



Balancing act

Juan Aleman of Southwest Utilities gestures to a bulldozer operator pushing a 12-inch pipe into place on Wasson Road Tuesday afternoon. The pipe is a new water line being installed at the location.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Change may help SSC bid

From staff and wire reports
Garden City supercollider supporters are pleased with the U.S. Department of Energy's change in its requirements for submitting supercollider proposals, a local leader said today.

"It puts everyone on the same, level playing field," said Ralph McLaughlin, chairman of the Garden City SSC Commission.

The DOE is asking states to submit any financial aid offers for the supercollider atom smasher in sealed envelopes, not to be opened until a site is picked.

That's a switch from the original plan to make states bid for the \$4.4 billion machine.

McLaughlin said the new regulations will require selection on the merits of the site. The change will help Garden City's chances of being selected, he said.

"We have the most advantageous site," he said.

Because states may need time to rewrite their proposals as a result, the department said Wednesday it is sliding the deadline from Aug. 3 to Sept. 2.

The Garden City group hired a Washington,

D.C.-based consulting firm this month to improve the Garden City proposal and work is going along as scheduled, McLaughlin said.

Although McLaughlin commented, "We were doing just fine," he said the deadline extension will allow the group to seek additional donations to further enhance the proposal.

A Midland-area family in June donated \$50,000 for proposal improvements.

The supplemental appropriations bill for the current fiscal year signed last week bars the department from considering — but not the states from making — offers of cash or other help in locating the particle accelerator which is to be used primarily for scientific research.

Small-state senators won the provision by playing on fears that big states could buy the project.

The installation is being pursued by about 20 states because it will provide 3,000 scientific jobs, cause little pollution and have an annual operating budget of \$270 million when it begins operation in 1996.

According to some interpretations, the ban on disclosing possible state aid to the project would apply only until the end of the fiscal year,

Sept. 30, unless renewed. But the department's letter to interested states did not adopt that view, saying, "Any financial or other incentives offered by the proposer will not be considered in the evaluation of proposals."

By "incentives," Congress did not mean to forbid work to improve a site, such as adding utilities like sewers or building roads, nor to forbid the gift of the land itself to the federal government. The department is counting on assistance of that type.

But a state that wants to throw in a kicker should do it "on a single copy ... submitted in a sealed envelope and clearly marked" to be opened only if that state's site is chosen, the letter said. Otherwise, the envelope will be returned unsealed.

Forty members of the House last month asked Energy Secretary John Herrington for a 60-day delay on the grounds that states that began work before the Reagan administration embraced the project had an unfair advantage over states that waited for the official starting gun.

Though Herrington imposed the 30-day delay

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Tournament

Local bowler Phil Ringener finished in second place at the PBA Tournament in Austin. For details, please see page 1B.

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How's That? Rain

Q. What is the world record for rainfall intensity?
A. 1.23 inches of rain fell in one minute in Unionville, Md., on July 4, 1956, according to the Associated Press.

Calendar Meeting

- TODAY**
- The emergency warning sirens will be tested at 7 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- The emergency warning sirens will be tested at noon.
- SATURDAY**
- The Humane Society will sponsor a tick dip for dogs at the First National Bank from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- MONDAY**
- Kentwood Center will have a free blood pressure check from 1-3 p.m.

Tops on TV Movie

"The Ghost of Flight 401" Ernest Borgnine, Kim Basinger. The apparition of a dead flight officer begins appearing to crew members of planes using salvageable parts of his downed jetliner. — 8:45 p.m. on Channel 11.

• "Cosby Show" — 7 p.m. on Channel 13.

Winner takes ride in style

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — Some lottery winners hire a chauffeur to take them to pick up their money. William H. Spreen Jr. rented a bus.

Spreen, 44, of Oceanport, hired an air-conditioned motor-coach and its driver so that nearly two dozen friends, relatives and co-workers could help him celebrate his good fortune Wednesday when he claimed his \$6 million prize.

The gang ate finger sandwiches on the way to Trenton and planned to drink champagne on the return trip.

"These people have stayed with me through the hard times. Now is the time to reward them in the good times," the liquor store manager said as he collected the first of 20 annual installments at the Statehouse.

Spreen said he hopes to treat his 79-year-old mother to a trip to Germany, where his father was born, and said he already has bought one item on his wish list, a power mower.

Local school budget progress 'on schedule'

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

The Big Spring Independent School District is "... fairly well on schedule" toward presenting a budget to the Board of Trustees, according to Assistant Superintendent for Business Ronald Plumlee.

Plumlee said that the Board will work on the budget during workshops July 27-29 and should have a budget within a few weeks thereafter.

"If we get done what needs to be

done, we should have a budget by August 13," he said, adding that the district is mandated by state guidelines to present a budget to the Board by August 20.

He allowed that a tax increase is a possibility the Board may have to consider.

The other two school districts in Howard County, Coahoma and Forsan, have set tentative budgets for the coming school year. Forsan's tentative budget of \$3.42 million is 2 percent less than last year, and

Coahoma's budget of \$4.2 million represents a 10 percent cut from 1986-87.

A combination of factors is slowing progress on the Big Spring school budget, however, Plumlee said.

The district is being delayed until the state legislature passes a budget. Plumlee said that the district could not finalize budgetary items until it receives its revenue allocation from the state.

Another factor delaying the budget process is deciding how to offset the loss of property and mineral values the district faces. Plumlee said that a potential loss of \$70 million in values exists and the state can't be counted on to make up the shortfall.

"Anybody who has any knowledge of the state budgetary process knows that the state won't offset all the losses we will incur," he said.

Plumlee said that some cuts in

the budget may be inevitable, but the district will do everything it can to prevent such an occurrence.

"We're going to hold spending as close as we can," he said, adding that if cuts are necessary, they will be in areas not affecting instruction.

In addition to the budget, the Board will consider employment and resignation of personnel at its regular meeting 5:15 p.m. today in the Board Room at the high school.



"Oh, say ...

Weldon Akin, 15, son of Eddie and Janet Akin, stands for the National Anthem before the beginning of the baseball clash between the International League All-Stars and the

Lamesa All-Stars at the American League Park Tuesday evening.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Three discern budget accord time and place

AUSTIN — The top three Texas leaders, ending months of bitter debate over the 1988-89 budget, agreed on a spending plan Wednesday that reduces state financial support of public schools.

The compromise would require a state tax hike of about \$5.6 billion and force local school districts across Texas to raise property taxes or cut programs to offset the unexpected loss in financial aid.

After 90 minutes of deliberations, Gov. Bill Clements, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis announced they had reached an agreement that increases spending on prisons, preserves funding for health and human services and cuts proposed spending for higher education.

Asked what had prompted the agreement, Clements cited a biblical adage: "Wasn't it Ecclesiastes that said there is a time and a place for everything? I think that the Old Testament prevailed and we decided the time had come for us to make a decision."

The \$38.3 billion accord, which provides no pay raise for state employees, is significantly higher than Clements insisted for months he would accept and is lower than spending plans adopted by the House and Senate in the current special session.

"It is not what we would like for it to be, but it is what is attainable," Lewis said. "And it is very fragile, and we realize how fragile it is."

With budget negotiations stalling repeatedly, Lewis, Hobby and Clements had met often the past few days in an effort to forge a compromise before the session ends Tuesday. The final round of discussions came after Hobby offered a counter-proposal to a plan Lewis and Clements devised the day before.

"None of us is happy, but we're in agreement," Clements said when they emerged from their meeting and interrupted several live television broadcasts for the six o'clock news.

The budget pact reduces proposed spending on public education by more than \$170 million by requiring local districts to pay a bigger share of the cost of basic education and delaying implementation of the next step of an incentive pay program for teachers.

The three decided to reduce a proposed increase in funding for higher education by about \$75 million. While spending on state colleges and universities in the next two years will be several hundred million dollars above this year's level, it will be below the level of spending in 1985.

"It does the best that can be done under the present circumstances," Hobby said. "It doesn't cut higher education. Basically, it's a product we can be proud of."

After the officials produced the pact, a joint House-Senate panel immediately resumed negotiations on the budget and began resolving remaining differences by using the spending figures approved by the governor and legislative leaders.

"I think it's signed, sealed and delivered," said Rep. Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield, a member of the joint panel and chairman of the House Appropriations

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Phase III auditorium work nears end

Herald staff report

Stage curtains are being installed at the Municipal Auditorium as renovation Phase III nears its conclusion, said Public Works Director Tom Decell.

The curtains are about 30 percent installed, he said this morning.

Work on the plumbing and electrical system, painting and other repairs recently were completed, Decell said.

Refurbishing the seats and installing

carpets are next on the list of improvements, he said. Workers are waiting for the carpet and window curtains to arrive, he added.

When this phase of aesthetic work is done, the city will have expended the last of about \$300,000 in Dora Roberts Foundation grants for the auditorium, Decell said.

Work on the auditorium began in March 1985. Phase I consisted of re-

roofing and work on windows and brick surfaces. Phase II was replacing the entire electrical system, which was 50 years old and didn't conform to current national standards, Decell said.

The stage lighting system was completely replaced with a programmable system, he said.

The footlight system had a fourth color added: green, Decell said. The system previously had red, white and blue lights.

VA associate director named

Harold H. "Hank" Burnine has been appointed associate director of the Big Spring VA Medical Center effective August 2, according to Director Conrad Alexander.

Prior to his appointment here, Burnine received his Associate Director training at the Cincinnati, Ohio VA Center. He then served as Associate Director at VA Medical Centers in Fayetteville, N.C., Leavenworth, Kan. and Houston.

His major responsibility will be to make sure the hospital resources are used correctly, according to Medical Center Public Information Officer Tom Balderach.

Balderach said Burnine would manage the administrative functions of the hospital, such as construction, operating budget and personnel. He will also oversee 10 services, a few of which are dietetics, medical ad-

ministration, and chaplain and voluntary services.

He received his degree in education from the University of Missouri in 1956, Alexander said, and began working for the VA as a Corrective Therapist at the McKinney VA center.

Burnine also has worked as an Administrative Assistant to the Chief of Staff at Medical Centers in Shreveport, La., Columbia, Mo. and Dallas.

He was co-captain of the University of Missouri football team his senior year, and was selected All American in 1955. He played with the New York Giants and Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League in 1956 and 1957.

He and his wife, JoAnn, are parents of two sons and three daughters and have three grandchildren.



Harold H. "Hank" Burnine
... VA associate director

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Area unemployment figures dropping

From staff and wire reports

The number of people filing for unemployment in the Permian Basin appears to have bottomed out, but officials say the figures don't necessarily add up to an improved economy.

Many of the jobless have either moved on or have taken jobs in the low-paying service sector, said Ron Norris, manager of the Texas Employment Commission's Odessa office.

In Big Spring, Area TEC Manager Joe Wallis attributes the decline to a stabilized oil field and an increase in agricultural jobs.

There were 102 initial claims in June, compared to 159 a year ago, Wallis said. He said 40 renewal claims were filed last month compared to 46 a year ago.

There were 774 first-time claims filed in Odessa in June, down 6 percent from the previous month. A year ago, 1,766 people, or

more than twice as many, applied for benefits. In Midland, 394 unemployed people filed in June compared with 467 the previous month — a 16 percent drop. A year earlier, 845 first-time claimants filed.

TEC figures also show that continued claims are down. In Big Spring 1,380 were filed last month, compared to 1,444 a year ago.

In Odessa, 6,588 continued claims were filed last month, compared with 18,337 a year ago.

In Midland, the number of continued claims dropped from 9,772 a year ago to 4,300 in June. The numbers are heartening, but they aren't necessarily positive, said Joe Hatcher, the

TEC's Midland manager. He said the numbers don't represent people whose benefits ran out.

However, he said that Midland has more or less leveled off since October 1986.

Some oil and gas businesses are calling people back, although not in great numbers, he

said.

"A lot of companies have consolidated, cut back on frills and are now down to the nitty-gritty, and we're seeing some expanding," Hatcher said.

The energy industry is taking a cautious approach to the recovery of oil prices and callbacks to the oil patch are slow, Hatcher said.

"The most rewarding thing that could happen is if the price (of oil) stabilizes ... that's the secret to firming up this whole community," he said.

Norris said he believes those who have exhausted their benefits and who refuse to work minimum wage jobs are waiting out the storm for a comeback in the oil patch.

Others have left the area or are now cross-training into new fields.

Area briefs

School board to discuss personnel

The Big Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will consider employment and resignation of personnel at its regular meeting 5:15 p.m. today in the Board Room at the high school.

In other action, the Board will:

- Consider student transfer requests.
- Consider application of Special Education Federal Funds.

- Consider the sale of four school buses.
- Hear a report on the 1986-87 TEAMS test results for Grade 1.
- Consider Localized Policy Update number 29.

The Board also will hear the Superintendent's report on budget workshops, the TASA-TASB Joint Conference and Board member policy updates.

Intersection to be changed by DPS

The intersection of State Highway 137 and State Highway 176 east of Lenora in Martin County will be changed to become a four-way stop, officials said.

The change will take effect Monday, according to the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The intersection is currently marked with flashers on Highway 137 and caution flashers on Highway 176. The intersection is in a curve at the bottom of a hill —

restricting sight distance seriously for east bound traffic on 176, the DPS reported.

The decision to stop traffic in all four directions was prompted by the accident record at the location, according to the DPS. Statistics show there were five right angle collisions in daylight hours at the intersection.

Signs warning the traveling public of the effective date of the four-way stop have been up at the intersection for the past two weeks.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Chamber artist

Bernice Cason has been named Chamber artist of the month. Her work is on display at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce through the end of July. Cason said she had no opportunity for any formal training until about 1949 when she took painting lessons from Maude Waters. She later took additional classes from Virginia Whitten.

June building permits down from last year

Herald staff report

The number of city building permits issued in June declined slightly from that month last year, bringing the yearly total so far to 35 percent below that of 1986, according to city records.

The city has issued 13 permits so far this month.

The city issued 21 permits in June, compared to 27 for June 1986. So far this year, 131 permits have been issued, compared to 200 last year to date.

Construction costs for June totaled \$363,630, more than four times the June 1986 total of \$90,888. The year to date construction costs are \$1,573,192, 29 percent lower than the \$2,207,601.63 last year to date.

The city performed 32 inspections in June, compared to 44 last year, and 210 so far this year, compared to 381 last year to date.

The largest projects in June were a remodeling of the former Gregg Street Safeway building, into which Don Newsom's grocery recently moved. The project cost \$125,000 city records show.

A \$125,000 office building is being constructed at 402 E. FM 700, the records show.

The largest project so far for July is a \$19,050 Western Container construction of two silo foundations.

Two houses are being remodeled for \$10,000 each: 2110 Carol St., owned by Wayne Sutton, and 7 Highland Heather, owned by Dr. Raj Reddy.

For the record

In the July 14 Herald article on the local school district's efforts to help students with dyslexia, it was reported that the district had completed only one stage of the state guidelines. Lorna Simmons, operator of the Language Retraining Center, said that the district has completed Stage II, and is currently working on Stage III of the guidelines.

Budget accord

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Committee. He predicted the House would easily approve the spending changes proposed by Clements, Hobby and Lewis.

Rep. Paul Colbert, D-Houston, a member of the House Public Education Committee and the Legislature's leading expert on school finance, estimated local school districts would have to raise property taxes 3 percent to offset the change in the portion of education paid for by the state.

Since money for the public schools is the largest item in the state budget, lawmakers had little choice but to look there for additional reductions to balance the budget, said Sen. Ray Farabee, D-Wichita Falls, a budget negotiator and chairman of the Senate State Affairs Committee.

"When you have the largest numbers, some of the money has to come from there," Farabee said. Clements said he believed Lewis and Hobby could persuade lawmakers to accept the agreement.

"I have great faith in these two legislative leaders," the governor said, smiling at the speaker and lieutenant governor.

However, when questions turned to the tax increases needed to finance the budget compromise, Clements attempted to squelch discussion of the subject.

Poindexter kept program secret

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former National Security Adviser John Poindexter said today he worked "all along" to keep information from Congress about the secret Contra supply program.

Testifying for the second straight day at the nationally televised hearings, Poindexter said he believed efforts by the National Security Council staff to assist the Contras during a congressional ban were legal because the agency was not covered by the legislation.

He insisted he made sure that officials did "everything that we could to comply with the letter and the spirit of the Boland Amendment," as the legislation is known.

"The only thing I admit to is withholding information from the Congress," Poindexter said in a morning session in which his attorney, Richard Beckler, frequently

complained about questions from Senate chief counsel Arthur Liman.

Liman asked Poindexter several times whether he recalled ever telling President Reagan that the NSC staff was assisting the Contras. "I do not recall a specific conversation in that regard," the admiral replied. "He knew that the Contras were being supported. We didn't get into the details of who was doing what."

Poindexter sat quietly at the witness table while Beckler stated his case. At one point, the 50-year-old admiral lit his pipe and listened to a lengthy exchange between his lawyer and members of the committee.

Poindexter answered questions under a limited grant of immunity that bars his words from being used against him in court, except for any charge of perjury.

Poindexter also testified that he

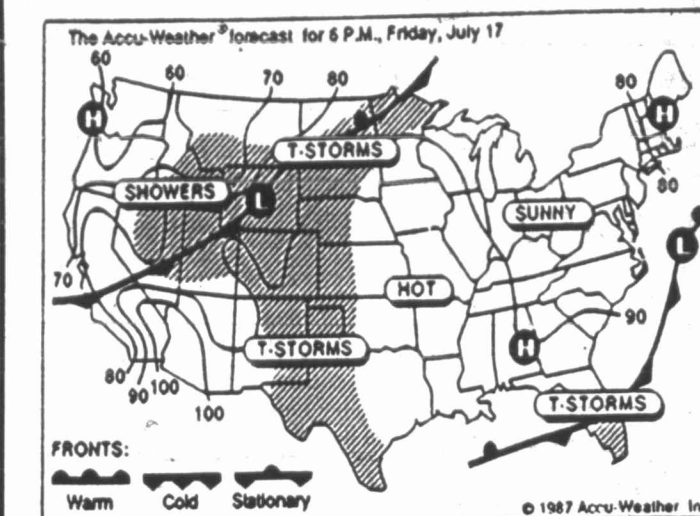
participated in the preparation of false chronologies for White House use last fall as the Iran-Contra affair broke into public view. He said he ordered North to omit any mention of the diversion of Iranian arms sales proceeds to the rebels.

He also said he knew the documents were inaccurate as to the 1985 sale of HAWK missiles to Iran, but said no one ordered him to falsify the records. "The problem was I didn't know what the right answer was," said the admiral, who wasn't promoted to National Security Adviser until December of 1985.

"I was very fuzzy on the events of July, August, September and October" of the same year, he said.

Liman's questioning related to congressional attempts to learn the details of the secret supply operation in 1985, while Poindexter was deputy national security adviser, and during the summer of last year, while he was the No. 1 man.

Weather



Forecast

West Texas - Scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms through tonight in the south and west. Otherwise partly cloudy with isolated to widely scattered thunderstorms through Friday. Lows tonight will be in the lower 60s in the mountains and mid 60s in the Panhandle to lower 70s in the Concho and Big Bend valleys. Highs Friday will be in the upper 80s to middle 90s.

State

Scattered showers and thunderstorms are forecast across most of Texas through Friday as an upper level low combines with warm, moist air from the Gulf of Mexico.

Forecasters say the shower activity will be strongest and most frequent over South Central Texas and Southwest Texas.

Lows tonight will be in the 60s and 70s although readings along the coast will be in the lower 80s.

Highs Friday will be mostly in the 80s and 90s with a few readings expected to reach the 100-degree mark in extreme southern and southwestern sections of the state.

Nation

Rain was scattered over much of the nation today, after storms in the Midwest spawned tornadoes and golf ball-sized hail that damaged crops and downed trees and power lines.

Rain lingered overnight in the Ohio Valley and in Missouri, northern Minnesota, the Rio Grande Valley, the southern high Plains and the southwestern deserts. Showers also were scattered in the northern Rockies and Central Plateau.

Sheriff's log

Dennis Clifton Jordan, 25, El Cajon, Calif., was arrested Wednesday by the Texas Highway Patrol on charges of fraud and insufficient funds from Seminole County, Okla. and theft by check from Collin County. Bonds were set at \$1,500 for the Oklahoma charges and \$350 for the Collin charge. Jordan is in custody in the Howard County jail.

Arthur J. Moffatt, 43, 200 Goliad St., was released Wednesday on a \$200 bond. He was arrested earlier on a charge of simple

assault. David Sean Tucker, 28, 3806 Parkway St., was transferred from the police department after a Wednesday arrest on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. He was released on a \$1,000 bond.

John Henry Zant, 22, Ackerly, was transferred from the police department Wednesday after being arrested on a DWI judgment. Zant owes the county \$331 and 15 days in jail.

Police beat

Jewelry, bicycles stolen

Thieves broke into the Boyce Kemper residence, 3217 Auburn St., between 3:30 p.m. Tuesday and 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, and stole \$4,160 in jewelry, police reports said.

Taken were a woman's gold and diamond wedding ring, a man's nugget pendant, a man's two-peso ring, a woman's gold dinner ring with diamonds and rubies, and a woman's gold dinner ring.

Four bicycles were reported stolen.

Penny Graham, 1904 E. 25th St. Apt. 206, told police a boy's bike was taken from her home at midnight Wednesday.

Misty Bennett, 1904 E. 25th St. Apt. 210, reported the theft of two Huffy bikes.

Glenda Kennedy, 206 Circle Drive, told police someone stole a boy's bike from her residence, plus four wheels and tires and a battery from her GMC auto. The items were taken between Monday evening and noon Tuesday, she reported Wednesday night.

Thieves broke into the home of Shirley Z. Sliwinski, 1407 Owens

St., between 10:45 p.m. Tuesday and 11 a.m. Wednesday and stole her purse, containing \$5 to \$10 cash, credit cards and a chip diamond, police reports said.

A \$200 lawnmower was stolen between 3 and 7 p.m. Monday from the home of Jimmy Waits, 1513 Kentucky Way, he told police Wednesday afternoon.

Delbert Harland, 2701 E. 24th St., told police someone stole two cafe door units from 700 Craigmont St. between Saturday morning and 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Debra McDonald Keathley, 31, 1907 S. Runnels St., was arrested at 2602 S. Gregg St. early this morning on suspicion of driving while intoxicated and failure to maintain a single marked lane, police reports said. She was transferred to the county jail and released on \$1,000 bond.

Contrary to earlier police reports, the arrest of Joe and Mary Gomez, 1505 W. First St., Monday night occurred at their home, Police Lt. Jerry Edwards said this morning.

Big Lake escapee returns

Herald staff report

A man who escaped from the Reagan County jail in Big Lake July 8 is back in custody, Reagan County Sheriff Paul Weatherby said today.

Michael Lewis Hunter, 31, Big Lake, surrendered at 5 p.m. Wednesday after coming to the sheriff's office with his attorney, Weatherby said.

Hunter gave no indication of where he spent his week of freedom, Weatherby said.

Hunter escaped from jail the night before a scheduled parole

hearing by crawling through an air conditioning duct to the jailer's apartment. He then broke through the ceiling and dashed down the courthouse stairs.

Hunter was in custody on a parole violation warrant issued because of two misdemeanor assault charges, District Parole Officer David Harman said.

Hunter was sentenced to seven years in prison in November 1986 for burglary and was arrested 32 days after his April 23 release on the assault charges, Harman said.

unspecified number of finalists, but the 90 days will begin Sept. 2 instead of Aug. 3. The department will try to compress its subsequent

Markets

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Firestone	44 1/2		+ 1/2
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review to meet its original deadline of a preliminary selection in July 1988 and confirmation in January 1989.

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McAuliffe

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Clements raises funds

AUSTIN — Gov. Bill Clements, despite adverse ratings in the polls and continuing criticism for his role in the Southern Methodist University football scandal, collected nearly \$550,000 in political contributions in a month-long effort to erase a campaign debt.

The Republican governor received contributions from political action committees, lobbyists, law firms and wealthy businessmen in his effort to retire a \$3.5 million debt from his 1986 campaign against former Gov. Mark White.

Most of the contributions were in sums of \$1,000 or more and appeared on a financial report Clements filed Wednesday with the secretary of state to comply with a state law requiring officeholders to report political collections and expenditures every July 15.

McAuliffe flag returned

SAN ANTONIO — A miniature flag carried aboard the space shuttle Challenger by teacher Christa McAuliffe has been returned to the group that designed it.

The Flag of Learning and Liberty, created in 1985 by the National School Public Relations Association, was returned to the group Wednesday by Dr. Robert Brown, director of NASA's Educational Affairs Division.

The 4-inch by 8-inch flag was encased in glass and placed on a plaque that also had the pictures of the seven-member Challenger crew, including Mrs. McAuliffe of Concord, N.H.

"We want to return this flag ... to this association to recognize the educational partnership that was formed between our NASA educational programs and this association and we look forward to an enduring partnership," Brown told about 400 people.

Railey to appear to jury

DALLAS — A Methodist minister who has declined to cooperate with investigators probing an attack on his wife now says he will comply with a prosecutor's request he appear before a grand jury.

But an attorney for the Rev. Walker Railey,



Associated Press photo

Unhappy

Gov. Bill Clements announces an agreement reached with Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis on a spending plan. "None of us are happy, but we are in agreement," he said. Related story page 1A.

asked whether he would permit the minister to testify, said "I'll cross that bridge when we come to it."

Prosecutor Norman Kinne said he has worked out an agreement with Railey's attorney, Doug Mulder, to have a grand jury subpoena delivered to Mulder.

That agreement was reached after the Dallas County district attorney's office received a call Wednesday from a person who identified himself as Railey, former minister of the First United Methodist Church of Dallas, Kinne said.

Police: Killers known

HOUSTON — A Kingwood couple clubbed to death in their sleep probably knew their killers, one of whom called police to disclose the crime, police said.

The bodies of Conoco Inc. executive Eddie Bruce McMillan, 49, and his wife, Jo Ann, 51, were found fatally bludgeoned in their bed early Tuesday. Police found the bodies after a man called the 911 emergency telephone line from the home, and told police there had been a murder.

"There is severe overkill, and that says this was probably something more than a surprise confrontation with a burglar," said Harris County sheriff's office Lt. Drew Warren. "It is possible there are at least two suspects because I find it unlikely that one person would sit there passively while the other was being struck."

Willis jizzes up club

AUSTIN — He arrived in a white limousine, but television star Bruce Willis told the woman at the door of Antone's nightclub that he just wanted to meet the guys in the band.

Willis, one of the stars of "Moonlighting," showed up unexpectedly Monday night for the club's 12th anniversary blues party, and his appearance was apparently as much a surprise to the club's managers as it was to the audience, said Diana Ray, who does bookkeeping for the club.

"He just suddenly showed up and said he wanted to come back and meet some of his idols," Ms. Ray said.

Discrimination on rise

SAN ANTONIO — Texas will have more problems than any other state with job-hiring discrimination because of the employer sanction provisions of the new immigration law, federal officials said.

Pedro Esquivel, district director of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, said the new immigration law already has sparked discrimination cases.

"We are giving strong priority to charges that come to us that are amnesty-related," Esquivel said Wednesday.

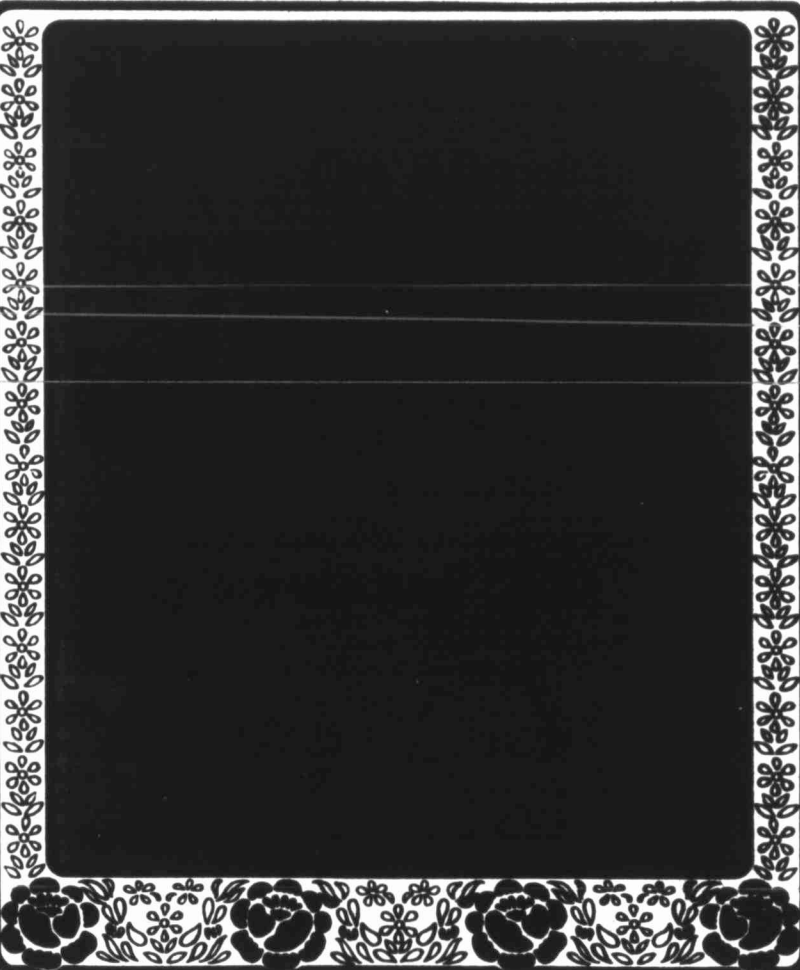


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Divorces filed on the week July 13th: Donna Coldiron and Danny Doldiron, divorce. Stephanie Sherman and Joe Louis Sherman, divorce.

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Opinion

Views of papers across the U.S.

Here is a sampling of editorial opinion from around the nation:

Says Ollie can get away with lying

With Lt. Col. Oliver North on the Iran-Contra hearings witness stand, it's clear that he expects to be indicted for alleged criminal acts.

With the potential of criminal charges facing him, North is testifying under a grant of immunity. (A) question that has arisen is whether, if North were to lie during the hearings, he could be stripped of his immunity.

The answer, our expert says, is

no. Although if North were to lie, he could be prosecuted separately under perjury statutes.

The problem with pursuing perjury cases is proving intent. So long as North continues with answers, "I can't recall," "I have no independent recollection of that," and so forth, even if he were lying, it nearly would be impossible to prove intent.

The Montana Standard, Butte, Mont.

Calls North a scamp, not a hero

Ollie North is no hero. He's a scamp. The arrogance and lawlessness he flaunted during the Iran-Contra scandal are profoundly appalling.

But that's not the impression one gets from looking at the polls. A lot of people are idolizing him.

Many have cheered him on during his testimony to Congress. It tugs at America's populist heartstrings to see a "little guy" stand up to those smug, pompous, fat-cat

politicians. And he was fighting commies, for goodness sake.

It's fine to agree with North's beliefs about the Contras as the saviors of Nicaragua. We don't, but many people do.

But nothing gives anyone the right to pursue Rambo-style policies using this kind of subterfuge and lawlessness.

The Albuquerque (N.M.) Tribune

Get involved, but don't break law

Most often the problem in democracies is, good people do not get involved. Maybe that's why when people involve themselves too much, it's news.

The bottom line in (the Iran-Contra) mess is that someone dreamed up a deal to trade arms for hostages then use the profits to support Contra rebels fighting the communist government in Nicaragua.

The problem is, the president

said he would never trade arms for hostages, and a federal law prohibited military aid to the Contras. It is still unclear whether laws were broken, but when details of the deal were revealed, the president's credibility was damaged.

Citizen participation in government is the key to a healthy democracy. Citizens would also profit by remembering we are a nation of laws.

Rapid City (S.D.) Journal

Dramatic but not good government

Oliver North exudes thoughtful sincerity in the same way exotic scents waft from a zoo on a hot day: The effect is arresting, fascinating, but undeniably overpowering. One good, long whiff can be plenty.

North has made plain, in his days of testimony, that he is the kind of persuasive personality who attracts and holds admirers.

His emotional, but carefully controlled testimony, and his wonderfully crafted counterattack on the committee members ... are superb political theater and leagues ahead

of the typical afternoon fare found on American television.

Judging by the quality of the drama and the fascinated response of viewers, a regular "Ollie Show" might be worth a thought. But no more than a thought, for behind North's groomed delivery is an untidy story that is unworthy of adulation.

North has provided several days of interesting and historic testimony, but good drama is not the same as good government.

St. Cloud (Minn.) Daily Times

Good end doesn't justify the means

Yes, he is a compelling figure: straight-backed, piercing-eyed, lean, with a boyish grin and a voice conveying a full range of emotions.

But we can't buy the outlook (Lt. Col. Oliver North) evidently shares with his bosses on keeping a free land free.

His devotion to God, country, family and duty ... is unassailable. But we do have trouble believing that the rule of the law (the Con-

stitution) is an inconvenience ... and that one should be willing to use any means at all to achieve worthy ends of freedom and security.

It is ironic that many of the hearings-watchers who have absorbed that vision of the world ... are normally strong upholders of law and order where domestic crime and morality are concerned.

Macon (Ga.) Telegraph and News

North's actions belie arguments

It appears that (Lt. Col.) Oliver North is a man who acted at the behest of his superiors, only to be thrown to the wolves as a scapegoat.

North defends his actions as necessary to keeping the hope of

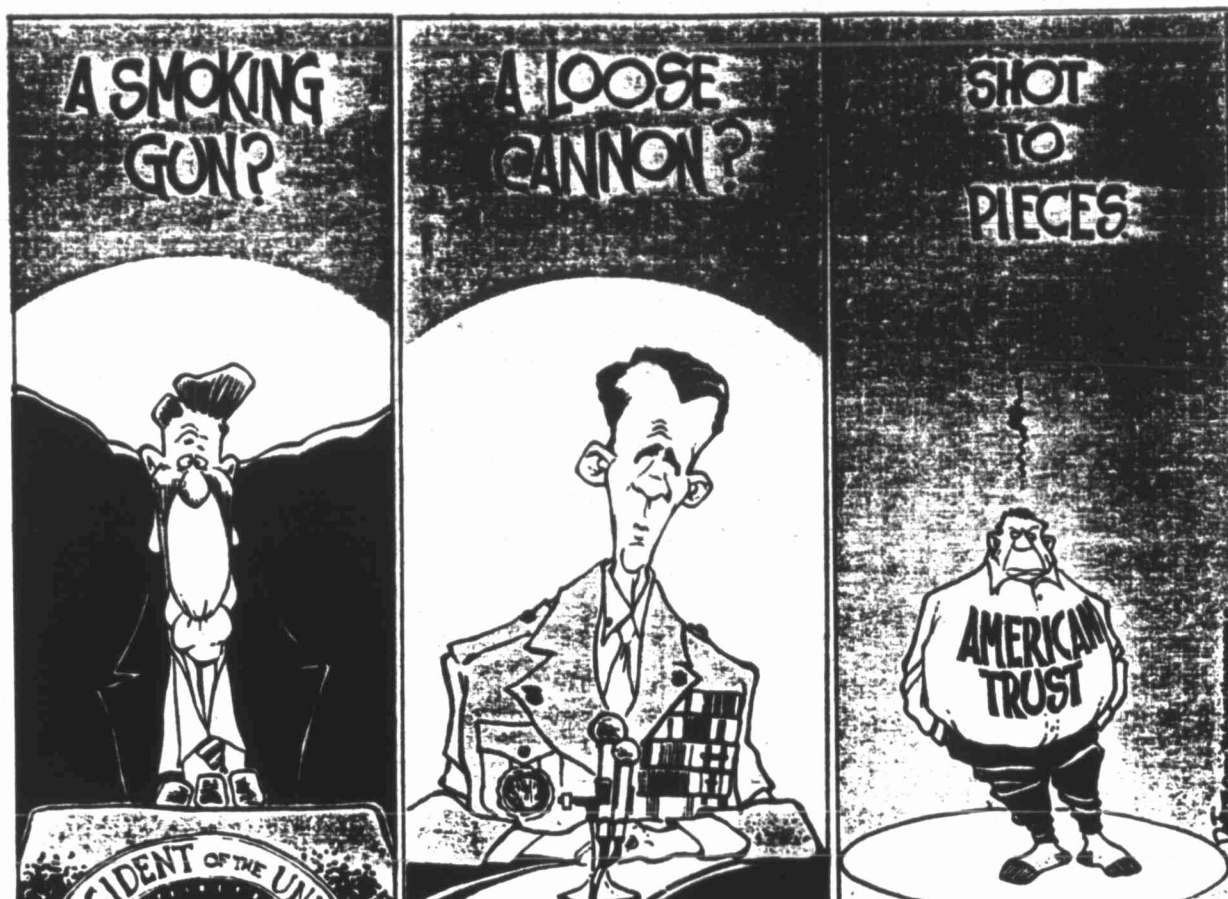
democracy alive in Nicaragua. Yet, in great irony, it was the contempt he and his superiors held for the democratic process in the United States that has led us to this low point.

Hannibal (Mo.) Courier-Post

Quotes

By The Associated Press

"You know what Terry Anderson's doing right now? He's in his underwear, on a foam rubber pad, in a 6-foot, by 6-foot, by 6-foot dungeon. He doesn't know that his father and that his brother is dead. He has never held his little daughter, who is now over 2 years of age. He hasn't had a chance to be a father to his other girl, who is now 16. Terry Anderson is sitting there rotting. I hope to God he survives, and I hope that he returns to be reunited with his family, and I hope it's soon." — Former hostage David Jacobsen, speaking about Associated Press newsman Terry Anderson, a hostage for more than two years.



Food-stamp rip-off traced to sloppy agency banking

By JACK ANDERSON and JOSEPH SPEAR

WASHINGTON — Federal investigators have uncovered a gigantic food-stamp rip-off, but it's not being perpetrated by the legendary welfare recipient who buys unauthorized goods with food stamps intended for groceries. The culprits are local banks, Federal Reserve banks and the Agriculture Department, and their dereliction of duty has cost the taxpayers millions of dollars.

The food-stamp program, which means the difference between starvation and survival for millions of poor Americans, is administered by the Agriculture Department's Food and Nutrition Service. Retailers accept the stamps as payment for market-basket necessities, and turn them over to local banks for cash. The local banks then turn their food stamps in to Federal Reserve banks for cash.

Despite the opportunity for fraud, the Food and Nutrition Service apparently relied heavily on an honor system, according to an Agriculture Department inspector general's audit obtained by our reporter Karen Talley. How badly the agency's faith was misplaced is clear from the following findings by the inspector general:

• More than \$202 million apparently was paid to local banks for non-existent food stamps during one six-month period. Auditor Neal Renken said the figure was derived from a comparison of the food stamps reported taken in by the local banks with the amount the banks received from the Federal Reserve banks. Exactly how much of the \$202 million involved fraud cannot be determined, Renken explained, because of sloppy book-keeping by the banks and the Food and Nutrition Service.

• The food-stamp system invites counterfeiters because the agency hasn't kept pace with the threats



Jack Anderson

posed by sophisticated color-copy machines. Food and Nutrition Service officials told investigators as far as the new copying machines go, "they anticipate no problem with counterfeiting in the future because counterfeiting in the past has been non-existent."

But Secret Service experts told the inspector general that food-stamp forgeries have increased dramatically in recent years. A copy-machine company representative assured the auditors that food stamps "can be duplicated easily and accurately."

• The Food and Nutrition Service wastes \$2 million a year by its inefficient method of counting \$5 and \$10 food stamps. A change in the counting method could correct this, and proper policing would prevent the possibility of fraud.

• Federal Reserve banks are paid \$12 million a year to count and destroy used food stamps — but private companies aren't allowed to bid on the destruction job.

• "Theft, loss or misappropriation" of food stamps cannot be ruled out (or proven) because the FNS doesn't keep close enough tabs on the Federal Reserve banks.

• Perhaps the agency's biggest failure in the fight against food-stamp fraud was the FNS bank-monitoring system set up to lead

the attack. The program cost at least \$2 million and failed to do its job, the inspector general reported. "Why have the system?" the auditor asked.

"Inaccurate and incomplete" information was fed into the computer monitor — or no information at all. A total of \$244 million in deposits never made it into the system, for example. And one deposit of \$52,400 was entered as \$5,240,000.

FNS administrator Robert Leard submitted a response to the audit acknowledging the need for "major redesign" of the food-stamp redemption system. He resigned a week later, but said his resignation had "absolutely nothing" to do with the inspector general's criticism. The agency says it is taking steps to meet the inspector general's criticisms.

ANGOLA ANOMALY: While the U.S. government has spent millions in recent years to support rebels fighting the Marxist regime in Angola, it still gives that regime a multimillion-dollar break on its oil exports to the United States. Angola is on the list of "Most Favored Nations," which allows it to sell oil here at the same low duties as non-communist countries.

The difference is significant: Angola pays duties that range from 0.2 percent to 0.4 percent on its oil, compared to the 0.7 percent to 0.9 percent paid by Soviet bloc nations.

Sens. Robert Dole, R-Kan., Lawton Chiles, D-Fla., and Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., hope to end the Angolan anomaly with an amendment to the Senate trade bill that would do more than just eliminate Angola's Most Favored Nation status. The amendment would slap an almost total U.S. trade embargo on Angolan goods until Luanda loosens its ties with Cuba, which has supplied the troops that are fending off the U.S.-backed rebels.

Constitutional facts revealed

By ART BUCHWALD

I went to Philadelphia to join in the celebration of the 200th birthday of the U.S. Constitution. It's an event that not many people in the country are paying attention to, particularly since Jimmy and Tammy Bakker are celebrating their wedding anniversary, and garnering all the headlines.

It's amazing how little we know about the Constitution.

For example, I found out that Independence Hall was originally constructed by the William Penn Insurance Company, and the Liberty Bell was rung every time a horse and carriage went over a cliff. The insurance company agreed to loan their property to the sovereign states on the condition that it would get to write Medicaid policies if a nation was ever born.

This is not known: The first Constitution was written as a TV sitcom for Bill Cosby. After all three networks turned it down, the writers decided to sell it to the United States as a possible blueprint for the law of the land.

This is not known: The second version of the Constitution was shredded by a young secretary who worked for a Colonel North on George Washington's National Security staff. When asked why she did it, the secretary said, "Ollie told me that sometimes there are things higher than the written law."



Art Buchwald

This was the smoking gun that Congress had been looking for and they demanded North testify.

It is not generally known, but Ollie said, "You can't call me as a witness because there is no Constitution that says you have the right to."

The convention delegates immediately passed a Constitution which they proudly showed to North. He read it and said, "I'll take this one here."

"What are you taking?" Alexander Hamilton wanted to know. "The Fifth Amendment. The founding fathers wouldn't want me to incriminate myself, would they?"

Rufus King, the delegate from Massachusetts, was furious. "Who's the wise guy who inserted

the Fifth?" he asked.

"I did," said Robert Morris of Pennsylvania. "But there is a loophole. We can always make North testify by giving him limited immunity."

"Aw," said Charles Pinckney of South Carolina, "this Constitution is full of loopholes. I'll vote for capital punishment and we'll hang North on the square. It's the kind of thing they would do in Philadelphia."

"The Constitution says you can't do that," said James McHenry of Maryland. "Where is the Constitution?"

"It's gone!" someone yelled. "I know nothing about it," said George Washington. "But if someone on my staff took it I'm sure he had a very good reason."

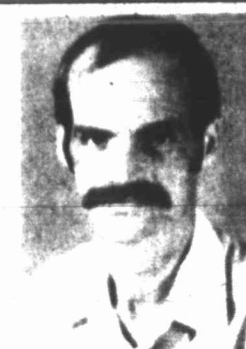
It is not widely known, but Roger Sherman of Connecticut came stomping in and cried, "I have just found out where the Constitution is. It's in a numbered bank account in Switzerland."

"What's it doing there?" "It was deposited by General Secord, who has been selling guns to the Indians."

"Let's go through Secord's house and find the number."

"We can't. That's unlawful search and seizure."

"Why did we put unlawful search and seizure into the Constitution?" "Because we needed some boilerplate for the first page."



Around the rim

Ollie North's shining light slightly dim

By STEVE REAGAN Staff Writer

America has a new shining light: Lt. Col. Oliver North.

North has enthralled thousands of Americans with his aggressive testimony recently before the Senate Iran-Contra committee — to the point that some people are urging him to run for the presidency.

Count me out, please.

I'm sorry, but I refuse to consider a man who has openly confessed to committing perjury and obstruction of justice as a hero — no matter how straightforward he is in his admission.

Particularly frightening to me is North's admission that "... if the President told me to stand on my head in the corner, I'd salute and go stand on my head."

Maybe it's necessary to have such absolute obedience in the military, but the thought of someone like that working on the National Security Council scares the bejibbers out of me.

Consider, for a moment, what North said.

In effect he said that if the President gave him an order, he would obey it — no matter how illegal or immoral.

I've always believed it is a bad idea to have a military man in a civilian post. Staunch discipline and loyalty to superiors is necessary in the service, but it turns into a liability when working for the civilian sector.

It is more than mere coincidence that the two men in the hottest waters because of the Iran-Contra affair — North and Adm. John Poindexter — are career military men.

The qualities that make them such good soldiers are the same that make them susceptible to the whims of their boss, especially if their boss works for the President.

There are plenty of people who would find it difficult to disobey an order from a presidential aide. For a serviceman, an order from the assistant of their Commander-in-Chief would be virtually impossible to ignore.

To North, the chain of command is clear.

His boss was Poindexter, and Poindexter worked for President Reagan; so if North received an order from his superior, the spectre of the President loomed close behind that command.

In other words, it was stand-on-your-head time for North — salute and ask no questions.

The risk we run with such blind obedience is obvious. Once such men base their decisions on the assumption the order comes from the president and therefore legality becomes trivial, they have placed themselves above the law.

It is not so long ago that such arrogance got others into similar hot water.

We only have to look back 14 years to see an example of this blind loyalty. President Nixon's henchmen, also considering themselves above the law, brazenly disregarded it — and nearly succeeded in causing irreparable damage to our system of government.

By no stretch of the imagination am I comparing Reagan to Nixon, but the conduct of some of the President's aides conjures disquieting images of Bob Haldeman, John Erlichman, John Mitchell and G. Gordon Liddy.

They're images I hoped were far behind us.

Instead, we have a dashing Marine openly admitting his crimes, and he has people singing his praises. G. Gordon Liddy, the Great Sphinx of Watergate, has said that North is a great American.

That's when I knew something was wrong.

There are a lot of lessons we will learn from this latest dilemma in our government — some perhaps more important than the one I am stressing, but I hope we at least learn this one.

In the future, I hope we keep the military men in the military, and leave the management of the country to civilians — as it should be.

Nation

Delta flight

LOS ANGELES — A Delta flight turned back to port because of a Federal Aviation Administration order Wednesday in a series of that has sparked Flight 1558 passengers about but returned at door was not Aviation Adm. Brekke.

That meant the pilot could pressure for pressures.

Forest fire

A forest fire while firefighting in a 1,500-acre Washington de forced more homes.

A blaze ne through dry timber Wednesday, blowing more than 70 Forestry Dept.

At least two mobile homes damaged, said

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Delta flights aborted

LOS ANGELES — Two Delta Air Lines jets turned back to Los Angeles International Airport because of mechanical failures, the Federal Aviation Administration said.

Wednesday's aborted flights were the latest in a series of mishaps aboard Delta flights that has sparked an investigation by the FAA.

Flight 1558, a Boeing 727 with 146 passengers aboard, took off for Salt Lake City but returned about 20 minutes later because a door was not properly closed, said Federal Aviation Administration spokeswoman Elly Brekke.

That meant the plane was leaking air and the pilot could not maintain enough air pressure for passengers to breathe at high altitudes.

Forest fire kills two

A forest fire killed two people in Oregon, while firefighters in Idaho today tried to rein in a 1,500-acre blaze, and wildfires in Washington destroyed at least 23 houses and forced more than 100 people to flee their homes.

A blaze near Canyonville, Ore., raced through dry timber, brush and logging debris Wednesday, blackening 6,000 acres at a rate of more than 700 acres an hour, said state Forestry Department spokesman Jim Fisher.

At least two houses were destroyed, and two mobile homes and a church youth center were damaged, said Fisher.

Judge OKs overseer

COLUMBIA, S.C. — A bankruptcy judge has agreed to Jim and Tammy Bakker's request for an independent overseer of PTL's reorganization, while a federal judge in North Carolina ordered a grand jury probe of the ministry.

U.S. District Judge Robert D. Potter in Charlotte, N.C., ordered a special grand jury to convene there Aug. 17 to investigate the ministry's operations under Bakker, the PTL founder who stepped down in March amid a sex scandal.

Tube was inspected

MINERAL, Va. — A stainless-steel tube that ruptured at a nuclear power plant, allowing a trace of radioactivity to escape into the atmosphere, had been inspected a month ago, utility officials said.

No one was injured and there was no danger to the public or to workers in the accident Wednesday, the most serious ever at Virginia Power's North Anna power plant about 40 miles northwest of Richmond, the company said.



Rescue workers stand near the wreckage of a car and camping trailer at a camp site in Grand Bornand, east of Annecy, French Alps, Wednesday. Authorities fear 50 people may have been killed when violent rainstorms sent a wave of water and mud into the campground filled with hundreds of Bastille Day vacationers.

France

20 dead, 28 missing in mudslide

GRAND BORNAND, France (AP) — Rescue workers recovered 20 bodies and searched for up to 28 vacationers feared caught in a sea of mud that swept over an Alpine campground.

Experts from Paris were expected to begin an investigation today into Tuesday's disaster, which occurred after heavy rains turned a mountain stream, the Borne, into a torrent.

Hundreds of rescue workers searched along the muddy, debris-strewn river banks looking for people whose names were on the list of missing.

The muddy flood swept through the campground when it was filled with hundreds of people enjoying the long Bastille Day weekend.

The Borne later receded, but was still churning and black with mud.

Jouandet said 20 bodies were found and up to 28 people were still missing.

Witnesses said the Borne was swollen by heavy rains and apparently burst through a dam of mud and debris that had collected during the storm. The wave of mud, trees and debris then slammed into the valley

campground.

Peter Massman, 39, of Abingdon, England, told the London Evening Standard that he, his wife, Rosalyn, and children Jan, 9, and Olivia, 6, were in their trailer when a heavy rain started about 5:30 p.m.

"As I looked out of the window from our caravan, I noticed that the river was rising and it contained a lot of debris," he said.

"I said to my wife we must get the children out," Massman said. "We got into our car and drove to the other side of the camping ground where we were able to park our car on a higher level. As we got out of the car, I saw a tidal wave, a sea of mud coming towards us. The whole place was going up."

The Massmans said they climbed the bank to about 50 feet above the camp site and watched as their camper was swept down the river and smashed into another vehicle.

"I lost my wife and my 17-year-old daughter," said a man who identified himself only as Mr. Nivelie. "I'll never get them back. They were taken away with the camper."

World

By Associated Press

Six die in copter crash

SAN SALVADOR — Six American military personnel were killed today when their helicopter crashed in a rainstorm just outside San Salvador, a U.S. Embassy spokesman said.

A seventh American survived the crash, said the spokesman, Jacob Gillespie. Crew, medics and at least one officer were on the helicopter, he said, but he declined to further identify the victims. The Salvadoran armed forces press office said that four officers and two soldiers were killed.

The helicopter deaths bring to 12 the number of American military personnel killed in El Salvador since the war between the U.S.-backed government and leftist guerrillas began in 1979.

Over 100 feared dead

SEOUL, South Korea — Authorities said they feared more than 100 people were killed early today when Typhoon Thelma ravaged the southern coast with floods, mudslides and wind-whipped seas.

The Ministry of Home Affairs said 53 deaths were confirmed and 81 people were missing. Officials said it was feared many of the missing were killed.

Some news reports said up to 150 people were dead or missing. Yonhap, the Korean news agency, reported that 54 people had been killed and 99 others were missing.

Country sues Marcos

MANILA, Philippines — The Philippine government today filed suit against Ferdinand Marcos and his family for recovery of \$10 billion they allegedly stole during the deposed president's 20-year rule.

Ramon Diaz, chairman of a commission tracking down Marcos' alleged hidden wealth, said government lawyers were also preparing criminal charges against Marcos. But Diaz said the attorneys were currently tied up with more civil suits against some 40 individuals who allegedly connived with Marcos.

Leaders oppose Cabinet

SEOUL, South Korea — Opposition leaders today demanded that President Chun Doo-hwan dismiss his three-day-old Cabinet and allow opposition members to join the government to ensure fair elections.

"The present Cabinet should resign as soon as possible because it is not expected to manage the upcoming elections in a fair manner," said Kim Young-sam and Kim Dae-jung, the two top opposition leaders, in a statement.



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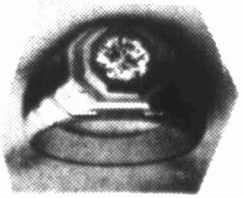


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Lifestyle

Expectations of women can be damaging to a marriage

By REDBOOK
A Heret Magazine

Every woman goes into marriage with great expectations — but if she expects too much of her husband she may wind up with nothing.

Women put their marriages in jeopardy by making excessive and unreasonable demands, and by being too critical and hard to please, according to an article in Redbook, excerpted from the book "Women Men Love-Women Men Leave" by psychologists Connell Cowan and Melvyn Kinder (Clarkson Potter).

The two psychologists, co-directors of the Center for Relationship Studies in Los Angeles, say women have the right to expect their husbands to tolerate differences between the two of them and to support their basic needs for security, partnership and affection.

"It is healthy to expect encouragement of, or at the very least, non-interference with, our individual growth and self-expression," they write. "It is appropriate to want a marriage that is fundamentally based on equality. And while all relationships are constantly evolving, we can expect honesty and integrity when it comes to discussing issues of mutual concern."

"And that's about it — all the other demands we make on our mate are a bit questionable."

The most common — and unreasonable — demands women make on their husbands fall into these categories:

— The incurable romantic. Because women are more comfortable with closeness, they delight in symbolic gestures — a sweet note, a touching gift, a surprise evening out.

Most men, the authors say, tend to feel uncomfortable about directly expressing their love in this manner — and the demand for it may make them back away.

"Heightened expectations created by romantic fantasies may be dangerous not only because they can push men away," they write, "but because they often disguise a more basic issue that some women need to address — lack of self-esteem."

— The status seeker. Both men and women are culturally conditioned to believe a spouse may enhance their sense of worth — something that is never true in the long run. These women derive a sense of importance through affiliation with their husbands.

"Most men place enough pressure on themselves to achieve, and they certainly do not welcome more from their mate," the psychologists write, and they warn:

"Women who are sensitive to the pressure men are placed under by cultural expectations are cherished by their husbands; women who are oblivious to these male vulnerabilities are in danger of alienating their mate."

— The hero worshiper. Men do not want to feel they have to be a superman and find it too much work to keep up false pretenses. Men need acceptance just as much as women do.

The single most important indication that your demands are excessive, Cowan and Kinder say, is if they are fueled more by intense need than by wish or preference. They suggest asking yourself these questions:

— Do I want significantly more from him in a particular area? "Excessive demands usually involve wanting more, not less — more time, more status, more romance, more manliness," they write.

— Am I expecting him to be different from most other men? Excessive demands require a husband to be "more than" or "better than" others.

— Does he seem uncomfortable with my demands? Excessive demands usually make a husband feel pressured and unhappy.

— Why is there a discrepancy between what he is and what I want him to be? You may be expecting him to fill some emptiness within yourself.

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Miss Howard County comes home from pageant a winner

By CARLEEN EVERETT-HALEY
Lifestyle Editor

Although she didn't rank in the top ten at the Miss Texas pageant, Miss Howard County Stephanie Dobbs emerged a winner.

She received a \$250 cash scholarship for most talented actress at the pageant and has the option of attending four universities where scholarships await her: \$2,400 at Wayland University; \$2,000 at McMurray; \$1,000 at South Plains; and \$500 at Texas Woman's University.

In addition to her prizes, Stephanie says she learned a great deal.

"I learned about production — and being a theater major, that's important," she said in a telephone interview.

After the top ten finalists were named, Stephanie said she experienced "a little disappointment, but I didn't feel too bad, because I know I gave it my best."

Stephanie said she felt a mixture of excitement and anxiety during the televised finals, and wondered how her new friends would finish.

The 20-year-old, who said she was "proud to represent Howard County," is relaxing and preparing to attend Texas Tech in Lubbock this fall.

After a taste of pageant life, Stephanie is unsure about a future attempt at the Miss Texas title.

With hesitation, the 5'3", blonde,

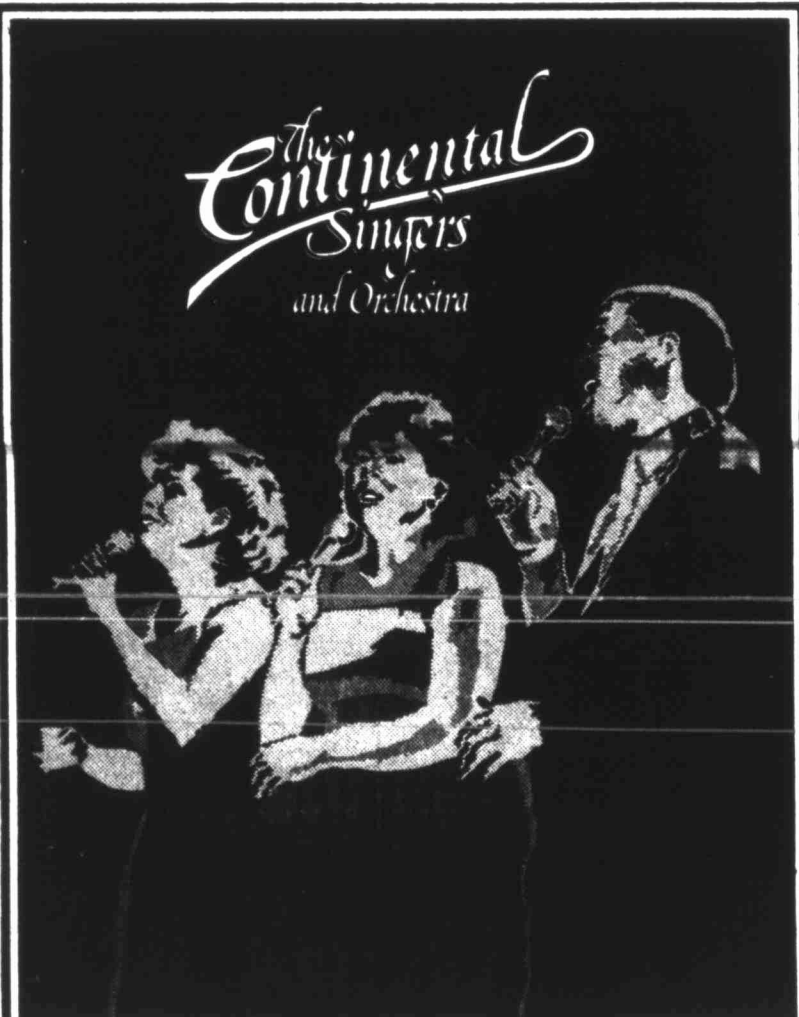


Miss Texas contestants from the West area posed for a picture at the state pageant last week in Fort Worth. From left is Miss Lubbock, Nancy Munnerlyn; Miss Monahans, Julie Brown; Miss Howard County, Stephanie Dobbs; and Miss Wayland University, Angel Edwards.

blue-eyed beauty said, "I've thought about entering Miss Lubbock," but added that she isn't sure if that's really what she wants to do.

"I want to get through school,"

she said. Stephanie wasn't the only local winner at the Miss Texas pageant — Howard College won an award for the best layout picture in the pageant program.



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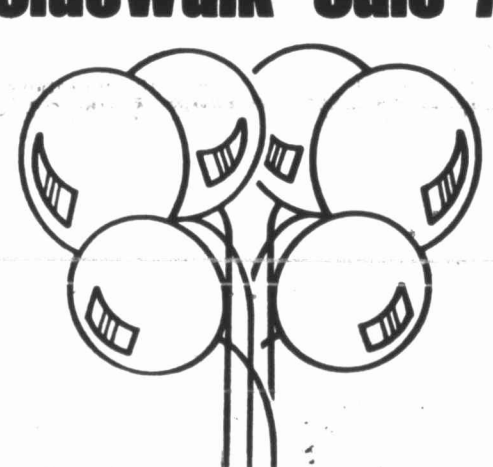
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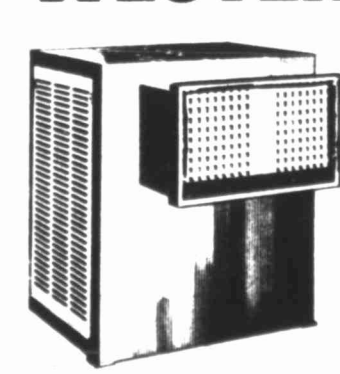
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Housekeeper's houseguest abuses family's hospitality

DEAR ABBY: Ten months ago my husband and I allowed our housekeeper's boyfriend (I'll call him Steve) to stay in our guesthouse rent-free while he was temporarily unemployed. He stayed for three months, two unemployed and one catching up on his bills.

At the beginning of the fourth month, we suggested that since he was working, he should pay rent. He thought we were asking too much, so he moved into a room about 15 miles from our house. The problem is that now Steve comes over to "visit" our housekeeper (I'll call her Donna) at least five nights a week. He has a key to our house, so he comes here right after work, lets himself in, showers in Donna's bathroom, stays for dinner with her, stays overnight in her room and then has breakfast in our kitchen before he leaves for work in the morning.

I think Steve is taking advantage of our hospitality. My husband says I should keep my mouth shut because if I say anything, Donna might quit, and housekeepers as good as Donna are hard to find.

How can I discreetly tell Donna that Steve is welcome in our home, but not five nights a week, including meals?

FARBRENT IN BRENTWOOD DEAR FARBRENT: You stated it very well. Now rehearse those lines before a mirror a few times, then deliver them to Donna.

I think you've been incredibly generous, so don't be defensive or apologetic. Be specific. Is Steve welcome to stay over once a week? Twice a month? Or not at all? It's your house, so you set the rules.



Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: I work with the nosiest man in the world. If he's standing by my desk and happens to see a letter on my desk that interests him, he will boldly pick it up and read it. He even has the nerve to ask me questions about it. If I say, "It's confidential," he says, "That's OK, I was just curious."

If I'm on the phone and he walks in, he will signal to me to tell him who I'm talking to. And after I hang up, he'll ask questions pertaining to some of the comments he's overheard.

Abby, this man has absolutely no judgment and no manners. Worse yet, he doesn't think he's doing anything wrong — he just doesn't know better. He's driving me crazy. I have all I can do to keep from being rude to him.

Maybe if you print this, I, and a few other people, will clip it and put it on his desk. Then he might get the message. Thanks.

HAD IT IN THE OKC STOCKYARDS DEAR HAD IT: Don't rely on

anything as subtle as "a few clippings" to change this man's behavior. Unless he signs your paycheck — which he obviously does not — you are under no obligation to answer his questions or tolerate his nosiness. You don't have to be rude. Just be firm. Good luck. (This turkey is getting on my nerves, and I don't even know him!)

DEAR READERS: Do you have a friend or relative who is anxiously waiting for some tests to come back from his/her physician? (Or maybe you are.)

If so, I'd like to share a little prayer with you — written by my friend, Rabbi Bernard Raskas, Temple Aaron, St. Paul, Min.:

PATIENCE
God, please give the patience. The doctors do not yet know what is causing my distress. They are making many tests. Over and over again, they have taken samples of my blood. They have probed me, listened to my heart, X-rayed me, injected me. And I wait — and wait — and wait! It is very hard to wait hours, even days, for results. I am anxious and sometimes frightened. But, the laboratory technicians and the doctors cannot hurry the process. Every test must be carefully done and evaluated. Why look for the worst and not consider the best? Oh, Lord, please help me to stop worrying — that I may use this time for reflecting and to count my blessings.

(For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (30 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 117, Mount Morris, Ill. 61051.)

Regular exercise beneficial to diabetics

By NYU MEDICAL CENTER
Exercise is an important part of self-treatment for diabetes and should be embarked upon thoughtfully, according to a physician at New York University Medical Center.

"Regular exercise can significantly benefit people with diabetes by lowering blood-sugar levels, decreasing cholesterol levels and improving cardiovascular tone — all vital components of treatment," said Dr. Andrew J. Drexler, assistant professor of clinical medicine at the center. "However, exercise requires changes in other aspects of self-care and requires self-monitoring of blood glucose."

Diabetes is a disease in which the body does not properly utilize glucose, a form of sugar. Glucose, therefore, can build up to abnormally high levels in the blood. Exercise increases the rate at which glucose is used by muscles, and so

tends to lower blood-sugar levels. "People who have diabetes should check their blood-sugar levels at home regularly," Drexler said. "If the level changes, they should find out why — whether it is due to diet, medication or a new exercise program — and correct the problem."

For example, as muscle use of glucose increases due to exercise, the liver responds by increasing its glucose output into the blood to re-establish equilibrium — and may overshoot. As a result, a paradoxical reaction sometimes can occur, especially in people whose diabetes has not been well controlled; temporarily, there may be a net increase in blood-sugar level upon starting an exercise regimen.

Although exercise poses no special risks for most people with diabetes, any diabetic person should have a thorough physical checkup prior to starting a new

program to search for other possible problems, such as heart disease.

In addition, people who have some complications of the disease need to be particularly careful and exercise only under supervision. For example, those who have diabetic neuropathy — a nerve disorder that can cause lowered sensitivity of the feet — can develop foot injuries but not feel any pain. And those who have diabetic retinopathy, an eye disorder, can develop eye damage if blood pressure rises excessively; they should avoid isometric exercises such as weightlifting, which tend to raise blood pressure.

"In general, exercise can be an integral part of the care of diabetes," Drexler said. "Beyond its physical benefits, success in exercise and sports can help people with diabetes feel more in control and enhance their self-image."

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Big Springers return from Lions Camp

Two Big Spring boys and five camp counselors have recently returned from two weeks at the Big Spring Lions Camp at Kerrville.

Lucas Robles, 8, and Glen Wilson, 14, were among the children and five counselors, who are students at S.W.C.I.D., are Mike McCarthy, Brend Doll, Dirk Hill, Ricky Gum and Kim Hawkins.

The Lions of Texas operate with more than a

million dollar budget to provide four two-week summer sessions for children between seven and 16, who have a physical disability.

After the regular session, a one week camping program is offered to diabetic children. Children who are seven to 12 will attend the camp during the week of Aug. 27, and those ages 13 to 17 will attend during the week of Aug. 9.

Fortenberry family reunites in Colorado City

COLORADO CITY — The Fortenberry family reunion was hosted July 5 in Colorado City at the home of Lloyd and Alma Rae Fortenberry.

The oldest in attendance was Willie Fortenberry, 90, of Big Spring. The youngest family member pre-

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Would-be farm workers flee to desert

YUMA, Ariz. (AP) — The increasing success of U.S. Border Patrol detection networks may be forcing illegal aliens deeper into the desert where their survival often depends on the rescue efforts of the same agency, a sheriff says.

Law enforcement officers rescued 22 aliens believed to have entered this country illegally over the weekend, but three others died.

"Lord knows how many bodies are still out there. We don't know," Yuma County Sheriff John Phipps said Wednesday.

Twenty-five men and teen-agers — all thought to be Mexican nationals — crossed the border Saturday near Los Vidrios, about 80 miles east of San Luis, Sonora, said Al Saucier, assistant chief of the U.S. Border Patrol's Yuma sector.

Before two of them were spotted Monday, the men had resorted to drinking urine and sucking moisture from cacti and toothpaste to stay alive. One cut his throat in desperation but survived.

Two members of the band were charged Wednesday with conspiracy to smuggle aliens.

Saucier identified them as Julio Parada Salazar, 31, of Ixtlan del Rio, Nayarit, Mexico, and Victor Lopez Basua, 36, Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico. Saucier said additional charges might

be filed through the U.S. attorney's office in Phoenix following investigation of the deaths.

The dead were identified as Bernardo Martinez, 19, of Rancho San Luis, near Acambaro, Guanajuato; Sergio Lopez Duran, 17, El Rancho de la Mesa, Guanajuato; and Antonio Vega, no age or hometown available.

Martinez and Lopez, the son of a 62-year-old who survived the ordeal, were dead when found, and Vega died aboard a helicopter en route to Yuma Regional Medical Center, Saucier said.

Authorities believe Parada was a guide and that Lopez was brought along to drive the men into California after they reached Interstate 8 near Dateland.

The aliens were told they faced a walk of four to seven hours, Saucier said. In reality, they were embarking on a 50-mile hike over rugged terrain under a scorching sun.

Each set out with one gallon of water, he said. Authorities say an individual typically loses half a gallon of body water per hour while trudging through the desert heat.

Saucier said some of the men had paid \$350 to \$400 to be smuggled into the United States and that others had promised to pay after they obtained work as agricultural laborers.

Phipps said he believes greater numbers of il-

legal aliens are trying to sidestep such points as San Luis and Nogales, where the Border Patrol has grouped batteries of video cameras and other sensory devices. Saucier said he doubted that theory.

"In Yuma, you can make an entry into the United States and be on a railroad heading west in 15 minutes or half an hour... and even though you're likely to be picked up, there's a possibility you can make it if you keep trying," Saucier said. "I still believe they will continue to try in an area where it's the easiest."

The deaths were the first in Arizona this year among desert-crossing aliens, Saucier said.

In the last seven years about 70 people have died, including 13 in July 1980 when a group of nearly 30 Salvadorans attempted a 40-mile hike across Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument. Saucier said the Border Patrol's forays into the desert are as much missions of mercy as attempts to arrest aliens.

"We found eight bodies in the desert last year, but we also rescued a total of 56. We apprehend people, yes, but we also rescue them, and in some cases we rescue people who never would have made it. In this case, there's no question that we would have had 25 dead," Saucier said.



Harold W. Ezell, western regional commissioner of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, is shown with Filemon Lopez Aquilera, right, who was rescued in the desert near Yuma Tuesday. His 17-year-old son died while crossing a stretch of desert. Two others also died and 22 were rescued by the Border Patrol desert rescue teams.

Amish may fill alien labor gap

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Amish settlers in Texas are pioneering a new labor structure for the state, says a Texas A&M University sociologist.

William Kuvlesky says the new wave of Amish settlements in Texas began around 1980, and consisted until recently of transient workers who simply wanted to earn enough money to buy land back home in Missouri, Ohio and other areas.

But once in Texas, Kuvlesky said, some began to settle down and show no signs of going back.

"The Amish are pioneering a brand new labor structure for Texas and agricultural producers seem happy about it," he said Wednesday. "Not only are they skilled in agriculture, but they also speak English, are accustomed to managing an enterprise and they live to work and serve God. That is advantageous to the entire community."

Since the passage of the Immigration Reform and Control Act last November, illegal aliens are finding it difficult to qualify to work for non-perishable industries such as dairy, poultry and livestock, he explained. Agricultural producers, he said, are hiring — even recruiting — Amish families to work in these areas.

Agricultural economists say Texas' agricultural industry could lose as much as 50 percent of its labor force due to the new federal regulations governing undocumented workers. To obtain a temporary resident permit, alien farm laborers must prove that they worked in U.S. agriculture for at least 90 days in each of the past three years, or in just one year if they harvested perishable crops.

Kuvlesky has been studying Amish communities in several places throughout the country and found the Amish population in Texas hovers around 45 families — about 250 people — spread out in communities in Central Texas and the Cross Timbers region near Stephenville where the Amish population is at an all-time high and seems to be growing.

The Amish family consists of an average of seven to as many as 15 children and the families coming to Texas are generally poor, Kuvlesky said.

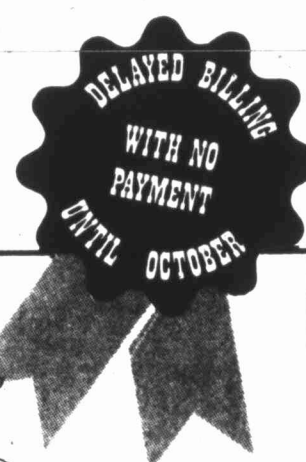
"I expected to see a lot of inner hostility between ethnic groups, but I haven't seen any discrimination. The Amish are simply not threatening and their economical, political and social values are basically compatible with their neighbors," he added.

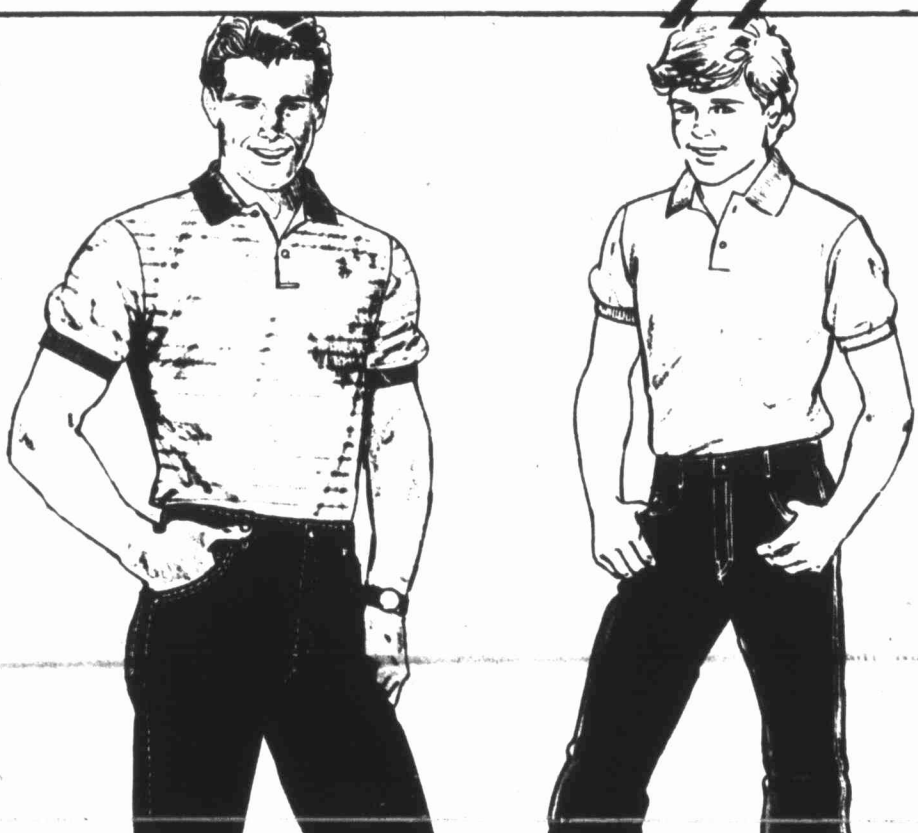
The first attempt the Amish made to live in Texas was in 1910 near Crystal City, where they bought land and planned to grow onions, marketing the produce by rail back East. That scheme failed, however, and the community eventually moved back East.

Kuvlesky said he uncovered no other verifiable evidence of Amish settlements in Texas until 1980, when six families settled near Gonzales.

Kuvlesky added that increasingly more Amish families in Texas are finding opportunities for employment outside their traditional role in agriculture.

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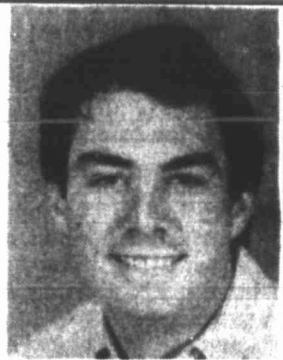
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Thursday Notes

By Eddie Curran



Senior leaguers looking good in all-star action

Many of the little leaguers of the recent past have continued in their ball-playing ways, and are now in an all-star tournament of their own.

The Big Spring Senior League team, comprised of 14 and 15 year olds, beat the San Angelo all-stars 9-8 Wednesday night in San Angelo. Neal Mayfield struck out 12, gave up six hits and went the distance for the win. Freddie Rodriguez led the offensive attack with three hits. Others getting hits were Joe Downey, Lance Newell, Sammy Carrillo and Danny Whitehead.

The Seniors will play Ozona Friday, and if they win that one they'll play for the district championship Monday night. Should they win the district, the seniors will advance to the sub-sectionals next weekend against the best teams from the Lubbock and Abilene districts.

The manager for the seniors is Bill Sanders; the coach is Larry Ward.

In addition, the junior league team, comprised of 13-year olds, opens its district play Friday at 6 p.m. against San Angelo.

It was good to see long-time National Little League manager Bill Mims back at the ball park. Mims had his friends and players worried a month ago when he had a heart attack, but he appeared in good shape at the game Wednesday night.

Mims has been coaching the boys for 32 years now.

Covering Little League is a joy, and it gives us sports reporters something to do in the middle of the summer, when sporting events are few and far between. But there's one problem — we see so many new kids, and get inundated with so many new names, that every once in awhile we get one wrong. For that we apologize.

In particular, we apologize to Jeremy Miller, whom I mistakenly referred to as Jason Miller in my Sunday column; and to National League shortstop Danny Wilson, who we mistakenly referred to as one of his teammates in a story in Tuesday's sports section.

Ooops.

Handball players from Houston, Dallas, San Angelo, Lubbock and Odessa will be in town this weekend for the Eighth Annual Marquez Brothers Invitational Handball Tournament.

The tournament includes class A singles and doubles competition. All entrants will be treated to a homemade Mexican lunch Saturday at noon.

The tourney will be at the Big Spring YMCA. Friday's action begins at 6 p.m., and Saturday's play begins at 9 a.m. Fans of good racketball should enjoy the action.

The final standings for the Men's Industrial Softball League are in, and the Indios, with a 14-2 record, are champs.

The Indios edged Cameo Homes, which finished at 13-3; and the Sandstormers, which finished at 11-5. For complete final standings, see Scoreboard, page 2B.

Big Spring's Kelly Rogers was at his winning ways again last weekend when he won the Challenge Cup, a three-day trapshoot in Cortez, Colo.

Rogers, a student at Texas Tech, captured high overall honors.

The team of Betty Ray Coffee, Ramona Harris, Peggy Wilson and Patti Woodall fired a two-under-par 36 to win the Comanche Trail Ladies Golf Association's nine-hole scramble Monday.

The team of Annie Ward, Jayne Ortega, Betty Wright and Georgie Newsom finished one stroke back; and the team of Ina Stewart, Ruby Honea, Mary Malone and Janie Ringener finished third.

In Thursday's couples play, Max and Betty Ray Coffee teamed with Rocky Harrell and Donna Browning to win with a three-under-par 32. Also with a 32 but losing on the scorecard was the team of Jerry and Ruth Roach and Juan and Jayne Ortega.

Former Big Spring resident Nancy Lovelace teamed with Jean Abbot to win the championship flight of the Partnership Scramble at the Big Spring Country Club last weekend.

Local entries who fared well included Glenodene Williams and Deborah Lusk, who won the first flight; Peggy Grimes and Jane Jones, who tied for second in the first flight; and Hazel Stringer and Lisa Angel, who tied for second in the championship flight.

The Parent-Child tourney at the Country Club will be this Saturday and Sunday.

Joe Pickle's weekly fishing report brings news of the summer doldrums at area lakes.

There was the good news of improved crappie fishing along the rocky areas in depths of 15-20 feet. One fisherman reported a string of 50 crappie. A few black bass were being taken along the shorelines, as were some blue catfish. Yellow catfishing was said to be fair.

Maybe what the lakes need is more fishermen; or perhaps a few fishermen willing to stretch the truth.

The Westside Optimist Club of Midland will host a motorcross race Aug. 2 at the Optimist Motorcross Park, three miles west of Midland on Hwy. 80.

Cash will be awarded to pros, and amateurs will receive trophies. The gate fee will be \$4 for adults; children under six get in free.

Texas League eliminated

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

Three was the lucky number for the Midland Eastern All-Stars in their win over the Big Spring Texas League All-Stars in District III Little League Tournament action Wednesday night at the International League park.

Eastern scored three runs in three separate innings enroute to a 9-2 win over the Texas League. The loss eliminated the Big Spring team from the double elimination tournament. Monday the Texas League dropped a 7-0 decision to Midland Mid-City.

Eastern, which lost 5-2 to the Big Spring Americans in the opening round, was powered by the two-hit pitching of Noel Romero and an 11-hit attack.

Romero, who hit a three-run homer in the fourth, went the distance. The tall right-hander with the three-quarters motion fanned eight and walked five.

Romero had good back-up from right fielder Wally Grando, first baseman Mario Rodriguez and se-

COND BASEMAN JOSEPH BERMEA. Grando had the best night at the plate, going three-for-four with a homer, a double and a single. He drove in three runs.

Rodriguez singled twice and Bermea hit two singles, driving in a run.

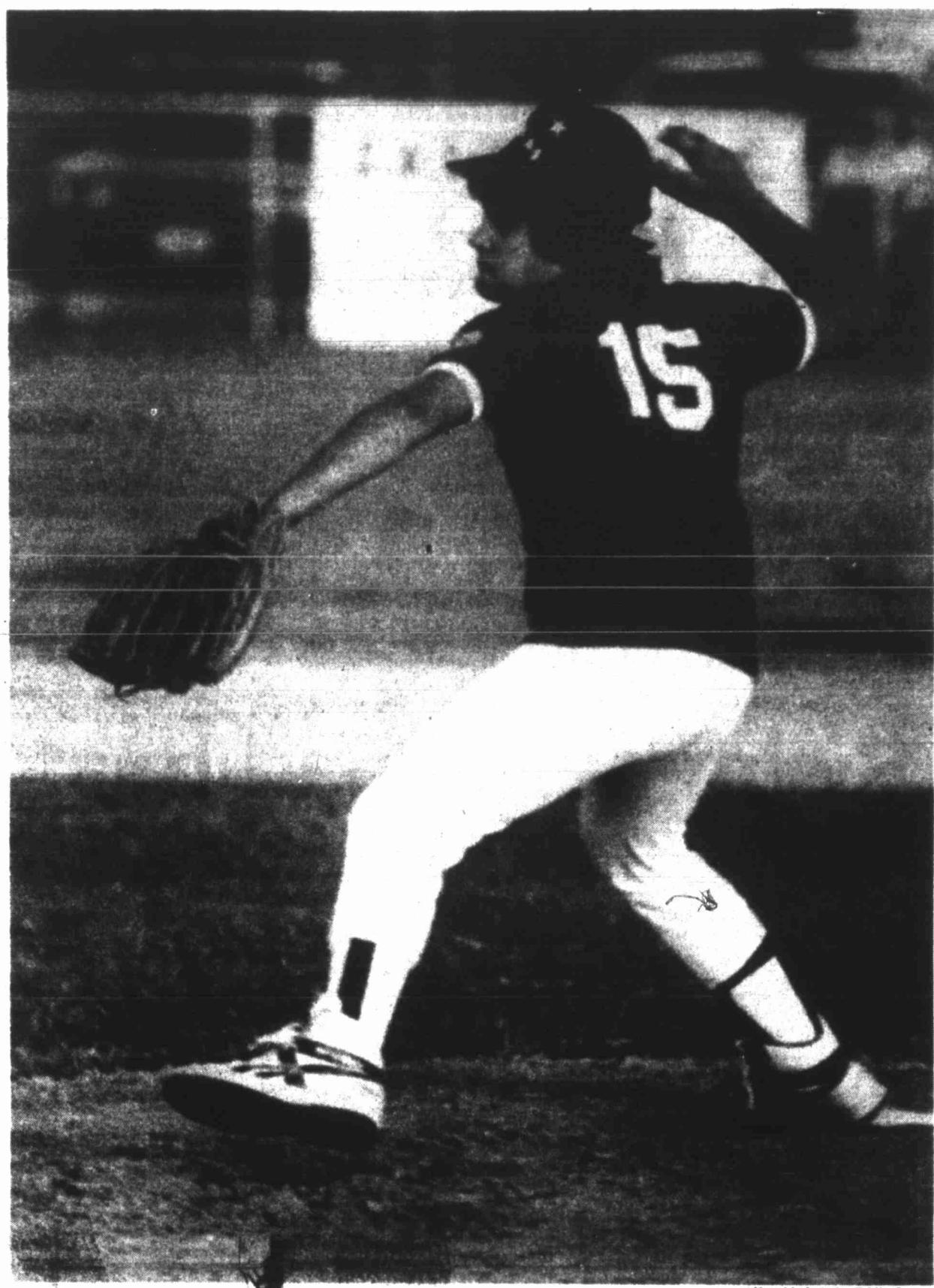
First baseman Timothy Flores was about the only offense the Texas League could muster. He figured in both of their runs. He scored the first Texas League run in the third, when he stroked a home run over the center field fence.

After a scoreless first inning, Eastern touched Texas starting pitcher Orlando Leos for three runs in the second inning. Two of the tallies were unearned.

Bermea led off the Eastern second with a single. He advanced to third on passed balls. Bermea scored when Joey Jimenez's slow roller went through the legs of shortstop David Ybarra.

With two outs Grando hit Leos' first pitch deep over the center field fence, giving the Easterners a 3-0 advantage.

The Texas League scratched in the top of the third inning. With one out, Flores worked the count to 3-2. On the next pitch, the big first baseman socked Romero's offering out of the park, cutting the lead to 3-1.



Big Spring Texas League All-Stars' pitchers Orlando Leos fires a pitch towards home plate in Wednesday night action at the International League park against the Midland Eastern All-Stars. Eastern won the game 9-2 and Leos was saddled with the loss.

Texas League hurler Leos was lifted in the third inning in favor of Michael Oliva. Leos pitched two innings, and allowed three runs on four hits.

Eastern scored three runs again in the fourth, thanks to Romero's

blast. It was set up when Jesse Carasco reached base on an error and Grando singled, bringing up Romero. On the second pitch from Oliva, Romero drilled a line drive over the left field fence, giving the Easterners a 6-1 lead.

The Texas League scored its second and final run in the top of the fifth. Right fielder Frankie Martinez walked, and advanced to third on passed balls. With one out, Romero walked Flores, putting

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UGSA All-Stars defeated

DENISON — Big Spring Division II and III United Girls Softball Association teams found the going rough in their opening games of the UGSA state tournament Wednesday.

The Big Spring Division II All-Stars dropped a 12-7 decision to Midland Gold.

Cassie Underwood was the losing pitcher and Amber Fannin tripled for Big Spring.

The Big Spring Division III All-Stars were defeated 18-7 by Midland Blue.

Julie Shelton fired a three-hitter for Midland and Veronica Viera was the loser for Big Spring as the local team committed six errors.

Tessa Olague and Karla Van Fleet tripled for Big Spring. The local team scored six runs in the seventh and final inning.

Brook Hejl hit an over-the-fence homer for Midland.

Here is the schedule for Big Spring teams Thursday.

Division I
9:45 a.m. — Big Spring vs. Denison
6:30 p.m. — Big Spring vs. Abilene North

Division II
9:45 a.m. — Big Spring vs. Denison
4:45 p.m. — Big Spring vs. Abilene North Red

Division III
9:45 a.m. — Big Spring vs. Denison
3 p.m. — Big Spring vs. Abilene North

Division IV
1:15 p.m. — Big Spring vs. Denison
6:30 p.m. — Big Spring vs. Abilene North

Aussie leading British Open

MUIRFIELD, Scotland (AP) — Rodger Davis, an Australian just starting to make his mark on the European PGA Tour, slammed through a becalmed Muirfield course in 7-under par 64 to take the lead in the first round of the British Open today.

The score was one stroke over the Muirfield record of 63 set by Japan's Isao Aoki and the lowest since changes were made to the course in 1980.

And Davis said it could have been much lower. He had eight birdies but missed three other birdie putts by inches.

With more than half the field on the course, Davis was three shots clear of a pair of Americans — two-time British Open champion Lee Trevino and Bob Tway, the top golfer on last year's U.S. PGA Tour and defending PGA tournament champion.

Paul Azinger, tops in this year's U.S. tour standings, was another stroke back at 68. Azinger is playing his first British Open.

The 1982 Masters champion, Craig Stadler was at 69 after being penalized two strokes for an illegal drop on the fifth hole. He offered no excuse.

Defending champion Greg Norman of Australia, without a tournament title this year on the U.S. circuit, teed off just after midday.

Others in the 153-player field in-

cluded five-time Open champion Tom Watson, who won the last time the tournament was staged here in 1980 and is trying to tie Harry Vardon's record six titles; U.S. Open champion Scott Simpson; and Masters titlist Larry Mize, all from America.

On the opening day of the four-day Grand Slam event, the golfers took turns hammering the normally treacherous Muirfield links, left naked by a warm, cloudy and unusually windless day.

Davis, winner of the Whyte and Mackey European PGA Championship last season but with no finish better than runner-up on the circuit this year, started his attack quickly.

He birdied the second, third, fifth, seventh and ninth holes, bogeyed the 10th but got the shot back on the 13th, then finished with birdies on the 17th and 18th.

"It was probably my best round ever," Davis said.

Trevino, seeking to duplicate his Muirfield triumph of 1972, bogeyed the first hole but birdied the next four. He was 5-under through 11 before another bogey, and he held par from there.

Tway, whose best finish this season is a third-place tie, birdied five holes, including three of the last five, and bogeyed only the seventh. He saved par on the 448-yard par-4 18th hole after driv-

ing into the right rough off the tee.

Par was cracked in the very first threesome on the first day of the four-day Grand Slam event. Carl Mason of England birdied the last two holes for a 1-under 70, soon matched by David Gifford of Scotland.

Welshman Ian Woosnam, the top money winner on the European circuit this season with three titles, shot an even-par 71.

Trevino is eligible for the over-50 Seniors Tour next year, but he said after a final practice round that he'll return to the British Open "as long as they'll have me."

"The only major I'll play is this one. I think I can win on these courses regardless of how old I am."

Trevino was joined in his last practice session by Nicklaus, Norman and Watson, all winless this year on the American tour but experienced campaigners on British links courses.

Nicklaus, a three-time British Open champion and winner of a record 18 major titles, said the talkative Trevino's performance Wednesday amazed him.

Norman, an unlucky runner-up to Mize in the Masters when the American chipped in from 140 feet on the second playoff hole, said the reason he had not won this year probably was because he had been trying too hard.



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Local bowler falls one pin short

AUSTIN — Local bowler Phil Ringener came so close to winning his first Professional Bowlers Association tournament Wednesday, but his bid fell just short.

Ringener, who had been leading the competition, was headed off by Kent Wagner of Palmetto, Fla., in the last frame. Wagner rolled three straight strikes to outpoint Ringener 249-248.

The match was seen live on ESPN. In his interview after the match, a cheerful Ringener said, "Well, one of these days maybe I can win a game on TV," he laughed. "I just want to congratulate Kent on his victory."

Ringener won \$8,250 for his efforts. Wagner won \$16,000 for first place.

The next stop on the tour is Edmond, Okla.

Tony Hill in jeopardy of losing job

IRVING (AP) — Veteran wide receiver Tony Hill — perceived as overweight and out of shape — may be released before the Dallas Cowboys report to Thousand Oaks, Calif., Sunday for the start of pre-season training camp, Coach Tom Landry said Wednesday.

"He has not demonstrated he has been losing weight and getting back into the shape he needs to be in to help the Cowboys," Landry said at a news conference.

Landry said he would call Hill in for a meeting in the next day or so and decide on his future with the club "on the basis of

what his reaction is" when asked why he has not been active in the Cowboys' off-season training program.

When a team falls on losing times, as the Cowboys did with their 7-9 record last season, "the only thing you can do is work harder than you have been," Landry said.

In 10 seasons with Dallas, Hill has been to two Super Bowls and three Pro Bowls and holds the Cowboys record for yards gained receiving. But last season, he was bigger, slower and a less vital part of the offensive attack.

Landry said Hill, who is now 31 and up to about 230 pounds, apparently has not heed-

ed his warning that more would be expected of Cowboys veterans this season than in past years.

"I think you can assume people's intent on what they do," Landry said.

Reporting along with Cowboys rookies and first-year players Sunday will be 17 veterans, including eight signed as free agents after playing with other NFL teams.

Chances are "slim to none" that the Cowboys' No. 1 and 2 draft choices will be on hand Sunday, Landry said, because of continuing contract negotiations.

"But that's not critical if they're not on

hand for rookie camp," Landry said. "If they miss the first week or two of veterans' camp, that's when it becomes critical, because we put in all our offense then, and the rest of the time we're just fine-tuning it."

If wide receiver Mike Sherrard, last year's No. 1 draft choice, had not missed veterans' camp last year he might have become a starter after two or three weeks instead of late in the season, Landry said.

Landry said injuries are the most important factor in a team's improvement.

"People like Danny White, Herschel Walker, Tony Dorsett, Randy White — if

these type players don't get hurt, we'll improve rapidly," Landry said.

"But otherwise, the key to big improvement will be how our younger players come along, and I'm talking about (former No. 1 draft pick) Kevin Brooks, people like that. If they push the veterans or take their place, we'll be an improved team."

Landry said he has always contended that defense is the most important part of a good team.

Offensively, he said, "I think we'll be improved. The offensive line will be better, although not right away."

U.S. hoopsters reach semis

ZAGREB, Yugoslavia (AP) — The United States men's basketball team at the World University Games has some tough acts to follow.

The 1984 Olympic team won the gold medal. So did the 1986 squad at the World Championships in Spain.

There are no former U.S. Olympians on this year's Universiade squad. Only one player, Sean Elliott of Arizona, played at the World Championships.

Despite the lack of experience, the American team clinched a berth in the semifinals with a 69-57 victory over Czechoslovakia Wednesday.

Mitch Richmond of Kansas State led the scoring with 13 points, while Duke's Danny Ferry played tough defense and pulled down seven rebounds.

The United States plays Canada tonight in the

final game of group play. But with a 3-0 record, the United States is guaranteed to finish either first or second in its group and will meet either Yugoslavia or Cuba on Friday.

In track and field competition Thursday, Jonathan Ridgeon of Britain posted the third fastest time of the year in the 110-meter hurdles, 13.29 seconds, as he upset Americans Arthur Blake and Keith Taylor.

The Soviet Union had victories in the pole vault, hammer throw and women's shot put to boost its gold medal count to 18 to counter the United States' victories in the men's and women's 400 meters.

Michael Franks of St. Louis, Mo., took the men's race in 45.33, while Denean Howard of Los Angeles captured the women's event in 51.07.

Those two American victories upped the

United States' gold medal count to 16 and 44 overall. The Soviet Union has 50 medals in all. Franks had to put on a tremendous kick to edge Nigerian Moises Ugboisie in the final strides.

"I had come to win," Franks said. "I thought I could run in the 44s but I had a bad start and I just relaxed and concentrated on winning."

Howard held off Ludmila Djalgalova of the Soviet Union by about three meters.

"I knew the Russian would be my only competition," Howard said, "so I pegged my race on her."

The Chinese men's divers duplicated their women's one-two sweep in the three-meter springboard event. Tan Liangde and Li Deliang took the top two places over Ron Meyer of the United States, who led after Tuesday's preliminaries.

Texas

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runners on first and third. With Ricky Gonzales at the plate, Flores attempted to steal second. Catcher Jimenez threw Flores out at second, but the alert Martinez scored from third off the throw, cutting the deficit to 6-2.

Midland Eastern put together its third three-run inning in the bottom of the stanza. Eastern reeled off five hits off Oliva.

Berema's infield hit scored Cory Watson, who had doubled, for the first run of the inning. Jimenez hit into a fielder's choice that scored Antwon Goodley, who had singled. Grandt then doubled, scoring pinch runner David Holguin with the final run of the game.

The Texas League's only other hit was a single by second baseman Edward Guerrero in the first inning. The Big Spring team did have two outstanding defensive plays back-to-back in the first inning.

Third baseman Oscar Valencia made a nice over-the-shoulder catch of a ball in foul territory. This was followed by a diving catch in deep center field by center fielder Gonzales.

Eastern will play the loser of Midland North Central and Odessa

Southern Saturday at 8 p.m. at the American League park.

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Midland North Central 5, Midland Western 1

Alex Hale fired a two-hitter while leading Midland North Central to a 5-1 win over Midland Western.

Of the 18 Western outs, 15 came from Hale's strikeouts. He issued two walks. Jamie Woods took the loss for Western.

Eric Benavides, Louis Brezina and Chris Connelly had two hits each for North Central.

Both of Western's hits came in the first inning. James Davis scored the only run when he homered. He was followed by a Jeremy Shankle.

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WP — Alex Hale, LP — Woods

In other tournament action Wednesday night, Odessa Southern defeated Odessa Alamo 7-6.

Swimmers dead-heat in race

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Mark Thompson and Bart Pippenger dead-heated in the men's 100-meter butterfly in the first swimming tie for first place in the eight-year history of the U.S. Olympic Festival.

Thompson got a gold medal for swimming. Pippenger got a gold medal for team handball.

Pippenger, who told officials to give Thompson the gold, could have been presented with a silver medal after the rare dead heat Wednesday night. But "he wanted to receive a gold on the stand," Ross Larson, a member of the company in charge of the medals, said in explaining the unusual presentation after the unusual finish.

"We had some extra golds with us in case there was a tie," Larson said. "Team handball medals aren't being handed out until next Saturday."

Pippenger was to receive his real gold today, after the 100 butterfly

gold was engraved.

Thompson, 17, of Tigard, Ore., and Pippenger, 19, of Kamiah, Idaho, both were timed in 55.99 seconds.

While Thompson and Pippenger were elated about sharing a victory, Sarah Anderson, 17, of Moreno Valley, Calif., was excited about collecting her third and fourth swimming golds.

"I came into the Festival not even expecting to place very well," Anderson said after winning the women's 800-meter freestyle in eight minutes, 46.26 seconds and anchoring the North A team to victory in the 400 freestyle relay in 3:56.21.

Tuesday night, in the opening swimming program, Anderson won the 200 freestyle in Festival record time and was on the winning 800 freestyle relay team.

While Anderson has been the most productive participant in the three-day-old Festival, John

Smith, a 136.5-pound wrestler from Stillwater, Okla., has been the most courageous.

Smith, his left hand bandaged to protect broken bones and his ribs taped to support torn cartilage, extended his winning streak to 52 Wednesday night in reaching tonight's final.

After defeating Glenn Goodman of Tampa, Fla. 8-3, 4-3, Smith said his injuries would not prevent him from meeting top-seeded Steve DePetro of Wayne, N.J., in the final.

Jack Cuvo of Easton, Pa., who draws inspiration from hometown hero Larry Holmes, the former world heavyweight boxing champion, reached the final of the 114.5-pound division.

Cuvo, in his eighth match in three days, beat Jeffrey Henderson of Coopersville, Mich., 8-5 in the third match of their best-of-three series. In the final, he will face top-seeded Greg Robbins of Orem,

Utah.

There was no frustration in the swimming pool for Nadine Takai, 17, of Waipahu, Hawaii, or Jon Olsen, 18, of Jonesboro, Ark.

Both raised their gold medal haul to three.

Takai, winner of golds in the women's 400 individual medley and the 800 freestyle relay Tuesday night, captured the 200 individual medley in 2:20.94.

Olsen, winner of the men's 50 freestyle and on the winning 400 medley relay Tuesday night, got his third gold on the North A team that won the 800 freestyle relay in 7:42.66.

It took a great anchor leg by Mike "Magic" Johnson, 17, of Ankeny, Iowa, to secure the 800 relay victory.

Johnson began the final leg more than three meters behind Chas Morton, 16, of Franklin, Tenn., who had won the 200 individual medley Tuesday night.

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SCOREBOARD

Softball Standing

Finals results of the Men's Industrial Softball League.

Indios	14-2
Cameo	13-3
Sandstromers	11-5
Westside '87	10-6
Coors	8-8
Fina	5-11
Amoco	5-11
Permian Research	4-12
Scenic Mountain	2-14

AL Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division				
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New York	55	34	.618	—
Toronto	51	36	.586	3
Detroit	48	37	.565	5
Milwaukee	42	43	.494	11
Boston	41	47	.466	13½
Baltimore	35	53	.398	19½
Cleveland	31	56	.356	23

West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	49	40	.551	—
Kansas City	46	41	.529	2
Oakland	46	41	.529	2
California	46	43	.517	3
Seattle	45	43	.511	3½
Texas	41	45	.477	6½
Chicago	34	51	.400	13

Tuesday's Game
National League 2, American League 0, 13 innings, All-Star Game
Wednesday's Games
No games scheduled
Thursday's Games
Toronto (Key 9-6) at Minnesota (Blyleven 8-6), 1:15 p.m.
Cleveland (Bailes 2-2) at Chicago (Dotson 7-5), 2:30 p.m.
California (McCaskill 2-0) at Milwaukee (Higuera 7-7), 2:35 p.m.
Oakland (Young 9-5) at Boston (Clemens 8-6), 7:35 p.m.
Seattle (Moore 3-10) at Detroit (Terrell 6-8), 7:35 p.m.
Baltimore (Boddicker 6-4) at Kansas City (Leibrandt 8-7), 8:35 p.m.
New York (Guidry 1-4) at Texas (Hough 10-4), 8:35 p.m.
Friday's Games
Oakland at Boston, 7:35 p.m.
Seattle at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Toronto at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Kansas City, 8:35 p.m.
California at Milwaukee, 8:35 p.m.
New York at Texas, 8:35 p.m.
Saturday's Games
Oakland at Boston, 1:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Kansas City, 1:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, 7 p.m.
Seattle at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
Toronto at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
California at Milwaukee, 8:35 p.m.
New York at Texas, 8:35 p.m.

NL Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	55	30	.651	—
Montreal	47	30	.612	9

New York	47	40	.540	9½
Chicago	47	41	.534	10
Philadelphia	42	44	.488	14
Pittsburgh	39	48	.448	17½
West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	47	41	.534	—
Houston	44	43	.506	2½
San Francisco	44	44	.500	3
Atlanta	41	46	.471	5½
Los Angeles	39	49	.443	8
San Diego	30	58	.341	17

Tuesday's Game
National League 2, American League 0, 13 innings, All-Star Game
Wednesday's Games
No games scheduled
Thursday's Games
Atlanta (Alexander 4-5) at Montreal (Younts 6-3), (n)
Cincinnati (Gullickson 9-5) at New York (Gooden 6-2), (n)
Philadelphia (K.Gross 6-8) at Houston (Ryan 4-10), (n)
St. Louis (Forsch 8-3) at San Diego (Whitson 8-7), (n)
Pittsburgh (Kipper 5-6) at Los Angeles (Valenzuela 7-7), (n)
Chicago (Moyer 8-6) at San Francisco (Dravecky 4-7), (n)
Friday's Games
Atlanta at Montreal, (n)
Cincinnati at New York, (n)
Philadelphia at Houston, (n)
St. Louis at San Diego, (n)
Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, (n)
Chicago at San Francisco, (n)
Saturday's Games
St. Louis at San Diego
Chicago at San Francisco
Cincinnati at New York, (n)
Atlanta at Montreal, (n)
Philadelphia at Houston, (n)
Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, (n)

Transactions
BASEBALL
American League
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Sent Ron Karkovics, catcher, and Bryan Clark and Joel McKen, pitchers, to Hawaii of the Pacific Coast League. Recalled Bobby Thigpen and Ray Searage, pitchers, and Bill Lindsey, catcher, from Hawaii.
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Traded Tony

Bernazard, second baseman, to the Oakland Athletics for Darrel Akerfelds, pitcher, and Brian Dorsett, catcher. Assigned Dorsett to Buffalo of the American Association. Sent Mark Huisman, pitcher, outright to Buffalo. Purchased the contract of Tommy Hain, second baseman, from Williamsport of the Eastern League.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Purchased the contract of Steve Kiefer, infielder, from Denver of the American Association.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Placed Willie Randolph, second baseman, on the 21-day disabled list. Optioned Jeff Moronko, infielder, to Columbus of the International League. Named Chris Chambliss to an ex-

ecutive position.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Released Ron Cey, third baseman. Recalled Steve Henderson, outfielder, from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League. Optioned Walt Weiss, infielder, to Tacoma.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Don Bracken, punter, Dan Ross and Ed West, tight ends, John Swain, cornerback, and Ben Thomas, defensive end. Agreed to terms with Jessie Clark, fullback.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Signed Paul Constantino, center.
SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Signed Dave Grayson, linebacker.

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FORECAST FOR FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1987

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Much can be accomplished in the very early morning and in the evening. Don't look for gift horses during the daytime, as you will not find any.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Avoid causing any unnecessary friction at home. Don't be too forceful in supporting your opinions.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Be extremely cautious in writing anything today. Friends could cause you trouble if you're not tactful.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Get your wardrobe in order — that shopping trip may not be needed. Friends can give you good financial advice.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to Jul. 21) Activities which require a lot of energy would be good for you. Don't let anyone control your thoughts.

LEO (Jul. 22 to Aug. 21) Concentrate on the future today. Be watchful for a new enterprise which could prove to be quite lucrative.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Improve your efficiency and you can be done with that piled-up work. This evening should be very interesting.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Spend some time on a quiet hobby you haven't thought about for some time. Invite a good friend to join you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) A trip you've been considering is best postponed until there aren't so many conflicts to be dealt with.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Follow your intuition today, it's really very accurate. Don't be too serious, you really need to unwind.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Steer clear of a nervous friend. Invite some guests in and fulfill your social obligations. Avoid touchy topics.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You can get needed backing for an important project, all you need do is ask. Success will equal the effort you expend.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) If you explain the practical side of a new plan, you can get a lot of cooperation from co-workers. Use reason and logic.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will have an interesting life from the earliest years, and will get assistance from influential people. Teach your child to be punctual and to keep any promises that are made. This will help to build up good will from others and the bank account at the same time.

"The Stars impel: they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!

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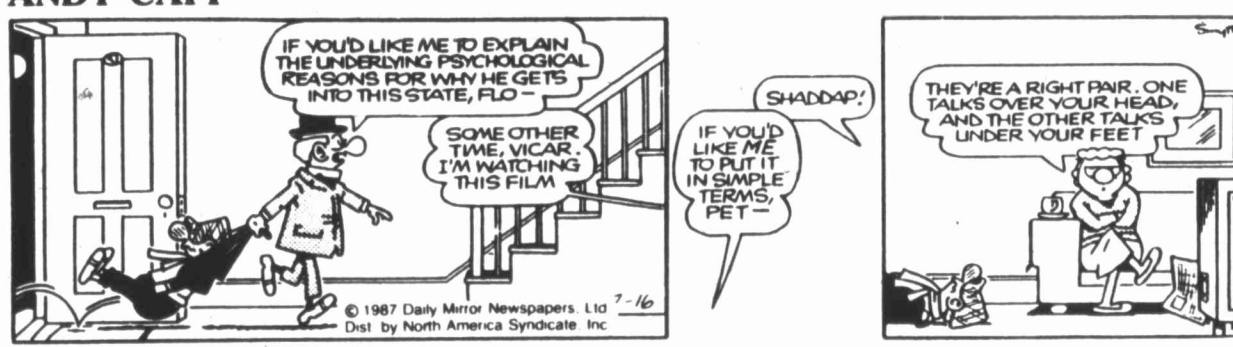
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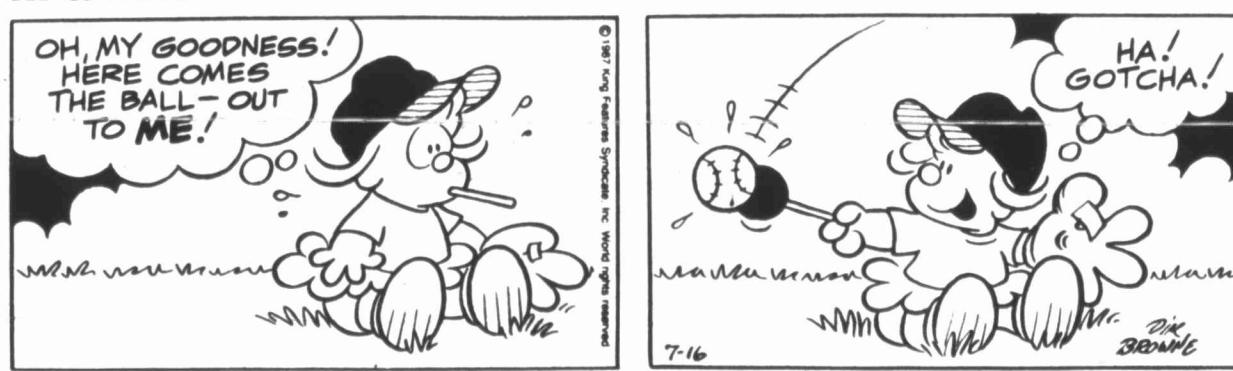
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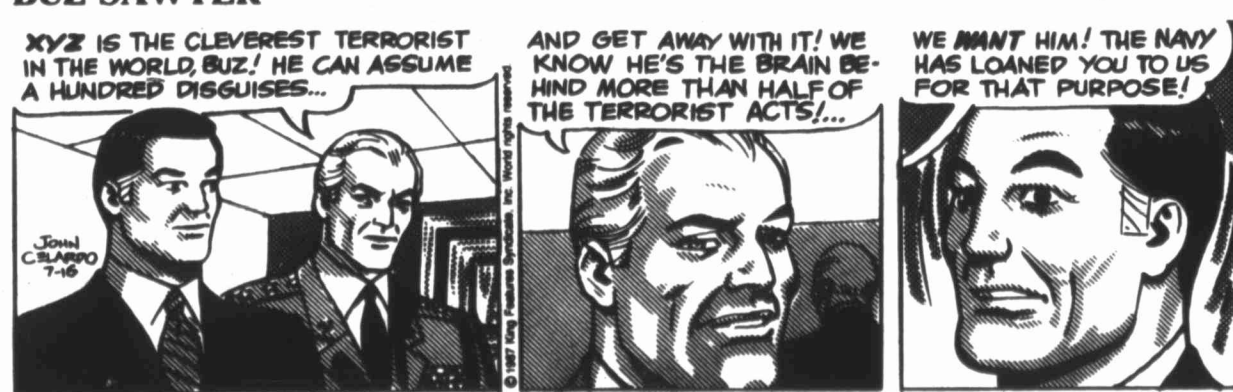
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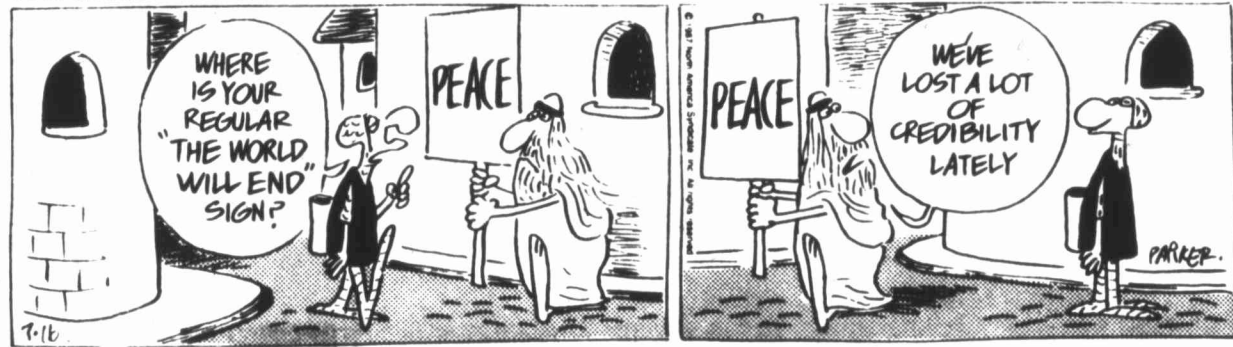
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Entertainment

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Predator: Silly, but riveting and good

Editor's Note: "Predator" is showing again this week at the College Park Cinema.

Dallas Times Herald Bureau
The new Arnold Schwarzenegger film, "Predator," can be summed up in four words — "Alien" in the jungle.

But give the filmmakers credit for pulling it off with a modicum of style. With the brilliant exception of "The Terminator," "Predator" is the best-looking Schwarzenegger film to date. It has the most explosive war scenes since "Platoon."

And it has Schwarzenegger, who manages to rise above his thick, Austrian accent and kick some ugly alien butt. But not until he has a serious acting bout with his character's vulnerability.

What more could you want? Dialogue? Originality? Humor? Come on, that's for the subtitles crowd. This is Schwarzenegger: Four-syllable (if not four-star) entertainment.

When Maj. Dutch Schaefer's rescue team is sent into the Central American jungle to save some diplomats, you know Schwarzo is going to fillet some enemy fatigues. What you don't expect is a date with a powerful, invisible (in the early stages) alien who murders and skins everyone in sight.

The monster has incredibly advanced vision that can locate any man in the densest brush. The filmmakers used a special heat-seeking camera to simulate the monster's view and when the audience sees through its eyes, the screen takes on a colored, computerized look.

This meticulous high-tech look is one of the surprises in "Predator." Another is the

hologramlike appearance of the monster that helps it blend into the scenery (which the title character does so well it's often difficult to spot even when you're supposed to).

The beast takes a more earthly form in the latter half of the film, which finds Schwarzenegger's men being gruesomely killed one by one. Left alone to battle the creature, Schwarzenegger resorts to some classic weaponry and basic camouflage to baffle the alien's space-age lasers.

You have to like "Predator" for its honesty, since it rarely tries to be anything but a bang-bang hybrid of science-fiction movie and war film. Sure, it stumbles. The subplot of men at odds with each other joining together in the face of opposition from another world doesn't really work.

Nor do all the drop-dead one-liners Schwarzenegger adds for comic effect. When he spears an enemy soldier to a tree with a huge knife and tells him to "Stick around," you want to slap him.

On second thought, you let it ride — just like this film's action and its amazing flying bodies and wise-guy wrestling-arena banter. Forget the questions: What's the alien doing on Earth in the first place?

How does Schwarzenegger survive an atomic blast? And why doesn't he get a dialect coach? If Meryl Streep can learn all those European accents, why can't he unlearn his?

Maybe he doesn't want to. Maybe it's part of his plan. When you have movies like this to do your talking, who needs words?

Around town

NIGHTCLUBS

● Stallone Night Club, 205 Runnels St., offers country & western, disco, rock 'n roll, and Spanish music for dancing. The club is open from 8 p.m. to midnight Friday and 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday.

● The Brass Nail will have its annual "New Year's Eve in July Party," Saturday night. The Big Spring nightclub will be decorated as if it's Dec. 31, and free champagne will be served. A barbecue will conclude the festivities on Sunday afternoon. The Heart of Texas Band will perform, as they do at 9 p.m. on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. The Brass Nail is open to the public, for a \$2 cover charge.

MOVIES

● Two new movies, or to be precise, one old movie and one new movie, are opening at the Ritz Friday.

Walt Disney's "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" opens Friday in celebration of its 50th anniversary. The animated classic thrills children and grown-ups as much now as it did 50 years ago. "Snow White" is rated G. Showtimes are daily at 2, 7 and 8:45 p.m.

The Ritz is also showing "Jaws 4 — The Revenge," the fourth installment of the famed shark vs. man series. It's rated PG-13. Showtimes are 2, 7:10 and 9 p.m.

This week's Wednesday Kiddie Show is "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." The kiddie show is

Getaway

ANDREWS

● Andrews Senior Citizens Center hosts senior dances every Monday. Out-of-town guests are invited.

ODESSA

● The Judds, a mother and daughter country & western duo, will perform at Ector County Coliseum Saturday night. Tickets are being sold at T's and Too's in Big Spring, at 114 W. 2nd St.

● An exhibit entitled "Word & Image in American Folk Art," will open at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin in Odessa Saturday and will run through Sept. 2.

The 65 works from folk scholar William A. Volkersz's collection come from 10 artists he interviewed as part of a research project funded by the Mellon Foundation.

The Art Institute is located at 4909 East University. For more information, call (915) 368-7222.

● The Odessa Cultural Council will host a one-day area-wide seminar and workshop on key issues facing community arts organizations in the West Texas area. The seminar will be July 22 at the Electronic Technology

Wednesday at 11 a.m.

Returning for another week at the College Park Cinema is "Predator," starring muscle-man Arnold Swartznegger. The movie will show at 2, 7:10 and 9:10 p.m.

Also returning at College Park is "Dragnet '87," a comedy starring Tom Hanks and Dan Ackroyd, and based on the legendary cops and robbers show starring Jack Webb. Showtimes are 2, 7 and 9 p.m. Rated PG-13.

PLAY

● Tickets are on sale for the Aug. 21 production of "Pinocchio's Magical Wish." The Howard County Association of Retarded Citizens is sponsoring the production by the national touring company "World of Fantasy Players."

Tickets are \$3 for children and \$4 for adults. For more information, call Mike Cowley or Carol Green at 267-9834, 267-7073, or 267-8504.

COUNTRY MUSIC

● Country music singer and songwriter Carol Steele will entertain and share the stage with local hospitalized veterans at room 212 at the VA hospital tonight at 7 p.m.

Steele, known as "The First Lady of Country Music in the Shenandoah Valley," has traveled around the country entertaining veterans. For more information on her performance in Big Spring, call Adrean Bankowski at 263-7361, ext. 275.

Building at Odessa College. Registration will begin at 9 a.m.

There is no charge. Those wishing to attend should contact the Texas Arts Council at: 3939 Bee Caves Road, Suite 1A, Austin 78746; or phone Jo Ann Steel at the Odessa Cultural Council at (915) 337-1492.

ROBERT LEE

● "Ole Coke County, Home of the Rabbit Twisters," will be presented at the Mountain Creek Amphitheatre in Robert Lee on the last two weekends in July.

This outdoor musical production will begin at 8 a.m. on July 24-25 and July 31-Aug. 1. The annual historical musical depicts 50 years of the exciting experiences of the early settlers up to the turn of the century.

For more information, call: (915) 453-2831; or write: P.O. Box 26, Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

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He won't be Elvis anymore

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — His 20 jumpsuits don't get used as much anymore. His earning power has dropped. His stage name is being abandoned.

After 19 years performing as an Elvis Presley impersonator, Elvis Wade plans to give up the act in another year or so and launch a singing career under his real name, Wade Cummins.

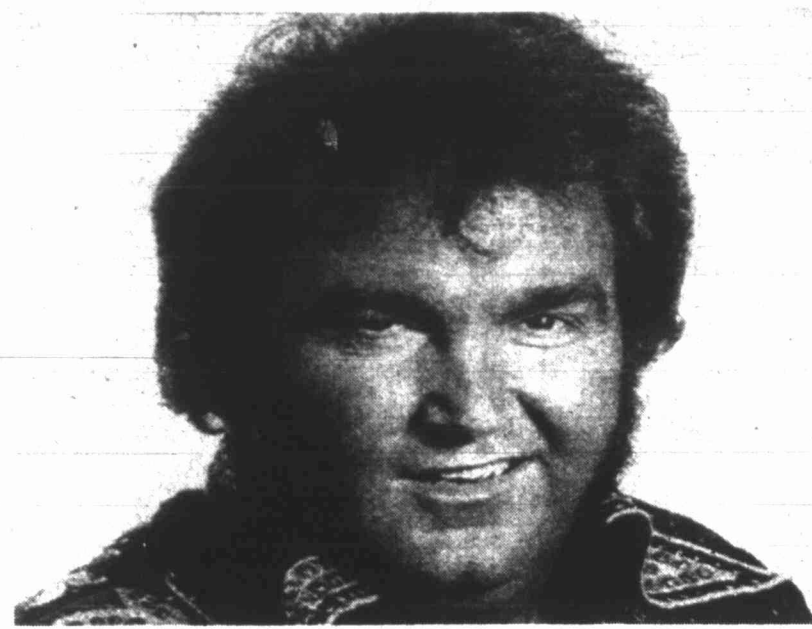
He'll accept no more teddy bears from fans. Women won't scream in delight at his appearances.

Wade, 40, began doing a Presley impersonation in 1968, nine years before "the king of rock 'n' roll" died. He was one of the first imitators.

After Presley died on Aug. 16, 1977, impersonators sprang up on stages everywhere. They grew sideburns, dyed their hair black if necessary, wore jumpsuits and sang "All Shook Up" and other Presley songs as best they could.

"I used to stick my head in the air and be proud of what I did," Wade said in an interview. "Then Elvis died. ... I would say I became ashamed to say what I did (for a living) because of the stereotype of what the act became in the business."

"Elvis impersonators became a joke because all the 'squirrels' got



Elvis impersonator Wade Cummins plans to drop his act in the next year and move out from under The King's shadow.

into it. They were born like flies and died like flies."

Wade earned \$7,500 to \$10,000 a show at the peak of his career. His current appearance fee ranges from \$3,500 to \$7,500. Some of his shows include appearances by D.J. Fontana, who was Presley's drummer, and the Jordanares, who

sang backup for Elvis, as well as Dee Presley, his stepmother.

He and his six-piece band (down from a high of 17) do six to eight shows a month. His 20 jumpsuits — white, red, blue and black — cost as much as \$5,000 apiece.

"Nineteen years is long enough," he said. "I want to move on to my

own show. I want to prove to myself that I can sing as Wade Cummins and write good songs."

He knows of no other Presley impersonator still touring the country, though there were hundreds shortly after Presley died.

Wade, whose voice does sound like Presley, is hoping to arrange a TV special that would salute the late performer. He and associates hope Presley compatriots such as the Jordanares and singer J.D. Sumner will agree to be on any production.

"The fans still want to hear the songs," he said.

"Everything came together in that one tune," he said.

He said his singing style in his new career will be comparable to that of country stars Lee Greenwood or Ronnie Milsap, but not hard-core country. He's already negotiating with record companies about a contract under his own name.

"I could never be a Ricky Skaggs or Randy Travis or George Jones. I'm not that kind of singer, but I'm no Duran Duran either."

Still, Presley impersonators will be remembered. "They will go down in history," he said. "They were an intricate part of the whole Elvis scene."

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