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Power Points
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The first Power Points Football Contest of the 2000 season gets under way this week, offering the *Herald's* readers with an opportunity to win \$1,000 each week.

Sponsored locally by Howard County Feed and Supply, 87 Auto Sales, Harris Lumber and Hardware, Don's Tire, Allan's Furniture, Sound Decision and Neighbors Convenience Store, the contest asks entrants to pick the winners of selected college and professional football games each weekend.

The list for this week's games will appear in the *Herald's* sports section on Tuesday.

Cheerleaders
battle tonight

The "Battle of the Cheerleaders" is scheduled for 7 tonight at the Big Spring Rodeo Bowl during the final round of activities in this year's Howard County Fair.

The contest involves high school and junior high cheerleaders from area schools.

Tickets for the contest are priced at \$4 for adults and \$2 for children between the ages of 6 and 11.

WHAT'S UP...

TODAY

□ Big Spring Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 East Third, call Janis Dean 267-3068.

TUESDAY

□ Intermediate line dance classes, 9 a.m. Senior Citizens Center, call 267-1628.

□ Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

WEDNESDAY

□ Optimist Club, 7 a.m., Howard College Cactus Room.

□ Senior Circle Big Spring Mall walkers meet 9:15 a.m. in front of movie theater box office.

□ Big Spring Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room, call Terry Hansen 264-5175.

□ Line dancing, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Center, Industrial Park, call 398-5522 or 267-1628.

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Visitors to fair learning about dairies at exhibit

By GINA GARZA
Staff Writer

Visitors to the Howard County Fair had a new exhibit to observe this year. "The portable dairy truck is new this year," said Mike Moates, Howard County Farm Bureau president. "It teaches the children and adults about dairy cows and there is a cow milking demonstration."

Francis J. Paneral of the Southwest Dairy Center takes Annabell, the dairy cow, to many different fairs and schools.

"We participate in many fairs in the Ag in the classroom portion," he said. "We really focus on the educational side of this, so I give an educational talk to the students and then do a milking demonstration in front of them."

Paneral says he does this to make children more

aware of where milk really comes from.

"Many children don't realize milk really does come from a cow because they only see it in a grocery store," he explained. "This program is free to anyone who wants this demonstration."

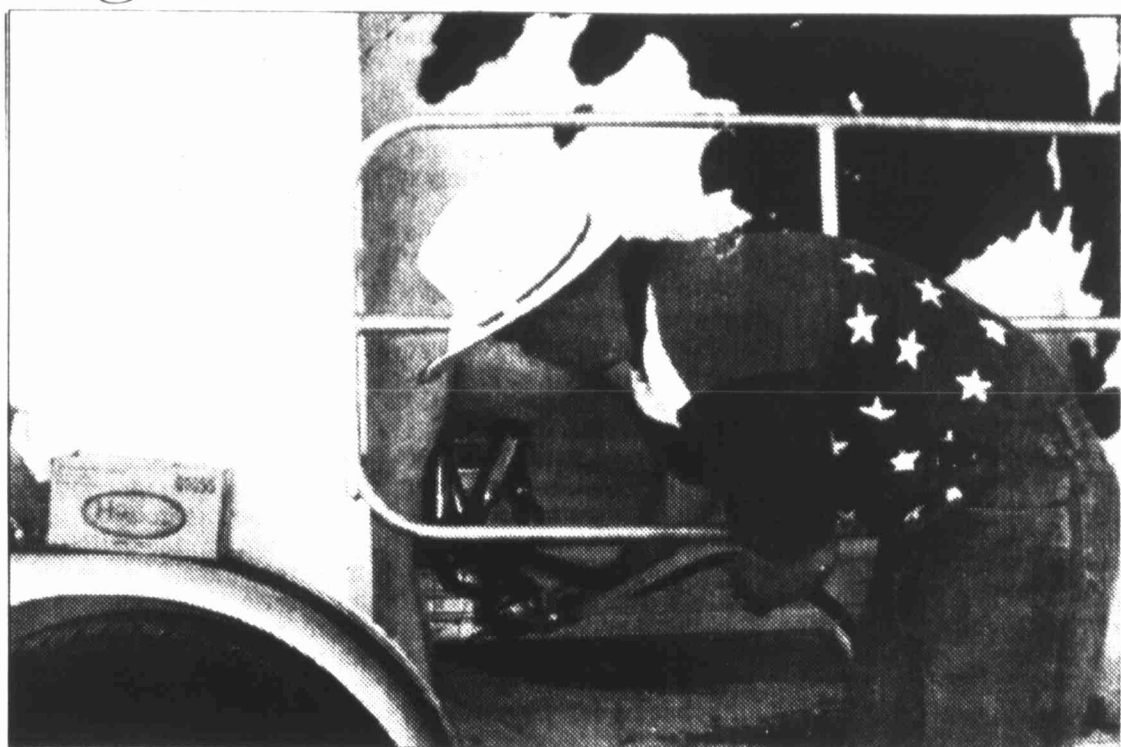
The portable dairy truck is funded by the Southwest Dairy Farmers.

"We use the same cow and she knows the routine," said Paneral. "Our dairy cows are milked three times a day and we collect between 12 and 15 gallons of milk per day."

Paneral added that the fifth graders who participated in the "Ag in the Classroom" program on Thursday really enjoyed the demonstration.

"I had many questions from the fifth graders," he said. "In fact, many of them

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HERALD photo: Gina Garza

Francis Paneral removes the milking machine from Annabell during a demonstration to many visitors at the Howard County Fair on Saturday. The portable dairy truck is new to the fair this year.

Hartfield's involvement makes difference

By LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

As a young adult in the 1960s, Clarence Hartfield learned the only way to make his community better was to get involved.

"Being involved with community service makes the community better and it makes you feel better," Hartfield said.

Raised in Big Spring, Hartfield was part of the last class to graduate in 1961 from Lakeview High School in Big Spring before integration. With his parents' encouragement, he was ready to see the world.

"It was an unwritten rule back then that the men went to the military and the women went to college," he said.

So Hartfield enlisted in the U.S. Army.

In fact, Hartfield attributes the beginning of his community involvement to his Army experience while stationed at Fort Rucker, Ala.

"General Abrams thought we should be a part of the community," he said. "He thought if you got



HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody

Hangar 25 Air Museum project coordinator Susan Lewis, left, and Clarence Hartfield discuss the proper way to display the U.S. flag. Hartfield is a charter member and volunteer at the museum. A member of several organizations, Hartfield believes that only way to make a community better is to be involved.

involved, the community would treat the soldiers better. It just carried over from that."

During his nine years in the service, Hartfield was in the line of fire two ways trying to survive both

serving his county during the Vietnam War and from many of his country's fellow citizens.

"If you wore a uniform, you were in trouble," he remembers. "And if you didn't, you were thought to

be a part of civil rights demonstrations."

After two tours in Vietnam, serving in Germany and at Cape Canaveral, Fla. (now Cape Kennedy) for three weeks during the Cuban Missile

Crisis, Hartfield was ready to go on to new things. The stigma of being a Vietnam veteran, however, hindered him in his search for work.

"If you put on your application that you were a Vietnam vet back then, you wouldn't get the job," he explained.

Hartfield eventually made his way back to Big Spring and has continued to be involved with his community.

"I'm going to be part of the community. I needed to be involved," he said.

Hartfield said he went through the leadership training sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce Leadership Big Spring, and saw lots of things he could do.

For a few years, he volunteered at the Chamber of Commerce tour center that was located at Rip Griffin's Truck/Travel Center, helping travelers and sometimes local residents get information about Big Spring.

"You would be surprised how many people in Big Spring would go out there to find something," he said.

While in the Army, Hartfield had learned about

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Water well users see aquifer levels steadily dropping

By BILL MCCLELLAN
News Editor

Big Spring may be weathering the drought better than most West Texas cities because of a decision years ago to form a water district, but that strategy doesn't apply to residents who aren't tied into the system. The fact is, some Howard County residents on well water are starting to see the effects of a long, long dry spell.

"It's time to start preaching water conservation," said Dusty Choate, who, as co-owner of Choate Well Service Inc. has watched as the aquifers which feed the wells have steadily fallen. "In some areas, wells have dropped off from 15 gallons a minute to three gallons a minute or less in the last year."

Bubba Grantham, with Grantham Water Well Service, has customers whose wells have gone from 100 gallons a minute down to two gallons a minute over a three-year period. "Our family has been in the business for 50 years. We've seen the highs and we've seen the lows, and this is definitely a low," said Grantham.

Some of the areas most affected are near the FM 700 and Highway 350 intersec-

tion, and along Jeffrey Road in the Tubbs addition, Choate said.

"It's usually where people are more concentrated. Most areas where there are just a few wells here and there are OK, although it's still good to conserve water," Choate said. "But the real problem is where you have a group of people all taking water from the same area."

Howard County wells are fed by two aquifers, the Ogallala and the Edwards-Trinity. The Ogallala starts in Nebraska and runs through Howard County and northwest Glasscock County as well as northern Midland and Ector counties. The Edwards-Trinity Aquifer begins near Moss Creek Lake and runs south.

The water only travels 100 to 200 feet a year, Choate noted.

Indicators that the water level in a well is low include:

- sand in the water or filters
- air in the lines
- discoloration of water
- a higher mineral content than normal
- a more salty taste

Some families have run out of water or are to the point where the well will no longer supply their daily

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HERALD photo/Bill McClellan

Choate Well Service co-owner Dusty Choate checks the flow from a water well dug recently at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Big Spring.

Screenings
for water
scheduled

HERALD Staff Report

Residents of Howard County will have an opportunity to have their water wells screened for bacteria, nitrates and salt during a program planned later this month at the Howard County Fairgrounds.

"Anyone in Howard County who is concerned about the quality of water in their water wells, we'd encourage them to take advantage of this," said Eddy Corse, civil engineer with the Natural Resources Conservation Service office in Big Spring.

The project is supported by the NRCS, Howard County Agricultural Extension Service, Howard Soil and Water Conservation District, Howard County Commissioners Court and the Big Country Resource Conservation and Development Area.

Cost of screening is \$3, which covers testing expense.

On Tuesday residents are

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Advanced planning helps to achieve a peaceful death

DEAR ABBY: It was about 3 a.m. The call came in as a signal 14. In laymen's terms, it means someone died. A 47-year-old, terminally ill woman had succumbed to stomach cancer. The call was close to the station so we beat the ambulance to the scene.

When we arrived, it seemed like her entire extended family was there. As we were about to enter the bedroom, the daughter asked if we were there to pick up her mother. We asked if they had DNR (Do Not Resuscitate) papers. She said yes, but they were at the hospital. Instead of starting CPR (which is what we are supposed to do when the DNR papers are not present), our paramedic called medical control, the doctor in charge of our service. Fortunately, he agreed that CPR should not begin.

Abby, this scenario has happened more than once, and I am getting a little angry. My anger is toward the system that sometimes puts family and loved ones between a rock and a hard place. The hospital and doctor know that a copy of the DNR papers has to be with the patient at all times or they technically don't exist.

Instead of letting their mother die in peace, that family almost experienced the sight of her receiving advanced care life support. For anyone who is not aware, this is far more than giving chest compressions and mouth-to-mouth. She would have had a tube down her throat to aid in breathing, a succession of body wrenching shocks would have been given, IV lines, drugs, etc.

When my stepfather lost his battle with lung cancer, my mother had worked everything out in advance with the hospice facility. All she had to do was call hospice, and they sent a medical examiner to pick him up. No ambulance. No fire truck. Just a peaceful, dignified way to deal with a very traumatic situation.

Everyone will have to deal with this situation at some time or another.

CARING FIREFIGHTER IN TEXAS

DEAR FIREFIGHTER: You have taken care of that and graphically, I might add. Although some people want every effort made to be resuscitated, many do not. Those who do not should keep in mind your warning that for their wishes to be obeyed, they must be written down, discussed with family members and doctors, and copies must be readily available. Thank you for your urgent reminder.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Tuesday, Aug. 29:

Your creativity builds. No matter what obstacles you face, you succeed. Allow greater spontaneity into your life. Change what you find untenable. Your career blooms with many options. Sometimes you get confused, not exactly sure as to what would be your best choice. Trust your communication.

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)

*** A lot gets dumped on you. Sort through what is necessary and make your own decisions. Independence marks your actions. Establish a new beginning with office relationships. Discussions have an odd tone. Keep trying until you are sure that understanding is mutual. Tonight: Accept an invitation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

*** Decide on a new beginning with a child or loved one. A change in attitude is appropriate and benefits you. Though another might test your limits and inadvertently challenge you, your new attitude makes all the difference. Maintain a positive attitude. Tonight: Play the night away.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

*** You have so many ideas and present them so quickly that others are often overwhelmed. Learn to communicate more effectively,

and don't distance yourself from others. If you keep at it, understanding becomes mutual. Brainstorm with family. Tonight: Happy at home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

*** You must not become discouraged when facing a challenge. Keep seeking solutions, and one will come in your direction. Your mind works quickly. Don't sound out every idea or thought with others. They could easily go on overload. Tonight: Chat over dinner.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

*** Financial matters take a new twist. Make a decision to change present patterns. Others run to pitch in. Many of you might question which way to go. Your sense of humor comes out with a child or loved one. Don't just recognize an opportunity - jump on it. Tonight: Work as late as necessary.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

*** You find yourself in a tizzy, with so many decisions to make. You see many opportunities. You might not be sure about which way to go. Making a decision doesn't mean a life commitment. Lighten up. A boss backs you 100 percent. Tonight: The world is your oyster.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

*** Let others reveal their ideas. Right now, your best course of action is to explore different options, but don't commit. Communication sizzles. You could easily go on over-

load. Examine your options with a trusted friend or adviser. Count on this person. Tonight: Do some thinking.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

*** Keep your goal in mind during discussions. Others could easily overwhelm you with ideas, feelings and actions. Your best way to stay clear is to sort through different possibilities with a friend whose thinking you admire. Finances play a major role. Tonight: What you want.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

*** Make a professional decision. You have been hanging in the same space, questioning. Timing works for new beginnings. Partners and friends provide many points of view. Ultimately, you have to live with your work - no one else does. Tonight: Work late.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

*** An opportunity to learn more and grow presents itself. Don't say no. Jump on it. Confusion surrounds

work as, suddenly, you see much potential. Honor your desires. Don't put a long term dream on hold. Make calls and communicate with others at a distance. Tonight: Surf the Net.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

*** Sometimes you need to verify information, even if it comes from a trusted source. You easily could be overwhelmed by present choices. Laughter goes a long way to ease the way for a child or loved one. Deal with a changeable friend. Tonight: Share with a loved one.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

*** You might feel like tossing in the towel at work. A boss makes demands that make you most uncomfortable. Rather than react, study your alternatives. Recognize how many hours a day your work fills up. You need to like what you do. Understand your potential. Tonight: Listen to a partner.

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OUR VIEWS

Let's be safe
in Labor Day
weekend fun

We're coming up on one of our most celebrated holiday weekends. Not Thanksgiving or Christmas. Most people won't be buying gifts, dressing up for dinner or preparing turkey and ham with all the trimmings. No, Labor Day is anything but a "dress up" weekend. It's a shorts and T-shirt weekend, cooking on the grill, going to the lake.

It's the last official holiday of the summer, and for many people, that is reason enough to celebrate. The statistics back it up. There are as many hot dogs, hamburgers and marshmallows sold on this weekend as any other holiday. And while there will be a lot of backyard barbecues, the fact is that Labor Day weekend is a mobile time for a lot of us. We like to get out and go somewhere, and that usually means a lake.

Try finding a space for that RV or tent at a campground, for instance. We checked reservations over the Internet at a dozen Texas Parks and Wildlife Department parks at various locations across the state. We found one campsite still available. That was at Meridian, and it has no lake. We called three U.S. Army Corps of Engineers parks. There were no campsites available this weekend.

All of that, of course, is good. People are enjoying themselves, businesses are making money and it's good for the economy.

There is, however, a downside. Labor Day weekend is also one of the top sales periods for alcohol. That's not necessarily bad in itself, but it is when alcohol is combined with driving or boating. And that brings up another statistic: the Labor Day weekend is also one of the worst in terms of driving while intoxicated and public intoxication arrests, as well as traffic accidents. It leads the holidays in BWIs — boating while intoxicated, and, needless to say, drownings.

So while we'll be the first to say have a great time with family and friends, we'd also remind everyone to limit the alcohol. Don't drink and drive, or operate a boat, a jet ski or any other watercraft.

It may be the last hurrah of the summer, but don't make it the last hurrah ever.

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Lieberman: Boost now, but in the long run?

By WILL LESTER
Associated Press Writer

Having Joseph Lieberman as a running mate could inoculate Al Gore against President Clinton's moral failings, help attract suburban women concerned about moral values and appeal to moderate swing voters.

But some analysts regard the Democrat's choice as more of a political gamble than Republican George W. Bush's pick of Dick Cheney.

Cheney, a former defense secretary and Wyoming congressman, offered reassurance that Bush would have sound advice on foreign affairs, bolstered his support among conservatives and improved the his standing in the polls.

Gore's choice of Lieberman, a Connecticut senator and Orthodox Jew who criticized Clinton's relationship with Monica Lewinsky, was widely viewed as a bold stroke that apparently contributed to a healthy bounce in the polls for the Democratic presidential nominee.

"Tactically it helped Gore, got him a lot of positive attention right when he needed it," said John

Green, a specialist in religion and politics and director of the Bliss Institute at the University of Akron.

Both picks have gotten similarly positive reactions in the polls.

Lieberman's moral message has appeal for parents, especially white suburban women whom Gore has struggled to win over this year. He could energize Jewish voters and party activists in key states, both in organizing and fund raising, and his centrist politics could reassure moderates, Green said.

But his appeal among moderates could fail to materialize, meaning Gore might not be as free as he'd like to solidify the Democratic left, Green said. People also may not be as open-minded about Lieberman's religion as polls would suggest.

Bush spokesman Ari Fleischer agreed, saying the combination of saturation media coverage and positive emphasis were "main drivers of the bounce."

But the long-term effect in the fight for states and electoral votes are harder to estimate.

Fleischer said Lieberman makes it harder for Gore to attack Bush on matters

such as investing Social Security funds in stocks and school vouchers. Lieberman has retreated slightly from positions on these issues that at times seemed closer to Bush than to Gore.

Much has been written about the question of whether subtle anti-Semitism could drag down the Gore-Lieberman ticket. Too much, in the opinion of veteran Chicago pollster Nick Panagakis, who noted that Jewish candidates have won statewide elections in numerous key states including California, and battleground states in the Midwest and Northeast that Gore needs to win.

Gore spokesman Doug Hattaway said voters should be more concerned with "the candidate's character and qualifications and whose side that candidate is on."

Polls taken after Lieberman joined the ticket suggest only a small number of voters admit to having reservations about a presidential candidate's Jewish faith. More than nine of 10 say they would vote for a Jew for president, compared to more than eight in 10 who would vote for a woman and seven in 10 who would vote

for an evangelical Christian.

The number who say they would vote for a Jewish presidential candidate has risen considerably over the years, said Tom Smith, director of the General Social Survey for the National Opinion Research Center, noting it was about 60 percent half a century ago.

Abraham Foxman, national director of the Anti-Defamation League, agreed that anti-Semitism is dropping. But such bias doesn't always show up in the polls.

Lieberman's northern roots could be more of a challenge than his religion for Democrats in the conservative South, said political scientist Wayne Parent of Louisiana State University.

Overall voter response to an Orthodox Jewish candidate in a presidential race is untested.

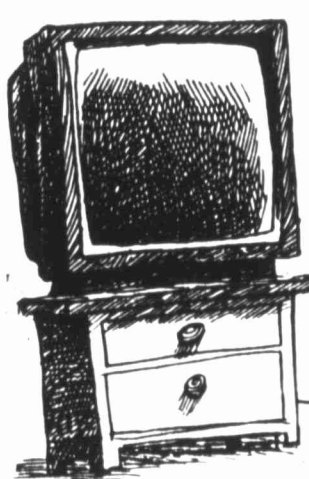
"The question is whether there is any residual anti-Semitism that is not picked up by the polls," said Andrew Kohut, director of the Pew Research Center for the People and the Press.

"My guess is that it will be marginal — but that's a guess."

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SURVIVOR



Gore's policies anchored in the center

Al Gore got a bigger bounce from the Democratic Convention than anybody anticipated, especially after the pundits almost uniformly trashed his speech as an outdated appeal to populist grievances.

Gore ticked off what the commentators ridiculed as an "enemies list," citing big oil, big polluters, pharmaceutical companies, HMOs and the insurance industry as special interests arrayed against ordinary Americans. In an age of plenty, with more than half of the country invested in the stock market, and with unemployment at a quarter-century low, Gore's critics wonder whom he's talking to — certainly not the new, wired workers who are the fastest-growing segment of the electorate.

Gore is taking a risk in fashioning his campaign rhetoric around the politics of anger, but so far it has paid off handsomely in the polls. Here's why: — Gore has carefully chosen his targets. Wherever voters are on the income scale, they have horror stories to tell about dealing with HMOs, or they have a parent struggling to pay for costly prescription drugs. Taking on big oil resonates nicely in the context of a Republican ticket that is the dream team for the oil industry. — When Gore rails against the corporate interests, he blunts Ralph Nader's appeal among liberals and Perot populists. The litany that the pundits mock is music to the ears of these disaffected voters and has the power to draw them back into the Democratic camp. The Nader vote could make the difference in a handful of states, notably California, Washington State and Michigan — all must-wins for Gore. — Gore sounds and looks natural on the campaign trail when he makes his pitch as a fighter for the little guy. He learned his

populist impulses from his father, a former school-teacher who was elected to Congress in 1938 running on populist themes.

Authenticity is this year's buzzword, and voters can tell Gore feels this in his gut. For Gore, who has struggled to make a human connection with the electorate, this could be the tie that binds.

— Peel away the populist rhetoric, and Gore is still a DLC Democrat. Al From, head of the centrist Democratic Leadership Conference, points out that Gore has not shifted any of his positions to match his more passionate pleas for fairness. In taking on big oil, Gore is calling for an investigation of possible pricing collusion among the oil companies, hardly a radical proposal. In assailing the HMOs, he calls for passage of a Patients' Bill of Rights, which is currently before the Congress. Gore wants the right to sue included in the legislation, a controversial, but far from radical, demand. Singling out the pharmaceutical companies makes some Democrats nervous

since the industry is responsible for extraordinary research and has done so much to improve the quality of life. But when busloads of senior citizens are pictured on the evening news traveling across the border to Canada to purchase lower-cost drugs, Gore speaks for the vast middle in American politics when he advocates prescription-drug coverage for seniors.

Gore is running as the rightful inheritor of the greatest economy the country has seen in some time, yet he knows that telling people times are good is not enough to win the election. The question for Gore is whether his new, energetic, populist rhetoric can both rally the core Democratic vote and reach out to the swing voters. Gore is aware of the danger that he could isolate himself as the spokesman for those who have grievances, leaving Bush to address the more optimistic, New Economy voters. So far, Gore has not fallen into that trap, and with his policies anchored in the center, it is not likely that he will.



JACK ANDERSON

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IN BRIEF

UGSA signups

currently under way

The Big Spring United Girls Softball Association is currently holding fall registration through Saturday.

The signups will be taking place during regular business hours at three locations, All Star Sports, Microzone and Sound Decision.

For more information, call JoEllen Canales at 263-2082.

Quarterback Club meets each Monday

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet at 7 tonight at the Big Spring High School Athletic Training Center.

Anyone interested in supporting the Steers football program is invited to attend.

AP Poll

The Associated Press high school football preseason poll for 2000, with first-place votes in parentheses. Records are from 1999. Voting done by a panel of 20 sports writers and broadcast-ers.

Class 5A	Team	Record
1.	Garland (12)	15-1
2.	Austin Westlake (4)	12-1
3.	Midland Lee (4)	15-0
4.	Aldine Eisenhower	13-2
5.	Katy	14-2
6.	Plano East	11-3
7.	Victoria Memorial	x
8.	Tyler John Tyler	5-5
9.	Waco	9-4
10.	Mesquite	9-5
x-New school consolidated from Victoria and Victoria Stroman.		
Also receiving votes: Arlington Lamar 26, The Woodlands 14, Jersey Village 8, Houston Lamar 7, South Grand Prairie 7, SA Marshall 7, Abilene 6, Duncanville 6, Houston Madison 5, Euless Trinity 4, SA Holmes 4, Converse Judson 3, Lewisville 2, Bryan 1, Houston Washington 1.		
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Class 4A		
1.	Stephenville (8)	16-0
2.	Texas City (9)	15-0
3.	LaMarque (2)	11-2
4.	Wolfforth Frenship (1)	8-5
5.	Hereford	13-2
6.	SA Roosevelt	9-2
7.	Brownwood	8-3
8.	Wichita Falls	10-3
9.	San Marcos	11-3
10.	Emis	12-3
Also receiving votes: Nederland 15, Greenville 8, Bay City 4, Hewitt Midway 4, Brenham 3, Jacksonville 3, CC Calallen 2, New Braunfels 2, Kilgore, Port Neches Groves, West Orange-Stark.		
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Class 3A		
1.	Newton (7)	11-2
2.	Lamesa (2)	11-3
3.	Crockett (3)	11-1
4.	Everman (6)	8-4
5.	Cleveland (1)	11-2
6.	LaGrange	30-1
7.	Marlin	12-2
8.	Sweeny	7-4
9.	Cuero	8-4
10.	Liberty-Eylau	14-1
Also receiving votes: Lufkin 29, Aledo 36, Sealy (1) 22, Daingerfield 14, Forney 12, Brownsboro 7, Atlanta 5, Gatesville 4, China Spring 3, Wilmer-Hutchins 3, Commerce 2, Kaufman 2, Sweetwater 1.		
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Class 2A		
1.	Mart (17)	15-0
2.	Celina (2)	16-0
3.	Refugio	13-2
4.	Corrigan-Camden	10-2
5.	Elysian Fields	14-2
6.	Gunter	12-2
7.	Paul Hewitt	12-1
8.	Sonora	13-1
9.	Olney (1)	10-2
10.	Garrison	12-1
Also receiving votes: Rogers 17, Alto 13, Boyd 10, Blanco 7, Comfort 6, East Chambers 5, Arp 4, Winters 4, DeKalb 3, Mason 2, Stanton 2, Thorndale 2.		
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1.	Iraan (16)	12-1
2.	Shiner	10-1
3.	Beckville (2)	5-6
4.	Stratford (1)	12-3
5.	Celeste	9-4
6.	Paducah (1)	10-4
7.	Wheeler	13-1
8.	Rankin	10-3
9.	Bartlett	15-1
10.	Wortham	9-2
Also receiving votes: Breckack 7, Claude 5, Baird 4, Bremond 3, Evadale 3, Ranger 3, Charlotte 2, Lindsay 2, Nazareth 2, Detroit 1.		

ON THE AIR

BASEBALL

6:35 p.m. — Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves, TBS, Ch. 11.
7 p.m. — Cleveland Indians at Texas Rangers, FSN, Ch. 29.

GOLF

7 p.m. — Battle at Bighorn, one-round match play, Tiger Woods vs. Sergio Garcia, ABC, Ch. 2.

TENNIS

6:30 p.m. — U.S. Open Championships, men's and women's first round USA, Ch. 38.

Lee ranked No. 3 behind Garland, Westlake in first AP poll

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Garland Owls really started something last season by winning the Class 5A Division II state championship. Now their alumni are expecting them to carry on school tradition and do it again.

The Owls followed their state finals appearance in 1955 with another in '56, then won back-to-back titles in '63 and '64. Voters in The Associated Press high school football poll are picking them to do it again as Garland came out No. 1 in the preseason poll released Sunday.

"It started right there in the Astrodome after we won the 1999 championship," coach Joe Martin said. "Some of the players from the '63 and '64 teams were telling us, 'You've got to do this again.'"

Garland received 12 first-place votes among the statewide pool of 20 writers and broadcasters.

"I guess we've got that big ol' target on our backs," Martin said. "We've never been in this situation before. We've always been the one who was the underdogs. But there's nothing we can do about it now. It's just a different perspective."

Austin Westlake, which lost to the

Owls 52-14 in the third round of the playoffs last year, starts the season at No. 2 followed by Division I defending champion Midland Lee.

Westlake returns a pair of 1,000-yard running backs in Scott Ballew and Brendan Dewan plus speedy receiver Christian Campbell, son of Heisman Trophy winner Earl Campbell.

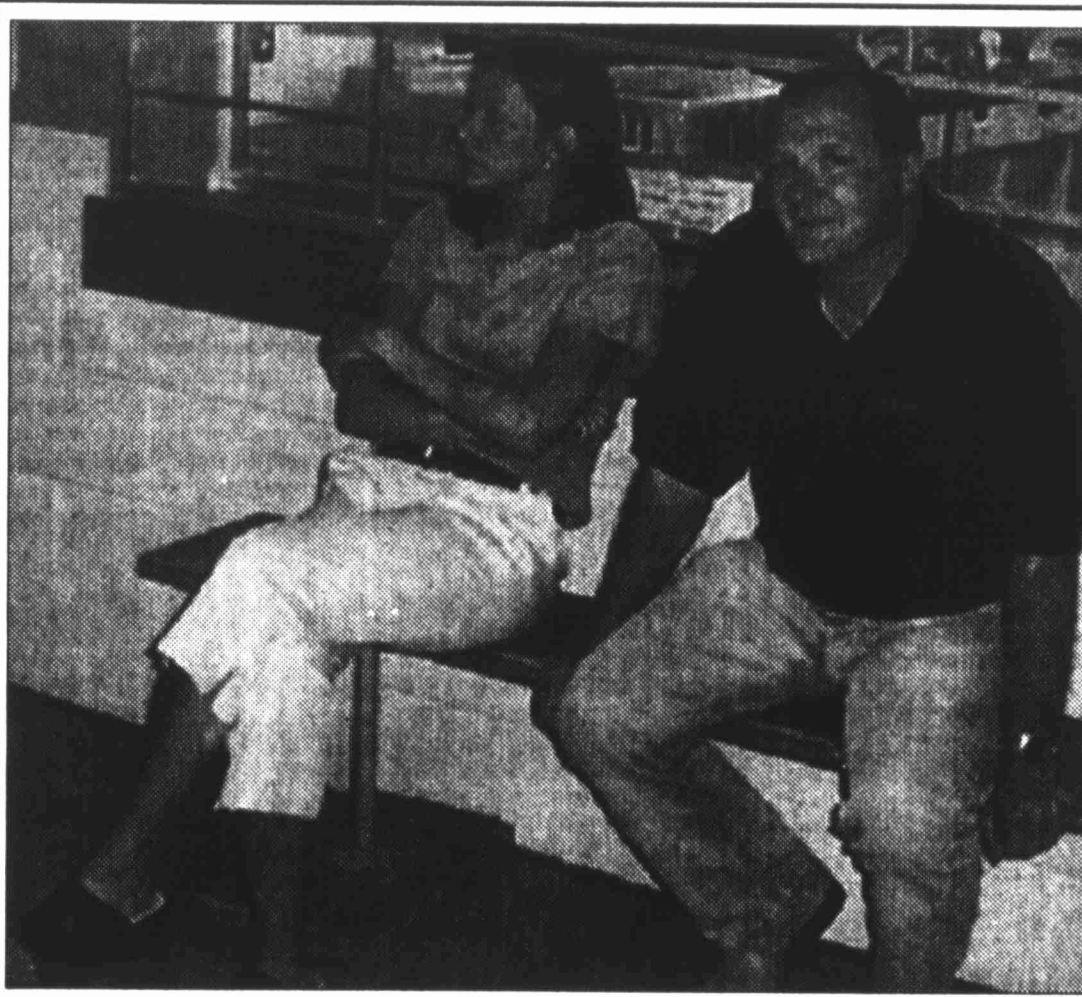
Lee returns only one starter from its offense, but it's the most important one: running back Cedric Benson.

As a junior last season, Benson rushed for 3,526 yards, the fourth best single-season total in state his-

tory, and scored 44 touchdowns. He had four 300-yard rushing games, a state record for a single season.

Stephenville begins the season with a new coach and an old tradition — trying to win its third straight Class 4A championship with the No. 1 preseason rank under coach Mike Copeland.

Stephenville must deal not only with the loss of coach Art Briles, but also with the coaches' son Kendal, who passed for 3,515 yards last season. Briles now is an assistant coach at Texas Tech and Kendal has enrolled at Wofforth Frenship.



HERALD photo/John Hasselmeier

Two new Howard College coaches, women's basketball assistant Tonya Benton (left) and head softball coach Dave George are shown taking it easy during "Meet the Players Night" Saturday at the First Baptist Church's family life center. Most Howard College coaches and teams were present and were introduced to fans. During the rest of the event, those in attendance played games at the center and also enjoyed homemade ice cream.

NEC Invitational proves to be a romp for Woods

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Tiger Woods got stung by a wasp, had the flu and finished the NEC Invitational in near darkness. Normalcy was reflected only in the results — another landslide victory, another record-setting performance.

In an otherwise ho-hum final round at Firestone Country Club on Sunday, Woods somehow managed to put on a show when he hit an 8-iron within 2 feet for a birdie on the final hole.

"We could hear it," Woods said of the roar from the gallery that remained after a storm delay that lasted nearly three hours. "We just couldn't see anything."

This much is perfectly clear — Woods doesn't just win tournaments, he wins those with the strongest fields. He doesn't just post lower numbers, he sets scoring records.

Once his fever broke on the fourth hole and Woods eventually got untracked, he closed with a 67 and finished at 21-under 259. It was his lowest 72-hole score in his career, and broke the Firestone record of 262 set 10 years ago by Jose Maria Olazabal.

He wound up 11 strokes ahead of Phillip Price of Wales and Justin Leonard, the fifth time this year Woods has won by at least four shots.

"I'm a better player than I was last year," Woods said. "And hopefully, I'll be better next year."

A year ago, Woods won the NEC Invitational by one stroke over Phil Mickelson for his fifth victory in eight starts. It was an amazing feat, topped only by the fact Woods has continued that pace the past 12 months.

Woods became the first player since Byron Nelson in 1945 to win at least eight times on the PGA Tour in consecutive years.

It also was the third time this year Woods has successfully defended a title, the first one to do that since Johnny Miller managed it in 1975.

Crossroads volleyball squads returning to action Tuesday

HERALD staff report

Both Crossroads area volleyball teams will be in action Tuesday.

Big Spring will head to Greenwood to compete in a four-way event against Greenwood, San Angelo Central and Water Valley at 4 p.m.

Big Spring faced Greenwood in the season

opener and defeated the Rangerettes 15-9, 10-15, 15-5. Water Valley has been the Region I, Class 1A representative at the state tournament the last few years and Central has been limited to also-ran status in District 4-5A the past two years.

As for Colorado City, the Lady Wolves will be at home for the first time when they host Miles. The

freshmen will open at 5 p.m. with the junior varsity and varsity matches to follow.

The match means a chance for the Lady Wolves to get some revenge for a loss at Miles last Tuesday.

In addition, the four Big Spring Junior High volleyball teams will be hosting Andrews.

Those matches will start at 5 p.m. at the junior high.

BSHS netters finish second at tournament

By JOHN HASSELMEIER
Sports Editor

Buoyed by a first-place finish in the boys division, the Big Spring High School tennis team placed second overall at the Fort Stockton Tournament this weekend.

Zach Smiley was one of those leading the way for the boys as he finished first at the No.3 singles spot. In fact, he didn't lose a set as he beat Nick Ledingham of Monahans 6-1, 6-1, Robert Guerrero of El Paso Burgess 6-3, 6-2 and David Yanez of Fort Stockton 6-3, 6-2.

Smiley then doubled up by teaming with Derek DeHoyos for first place at No.2 boys doubles. They got past Ledingham and Oliver of Monahans 6-1, 6-1, Elias and Thomas Zadakis of El Paso Irvin 6-0, 6-0 and Bonner and Ward of Dumas 6-3, 6-0.

Jake Smiley also won first place in No. 4 boys singles. To do so, he defeated Raul Garcia of Pecos 6-3, 6-1, Rick Montes of El Paso Burgess 2-6, 6-4, 6-1 and Zac Oliver of Monahans 6-1, 6-4.

Jay Shroff also won his division at the No.5 boys singles spot. He took down Michael Orona of Pecos 6-0, 6-0, Blake Kozak of Dumas 6-0, 6-1 and B.J. Luangpraseuth of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-3, 6-1.

Annette Richardson turned in the best finish on the girls side as she won at No. 5 singles. To do so, she defeated Montoya of El Paso Burgess 6-2, 6-2, survived Parras of Fort Stockton 3-6, 7-6, 7-6 and then outlasted Stout of Monahans 1-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Brian Wingert was yet another to win as he took first place at No. 7 boys singles. He swept Q. Ledingham of Monahans 6-0, 6-1, Pham of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-0, 6-0 and Roberts of Dumas 6-1, 6-1.

Wingert then teamed with Michael Roffers for first place at No. 3 boys doubles. Along the way, the two beat Strickland and Kozak of Dumas 6-1, 6-1, Luangpraseuth and Pham of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-0, 6-2 and Haren and Tarin of El Paso Burgess 6-3, 6-1.

Ame Blacketer was second in No. 1 girls singles. She defeated Tenneson of El Paso Irvin 6-0, 6-1 and Marquez of Fort Stockton 4-6, 6-2, 6-1.

She also joined forces with Drew Mireles to finish second in mixed doubles.

They beat Roberts and Reznik of Dumas 6-2, 6-4 and Pavoggi and Orozco of El Paso Burgess 6-1, 6-1.

Alex Edgemon, playing No. 2 boys singles, was second. He beat Mike Mayr of El Paso Burgess 6-1, 6-4 and Aaron Kozak of Dumas 7-6, 6-4.

Edgemon and Shroff combined to finish second at No. 1 boys doubles. They beat Kommavongsa and Nguyen of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-2, 6-0 and Yanez and Sawyer of Fort Stockton 7-5, 6-3.

April Ward was second at No. 2 girls singles. She beat Touisithiphonexay of Amarillo Palo Duro 7-5, 6-1 and Dunn of Fort Stockton 6-2, 6-2.

Ward teamed up with Megan Roffers for second place in No. 2 girls doubles. They got past Cochran and Martin of Dumas 6-4, 7-6 and then beat Blaylock and Gandhi of Fort Stockton 7-5, 6-3.

Michael Roffers was second at No. 6 boys singles. He defeated Gonzales of Amarillo Palo Duro 7-5, 6-2 and Wyke of El Paso Irvin 6-0, 6-0.

DeHoyos, playing the No. 1 boys position, finished third. He defeated Sam Ruvalcaba of El Paso Burgess 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Megan Roffers and Richardson took third place at No. 1 girls doubles. They combined to beat Tenneson and Eckert of El Paso Irvin 6-2, 6-1 and Blanco and Boon of Fort Stockton 6-3, 6-3.

Partee earned consolation at No. 3 girls singles. She beat Phommassak of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-1, 6-0 and Delgado of El Paso Burgess 6-0, 7-6.

Roffers won consolation at the No. 4 girls singles position. She beat Lujan of Pecos 6-2, 6-3 and Bottoms of Dumas 6-2, 6-2.

Heather Parnell earned the consolation title at No. 6 girls singles. She outlasted Nguyen of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-3, 3-6, 8-6 and then made short work of Sylvia Macias of El Paso Irvin 6-1, 6-0.

Parnell teamed up with Lauren Chesworth to earn consolation honors at No. 3 girls doubles.

They survived both Nguyen and Phommassak of Amarillo Palo Duro 6-1, 6-7, 6-3 and Perez and Lujan of Dumas 5-7, 6-2, 6-3.

The team will next play host Sweetwater's Mustang teams Tuesday.

It was Chicago 2, Seattle 1; New York 7, Oakland 5; Kansas City 11, Boston 7; Baltimore 3, Tampa Bay 2; Minnesota 7, Detroit 6, 10 innings; Anaheim 10, Cleveland 9; and Toronto 6, Texas 4.

In National League games, it was New York 2, Arizona 1; St. Louis 7, Atlanta 2; Houston 7, Montreal 3; Colorado 9, Pittsburgh 1; San Diego 2, Milwaukee 1; Los Angeles 7, Chicago 6; and Florida 7, Cincinnati 6.

Jose Cruz Jr. and Shannon Stewart also homered, giving the Blue Jays a major league-leading 214 for the season.

Billy Koch pitched the ninth for his 31st save.

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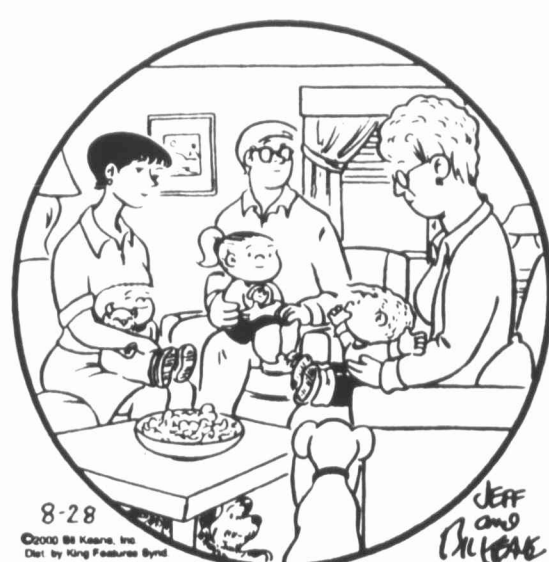
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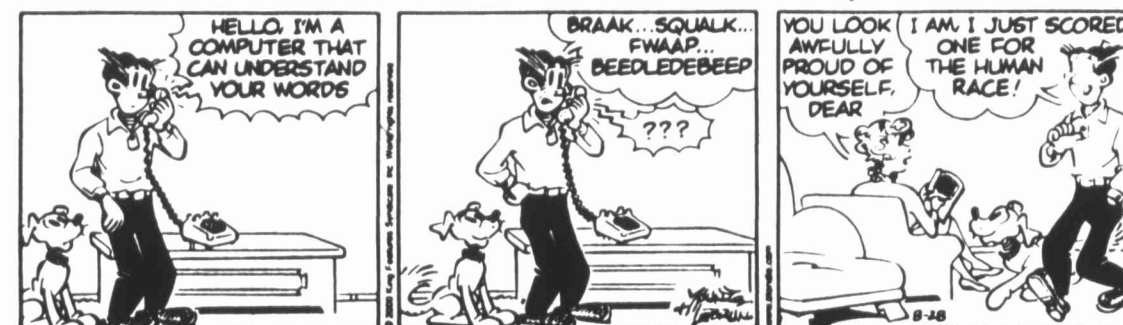


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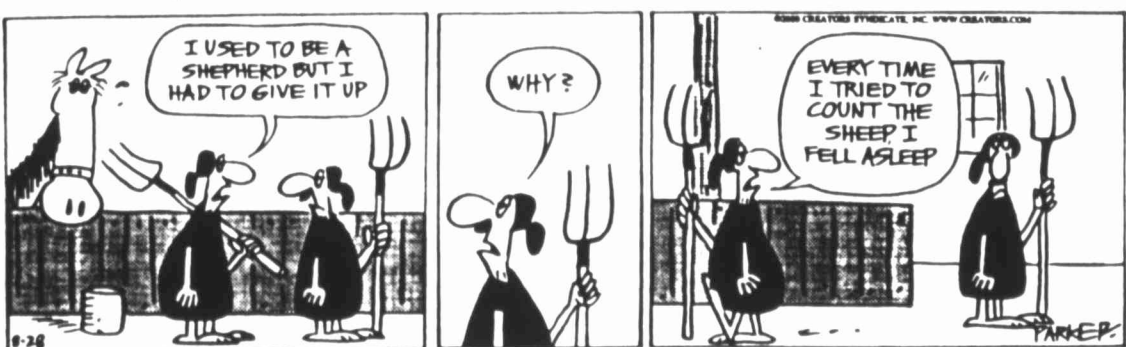
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Today is Monday, Aug. 28, the 241st day of 2000. There are 125 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Aug. 28, 1963, 200,000 people participated in a peaceful civil rights rally in Washington D.C., where the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his "I Have a Dream" speech in front of the Lincoln Memorial.

On this date:

In 1609, Henry Hudson discovered Delaware Bay.

In 1749, German author Johann Wolfgang von Goethe was born in Frankfurt.

In 1916, Italy's declaration

of war against Germany took effect during World War I.

In 1922, the first-ever radio commercial aired on station WEAH in New York City (the 10-minute advertisement was for the Queensboro Realty Company, which had paid a fee of \$100).

In 1947, legendary bull-fighter Manolete was mortally wounded by a bull during a fight in Linares, Spain; he died the following day at age 30.

In 1955, Emmett Till, a black teen-ager from Chicago, was abducted from his uncle's home in Money, Miss., by two white men after he had supposedly whistled at a white woman; he was found brutally murdered three days later.

In 1968, police and anti-war demonstrators clashed

in the streets of Chicago as the Democratic National Convention nominated Hubert H. Humphrey for president.

In 1973, more than 520 people died as an earthquake shook central Mexico.

In 1981, John W. Hinckley Jr. pleaded innocent to charges of attempting to kill President Reagan (he was later acquitted by reason of insanity).

In 1996, the troubled 15-year marriage of Britain's Prince Charles and Princess Diana officially ended with the issuing of a divorce decree.

Today's Birthdays: Actor-dancer Donald O'Connor is 75. Country singer Billy Grammer is 75. Actor Ben Gazzara is 70. Defense Secretary William S. Cohen is 60.

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

ACROSS

- 1 Knight's aide
- 5 Chocolate tree
- 10 Divan
- 14 Israeli airline
- 15 Nautical direction
- 16 "QB VII" author
- 17 Memory method
- 18 Pay up
- 19 Wanes
- 20 Surface of 64 squares
- 23 Undue speed
- 24 Carpet cleaner
- 28 1930s programs
- 32 Lionel Richie hit, "You _"
- 33 Concerning
- 37 Comedian Costello
- 38 Pakistan's neighbor
- 40 Place for liquid funds
- 44 Rich cake
- 45 Priest's vestment
- 46 Shuttle grp.
- 47 Egt.-Syr., once
- 48 O. Henry, e.g.
- 52 _ of Paris
- 54 Indian tea
- 59 When to leave
- 63 _ mater
- 66 Gulps
- 67 Redact
- 68 Gradual Impairment
- 69 Employs
- 70 Otherwise
- 71 _ Star State
- 72 Stranger
- 73 Highland loch

DOWN

- 1 Come to roost
- 2 Hawaiian hello
- 3 Microsoft mogul
- 4 Put into office
- 5 Concern
- 6 Mimic
- 7 Toothed strip
- 8 Like an opera song
- 9 Canadian capital
- 10 "Blue _ Shoes"
- 11 Globe
- 12 White lie
- 13 Underhead
- 21 Barbie's beau
- 22 Artifact
- 25 City west of Venice
- 26 Gray and Moran
- 27 Ranch name in "Giant"
- 29 Inventor Whitney
- 30 Took the top prize
- 31 Dennis of "Parenthood"
- 33 Misbehave
- 34 Sandbank
- 35 _ cotta
- 36 10 of calendars
- 39 Negative prefix
- 41 Artist Haring
- 42 Actress MacGraw
- 43 TV network
- 49 Say again and again



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Sunday's Puzzle Solved



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- 50 Pale purple shade
- 51 Make lace
- 53 Frighten
- 55 17th-century Dutch painter
- 56 Inch along
- 57 Out of order
- 58 Doles (out)
- 60 Resident of northern Iraq
- 61 Curved molding
- 62 Letters for an ex-superpower
- 63 Hole puncher
- 64 August birth, usually
- 65 British isle