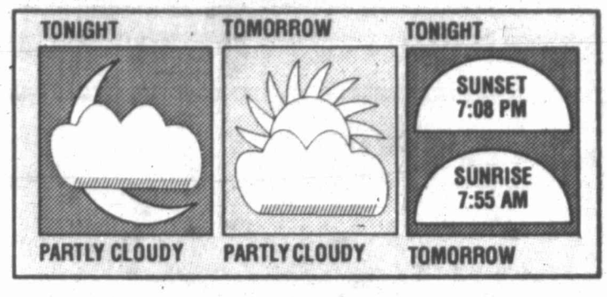
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NEWS DIGEST

Early voting continues throughout county

Early voting for the Nov. 3 general election continues at both the County Clerk's office and at locations around Howard County.

Voting booths will be set up at Canterbury North, 1600 Lancaster, from 10 a.m. until noon on Tuesday; Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster, from 10 a.m. until noon on Wednesday; Comanche Trail Nursing Home, 3200 Parkway, from 10 a.m. until noon on Thursday and Big Spring Care Center, 901 Goliad, from 10 until 11 a.m. on Friday.

Also, Coahoma City Hall, 122 N. First, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 27 and Forsan City Hall from 10 a.m. until noon on Wednesday, Oct. 28.

You tell us the issues

Readers often tell us they feel they have no input when election time rolls around — and that no one addresses the issues.

To give readers an opportunity to participate more freely in the local election process, the Herald is asking readers to submit the issues they feel are important in the race for Howard County Commissioner, Precinct 3 and Howard County Sheriff.

Only issues relating to the two county races will be considered.

Please write the issues you feel are important and send them to Editor, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79721. Readers may also bring their list by the newspaper office, located at 710 Scurry.

Lists being updated

The Big Spring Herald is updating its list of churches, civic organizations and clubs in preparation for the publishing of the 1992-93 Big Spring Community Guide.

The 32-page guide is utilized by local industry as a recruiting tool throughout the year, is distributed through the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce to visitors and newcomers and is a valuable source for information throughout the year.

If your church has a new minister, or if your civic organization or club has a new president, mailing address or telephone number, please contact Martha E. Flores at 263-7331 to provide the updated information at your earliest convenience.

Texas

• **Fake resumes prompt seminar:** Job resumes that include false information are getting to be such a problem that academic and corporate ranks are getting together for a seminar to deal with the problem. Officials say the FBI has estimated that 500,00 people nationwide claim college degrees they don't have. See Page 2A.

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• **Alamogordo trying to become home for winter tourists:** It may sound flighty, but some officials and merchants believe Alamogordo's economy, long tied to defense spending, can soar in a new direction with ostrich races, balloon rallies and other gimmicks. It's all part of a "SunBird" promotion to snatch a share of the so-called snowbird population. See Page 1B.

Sports

• **Another nobody has made this anybody's World Series:** Ed Sprague became the latest backup catcher to become a baseball hero this week, hitting a two-run, pinch-homer in the ninth inning Sunday night that rallied the Toronto Blue Jays past the Atlanta Braves 5-4. See Page 5A.

Weather

Today, highs mid 70s. Partly cloudy. Tonight, increasing cloudiness. Lows in upper 40s to mid 50s. Winds 15-20 mph from south. Rain chance 20 percent after midnight.

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Bush, Clinton, Perot set for tonight

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST LANSING, Mich. — President Bush, Bill Clinton and Ross Perot close their debate tripleheader tonight with the pressure squarely on Bush to chop Clinton's lead. But the president faces an accompanying risk that any strident attacks could backfire.

PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE

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The three candidates meet for 90 minutes tonight at Michigan State University, their presidential debate finale and the tone-setter for the two-week dash to Election Day.

"I'm just going to answer the questions," a confident Clinton said Sunday before staging mock debates with advisers. "I believe if we make the changes that I'm advocating, it will really build this country enormously."

As the front-runner, Clinton's goal was little changed from the first two debates: press his case that Bush's economic approach has failed while trying to raise the comfort level of those who reluctantly are backing his candidacy.

The stakes were far higher for Bush as he tried to extend the Republican grip on the White House to 16 years. Trailing Clinton in national polls and in most of the big electoral battlegrounds, the president needs to mount a historic comeback if he is to win a second term.

"I don't think it is going to take a bombshell," Bush campaign manager Fred Malek said Sunday. "We think this election is very, very winnable."

Still, aides promised Bush would be more aggressive than in the first two debates, but they conceded that the president needed to walk a fine line between drawing contrasts with Clinton and appearing too eager to attack.

"It can look desperate," said an administration official who spoke on condition of anonymity. This official said Bush would argue that a Clinton presidency and a Democratic Congress would send taxes and spending out of control "as well as the need for strong character in the Oval Office. ... He has to hit those themes very strongly, but not in a shrill or desperate way. He's got to get people to stop before they close the deal with Clinton."

Perot entered the final debate running a distant third in national polls, conducting his independent campaign through the debates and a series of network television ad buys instead of traditional personal appearances.

"I think the American people need to be looking for change. And there's only one method of getting change and that's to take both of these parties out of circulation for the time being and let's get somebody who will address problems," Perot coordinator Orson Swindle said on CNN's "Newsmaker Sunday."

Bush, who was flying to Michigan today, staged mock debates in Washington on Sunday as his campaign tried to shake the air of inevitability settling over a race Clinton has led since July.

But even as they insisted there was time to turn the race around, many Bush advisers conceded privately the odds were long, a sentiment voiced repeatedly by academics and analysts from both parties.

Tonight's format is split. In the first 45 minutes, Jim Lehrer of PBS will serve as single moderator. While looser than the formats used in either of the previous debates, this format is more restrictive than the approach that led to the cantankerous vice presidential debate. The candidate questioned by Lehrer will get two minutes to respond and the other candidates one minute each to rebut.

In the second 45 minutes, Lehrer will serve as moderator and the candidates will be questioned by three journalists: Helen Thomas of United Press International, Gene Gibbons of Reuters and Susan Rook of CNN.

The Associated Press, as did some other news organizations, did not participate in the debate panel because it decided it was improper that the Bush and Clinton campaigns were allowed to approve the panelists.



Herald photo by Dale Ferguson

Wrapped in his work

An artistic farmer near the Elbow Community took some time to be creative with a hayroll. Warm, dry weather has allowed farmers to get into fields to begin harvesting crops.

New info withheld in killing

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

New information on the death of Bill Kuykendall, 65, at his Big Spring home Friday was withheld this morning pending approval by Howard County Attorney Hardy Wilkerson, police said.

Wilkerson, who was involved in a court case this morning, prosecutes juvenile and misdemeanor cases for the county.

There is no official confirmation on whether police have located a 16-year-old grandson who had reportedly been staying with Kuykendall and his wife, Wanda. Police said the grandson had not been located as of Saturday afternoon.

Kuykendall, 1719 Yale, was found dead Friday afternoon with at least one gunshot wound of an unknown caliber bullet, the Big Spring Police Department reported Saturday. It was being investigated as a "suspicious death."

A late-model pickup taken from Kuykendall's home was later recovered on a dead-end street on the east edge of the city, police said.

An updated public release on the case was prepared this morning by police Lt. Pam Jordan, but was temporarily held back. "Right now it's just pending approval," Jordan said at press time.

Kuykendall was pronounced dead at 6:30 p.m. Friday by Peace Justice Willie Grant. An autopsy was ordered by Grant and it is being performed in Lubbock.

According to neighbors, the Kuykendalls were friendly and quiet. However, a neighborhood schoolmate of the grandson said some of the grandson's friends were "troublemakers."

Paperwork relief expected

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — People covered by Medicare and Medicaid may find themselves filing their claims in the next couple of years with a plastic card, much like a bank card, the government said today.

The card will be part of an electronic billing system that President Bush included in his health care reform proposal. But since Congress didn't act on it, the administration is going ahead with what it can do without new laws.

"The technology already exists to relieve consumers and health providers from the paperwork burden of today," Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan said in a statement. "We owe it to ourselves to move toward making use of this technology and do whatever we can even without congressional action."

'The technology already exists to relieve consumers and health providers from the paperwork burden of today.'

Louis Sullivan

HHS said that between 1994 and the end of the decade electronic billing could save some $30 billion.

The administration has taken heat for failing to send Congress all the legislation needed to put the president's health care plan in place. The centerpiece of that plan is a system of tax breaks and vouchers that would help the working poor pay for private health insurance.

However, the administration has sent Congress material on what it considers the non-controversial, side issues, and this electronic billing system is one of them. That legislation has gone nowhere.

Sullivan said much of the program for Medicare and Medicaid could be ready in 15 months.

The department wants to test the system in one place to see how well the health card works. The location has not been chosen.

The department also wants to set up a standardized billing form for Medicaid and all federal health care programs. The form has not yet been written.

DRRC like new outlook on life for some

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

The Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center is like a new outlook on life for some.

For many, Big Spring would be a lot different without it, said Chris Pierce, 21, who receives half-hour physical therapy sessions twice a week and a half-hour occupational therapy class once a week at the center.

"If they didn't have a place to get rehabilitation, there would be a whole lot of, I guess, down and out people," said Pierce, who in April 1990 was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis, a disease that attacks the nervous system.

"Big Spring is extremely lucky," said center Director John Yater.

With a $780,000 annual budget this year, the center provides physical and occupational therapy, cardiac rehabilitation, speech pathology, audiology and workhardening for injured workers. Cardiac rehabilitation is a new program. Also, occupational therapist Gwen Morton joined the center two months ago.

The center treats anyone with a doctors order. "No one will ever be turned away," Yater said. About 2,500 visits per month are handled.

Funding comes from Medicare, Medicaid, insurance reimbursements and donations. About $100,000 in donations are needed this year.

About one-fourth of the donations come from United Way of Big Spring and Howard County. This year, United Way agreed to donate $24,000, up $1,098 from the past year. The center is one of 10 local agencies funded in part by United Way. The United Way fund raising goal this year is $235,000.

For Pierce, places like the rehabilitation center are more than just a place to receive treatment. "They provide a place for me to go to socialize," he said. "I feel real good about it."

Pierce said he learned about his affliction two months before graduating Big Spring High School when his hands all of a sudden became numb. He made trips to a chiropractor and the hospital before being referred to a neurologist.

"I didn't know what to expect or how to deal with it," he said of his surprise to learn of the diagnosis.

The disease is believed by some to be a virus that attacks tissues covering nerves, leaving scars that prevent nerve impulses from passing through. There is no cure but it affects everyone different, attacking different areas of the nervous system at different speeds, killing some but stabilizing in others. Medications help some.

It put Pierce in a wheelchair about six months and stopped him from attending a nine-month technical school in Wyoming to which he had already been accepted and where he intended to study to become a mechanic. But it didn't stop him from being active. He is a founding member of the Howard County Coalition for the Environment, which conducts local trash recycling drives.

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Texas

Stigma delays help

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT WORTH — Health officials say an ancient stigma against leprosy is preventing Texans who suffer with the skin-rotting disease from seeking early treatment.

The number of reported leprosy cases, on the decline nationally, is increasing in Texas. Thirty-nine new cases have been reported so far this year, equalling the number for all of last year, state health officials said.

About 450 Texans in different stages of the disease are being treated with a long-term drug regimen, officials said.

Leprosy, known in medical journals as Hansen's disease, lays waste to the peripheral nerves and tissue. If detected and treated early, it is fully curable.

Richard Billingsley, regional coordinator of the Hansen's Disease Program for the Texas Department of Health, said he and colleagues are frustrated by the stigma that makes treatment difficult because victims often refuse to disclose their affliction.

Billingsley said Texas' 1992 increase in reported cases might reflect new awareness — not a surge — in the biblical disease.

"It's not that cases are decreasing or increasing," Billingsley said. "The cases are always out there. It's just that we're making more progress in diagnosing them earlier."

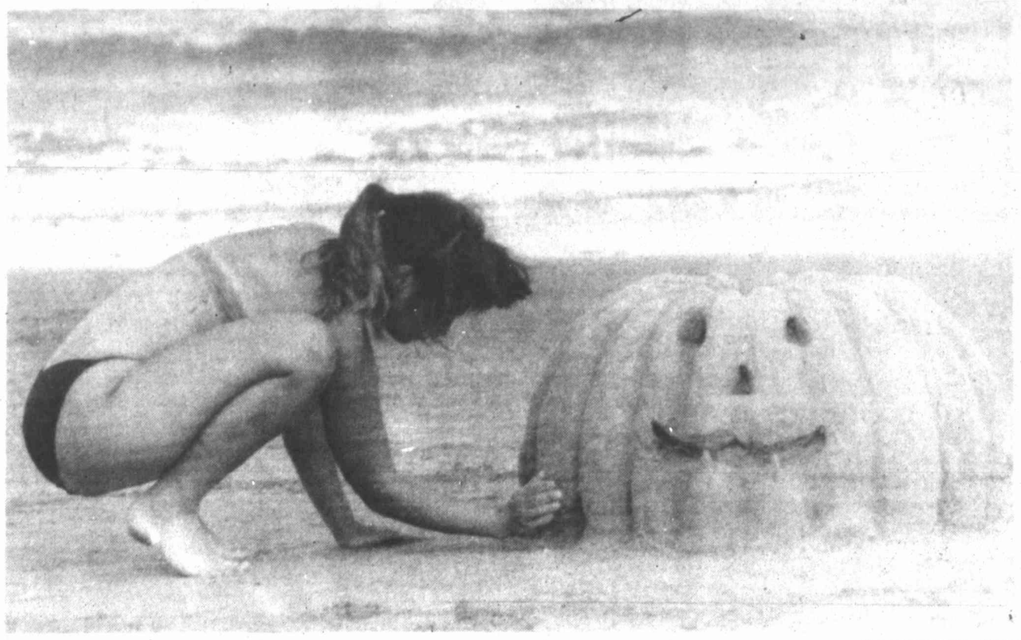
Lack of public awareness and varied symptoms make diagnosis more complicated.

"A lot of doctors would look at it and never recognize it," said Gerry Burgess, head of the Tuberculosis-Hansen's Disease program for the Fort Worth-Tarrant County Public Health Departments.

"I've had doctors say to me, 'Gee, that's interesting. I didn't know we still had leprosy.'"

Dr. Eric Svenkerud, medical consultant with the health department's Disease Control and Epidemiology unit, said early signals include skin lesions or patches that won't heal after receiving routine antibacterial treatments.

Researchers don't know whether leprosy infection requires physical contact. Immigration from areas where leprosy is more common, such as Southeast Asia, Cuba and parts of Mexico, has affected Texas rates, officials said.



Associated Press photo

Sandcastle jack-o-lantern

Debby Tenders of Laguna Vista creates a sandcastle jack-o-lantern during the 5th annual Sand Castle Days on South Padre Island.

NM UFO debate ongoing

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

IRVING — Both sides in a UFO debate remain light years apart nearly half a century after the Army claimed briefly it had recovered a flying disc in New Mexico.

Experts at a weekend conference agreed the 1947 announcement in Roswell was a big mistake. They disagreed heatedly over how the mistake was made.

"The many rumors regarding the flying disc became a reality yesterday when the intelligence office of the 509th Bomb Group ... was fortunate enough to gain possession of the disc," said the release prepared by 1st Lt. Walter Haut.

Skeptics said there is no hard evidence the wreckage was anything other than the remains of a military balloon. That was the Army's final explanation after the wreckage was flown aboard a B-29 to Fort Worth.

"It was a big embarrassment," said UFO debunker Philip J. Klass, former senior editor of Aviation Week and Space Technology.

The release was issued on the authority of an intelligence officer who was unable to identify the wreckage, Klass said at the national meeting of the Committee for the Scientific Investigation of Claims of the Paranormal.

CSICOP, based in Buffalo, N.Y., encourages the critical investigation of paranormal and fringe-science claims from a responsible scientific point of view, the group said.

Some researchers of unidentified flying object reports believe the government goofed in 1947 by calling attention to the find — and has had to cover up the discovery ever since.

"It was no Goddamn weather balloon," was the deathbed declaration of an eyewitness, according to Donald R. Schmitt, co-author of UFO Crash at Roswell and director of special investigations at the J. Allen Hyneck Center for UFO Studies, Chicago.

Not only does Schmitt believe the wreckage was a UFO, he is investigating reports that the military recovered the bodies of aliens from an escape pod from the craft.

Schmitt and Kevin D. Randle have tracked down hundreds of witnesses, but have been stumped in the effort to find a nurse believed to have helped autopsy the "alien" bodies.

The nurse had told a friend the bodies were smaller and more delicate than an adult human, with large heads and large concave eyes, Schmitt said in his book. Their hands had four fingers and no thumb, she reportedly said.

There had been a report the nurse later died in a plane crash, but Schmitt said Saturday, "We are convinced she is still alive."

Other witnesses contacted by the authors said they were scared by threats made at the time by U.S. military officers.

"They were told that, 'We will kill your children if you ever talk about this,'" Schmitt said.

Frank Joyce, the radio newsman in Roswell who sent the story to United Press on July 8, 1947, said he was astounded by the way rancher W.W. "Mac" Brazel changed his story after being questioned by the Army about the wreckage he found in a sheep pasture.

"That kind of put me in a shock," said Joyce, who said he interviewed Brazel two days before the rancher was brought to radio station KGFL to explain the discovery.

"He was an American hero, a real Westerner, living up to the Code of the West: you don't look a guy in the eye and lie to him," Joyce told The Associated Press last week in a telephone interview from his home in Albuquerque, N.M.

As Brazel was leaving the radio studio that day, Joyce said something to the effect of, "You know what they say about little green men . . ." Joyce recalled.

Brazel replied grimly, "They weren't green," Joyce said.

Such 45-year-old recollections don't carry as much weight with the skeptics as government documentation.

Klass cited 1,000 documents declassified and released in 1978 by the Central Intelligence Agency.

Fraud seminar set to probe resumes

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

PASADENA — Job resumes that include false information are getting to be such a problem that academic and corporate ranks are getting together for a seminar to deal with the problem.

Officials say the FBI has estimated that 500,00 people nationwide claim college degrees they don't have. Also, a congressional study estimates that one-third of the job applicants fake their resumes or at least include inaccuracies in them.

The "Academic Records Fraud in the Workplace" seminar Thursday in Pasadena will enlist business and academic minds, say organizers who hope the meeting becomes a national model.

"This is the first time this has ever been done anywhere in the United States that I know of," said Del Long, president-elect of the Southeast Texas Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers.

Planners say that despite the timing, the seminar had been planned for many months and has nothing to do with the recent controversy over false claims in the resume of former Texas Railroad Commission Chairwoman Lena Guerrero.

Guerrero resigned her post last month after it was reported that she does not have the degree from the University of Texas that she had claimed to have.

She has remained in the race for the Railroad Commission.

Long said one Houston-area employer decided after reading about the seminar to check on the situation at his company "and the very first person they checked on proved to have inaccurate information on their resume."

The rising numbers of false claims in recent years indicate that a weak economy has led more people to lie on their resumes, say those who scrutinize the documents.

"People become a little desperate and make the resume fit a particular job," said Ben Meador, president of the Pasadena-based Meador Companies, a group of national executive-recruiting and personnel firms.

"One of the most prevalent things we see is people who allege they have graduated from a college or university with a particular degree," Meador said.

Even recruiting firms, in an industry that specializes in finding out the facts, often carry insurance in case they, too, get fooled.

Meador cited the case of a man who for 20 years convinced his employers at major companies that he had a certain degree. He was caught only after some checking by a top manager who went to the same school.

Morris Covin, head of Morris Covin and Associates, a Deer Park private investigation and security company, sees the worst-case examples.

"With very few exceptions, whenever I've been called into a situation where someone's been involved in embezzlement or fraud or whatever, it's somebody who shouldn't have been on the payroll to start with," Covin said.

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Names in the news

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

DUBLIN, Ireland — Even Madonna has her limits, you know.

The often outrageous pop star says Irish singer Sinead O'Connor went too far in tearing up a picture of the pope on television.

"I think there's a better way to present her ideas rather than ripping up an image that means a lot to other people," she in an interview with Irish state RTE radio. "If she's against the Roman Catholic Church and she has a problem with them, I think she should talk about it."

Madonna, raised in a Roman Catholic home, said in the interview broadcast Wednesday that she may agree with O'Connor but "I think you have to do more than denigrate a symbol."

On the Oct. 3 episode of NBC's "Saturday Night Live," O'Connor sang the protest song "War," then held up a photo of Pope John Paul II and slowly ripped it to pieces. She exhorted the audience to "fight the real enemy."

She has railed against the church in Ireland, including its prohibitions on divorce and abortion.

Madonna has stirred controvery of her own with her sexually suggestive treatment of religious subject matter in her music videos and concerts.

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LONDON — Fashion model Iman says she suffered "emotional agony" when she saw firsthand the effects of civil war and famine in her homeland of Somalia.

The 37-year-old wife of rock star David Bowie went back to Somalia earlier this month for the first time in 20 years to make a documentary for the British Broadcasting Corp.

On Sunday, she said she wanted to put "a face on the pain" of Somalia, where more than 100,000 people have died because of drought and warfare and 2 million more are at immediate risk of starving.

"My people are not a nation of victims and beggars," said Iman, now a U.S. citizen. "I am not pleading for your help. That is a matter for your conscience. I just want you to be aware of what and who is dying."

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DALLAS — Garth Brooks says he will give die-hard fans the first five rows during his next concert tour so ticket scalpers don't get the best seats.

The country star announced the plan before a concert Saturday at Reunion Arena. The show sold out in less than 30 minutes July 22.

Brooks also said Dallas is the likely site of his second TV special. He said that during the first year of his career, "I played in Dallas more than the Cowboys did."

"This place means a lot to me," he said.

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NEW YORK — This just in ... NBC newswoman Mary Alice Williams has given birth to twin girls.

Williams, 43, gave birth Saturday at New York Hospital's Cornell Medical Center, publicist Jay Mulford said Sunday. Williams and the still-unnamed girls were reported doing well.

The former anchorwoman and vice president at CNN is married to TV producer Mark Haefeli. They have a 2½-year-old daughter, Alice Ann.

Williams was a co-host of the Sunday edition of NBC's "Today" show before going on maternity leave in August.

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ALLENTOWN, Pa. — Spike Lee says he and actor Denzel Washington knew the pressure was on to make a great film when they took on the topic of Malcolm X.

Both did not want to go down in history "as two bums who messed up Malcolm's life," the filmmaker said Saturday.

"Malcolm X," which opens Nov. 20, will teach young people that the slain black rights leader stressed education, Lee said. He predicted the movie will leave audiences emotionally drained but spiritually uplifted.

Lee was in Allentown to accept a Contributors to the Arts award from the Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the United Negro College Fund.

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Communist Party names officials loyal to reforms

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BEIJING — The Communist Party, capping a week-long effort to set the policies that will lead China into the next century, today named to its top body three officials believed loyal to Deng Xiaoping's reforms.

The new seven-member Standing Committee of the Politburo, the apex of the political hierarchy, retains four former members and now appears dominated by supporters of Deng's policy of relaxing economic controls while maintaining tight political controls.

Vice Premier Zhu Rongji, Gen. Liu Huaqing, vice chairman of the Central Military Commission, and Tibet party chief Hu Jintao joined party general secretary Jiang Zemin, Premier Li Peng, Li Ruihuan and Qiao Shi on the Standing Committee.

A beaming Jiang presented his six colleagues to journalists at the Great Hall of the People, but they withdrew after Jiang made a brief speech and refused to take questions. All wore dark Western suits except Liu, who wore his green military uniform.

Deng, 88, wants to ensure that his death does not mean the end of his policy of borrowing from capitalism to speed up economic development.

Deng was a delegate to the party congress that ended Sunday but did not attend, finally appeared in public today to show support for the new leaders.

The state-run Xinhua News Agency said he, other party elders and the new Politburo Standing Committee met in the Great Hall with the congress' more than 2,000 delegates and posed for pictures.

"The congress was a great success," Xinhua quoted Deng as saying.

The party, which on Sunday appointed a new Central Committee, also named a new 20-member Politburo today that replaces aging officials with younger technocrats from economically important cities and provinces.

Zhu, 64, trained as an engineer, has served as an economic troubleshooter over the past year and was recently made director of a new economic super-ministry, the State Economic and Trade Office.

The appointment of Liu, 76, goes against the party's proclaimed goal of putting younger men in office, but Deng is believed to have wanted a loyal military officer on the Standing Committee.

Hu, 49, party secretary of Tibet, was a dark horse because he has not held a major national position. Although he was a protege of the late Hu Yaobang, a relatively liberal national party chief, the army harshly suppressed protests in Tibet under his leadership.

Articles in the party newspaper the People's Daily during the congress stressed the need to appoint capable, ideologically sound officials to lead China into the 21st century.

However, previous efforts at arranging a succession have failed and there is no guarantee it will work this time. Jiang in particular does not have the personal power base and prestige he is likely to need to survive Deng's death.

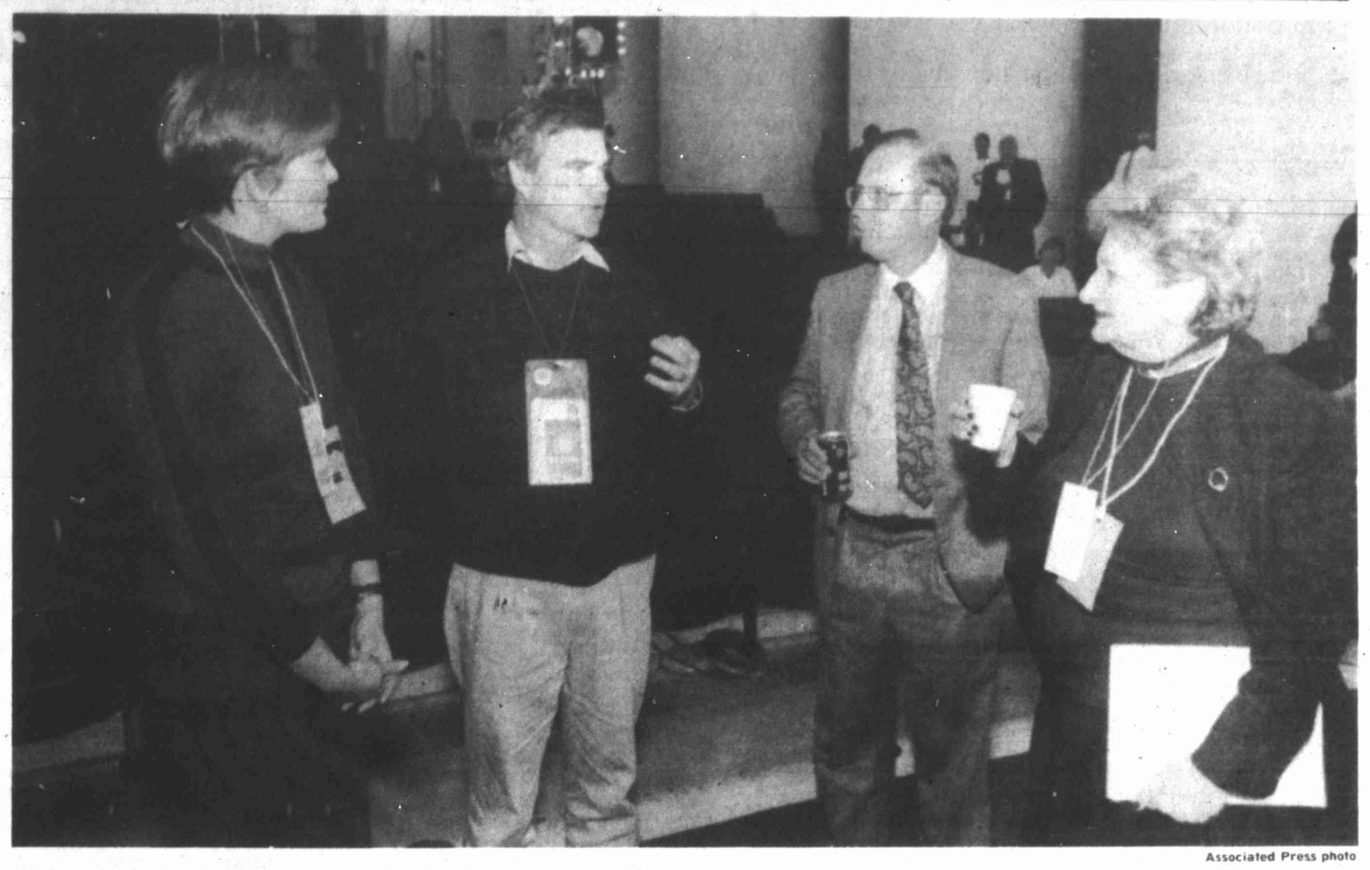
Jiang retained his post as chairman of the Central Military Commission, a post that usually is given to the party general secretary.

As expected, President Yang Shangkun, an 85-year-old retired general, stepped down as vice chairman of the military commission. He also resigned from the Politburo.

Missing from the new Standing Committee, which has one more seat than before, were Song Ping and Yao Yilin, both 75 and both conservatives with backgrounds in economic planning.

Yao is still one of five vice premiers, a post he is likely to keep until the National People's Congress meets in the spring.

Song is head of the party Organization Department, which is powerful because it makes lower-level party appointments, but will likely be replaced soon in that post.



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Planning tonight's debate

Ed Fouhy (second from left), executive producer for the Commission on Presidential Debates, talks with debate panelists Susan Rook (left) of CNN, Gene Gibbons of Reuters and Helen Thomas of United Press International during a walk-through at Michigan State University.

Washington briefs

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Investigators say Agriculture Department official Sarita Schotta awarded jobs and contracts to acquaintances, spent thousands of dollars on questionable training programs and used her government car phone to call a gourmet shop and beauty salon.

USDA's Office of Inspector General found that under Schotta's direction, there have been numerous violations of federal laws or regulations involving hiring, training, contracts and travel. The report identified Schotta by title, but not by name.

Schotta, deputy administrator for management with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, joined the agency as a political appointee in June 1989.

She called the audit a "vindictive piece" prompted by "fat-cat bureaucrats." She said in an interview last week that she is being hounded by "good-old-boy whistleblowers" who resent change and her hiring of women and outsiders.

The report found that more than $400,000 in contracts had been awarded to a claims processing company in increments of less than $25,000. Spending of less than $25,000 doesn't require competitive bidding. The audit did not identify the company.

Schotta's superior, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Administrator Keith D. Bjerke, called the findings "unfounded accusations."

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WASHINGTON — People are smoking less, countries are cutting back armies and nuclear weapons, and industry is producing less oil and fewer ozone-destroying chemicals.

Could the world be turning into a better place?

Not yet, the Worldwatch Institute said in a report Saturday. But there are encouraging trends.

A look at 36 environmental and social indicators in the report "Vital Signs" still shows trouble signs.

Among the most disturbing trends is a worldwide slide in grain production as population continues to grow at record rates. The world harvest in 1992 is expected to be at a five-year low of 686 pounds per person this year, said Lester R. Brown, president of Worldwatch and co-author of the report.

Brown said that with the demise of the nuclear threat, population growth is now "the leading threat to our future."

Despite worldwide declines in fertility rates, population grew by a record 92 million in 1991, with 80 million of the new arrivals living in the Third World, the report said. A new record has been set every year since 1975.

Other negative indicators include falling fish catches, rainforest depletion, reduced energy efficiency, disappearing bird species, and increasing global temperatures.

The good news is that cigarette smoking is down, bicycle production is outpacing car production, military spending is down, strategic nuclear stockpiles have fallen, and production of ozone-depleting chlorofluorocarbons has fallen 46 percent since the peak year in 1988.

Worldwatch is a non-profit environmental and social research group financed by worldwide sale of its publications and private grants.

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WASHINGTON — A House committee wants universities to disclose their ties to foreign companies so research done at government expense can be steered away from America's overseas competitors.

The National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation should write new rules to make this part of the way they give out research grants, said a report by the House Government Operations Committee.

And if they don't require it, Congress should, concluded the report released this weekend.

The General Accounting Office found that universities and their researchers often have financial arrangements with businesses. In almost half the cases, these businesses end up getting exclusive rights or licenses to use the technology.

The report did not name any of the companies involved and did not look into whether there was anything wrong with any of these deals. It just pointed out that opportunity exists for conflicts of interest.

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WASHINGTON — Federal prosecutors aren't pursuing a big portion of bank fraud cases at a time when the FBI caseload of such investigations is increasing, says a General Accounting Office report.

U.S. attorneys declined to prosecute more than half the cases investigated by the FBI in the last two years, said the report by the congressional agency released Sunday.

And, it added, about one third of the cases not prosecuted involve allegations of fraud of $100,000 or more at banks and savings and loan institutions.

Contractor withheld Hubble woes

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Federal authorities say a contractor withheld data that would have revealed focusing problems with the $1.5 billion Hubble Space Telescope before it was sent aloft, The New York Times reported today.

NASA's inspector general may demand that the contractor pay substantial damages, the newspaper reported, citing unidentified federal officials.

NASA disclosed that Hubble had blurred vision in June 1990, two months after it was launched from a space shuttle. At first it was assumed several warning signs were overlooked.

But NASA investigators now say they have evidence that the Danbury, Conn., contractor, owned by Perkin-Elmer Corp. for most of the 1980s, misled the space agency into thinking the telescope's 8-foot mirror was perfect, the Times said.

In one case, the newspaper said, they say a photograph of a test of the mirror's smoothness — known as an interferogram — was clipped around its edges, stripping it of wavy lines indicating trouble.

Ronald R. Rigby Jr., leader of a mirror-polishing team for Perkin-Elmer, said NASA is "looking for a scapegoat" to deflect charges it was lax in overseeing the telescope's production.

Hughes Aircraft, which bought Perkin-Elmer's optics division in 1989, said it wasn't responsible because it didn't own the division at the critical time in the mirror's fabrication.

Hubble originally was hailed as a technological triumph.

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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

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Governor can help farmers

Cotton farmers across the state are attmepting to get Gov. Ann Richards to put the *Boll Weevil Eradication Bill* before the Legislature at the earliest opportunity.

This is yet another attempt by Texas farmers to eliminate the boll weevil, an enemy of U.S. cotton farmers and the cotton industry for the past 100 years.

And this is a chance for Richards to correct the wrong she committed last year when she vetoed the eradication act.

A beltwide boll weevil eradication program has virtually eliminated the boll weevil from Virginia and the Carolinas as well as Arizona and California. A program in the south is eliminating the weevil there.

And then there's Texas.

This new bill was sponsored in the House by Rep. Pete Patterson, D-Brookston, and in the Senate by Sen. Bill Sims, D-San Angelo. It has the full support of the nine certified cotton producing organizations in the state, but must be approved by the Legislature before cotton producers may hold a referendum.

We join producers in urging the governor to put this important legislation before the Legislature as soon as possible.

Bush, Clinton & Perot show stripes



Bob Greene

One of the most momentous and far-reaching effects of the presidential debates has gone virtually unmentioned.

Foreign policy is interesting. The deficit is important. Taxes are worth thinking about.

But all of those pale to insignificance when compared with the great thing that those three wonderful candidates have already accomplished:

They have just about done away with dog-vomit ties forever.

Yes, President Bush, Gov. Clinton and Mr. Perot, obviously agreeing on the most vital matter of all, each wore a striped tie during the first debate. It was the most heartening — even thrilling — example we have yet seen during this campaign of how, on matters of true historical weight, men with differing political philosophies can put their disagreements aside and accomplish something for the common good.

Which Bush, Clinton and Perot did during that first debate. By each wearing a fine, decent, nononsense striped tie, the three men effectively ended the awful reign of dog-vomit neckwear. I will be surprised if, by Election Day, you will be able to find a single dog-vomit tie in a men's clothing store, or on a city street.

Dog-vomit ties, of course, are the ties we wrote several columns about last year. As always, we hereby apologize profusely for using that term in print — we know that it's not the most pleasant thing to read in the paper. But we must be unblinkingly accurate — and the only way to truthfully describe the ties that gained such popularity in recent years is to say straight-out what they look like. Which is dog vomit.

Owners of men's clothing stores, in a willful attempt to make American men wear ties they despise, virtually stopped stocking striped ties. American men love striped ties — they always have. Striped ties are what ties are supposed to be.

But out of some perverse and sadistic quirk, the clothing-store owners simply ceased allowing men to purchase striped ties. A man would walk into a clothing store — and all he would see were ties that looked like dog vomit. The patterns were nauseating and nonsensical — swirls, amoebas, splashes of disgusting color. If a man asked to see a striped tie, as often as not he was told that striped ties simply were not for sale any longer. They had been declared out of fashion.

We did what we could here in this column to fight the trend, but ours was a lone voice in the wilderness.

Until this, the last phase of the 1992 presidential campaign.

Three brave men, each with his own political philosophy — and each standing behind a lectern with a striped tie hanging from around his neck.

There was George Bush, wearing a red tie with blue and white stripes running through it.

There was Bill Clinton, with a striped tie featuring hues of blue, white and red.

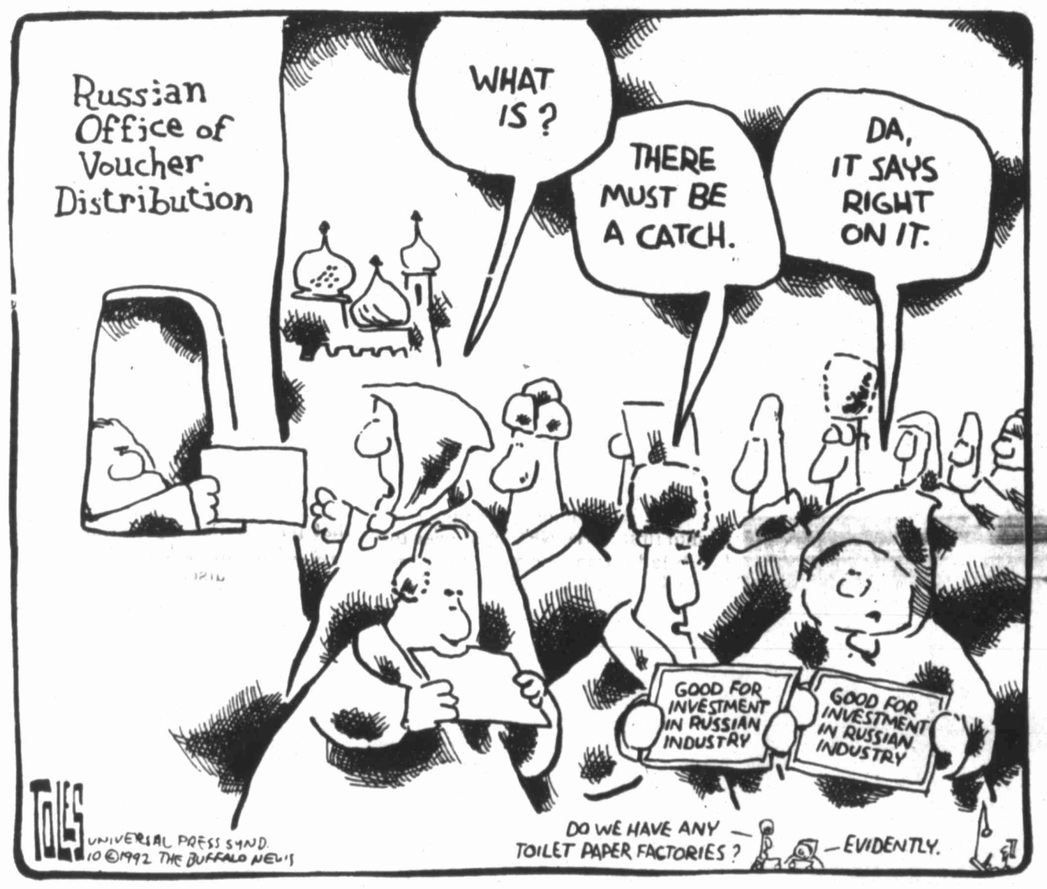
There was Ross Perot with the best striped tie of all three, a blue one with red and yellow stripes crossing it.

One of these men is going to be our next president. And they were telling the whole world: America may be in the midst of some economic troubles. America may have tension on its city streets. America may seem adrift on any number of domestic crises.

But America is through with dog-vomit ties. The three leaders stood together proudly, and even in corners of the planet where the citizens could see the television pictures but could not understand the English language, the signal was clear: The torch has been passed. This country is finally united. Read our ties: No more dog vomit.

It's impossible to know whether the three candidates discussed this with each other in advance. Whether they did or they didn't, the result was the same. What a stirring, patriotic picture: Bush, the seasoned, experienced commander in chief; Clinton, the fresh new voice of an emerging political generation; Perot, the tough and wildly successful entrepreneur — all wearing striped ties, all demonstrating to people all over the globe that this is America, where stripes will not be banished or pushed aside or hidden.

As of this week, stripes are back and dog vomit is dead. It took three courageous political leaders to accomplish this, but accomplish it they did. There will be two more presidential debates, of course, and if any of the three candidates show up wearing dog vomit, they will undermine all the good they have done. I think we can trust them not to fail us in this way. They have already proved their greatness, all three of them. History will be kind. Thank you, and good night.



Brenda Brooks



There is a heated debate raging in the state of Texas.

The subject is adoption across racial lines. There have been two highly publicized cases in the last few months involving white foster care parents wanting to adopt the non-white foster child in their care. In both cases, the foster parents had custody of the children for a number of years.

On one side of the controversy are the social workers. Their position is that the children's best interest would be served by being adopted by same race families. There are also siblings involved and the social workers want to keep the siblings together.

On the other side are the foster parents who have raised these children from infants.

And right smack in the middle are the children.

Who is right?

In my opinion, both sides.

I don't know if you can remember the old Montgomery Ward catalogs, but each page had a Good, Better and Best buy.

I don't think anyone would disagree the "Best Buy" for any child is to be raised by their biological parents in a loving and financially sound environment. Since these particular children are already in foster care, we can assume this is not an option.

A "Better Buy" would have been for these children to have been placed as infants in a same race adoptive family. To leave children in foster care for years should not be an option.

Since they weren't placed with same race foster parents to begin with, then the "Good Buy" would be to leave them where they are. The social workers have valid concerns and as a minority, I can understand their concerns.

However, as a mother, I know that love and security must precede lessons on racial pride and heritage. As in each situation in life, we must set options as to what is Best, Better or Good. Often we will find the "Best Buy" is beyond our reach. If however, we don't lose sight of our goals, and using a little common sense, we can find "Better" or "Good" option.

I don't know how many children are in foster care in the State of Texas — one is too many. I don't know how long on the average a child remains in foster care, but a childhood is too long. In looking for a "Best Buy" in adoption, I think race should be a factor. However, in the cases mentioned, The "Best Buy" for everyone would be to leave the children with the people they call "Mommy" and "Daddy."

Brenda Brooks writes a column that addresses issues of importance to the black community. Her column appears every other Monday. Readers wishing to comment may do so by writing in care of this newspaper.

The Writer's Art

The many uses of sandpaper



James J. Kilpatrick

A great many things in this world depend for their success on a final bit of attention. It's a sprig of parsley on the platter. It's the earrings that complete a fine ensemble. So it is with the writing art. The difference between a so-so piece and a good piece often lies in the final copyediting.

Let me give you an example. On Sept. 23, President Bush was campaigning in Georgia. The Associated Press provided a little background: "Though traditionally one of the South's most Democratic states, Bush rolled up nearly 60 percent of the vote in 1988."

That is what is known in the trade as a hanging phrase. If the writer had taken pains to edit his copy, he would have recast that hapless sentence: "Though traditionally one of the South's most Democratic states, Georgia gave Bush nearly 60 percent of the vote in 1988."

Last May a veteran writer for The Washington Times began a column: "Inspecting a gaggle of hollyhocks in a private garden near Chevy Chase Circle, my attention was drawn to two specks in the air."

This was a hanging participle. Attention was not inspecting the gaggle. The writer was inspecting the gaggle. Careful editing would have given the orphan phrase a proper subject to hang onto.

This is another, from the Knight-Ridder news service in June: "Standing on a boardwalk raised a few inches above the wet ground, Jaworski's forest-green slicker . . . blends into the russets, browns and grays of Cedar Bog."

Well, now, the slicker wasn't standing on the boardwalk, and if the reporter had stood back and looked at that lead, he would have thought that was a pretty odd slicker to be standing there all by itself.

An ancient metaphor says that writing is carpentry. Any jackleg can nail two boards together, and any 10-year-old can write a couple of coherent sentences. What counts is the final sandpapering. Even in rough carpentry, the good artisans leave no splintered edges.

An important device in prose composition is parallelism. One reporter for The New York Times used the device properly. He spoke of the need for a Yugoslavian republic that respects "human rights, established borders, and the peaceful arbitration of differences." The three nouns — rights, borders and arbitration — lined up as neatly as so many Citadel cadets.

Another reporter for The New York Times got it right, but awkwardly right. He was writing from Berkeley, Calif., about a new advanced light source: "That could mean new ways to treat heart disease, less air pollution and more efficient engines."

It was a clumsy sentence. A reader stumbles along, waiting for objects of the infinitive "to treat." Will the invention treat less air pollution? Will it treat more efficient engines? No, we must back up to the principal verb, "mean," and discover that the light source could mean new ways, mean less pollution and mean more efficient engines. The sentence had splinters on it.

Professional writers know they must edit their copy. What about personal letters? If there is any possibility that a letter may be published, we ought to treat it with the same loving care. Some years ago, a rich playboy named Tommy Manville went through half a dozen wives, half a dozen divorces and at least a dozen lawsuits. It was said that he began his letters, "Dear Gladys and Gentlemen of the Jury." There was a careful writer for you.

Wallace E. Stickney, director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, wasn't so careful. He wrote Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass., about a list of homosexuals that a subordinate official had prepared. "The list in question was destroyed in the presence of myself and other agency officials," Stickney wrote.

Given a sentence as wretched as that one, an experienced writer will start over. He will sand it and smooth it. Maybe, "Other agency officials were with me when the list was destroyed." Or, "I destroyed the list in question in the presence of other officials."

The sandpapering process begins, of course, with a careful check for the splinters of typographical errors. A reporter in Olympia, Wash., wrote a hurried lead on Aug. 28: "Police responded to a call from one of the witnesses in the Marquez trial, said Ed Sorger, a defective lieutenant with the Lacey Police Department." Ouch! Who has the tweezers?

Keep the dome off my home



Lewis Grizzard

ATLANTA — Anybody who would move baseball indoors would keep a puppy in a cage, step on a rose, or put a veil on Kim Basinger.

In Minneapolis they play this delightful game, which is more American than George Bush and Bill Clinton combined, inside a Hefty bag filled with air. In Houston they play it inside a cavernous mausoleum.

In Toronto, they play baseball in a building that includes a hotel. Once during a Blue Jays game a couple made love in a room visible to certain portions of the spectators who came for baseball and got Mickey Rourke and Kim Basinger in "9 1/2 Weeks."

Bat night. Ball night. Cap Night. Sex Night. It had to happen.

Baseball screams to be played where it can breathe. Where a fly ball could soar undisturbed all the way to the North Star shining.

And it should be played on grass grown out of the good earth, not upon some synthetic fabric developed in the laboratory by damp, pale people who have never read a box score, are unfamiliar with bats that crack, and the subsequent resounding roar of a sunbathed or star-enclosed crowd.

Dick Allen, a former first baseman, once said, "I don't want to play on anything a mule can't eat."

But now I give you the Atlanta Fulton County Stadium, an outdoor arena. It's an hour before the Atlanta Braves are to play the Pittsburgh Pirates in Game One of the National League Championship Series. Sportswriters call it the NCLS. It sounds like a bank. I'm calling it "Us Against Them."

It's 7:28, more than an hour before the first pitch.

Put this indoors?

Let a computer turn on climate control?

It's an early October chill. August is gone and the dragon humidity is a whimpering poodle with a ribbon in its hair.

It could be in the 40s before this thing is over, somebody said on the radio.

Sweatshirts, not tanktops, is the dress. Are those the Pirates and the Braves on the red clay and real grass? In this weather, I nearly expect to see Georgia and Auburn in helmet and pads.

A guy sang, "This just isn't like last year."

How could it be? Miracles don't come back to back.

But the dipping temperatures blend with the noise, the anxious crowd (and they're playing "Achy-Breaky Heart" on the sound system), and even if it doesn't have the almost frightening electricity of a post season ago, it's still as good a place to be as any other on the planet at this moment.

"They ain't doin' this in Russia tonight, are they?" a friend said, as we motor to the stadium.

The sky was blue as Tommy Lasorda's blood, and then the darkness fell. I looked up and saw three birds, two sets of balloons and a Goodyear blimp selling tires from the heavens.

You can't have this and have baseball indoors. Pavoratti was better outdoors at Hyde Park in London, even in the rain, than he was inside Lincoln Center. Willie Nelson was better in the back yard of Jimmy Carter's White House in 1977 than he was inside Atlanta's Omni.

They moved pro football inside in Atlanta. Let 'em. If the Falcons are the same ol' Falcons maybe the roof over the Georgia Dome will keep the odor from spreading.

But never let us give in to moving baseball in Atlanta under anything that doesn't cloud up and rain occasionally. Some idiot may come along one of these days and suggest it, and we could go the way of Minneapolis and the others.

God forbid.

It's getting cooler. The players have been introduced. The crowd booed the Pirates trainers. The Brave who got the loudest cheer was catcher Greg Olson and his broken leg.

And now, they are tomahawkin'. The chop chop is right. No Native American protestors are in sight and, because of all the celebrities in Ted Turner's box, I can't see if Jane Fonda is doing a single or double chop.

The Braves take the field at 8:39.

I like my baseball outdoors and my sex in private.

This date

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Today is Monday, Oct. 19, the 293rd day of 1992. There are 73 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

Five years ago, on Oct. 19, 1987, the stock market crashed as the Dow Jones Industrial Average, amid frenzied selling, plunged 508 points — its worst-ever one-day decline.

On this date:

In 1765, the Stamp Act Congress, meeting in New York, drew up a declaration of rights and liberties.

In 1781, British troops under Lord Cornwallis surrendered at Yorktown, Va., as the American Revolution neared its end.

Today's Birthdays: The U.S. ambassador to Russia, Robert S. Strauss, is 74. Actress LaWanda Page is 72. Columnist Jack Anderson is 70. Author John Le Carre is 61. Actor John Lithgow is 47. The president of the National Organization for Women, Patricia Ireland, is 47.

Sports

Toronto Blue Jays come through in pinch

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

ATLANTA — Another nobody has made this anybody's World Series.

Ed Sprague became the latest backup catcher to become a baseball hero this week, hitting a two-run, pinch-homer in the ninth inning Sunday night that rallied the Toronto Blue Jays past the Atlanta Braves 5-4.

Sprague's stunning shot, with one out off career saves leader Jeff Reardon, evened the Blue Jays and Braves at 1-1, and sent it back to Toronto for the first World Series game ever outside the United States.

"When I hit it, I didn't feel it. I kind of lost it in the lights," Sprague said. "I don't think it has set in yet, but I know what it means — we're tied going back to Toronto."

On a night when everything looked wrong for the Blue Jays — the Canadian flag was presented upside down and they were the victim of a bad call at home plate — Sprague made it all right.

Sprague homered a day after Atlanta reserve catcher Damon Berryhill won Game 1 with a three-run homer off Jack Morris. And just last Wednesday night, Braves backup backstop Francisco Cabrera won Game 7 of the NL playoffs with a two-out, two-run single in the bottom of the ninth.

David Cone's wildness enabled Atlanta to score in the second. David Justice drew a leadoff walk, stole second and was safe at third on a throwing error by shortstop Manuel Lee.

Justice scored easily on Cone's wild pitch. It appeared Alomar did the same thing against Smoltz in the fourth inning, but AL umpire Mike Reilly's call kept it 1-0.

Alomar drew a leadoff walk, stole second and went to third on Winfield's groundout. With two outs, Smoltz skipped a pitch that skidded away from Berryhill.

Berryhill recovered the ball a few feet from the plate and flipped it to Smoltz as Alomar dove in with his left hand. Replays indicated that Alomar had his hand fully planted on the plate before Smoltz blocked him.

"He is the kind of guy that can hurt you, the guy with no name," said Sprague's teammate, Roberto Alomar.

After a one-out walk to pinch-hitter Derek Bell, Sprague batted for pitcher Duane Ward and jolted Reardon's first pitch over the left-field fence.

The blow silenced most of the stadium. Behind the plate, however, the Blue Jays' wives were screaming, and none was happier than Kristen Babb-Sprague, who won a gold medal for the United States at the Barcelona Olympics in solo synchronized swimming.

Ward was the winner and Tom Henke pitched the ninth for a save. Toronto relievers held Atlanta hitless for the final 4 2-3 innings.

Henke got Terry Pendleton to pop out for the final out with runners on first and second. Toronto's victory stopped a streak of eight straight wins by the home team in Series play.

The scene shifts to the SkyDome on Tuesday night for Game 3, the first World Series game outside of the United States. Steve Avery will start for Atlanta against Juan Guzman.

The Braves acquired Reardon from the Boston Red Sox in August, to bolster a bullpen beset by injuries and ineffectiveness.

"Reardon's been doing the job since he's been here," Braves manager Bobby Cox said. "I didn't think about taking him out."

Reardon relieved in the eighth after the Blue Jays closed to 4-3 on Dave Winfield's single. Reardon ended the inning and stranded runners at the corners by striking out Kelly Gruber, who has matched a postseason record with 22 straight hitless at-bats. Gruber was 6 for 12 lifetime against Reardon.

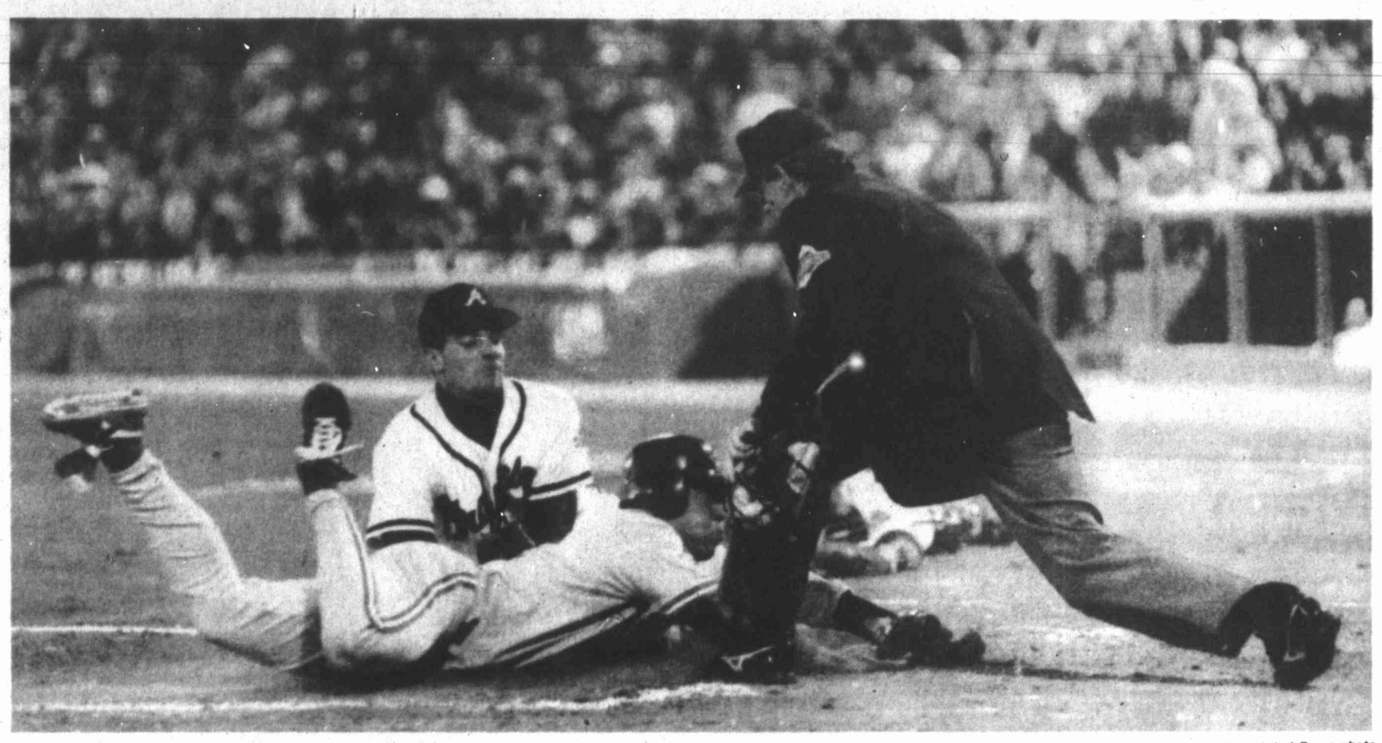
The Braves had held the lead since the fifth inning when Deion Sanders scored the go-ahead run.

Sanders, who last week angered Braves' brass by leaving the team for a few hours during the playoffs to play an NFL game for the Atlanta Falcons, decided to be a baseball player this day.

Cox put Sanders in the starting lineup because he was 6 for 10 against Toronto starter David Cone this season, and the move worked. Sanders went 1 for 3 with two walks and a fly out to the warning track, and stole two of Atlanta's Series-record tying five bases.

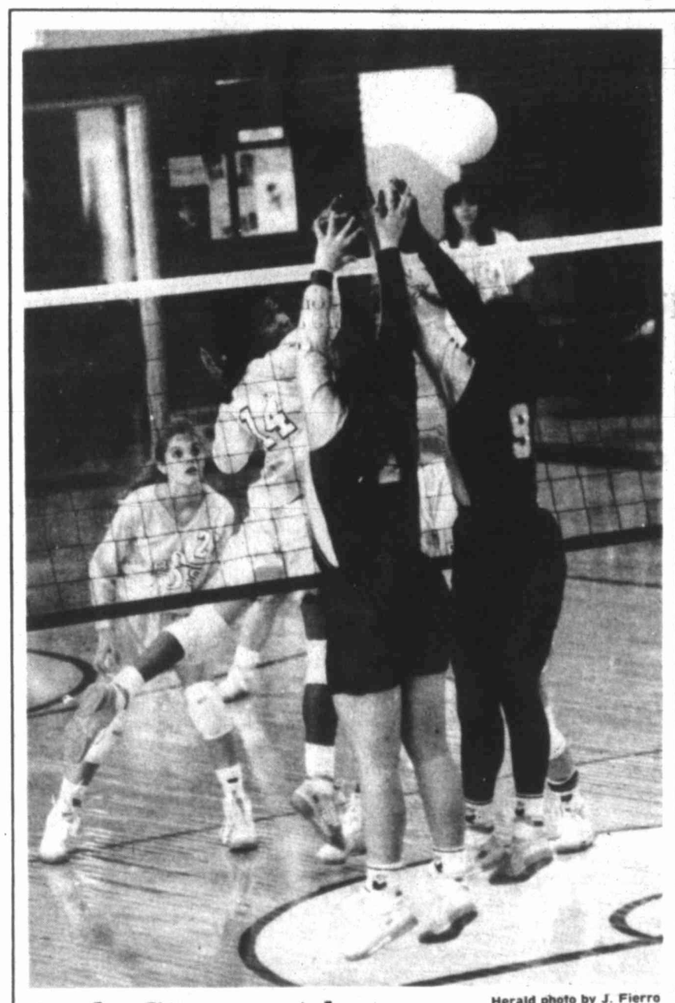
Besides the bad call at the plate and the botched flag before the game, not much else went right for the Blue Jays early in the game. Most of that was because of Braves starter John Smoltz.

Smoltz, 4-0 lifetime in the postseason and the playoff MVP, set down Toronto on eight pitches in the first inning, striking out Devon White and Joe Carter.



Associated Press photo

Toronto Blue Jays Roberto Alomar (12) is called out at the plate by umpire Mike Reilly as Atlanta Braves pitcher John Smoltz makes the tag during the fourth inning of game two of the World Series in Atlanta Sunday. The Blue Jays beat the Braves 5-4 to even the series at one game apiece.



Herald photo by J. Fierro

Lady Steers at home

Big Spring Lady Steers sophomore hitter Kathy Smith (14) puts ball through two Pecos defenders in action at Steer Gym while teammate Sarah Bristow (26) looks on. The Lady Steers will host Sweetwater Tuesday at Steer Gym. Freshmen action begins at 5 p.m., followed by junior varsity and varsity play.

Cowboys take over first place

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

IRVING — The Dallas Cowboys played physically, not perfectly, and the hero was a man who had been benched for ineffective play.

Still, they beat the Kansas City Chiefs 17-10 Sunday, jumping back into first in the NFC East over the Philadelphia Eagles just two weeks after the Eagles had embarrassed them on Monday night television.

And the hero was one of the goats of the 31-7 defeat by Philadelphia, safety Ray Horton, whose interception of a Dave Krieg pass at the Dallas 8 cemented the victory in the final minutes.

"Anybody takes pride in what they do," said Horton, a 10-year veteran who was playing in Dallas' "dime" defense when he grabbed a cross-field pass from Krieg with 3:27 to go.

In fact, this was an odd game in which the Cowboys were flagged for 11 penalties officially and several more that were either declined or were second penalties on the same play. Four of the first five possessions resulted in scores that put the Cowboys ahead 14-10 with six minutes left until halftime, then Dallas outscored Kansas City 3-0 for the game's final 36 minutes.

Still, Dallas emerged at 5-1, a game ahead of the Eagles and Redskins in the NFC East. And they knocked off the team that handed Philadelphia its first loss a week ago by playing the physical style game favored by the Chiefs (4-3).

"What went wrong?" asked Krieg, who had three TD passes against the Eagles last week.

Kansas City took the opening kickoff and held the ball for 8:30, going 65 yards to set up Nick Lowery's 32-yard field goal.

The Cowboys came right back, going 78 yards in eight plays capped by a 2-yard TD pass from Troy Aikman to fullback Daryl Johnston, whose five receptions equalled his outpout in the season's previous five games.

The next time the Cowboys got the ball, they went 59 yards in eight plays and scored on a 2-yard run by Emmitt Smith, who had 95 yards in 24 carries — the entire Cowboys' ground game on the day. The Chiefs came right back with a 77-yard drive that ate up 9:08 with Barry Word going in from 2 yards out.

And then ... defense. After those long drives in the first half, neither team had 300 yards for the game — the Chiefs gained 238 total yards, the Cowboys 270.

Whatever, the second half belonged almost entirely to defense, with Lin Elliot's field goal midway through the third period giving the Cowboys the final points of the game.

From then on it was defense as both teams tried to pick on rookie cornerbacks — Kansas City on the Cowboys' Kevin Smith, Dallas on the Chiefs' Dale Carter, who was playing for the injured Albert Lewis. It worked for a while, but it was finally Carter who made the play the Chiefs seemed to need, stepping in front of Michael Irvin to pick off an Aikman pass that gave them the ball at the Dallas 47 with 6:34 left.

Five plays later, the Chiefs had a third-and-8 at the 22 when Krieg rolled right, evaded Charles Haley and threw the ball across the field toward J.J. Birden, who appeared open at the 5.

Sports briefs

Miami, Washington tied in AP poll

The seesaw battle for college football's No. 1 ranking was a draw Sunday between Miami and Washington — the first tie at the top of The Associated Press poll in 51 years.

After improving to 6-0 with easy victories Saturday, Miami and Washington each received 1,517 points from a nationwide panel of writers and broadcasters. Miami got one more first-place vote than Washington (31-30), but the Hurricanes were third on two ballots compared to one third-place vote for the Huskies.

Last week, Washington edged Miami by one point, with both schools receiving 30½ first-place votes. While the teams are tied in the AP poll, Miami continued to hold a one-point lead in the USA Today-CNN coaches' survey.

The last tie for first in the AP poll was Oct. 27, 1941, when Minnesota and Texas shared the top spot. The only other first-place draw was between Texas A&M and Southern Cal on Nov. 27, 1939.

Miami routed Texas Christian 45-10 for its 24th straight victory and Washington beat Oregon 24-3 for its 20th victory in a row.

Texas A&M (6-0) remained No. 5, followed by Florida State (6-1).

Elway does number on Oilers again

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Broncos 27, Oilers 21

At Denver, it was Elway once again leading the Denver Broncos to a 27-21 win over the Houston Oilers. He nearly duplicated the 87-yard drive that lifted the Broncos past the Oilers in last season's playoffs.

"I guess I don't want to understand how I do these things," Elway said. "But you must realize I'm just one-eleventh of what happens out there. We never feel like we're out of a game. Everyone knows we can always win, and we seem to come up with the big plays when we need to."

Warren Moon came up with some big plays, too. He marched Houston 94 yards, the final 7 on a TD pass to Haywood Jeffires, to make it 21-20. But the Oilers left Elway 1:56, an eternity.

Moon became the most prolific passer in pro football history, throwing for 321 yards, giving him 50,589 yards for his 15-year career in the CFL and NFL.

Redskins 16, Eagles 12

At Washington, the less-touted defense was the more stout. Led by linebacker Wilber Marshall, the Redskins pressured Randall Cunningham all day, sacking him five times, forcing an interception and holding the NFC's top-rated passer to 207 yards.

A solid running game (98 yards) against the league's top-rated defense certainly helped.

Saints 30, Cardinals 21

At Tempe, Ariz., the usually placid New Orleans offense came alive behind Bobby Hebert, who had the best day of his NFL career.

The Saints, who scored two offensive touchdowns in only one game this year, got three touchdown throws from Hebert, who hit 19 of 26 for 355 yards. He found Eric Martin for an 11-yard score, Dalton Hilliard for a 15-yarder and Quinn Early for a 59-yarder.

Rams 38, Giants 17

At Anaheim, Calif., a revitalized Jim Everett completed 18 of 21 passes, including 11 in a row, for 242 yards and two touchdowns. Cleveland Gary rushed for 126 yards on 31 carries, both career highs, and scored on runs of 1 and 5 yards.

Bears 31, Buccaneers 14

At Chicago, Mike Ditka didn't berate Jim Harbaugh on the sideline. He didn't even flinch when Harbaugh threw an interception.

So an unencumbered Harbaugh passed for a career-best 304 yards, including an 83-yard touchdown to Anthony Morgan, the longest play ever against the Bucs.

Chargers 34, Colts 14

At Indianapolis, a career-high 150 yards rushing by Rod Bernstine carried the Chargers to their second straight win after opening with four defeats. Bernstine also scored twice and Darren Carrington intercepted two passes in the end zone.

Dolphins 38, Patriots 17

At Miami, Dan Marino connected twice for TDs with his newest favorite, Keith Jackson, who signed as a free agent last month. Mark Duper and Mark Clayton also had scoring receptions as Miami scored 38 consecutive points after falling behind 10-0.

Marino also took a head-over-heels tumble over the New England bench after scrambling for 12 yards.

49ers 56, Falcons 17

At San Francisco, the Niners scored 42 first-half points against Atlanta's gambling defense. Their 6-1 record is the best in the NFC.

The 49ers gained 590 yards, had 30 first downs, a seven-minute edge in time of possession, and the defense contributed five sacks.

But the day belonged to Rice, one of eight men with at least 100 touchdowns. He had only two this year before Atlanta came to town.

Raiders 19, Seahawks 0

At Seattle, the anemic Seahawks were shut out for the second straight time. Anthony Smith had four of six sacks of third-string quarterback Stan Gelbaugh — Seattle's top two QBs are on injured reserve. Seattle rushed for 41 yards.

Raiders quarterback Todd Marinovich went out 7½ minutes into the game with a sprained knee. But replacement Jay Schroeder had a 4-yard TD pass to Willie Gault and Nick Bell added a 66-yard TD run.

Los Angeles has won three straight after an 0-4 start.

NFL Roundup

#1 for... Advertising & News!

In a survey recently completed by the University of Texas Permian Basin, The Herald proved to be the most popular and effective advertising and news medium in Howard and Martin Counties.
Here are some of the results of this independent survey.

(1) 81% use the TeleView TV listings each week.

(2) 63% use the At Your Service Directory that runs each day .

(3) 63% use the Business Review that runs weekly.

(4) 91% read the daily advertisements in the Herald.

(5) 71% use coupons run in the Herald.

(6) 84% use the advertising inserts in the Herald.

(7) When compared to other media 73.3% use the Herald as their advertising information source.
- 9.3% use regular TV.
- 8% use radio.
- 1.3% use Yellow Pages.
- .7% use Cable TV.
- 7.3% use other sources.

(8) 74% make their shopping decisions using Herald advertising.

(9) 90% use the Herald daily Classified Ads.

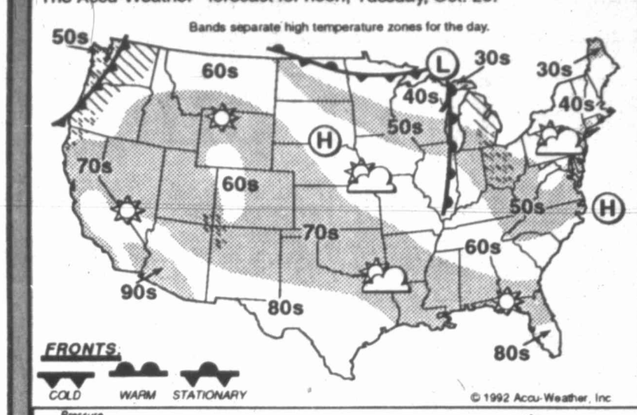
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Herald National Weather

The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, Oct. 20.



Permian Basin Weather

Tuesday: Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. High in the mid to upper 70s. South wind 10-20 mph.

Wednesday: Rain chance continues. Mild days, cool nights. South wind 10-20.

Thursday: Partly cloudy to sunny. Highs mid 70s. Lows upper 40s to lower 50s.

Records

Sunday's high temp.	74	Rainfall Sunday	0.00
Sunday's low temp.	52	Month to date	0.00
Average high	77	Month's normal	1.87
Average low	50	Year to date	28.77
Record high	90 in 1936	Normal for year	16.19
Record low	27 in 1917		

Deaths

Souval Britton

Souval F. Britton, 74, Stanton, died Sunday, Oct. 18, 1992, at Stanton Care Center.

Services will be 2 p.m., Wednesday, at the First Baptist Church, Stanton, with the Rev. Jeff McGee of Houston officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Stanton under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

He was born Dec. 28, 1917, in Chambers County, Ala. He married Alice Mozell Smith on May 22, 1938 in Ackerly. She preceded him in death on June 13, 1967. He married Chris Turner of Monahams on Aug. 9, 1968. He moved to Loraine on Jan. 1, 1925, where he attended school, graduating from Hermleigh High. He was a farmer and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Chris Britton, Stanton; one son, Porky Britton, Stanton, and one step-son, Bill Turner, Bakersfield, Calif.; two daughters: Fran Gandy, and Cindy Jenkins, both of Midland, and one step-daughter, Joan McGee, Pilot Point; one sister, Lurline Morrison, Stanton; two brothers: Johnny Britton, Stanton, and Cyrus Britton, San Angelo; six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; five step-grandchildren, and eight step-great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by four brothers and one sister.

Pallbearers will be James Lewis, Bud Glaspie, Dennis Ireton, Gerald Hanson, Benny Welch, and Eldon Hopkins.

Honorary pallbearers will be Dan Saunders, Bob Deavenport, Kenneth Holcombe, Cruz Arguello, Houston Woody and Glen Brown.

Family suggests memorials to the General Endowment Fund of the Permian Basin Area Foundation; P.O. Box 10424, Midland, 79702.

Vicky Logsdon

Vicky Logsdon, 43, Coahoma, died Sunday, Oct. 18, 1992.

Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mike Aslin

Mike Aslin, 41, Big Spring, died Saturday, Oct. 17, 1992, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Services will be 2 p.m., tomorrow at First United Methodist Church, Lamesa, with the Rev. Newton Starnes, Lubbock, and the Rev. Jim Terry, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park, Big Spring, under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

He was born Dec. 15, 1950 in Lamesa. where he graduated in 1969. He served in Vietnam, in the U.S. Army from 1970-1971. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Lamesa.

Survivors include his parent, Donnie Aslin, Lamesa; three brothers: Rick Aslin, O'Donnell, David Aslin, San Angelo, and Phil Aslin, Arlington; and his grandmother, Mrs. Ocie Yeager, Lamesa.

Family suggests memorials to the First United Methodist Church, Lamesa; or to a favorite charity.

Police beat

HERALD STAFF REPORT

CrimeStoppers is offering up to $1,000 cash for information on an Oct. 12 burglary on the 1200 block of Douglas.

Sometime between 6 p.m. and 8:30 p.m., a forced entry was made through a front door of a building, according to the Big Spring Police Department. Taken were rifles, jewelry, money and a television.

The reward is being offered for information that leads to the arrest, conviction or indictment of those involved. Information is confidential and callers remain anonymous.

Those with information should call 263-TIPS.

Also reported by police:

- Rafael Lopez, 48, 508 N.W. 6th, was arrested and charged with burglary of a vehicle.
- Reynaldo Juarez, 24, 1217 W. 6th, was arrested and charged with burglary of a vehicle.
- Joe Alfredo Gomez, 32, 207 Galveston, was arrested and charged with burglary of a vehicle.
- Armando Lopez, 38, 1217 W. 6th, was arrested and charged with burglary of a vehicle.
- Ray Deleon, 26, 1615 Cardinal, was arrested and charged with driving while license suspended.
- Mario Reyes, 26, 1002 N. Main, was charged with resisting arrest.
- Jesus Reyes, 1002 N. Main, was arrested and charged with fighting.
- An attempt was made to remove a bumper from a vehicle on the 800 block of West Fourth.
- $120 damage was caused to a vehicle on the 500 block of Westover.
- A pit bulldog was taken from the 1400 block of Sycamore.
- A $200 television was taken from the 500 block of East 18th.
- Shots were reported in the area of the 200 block of North Nolan.

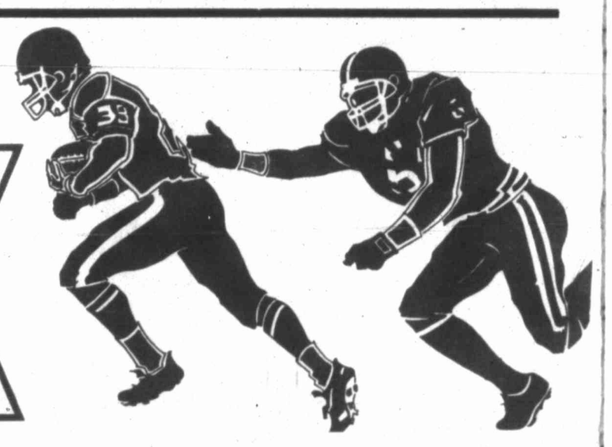
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CONTEST RULES:

RULES: Pick the team you think will win from each ADVERTISER'S block on this page. Some ADVERTISERS will have 2 games in their block. Enter the winner of each game you select on the entry form below beside the appropriate number on the entry form from the games found in the ADVERTISER'S block. The score is only necessary in the last "TIEBREAKER" box. Each contestant must pick from each ADVERTISER'S block. Do not miss any games.

Winners will be announced in the next Tuesday Herald. Winners may pick up prize money at the Herald office, 710 Scurry, Big Spring, Tx. Prizes will be awarded in "Herald Football Bucks" which can only be spent with the merchants on this page. Herald employees cannot participate. Must be 18 or older to play. Only 2 entries per person, per week. Must be entered on original contest entry form.

In the event of a tie, a drawing will be held to determine the winner. When using the tie-breaker; the closest guess to the winner's score will be judged the winning entry.

All entries must be received by 3 p.m. each Friday evening at the Herald office, no exceptions. Decision of the judges is final.

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Monday, Oct.

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Monday, Oct. 19, 1992

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Section B

Spring board

To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring 79720; or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry.

Calendar

Today

- Bingo offered by the Lions, Elks, and Main Street Club, Monday-Friday, 6:30 p.m. Saturday, 1 p.m., and Sunday, 2 p.m., at the Lions Club, 1607 E. Third.
- The Salvation Army will have a dinner for area needy at 5:30 p.m. at their building, 308 Aylford, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
- Coahoma Elementary PTA will have a Halloween carnival Oct. 31. Anyone interested in having a booth should contact Rhonda Dehoyos at 394-4071 before 5:30 p.m. or Cathy New at 394-4758 after 4 p.m.
- There will be gospel singing at 7 p.m., at the Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr.
- Big Spring/ Howard County Retired Teachers will meet in the Cactus Room, Howard College at noon.
- Disabled American Veterans and Auxiliary will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Chapter Home on Young St.
- Howard County Lioness Club will meet at 7 p.m., at the Welsey United Methodist Church, memorial hall.
- The monthly meeting of Survivors of Suicide, a support group for family and friends of suicide victims will meet at 7:30 p.m., at Midland Memorial Hospital. For information call 685-1566.

Tuesday

- Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.
- Big Spring Squares will have square dance lessons at 8 p.m. in the Squarena on Chaparal Rd. For information call 267-7043 or 393-5693.
- Big Spring Art Association will meet at 7 p.m. at the West Texas Center for the Arts. For information call Elnora Hart at 267-2974 or Jerry Williams at 263-7185.
- Christian Home Schooler's group will meet at the Family Life Center from 2-4 p.m for skating. For information call Donna at 267-8851.
- Senior dance at the Civic Center, Colorado City, from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Area dancers invited.

Wednesday

- West Texas Legal Service offers legal help on civil matters at the Northside Community Center for those unable to afford their own attorney. For information call 1-686-0647.

Thursday

- Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.
- All-area church volleyball league, at the First Baptist Church family life center. 7 p.m.
- Childrens Rights through Informed Education will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the Chamber of Commerce meeting room. Open to public.
- There will be Country/Western music and singing at the Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn Dr., at 7 p.m.
- Masonic Lodge # 598 will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 219 Main.
- Crude Diamonds, Big Spring Chapter of the Texas Country/Western Dance Association will meet at 8 p.m. at the Elks Lodge. For information call 267-7937 or 264-0717.

Friday

- Friday night games of Dominoes, Forty-two, Bridge and Chickentrack from 5-8 p.m. at the Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr.
- Spring City Senior Center will have a Country/Western Dance from 8-11 p.m. Public invited.

Saturday

- Double session bingo at 7 p.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1009 Hearn.

Working for responsibility



Personalities...

By CONNIE SWINNEY
Staff Writer

A full-time student and part-time cashier, 17-year-old Ginger Lara maintains an honor status at Big Spring High School, plays french horn in the local high school band and supports the Christian Youth Organization.

"You've got to learn as much as you can to get as far as you can," she said.

Lara, a native Big Springer who is the oldest of six daughters in her family, received last week what she considers is the highest honor of her life — she was inducted into the National Honor Society.

The senior said, "I was ecstatic. When I didn't get it last year I was so upset, so I said, 'What can I do better next year?' "

The honor is given to students who exhibit qualities of scholarship, character, leadership and service.

Lara's mother, Lupe Pattin, said her daughter is a trailblazer in academic achievement for their family.

"She's always been real smart. It started when her teachers told me she would be in SIGNAL (an honors English program)," Pattin said.

Lara participated in the Signal program from the third through eighth grades. She is currently in an honors English class and spends much time playing and working for the Steer Band.

'You've got to learn as much as you can to get as far as you can.'

Ginger Lara
Big Spring honor student

Gearing up for University Interscholastic League (UIL) band contest on Oct. 24, Lara is excited about performing with the band, which she considers her second family.

"Everywhere we go we'll know we achieved so much together," she said. Lara participated in region band for two years.

She is not only French horn section leader but a band office volunteer, collecting and recording money for a band trip to Disney World in the spring.

Her responsibilities with money extend to her employment as a cashier at Winn-Dixie.

Along with her regular school activities, Lara works about 19 hours each week, including weekends.

"I realized I had a lot of expenses," she said about her desire to become employed as of May. "You have to become independent because you can't rely on someone helping you (with expenses) all the time."

Although she may not rely on her parents for much financial support, Lara said her mother is her inspiration and provides the emotional and academic support she needs.

"She puts up with so much . . . She's very patient, compassionate and understanding," she said. "I want to be like that."

Obtaining a college degree is among Lara's long-term goals. She is considering the broadcasting or film fields at Angelo State University.

"I want to try to do as many things as I can the right way," she said. "I know that may be impossible, but I will at least do everything the best that I can."



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Big Spring High School student Ginger Lara, with her mother, Lupe Pattin, left, gets a congratulatory cake after her induction into the National Honor Society recently.

Place in the sun

Alamogordo trying to lure people fleeing winter

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

ALAMOGORDO, N.M. — It may sound flighty, but some officials and merchants believe this city's economy, long tied to defense spending, can soar in a new direction with ostrich races, balloon rallies and other gimmicks.

It's all part of a "SunBird" promotion to snatch a share of the so-called snowbird population — older people moving from colder climes, at least for the winter — and possibly persuade them to make the desert city a permanent or seasonal nesting ground.

"We've got a good town, but with the national trend of what's happening worldwide and listening to the candidates on the national scene talking about defense, we have to do something else," says Aubrey Dunn, a former New Mexico legislator who is steering the SunBird effort.

Alamogordo lost thousands of jobs when F-15 jets were phased out and replaced by a smaller fleet of F-117A Stealths at nearby Holloman Air Force Base, Dunn says. Down the road, area research on the Strategic Defense Initiative "Star Wars" weapon system will be curtailed along with the number of employees.

"We're doing better than a lot of people, but when you take 3,000 jobs out of a community this size, it's dramatic," says Dunn.

But instead of digging their heads in the sand, boosters in this community of about 30,000 are strutting like proud peacocks before out-of-towners lured here with promises of $15,000 in gold nuggets, tales of a ghost named "Tularosa Jack," warm-weather golf and mountain breezes.

The 45-and-over, RV-traveling crowd is the main target of the six-week, $150,000 SunBird campaign aimed at weaning Alamogordo from the defense industry.

"We feel our greatest strength here is good weather. That's why the Air Force is here, they got to have a lot of flying time," Dunn says.

Nestled at the base of the Sacramento Mountains, Alamogordo sits on the edge of the Tularosa Basin and on the outskirts of White Sands Missile Range. To the northeast, the tall pines and aspens of Cloudcroft and Ruidoso offer relief from the desert heat.

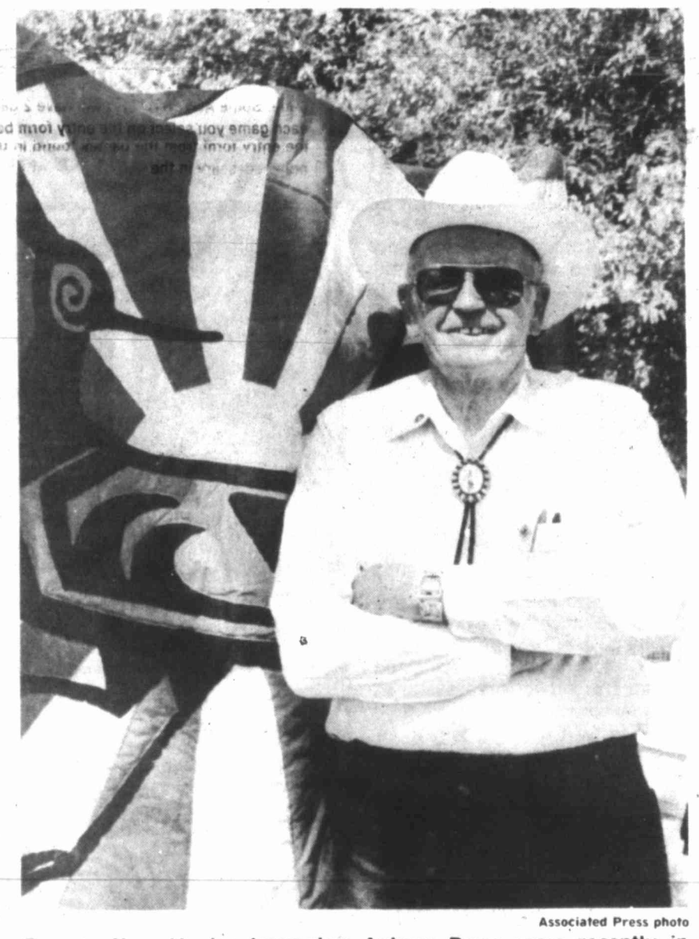
"The whole SunBird project is to get people to come look," says Dunn. "We think if they come look they are going to stay. We'd like them to stay year-round, but if they stay six months, that's fine."

The brainchild of Dunn, the SunBird promotion already has signed up 1,225 travelers, although it's uncertain how many were lured because of the promotion.

Travelers have come from 41 states, mostly Texas and elsewhere in New Mexico, and six foreign countries.

"The key thing is they stay longer and they spend more and they've got an incentive to come back again," says George Bussing, SunBird coordinator. "That's one of our strategies. They're here, they look around, they run out of time and they come back."

"We believe if we handle this right and promote it, we can become the SunBird capital of the world," Dunn says.



Associated Press photo

Former New Mexico lawmaker Aubrey Dunn poses recently in Alamogordo, N.M. He is heading the community's campaign to attract so-called "sunbirds," older people who travel south for the winter. The quilt in the background bears the city's symbol for its new program.

Phone poll on abortion

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Do you wish you could just once and for all give your opinion on abortion?

Now's the chance. Pick up the phone.

National Referendum, a newly formed, independent public policy organization, has begun the first national referendum on abortion. Callers have been registering their votes pro and con, since Saturday, and voting continues through Wednesday.

Callers are urged to choose one of two numbers to cast a vote for pro-choice or pro-life. The call costs $1, to be billed on the regular phone bill later.

The company, in a press release, says it is not intending to be a standard survey or public opinion poll, instead set up a forum for mass participation in an election-type format.

National Referendum takes no position on the issue, the company says, choosing instead to leave the choice up to callers.

The company urges young people under 18 to get parental permission before calling. Remember, it costs $1.

For a "pro-life" vote, call 1-900-400-PROL. For "pro-choice," call 1-900-400-PROC.

Don't expect to hear a human operator, but listen for a message saying "Your vote has been recorded."

New books: Self-help, money matters, spy suspense

New books at the Howard County this month include the following:

If I Think About Money So Much, Why Can't I Figure It Out? by Arlene Modica Matthews.

Do you have problems managing your money? Do you routinely spend money that you don't have or scrimp and save when you don't need to? Arlene Modica Matthews, a psychotherapist, shows that these problems are deeply embedded in and often mirror our personalities.

She describes these faulty money attitudes and shows us how they are formed by unconscious messages from our parents, society and a phenomenon she calls "pack think".

The Codependency Conspiracy by Stan J. Katz and Aimee E. Liu.

How to break the recovery habit and take charge of your life. Our "disease" is a combination of addiction and victimzation known as codependency, which is responsible for problems ranging from child abuse and divorce to depression and unemployment.

Dr. Katz and Ms. Liu offer a refreshing look at this widely spread problem effecting the population today. They explore the similarities between the codependency movement and fundamentalist religions and cults. This book could be a "must read" if you or someone you love has ever been identified as an addict, abuse victim or any type of "problem person."

The Last Defector by Tony Cape. This book is a complex, tightly woven story of superpower rivalry and deadly political intrigue!

As the East and West are in Geneva preparing to end 50 years of armed confrontation in Europe, a former police detective, Derek Smailes, now serving as a security officer at the UN's British Mission is told to coerce a leading Soviet arms control expert to collaborate and defect!

She Went To War: the Rhonda Cornum Story, by Rhonda Cornum as told to Peter Copeland.



Betty Condray

February 27, 1991: A U.S. Army helicopter ona combat mission was shot down, killing five of the eight Americans on board and leaving the remaining three to be captured by Saddam Hussein's elite Republican Guard. This is the story of one of the survivors — Maj. Rhonda Cornum-Army officer, helicopter pilot, physician, and mother of a 14-year-old daughter.

Imprisoned in a cold damp cell with two broken arms, a smashed knee and a bullet wound, and at the mercy of the brutal Iraqi guards, Cornum tells how she tried to keep her spirits up and survive.

The New Diet Revolution by Robert C. Atkins, M.D.

Far different from the conventional diet books, this book shows you that you can lose weight simply by understanding the metabolic basis of your problem and following the Atkins diet program for 14 days. This book can be considered a ticking time bomb thrown down amidst the tired dieting formulas of the present age.

Eye of the Storm by Jack Higgins.

Sean Dillon is a master terrorist, an elusive mysterious figure whose skills surpass even those of famed international fugitive Carlos the Jackal. During the Gulf War, Dillon emerges once again, right into the eye of Saddam's storm.

Although hired to plan assault of Margaret Thatcher's life, his ultimate goal is a mortal launch against the War Cabinet during a meeting at 10 Downing Street.

His long time nemesis, Martin Brosnam, an American Special Forces hero, is recruited by British forces to nail him — thus the game begins!

Death of a Russian Priest by Stuart M. Kaminsky.

Fans of Mr. Kamnisky have enjoyed glimpses into the daily life of the Russian people in his previous offerings, but it is the unique and compelling character of Inspector Porfiry Petrovich Rostnikov who keeps us asking for more.

Rostnikov must wrestle with two chilling cases: The death of a dissident priest outside his rural church, and the disappearance of a Syrian Oil Minister's daughter in Moscow.

Lost Wolf by Max Brand. (Big Print).

Young Glanvill Tucker's parents died at the hands of savages, but the boy was saved by a Cheyenne named Rising Bull.

Betty Condray is a member of Friends of the Library.

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Discrimination can be hating 'your own'

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Perhaps you know her. The woman who seems to have, well, a problem with other women.

She chooses female friends who are a little less attractive. She complains about women drivers while considering herself the next Andretti. She treats male co-workers with respect while sharpening her claws on female colleagues.

Is it discrimination?

Not according to a ruling this year by a federal judge in Rhode Island.

In the case of a female state trooper who sued the state's female attorney general, U.S. District Judge Ernest C. Torres said sex discrimination charges brought by one woman against another "are patently groundless."

But Leslie Wolfe, who heads the Center for Women Policy Studies, said that is nonsense. "It's the action, not the gender, that's significant."

And, some say, just because you're black doesn't mean that you're incapable of discriminating against other blacks. Or, if you're elderly, that you won't discriminate against others in your age group.

"Because of the many facets of human motivation, it would be unwise to presume as a matter of law that human beings of one definable group will not discriminate against other members of their group," U.S. Supreme Court Justice Harry A. Blackmun wrote in 1977, in a case involving Mexican-Americans.

The court ruled in that case that discrimination within a group does occur. But the controversy continues to rage, both in and out of the courts.

— In Detroit, a light-skinned black woman is suing her former boss, a darker black woman, claiming she was discriminated against because of her skin tone. If she wins, it will be the first successful case of its kind. A similar lawsuit in Atlanta two years ago found no discrimination had taken place.

The backlash reflects the resentment dark-skinned blacks feel because light-skinned blacks get a better deal from society, said University of Illinois sociologist Cedric Herring.

"If you live in a society where color prevents access, then there's going to be resentment," said Verna Keith, a University of Arizona sociologist.

— Experts on aging say a phenomenon dubbed the "Not Me Syndrome" exists among some seniors. Elderly people uncomfortable with their aging try to distance themselves from the notion and look down on other old people.

Cathy Ventrell-Monsees, an attorney with the American Association of Retired Persons, said some corporate leaders "are the prime examples of the Not-Me Syndrome. They are older and they ... want to be the stars. They separate themselves from other older workers."

Leah Dobkin, a housing specialist with the AARP, said it's often older people who oppose housing projects for the elderly in their neighborhoods.

Among women — more than half the population — allegations of discrimination proliferate. Barbra Streisand, in an interview on NBC's "Today" show, complained that female film critics gave more negative reviews to her movie "Prince of Tides" than their male counterparts.

Ms. Streisand said the women attacked her personally instead of focusing on her work as an actress and director. "I think there's a lot of jealousy and competitiveness between women," she said.

Dr. Alvin F. Poussaint, an associate psychiatry professor at Harvard Medical School, said some women fall prey to a Queen Bee Syndrome, in which a woman alone at the top likes it that way and doesn't want another woman detracting from her.

"If they get to the top, they get some type of charge out of being the only one. It proves they are great. Another woman making it to their level diminishes her prestige," he said. "It sometimes occurs among Latinos and blacks, too."

In another scenario, a woman with a negative self-image may project it on other women, Poussaint said. These are the women who complain that women — other women — are bad drivers, or poor at math, or simply not trustworthy.

And occasionally, there are unwritten codes of the group that an individual carries out. A woman may be the token female and is expected to hold the (anti-woman) views of the male majority, he said.

Suzanne Gordon, a feminist who has written on women in corporations, believes women may feel the need to prove they're objective, bending over backwards to appear fair. Unintentionally, they may be harder on other women.

Women want to be "the fairest of the fair and the toughest of the tough, and so you're not going to give another woman any leeway," she said.

School lunch

Is it healthy or junk?

By ROB DAUMEYER
Thomson News Service

The following menu isn't from the snack shack at your local drive-in. It's the main item of each day's menu during a typical week for elementary schools in the Hamilton, Ohio, school district:

Monday: Burrito
Tuesday: Steak Hoagie with Mozzarella
Wednesday: Sausage Pizza
Thursday: Chef Salad
Friday: Nachos and Cheese

Hoagies? Pizza? Nachos -- for lunch? Other than Thursday, it resembles the American Heart Association's most wanted list. Hamilton schools — like many others nationwide — also frequently offer tacos, hot dogs and barbecue.

But before you take back your child's lunch money and hand him a brown bag, read on.

The ground beef in the burritos is rinsed in water after it is fried, a process which removes much of the fat and cholesterol. The pizzas have the lowest fat content of any available. The tacos are made with ground turkey.

It may have taken awhile, but a growing number of school districts have learned that they can have their cake, albeit low fat cake, and eat it too.

"We have learned that we must serve food the children like, or they won't eat it," said Linda Vaupel, food service director for the district. "But we've adapted the recipes to cut down on the fat, sodium and cholesterol."

Don't underestimate the importance of your child's eating habits, according to Susan Fenbers, a community dietitian with the Cincinnati Nutrition Council.

"Fat children often grow up to be fat adults," warned Fenbers, while noting that cases of child obesity is up 56 percent over the past decade.

"You develop your tastes when you are young. If you are exposed to fresh fruits and vegetables as a kid, you'll probably eat them as an adult," she said.

Vaupel and 17 other school food service directors from throughout Ohio attended a meeting on nutrition this summer, held by dietitians and chefs, and were taught how to reduce the fat, cholesterol and sodium from their breakfast and lunch menus.

To their surprise, the kids don't seem to know the difference.

"It's going over really well. As long as they get their tacos and pizza, they don't care," Vaupel joked. "They don't know there's ground turkey in the tacos. They don't know we picked low-fat pizza. They don't know we use low-fat oil instead of butter."

Past attempts to get children to eat steamed broccoli and pea soup failed miserably. Trays full of limp veggies and bizarre casseroles would be taken to the garbage bins barely touched.

"If they don't eat the food, then they're getting no nutrition at all," Vaupel said.

Fenbers said she expects school lunch menus to continue to show improvement in nutrition.

"They are realizing what kids will eat, and making those foods healthy," she said. "It sounds simple, but it took a while for schools to figure that out."

Schools are following new guidelines created by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, which has urged several menu changes, including: skim mozzarella cheese for pizza, non-oil packed fish (like tuna), and more dried beans, pasta, fruit and rice products used in lunch preparation.

Vaupel will soon institute a new program involving computer analysis of each day's menu. She is trying to hold each menu under 20 grams of fat, and with the help of special software, she is able to assess the entire nutritional value of each meal.

Vaupel said Hamilton schools now offer fresh fruits and vegetables with lunch, an option that has been very popular.

"If given the choice, they'll eat the fresh food over the canned," she said.

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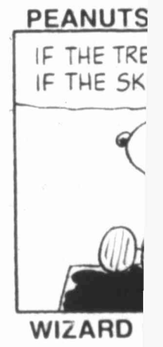
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Having kids late is curse and blessing



DEAR ABBY: "Found Love Late" wondered if it would be fair to a child to have a menopausal mother who looks more like a grandmother than a mother at PTA meetings. Let me answer that.

I had my fifth child when my fourth was in college. My slightly younger new husband wanted a baby, and I felt lucky to be able to have one.

Would I go down that road again? No way! As we age, we find we require more peace and quiet. At ages 40 and 50-plus, we tire more easily and our joints begin to stiffen. After running our son to school, Scouts, soccer, swimming, baseball, basketball, band and music lessons -- plus homework and PTA -- we have little energy left for each other. The years of participation in preschool and kindergarten were embarrassing, and I still feel out of place with the other parents.

"Found Love Late's" concern for a child's feelings if Mom is mistaken for Grandma is a legitimate worry. Fortunately, I have very few gray hairs at 56, but my 11-year-old son is still asked, "Is that your mom or your grandma?" Sign me ... **ALSO FOUND LOVE LATE, BUT TOO TIRED TO ENJOY IT**

DEAR A.F.L.L.: I received many diverse responses to that letter. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: When I was 42, I married a younger man. (He was 33.) We talked about having a child, but didn't know what our chances would be for having a normal, healthy child.

At age 43, I became pregnant with twins! Today, thank God, we have a pair of healthy, active, 10-year-old boys. I have never felt older than the parents of their friends; in fact, some of the younger moms look and act more like grandmothers than I do.

I say, "Go for it, if that's what you and your husband want!" These days, many women are marrying younger men, and we're going to see more women in their 40s having their first child. -- **NO REGRETS IN TACOMA**

DEAR ABBY: Knowing what I know about having a child at age 47, I would certainly do it again.

Our "baby" is 24 now, and he has always been a joy to us. He's smart, good-looking, good-natured, and a very thoughtful, loving son. He's away at law school now.

I hope "Found Love Late" has as much good fortune with her child as we have had with ours. Sign us ... **BLESSED IN RHODE ISLAND**

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DEAR ABBY: I am ticklish, and my boyfriend thinks it is fun to tickle me. I have told him many times to stop it, because it is aggravating.

Well, he seems to be offended now, and won't touch me at all. I think of this as a "punishment," and I'm hoping if he sees this in print, he'll realize that he's overreacting.

What do you think? -- **TICKLISH**

DEAR TICKLISH: Tell him that anything a person does to another without consent is unwelcome and abusive.

Jacqueline Bigar

FOR TUESDAY, OCT. 20, 1992

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Even though you experience a series of jolts, your ability to see life in ways other than the norm helps you make headway. Willingly move in a new direction. Question a family member and get information that leads to resolution. Tonight: Laugh at life's ups and downs. ****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You get more than your share of challenges. You need to keep your priorities in mind and explore options with a trusted friend or loved one. You need to understand what's happening with a family member. Tonight: Relax at home. **

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Handle conversations carefully today. A misunderstanding could develop out of nothing. Listen to your sixth sense concerning a money matter. You are better off being overly cautious. Look at your stress levels. Tonight: Exercise to relieve tension. ****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be more playful today. You are full of ideas and need to stay receptive. Open up to change and be ready to swing into high gear. Even though finances are unstable right now, stay optimistic. Tonight: Try an inexpensive indulgence. ***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Project your more-positive side today. Even though you might encounter opposition, it has very little to do with you. Be willing to take a risk and move onward. Your gut feelings are on target about a home matter. Tonight: Steer clear of a hassle. ****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Although you have the strength to move in new directions, it might be wise to kick back today and take a hard look at your plans. Emphasis is on adventure and a better sense of understanding. A friend gives you powerful feedback. Tonight: Do exactly what you want. ***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Money matters seem out of sync because of a partner. Be careful not to take unnecessary risks. A project throws you in the limelight and opens up a new financial option. Tonight: Hang out with friends. ****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You feel unusually pressured by a personal situation. Others seem testy, and you need to be more understanding of what's going on with them. Flow with the moment and refuse to get your back up. Know all this will pass too. Tonight: Chill out at a favorite restaurant. **

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You are tested to find new ways and different solutions. Be more aware of what is happening with you. Your gut instincts are correct concerning a money matter and a partnership. However, you need to call your own shots. Be careful of your temper. Tonight: Work late. ****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A partnership could prove disruptive to your finances. Do not let another's negativity get to you today. Refuse to be compromised. Stay on an even course. A friend might be angry. Don't take the harsh words personally. Tonight: Look to refinancing. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your negativity might be causing you problems. Be open to another's feedback and aware of the anger therein. Reconsider your responsibilities at work and at home. Tonight: Go along with temptation. ****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Plunge into work and know you have what it takes. You might be disturbed by a phone call or a change in plans. Your creative energy is high, and it allows you to find solutions easily. Brainstorm with a friend. Tonight: Trust your instincts. ***

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THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

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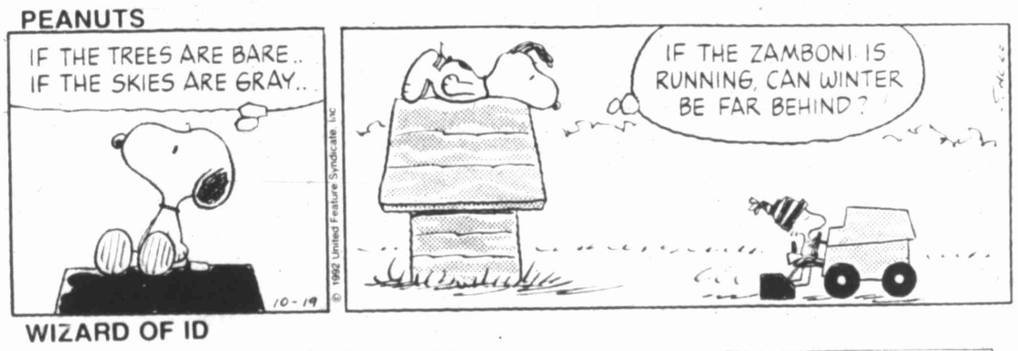
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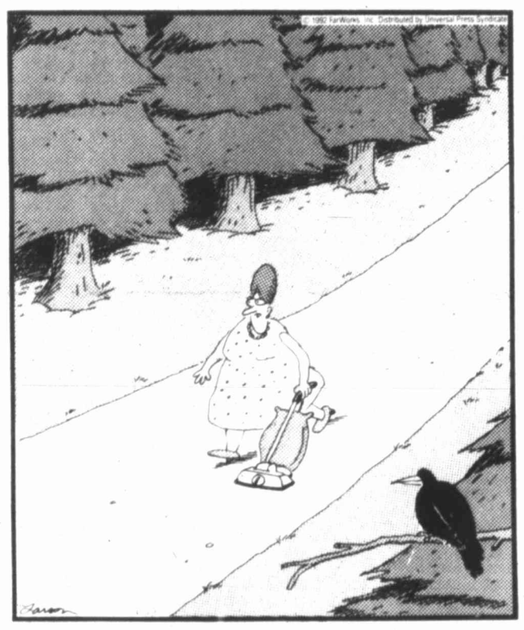
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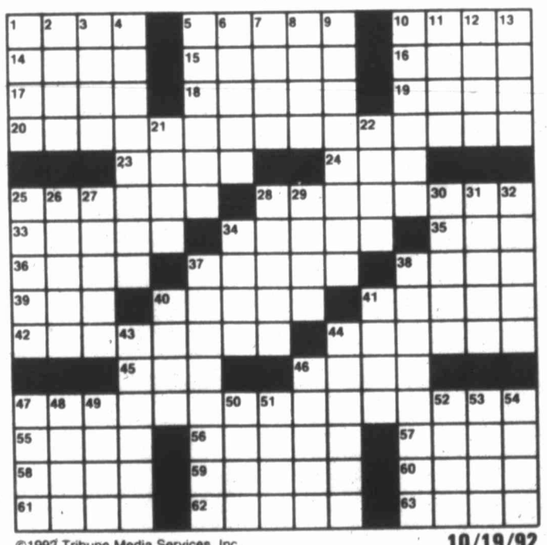
The woods were dark and foreboding, and Alice sensed that sinister eyes were watching her every step. Worst of all, she knew that Nature abhorred a vacuum.

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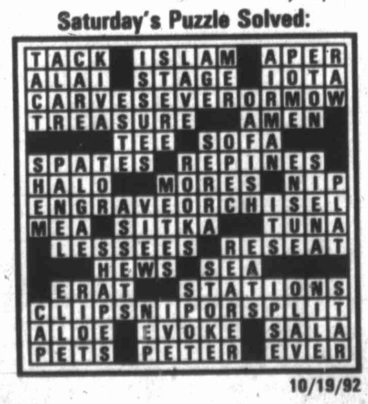
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17 Treasury
18 Not suitable
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20 React explosively
23 Gibson and Brooks
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45 Part of NOW: abbr.
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57 Find out
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60 Shamrock land
61 Closely confined
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63 Unit of force

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1 Cause to become offended
2 Seed coat
3 Optimistic
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5 Something unimportant
6 Declaims
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9 Put in high office
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29 Put on the payroll
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Saturday's Puzzle Solved:



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Personal 030

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Be sure to check your ad the first day it runs for any errors. The Big Spring Herald will be responsible for ONLY THE FIRST DAY the ad runs incorrectly. We will correct the error and run the ad ONE ADDITIONAL DAY, but it is your responsibility to check the ad, the first day it runs, and notify us if it runs incorrectly. 263-7331.

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Business Opp. 050

EARN $1000 WEEKLY. Combo Snacksod a/ route. Must Sell. 1-800-226-8401.

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Help Wanted 085

3 HAIR STYLISTS needed for new salon. Call 263-4946 and ask for Tina.

BARTENDER NEEDED. No experience necessary. Excellent salary plus tips. Apply at The Brewery or call 267-9122.

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BARBER/BEAUTY SHOP for lease. ONE chair. High traffic area. New equipment. REASONABLE lease. Contact Carolyn Cawthron, Rip Griffin Truck Travel Center. Box 1067, Big Spring, Texas. (915) 264-4444.

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CONSTRUCTION FIRM needing office manager-bookkeeper. EXPERIENCE desired. Computer environment. Send resumes to Big Spring Herald 710 Scurry, Box 1410-C.

BEST HOME Care is accepting applications for RN, LVN, and Home Health Aide. Day shift with some weekend and night call. Pension plan, life & health insurance. Apply in person at 1710 Marcy Drive.

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LVN's NEEDED. 6-2 Shift. Excellent benefits, includes health and life insurance, vacation and holiday pay. Cheerful atmosphere. Apply in person Mountain View Lodge. 2009 Virginia. EOE.

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REGISTERED NURSES AIDES needed. Excellent benefits. Includes health and life insurance. Apply in person, 2009 Virginia. EOE.

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RETAIL MANAGEMENT ladies clothing store needs mature professional for full time management position, part time also available. Salary, bonus, commission, paid vacation and more. Call for appointment. 267-6711.

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CNA's
Needed at Comanche Trail Nursing Center. 6-2 and 2-10 shifts. Ask about our bonus plan. Call 263-4041 EOE.

EXCLUSIVE GIFT and jewelry store wants to hire mature male, female sales person, for part-time employment on a permanent basis. Apply in person only. Inland Port, 213 Main Street.

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MEDICATION AIDES
Needed at Comanche Trail Nursing Center, Competitive pay. Call 263-4041. EOE.

NEEDED NIGHT baker. Must be willing to work nights and weekends. Also counter help-must be 18, willing to work weekends. Apply in person only. Donuts Etc. 2111 S. Gregg.

Help Wanted 085

HENDRICK MEDICAL CENTER
DENTAL HYGIENIST

A Dental Hygienist position is available at the French Robertson Health Unit facility. Job requirements and qualifications for this position are as follows: Licensure by the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners and three years experience in full-time employment as a licensed dental hygienist (a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university my be substituted for two years of the required experience). Possess own knowledge of modern practices and procedures in the prevention and control of dental disease; possess the needed skill and ability to apply the techniques used in cleaning and caring for human teeth; and the ability to work as a team member with other health car personnel. Qualified candidates should immediately apply in person at:

Hendrick Medical Center
Human Resources Department
1242 North 19th St.
Abilene, Tx 79601-2316
(915)670-2290
(800)933-2289

Applications will be accepted Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., except for holidays. Smoke Free/Drug Free Environment
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NEED PART-TIME housekeeper. Must be willing to work weekdays & weekends. Must apply at the Great Western Motel. No Phone Calls PLEASE.

NURSING FACILITY JOBS
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PART TIME help wanted. Two days per week. Must be dependable. Drug test required. Call Basin Aviation. 263-8917.

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PROVIDERS NEEDED for personal care, house cleaning, and meals for the elderly and disabled. Must be dependable. Bilingual a plus. Part time, flexible hours, weekdays, and weekends. Transportation and telephone required. Call Marilyn at Nurses Unlimited 8am-5pm, Monday thru Friday. 1-800-458-3257.

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RNs ATTENTION!
Weekend RNs needed every other Saturday and Sunday at Comanche Trail Nursing Center. 263-4041. EOE.

Jobs Wanted 090

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LET'S KEEP Big Spring CLEAN! Call us to shape up your vacant lots, alley, etc. Phone 267-7529.

WILL CARE for sick and elderly. Home or hospital. References. Will live in. 399-4727.

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ALL TYPES of custom farming done. Stripping, breaking, discing, and shredding. Call 399-4274.

Livestock For Sale 270

FOR SALE- Chester white Show Pigs for 4H & FFA. Call after 4pm. 267-6583.

MISCELLANEOUS

Appliances 299

WE BUY good used clean frost free refrigerators and stoves, Call 267-6421.

Auctions 325

SPRING CITY AUCTION- Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS-079-007759. Call 263-1831/263-0914. We do all types of auctions!

Dogs, Pets, Etc 375

Sand Springs Kennels
AKC BEAGLES and TOY poodles puppies. Shots-wormed. Lay-a-ways available. Big Spring 915-393-5259.

Garage Sale 380

SUNDAY 10/18/92 thru Saturday 10/31/92. Glassware, range, auto, miscellaneous. 1223 E. 17th.

Household Goods 390

BUYING BOB- Buys, sells, & trades most anything, furniture, tools, miscellaneous. OPEN noon till 6:00pm daily. 2700 W. Hwy. 80. **LOOK FOR 'THE MAN IN THE TUB'.**

EXCELLENT SELCTION of new and used bedding, appliances, and household furniture. Branham Furniture, 2004 W. 4th. 263-1469.

WANT TO SELL: Gas Dryer, Microwave, Metal Desk, 2-10 Speed Bikes, Dinette. Call 263-1214.

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Lost & Found Misc. 393

LOST BRACELET for allergy to penicillin? FOUND at N.87 Town & Country parking lot. 263-6645.

Miscellaneous 395

ALMOST NEW King size "firm" bed, $250.00, 1968 Van needs work-yours for $300.00. 267-6892.

AUNT'S BEA'S ANTIQUES & OTHERWISE- 1 mile north of I20 on FM 700. New hours 10-5, Tuesday thru Saturday, closed Sunday and Monday.

A unique CHRISTMAS GIFT.. 2 sets of 6 ft. mirrored, gold frame wardrobe sliding closet doors. Price- new $427.00. Your price only $300 each. Call 264-5045, 393-5419.

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REAL ESTATE

Acreage for Sale 504

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Business Property 508

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Houses for Sale 513

3 OR 4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, fireplace, huge utility room, workshop & beautiful yard on a corner lot. $45,000. Linda Leonard, 263-7500, or Home Real Estate 263-1284.

ASSUME FHA Non-qualifying loan on this adorable three bedroom, 1½ bath home in Kentwood. Very reasonable down payment. Payment only $546.00 per month. Don't miss this chance to own your on home. ERA Reeder Realtors, Lila Estes, 267-8206, 277-6657.

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NEW HOMES Coronado Hills. Built to suit. 7½% interest. FHA/VA. Key Homes, Inc. 1-520-9848.

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RENT-TO-OWN- A-Home, nothing down, house guaranteed, equity transfers. $100.00 per month to $400.00 per month, call 264-0510.

THREE BEDROOM, two bath, two car attached garage. 7 acres, refrigerated air, two car carport with workshop. Good well, complete water system, pecan and fruit trees. 7 miles S.W. of city. Forsan District. Call for appointment. 398-5488 after 5pm.

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RENTALS

Business Buildings 520

FOR LEASE 1805 W. 3rd. $250.00 a month. $100.00 deposit. 263-5000.

FOR LEASE-Snyder Highway fenced yard, on two acres with office. $250.00 month. $100.00 deposit. 263-5000.

Furnished Apts. 521

1 BEDROOM APARTMENT, new paint, water paid. $200.00/month. $100.00/deposit, no pets. 267-5420.

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TWIN TOWERS
Your home is **our** business. Don't limit yourself. Come see the best value in Big Spring. 1&2 bedrooms $200.-$295. furn. or unfurn. $100. deposit. You pay elec. Sorry no pets. 3304 W. Hwy 80.
267-6561

TWO BEDROOM apartment for rent. $275.00 per month. Deposit required. Partial utilities paid. 300 Tulane.

Housing Wanted 523

RESPONSIBLE, DEPENDABLE, young professional needing garage apartment or efficiency. Need to make living arrangements by November 1. Call Martha at 263-7331.

Roommate Wanted 530

ROOM FOR rent, private bath. Help pay rent, and utilities. Must have references. Call 263-7507, or 263-4088.

Storage Building 531

STORAGE UNITS for rent 3 sizes, large overhead door, RV, commerical etc. 267-5382.

Unfurnished Apts. 532

1&2, BEDROOMS: From $200-$265. $100. dep. You pay electric. Stove/ref. furnished. Call 267-6561.

CLEAN GARAGE apartment, nice for 1 or couple. No children or pets. 267-2723.

LARGE UNFURNISHED apartment with fireplace and appliances. Great neighborhood. 204 Washington Blvd., after 5pm call 267-2653.

RENT BASED ON INCOME
All 100%
Section 8 Assisted
Close to schools
All Bills Paid
NORTHCREST VILLAGE
267-5191 1002 N. Main
****

Unfurnished Houses 533

2 BEDROOM DUPLEX for rent in Coahoma School Distict in Sand Springs. Call 393-5614.

3/2/2 BRICK. Refrigerated air and central heat. Total electric. 10 miles north. Near Luther store. No inside pets. Deposit and references required. 399-4441. $380.00 month.

COUNTRY LIVING- Nice two bedroom, two bath, trailer. Carport. $300. plus deposit and bills. 263-5122.

TWO BEDROOM, central heat, refrigerator and range, carport. Rent or lease. 807 Anna. 915-267-7380.

HUD ACCEPTED. All bills paid. Two and three bedroom homes for rent. Call Glenda 263-0746.

SMALL TWO bedroom house, 309 W 5th, call 263-2966.

SUNDANCE: ENJOY your own yard, patio, spacious home and carport with all the conveniences of apartment living. Two and three bedrooms from $295 and up. Call 263-2703.

TWO BEDROOM fenced backyard with washer and dryer connections. 267-5952.

VEHICLES

Auto Parts/Sup. 534

FOR SALE: Set of four aluminum slotted wheels from a Pontiac Fierro. $300.00. 263-8705.

Boats 537

1987 BASS TRACKER 1710 F&S. Loaded. Performance Mercury engine. $7500.00 or will trade for late model Ford Broncho. 393-5884.

FOR SALE- 18½ ft. cane cutter bass boat, 140 VRO Evinrude, $2800, call 965-3356.

FUN! FUN! FUN! 1990 Kawasaki Jet Mate 8 ft. boat, 52 horse power inboard. Seats 3 or 2 and pull a tub or skier. Call Pat Morgan 263-5145 evenings or 263-7331 days. $4,000 firm- includes custom trailer.

Cars for Sale 539

1974 VALIANT. Old but Dependable. Good tires- 6 cylinder, new battery. $700.00. 267-5549.

1984 BUICK REGAL. 4-door. Super clean. $250.00. 267-6940.

1984 HONDA ACCORD, 4-door, automatic, air conditioning, cruise. Runs great. $3,000. 267-7025, 267-2229.

1984 TORNADO, MOON ROOF, Fully Loaded, Excellent Condition. See to appreciate. 1974 VOLKSWAGON, great car for school. 267-9442.

INSECT CONTROL
Safe and Efficient
SOUTHWESTERN A-1 PEST CONTROL
2008 Birdwell 263-6514

Cars for Sale 539

ATTENTION

Be sure to check your ad the first day it runs for any errors. The Big Spring Herald will be responsible for ONLY THE FIRST DAY the ad runs incorrectly. We will correct the error and run the ad ONE ADDITIONAL DAY, but it is your responsibility to check the ad, the first day it runs, and notify us if it runs incorrectly. 263-7331.

1985 CADILLAC BROUGHAM. Local one owner car. $6,000.00 FIRM. Call 267-7612 or 263-7737 after five.

1986 CHEVY CLASSIC. 4 door, one owner, full power. 61,000 miles, $3200.00 OBO. 393-5976.

1986 DODGE COLT hatchback, low miles, $2000.00. Call 393-5259.

1988 FORD ESCORT. 4 door, good running condition. 263-7259.

1988 PONTIAC LEMANS 3 door. AC/AT-/AM/FM. 49,000 miles. $3,000.00. 264-0104.

1988 RENAULT MEDALLION LX. 4-door, AM/FM cassette, cruise, 5 speed w/overdrive. 25,000 actual miles. $3980. Texas Auto Sales, 1108 E. 4th.

1989 FORD TAURUS GL. 3.0 L, V6 engine, 29,000 miles. Twilight blue color. Call 263-3701, work, 8-5pm or 267-6768 after 5 pm.

68 CHEVY CAMARO 350, 350 transmission, 4:11 gears. In great shape 263-5774.

78 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL. New upholstery covering and top. Good motor. Will finance. Call 263-8284.

84 VW SCIRROCCO, Sporty, new clutch, clean. $1750.00, 264-6607 after 5:00.

86 OLDS CUTLASS Salon. V-8. Loaded. Very clean inside and out. High mileage. Runs good. 263-3236.

87 OLDSMOBILE 98. White with burgundy interior. Loaded. Very nice family car. $5,700.00 Call 267-7707.

CADILLAC LUXURY '85 Seville, red with simulated convertible top, leather, $700 under NADA retail, 502 Highland.

CARS FOR $200!
Porsche, Mercedes, BMW, Corvettes, Bronco's, 4x4 trucks, Honda, Chevy's and more. Also boats, motorhomes, motorcycles-- you name it! Call 1-800-333-3737 Ext. C-7300.

GOVERNMENT SEIZED vehicles as low as $100: Corvettes, Mercedes, BMW's, Porsches, Cadillacs, trucks and vans. Call Toll Free 1-800-536-5033 ext. G179.

IMMEDIATE CASH FOR CARS AND PICK UPS. Don't trade it in for less. Sell it to Howell Auto Sales for top price at 605 W. 4th. 263-0747.

WESTEX AUTO PARTS
Sells Late Model Guaranteed Recondition Cars & Pickups

'91 Festiva GL	$3,650
'88 Festiva L	$3,500
'87 S-10 Pickup	$3,250
'82 Honda Motorcycle	$250
'79 16ft. Baja boat	$2,450
'82 Porsche 928	$8,750
'87 Skylark Limited	$3,450
'86 Jaguar XJ 6	$7,750
'87 Grand Am LE	$3,250
'86 Ranger Pick Up	$2,850
'84 Cadillac Sedan Deville	$2,450

Snyder Hwy 263-5000

WRECKED 1989 FORD FESTIVA. Engine and transmission still good. Buy for parts, or fix up. 263-4645 after 1:00pm.

Jeeps 545

1986 JEEP COMANCHE 4x4. 4 cylinder, 2.5 L engine. 5 speed. Call 263-3060.

Pickups 601

1972 CHEVROLET CHEYENNE Super Sport. Original truck in average condition. $1750.00, call 353-4265.

1985 CHEVY S-10 Blazer 2x4, 6 cylinder, Auto, air-condition, cruise. Call 263-3840.

1987 FORD F150 Super Cab. 351, V8, XLT Lariat. AM/FM cassette, cruise, tilt, electric windows and door locks. Captain chairs. Running boards, towing package. 65,000 actual miles. Real clean pick up. $8280. Texas Auto Sales, 1108 E. 4th.

1988 FORD ¾ TON XLT. 460 motor. Has trailer tow and package. Camper shell. 263-5603.

1989 FORD SUPER CAB Lariat XLT. Loaded, sharp, lots of highway miles. $7,850. 905 W. 4th. 263-7648.

DEERHUNTER SPECIAL 1988 Ford supercab 4x4, air, cruise, automatic overdrive, camper shell, good tires, good condition. 263-2934.

Trailers 603

3-ENCLOSED TRAILERS- 3x5 all metal removable top, 4x8x4/, 6x10x6. 263-3091.

PICK UP BED trailer. step side, new tires, safety chains, and lights work. 263-5915.

Trucks 605

1980 FORD BRONCO in very good condition. $2,400, 267-5669.

Vans 607

1990 AEROSTAR VAN V6 Automatic, air, tilt wheel, cruise, CLEAN. $8950.00, 905 West 4th, 263-7648.

WOMEN-MEN-CHILDREN

Child Care 610

NON SMOKER NEEDED to care for toddler girl. Serious, dependable, but most of all lovable. Strongly prefer you to have a child ages 2-4 so that she can have a playmate. Your home or mine. Send cover letter with salary expectations to Big Spring Herald, 710 Scurry, P.O. Box 263.

Diet & Health 613

LOSE WEIGHT the natural way. Up to 30lbs., 30 days, for $30. 263-1636.



"Apartment Homes"
All bills paid
Rents starting at:
$338 1 bedrooms
398 2 bedrooms
478 3 bedrooms
Ref. Air, Laundromat
Adjacent to Marcy Elementary
Courtesy Patrol
Professionally managed by MSMC
Park Village
1905 Wasson, 267-6421
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EHO

TOO LATES

Too Late To Classify 900

FOR SALE: 1991 (red) Dodge **STEALTH!!**. Low miles, excellent condition. Must see to appreciate. Call 267-6664, or after 6 p.m. call 1-573-1417.

1978 BUICK STATION wagon. $300.00. After 6pm. 354-2239.

TOO LATE DEADLINE
IS 8:00 AM Same Day
SUNDAY TOO LATES DEADLINE
IS 5:00PM FRIDAY.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On Tuesday, October 13, 1992, the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas passed approved on regular reading ordinances as described as follows:
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, DESIGNATING THE INTERSECTION OF 20TH AND RUNNELS STREET AS A YIELD INTERSECTION; DIRECTING THE ERECTION OF THE PROPER SIGN (STATE LAW PROVIDES THAT IT IS A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE TO RUN A STOP SIGN OR TO VIOLATE A YIELD SIGN PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF UP TO $200.00 ON CONVICTION); AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION.
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, DESIGNATING THE INTERSECTION OF 21ST STREET AND SOUTH JOHNSON STREET AS A STOP INTERSECTION WITH THE TRAFFIC ON 21ST STREET STOPPING FOR JOHNSON STREET; DIRECTING THE ERECTION OF THE PROPER SIGNS (STATE LAW PROVIDES THAT IT IS A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE TO RUN A STOP SIGN OR VIOLATE A YIELD SIGN PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF UP TO $200.00 ON CONVICTION); AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION.
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 18 OF THE CITY CODE BY ESTABLISHING THE HOURS REGULATING THE PARKING ALONG THE EAST SIDE OF GOLIAD STREET IN THE GOLIAD MIDDLE SCHOOL ZONE.
Thomas D. Ferguson
City Secretary
8050 October 19 & 20, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE — REAL ESTATE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOWARD
By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the County Court at Law, Midland County, Texas on a judgment rendered in said Court on May 7, 1987, in favor of B. B. Jones and against S. R. Chaney, in the case of B. B. Jones v. S. R. Chaney, No. 3906, in said Court the undersigned did on NOVEMBER 03, 1992, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following real estate lying and being situated in Howard County, Texas, as the property of S. R. Chaney, a/k/a Sam Chaney:
All rights, title and interest of above-named Defendant in the following described real property in Howard County, Texas to-wit:
Being a 5.6 acre tract of land out of the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section No. Twenty-Four (24), Block 33, Township 1 South T & P R.R. Co., Survey, Howard County, Texas:
BEGINNING at a ¾" I.P. in the West right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 87, from which a 2" I.P. the N.E. corner of Section 24, Block 33, Tsp. 1-South, T&P R.R. Co. Surveys, Howard County, Texas bears N. 5 degrees 17' W. 20.0 ft. and N. 74 degrees 44' E. 1437.5 ft. Said 3.4" I.P. being the N.E. corner of this tract;
THENCE S. 5 degrees 17' E. along the West right-of-way line of said U.S. Highway No. 87, 423.0 feet to a 3.4" I.P. for the S.E. corner of this tract;
THENCE S. 74 degrees 44' W. parallel to the North line of said Section 24 and along the North line of a 30 ft. private roadway, 547.9 ft. to a ¾" I.P. for the S.W. corner of this tract;
THENCE N. 15 degrees 16' W. 417.0 ft. to a ¾" I.P. in the South line of a 20 ft. reserved roadway for the N.W. corner of this tract;
THENCE N. 74 degrees 44' E. parallel with and 20 ft. South of the North line of said Section 24 and along the South line of said 20 ft. reserved roadway, 619.7 ft. to the place of beginning containing 5.6 acres of land.
AND
BEING a .94 acre tract, BEING a 0.94 acre tract of land out of the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section 13 and the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section 24, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas:
BEGINNING at a ¾" I.P. in the West right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 87 in the SE/4 section 13, Block 33, T-1-S, T&P RR. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas, for the NE corner of this tract; from whence the NE corner of said Section 13 bears N. 75 degrees 12'30" E. 1435.0';
THENCE S. 5 degrees 19' E. along the West right-of-way line of said U.S. Highway 87, at 15.0' pass a ¾" I.P. in the North right-of-way line of a 20' wide Reserved Roadway, 35.3' in all to a ¾" I.P. in the South line of said 20' Reserved Roadway, the NE corner of a 5.6 Acre Tract and for the SE corner of this tract;
THENCE S. 74 degrees 37' W. along the North line of said 5.6 acre tract and South line of said 20' wide Reserved Roadway 616.06' to a ½" I.R. in the East line of a 3.0 Acre tract, the NW corner of said 5.6 Acre Tract and for the SW corner of this tract;
THENCE N. 14 degrees 48' W. at 20' pass the North line of said 20' wide Reserved Roadway, at 40.99' pass the North line of said Section 24 and the South line of said Section 13, 97.4' in all to a ½" I.R. in the South line of a 1.93 Acre Tract of the NW corner of this tract;
THENCE N. 80 degrees 22'30" E. 624.4 to the place of beginning, containing 40.993 square feet of 0.94 acres of land;
making a total of 6.54 acres
You are further notified that on November 03, 1992, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, all the right, title, and interest of said above named judgment debtors in and to the above-described property will be offered for sale and sold at public auction, for cash.
WITNESS MY HAND this 29th day of September, 1992.
BY: A.N. STANDARD
SHERIFF, HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS
8030 October 5, 12 & 19, 1992

SportsExtra

BASEBALL

'Jays — Braves

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	ATLANTA	ab	r	h	bi
White cf	5	0	1	1	Nixon cf	5	0	0	0
RAlmr 2b	4	1	1	0	DSndrs lf	3	1	1	0
Carter lf	3	0	1	0	Pndlton 3b	4	1	1	0
Wnfield rf	4	0	1	1	Justice rf	3	1	1	1
Olerud 1b	4	0	0	0	Bream 1b	1	1	0	0
Gruber 3b	4	0	0	0	Hunter 1b	1	0	0	1
Brders c	3	1	1	0	Blauser ss	3	0	1	0
Lee ss	3	1	1	0	Blliard ss	0	0	0	0
DBell ph	0	1	0	0	Brryhll c	3	0	0	0
Griffin ss	0	0	0	0	Lemke 2b	4	0	1	1
Cone p	2	0	2	1	Smoltz p	3	0	0	0
Wells p	0	0	0	0	Stanton p	0	0	0	0
Mldndo ph	1	0	0	0	Rardon p	0	0	0	0
Sttlmyr p	0	0	0	0	LSmith ph	0	0	0	0
DWard p	0	0	0	0	Gant pr	0	0	0	0
Sprgue ph	1	1	1	2					
Henke p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	34	5	9	5	Totals	30	4	5	3

Toronto	000	020	012—5
Atlanta	010	120	000—4

E—Borders (1), Lee (1), Bream (1). DP—Toronto 2, Atlanta 1. LOB—Toronto 6, Atlanta 8. 2B—RAlomar (1), Borders (1). HR—Sprague (1). SB—DSanders 2 (2), Justice (1), Blauser (1), Gant (2). SF—Hunter.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Cone	4 1-3	5	4	3	5	2
Wells	1 2-3	0	0	0	1	2
Stottlemyre	1	0	0	0	0	0
DWard W,1-0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Henke S,1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Atlanta						
Smoltz	7 1-3	8	3	2	3	8
Stanton	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Reardon L,0-1	1 1-3	1	2	2	1	1

HBP—by Henke (LSmith). WP—Cone, Smoltz 2.
Umpires—Home, Reilly; First, West; Second, Morrison; Third, Davidson; Left, Shulock; Right, Crawford.
T—3:30. A—51,763.

FOOTBALL

NFL Standings

All Times CDT
AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Miami	6	0	0	1.000	168	94
Buffalo	4	2	0	.667	166	102
Indianapolis	3	3	0	.500	68	112
N.Y. Jets	1	5	0	.167	84	123
New England	0	6	0	.000	63	157
Central						
Houston	4	2	0	.667	153	110
Pittsburgh	3	2	0	.600	91	74
Cleveland	3	3	0	.500	88	84
Cincinnati	2	3	0	.400	99	128
West						
Denver	5	2	0	.714	100	130
Kansas City	4	3	0	.571	150	101
LA Raiders	3	4	0	.429	109	109
San Diego	2	4	0	.333	80	115
Seattle	1	6	0	.143	43	135

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Dallas	5	1	0	.833	139	99
Philadelphia	4	2	0	.667	136	74
Washington	4	2	0	.667	121	92
N.Y. Giants	2	4	0	.333	127	151
Phoenix	1	5	0	.167	110	170
Central						
Minnesota	5	1	0	.833	160	112
Chicago	3	3	0	.500	139	145
Tampa Bay	3	3	0	.500	129	114
Green Bay	2	4	0	.333	80	121
Detroit	1	5	0	.167	109	128
West						
San Francisco	6	1	0	.857	216	125
New Orleans	5	2	0	.714	117	82
LA Rams	3	4	0	.429	121	133
Atlanta	2	5	0	.286	133	179

Thursday's Game
Minnesota 31, Detroit 14
Sunday's Games
Cleveland 17, Green Bay 6
Dallas 17, Kansas City 10
Washington 16, Philadelphia 12
San Diego 34, Indianapolis 14
Chicago 31, Tampa Bay 14
San Francisco 56, Atlanta 17
Miami 38, New England 17
Denver 27, Houston 21
Los Angeles Raiders 19, Seattle 0
New Orleans 30, Phoenix 21
Los Angeles Rams 38, New York Giants 17
OPEN DATE: Buffalo and New York Jets
Monday's Game
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, 8 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 25
Chicago at Green Bay, noon.
Cincinnati at Houston, noon.
Detroit at Tampa Bay, noon.
Phoenix at Philadelphia, noon.
Seattle at New York Giants, noon.
Washington at Minnesota, noon.
Denver at San Diego, 3 p.m.
Cleveland at New England, 3 p.m.
Dallas at Los Angeles Raiders, 3 p.m.
Indianapolis at Miami, 3 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Kansas City, 6:30 p.m.
OPEN DATE: Atlanta, Los Angeles Rams, New Orleans, San Francisco.
Monday, Oct. 26
Buffalo at New York Jets, 8 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF BIG SPRING
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY GRANTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 2:00 P.M., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1992, FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF PURCHASING LUBRICANTS
BIDS ARE TO BE OPENED AND READ ALOUD IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT CHAMBERS, 2ND FLOOR, CITY FOURTH AND NOLAN STREETS, BIG SPRING, TEXAS 79720, WITH AWARD TO BE MADE AT A REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE BIG SPRING CITY COUNCIL. BID INFORMATION AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED IN THE OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, ROOM 105, FIRST FLOOR, CITY HALL, FOURTH AND NOLAN STREETS, BIG SPRING, TEXAS 79720. ALL BIDS MUST BE MARKED WITH THE DATE OF BID AND A GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE BID ITEM(S).
THE CITY OF BIG SPRING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS AND TO WAIVE ANY OR ALL FORMALITIES.
SIGNED: TIM BLACKSHEAR,
MAYOR
SIGNED: THOMAS D. FERGUSON,
CITY SECRETARY
8040 October 12 & 19, 1992

GOLF

PGA Tour

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (AP) — Scores and prize money Sunday after the final round of the $1 million Disney Classic played on three courses all par-72, the 7,190-yard, Magnolia Course; the 6,957-yard, Palm Course; and the 6,829-yard, Lake Buena Vista Course:

John Huston, $180,000	66-68-66-62—262
Mark O'Meara, $108,000	64-68-64-69—265
Ted Schulz, $68,000	66-66-64-71—267
Payne Stewart, $48,000	64-67-67-70—268
Duffy Waldorf, $40,000	65-68-67-69—269
Bill Britton, $34,750	67-65-68-70—270
Lee Janzen, $34,750	62-70-68-70—270
David Edwards, $29,000	72-64-68-67—271
Loren Roberts, $29,000	69-65-69-68—271
Rocco Mediate, $29,000	69-65-67-70—271
Howard Twitty, $23,000	69-65-72-66—272
Joey Sindelar, $23,000	69-69-68-66—272
Scott Simpson, $23,000	67-70-66-69—272
Steve Pate, $16,500	70-68-69-66—273
Bobby Clampett, $16,500	68-68-69-68—273
Jay Don Blake, $16,500	68-69-68-68—273
Donnie Hammond, $16,500	66-68-69-70—273
Scott Hoch, $16,500	67-68-68-70—273
Frank Conner, $16,500	65-68-64-76—273
Mike Standly, $9,789	71-67-69-67—274
Tommy Armour III, $9,789	66-73-68-67—274
Wayne Grady, $9,789	67-71-68-68—274
Nolan Henke, $9,789	65-72-69-68—274
Thomas Lehman, $9,789	68-67-71-68—274
Jim Woodward, $9,789	66-69-70-69—274
Greg Kraft, $9,789	67-70-68-69—274
Jim McGovern, $9,789	70-68-67-69—274
J.P. Hayes, $9,789	65-66-66-77—274
Marco Dawson, $5,956	71-67-69-68—275
Jay Delsing, $5,956	69-68-69-69—275
Chip Beck, $5,956	68-68-69-70—275
Bruce Fleisher, $5,956	72-65-68-70—275
Doug Tewell, $5,956	70-67-68-70—275
John Ross, $5,956	72-66-67-70—275
David Peoples, $5,956	67-69-68-71—275
Greg Whisman, $5,956	71-68-65-71—275
Dan Halldorson, $5,956	67-66-68-74—275
Scott Simpson, $4,000	70-70-68-68—276
Ed Fiori, $4,000	69-71-68-68—276
Mike Reid, $4,000	70-69-68-69—276
Dan Forsman, $4,000	71-69-66-70—276
Jim Hallet, $4,000	71-72-63-70—276
Paul Azinger, $4,000	68-68-69-71—276
John Adams, $4,000	69-69-66-72—276
Keith Clearwater, $4,000	72-63-68-73—276
Lance Ten Broeck, $2,520	69-70-69-69—277
Phil Mickelson, $2,520	70-70-68-69—277
Gene Sauers, $2,520	70-68-70-69—277
Phil Blackmar, $2,520	72-67-68-70—277
David Toms, $2,520	70-70-67-70—277
Fulton Allem, $2,520	70-68-69-70—277
Bob Gilder, $2,520	68-69-69-71—277
Peter Persons, $2,520	69-71-65-72—277
John Cook, $2,520	68-69-68-72—277
Tom Sieckmann, $2,520	68-70-67-72—277
Brian Claar, $2,520	68-67-69-73—277
Kelly Gibson, $2,520	69-68-65-75—277
Ben Crenshaw, $2,200	68-72-68-70—278
Chris Perry, $2,200	67-70-70-71—278
Mark McCumber, $2,200	68-69-70-71—278
Robert Friend, $2,200	69-66-70-73—278
Larry Rinker, $2,200	69-70-65-74—278
Mike Hulbert, $2,110	67-70-70-72—279

Dunhill Cup

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland (AP) — Final scores Sunday from the $1.7 million Dunhill Cup team tournament, played on the par-72, 6,933-yard Old Course:

Semifinals
England 2, United States 1
David Gilford, England, def. Fred Couples, United States, 69-70.
Steven Richardson, England, def. Davis Love III, United States, 68-71.
Tom Kite, United States, def. Jamie Spence, England, 71-72.
Scotland 2, Australia 1
Colin Montgomerie, Scotland, def. Ian Baker-Finch, Australia, 68-72.
Sandy Lyle, Scotland, def. Rodger Davis, Australia, 69-73.
Greg Norman, Australia, def. Gordon Brand Jr. Scotland, 68-73.

Championship
England 2, Scotland 0
Steven Richardson, England, def. Gordon Grand Jr., Scotland, 71-73.
Jamie Spence, England, and Colin Montgomerie, Scotland, draw 69-69.
David Gilford, England, def. Sandy Lyle, Scotland, 71-74.

BOWLING

Bowling

PINPOPPERS
RESULTS — Kimella's Cafe tied Kuykendall Inc., 4-4; Steve Smith Agency over Short Sircuit, 6-2; Health Food Center over Team 10, 89-0; Casual Shoppe over A & B Farms, 6-2; Yates Cattle Co. over Hair Clinic, 6-2; Tret-O-Lite over Team 11, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Mary Mulkey, 198 and Janie Ringener, 518; hi sc. team game and series Tret-O-Lite, 680 and Health Food Center, 1840; hi hdcp game and series Mary Mulkey, 246 and 627; hi hdcp team game and series Tret-O-Lite, 853 and Health Food Center, 2335.
STANDINGS — Kimella's Cafe, 38-18; Kuykendall Inc., 36-20; Health Food Center, 32-24; Casual Shoppe, 30-26; Short Sircuit, 30-26; Team 11, 30-26; Steve Smith Agency, 28-28; A & B Farms, 28-28; Yates Cattle Co., 26-30; Tret-O-Lite, 24-32; Hair Clinic, 22-34; Team 10, 12-44.

LADIES MAJOR
RESULTS — Tom Boy Shop over Barber Glass & Mirror, 8-0; Rocky's over Campbell Concrete, 6-2; Hall's Air Cooled E over Team Hughes, 6-2; Lacontesa Cutters over KC Kids, 6-2; Miss Royale over Vanessa's, 6-2; Arrow Refrigeration over Pretty Things, 8-0; EP Driver Ins. tied Frame Busters, 4-4; S & H Floor Covering over Sassie Ladies, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Stormy Ward, 212 and 538; hi sc. team game and series Arrow Refrigeration, 648 and 1900; hi hdcp game and series Maggie Gonzales, 250 and Charlotte Becker, 645; hi hdcp team game and series Team Hughes, 822 and Hall's Air Cooled E, 2425.
STANDINGS — Arrow Refrigeration, 38-10; Frame Busters, 32-16; Hall's Air Cooled E, 30-18; Sassie Ladies, 26-22; Miss Royale, 26-22; S & H Floor Covering, 24-24; Campbell Concrete, 24-24; KC Kids, 24-24; Team Hughes, 22-26; La Contesa Cutters, 22-26; Barber Glass & Mirror, 22-26; Tom Boy Shop, 20-28; E P Driver Ins., 20-28; Pretty Things, 18-30; Rocky's, 18-30; Vanessa, 18-30.

GUYS & DOLLS
RESULTS — Arrow Refrigeration over 2 Mini Acres, 6-2; Coahoma Beauty Center over J & D Garage, 6-2; Photo-Magic Studio over Rockys, 6-2; Fifth Wheels tied Qual Run, 4-4; hi sc. game and series (man) Tom Daily, 241 and 609; hi hdcp game and series (man) Tom Daily, 259 and 663; hi sc. game and series (woman) Arlene McMurtrey, 197 and Velma Campbell, 512; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Arlene McMurtrey, 233 and Anne Sigmon, 622; hi sc. team game and series Coahoma Beauty Center, 679 and Fifth Wheels, 1928; hi hdcp team game and series Coahoma Beauty Center, 837 and Quail Run, 2332.
STANDINGS — Arrow Refrigeration, 46-18; Photo-Magic Studio, 38-26; Rockys, 36-28; Coahoma Beauty Center, 32-32; J & D Garage, 30-34; Quail Run, 28-36; Fifth Wheels, 24-40; 2 Mini Acres, 22-42.

CAPROCK
RESULTS — Tough As Nails over Trio Fuels, 6-2; Pin Breakers over Fred's Septic Service, 6-2; Coors over Two Ballers, 6-2; Just Showing Up over Coffman Roofing, 8-0; Burgess Automotive over Bob Brock Ford, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Don Cunningham, 224 and 560; hi hdcp game and series Huey Harris, 238 and Craig Dunnam, 643; hi sc. team game and series Coors, 724 and 2098; hi hdcp team game and series Just Showing Up, 819 and 2390.
STANDINGS — Bob Brock Ford, 34-14; Burgess Automotive, 32-16; Coors, 28-20; Just Showing Up, 26-22; Tough As Nails, 26-22; Two Ballers, 24-24; Trio Fuels, 24-24; Coffman Roofing, 22-26; Fred's Septic Service, 14-34; Pin Breakers, 10-38.

LADIES CLASSIC
RESULTS — Team #3 over The Dream Team, 8-0; Shock Wave over L & M Properties, 8-0; Pretty Things over The PJ's, 8-0; hi sc. game and series Betty Daily, 201 and 554; hi sc. team game and series Pretty Things, 674 and 1930; hi hdcp game and series Betty Daily, 233 and 650; hi hdcp team game and series Shock Wave, 824 and 2408.
STANDINGS — Shock Wave, 30-18; Team #3, 30-18; Pretty Things, 30-10; L & M Properties, 22-26; The Dream Team, 16-32; The PJ's, 8-32.

PINPOPPERS
RESULTS — Short Sircuit over Casual Shoppe, 6-2; Team 10 split Kimella's Cafe, 4-4; Kuykendall Inc. over Team 11, 6-2; Hair Clinic over Steve Smith Agency, 8-0; Health Food Center over Tret-O-Lite, 8-0; Yates Cattle Co. tied A & B Farms, 4-4; hi sc. game and series Ernestine Odell, 192 and Pauline Fulesday, 535; hi sc. team game and series Health Food Center, 619 and 1819; hi hdcp game and series Ernestine Odell, 247 and Shirley Rich, 645; hi hdcp team game and series Team 11, 821 and Kuykendall Inc., 2319.
STANDINGS — Kuykendall Inc., 42-22; Kimella's Cafe, 42-22; Health Food Center, 40-24; Short Sircuit, 36-28; Casual Shoppe, 32-32; A & B Farms, 32-32; Team 11, 32-32; Hair Clinic, 30-34; Yates Cattle Co., 30-34; Steve Smith Agency, 28-36; Tret-O-Lite, 24-40; Team 10, 16-48.

STERLING CITY TRAVELERS
RESULTS — Bowl-A-Rama over Permian Research, 6-2; Nifty Gritty tied Fifth Wheels, 4-4; Well Tech over Crazy Eights, 6-2; Moms & Dads over Team Three, 6-2; hi sc. game and series (men) (Mark Dobek, 213 and Leon Hobbs, 559; hi sc. game and series (women) Judith Fields, 212 and 525; hi sc. team game and series Permian Research, 724 and Fifth Wheels, 1866; hi hdcp game and series (men) Leon Hobbs, 237 and 667; hi hdcp game and series (women) Judith Fields, 251 and 642; hi hdcp team game and series Permain Research, 881 and Bowl-A-Rama 2382.
STANDINGS — Moms & Dads, 34-14; Well Tech, 30-18; Fifth Wheels, 29-19; Permian Research, 24-24; Bowl-A-Rama, 24-24; Nitty Gritty, 24-16; Team Three, 15-41; Crazy Eights, 12-36.

MENS MAJOR BOWLING
RESULTS — Bob Brock Ford over Rocky's, 8-0; O'Daniel Trucking over B.S.I., 8-0; Fina Engineers over Big Spring Herald, 8-0; 1st Nat. Bank over Walker L.P. Gas, 6-2; Hagen T.V. Repair over Pollard Chevrolet, 6-2; Parks Conv. Center split Western Container, 4-4; high single game and series Walter Little, 252 and Jeremy Hagen, 686; high team game and series O'Daniel Trucking, 1089 and 3090.
STANDINGS — Walker L.P. Gas, 46-18; O'Daniel Trucking, 41-23; Big Spring Herald, 41-23; Pollard Chevrolet, 38-26; Western Container, 33-31; B.S.I., 32-32; Hagen T.V. Repair, 31-33; Fina Engineers, 26-38; Bob Brock Ford, 26-38; Parks Conv. Center, 26-38; 1st Nat. Bank, 26-38; Rocky's, 18-46.

WEDNESDAY NITE TRIO
RESULTS — Fifth Wheels over Newman Outdoor Advertising, 8-0; Copy Cats over Saunders Company, 8-0; Loan Stars (unopposed), 8-0; Neals Sporting Goods over Rascals, 6-2; Slow Starters over Alley Cats, 6-2; Big Spring Music over Napa Slingers, 6-2; First National Bank over S.A.W., 6-2; Security State Bank over We Are Family, 6-2; Fly By Night over Arrow Refrigeration, 6-2; Fast Stop Exxon split with Timeless Designs, 4-4; hi sc. game and series (man) Jeff Dukett, 233 and Chuck Carr, 586; hi hdcp game and series (man) Kenny Bearden, 253 and 682; hi sc. game and series (woman) Karen Bearden, 205 and Wanda Lockhart, 583; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Karen Bearden, 257 and Linda Ziegler, 703; hi sc. team game and series Fly By Night, 558 and Security State Bank, 1574; hi hdcp team game and series First National Bank, 693 and 1989. Splits converted, Wanda Lockhart, 4-7-9 and Ron Westbrook 2-7.
STANDINGS — Copy Cats, 46-18; Newman Outdoor Advertising, 40-24; Big Spring Music, 40-24; Security State Bank, 38-26; Fifth Wheels, 38-26; First National Bank, 37-27; Timeless Designs, 36-28; S.A.W., 36-28; We Are Family, 35-27; Rascals, 34-28; Loan Stars, 34-30; Saunders Company, 34-30; Neals Sporting Goods, 31-33; Napa Slingers, 31-33; Slow Starters, 27-37; Alley Cats, 26-38; Arrow Refrigeration, 26-36; Fly By Night, 24-40; Fast Stop Exxon, 21-43.

DOUBLE TROUBLE
RESULTS — Alley Cats over Fun Bunch, 6-2; Red Mesa over Missing In Action, 8-0; Team four tied Team Ten, 4-4; Pinkies over Wrecking Crew, 6-2; Team Three over Pocket Seekers, 8-0; Would Be Miracles over Team Five, 6-2; Team Twelve over Cops and Dogs, 8-0; hi sc. game and series (men) Charlie Campbell, 236 and Chuck Carr, 643; hi sc. game and series (women) Peggy Huckabee, 187 and Tamera Barber, 546; hi sc. team game and series Red Mesa 696 and 2041; hi hdcp game and series (men) Guy Burrow 253 and E. J. Self, 695; hi hdcp game and series (women) Sharon Martinez, 241 and 631; hi hdcp team game and series Team Ten, 849 and Alley Cats, 2413.
STANDINGS — Team Twelve, 38-18; Pinkies, 35-21; Team Five, 34-22; Fun Bunch, 32-24; Red Mesa, 31-25; Alley Cats, 30-26; Team Ten, 30-26; Team Four, 26-30; Wrecking Crew, 26-30; Team Three, 26-30; Pocket Seekers, 24-32; Cops and Docks, 22-34; Would Be Miracles, 20-36; Missing In Action, 18-38.

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Superstition pays for Huston

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. — Call it superstition, but it worked for John Huston to the tune of $180,000 Sunday.

Huston sent his wife and child home before Sunday's finale at the Disney Golf Classic and ended up shooting the lowest score on the tour since 1988.

Huston's wife Suzanne and daughter Jessica had taken in the surrounding attractions during the week while he moved within four shots of the lead going into Sunday.

"I said, 'Well, I'm playing pretty good so you'd better go on home,'" recounted Huston. "It worked out all right."

Huston, trailing by three strokes with six holes to play, fired a final-round 10-under-par 62 to finish 26-under at 262, just one shot off the PGA record of 27-under established by Ben Hogan in 1945 and matched only once — by Mike Souchak in 1955. The last player to finish a tournament 26-under was Chip Beck in 1988.

"It was one of those days where everything was going my way," said Huston. "When you're putting good, it's easier to play when you're nervous."

Defending champion Mark O'Meara watched a three-shot lead disappear in the final six holes. He bogeyed twice while Huston notched four of his 10 birdies on the 7,190-yard Magnolia Course in the last six holes.

"I just kept telling myself not to let up," said Huston. "You don't get many chances."

O'Meara was philosophical about his second-place finish.

"I had my chances and I didn't do it," he said. "There was a lot more pressure on me because I was leading the tournament.

"Of course I was disappointed, but when a guy comes out and shoots a 62, what can you do?" O'Meara asked. "That's a phenomenal score, particularly on the last day of a tournament."

O'Meara's 265 matched John Cook's previous low this year, which came at the Hawaiian Open.

Huston, who played with second-round co-leader Payne Stewart, took the lead with a birdie at the par-4, 400-yard 16th hole after O'Meara bogeyed 14.

But Huston wasn't aware that he had the lead until he sank a birdie putt at No. 18.

"As far as I knew, we were tied," said Huston. "Fortunately, I kept it going all day."

Huston's 62 also matched the best final-round score of the year. Davis Love III shot a 62 on the final day to win the Greater Greensboro Open in the spring.

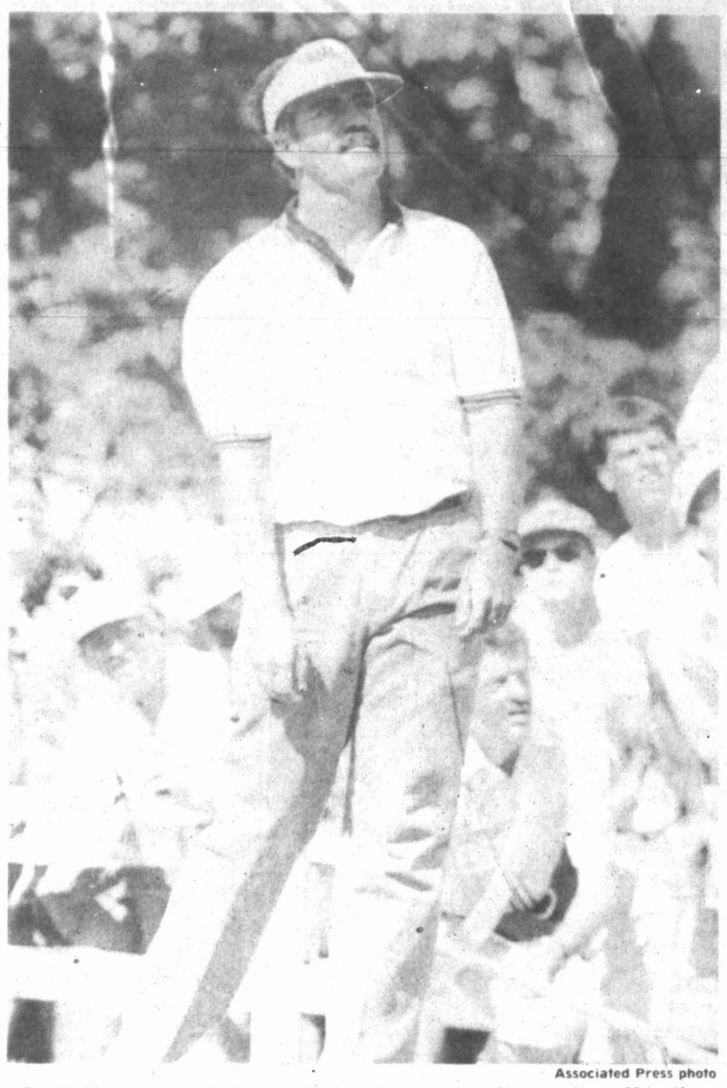
Huston's winning score and final round were also records at this event, co-sponsored by Disney and Oldsmobile.

It was the second tour win for Huston, who won the 1990 Honda Classic. The $180,000 winner's check from the $1 million tournament boosted Huston's earnings to $472,338, putting him 26th on the tour ledger.

O'Meara picked up $108,000 for his second-place finish and moved into the top 10 in earnings with $727,000.

Ted Schulz, who shared the lead with O'Meara heading into the final round, finished third at 267 after a 71 Sunday, while Stewart came in fourth at 268.

Jim McGovern became the 32nd player this year to record a hole-in-one when he aced the 158-yard third hole with a 6-iron.



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Scott Simpson looks towards the 17th green after teeing off in the final round of the Disney Classic. Simpson shot a 69 on the last round, finishing with a 272 for 13th place. He won $23,000.

U.S. tumbles in semis to England champions

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

ST. ANDREWS — Putting together the Masters titlist, the U.S. Open champion and a three-time winner on this year's PGA Tour, the Americans believed they had a Dream Team capable of winning the richest prize in team golf.

Fred Couples, Tom Kite and Davis Love III only made it to the semifinal.

It was fifth-seeded England who lifted the Dunhill Cup Sunday at the end of the $1.7 million competition at the home of golf. After downing the United States, England defeated Scotland 2-0 in the final.

The Americans tumbled 2-1 to Nick Faldo-less England in the semifinal after being 2-1 ahead at the halfway mark.

It was not that they played poorly. It was just that all three lost their good form at the same time.

Before the semifinal, they were rated 6-4 favorites to win the tournament, but Couples, Kite and Love all had disastrous inward nines and the English turned the match around.

"We just didn't play as well as we thought we would," said Kite, who won his game by one against Jamie Spence after once holding a four-stroke lead.

"We had opportunities to score even lower and we didn't take them. It just shows that over 18 holes any day, especially when you are the No. 1 seed, people are going to shoot at you."

England didn't miss.

Dunhill Cup

With Steve Richardson ahead against Love and Kite beating Spence, Couples was the target. He bogeyed just once, at the next-to-last hole, and paid for it.

After a wayward drive, he bunkered his second shot for the second straight day at the tough Road Hole. Despite an inspirational shot from the sand, he missed his putt and took a five. Opponent David Gilford parred the hole and moved ahead for the first time in the match.

On the final hole, Couples tried a 40-yard putt from well off the green after a huge drive. It wound up 15 feet short and he only managed par to lose by one.

Even after that first match, the Americans knew it was all over. Love was too far behind in the second match to worry Richardson and that made Kite's victory over Brand academic.

Instead of pocketing $170,000 each as winners, the Americans went home with $54,000 and no trophy.

That went to an English team that played consistent if unspectacular golf, yet only squeezed into the semifinal because Italy defeated its nearest rival, Japan, after a play-off.

Scotland upset No. 2 seed Australia 2-1 in the other semifinal, although Greg Norman carded a 68 to beat Brand by five strokes.

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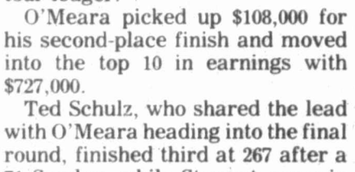
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