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VA appeals process undergoes study

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Veterans Affairs Secretary Jesse Brown has approved recommendations of an ad hoc committee to establish ways to increase productivity on the Board of Veterans Appeals, according to Big Spring's VA Medical Center.

Last year, Brown approved recommendations to resolve claims processing problems at the VA's regional office level and the Veterans Benefits Administration is currently implementing those recommendations.

Brown said, "Claims processing at all VA levels is more complicated and time-consuming than ever. VA must change the process to meet the needs of veterans as quickly as possible and the implementation of these common-sense approaches to dealing with BVA problems will complement our department wide efforts to improve the way we process veterans' claims."

Two of the recommendations made by the Select Panel on Productivity for the BVA have already been implemented by legislation requested by VA and signed by President Clinton.

These recommendations include allowing single-member decisions on appeals replacing three-member decisions, a move that should increase productivity by 27 percent, and teleconferenced hearings to eliminate costly, time-consuming travel.

The VA Committee of the House has also approved and asked the full House to approve other recommendations that

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Big Spring Evening Lions Club members, from left, Al Valdez, Allen Kernodle and Elvin Bearden are busy peeling potatoes last year in preparation for the annual football barbecue. This year's feast will be Friday, Sept. 2 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Tickets can be purchased from any Lions Club member.

Lions barbecue - long on tradition

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

High school football is a long standing tradition in Big Spring and so is the annual Evening Lions Club barbecue the night of the first home game of the Steers.

Since 1960, the Lions Club has had the barbecue complete with meat, potato salad, coleslaw and beans. "We started out at 13th and Scurry at the Tea Room in 1960 with half a chicken. It grew so big that we switched to beef and moved where we held it," said Bill Birrell, club member.

This year's barbecue, the main fund raiser for the Lions Club, will be Sept. 2 from 5 to

7:30 p.m. in the Big Spring High School cafeteria.

"One of our members has a smoker and will begin cooking the brisket on Thursday. The school will provide the potato salad, pickles, onions and other things. We pay them for that. Our members do go up to the cafeteria on Wednesday where the men will peel and cut the potatoes for the salad and the women sort the beans," said Bob Noyes, club member.

Last year, 600 people attended the barbecue which raised \$1,800 for the club after expenses. Noyes says the money is used to purchase eyeglasses and for them to donate to the various charities they support.

"We usually invite the band from the opposing team to join us but they are coming from Borger which is 40 miles north of Amarillo so they aren't bringing the band - that's a loss of about 100 plates.

"We really need the local community's support for the barbecue. We give back to the community and can give back only what is given to us through donations," commented Noyes.

Noyes adds it is important for people to buy their tickets early even though you can purchase them at the door. The tickets are \$5 a plate and can be bought from any Lions Club member or at the Lions building located at 1607 East Third.

Anti-crime law sponsor counts on it to work

■ New laws effective Thursday

AT-A-GLANCE

AUSTIN (AP) — Highlights of the new state criminal justice reforms that take full effect Thursday:

STATE JAIL FELONIES

— A new category of felonies. Among them are forgery, unauthorized use of a vehicle, burglary of a building, possession or delivery of under 1 gram of an illegal drug, criminally negligent homicide and criminally negligent injury to a child, elderly person or disabled person.

— Punishable by confinement in a state jail for 180 days to two years and a fine of up to \$10,000.

— Probation and community supervision is automatic on conviction. Probation still can include some jail time. If conditions aren't followed, probation can be revoked and the offender confined.

— Those convicted of a state jail felony must be punished for a third-degree felony if they used a deadly weapon.

CAPITAL MURDER

— Several types of murders are added to the list of capital offenses, which are punishable by death or life in prison. Among them are murder of a child under age 6; murder in the course of retaliation; and murder by an inmate who was incarcerated for murder or who is serving a life sentence for aggravated kidnapping, aggravated sexual assault or aggravated robbery.

— People sentenced to life in prison for capital felonies are

AUSTIN (AP) — State Sen. John Whitmire once pleaded with an armed robber to spare his family's life. Now he's counting on anti-crime legislation he sponsored to make Texas safer.

The rewrite of Texas' criminal laws, which was approved last year and takes full effect Thursday, requires those convicted of the most violent crimes to serve more time in prison.

People who commit some lesser crimes — ranging from possession of a small amount of drugs to burglary to negligently injuring a child — will be diverted to a new state jail system with an emphasis on rehabilitation.

"I believe there's no question that the new penal code will make Texas a safer place to work and live," said Whitmire, D-Houston, who sponsored the legislation with state Rep. Allen Place, D-Gatesville.

"You cannot continue to try to send everyone to the same type of prison, because what happened is no one was getting any real punishment or rehabilitation," Whitmire said.

Under the old system, he said, "We were putting car thieves in the front door and letting rapists out the back door."

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Small towns still holding on despite area's hardness



Charlene Webb, 82, poses in her backyard in Aspermont where a star is made of colorful rocks, petrified wood and power line insulators. The yard is bordered by a fence of wrought iron bedpost, wagon wheels, nail barrels, driftwood and milk cans.

It is west of Fort Worth, where the West purportedly begins, and north of Interstate 20. It's south of the Red River and just to the east of the Caprock that marks the Texas High Plains. It is an ill-defined territory, relentlessly raw and decorated by hardscrabble farms and ranches and small and struggling towns. AP West Texas Correspondent Mike Cochran takes a look at this lost Texas territory in a three part series.

By MIKE COCHRAN
Associated Press Writer

Across the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos is a German settlement once named Brandenburg but, for patriotic purposes, became Old Glory in 1918.

An American flag still flutters in the center of what is now little more than a shell town. Its school shut down eight years ago, the grocery-service station more recently.

"Right now, I'm the only fella here," drawled Lisbon Letz, the Old Glory postmaster for 36 years. "Not much to tell.

"Time's starting to pass pretty

There's a lot of this damn land that the only thing you can do is run a cow on it.

Gene Swenson

quick now."

Aspermont, population 1,214, is the home of the Aspermont Hornets and Hornet Pride and the county seat of Stonewall county, named for Confederate Gen. T.J. "Stonewall" Jackson.

A landmark bank looks as if its last visitors, if not Stonewall and the troops, were Bonnie and Clyde. The Ace Motel offers rooms for "\$17 and up" and a sign at the drugstore touts a turkey shoot.

Down the highway is the Hickman Motel and Restaurant, with "Dial Phones and HBO Movies," and a Dairy Queen with stained glass doors and three good old boys who just stepped out of an Ace Reid cartoon.

Their uniform: low-slung

jeans, big buckled belts, scruffy cowboy boots and grimy straw western hats.

Still, like most West Texans, they're as friendly as beagle pups.

A house outside Aspermont looms in the distance like something out of the movie "Giant." In town, a more cheerful home is surrounded by surely the strangest collectibles in all of West Texas, if not the world.

Bordered by a fence of bed-springs and wrought iron bedposts, the treasures include old farm machinery, petrified rocks and stones, wagon wheels, nail barrels, driftwood, milk cans and even a faux yellow duck and ducklings.

Down the road is Swenson, so-named for the once great Swenson ranching empire but now a ghost town actually, with only traces of its noble past.

The most forlorn remnant is a red brick bank, founded in 1911. The hot Texas sun peers through gaping holes in the roof, and, over the doorway, an awning of metal and wood hangs like something long dead.

Cactus plants keep lonely vigil

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U.S. Trivia

Medicare program to pay medical expenses of those over 65 began when?

July 1, 1966

Civil Rights bill passed when?

June 29, 1964

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WORLD/NATION

Nation: The supply list for Cuban refugees reads like this so far: 100,000 blankets, 32,000 life jackets, 30,000 pairs of thongs, 10,000 diapers, 10 tons of rice and 1,000 cases of beans. And it's not enough. See page 5.

World: Bosnian Serbs deepened their self-imposed isolation, voting overwhelmingly against a peace plan. See page 5.



STATE

No shut downs

Despite nearly 1,000 complaints last year against day-care centers in 43 North Texas counties, none of the facilities were shut down, according to state records. See page 3.

Pantex overbilled

An internal audit by a Pantex nuclear weapons plant contractor has found that a subcontractor overbilled the firm by more than \$2.2 million for waste management work. The report says subcontractor Chemical Waste Management Inc. overbilled contractor Mason & Hanger-Silas Mason Co. Inc. See page 3.



TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight



Tomorrow



99 ▲ Highs 70
Lows ▼

Fair, low near 70

Tonight, fair, low near 70, southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.

Permian Basin Forecast

Tuesday: Mostly sunny, high near 100, southeast to south winds 5 to 15 mph; fair night, low near 70.

Wednesday: Mostly sunny, high upper 90s; fair night, low near 70.

Thursday: Mostly sunny, high upper 90s; fair night, low near 70.

OBITUARIES

Jackie Thompson

Jackie Allen Thompson died Aug. 18, 1994. Private memorial services were held on Aug. 21. He was born on Dec. 16, 1948, in Big Spring.

He is survived by his wife: Becky; his mother: Martha Mary McCullough; his father: Terrel Thompson, Big Spring; one daughter: Kasey Lynn Ducote, Corpus Christi; stepchildren: Sharon Olsen, of Big Spring, Anne, Cody and Dustin; one brother: Bobby Thompson, New Braunfels; two sisters: Terrie Bradley, and Toni Thompson, both of San Springs; one granddaughter; his grandmothers: Mrs. C.H. Arrick and Mrs. D.P. Thompson, both of Big Spring; seven aunts; three uncles; two nieces and three nephews.

The family request that memorials be made to Hospice or the American Cancer Society.

Josefa Juarez

Josefa Juarez, 81, Big Spring, died Sunday, Aug. 28, 1994, at Terrace West Nursing Home in Midland following a long illness. Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Shirley Buck

Shirley Woodard Buck, 50, Big Spring, died Sunday, Aug. 28, 1994, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a short illness. Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Charles Baker Jr.

Charles S. Baker, Jr., 28, died Sunday, Aug. 28, 1994, in Wellington, Fla. Services are pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Alvin Neil Tyler

Graveside services for Neil Tyler, 62, Big Spring, and formerly of Levelland, will be 11 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1994, in the City of Levelland Cemetery with Rev. Donald Moreland, minister of education at First Baptist Church in Levelland, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Geo. C. Price Funeral Home, Levelland.

He was born June 13, 1932, in Mountain Park, Okla. He attended school in Levelland. Mr. Tyler moved to Big Spring in 1978 from Levelland. While in Levelland, he was a field foreman for Jack Spikes and Massengill and Son Construction for approximately 15 years. He retired from the Big Spring State Hospital as the superintendent of maintenance due to his health earlier this year.

He is survived by two sons: David Tyler and Laurie Tyler, both of Levelland; a daughter: Mrs. Vicki Moyer, Levelland; three brothers: Clinton Tyler and Danny Tyler, both of Levelland, and Benny Tyler, Mount Vernon, Texas; three sisters: Mrs. Sandra Rush and Mrs. Joyce Daniel, both of Levelland, and Mrs. Donna Dunaway, Andrews; six grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by a sister: Earlene Hilburn in 1988.

Melton McMorries

Services for Melton Harvell McMorries, 72, Tarzan, will be 11 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1994, at the First Baptist Church in Stanton with Rev. J.B. Shewmake officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Stanton, under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mr. McMorries died Saturday, Aug. 27, in his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born Nov. 6, 1921, in Anson and moved to Tarzan in Feb. of 1929 from Anson. He was a farmer and rancher. He was a member of the Tarzan Baptist Church. Mr. McMorries married Doris Jewell Whitley on March 31, 1946, in Howard County. He was an American Legion Post Commander and a French Croix DeGuerre Assistant, which is the highest medal honorees in France.

Survivors include his wife: Doris McMorries, Tarzan; two sons: Don McMorries and Neil McMorries, both of Tarzan; one daughter: Cherylene McAnally, Iran; three brothers: James McMorries, Seymour, Wilburn (White) McMorries, Carson City, and Bill McMorries, Amarillo; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his mother: Nellie McMorries, Stanton.

Study

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would include eliminating employment terms for board members, imposing recertification requirements, and equalizing board members' pay with administrative law judges at the Social Security Administration and other federal agencies.

The panel called current appeals procedures "too slow, non-accountable, and redundant," and has recommended authorizing board members to prescreen appeals for record deficiencies, and elimination of formal remand and readjudication by VA regional offices once an appeal reaches BVA.

Increased use of available technology, such as document imaging, CD-ROM, and on-line services were also recommended by the panel as well as increased training and more sophisticated performance measurements of BVA attorney-advisers, half of whom have been with BVA less than three years.

Brown said a steering committee of representatives from BVA, VBA, the Veterans Health Administration, and other organizations will be formed to regularly evaluate the appeals process and make further proposals to improve the timeliness and quality of claims processing.

Appeals filed at BVA range from 43,000 in fiscal year 1991 to about 38,000 in 1993. BVA estimates 39,000 appeals in 1994. The number of BVA decisions issued declined from 46,000 in 1991 to a current annual level of 26,000.

According to VA, the total processing time for claims appealed by veterans in fiscal year 1991 was 323 days for dispositions in which there were no remands. The time increased to 392 days in fiscal year 1992 and 510 days in fiscal year 1993.

For the first half of the current fiscal year, the average processing time for a claim had grown to 678 days and on cases where there was a remand, which occurs in half of all cases appealed to BVA, the total processing time increased from 746 days in fiscal year 1991 to 1,016 days in the first half of the current fiscal year.

Laws

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not eligible for parole until they have served at least 40 years, up from 35 years.

OTHER PROVISIONS

— People convicted of capital murder, murder, indecency with a child, aggravated kidnapping, aggravated sexual assault and aggravated robbery must serve the lesser of one-half of their sentences or 30 years before they can be considered for parole.

— Maximum fines for Class A misdemeanors are increased from \$3,000 to \$4,000, and for Class B misdemeanors from \$1,500 to \$2,000.

— Homosexual sodomy remains a Class C misdemeanor.

New

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Whitmire, chairman of the Senate Criminal Justice Committee, said that as a crime victim, he "personalized" the new criminal justice plan.

Whitmire was with his wife and then 9-year-old daughter when they were confronted by a masked gunman in the garage of their Houston home the night of Jan. 1, 1992.

"I begged him not to shoot us and gave him my wallet and money and thought it was all over. I was prepared to get shot," Whitmire said.

The man, who left after robbing Whitmire, later was convicted and sentenced to 25 years in prison. Because the man had a gun, Whitmire said, he'll have to serve one-fourth of his sentence before being eligible for parole.

"Under the new penal code, he would have to serve twice that much," Whitmire said.

"Sometimes, I think some of my colleagues and other elected officials need to be held up at gunpoint. Then they would take this as serious as I do."

Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel
906 GREGG
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Big Spring
ON THE RUN

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents from 1 p.m. Saturday to 8 a.m. Monday:

•**PAULINE HERRERA**, 30 no address given, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**SANDRA PAYNE**, 29 of 1302 Jeffery Road, was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

•**MARIO REYES**, 27 of 604 Abrams, was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and public intoxication.

•**ANASTASIA VIASANA**, 20 of 205 North Austin, was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

•**EDWIN MANNING MATH-ERLY**, 24 no address given, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**MARTIN BENTACUR**, 27 no address given, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•**MELVETT GENE FORD**, 38 of 1311 Madison, was arrested on outstanding DPS warrants.

•**JOANN HILARIO**, 20 no address given, was arrested on an outstanding local warrant.

•**DAVID GALAVIZ**, 24 of 1011 Johnson, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**THEFTS** in the 2600 block of Gregg, 1100 block of North Lamesa and in the 400 block of Gregg.

•**ASSAULTS** in the 700 block of West Fourth and 1100 block of Sycamore.

•**UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE** in the 300 block of Douglas.

•**DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES** in the 1500 block of Sycamore and 1100 block of Scurry.

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** in the 1600 block of Lark and 500 block of Westover.

•**LOUD PARTY** in the 2600 block of Dow.

•**MINOR ACCIDENT** in the 1600 block of Harding. The driver of the vehicle apparently had some sort of seizure and hit a stop sign. He was transported to the VA Medical Center.

•**MINOR ACCIDENT** at the intersection of Gregg and West 17th Streets. A citation for failure to control speed was issued and no injuries were reported.

RECORDS

Sunday's temp. 97
Sunday's low 74
Average high 90
Average low 67
Record high 102 in 1951
Record low 58 in 1961
Rainfall Sunday 0.00
Month to date 0.60
Month's normal 1.75
Year to date 14.20
Normal for year 12.57
**Statistics not available.

FIRE

The Big Spring Fire Department reported the following incident from 8 a.m. Friday to 8 a.m. Monday:

•**DUMPSTER FIRE** in the 1300 block of Johnson.

MARKETS

Dec. cotton futures 68.45 cents per pound, up 45 points; Nov. crude oil 17.33, up 6 points; cash hog steady at \$1.00 lower at 42.25; slaughter steers steady at \$1.00 higher at 68.50 even; Oct. live hog futures 38.82, down 7 points; Oct. live cattle futures 69.75; down 30 points; according to Delta Commodities.

Index 3899.82
Volume 90,380,640
Name Quote Change
ATT 55% +
Amoco 57% +
Atlantic Richfield 105% +
Atmos Energy 16% +
Boston Chicken 40% +
Cabot 28% +
Chevron 42% +
Chrysler 48% nc
Coca-Cola 46% +
De Beers 22% +
DuPont 60% +
Exxon 60% +
Fina Inc 76% nc
Ford Motors 30% nc
Halliburton 30% +
IBM 69% +
J.C. Penney 52% +
Laser Indus LTD 5% +
Mesa Ltd. Prt 5% +
Mobile 83% +
NUV 10% +
Pepsi Cola 34% +
Phillips Petroleum 33% +
Sears 47% +
Southwestern Bell 42% +
Sun 27% +
Texaco 62% +
Texas Instruments 82% +
Texas Utilities 33% +
Unocal Corp 27% +
Wal-Mart 24% +

Mutual Funds
Amcap 12.58-13.35
Euro Pacific 22.49-23.86
I.C.A. 19.23-20.40
New Economy 15.22-16.15
New Perspective 15.75-16.71
Van Kampen 14.34-15.04
Gold 381.60-382.10
Silver 5.19-5.22

Noon quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co., 219 Main St., Big Spring, 267-2501. Quotes are from today's market, and the change is market activity from 3 p.m. the previous day.

IN BRIEF

Local resident in soap opera

D.J. Tedesco, formerly of Big Spring, is scheduled to appear on "The Young and the Restless" today, Tuesday and Wednesday. His character is security guard number two. He has previously appeared on several episodes of "Coach" and can be seen on an upcoming episode.

Community Pep Rally Monday

The Big Spring High School Community Pep Rally will be Monday night, at Memorial Stadium starting at 7:30 p.m.

Goelden said his department has targeted street-level drug dealers who have "proven to be the most violent."

"I can agree that drug offenders are taking up a lot of space (in prison)," Goelden said. "I don't think the answer is letting them out more."

Whitmire said that under the old system, such dealers have received "no meaningful punishment or rehabilitation." With the new one, he said he wants to turn them around.

The Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas, with 16,000 members, supports the legislation but believes some fine-tuning will

Dallas police Lt. David

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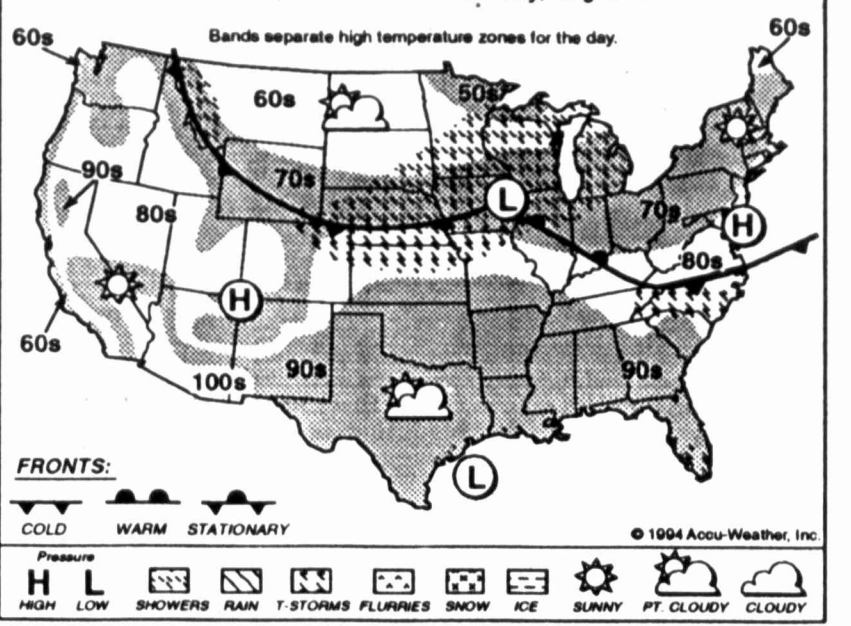
24th & Johnson 267-8288
Jimmy Leon Waits, 56, died Saturday. Graveside Services are 3:00 P.M., today at Trinity Memorial Park.
Shirley Woodard Buck, 50, died Sunday. Services are pending.
Josefa Juarez, 81, died Sunday. Services are pending.
Charles S. Baker, Jr., 28, died Sunday. Services are pending.

DID YOU WIN?

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NATIONAL Weather

The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, Aug. 30.



SPRINGBOARD

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

TODAY
•"Single-Minded," unmarried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868 or 263-5367.
•Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center, Lynn Drive. Everyone welcome. Call 393-5709.
•Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6:30 p.m. Weigh in, 6 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

•Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.
•Turning Point A.A., 8-9 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•New Phoenix Hope Group, 901-A W. Third, open meeting at noon. Members only, 8 p.m.

•Big Spring-Howard County Retired Teachers Association, 11:30 a.m., Cactus Room, Howard College.
•Big Spring High School pep rally, 7:30 p.m., Memorial Stadium. Public invited. No charge.

•West Texas Center for the Arts, audition for "The Man with the Plastic Sandwich, 7 p.m., Howard College Practical Arts Building.

•Coahoma Athletic Booster Club ice cream supper, 6:30 p.m., the elementary cafeteria.

TUESDAY
•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free bread for area needy, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

•Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.
•Voices support group, 3:45 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

•Spring City Senior Citizen Center, ceramics classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

•Pastoral counseling by Samaritan Counseling Center,

First Christian Church, 10th and Goliad. For appointment call 1-800-329-4144.

•Seniors' diabetic support group, 2 p.m., Canterbury South. Call 263-1265.

•Most Excellent Way chemical dependency support group, 7 p.m., Cornerstone Bookstore. Call 267-1424 after 5 p.m., or 263-3168 before 8 p.m.

•New Phoenix Hope Group, 901-A W. Third, open meeting, noon. Women members only, 8 p.m.

•Melissa Avila, St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, will perform free health screenings from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Sacred Heart Youth Center, 509 N. Aylford. Call 1-806-765-8475.

•West Texas Center for the Arts, audition for "The Man with the Plastic Sandwich, 7 p.m., Howard College Practical Arts Building.

WEDNESDAY
•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephens Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920.

•Survivors, 10 to 11:30 a.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312. This is open to all survivors.

•Public meeting, New Phoenix Hope Group, 901-A W. Third, noon. Members only, 8 p.m.

•West Texas Center for the Arts, audition for "The Man with the Plastic Sandwich, 7 p.m., Howard College Practical Arts Building.

THURSDAY
•Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, free bread for area needy, 10 a.m.-noon.

•Salvation Army drug education program, sponsored by Permian Basin Regional Council on alcohol and drug abuse, 7 p.m., Salvation Army Building, 308 Aylford.

•Permian Basin Regional Council on alcohol and drug abuse community re-entry group, noon, 905 N. Benton. Call 263-8920.

•Spring City Senior Citizen Center art classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

REVIVAL MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

August 28th - 31st
7:00 p.m.

Evangelist, Pastor
Hubert Wright

Music
Raford Dunagan

I-20 S. Service Rd.
263-6274

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Lake shooting leaves two dead, two wounded

VICTORIA (AP) — A shooting at Saxet Lake has left two men dead and two men wounded, officials said.

Victoria County Sheriff Mike Ratcliff said two men were being sought in the attack Saturday night near a men's restroom.

One man was found dead in the bathroom. Another man died later at Dettar Hospital, according to Ratcliff.

The other two victims remain hospitalized, but are expected to survive, the sheriff said.

Investigators are trying to determine a motive for the violence.

Hepatitis E threat to be researched

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A group of researchers hope to determine how much of a threat is posed to the U.S.-Mexican border by Hepatitis E, a recently identified form of hepatitis that can be particularly dangerous in pregnant women.

Hepatitis E has caused epidemics in Southeast Asia, India, Africa and Central America as well as in two villages about 70 miles south of Mexico City. It is similar to hepatitis A in its symptoms and the way it is spread, except it is believed to be extremely deadly in pregnant women, with a mortality rate of 10 percent to 20 percent.

"For the most part, E is an enteric virus, which means that you contract it by either drinking contaminated water or eating contaminated food," said Patrice Yarbough, a scientist with Genelabs Technologies in San Antonio.

Consequently, to date, almost all of the large outbreaks of Hepatitis E have occurred in developing countries, and Hepatitis E hasn't been considered a serious problem in the

United States.

Hepatitis E is part of a group of viruses once known as non-A, non-B hepatitis. It was first isolated in 1989, and a commercial test became available in Asia two years ago.

Baylor opens new seminary

WACO (AP) — Classes are scheduled to begin Monday at Baylor University's George W. Truett Seminary, which some say will offer a more moderate teaching environment than other Baptist institutions.

The inaugural class will have 50 students. The school was named for a former pastor of First Baptist Church of Dallas.

The seminary, which has been in the works for about four years, opens in the midst of a conflict that has split Baptists into moderate and conservative camps.

The conservative domination of many Baptist institutions — the Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, for example — led Baylor officials to start the new seminary.

One of Truett's five faculty members will be former Southwestern president Russell Dilday, who was fired this summer by the school's conservative-dominated board.

Dilday said he looks forward to teaching with more academic freedom than was available at Southwestern.

Man killed in police shoot out

GARLAND (AP) — A 40-year-old man fired dozens of shots in this suburban Dallas neighborhood Sunday, then exchanged gunfire with police before he was shot and killed by officers.

Garland police said they responded to a disturbance call at Michael Jay Dyal's home just after midnight Sunday morning.

After officers arrived, several shots were fired at them from what police say was an SKS rifle, a semiautomatic surplus military weapon.

IN SUPPORT



This group of men from Johnson City came to show their support for property rights at a rally at the State Capitol Saturday in Austin. They joined hundreds of other Central Texas residents concerned about the possibility of government restrictions on land use to protect endangered species.

Pantex audit reveals subcontractor overbilling

AMARILLO (AP) — An internal audit by a Pantex nuclear weapons plant contractor has found that a subcontractor overbilled the firm by more than \$2.2 million for waste management work.

The report says subcontractor Chemical Waste Management Inc. overbilled contractor Mason & Hanger-Silas Mason Co. Inc., on contract work from March 1990 to August 1992.

The check was made by Mason & Hanger's internal auditors, and submitted to the Department of Energy last week. It was critical of Mason & Hanger's supervision of contracts with Chemical Waste Management.

However, Mason & Hanger's general counsel says discrepancies didn't cost the company or the federal government, and that the problems have been

Few day cares closed despite complaints

FORT WORTH (AP) — Despite nearly 1,000 complaints last year against day-care centers in 43 North Texas counties, none of the facilities were shut down, according to state records.

"A day care (center) almost has to kill a child before it's closed. We cannot wait that long," said Tara Knecht, president of the Fort Worth Association for the Education of Young Children. "Some fairly atrocious things can happen before penalties are imposed."

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported in its Sunday editions that state investigators validated 946 complaints against day-care centers in the North Texas region in the 1993 fiscal year. All of them remained open.

The Star-Telegram reviewed two years of complaints against day-care centers in Tarrant County that were investigated by the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services, which oversees child care.

Overall in 1993, at Texas' approximately 22,000 day-care centers and registered family

homes, the state took its most severe actions against fewer than 3 percent of the facilities.

It revoked the licenses of 10 centers and the registrations of three day-care homes, suspended six licenses, put 39 facilities on probation and won three court injunctions for temporary shutdowns, according to its annual report.

Texas hesitates to shut down facilities because the shortage of good day care could force children into unregulated centers, officials said, adding that it's easier to try improving centers than to impose heavy sanctions.

State officials said they couldn't remember the last time a center in the North Texas region was shut down. Late last year, one Tarrant County center was placed on probation.

In the past 20 years, only one facility has been fined in the region, state officials said. It went to a woman who was caring for 20 to 25 children by herself — far beyond state limits, officials said.

for Illinois-based Chemical Waste Management, said the invoices in question should be paid.

"We strongly believe that our billings are appropriate," she said.

The audit focused on work performed under a contract or subcontracts among Chemical Waste, Mason & Hanger and Battelle Pantex.

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Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The GLASSCOCK COUNTY will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1994 by 5%* percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1994 at 9:00 A.M.

FOR the proposal: Jimmy Strube, J. E. Wooten, W. E. Bednar
AGAINST the proposal: Hugh Brian Schaefer, Donald Cybert
PRESENT and not voting: None
ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the 1994 tax rate that the unit published on Sunday, Aug. 28, 1994. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	\$29,600	\$29,600
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	\$5,920	\$5,920
Average taxable value	\$23,680	\$23,680
Tax rate	.4189/\$100	.4056/\$100
Tax	\$99.20	\$96.04 (proposed)

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would decrease by \$3.16 or .03% percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would decrease by \$.0133 per \$100 of taxable value or .03%* percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

Criminal Justice Mandate (for counties):

The Glasscock County Auditor certifies that Glasscock County has spent \$-0- in the previous 12 months beginning October 1, 1993, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Glasscock County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

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1994 Property Tax Rates in Glasscock County Independent School District

This notice concerns 1994 property tax rates for Glasscock County Independent School District. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$ 4,418,509
Last year's debt taxes	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 4,418,509
Last year's tax base	\$ 321,344,390
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.37500 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 4,404,669
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 347,542,600
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 1.267375 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing	\$ 1.305396 /\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:

School maintenance and operations component	\$ 4,636,739
+ This year's tax base	\$ 348,334,860
= This year's local maintenance and operating rate	\$ 1.331116 /\$100
+ \$.06 cents = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 1.391116 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$.000000 /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ 1.391116 /\$100

SCHEDULE A

UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCE

The following estimated balance will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Local Maintenance	\$ 2,995,212

SCHEDULE B

1994 DEBT SERVICE

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract payment to be Paid from Property Tax	Interest to be Paid from Property Tax	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
None	None	None	None	None

EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"The world always lets a man tell what he thinks, his own way."

Samuel Johnson, British writer, 1773

Time needed to make health reform just right

At least two lawmakers are hinting that it would be in President Bill Clinton's best interest to sign a moderate form of a health reform bill.

And, both of these lawmakers, Sen. Richard Lugar and Rep. Lee Hamilton both of Indiana, agree Congress should press on with the issue after summer break.

While it may be in Clinton's best interest, is it in the interest of the country?

If we are to have health reform, we need the best bill possible. That is, if we even need health reform at all.

Congress and Clinton should take the time to work through all the problems both sides are having. It shouldn't matter how long it takes if the end result is a good bill.

It could be said enough time has been spent on health reform and something needs to be passed.

Opinions expressed in this column are those of the Editorial Board of the Big Spring Herald unless otherwise indicated.

Charles C. Williams
Publisher

DD Turner
Managing Editor

But, there are far too many different versions of health reform floating around the halls of Congress. It seems as if every senator and representative has a plan for health care.

Congress should take the time to find the best of all the bills and weave them into a coherent bill that will have the best effect on this country.

There is no need to rush into something like this, something that is going to change the face of our country as we know it.

What is the price for glory?

American troops returning from duty in the backward



Paul Harvey
Columnist

countries are bringing home diseases heretofore unheard of in our country. "My toenails are rotting off" is a common complaint of lads whose boots and socks had not been off their feet in weeks. The resultant fungal infection may respond to our antibiotics, and it may not.

The Department of Defense, understandably, is not eager to confirm diseases peculiar to the Persian Gulf campaign — or any other overseas involvement — but the National Institutes of Health is conducting what it calls "an aggressive, comprehensive, clinical diagnostic effort."

The NIH acknowledges that warfront living conditions plus endemic infectious diseases have resulted in acute viral, bacterial and parasitic respiratory and gastrointestinal infections.

tions. Endemic infectious diseases peculiar to African countries also include leishmaniasis, schistosomiasis and malaria.

And intestinal worms that invade the liver, the bladder and the brain.

The facts are clouded by contradictory claims by government agencies.

While the commanding general at Walter Reed has testified before Congress that "the Persian Gulf disease rate experienced by United States forces was the lowest ever recorded in our military history," the NIH was saying that "veterans of the Gulf War reported more illnesses than veterans of previous wars."

Veterans began reporting some yet unexplained illnesses in 1991: chronic fatigue, diarrhea, aches, joint pain, memory loss — sometimes severe headaches and bleeding from the gums or sinuses. The longer these vets are sick, the more acute their symptoms.

While the Veterans Administration will admit only 318 vets suffering the so-called Gulf War Syndrome, Dr. Boaz Milner (with three board certifications at the Allen Park, Mich., VA hospital) has treated more than 300 ailing veterans

suffering five distinct syndromes.

Compounding this invasion of the United States by an army of "bugs" we don't understand is increasing evidence that the families of returning troops have also become infected — and with hideous symptoms sufficiently similar to confirm the relationship.

While our government seeks to play down this "invasion," a 1992 study published in the Journal of the National Medical Association found that Gulf War soldiers "were exposed to health hazards unparalleled in the history of mankind."

Mayo Clinic, in a study financed by Ross Perot, is undertaking research in secret, fearful that our own military might try to prevent or discredit the study.

A participant says, "We don't want the doctors influenced — or threatened."

What price glory? We've let the United Nations lead the United States into 20 dead-end involvements that were none of our business, and the "casualty count" continues to mount.

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Senators upbraid colleagues for their partisan obsessions

WASHINGTON (AP) — For riveting political theater, little could outdo the Senate's high-stakes fight over the crime bill last week.

President Clinton's legislative muscle was on the line. The Republican and Democratic parties grappled to claim the potent issue of crime. And Majority Leader George Mitchell traded strategic thrusts and parries with his Republican counterpart, Bob Dole of Kansas, until the Maine Democrat finally captured enough GOP votes to pass the \$30 billion legislation.

It was all too much for three veteran senators. With emotion in their voices, each scolded their colleagues for becoming so obsessed with election-year politics that they were dragging the chamber in an ominous direction.

Leading off was Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., a senator since Dwight Eisenhower was president. As the debate raged, the 76-year-old Byrd chided his colleagues for "the crossfire, the sniper fire, the political ambush," and begged them to stop.

"This is the type of posturing which will ultimately make the Senate an irrelevancy ... in the life of this nation," he scolded them.

While he seemed to aim those words at members of both parties, Byrd took a special swipe at Republicans, who were trying to scuttle the Democratic-written legislation because, they said, it was loaded with wasteful spending.

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"If we cannot respond to the overwhelming violence in this nation, when people are afraid on the streets of their own communities and behind the locked doors of their own homes, perhaps we are already irrelevant," he said.

The next day, Sen. William Cohen, R-Maine, took the floor. A moderate senator for 15 years who first served six years in the House, Cohen complained that the Senate's majority Democrats were beginning to resemble Democratic leaders in the House.

"The majority treats the minority there with absolute and utter contempt," he said. "They allow them little, if any, role in the House of Representatives. They steamroll over them every time on every issue."

"And I must say that the practice is starting to gain momentum even here," he said. "It is getting more partisan here, getting more political here, because the rights of the minority are not being given fair consideration."

Next came Sen. John Danforth of Missouri, another moderate Republican who is retiring after an 18-year Senate career. Danforth, one of just seven Republicans to vote for the measure, admonished members of his own party for trying to make crime yet another political issue.

"I do not think that the business of trying to define the differences between Republicans and Democrats ... means that on each and every issue we have to take to the trenches," Danforth said.

"It does not mean that we have to fight everything, that we have to defeat everything, that we have to go to battle on every single cause."

The lectures by Byrd, Cohen and Danforth were noteworthy because everyone else around them seemed so caught up in a frenzied political battle. In addition, Danforth's comments and some of Byrd's had the added novelty of being aimed at their own parties.

But in truth, lawmakers don't need Byrd, Cohen and Danforth to warn them that a cynical public has wearied of endless political combat. They already know quite well of Congress' dismal popularity ratings and consistently low voter turnouts.

Alarms have been ringing about partisanship since the beginning of the republic — and beyond. In his farewell address in 1796, George Washington warned of "the baneful effects of the spirit of the party." And in 1843 B.C., Aristotle wrote in "Politics" that strict party loyalists "don't consider that disproportion destroys a state."

FEATURES



The Putoff Canyon, just to the north of Jayton reveals the rough red country of the Cronton Breaks that stretch 30 to 40 miles to the east.

Towns

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at the open entrance.

Fat cattle adorned with the famous SMS brand once roamed ranches in central, west and northwest Texas, and few natives know the country better than Gene Swenson of Stamford.

"There's a lot of this damn land that the only thing you can do is run a cow on it," he says, and even then it sometimes requires 35 acres per cow. "Basically, this is ranch country."

Recalling attempts to cultivate this rugged land, he smiles ruefully and says:

"In my opinion, some of it was plowed up that shouldn't have been."

...
The walls of the shuttered Barfoot Hotel in Jayton are cracked and the paint has peeled, but a twisted oak tree still provides shade for the grand old lady.

The weekly Jayton Chronicle is moribund, even though the town has fared better than most. Mobil Oil and the highway department are active employers, and there is a Chevrolet dealership.

Jayton also is the county seat — but that was not always so.

According to one juicy tale, cattle trucks whisked the county records from the original courthouse in Clairmont and then a fire mysteriously destroyed the building.

The records emerged in Jayton. So would a new courthouse.

"That makes a good story,"

laughed librarian Micky Parker, "but cattle trucks didn't back up there and move the records at night."

Furthermore, she says, an electrical fire during a sandstorm in the drought-ridden Fifties demolished the Clairmont courthouse.

There is no mystery about the Jayton school system, which is first class.

Jim Corder, who attended the old school, was quite taken with the new facilities, which he called "handsome" and "well appointed." And he marveled at the grass-covered football field, lights and closed-in press box.

"When my brother played football at Jayton," he wrote, "I remember watching the principal draw off the yard markers in the dirt with a hoe."

Jayton High's Jaybirds once played eight-man, then 11-man and now six-man football.

Don Richards, a Lubbock attorney, played on Jaybird teams three decades ago and plans to return for this year's homecoming game and his 30th class reunion.

"It was a great place to grow up," he says.

Still, he traveled to Aspermont for the movies and to Spur to shoot pool. And mischief in those days was driving a car across the trestle at the Brazos River and faking late-night accidents to stop truck drivers on U.S. 380.

Ironically, Jayton's superb educational system is now threatened by the state's so-called Robin Hood school finance plan, which funnels tax

money from rich to poor districts.

As a school official once explained: "Our people are very poor. We just happen to have a pool of oil in the center of the county."

In 1960, Kent County's population stood at 1,727, 659 of them in the Jayton. Thirty years later the figures were 1,049 and 625.

That's according to the Texas Almanac, a gold mine of data. In 1991, for instance, Kent County recorded 11 births, six deaths, 10 marriages and one divorce.

Aside from hunting and social events, the only recreation listed is "scenic Croton breaks and salt flat."

A downtown historical marker reveals that the Double Mountain Salt Works was located along the Brazos River on the "Indian-infested frontier" and was the northernmost business in Confederate Texas.

Salt was scarce during the Civil War and vitally needed to cure meat and hides for leather, season food and feed workhorses, army draft mules and cavalry horses.

West of town, toward Clairmont, salt crystals sparkle in a dry river bed.

Clairmont itself, if not quite a ghost town, is ghostly, enveloped by shinners and mesquite, and still known for a tiny, withered old native stone jail.

Nearby, a burned out Lincoln Town Car lies dead in the afternoon sun.

...
Idle pumps and rusted tanks reflect the declining oil prices and production across West Texas but a patch of irrigated farmland gives Rochester a green sheen.

Off Texas 6, on the side of a downtown building, is a giant mural that depicts a pioneer family's arrival, by horse-drawn wagon, on the Texas prairie. The mural was the town's contribution to the Texas Sesquicentennial in 1986.

Rochester, population 458, also mounted a sign recording the football success of the Steers from 1941 through 1992, the highlight being the state quarterfinals in 1986. The six-man Steers were a regional finalist in 1993, but the sign had not been updated by midsummer.

Knox City, population 1,440 and the county seat of Knox County, is something of a paradox. Debbie's is a friendly catfish and chicken fried steak place but the Oil Patch Cafe is closed and abandoned.

The golf course looks prosperous, and the main street is shaded by sycamores, pecans, mesquites and mimosas, but J.D.'s Oil Field Construction Co. sports a "For Sale" sign.

"Knox City is oil and farming, mainly cotton with some maize and wheat, and peanuts are catching on," said Sherry Powell, the wife of an oil field worker.

NEWS BRIEF

Twin cities chafe at Guantanamo

GUANTANAMO BASE, Cuba (AP) — Cuban and Haitian people are posing a challenge for the U.S. militarily changing the corner of communism.

Fights, a hunger strike and more action to protest living conditions growing tension between Haitians.

The arrival of a number of Cubans at Guantanamo Bay just more than added to their frustration.

The Haitians, many have been here since seen little change in their conditions over weeks in the hot barbed wire. Only 31 was picked in two weeks.

Haiti's economy takes a nosedive

PORT-AU-PRINCE — Battered for months by international sanctions, Haiti's economy has nosedived. The government tries to avert a catastrophe, Haiti is running out of survival.

"We are up against it," said Richard Cassius, an architect who works for the education department buying. We are not selling.

Cassius, who has children and hasn't been paid for months. Now, he is out.

The sanctions isolate Haiti's economy who are not recognized. The U.S. ended a U.N. sanction to restore to power Jean-Bertrand Aristide in a 1991 coup.

Shelby evolves into a member of Congress

WASHINGTON — Casting the long vote for a Republican to derail the crime bill, Richard Shelby of the Senate floor shook hands with Leader Bob Dole and Phil Gramm.

Shelby's conversion to the GOP league involved little friendly banter as senators flow as senators their way to the roll call vote.

But in the glare of the conversation, Shelby's evolution from a Democrat who fought against his party man who looks like a member of the situation.

Scope of the problem found

CAIRO, Egypt — Thousands of people in Cairo to argue for curbing work need only look at the scope of the problem.

Greater Cairo has grown from a million since the 1950s to 5 million that have sprouted planning or government.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Twin cities changing Guantanamo base

GUANTANAMO BAY NAVAL BASE, Cuba (AP) — Twin cities of Cuban and Haitian boat people are posing a dual challenge for the U.S. military and radically changing America's little corner of communist Cuba.

Fights, a hunger strike that ended Saturday and threats of more action to protest food and living conditions underscore growing tension among 14,310 Haitians.

The arrival of a similar number of Cubans at 91-year-old Guantanamo Bay Naval Base in just more than a week has added to their frustration.

The Haitians, many of whom have been here since June, have seen little change in their numbers or their prospects after weeks in the hot sun behind barbed wire. Only one boatload of 31 was picked up in the past two weeks.

Haiti's economy takes a nosedive

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — Battered for months by international sanctions, Haiti's economy has nosedived. As the government tries to avert financial catastrophe, Haitians are running out of survival options.

"We are up against the wall," said Richard Cassius, 40, an architect who works for the education department. "We are not buying. We are not exporting. We are not selling."

Cassius, who supports two children and three nephews, hasn't been paid for three months. Now, he asks for hand-outs.

The sanctions are intended to isolate Haiti's military rulers, who are not recognized internationally. The U.S. has threatened a U.N.-sanctioned invasion to restore to power President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, ousted in a 1991 coup.

Shelby evolving into a member of GOP

WASHINGTON (AP) — After casting the lone Democratic vote for a Republican bid to derail the crime bill, Sen. Richard Shelby walked across the Senate floor last week and shook hands with Republican Leader Bob Dole and Texas Sen. Phil Gramm.

Shelby's conversation with the two GOP leaders probably involved little more than the friendly banter that always flows as senators slowly make their way to the floor during a roll call vote.

But in the glare of television, the conversation served to illustrate Shelby's evolution in the past year from a conservative Democrat who frequently votes against his party leaders to a man who looks more and more like a member of the GOP opposition.

Scope of the population problem found in Cairo

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — The thousands of people coming to Cairo to argue about strategies for curbing world population need only look around to see the scope of the problem.

Greater Cairo's population has grown from 1 million to 14 million since the 1920s. An estimated 5 million live in slums that have sprouted without planning or government services.

Refugees only topic of U.S.-Cuba talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite calls for wide-ranging, high-level negotiations, the United States and Cuba will discuss only refugees when mid-level talks resume this week, Secretary of State Warren Christopher said.

"On other subjects, we really don't have very much to say to Castro. He knows what he needs to do," Christopher said Sunday on CBS-TV's "Face the Nation."

He also said the United States would respond in a "carefully calibrated way" should Cuban leader Fidel Castro take steps toward democracy, such as allowing free elections.

This week's discussions continue U.S.-Cuban negotiations that generally have taken place twice yearly for a decade. The goal is a compromise through which the United States would allow more legal immigration from Cuba if Castro stops the illegal flight toward Florida, Christopher said.

Castro has prohibited children and adolescents from leaving the country on rickety boats and rafts as a way to stop the massive exodus, according to a report Sunday in the Cuban government newspaper Juventud Rebelde. The article was signed by Castro.

If the refugees are at sea, Cuban soldiers must warn them not to continue their journey, the report said. The refugees



Associated Press photo
U.S. Coast Guard members Justin Onofrietti, left, and Forrest Johnson unload boxes full of blankets at the Key West Naval Base Sunday. The supplies are bound for Coast Guard and Navy ships that are rescuing Cuban refugees in the Florida Straits.

will not be arrested, however.

U.S. officials were trying to learn whether this meant a change in Castro's policy, State Department spokesman Michael McCurry said Sunday. They will seek clarification during the talks, he said.

Recent storms that slowed flight from Cuba subsided Sunday, increasing the possibility that more Cubans will take to sea. A total of 130 refugees were picked up Saturday and taken to the U.S. Navy base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Cuban relief starting to rival that of Hurricane Andrew

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP) — The supply list for Cuban refugees reads like this so far: 100,000 blankets, 32,000 life jackets, 30,000 pairs of thongs, 10,000 diapers, 10 tons of rice and 1,000 cases of beans.

And it's not enough.

Another 100 tons of goods are on the way. The relief effort is starting to rival the one put together after Hurricane Andrew two years ago.

"It's taken a number of days, but now that we're seeing this massive influx of supplies, it's very much like Andrew," said Cmdr. Bob Roemer, the Coast Guard's supply coordinator, who met military cargo planes carrying relief supplies after Andrew. "Very, very similar. All the necessities."

The Coast Guard picked up 84 refugees at sea Sunday — a pause in what has become the largest Cuban exodus since the 1980 Mariel boatlift.

More than 17,000 refugees have been plucked from their crafts this month in the 90-mile strip of sea between Cuba and Florida. In one day alone last week, more than 3,000 were intercepted.

Also Sunday, Cuban President Fidel Castro barred children

and teen-agers from leaving Cuba aboard rickety rafts and boats. It was the first sign Castro could be cooperating with American efforts to stem the outflow of Cubans bound for U.S. shores.

The United States and Cuba will hold talks on the refugee crisis this week in New York. The crisis prompted President Clinton earlier this month to reverse the United States' long-standing open-arms policy and start shipping refugees to the naval base at Guantanamo, Cuba.

The goal of talks is a compromise in which the United States will allow more legal immigration from Cuba if Castro stops the illegal flight toward Florida. The negotiations generally have taken place twice yearly for a decade.

The center of relief activity is an old Navy aircraft hangar in Key West that is stacked high with cartons of fresh supplies, which are sent to Krome detention center west of Miami and to Guantanamo.

Under dreary overcast skies Sunday, crews formed a chain to unload 19,200 boxes of life jackets and a truckload of blankets.

Bosnians vote down peace resolution

PALE, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Bosnian Serbs deepened their self-imposed isolation, voting overwhelmingly against a peace plan endorsed by friends and enemies alike, according to initial results today.

Fears rose that the 28-month-long Bosnian war — which has already left 200,000 dead or missing — would turn even more violent with the defiant rejection.

As Bosnian Serbs finished their weekend, referendum Sunday, their troops battled soldiers of Bosnia's Muslim-led government north of Sarajevo in some of the fiercest fighting in recent weeks. U.N. officials said today that both sides were firing into a 12-mile truce zone around the city.

Referendum officials said more than 90 percent of Bosnian Serbs who voted rejected the peace plan that was put forward by the United States, Russia, France, Britain and Germany.

There were reports of voting irregularities. But there was no question that the majority of participants, subjected to exten-

sive anti-plan propaganda by the Bosnian Serb leadership, rejected the plan.

The proposal had been accepted by Bosnia's Croats and Muslims and also was endorsed by Russia, a traditional Serb ally, and by Serbia, the main supporter of the Bosnian Serb war effort until recently.

The United States has warned that continued Bosnian Serb refusal to accept the plan could prompt the lifting of a U.N. arms embargo on the Muslim-led government, which would weaken the Serbs' superiority in weapons.

But Bosnian Serb officials remained defiant.

"We could have expected nothing but overwhelming 'no' at this referendum," said Dusan Kozic, premier of the self-proclaimed Bosnian Serb state. "There was no way they could have accepted the suicidal plan."

The head of the electoral commission, Ratko Cancar, said turnout was "over 90" percent of 1.2 million eligible voters.

He said that at some voting

stations, "more than 100 percent" of those who were on the voting lists cast ballots. He explained that refugees voted.

The plan would reduce Serb holdings to 49 percent of Bosnia from the 70 percent they have seized. A federation of Bosnian Muslims and Croats would get 51 percent.

Bosnian Serb leaders said the division would leave them with an unviable state and prevent them from uniting with Serbia, the largest of two remaining republics in Yugoslavia. The quest for such a union was the reason they rebelled in April 1992 as Bosnia broke from the old Yugoslav federation.

The referendum was widely considered irrelevant by an outside world weary of Bosnian Serb intransigence.

Even neighboring Serbia branded it a crude attempt by Bosnian Serb leaders to foist responsibility for a bad decision onto ill-informed voters.

The referendum marked the second time Bosnia's Serbs were asked to vote on a peace plan.



Associated Press photo
People look at the remains of the Big Flats municipal building Sunday after a tornado ripped through the small central Wisconsin community Saturday. The building housed the town hall and the fire department. Four people were killed in the storm.

Residents begin cleanup after tornado rips through

BIG FLATS, Wis. (AP) — Trees snapped like toothpicks were festooned with pink insulation. Power lines lay across roads littered with shards of glass and splintered boards. The volunteer fire department's building was gone — along with one of its trucks.

Chainsaws buzzed nearly non-stop Sunday as residents and volunteers cleared downed trees and picked their way through the rubble left by tornadoes that ripped through the state, killing four people and injuring more than 40.

Big Flats — a wooded area of potato farms and vacation houses — suffered the worst damage Saturday. A tornado gouged a 13-mile-long swath through the landscape and turned this small central Wisconsin town's main

street into a tangle of metal, lumber and trees.

"The best description I can give you is that it looked like a bomb went off," Deputy George Cooper said. "Trees and houses are just leveled."

Classes for 85 elementary school students were canceled today so the building could be used as a command post to coordinate cleanup. About 100 state Conservation Corps workers and 40 members of the National Guard were sent to help.

The tornado killed a couple whose bodies were found in the wreckage of their home. Twenty-two people were injured and two remained hospitalized in serious condition today, authorities said.

Burn Hillary, burn - in effigy at tobacco rally

OWENSBORO, Ky. (AP) — An effigy of Hillary Rodham Clinton was doused with gasoline and burned as a congressman, a state senator and a gubernatorial candidate stood by at a tobacco rally against President Clinton's health care reform plan.

"Burn, baby, burn," chanted Stan Arachikavitz, president of the Kentucky Association of Tobacco Supporters.

"Hillary didn't last as long as my Marlboro," Arachikavitz said afterwards.

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Steers still have holes to fill as season nears

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

Just four shopping days until the start of the football season, and the Big Spring Steers will need every one of them.

The Steers showed improvement in Friday's Midland scrimmage over their Aug. 19 outing at Lamesa, except in the punting game. Punting wasn't part of the scrimmage at

Lamesa, and based on what happened Friday against Midland, the Steers may be going for the first down in many fourth-down situations.

It's early, of course, but consider the Steers' predicament. First and foremost, a long snapper has yet to step forward. The Steers punted twice against Midland, and both plays were disasters.

On the first punt, Big Spring

coach Dwight Butler sent in Ben Inman, a punter who had just joined the team that day (that shows how desperate the Steers' punting situation is). Inman wasn't helped by a low snap - he fumbled for the ball two or three times before scooping it into his hands, but when he kicked, the ball and several Midland defenders pummeled him. Welcome to football, Ben.

"We've had two punters just

join the team today - the other is Richie Neefe," Butler said after the scrimmage. "We don't really have a punter yet, and you can tell we need a long snapper. There's definitely some problems there in the kicking game."

Inman's misfortune gave Midland the ball on the Big Spring 15 and led to a field goal, and another punt fiasco gave the Bulldogs a 5-0 edge as

the first quarter ended.

On the second punt, Butler replaced Inman, but not with Neefe. Backup quarterback Bucky Crenshaw got the call this time, but he never had a chance to punt the ball. He watched the snap sail over his head then scrambled in the end zone until he was downed for a safety.

While the punting problems surfaced Friday, the Steers did

take care of another concern. At Lamesa, Big Spring dialed disasters not with punts but with pitchouts. On option plays, Big Spring quarterback Dustin Waters pitched the ball out of reach of a Steer running back no less than three times.

"Dustin hasn't got a lot of really hard pressure yet, and he was just pitching without looking to where he was pitching."

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Huskers stroll to win

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Tommie Frazier took a trip to the Downtown Athletic Club on the eve of the 1994 Kickoff Classic, and the sight of the Heisman Trophy must have inspired the Nebraska quarterback.

Frazier rushed for 137 yards and three touchdowns and threw another Sunday as No. 4 Nebraska started its "Unfinished Business" season by dominating No. 24 West Virginia 31-0 at Giants Stadium in the opener of the college football season.

"No one is talking big," said tackle Zach Wiegert, part of a massive offensive line that helped Nebraska post a 468-89 advantage in total offense. "But we think we have a good team and we want to get back to play for the title."

The Cornhuskers had that chance last year in the Orange Bowl against Florida State, but the national title sailed away with an errant field goal in the closing seconds. It was the only blemish after an 11-0 regular season.

The nucleus of that team is back and it had little trouble handling a West Virginia team hurt by graduation.

Last year, a bowl game between the two undefeated teams might have been a great way to decide the national champion. But it was a mis-



Nebraska quarterback Tommie Frazier (15) scores a touchdown during the second quarter of the Kickoff Classic in East Rutherford, N.J. Sunday afternoon.

match on Sunday, especially the way the Cornhuskers' defense harried sophomore quarterbacks Chad Johnston and Eric Boykin.

Neither had much experience coming into the game and they

were running ragged most of the afternoon. They were a combined 6-of-19 for 46 yards and two interceptions.

On the other side, Frazier was simply running to daylight, especially around left end

on the option keeper. The junior sandwiched touchdown runs of 25 and 27 yards around a 12-yard TD pass to Reggie Baul in the second quarter as the Huskers opened a 24-0 halftime lead.

All quiet on the baseball negotiating front

NEW YORK (AP) — Players and owners expect to speak to federal mediators today, the 18th day of the baseball strike.

There wasn't any activity over the weekend, the third without major league baseball since players struck Aug. 12. Nine more games were canceled today, raising the total to 232, more than 10 percent of the season.

"There's nothing going on," executive council chairman Bud Selig said Sunday by telephone from Milwaukee.

Negotiations broke off Thursday and no further talks are scheduled to end the walk-out.

"I've had no contact with anyone," union head Donald Fehr said.

But John Calhoun Wells, director of the Federal



Mediation and Conciliation Service, said he probably will

speak with the parties today and call another bargaining session for the middle of the week.

Management negotiator Richard Ravitch said last Thursday he expects the delegations from each side will be smaller at future sessions. There were 55 people in the room during Wednesday's meeting — the first since the strike began.

"That was a guess on my part," he said. "I haven't changed my guess."

No progress is foreseen in the talks until at least after the owners' quarterly meetings, scheduled for Detroit from Sept. 7-9. While there have been rumors that the meetings will be called off, Selig said that's not true.

"At this point in time, I

would think they would take place," he said Sunday. "Everything is subject to review."

Four years ago, the quarterly session in Dallas during the owners' 32-lockout was canceled to allow negotiations to continue. In 1981, a meeting in Kansas City, Mo., was called off — some say to prevent some owners from expressing dissent.

Selig said he wouldn't want the meetings to interfere with bargaining.

"That's always a concern," he said. "That's something we'll take a look at."

Ravitch said the meeting isn't necessary because of the constant telephone conversations and conference calls.

Du Maurier Classic

OTTAWA (AP) — The wind and rain were nothing compared with what Martha Nause had already experienced.

Nause, who overcame the loss of her mother to cancer in 1991 and a severe ear infection in 1992, birded four of the last seven holes after an 85-minute thunderstorm delay Sunday for a one-stroke victory in the du Maurier Classic.

"I think the thing that was in my mind the most was that my mom wasn't here to see it," said Nause, who won her first career major and third tour title. "This win was for my mom."

U.S. Amateur

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Tiger Woods is now part of golfing lore for three reasons: He's the youngest player to win the U.S. Amateur,



Jose Maria Olazabal waves to the crowd on the 18th green after winning the World Series of Golf Sunday.

the first black man to do so and the first to win both the U.S. Junior and U.S. Amateur.

In a brilliant comeback Sunday, the 18-year-old from Cypress, Calif., won the last three holes of the 36-hole title match against Trip Kuehne for a 2-up victory.

In coming back from 6-down, Woods pulled off the biggest come-from-behind victory in the 99-year history of the event, the United States Golf Association said.

"I've never been 6 down and won," said Woods, 19-1 in match play this year. "But you've always got to keep positive."

"I knew if I just hung in there, sooner or later those putts were going to go in," said Woods, who will enter Stanford University this fall. "And they did. Coming back from 6 down means the most."

Woods shot 68 in the afternoon round to Trip Kuehne's 74. The victory gave him automatic berths in the Masters, the U.S. Open and the British Open.

It didn't come easy. Woods continually missed fairways on the final nine holes but scrambled time after time with shots from the woods that rolled right where he wanted them.

"Tiger showed what a great player he was to keep hitting it on the greens from the woods and keep the pressure on," Kuehne said. "The kid showed he's got a lot of golf game to be able to cash in those opportunities."

Playing on the TPC Sawgrass Stadium Course, Woods trailed the Oklahoma State junior by six holes after the first 13 holes.

Tenn stars



Carlton Johnson
Staff Writer

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He said he missed a week, a month for an entire year. I began to wonder and having world finally call and in some cases - has an effective

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How hot was it?

West Virginia's Scott Bailey wipes his face beneath cooling fans during the Kickoff Classic Sunday. Temperatures on the field were over 100 degrees.

TEXAS SPORTS

Receivers suspended

AUSTIN (AP) — A rental car used for five weeks this summer by Texas receivers Mike Adams and Lovell Pinkney will keep them from the No. 18 Longhorns' season opener this weekend at Pittsburgh.

Adams and Pinkney were suspended Sunday for one game and each fined \$500 for using a 1994 Toyota Camry that was provided for them in violation of the NCAA's amateurism rule, school officials said.

UT coach John Mackovic did not say who gave the players the car but said he did not believe it was a booster or an agent.

The punishment for the junior receivers was levied by a specially appointed UT committee headed by Charles Alan Wright.

AROUND THE WORLD

Rusty wins Goody's

BRISTOL, Tenn. (AP) — Rusty Wallace ended a two-month victory drought with a hard-fought victory in the Goody's 500 at Bristol International Raceway.

Dawes sweeps gold

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Dominique Dawes added four individual gold medals to the all-around title she won already in the National Gymnastics Championships.

Navratilova tops

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Martina Navratilova beat Jana Novotna 7-5, 7-5 in the title match of the SNET Classic exhibition tournament. The crowd of 12,964 at the Connecticut Tennis Center set a record for a women's tournament played outdoors.

ON THE AIR

Tennis

U.S. Open, 6:30 p.m., USA (ch. 38).

Football

NFL Yearbook, 2 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

NFL All-Access, 8 p.m., FOX (ch. 3).

Baseball

Jackson Generals at Tulsa Drillers, 7 p.m., HSE (ch. 29).

SPORTSEXTRA

GOLF

World Series

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Final scores and earnings Sunday of the \$2 million NEC World Series of Golf, played on the 6,918-yard, par-70 Firestone Country Club North Course:

Joe Olszowski	\$360,000	— 269
Scott Hoch	\$216,000	— 270
Brad Faxon	\$116,000	— 271
Mark McNulty	\$76,000	— 272
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Mike Heinen	\$67,000	— 273
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Du Marier Classic

OTTAWA, Ontario (AP) — Final scores and earnings Sunday from the \$800,000 LPGA du Maurier Classic on the 6,340-yard, par-72 Ottawa Hunt and Golf Club course:

Martha Neumeier	\$120,000	— 279
Michelle McGann	\$74,474	— 280
Liselotte Neumann	\$54,346	— 281
Jane Geddes	\$34,868	— 283
Meg Mallon	\$34,868	— 283
Betsy King	\$34,868	— 283
Dawn Coe-Jones	\$20,128	— 284
Marlene Morris	\$20,128	— 284
Judy Dickinson	\$20,128	— 284
Kelly Robbins	\$20,128	— 284
Vicki Ferguson	\$14,223	— 285
Sherri Steinhilber	\$14,223	— 285
Patty Sheehan	\$14,223	— 285
Amy Alcott	\$12,076	— 286
Dottie Mochrie	\$12,076	— 286
Jane Crozier	\$9,862	— 287
Page Dunlop	\$9,862	— 287
Alice Ritzman	\$9,862	— 287
Rosale Jones	\$9,862	— 287
Jenny Lindback	\$9,862	— 287
Alicia Dibos	\$9,862	— 287

Franklin Quest

PARK CITY, Utah (AP) — Scores with relation to par Sunday after the final round of the \$500,000 Franklin Quest Championship on the 7,026-yard, par-72 Park Meadows Golf Club course:

x-Tom Weiskopf	\$75,000	— 204
Dave Stockton	\$44,000	— 204
Jack Kleier	\$33,000	— 205
Bob Murphy	\$33,000	— 205
Jim Albani	\$22,000	— 207
George Archer	\$22,000	— 207
Tommy Aaron	\$16,000	— 208
Jay Sigel	\$16,000	— 208
Tony Jacklin	\$16,000	— 208
Bob E. Smith	\$13,000	— 210
Dave Eichelberger	\$10,300	— 211
J.C. Snead	\$10,300	— 211
Tom Wargo	\$10,300	— 211
Harry Tescano	\$10,300	— 211
Charles Coody	\$10,300	— 212
Simon Hobday	\$7,308	— 212
Don January	\$7,308	— 212
Dale Douglass	\$7,308	— 212
Larry Laoretti	\$7,308	— 212
Bill Hall	\$7,308	— 212
Orville Moody	\$7,308	— 212

MISCELLANEOUS

Hotter'n Hell

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — Results Sunday of the Hotter'n Hell Hundred Criterion in downtown Wichita Falls (includes name, hometown and team name):

MEN'S PRO, CATEGORY 1-2
1. Dave Mann, Denver, Coors

Light
2. Chris Carlson, Dallas, Team EDS
3. John Frey, Albuquerque, N.M., Team Falcon
4. Greg Eberdt, Little Rock, Ark., RCCA/Bud Light
5. Chris Huber, Scotts Valley, Calif., Coors Light
6. Roberto Gaggioli, Sacramento, Calif., Coors Light
7. John Peters, Santa Rosa, Calif., Nutra-Fig
8. Trent Kiana, Nutra-Fig
9. Seth Pelusi, Desoto, Texas, Gatorade/Chili's
10. Kenneth Whittington, Greeley, Colo., Chippers Cycling
11. John Liewyn, Denver, Coors Light
12. Chris Hayes, Austin, Builders Square
13. Chris Horner, Spring Valley, Calif., Nutra-Fig
14. Chris Hipp, Dallas, Gatorade/Chili's
15. Jeff Fleming, Dallas
16. Scott Romero, El Paso, Texas, Team SOL
17. Bobby Stuckey, Flagstaff, Ariz., Team Skiddee
18. Paul Chandler, Dallas, Wheels In Motion
19. Paul Reed, Issaquah, Wash., Thomas Kemper
20. Albert Vasquez, Wichita Falls, Team Texas SNS
21. Kevin Cameron, Dallas, Carrollton Cycling

22. John Wordin, Nutra-Fig
23. Bryan Heugel, Denver, Chippers
24. Brian Stangel, Albuquerque, N.M., Wild Oats
25. James Soto, Norman, Okla., CRRC

WOMEN'S PRO, CATEGORY 1-5

1. Laura Charameda, Los Altos, Calif., Team Times
2. Jennifer Evans, Dallas, Team EDS
3. Robin Conley, Plano, Texas, Team Falcon
4. Linda Kruse, Irving, Texas, Team EDS
5. Sue Pryde, Team Times
6. Karla Bland, Lewisville, Texas, Team EDS
7. Kim Erdos, Oklahoma City, OKC Velo
8. Miya Anderson, Sugar Land, Texas, Bayou Cycling
9. Deedra Yarbrough, Dallas, Midtides Wheelmen
10. Lisa Klein, Austin, Bicycle Sport
11. Ellen Jantzen, Ft. Worth, SW/MCW
12. Bianca Netzer, Solana Beach, Calif., Quick R.B.C.
13. Yette Casson, Lewisville, Texas, Judge Beans
14. Amy Lou Laake, Richardson, Texas, Team Matrix

15. Alecia Duffy, Palo Alto, Calif., Bike Line
16. Lisa Papworth, Goleta, Calif., Quick R.B.C.
17. Leslie Turner, Lewisville, Texas, Texas Flyers
18. Sherri Abbot, Katy, Texas, Northwest
19. Jere Arnold, Corinth, Texas, Midtides Wheelmen
20. Kelly Cowan, Los Angeles, Calif., Quick R.B.C.

MASTERS, 35-PLUS CATEGORY

1. John Frey, Albuquerque, N.M., Team Falcon
2. Colin Conner, Addison, Texas, Team Matrix
3. Craig Erickson, Richardson, Texas, Team Matrix
4. Mickey Allen, Duncannonville, Texas, Team Matrix
5. David Billingsly, Tulsa, Okla., Tulsa Wheelmen
6. Travis Rohde, Mesquite, Texas
7. Dan Pate, Pueblo, Colo., REC
8. John Kelly, Little Rock, Ark., River City Cycling
9. Keith Franklin, Tulsa, Okla., Tulsa Wheelmen
10. Wayne Pachek, Pueblo, Colo., Ride Em Cowboys
11. Steven Dean, McKinney, Texas, Team Matrix
12. Bill Thomas, Cedar Hill, Texas, Texas Road Club
13. Gene Kidd, McKinney, Texas, Plano Athletic

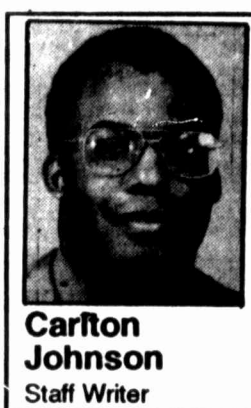
14. Greg Hall, Austin, Violet Crown
15. Bradley Hunter, Garland, Texas, Texas Road Club
16. John Stewart, Pampa, Texas
17. Zeleardo Thigpen, Fayetteville, Ark., Fayetteville Wheel
18. Johnny Jones, Fort Smith, Ark., Boston Mountain
19. Mark Metcalfe, Duncannonville, Texas, Team Mirage
20. William Allen, College Station, Texas, Franklin Bicycle

TRANSACTIONS

Transactions

BASEBALL
AMERICAN LEAGUE
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Signed a two-year player development agreement with the Prince William Cannons of the Carolina League.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
ARIZONA CARDINALS—Waived Perry Carter and Mose Richardson, cornerbacks; Chris Swartz, quarterback; Darryl Hardy, linebacker; and David Wilkins defensive end. Signed Karl Dunbar, defensive end. Placed Garrison Hearst, running back, on the physically-unable-to-perform list.
ATLANTA FALCONS—Waived Mitch Davis, linebacker; Bryan Addison, safety; Tyoka Jackson and Thomas Williams, defensive ends; and Keith Alex and Alai Kalamivulu, guards. Placed Corey Dixon, wide receiver, on injured reserve.
BUFFALO BILLS—Waived Eddie Fuller, running back; Glen Young, linebacker; John Parvella, defensive lineman; Sean Crocker and Filmal Johnson, defensive backs; and Craig Hendrickson and Jerry Ostriski, offensive linemen.

Tennis needs more stars, less burnout



Carlton Johnson
Staff Writer

Have you ever wondered what it would feel like to be retired at 20 or 25 years old?

Tennis star Tracey Austin retired early, while still on top, and recently Jim Courier, the former Number one ranked player in the world, announced he is stepping away from tennis for an indefinite amount of time.

He said he may return in a week, a month or maybe not for an entire year.

I began to wonder if being the best and having the rest of the world finally catch up to you—and in some cases surpass you—has an effectmentally.

Think about it: You play the same way year after year and suddenly your game doesn't have the same bite it once had, people who you should beat are now making easy work of you and your ranking has dropped out of the top 10.

You can speculate forever about athletes like Courier and never know what causes athletes to react to certain situations and circumstances the way they do, but where does it all begin?

I'm amazed at the skills and talents that many athletes possess, but too much focus is being placed on winning and money—or should I say money and winning?

"I can't help but wonder if Courier's stepping away from tennis is more from frustration because of the recent lack of success rather than fatigue and stress.

Richard Petty, A.J. Foyt, Jimmy Connors, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, Carl Lewis, Larry Bird, Shannon Miller and dozens of other athletes have suffered injuries and defeats and have felt pressure at times, which is par for the course in an athlete's life, but the thrill of competition is

what kept them coming back.

Who can you think of, other than daredevil Evel Knievel, that has come back from more broken bones than Richard Petty?

Courier has a right to step away from tennis as long as he wishes, but I would hate to see talent like his, and that of Monica Seles, permanently sidelined.

Seles was injured while she was at the top of her game, and Courier, though unsure of his future right now, is still one of the world's best.

He's not on top of the world right now, but his absence will be felt. Matches between Courier and the world's top ranked player, Pete Sampras, sort of take you back to the Jimmy Connors-John McEnroe and Martina Navratilova-Chris Everett days.

So far, tennis has lost two great rivalries in Courier-Sampras and Seles-Steffi Graf, but has also gained one as well. With the absence of Seles, Spain's Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario has raised the level of her game enough to become the world's second-ranked women's player behind Graf.

Hopefully, Courier will solve what's bothering him and return in a short while, but I think women's tennis needs the return of Seles and Jennifer Capriatti more.

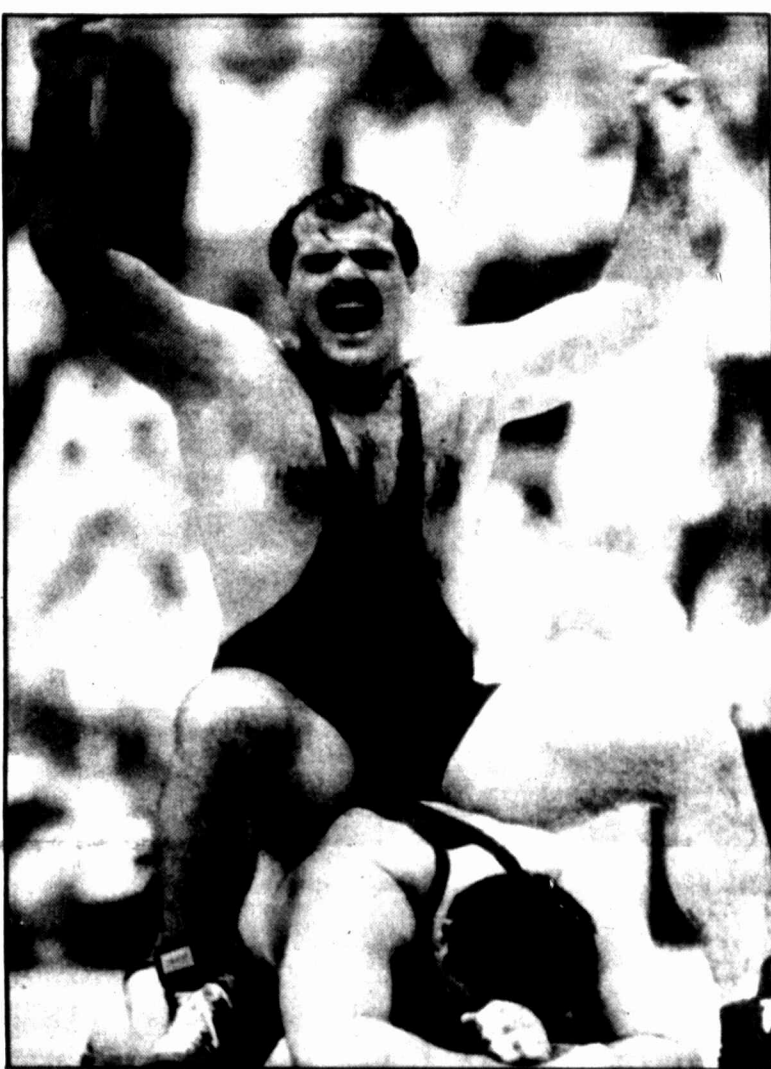
With all of those names, you really don't have to worry about the game, just the unfortunate circumstances some of the athletes endure to be one of the world's best.

Granted, it has been a long time since the U.S. has had such a dominant group of men on the ATP tour such as Courier, Sampras, Andre Agassi, Michael Chang and about a dozen other rising stars, but it makes the quality of tennis that much better.

Let's just hope we won't have to see too many more U.S. Opens pass without seeing Courier on the court.

Then again, being tired, stressed out or just plain burned out is a fault that won't count against his game.

I'M THE GREATEST



Turkey's Mahmut Demir sits atop American Bruce Baumgartner and shouts for joy after his victory in the 130 kg class at the World Freestyle Wrestling Championships Sunday.

Lendl downplays chances

NEW YORK (AP) — There are too many aches and pains, too many early-round losses now, and, yes, too many good young players for Ivan Lendl to be considered a contender for this year's U.S. Open men's singles title.

And he knows it.

"I would say my chances of winning are definitely not as good as they were in the mid-1980s," Lendl said of the period when he reached the U.S. Open singles final a record-tying eight consecutive years.

Asked if he should be considered among the favorites, Lendl said, "I really haven't given it a thought."

Lendl will play in his 16th consecutive U.S. Open today when he faces Australian Neil Borwick on the Grandstand court. Neither is seeded.

The year's final Grand Slam tournament, a two-week event on the hard courts of the National Tennis Center, was to begin with reigning French Open champion Arantxa Sanchez Vicario, seeded second in the 128-player women's draw, taking on Italy's Linda Ferrando in Louis Armstrong Stadium while Goran Ivanisevic, the men's No. 2 seeded player, met Markus Zoecke of Germany in the Grandstand.

Coleman safe — for now

IRVING (AP) — Backup running back Lincoln Coleman has survived the Dallas Cowboys' latest round of cuts.

But Coleman, who lost three fumbles in the last two preseason games, doesn't exactly have

job security.

"We'll still keep looking at the waiver wire, Lincoln has to hold onto the ball when he gets in there," Cowboys coach Barry Switzer said Sunday.

Steers

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Butler said after the Lamesa scrimmage. "And the running backs were trying to run before they caught it."

That problem, at least for now, seems to be history. The play went smoothly the few times the Steers ran it Friday against Midland.

The Steers' other main concern going into Friday's season opener against Borger, besides the loads of inexperience they will carry onto the field, is at the tailback position. If Quentin Dickson, a 5-10, 190-pound senior transfer from Clovis, N.M., can't play — he's seeing a doctor Thursday about his sprained left knee, Butler said — the Steers will be forced to play with just one tailback, sophomore Toma McVae.

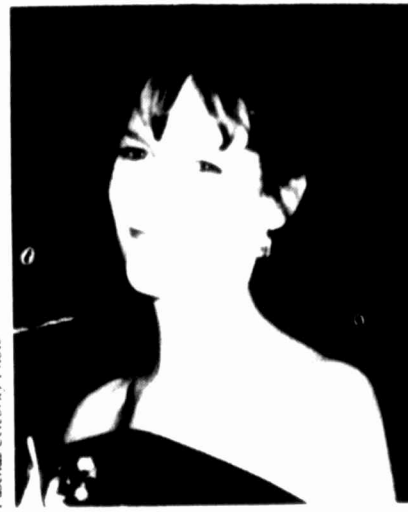
Of course, the Steers had a similar situation in last year's opener. Waters was forced into his first varsity start when

starting quarterback Wes Hughes served a one-game suspension, and he came out fine, running for one touchdown and throwing for another. If McVae debuts half as well as Waters, he'll have no problems, but like many of the Steers, he may need some time to get his feet wet.

"We've got a long way to go, but the longer we go, the better we seem to get," said Butler, referring to the Steers' second-quarter success against Midland. "These are young kids, but they definitely picked up a lot more aggressiveness through one week. We have to be patient with this team. Sure, when they do something wrong, we've got to chew their butt, but we have to hug their neck at the same time, too. We have to let them know when they do things right, and we're doing a lot of things right."

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HOROSCOPE

FOR TUESDAY,
AUG. 30, 1994

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Adjust as plans change rapidly. You lack full perspective. Communications are active. Follow through on a gut feeling with a family matter. Tonight: Make time for a friend. ****

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Unexpected news could cause you to reorganize. Be sensitive to your alternatives, and make a change. Success follows you because of your willingness to communicate. Go for what is important to you. Tell it as it is. Tonight: Have fun. **

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are full of get-up-and-go. You see a situation much more positively. Remain consistent in your long-term goals. Spending is rather intense. Tonight: As you wish it. *****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Kick back. Be concerned with long-term results and implications. A situation opens up that lets you proceed in a new direction. Someone at a distance makes a big difference in how you view a situation and what you want from it. Tonight: Catch up on news. **

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Focus on success. You accomplish a lot. Remain stable and direct. Know what works for you. Be focused on your bottom line. Listen carefully to your desires and needs. Much happens quickly. A financial discussion is key. Tonight: Out and about. ****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A must appearance adds to your community stature. Communications are confusing, but you come out on top. Recognize your options. Touch base with another and confirm what is being offered. Popularity is on the upswing. Tonight: Take the lead. *****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): News from a distance inspires you to revamp your thinking. A creative point of view allows you more options and permits you to visualize positively. Be clear about your choices. Consider taking a class this fall. Tonight: Rent a favorite movie. *****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Schedule your time tightly. Don't settle for anything less than what you want. A positive

approach get you far. Change gears and go with new ideas. A partner plays an important role in a decision. Discuss money. Tonight: Listen to a loved one. **

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your popularity continues to soar. Despite a momentary financial problem, you have unusual potential. Consider your options and possibilities. Examine what somebody is saying. A family member gives you powerful input about finances. Tonight: Have that talk. *****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You are more plugged into a situation than you realize. A simpler approach helps straighten out a problem. Be understanding with another as you get to the root of a problem. Evaluate what feels right. Creativity surges. Tonight: Listen to an offer. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You become wilder. Get past a limitation and enjoy yourself. Creative brainstorming at work gives you the financial adaptability that you need. Listen to intuition and follow through. Remain confident and stay positive. Tonight: Have fun. *****

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Settle down. Be sure about what you are asking, and confirm your choices. Opportunities come quickly. Your popularity is enhanced because of a direct approach. Let your ideas flow in a chat. Tonight: Discuss long-term objectives with a family member. ****

IF YOUR BIRTHDAY IS AUG. 30: Tension will be high at work in the year ahead. Others will stimulate your creativity. Romance and finances will flourish when you focus on your long-term objectives. A male friend will play a significant role in your year. If you are single, romantic attachments will come easily, and your ability to communicate will be heightened. If you are attached, after the holiday season the two of you might decide to buy a new home or, perhaps, formalize your commitment. GEMINI puts you in a position of authority. *****

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Wife regrets giving hubby OK to sow oats

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Dear Abby is on a two-week vacation. Following is a selection of some of her favorite past letters from the early 1970s.)



Abigail Van Buren
Columnist

DEAR ABBY: My husband of 15 years suddenly has decided that marriage is a "trap," and he wants out. He wants his own apartment so he can come and go as he pleases. (Not divorced, mind you; he just wants to be free to do as he pleases.)

A wise friend suggested a cheaper way. Give him the spare bedroom and let him do as he pleases. The idea appealed to my husband, and that is what he is doing now.

This friend told me to let my husband have his flings and have a ball, and in time he will get tired of it and come back to me. In the meantime, I should be pleasant and uncomplaining and be a good mother to our two teenagers.

My problem: How can I endure the pain of seeing him come and go as he pleases? Can you give me a few pointers on how to put up with this when my heart is aching? — LONELY

DEAR LONELY: Your friend sounds like she has shredded wheat where her brains should be. You have given up your role as a wife to become the "mother of a teenager" who has just discovered the opposite sex.

What are you getting out of this arrangement? The privilege of keeping your husband's room clean and washing his underwear? What if his "flings" last until he is 80? And in the meantime, what kind of example is he setting for his children?

Tell your husband we all make mistakes, and you made a beautiful one when you agreed to the spare room arrangement. And unless he is willing to go for counseling and try to repair your marriage, he can clear out, and you'll see him in court.

DEAR ABBY: My husband's mother recently remarried after having been a widow for a good many years. She is a dear, sweet woman, and I couldn't love my own mother more.

She and her new husband (who is 70) visited us last Christmas. During the evening, he made me a little uncomfortable just by the way he kept looking at me. He followed me into the kitchen once and said he wanted to give me a little Christmas kiss. I gave him my cheek but he grabbed me and said, "No, not THAT kind." Then he tried to kiss me on the mouth. I got away from him and kept my distance all evening.

Now he calls me on the phone when he knows my husband is at work. He says he wants to talk to me. I am afraid of him.

Please tell me how to handle this. They live in another town not far from us, but we see them quite often. — PAPA PROBLEM

DEAR PAPA: Tell him that if he doesn't leave you alone, you will tell your husband that he has been bothering you. And if that doesn't straighten him out, make good your threat.

DEAR ABBY: The boy I like a lot has a reputation for being wild, but Tony really is a cool kid, Abby. People just don't understand him. Tony was thrown out of school for kicking a substitute teacher in the cafeteria. But the kids who saw it said she was trying to stick a flower in his hair. (His hair is quite long.)

Tony's parents came to school and caused a big stink, so he is back in school on "trial" now; but my folks forbid me to have anything to do with him. They won't even let me talk to him on the phone. Abby, please help me convince my folks that Tony has learned his lesson and will not do anything wrong in the future. — TONY'S GIRL

DEAR TONY: People are judged on their past performance — not on their future intentions. Tell Tony to start building a record of good behavior if he wants to see you.

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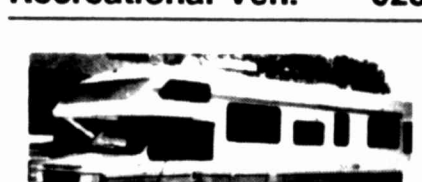
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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HOWARD, by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the District Court of Howard County, Texas, pursuant to judgment rendered in 44th Judicial District Court of Howard County, Texas, by the District Clerk of said Court, in the hereinafter numbered and styled suits and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I did on the 8th day of August, 1994, at 8:00 o'clock, A.M., levy upon and will proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction on the 8th day of September, 1994, being the first Tuesday of said month beginning at 10 o'clock a.m. on said day, at the North Courthouse door of said County, all the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suits in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said Defendants the same lying and being situated in the County of Howard and the State of Texas, to-wit: Cause No. _____ State of Suit and Property Description 1-0336 Howard County, El Al v. Minnie Vaughn Being a tract of land Seventy Eight feet (78'), Northward and Southward, by Eight feet (80'), Eastward and Westward, out of and part of the West One-Half (W/2) of Tract No. Twenty Three (23) of the WILLIAM B. CURRIE SUBDIVISION of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section No. Forty Two (42), Block No. Thirty Two (32), Township 1 North, T. & P. Ry. Co. Surveys, Howard County, Texas; said tract described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point located in the North line of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23), Two Hundred Twenty feet (220') Eastward from the Northwest corner of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23); THENCE Eastward, along the North line of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23), a distance of Eight feet (80') to a point in the Northeast corner of the tract; THENCE Southward, parallel with the West line of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23), a distance of Seventy Eight feet (78') to point in the Southeast corner of the tract; said point representing the Northeast corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed to Richard Chavez by deed recorded in Vol. 313, page 161, Deed Records of Howard County, Texas; THENCE Westward, along the North line of Richard Chavez tract, parallel with the North line of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23), a distance of Eight feet (80') to the Northwest corner of the Chavez tract, and the Southwest corner of this tract; THENCE Northward, parallel with the West line of said Tract No. Twenty Three (23), a distance of Seventy Eight feet (78') to the PLACE OF BEGINNING.

92-06-03937 Howard County, El Al v. Albert Allen and Mary Allen
The West Seventy Five Feet (W/75) of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Fourteen (14), Original Town Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas.
Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment(s) rendered in the above styled and numbered cause(s), together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sales to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Witness my hand this 8th day of August, 1994.
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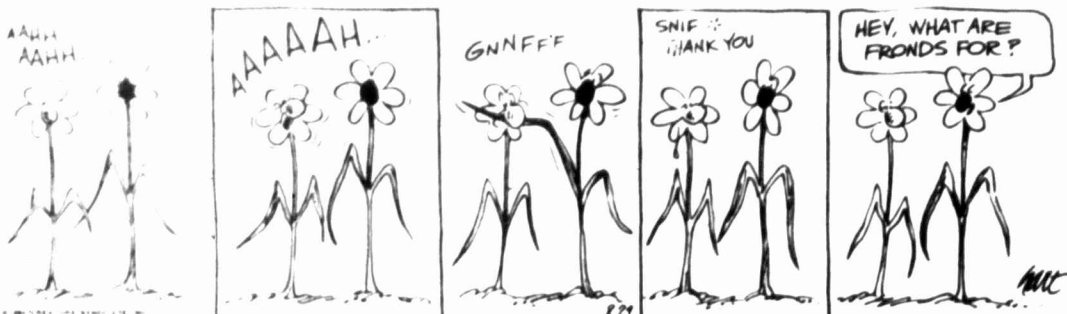
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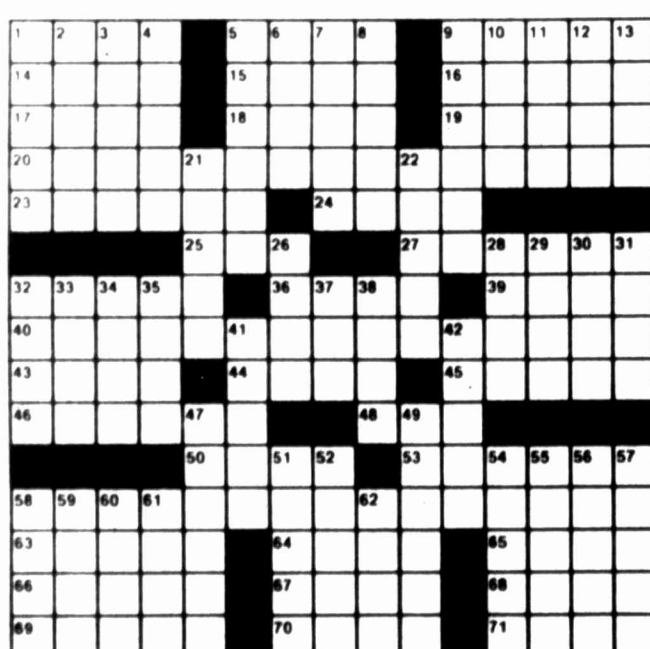


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THE Daily Crossword by Samuel K. Flegner

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1. Bureaucracy
 2. Minor league
 3. Source of plaster?
 4. Haido
 5. Balm ingredient
 6. Chopin opus
 7. Frame of mind
 8. Italian money
 9. Dynamite
 10. Drawing power
 11. Frustrate
 12. Wife of Zeus
 13. 555
 14. Motorless aircraft
 15. Dwelling place
 16. Son of Isaac
 17. Spanish painter
 18. Mama, e.g.
 19. Capital of Yemen
 20. A Turner
 21. Ascended
 22. Fail to follow suit
 23. Droop
 24. Burden
 25. Famous bridge in Venice
 26. Michael
 27. Douglas/Glenn
 28. Close film
 29. Prize
 30. Dance
 31. Dame Myra
 32. Cosmetic
 33. Literary lioness
 34. Double curve
 35. Entertainer John
 36. Remainder
 37. Capital



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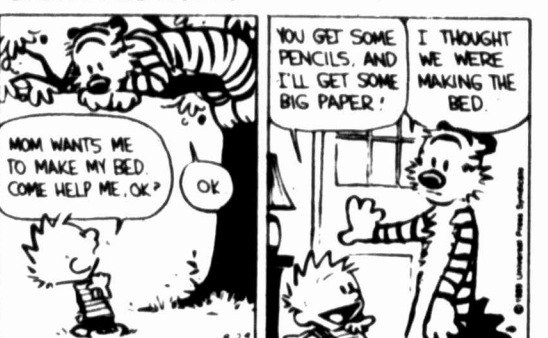
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1. Silence of the
 2. In the works
 3. Delegated substitute
 4. Gomorrah's twin city
 5. Grain-shaped noodles
 6. Others. Lat.
 7. Freshwater fish
 8. Free-for-all
 9. Friendly correspondent
 10. Sleep like —
 11. Country bumpkin
 12. Brainchild
 13. Vend
 14. First name in Cuba
 15. Have differences
 16. — Cruz
 17. Stravinsky
 18. Simpleton
 19. Peepers
 20. Respiratory
 21. From a distance
 22. "Adam —"
 23. August
 24. PLO chairman
 25. Odense native
 26. Family member
 27. Too bad!
 28. Actress Verdugo
 29. Beginning
 30. Fleece or rule
 31. PLO chairman
 32. Arthur's father
 33. Shoulder wrap
 34. One Musketeer
 35. Feudal lord
 36. Go — (embark)
 37. Beginning
 38. Passenger
 39. Truant
 40. Tightly drawn
 41. Jason's vessel
 42. Activist Perot

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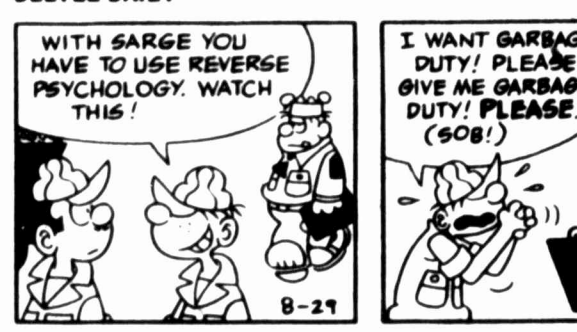
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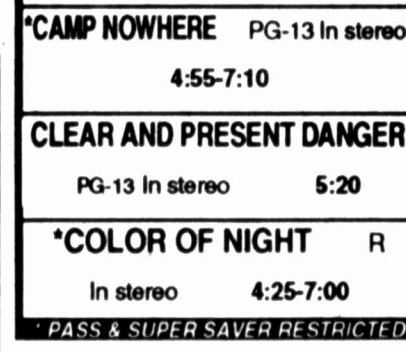
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WIZARD OF ID



Oliver Wendell Holmes was born in Cambridge, Mass.

In 1877, the second president of the Mormon Church, Brigham Young, died in Salt Lake City, Utah.

In 1896, the Chinese-American dish chop suey was invented in New York City by the chef to visiting Chinese Ambassador Li Hung-chang.

In 1943, responding to a clampdown by Nazi occupiers, Denmark managed to scuttle most of its naval ships.

In 1957, South Carolina Sen. Strom Thurmond (then a Democrat) ended a filibuster against a civil rights bill after talking for more than 24 hours.

In 1965, Gemini V, carrying astronauts Gordon Cooper and Charles (Pete) Conrad, splashed into the Atlantic after eight days in space.

In 1966, the Beatles concluded their fourth American tour with what turned out to be their last

public concert, playing before 25,000 fans at Candlestick Park in San Francisco.

In 1975, one of Ireland's most prominent figures in its quest for independence, Eamon de Valera died at a nursing home near Dublin at the age of 92.

In 1981, broadcaster and world traveler Lowell Thomas died in Pawling, N.Y., at age 89.

Ten years ago: A prototype of the B-1 bomber crashed in California's Mojave Desert during a test flight, killing one crew member and injuring two others.

Five years ago: Seven bombs exploded in Medellin and Bogota, Colombia.

One year ago: Negotiations

continued between Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization, with Israel reported on the verge of recognizing the PLO.

Today's Birthdays: Actor George Montgomery is 78. Actor-director Sir Richard Attenborough is 71. Sen. David Pryor, D-Ark., is 60. Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., is 58. Former New Jersey Gov. James Florio is 57. Actor Elliott Gould is 56. Movie director William Friedkin is 55. Actor Richard Gere is 45. Singer Michael Jackson is 36. Actress Rebecca De Mornay is 32.

Thought for Today: "That which is everybody's business is nobody's business." — Izaak Walton, English writer (1593-1683).

By GARY LARSON

THE FAR SIDE



When the dust had settled, a lone figure was revealed standing on the small knoll. Yes, he, too, was a hard animal — but he was through runnin'.



This date in history

Today is Monday, Aug. 29, the 241st day of 1994. There are 124 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: Fifty years ago, on Aug. 29, 1944, 15,000 American troops marched down the Champs Elysees in Paris as the French capital continued to celebrate its liberation from the Nazis.

On this date: In 1533, the last Incan King of Peru, Atahualpa was murdered on orders from Spanish conqueror Francisco Pizarro.

In 1632, English philosopher John Locke was born in Somerset.

In 1809, American author

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