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Friday

Area weather: Isolated to widely scattered evening thunderstorms through Saturday. Otherwise partly cloudy. Highs Saturday in the upper 80s to mid 90s. Low mid 60s to lower 70s.

At the crossroads of West Texas

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Weather



Records

Thursday's high temp.	86
Thursday's low temp.	66
Average high	95
Average low	70
Record high	108 in 1925
Record low	60 in 1979
	Inches
Rainfall Thursday	0.00
Month to date	1.91
Normal for Mo.	2.00
Year to date	8.98
Normal for year	9.96

On the side

Authorities say Gray still at large

Big Spring convicted murderer Travis Dale Gray — who escaped from a minimum security prison one month ago today — remains at large, officials said.



TRAVIS GRAY

"There's nothing new to report and we've checked out about everything," Charlie Streetman, assistant warden at the Price Daniel Unit in Snyder (where Gray escaped), said this morning.

Gray escaped from the correctional facility on June 20 by hiding in the back of a truck. Apparently using tools obtained from the prison, he reportedly was able to cut his way out of the truck's roof and escaped when it stopped in Abilene.

Gray, 31, was convicted of first-degree murder by a Mitchell County jury in connection with the June 23, 1988 death of his (then) wife, Tammy Lynn Gray, 27.

He began serving a 40-year sentence at the Snyder facility on April 20.

Jury panel not needed Monday

The jury panel which is scheduled to report at 9 a.m. Monday in the 118th Judicial District Court need not appear. The docket has been cancelled, said Glenda Brasel, district clerk.

Sales tax to increase Oct. 1

The city recently received notification that the state comptroller has added the city's sales tax increase to its rolls.

Finance Director Tom Ferguson said the state will begin assessing the voter-approved 1 percent increase on Oct. 1. The increase, made by residents in the May election, raises the city sales tax to 8.25 percent, with 6.25 percent kept by the state.

CrimeStoppers

Sometime between 61290 and 71290, a private residence in Howard County was burglarized. Entry was gained by prying open the back door to the residence. Once inside, actor/s removed a 25" color TV; a Sony stereo turntable; a hand-crafted model tug boat; a reel to reel tape deck, and other miscellaneous items from the residence.

Anyone having any knowledge of this burglary, contact crime stoppers at 267-8477, or the Howard County Sheriffs Office at 263-7654.

Information leading to the arrest and/or conviction of person/s responsible for this burlgary, could be worth up to $1000.00 reward. Callers may remain annonimous.

Appeals court reverses one of North's convictions

By PETE YOST
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — A federal appeals court panel today reversed one of Oliver North's Iran-Contra convictions and ordered a lower court to determine whether his trial was tainted by his immunized congressional testimony.

The former National Security Council aide was convicted on May 4, 1989, of three counts stemming from the Reagan administration's clandestine effort to aid the Nicaraguan Contras.

The divided three-judge panel held that North was entitled to a new trial on the charge of altering and destroying sensitive NSC documents because U.S. District Court Judge Gerhard Gesell gave erroneous jury instructions. North also was convicted of accepting an illegal gratuity and aiding and abetting in the obstruction of Congress.

The court also held that North was entitled to a full hearing delving into whether his nationally televised testimony seeped into the case.

The former Marine lieutenant colonel described for Congress and a national television audience in July 1987 how the Reagan administration secretly sold arms to Iran and then used the profits to aid the Nicaraguan Contras. He was guaranteed that his testimony would not be used in any criminal case against him.

If Gesell determines at the hearing that such tainted evidence was used to convict North on the other two charges, the court said he would be entitled to a new trial on those counts as well.

Gesell "must hold a . . . hearing that will inquire into the content as well as the sources of the grand jury and trial witnesses' testimony," said the court.

"That inquiry must proceed witness-by-witness; if necessary, it will proceed line-by-line and item-by-item," said the appeals court.

The government must show by a preponderance of the evidence that "no use whatsoever was made of any of the immunized testimony either by the witness" or by the Iran-Contra prosecutor's office in questioning the witness, said the court.

"This burden may be met by establishing that the witness was never exposed to North's immunized testimony, or that the allegedly tainted testimony contains no evidence" that wasn't obtained before North testified, the panel added.



Associated Press photo

Oliver North, shown taking the oath before the Iran-Contra Committee in Washington July 7, 1987, had one of his convictions reversed by a federal appeals court today. North was convicted May 4, 1989 on three counts of altering highly secret documents.

College reponds to survey

By MICHAEL DUFFY
Staff Writer

Howard College President Bob Riley is apparently very concerned about a faculty survey that indicates campus life is repressive and intimidating, his assistant said, and an evolving process to improve the conditions is being implemented.

"Improving the communication process is Dr. Riley's number one priority for the upcoming year," Cheri Sparks, assistant to the president, said this morning.

Riley is traveling out of state and was unavailable for comment today.

Sparks responded to a Thursday article in the *Big Spring Herald* that afternoon by releasing statistical data from the survey.

In nine categories, the faculty who responded — with a range from 53 percent to 75 percent — indicated they believe the college is besieged by a number of negatives.

Fifty-three faculty members (64 percent) responded to the survey, according to Sparks, who added there are 83 people who comprise the faculty. A number of faculty members are not available because they do not teach during the summer sessions.

A high percentage of the faculty responded that the college is repressive, intimidating, punitive and adversarial.

Seventy-five percent of those surveyed said campus morale is low and two-thirds of the faculty believe the college suffers from a lack of trust and low credibility, according to the survey results.

"Of course, Dr. Riley is very concerned about the survey results and is taking action that will allow the faculty to provide input about

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Herald photos by Tim Appel





Partying

The Howard County Library celebrated the end of its summer reading program with the annual costume party. Children dressed in a variety of costumes sit in the basement of the library and wait for the costume contest to begin in the top photo. Tammy Castaneda, above, with her face painted in assorted colors and a tuft of hair hanging in front of her eyes, checks out her competition. Brian Kiggans, right, sits in his clown costume awaiting his turn to stand in front of the crowd and be judged.

Budget requires tough choices

By RUTH COCHRAN
City Editor

The City Council may be ready to approve a tentative budget on Monday, but it will have to make some hard choices in what to fund and where to get the money.

During a four and one-half hour work session Thursday, the council completed the review it began Wednesday of unfinanced needs. City Manager Hal Boyd said that on Monday council members will have to choose which items to add to the proposed $15.63 million operating budget and decide how to pay for them.

The council will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday in terminal building 106 at the Big Spring McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark. A regular meeting is set for 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, and a called meeting has been set for 5:30 p.m. Thursday.

Items requested by various departments in the city, as well as outside entities, total more than $1 million from the general fund, $1.02 million from the utilities fund, and $200,000 from the airpark fund.

Thursday night, Public Works Director Tom Decell asked the council to fund $200,000 for street maintenance, with half of that going to the lease/purchase of a motor grader. He also asked the council to issue a new series of bonds authorized by voters in 1980 to pay for construction of streets.

"All you have to do is drive down one of our streets and I think you'll see the need for it," he said. "Every one is in dire need of some street maintenance package. Some are beyond maintenance."

Decell cautioned that if the coun-

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Lions in business of helping

By MICHAEL DUFFY
Staff Writer

If you are seeking to join a service organization for prestige, don't bother considering Lions International.

If you are willing to roll up your sleeves and work, the Lions have a place for you.

As members of Zone 3 (who come from Big Spring, Stanton, Sand Springs and Coahoma), Dick Cunningham and Bill Birrell, Big Spring, said Lions International is in the business (non-profit, of course) of helping people.

The organization's primary project is the Eye Bank, formed in 1971, and members work to help people improve their eyesight in varying degrees, according to Cunningham.

In 1986, a man from Rising Star left his sizeable estate to the District 2A-1 Lions Eye Bank, allowing it to donate more than $12,000 each in financial assistance to 17 individuals.

"The Lions apparently helped this man in some way," said Cunningham. "He has certainly helped us."

The Eye Bank is involved in donor procurement; locating corneas when needed; financial assistance; and collecting used eye glasses.

"In 1989, the Lions assisted four people in obtaining cataract surgery," Birrell said. "We try to help people who don't have the money or don't carry insurance."

Cunningham explained that because the Lions have limited funding "we have to shop around."

He said Big Spring Opthamologist Dr. John Fish "has been very good to us" in connection with performing the surgeries at affordable rates.

Although it is simple to become an eye donor, Birrell said volunteers are usually rare.

Although the Eye Bank consumes a great deal of Lions Club members' time, the organization also participates in other projects.

The Lions sponsor an annual summer camp in Kerrville for handicapped children.

"We have a one and one-half million dollar budget for the camp," Cunningham said. "In fact, two Big Spring boys and a counselor are down there this summer."

In October 1989, the Lions Club obtained the old Dewey Run building, 1607 E. Third St., and have converted it into a bingo hall.

"The proceeds from bingo are used to help fund our projects," Cunningham said.

Lions Club members are participants in the annual Christmas in April event and also coordinate a yearly Christmas party for patients at Big Spring State Hospital.

"We believe in helping those who are less fortunate than us," said Birrell.

The Big Spring Evening Lions Club — comprised of 24 members — meets weekly.

"We are a small, but very active group. We get quite a bit accomplished," Cunningham said.

Cunningham recalled the story of a 22-year-old handicapped woman who, with the support of the Lions, went on to earn a college degree and dramatically improve her life.

"She told us that if it wasn't for the Lions, she could never have become the person she is now," Cunningham said. "That's the kind of personal satisfaction I get by participating in the Lions."

Baby helicoptered to Lubbock hospital

A 5-month-old boy was taken to Lubbock hospital by helicopter today after he, his mother, and two other adults were stuck by a car early this morning.

Big Spring Police Sgt. John Leubner said the four were taken to Scenic Mountain Medical Center after a one-car accident just after midnight in the 1100 block of Scurry. The baby, James Elijah Lang, is in guarded condition at St. Mary's Hospital, according to a Scenic Mountain hospital spokeswoman. Leubner said the baby suffered a fractured skull and cerebral hemorrhaging.

Two other victims, Lakisaj Lang and Tammi M. Smith, are in stable condition the spokeswoman said. Police said Lakisaj Lang suffered a separated pelvis, and Smith suffered a broken right leg, a broken thumb and facial cuts. The fourth victim, Kenneth Wayne Ross, was treated for bruised ribs and a knee and was released.

According to the police accident report, a Colt Vista driven by Michelle Dawn DeAnda, 22, 809 Aylford St., was northbound in the 1200 block of Scurry Street when it left the roadway and struck the pedestrians on the east side of the road. The car returned to the roadway, the report said, crossed to the west side and struck a tree 17 feet from the curb.

Lt. Jerry Edwards said a preliminary investigation idicates the four pedistrians were not in the roadway when they were struck.

"Our investigation indicated they were between the curb and the sidewalk," Edwards said. He said invstigators had not determined yet how fast the car was traveling when it hit the group.

Leubner said no charges had been filed against DeAnda by

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Inside Texas

Woman settles $30 million suit

HOUSTON (AP) — A $30 million lawsuit filed against television personality Geraldo Rivera by a woman who was arrested during a 1986 drug raid that was carried live on national television has been settled out of court.

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Rivera, who was here Thursday to give a deposition, said he suspected the lawsuit was being pursued by attorneys "with greedy motives."

"My essential feeling is one of regret," Rivera said as he headed in to give the deposition. "I think I'm here because attorneys think there is gold at the end of a rainbow, and they are flogging a dead horse."

The settlement, involving an undisclosed amount of money, came after Rivera was questioned for six hours.

First SSC parts head for Dallas

THE WOODLANDS (AP) — In what was billed as a "small but significant" milestone in the superconducting super collider's development, the giant atom smasher's first working pieces were wrapped up here and sent to Dallas.

The devices were delivered Thursday, the same day the Senate Appropriations Committee in Washington approved $318 million in 1991 money for the super collider.

"This represents the first piece of accelerator equipment that actually will be used on the SSC," Jerry Watson, a collider laboratory physicist, said before wrapping the ion source and a companion ion source vacuum chamber in plastic bubble wrap and putting them in his van for the four-hour drive to Dallas.

The super collider, expected to cost $8 billion when finished in 1998, will include a 54-mile underground tunnel around Waxahachie in Ellis County, south of Dallas. Atoms will be broken in the tunnel in hopes of finding more clues to the nature of matter.

Former rep receives sentence

AUSTIN (AP) — A former state lawmaker from Amarillo will begin a three-month jail term Monday after pleading guilty to collecting state money for legislative trips he never made.

Former Rep. Charles J. "Chip" Staniswalis also must pay the state $11,000 and perform 400 hours of community service under a plea agreement. He was placed on 10 years probation.

"God only knows how sorry I am for doing something so stupid," said Staniswalis, a Republican, after leaving the courtroom Thursday. He was sentenced by State District Judge Mace Thurman of Austin.

Staniswalis, 41, will serve his jail term in Travis County. While in jail, he will perform community service as part of a work-release program. The type of community service had not been determined.

He must pay a $2,000 fine and $8,976 in restitution to the state. The judge said Staniswalis must pay the money at a rate of $125 a month, plus another $40 monthly probation supervisory fee.



Associated Press photos



Vice President Dan Quayle completed a two-day visit to Texas Thursday in which he campaigned for state GOP candidates. While in San Antonio, above photo, Quayle greeted tourists along the Riverwalk Thursday. Later that day, he received a western hat and boots from bootmaker Rocky Carroll, bottom photo, during Quayle's visit to Houston.

Vice President completes visit

HOUSTON (AP) — Vice President Dan Quayle, in Texas for two days to stump for Republican candidates, predicted that the nation's beleaguered space program will be back in orbit soon.

"Let us make 1990 the year we renew our commitment to space exploration," Quayle told Harris County Republicans at a luncheon Thursday.

Quayle made stops in Austin, San Antonio and Houston during his brief trip to the state, which ended Thursday afternoon.

The Bush administration recently called for the formation of a task force to look into NASA after the agency grounded its space shuttle fleet. NASA also is being criticized for a defective mirror on the $1.5 billion Hubble Telescope launched in April.

The vice president, who chairs President Bush's National Space Council, said he is convinced NASA will get back on its feet.

The task force "primarily will look at where we're going to go with NASA," Quayle said during a round table discussion with reporters at a downtown Houston Club. "We've had some mild setbacks, but we'll answer questions that come up and move forward."

President Bush, he said, "is committed to space exploration."

The future might also see the United States and Soviet Union working together on space projects.

"I think there's probably some potential down the road to work with the Soviet Union," he said. "I'd say about one-third of my conversation with President Gorbachev when he was here was on space exploration."

Quayle said there is intense competition in the space program from the Soviets and Japanese, therefore, the United States must "take this as an opportunity to look really aggressively to the future."

The vice president has been in Texas campaigning for GOP gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams, state Sen. Buster Brown, who is running for state attorney general, and state Rep. Rick Perry, who is hoping to knock off Jim Hightower as agriculture commissioner.

In San Antonio, the vice president criticized a job bias bill passed by the Senate Wednesday, calling it "a quota bill" that the president will not sign.

"The administration is not going to have a quota bill crammed down its throat disguised as a civil rights bill. This is a quota bill, pure and simple," Quayle said in a meeting with reporters in San Antonio.

The House would have to change Senate provisions dealing with burden of proof in discrimination cases, remedies and quotas before Bush will sign the bill, Quayle said. He said there are enough votes to sustain a presidential veto if the House doesn't make the changes.

Ten Republicans joined 55 Democrats in propelling the measure through the Senate Wednesday, while 34 GOP senators voted against the bill.

The House Judiciary Committee is expected to start work within days on its version of the legislation, whose provisions range from a ban on racial harassment in the workplace to punitive damages for victims of the worst kinds of employment discrimination.

DA believes shootings involve satanism

PANHANDLE (AP) — A 19-year-old man has been indicted on a murder charge and two attempted murder charges in the July 13 shooting death and the wounding of two people in a case that a prosecutor says may have satanic involvement.

The indictment returned Thursday by a Carson County grand jury names Kenneth Glenn Milner of Panhandle and accuses him of murder in the Friday, the 13th shooting death of Frankie Gasper Garcia, a 17-year-old Panhandle High School student.

Milner is also accused of attempted murder in the July 14 stabbing of Jimmy Britten of Groom and of attempted murder in the wounding of Panhandle High School principal Ken Williams.

Investigators contend that Garcia was shot as an occult sacrifice in a decaying barn in back of a deserted house northwest of Panhandle known to Panhandle youth as "the haunted house."

Earlier this week, Carson County District Attorney David McCoy said, "We're looking at the possibility of satanic involvement" in the shooting death.

Britten was stabbed at his home about 1:30 a.m. Saturday, a few hours after Garcia was shot to death. He was treated at a local hospital and released the same day.

About two hours later, officers said, Williams was shot twice through the door of his home.

Williams, formerly the assistant principal at Horace Mann Junior High School and baseball coach at Amarillo Palo Duro High School, was wounded in the abdomen and leg. He was listed in satisfactory condition at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Thursday.

District Judge John T. Forbis of Childress issued a gag order in the case earlier this week, restricting law enforcement agencies from releasing information pertaining to Milner's activities.

But he designated McCoy as official spokesman for the case.

Steve Sherwood, who graduated from Panhandle High School with Milner last year, said Milner was open about his involvement with the occult.

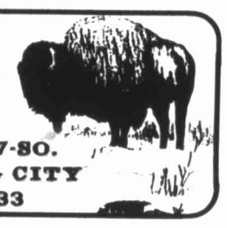
"It wasn't a secret, he told people about it," Steve Sherwood said. "He told a group I was in that he worshiped the devil."

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Reprimand expected for Frank

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House ethics committee will recommend that Rep. Barney Frank be reprimanded for aspects of his relationship with a male prostitute, congressional sources say. But a conservative lawmaker plans a floor move to expel the Massachusetts Democrat.

All 11 committee members who attended a closed-door meeting Thursday agreed to recommend a reprimand by the full House, according to the sources, who insisted on anonymity. The 12th member, Rep. Larry Craig, R-Idaho, was in his state for a visit by President Bush.

A reprimand would involve House adoption of the committee report. While expulsion is the most severe punishment, the committee also could have recommended a censure, in which a member stands before his colleagues to hear the speaker read a letter condemning his conduct.

The decision followed a 10-month investigation that was one of the most troubling in the history of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

In considering whether Frank's behavior brought discredit upon the House, the panel had to judge conduct that largely was personal between the liberal lawmaker and male prostitute Stephen L. Gobie.

Two key aspects of the case involved official actions, however.

Woman settles suit with Geraldo

HOUSTON (AP) — Attorneys say they have settled out of court a $30 million lawsuit filed against television personality Geraldo Rivera by a woman who was arrested during a drug raid carried live on national television.

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Before the settlement, Rivera had said he suspected the lawsuit was pursued by attorneys "with greedy motives."

The lawsuit was scheduled to go to trial Aug. 20. State District Judge Ann Cochran on Thursday ordered Rivera to turn over a copy of his most recent financial data; but she also ordered that it would remain confidential.

Dale Jefferson, attorney for Ms. Rouse, speculated the other side settled because it did not savor discussing Rivera's salary in open court.

During the 1986 program, Rivera was broadcasting live outside a duplex where Ms. Rouse was staying when Harris County Sheriff Johnny Klevenhagen and several deputies raided the home. Rivera said that the people inside were an alleged pimp and prostitute who were supplying drugs to truckers.

Ms. Rouse was dragged from the duplex and handcuffed as an estimated 15 million viewers watched, she said in the lawsuit.

Ms. Rouse has maintained she was hired to paint the house.

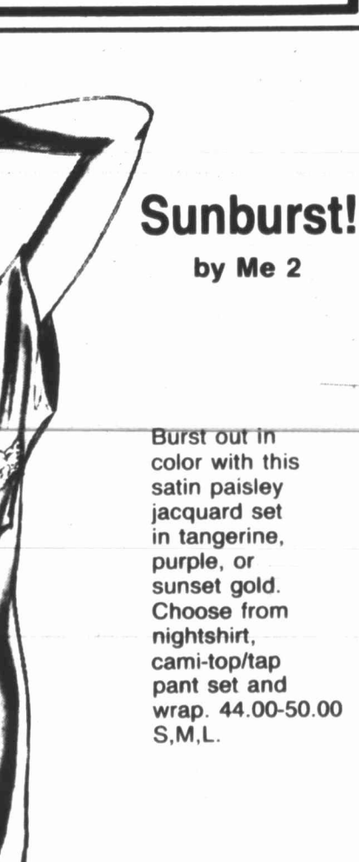
One killed in plant explosion

CINCINNATI (AP) — Workers at a chemical plant had just seconds of warning before explosions ripped through the building, killing one worker and injuring 56.

"Our fire alarm went off, I got about five steps . . . The explosion hit and it knocked everybody off their feet," said Thomas Borst, a chemist who was working in an adjacent building at the BASF Corp. plant when the first blast hit on Thursday afternoon.

Firefighters continued to douse the building with water today to prevent chemicals from reigniting, Fire Chief Bill Miller said. It took about 2½ hours to bring the fire under control.

About 1,000 Norwood residents who live within a quarter-mile of the plant were kept away from their homes Thursday night while inspectors checked for structural damage, said Norwood Safety Director Darrell Maxwell. He said another 1,000 Norwood residents were allowed to return to their homes.



EXPLOSION AFTERMATH



Associated Press photo

Quake damage

A woman and her daughter meditate in silence in the wreckage of a Mthodist church devastated by Monday's earthquake. It killed about 500 people and caused more than $1 billion damage throughout the central Luzon island.

S&L bailout fund may soon be out of money

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush's savings and loan bailout fund will be nearly out of money if officials reach their goal of closing or selling 77 institutions by Sept. 30, a federal agency says.

Figures provided Thursday by the Resolution Trust Corp. Oversight Board indicate that, unless Congress authorizes more borrowing, regulators could have as little as $7.3 billion in borrowing authority left when the new federal fiscal year begins Oct. 1.

"The bottom line . . . (is) it would cause us to very significantly reduce the pace of resolutions," said Peter Monroe, president of the oversight board.

In addition to the $7.3 billion, the agency could spend any money it can get by selling repossessed real estate and sour loans inherited from previous S&L bailouts, he said.

If Congress doesn't provide more money before adjourning for the November elections, the government will be forced to slow the pace of the bailout or dramatically increase the pace of asset sales, Monroe said.

His comments, combined with the new figures, are the clearest indication yet from the administration about the urgency of providing additional bailout funds.

In appearances before congressional panels in May and June, Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady roughly doubled the administration's August 1989 estimate of the bailout cost from $50 billion to between $90 billion and $130 billion. He had said additional money would be needed by the end of December or early next year.

So far, the trust corporation has "resolved" the cases of 210 S&Ls, leaving roughly 250 insolvent thrifts open and under government control. At least an additional 250 institutions still under private ownership are expected to fail.

"We're two-sevenths of the way through," Monroe said.

Because money is scarce, officials will concentrate this quarter on closing the S&Ls that are losing money the fastest, he said.

In any case, officials will "never go back" to the type of deals done in 1988 by the now-dismantled Federal Home Loan Bank Board, Monroe said.

World

U.S. force requested in Liberia

WASHINGTON (AP) — The foreign minister of Liberia and other prominent Liberians say their president will soon resign and leave the country and asked for a temporary U.S. peacekeeping force in the war torn nation.

A State Department official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the department received the appeal and may respond in some way today.

Foreign Minister J. Rudolph Johnson, Washington Ambassador Eugenia Wordsworth-Stevenson and eight other Liberians wrote President Bush Thursday that they expect the "resignation and departure from Liberia" of President Samuel Doe "and the establishment of an interim government."

The letter proposed that "a limited U.S. force be provided, on the invitation of that interim government, to play an initial peacekeeping role" in the vicinity of Monrovia, the capital now under siege by rebel forces.

The appeal did not explain how the resignation and departure of Doe would be carried out. While agreeing not to seek re-election, the president has refused to leave the country and is sitting out the approach of rebel forces.

Troubled Persian waters calming

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — Kuwait has canceled a state of alert it declared in an oil dispute with Iraq, and it appeared the crisis was over, a Kuwaiti source said.

"It was all a summer cloud that has been blown away," the source said Thursday, speaking on condition of anonymity.

The alert followed Iraqi charges that Kuwait had stolen Iraqi oil worth $2.4 billion, and Iraqi threats of retaliation. Kuwait had appealed to other Arab states for support in the dispute with its much more powerful neighbor.

Despite the apparent easing of tensions, officials in Baghdad reported that thousands of Kuwaitis visiting Iraq were heading home. Iraqi dailies continued to accuse Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates of "usurping Iraq's rights."

Iraqi President Saddam Hussein on Thursday tightened his grip on power, winning support from his rubber-stamp parliament for a presidency for life.

The developments underscored simmering tensions in the Persian Gulf. The region includes about two-thirds of the world's proven oil reserves, so instability can pose a threat to the world's oil supply.

Explosion rocks stock exchange



STUDYING RUBBLE

LONDON (AP) — An explosion caused extensive damage at the London Stock Exchange today after a telephone warning about an Irish Republican Army bomb, police said. No injuries were reported.

The bomb, which tore a gaping hole in the building, was in a men's restroom, said George Churchill-Coleman, commander of Scotland Yard's anti-terrorist unit.

Hugh Moore, commander of the London police, said warnings were telephoned to his department, the exchange and to the Reuters news agency.

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Opinion

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

Herald opinion

Compensation due victims

The federal government grievously violated the public trust by concealing for 40 years dangerous releases of radioactivity at the Hanford, Wash., nuclear weapons plant and issuing false denials of any threat to public health. The secret emissions occurred between 1944 and 1947, when a wartime mentality prevailed. But decades later, the government continued to act with chilling arrogance.

It took a request under the federal Freedom of Information Act in 1986 to bring the radiation releases to light. The government has now acknowledged for the first time that one in 20 residents in parts of Washington and Oregon was exposed to enough radiation to cause serious illness. The admission stemmed from a study financed by the Department of Energy, which oversees the nation's weapons plants.

No other group of civilians in the world is known to have been exposed to as much radiation over such a long period of time. Thousands of Hanford-area residents are believed to have received doses of radiation comparable to those from the Soviet Union's crippled Chernobyl reactor and equivalent to 1,200 times the level of airborne contamination considered safe for civilians living around nuclear weapons plants.

Some defend the episode during and after World War II, when Hanford began to turn uranium into plutonium, as one of the prices of the Cold War at a time when scientists and engineers didn't comprehend the gravity of nuclear safety problems. But that doesn't excuse a 40-year cover-up of hazardous emissions that began with the Atomic Energy Commission and Hanford's operators. Nor is it justified by national security.

Today, nearly all the bomb production facilities at the Hanford nuclear reservation have been shut down. Secretary of Energy James Watkins says Hanford's future will be devoted to waste management and environmental restoration rather than production of fuel for nuclear warheads. Secretary Watkins deserves credit for being more open about skeletons in the nation's nuclear past than his predecessors.

More importantly, the government must do the right thing now. It should complete a comprehensive study of the health effects of the releases, which were believed to have posed the greatest threat to people now in their 40s who as infants drank locally produced milk. The milk was contaminated because the pasture grass on which the cows fed was polluted by radioactive iodine. If a link is established between the emissions and actual cases of cancer, thyroid illness and other diseases, the government must be prepared to provide medical help and compensation.

The writer's art

And sometimes there's the good stuff

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

One of the great comic scenes in Shakespeare is laid in the Boar's Head Tavern in "Henry IV, Part I." Falstaff has passed out. The young Prince Hal finds his tavern bill. He reacts as I often react to mail generated by this column: "O monstrous! But one half-penny worth of bread to this intolerable deal of sack!"

For the past eight years, ever since the column began, I have invited readers to send me examples of good writing as well as poor writing. Yet every week the mail brings mostly Horrid Examples. Mighty little Good Stuff comes in, but now and then a splendid line turns up.

In Florence King's new collection of essays, "Lump It or Leave It," she takes off on a book by singer Joan Baez. "She suffered from bouts of mysterious anxiety, which she describes in prose as clotted as raisins from the box." What a nice simile!

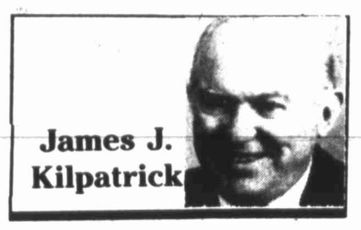
In the *Cleveland Plain Dealer* a couple of years ago, columnist Alfred Lubrano expressed his disdain for professional teetotalers. "They're as uptight as Nixon on a nude beach." Beautiful!

This next one has been languishing in the Good Stuff file for nearly four years. It comes from a nostalgic little essay by Paul Gruchow in *Minnesota Monthly*. He is recalling the riots of 30 years ago, when he toured the burned-out areas of great cities. "Something about the sight of boarded-up buildings powerfully focuses one's attention. It is like watching an undertaker close the lid of the casket." Ahhhha!

A good metaphor is hard to find, but B.J. Williams produced a dandy in the *Portland Oregonian's Northwest Magazine* three years ago. He was describing the metaphysical movement known as the New Age. It had then come back in the news. "A sort of intellectual Velcro dragged across history, it has picked up odd bits of philosophical lint from unlikely and often contradictory sources."

A reader sent in part of a poem from *The New Yorker*, "From a Journal of the Year of the Ox." I can't identify the poet, but in January of 1985 he or she saw "the Blue Ridge etched in smoke through the leaded panes of the oak trees." Because I lived for 25 years in the Blue Ridge Mountains, I can tell you confidently: That is exactly how one sees the mountains in winter.

It has been said that a pun is the lowest form of wit, but the complaint probably came from a dullard who was incapable of getting off a play on words. Boswell said that a "good pun" — note the qualification — may be admitted



James J. Kilpatrick

"among the smaller excellencies of lively conversation." Some splendid puns have come along.

In *The Indianapolis Star*, sportswriter Bob Collins had occasion to recall Coach Ron Meyer: "He was no more or less sanitary than any other coach in the Southwest Conference. He left SMU as a winner. And he was long gone before the Mustangs were tried and found wanton in the division of recruiting morality."

Another fine sportswriter, Shirley Povich of *The Washington Post*, produced a memorable description of boxer Larry Holmes in 1988. Holmes "only recently had been carrying 254 pounds, representing a vast waistland . . ."

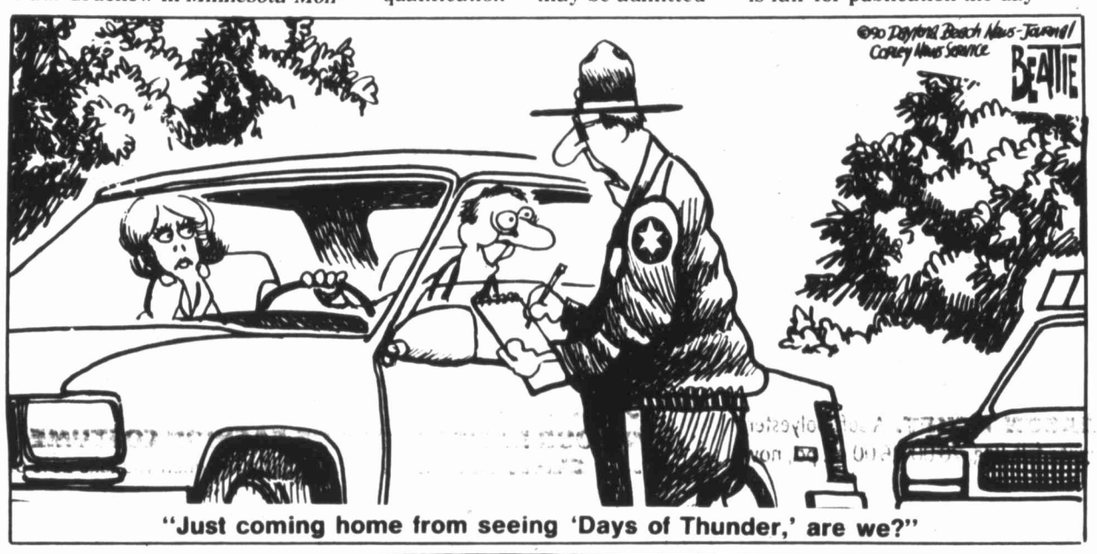
A couple of years ago, the *Portland Oregonian* editorially lamented the spate of kiss-and-tell books about the Reagan White House. Former chief of staff Donald Regan had just published his memoir. "The notion that all is fair for publication the day after an aide decamps surely must inhibit the free flow of debate and advice. . ."

The Associated Press provided a feature story in 1985 about a gregarious crow named Blacky. Most residents of Blacky's neighborhood liked the bird, "but two families made several complaints about him, saying their small children had been frightened by close encounters of the bird kind."

Jack Kroll, theater critic for *Newsweek* magazine, came up in May with a beautiful review of an inadequate production of "Hamlet" at the Public Theater in New York. The performance was intelligent, but the leading actor lacked something — not energy, exactly, and not youthful grace. Kroll speculated that to play the most multifarious role in world theater, an actor must take extraordinary steps to think, read, meet new people, challenge his preconceptions not just about theater but about life. He concluded: "You can't make a Hamlet without breaking eggs." Gazing upon that cracker, I sigh with envy.

Some of us in the writing game pray the Lord will inspire us to one good sentence a month. With that gorgeous pun, Kroll had his sentence of the year.

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"Just coming home from seeing 'Days of Thunder,' are we?"

Letters

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Times have changed since Washington did a hatchet job

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

Little Georgie Bush was 8 years old. His father walked into his bedroom with a stern look on his face.

"Son," he began, "I have a question to ask you, and I want you to tell the truth."

Little Georgia squirmed. He knew what the question was going to be.

"Did you," his father, Mr. Bush, began, "or did you *not* cut down my cherry tree."

Little Georgie's heart pounded. His mind raced.

Yeah, he'd cut down the stupid cherry tree. He'd gotten the new hatchet for his birthday, and he was looking for something to chop on and, well, the cherry tree was just sort of there.

But what should he do? Should he tell the truth and hope his father wouldn't punish him too severely, since he had acted like a man and owned up to his misdeeds.

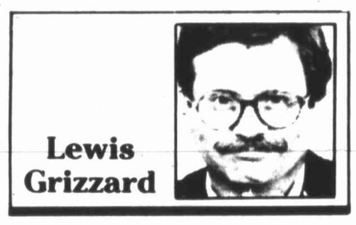
Or should he lie through his teeth?

His father had often said to him, "Son, one day, you may grow up be president of the United States."

If he were president, little Georgie reasoned, he would have to lie all the time.

"Might as well get in some practice," little Georgie said to himself.

Then, he looked up at his dad and lied, "No, sir, I did *not* cut down the cherry tree."



Lewis Grizzard

It had come out so easily. This lying thing wasn't all that difficult.

"One day, I'll make a great president," little Georgie was thinking.

But Mr. Bush wasn't convinced.

"Son," he said, "you wouldn't lie to me, would you?"

"Who, me?" little Georgie asked back.

His palms were sweating and he hoped his dad didn't notice that.

"Well, who do you think cut down my cherry tree?" Mr. Bush went on.

Little Georgie's creative juices began to flow. This had to be good.

"Maybe the doggie did it," he said. "Yeah, that's it. The doggie has really sharp teeth and he probably just chewed right through the cherry tree."

"But we don't have a doggie," said Mr. Bush.

"I should have thought of that," little Georgie said to himself, searching for another lie.

"Maybe it was a real estate developer," he blurted out. "Yeah, that's it. A real estate developer was driving down our street and saw the cherry tree and couldn't resist chopping it down. They'll probably start building condos in our front yard any day now."

"Georgie," Mr. Bush said, "it'll be at least 30 years before somebody comes up with the idea of condominiums. Didn't I give you a hatchet for your birthday?"

"Yes, you did, sir, but I lost it."

"You lost it?"

"Yes, sir. Or maybe it was stolen. Yeah, that's it. Somebody broke in my room and stole my hatchet."

"Then what's that in the chair?"

"My hatchet!" little Georgie exclaimed. "Can you believe somebody stole my hatchet and then brought it back?"

"No, son," answered Mr. Bush. "I can't. Now, let me ask you one more time — did you or did you *not* chop down my cherry tree?"

"Read my lips, sir," answered Little Georgie. "I did *not* chop down your cherry tree."

"Read mine," said Mr. Bush. "Bend over."

After the spanking, Mr. Bush asked his son, "Do you promise never to lie again?"

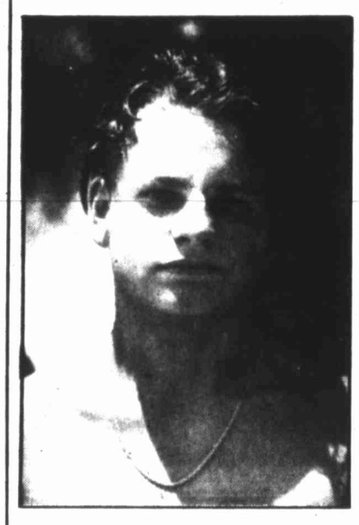
"Yes, sir," said a tearful little Georgie, hiding the crossed fingers of his right hand behind his back.

Despite his discomfort he could hear the strains of "Hail to the Chief" playing somewhere in the back of his mind.

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People poll

How do you feel about the closing of the municipal swimming pool?



It's not that good. They shouldn't close it down.

Jerry Jones
Swimmer



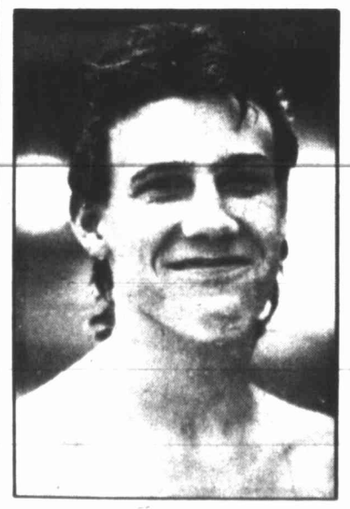
I don't like it. I like swimming.

Amanda Hale
Swimmer



It makes me sad. My kids really like coming here. It's nice entertainment and it's inexpensive.

Elaine Wallace
Parent



That's going to be pretty sorry, because when I'm at home and it's real hot, I like to come here and cool off in the cold waters.

Shane Rowland
Swimmer



I think it's bad because a lot of these kids don't have a place to go when it's hot.

Kim Young
Lifeguard



I don't think it's very good because everybody comes here and has fun, and you can't have fun at the 'Y'.

Ricky Rowland
Swimmer

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Lifestyle

Youth host Star Warz Softball Tournament

By BARBIE LELEK
Colorado City Correspondent

The youth group of Christian Temple Church hosted the first inaugural Star Warz Softball Tournament July 6-7.

Eleven teams entered the contest. Taking first place was SWAT of Colorado City, they took home a team trophy and individual black Star Warz T-shirts. Second place went to the Radicals of Colorado City; they will also enjoy a team trophy and individual red Star Warz T-shirts. The Rockers from Snyder took third and a team trophy and individual white Star Warz T-shirts. Fourth place went to the Mixed Breed of Big Spring, taking home a team trophy.

A sportsmanship trophy was awarded to the TU Electric team of Colorado City for their especially good attitude during the contest. Joe Silva, third baseman for the SWAT team, was honored with the Golden Glove trophy. The championship game is always exciting but this game had an extra flair, as it was brother against brother, twice! Edward Cannon and David Silva representing the Radicals were playing against their brothers on the SWAT team. Clayton Cannon and Joe Silva.

The youth and sponsors worked hard on the field, concession stands, announcing the games and keeping score each day. For their efforts they earned $600, which will be used for church activities and other needs. "We appreciate the support of the local and out of town teams which made this tournament a success," said Chip Hubbard, a church youth leader.

Star Warz was chosen as the name for the tournament after the weekly contemporary Christian music radio show, sponsored by Christian Temple.

Cheerleaders attend camp

The 1990-91 cheerleaders are already preparing to cheer the Wolves on to victory. They just attended the Universal Cheerleading Association Camp July 7-13 at Angelo State University. The girls attended several classes throughout the day beginning with a cheer class to learn new cheers. Everyone paired up to lean partner stunts.

Another cheer class came before a long lunch break, which gave the girls a chance to rest before the Pyramid class. New dance routines were learned during the "pom" class. A review of the days activities was followed by supper then an evaluation to see how each squad could use what they had learned. Ribbons and spirit sticks were awarded each evening.

Colorado City cheerleaders received two superior, and two excellent ribbons as well as receiving the spirit stick all four days. The 1990-91 cheerleaders are: Tammie Blair, head; Brenda Espinoza, Bea Rivera, Bridgett Bridgford, Susan Lentz, Tammy Lelek, Wendy Bradbury, Amber Mayfield and Sluefoot, Mindy Molina.

Youth return from Six Flags

The youth of the First United Methodist Church enjoyed a fun-filled two days at Six Flags and Wet 'n Wild. The vehicles were bursting at the seams as about 30 youth and sponsors traveled to enjoy the excitement.

Colorado City
by Barbie Lelek
Call 728-8051



Couples Night Out

July 14 was the date of the Christian Temple Couples Night Out. Everyone gathered to enjoy a "bring your own beef cookout." Steaks were cooked by "master chef" Gary Matlock on a huge barbecue pit that belongs to the Rev. Mat Matlock. The steaks were accompanied by a baked potato, Texas toast and salad.

Picnic in the park

The First Baptist Church Singles were recently attended a picnic and game in the park.

Church hosts VBS

The "Friendemension" is a "magical" place where anyone can go to learn how to be friends with others and learn about Jesus. The children that attended the VBS at Christian Temple July 9-13 had fun learning about friendship and Jesus. More than 90 children were enrolled with 25 five adults to teach and help.

The kids enjoyed a puppet show featuring "Scruffy" the dog every morning, as well as the stories, crafts and music that filled each day. Friday the children had a special treat with the arrival of the ice cream man, who gave each kid a snow cone. The junior class presented a play during commencement July 13. The younger classes also sang before receiving their diplomas.

Churches to host Vacation Bible Schoo

The Plainview Baptist and Oak Street Baptist Churches are each conducting Vacation Bible School July 23-27, from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m., for preschool children through sixth grade. The theme for Plainview VBS is "Share Hope." "Exploring the Bible" is the theme for VBS at Oak Street. For information on the Oak Street VBS, please call 728-2062. The Rev. Leon Green of Plainview Baptist will share a mission time each morning using his talents as a magician. For more information in the Plainview Baptist VBS, pleae call 728-2515.



The SWAT team of Colorado City poses for a picture after they took first place in the Star Warz Softball Tournament.

Photo places first at state competition

The color photograph, "Peeking Through," which earned Margie Williamson of Pecos the Best of Show Award in the fine arts competition at the Arts & Crafts Show at the Western District Convention, placed first in state competition.



MARGIE WILLIAMSON

Williamson was notified by Joan Abbey, chairman of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Arts and Crafts Division that two of her works of art have advanced to the national competition of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held in New York later this month.

Williamson entered three color photographs and three watercolor paintings in the state competition as a member of the GFWC Modern Study Club of Pecos, Western District of TFWC, the "Peeking Through" entry received an award of merit for Outstanding Achievement Certificate from the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

A trophy engraved with TFWC-1990 — 1st place — Natural History Photography was also presented to the artist for this win. The photograph received the best of show award in the photography competition at the Reeves County Fair in October.

A watercolor painting, titled "House of McCullough" gleaned Williamson a first place certificate in the GFWC Bright of America contest.

A trophy engraved with TFWC 1990, 1st place — Still Life — Arts was also received for this entry.

Second place rosette ribbons and Bright of America 1990 State Art Contest Winner Certificates were received by the artists, in fine arts, for two watercolor paintings. One titled, "Memories of Mama" won in floral category while the other, "Heavenly Dove" placed in the landscape category.

Williamson began painting 14 years ago after encouragement from Erma Leigh, an artist and former resident of Pecos.

The artist has had numerous best of show awards and several one-woman shows and exhibits. Williamson is a native Texan and 20-year resident of Pecos. She and her husband, Tommy, have four sons.

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Inside style

Woman celebrates 77th birthday

Stella Barnard celebrated her 77th birthday Sunday at a luncheon at Golden Corral.

Five generations of her family were on hand to help celebrate.

Mrs. Barnard was born July 15, 1913.

She has two children: Lillie Fryar, Big Spring; and H.G. Barnard, Ballinger; four grandchildren: Ricky Barnard, Brad Barnard, Kevin Fryar and Mike Fryar; two great-grandchildren: Laurie Fryar and Dexter Fryar; and one great-grandson: Jamie Fryar.

Couple honored at fiesta

Deanna Herm and Quade Weaver were honored Friday evening at a Mexican fiesta at the home of Mike and Barbara Hall.

Also hosting the event were Dan and Ann Wilkins, Richard and Jeanie Knocke, and Terry and Kay McDaniel.

A poolside dinner was served to 40 guests.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Herm, Ackerly.

The prospective bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weaver.

The couple will wed Aug. 3 at 14th & Main Church of Christ.

Colonial Dames host meeting

The Richard Hubbell Chapter of the Colonial Dames of the 17th Century met for lunch Tuesday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William Riley.

The Brady Bill, which requires a seven-day notice of purchase of a gun was discussed, also the merits of the Society of Citizens for a Debit Free America, who send money to the United States Treasury to chip away at the National Debit.

'Old dogs' fight for the same paper

Dear Abby



DEAR ABBY: My husband and I are both retired and have been married for nearly five years. It's the second marriage for both of us; our spouses died.

We both enjoy reading the morning newspaper at breakfast. He likes the sports section and I like the front section, so we each read our favorite section first.

When he gets through reading the sports section, he thinks I should hand over the front section whether I'm finished with it or not.

If I don't stop whatever I'm reading and hand over the paper, he becomes irate and pouts like a child — then he leaves the table in anger and doesn't speak a civil word to me for hours.

I've heard you can't teach an old dog new tricks — or am I the "old dog" who needs to be retrained? I told him I was going to write to you and he said, "Go ahead and write."

By the way, this is the only thing we've ever fought about. — TWO OLD DOGS

DEAR "DOGS": The solution is obvious: On the next gift-giving occasion — Christmas, his birthday, your anniversary, whichever comes first — buy him a subscription to this newspaper. This solution is also ideal for the spouses of scissor-happy folks who have the habit of clipping coupons, ads, puzzles, articles, columns, etc., out of the newspaper before other members of the family have had a chance to read it. It's cheaper than medication for high blood pressure or ulcers. Or a divorce.

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DEAR ABBY: This is in response to the letter written by the post office clerk who complained about employees who use their employer's postage meter for their personal correspondence. I think he's been licking too much stamp glue.

I work in a small office (15 people), and we all use the postage meter for our personal mail. However, right next to the meter there's a postage scale and a container in which to deposit the money for the stamps we've purchased. Yes, Abby, we pay for every postage stamp we use. We're on the honor system here, and in the five years I've been working in this office, there have been no complaints.

We also use the same system for the snacks for sale in the lunchroom. (No vending machines. We go to the supermarket and buy them.) If anything, our money box usually comes out ahead.

This may not be typical of all offices, but that's the way we do it here. You may use my name. — KIRSTEN IN LANSDALE, PA.

DEAR KIRSTEN: Many others wrote to protest the accusation that all employees who use their employers' postage meter for their personal mail are penny-ante thieves.

Readers can write to Abby at P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.

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Endangered plants find home

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hundreds of the world's endangered plants, from tiny Indonesian orchids to the giant saguaro cactus of Arizona, have found a home in a cluster of government-run greenhouses where they are nursed back from the brink of extinction.

"We keep the Noah's Ark of the plant world," said Rob Pennington, superintendent of collections at the U.S. Botanic Garden's 20-acre Poplar Point Nursery in southeast Washington.

Among the 25,000 plants that flourish in the nursery's two dozen greenhouses on the Anacostia River banks are about 3,000 rare and exotic specimens seized by customs officials at U.S. ports of entry.

The plants were removed from import shipments that violated the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species, a multinational accord that forbids trafficking in a long list of endangered plants and animals without strict certification.

Diseased plants are destroyed immediately. The others are sent to 15 government "plant rescue stations" around the country, including Poplar Point, where they are nurtured and bred for scientific study and display at botanical gardens.

The Botanic Garden, established by Congress in 1821, also grows plants at Poplar Point to landscape the Capitol and adjacent federal buildings and for seasonal floral displays at its conservatory, a formal greenhouse on the Mall at the foot of Capitol Hill.

There are no man-eating plants in Pennington's collections, but there are extremely rare specimens of Encephalaratos lehmannii cyads from the desert region of Africa. These primitive, palm-like plants survived the dinosaur era because of their toxic trunk and roots. For centuries, they have poisoned human beings who beat the pulp into bread flour.

Poplar Point also acquired hundreds of Javánicum Tortipelatum, a small, endangered orchid from Indonesia, from a grower's shipment that was confiscated in Los Angeles. They had spent six weeks in boxes without light or water. Pennington said it's a miracle that many managed to survive.

Domestically, the greenhouse is the last refuge of a "sneeze weed" that the state of Virginia spent 30 years trying to eradicate. Also here is the insect-gobbling Saracenia Oreophila plant, now nearly extinct in its natural habitat along the Carolina and Gulf Coast shores.

Poplar Point also is salvaging a majestic saguaro cactus of Arizona, once commonplace as a travel poster symbol of the arid Southwest until it was nearly bulldozed into oblivion by land developers.

Pennington delights visiting school children with tales about his Pittosporum boninensis, a nondescript shrub that's nearly extinct on its native island of Chichi Jima in the Pacific Ocean. A cannibal supposedly lived there at one time.

Chichi Jima became a footnote in the history books when George Bush, a young Navy pilot who later became president, ditched his crippled plane a few miles offshore after a bombing run against Japanese forces in World War II.

"I tell the kids that the cannibal used to hide in this shrubbery waiting to eat downed pilots, and that George Bush escaped with his life," Pennington said with a laugh. "When you have a plant this plain and ugly, you have to think of something to tell them."

Pennington, 36, a horticulturist trained in plant pathology, said the biggest threat to the world's tropical plants comes from runaway population growth. More and more people means destruction of forests and vast amounts of foliage for food, housing and commercial development.

"These plants are endangered because they no longer have a home when their environment is removed," he said. "We provide a home for wayward plants, you might say."



Associated Press photo

WASHINGTON — Rob Pennington, superintendent of collections at the U.S. Botanic Garden's Poplar Point Nursery, holds a rare plant at the U.S. Botanic Gardens in Washington Wednesday. Hundreds of the world's endangered plants, from tiny Indonesian orchids to the giant seguaro cactus of Arizona, have found a home in a cluster of government-run greenhouses where they are nursed back from the brink of extinction.

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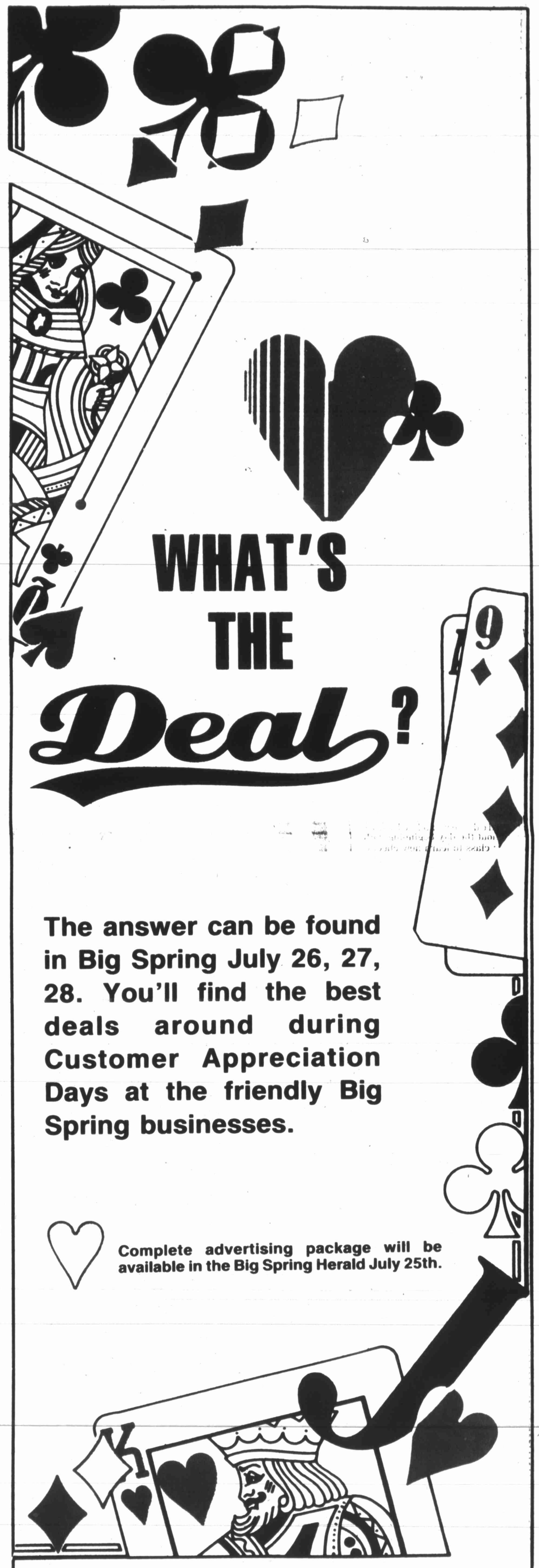
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- Legal Aid will be available at the Northside Community Center from 1 to 4 p.m.
- Big Spring Community Theatre will present "Calamity on the Colorado" at 8 p.m. at the Commanche Trail Amphitheatre.

SATURDAY

- There will be a replacement blood drive for Jerry Avery from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at First Christian Church, 10th and Goliad streets.
- Big Spring Humane Society will have a tick dip at the First National Bank parking lot, Fifth and Main streets, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Big Spring Community Theatre will present "Calamity on the Colorado" at 8 p.m. at the Commanche Trail Amphitheatre.

College

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improving the situation," Sparks said.

She added that as a result of the survey Riley has defined six areas he will work to improve: the communication process; organizational perceptions and misperceptions; policy concerns; job security; off-campus programs; and administrative style and intent.

The statistical results of the survey showed the following in each area by percentage: repressive, 64 yes, 36 no; intimidation, 62 yes, 36 no and 2 inconclusive; suspicion, 60 yes, 36 no, 4 inconclusive; fear: 60 yes, 40 no; punitive 53 yes, 43 no and 4 inconclusive; adversarial: 58 yes and 42 no; lack of trust: 68 yes and 32 no; loss of credibility: 66 yes and 34 no; low morale: 75 yes, 25 no.

Sparks said Riley recently called a meeting of the faculty to seek their input about ways the negative conditions could be improved.

"Dr. Riley told faculty members who attended the meeting that he is serious about making improvements and wants them to make suggestions that will correct the situation," she said.

Sparks said she believes a change in the faculty load policy — which began last spring — is primarily responsible for the negative feelings expressed by faculty members.

"There hadn't been a change in the load policy since 1978," she said. "I think that started it (discontent) and that the load policy was the primary issue, however, there were a number of spinoff issues that followed."

Although a memorandum issued by Riley to faculty members stating that they could be prosecuted for divulging information related to the survey may have seemed threatening, Sparks said the intent was to follow the letter of the law.

She said his intent was to protect those named in specific examples of negative behavior because they involve personnel. Sparks said it was not Riley's intent to restrict the statistical information of the survey, although he twice declined to share that material with a Herald reporter.

"Dr. Riley sought and received two legal opinions about releasing information to the public about personnel matters and was 'highly advised' to make the faculty aware of possible violations of the Open Records Act," Sparks said.

She added that it is unlikely many faculty members were aware of the ramifications related to violating the act.

"The intent of the memorandum was to protect the faculty," Sparks advised.

Riley will meet with members of all the departments Aug. 24 when he releases his "President's Plan," a yearly report on the outlook for the coming year, Sparks said.

Input received from all parties affiliated with Howard College will play a prominent role in Riley's annual report, according to Sparks.

"The process to improve these designated areas will be a continuing thing throughout the year," she said.

Oil/markets

August crude oil $19.40, up 41, October cotton futures 77.20 cents a pound, down 30; cash hog $2.00 lower at 62.50; slaughter steers steady at 76 cents even; July live hog futures 63.90, up 33; August live cattle futures 76.10, down 5 at 11:06 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

Noon quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co., 219 Main St., Big Spring, were not available at press time.

For the record

Thursday's *Herald* reported that the Convention and Visitor's Bureau was allotted $18,000 in the proposed 1990-91 city budget. The correct figure is $78,000.

Judicial candidate wants less activism by judges

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Thomas Phillips said Thursday that the biggest issue in his re-election campaign is whether judges should interpret the law or make it. He said he would like to see some judicial election reforms.



THOMAS PHILLIPS

"It is never permissable to rely on your own personal convictions (while judging a case)," the Republican candidate told up to 30 people who attended an afternoon press conference at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce offices. "The judges should not be partisan," he said.

A desire of some politicians and lawyers to have more "judicial activism" on the court, as well as judges using their position to apply their political views to enact their own social agenda, is misguided," he said. "It always eventually ends up being discredited.

"Are we going to have judges that interpret the law or invent it?" It is the job of the court to apply those laws that come to the court as individual cases."

Judges are not legislators, he said. He referred to his Democratic opponent in the Nov. 6 general election, former Dallas County state legislator and current Texas Supreme Court Justice Oscar Mauzy, as having such a conflict of interest.

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"Justice Mauzy, my opponent has an 'L' word problem," he said. "That's Legislature."

Other issues in the campaign include limiting campaign contributions and assuring equal access to the court regardless of financial status, Phillips said.

Referring to controversial campaign contributions to Supreme Court justice candidates in the mid 1980s of $25,000 to $100,000, including donations from lawyers with cases pending on the court, he said a change was needed at the time he was appointed by Gov. Bill Clements in 1988 to fill an unexpired term as chief justice. He decided to limit his campaign contributions during his bid for election that year.

"We needed a different standard. That's why all the candidates that won last year agreed to limit their contributions," he said. "Hopefully they will do that this year."

He said he has limited campaign contributions to $5,000 and under and estimates that so far this year there are 5,000 contributors of which 3,000 or non-lawyers.

He said he would like to see reforms passed into law to limit campaign contributions for judicial races.

Although he does not consider contributions of $25,000 to $100,000 to be "intrinsically damaging" to legislative races, since they run on a platform promising specific political goals, he said, "Judges are different. We run only to be umpires, only to be referees."

Other judicial reforms that he would like to see enacted into law include having only one open election when a position is vacated or when an appointment has been made, having non-partisan (party) elections and having shorter campaign periods. Once elected to office, judges should run without opponents in yes-no retention elections, he said.

"I vote yes to that," interceded Rep. Troy Fraser, R-Big Spring, who was one of several locally elected Republican officials at the conference.

Concerning access to the court, Phillips says that the court should help by simplifying procedural rules, strengthening ethical standards and encouraging alternative means of dispute resolution.

"Today, the inordinate delays in the judicial system and the high costs of even simple legal services keep many Texans from pursuing and receiving the legal rights to which they are entitled," he said. "Our court must see that all Texans have equal access to justice."

Phillips predicted that the court will see an increase of cases in the future. Some will shift down from the federal level and will involve flag burning and right-to-die cases, he said. Cases will also involve more technological and biological issues. Even child support cases will probably increase, he said.

"The courts are going to have their hands full," he said. "It's going to be an exciting time to participate."

He did not offer an opinion on the new school finance reforms, passed by the Legislature in June following a Texas Supreme Court ruling in October that declared the present finance system to be unfair to poorer school districts. A state district judge in Austin is now hearing arguments on whether the reforms are fair to poorer school districts.

"Whether it'll come directly to our court or not I don't know," he said of the new legislation's fate. "(The state judge) can do anything he wants to. Of course, I'm staying out of the politics."

Phillips, 40, is a native of Dallas where he graduated from high school in 1968. He graduated from Baylor University in 1971 and received his law degree from Harvard Law School in 1974.

He worked as a briefing attorney for the Texas Supreme Court and as a trial attorney with the Houston offices of Baker & Botts for six years.

In 1981, he was appointed by Clements as judge of the newly-created 280th District Court in Harris Couny. He ran unopposed for election and re-election in 1982 and 1986 as a Republican.

In 1988, he defeated Ted Z. Robertson for chief justice. In the Republican primary this year, he defeated San Antonio attorney Daniel R. Rutherford, 458,224 to 169,607.

Mauzy ran unopposed for the Democratic nomination this year.

OSHA investigating accident

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

MIDLAND — Occupational Safety Health Administration officers are investigating Wednesday's suffocation death of a Big Spring man caused when a ditch collapsed on him, officials confirmed.

The telephone line ditch, about 10-foot deep, probably should have been shored or supported with plywood and jacks, according to information supplied by an OSHA compliance officer with the Austin office. One witness who was at the work site as the body of Solomon Zepeda, 57, was being uncovered said he did not notice any supports or sloping of the ditch.

Required supports for ditches usually begins at about five feet, said the compliance officer in Austin. "It's according to the type of soil," he said. "Normally if it's a hard type soil, it's five feet. It would be less for softer dirt, he said.

"It doesn't neccessary need to be shored, it can be cut back, sloped or you can use trench jacks or shoring," he said of various requirements. Companies can determine which requirements apply by taking soil samples, he said.

Midland Emergency Medical Service Chief Ray Sprague, who was at the scene, estimated that the ditch was about 10 feet deep. "Probably roughly 10 feet," he said. "That's just a guess."

He said he did not notice any support or angling of the ditch. "If there was, I didn't see it," he said.

Commenting on the dirt, he said, "I don't know what kind of dirt it was, not being a geologist. It was just gunky stuff." He said it was damp due to recent rains and stuck to his boots.

Meanwhile, an OSHA official with the Lubbock office said they are investigating a trench accident in Midland to try to determine what caused it but he would not release any details.

However, he did say that unshored ditches are usually the problem when a ditch caves in. "Most of the time when a trench does go in, that's the reason, it's just not shored," he said.

Midland Deputy Police Chief John Smith confirmed this morning that two OSHA officers have been to their office to get information on the Zepeda incident.

Officials with the company that Zepeda was working for, Cline Construction and Paving of Big Spring, are not talking on advice from their insurance agent, a company employee said. The company is laying telephone cable for Southwestern Bell in the northeast section of Midland, Midland police said.

Zepeda was cleaning dirt out of a ditch in the 3700 block of Lamesa Drive when the ditch collapsed about 3:50 p.m., witnesses told police. He was buried for more than 45 minutes before rescuers could get to him, said Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe.

Jobe determined that the cause of death was suffocation which occured while Zepeda was still buried and ruled it an accident. Massive head injuries caused by a backhoe in the rescue attempt occured after he was already dead, he said.

Accident

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press time pending an investigation of the accident. The report cited as contributing factors the driver had been drinking and failure to maintain a single lane. Possible factors contributing to the accident were failure to control speed and faulty evasive action, the report said.

In an unrelated incident, police are investigating a possible aggravated assault with a motor vehicle. Leubner said a woman reported she was struck by a car in the 200 block of Circle at 8:30 p.m. Thursday.

The 34-year-old victim, who was treated for bruises and cuts at SMMC and released, reported she was intentionally struck by the car, Leubner said. However, witnesses have told police that the victim jumped in front of the car, he said.

Leubner said police originally were called to the scene because a fight had been reported. When they arrived, the victim claimed she had been run over after trying to break up the fight, he said.

"We've contacted the alleged defendent and taken a statement," Leubner said. The investigation will continue as additional statements will be taken from witnesses and the complainant, he said.

No one has been arrested or charged in the case, he said.

Budget

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cil issues bonds, it must increase taxes correspondingly. No extra taxes were levied when bonds were issued in 1983 and 1984, according to the city secretary, and the money for debt service has been taken from the city's operating budget.

Decell said the city has 180 miles of street that are rapidly deteriorating. The $100,000 is needed to seal coat some streets before they deteriorate further. Other streets need to be reconstructed, he said, but they can't be rebuilt if water lines beneath them need to be replaced.

However, Councilman Corky Harris told the council it will be useless to approve spending money if the city doesn't have at least a three-year plan in place. He said the city should consider a detailed study to determine exactly what needs to be done each year and how much it will cost.

"I really have a problem spending $100,000 if it's $300,000 too shy," Harris said. "I think it's just as wrong to approve too much as too little.

"It's time we start thinking more than this year. It's not the monetary amount I'm concerned about, it's our overall plan. Right now we're paying for not planning in the long term."

During last year's budget planning, the council said it would come up with a long-term plan sometime before the 1990-91 budget process but didn't.

As part of public works, Decell also asked the council for items totaling $108,000, including an overhaul of the landfill baler, and items for the parks department and the lake, such as pickup trucks.

On Wednesday night, Personnel Director Emma Bogard requested a cost of living salary increase of at least 3 percent for all employees. Boyd added his plea Thursday night, pointing out again that employees have not received a cost-of-living raise since 1986.

Bogard presented three options to the council: a 3 percent increase, a 4 percent increase, and a 5 percent increase. The cost of living raise would cost the city from $181,000 for the lowest increase, to $301,000 for the 5 percent increase, she said.

"We of course would like to see a cost of living implemented every year of some percentage just to help employees maintain," she said.

Fire Chief Frank Anderson made requests totaling $200,000, including $150,000 for a new fire engine. Anderson said two of the department's four fire trucks are 25 years old. The city will not meet insurance requirements when they reach the age of 30, he said.

Anderson also asked for several hoses, fire fighting suits, and a $7,000 roof for fire station three.

Decell requested the council's approval of unfinanced needs in the utility fund totaling more than $1 million. He said the water treatment plant is reaching production capacity and needs a $900,000 expansion. He also asked for a dump truck, transmission lines and fire hydrants.

Sanitarian James Luck made an emotional plea for increased funding. Luck said the city owes the health department more of the monies collected from immunizations. He said the department desperately needs a computer, as well as maintenance performed on the health department building, and asked for $21,000.

Boyd asked the council for $200,000 from airpark funds to pay for seal coating two runways, as well as to purchase four mowers and a maintainer.

During Wednesday's work session, Police Chief Joe Cook requested $205,000 to fund equipment purchases in the police, animal control, burglary and theft, and resource officer departments. Items requested included 15 patrol cars, 25 mobile radios and 14 portable radios, as well as a computer and a body transmitter.

In that sesison, other requests were:

- City Secretary Tom Ferguson asked for a $3,000 personal computer for the finance department because staff members currently share one.
- Ferguson also requested a $3,200 word processor and a $30,000 forklift for the warehouse.
- Bogard requested $16,650 for a safety incentive program that could help reduce the city's insurance and workmen's comp costs. She also asked for $4,000 for a "wellness" program. Bogard asked the city to pay for a 16-week fitness program at Howard College for interested city employees.

Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:

- James Everette Roberts, 21, of Glasscock County, was arrested Thursday and charged with theft of a yearling calf and goat. He was released to a Glasscock County sheriff's deputy after posting two $5,000 bonds.
- Travis Clint Hull, 17, County Road 61, was also arrested Thursday and charged with theft of a yearling calf and goat. He was released to a Glasscock County sheriff's deputy after posting two bonds of $5,000.
- Belinda Murphee, 26, of Ackerly, was arrested Thursday on theft between $200 and $750. A bond was set for $1,000.
- Ruben Holquin Villa, 43, of Odessa, was found guilty in county court on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He was fined $600.
- Almus Henry Hill, 47, 200 N.W. Second, was found guilty by an 118th District Court jury on a charge of possession of under 28 grams of cocaine. He was sentenced to five years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and transferred to Huntsville Thursday.
- Albert F. Carrasco, 31, 1616 Mesquite, pleaded guilty in District Court to felony possession of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to five years in the TDCJ, given 35 days credit and transferred Thursday.
- Andrew Burrola Marquez, 30, 610 N.W. Eighth, pleaded guilty in District Court to possession of a controlled substance. He was sentenced to five years in the TDCJ, given 64 days credit and transferred Thursday.
- Randy Ray Young, 28, of Brownfield, charged with aggravated sexual assault and parole violation, was transferred to the TDJC Thursday.

Deaths

Solomon Zepeda Sr.

Solomon (Sol) Zepeda Sr., 56, Big Spring, died Wednesday, July 18, 1990, in Midland.



SOLOMON ZEPEDA

Rosary will be at 8 p.m. tonight at the Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Services will be Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. James Delaney, pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, officiating under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born Dec. 16, 1933, in China. He came to San Diego, Calif. at age 16 from China. He married Nina Leal, June 26, 1984, in Las Vegas, Nev. He had moved to Big Spring from Las Vegas, where he had lived for the past 10 years. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He was a veteran of U.S. Marines, having served in the Korean War. He received the Purple Heart twice. He was an employee of Cline Construction Company for the past six years.

Survivors include his wife, Nina, Big Spring; one son, Solomon Zepeda Jr., Las Vegas, Nev.; two stepsons: Jeff Leal, Big Spring; Donny Watson, Las Vegas, Nev.; two stepdaughters: Lisa Leal, Washington, D.C.; Shelly Zepeda, Las Vegas, Nev.; two grandchildren.

Pallbearers include Ruby DeLeon, Robert Munoz, Willie Hernandez, Junior Gutierrez, Pat Huffman, and E.J. Self.

Eligio Alcantar Sr.

Eligio (Lico) Alcantar Sr., 56, Big Spring, died Thursday, July 19, 1990, at a local hospital. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home and Chapel.

Pansy Joe Myrick

Pansy Joe Myrick, 60, Big Spring, died Thursday, July 19, 1990, in a local hospital. Services are pending at Nalley—Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Robert Anderson

Robert (Bob) Anderson, 73, Big Spring, died Wednesday, July 18, 1990, at his home.

Rosary was 7 p.m. Thursday in the Nalley—Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be 4 p.m. this afternoon at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Dwyer officiating. Burial will be in the Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley—Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He was born April 25, 1917, in Big Spring. He married Conception Cortez, March 31, 1937, in El Paso. He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. He had been a member of Knights of Columbus. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and had served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring. He worked in the warehouse department of Cosden Oil & Chemical for 30 years, retiring in 1981.

Survivors include his wife, Conception (Helen) Anderson, Big Spring; one daughter, Wanda Anderson, Big Spring; three brothers: Ben Anderson, Tyler; Alfred Floyd Anderson and Clovis Anderson, both of Big Spring; one niece and two nephews.

Pallbearers will be T. D. Smith, Rosendo Santellon, Oscar Zertuche, Jack Gilbert, George Hudson, and Bob Reinert.

The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association.

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Pansy Joe Myrick, 60, died Thursday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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Moss Lake site for boat races

Moss Creek Lake will be the site for the inaugural edition of the West Texas Drag Boat Races and LakeFest Aug. 4-5.

Drag boat racers in 17 professional categories will compete for a total purse of $6,000, according to event organizer Robbie Sanders himself a professional drag boat racer.

There will also be an amatuer division open to "just about anybody who has a lake boat," Sanders said.

The event, sanctioned by the Southern Drag Boat Association, will feature boats that can reach speeds in excess of 200 mph, Sanders said.

Time trials begin Saturday at 10:30 a.m., with elimination heats beginning at 1 p.m. Sunday. Admission is $6 on Saturday and $8 on Sunday.

In addition to the racing, there will also be exhibitions in parachute jumping and barefoot waterskiing, as well as displays by antique car clubs and model airplane clubs.

Lady Steer boosters seeking members

The Lady Steers Booster Club is starting its membership drive to recruit members for the newly formed club. The club will sponsor female athletes from Goliad Middle School to high school.

For more information call Myrna Russell at 267-1067 or Deanie Burdette at 263-2079.

YMCA volleyball twice weekly

For volleyball lovers, the Big Spring YMCA is offering California Beach and indoor recreational volleyball on Tuesday and Thursdays from 7-8:30 p.m.

There is no charge for YMCA members, and $1 for non-members.

Softball tourney set in Snyder

SNYDER — The Snyder Iron and Metal Men's Slow-pitch Softball Tournament will be July 27-29 at Winston Field loacted on 37th St.

Entry fee is $100 per team. The first five finishers will receive team trophies, and the first three finishers will also receive individual trophies. There will also be awards for all-tourney, MVP and team sportsmanship. For more information call Chris Maxfield at 573-6862 (day) or at 573-5373 or 573-4332 (night).

Horse show set for Saturday

The Howard County Youth Horseman Club will have an all-breed horse show Saturday at 9 a.m. at the HCYHC arena located on the Garden City highway.

There will be 23 open classes, 12 youth classes and 14 performance classes.

There will be a barbecue beef dinner at noon. The public is invited and there is no charge. For more information call Kenneth Williams at 263-6458.

Cleveland State fires coach

Cleveland State University fired coach Kevin Mackey two days after he admitted to a cocaine and alcohol problem.

Mackey was arrested Friday night as he drove away from a reputed drug house. A urine test showed he had .20 of a gram of alcohol per 100 milliliters of urine, above the legal limit of 0.14. The test also showed some cocaine in his system.

At a news conference Tuesday, Mackey called his problems with drugs and drinking a "descent into hell."

Bengals sign Baylor linebacker

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Bengals signed former Baylor linebacker James Francis, the 12th player selected in the NFL draft, to a five-year contract. Financial terms were not disclosed.

Oilers trying to satisfy quarterback

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oilers general manager Mike Holovak says it may be Christmas before backup quarterback Cody Carlson is signed.

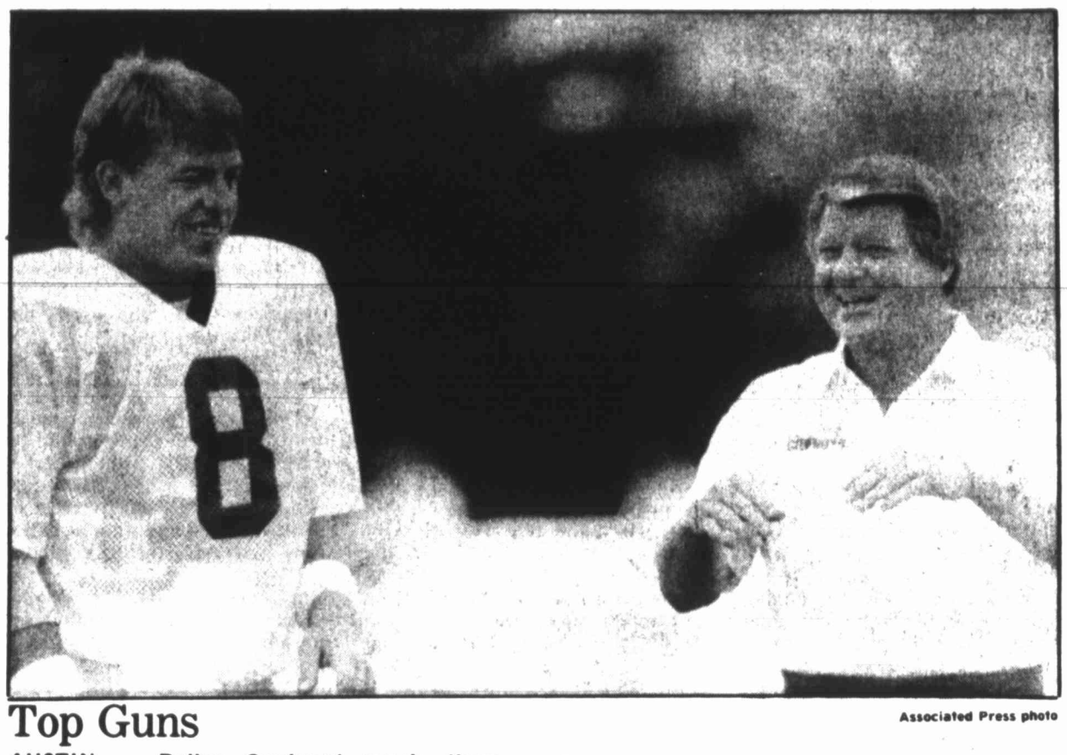
"I don't give it a chance right now because of the money, no way until they come down to my level," Holovak said.

The Houston Post reported Thursday the two sides are believed to be more than $200,000 per year apart.

The Oilers reportedly have offered a package worth $300,000 per year. Carlson earned $185,000 in 1989, the final year of a three-year contract.

Carlson, the Oilers' third round pick in 1987, is facing his fourth season as backup behind Warren Moon. Carlson did not see action as a rookie and got his most extensive playing time in 1988 when he started five games for Moon,

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Associated Press photo

Top Guns

AUSTIN — Dallas Cowboys' coach Jimmy Johnson laughs with starting quarterback Troy Aikman on the first day of practice at St. Edward's University campus. Johnson moved the Cowboys training camp to Texas for hotter weather; however rain and cloud cover kept temperatures hovering around the low 80's.

Pokes coach ready for fresh start

AUSTIN (AP) — Jimmy Johnson is happy again, even though it's rained every day since he arrived for training camp.

His life is winning football games. He hasn't won many lately.

But the Dallas Cowboys' first training camp practice this year has helped him put aside the 1-15 disaster of 1989. It's a fresh start for Johnson after the worst experience of his coaching career.

"It's good to be on the field again, focused on a new season," Johnson said. "I can handle the rain. That doesn't hurt."

Last season did. A lot.

"We made some mistakes," Johnson said. "We didn't know the talent base was that bad. It wasn't fun. I haven't hurt as much in my life. It was as difficult a year as I've ever had in my life."

Johnson's professional problems weren't helped by his personal problems. He and his wife, Linda Kay,

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Stewart early second round leader

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland (AP) — Payne Stewart carried the colors of one of pro football's oldest teams to the top of the second-round scoreboard at golf's oldest tournament today.

Dressed in the green and yellow of the Green Bay Packers, the PGA champion took the clubhouse lead by one stroke early in the second day of the British Open.

Stewart shot a 4-under-par 68 to complete 36 holes in 8-under 136, a shot better than surprising Englishman James Spence.

Spence, playing in the Open for the first time, was the first player out on the Old Course and had an eight-birdie, one-bogey round of 65, the lowest of the tournament so far, for a 7-under 137.

Spence was one stroke ahead of Jose-Maria Olazabal of Spain, who had a five-birdie round of 67, and two Americans, Jodie Mudd and Peter Jacobsen.

Mudd had an eight-birdie, two-bogey round of 66, while Jacobsen, who made a run at the lead Thursday, clipped two strokes off par for the 36 holes with a round of 70.

Other early finishers included three-time winner Jack Nicklaus, 3-under for the tournament after a second-round 70, and Arnold Palmer, in at even-par 144 after a 1-under round of 71 in what he says will be is last Open.

On the course at 5-under were Scotsman Sam Torrance and Englishman Malcolm MacKenzie.

Michael Allen of the United States and Greg Norman of Australia, the overnight leaders with 6-under 66s, were among the last golfers due to start their second rounds on a cloudy and cool day at the Old Course.

Conditions were much different from the balmy sunshine of Thursday, but scores continued to plummet. The winds off St. Andrews Bay were light and the home of golf was being attacked, with Stewart doing the best of the early damage.

Stewart's trademark plus-fours come in all the NFL teams colors. Friday it was the Packers' turn, and the 33-year-old showed linebacker-like power over the Old Course.

He birdied the first hole with a wedge to two feet of the flag, got a birdie-4 at the fifth and another birdie-3 at the sixth, where he dropped a 20-foot putt, and added two birdies on the back nine — with a six-foot putt for 2 at No. 11 and a 10-foot putt for 4 at No. 14 around his lone bogey, a 5 at the 12, where he landed in a bunker for the first time in the tournament.

Stewart, with a history of strong play at the Open, said that was the secret to playing the Old Course and one reason he was sure he could add the British championship to his PGA title.

For about an hour on the increasingly chilly day, Spence was the improbable leader. He was playing, he said, for his father, James, who suffered a massive heart attack at home in south England Christmas Day.

His father is fully recovered and, in fact, was playing golf this week. But Spence said he was a bit worried about the impact his leading the Open might have on his dad.

Spence has only one top-10 finish on the European PGA Tour this year and missed the cut in the four

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Associated Press photo

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland — American Payne Stewart pictured on the first green during the second day of the British Open Championship Friday. Stewart took the early second round lead.

LeMond in position to ride to Tour title

LIMOGES, France (AP) — The Tour de France winds down to its final weekend with a familiar scenario: Greg LeMond needing a top performance in a time trial to take the yellow jersey.

So what else is new?

Last year it was Laurent Fignon. In 1986 it was Bernard Hinault. Both failed to stop LeMond from wearing the yellow jersey on the Champs Elysees after the race ends.

Now it's Claudio Chiappucci's turn to try to take the shirt off LeMond's back.

Five seconds separate Chiappucci and LeMond as the American has methodically closed the 10-minute gap that the Italian gained in the first stage.

Another flat stage of 113.5 miles from Castillon la Bataille today brings the riders near Limoges. Saturday's 20th stage is the time trial in Lac Vassiviere.

Nearly three weeks and 1,900 miles ago, Chiappucci was part of a four-rider breakaway that effectively gave them a 10-minute head start.

One-by-one they had their time in the spotlight — and one-by-one they were caught. Now it's Chiappucci's turn, as LeMond closed to within five seconds with superior performances in the mountains.

LeMond has been pointing to Lac Vassiviere for the chance to overtake the Italian. On the final day last year, LeMond wiped out a 50-second gap on Fignon on a course about half as long as Saturday's 28.5-mile circuit.

LeMond was unavailable for comment Friday as he cut himself off from the hordes of fans, followers, journalists and others who have been pressing him.

However, another former champion, Stephen Roche of Ireland, doesn't count out Chiappucci. Roche won in 1987 but has battled injuries since.



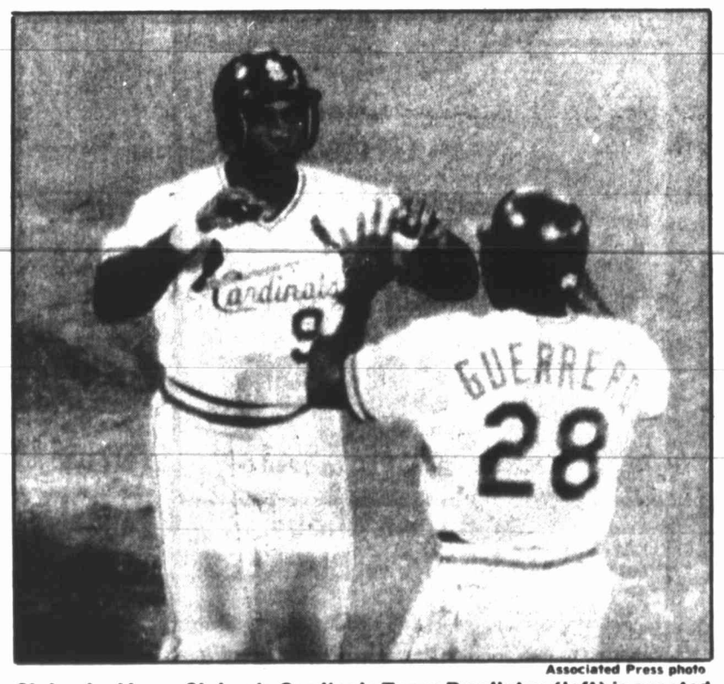
PAU, France — Soviet Union's Dimitri Konyshev reacts as he wins the 17th stage of the Tour de France Classic in Southwestern France Wednesday.

"It is not going to be easy for LeMond because Chiappucci is in great shape," Rcohe said. "Even depending on what happens Saturday, I don't think LeMond will sleep very good. I know Chiappucci and when he wants somethings he doesn't let up so easily."

Neither does LeMond when he wants the Tour de France title, the only one that really counts for him.

Publicity demands and his inability to say no to requests cost LeMond training time over the winter. Many questioned whether the two-time Tour de France and world champion would be ready in time. But that was then and this is the Tour de France.

The return to the lake outside Limoges in central France should bring back pleasant memories for LeMond. He won his first stage of a Tour de France in 1985.



Associated Press photo

St. Louis, Mo. — St. Louis Cardinals Terry Pendleton (left) is greeted at the plate by teammate Pedro Guerrero, following Pendleton's two-run homer that scored Guerrero in the third inning of the Cardinals-San Diego Padres game at Busch Stadium Thursday night. The Cardinals defeated the Padres by an 8-3 score.

Astros win in extra innings

By The Associated Press

The Montreal Expos' late-inning thunder was no match for the Houston Astros' extra-inning lightning.

The Expos forced extra innings for the second consecutive game with a late-inning home run, but for the second consecutive night they lost in the 11th inning.

Ken Caminiti's RBI single in the 11th lifted Houston to a 4-3 victory over Montreal on Thursday night, giving the Astros a 7-0 record in extra-inning games at home this year.

Franklin Stubbs led off Houston's 11th with a single off Bill Sampen (7-2). Stubbs then stole second and came home when Caminiti, who rescued the Astros with a diving catch in the top of the inning, followed with a single down the right-field line.

Houston led 3-1 in the eighth when Otis Nixon got an infield hit with one out off reliever Juan Agosto. With two outs, Agosto was replaced by Dave Smith, and Tim Wallach drove the first pitch over the left-field fence to tie the game.

Larry Andersen (5-2) picked up the victory, the 16th in the last 21 home games for the Astros. Overall, however, they have lost 18 of their last 30 and are 11-33 on the road.

Andersen pitched two innings of relief after starter Jim Deshaies — winless since June 27 — gave up three hits and one run in seven innings.

Mets 6, Braves 2

New York won for the 16th time in 18 home games, defeating Atlanta as David Cone, 1-4 on June 4, won his sixth straight decision and reached double figures in strikeouts for the fourth straight game.

Cone (7-4) allowed six hits, struck out 11 and walked three in 7 2-3 innings. He raised his season strikeout total to 117, third in the National League, and has 60 strikeouts over the last 54 innings.

Gregg Jeffries had a pair of RBI doubles and Kevin Elster singled in two runs as the Mets moved within 1½ games of Pittsburgh in the NL East.

Phillies 5, Reds 2

Philadelphia snapped Cincinnati's four-game winning streak as Darren Daulton had three hits, drove in two runs and scored twice.

Daulton hit a solo home run in the first inning off Jack Armstrong (11-5), then added a triple in the Phillies' two-run fifth and an eighth-inning single.

Pat Combs (6-7) allowed 11 hits in seven-plus innings before Roger McDowell pitched the last two for his 14th save and first since June 2.

Cardinals 8, Padres 3

St. Louis handed San Diego its fourth consecutive loss behind homers by Todd Zeile and Terry Pendleton.

Zeile's home run, his team-leading 10th, made him the first St. Louis rookie to hit that many since Hector Cruz in 1976. Pendleton's homer, his sixth, was only the third by a Cardinal hitter in 14 games.

After Zeile homered off Hurst's first pitch in the bottom of the second, the Padres tied it against Joe Magrane (5-12) on doubles by Mark Parent and Shawn Abner in the third.

Ripken ties record for errorless games

By The Associated Press

Streaks are nothing new to Baltimore's Cal Ripken. But he's especially proud of his latest one.

"I've been looked at as an offensive guy who just happened to play shortstop because they wanted another bat in the lineup, so I'm happy to do something on defense," Ripken said after tying a major-league record with his 88th consecutive errorless game at short as Baltimore beat Chicago 4-1 on Thursday night.

Ripken, who hasn't made an error since April 13, matched Kevin Elster's string of successive games at shortstop without an miscue. Elster set the mark with the New York Mets from July 1988 to May 1989.

In the process, Ripken extended his major-league record of errorless chances at shortstop to 401. He has long since owned the American League marks for consecutive errorless games and successive errorless chances.

Ripken also holds the second-longest consecutive game streak in major league history. He passed Everett Scott earlier this season and his 1,341 consecutive games is second only to Lou Gehrig's 2,130.

Ripken not only played flawlessly in the field, but also contributed a two-run double to the Orioles' cause.

Ripken snapped a 1-for-11 slump with the score tied 1-1 in the first inning with his two-run double off Adam Peterson (0-2). Baltimore's other two runs came on homers by Phil Bradley and Mickey Tettleton.

Chicago's only run off John Mitchell (2-2) came on a first-inning double by Robin Ventura.

Mitchell, who benefited from three double plays, allowed seven hits in 8 2-3 innings before being relieved by Gregg Olson, who retired Scott Fletcher for his 21st save. Mitchell was one out away from his second major-league complete game.

The loss was only the second for Chicago in its last 14 road games. The White Sox won six of their first seven games on an 11-day road trip.

Tigers 1, Red Sox 0

Jeff Robinson pitched a two-hitter for eight innings and Larry Sheets' sixth-inning single scored Alan Trammell all the way from first base, lifting Detroit over Boston.

Robinson (7-7), who struck out four and walked five, lowered his earned run average from 5.67 to 5.25 with eight shutout innings.

Robinson outdueled Greg Harris (7-4), who allowed eight hits and pitched the second complete game of his career in 61 starts.

Yankees 2, Twins 1

Tim Leary snapped an eight-game losing streak and New York scored both of its runs on a fifth-inning error by Minnesota shortstop Greg Gagne.

Leary (4-12), who hadn't won since May 23, when he beat the Twins 12-0 on a four-hitter in the Metrodome, allowed eight hits in 7 1-3 innings.

Brewers 4, Mariners 0

Mike Felder and Greg Vaughn hit first-inning home runs as Milwaukee beat Seattle in a game that took nearly six hours to complete because of rain.

After the game's start was delayed by rain for three hours and three minutes, Felder hit the second pitch thrown by Seattle's Randy Johnson for his first homer since Sept. 26, 1989 to give Milwaukee a 1-0 lead.

Two outs later, Seattle third baseman Edgar Martinez dropped a slicing line drive by Dave Parker for an error and Vaughn followed with his eighth homer of the year.

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were divorced.

A drained Johnson studied the Cowboys' problems in the off-season and decided the primary problem was lack of speed. He has added speed at every position and is optimistic that things will be better — much better.

"I believe we can win with the players we have," Johnson said. "I believe we can have a winning season. I personally will not be happy unless we win more games than we lose. That's my makeup."

Owner Jerry Jones isn't laughing at Johnson's vision of a winning season.

"I won't be happy this year unless we win more than we lose," Johnson said. "Last year we knew it was going to be an uphill battle. This year we have a realistic chance to win. We've had a major improvement in talent over a year ago."

Johnson said last year's team had so many newcomers because of injury, trades and waiver-wire pickups that "we were playing sandlot ball because the receivers didn't know the plays.'We never quit but we weren't really a team. We were a rag knot group."

He has whipped his leftover "rag knots" into shape in the off-season, holding more minicamps than any team in the NFL. A rebuilt indoor training facility and a new weight training coach, Mike Woicik, have the team — which features only 28 players from last season — in top condition.

"One of the reasons I feel so good about this season is because Mike has joined us," Johnson said.

Oilers

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sidelined with a shoulder injury.

Last season, Carlson completed 15 of 31 passes for 155 yards.

Carlson has asked to be traded to a team where he'll have a chance to get more playing time. He is one of 15 unsigned veterans and draft choices.

Unsigned veterans include two starters, defensive end Sean Jones and middle linebacker John Grimsley and Allen Pinkett, expected to play a major role at running back in the Oilers new run-and-shoot offense.

Offensive tackle Bruce Davis, cornerback Patrick Allen and wide receiver Leonard Harris, also were unsigned.

First round draft pick Lamar Lathon signed a five-year, $3.1 million contract Tuesday, leading the Oilers with eight unsigned draft choices, including second and third round picks Jeff Alm of Notre Dame and Willis Peguese of Miami.

Oiler rookies and one-year veterans and quarterbacks are scheduled to report to the team's training camp at Southwest Texas State in San Marcos and begin workouts on Sunday.

Veterans begin workouts on Wednesday and will have three days to prepare for the first of two scrimmage sessions against the Dallas Cowboys, training at Austin's St. Edwards University.

The two teams will scrimmage July 28 at San Antonio's Alamo Stadium and Aug. 2 at Berger Field in Austin.

The Oilers open their preseason schedule Aug. 9 in the Astrodome against the Detroit Lions.

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tournaments he played before the Open.

Once he got to St. Andrews, however, he became another golfer. He had a solid round Thursday and went mad in the second round, with a birdie on the first hole with about 200 fans watching shortly after his 7 a.m. tee time. He birdied the par-4 sixth and seventh, then tore up the back nine.

After missing a birdie putt at No. 12, Spence birdied the par-4 13th with a six-footer, the par-5 14th from 12 feet after a bump-and-run chip, the par-4 16th with a 25-foot putt and another birdie-3 at the notorious Road Hole, placing a 5-iron from 188 yards out to within eight feet of the flag and holing from there.

"That's when I saw my name on the leader board," Spence said. "I thought, 'Great. I want to get it higher.'"

He two-putted from five feet on the 18th to complete what he called "most probably" the best round of his life.

It was another round of glory for an unknown golfer. Take the case of Allen.

Allen is such a little-known player that the wrong man is listed beneath his picture in the PGA Tour guide. After what he did to begin the British Open, maybe people will start recognizing him.

Allen holed a putt of at least 100 feet during a round of 6-under-par 66 and tied superstar Norman for the lead after Thursday's opening round.

"It's the longest putt I've made in my life," said Allen, who spent several years on the European PGA Tour before finally moving to the American Tour this season. "I've never holed a wedge that far, for that matter."

Allen had a one-shot lead approaching the final hole, but made his only bogey and dropped back into a tie with Norman.

SCOREBOARD

AL Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	49	41	.544	—
Toronto	49	43	.533	1
Cleveland	44	46	.489	5
Detroit	44	49	.473	6½
Baltimore	43	48	.473	6½
Milwaukee	41	48	.461	7½
New York	33	55	.375	15
West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	58	33	.637	—
Chicago	54	33	.621	2
Seattle	47	46	.505	12
California	45	47	.489	13½
Texas	44	47	.484	14
Minnesota	43	49	.467	15½
Kansas City	40	49	.449	17

Thursday's Games

Detroit 1, Boston 0
Baltimore 4, Chicago 1
New York 2, Minnesota 1
Milwaukee 4, Seattle 0
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Boston at Kansas City, 2, 6:05 p.m.
Chicago at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.
New York at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
Seattle at Milwaukee, 8:35 p.m.
Detroit at Texas, 8:35 p.m.
Cleveland at California, 10:35 p.m.
Toronto at Oakland, 10:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Toronto (Stieb 11-3) at Oakland (Sanderson 11-5), 4:05 p.m.
Chicago (McDowell 5-4) at Baltimore (McDonald 0-0), 7:35 p.m.
Boston (Gardner 2-5) at Kansas City (Filson 0-1), 8:05 p.m.
New York (J.D.Robinson 2-5) at Minnesota (Guthrie 2-2), 8:05 p.m.
Seattle (Hanson 10-7) at Milwaukee (R.Robinson 3-1), 8:35 p.m.
Detroit (Petry 6-6) at Texas (Jeffcoat 3-4), 8:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Walker 0-0) at California (C.Finley 12-4), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Chicago at Baltimore, 1:35 p.m.
New York at Minnesota, 2:15 p.m.
Seattle at Milwaukee, 2:35 p.m.
Cleveland at California, 4:05 p.m.
Toronto at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.
Boston at Kansas City, 8:05 p.m.
Detroit at Texas, 8:05 p.m.

NL Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	53	35	.602	—
New York	51	36	.586	1½
Montreal	50	42	.543	5
Philadelphia	44	44	.500	9
Chicago	40	52	.435	15
St. Louis	38	53	.418	16½
West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	56	32	.636	—
San Francisco	49	41	.544	8
Los Angeles	44	45	.494	12½
San Diego	38	50	.432	18
Houston	38	53	.418	19½
Atlanta	35	53	.398	21

Thursday's Games

Philadelphia 5, Cincinnati 2
New York 6, Atlanta 2
St. Louis 8, San Diego 3
Houston 4, Montreal 3, 11 innings
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

San Francisco at Chicago, 2:20 p.m.
Atlanta at New York, 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.
Montreal at Houston, 8:35 p.m.
San Diego at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games

San Francisco (Garrelts 7-7) at Chicago (Harkey 7-4), 1:15 p.m.
Philadelphia (Mulholland 4-3) at Cincinnati (Rijo 5-3), 1:15 p.m.
Atlanta (Clary 1-6) at New York (Darling 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Belcher 7-7) at Pittsburgh (Heaton 10-5), 7:05 p.m.
Montreal (Z.Smith 5-6) at Houston (Portugal 4-8), 8:05 p.m.
San Diego (Show 1-7) at St. Louis (Tewksbury 4-2), 8:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Atlanta at New York, 1:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, 1:35 p.m.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, 2:15 p.m.
San Diego at St. Louis, 2:15 p.m.
San Francisco at Chicago, 2:20 p.m.
Montreal at Houston, 2:35 p.m.

British Open

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland (AP) — Grad ed scores Thursday after the first round of the $1.5 million 119th British Open golf championship played on the 6,933-yard, par 72 Old Course (a-amateur):

Michael Allen, U.S.	33-33	66
Greg Norman, Australia	34-32	66
Nick Faldo, Britain	35-32	67
Peter Jacobsen, U.S.	31-37	68
Payne Stewart, U.S.	34-34	68
Sam Torrance, Britain	34-34	68
Craig Parry, Australia	32-36	68
Ian Woosnam, Britain	34-34	68
Martin Poxon, Britain	35-33	68
Christy O'Connor Jr., Ireland	33-35	68
Ian Baker-Finch, Australia	33-35	68
Lee Trevino, U.S.	34-35	69
Danny Mijovic, Canada	34-35	69
Greg Turner, New Zealand	35-34	69
Eduardo Romero, Argentina	33-36	69
Mark McCumber, U.S.	35-34	69
Donnie Hammond, U.S.	34-36	70
Steve Pate, U.S.	34-36	70
Don Pooley, U.S.	34-36	70
Anders Sorensen, Denmark	35-35	70
Mike Hulbert, U.S.	35-35	70
Nick Price, Zimbabwe	36-34	70
Mark O'Meara, U.S.	33-37	70
Mike Reid, U.S.	36-34	70
Tim Simpson, U.S.	35-35	70
Vijay Singh, Fiji	35-35	70
Robert Gamez, U.S.	34-36	70
Ronan Rafferty, Britain	35-35	70
Jose Rivero, Spain	34-36	70
Malcolm Mackenzie, Britain	36-34	70
Larry Mize, U.S.	35-36	71
Corey Pavin, U.S.	36-35	71
John Bland, South Africa	35-36	71
Scott Hoch, U.S.	38-33	71
Eamonn Darcy, Ireland	37-34	71
Tom Kite, U.S.	34-37	71
Blaine McCallister, U.S.	36-35	71
Andy North, U.S.	34-37	71
Naomichi Ozaki, Japan	36-35	71

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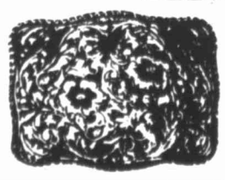


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Religion

Church briefs

'Singles Celebration'

"Singles Celebration" will be hosted July 28 at 7 p.m. at the Crestview Baptist Church Recreation Center, Midland.

Activities will include music, drama, speakers, a catered snack bar, and fellowship. The theme for the evening's program will be "Who Can You Trust?" There will be vouchers available to single parents to help subsidize child care for the evening. All area singles are encouraged to attend and bring a friend. No admission will be charged.

On July 29, there will be a special singles program during the regular Sunday School time at 9:30 a.m. At noon, following worship services, single adults will eat together at the Ramada Inn buffet. All area singles are welcome. For additional information, please call 694-7701.

First Baptist to host VBS

First Baptist Church, Big Spring, will conduct its Vacation Bible School Monday through Friday for children who will be in kindergarten to children who will be in sixth grade. Vacation Bible School will be from 9 a.m. to noon. Children should meet outside the chapel doors located at the front of the church by 9 a.m.

There will be a variety of activities during the week, including Bible stories, songs, crafts, recreation, and refreshments. All children are invited to attend.

Community center hosts VBS

Westside Community Center recently hosted its Vacation Bible School, sponsored by the Outreach Committee of Wesley United Methodist Church.

The theme was "Understanding the Bible" and was carried out even in the recreation time when simple games played by the children in Biblical times were enjoyed.

Teachers sharing in the classroom were Lloyd Ola Bearden, Shirley Bodin, Dorcas Bedford, Jo Nell Griffin, Robert Squires and Ben Boadle.

Recreation was led by Victor Sharp and Jack Griffin. Refreshments were served each day by Verna Sanders and Sylvia Lovelace. Music was led by Jacque Mauch. Bible school coordinator was Madeline Boadle.

Nazarenes to host VBS

First Church of the Nazaren will conduct its Vacation Bible School Aug. 6-10, from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The theme will be "Island in the Sun — Living in the Warmth of God's Love." Activities include crafts, skits, songs, Bible study and refreshements.

Each evening, children will earn tickets to be used at the "Island Fun Fest," which will be conducted Aug. 11, from 7:15 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The event will feature food, a dunking booth, and games booths.

Proceeds will go to the church's youth group.

The public is invited to attend both events.

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The church will host its annual SNIBS night July 29 at 6 p.m.

Holy Spirit Rally

First Assembly of God, Fourth and Lancaster, will host a Holy Spirit Rally Sunday evening, according to Stephen Grace, pastor.

The pastor's brother, Phil Grace, pastor of Whitestone Assembly of God, will serve as guest speaker.

Music will be provided by Phil Grace and his wife, Betty. The original Grace Victors, featuring Stephen, Phil and Louetta, will reunite as well.

Youth rally

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 1009 Hearn St., will have a Junior High Youth Rally, followed by a retreat July 28-29 for seventh, eighth and ninth grade students.

For additional information, please call Carmen Brooks at 267-3166, or Ruth Salazar at 267-4124.

Church prepares for opening

By LYNN HAYES
Lifestyle Editor

A local church is taking on a new look, as well as a new pastor.

The Rev. B.E. Smith, pastor of the New Mt. Zion Baptist Church, and its members are busy painting and preparing for Sunday's official opening celebration at 3 p.m.

Smith, who formerly pastored Union Missionary Baptist Church, Port Richey, Fla., recently celebrated his 15th year in the ministry, he said.

An ordained minister since March of 1989, Smith recalled his calling to the ministry. "After I was saved, I was called by the Lord to preach," he said.

When he was 14 years old, Smith recalled, he had a vision and realized the Lord was calling him into the ministry.

Because of his lifestyle, Smith said, he wasn't willing to follow the calling.

"It wasn't by choice. I tried to avoid it. . . With my lifestyle I said 'there's no way'."

Although he was brought up in the church and had always loved the Lord, he said, he didn't understand what was happening.

"I was in the streets and didn't want to be a minister," he said. "I didn't understand it (the calling). I was too young. I said 'that's not for me."

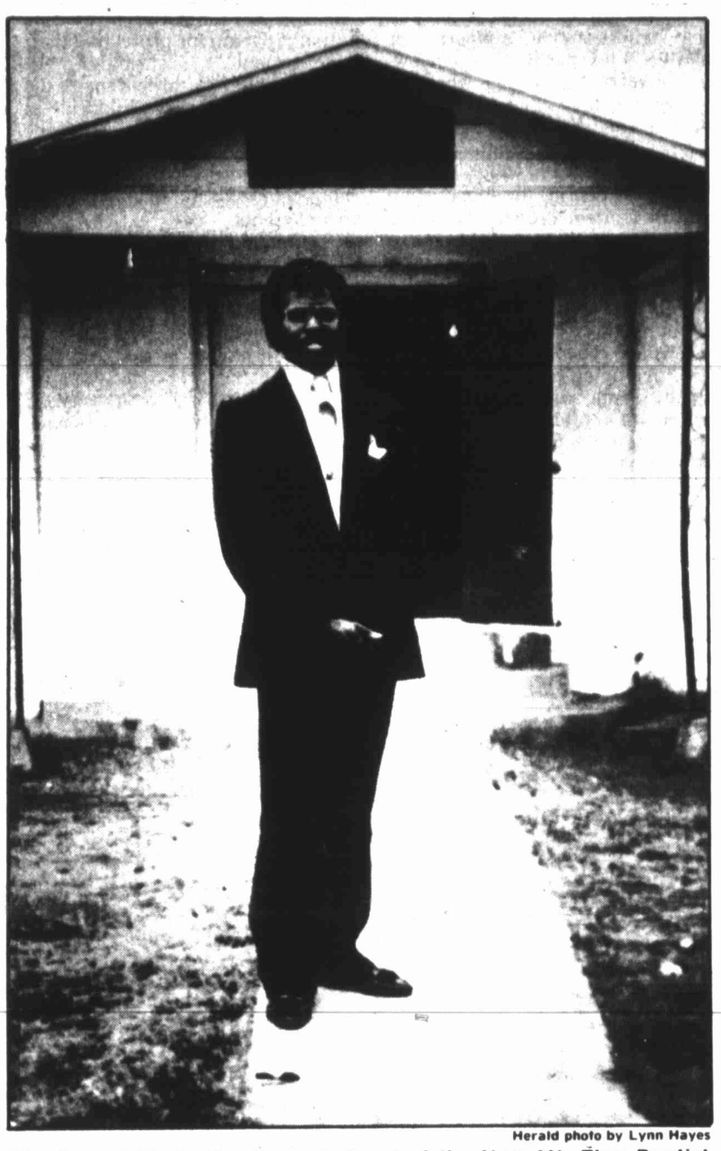
Smith, 29, said he avoided the call for as long as he could. "I ran for two years," he explained.

However, at the age of 16, Smith said he began testing the calling. After God answered his requests and reassured him of the calling, he finally surrendered to the Lord.

A native of Ft. Worth, Smith served as associate pastor of Rising Star Baptist Church in his hometown.

While pastoring the Florida church, Smith's faith was being tested by the congregation. "I realized some of the members were into witchcraft and felt different vibes in the congregation. And, because I wouldn't let them tell me what to do, they tried their best to make me leave," he said.

However, he said, through prayer and by annointing the church with oil, he continued to serve as pastor until he was recently asked to come to Big Spring.



Herald photo by Lynn Hayes

The Rev. B.E. Smith stands in front of the New Mt. Zion Baptist Church located at 1111 Runnels. The church will have its official opening celebration Sunday at 3 p.m.

It wasn't his first trip to the city. In 1986 Smith preached a sermon at Mt. Bethel Baptist Church, he said.

Although his new church is small and its members are few, Smith said he has plans for the church, and is placing its future in God's hands. "It will be spiritually led. . .I want to see it grow and to have it be what God would have it to be. . .I want to see people saved . . . miracles and healing," he said.

Contrary to the Baptist teachings, Smith said, he believes in speaking in tongues and the laying on of hands. "If you read the Bible, in 1 Corinthians, it tells of these things. . .Speaking in tongues is a gift from God," he said.

However, he said, "It's not essential for salvation."

Smith said his faith in the Lord became stronger when he was delivered from his drinking problem. Through prayer and fasting, he said, God healed him.

"I made up my mind to quit and asked the Lord to take the desire from me," he explained. "All you have to do is put your faith in God, he'll take your desires away and take the taste from you."

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Mayor Max Green will be on hand Sunday to welcome the church to the city. Guest speakers include John Joiner, C.D. Joiner and G.T. Barnett II, all of Midland.

Church services are as follows: Sunday School is at 10 a.m.; evening service begins at 6. Prayer meeting and Bible study is conducted at 7 p.m. Services are held on Saturday at 10 a.m.

Prayer — What is it?

Pastor's Corner



By DARREN SKINNER
Special to the Herald

Prayer. What is it and why do we do it?

This question came to mind as I started this letter. Why do we pray? Is it something that Christians did and are supposed to do or is there more to it? Some "educated" people call prayer superstition, others, like talking to an imaginary friend to relieve stress and produce catharsis. Yet, others see it as speaking to our great ancestors asking them for help. What, then, truly is prayer?

Prayer is communion and mutual communication with God. Definitions may vary from person to person, but ultimately they can be distilled to either of the two above.

Communion is us entering into the very presence of God to partake of his love and grace. It becomes a giving and receiving between us and God. We, in an act of surrender, give something to God, which he graciously accepts. In return, God gives to us out of the abundance of his love for us; life, peace, grace, and mercy. Like in the celebration of the Lord's supper, we give ourselves to God and he in return gives us his spirit.

Mutual communication is the other definition. Here some may question the use of mutual. No mistake has been made. Prayer in some people's minds involves a one-way directive communication with God, that is, we do all the talking. That is one of the common falacies about prayer. God desires to talk with you. Don't expect, flashing lightning and booming thunder, it doesn't happen that way. God speaks in many different ways and not very many would we consider spectacular.

Here are just a few: Scripture reading, hymn singing, worship services, quiet walks in parks or fields, listening silently to the still small voice inside, while eating meals, visits with family and friends, while driving cars, mowing lawns, through dreams and other times.

Listening to God is the key to hearing him. We can encounter God through the ordinary, if we let him. "God desires to know us more intimately and ultimately that is what we want as well." Take time during your vacations to seek God in communion and mutual communication.

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The Rev. Darren Skinner is pastor of North Birdwell Lane United Methodist Church.

Religion roundup

WASHINGTON (AP) — An appeal of Jews who formerly lived in Mannheim, Germany, has been presented at embassies of both East and West Germany urging them to recognize a "special relationship" with Jews and Israel.

A resolution asking such a step had been approved earlier at a reunion in Monticello, N.Y., of 350 Jews and their spouses who formerly lived in Mannheim.

The resolutions asked that the following steps be taken in moves to reunite the two Germanys:

- That they make clear "they will not condone anti-Semitism" and will be "forever vigilant" against the "horrors of the past."
- That German schools teach about the Holocaust, and German leaders commit themselves to a "special relationship between Germany, the state of Israel and the Jewish people."

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INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Delegates to the Seventh-day Adventist Church's world conference voted 1,273 to 377 to continue the church's ban on the ordination of women, saying such ordinations would be disruptive.

Most support for the ordination of women came from delegations from Europe and North America while leaders from Africa, Asia and South America were overwhelmingly against it.

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CINCINNATI (AP) — Roman Catholic Archbishop Daniel Pilarczyk and other leaders of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops may meet this fall with members of a group of Roman Catholic homosexuals, a spokesman said.

The conference is considering whether to grant the request for a meeting from the homosexual group Dignity-USA, Pilarczyk spokesman Ray George said.

Church briefs

Missionary set to speak

Steve Womack, missionary for the Church of God, Cleveland, Tenn., will speak Sunday at the College Park Church of God, 603 Tulane, during the 10:30 a.m. Praise and Worship Celebration.

Womack and his wife, Sherrie, have completed their studies at Lee College, Cleveland, and internship in preparation to go to the South Pacific, according to a news release.

A graduate with a bachelor of arts degree in intercultural studies from Lee College, Womack served as a pastor and associate pastor.

Sherrie has worked with her husband and has been active in teaching and in social ministry, the release stated.

Missions ministries are conducted in 111 countries with more than 12,000 churches, 3,413 missions, and more than 1,300,000 baptized members. World Missions operates 72 Bible schools in which more than 8,000 national students are being trained for Christian service, according to the release.

"Our supporting individuals and churches, together with our missionaries, national leaders and workers are making a difference i a world desperately in need of the gospel," said Lovell Clay, general director for the Church of God World Missions.

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The Vacation Bible School committee invites children to attend "Friendimension VBS" July 30 through Aug. 3. To pre-register, please call Susan Rawls at 267-7377, Debby Rodgers at 393-5734, or the church office at 267-8593.

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Outreach and visitation will be Tuesday at 10 a.m. The "Witness Team" will minister Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

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Bowling will be at Bowl-A-Rama Saturday at 7 p.m.

Blind pianist

Woman plays music despite handicap

By SHARON ATKINS
Beaumont Enterprise

LAKE SAM RAYBURN — The pianist and organist face each other across the church, but the fingers on the piano keys are a little less sure than those on the organ keys.

Organist Betty Sutton reads sheet music, but pianist Lela Mayfield cannot. Her only vision is in her heart.

Ms. Mayfield, who is legally blind, spends laborious hours memorizing the music. Before church begins, the two players and the music director practice the order of the songs.

Ms. Sutton cues Ms. Mayfield to each song with a small introduction on the organ.

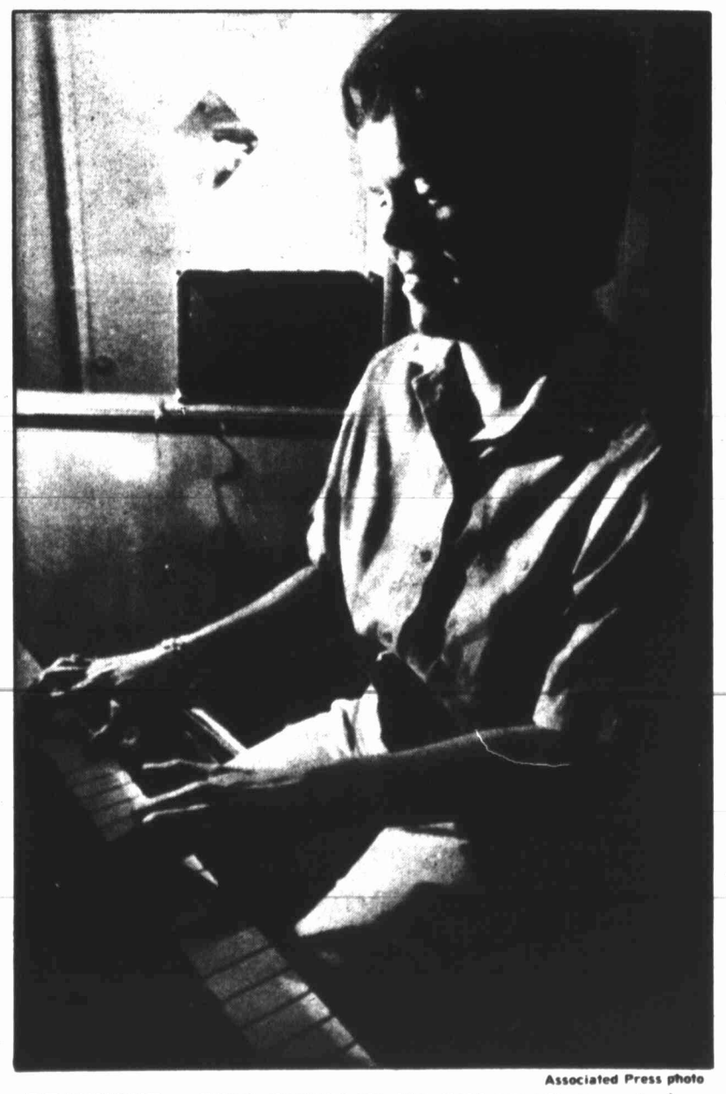
Ms. Mayfield, 35, began playing the piano at Rayburn Baptist Church in April when the church's regular pianist moved away. She lives with pastor Clifford Neal, his wife, Donna, and their family near Lake Sam Rayburn.

"I haven't always had a good self-image," Ms. Mayfield said.

In the quiet of her bedroom, Ms. Mayfield slips on a pair of well-used headphones and listens to a recording of music she plans to play for the congregation.

"Luckily, I have a good memory," Ms. Mayfield tells church members. "My piano playing may not be music to everyone's ears, but it gives me the opportunity to serve God in a way that I enjoy."

She said she developed a love for music as a little girl, sitting in her mother's lap while her mother performed gospel music. The Minden, La., native was born with no vision in her right eye and can see only light and dark with her left eye. By holding objects near, she said, she can make out blurs and some shapes.



Associated Press photo

BEAUMONT — Blind pianist Lela Mayfield spends many hours memorizing the music before church begins. She slips on a pair of headphones and listens to a recording of the music she plans to play for the congregation.

After graduating from Southwood High School in Shreveport, La., Ms. Mayfield traveled as an evangelist, singing and taking her ventriloquist act on the road to gospel meetings. She used the act to teach children about the Bible.

Ms. Mayfield met the Neals at a church camp in Newton nine years ago. They had read a brochure about her evangelism.

Donna Neal, music director at the small church at Lake Sam Rayburn, was the first to ask Mayfield to play the piano in public. She wanted Ms. Mayfield to play while Neal sang gospel songs at church revivals. The slim Ms. Mayfield, who appears confident as she plays the piano or guitar, said she had to brace herself to perform in church.

"The first time I played for Donna, my hands shook so much I'm not sure if you could tell what song I was playing," Ms. Mayfield said.

Mrs. Neal's philosophy, though, is that any sound, however it is performed, is music if it serves God. Mrs. Neal belts out the lyrics in a rich, high soprano, encouraging the assembly to join in with gusto. Mrs. Neal takes Ms. Mayfield's arm as they step down from the front of the church to sit in a pew while the pastor delivers his message.

"I haven't always had a good self-image," Ms. Mayfield said. "The music makes me feel like I'm doing something worthwhile . . . I hope my life is an encouragement and allows God to work through me."

Methodist clergy are more liberal

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) — United Methodist clergy are "consistently more liberal" than lay members, according to research by the denomination's general council on ministries.

It found among those not attending the denomination's last governing conference, 62 percent of the laity and 25 percent of the clergy consider the Bible the "literal word of God," while only 26 percent of the clergy and 26 percent of the laity who were conference delegates did so.

Response to that question was found to be an indicator of responses on 45 other issues surveyed in the 9 million-member denomination.

Interreligious official boosts peace and children

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

NEW YORK — "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them," Jesus said, "for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven."


WILLIAM THOMPSON

That special blessedness of the young taught in Christianity and the concern for them expressed in sacred writings of other religions are to be shared next week in a special forum.

A variety of religious leaders — Christians, Moslems, Jews, Hindus, Sikhs, Shintoists, Zoroastrians and others — are to meet July 25-27 at Princeton Theological Seminary in New Jersey on behalf of children around the world.

"Religious leaders that do not normally come together about anything are coming together in the cause of children," said William P. Thompson, chairman of the conference steering committee.

"All the major religions have in their traditions a concern for children," he said in an interview. "Their plight is getting worse in the world today."

Thompson, associate secretary general of the World Conference on Religion and Peace, which is sponsoring the meeting in cooperation with the United Nations Children's Fund, added: "When children are exploited, we're sowing the seeds of our own destruction."

In many ways and places, that's now happening, he said, citing impoverished conditions in which "kids are being pushed out to live on the streets" and the rising proportion of children among the world's homeless and refugees.

Thompson, longtime U.S. Presbyterian leader, said that "we want to maximize attention of religion leaders to the problem of children" and "bring that thinking to the forefront" of public awareness.

The three-day meeting, involving 100 religious leaders from 40 countries and representing 10 major religions, is expected to adopt a "declaration for children" and an action program for protecting their development.

Being held as a precursor to the "World Summit for Children" at the United Nations Sept. 29-30, the interreligious meeting seeks both to stir concern for children in religious ranks and also actions by governments.

"Defending the rights of children is one of the significant ways of working for future peace," Thompson said, noting that recent striking changes in Eastern Europe have meant "great progress" in that cause.

"But we still have to work at building sufficient justice for peace to last," he said, including more equitable economic conditions and help for the underprivileged.

"There are dauntless problems still before us," he said.

Thompson, 71, chief executive of the United Presbyterian Church for 18 years and a member of the governing boards of the National Council of Churches and World Council of Churches, fills his interreligious peace post without pay.

"The sacred writings of all of the great religions commit themselves to peace," he said.

Some people now and in the past have supported wars in the name of religion, but the teachings of those faiths themselves invariably oppose war and advocate peace, he said.

To blame "religion as the cause of conflict" — which often is done by anti-religionists — "overlooks the facts of the religions themselves, which in their basic beliefs commit themselves to peace," Thompson said.

"Secularists think we're at each throat," he added, but he maintained such judgments were drawn from deviations from religious principles not adherence to them.

However, he said, there are extremists in every religion who fan the flames of conflict, who see no truth in any faith but their own and who try to maximize their political power to control others.

In doing so, such a "person may be hypocritical in not stating accurately what he knows to be a fact about his religion, or he may be uninformed about what its religious teachings really are," Thompson said.

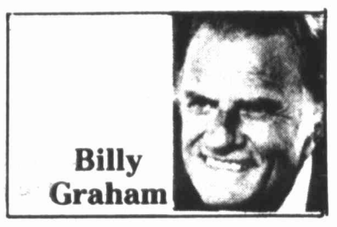
In view of "human motives to seek power and be prideful," he said, "some use religion as a cloak behind which to hide" their real motives, using religious symbols to annimate followers in conflicts and gain power.

Asked about regional conflicts such as those between Roman Catholics and Protestants in Ireland, Moslems and Jews in the Middle East, Buddhists and Hindus in Sri Lanka or Moslems and Christians in the Sudan, he said:

"These most always are between ethic groups identified by their religions. The disputes often are based on ethnic-economic differences rather than religious motivation as the names suggest."

In many cases, he said the conflicts have complex roots in the past, involving rivalry over power, territories or economic status.

'God is still at work'


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DEAR DR. GRAHAM: Why doesn't God do miracles today, like he did when the Bible was written? I asked my Sunday school teacher about this, but she didn't have an answer. — K.L.

DEAR K.L.: God is still at work — and occasionally he may even do some things which defy human explanation (such as heal a sick person who was considered hopeless). We must not limit God, although the Bible doesn't promise that God will always work the way we wish he would in every situation. Remember, too, that miracles were rare in Bible times also, with the exception of a few periods — such as the Exodus from Egypt and the ministry of Jesus.

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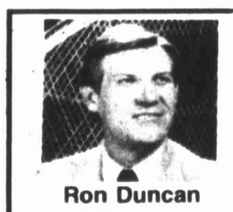
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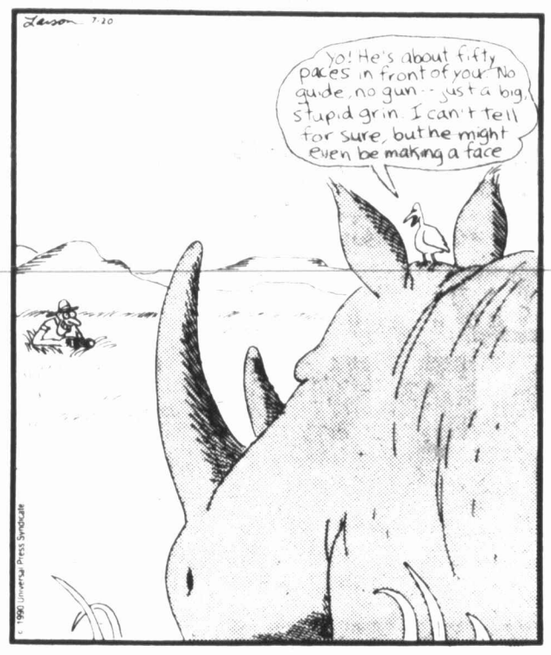
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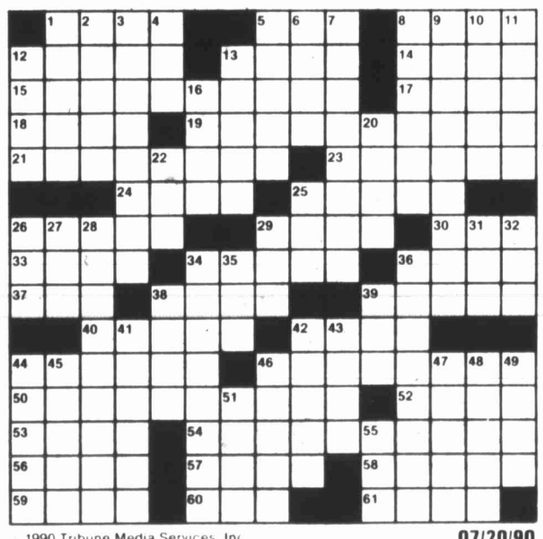
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This is a reward ad for the current verifiable addresses for the following persons:

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MAURO CHAIREZ
HC 61 Box 395, Big Spring

RITA VALBUENA
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Formerly 505 W. 8th, Big Spring

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PART -TIME —Several needed. Open.

DRUG EDUCATION & Prevention Program. Part time. Big Spring area. Same hours & vacations as school age children. Must maintain large dog. Send resume to: Personnel Dept. Rt. 3 Box 3000, Spicewood, Texas, 78669 or call (512)264-1721.

Help Wanted 270

BABYSITTER NEEDED for one year old boy, in his home. Experienced, non-smoking, female preferred. Housekeeping included. Call between 7:00 -9:00 p.m. only, 267-9790.

FAMILY PLANNING Specialist. Part time, minimum wage. High school dipolma or GED. Flexibility in working hours and reliable transportation a must. Medical background & bilingual helpful. Responsibilities include receptionist desk, patient education & lab work. Applications available at Planned Parenthood of West Texas, 618 Gregg St. EO/MF.

THE CITY OF Big Spring is accepting applications for the position of Clerk/Technician in the Police Department. Responsible for assisting in various duties, such as developing photographs, dispatching, and routine clerical duties. Qualified applicants must be able to type at least 40 wpm and able to work irregular and extended hours. The City provides excellent fringe benefits. Applications will be accepted through July 25. To apply or for more information contact City Hall Personnel, 4th & Nolan. The City of Big Spring is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Personnel Office
1001 Birdwell Lane
Big Spring, Texas 79720
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Jobs Wanted 299

LAWN SERVICE. Mowing, light hauling. Free Estimates. Call 263-2401.

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FOUND -FEMALE, puppy, 8 weeks old, short hair. Call 263-2900.

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FOR SALE: 1 AKC Registered male Rottweiler puppy left. $100.00. Call 264-6707.

KITTENS TO give away. Come by 1224 1/2 East 16th.

SPECIAL PET Adoption & Dip Saturday, July 21, Big Spring Animal Shelter, 11th Place Extension (Midway Road), Vet on hand, 9:00-6:00.

1 1/2 YEAR OLD male Pomerian, must sell. Call 394-4207.

Pet Grooming 515

IRIS' POODLE Parlor. Grooming, indoor kennels -heated and air, supplies, coats, etc. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409 -263-7900.

Lost- Pets 516

FOUND IN the area of Washington Blvd: tiny, black Chihuahua. Call 267-5646 or 267-1910.

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Musical Instruments 529

MCKISKI MUSIC Company has reopened at 1703 E. Marcy, next door to Elmer's Liquor Store, at Birdwell and FM700. R.E. McKiski, Sr., owner.

PIANO FOR sale: wanted responsible party to take on small monthly payments. See locally. Trade-in accepted. Credit manager, 1-800-233-8663.

Appliances 530

FOR SALE, clothes dryer. Needs heating element. 263-4469, 263-1696 and ask for Vicky.

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SOMETHING FOR every room. Kitchen -Dining -Living -Bedrooms. Washer/-dryer, microwave, freezer, range, color T.V's. 267-6558.

EARLY AMERICAN Sofa -Perfect condition. Beige /rust -$200. Call 263-8369.

Garage Sale 535

REMEMBER, YOU can still place a Sunday "TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY" Ad. Our office is open until 6:00 p.m. this evening and from 8:00 a.m. until Noon tomorrow.

GARAGE SALE, 1506 E.Cherokee. Little bit of everything. July 14 through 21. 8:00 to 8:00.

SATURDAY ONLY, 3214 Cornell, 8:00 -5:00, 4 Families. Clothes -infant to Big/Tall, toys, furnitue, miscellaneous.

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GARAGE SALE, adult & children clothes, toys, household items. Saturday, 8:00 -5:00. No Early Calls! 2610 Ann Dr.

2707 CINDY. Saturday only, 9:00 -5:00. Rototiller, clothes, miscellaneous.

FIVE FAMILY garage sale, Saturday and Sunday, 8:00 to 2:00. Snyder Hwy behind Christine's Cafe.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, Sunday. Two family yard sale. Good stuff! Bargains! West of Birdwell, 1516 Sunset Avenue.

GARAGE SALE, Saturday only, 8:00 ? 1305 Lexington. Odds & Ends, tools, clothes.

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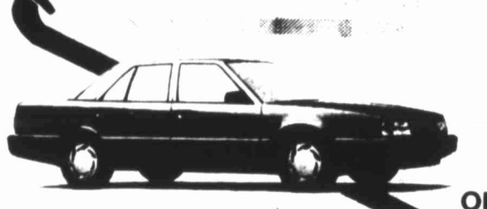


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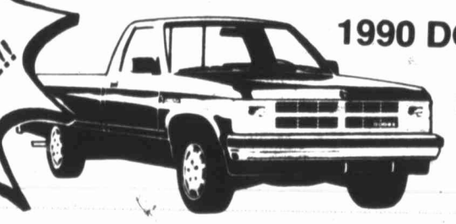
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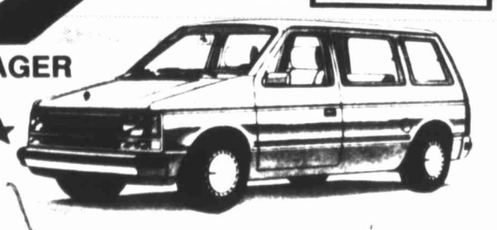
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Garage Sale 535

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, 9:00 to 5:00. Men's, women's, children's clothing, children's books, drapes, miscellaneous. 1418 Sycamore.

MOVING SALE: Saturday, 8:00 -4:00, 2315 Mishler. Nice furniture, household items, clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

REMODELING SALE: Saturday, 8:00 -4:00, 2206 Johnson. Windows, doors, furniture, drapery, bar, wallheater, miscellaneous items.

2404 ALAMESA, SATURDAY, 8:00 -4:00. Golf clubs, vacuum cleaner, typewriter, floor lamp, stereo, lots miscellaneous.

8:00 A.M. TILL NOON, Saturday. Bedspreads, curtains, furniture, clothes. 531 Scott.

GARAGE SALE -Saturday, Sunday, 7:00 -5:00, 2609 Carleton. Furniture, baby items, toys, clothes, etc.

BACKYARD SALE -Hide-a-bed, chair, books, toys, lots of miscellaneous. Friday -Saturday, 3224 Cornell.

SALE -703 E. 14th, SATURDAY -Sunday, 9:00 -4:00. Kids clothes, baby items, dishes, lots more.

3913 DIXON, FRIDAY and Saturday. Adult, children, baby, infant clothes, dishwasher, dryer. 8:00 a.m. sharp.

GARAGE SALE, 1102 East 13th. Clothes and miscellaneous. Saturday only, 9:00 till 5:00.

DRIVEWAY SALE: 2600 Larry, Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Clothes, divan, sectional sofa, 8 track tapes, books.

1204 11th PLACE, SATURDAY Sunday. Air conditioner, sewing machines, furniture, dishes, clothes, silk plants, lots more.

RUMMAGE SALE, 1700 Lancaster. Saturday, 9:00 -5:00. Women's, men's, children's clothes, afghans, kitchen items, jewelry, linens, fishing & hunting hand tools.

Garage Sale 535

100 TREASURES for under $1.00. Elmore and McDonald mysteries, tapes, dining chairs. 1755 Purdue, 7:30, Saturday.

CARPORT SALE, Friday and Saturday till Noon, 502 Dallas. Childrens clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

601 AVONDALE -2 FAMILY, 9:00 -5:00 Friday; Saturday morning. New items added!!! Electronics, stereo cabinet, waterbed, wedding dress, clothes, much miscellaneous.

SATURDAY -SUNDAY, 2506 Albrook, 8:00 -2:00. Fishing boats -sale or trade, coins, cap and ball pistol, miscellaneous.

INSIDE SALE, everything under $20. Miscellaneous, mattresses. Saturday, 8:00 till 3:00. 211 N.E. 7th.

GARAGE SALE, 3705 Calvin. Jeep motorcycle, clothes, gas grill, miscellaneous. Friday -Sunday, 10:00 to 4:00.

SUNDAY ONLY -Remodeling sale. Pit group, triple dresser with mirror, used carpet, clothes, toys, furniture. Inside if raining, 9 til' ?, 1603 East 5th.

1018 BIRDWELL, SATURDAY from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bedspreads -sheets -decorator items -exercise equipment -some clothing.

COUNTRY SALE at Linda's Country Store, 1 mile east of Cosden. If we don't have what you want we'll get it for you. Appliances, garden & fishing equipment, boats, clothes & lots miscellaneous. Saturday, Sunday, 8:00-?

CARPORT SALE -July 21, Chapman Road (2nd street West of Coahoma Dairy Queen). Lots miscellaneous, skateboard, scooter, computer, crafts, clothing, some antiques, mini lop rabbits.

OUTSIDE -INSIDE sale. Kitchen and household items, filing cabinet, air conditioners, central heaters, lots miscellaneous. Saturday, 10:00 -5:00. 302 W. 7th.

HIGHLAND SALE, 2805 Goliad, refrigerators, clothes, miscellaneous. Saturday and Sunday, 9:00 -3:00.

Garage Sale 535

INSIDE SALE, Sand Springs, yellow trailer between Scout Hut & Hooser Roads. Washer, dryer, refrigerator, lots of kitcheware, large women's & children's clothing, miscellaneous. Saturday only, 9:00 -5:00.

Produce 536

FARM FRESH Produce availabe at Permian Basin Farmer's Market on Wednesdays, 2300 Gregg. Shop early for best selections!

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Misc. For Sale 537

HAVE SOMETHING to sell for less than $100? Put a "BIG 3 AD" in the Big Spring Herald Classified!! Requirements: One item per ad, 15 words or less, 3 days for $3.00! Come by and see Debbye or Elizabeth!!

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FOR SALE: 19 x13 sand color, Karestin carpet. Almost new. Call 267-5453.

14' RIVERBOAT WITH 15 horse Evinrude motor and six gallon OMC gasoline can and hose, shop made trailer, $600. 15 horse Evinrude motor with 6 gallon gas can, $300. Service station type gasoline pump with automatic cut -off nozzle, $175. Oilfield tank gauge with plumb bob and tape cleaner, $60. Electric air compressor, automatic cut-off. Used very little, 15 gallon tank, $350. Call Stanton, 1-756-2103.

TANDY 1000 SX COMPUTER. IBM compatible, color monitor, printer, excellent condition. Large solid oak roll top desk with swivel chair, excellent condition. Paid $1,300 new, will sell for $600. Call 263-5774 or 267-6983.

Want To Buy 545

BRANHAM FURNITURE will buy good used furniture and appliances. 2004 West 4th, 263-1469.

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Houses For Sale 601

FOR SALE, Stanton -3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, water well, shade trees. Call 1-756-2972.

THREE BEDROOMS, 1 3/4 baths. Carpeting, draperies, double garage. Nice area. Good condition. 267-2070.

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Office Space 680

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Lodges 686

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
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To the Registered Voters of the City of Garden City, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Cuidad de Garden City, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below-will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on August 11, 1990, for voting in a general election to elect Directors in Precincts 3 & 4 of the Glasscock County Underground Water Conservation District.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 11 de Agosto de 1990 para volar en la Eleccion General para elegir elect Directores para precinto 3 & 4 para Distrito de Conservacion Del Agua Subterranea de Glasscock Candado.

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

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Glasscock County Courthouse (County and District Clerks Office)
(location) (sitio)
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between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on July 23, 1990
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Issued this the 17th day of July, 1990.
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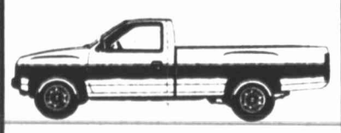


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Names in the news

CHICAGO (AP) — Former "Today" show co-host Jane Pauley says she's not a candidate to be co-anchor of the NBC "Nightly News" with Tom Brokaw.

Pauley, whose program "Real Life with Jane Pauley" debuted Wednesday night on NBC, said NBC News President Michael Gartner has never asked her to be co-anchor, "and Tom Brokaw has never said, 'Jane, pull up a chair.'

"I feel obligated to say even if I was asked, I couldn't do it," she said.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Sibling rivalry played a role in Spike Lee's latest film, "Mo' Better Blues."

The director's 29-year-old sister, Joie, stars in the film as Indigo, a teacher whose relationship with a



JANE PAULEY



SPIKE LEE

trumpet player, portrayed by Denzel Washington, is challenged by another woman and his love for his music.

"We went at it all the time," Ms. Lee said in the Aug. 7 issue of US magazine. "I would yell, 'I'm not disagreeing with you as your sniveling younger sister. I'm disagreeing with you as an actress. And you're not talking to me as a director, you're talking to me as my older brother.'"

"I think Spike has captured some sort of essence of me," she said. "And there are so few positive roles out there for women, let alone black women, that I'm grateful for it."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Arnold Schwarzenegger will represent President Bush at Saturday's opening of the Goodwill Games in Seattle.

Schwarzenegger, who stars in the hit movie "Total Recall," is chairman of the President's Council on Physical Fitness.

The games are an international athletics competition. The first Goodwill Games were held in Moscow four years ago.

Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1990

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Lasting success can be yours if you stop being so demanding of others. Put more of yourself into your work. An offer to compromise will work better than an ultimatum in November.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: novelist Ernest Hemingway, director Norman Jewison, comedian Don Knotts, superstar Robin Williams.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Forget about work today and concentrate on domestic affairs. If planning an outing with your children, visit the zoo or a picnic site. Drop-in guests are indicated for some of you. Be hospitable.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your common sense helps a friend who has a problem. Cast away waste and extravagance. Look through an old photo album with a good friend. Evening proves more rewarding where romance is concerned.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your ability to quickly sum up others' motives comes in handy today. Be ready to strike a compromise with your romantic partner. Keep your promises if you expect others to do the same.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Rely on your instincts and intuition today. Others tend to be undependable now. Handle financial transactions with caution. A new acquaintance proves to be good company. Nurture a close relationship.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Take care of routine chores before lunch. It pays to listen to your mate now. Decisions partners make together will bring long-term financial rewards. Wine and dine a loved one tonight.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Use more finesse in your personal relationships. Sidestep discussing touchy subjects. Give your physical well-being some serious thought. You could get a surprise connected with home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): The spotlight is on your income, savings and tax materials. Stick to a financial decision you made with an expert's help. Be gentle with someone who makes a bid for your attention.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A creative project could receive valuable backing from a prominent person. Ask direct questions and expect to get some honest answers. Catch up on your letter-writing and other personal chores.

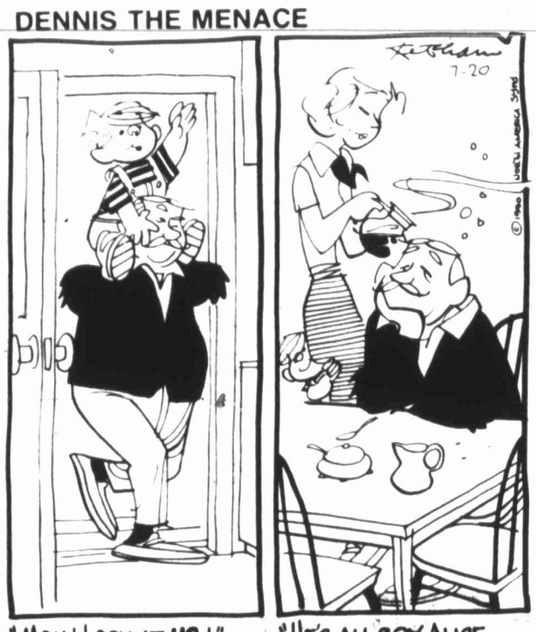
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Run any personal errands early in the day. Putting your artistic talents to work now could double your income. Tact is your biggest ally when dealing with highly emotional people. Go slow.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Take care of family obligations first. Profits from financial speculation could be smaller than expected. Check your insurance coverage. Widen your circle of friends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Projects in various stages of completion all move ahead quickly. Take care of personal errands during the morning. Your artistic talents attract new public recognition. Bask in the limelight.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Insurance plans may catch your attention. Investigation could yield a better return on your money. You can gain new insights from talking with someone world-wise.

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Friday

Isolated to widely scattered mainly evening thunderstorms through Saturday. Otherwise partly cloudy. Highs Saturday in the upper 80s to mid 90s. Low mid 60 to lower 70s.

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Thursday's high temp.	86
Thursday's low temp.	66
Average high	95
Average low	70
Record high	108 in 1925
Record low	60 in 1979
	Inches
Rainfall Thursday	0.00
Month to date	1.91
Normal for Mo.	2.00
Year to date	8.98
Normal for year	9.96

On the side

Student named to dean's list

Dana Erin Hillger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale R. Hillger and a 1988 graduate of Garden City High School, has been named to the dean's list for academic excellence at Angelo State University. Hillger is an education major specializing in special education.

Shooters compete at Lubbock

The Martin County Super Shooters traveled to Lubbock to participate in the District II Invitational Trap and Skeet Shoot. The shoot was held on July 6-7.

Results are as follows:

Skeet

Senior Division: Two man team, 1st place, David White and Robbie Wilson; 3rd place, Shane Louder and Kenny Stewart. High Individual, 1st place, David White; 3rd place, Robbie Wilson.

Junior Division, 1st place, Sonya Hopper and Ryan Webb; 2nd place, Ben Miller and Kenneth Kendall; High Individual, 1st place, Sonya Hopper; 2nd place, Ryan Webb; 4th place, Ben Miller.

Sub. Junior Division, 1st place, Jason Hopper and Jeremy Louder; High Individual, 1st place Jason Hopper.

Trap

Sr. Division: Two-Man Team, 1st place, David White and Robbie Wilson; High Individual, 1st place, David White.

Jr. Division: Two-Man Team, 3rd place, Ben Miller and Kenneth Kendall.

Sub. Jr. Division: High Individual, 1st place, Jason Hopper.

Overall

Two-Man results: Sr. Division; 1st place, David White and Robbie Wilson; Jr. Division, 1st place, Ben Miller and Kenneth Kendall; 2nd place Sonya Hopper and Ryan Webb; Sub Jr. Division: 1st place, Jason Hopper and Jeremy Louder.

Individual results: Sr. Division, 1st place, David White; 2nd place, Robbie Wilson; Sub Jr., 1st place, Jason Hopper.

Bailout fund running low

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush's savings and loan bailout fund will be nearly out of money if officials reach their goal of closing or selling 77 institutions by Sept. 30, a federal agency says.

Figures provided Thursday by the Resolution Trust Corp. Oversight Board indicate that, unless Congress authorizes more borrowing, regulators could have as little as $7.3 billion in borrowing authority left when the new federal fiscal year begins Oct. 1.

"The bottom line . . . (is) it would cause us to very significantly reduce the pace of resolutions," said Peter Monroe, president of the oversight board.

One of North's convictions reversed

By PETE YOST
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — A federal appeals court panel today reversed one of Oliver North's Iran-Contra convictions and ordered a lower court to determine whether his trial was tainted by his immunized congressional testimony.

The former National Security Council aide was convicted on May 4, 1989, of three counts stemming from the Reagan administration's clandestine effort to aid the Nicaraguan Contras.

The divided three-judge panel held that North was entitled to a new trial on the charge of altering and destroying sensitive NSC documents because U.S. District Court Judge Gerhard Gesell gave erroneous jury instructions. North also was convicted of accepting an illegal gratuity and aiding and abetting in the obstruction of Congress.

The court also held that North was entitled to a full hearing delving into whether his nationally televised testimony seeped into the case.

The former Marine lieutenant colonel described for Congress and a national television audience in July 1987 how the Reagan administration secretly sold arms to Iran and then used the profits to aid the Nicaraguan Contras. He was guaranteed that his testimony would not be used in any criminal case against him.

If Gesell determines at the hearing that such tainted evidence was used to convict North on the other two charges, the court said he would be entitled to a new trial on those counts as well.

Gesell "must hold a ... hearing that will inquire into the content as well as the sources of the grand jury and trial witnesses' testimony," said the court.

"That inquiry must proceed witness-by-witness; if necessary, it will proceed line-by-line and item-by-item," said the appeals court.

The government must show by a preponderance of the evidence that "no use whatsoever was made of any of the immunized testimony either by the witness" or by the Iran-Contra prosecutor's office in questioning the witness, said the court.

"This burden may be met by establishing that the witness was never exposed to North's immunized testimony, or that the allegedly tainted testimony contains no evidence" that wasn't obtained before North testified, the panel added.

"Unless the District Court can make express findings that the government has carried this heavy burden as to the content of all of the testimony of each witness, that

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Associated Press photo

Oliver North, shown taking the oath before the Iran-Contra Committee in Washington July 7, 1987, had one of his convictions reversed by a federal appeals court today. North was convicted May 4, 1989 on three counts of altering highly secret documents.

Williams linking Richards to Fonda

By SCOTT ROTHSCHILD
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN — Republican gubernatorial nominee Clayton Williams tried to associate Democratic nominee Ann Richards with actress Jane Fonda, whom he described as a traitor for her anti-war protests during the Vietnam War.

The Richards campaign Thursday called the Williams tactic "witch hunts" and "the lowest campaigning."

Williams said Ms. Richards accepted campaign money from the actress.

But Glenn Smith said Ms. Richards returned a $1,000 check from Ms. Fonda after the Williams campaign told a group of veterans to confront her about it.

"We didn't want to see the pain of our Vietnam veterans exploited once again for someone's personal political gain," Smith said.

"This is the lowest campaigning that we've seen in Texas," Smith said. "I don't think we can participate in these kinds of witch hunts."

Williams, however, hammered on the issue because Ms. Richards accepted contributions from the Hollywood Women's Political Action Committee. The PAC is composed of several dozen women entertainers, including Ms. Fonda.

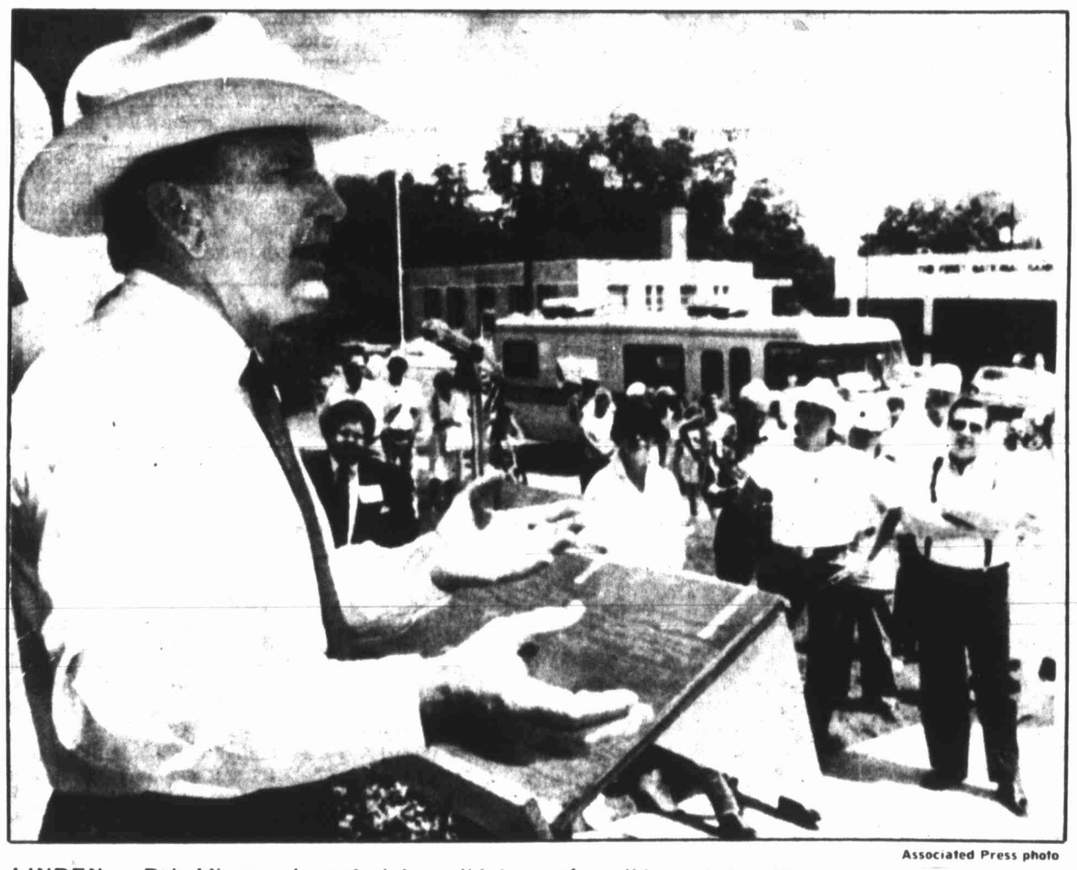
But Smith said Ms. Fonda has contributed to the federal PAC, not the state PAC from which Ms. Richards received her money. He said the two PACs do not mix funds.

In San Antonio, a Republican legislator who was a prisoner of war in Vietnam began the barrage against Ms. Richards for accepting the Hollywood Women's PAC money.

A Williams campaign employee circulated a news release about state Rep. Sam Johnson's attack.

Williams said Ms. Richards was not sensitive to veterans. "Ann Richards is not a veteran. I'm a veteran." Williams served in the

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Associated Press photo

LINDEN — Rebublican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams addresses a crowd of about 100 people on the Cass County Courthouse steps here Tuesday. His stop in Linden ended a two-day tour of small towns in East Texas. Williams faces State Treasurer Ann Richards in the November general election.

McBirney pleads innocent

By JOHN A. BOLT
AP Business Writer

DALLAS — A Sept. 4 trial date has been set for former thrift executive Edwin T. McBirney III, but his attorney may try to get the case moved from Dallas.

Paul Coggins said extensive publicity surrounding McBirney, the former chairman of Sunbelt Savings Association of Texas, may make a fair trial difficult.

"To schedule two press conferences (to announce the indictment), we think that exacerbates an already bad situation," Coggins said Thursday after McBirney's arraignment on charges of bank fraud, misapplication of funds, false entries and making false statements.

Coggins has until July 30 to ask U.S. District Judge Robert Maloney to move the trial.

McBirney, who entered an innocent plea, is one of several former thrift executives targeted for prosecution in investigations looking for fraud in the multibillion-dollar collapse of the savings and loan industry.

He was indicted last week by one of three federal grand juries in Dallas hearing bank fraud cases. The charges were announced in simultaneous news conferences in Dallas and Washington, where U.S. At-

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Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

Odessa bound

Members of the Depot's Ol' Sorehead Band (left to right), Johnnie Bess Bryan, Lou Ellen Walker, Ellen Morgan and Finley Rhodes take a break before boarding a van for Odessa Thursday. The band was scheduled to perform at the Texas Tech Medical Health Science Center and attend a nursing graduation ceremony later that same day.

Meat critics not snapping at hot dogs, industry says

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON — Animal rights groups, at least one country singer and a former Beatle have been snapping at meat eaters lately. But none has bitten down hard on the hot dog.

That's came as something of a surprise, considering it's National Hot Dog Month, the industry says. And critics might be expected to challenge this extravaganza and the 5 billion hot dogs consumed by Americans each year.

But Sara Lilygren of the American Meat Institute, a national trade association, says she has heard no specific protests about hot dogs. She did, however, mention some of the general meat protests now making the rounds.

"Hot dogs have not been attacked in any big way that I know of," Lilygren said Thursday in a telephone interview. "But there's something about a hot dog that's so all-American, maybe that's the reason."

In Ames, Iowa, this week, Paul McCartney stirred resentment among many farmers in the big corn-beef-and-pork state when his anti-meat sentiments were publicized. But the former Beatle played down his vegetarianism during his concert there Wednesday night.

"We haven't come on this tour to preach against meat," he said. "We're pro-corn, very pro-corn."

That didn't stop the Maryland-based animal rights group, People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, from offering concert goers tofu "not dogs" as an alternative to the meat kind.

Lilygren noted that Canadian-born singer k.d. lang also has been controversial with her "Meat Stinks" commercials for PETA, causing some Midwest radio stations to ban her albums.

The institute and the National Hot Dog and Sausage Council said a joint "full course hot dog lunch" in Washington, D.C., recently was

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Hot dogs

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a howling success.

More than 400 attended, including Rep. Kika de la Garza, D-Texas, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, who proclaimed hot dogs to be "an American tradition," they said.

For those who pursue trivia, the hot dog industry also provided some background:

Frankfurt-am-Main, in West Germany, is traditionally credited with inventing the frankfurter in 1484. In the late 1800s, hot dogs — also called dachshund sausages because of their shape — gained popularity in the United States, as they had in Europe.

A German butcher in New York City opened the first Coney Island hot dog stand in 1871. Hot dogs were sold at the 1893 Chicago world's fair, and they quickly became standard fare at baseball parks.

"Hot dogs earned their unique name in 1901 at the New York Polo Grounds," the report said. "On a cold April day, concessionaire Harry Stevens was losing money with ice cream and cold drinks."

Stevens, goes the legend, sent out for dachshund sausages and rolls. His vendors began hawking hot dogs from portable hot water tanks, yelling, "They're red hot! Get your dachshund sausages while they're red hot!"

Sports cartoonist Tad Dorgan heard the vendors and drew a cartoon of barking dachshund sausages on a roll with the caption, "Hot dog!" The new name stuck.

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WASHINGTON — A conservation group says a new survey shows most farmers would support changes in federal law that would help protect the environment.

Officials of the American Farmland Trust said Thursday the survey provided "strong evidence that farmers are more supportive of environmentally sound farming practices than their Washington lobbyists admit."

The survey results were released as the Senate began debate on the 1990 farm bill, a complex measure that will guide U.S. farm programs and policy for the next five years.

In recent months, the trust said, much of the debate about farm bill amendments has centered on alleged farmer resistance to changes in federal law that would help clean up the environment, including reduced use of chemicals and fertilizers.

According to the survey, more than 70 percent of about 1,000 farmers interviewed in 22 states were "interested in participating in a federal cost-sharing program that would reduce contamination of water through the adoption of new farm management practices."

Further, it said, majorities of these farmers approve of pesticide and fertilizer use plans that would help farmers economize on the use of these materials.

Ralph Grossi, president of the Farmland Trust, a membership organization, said he gave congressional agriculture committees high marks for their efforts to protect wetlands and set the right course on water quality planning and flexible cropland use.

But he added, "I give them very low marks on long-term soil protection, promotion of environmentally sustainable farming, and protection of farmland from urban encroachment."

Officials said the survey was designed to reflect national attitudes. It did not show state breakdowns.

The states where the survey was conducted are: Alabama, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Texas, Washington and Wisconsin.

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WASHINGTON — Milk prices at the farm declined last winter but regained some of their lost ground during the spring, an Agriculture Department report said.

"However, continued substantial growth in milk production and reductions in probably swollen user inventories of non-fat dry milk likely will limit further advances in milk and dairy product prices," the report said Thursday.

Milk production in the second half of 1990 probably will rise about 3 percent from a year earlier.

If wholesale prices hold relatively steady the rest of 1990, analysts said the average price increase for farm milk prices may be in the range of 3 percent to 5 percent for the entire year.



Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

The Soreheads cometh

The Martin County Senior Citizen Center's Ol' Sorehead Band performed at the Texas Tech Health Science Center in Odessa Thursday afternoon as part of the fifth anniversary of the center's Nursing School. Band members shown are, from left: Rowena Barber, Lillian Bevers, Arzella Davis, DeWitt Davis, Erlene Saunders, Faye Rhodes, Bill Walker, Elma Nichols and Fiji Rhodes. Leona Hightower is in the background.

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Army from 1954 through 1956.

Earlier Thursday, a Republican who failed twice to win his party's nomination for Texas land commissioner broke ranks and endorsed incumbent Democrat Garry Mauro over GOP nominee Wes Gilbreath.

Grady Yarbrough, who lost to Gilbreath in the March primary, said his fellow Republican "does not deserve public office in light of the racial remarks and innuendos made during our campaign."

Gilbreath, a wealthy Houston businessman, was accused of making racial comments when he referred to another GOP primary opponent, William James John, saying his "name sounds like he is a fellow of color, but he is not."

Gilbreath also was accused of injecting race into the campaign when he sent a political mailing to Republican voters days before the primary election that had a picture of Yarbrough, who is black. Yarbrough is a high school teacher near Tyler.

Those instances, said Yarbrough, "Let me know right there that this person should not hold public office."

Gilbreath has denied that he tried to use race in the election.

"He (Yarbrough) has done a pretty good job of twisting that situation around," Mike Dougherty, Gilbreath's campaign manager said.

The land commissioner manages mineral rights and gas leases on 22 million acres of state-owned land. Revenues from the leases help finance public education. The commissioner also oversees a low-interest loan program for military veterans to purchase land and homes.

In other political developments:

- Williams was endorsed by the Texas Association of Business.
- A spokesman for Rick Perry, the Republican nominee for agriculture commissioner, criticized Democrat incumbent Jim Hightower, saying he has been using a state employee on his campaign. The employee, Andy Welch, said he goes off the clock when talking to reporters about campaign issues.

McBirney

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torney General Dick Thornburgh conducted the briefing.

McBirney, 37, faces up to 85 years in jail and a fine of $4.5 million if convicted. He remains free on his own recognizance.

Dallas-based Sunbelt, nicknamed "Gunbelt Savings" for its freewheeling deals, grew 5,000 fold from 1982, when McBirney and five associates bought the thrift, until 1986, when government regulators forced him out.

Sunbelt failed two years later in a bailout regulators estimate will cost taxpayers $2 billion.

The 17-count indictment accuses McBirney of promising another thrift a $6 million profit on one transaction in return for help in financing a $700 million real estate deal in California.

Investigators say the deal was one of the reasons Sunbelt failed.

According to the indictment, McBirney guaranteed Western Savings Association, also of Dallas, a $6 million profit on any property it wished to sell. In return, Western was to provide $30 million to help finance the $700 million deal by Sun Cal, a Sunbelt subsidiary.

McBirney directed Sunbelt officials to loan $22.6 million to an unidentified purchaser to buy a 708-acre tract north of Dallas valued at $13 million, the indictment says.

The indictment claims McBirney made additional loans to keep the original loan out of default, and then altered records to hide the deals from Sunbelt and government auditors.

Thirteen former Sunbelt executives, borrowers or McBirney associates have been convicted as a result of the 2½-year-long Sunbelt investigation.

Sunbelt, Western and six other thrifts were declared insolvent in 1988, and packaged into a new institution, Sunbelt Savings, Federal Savings Bank, owned by depositors.

Deaths

Solomon Zepeda Sr.

Solomon (Sol) Zepeda Sr., 56, Big Spring, died Wednesday, July 18, 1990, in Midland.

Rosary will be at 8 p.m. tonight at the Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Services will be Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Rev. James Delaney, pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, officiating under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Burial will be in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

He was born Dec. 16, 1933 in China and came to San Diego, Calif. at age 16 from China. He married Nina Leal June 26, 1984, in Las Vegas, Nev. He had moved to Big Spring from Las Vegas 10 years ago.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He was a veteran of U.S. Marines, serving in the Korean War. He received the Purple Heart twice. He was an employee of Cline Construction Company for the past six years.

Survivors include his wife, Nina, Big Spring; one son, Solomon Zepeda Jr., Las Vegas, Nev.; two stepsons: Jeff Leal, Big Spring; and Donny Watson, Las Vegas, Nev.; two stepdaughters: Lisa Leal, Washington, D.C.; and Shelly Zepeda, Las Vegas, Nev.; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers include Ruby DeLeon, Robert Munoz, Willie Hernandez, Junior Gutierrez, Pat Huffman and E.J. Self.

Eligio Alcantar Sr.

Eligio (Lico) Alcantar Sr., 56, Big Spring, died Thursday, July 19, 1990, at a local hospital. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home and Chapel.

MYERS & SMITH
Funeral Home and Chapel
267-8288
301 E. 24th St., Big Spring

Pansy Myrick

Pansy Joe Myrick, 60, Big Spring, died Thursday, July 19, 1990, in a local hospital. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Robert Anderson

Robert (Bob) Anderson, 73, Big Spring, died Wednesday, July 18, 1990, at his home.

Rosary was 7 p.m. Thursday in the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. today at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Dwyer officiating. Burial will be in the Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He was born April 25, 1917 in Big Spring and married Conception Cortez, March 31, 1937, in El Paso. He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church and Knights of Columbus. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and had served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring and worked in the warehouse department of Cosden Oil & Chemical for 30 years, retiring in 1981.

Survivors include his wife, Conception (Helen) Anderson, Big Spring; one daughter, Wanda Anderson, Big Spring; three brothers: Ben Anderson, Tyler; and Alfred Floyd Anderson and Clovis Anderson, both of Big Spring; one niece; and two nephews.

Pallbearers will be T. D. Smith, Rosendo Santellon, Oscar Zertuche, Jack Gilbert, George Hudson, and Bob Reinert. The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel
906 GREGG
BIG SPRING

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North

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testimony cannot survive the ... test," said the opinion.

The major rulings were supported by two Reagan administration appointees, David Sentelle and Laurence Silberman. Chief Judge Patricia Wald, a Carter administration appointee, dissented.

North was convicted on May 4, 1989, by a federal court jury after a two-month trial and placed on two years' probation. North also was fined $150,000 and ordered to perform 1,200 hours of community service.

The obstruction of Congress conviction focused on North's concealment of the fact that U.S. officials knew about a CIA-assisted shipment of Hawk missiles from Israel to Iran at the time the delivery was occurring, in November 1986.

The gratuity involved his acceptance of a $13,800 home security system from Richard Secord, whom North had enlisted to airlift arms to the Contras. Secord is a retired Air Force major general turned businessman. North said he had received terrorist threats against his family and that the security system was not compensation for his official duties.

On the conviction that it reversed, the court held that Gesell's jury instruction "allowed the jury to convict without unanimously concluding that North committed any one of the criminal acts charged" in that count.

The "jury could have found that North violated (the statute) in several different ways" without agreeing unanimously that he committed a single illegal act, the court said.

"The circumstances of his destruction, alteration, and removal of documents were distinct; any of those activities could serve as an underlying criminal act," the court said in its unsigned opinion.

The verdict makes it impossible to determine whether the jury agreed unanimously that North, who claimed that he considered his actions lawful, actually intended to violate the law when he altered or destroyed documents, the majority said.

Wald said that "I ... am satisfied that North received a fair trial — not a perfect one, but a competently managed and a fair one." She said North received "all of the constitutional protections to which he was entitled."

"As in all trials of this magnitude, a few errors were made, but ... I do not find, singly or cumulatively, that any of them rose to the status of reversible error," said Wald.

Solar cars power way to finish

DETROIT (AP) — The University of Michigan's Sunrunner won an 11-day solar-powered car race from Florida to Detroit but all 32 student-built entries boosted the technology, organizers said.

"This race has definitely raised awareness of engineering and science," Michigan team member Bill Kaliardos said at the finish Thursday. "This is about as good as engineering can get."

"What these young people have learned will contribute to the future technological developments in our country," said Robert C. Stempel, president of General Motors Corp., which sponsored the GM Sunrayce USA along with the U.S. Energy Department and the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Sunlight glinted off the panels and heated the solar cells of the lightweight, low-slung cars as they zipped across the last leg of the 1,641-mile race on Thursday.

The Sunrunner had its first mechanical delay, a 10-minute stop for a drive-chain repair, but easily held its elapsed-time lead for first overall in the 11-day race.

Scuttling across the line first after Thursday's 84-mile trek, however, was Western Washington University's Viking XX, which finished second overall.

The cars whirred across the line in suburban Detroit with faint whines and hums rather than booming exhausts and smoking tires.

Like the Sunrunner, just over 3 feet high but spreading 19 feet in length and 6.6 feet across, the cars are designed to expose the maximum area of solar cells to the sun and run on minimum power — in the Sunrunner's case, 1.5 horsepower.

"We're trying to run the car on the power of a hair dryer," said Susan Fancy, a 27-year-old mechanical engineering student who was the Sunrunner's project manager.

The 575-pound Sunrunner finished in 72 hours, 50 minutes and 47 seconds, averaging 22.5 mph for the race.

The cars started July 9 at Disney World in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., and traveled over secondary roads in Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan.

GM is sending the top three finishers to Australia's World Solar Challenge, a 2,000-mile race across the Australian outback from Darwin to Adelaide. It starts Nov. 11.

Finishing third was the University of Maryland's Pride of Maryland.

"We're going to take our car back and start preparing it to go to Australia," said Bill Lingenfelter, 23, a Western Washington University industrial technology student and the Viking XX team captain.

Lingenfelter described how some 35 people worked for about 18 months to design and build the Viking XX in the vehicle research shop of the industrial technology school.

"One thing that I really like: it's all student designed and student built," Lingenfelter said of the car, which was featured on cover of Popular Science last August.

One of only three two-passenger vehicles in the race, the pontoon-like vehicle had two fishbowl-shaped cockpits facing one another. "It's very radical," Lingenfelter said.

Showing that the size of a school didn't guarantee success, the top finisher in Wednesday's 190-mile run from Greenville, Ohio, to Mason was the Star II from Crowder College of Missouri.

The 1,500-student, two-year community college finished fifth overall, edging out such engineering powerhouses as MIT, in sixth place, and Stanford, seventh. Solar Eagle of Cal State-LA was fourth.

Many of the students became involved in hopes of furthering their own careers as well as changing the face of the auto industry.

"I love cars," Fancy said. "I'm interested in the environment and alternative power vehicles. I'm hoping to work for one of the Big Three."

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDER OF ELECTION FOR OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

An election is hereby ordered to be held on August 11, 1990 for the purpose of

Election of Directors for Precinct 2 and 4

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at County Clerks office; Courthouse between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on July 23, 1990 and ending on August 7, 1990

Additional absentee voting will be held as follows:

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to

Virginia James
Courthouse
Stanton, Texas 79782

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on August 4, 1990

Issued this the 17th day of May, 1990

John F. Campbell
Presiding Officer

ORDEN DE ELECCION PARA OTRA SUBDIVISION POLITICA

Por la presente se ordena que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el 11 de Augusto de 1990 con el proposito de

Eleccion de Directors con Precinto 2 & 4

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Oficina del Secretario del condado, Corte del condado de Martin entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empenzando el 23 de Julio de 1990 y terminando el 7 de Augusto de 1990

La votacion en ausencia ademas se llevara a cabo de tal manera

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a

Virginia James
Corte del condado
Stanton, Texas 79782

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 4 de Augusto de 1990

Emitida este dia 17th de Mayo, 1990

John F. Campbell
Firma del Oficial Que Preside

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of Stanton, Texas
(A los votantes registrados del Stanton, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on August 11th, 1990, for voting in a general election to elect Trustees, precinct 2 and 4

(Notifiquese por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 11 de Augusto de 1990 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir Trustees, Precinto 2 & 4.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Commissioners Courtroom, Courthouse

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(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion En Ausencia)

Courthouse

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Stanton, Texas 79782

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(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 4 de Augusto de 1990)

Issued this the 23 day of July, 1990

(Emitada este dia 23 de Julio, 1990)

John F. Campbell

Signature of Presiding Officer

(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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