

Rylander unveils new plan to simplify state's oil regulations

Special to the Herald

Texas Railroad Commission Chairman Carole Keeton Rylander was in Big Spring Friday to unveil a policy proposal designed to dramatically simplify the regulation of oil production in Texas, and extend the lives of thousands of marginal oil wells.

"I urge all my fellow Texans to join me in pursuing policies that ensure this country's energy independence and create pay-

checks and jobs in the process," Rylander said. "I am encouraged by the support and enthusiasm from producers large and small right here in Big Spring."

The proposal, if implemented, would save the Railroad Commission an estimated \$300,000 annually in reduced administrative costs, and save the industry an estimated \$40,000,000 a year in reduced regulatory compliance costs.

"The old rules don't apply today the way they did 60 years

ago. I fully believe that this proposal will give Texas oil production a new lease on life. That is why I fully support a program to partially deregulate oil production in Texas and I have put it on the front burner for commission action," Rylander said.

Nearly 90,000 of the 176,000 active Texas oil wells make under three barrels a day. The average is under eight barrels a day. According to Rylander, these marginal oil wells collectively add almost \$2 billion a

year to Texas' economy and support 11,890 direct and indirect jobs as well.

But rules governing today's oil production date from the 1930s when wells could produce hundreds, if not thousands, of barrels per day.

Partial deregulation of oil would eliminate or refine many outdated economic regulations - some developed more than 60 years ago - when oil production was very much different that it

is today.

"My number one goal is to create the least costly, and the most efficient and effective energy regulatory process of any state," Rylander said. "That means we must bring our oil regulatory process into the 21st Century. This program will not only extend the lives of marginal wells, it will enable Texas to better compete for investment money, because of the reduced costs of doing business."

"We must do everything possible to keep these marginal wells in business, not just for the oil and gas industry, but for all Texans," she added. "That \$40 million, instead of being plowed into paperwork, regulations and red tape, could be plowed into secondary recovery, tertiary recovery and keeping the rig count up. A more sensible regulatory policy will help recover the two-thirds of the oil that remains locked under ground."

Comanche Trail projects already making progress

HERALD Staff Report

Progress is being made on the recently announced park projects at Comanche Trail Park, according to organizers.

"We have barrels donated for trash barrels, we've gotten paint donated to paint the trash barrels and we have a group of youngsters who will be painting the barrels," explained Linda Walker, executive vice president of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.



The joint project of the chamber's Convention and Visitor's Bureau and the City of Big Spring was officially unveiled on May 28 and will include a number of additions to the park.

Among the sub-projects are:

- Creation of a 175,000-square-foot beach area, to be known as "The Beach at the Spring";
- Extending water to an area beyond two natural pool areas located above the historic spring to create waterfalls and running water into the spring pool itself. This project will be known as "The Falls at the Spring";

- Reworking and upgrading a walking trail that follows a natural ridge to the west and behind the spring area.

- Painting and placing 150 trash barrels in the park;
- Building picnic tables and barbecue pits;
- Building park benches;
- Planting trees that grow well in our arid climate;
- Expanding the beach volleyball area;
- Adding rental bicycles to the group of rental canoes and paddleboats currently available;
- Widening and improving the entrances to the park from U.S. Highway 87;
- Completing work on the entry-way gates at the park and fences around the park to allow it to be locked and secured at night to help deter vandalism.

One of the areas assistant city manager Emma Bogard was hopeful of being able to address will come to pass Friday with the addition of police bicycle patrols in the park.

"It seems as though our park is being used more than ever ...

We (the city) felt like it was a good idea to make it (the park) a safer place for everybody," Bogard said.

Officers, working on a voluntary overtime basis, will ride mountain bikes and will work in two-man teams from 2-9 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and summer holidays through Labor Day.

Trash barrels for the project have been donated by Freecom, Inc. and will be painted by the Summer of Success (SOS) Program through the West Texas Center for the Arts at Howard College.

The SOS Program is a six-week program and is part of the Howard County Mental Health Center.

Gilbert Webb has donated 30 gallons of gray paint to use as a base and Wal-Mart has donated a total of 90 gallons of primary colors to use in the actual painting of scenes on the barrels.

"We've seen a project like this in Fort Davis," Walker said, "and the barrels there had Southwestern-type scenes painted by kids on them. Those trash barrels were a lot more attractive than just a plain barrel and their community was clean."

Walker said she felt with an adequate number of barrels placed throughout the park that park users will be more diligent in making certain they have properly discarded their trash.

The first part of the project targeted for completion is the beach project, chaired by Big Spring Herald Managing Editor John H. Walker.

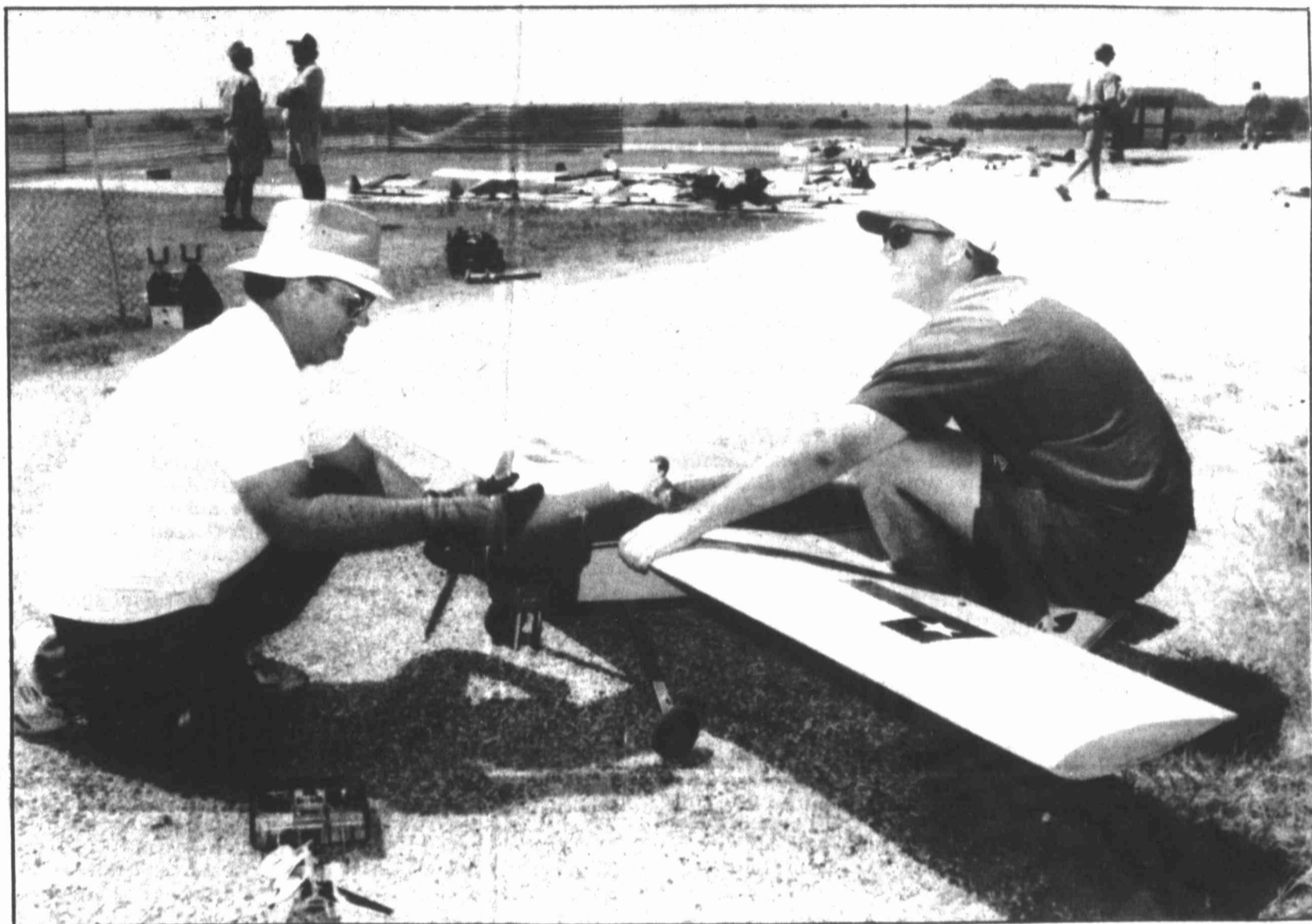
"We've located a couple of sources for good, quality beach-type sand and are in the process of contacting local construction companies to seek their assistance in getting the sand from Point A to Point B," he said.

"Our initial plans are to develop a beach area to the east of the tennis courts and community center that will be about 250 feet long and 60 feet deep with sand about six inches deep.

"We feel it will give parents a place to let their kids play and it will also serve as an area for sunbathing," Walker added.

Any business or individual wishing to donate either steel pipe for the park's gate and fence program or wood to help build picnic tables and park benches can contact either Linda Walker at the chamber at 263-7641 or Bogard at city hall at 264-2401.

CONTACT!



Nathan Emerson holds onto the plane and watches the skies for other flying craft as Mike Emerson prepares to start the plane's engine during the 14th annual Big Spring Model Aircraft Association Fly-In at the Moss Creek Lake Miniature Airport Saturday.

Clinton gets protests from onetime friends

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — President Clinton came West on Sunday to rebut Republican criticism of his crimefighting record but encountered turbulence and protests from Democratic allies for his views on gay marriage and gambling.

Hundreds of gay rights protesters greeted Clinton outside the home of Sen. Dianne Feinstein, where the president attended a \$1 million Democratic National Committee fund-raising dinner.

"You have betrayed us Clinton," read one sign, as the San Francisco's gay community protested Clinton's support for legislation allowing states to deny legal recognition of same-sex marriages.

"Clinton is stabbing us in the back again, taking our money, taking our vote," said Susan Hester, 45, of San Francisco, who suggested Clinton was afraid of the political price of opposing the legislation. "It'd be nice to have a Democratic president with a backbone."

At one point, Mayor Willie Brown suggested Clinton not visit the city so soon after

announcing he would sign the Republican-sponsored measure, which is pending in Congress. But Clinton campaigned here nonetheless, visiting the historic Presidio complex to promote the administration's role in converting the former military base into a national park.

sight where Clinton spoke briefly — with the Golden Gate Bridge looming in the background — at the Presidio site of a proposed national park. Clinton called for moving forward with the Presidio park conversion and preserving the nation's national park system in general.

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Protester

"Protest Clinton's Republicanization" said one flyer urging activists to gather at Feinstein's house. Hoping to avoid major demonstrations, the White House emissaries met with city gay leaders throughout the weekend.

Police barricades kept protesters across the street from Feinstein's residence in the Presidio Heights neighborhood. The crowd of about 200 was loud but not unruly and there were no reports of arrests.

No demonstrators were in

calling it "a national treasure." "We cannot forget that what ought to animate us is a vision of what we want this place to look like 50 years from now," he said.

Opening a three-day campaign swing with heavy emphasis on California, Clinton also found himself distracted by the controversy over the administration's obtaining secret FBI background files on 341 people, many of them prominent Republicans.

Speaking to reporters, Clinton

said the files were requested in a "completely honest bureaucratic snafu" in 1993 when his new administration was determining who was eligible for White House access. Republicans vowed election-year hearings on what they termed a White House abuse of power.

The goal of the campaign and fund-raising trip was to shore up Clinton's standing in the West, a region important to his big 1992 Electoral College victory despite winning just 43 percent of the popular vote.

Clinton carried California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, Colorado, New Mexico and Nevada four years ago, and political advisers said he currently leads in those states.

Stopping first in Nevada, Clinton lamented that while the overall crime rate has fallen during his administration, juvenile crime was on the rise, and growing more violent.

During a discussion about a Las Vegas program that provides tutoring, counseling and other services to juvenile offenders, Clinton did not directly mention Dole.

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Police giving tickets on broken windshields today

HERALD Staff Report

Today's the day for broken windshields.

Drivers with windshields damaged enough to obstruct their vision, whether from the May 10 hailstorm or not, began receiving traffic tickets today from the Big Spring Police Department.

City officials gave drivers a three-week break, from May 11 through last Monday, before

Misdemeanor citations to be issued

law enforcement officers began issuing warning citations for the broken glass.

Officers have issued warning citations since that time and designated today as the day tickets would begin being issued.

Sgt. Victor Brake told the Herald last week that because so many vehicles were damaged, the city made the decision to allow motorists an

opportunity to get their windshields repaired.

He said that even though Chief Jerry Edwards told officers to temporarily overlook the windshield obstruction infractions, most people should now have had adequate time to repair the damage.

Motorists with obstructed windshields will receive misdemeanor citations.

The law states that no object can be placed on or attached to the front, side or rear windows of a vehicle that obstruct the driver's vision.

"If a windshield is cracked or busted, that crack is attached to the windshield," Capt. Lonnie Smith told the Herald.

Smith said citations will be issued on a case-by-case basis. Officials will cite drivers that have windshields obstructed severely enough to hold us as infractions in court.

OBITUARIES

Margarita Sanchez Saucedo

Rosary for Margarita Sanchez Saucedo, 58, Big Spring, will be at 7 p.m. tonight at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 11, 1996, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Rev. Christopher Coleman, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. She died Saturday, June 8, in a local hospital.



SAUCEDO

She was born on Aug. 6, 1937, in Mexico and married Gerardo Saucedo in September 1956 in Laredo. He preceded her in death on Nov. 24, 1987. She had lived in Big Spring since 1972 and was a homemaker. She was a Catholic.

Survivors are nine sons: Gerardo Saucedo, Jr., Eddie Saucedo, Fernando Saucedo, Ricardo Saucedo, Manuel Saucedo, Tory Saucedo, Albert Saucedo and Henry Saucedo, all of Big Spring, and Ralph Saucedo, Austin; one daughter: Anna Marie Saucedo, Big Spring; three sisters: Irene Rocha, Laredo, and Maria Sanchez and Tita Sanchez, both of Mexico; four brothers: Arturo Sanchez, Jose Sanchez, Julian Sanchez and Antonio Sanchez, all of Mexico; and 20 grandchildren.

Rudolph O. Wanner

Rudolph O. Wanner, 82, of Big Spring, died on Saturday, June 8, 1996, at his residence. Services will be 4 p.m. Monday, June 10, 1996, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Robert Lacey, pastor of Hillcrest Baptist Church, and Rev. Ray Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Seagraves, Texas, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born on March 9, 1914, in Shannon County, Mo., and married Lillie Dee Luttrell on March 1, 1935, in Seminole, Okla. She preceded him in death on Feb. 9, 1990.

He had been a resident of Big Spring since 1959 and was a

Mason. He had retired from the Cabot Corporation after 45 years of service.

He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two sons: David Wanner and Robert Wanner, both of Big Spring; two daughters: Marie Niccum of Pampa and Rudean Terrell of Seagraves; a brother: Ernest Wanner and a sister, Irene Jewell, both of Seminole, Okla.; 10 grandchildren: Gary and Ronnie Niccum both of Pampa, Michael Terrell of Seagraves, Ricky Terrell of Brownfield, Denny, Chris and Randy Wanner of Big Spring, Debra Middleton of Seagraves, Trashan Cavasos of Seagraves, Anthony Wanner of Big Spring and 12 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

(Paid obituary)

Grace Kemper

Grace Kemper, 89, of Big Spring, died on Saturday, June 8, 1996, in a local hospital. Services will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 11, 1996, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Larry Marshall, minister of Knott Church of Christ, Phillip Burcham, minister of Sand Springs Church of Christ and Royce Clay, minister of 14th & Main Church of Christ, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.



KEMPER

She was born on May 22, 1907, in Knott, Texas and married James Joel (Jody) Kemper on Aug. 29, 1926, in Big Spring, Texas. He preceded her in death on June 22, 1994.

Mrs. Kemper was a longtime resident of this area. Her parents were Charlie and Mamie Van Every Bayes. She and her husband had farmed in the Knott community for many years and had lived in Andrews from 1953 to 1960. She was a homemaker.

She was a member of 14th & Main Church of Christ.

Survivors include three daughters and two sons-in-law: Joyce and Son Ditto of Big Spring, Marvylene Bradford of Big Spring and Lou Ellen and Herschel Romine of Gravette, Ark.; nine grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by one son, James Ollie Kemper in August of 1974; one grandchild, Zana Kay Romine; one great-grandchild, Beth Romine; three sisters and three brothers.

The family suggests memorials to: Medina Children's Home; HCR 16, Box 75; Medina, Texas; 78055-9615.

Pallbearers will be Bill Romine, Mike Mundell, Kyle Ditto, Steve Mundell, Ronnie Taylor, Dean Spencer and Larry Eaton. Honorary pallbearers will be Tad Taylor, Shey Ditto, Colby Ditto, Shane Clanton, Josh Spencer, Jason Mundell, Justin Mundell, Clayton Mundell, Robert Condrey, Jody Condrey and Bill Romine.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

(Paid obituary)

Walker Bailey

Service for Walker Bailey, 89, Big Spring, is pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He died Saturday, June 8, 1996.

Big Spring ON THE RUN

IN BRIEF

THE HERALD IS CURRENTLY seeking submissions for an upcoming Father's Day Life! story. If you would like to honor your father on June 16, submit a photo of you with your dad along with a short saying about why your dad is a great guy. All submissions must be in the Herald office by noon Thursday. Contact Kellie Jones at 263-7331, ext. 112.

THE AARP 55 ALIVE/Mature Driving course will be held at Big Spring Mall Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., this includes a one-hour lunch. This is a refresher course for drivers 50 and older. There are no tests or exams, and the cost is \$8. One need not be an AARP member to enroll. For further information and to make a reservation for the class, call the mall office at 267-3853 or after hours, 267-2070.

THE SCENIC CACTUS CHAPTER of A.B.W.A. will be having its second Annual Pink Elephant Auction at 7 p.m. tonight in Garrett Hall of the First Methodist Church. Proceeds from this auction will benefit our Scholarship Fund for Howard College. All members are encouraged to attend and bring a friend. The public is also invited to attend.

THE FORSAN ALL-CLASS Reunion is scheduled for Aug. 3 starting at 9 a.m. at the Forsan High School cafeteria. All ex-students, spouses, teachers and friends are invited for morning refreshments and lunch. Preregistration is suggested at a cost of \$10 per person or \$6 for those under 17 years of age. Donations are also welcome so the group can continue their ex-student newsletter. Contact Boyce Hale; HC 76 Box 157-F; Big Spring, 79720 or at 263-6957 or Leon Calley; 9635 Oak Thicket; Houston, 77040; (713) 466-5083.

ANY DESCENDANTS OF HARVEY Bourne Hale (1849-1901) or Milley Ann Dickerson (1850-1927) or friends are invited to attend a reunion on Sept. 7 in the VFW Hall in Gordon starting at 9:30 a.m. The dress is casual and there will be a pot luck/covered dish and donations welcome. Any questions, call Boyce Hale, HC 76, Box 157-F, Big Spring, 79720 or 267-6957.

The Thurber video has been updated and is available at the New York Hill Restaurant or you may contact Janis Mills at (817) 769-3564 for further information.

AN ALICE HAYNES SCHOLARSHIP Fund has been established at Howard College, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, 79720, Attn: Cheri Sparks, President. The Alice B. Haynes Dental Hygiene Scholarship will be awarded each year at Howard College to a deserving dental hygiene student, in honor of Dr. Haynes.

SOLE OF THE WEST: The Art and History of Cowboy Boots showcases over 40 pairs of boots representing everything from the working boot to the fancy showbiz boot. Some of the boots have been custom-made especially for this traveling exhibition and others have been loaned from famous makers and celebrates. The exhibit will be at the Heritage Museum of Big Spring during the month of June. Museum hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. For more information please call 267-8255.

SPRINGBOARD

IF YOU HAVE ANY CHANGES IN A SPRINGBOARD ITEM OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT GINA GARZA, 263-7331, BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 2 P.M. To submit an item to the Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720; or bring it by the office at 710 Scurry.

TODAY

- Big Spring Evening Lion's Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third. Call Jan Noyes, 267-5811.
- Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241.
- TOPS Clubs (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 5:30 to 6 p.m. weigh in and 6 p.m. meeting, Carriage Inn, 501 W. 17th. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. at the VA Medical Center on fourth floor.
- Big Spring Commandery No. 31, stated meeting, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. 6:30 p.m. dinner. Howard Stewart - Commander and Richard Mitchell - recorder.
- Big Spring Assembly No. 211, Social Order of the Beauceant stated meeting, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. 6:30 p.m. dinner.
- Howard County NAACP, 7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce conference room. Call Clarence Hartfield, 267-1806.
- ABWA will be having a benefits scholarship auction, 7 p.m., Garrett Hall, First United Methodist Church. Public invited.
- Hillcrest Baptist Church will be having Vacation Bible School from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. for grades kindergarten to 6 only. Please call Hillcrest Baptist Church if your child needs a ride to VBS. The number is 267-1639.

TUESDAY

- Comanche Lake Duplicate, 1 p.m., Dora Roberts Civic Center.
- Most Excellent Way, a chemical dependency support group, 7 p.m., Living Water Church, 1008 Birdwell Lane. Call 267-1424 after 5 p.m. or 263-3168 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.
- Narcotics Anonymous, 6:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at the VA Medical Center on fourth floor.
- MS group, 6:30 p.m., Canterbury South. Call Diane at 263-0148.
- AARP 55 Alive/Mature Driving course, Big Spring Mall, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., this includes a one-hour lunch. There are no tests or exams and the cost is \$8 and for drivers 50 and over. One need not be an AARP member to enroll. For further information and to make a reservation for the class call the mall office at 267-3853 or after hours, 267-2070.
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WEDNESDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. 12&12 Study.

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 1 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday: •ELI ALDRIDGE, 31, of 608 Lancaster, was arrested for failure to identify. •MICHAEL STEPHEN LOWNES, 39, of 101 Cedar, was arrested for class A theft. •ADELAIDA MARTINEZ GONZALES, 19, of 538 Westover No.150, was arrested on local warrants. •INA LOUISE COLLINS, 34, of 601 McEwen, was arrested for public intoxication. •STEVE HANNABASS, 38, of 504 Goliad, was arrested for driving while intoxicated, evading detention or arrest and local warrants. •RANDALL NIEL LOPEZ, 23, no known address, was arrested for public intoxication. •HOWARD FOSTER, 20, of 1002 N. Main No.18, was arrested on local warrants. •JULIO CEBALLOS-DEVARA, 43, of 2911 W. 80 No. 58, was arrested for public intoxication. •JODY LYNN DAY, 20, of 2202 Rannels, was arrested for escape and failure to identify. •DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES in the 1900 block of E. 11th Place; 3300 block of E. Marcy; and the 1300 block of Scurry. •THEFTS in the 1200 block of E. 3rd; 200 block of E. Marcy; 1200 block of Stanford; 1100 block of N. Lamesa; and the 400 block of Johnson.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity between 1 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday: •MICKEY AUBREY EMERSON, 33, of Forsan, was arrested for driving while intoxicated. •GERALD D. AUSTIN, 23, of 1807 Johnson, was arrested on a bondsmen off bond warrant for driving while license suspended and released on a \$1,500 bond. •JAMES OWEN PIPKIN, 44, of Dumas, was arrested for driving while intoxicated and released on a \$1,500 bond. •VICTORIA JOSEPHINE MARTINEZ, 34, of 1509 Lancaster, was arrested for class A assault/family violence and released on a \$1,500 bond. •LUIS ALDOLFO PENA, 17, of 1705 Alabama, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces and released on a \$1,500 bond. •JOE ALBERT YANEZ, 17, of 309 N.E. 11th, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces and released on a \$1,500 bond. •ZYON GONZALEZ, 18, of 1106 Lamar, was arrested for possession of marijuana under two ounces and released on a \$1,500 bond.

FIRE

The Big Spring Fire Department has reported the following activity during the month of June: •One car rollover on June 2,

10 miles north of Hwy. 87. •Major traffic accident on June 4 in the 400 block of Rannels. Estimated loss was \$500. •Electrical short on June 4, in the 700 block of Highland. •Electrical fire June 5, in the 800 block of Aylesford. Estimated loss was \$250.

CORRECTION

Big Spring resident Teresa Stephens, 37, of 300 Tulane, was mistakenly listed Sunday as having been arrested because of a police computer malfunction. She was not arrested on any charges.

MARKETS

July cotton futures 82.25 cents a pound, up 30 points; July crude oil 20.42, up 14 points; Cash hog steady at 50 cents lower at 57.50 cents even; slaughter steers steady at \$1 higher at 61 cents even; June live hog futures 61.65, up 15 points; June live cattle futures 63.15, up 5 points.

Table with market data including ATT, Amoco, Atlantic Richfield, Atmos Energy, Boston Chicken, Cabot, Chevron, Chrysler, Cifra, Coca-Cola, De Beers, DuPont, Exxon, Fina, Ford Motors, Halliburton, IBM, Laser Indus LTD, Mesa Ltd. Prt, Mobile, Norwest, NUV, Pepsi Cola, Phillips Petroleum, Polaris, Rural/Metro, Sears, Southwestern Bell, Sun, Texaco, Texas Instruments, Texas Utils. Co, Unocal Corp, Wal Mart, Amcap, Euro Pacific, I.C.A., New Economy, New Perspective, Van Kampen, Prime Rate, Gold, Silver.

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Grace Kemper, 89, died Saturday. Services will be 10:00 AM Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. Margarita Sanchez Saucedo, 58, died Saturday. Rosary will be at 7:00 PM tonight at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be at 2:00 PM Tuesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. Walker Bailey, 89, died Saturday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Clinton Stewart, 60, died Saturday. Funeral services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Rudolph O. Wanner, 82, died Saturday. Funeral Services will be 4:00 PM today at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Democrats end convention, Morales takes off to campaign in truck

DALLAS (AP) — The ink was barely dry on Texas Democrats' new "mainstream," streamlined state platform as their U.S. Senate nominee, Victor Morales, took off for more campaigning in his trusty pickup.

"I'm excited. I think I have a very, very good shot ... I feel the attacks will be coming on harder. That just kind of proves my point. The harder they attack, the better I'm doing," Morales told congregates after Sunday's service at St. Luke's United Methodist Church. He was

headed out on a 66-city, three-week, 2,500-mile tour of East, South and Central Texas.

Morales, who trucked across Texas to secure his party's nomination, can look forward to a national pulpit later this summer: State Democratic Chairman Bill White says Morales will be invited to speak at the party's national convention in August in Chicago.

A spokesman for Republican U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, whom Morales faces in November, said Morales should address his

wife's delinquent student loan.

"Maybe he can tell the country how it is that ... the perfect Democratic Party nominee for the U.S. Senate is a guy who owes the taxpayers and won't pay," said Gramm spokesman Larry Neal. "That's a Democrat if I ever saw one."

Three Texas A&M Republican students calling themselves the "Dead Beat Patrol" stood near the church during services Sunday and said they plan to hound Morales about the loan while he's on his statewide tour.

One of the students, Glen Janik of Mesquite, said: "When people don't pay back their loans it's kind of like they're cheating the next generation."

Morales has said the federal government made it difficult for the couple to resolve the issue. He said they never refused to pay, but wanted to be treated with respect. He says he believes anyone who has "fought city hall" would understand.

He told the three students he had no problems answering

their questions, but would like to speak to a large forum to tell all the problems that he and his wife have encountered with the loan.

He also said he would not make a promise not to raise taxes.

"Promises ... look to another politician to give you that," he said.

The Democrat says he's confident of his chances against Gramm, who he says has "abused" his Senate seat by "being close-minded, not reach-

ing out to everyone, not bringing people into the United States government."

Morales also has been criticized by Neal and others who say he hasn't defined himself on the issues. But in a state convention speech, Morales cited his support for such issues as abortion rights, welfare for those in need, an assault weapons ban, the Brady gun control measure and, as a priority, education programs including Head Start.

TEXAS BRIEFS

Families struggle with losses after restaurant shootings

DALLAS (AP) — The families of the three people killed in a shooting at an Addison restaurant are struggling with the devastating impact of the double-murder and suicide.

"This does not happen to people like us," said Suzanne Manning, the sister-in-law of Humberdink's manager Todd Brigham. Brigham was shot to death Friday while trying to intervene in a fight between Richard Bell and his former girlfriend, Crissa Bearden.

"This happens to gangsters, to drug dealers, not to typical suburbanites who work really hard for their paychecks and their kids," Ms. Manning said.

Brigham, 32, was the father of three small children, all of whom are having difficulty understanding that he is dead.

Waco farmer posts reward for hay heist

WACO (AP) — The last straw for David Kerr came last weekend when someone stole 11 bales of hay off his property.

Kerr, who farms 500 acres in Bosqueville north of Waco, is posting a \$500 reward for the arrest and indictment of the thief.

"I just got through baling Saturday night," Kerr said. "We went back Sunday to load it out, and the bales were gone. The drought probably has something to do with it, but good people are not going to steal, regardless of the weather."

"I'll probably never hear anything, but enough is enough."

With cattle prices down and hay prices up, some law enforcement officials wonder if more hay thefts will occur. Only a couple have been reported.

Family's system to collect, store rainwater proving useful

AUSTIN (AP) — Unlike some of their Central Texas neighbors, Bill and Laurel Martin aren't feeling the effects of the devastating drought.

Two summers ago, the couple installed a system that provides 3,000 gallons of rainwater per month to the family of three.

Water collected in a cistern and pumped into their house proved more reliable than the neighbors' 600- and 700-foot wells.

"We've lived through 75 days when it didn't rain at the end of the summer, and we did OK," Bill Martin said.

The Martins, who live in southwest Travis County, are confidently settling in for another dry, hot Texas summer.

Theft of cemetery items fueling black market

TERRELL (AP) — The theft of cemetery ornaments in Northeast Texas is fueling a thriving black market across the state, authorities say.

"A lot of people want that kind of stuff and are willing to pay for it," said Terrell police Detective Richard Peavey, who has been investigating the thefts there.

"A dealer can buy a piece for \$200 or \$300, or even go to a cemetery and get it himself for nothing, and then turn around and sell it for \$1,700-\$1,800 or more. This is happening all over Texas."

Terrell police say they want to question two Dallas-area antique dealers about the removal of statues, marble urns and wrought-iron fences in Terrell as well as the disappearances of similar angel statues from cemeteries in Paris and Forney.

White House apologizes in FBI file incident

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top White House aide says an apology is owed for what President Clinton called "a completely honest bureaucratic snafu" involving the handling of confidential FBI background files on prominent Republicans and others.

But Republicans — including some whose pasts were investigated — promise not to let the matter rest.

"I don't think that ends it," House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas, said Sunday after White House chief of staff Leon Panetta acknowledged that an "inexcusable mistake" had been made. "I think we ought to have hearings," Armey said.

It was disclosed last week that in late 1993, while checking the backgrounds of people to be given permanent access to the White House, a civilian Army investigator on temporary assignment had obtained FBI files of 341 individuals.

They included such prominent Republicans as former Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Kenneth Duberstein, White House chief of staff under President Reagan.

Panetta said on NBC's "Meet the Press" that through a "bureaucratic mistake" Anthony Marceca of the Army's Criminal Investigation Division was given access to an old list from the Bush administration.

While Panetta said no political use was made of the documents and they have been returned to the FBI, "I think an apology is owed to those who were involved."

"I completely support what he said," Clinton said of Panetta's comment during a fund-raising stop in Las Vegas. "It appears to have been a completely honest bureaucratic snafu when we were trying to straighten out who should get security clearances to come to the White House."

The mistake was not revealed

sooner, Panetta said, because "I honestly think nobody knew those files were there." He said both the FBI and a special counsel would look into the incident.

But for Republicans who have made a political campaign issue out of alleged White House improprieties, Panetta's explanations weren't enough.

"Every time liberals get caught at something it's a mistake that shouldn't have happened," Armey said on ABC's "This Week With David Brinkley." "I've got to worry about this."

"I appreciate the apology, of course, but the case is not closed," said Tony Blankley, press secretary to House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., and one of those whose FBI files were pulled.

Marceca has told The Washington Post he read the files and notified Clinton appointee Craig Livingstone, head of the White House personnel security office, of a few that contained "derogatory information."

Blankley, noting that report, said on CNN's "Inside Politics Weekend" that "obviously the investigators and prosecutors have to go in and look at what the facts are. What we find is that every day there's a new explanation, new information comes out."

In a story today, the Post quoted a lawyer for Livingstone, David Cohen, as saying Marceca remembers delivering only three files to Livingstone, "none of which were high-ranking former officials of the Bush or Reagan administrations."

Cohen said Livingstone does not recall seeing any file that raised "a real concern" and told no one outside his office what was in them before sending them to a White House vault.

Israeli army closes shops in Hebron to prevent friction after shooting

HEBRON, West Bank (AP) — Israeli soldiers forced merchants to close their shops and searched cars in downtown Hebron today, hours after a Jewish settler couple was killed in a drive-by shooting blamed on Palestinian militants.

Radio reports said the gunmen were seen fleeing toward Hebron after the shooting late Sunday night near the Israeli village of Geffen, a few miles from the West Bank.

The victims, Efrat and Yaron Unger, were residents of the Jewish settlements of Kiryat Arba, which is adjacent to Hebron. Their 9-month-old son, who was strapped in a baby seat in the back of the car, survived the attack unharmed, police said.

The gunmen fired between 15 and 20 bullets from automatic weapons at the Ungers' car, said police spokesman Eric Bar-Chen.

Moshe Shahal, the outgoing minister of internal security, said Sunday night's shooting marked the first time assailants carried out a drive-by shooting in Israel proper.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility, but police said they suspected Palestinian militants.

Unger, 26, taught at a religious high school in the settlement, and his wife Efrat, 25, was a graphic artist.

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Minorities gaining, but still underrepresented at colleges

WASHINGTON (AP) — Students from minority backgrounds are enrolling at American colleges and universities in greater numbers, but their proportion on campus still trails that of whites, a higher education group reported today.

Minority student enrollment rose 5 percent in 1994 — nearly double the increase of the previous year, said the American Council on Education, an association of colleges and universities.

Between 1990 and 1994, the number of minority students enrolled in colleges and universities rose by 26 percent, the group said in its 14th annual report.

Still, while an estimated 23 percent of the nation's high school graduates are black, Hispanic or American Indian, they make up only 16 percent of the enrollment at four-year institutions.

Edward Foote II, president of the University of Miami, where

minorities make up 49 percent of the enrollment, said he thinks economics rather than widespread discrimination is to blame for lagging minority enrollments.

"At this stage in American history, I do not think it reflects outright discrimination," Foote said. "I think it reflects the economic reality that minority students tend to be less well off."

Foote said affirmative actions programs should be defended against court challenges and universities need to recognize and embrace the needs and limited resources of increasing numbers of minority prospective students.

Ayanna Kelley, a sophomore at the University of Houston

Downtown, said if more black students were confident that they could earn a college degree, more would enroll. There is a stigma that black people cannot do anything well, or on time, and that mentality is instilled in young blacks, she said.

"It has a big effect. I talk to a lot of young people. They've been put down so much. They think they can only go to junior college or beauty school or truck driving school," said Ms. Kelley.

According to the report, minority students have made steady advancements in college enrollment since the mid-1980s. Between 1993 and 1994, they achieved small to moderate

gains in college enrollment.

Some details:

—For the fourth consecutive year, blacks' enrollment gain of 2.5 percent in 1994 was the smallest of the four ethnic groups surveyed. But since 1990, the number of blacks enrolled in colleges and universities increased by 16 percent.

—Asian-American enrollment in 1994 rose by nearly 7 percent. Since 1990, these students have posted an enrollment gain of 35 percent. The number of Asian-Americans at colleges and universities nearly doubled since 1984 from 390,000 to 774,000.

—American Indians and Alaska natives posted a 5 percent gain in enrollment.

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"Nobody ever died of laughter"

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OTHER VIEWS

Assault on U.S. security under way

The Clinton administration is correct in treating a scheme to smuggle 2,000 Chinese assault rifles into the United States as a criminal and not a political matter. But Beijing should not misread this as a sign that Washington will look the other way if state-controlled companies are involved.

U.S. law prohibits the importation of assault rifles. If government officials or agents are involved in smuggling such weapons, it would be an outrageous violation of international law as well.

This is a serious incident involving national security that cannot be swept under the rug. Beijing is denying government involvement in the smuggling operation, but it needs to come up with some answers.

Federal authorities recently seized 2,000 Chinese-made AK-47 assault rifles in the San Francisco Bay area. Treasury agents arrested seven Americans and Chinese and charged seven others, including a Chinese arms official, in the smuggling operation.

The arrests followed an 18-month sting operation by treasury agents, who arranged to buy the AK-47s. The weapons were smuggled into the country in March.

U.S. officials said the smugglers also proposed selling rocket launchers, anti-aircraft missiles, machine guns and tanks to Treasury undercover agents.

The AK-47s were supplied by Poly Technologies and China Northern Industrial Corp., or Norinco, two state-controlled arms-exporting companies in Beijing.

Federal prosecutors said top officials of the companies participated in the smuggling operation. According to an affidavit unsealed after the weapons were seized, one of the suspects assured undercover U.S. customs officials three times before his arrest that the Chinese government knew of the smuggling operation. Both companies denied involvement in arms smuggling.

The incident is certain to exacerbate already strained U.S.-China relations. Both Chinese arms companies are run by former generals and the relatives of senior Communist Party officials, including the son-in-law of Deng Xiaoping, China's top leader.

The United States has threatened to impose severe trade sanctions on China for piracy of intellectual property such as videos, audio recordings and computer software. Moreover, China's most-favored-nation trading status will expire if Congress does not vote to renew it soon.

President Clinton has asked Congress to approve extending most-favored trading rights to China, and it would be a mistake for lawmakers to refuse to do so as a political response to the smuggling allegations. They are separate issues.

But Beijing must do more than loudly proclaim innocence and denounce the allegations as false. It must show proof of innocence and a willingness to punish the criminals responsible for the smuggling if it is serious about maintaining stable relations with the United States.

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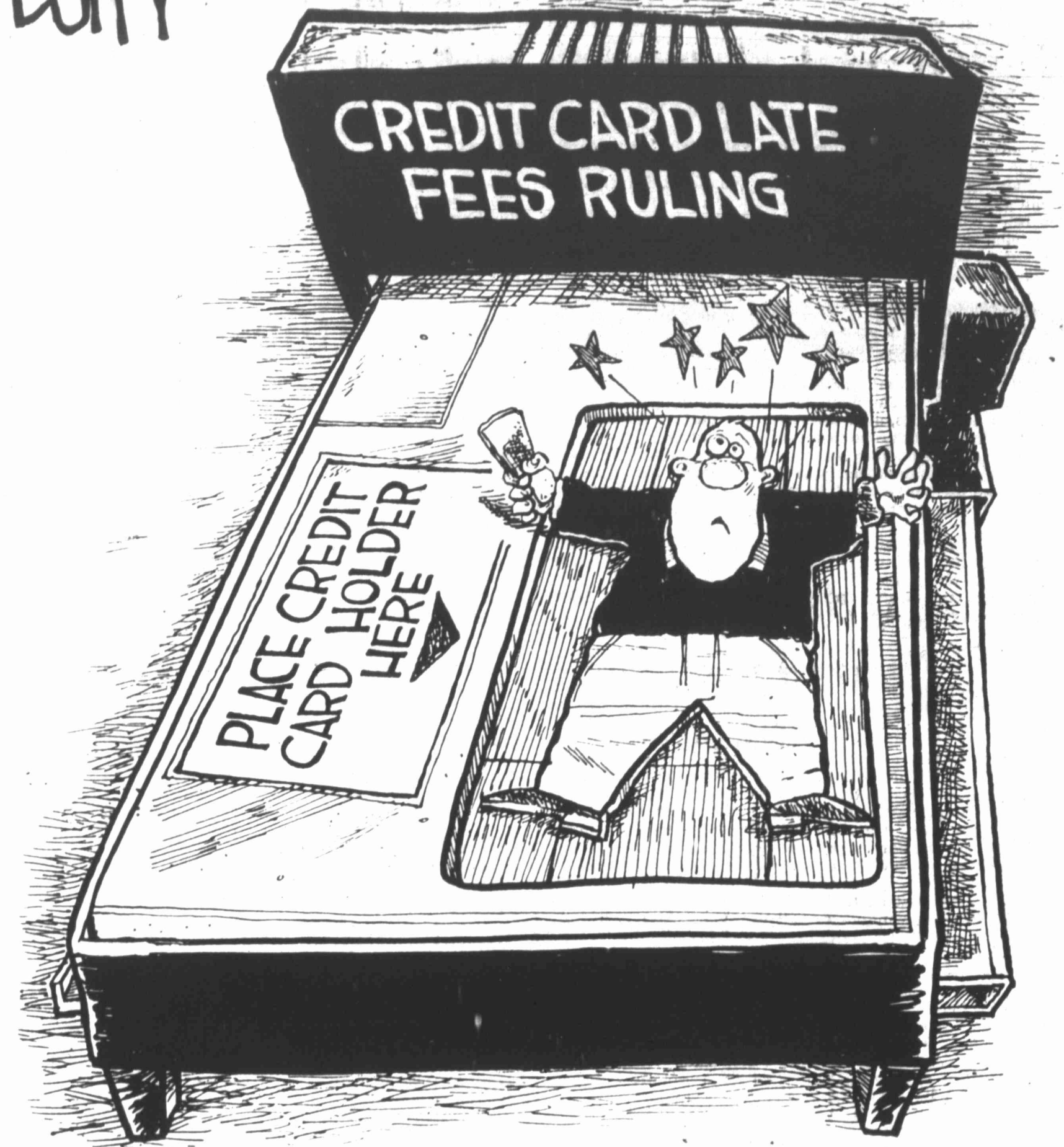
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The upside of American politics as usual

By WILLIAM F. WOO
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In a recent article The New York Times observed that although there still are more than five months before the election, both President Clinton and Sen. Bob Dole already have put aside serious debate to engage in what the paper called "Gotcha" campaigning. The candidates are parrying each other so quickly that their responses in some cases actually arrive before their opponent's positions are even stated.

The unusual situation of the two major parties having identified their nominees long before Election Day has not resulted in a more careful presentation of the issues. It has not resulted in political conversations to produce a more informed electorate.

Instead, it already has resulted in politics as usual — long before, I suspect, the people have had their appetites whetted or their stomachs prepared for politics as usual.

You can look upon this — as I do — as having dreary implications for the summer and fall.

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Or, if you can manage to put aside the prospect of all those sound bites and attack commercials, you can look upon this — as I also try to — as evidence of a kind of basic strength and stability in the American political system. For the fact is, in many places of the world politics as usual would be a luxury beyond imagination.

We can stipulate that either Bill Clinton or Bob Dole will be elected. The choice will put the country in one direction or another, but the difference between those directions will be measured by calipers rather than by yardsticks. I am not sure that could be said in the case of Israel, which has just held a national election, or Russia, which is preparing for one later this month.

Yes, the United States has a different view of its political possibilities today than it did, for example, when Ronald Reagan was elected 16 years ago. But we are still talking — the great majority of us, anyway — about welfare reform, not whether government has any responsibility whatsoever to assist its most helpless citizens.

We are still talking about the proper size of a defense budget and not whether the military should prevail in the corridors of government, or, alternatively, whether the military should be done away with, in favor, say, of some kind of citizens' guard.

We may elect Clinton to the White House and Newt Gingrich and his followers to the House of Representatives, but what happens is not the overthrow of an established order or a wave of terrorism

toward government and the violent reprisal against the perpetrating ethnic or political group. About the worst we see — and, true, it is not exactly a pretty sight — is gridlock in government and some national parks closed and federal workers furloughed.

This may not be the democracy taught in the purity of the civics books, but it is what we live in and through, and compared with what men and women live in and through elsewhere it is not at all a bad lot. So while I hope for politics better than usual, I do not despair at politics as usual.

Now a little earlier, I mentioned the elections in Israel and Russia. In Israel, Benjamin Netanyahu will be the next prime minister. That he is not a name in my household, or probably yours, says more about the state of America's knowledge about foreign affairs than anything else. But what is a household issue throughout America, and will be as long as the people travel by petroleum power, is the issue of peace and stability in the Middle East. So Netanyahu's interest or ability in resolving the Palestinian issue will have repercussions on our Main Streets.

In Russia, Boris Yeltsin has numerous opponents, but the one who poses the greatest challenge — indeed, who depending on your polls may even be the front-runner — is Gennady Zyuganov, who happens to be a communist and who wants to create a new communist state. Gen. Zyuganov's closest associates include people who sent in the tanks in 1991 to restore the old Soviet Union and who are charging that Yeltsin has allowed Russia

to become a vassal of the West.

From most Western perspectives, Boris Yeltsin has been an unimpressive leader. The new Russian capitalism is rife with gangsterism. He has done little to institutionalize — and, hence, legitimize — the way government exercises its power. The alternative, however, would appear to be raising once more the hammer and sickle over the Kremlin, a sight that most Americans would regard as a scene out of a recurring nightmare. In 1995, there were more nuclear warheads in Russia than in the United States. That is another scene from the nightmare.

The situations in Israel and Russia have not been brought up here in order to minimize the significance of the outcome of our own election in November — or even to suggest that we have reached a state of political development at which real national turmoil and peril have become matters of the past. Every day things occur in the United States that send chills down your back. The recurring evidence of the decline in tolerance and its implication for civil liberties are among them, at least from my perspective.

What those situations abroad do show, however, is that even in places where the peril is real and the consequences are likely to be momentous, the future of government and peoples are entrusted to elections processes that are similar in many ways to ours. What a pity, then, that our leaders are content to trivialize the process here instead of using it to deepen our appreciation of the political possibilities before us.



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Bulls put figurative fork in Seattle with Game 3 win

SEATTLE (AP) — Let the coronation begin for Michael Jordan and the Chicago Bulls.

"I still think we can win some games," Seattle's Gary Payton said. "But they're a championship team."

In a few days, the Bulls may be more than mere champions. They may be known as the No. 1 team of all time.

Chicago put itself in position to complete the best season ever, taking a 3-0 NBA Finals lead over the SuperSonics with a 108-86 victory Sunday night. Jordan had 36 points, dominating the series for the first time.

The Bulls can finish the sweep — and an unprecedented 15-1 postseason run — by winning Wednesday. That would come on the heels of their record 72-win regular season.

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Sunday was an affirmation of their greatness.

Despite taking the first two games, Chicago hadn't played very well. Jordan had averaged 28.5 points, good for mere mortals but not for the league's career leader in scoring average.

In Game 3, however, the Bulls took a 34-12 lead and led by double digits the rest of the way. Jordan was outstanding, especially when Seattle tried to rally. He scored 15 straight Chicago points during a fabulous four-minute stretch at the end of the first half and opened the fourth quarter with five quick points to make sure the

outcome was never really in doubt.

"I saw a team that wasn't going to lose," Seattle coach George Karl said. "It was the first time I've seen them with killer eyes."

Said Jordan: "Hopefully, he didn't think we would come out here and not have killer eyes. We sensed an opportunity to grasp this series. But this team has done that all season long. It hasn't just happened here in the playoffs."

A fourth championship in six years now is more than just likely, it's practically a sure thing.

No team in history has come back from a 3-0 deficit in any playoff round.

"We've got an exceptional group of leaders," said Luc

Longley, who had a playoff career-high 19 points. "It would stun me if we didn't come out very, very focused in the next game. That's why we've won all year. I don't think it's going to let us down in the fourth game of the finals."

Said Dennis Rodman: "Let's get this one and just go home."

Rodman again stood up to the rough-house tactics of Frank Brickowski, taking an elbow to the chops as Brickowski was ejected for the second time this series. Rodman, meanwhile, had 10 rebounds.

And the Bulls finally silenced the brash, young SuperSonics.

"I must admit trash-talking is part of the game. I talk trash, too," Jordan said. "But in these circumstances, a veteran team knows you can't just go out

there and do a lot of lip service. You've got to go out and play the game, eventually."

"In someone else's home ... it's hard to come in here and talk trash because they've got 17, 18,000 people supporting them and we've got our wives and a couple of office people. That eliminates a lot of talking trash. It's up to us to let our game to our talking."

Once the Sonics' talk was quieted, all they had left was trash.

Seattle missed eight of its first 10 shots. It fell behind 34-16 after one quarter, with seven turnovers to Chicago's none. Shawn Kemp was lost when the Bulls double-teamed him; he finished with 14 points, less than half his average in the first two games. Payton was confused.

"I don't know what team was out there in the first quarter," Payton said. "We just didn't come to play."

The Bulls did, even though Ron Harper was limited to one minute by a sore knee. Toni Kukoc started in his place.

With Jordan scoring 12 points, Longley eight and Kukoc seven, Chicago's first quarter was the best offensive period of the series.

In their four appearances in the finals — including the title-winning years of 1991, 1992 and 1993 — they are 9-1 on the road.

"What we've done on the road, it's astonishing," Jordan said. "We know we're against all odds and we focus more. You're bonded together, 14, 16, 18 people strong. We focus on our responsibilities."

Chicago doing what fans demanded: Win

By JIM LITKE
Sports Editor

ANALYSIS

Seattle coach George Karl was serious about his team learning something from every game against the Chicago Bulls. That's why he announced the Sonics will start Game 4 the way they ended Game 3 — lying flat on their backs. That way they might get to skip final exams.

Sunday night, Seattle got humiliated 108-86 humiliation and Karl quit talking about continuing education. It's pretty clear by now he'll run out of games long before Chicago runs out of lessons.

"It was the first time in the series," he said, "that I've seen the Bulls come out with killer eyes."

But not the last. The Bulls look so much the part of professional assassins at the moment that it may be years before we know whether Seattle was truly pathetic or just privileged to be their last victim. When Michael Jordan turned up in camp in the best shape of his life, Chicago's things-to-do list was long. And it got nothing but longer when Dennis Rodman simply turned up with all his limbs attached. Then, everybody and everything from history to the swells at the United Center to gangsta rapper Gary Payton piled on more demands.

First, the Bulls were told they had to win. Then it was win "a lot." Then it became a number — 70 regular-season wins. Then it had to be tied off with a championship. Then, after the New York Knicks playoff series concluded with that one loss, they had to sweep. Then, after they swept Orlando, it had to be an artistic sweep.

And so, when the Bulls reeled off two less-than-satisfying wins for a 2-0 lead against the

Sonics, they caught grief for not piling up enough style points. That should have been the first sign Seattle was in big trouble.

"They won 72 games in the regular season, and it's showing why now," Hersey Hawkins said. "We haven't played a good game for three games. It's a shame."

Perhaps. But hardly a coincidence. In the process of winning all those games, the Bulls became a puzzling mix of personalities to opposing teams, as adaptable as Jordan sometimes changing a shot in midair, but also as stubborn as Rodman, refusing to adjust to different officials' boiling point. They presented so many problems that few teams, facing them, remembered to attend to their own games.

That is never more true than in the case of Hawkins, a fine shooter in his own right who has drawn the job of guarding Jordan for however much longer the postseason lasts. That's an undeniably short straw any time, but especially so in this series. Jordan and Payton ended Game 2 trading insults but it was Hawkins, who happened to be along for the ride, who ended up with whiplash Sunday.

Check it out. Any number of photos in the papers today probably show him looking up as Jordan launches yet another of those jumpers that figured in a run of 15 consecutive second-quarter points. And it's not like he could have done much else besides watch.

Karl was more concise. "Michael," Karl said, "was borderline unstoppable."

Up until this last loss, Karl was being very careful about what he said. It hardly matters now.

Sweetwater man weaves hole-in-one magic

From Wire Reports

SWEETWATER — To make a hole in one is a remarkable feat.

To make two holes in one in the same week is amazing.

To do it on the same hole with the same club is even more remarkable.

But to do it with the same ball — the only two times you hit the ball — well, that's Jerry Pugh's incredible story.

Pugh, a 46-year-old carpenter from Sweetwater, calls himself a "weekend" golfer. He made two holes in one back in the mid 1970s when he first took up golf during his spare time as a pipeline worker.

He never picked up a club for quite a few years, however, before resuming the sport

about five years ago. Pugh carries a 5 handicap at Lake Sweetwater Municipal Golf Course, so he's a pretty good golfer.

But even Pugh's never had a week like this one.

It began on Saturday, May 18, about 11 a.m. when he was playing with Tommy Millett, Rusty Taylor, Ramon Moreno, Robert Barry and Si Acuna at Lake Sweetwater, and the group arrived at the par-3, 145-yard No. 10 hole.

"The pin was back left," Pugh said. "The green has a ridge in the middle. It hit top of the ridge and rolled in."

Pugh, who hit a 9-iron, was using a "Titleist 100 Tour Professional" golf ball, his favorite. After he made the hole in one, he took a marker and wrote the date 5/18 on the ball

and stuck it in the side pocket of his bag, figuring he'd eventually put it on his desk or wall as a memento.

Then one week ago on Saturday, Pugh was back at Lake Sweetwater, playing in a group with Lewis Diaz, Doyle Bradbury, Chris Rendon, Jack Borders and Mike Buckner.

Pugh was playing with another "Titleist 100 Tour Professional" ball, but he pushed his tee shot on a previous hole to the right and lost the ball in the trees.

So when he arrived at No. 10 — again around 11 a.m. — Pugh reached into his bag and pulled out the ball marked "5/18" which he had used to ace the hole a week earlier. He grabbed the same 9-iron.

"It went over the flagstick and then spun back into the

cup," Pugh said. "That's two holes in one on the same hole with the same club and the same ball — exactly one week apart."

"It's been a good week," Pugh said, laughing. "I almost made another one Monday at No. 5 (at Lake Sweetwater). I just missed it by six inches."

Don't challenge Pugh — or anyone in his family, for that matter — at No. 19 at Lake Sweetwater. Besides hitting three of his four career aces at No. 10, his sister, Barbara Jo Howington, owns two holes in one at No. 10.

"But her's were a lot uglier," Pugh said. "She used a 5-wood and a 3-iron."

Yeah, and they were more than a week apart and she probably didn't even use the same ball, either.

From 'nobody' to French Open men's champ

TENNIS

PARIS (AP) — From 450th in the world to French Open champion in five years, Yevgeny Kafelnikov has battled long and hard since he was a teen struggling for respect.

"I was 17 and I was nobody," the 22-year-old said after beating Michael Stich 7-6 (7-4), 7-5, 7-6 (7-4) in Sunday's final. "Nobody even wanted to work with me because I was completely, you know, a strange person."

In one weekend he became the first Russian to win a Grand Slam singles title and the first man in 28 years to win both singles and doubles championships in the French Open the same year.

After Sunday's victory, Kafelnikov flung his racket into the stands while his coach, Anatoly Leshin, broke down and cried.

"We never thought that someday it might happen," Kafelnikov said. "He believed

in me." For the son of a high school volleyball coach, the road had a lot of near-misses with big prizes, but it was a steady path playing singles and doubles.

Last year, Kafelnikov was the only player to finish in the top 10 in both singles and doubles in the ATP tour rankings.

Instead of a packed schedule wearing Kafelnikov down, the doubles final Saturday seemed to him like a needed dress-rehearsal for the singles.

"I was not nervous at all because I think the doubles yesterday really helped me," he said. "It was a final and I knew how it felt."

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"You know, playing so many tournaments, so many matches, really helps me because that

way I was able to keep my confidence at a very high level," he said.

"The last time I took two weeks off, not to play any tournament, I was out of shape for the next three weeks," he said. "I was a totally different player."

"That is why I am trying to stay on the tour as much as I can, play as many matches as possible, even doubles," he said.

On Saturday, he won the men's double's title with Czech Daniel Vacek, becoming the first man since Ken Rosewall in 1968 to take the singles and doubles titles.

Kafelnikov had been seen as a potential Grand Slam champion since taking Pete Sampras to five sets in the second round of the 1994 Australian Open.

And he came close so many other times. He led Russia twice to the Davis Cup finals

but couldn't bring them to victory, losing to Sweden in 1994 and the United States last year.

Kafelnikov was a semifinalist in the French Open last year, losing to eventual champion Thomas Muster after beating Andre Agassi. In the Australian Open this year, he lost in the quarterfinals to Boris Becker, who took the title.

At Roland Garros this time, he sailed into the final, dropping just one set in seven matches. But even after his tough semifinal victory over Sampras, Sunday's was "the toughest match."

It took all he had to rally from 5-2 down in the second set, fighting off one set point and winning five straight games.

Stich broke Kafelnikov early in the third set before the Russian broke back in the eighth game to tie it 4-4.

Rangers continue pounding of AL East pitching as they take Toronto by 8-6 score

RANGERS

ARLINGTON (AP) — If the Texas Rangers reach the playoffs for the first time in franchise history, their success against the AL East could play a key role.

The Rangers improved to 23-8 against the AL East, 16-2 at home, with Sunday's 8-6 victory over Toronto to wrap up a three-game sweep of the Blue Jays. Texas plays against the AL East in 13 of its next 16 games.

In improving to 38-23, their best mark after 61 games in team history, the Rangers received a strong performance from their bullpen. Dennis Cook, Jeff Russell and Mike Henneman combined to shut down the Blue Jays on one hit over 3 1/3 innings.

Rangers relievers had allowed 14 runs and 23 hits over 12 innings during a five-game span leading up to the Toronto series and Texas lost four of those games.

"You're going to give a few away; that's baseball," said Cook, who allowed only Charlie O'Brien's eighth-inning solo homer over his two-inning stint. "But it was nice to get

the job done again."

Russell got the final out in the eighth to preserve a one-run lead, and after Mark McLemore's RBI single in the bottom of the eighth gave the Rangers a two-run lead, Henneman got the last three outs for his 18th save.

"Our bullpen did a great job, especially Cookie," said Rangers starter Bobby Witt, who left in the sixth with a 6-5 lead. "They had opportunities, but he held them again."

Cook has stranded 28 of his last 30 inherited runners after bailing out Witt in the sixth. Witt allowed a two-run homer to Shawn Green as the Blue Jays narrowed the deficit to 6-5, then issued consecutive walks to O'Brien and Alex Gonzalez.

Cook walked Jacob Brumfield to load the bases before retiring Domingo Cedeno on a fly ball to end the threat.

Juan Gonzalez went 8-for-3 and had the big hit for the Rangers with a three-run homer to highlight a five-run third inning. McLemore went 4-

for-5 and Rene Gonzales was 3-for-4 while giving regular shortstop Kevin Elster the day off.

Witt (6-4) survived 5 2/3 shaky innings, and passed last year's combined five victories for Florida and Texas. He allowed five hits, walked five and struck out five.

The Blue Jays committed a season-high four errors, one leading to an unearned run, as they wrapped up a 1-5 road trip. Toronto is 1-5 against Texas this season.

"We made some mistakes and a few errors," Blue Jays manager Cito Gaston said. "When you make an error, you feel like the lowest person in the world. Our guys battled back but every time we'd get close, they'd get another run."

The Rangers took a 5-1 lead in the third against Erik Hanson (6-8). McLemore and Rusty Greer delivered RBI singles and Gonzalez hit his ninth home run, a 423-foot drive into the bleachers in left-center.

"After the road trip we had, it was important to come back home and get back on track," McLemore said.

Reserves come through as Houston hangs on to defeat Philadelphia, 2-1

ASTROS

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Astros reserves Derrick May and Ricky Gutierrez are making it difficult for manager Terry Collins keep them out of the starting lineup.

Gutierrez got the go-ahead hit in the seventh inning Sunday, leading Houston to a 2-1 victory over Philadelphia and a three-game sweep of the Phillies.

May kept the game from being tied with two outs in the ninth when he fielded a line drive hit by Jim Eisenreich in right field and fired it home in time for catcher Rick Wilkins to tag out Mickey Morandini.

"It's really good to get a chance to play and have an opportunity to contribute with plays like that," said May, who has been platooned in the outfield and used as a pinch hitter this season.

"It was straight in front of me and I just wanted to make a good throw and not put too much on it. I don't think I've thrown anyone out like that to end the game, but it sure is a good feeling."

Morandini reached base on shortstop Gutierrez's fielding

error in the ninth. He stole second — his 19th consecutive theft without being caught — then took off for third when Eisenreich drilled his hit.

As Morandini rounded the base, third base coach Larry Bowa sent him home but told him to hurry. Morandini knew quickly it was the wrong decision.

"Rounding third, I heard Bowa," Morandini said. "About a third of the way down, I knew I wasn't going to make it. If the throw was off I had a chance, but it wasn't."

Bowa said he was sending Morandini all the way.

"It was a gamble but we had to take it," Bowa said.

Gutierrez has nine hits in his last 11 at-bats, raising his average to .340.

"I come to the ballpark every day expecting to start," said Gutierrez, who has started 20 games at shortstop and two at third base. "If I don't start, I take batting practice like always and try to be ready."

The Astros (32-31) moved above .500 for the first time since May 9, when they were 18-17. They swept the Phillies in the Astrodom for the first time since June 3-5, 1994.

They have won three in a row and five of their last six as they begin a seven-game road trip to Colorado and San Francisco.

"This is what it's going to take, all 25 of us contributing," second baseman Craig Biggio said.

Starter Mike Hampton pitched six innings, allowing a run on seven hits, walking one and striking out one. Anthony Young (2-2) pitched the seventh for the victory, and Todd Jones worked the last two innings, barely surviving for his 12th save.

Pete Incaviglia singled on a grounder to deep shortstop to start the fourth inning and scored on Todd Zelle's double to the wall in right-center field.

Notes: Derek Bell of the Astros had started all 62 games this season until Sunday, and Biggio didn't start for the second time this season.

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Boats 020
1976 Chrysler 16' foot. V-hull fiberglass boat, cover, trailer, spare tire, fish finder, new floor, carpet, overhauled, 60hp motor, 2 tanks, x-tras, skis. \$1600. Call 264-6622.

FOR SALE: 1990 fishing boat. Call 264-1711.

JET BOAT 79' Avenger black with gray stripping and black/gray interior. 454 engine over the top headers. \$3,900.00. 264-9137 after 5:00pm.

Motorcycles 024
80 CR HONDA dirt bike, 1990 model, 1 owner. Call 263-7208.

Pickups 027
1980 FORD PICKUP, needs transmission. Call 267-6504.

1993 NISSAN. Regular cab, short bed. \$6800. Call 394-4459.

GOOD WORK! DEPENDABLE! 1991 FORD EXPLORER XLT. Regular cab, tool box, low mileage. See at 1008 E. 11th Place, Mon-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm.

Recreational Veh. 028
DEALER for Jayco Travel Trailers, 5th wheel and folding campers, Aerolite Travel Trailer, Dutchmen folding campers. Lee RV. 5050 N. Chadbourne. 915-655-4994.

Travel Trailers 030
IMMACULATE 1986 Pace Arrow 33ft. Motor Home. 39k Onan Gen. Split bath, island queen bed, dual a/c. Been stored in covered bay. Day 263-4649 or night: 263-8735.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adoption 035
A LOVING COUPLE want to share their warmth, laughter & hearts with newborn. Financially secure home & close caring extended family. Medical/Legal expenses paid. Please call Jean & Rick at 1-800-467-5775.

OUR HEARTS AND home are ready for 2:00am feedings, baseball, dolls, and more. Happily married, loving secure couple, wanting to be parents. Confidential. Expenses paid. Legal. Please call Jeannie and Charles at 1-800-468-1452.

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Announcements 036

ATTENTION READERS
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SWIMMING LESSONS: Beginning June, 17th, small classes and private lessons available at the Big Spring Country Club. Please call Neiman Talbot at 264-6464 and leave a message. YMCA LIFEGUARD certified CPR and First Aid certified.

EARN UP TO \$10,000 giving "The Gift of Life", as a surrogate Mother. Call Reproductive Options for details. 1-800-880-6496.

FIND TOTAL SATISFACTION!!! Through a LIVE personal psychic! 1-900-868-4900 Ext. 7677 \$3.99 per min. Must be 18 years. Serv-U (619) 645-8434.

GORGEOUS ASIAN WOMEN desire romance, friendship, lifemates! Loyal, traditional, english-speaking. FREE color photo! P.I.C. Box 461873-AP, L.A. CA 90046, 213-650-1994. Seen on national TV!

SINGLES INTRODUCTIONS. For friendship or marriage. Money Back Guarantee. Let us find your special someone. Local. All Ages. Tired of being alone? Call toll free 1-800-266-0374 TODAY!

START DATING TONIGHT
Play the World's Best Dating Game
1-800-ROMANCE EXT. 831.

HAVE FUN IN THE SUN
At the Comanche Trail Park swimming pool. Swimming lessons are now available for children ages 2 and over including adults - beginner thru advanced, on Tuesday thru Friday from 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. and 6:15 thru 6:45 p.m. Cost is \$20.00 per person for a 2 week session with \$5.00 off for each additional family member.

Travel 043
BAHAMA CRUISE! 5 days/4 nights Underbooked! Must sell! \$299/couple Limited Tickets. 1-800-935-9999 ext 2028. Mon-Sat. 9am-10pm.

SECRET BANKING SYSTEM. Open bank accounts, make \$4,000 a day. Amazing 24 hour free recorded message reveals details. (303) 637-6192.

TIRE OF THE RAT RACE? FREE information. Unique financial rollover program. Make up to \$5,000 weekly! Call toll free. 1-888-820-7285 Amazing 24 hour recorded message.

WALL ST. REVOLUTION Trade currency market

Education 055

NOTICE
Training Needed
Aviation Mechanics
Aviation Electronics
Quality Control Techs
Commercial Pilots
Must be willing to relocate temporarily to Tulsa, OK, during training.

Instruction 060

START YOUR NEW CAREER TODAY!!
ACT Truck Driving School
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273 CR 287, Merkel, TX 79536

CHADWICK UNIVERSITY. Earn Accredited degree via Guided Distance Education. Business/Health Care Administration, Accounting, Psychology, Criminal Justice, and Environmental Programs. FREE catalog 1-800-767-CHAD.

EARN MONEY Reading Books! \$30,000/yr income potential. Details. 1-800-513-4343 Ext. Y-22435.

HOME TYPISTS, PC users needed. \$45,000 income potential. Call 1-800-513-4343 Ext. B-22435.

PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS, years of teaching experience, beginner thru advanced. 2607 Rebecca, 263-3367.

Financial 080

FREE CASH GRANTS-Never repay. Business, Education, Medical & personal. For FREE info send SASE to: CompuGrant, 5871 N. University Drive, Ste. W., Tamarac, FL 33321.

\$MILLIONS NOW available. Business, personal, consolidation. \$10,000-\$132/monthly. Free consultation. 800-510-5381.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted 085

\$1,000'S WEEKLY! Processing our local mail Part-Time from home. Easy Work. No Experience Needed. FREE postage/supplies. Start Today! RUSH S.A.S.E.: Southwest Publications, 13492 Research Blvd., Suite 120-402A, Austin, Texas 78750.

\$180 WEEKLY Clipping coupon! Start today! Call now (24 hrs.) 1-800-858-5834 or write: SUCCESS 2000 Suite 301 21659 Lelner St. Hagerstown, MD 21742-4925.

ALASKA SUMMER JOBS-EARN TO \$6,000/month this summer working in Alaska's fishing industry. No experience necessary. Over 8,000 openings. Alaska Employment Services: 1-206-971-3512 Ext 473413.

ASSEMBLE ARTS, Crafts, Toys in your spare time. Earn Extra CASH! Phone work, Typing, Sewing, Electronics, more. Great Pay! CALL no-24 hr. INFO: 1-800-632-8007.

\$\$\$AVON\$\$\$-\$7.15/hour. Free info packet! Free shipping! Free Credit! (80% by telephone.) Startup Hotline 1-800-SELL-AVON. Startup rebate. Extra income. 18+ Independent Representative 1-800-735-5286.

CARDSERVICE BANK CARD-NOW HIRING!!! Up to \$6,000/mo. Deliver applications locally. No experience necessary. Call 24 hours/7 days. 1-800-215-3344 Ext. 6031.

COAHOMA ISD is accepting applications for the following positions: Secondary Science Teacher/Coach, Secondary Spanish Teacher. Please call (915) 394-4290 for an application. Applications will be accepted until job is filled. Coahoma ISD is an equal opportunity employer.

COMANCHE TRAIL NURSING Center has a new opening for an asst. to the Director of Nursing. We are looking for a person with the following qualifications: RN license, experience in a long-term care setting, willingness to supervise, willingness to work with elderly, full-time position with rotating on call. We offer competitive pay, health insurance, vacation, and holiday pay. Please fax resume to Marguerite Davis at (915) 263-4067 or apply in person at 3200 Parkway, Big Spring, EOE.

CRUISE SHIPS HIRING-Earn up to \$2,000+/mo. working on cruise ships or land-tour companies. No exp. necessary. For information call 1-206-971-3552 ext C73416.

Help Wanted 085

EARN \$1,000 WEEKLY processing mail. Start immediately. FREE information. Send self-addressed stamped envelope to: S&M Associates, 208 Pine Lake Ave., #308A, LaPorte, IN 46350.

*** CX Transportation ***
Major carrier has immediate openings at its Big Spring Terminal for experienced truck drivers.
CX offers: sign on bonus-\$200.00, monthly safety bonus - up to 9% of monthly revenue, group health insurance, retirement plan, paid vacation, paid company holidays, home most nights.
CX requirements: 23 yrs. old, 2 yrs., verifiable road experience, CDL-Class A License, good driving record, must pass DOT physical & drug screen.
Applicants can apply at 1-30 & Midway Rd., Big Spring or call 1-800-729-4645.

EARN \$200-\$1000 Weekly assembling products at your location. 1-800-574-9635 ext 131.

\$\$\$EASY WORK! EXCELLENT PAY! Assemble Products. Call Toll Free 1-800-467-5566 Ext. 11577.

ENTRY LEVEL MANAGEMENT TRAINEE SALES

We're the largest U.S. rental company with over 38 years of success and 2,000 locations. Due to our continued growth in Big Spring. We're looking for college graduates with a willingness to learn all aspects of how to manage a business: Sales, marketing and administrative. It is essential that you have an outgoing personality and a friendly disposition. Prospective candidates must be highly motivated, enjoy working in a fast-paced extremely competitive industry and be able to successfully interact with the public. First year's income over \$18,500. All promotions to our management team are based on performance and merit with branch manager's yearly income ranging from \$25,000 to \$45,000. Benefits include: profit sharing, 401k, paid medical, life insurance, as well as paid vacation days.

PLEASE SEND RESUME TO:
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Austin, TX. 78704

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Experience in loan processing will be a plus for consideration. Please make application at Security State Bank, 1411 Gregg Street. Applications will be accepted until this position is filled.

MYSTERY SHOPPERS. EARN up to \$24 hourly in your spare time + FREE food, and more! Be a mystery shopper for fun and profit! 800-677-1207 ext 1581 or 770 368-4900.

NEED MATURE person preferably living near Wasson Road to watch two boys 6 & 9, form 7-3, Monday thru Friday this may vary. Call 264-6916.

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WE ARE LOOKING for caring and dedicated nurses. Hiring for all shifts. Apply in person 901 Gollad.

Jobs Wanted 090

EXPERIENCED YARD MAN, Will mow grass, weed eat, edge, trim trees, haul trash, etc. Has good references. Please call 267-7865, leave message.

HAULING, MOWING, edging, tree pruning. Free Estimates. Leave message, 263-0260.

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Loans 095

AVOID BANKRUPTCY Free debt consolidation app. W/Credit Services. 1-800-263-6985.

GET OUT OF DEBT NOW. Stop Collection Call. 1-800-366-9698

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Call or come by Security Finance 204 S. Gollad 267-4591 Phone applications welcome.

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Big Spring, TX 79721

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PC users needed. \$45,000 income potential. Call 1-800-513-4343 Ext. B-8423.

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PART-TIME Help needed 2-3 hours early morning work. 7 days week. Flexible hours. Job pays approximately \$125/week. Please Send resume to Box 225, c/o Big Spring Herald, P.O. 1431, Big Spring, TX 79720.

PART-TIME MAINTENANCE needed for retirement apartment community. Must be skilled in all phases of maintenance. Only experienced need to apply. Call Marae 267-1353.

PIZZA INN Now hiring all positions, part-time. Apply in person, 1702 Gregg.

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SWEETWATER Reporter now taking applications for assistant editor. Candidates should have a bachelor's degree in journalism or related field and a minimum of two years' newsroom experience. Will produce and layout lifestyles section daily, write local news stories, edit copy and take photo's. Must have good communications skills, be able to supervise newsroom when editor is away. Salary will depend on ability, experience. Interview by appointment only. Call Don Rogers at 915-263-6677.

TCA LONG DISTANCE a fast growing telecommunications company is looking for a self motivated goal oriented account executive to work in the Big Spring area must have 2 years sales experience. Base salary plus commissions, paid vacation and other benefits. E.L.E. send resume and references to TCA Long Distance, 7412 South University, Lubbock, TX. 79423.

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THE FORSAN ISD is accepting applications for Jr./Sr. High School Assistant Principal. For application contact: Jim Yancey, Principal, or George White, Superintendent at P.O. Drawer A, Foran, Texas 79733 or phone (915)-452-2223.

\$\$\$TOP PAY\$\$\$ Truck Drivers Needed for oilfield jobs. Must be able to travel. No need to relocate. Must have Class A CDL & a clear Driving record. 1-800-588-2669. Mon.-Fri. 8:00am-5:00pm.

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WANTED-OWNER Operators/Drivers. Power only fleet. Deliver trailers loaded and empty. Get paid for delivering empty trailer! Call for information. 1-800-543-6482.

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FARMERS COLUMN

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Appliances 299 OLD Avocado green refrigerator. Works. \$35.00. Call 394-4984 after 5:00pm.

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Furniture 390 FOR SALE 5 PIECE LIVING ROOM SUITE. Light laminated oak. Sofa, loveseat, coffee table, end table, ottoman/sleeper. \$500.00. Call 263-0057 after 5pm.

FOR SALE: Girls, white children bedroom furniture. 4 drawer chest, dressing table, vanity mirror, twin size rod iron bed frame, 2 sets of twin mattress & box spring. Call 394-4412.

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Miscellaneous 395

FOR SALE: Six Roofing pots, different sizes. One 1978 Chevrolet 2-ton truck with scissor and 14 foot dump bed. Call 1-806-371-9436.

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Buildings for Sale 506 USED 10' X 16' portable office buildings to lease or buy. Two available. For details call 915-563-1807.

Houses for Sale 513 4716 CENTRAL: 3-bedroom, 2-bath, car garage, central heat/air, fireplace, fenced yard, across school. \$700/monthly, \$350/deposit. Credit check required. Call 915-520-9849/Midland.

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KENTWOOD- 2714 CAROL 3/2 with 2 living areas, double garage, new air cond./heat, shake roof and beautiful yard. \$70's. Call 267-6094.

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MUST SELL, Lovely 4 bedroom, 2 bath, country home on 12 acres, Tubb addition, Forsan school district, great water, large porch, \$96,500. Call 263-3540.

NEW LISTING- 4 bedroom, 2 bath brick on E. 24th. Central A/H. Lots of land and other extras. \$120,000. Weaver Real Estate. 267-8840.

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Mobile Homes 517

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CASH WANTED!!! Used mobile home must be in fair to good condition. Call: 800-416-3731, leave message.

Mobile Homes 517

CALL MOBILE HOME CREDIT HOTLINE FOR PRE-APPROVAL. 1-800-725-0881

CLEARANCE SALE!!! Making room for the 1997 model homes that are arriving this week. Save \$500.00 or \$1000.00 even \$1500 on new 1996 homes!!! USA HOMES, 4608 W. Wall, Midland, Tx. 1-800-520-2177. Se habla Espanol!!!

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FOR SALE: Forsan School District. Very Nice 14x80 mobile home. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, single carport, washer/dryer, 1/2 acre. \$15,500. Will take offers. Call 1-505-792-0332.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: EMERECO REYNA AND WIFE, MANUELA REYNA and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

Lot Eleven (11), Block Thirteen (13), Washington Place Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$1,438.26, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against EMERECO REYNA AND WIFE, MANUELA REYNA, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. EMERECO REYNA AND WIFE, MANUELA REYNA for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04363, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 8th day of July, 1996 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 20 day of May, A.D. 1996.

Glenda Brasel
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: JOY ELAINE TIDD and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

A 0.122 acre tract comprising the South part of Lots 6, 7 and 8, in Block #2, Settles Heights Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at 1/2" I.P. in the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway No. 80, which is also the S.W. corner of Lot #6, Block #2, Settles Heights Addition to the City of Big Spring, Texas, as shown by amended plat thereof recorded in Vol. 43, Page 644, of the Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, said 1/2" I.P. being also the S.W. corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 13 degrees 40' W. along the East line of 3/4" I.P. in the South line of First Street as extended Eastward through the South part of Block #2, Settles Heights Addition and shown by amended plat of said Block #2, recorded in Vol. 404, Page 503, of the Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, for the N.W. corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 76 degrees 20' E. along the South line of First Street as extended as shown by said amended plat of Block #2, Settles Heights Addition, and the line of Big Spring, Texas, 148.3 ft. to a 3/4" I.P. in the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway #80 for the N.E. corner of this tract;

THENCE along the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway #80, with a degree of curve to the right the chord of which bears S. 50° 40' W. 164.8 ft. to the place of beginning, containing 0.122 acres of land.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$3,502.73, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against JOY ELAINE TIDD, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. JOY ELAINE TIDD for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04359, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: ESTHER BARNES and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

A tract or parcel of land, located and situated in Howard County, Texas, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a 3/4" I.P. in the center of an East and West County Road, known as the Old Big Spring-Colorado City Road, from which an iron pipe in the center of said road, the S.W. corner of Section No. 22, Block #2, Tap 1-N, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas, bears S. 74 deg. 37' W. 956.6 varas. And an iron pipe in the center of said road the S.E. corner of Section 22, bears N. 74 deg. 37' E. 956.6 varas said 3/4" I.P. being the S. E. corner of the S. W. the fourth 1/4 section, the W. corner of the South part of the SE/4 of Section No. 22 and this tract;

THENCE N. 15 deg. 10' W. along the East line of the SW/4 at 10.0 varas pass a 3/4" I.P. in the North Right-of-Way line of said Old Big Spring-Colorado City Road, at 69.9 varas to a 3/4" I.P. in the South right-of-way line of the Big Spring-Snyder Highway for the beginning corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 15 deg. 10' E. 69.9 varas pass a 3/4" I.P. in the North Right-of-Way line of the Old Big Spring-Colorado City Road, at 69.9 varas to a 3/4" I.P. in the East line of the SW/4 at a 3/4" I.P. in the South part of the SE/4 of Section 22 and this tract;

THENCE N. 74 deg. 37' E. 956.6 varas to a 3/4" I.P. being the S. E. corner of Section 22, Block 32, Tap 1-N, this tract;

THENCE 15 deg. 10' W. 268.1 varas for the N.E. corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 74 deg. 37' W. 677.2 varas for the N.W. corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 40 deg. 43' W. 337.44 varas along the South right-of-way line of the Big Spring-Snyder Highway to the point of beginning, being a tract of land containing 40.1 acres of land, more or less.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$158.48, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against ESTHER BARNES, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. ESTHER BARNES for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04357, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 8th day of July, 1996 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 20 day of May, A.D. 1996.

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Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
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THE BIG SPRING HERALD APPRECIATES YOUR BUSINESS

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NEWS RELEASE

On June 17, 1996 at 8:00 a.m., 10th Street, between State Street and Owens Street, will be permanently closed. Site preparation will begin for the building of a multi-purpose athletic facility.

09/13 June 10, 14, and 16 1996

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF BIG SPRING ENGINEERING & PLANNING DIVISION

JUNE 6, 1996

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, WILL HOLD A MEETING ON TUESDAY, JUNE 25TH, 1996, AT 5:30 PM, IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 310 NOLAN, BIG SPRING, TEXAS TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING REQUEST FOR A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT.

THE HOWARD COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR RETIRED CITIZENS, owner of a 2.50 Acre Tract out of 20.27 Acre Tract in Section 4, Block 32, (2006 E. FM 700) Howard County, Texas, is requesting the approval of a Specific Use Permit for the use of a Bingo Hall.

9912 June 9 & 10, 1996

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: MAYE V. HOLMAN and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

A 0.71 acre tract of land out of the West part of Section 25, Block 33, T-1-S, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a 3/4" I.P. in the North right-of-way line of a graded county road from which a 1' I.P. in the intersection of the West right-of-way line of Wasnon Road and the North line of Section 25, Block 33, T-1-S, T & P Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas, bears N. 322° 7' E. and 369' 46" W. 1283.3 ft. Said 3/4" I.P. being the SW corner of a 0.46 acre tract and the SE corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 53° 14' W. along the North right-of-way line of said county road, a distance of 153.5 ft. to a 3/4" I.P. in the East line of a 1 acre tract and the SW corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 39° 46' W. a distance of 200.0 ft. to a 3/4" I.P. for the NE corner of said 1.0 acre tract and the NW corner of this tract;

THENCE N. 53° 14' E. a distance of 153.5 ft. to a 3/4" I.P. for the NW corner of said 0.46 acre tract and the NE corner of this tract;

THENCE S. 39° 46' E. a distance of 200.0 ft. to the PLACE OF BEGINNING, containing 0.71 acres of land;

SAME AND EXCEPT there is excepted from this conveyance all oil, gas and other minerals in, under and that may be produced from the above described tract of land;

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$210.24, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against MAYE V. HOLMAN as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. MAYE V. HOLMAN for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04361, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 8th day of July, 1996 before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest, and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing unit parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 20 day of May, A.D. 1996.

Glenda Brasel
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
118th Judicial District,
9882 June 10 & 17, 1996

PUBLIC NOTICE

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TO: BERT TUCKER AND WIFE, ZODA TUCKER and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

The South 187' of the East 807' of lots Eight & Nine (8 & 9), Block Four (4), White Second Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$574.18, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against BERT TUCKER AND WIFE, ZODA TUCKER, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. BERT TUCKER AND WIFE, ZODA TUCKER for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04357, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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TO: SIMON RODRIGUEZ and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

Lot Five (5), Block Three (3), Rosemont Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$119.88, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against SIMON RODRIGUEZ, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. SIMON RODRIGUEZ for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04360, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendant(s), and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and cost allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefore, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said causes by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

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The South 187' of the East 807' of lots Eight & Nine (8 & 9), Block Four (4), White Second Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

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Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent and arrear taxes on the property hereinabove described, thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

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Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, this 20 day of May, A.D. 1996.

Glenda Brasel
Clerk of the District Court
Howard County, Texas,
118th Judicial District,
9882 June 10 & 17, 1996

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

TO: SIMON RODRIGUEZ and any and all other unknown owners or persons, including adverse claimants, owing or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiffs herein, for taxes, to-wit:

Lot Five (5), Block Three (3), Rosemont Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiffs for taxes in the following amount: \$119.88, exclusive of interest, penalties, and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. as Plaintiffs, against SIMON RODRIGUEZ, as Defendant(s), by petition filed on the 10th day of May, 1996, in a certain suit styled HOWARD COUNTY, ET AL. VS. SIMON RODRIGUEZ for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Howard County, Texas 118th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is T-96-05-04360, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit, are NONE.

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HOROSCOPE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 11:

Avoid being triggered by change. Unexpected power plays from associates may rattle you. Detachment is your greatest challenge. Keep all things in proper perspective. You gain by leaps and bounds if you do the necessary personal work.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be careful, and follow through on details. Utilize your senses to grasp another's ideas. A startling reaction is a clue that you are misreading a situation. Concentrate on basics, and acquire information. Ask questions, then listen. Tonight: Cool your jets.

MONDAY

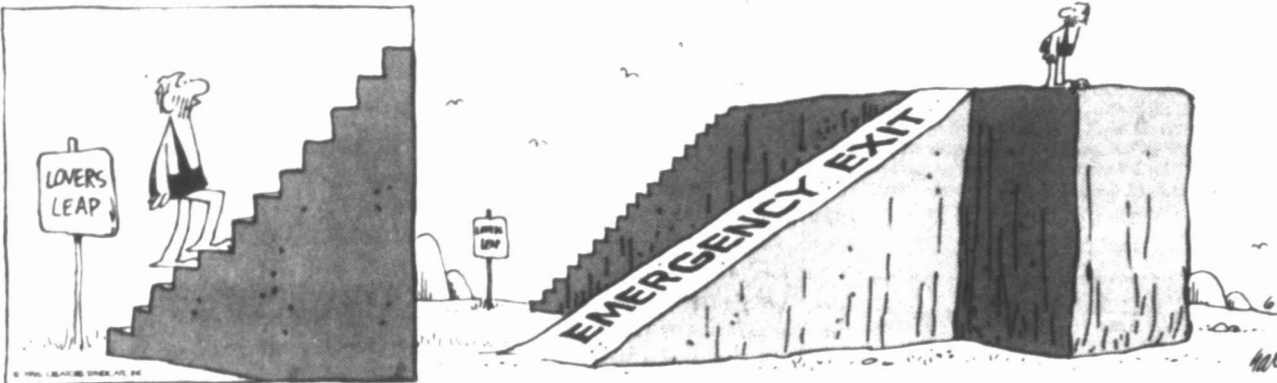
JUNE 10

Table with 24 columns representing different TV channels (KMYD, KPEJ, KERA, etc.) and rows representing time slots from 6:00 PM to 12:30 AM, listing various programs and their details.

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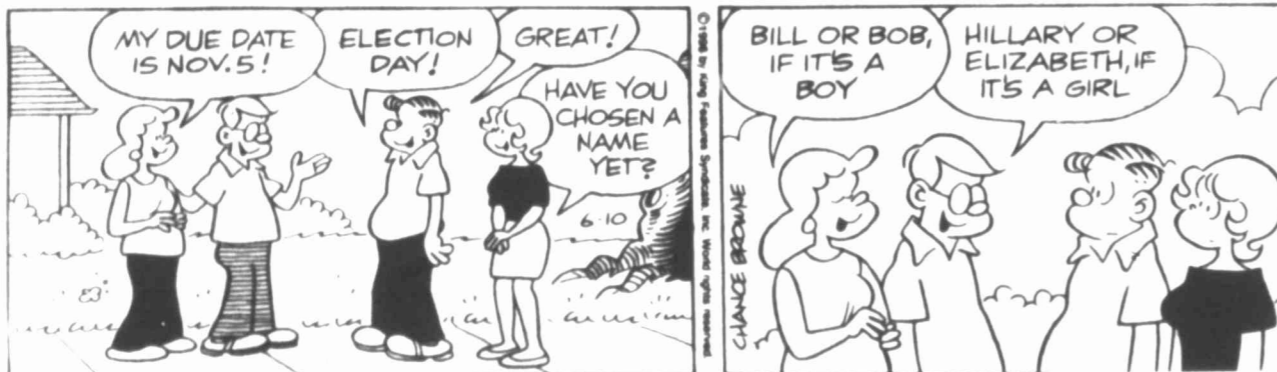
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FAMILY CIRCLE



"Sure, you popped up. But it was the highest pop-up you ever hit."

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I THINK IT'S COOL WHEN SHE MAKES THE ORGAN SOUND LIKE A '747!'"

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, June 10, the 162nd day of 1996. There are 204 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On June 10, 1935, Alcoholics...

Anonymous was founded in Akron, Ohio, by William G. Wilson and Dr. Robert Smith.

In 1801, the North African state of Tripoli declared war on the United States in a dispute over safe passage of merchant vessels through the Mediterranean.

In 1865, the opera "Tristan und Isolde" by Richard Wagner premiered in Munich, Germany.

In 1892, the Republican national convention in Minneapolis nominated President Harrison for re-election and Whitelaw Reid for vice president.

In 1922, singer-actress Judy Garland was born in Grand Rapids, Minn.

In 1940, Italy declared war on France and Britain; Canada declared war on Italy.

In 1942, the Gestapo massacred 173 male residents of Lidice, Czechoslovakia, in retaliation for the killing of a Nazi official.

In 1946, Italy replaced its abolished monarchy with a republic.

In 1964, the U.S. Senate voted to limit further debate on a proposed civil rights bill, shutting off a filibuster by Southern states.

In 1967, the Middle East War ended as Israel and Syria agreed to observe a United Nations-mediated cease-fire.

In 1977, James Earl Ray, the convicted assassin of civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr., escaped from Brushy Mountain State Prison in Tennessee with six others; he was recaptured June 13.

In 1981, in Frascati, Italy, 6-year-old Alfredo Rampi fell down an artesian well; the story ended tragically as efforts to rescue him proved futile.

THE Daily Crossword by Frank R. Jackson

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

6/10/96

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7 Melville opus

8 Rocky ridge

9 Beauty treatment

10 Misplay

11 Prayer word

12 Pitch

13 Near grads: abbr.

21 Empty

22 Smallest amount

25 Maxim

26 Dull pains

27 Encounters

28 Directed

29 Stringed instrument

30 "How sweet—I!"

31 Rose Bowl

32 Parade feature

33 Wash lightly

34 Refuges

35 Stiffly decorous

36 Publicizes

38 Ankles

39 Tether

44 Isolated group

45 Turkish officers

46 Spooky

47 Sacred song

48 Tesser

49 Knife part

50 Special person

51 Vincent Lopez theme song

52 Old

53 Bring up

54 Gaelic

55 Pro

58 Cage for hawks

Saturday's Puzzle solved:

Solved crossword puzzle grid with words filled in.

6/10/96

RITZ advertisement for Phantom PG, Twister PG-13, and The Arrival PG-13.

CINEMARK THEATRES advertisement for The Rock (R), Eddie (PG-13), Dragonheart (PG-13), and Mission Impossible (PG-13).

Big Spring Herald advertisement with contact information and office hours.