that the denial of such rights through considerations based on race, color, creed, religion, sex, national origin, physical or mental handicap, marital status, parenthood, or age is detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the city and constitutes an unjust denial or deprivation of such inalienable rights which is within the power and the proper responsibility of government to prevent.
9448 August 10, 1995

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FOR LEASE: Large 3/2 - Kentwood area. \$650/monthly. Call 267-1469.

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MOVING SALE: Dining table, couch, beds, lots of misc. 1202 Johnson. Saturday only! 8:00am.

LOST!! GREY TABBY w/red collar and bell. Missing from Lions Club bldg. on 3rd. \$25.00 reward. 915-267-3068.

JUST LISTED: immaculate 4-bedroom, 2-bath country home. Excellent condition, basement could be 5th bedroom. This extra large home won't last long. Call Charles Smith at 263-1713 or South Mountain Agency.

1708 E. 15th: Saturday Only! 7:30am-7:00pm. Furniture, nice clothing, bedspreads, curtains, lots of miscellaneous.

2704 LYNN: Ahdyma stainless steel, freezer, bike, T.V., household items, school/work clothes, lots more. Saturday after 7:30am.

FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 2407 Albemarle.

FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 2404 Chayenne. 8:00am-5:00pm. Friday-Saturday. Baby clothes, children clothes, washer, sliding patio doors, pots and pans, lots of miscellaneous.

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 8-12-95. 8am-12pm, NO EARLY SALES!!! 1108 S. Lancaster.

GARAGE SALE: 100 N.E. 10th St. Friday-Saturday 9:00am-5:00pm. Toys, clothes, and burritos.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Coahoma ISD will be purchasing vehicle. Bids will be received in the Business Office or at PO Box 110 Coahoma, Texas 79511 until 2:00 PM August 17, 1995. Specifications and bid forms may be received by interested parties from the business office. The bids will be opened publicly at 2:00 PM August 17, 1995, and read aloud. The Board of Trustees will take action regarding any and all bids on August 21, 1995, in its regular meeting. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.
9448 August 9, 1995 & August 10, 1995

Birthdays



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Happy 40th Birthday
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GARAGE SALE: JUST IN TIME FOR BACK TO SCHOOL!! Saturday Only, 7:00-5:00. Children's clothes, misses dresses, outfits, and household items. 3002 Parkway.

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ONE DAY ONLY!!! Friday Morning, 8:00am-noon. 2711 Larry Drive.

YARD SALE: Saturday 9am-1pm. 503 Foster Rd. Coahoma.

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 8:30am-7:30am. Dressel. Furniture, microwave, toys, stroller, car seats and miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: 2708 Larry. Saturday only. 8:00am. Couch, chairs, baby clothes, table, and lots miscellaneous.

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FAMILY YARD SALE: 1710 Morrison Friday 5:00pm-9:00pm, Saturday 7:00am-12:00pm.

Jobs Wanted 090
BIG GARAGE SALE
Saturday 8:00am-1:00pm. Craft items, lots of clothes, computer, seasonal items. 2604 Central.

Jobs Wanted 090
3206 FORDHAM: Saturday, 8:00-2:00. Baby crib, cradle, bedding & clothes. Bunk beds, appliances, TV, etc.

Jobs Wanted 090
3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday-Saturday from 10am-6pm. 1304 Tucson. Adult-children clothes and miscellaneous.

Jobs Wanted 090
3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 1700 Yale. Saturday only. 8:00am-12:00pm.

Jobs Wanted 090
4 FAMILY CARPORT SALE: 8am-1pm, Saturday, 602 Linda Lane. Size 10-20 nice clothing, and 8-11 shoes, camper shed, RCA 21" TV, dinnette set, miscellaneous.

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Jobs Wanted 090
CARPORT SALE: 410 E. 18th St. Saturday Only, 8-12-95. 8:00am-7 Household items, miscellaneous, nice western boots.

Jobs Wanted 090
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Garage Sale 380
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MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Rocco Road, take I-20 to Moss Lake exit to North access, next to last house on left. Friday-Saturday, 8:00am-7 Computer, weight set, lots of school clothes.

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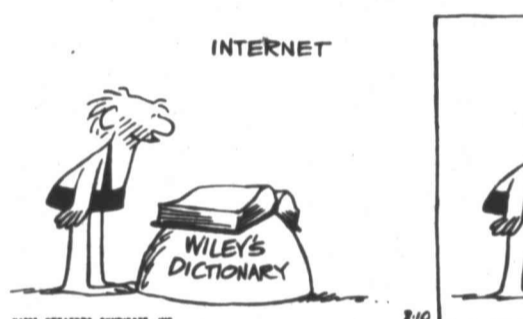
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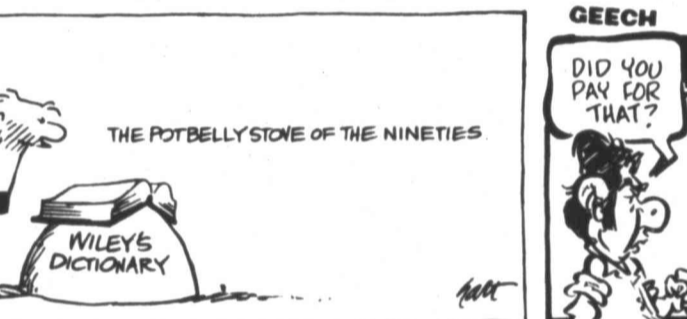
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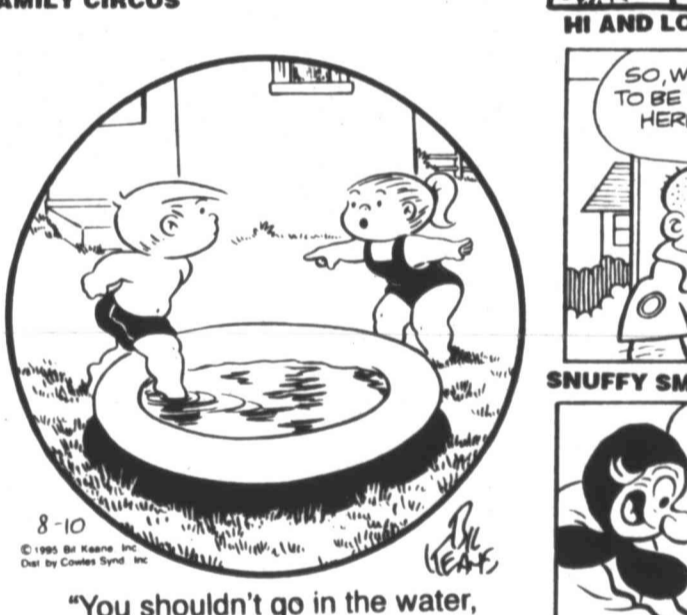
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first blow for independence from Spain. In 1821, Missouri became the 24th state. In 1874, Herbert Clark Hoover, the 31st president of the United States, was born in West Branch, Iowa. In 1921, Franklin D. Roosevelt was stricken with polio at his summer home on the Canadian island of Campobello. In 1944, during World War II, American forces overcame remaining Japanese resistance on Guam. In 1945, 50 years ago, during World War II, Japan announced its willingness to surrender provided that the status of Emperor Hirohito remained unchanged. In 1949, the National Military Establishment was renamed the Department of Defense. In 1969, Leno and Rosemary LaBianca were murdered in their Los Angeles home by members of Charles Manson's cult, one day after actress Sharon Tate and four other people were slain. In 1977, postal employee David Berkowitz was arrested in Yonkers, N.Y., accused of being "Son of Sam," the gunman whose year-long series of six slayings and seven woundings had terrorized New Yorkers. In 1988, President Reagan signed a measure providing 20,000 payments to Japanese-Americans interned by the U.S. government during World War II. Ten years ago: In South Africa, relative calm returned to Durban's black and Indian townships, where days of rioting had claimed dozens of lives. Five years ago: Washington, D.C., Mayor Marion Barry was convicted of a single misdemeanor drug charge and acquitted on another; the judge declared a mistrial on 12 other counts.

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