

Earthquake surprises West Texas residents

By JEAN PAGEL

Associated Press Writer

ALPINE, Texas (AP) — West Texas residents never expected the ground to shake beneath their feet. Now, they know the geology of their wild, remote region can generate something more than a minor jolt.

A temblor that shook the area Thursday night, measured at 5.6 on the Richter scale, was the most violent quake felt in Texas in more than 60 years.

"You wonder what's happening at first and it finally dawns on you, 'Heck, we're having an earthquake,'" said Alpine police dispatcher Paul Brown, who spent several hours fielding calls from safe-but-scared residents.

The Texas Department of Public Safety said only two minor injuries were reported by law officials in the Big Bend and Trans-Pecos areas surrounding the epicenter, about 20 miles east-southeast of Alpine.

The temblor, which had a preliminary magnitude of 5.6, was felt as far away as San Antonio, Dallas-Fort Worth and much of New Mexico, according to the U.S. Geological Survey's National Earthquake Information Center in Golden, Colo.

"The Permian Basin Chapter Red Cross covers 13 counties ... and every one of them shook, rattled and rolled tonight, but they're all OK," said Khris McLean, executive director of the Odessa-based chapter, 130 miles northeast of Alpine.

"We are tremendously lucky any time we can have a 5.6 earthquake without any injuries or any worse trauma than we're having. We're very grateful."

About the biggest casualty was people's sense of safety. A 15- to 20-second rattle that seemed like it would never end shook the psyches, as well as the crockery, of the residents unfamiliar with earthquakes.

"It was like a sonic boom that didn't quit for a couple of sec-

Some local residents felt the quake, others didn't

By CARLTON JOHNSON

Staff Writer

It's as rare in West Texas as a foot of snow in January, but it happened at about 7:33 p.m. and measured 5.6 on the Richter scale and many area residents probably thought West Texas was saluting California - it was an earthquake.

According to the National Earthquake Information Center in Golden, Colo., the quake's epicenter was located 20 miles east-southeast of

Alpine and could be felt as far as Hobbs and Roswell, N.M. to the west, Fort Worth/Dallas to the east, and Austin and San Antonio to the south.

Big Spring, Midland, Odessa, and area fire departments received several calls concerning the earthquake, but received no reports of damage. However, areas in and around the epicenter - Pecos, Crane, and Alpine - reported minor damages like a lot of cracked

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just continued. We said, 'Earthquake!' and just ran out the back door. ... I study earthquakes and know all about them but this is the first one I've ever been through. I've never experienced it before."

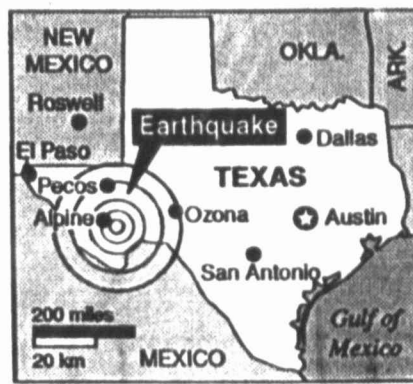
Alpine paramedic Mike Scudder said he heard a sound like distant thunder, then the steel pipes holding up the his station's canopy started to shake.

"It was like a shock wave," Scudder said. "It seemed like an eternity to me."

People ran from their homes and cars and screamed in confusion, residents said. Some thought it may have been an explosion, yet they realized it was an earthquake because it lasted so long.

"The streets were lined with people," Scudder said. "It looked a parade."

Alpine, about 190 miles south-east of El Paso, is the commercial center for the remote Big Bend region. Its 5,700 residents incurred the most broken plates and windows, although similar



AP/Alan Slibny

little problems were felt in many towns.

"We have an arts and crafts store downtown that looks like a tornado hit it," said assistant police chief Chris Croy. "I'm not going to say there's a big panic, but everyone is concerned."

"It really rocked my RV, and it weighs seven tons," said Joseph Delaney of Alpine. "It really bounced me up in the air. I've never experienced anything like that in this part of the

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Nine-month investigation nets 20 drug arrests

By KELLIE JONES

Staff Writer

Local law enforcement agencies arrested at least 20 people Thursday in an effort to rid the streets of drugs.

The Permian Basin Drug Task Force, Howard County Sheriff's Department and Big Spring Police Department officials executed arrest warrants on suspected drug dealers in Big Spring after a nine month undercover investigation.

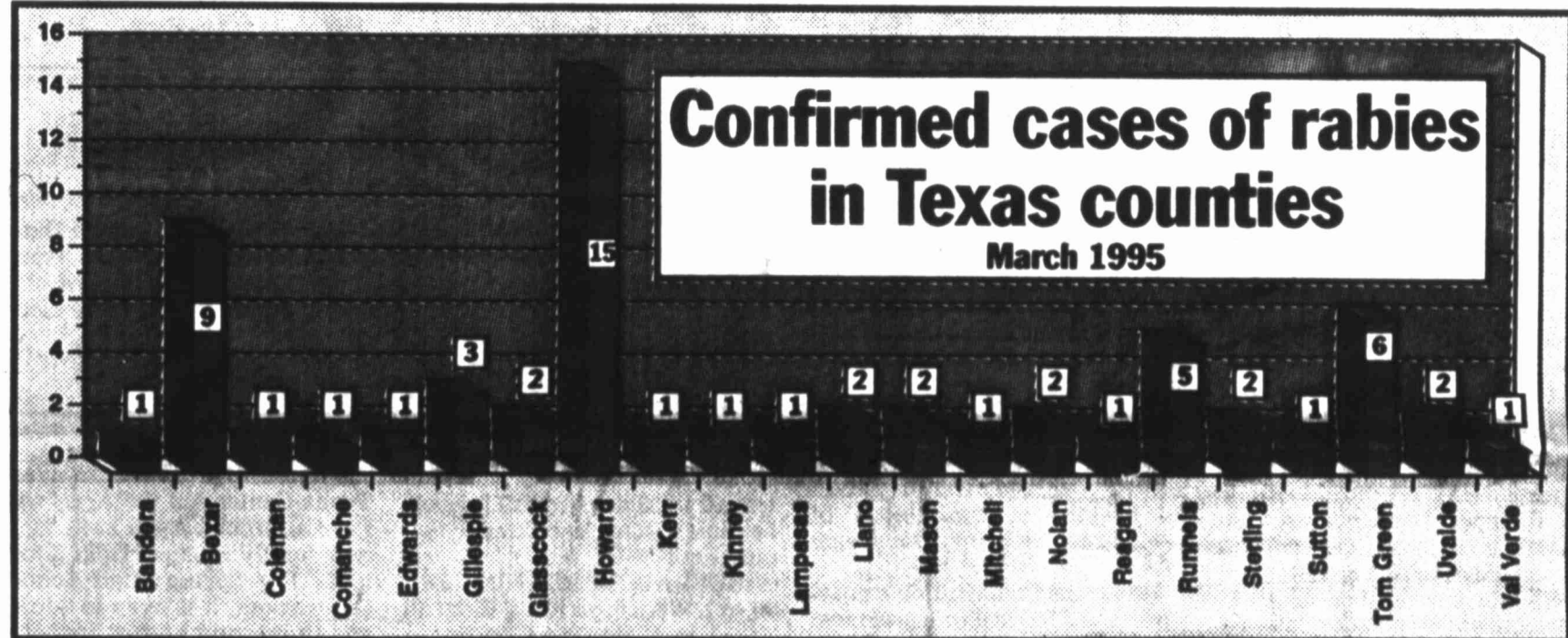
The following people were arrested:

Jason Smith, 19 of 1503 West Cherokee, delivery of marijuana, \$1,500 bond; Danna Shirley Williams, 30 of 120 Airbase Road #201, two counts of delivery of marijuana, \$3,000 bond; Michael Mickey Hernandez, 18 of 409 North Gregg, delivery of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond; Joe Louis Prieto, 20 of 509 N.W. Seventh, delivery of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond; Theodore Diaz, 40 of 610 N.W. Eighth, delivery of a controlled substance, \$7,500 bond.

Rubin Gutierrez, 17 of 1002 North Main #13, delivery of marijuana, \$1,500 bond; Simon Alcantar, 29 of 502 North Runnels, possession of a controlled substance, revocation of probation on a driving while intoxicated charge and bondsman off bond, \$23,500 bond; Michael Dutchover, 30 of 510 N.E. Eighth, delivery of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond; Francisco Rosales, 38 of 209 N.E. Seventh, two counts of possession of a controlled substance, \$20,000 bond.

Martha Ann Mathews Crenshaw, 29 of 2501 Cheyenne,

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Rabies quarantine won't be lifted

■ Latest case involves fox; rabies test not back yet

By CARLTON JOHNSON

Staff Writer

Originally state health officials had set April 13 as the cut-off day for the 90-day rabies quarantine imposed on the state due to the outbreak and spread of rabies.

State officials say that's not likely to be lifted anytime soon.

Last Friday, during Celebrate Big Spring Day, Texas Health Commissioner Dr. David R. Smith was in town along with District 70 State Rep. David Counts and addressed the state's current rabies situation.

State participation according to Counts is especially important to Howard County, which

leads the state in the number of rabid animals confirmed since the crisis began in mid January, 15 cases alone in March.

Currently Howard County has a total of 33 confirmed cases on record.

The most recent animal bite incident happened Wednesday afternoon when a 13-year old Big Spring boy was bitten by a fox in the backyard of his residence in the 2500 block of Anderson Road just north of town.

The animal was captured and the head was sent to Austin for rabies testing, meanwhile, the boy's family has been advised to have the 13-year old begin the series of rabies shots.

Big Spring Animal Control Supervisor Terry Chamness said judging by the animal's behavior, he expects the results to come back positive.

In a situation like this, Chamness said there is not much more in the way of education that can be done.

At this point the main thing is for people to vaccinate their animals and look for the warning signs that generally accompany rabid animals.

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The longer the crisis goes, the more expensive it gets for local Animal Control units, usually made up of just a handful of people.

More manpower and more equipment would certainly be useful in Howard County according to Chamness.

This, of course, is up to the state officials, who said Friday that they are in the process of getting more help to the local areas, especially those most effected by the crisis.

Chamness said he just doesn't want to see what happened in Tom Green County last year happen in Howard County this year - 94 cases of rabies.

He added if it were not for officials like Dr. Everett Newman, El Paso Public Health Zoonosis Veterinarian for Regions 9 and 10 and Jeff Sanders, State Health Department Zoonosis Control specialist in San Angelo, things could be a lot worse.

He said Sanders has been to

Big Spring once or twice a week since the rabies crisis began and frequently calls to see how things are going.

According to Chamness, Sanders has been through three rabies epidemics, which makes his knowledge and assistance that much more valuable.

Chamness said, "If it weren't for these guys and if the city of Big Spring and Animal Control hadn't been on top of this situation, we could be facing a lot more cases."

He added that he expects to see several more months of this because rabies has spread to the domestic animal population.

Western Hills Animal Clinic, according to Chamness, has also been a valuable asset to the Animal Control Department because it sends animal heads to Austin for testing through Western Hills.

Chamness said, "We've sent

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Groups put together guidelines on religion/school

WASHINGTON (AP) — Religious conservatives and civil liberties groups often disagree strongly about the roles of religion and public schools.

But they can at least agree on what America's federal courts have actually ruled on the touchy subject, prominent members of both groups said Thursday.

Putting their differences aside in an effort to end "widespread confusion," groups as diverse as the Christian Legal Society and Americans United for Separation of Church and State unveiled a handbook giving parents and teachers guidelines on the current state of the law.

"Whenever you get groups this diverse together, working on something, you know it's going to be balanced, at least," joked Forest D. Montgomery of the National Association of Evangelicals.

The groups examined differing state court, federal court and Supreme Court rulings before compiling "an accurate statement of what the law currently is."

On some issues, of course, the law is still up in the air, they noted. For example, federal courts have generally ruled that school officials may not mandate or organize prayers at graduation. But the courts have reached conflicting decisions on student-initiated graduation prayers.

At this point, schools simply have to ask their lawyers what rule applies in their area, the handbook advises.

Overall, those in favor of church-state separation said they expected the handbook to erase public confusion created by politicians who call Ameri-

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Texas Trivia
In what Erath County community was golfing great Ben Hogan born?
Dublin
Indy 500 champ Johnny Rutherford nickname is?
Lone Star J.R.

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WORLD/NATION

Nation: Burl Ives, who made classic recordings of folk songs like "The Blue Tail Fly" and created the role of Big Daddy in "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," died this morning. See page 6A.

World: In front of thousands of fascinated and festive eyes, penitents whipped themselves bloody and a few submitted to crucifixion today in observance of Good Friday. See page 6A.

STATE

Campaign on
Hispanic youths are being targeted as part of a statewide campaign against alcohol abuse touted by Gov. George W. Bush. See page 7A.

Construction approved
The federal government has signed off on a plan to build a 5,300-acre retirement community here nestled among about 90 natural caves and two endangered species. See page 7A.

Pipe bomb exploded safely
An apparent pipe bomb discovered at a San Antonio high school has been safely exploded by police bomb squad officers. See page 7A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight
88 / 55
Fair night
Tonight, fair, low mid 50s, south to southwest winds 15 to 25 mph, gusty, diminishing by midnight to 10 to 15 mph.

Saturday
Partly sunny, high upper 80s, southwest winds 15 to 25 mph and gusty, caution advised on lakes; fair night, low mid 50s.

Sunday: Mostly sunny, high upper 80s, southwest winds.

OBITUARIES

Illa Coates

Funeral services for Illa McGettes Coates, 75, Coahoma, will be 2 p.m. Saturday, April 15, 1995, at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Elwin Collum, pastor of the First Baptist Church Coahoma, officiating, and Rev. Monroe Teeters, pastor of Berea Baptist Church, assisting. Burial will follow in Coahoma Cemetery and under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Coates died Wednesday, April 12.

She was born on Oct. 11, 1919, in Howard County. She was a lifetime resident of Howard County. She married Ralph Coates on Feb. 21, 1943. He preceded her in death in 1982. Mrs. Coates worked at the Big Spring State Hospital for 18 years, retiring in 1973. She was a member of Midway Baptist Church. She was baptized as a young woman in the Lomax community.

Survivors include two sons: R.L. Coates, Stamford, and Frank Coates, Midland; two daughters: Hazel Baker and Betsy Land, both of Coahoma; 14 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one brother: B.F. McGettes, Big Spring; and one sister: Jessie Bennett, Coahoma. She was also preceded in death by one brother, Carl Dale McGettes, and one grandson, Charles Baker, Jr.

The family suggests memorials to: Alzheimer's Association, 919 Michigan North, Suite 1000, Chicago, Ill. 60611.

Lutitia Malone

Funeral services for Lutitia (Tish) Malone, 74, Lubbock, will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 15, 1995, in the W.W. Rix Chapel with Rev. Earl Blair, of Andrews, and the Rev. Stan Blevins, pastor of Highland Baptist Church, Lubbock, officiating. Interment will follow with graveside services at 3:30 p.m. in Trinity Memorial Park, Big Spring, and under the direction of RIX Funeral Home, Lubbock.

Mrs. Malone died Wednesday, April 12, in St. Mary of The Plains Hospital.

She was born in Rising Star on May 6, 1920, and married G.E. (Pappy) Malone in Big Spring on July 13, 1940. The couple moved to Amarillo, then Fresno, Calif., while he was in the service. They returned to Big Spring, and she was employed at the Corden Refinery. They lived in Abilene from 1951 until 1968, then to Fort Worth. They have resided in

Lubbock since 1975. Mrs. Malone was a member of the Highland Baptist Church and was a longtime employee of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. She was a member of the Telephone Pioneers, A.B.W.A., and was an active volunteer in St. Mary's Auxiliary.

Survivors include her husband; two sons: George Malone, Fort Worth, and John Malone, Garrett, Kan.; a brother: Milas Wood, Big Spring; a sister: Imogene Boatler, Big Spring; and three grandchildren.

Memorials are suggested to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, Amarillo, Texas.

Roy Strickland



Roy E. "Gene" Strickland, 54, of Forsan, died on Thursday, April 13, 1995, in Forsan. Services will be 4 p.m. Saturday, April 15, 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Jack Clinkscales, pastor of First Baptist Church of Forsan, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

STRICKLAND

He was born on Aug. 23, 1940, in Ballinger, Texas, and married Billie Blankinship on Oct. 27, 1961, in Forsan, Texas. He was of the First Church of God belief. He was raised in Lubbock, Texas. He served in the U.S. Army and was discharged in 1961. After his discharge from the Army, he came to Forsan and worked in the oil field. He was working for Yale E. Key at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Billie Strickland, Forsan; two daughters and sons-in-law, Connie and J.C. Moore, Forsan, and Genia and Donnie Andrews, Big Spring; four grandchildren, Andy Neel, Adam Andrews and Mathew Andrews, all of Big Spring, and Jacob Moore, of Forsan; five sisters, Marie Miller, Big Spring; Evelyn Morgan, Dallas; Janette Cunningham and Bess Staley, both of Lubbock; two brothers, Elbert Strickland, Nacogdoches, and Eddie Strickland, Odessa; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Myrtle Strickland, in 1973 and his father, Dutch Strickland in 1982.

Pallbearers will be Arthur Barton, Jerry Garrett, Bob Wash, Paul Bedwell, Lewis Nixon and Lee Yarbrough.

Paid obituary

Willie Jo Duncan, 70, died Wednesday, April 12, in a Lubbock Hospital. She was born on Dec. 6, 1924, in Trent, and married Lloyd H. Duncan on Oct. 25, 1941, in Monahan. She came to Big Spring in 1962 from Wink. She was an artist and enjoyed painting. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Duncan was a member of the Laura B. Hart Chapter #1019 Order of the Eastern Star, had served as



DUNCAN

Wives for Willie Jo Duncan, 70, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Monday, April 17, 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Jack Simons, pastor of Birdwell Lane Church of Christ, and Leslie Boone, Associate Minister of Birdwell Lane Church of Christ, officiating. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Duncan died Wednesday, April 12, in a Lubbock Hospital. She was born on Dec. 6, 1924, in Trent, and married Lloyd H. Duncan on Oct. 25, 1941, in Monahan. She came to Big Spring in 1962 from Wink. She was an artist and enjoyed painting. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Duncan was a member of the Laura B. Hart Chapter #1019 Order of the Eastern Star, had served as

Worthy Matron and was a member of the Past Matron Gavel Club. She was affiliated with Birdwell Lane Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband: Lloyd H. Duncan, Big Spring; one son: Buddy Duncan, Big Spring; three daughters: Rosalie New, Snyder, Peggy Jo Ince, Hurst, and Linda McCormick, Levelland; one sister: Johnnie Williams, St. Peters, Mo.; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to The American Cancer Society, %Lucy Bonner, P.O. Box 2121, Big Spring, Texas 79721-2121.

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can schools and courts hostile to religion.

Students actually have wide religious-expression rights, they said.

"It is not illegal for students to pray. They do it all the time," said J. Brent Walker of the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs. "And we need to get the word out to the American people."

Walker specifically criticized Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., for telling a presidential campaign rally this week that he would fight to allow students to pray voluntarily.

"They already can," Walker said.

Christian conservatives, for their part, said they hope the guidebook will prevent teachers or principals from unfairly restricting students' religious rights.

At a North Dakota elementary school, a principal recently refused to hang a little girl's drawing of a cross, the American flag and the school, saying the poster violated the Constitution's church-state separation, noted Montgomery.

Both his conservative evangelicals group and the liberal American Civil Liberties Union agree that was wrong, Montgomery said.

"Too many teachers, principals and school officials are confused about what the law does allow," agreed Rabbi David Saperstein of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations.

Under the Constitution's guarantees and federal court rulings, students can pray privately in school, talk to classmates about religion, express religious feelings in assignments and use school buildings after-hours for religious clubs, the groups agree.

They also agree that teachers and principals cannot promote religion.

But their joint work to draft the handbook did not erase some widespread differences.

The Christian Legal Society, for example, believes in the need for a constitutional amendment ending the Constitution's church-state separation clause. The ACLU and other groups have vowed to fight any such change.

"It makes sense to state the current law, to avoid the types of confusion that have come up," said Christian Legal Society Executive Director Sam Casey. "That's why we participated in this effort of goodwill."

"But we don't feel the current law is adequate for the expres-

Barn Dance tonight

The Borden County Cancer Society will be having their 24th annual Barn Dance, Friday, April 14, 8:30 p.m., in the County Show Barn in Gall. The music will be provided by Jody Nix and The Texas Cowboys. Admission is by donation to the Borden County Cancer Society.

ON THE RUN

DID YOU WIN?

PICK 3: 3, 8, 5

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents during a 24 hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•ELJAS MUNOZ, 39 of 204 North Johnson, was arrested on outstanding local warrants.

•SANDRA LEE PLATTE, 34 of 1405 11th Place, was arrested for theft over \$20 and under \$500. She was transferred to the county jail and released after posting a \$1,000 bond.

•THEFTS in the 1700 block of East Marcy, 1300 block of Lexington, 500 block of Birdwell and 400 block of Gregg.

•SUSPICIOUS INVESTIGATIONS in the 200 block of Owens, 1600 block of Marcy, 500 block of Settles, 2600 block of Apache, Comanche Trail Park, 2600 block of Gregg and 100 block of N.W. Fourth.

•BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE in the 1100 block of North Lamesa.

•DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES in the 1500 block of Wood and in the 1500 block of West Fourth.

•BURGLARY OF A BUILDING in the 2200 block of East 25th.

•BURGLARY OF A HABITATION in the 3200 block of Avenue C.

•CRIMINAL MISCHIEF/THEFT in the 500 block of West Fourth.

•VIOLATION OF A PROTECTIVE ORDER in the 600 block of Settles.

•MINOR ACCIDENT at intersection of Goliad and East 10th. A citation for disobeying a red light was issued.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents during a 24 hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•FRANCISCO LUERA, 24 of 1502 West Cherokee, was sentenced to 30 days in jail for possession of marijuana under two ounces.

•BENJAMIN DEANDA JR., 30 of 154 Airbase Road Bldg. 15 Apartment #4, pled guilty to two counts of driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana under two ounces. He was sentenced to 90 days in jail on each charge.

•SYLVIA BRITO GARFIAS, 34 of 316 Shadette Lane, was transferred to Mitchell County to serve 12 days on a driving while license suspended charge.

•DAVID CORNELIUS WEST-BROOK, 21 of 409 North Scurry, was arrested on a motion to revoke probation on a burglary of a building charge. He was released on a \$3,000 personal recognizance bond.

•WILLIAM BERNARD

Rabies

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well over 70 heads to Austin so far. I can't say enough about these guys. People in Howard County have worked really well together."

According to figures compiled by the Texas Department of Health 61 cases of rabies were reported in Texas in March, 15 of those cases in Howard County.

Twenty-five of the 61 cases were reported by counties that only became involved with rabies in 1995. Eight counties, including Howard County, reported their first cases of rabies in January and the rabies case count in these eight

KILLCREASE, 28 of 3304 Maple, pled guilty to a felony theft charge. He was sentenced to five years in TDCJ which was probated to two years.

•ANTHONY RAY HAYES, 30 of 304 East 20th, was arrested for theft of a firearm. He was transferred from the city jail and released after posting a \$2,500 bond.

•ARMANDO COBOS FRANCO, 29 of Arlington, was released for time served on a driving while intoxicated charge.

•YSA RUBIO, 34 of 621 Sgt. Paradez, was arrested for hindering apprehension. He was transferred from the city jail and released after posting a \$1,500 bond.

•FRED RUBIO, 29 of 621 Sgt. Paradez, was arrested for revocation of probation and possession of marijuana under two

RECORDS

ounces. No bond has been set. Thursday's temp. 83
Thursday's low 53
Average high 77
Average low 48
Record high 98 in 1972
Record low 28 in 1957
Rainfall Thursday 0.00
Month to date 1.86
Month's normal 0.49
Year to date 3.33
Normal for year 2.58

IN BRIEF

**Statistics not available.

Band boosters meet April 18

Big Spring High School Band Boosters will meet 7 p.m. April 18 in the band room. New officers for next year will be elected.

Auditions set for April 22-23

Community Theatre, West Texas Center for the Arts, will have auditions April 22-23 for a new family musical from 2 to 5 p.m., Big Spring High School Choir room. It is open to adults and junior and high school students. Call 267-1140 for more information.

'Parents Who Care' meeting April 17

Parents of all juniors and seniors at Big Spring High School are invited to a "Parents Who Care" meeting in the school's cafeteria April 17 at 7 p.m.

This organizational meeting is for the "After Prom Party" on May 6. Everyone's participation is needed to help this to be a successful alternative for the students after their prom.

For more information, call Maureen Haddad at 263-8191 or Paula Talbot at 267-5629.

SPRINGBOARD

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TODAY

•Dominoes, 42, bridge and Chickentrack, 5-8 p.m. at 2805 Lynn, Kentwood Center. Public invited.

•Survivors support group, 5:15 to 7 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

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

•Sober Living Skills educational group, noon to 1 p.m., Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, 905 N. Benton. Call 263-8920.

•Spring City Senior Center, free fashion painting classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

•Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Music by The Super Six Band. Area seniors invited.

•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. Big Book Study, 615 Settles.

•Signal Mountain Quilting Guild, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 267-1037, 264-7107 or 267-7281. Bring lunch.

•The Borden County Cancer Society will have their 24th annual Barn Dance, 8:30 p.m., County Show Barn in Gall. The music will be provided by Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys. Admission is by donation to the Borden County Cancer Society. For information call Lisa Ludecke, 806-872-6248 or 806-756-4463.

SATURDAY

•Family support group, 1 p.m., Reflections Unit at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Contact Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting, 615 Settles.

•Big Spring Shrine Club, 6:30 p.m. There will be a meal served. Call J.D. Thompson, 267-8416, president.

SUNDAY

•Good Shepherd Fellowship, 610 Abrams, has services at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come.

•Alcoholics Anonymous 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting, 615 Settles.

•American Legion Howard County #355, 3:30 p.m., Post Home.

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24th & Johnson 267-8288

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Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel

906 GREGG 267-6331

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Quake strongest in 60 years

■ As far as earthquakes go, Texas is a quiet state

By JANINE ZUNIGA
Associated Press Writer

West Texans and New Mexicans are still shaking from a magnitude-5.6 earthquake, an unusual Texas temblor that was the strongest in more than 60 years.

The quake that hit Thursday was felt as far north as Roswell, N.M., and as far south as San Antonio, according to the U.S. Geological Survey, National Earthquake Information Center in Golden, Colo.

Thursday's 7:33 p.m. CDT quake had an epicenter 20 miles east-southeast of Alpine. It triggered small fires, cracked plaster and jolted residents of the town of about 5,700.

The needle on a ground sensor at the McDonald Observatory, about 25 miles north of Alpine, broke off because of the earthquake, said Doug Otupal, an instrument technician at the observatory.

"It's just your typical seismograph, but we've got the sensitivity way up," he said, adding they are adjustable to record large or small movements.

"We weren't looking for earthquakes, just small movements. It just broke the needle off when

the earthquake came through," he said.

Only two minor injuries were reported in the West Texas areas near the quake's epicenter.

Texas is not earthquake country, so why was there an earthquake of such magnitude here? "It's hard to know why," said Stuart Koyanagi, a USGS geophysicist. "It's difficult to say why we sometimes have earthquakes where they don't usually occur."

He said part of the problem is that the history of earthquakes in Texas is short, dating back only to the 1880s.

"A hundred years' history is not a lot to look at," Koyanagi said. "Some faults in the world don't go off very often, only every 100 years. So for all practical purposes, they are dormant."

Texas has no active geologic faults, although the long-dormant Balcones fault runs north-eastward through the heart of the state. Sporadic, "down-to-the-coast" quakes occur in Southeast Texas.

Quakes occur where there is a weakness between two blocks of rock. The plane between the blocks is a fault.

"In any weakness, stress builds up and needs to be released," Koyanagi said. "Once it gets to a certain point, the rocks slide up against each other, and that movement is an earthquake."

Some faults have not been mapped because they have little seismic activity to point them out, he said.

"Earthquakes are all different," he said. "Some tend to have a high stress drop, releas-

Quake Facts

DALLAS (AP) — Dates, magnitudes and epicenters of recent Texas earthquakes, including the quake that extended into New Mexico:

—Apr. 14, 1995; 5.6; 20 miles east southeast of Alpine

—Apr. 9, 1993; 4.2; 55 miles southeast of San Antonio

—Jan. 2, 1992; 4.7; 50 miles north of Odessa and about 30 miles southeast of Hobbs, N.M.

—July 20, 1991; 3.6, Falls City

—March 4, 1984; 3.2, Pleasanton

—July 23, 1983; 3.6, Fashing

—Dec. 25, 1973; 3.2, Fashing

ing their energy all at once. In other cases, you can have a lot of aftershocks."

He pointed out the Northridge, Calif. quake as an example of a 6.9 temblor that had 10 magnitude-5 aftershocks. The recent Kobe, Japan, quake, although similar in size, did not have one magnitude-5 aftershock.

Koyanagi said that is part of the challenge seismologists face quake prediction. Another is the lack of precursor activity, meaning there is no signal of an imminent quake, he said.

Thursday's West Texas quake was strong enough to show up on seismographic centers around the world. Koyanagi said he has received calls from Norway, Argentina and South Africa.

"The state of Texas," Koyanagi said, "is pretty quiet as far as states go."

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delivery of a controlled substance, \$7,500 bond; Anthony Alphonso Lewis, 23 of 810 East 13th, two counts of delivery of a controlled substance, \$20,000 bond; Donald Vanderbilt, 19 of 1002 North Main #46, delivery of marijuana, \$1,500 bond; Sharon Annette James, 36 of 1311 West Second, delivery of marijuana, \$1,500 bond.

Faye Jean McGee, 37 of 1209 Wood, two counts of delivery of a controlled substance, \$15,000 bond; Lonell Banks, 56 of 1002 North Main #203, delivery of a controlled substance, \$1,500 bond; Alexander Valencia, 35 of 202 N.E. Third, two counts of delivery of a controlled substance, \$20,000 bond.

Linda Gibbs, 30 of 538 Westover #140, delivery of a controlled substance, \$7,500 bond;

David Young, 57 of 109 N.E. 10th, delivery of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond, Paul Viera, 44 of 710 Willia, delivery of marijuana, \$1,500 bond and Margret A. Graham, 29 of 610 Stakley, two counts of delivery of a controlled substance, \$15,000 bond.

All suspects have posting their bonds and been released.

Quake

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world."

Although a better estimate of damage was not expected until after dawn, possibly the most serious incident was the collapse of a chunk of Cathedral Mountain, a 6,800-foot peak in the Davis Mountains, about 12 miles south of Alpine. It caused no injuries, said a DPS officer.

"He said it looked like the mountain had been karate-chopped," said DPS communications officer Bill Bechtel of Pecos.

Thursday's shake was the biggest in Texas since Aug. 16,

1931, when a 6.0-magnitude quake struck Valentine, about 50 miles west of Alpine, said Bruce Presgrave, a geophysicist with the U.S. Geological Survey.

The last notable quake in Texas measured 4.2 on April 9, 1993. The epicenter was 55 miles southeast of San Antonio.

The last notable earthquake to shake West Texas struck Jan. 2, 1992, when a 4.7-magnitude quake shook most of West Texas and southeast New Mexico.

"The state of Texas, is pretty quiet; as far as states go," said Stuart Koyanagi, a geophysicist with the Geological Survey's

National Earthquake Information Center.

With no active faults in Texas, Thursday's quake may have been caused by the rare event of subterranean rock from the southern end of the Rocky Mountains adjusting itself, said Texas Christian geologist Ken Morgan, who studies West

Texas.

"This is an area that should be pretty quiet," he said. "This is an event that's not likely to happen again in this area for some time."

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plaster and broker windows.

The quake lasted about a minute in the Big Spring/Midland/Odessa area, which was long enough to have many residents wondering what was coming next.

One lady said, "I thought it was the second coming when my chair began to move with

me in it."

Another Big Spring man simply said, "What earthquake. I

didn't feel a thing."

Johanna Cain, a resident at Canterbury-South in Big Spring, said, "I was sitting in my recliner watching television and my chair started to swing sideways like a rocking chair. I'm on the fifth floor and I

thought I was going crazy."

Cain added she could also feel the rumble under the building.

As with many of the severe storms that hit West Texas, feeling the quake depended on where you were and what you were doing. The quake was felt by many, but for others it came and went and no one knew the difference.

Track star shot while fleeing after pelting home with eggs; woman faces murder charges

ELKINS PARK, Pa. (AP) — A woman whose townhouse had just been pelted with eggs drew a semiautomatic gun from her bathrobe and shot to death a 17-year-old track star as he tried to flee, authorities said.

Desmond Hayes was shot once while running from Anjanette Williamson's home shortly before midnight Wednesday. Police said Hayes had gone on an egg-throwing spree with three friends after a

basketball game.

Williamson, 27, was arraigned Thursday on charges of third-degree murder, voluntary and involuntary manslaughter and other offenses. She was jailed pending a

bail hearing.

If convicted of murder, Williamson faces a 10- to 20-year prison sentence.

"You don't shoot a gun at a kid who's throwing eggs," said Hayes' uncle, Ernie Hayes. "It

was a totally senseless murder."

Hayes and his three friends were "lousy shots" and didn't seem to hit anybody as they threw eggs out the car window at people on the sidewalk, said

Montgomery County District Attorney Michael Marino.

Then they drove into a low-income housing area in suburban Philadelphia and saw Williamson standing on her steps.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"We have too many high sounding words, and too few actions that correspond with them."

Abigail Adams, First Lady, 1774

Turning a blind eye won't make problem go away

Blinding yourself to reality isn't going to make the bad go away.

That seems to be the idea behind the Dallas County Commissioners' decision to ban the county health clinic's distribution of condoms, needle sterilization kits and "safe sex" literature.

In a time where people - both homosexual and heterosexual - are dying from AIDS, to ban the distribution of condoms is contributing to the problem.

What is worse, by this decision, workers at the county health clinic will not be allowed to even distribute "safe sex" literature.

Dr. Charles E. Bell, chief of the Bureau of Sexually Transmitted Diseases and HIV Prevention in Texas told the Associated Press, "It's negligent for any health care provider not to provide devices and information. Just to tell them to not have sex isn't going to happen."

He is absolutely correct. Whether you like it or not, sex is here to stay.

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Charles C. Williams
Publisher

DD Turner
Managing Editor

Keeping people alive who are having sex, especially our children, should be paramount.

Commissioner Kenneth Mayfield, a sponsor of the ban, says the county should promote abstinence as the only method of safe sex taught.

Abstinence should be included and emphasized but in a diverse society it shouldn't be the only way promoted.

Moral values have to begin in the home. But, stuff happens, even in the best of homes.

To deny people access to literature, much less condoms, is not right and does not aid in the cause of preventing the spread of HIV and AIDS.

Reality is knocking on our doors. We have to open it and acknowledge what is. We can't keep it out forever.



BEN SARGENT
Author of the cartoon "Fiscal Dissipation"

Having seen lifetime of change

"That day was the day I was born," he said.

"That day was the day I was born," she said.

The two of them - Joshua D'Esposito, 84, of Naperville, Ill., and Ruth Grootendorst, 84, of St. Joseph, Mich. - don't know each other.

Each had read a recent column here about an edition of an old newspaper that had turned up: The Joliet, Ill., Weekly News of Oct. 6, 1910.

The column summed up some of the gentle, peaceful news stories of that day, and contrasted them with today's news reports. Mr. D'Esposito and Mrs. Grootendorst took special interest in the column because Oct. 6, 1910 was the day each of them came into the world. And each had plenty of thoughts about how they have seen that world change since the day that edition was published. Their observations seemed worthy of passing along.

"Frankly, I'm glad that I'm 84," Mr. D'Esposito said with a slight laugh. "The way I see things going, I'm not all that sure I want to be around much longer."

One of the changes during his lifetime that worries him the most, he said, is the devaluation of literacy. "The growing illiteracy in this country, at the same time the world is growing more complicated - this does not bode well, I think," he said.

The 20th Century development that may have had the

most inadvertently harmful effect, he said, is a surprising one.

"The universal availability and use of the internal combustion engine," he said. "It has destroyed the cities. The cities used to be safe, civil, the center of things. They had to be - they were where people gathered. But with the internal combustion engine, people became mobile - they didn't have to stay in one place. Whatever good there may be to that, the bad part is that the cities as we knew them have so deteriorated."

The best change in his lifetime?

"The development of medicine in this century, the treatment of illnesses, the surgical procedures that are nothing short of miraculous. We forget how far we have come in this area."

"But then there is television, and how it has hastened the decline in our culture. I always have to shake my head when the TV industry claims that all the violence on television doesn't really affect people - yet there is an entire multi-billion-dollar industry, the advertising industry, that is built on the premise that TV does influence people."

Mrs. Grootendorst said she is not as wary of the future as Mr. D'Esposito may be - "I'm a very modern person" - but conceded that the stories in the newspaper that came out on the day she was born remind her wistfully of a vanished America.

"The world is better now in many ways," she said. "The fact that there is indoor plumbing everywhere - most people don't remember when, especially out in the country, so many places had outhouses. Let me tell you, it wasn't very pleasant."

"Do you know what that col-

umn made me think of? When I was a girl, my mother and I would go into Chicago to shop at Marshall Field's - and when you wanted to buy a pair of gloves, you would sit down and they would put them on you! Really! It was just so slow, so civilized. The feel of them putting the gloves onto your hands."

"We never used a front door key. Always left the door open. We came and went without even giving a thought to the idea someone might break into our home."

"I do like the cars better today - I used to drive those cars that had running boards and rumble seats, and whatever you may hear about today's cars, they seem sturdier to me. Tires, too - tires were blowing out all the time, you were always having to put on your spare. Now, whatever they've done to tires, they're much better."

"Of course, there was no need to rely on cars so much. I remember as a young girl walking from St. Joseph over to Benton Harbor to go to the movies. It must have been three miles from my house to the Liberty Theater, and I would walk home by myself at any time of the night, and I was never afraid."

"Now I would lock every door in my car."

Both Mr. D'Esposito and Mrs. Grootendorst said they're sorry so many Americans have no memory at all of this nation as it was in the years just after they were born.

"I don't think I'll ever get to go into space, but I'm eager to see what will happen in our country's future," Mrs. Grootendorst said. "At the same time, I wish we could have some of our past back."

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OUT FRONT

Battling against 'war taxes'

Group says using money for common good

By MICHAEL WARREN
Associated Press Writer

While many Americans are lining up outside post offices to mail in their 1040s this Tax Day, Clare Hanrahan will be handing her contributions over in person - to a group that feeds the homeless in Asheville, N.C.

She finds paying taxes to fund the country's defense budget so abhorrent that she's willing to break the law and take on the Internal Revenue Service. And she's not alone.

But unlike those who claim federal taxation is unconstitutional, or refuse to pay because the currency isn't backed by gold, Hanrahan and other "war tax" resisters don't mind turning in their hard-earned cash for the common good.

"We're not evading taxes. We're redirecting them and putting them where they'll do the most good, immediately," said Hanrahan, 46, a single parent who does freelance editing and cleans houses to get by.

This year, she is one of an estimated 8,000 people diverting their taxes to 41 alternative funds, which have grown to \$1 million. In turn, these funds are making \$120,000 in loans and \$60,000 in grants, according to the National War Tax Resistance Coordinating Committee.

The money is going to everything from battered women's shelters and nursery schools to environmental and AIDS prevention organizations.

People have been resisting "war taxes" since the Vietnam War, said Karen Marysdaughter of Monroe, Maine, who runs the committee. There was a resurgence during the Persian Gulf War, and now there's renewed interest in the age of the Republican "Contract With America," she said.

But the resisters pay a high price for their consciousness, first getting threatening letters or visits from IRS agents, and eventually losing their wages, bank accounts, sometimes even cars, jobs and homes.

"Many of us feel we are in a sense of free fall," said Hanrahan. "If your security is tied up in property ownership, all those things are at risk if you stand in opposition to war tax payments."

Some refuse to pay any federal taxes. Others send about half what they owe, figuring that defense spending represents 51 percent of the budget when mil-



Clare Hanrahan, 46, attends a protest rally in Asheville, N.C., Thursday. Taxes For Life!, the alternative fund she and others pay their federal taxes to, is making its first donation on Monday of \$100 to a group that feeds homeless in Asheville.

itary-related debt is included. The IRS says 24 percent of the current budget goes to national defense, veterans and foreign affairs.

"When we complete our income tax, we deduct 50 percent for past, present and future wars," said Scott Kennedy, a Santa Cruz, Calif., city council member who has resisted taxes since 1971, and sends a letter to the IRS each year explaining why.

"Now it's kind of by rote - we refuse to pay, and then they take it out of our bank account or seize my wife's salary," said Kennedy. "Now that we're relatively well-known to the IRS, they collect from us with a depressing regularity, so in addition to the tax, we typically pay interest and penalties as well."

Others, like Hanrahan, deliberately keep their income below taxable levels - \$8,050 for a single head of household this year.

Hanrahan, whose Taxes For Life! fund is making its first donation Monday - \$100 to a group calling itself Food Not Bombs - decided to "become downwardly mobile" and begin resisting taxes in 1981.

"I had been living near big

military bases, waking up to the threat of nuclear war, and I kept thinking, what could I do personally? I realized that the only things I had control over were my own contributions to the federal budget."

Hanrahan raised her daughter while working - and living for free - in a homeless shelter. Now she lives in a house she's fixing up, bikes around town and eats from her garden in Asheville.

There's no money for health insurance, let alone her daughter's college education, but she's still managed to give away 10 percent of her income.

"I've really lived on the edge. I've relinquished a lot of privileges people come to depend on in this country," she said. But "we feel like we're standing on high ground."

To the IRS, of course, these people are nothing more than common tax cheats, and what they're doing is fundamentally unfair to other taxpayers.

"Unfortunately, society has to shoulder the burden of people who do not act with pro-social behavior," said Anthony Burke, an IRS spokesman in Washington.

Well-to-do hit hard by Clinton's tax bill

By TIM BOVEE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - As the April 17 filing deadline looms, miserable taxpayers can find company among the affluent. Well-to-do Americans' taxes surged 16 percent in 1993, the first year of revisions pressed into law by President Clinton.

People who earned \$100,000 or more owed the government an additional \$31 billion compared with 1992, according to an Associated Press computer-assisted analysis of Internal Revenue Service data. Everyone else together owed about \$3 billion more.

The tax-law revisions were aimed specifically at reducing the deficit by tapping people with big incomes. When President Clinton proposed raising taxes on high incomes, experts expected the affluent to create shelters and loopholes to blunt the impact.

It didn't happen. The law took effect in August 1993, but the new rules were applied retroactively to January. That took some tax planners by surprise.

"We did not see a new surge of tax shelters," said Robert McIntyre of Citizens for Tax Justice, a Washington advocacy group. "It's hard to do, and it takes time."

Clinton had argued that upper-income Americans had paid less than their share of taxes in the years when Republican presidents Reagan and Bush sat in the White House.

He said the law asked "the well-off to pay their fair share, requiring that at least 80 percent of the new tax burden fall

on those making more than \$200,000 a year, and very little on any other Americans, not to punish the successful, but simply to ask something of the very people whose incomes went up most and whose taxes went down during the 1980s."

The bill added two new tax brackets - 36 percent for income beginning at \$115,000 and 39.6 percent beginning at \$250,000 - but generally left other tax rates alone.

While tax liability declined for people in many brackets, for those making more than \$100,000 it amounted to 25.5 percent of their income before deductions, up from 23 percent the previous year. The law allowed them to spread actual payment of their taxes over several years.

The tax increases, while aimed at the wealthy, made no distinction between taxpayers living in high-cost and low-cost areas. Also, the bill didn't differentiate between single-income and dual-income households.

Tax returns reporting \$100,000 or more in income accounted for just 4 percent of the 114.6 million returns filed for 1993. But they amounted to 24 percent of the \$3.7 trillion in individual income reported.

"They have very substantial incomes," said Clint Stretch of the accounting firm Deloitte & Touche. "I think most clients aren't particularly happy to be paying more, but for most of them it's not a catastrophe."

The affluent found few places where they could successfully shelter their money, he said. Municipal bonds and other tax-free investments pay relatively low returns. Investments that

pay well are taxed.

A 1986 law eliminated many tax shelters formerly favored by the rich, such as investments in apartment buildings or small corporations that provided a tax writeoff, and restricted the amount of itemized deductions high-income taxpayers can claim.

"I would have expected (shelters)," said economist Michael Schuyler of the Institute for Research on the Economics of Taxation. "On the other hand, the thing came on pretty suddenly - it was made retroactive, which many people didn't expect - so a lot of people may have allowed income to come in in 1993 thinking that they'd have until 1994 to make the changes in their work habits and the forms in which they took income."

The average tax bill for the affluent, those with incomes over \$100,000, rose by \$3,500 to \$56,000. Their share of all personal income taxes rose from 39 percent to 43 percent.

Some middle-class households, with income in the \$50,000 to \$100,000 range, also paid more in taxes. But the percentage of their income going to taxes declined.

"I personally feel an incredible pinch," said tax-planner Victoria Trumbower. A mother of three, she is a manager with the accounting firm Arthur Andersen in Washington. She and her husband paid taxes on incomes exceeding \$115,000.

"This has put me into a huge tax bracket," Trumbower said. "It has affected my spending. I would have put some money into the American economy if it wasn't for the \$8,000 I owe."

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BURL IVES

Cancer claims Ives at age 85

ANACORTES, Wash. (AP) — Burl Ives, who made classic recordings of folk songs like "The Blue Tail Fly" and created the role of Big Daddy in "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," died this morning. He was 85.

Ives died at home, said his agent, Marjorie Schick Tanz Ashley.

"Since I was a child, I knew I was going to be a performer," he said in a February 1993 interview, when he was 83. "It was something I knew in my heart of hearts that I would always do."

Ives' wife, Dorothy, and her three adult children were with him, Ashley said.

Ives slipped into a coma early Wednesday at his home. He had been suffering from complications of mouth cancer.

Ives — with his trademark goatee, twinkling eyes and rotund shape — may be remembered best as a balladeer for the nation's heartland.

But he did it all, succeeding on the stage, screen, television and in concert.

Roaming the country as a young man, he picked up songs and stories and sang with the likes of Josh White and Woody Guthrie. Ives chronicled that era in a 1948 autobiography "Wayfaring Stranger," written when he was just 38. He later admitted to a few embellishments, lamenting, "The truth is mundane."

At the end of the Depression he was in New York City, trying to crack the big time with a passel of homegrown favorites like "Goober Peas," "My Gal Sal" and "The Blue Tail Fly," which has the chorus: "Jimmy Crack Corn (and I don't care)."

Poet Carl Sandburg called him "the mightiest ballad singer of this or any other century," but in the early days Ives took some ribbing about "the songs of the people" that he loved.

One night, he broke off from a tender ballad, "I Gave My Love a Cherry," to mix it up with a member of a New York audience who jeered at the "sissy song."

Ives decked him and "wound up with a couple of black eyes," he recalled.

State cleared to take over Newark's schools

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — The state can and should disband the Newark school board and take control of the state's largest school district, a state judge ruled Thursday.

Administrative Law Judge Stephen G. Weiss said the state's evidence of poor academic performance in the district was substantial enough to show

that the takeover effort "was neither arbitrary, unreasonable nor capricious."

Newark school lawyer Raymond M. Brown had challenged the takeover, asking for a series of court hearings to review the accusations about academic troubles. Such hearings could have delayed the takeover for as long as two years, but Weiss dis-

missed the lawsuit.

Weiss's ruling is not binding. Education Commissioner Leo Klagholz has final say whether to take over the district.

Board of Education spokesman Peter Peretzman said it was not immediately clear whether Klagholz and the board would act in time to take over the schools by the start of

the next academic year in September.

He said Klagholz could not comment because of his legal role in handling the case.

The state Education Department issued a blistering report in July saying the district's students were poorly educated in run-down buildings while dis-

trict leaders with important-sounding titles stayed in comfortable offices "detached from the everyday reality of the school."

The report criticized everything from the quality of instruction in the classroom to the nutritional value of cafeteria food.

Mother tosses baby out window

CHICAGO (AP) — A woman who hurled her 16-month-old son to his death from an eighth-floor window had not slept or eaten for several days, was stressed out over raising her children alone and faced eviction, her sister said.

"She was acting all distraught, walking and saying things that didn't make sense," Edwina Banks said of her sister, Deborah Turner, who was visiting Ms. Banks at her apartment Wednesday.

"I said, 'Deborah, try to eat something,'" Ms. Banks said.

Ms. Turner then got up and carried the baby into the bedroom.

Moments later, Ms. Banks and others in the apartment heard glass breaking. She rushed into the room and saw the shattered window.

"I said, 'Deborah, why did you do that?' ... She couldn't say anything. So, I just slapped her as hard as I could," then ran downstairs to check on the baby, Ms. Banks said.

Tyler Marshall, wearing only a diaper, landed on the muddy ground outside the Robert Taylor Homes, a gang-ridden housing project. He was pronounced dead on arrival at a local hospital.

Police Cmdr. Charles Smith said Ms. Turner confessed to throwing her baby out the window. She told police she was mad at the child for crying, Smith said.

Ms. Turner, 35, was charged with first-degree murder and jailed without bail.



Associated Press photo
A workman prepares to replace the glass of the eighth-floor window in a public housing project building in Chicago from which 16-month-old Tyler Marshall was thrown to his death by his mother.

"What she did was madness," Ms. Banks said. "She didn't have to toss her flesh and blood out the window. All he wanted her to do was hold him. ... I don't know what made her snap. ... What my sister did was murder."

Ms. Banks acknowledged that her sister had been under a lot of stress — raising her children alone and facing eviction. She also hadn't slept in several days, Ms. Banks said.

"She just wanted someone to talk to," said Ms. Turner's 13-year-old son, Demetri Turner. Demetri said his mother had never been abusive before.

But one of Ms. Turner's neighbors, Rickie Owens, told television station WLS that she would leave the baby in her apartment "and he would cry all night."

"One day she just went off and she cussed everybody out on the block, throwing bottles."

Mistake-ridden hospital thinks it's being singled out

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — A mistake-ridden hospital stripped of its accreditation and forced to virtually shut down its operating rooms contends it has become a scapegoat for an industry blind to its own ills.

University Community Hospital officials say they are truly sorry about recently amputating the wrong leg of a patient and mistakenly removing another patient from a ventilator, but they maintain they are not alone in making mistakes.

"By singling out UCH, industry regulators are refusing to accept the fact that all, and I repeat all, hospitals have similar patient incidents," said hospital board chairman Ken Lightfoot.

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations on Thursday stripped the private, 424-bed hospital of the accreditation it needs to continue getting millions of dollars in federal funds. Last year, Medicaid and Medicare funding totaled \$52 million, or one-third of UCH's patient

revenue.

The commission, which made the decision 10 days after a surprise inspection, declined to release details of its findings. The hospital has 20 days to respond.

In the past 13 months, the commission has denied or revoked accreditation from eight hospitals nationwide.

Florida's Agency for Health Care Administration shut down the operating rooms for all but emergency cases last week after investigators discovered what they said were sloppy procedures that jeopardized patient safety.

The agency's action has eliminated an average of 60 surgeries and \$30,000 in revenue each day.

State officials said the ban wouldn't be lifted until the operating rooms were deemed safe, and until staff members — including all 326 hospital surgeons — were briefed on proper operating room safety procedures.



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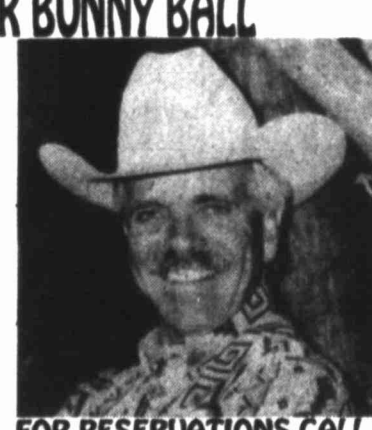
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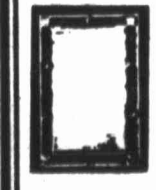
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Wives of jailed Americans trying to arrange visit

KUWAIT (AP) — The wives of two Americans jailed for illegally entering Iraq want to visit their husbands in Baghdad and plead with Iraqi officials for their release.

David Daliberti, 41, of Jacksonville, Florida, and William Barloon, 39, were sentenced to eight-year prison terms after being arrested by Iraqi border

guards on March 13.

The men, who worked for defense contractors in Kuwait, strayed into Iraq while trying to visit friends at a U.N. post near the border.

Barloon's wife, Linda, said Thursday that she and Daliberti's wife, Cathy, were seeking permission to travel to Baghdad to visit the men and meet with

Iraqi officials.

"I have no idea how long it is going to take," Mrs. Barloon told The Associated Press in Kuwait, where she lives. "I am hoping to meet with Iraqi officials to make a personal plea for my husband's release."

Cable News Network correspondent Brent Sadler visited the prisoners this week and said

they appeared thinner but "more determined."

He said Daliberti was increasingly concerned about heart and eye problems and was seen Tuesday by two cardiologists and two eye doctors.

According to Sadler, the men said they are being held in a small cell that is part of a block holding about 200 prisoners,

including some serving time for murder.

Three holes in the floor serve as toilets for all of them, Sadler said.

Iraq's Information Minister Hamed Yousef Humadi said in an interview with CNN that the imprisonment of the Americans was a legal problem, not a political issue.

He cited earlier cases of foreigners convicted of illegal entry being released on a presidential pardon, hinting that Daliberti and Barloon may get the same treatment.

Iraqi officials have suggested that the Americans entered with ulterior motives tied to U.S. efforts to prolong the U.N. oil and trade embargo.

Penitents re-enact crucifixion

SAN PEDRO CUTUD, Philippines (AP) — In front of thousands of fascinated and festive eyes, penitents whipped themselves bloody and a few submitted to crucifixion today in observance of Good Friday.

The fervor of the believers in this annual event was matched by the sun that broiled over this village about 30 miles north of Manila. Some spectators fainted in the overwhelming tropical heat, but the penitents bore worse torments stoically.

A dozen penitents, including two women, spent about five minutes each on wooden crosses, re-enacting the suffering and death of Jesus Christ. Men dressed as Roman centurions drove thin aluminum nails, soaked in alcohol to prevent infection, into their hands and feet, carefully avoiding bones.

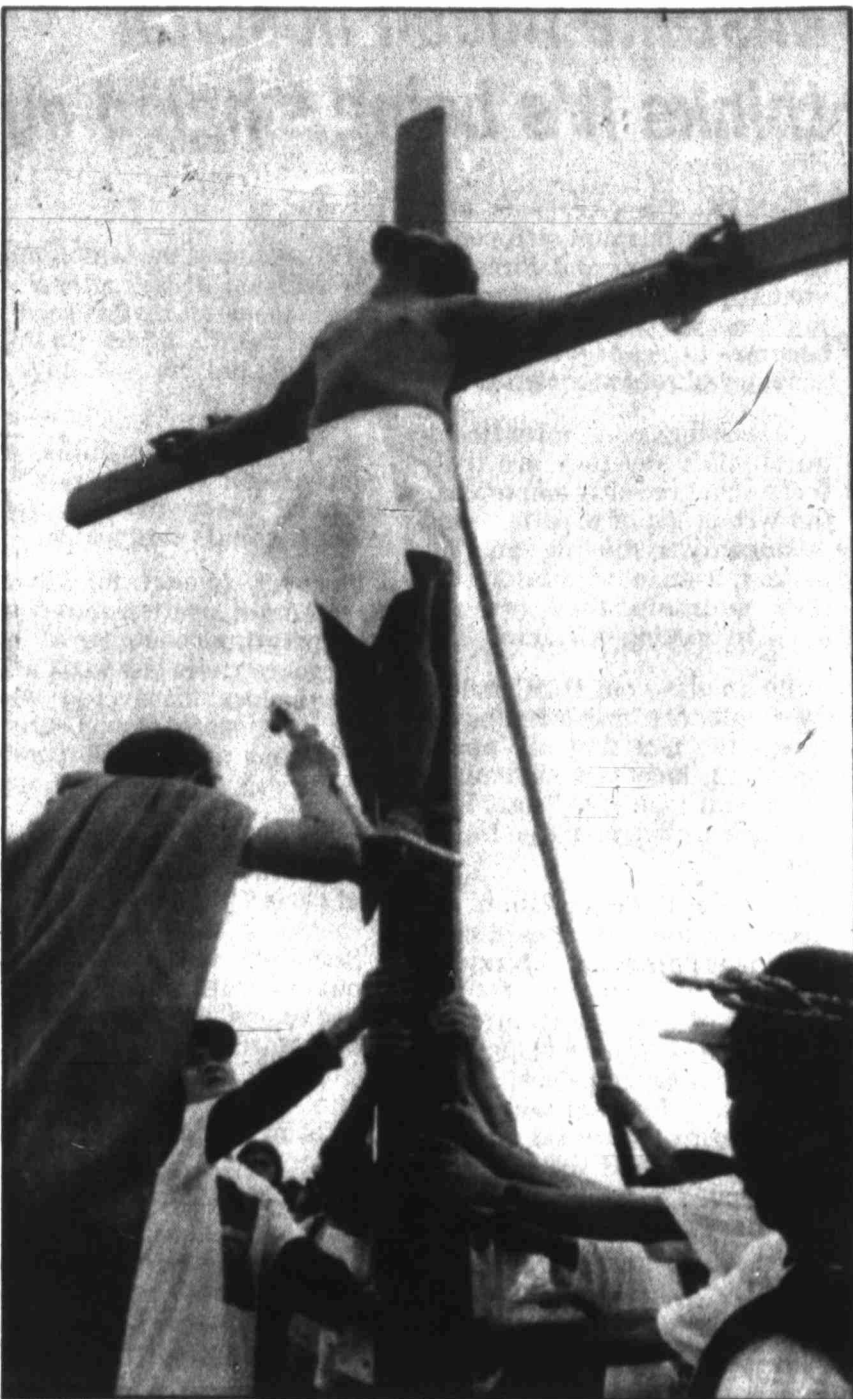
Rolando Ocampo, 39, said he was crucified on five successive Good Fridays to fulfill a vow he made when his wife suffered serious health problems during pregnancy.

He decided to go through the ordeal for a sixth time this year to ask divine help for a brother who recently suffered a stroke.

"I promised as long as I could get through that I would do it," he said.

The Roman Catholic hierarchy officially frowns on the crucifixions, saying they detract from the suffering and death of Jesus. But the church does little to discourage the practice, which has gone on for generations, and several thousand people turn out in villages like this where crucifixions are performed.

The observances combine piety with a carnival atmosphere. Preachers wandered



Fernando Macapagal shouts in pain as a nail is driven into his feet on Good Friday in Barjo Cutud, Pampanga, Philippines. Macapagal went through this 10th straight year of crucifixion in thanksgiving for his mother's recovery from an unknown disease.

through the crowd handing out tracts and delivering extemporaneous sermons in front of tables.

Throughout the day, flagellants wandered through the streets of this village. From time to time they would stop, lie down on the ground and allow

villagers to beat them with canes and wooden slats.

As noon approached, a man dressed in white robes and a crown of thorns like Jesus was led by centurions to a platform, where a local man played the role of Pontius Pilate and sentenced him to death.

Mandela fires estranged wife once again

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — After firing his estranged wife from her Cabinet post last month, then being forced to take her back on a technicality, President Nelson Mandela fired her again today, this time by the book.

Mandela fired Winnie Mandela today as deputy minister of arts, culture, science and technology after consulting with other political parties — something he forgot to do the last time around.

Mandela said he reconsidered his wife's appointment, in light of her legal challenge to the dismissal originally announced March 27. Still, he came up with the same answer: She must go.

He declined to give his reasons, but was known to be angry at his wife for insubordination, particularly for taking a trip in March to West Africa in defiance of his orders, and for criticizing him for not moving quickly enough to help the country's poor.

"I sincerely hope that this action will help her to reflect and improve on her conduct in positions of leadership," he said in a statement given to the South African Press Association.

Police are investigating an informant's allegations that Mrs. Mandela engaged in corruption and influence-peddling with a builder who was trying to land a government housing contract.

Mrs. Mandela was reinstated to her job two days ago after she sued, saying her dismissal was illegal because not all political parties in Mandela's government had been consulted, as required by the constitution.

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Statewide campaign against DWI, underage drinking launched

AUSTIN (AP) — Hispanic youths are being targeted as part of a statewide campaign against alcohol abuse touted by Gov. George W. Bush.

"It is a public-private partnership all aimed at saying to our children, 'No matter where they live or what they look like, you are responsible for your behavior,'" Bush said Thursday

of the battle against drunken driving and illegal underage drinking in Texas.

"Texas is a wide and varied state with all kinds of people, and there are programs aimed at our Anglo youth, and there need to be programs aimed at our Hispanic youth as well if we care about the future of our state," he said.

Bush also gave a statement in Spanish for the benefit of Spanish-language broadcasters at a news conference on the bilingual campaign.

The effort is sponsored by The Century Council, a not-for-profit national organization that opposes alcohol abuse. Its headquarters are in Los Angeles, and it's supported by members

of the alcohol beverage industry.

The "Si Toma, No Maneje... If You Drink Don't Drive" program was created by Hispanic leaders in California.

It includes an adult English-as-a-second-language anti-drunken driving curriculum to be distributed to public school districts; a designated-driver

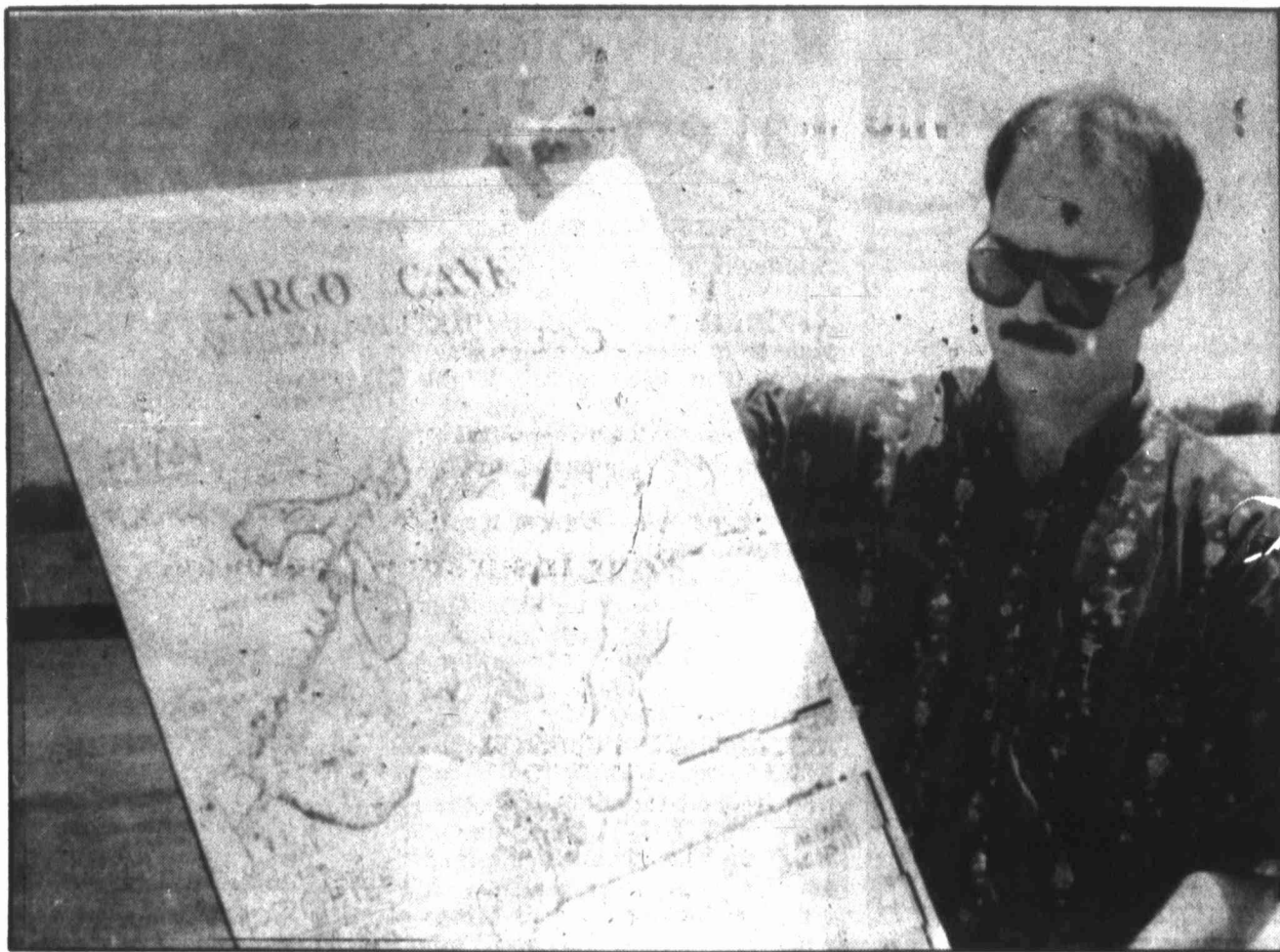
pledge called "La Promesa" to be implemented in Catholic parishes around the state; and bilingual materials in convenience stores and liquor stores that warn, "Too young to buy, don't even try."

Brownsville Police Chief Victor Rodriguez, among several Hispanic leaders voicing support for the program, cited

statistics regarding Hispanic drunken-driving arrests in Texas.

Of Texas' population, 25.5 percent is Hispanic, while 37.4 percent of those arrested for driving while intoxicated in 1993 in Texas were Hispanic.

"We have a common goal: To educate, and in doing so, to save lives," Rodriguez said.



Sam Hamilton, of the Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service, displays a map during a news conference Thursday of one of the 87 caves beneath the land of a retirement community near Georgetown. After investigation under the Endangered Species Act it was announced the land will be left clear in building the retirement community.

Community will be built among caves, two endangered species

GEORGETOWN, Texas (AP) — The federal government has signed off on a plan to build a 5,300-acre retirement community here nestled among about 90 natural caves and two endangered species.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service said Thursday they had approved the Del Webb Corp. project to preserve two species of cave-dwelling insects, the Coffin Cave Mold Beetle and the Bone Cave Harvestman, as well as to protect the northern end of the Edwards Aquifer, into which the caves empty.

"These cave invertebrates are found in the ... features and the sinkholes that are directly tied to the drinking water systems that we all depend on," said Sam Hamilton, state administrator for the Fish and Wildlife Service. He said the insects serve as indicators of the ecological health of the water system.

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Buffers will be placed between houses and other developments and the caves, and fences will mark where caves are so pesticides and chemicals used by the community can be kept clear.

In addition, an education program will tell residents of the community about the natural resources.

Officials from both the Fish and Wildlife Service and Phoenix-based Del Webb heralded the project as an example of cooperation between commercial development and environmentalists.

"We hear a lot of criticism, especially in recent months, about how we have to make a Draconian choice between the Endangered Species Act and the benefits it has brought over the (last) 20 years," said John Duffy, counsel to U.S. Secretary

of the Interior Bruce Babbitt.

"We're here to emphasize today ... that that Draconian choice doesn't have to be made," he said.

The Georgetown development has been in the planning stages for a year and a half. From the beginning — as a matter of policy, Del Webb representatives said — the corporation conducted environmental studies and conferred with environmental agencies.

"We have here an extraordinary example of how development and protection of natural resources can go hand-in-hand. And the basis of that protection is planning," Duffy said.

"Rather than destroy cave habitat, our intent was to design a community in harmony with the Hill Country environment," said Bob Wagoner, a vice president for the corporation.

Adult clubs may have to help relocate churches

HOUSTON (AP) — An adult entertainment club recently closed by the city may have to help relocate three small churches if it wants to reopen.

Michael's International Gentlemen's Club, a legally embattled establishment that hauls in \$6 million annually, must get the churches out of the immedi-

ate vicinity to comply with a city ordinance.

"It's not that we said, 'We'll buy you out and move you,' but we'll consider doing it if it comes to that," Charles Vorschmidt, the club's operations director, said Thursday.

"We'd rather have them as neighbors, and we don't wish to

appear that we're buying our way out of trouble."

Vorschmidt told the Houston Chronicle for its Friday editions that one reason the club opened where it did was because there were no facilities nearby that would put it in violation of adult-entertainment ordinances.

Officers safely explode bomb found in school

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — An apparent pipe bomb discovered at a San Antonio high school has been safely exploded by police bomb squad officers.

The device found at Harlandale High School on Thursday morning was a pipe about 6-inches long, capped on both ends, with electrical wires attached, said principal John Burks.

The school on San Antonio's south side was evacuated before members of the San Antonio Police Department bomb squad removed the object and took it to a nearby field and detonated it.

Nobody was injured.

Hepatitis hits suburban school

HOUSTON (AP) — Harris County health officials want to know why eight students at a suburban elementary school contracted infectious hepatitis in the past three weeks.

Harris County Health Department spokeswoman Sandy Kachur said the cases reported from North Shore Elementary in the Galena Park school district are especially strange because no link has been found among the pupils infected with hepatitis A.

The only similarity is that all the cases have been found in children in kindergarten through third grade, but none in fourth or fifth grades.

Holy Week and Easter Schedule
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Mundy Thursday, April 13th
7:30 AM Morning Prayer in the Chapel
Noon Stations of the Cross
5:30 PM Mundy Thursday Liturgy

Good Friday, April 14th
7:30 AM Morning Prayer in the Chapel
Noon Good Friday Liturgy
5:30 PM Good Friday Liturgy

Easter Eve, April 15th
8:00 AM Morning Prayer in the Chapel
9:00 PM The Great Vigil of Easter

Easter Day, April 16th
10:30 AM Easter Communion Service*



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BSHS conquers District 4-4A

Steers
leave little
doubt, win
4-4A title
going awaySTEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

MONAHANS - Just take the District 4-4A boys' track title, put it on a canvas and paint that sucker black.

The black-clad Big Spring Steers went into the district meet as the prohibitive favorites and did nothing to disprove that position, taking the boys' team title at Lobo Stadium Thursday night. Combined with the Lady Steers' title in the girls' division, the Steers' win marked the first district track double-dip in school history.

The Steers scored 210 points, compared to 141 for runner-up San Angelo Lake View. Host Monahans was third with 80 points.

Led by a double gold-medal performance by Drexell Owusu in the jumping events, the Steers took a 17-point lead heading into the track final.

OWUSU

champion in the triple jump, won that event with a leap of 47 feet, 5 1/2 inches, breaking the district meet record he set a year ago. Owusu then doubled his pleasure by clearing the high-jump bar at 6-2 to take his second gold medal of the meet.

"I had a decent meet," Owusu said. "I won and qualified for



Herald photo by Steve Reagan

Roger Eddington, left, and Chris Ochoa of Big Spring lead the pack in the 110-meter hurdles Thursday at the District 4-4A championship meet in Monahans. Eddington won the event; Ochoa was second. Both BSHS teams - the Steers and Lady Steers - won district titles Thursday and will compete in the regionals April 28 in San Angelo. A list of individual qualifiers for regionals is on page 10A. Thursday marked the first time in BSHS history that the boys' and girls' teams won district titles in the same year. Full results from the meet are in SportsExtra on page 9A.

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regionals, that was the major thing. My jumps weren't what I wanted, but I'll take them."

Big Spring briefly stubbed its toes in the first track final, finishing second to Lake View in the 400-meter relay, but it soon rebounded when Joe Franklin took the first of two gold medals in the 800. Franklin later took first place in the 1,600 run.

Another double-gold performer for the Steers, Roger Eddington, took over from

Franklin by winning the 110 high hurdles in a time of 14.4 seconds. Teammate Chris Ochoa was second in the event, three-tenths of a second behind Eddington, who later won gold in the 300 hurdles.

Lake View rallied briefly - with Ricky Brooks winning the 100-meter dash over Big Spring's Dustin Waters - and heading into the 200 run, the Chiefs were still within striking distance of Big Spring.

However, that was where the Steers tore a hole in Lake View's sails. Randy Farr (22.0), Waters (22.4) and Brian Burchett (22.5) swept the top three spots in the event, giving Big Spring a 62-point lead and firm control of the meet. The Steers then put the capper on the meet with Franklin's gold in the 1,600 run and a three-second win in the 1,600 relay. Farr took gold in the 200 and 1,600 relay, while taking a silver in the 400.

"(The team) came through," BSHS coach Randy Britton said afterward. "Randy Farr probably had as fine a performance as anybody I've ever had. I hate to say anything, because it overshadows what everybody else did."

Lady Steers zoom past
Lake View to claim crownBy STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

MONAHANS - Perhaps it's time to quit talking about how young the Big Spring High School girls' track team is, about how the vast majority of the squad is freshmen or sophomores.

As far as the school of track and field is concerned, the Lady Steers are all upperclassmen.

The Lady Steers belied their youth Thursday with a come-from-behind team title at the District 4-4A track meet in Monahans Thursday. Their title, combined with that of the BSHS boys, marks the first time in school history that both the boys' and girls' squads have won district track championships in the same year.

Big Spring won the division with 177 points, followed by Lake View with 164 points. Fort Stockton was a distant third, compiling 77 points.

It was a track title that came dear to Big Spring's girls. They trailed Lake View for most of the meet and were in danger of falling out of contention until a freshman and two sophomores turned the momentum in Big Spring's favor.

The Lady Steers trailed Lake View by 26 points after the Maidens' upset win in the 800-meter relay. Big Spring desperately needed a boost, and freshman Marisol Camero and sophomore Kandice Cline and Latisha Hall immediately obliged.

The trio finished 1-2-3 in the 400 run to give the Lady Steers 24 points and cut Lake View's advantage to a veritable sliver. Camero finished first in a time of 1 minute and 1.7 seconds, followed by Cline (1:02.6) and Hall (1:03.3).

"That was big," BSHS coach Jay Kennedy said. "I didn't know if we could sweep the 400



Herald photo by Steve Reagan

Big Spring's Marisol Camero crosses the line first as the Lady Steers clinched the District 4-4A title Thursday in the 1,600-meter relay.

going in."

Cline said the trio wasn't necessarily thinking about a sweep when they stepped to the starting line, but added: "When we're that far behind, and it gets to the middle of the meet, (Kennedy) always expects a lot from us."

Maggie Haddad finished fourth in the next event, the 300 hurdles, and those four points gave Big Spring the lead for good. Keesha Lott, Rita Casillas and Cline then gave the Lady Steers some breathing room with a combined 16 points in the 200.

Big Spring led Lake View 157-143 but wasn't out of the woods yet. The Maidens were fielding a strong contingent in the 1,600 run and were more than capable of doing to Big Spring what

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Stanton stars at 6-2A; Lady Steers 4th

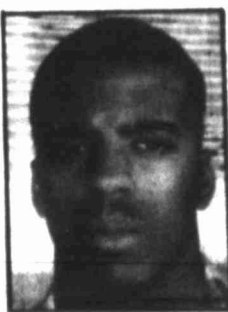
Though area teams didn't qualify for regionals, a load of area individuals advanced thanks to strong showings at the District 6-2A track meet Thursday in Tuscola.

Jerele Lee of Stanton won the 100-meter dash, turning in a time of 10.61 seconds.

Stanton's relay tandem of Sandra Bundas, Laura Herm, Kristen Wyckoff and Lupe Chapa won the 400 (50.85), 800 (1:46.38) and 1,600 (4:08.69) relays. Bundas also won the high jump at 4 feet, 10 inches.

Stanton's Sandra Chapa won the 1,600 run in a time of 5:57.73.

Here's a list of results. Jim Ned won the boys' meet and Wall won the girls' meet:



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DISTRICT 6-2A Championships
Tuscola

Boys
Team - 1. Jim Ned 221; 2. Winters 108; 3. Wall 105; 4. Stanton 81; 5. Coahoma 30; 6. Forsan 5.
3,200 - 1. Prentice (J) 10:55.47; 2. Ramsey (J) 10:55.78; 3. Luevano (W) 10:57.83.
400 relay - 1. Jim Ned 43.74; 2. Stanton 44.17; 3. Coahoma 45.01.
800 - 1. Denson (J) 1:59.87; 2. Murphy (W) 2:00.47; 3. Lester (J) 2:04.92.
110 hurdles - 1. Meyer (W) 14.26; 2. Deike (W) 14.91; 3. Lewis (W) 15.233.
100 - 1. Lee (S) 10.61; 2. Kraatz (J) 10.64; 3. Herron (J) 10.74.
400 - 1. Rose (J) 52.44; 2. Reagan (W) 52.51; 3. McClester (J) 52.76.
300 hurdles - 1. Meyer (W) 40.25; 2. Reed (W) 41.40; 3. Deike (W) 41.74.
200 - 1. Kraatz (J) 22.04; 2. Martel (S) 22.27; 3. Lee (S) 23.02.
1,600 - 1. Denson (J) 4:43.99; 2. Murphy (W) 4:44.21; 3. Prentice (J) 4:52.03.
1,600 relay - 1. Winters 3:30.70; 2. Wall 3:31.36; 3. Stanton 3:32.28.
Long jump - 1. Herron (J) 23-8 1/4; 2. Melton (J) 22-11 1/4; 3. Kraatz (J) 21-7 1/4.
Pole vault - 1. Ripple (W) 12-0; 2. Turner (J) 11-6; 3. Dacus (J) 11-6.
Shot put - 1. Belew (W) 52-1 1/2; 2. Shea (J) 51-2 1/2; 3. Whittenburg (W) 50-8 1/2.
Discus - 1. Shea (J) 160-9; 2. Whittenburg (W) 140-1 1/2; 3. Carpenter (J) 135-7.
High jump - 1. Trevino (J) 6-6; 2. Melton (J) 6-4; 3. Meyer (W) 6-4.
Triple jump - 1. Thompson (W) 45-9 1/4; 2. Melton (J) 45-7 1/2; 3. Meyer (W) 43-11 1/2.

Girls
Team - 1. Wall 172; 2. Jim Ned 126; 3. Stanton 121; 4. Winters 109 1/2; 5. Coahoma 39 1/2; 6. Forsan 19.
Shot put - 1. Ethredge (W) 34-1 1/4; 2. Swanson (J) 33-1 1/4; 3. Watson (W) 30-10.
Discus - 1. Ethredge (W) 105 1/2; 2. Johnson (F) 91-10 1/2; 3. Bryan (W) 87-10.
Triple jump - 1. Guffey (J) 34-4 3/4; 2. King (W) 34-2 1/2; 3. Oats (W) 33-11.
High jump - 1. Bundas (S) 4-10; 2. Stanislaus (C) 4-8; 3. Kozelsky (W) 4-6.
Long jump - 1. King (W) 17-5; 2. Kozelsky (W) 17-0; 3. Guffey (J) 16-11 3/4.
3,200 - 1. Scharz (W) 13:05.25; 2. Woodfin (S) 13:46.41; 3. Marshall (J) 13:49.49.
400 relay - 1. Stanton 50.85; 2. Jim Ned 52.28; 3. Winters 53.63.
800 - 1. Thomas (W) 2:30.58; 2. Adkins (S) 2:32.76; 3. Vega (W) 2:34.43.
100 hurdles - 1. Guffey (J) 15.95; 2. Talbert (W) 16.44; 3. Starling (C) 16.54.
100 - 1. McClure (J) 12.0; 2. King (W) 12.20; 3. Edwards (W) 12.91.
800 relay - 1. Stanton 1:46.38; 2. Jim Ned 1:48.78; 3. Winters 1:51.55.
400 - 1. King (W) 1:01.04; 2. Thomas (W) 1:03.81; 3. Stanislaus (C) 1:05.51.
300 hurdles - 1. Talbert (W) 47.91; 2. Kozelsky (W) 48.78; 3. Starling (C) 49.05.
200 - 1. Oats (W) 27.05; 2. Brown (J) 27.95; 3. Madison (S) 28.71.
1,600 - 1. S. Chapa (S) 5:57.73; 2. Woodfin (S) 6:02.07; 3. Scharz (W) 6:02.30.
1,600 - 1. Stanton 4:08.69; 2. Wall 4:20.21; 3. Winters 4:27.43.

Lady Steers finish fourth
in 4-4A golf tourney

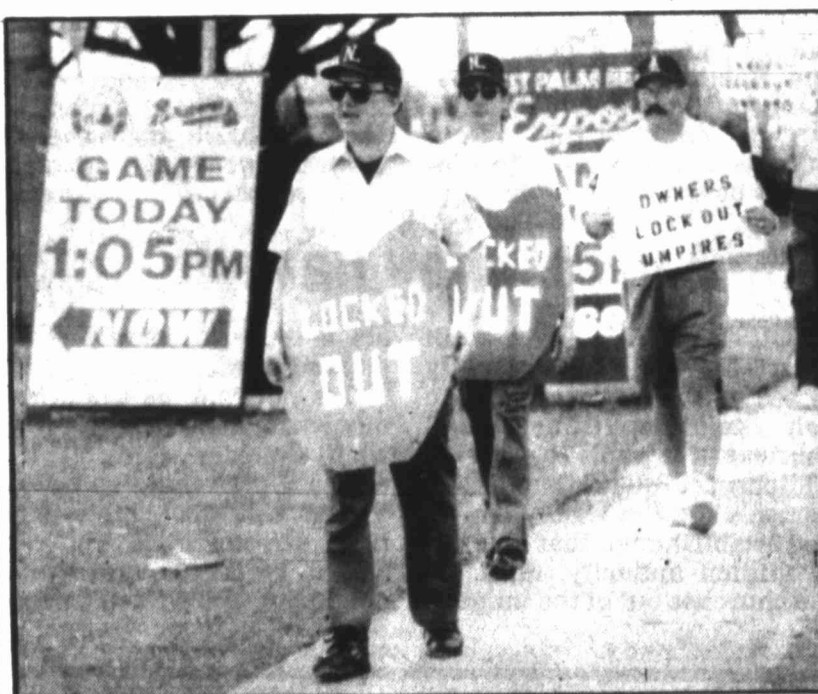
The final round of the girls' District 4-4A golf championship was played Thursday in San Angelo. Andrews won the event and Fort Stockton was second - both teams go to regionals as a result. Big Spring took fourth with a total of 1,104 strokes.

Andrews senior Tori Hester was the district's top medalist for the third consecutive year.

Big Spring's top golfer for the day - and the tournament - was Kelly Hollar. Hollar shot an 88 Thursday for a three-round total of 264. She finished ninth, which put her on the all-district team.

Following Hollar were: Jennifer Broadrick 92 (271), Alicia Wood 100 (285), Kristie Hale 95 (286), Vanessa Billalba 110 (292), Jessica Sanchez 103 (300) and Tatum Weeks 129 (382).

BASEBALL'S OTHER STRIKE



Associated Press photo

Terry Tata, left, a National League umpire since 1973, leads a picket line Thursday at West Palm Beach, Fla., on the first day of the major league exhibition season. The umpires have been locked out while they try to negotiate a new contract.

SHOT OF THE DAY



Comic relief
Bill Cosby helps a boy by holding his shorts up - the boy had to wear a regulation uniform and make a shot to win a prize Wednesday at a Detroit Pistons game.

TEXAS SPORTS

SMU hoops coach resigns

DALLAS (AP) - Southern Methodist's strict academics did not make it difficult for men's basketball coach John Shumate to win, triggering his resignation, athletic director Jim Copeland said Thursday.

Shumate resigned earlier Thursday, with three years left on his contract, after coming off his sixth losing season in seven years.

Rodman may return tonight

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Dennis Rodman was expected to suit up and possibly play in tonight's San Antonio Spurs game against the Sacramento Kings, team officials say. Rodman has not played since separating his right shoulder in a motorcycle accident March 19.

NATION/WORLD

49ers sign free-agent safety

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP) - Marquez Pope formally signed a four-year, \$4.7 million contract with the San Francisco 49ers after St. Louis declined to match the offer for the restricted free agent safety. The Rams obtained the 49ers' second-round draft choice as compensation.

Driver wins race - belatedly

PARIS (AP) - Michael Schumacher and David Coulthard had their disqualifications in the Brazilian Grand Prix reversed Thursday. The change restored victory to Schumacher and the second-place finish to Coulthard. Each racing team was fined \$200,000 because fuel samples in the March 26 race did not match those tested at the start of the season.

ON THE AIR

Basketball

NBA
New York at Indiana,
7 p.m., TNT (ch. 28).

Golf

PGA Seniors
PGA Seniors' Championship,
3 p.m., USA (ch. 38).

Hockey

Dallas at Toronto,
6:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).

Baseball

College
Florida State at Miami,
6 p.m., PRIME (ch. 29).

SPORTSEXTRA

TRACK

District 4-4A

Here are results from the District 4-4A track meet, held Thursday in Monahan.

Varsity Girls

Team totals - 1. Big Spring 177; 2. Lake View 164; 3. Fort Stockton 77; 4. Monahan 66; 5. Andrews 67; 6. Pecos 36.

Discus - 1. Adams, Fort Stockton, 116-3; 2. Martinez, Big Spring, 101-5; 3. Willford, Lake View, 100-8; 4. Hooker, Lake View, 96-6; 5. Gomez, Andrews, 97-0; 6. Padilla, Monahan, 94-8.

Long Jump - 1. Allen, Lake View, 17-0; 2. Smith, Big Spring, 16-2 1/2; 3. Gardner, Lake View, 16-1 3/4; 4. Bumbule, Big Spring, 16-0 3/4; 5. Lott, Big Spring, 15-11 3/4; 6. Crill, Lake View, 15-6 1/2.

High Jump - 1. Smith, Fort Stockton, 4-10; 2. Bullock, Lake View, 4-10; 3. Armstrong, Pecos, 4-10; 4. McWhorter, Big Spring, 4-10; 5. Hensley, Big Spring, 4-8; 6. Vires, Monahan, 4-8.

Shot Put - 1. Adams, Fort Stockton, 36-8 1/4; 2. Cole, Big Spring, 36-0 1/2; 3. Garcia, Monahan, 32-6; 4. Sigh, Monahan, 31-8; 5. Williams, Big Spring, 30-9 1/2; 6. Willford, Lake View, 30-7.

Triple Jump - 1. Allen, Lake View, 34-4; 2. Lott, Big Spring, 34-3; 3. Gardner, Lake View, 33-0 3/4; 4. McWhorter, Big Spring, 31-7; 5. Arenivas, Pecos, 31-1 1/4; 6. Smith, Big Spring, 30-9 1/2.

3,200 Run - 1. Lujan, Andrews, 12:10.9; 2. Harrington, Lake View, 12:46.3; 3. Harper, Lake View, 13:00.3; 4. Arenivas, Pecos, 13:21.7; 5. Alumnelli, Big Spring, 13:26.3; 6. Ortega, Andrews, 13:35.5.

400 Relay - 1. Lake View, 60.0; 2. Big Spring, 50.7; 3. Fort Stockton, 50.8; 4. Monahan, 53.5; 5. Andrews, 54.6; 6. Pecos, 67.2.

800 Run - 1. Blum, Monahan, 2:31.0; 2. Philter, Big Spring, 2:31.7; 3. Lee, Lake View, 2:32.5; 4. Hensley, Big Spring, 2:33.3; 5. Lopez, Andrews, 2:34.7; 6. Bartz, Lake View, 2:35.10.

110 Hurdles - 1. Crill, Lake View, 14.5; 2. Carrasco, Andrews, 15.6; 3. Hill, Big Spring, 16.0; 4. Dodd, Andrews, 16.4; 5. Haddad, Lake View, 17.0; 6. Koenig, Lake View, 17.3.

100 Dash - 1. Gardner, Lake View, 12.4; 2. Rodriguez, Fort Stockton, 12.6; 3. Wilbert, Big Spring, 12.8; 4. Alvarez, Monahan, 13.0; 5. DeLaGarza, Big Spring, 13.0; 6. Crill, Lake View, 13.2.

800 Relay - 1. Lake View, 1:47.8; 2. Big Spring, 1:48.2; 3. Fort Stockton, 1:50.5; 4. Andrews, 1:54.2; 5. Pecos, 1:56.7; 6. Monahan, 1:57.4.

400 Dash - 1. Carrero, Big Spring, 1:01.7; 2. Cline, Big Spring, 1:02.8; 3. Hall, Big Spring, 1:03.3; 4. Hogeda, Lake View, 1:04.0; 5. Oliva, Monahan, 1:05.3; 6. Hudgen, Andrews, 1:08.4.

300 Hurdles - 1. V. Carrasco, Pecos, 48.6; 2. L. Carrasco, Andrews, 50.0; 3. Vires, Monahan, 50.8; 4. Haddad, Big Spring, 50.9; 5. Williams, Monahan, 51.1; 6. Dodd, Andrews, 51.8.

200 Dash - 1. Valeriano, Fort Stockton, 26.4; 2. Lott, Big Spring, 26.6; 3. Casillas, Big Spring, 26.7; 4. Allen, Lake View, 27.4; 5. Cline, Big Spring, 27.7; 6. Cordova, Fort Stockton, 27.9.

1,600 Run - 1. Lujan, Andrews, 5:35.3; 2. Vires, Monahan, 5:47.2; 3. Arenivas, Pecos, 5:47.3; 4. Harrington, Lake View, 5:51.1; 5. Blum, Monahan, 6:01.2; 6. Harper, Lake View, 6:01.5.

1,800 Relay - 1. Big Spring (Bumbule, Hall, Cline, Carrero) 4:13.4; 2. Lake View, 4:17.2; 3. Monahan, 4:19.5; 4. Andrews, 4:22.7; 5. Fort Stockton, 4:23.7; 6. Pecos, 4:30.1.

Varsity Boys

Team Totals - 1. Big Spring, 210; 2. Lake View, 141; 3. Monahan, 80; 4. Pecos, 56; 5. Andrews, 44; 6. Fort Stockton, 25.

Triple Jump - 1. Owens, Big Spring, 47-5 1/2 (new meet record); 2. Baker, Lake View, 44-0 3/4; 3. Simpson, Big Spring, 41-4 1/4; 4. Dickson, 41-1; 5. Smith, Lake View, 40-4 1/2; 6. Stout, Monahan, 40-0 3/4.

Shot Put - 1. Leyva, Monahan, 53-0; 2. Roberts, Big Spring, 50-6 1/4; 3. Brownlee, Pecos, 46-7 1/2; 4. Avarado, Pecos, 45-2 3/4; 5. Lopez, Monahan, 44-7; 6. Paria, Fort Stockton, 44-0 1/2.

Pole Vault - 1. Wheeler, Andrews, 12-0; 2. Stephens, Monahan, 11-0; 3. McKenna, Big Spring, 10-6; 4. Kule, Monahan, 10-0; 4. Trulove, Lake View, 10-0.

High Jump - 1. Owens, Big Spring, 6-2; 2. Do, Andrews, 6-0; 3. Johnson, Monahan, 5-10; 4. Jones,

Lake View, 5-10; 5. Waters, Big Spring, 5-10; 6. Ashway, Big Spring, 5-8.

Long Jump - 1. Taylor, Lake View, 21-11; 2. Owens, Big Spring, 21-7 1/4; 3. Brooks, Lake View, 21-4 1/2; 4. Waters, Big Spring, 20-9 1/2; 5. Stout, Monahan, 20-7 1/2; 6. Baker, Lake View, 20-2 3/4.

Discus - 1. Leyva, Monahan, 150-0; 2. Roberts, Big Spring, 149-8; 3. Brown, Andrews, 138-11; 4. Paria, Fort Stockton, 137-4; 5. Quash, Lake View, 136-11; 6. Proctor, Lake View, 130-4.

3,200 Run - 1. M. Villesca, Pecos, 10:07.4; 2. Clammons, Monahan, 10:17.2; 3. Heby, Lake View, 10:17.9; 4. Daniel, Lake View, 10:26.1; 5. H. Villesca, Pecos, 10:28.2; 6. Rocha, Lake View, 10:45.2.

400 Relay - 1. Lake View, 43.8; 2. Big Spring, 44.7; 3. Monahan, 45.3; 4. Fort Stockton, 45.4; 5. Pecos, 45.8; 6. Andrews, 47.2.

800 Run - 1. Franklin, Big Spring, 1:57.9; 2. Bartz, Lake View, 1:59.8; 3. Lopez, Andrews, 2:02.6; 4. Morales, Pecos, 2:04.5; 5. Valenzuela, Monahan, 2:05.6; 6. Daly, Lake View, 2:08.1.

110 Hurdles - 1. Eddington, Big Spring, 14.4; 2. Ochoa, Big Spring, 14.7; 3. Levens, Lake View, 15.0; 4. Edwards, Big Spring, 15.2; 5. Wilkins, Andrews, 6. Thompson, Monahan, 15.9.

100 Dash - 1. Brooks, Lake View, 10.6; 2. Waters, Big Spring, 10.8; 3. Vasquez, Fort Stockton, 11.0; 4. Binnix, Lake View, 11.1; 5. Taylor, Lake View, 11.1; 6. Stout, Monahan, 11.1.

400 Dash - 1. Mata, Pecos, 48.0; 2. Farr, Big Spring, 48.5; 3. Sanchez, Lake View, 51.6; 4. Rodriguez, Big Spring, 52.1; 5. Ortiz, Andrews, 52.9; 6. Bartz, Lake View, 53.3.

300 Hurdles - 1. Eddington, Big Spring, 30.5; 2. Levens, Lake View, 40.5; 3. Ochoa, Big Spring, 40.5; 4. Oliver, Big Spring, 42.0; 5. Quirio, Fort Stockton, 43.2.

200 Dash - 1. Farr, Big Spring, 22.0; 2. Waters, Big Spring, 22.4; 3. Burchett, Big Spring, 22.5; 4. Brooks, 23.2; 5. Chalmers, Monahan, 23.6; 6. Smith, Lake View, 24.1.

1,600 Run - 1. Franklin, Big Spring, 4:34.2; 2. Clammons, Monahan, 4:41.8; 3. Daniel, Lake View, 4:47.8; 4. H. Villesca, Pecos, 4:50.5; 5. Valdez, Monahan, 4:54.6; 6. Rocha, Lake View, 4:56.7.

1,800 Relay - 1. Big Spring (Burchett, Waters, Rodriguez, Farr), 3:25.1; 2. Lake View, 3:28.4; 3. Pecos, 3:28.6; 4. Andrews, 3:29.5; 5. Fort Stockton, 3:37.2; 6. Monahan, 3:51.0.

400 Dash - 1. Carrero, Big Spring, 1:01.7; 2. Cline, Big Spring, 1:02.8; 3. Hall, Big Spring, 1:03.3; 4. Hogeda, Lake View, 1:04.0; 5. Oliva, Monahan, 1:05.3; 6. Hudgen, Andrews, 1:08.4.

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HOCKEY

NHL Standings

National Hockey League

All Times EDT

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	21	13	44	124	108
New Jersey	18	14	73	108	97
Washington	16	15	73	97	92
N.Y. Rangers	16	19	35	101	100
Tampa Bay	14	18	33	96	107
Florida	15	16	33	96	101
N.Y. Islanders	12	21	52	96	125

Northeast Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Quebec	26	9	45	159	109
Pittsburgh	25	11	25	148	123
Boston	19	15	34	110	93
Buffalo	16	15	36	101	92
Hartford	16	17	57	104	109
Montreal	15	18	53	99	123
Ottawa	4	28	51	81	136

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Detroit	28	7	35	145	82
St. Louis	22	12	37	139	105
Chicago	19	15	34	128	94
Toronto	16	15	37	107	113
Dallas	14	18	64	107	100
Winnipeg	12	20	63	123	145

Pacific Division

W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Calgary	20	15	54	137	114
Vancouver	14	15	97	122	121
Los Angeles	13	18	73	125	148
San Jose	15	21	23	101	135
Anaheim	13	21	40	98	136
Edmonton	13	22	39	105	144

x-clinched playoff berth

Wednesday's Games

Hartford 4, Ottawa 2

New Jersey 2, Washington 1

N.Y. Rangers 3, Buffalo 1

Quebec 4, Boston 0

Philadelphia 3, Montreal 2

N.Y. Islanders 3, Florida 1

San Jose 3, Chicago 2

Calgary 4, Los Angeles 1

Thursday's Games

Detroit 3, San Jose 0

Winnipeg 5, St. Louis 2

Edmonton 6, Vancouver 4

Anaheim 4, Calgary 2

TENNIS

Women's Tennis Championships

HOUSTON (AP) — Results

Thursday of the Houston Women's Tennis Championships at the Westside Tennis Club (seedings in parentheses):

Singles

Second Round

Sandra Cecchini (7), Italy, def. Maria Sanchez Lorenzo, Spain, 6-1, 6-7 (7-1), 6-2.

Sabine Hack (5), Germany, def. Erika de Lone, Lincoln, Mass., 7-5, 6-4.

Melke Babal, Germany, def. Wilfrud Probst, Germany, 5-7, 7-5, 6-2.

Quarterfinals

Steffi Graf, Germany, def. Tami Whittinger Jones, Neneah, Wis., 6-2, 6-1.

Doubles

First Round

Sandra Cecchini, Italy, and Patricia Tarabini, Argentina, def. Joannette Kruger, South Africa, and Iva Majoli, Croatia, 7-5, 6-4.

Second Round

Nicole Arendt, Princeton, N.J., and Marion Bollegraf, The Netherlands, (1) def. Maria Lindstrom, Sweden, and Maria Strandlund, Sweden, 6-1, 6-3.

Wilfrud Probst, Germany, and Rene Simpson, Canada, def. Mercedes Paz, Argentina, and Shaun Stafford, Gainesville, Fla., 5-7, 4-6, 6-4.

BASEBALL

Texas League

First Half

Eastern Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas (Cards)	7	0	1.000
Shreveport (Glants)	3	4	.429
Jackson (Astros)	2	5	.286
Tulsa (Rangers)	2	5	.286

Western Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Paso(Brewers)	5	2	.714
S. Antonio(Dodgers)	4	4	.500
Wichita(Royals)	3	4	.429
Midland(Angels)	3	5	.375

Thursday's Games

El Paso 7, San Antonio 6

Jackson 5, Shreveport 4

Midland 3, Wichita 2, 10 innings

Arkansas 10, Tulsa 8

Friday's Games

San Antonio at El Paso

Midland at Wichita

Jackson at Shreveport

Tulsa at Arkansas

Saturday's Games

San Antonio at El Paso

Midland at Wichita

Jackson at Shreveport

Tulsa at Arkansas

Sunday's Games

San Antonio at Wichita

El Paso at Midland

Tulsa at Shreveport

Arkansas at Jackson

Spring Training

Exhibition Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.
Baltimore	1	0
Boston	1	0
California	1	0
Chicago	1	0
Cleveland	1	0
Kansas City	1	0
New York	1	0
Seattle	1	0
St. Louis	1	0
Texas	1	0
Toronto	1	0

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.
Chicago	1	0
Cincinnati	1	0
Los Angeles	1	0
Montreal	1	0
Philadelphia	1	0
San Francisco	1	0
Atlanta	1	0
Colorado	1	0
Florida	1	0
Houston	1	0
New York	1	0
Pittsburgh	1	0

St. Louis 0, San Diego 0

Thursday's Games

Montreal 6, Atlanta 1

Baltimore 6, Texas 5, 10 innings

Chicago White Sox 13, Pittsburgh 3

Boston 9, Minnesota 6

Cleveland 10, Detroit 9

Los Angeles 7, Florida 1

Kansas City 6, Houston 0

Cincinnati 2, St. Louis 1

San Francisco 6, Colorado 4

California 5, Milwaukee 7

Chicago Cubs 9, Oakland 4

Seattle 7, San Diego 4

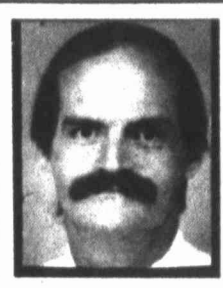
N.Y. Yankees 2, N.Y. Mets 0

Philadelphia 5, Toronto 4

Sometimes fans should shut up

Covering a recent Big Spring baseball game, I saw an incident that almost convinced me banning parents from athletic events wouldn't be a bad idea.

The Steers had just allowed two Pecos runners to score. Big Spring head coach Bobby Doe was justifiably miffed and proceeded to let the team know.



Steve Reagan
Sports Writer

While Doe was lecturing his players, a woman's voice shot out from the stands: "Stop being such a jerk, Doe!"

Now, just who was being the jerk? It would be a wonderful world if we never had to get mad at other people, but that's just a fantasy. Here, in the real world, sometimes we have to raise our voices to get our points across - especially if we're dealing with a group of teenagers that temporarily goes brain-dead.

WAY TO USE YOUR ... FOOT?!



Orlando Magic center Shaquille O'Neal kicks out his leg as Boston Celtic Pervis Ellison, right, tries to defend him Thursday at Boston Garden. Boston won 119-114.

Associated Press photo

SPORTS IN
BRIEFSoftball tournament
comes to Stanton

A men's softball tournament will be played in Stanton April 21-22. There is a \$100 entry fee per team. For more information, call Freddy Hernandez at 756-2326.

Bass tournament
offers cash prizes

Colorado City is hosting the Fisherman Appreciation Black Bass Open Tournament, where a guaranteed \$2,000 first-place award is up for grabs.

The tournament is April 22. Prizes range from \$2,000 for the champion to \$35 for 20th place (based on 150 entries).

A free barbecue with all the trimmings will be 6-9 p.m. at the tournament headquarters. The tournament will be at Lake Champion and/or Lake Colorado City.

For more information, call 1-728-8436.

YMCA offers
volleyball clinic

The Big Spring Family YMCA invites students to participate in a volleyball clinic.

The clinic will be May 13 - 9 a.m. - noon for grades 6-8; noon - 3 p.m. for high school students. The clinic will emphasize serving, service reception, spiking, setting and blocking.

For more information, call the Y at 267-8234.

Hobbs hosts
softball tournament

Slo-pitch softball tournaments will be played in Hobbs, N.M., April 21-23. For men, there is the open division and Classes D and E. For women, the open division and Class D.

The top three teams in each class will be eligible for the

Sandbagger Finals, July 7-9 in Fort Worth for the men and July 15-16 in Garland for the women.

For more information, call 1-800-658-6930.

High school rodeo
coming to San Angelo

The Region II High School Rodeo Finals will be April 22 at Bly's Indoor Arena in San Angelo.

Two rodeo performances have been set for the day beginning at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for students. An all-day admission price is available for the two performances at \$5 for adults and \$2 for students.

Proceeds will benefit the West Texas Boys Ranch.

Lubbock hosts USSSA
qualifying tournament

The Great West Texas Softball Shootout will be April 22-23 at Lubbock's Berl Huffman Softball Complex.

Entry deadline is April 19 for this USSSA state and divisional qualifier. Divisions for men are: B/C, D, E. For women, it's C/D. Co-Rec C/D is also available.

Ladies

Continued from page 8A

the Lady Steers did to Lake View in the 400.

The Lady Steers didn't gain any points in the event but received some unexpected help from Nadia Lujan of Andrews, Karen Vires of Monahans and Marisol Arenivas of Pecos. That trio finished 1-2-3 in the 1,600 and limited Lake View to only five points. The Lady Steers led by nine points going into the final event of the meet, the 1,600 relay.

Big Spring's nine-point lead meant the Lady Steers had to finish no worse than two spots behind Lake View in the final relay to win the title. They did much better than that.

The relay started poorly for Big Spring, and when Hall took the first handoff the Lady Steers were three spots behind leader Lake View. Hall brought Big Spring up to third place, and Cline, the third-leg runner, had the Lady Steers in second when she handed off to Carnero for the anchor leg.

The freshman soon put any lingering doubt about the race to bed, quickly assuming the lead and holding it to give the

Cowboy faces charges

IRVING (AP) — Erik Williams, a Pro Bowl offensive tackle for the Dallas Cowboys, faces formal sexual assault charges after a 17-year-old girl accused him of attacking her early Thursday, police said.

Dallas police Sgt. Jim Chandler said Williams was taken into custody after police responded to a telephoned request for help by the girl from Williams' north Dallas home. He was later released on bond.

Chandler said officers went to the residence and asked for the girl by her first name. Williams told officers that she was not there and that there was no dis-

turbance. As officers returned to their patrol car, they said

they heard a sound and saw the girl looking out of a window. Officers then arrested Williams.

Also arrested was Roderick Carson of Madison, Wis. Carson, 26, was a college teammate of Williams at Central State of Ohio. Both were released after posting \$2,500



WILLIAMS

bond at hearings before Judge Charles McClure. Williams' release was delayed until he cleared up outstanding warrants stemming from outstanding traffic citations accrued in Addison, a Dallas suburb.

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ESPN will show Big 12 hoops

DALLAS (AP) — The Big 12 Conference has announced a five-year contract with ESPN and ESPN2 to televise conference basketball games from 1996-2001.

Creative Sports, as part of the contract, will syndicate the games. The Big Eight Conference will be part of the

contract for the upcoming season before the new league forms, said Mike Soltys, director of communications with ESPN.

The new contract basically would replace the current four-year contract the Big Eight had with ESPN and the five-year deal it had with Creative Sports.

The Big 12 will begin play in the fall of 1996 with Kansas State, Kansas, Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Iowa State, Colorado, Missouri, Nebraska, Texas, Texas A&M, Baylor and Texas Tech.

Texas, Texas A&M, Baylor and Texas Tech are from the Southwest Conference.

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New pastor makes smooth transition

By JANET AUSBURY
Features Editor

Joe Sizemore couldn't have asked for a smoother transition when he took over as pastor for College Park Church of God, 603 Tulane Ave.

"The church didn't miss a Sunday," he said. "They didn't even go a weekend without a pastor."

April 9 was Joe's first Sunday on the job. He and wife Sandy arrived in Big Spring April 7. They left Merced, Calif., and Liberty Church of God, where Joe had been pastor for three years, to take the pulpit here.

What made the Sizemores decide to leave a California city of 60,000 for a West Texas town less than half that size? "We were just praying about it, and the position came open," said Joe. "It seemed like it was God's plan."

The Church of God has overseers in each state, he explained, and when they found out in March that College Park's church would need a new pastor, the search began.

Fortunately for Joe and for the church, the search went quickly and smoothly, especially compared to other local churches that have waited months or years for the right person to fill an empty pulpit.

Joe has many goals in mind



Joe and Sandy Sizemore are making the transition from life in Merced, Calif., to Big Spring. Joe Sizemore started Sunday as the new pastor for College Park Church of God.

for the church, including greater community involvement. "We're going to be working with youth a lot and also minister to senior adults, shut-ins, people of all ages."

He also hopes to see completion soon of remodeling that has been going on at the church for years.

Joe, who has been in the ministry for 25 years, graduated

from Missouri State University. He met Sandy, originally from Columbus, Ohio, when both lived in Oregon.

The pastor admits even though he felt he was being called to the ministry, at first he didn't want to answer that call. "For a long time, I didn't want to do it. I saw problems that could happen," he said. "I finally took responsibility and went with it. I wouldn't do anything else now."

After beginning Joe's pastoring career in Oregon, the Sizemores went to Seattle, then to California.

Now they are getting used to Big Spring, which is not quite like anyplace else they've ever lived.

"The people are nice, friendly. The climate - it's different," Joe said. Sandy added, "It's hard moving and leaving our son and granddaughter behind in Oregon. It's hard making all the changes, but it's a good work and a good ministry."

Eventually they would like to relocate closer to their son and granddaughter, but in the meantime they look forward to making Big Spring their home.

More moves may be in their future, but the stress of being uprooted is balanced by going where they feel God has called them.

"If you're where God wants you to be, it makes it even easier," Sandy said.

How to get brother, wife to know God?

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: Please pray for my brother and his wife. I finally talked them into going to church with me, but they had a bad experience because it turned out to be the one Sunday in the year they were talking about the budget. It just confirmed all the bad feelings and cynicism



Billy Graham
Columnist

need God? -- D.W.

DEAR D.W.: Only God can convince them of their spiritual need; no matter how much you debate with them or try to persuade them, ultimately only the Holy Spirit can change their attitudes.

That is why the most important thing you can do is to pray for them. As the Bible says, He alone can "convict the world of guilt in regard to

sin and righteousness and judgment" (John 16:8).

Don't assume that it is all up to you, God loves them far more than you ever will, and He alone can create a hunger for God inside of them.

I have known people who prayed for almost a lifetime for someone they loved (such as a spouse) who did not know Christ, and yet eventually saw them come to believe.

But you also can be an example to them of Christ's love and reality -- and often this is far more powerful than what we say.

Do they see something of Christ in the way you live? Do they see His forgiveness working in you as you forgive others? Do they see His love and patience and joy and peace?

As a footnote, quietly let your brother know that you regret he was not able to see a typical service in your church.

Don't give up hope, but ask God to use you in whatever way He desires to point your brother -- and others as well -- to Christ and His salvation.

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Children of alcoholics seek healing through faith, support

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

A new support group is being formed in Big Spring to help residents whose parents are alcoholics. The group is called Adult Children of Alcoholics and will have its first meeting April 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Organizer Murph Watson says the group will also help adult children of dysfunctional families.

"This is a 12-step program to help people deal with co-dependency, problems in relationships, anger, guilt, trying to control other people and emotional problems they are dealing with because their parents didn't love them or provide stability in their lives," he explained.

Watson used to live in Midland for a while and was a member of ACOA. When he moved to Big Spring, he discovered no local chapter existed.

"This did me a lot of good, and I needed the meetings, so I gathered the information needed on how to get it started," he said.

Anything that is discussed in the meetings is strictly confidential and anyone is welcome

to attend. Those who attend need only give their first name and are assured of anonymity. The meetings have no leader, facilitator or counselor.

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other programs that don't use the 12 steps. This provides a process of healing, and you don't stay a victim in this program," he said.

"It is for adult children of alcoholics who may not have done a good job of assuming responsibility of being a parent or providing a means of living for the family because of their disease."

He added the group is a place for healing and support from God and other community

members who are going through the same situations.

In a 12-step program, the first three are designed for the person to say and admit their life is in need of help and the need to turn to a higher spiritual guidance (God) for help.

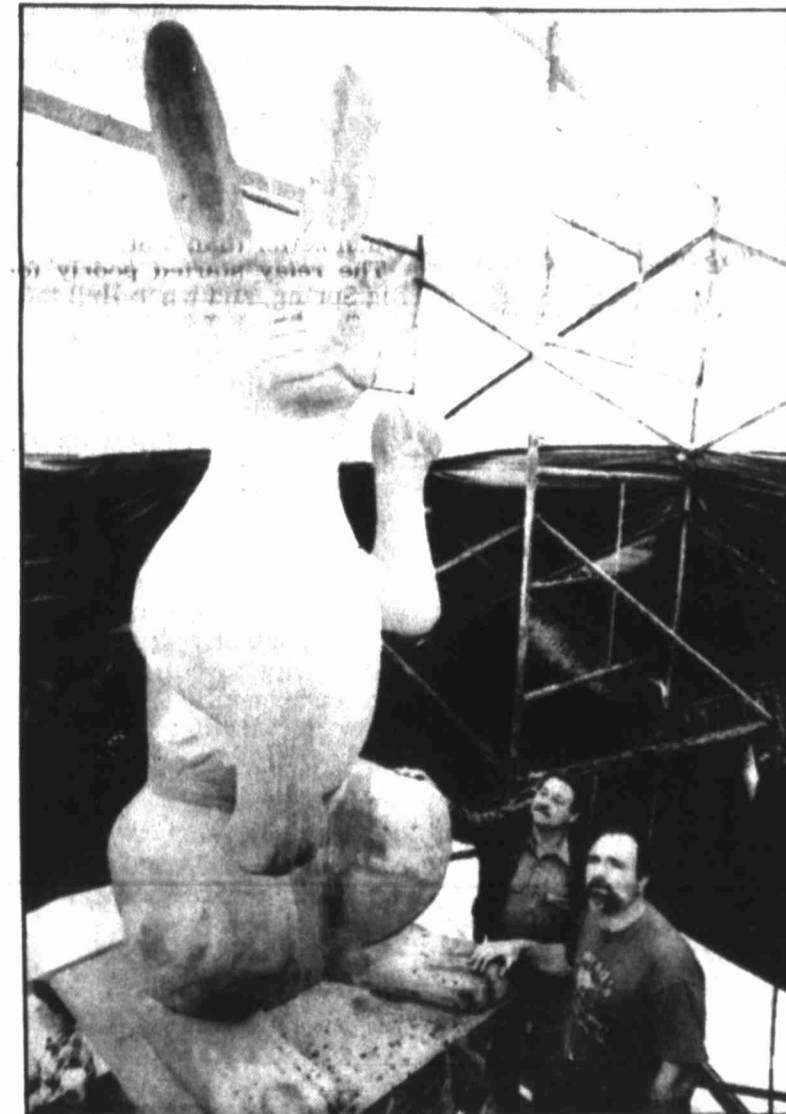
Step four is a chance for the person to do an inventory of their good and bad points, who's involved and what part did the individual play in the situation.

Step five is when the person voices these resentments, concerns and problems to God and one other person. Watson says the next six steps is when amends are made, when possible, to other people.

"The person also continues to take inventory of their lives and make amends where needed. They continue to work on relationships with one's higher power and people in the community. This helps people to better their lives," Watson said.

ACOA will meet 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Saint Mary's Episcopal Church in the library. There is no cost to attend, but Watson will ask for a \$1 donation from each person to help pay for the use of the building.

WHAT'S UP, DOC?



In Rabbittown, Hall County, Ga., local citizens have finally erected their 17-foot-tall statue of a rabbit, shown here in an April 1993 file photo with sculptor Jim Reid, left, and Buddy Henry, who conceived the idea. The residents of Rabbittown hope the rabbit will increase tourism.

Minister's strength draws admirers

By STEPHANIE DESMON
Scripps Howard News Service

PIEDMONT, Ala. — The couple was from Ohio, just passing through on the way to Georgia.

Perhaps it was curiosity that brought them to Rev. Kelly Clem's front door two weeks ago. They never really said.

They just wanted to meet the pastor of the Goshen United Methodist Church, to snap pictures with the preacher who lost her 4-year-old daughter, Hannah, and 19 other members of her congregation to last year's deadly Palm Sunday tornado.

That she has become something of a tourist attraction doesn't really faze Reverend Clem. Oh, she finds it all a bit strange. She never expected the notoriety, the constant media coverage, especially for something beyond her control, for an act of God.

But Clem, a petite woman with wire-rimmed glasses, understands the need people have to bond with her, to touch her, to be near her.

"I wouldn't want to keep anyone from connecting with us," she says, curled up on the plaid couch in her home. "Connecting with other people is so important."

Her husband, Dale Clem, has seen the way strangers are drawn to his wife.

"When Kelly goes and speaks, it seems a lot of people come and get strength from her," says Clem, 35. "They just want to be in her presence."

It was one year ago — March 27, 1994 — that Kelly Clem's life was turned upside down by a sudden tornado. It cut across northwest Alabama, straight through her church as children sang part of an Easter cantata. The congregation was beginning a celebration of Holy Week when the lights died.

Without warning, the twister hit. The roof collapsed, trapping dozens beneath the rubble, killing 20 and injuring 90.

Young Hannah, excited about starting school in the fall, was seated in the front row, draped in a costume matching her mother's. She was trapped under a wooden pew, under Please see MINISTER, page 2B

British actor brings Gospel to stage

NEW YORK (AP) — His grandfather was a Methodist lay preacher whose emotional embrace of Christianity alarmed him at times.

His father was a shopkeeper who tried to unite Christian groups in England in a practical effort to house the homeless and feed the hungry.

British actor Alec McCowen holds no formal religious affiliation, but it is in keeping with family tradition that his signature role has become his one-man show "St. Mark's Gospel."

Even 17 years after his first performance, the actor who otherwise has "a normal career" on stage and in films such as "Cry Freedom" and "The Age of Innocence" still finds himself drawn to the challenge of retelling The Gospel According to St. Mark.

"I keep coming back and doing St. Mark. And when I think I'd finished with it, as I did five years ago, nevertheless it comes back into my head," McCowen said in an interview

at a hotel a few blocks from the Off Broadway theater where he is again performing his one-man show.

"I think I have become — there is no other word for it — a St. Mark nut."

One might think the idea would be a natural — a theatrical reading of one of the most important and beloved books in Western culture, a book originally written with the idea that its words would most often be spoken, not read.

But the Bible, particularly the Gospels, were relatively unexplored territory for the stage, McCowen discovered when he was first searching for material for a one-person show.

"I wondered why the so-called Greatest Story Ever Told was never told," McCowen said. "It seemed to me no one trusted the words sufficiently to think they would hold up in this sort of recital."

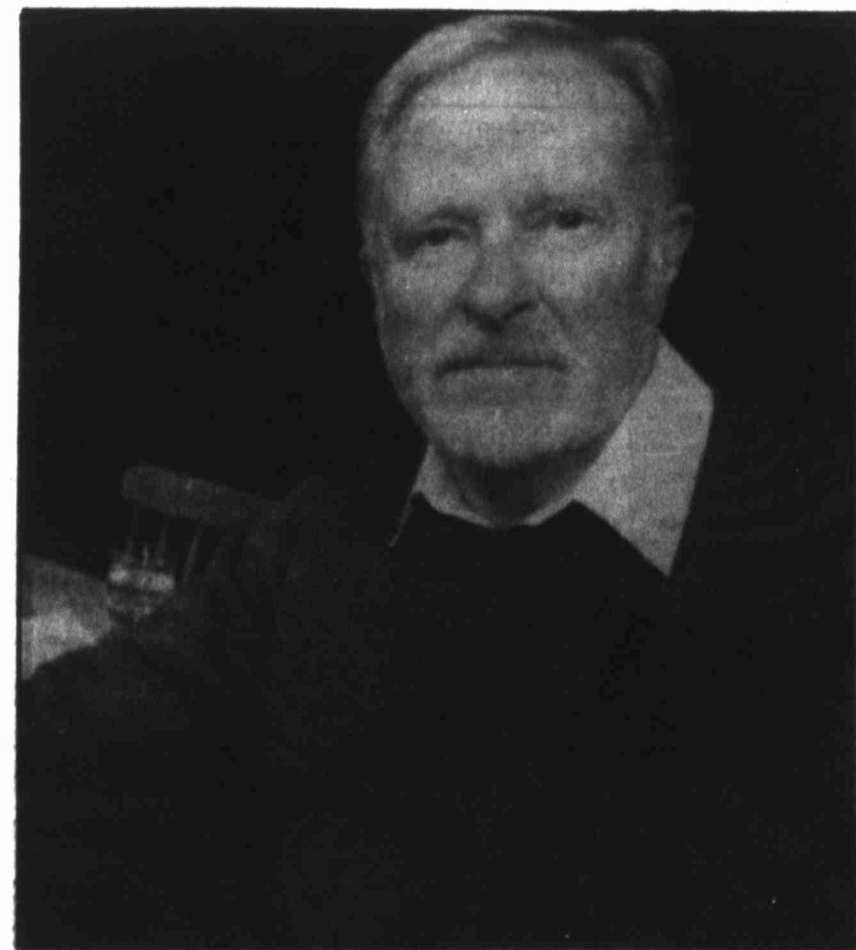
The Gospel of Mark was actually his last choice. He first considered and rejected the

other three Gospels; John for being too much a study of Jesus rather than the story of Jesus, Matthew because it was more a great sermon than a great story and Luke because he felt the style of writing was so beautiful he would be tempted into indulgent speaking.

What was left was Mark, which McCowen found made an excellent theatrical vehicle. The Gospel spends more time telling the action, rather than commenting on it.

As the shortest Gospel, it can be told in two hours, with a dramatic break in the middle at the beginning of chapter nine when Jesus says, "Truly, I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death until they see that the kingdom of God has come with power."

The end is the dramatic Passion narrative of the death and resurrection of Christ.



British actor Alec McCowen poses on stage prior to a performance of his one-man show "St. Mark's Gospel" at Lamb's Theater in New York.

Minister

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another child. Clem reached for her daughter, but could not save her.

"Our lives were kind of broken wide open," she says.

She knows it sounds clichéd, but she no longer takes for granted the love of her husband, her now 3-year-old daughter, Sarah, and her relationships with her parents and siblings. "All those things matter much more than working all the time, or recognition," says Rev. Clem, 34.

Without a church of their own, the Clems have created a church office out of a cramped space off the kitchen in their new home. On Sundays, she makes do with a pair of wooden chairs, going over paperwork and the Bible in the hallway of the Masonic lodge where the congregation has been worshipping.

"It has been a hard year," she says. "There have been a lot of times where I have needed to just sit down and think, do my grief work, I guess. ...

"I don't expect to ever get over this. I'm not expecting healing in this lifetime, not complete healing for this loss."

Mourning has not been a private affair — her pain has been plastered on the front of newspapers nationwide, her emotions beamed via satellite to the world.

As she talks, she mentions an interview with Katie Couric on NBC's "Today" show, a spread in Ladies Home Journal, a story in the Atlanta Journal-Constitution.

She talks of the friends she made with members of the press. She says they helped her tell the story she wanted to tell, the story she needed to tell.

People are struck by the strength Clem has shown. Perhaps more striking is that she has retained her humanity. She laughs, she cries, she is sarcastic, she is vulnerable.

Through it all, she has maintained her faith.

"I just really experienced God's presence in this and God's strength that we had to get through this," she says. "I have a peace about losing Hannah and a peace about the losses in the church, and I think God gives us that peace."

"We focus on our faith and the resurrection and the belief in eternal life. I don't know what people do without that."

The site where the old church once stood is now just a flattened expanse of dirt and copper-colored rocks. The fading sign and parking lot are the only remaining landmarks.

Family
reunion
Saturday

Special to the Herald

The Woodson family has scheduled a reunion for 9 a.m. Saturday at the Coahoma Community Center.

Among those expected to attend are Katherine Roberts, Fred and Velma Ruthe Wood, Futhie and Margie Hill, Murphy and Darla Swindell and the families of Walter, Paul and Freddie Tiner.

Ex-spouses' deaths pose
questions about etiquette

DEAR ABBY: What do you do when a former spouse dies? Do you go to the funeral, stay home, send flowers — or what? This can be a dilemma when you have had children with the former spouse and all live in the same town.

My friend "Anita's" former husband was given four months to live. He informed his children that he did not want to see their mother during the time of his illness. Anita wants to attend the funeral to support her two sons, both over 40. What should she do?

Another example: My husband's former wife, "Faye," is terminally ill. "Pat" and Faye had a 10-year marriage, three children and a bitter divorce. He has a good relationship with the children. Pat and Faye have a nodding relationship. Pat thinks he should attend Faye's funeral out of respect for his children.

I'm not too crazy about the idea and need some advice. Should I go to the funeral with him, or should I stay home? Should he go with his children? Should we both stay home, and send a card? How can this be handled with good taste, so no one is offended? — FAITHFUL READER

DEAR FAITHFUL READER: The wishes of the immediate family should be respected. The surviving parent should ask the children if his (or her) presence would be comforting or disruptive, and act accordingly.

Whether you attend the

funeral or not, you should send flowers, a card, or a note of sympathy.

DEAR ABBY: I am responding to the letter from Earl Reinke, Seoul, Korea, who said that a young, unmarried woman who had chosen to keep and raise her child in a "fatherless home" had made a selfish choice. He said that the girl had "done at least two things most 'good Christians' would consider wrong: She bore an illegitimate child, then failed to put it up for adoption."

Well, Abby, I am a good Christian. I have four wonderful grown children, but the best is our new grandson. Our son and his girlfriend (both in their 20s) aren't married. And when they first announced she was pregnant we weren't elated, but we accepted the situation.

Your answer was terrific: "There are no illegitimate children — all children are 'legitimate' in God's eyes." I could never say the word "illegitimate" or even consider it. I see only a beautiful, healthy, bright child who, with his parents' and God's help, will be an asset to this world.

Another word I've never used regarding children was "stepchild." My two oldest children came with their father — the best package deal I've ever received. And when we were blessed with two more, they were only brother and sisters — with no "step" in front of any reference.

Keep up the good work. We're not here to judge; God handles that! You may print this letter, but please withhold my name. — WISCONSIN GRANDMA

DEAR GRANDMA: Your letter was an upper. The world would be far less complicated if more people thought as you do. I admire your attitude and agree with your philosophy.

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Church launches plan
to attract Hispanics

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — Idaho's Catholic Church is initiating a plan to knock down language and cultural barriers that keep Hispanics away from the church.

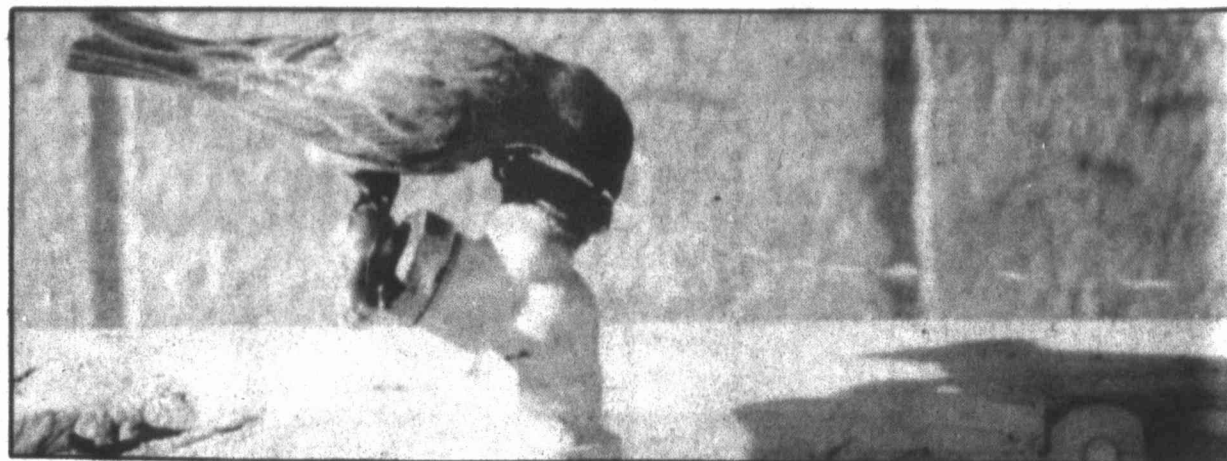
The Diocese of Boise is planning to develop four Hispanic cultural centers in southern Idaho where Spanish-speaking people can get Christian education and prepare for church sacraments.

The church also is working

on building leaders among Catholic Hispanics who can develop small group ministries of Spanish-speaking people within the church. It also seeks to increase Hispanic representation on Catholic commissions.

"If we don't try to reach out more efficiently, then they are not going to continue their presence or affiliation with the church," Bishop Tod Brown said.

THIRSTY BIRDIE



A house finch finds some water behind the Livestock Barn at the Pima County Fairgrounds near Tucson, Ariz. The county fair kicked off Thursday and runs through April 23.

Graham's
high-tech
altar call

By TERRY MATTINGLY

Scripps Howard News Service

The Rev. Billy Graham knows how to give altar calls.

After a half century in the pulpit, it may seem as if Christendom's most famous evangelist goes into autopilot mode as he ends a sermon — reciting familiar phrases urging people to bow their heads, close their eyes and pray for sinners to get up out of their seats and come forward.

However, Graham often makes subtle changes, depending on the culture in which he is preaching.

On March 14, he made a change of historic proportions. "No matter what language you speak, no matter what culture you are from, no matter what situation you find yourself in, all around the world, come and give your heart to Christ," said Graham, during a San Juan, Puerto Rico, crusade that was the launching pad for his most ambitious multimedia project.

This was, literally, an international altar call. Two nights later, this sermon was included in a three-day Global Mission that used 30 direct satellite links to reach more than 10 million people gathered daily at 40-foot screens at 3,000 locations, in 29 time zones, in 185 nations, in 116 languages. By the time follow-up broadcasts are completed, Graham's team hopes the project will have reached a billion people.

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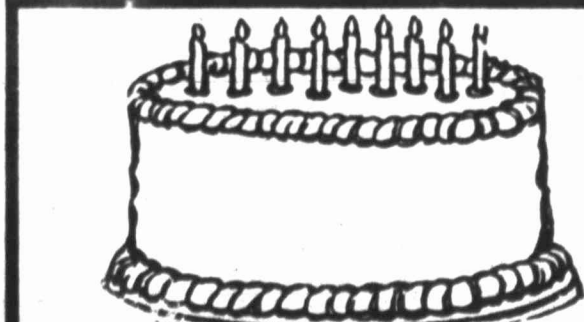
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CLUBS IN BRIEF

Deadline for club news items is noon Wednesday.

Howard County FCE

Howard County Family and Community Education Club Council met April 3 in the home of Lou Vincent.

Plans were made for the district meeting April 20 at Baptist Temple.

Visitors at the meeting were Barbara Cregar, who is the District VI Director, and Edith Jones, who will be the next District VI Director. Barbara Cregar lives in Mentone, Texas and Edith Jones lives in Wink, Texas.

Retired Teachers

Members of the Big Spring-Howard County Retired Teachers Association will meet at 11:30 in the morning on April 17 in the Cactus Room at Howard College for the monthly luncheon and business meeting.

Guest speaker is Mary (Valli) Miller, owner of Big Spring Skipper Travel. She grew up in Big Spring and graduated from Big Spring High School.

Miller has been a travel agent since 1976. She started with Skipper Travel when it was located on Third Street and bought the agency in 1987.

Elbow FCE

The Elbow FCE Club met April 6 at the home of Blanche Parks. Members answered roll call with "What do you recycle."

The program was presented by Winifred Millwee on "Pillow Talk". Plans for the District meeting on April 20 were discussed.

Next meeting will be May 4 on "The Upbeat on Fruits."

Retired Doctors and Nurses

Malone and Hogan Retired Doctors and Nurses met for lunch and visited. Attendees included Lorain Shirley, Phyllis Sparks, Dr. Carl Marcum, Myrtle Banks, Billy Miller, Lillian Ryne, Peggy Kirby, Opal Gaskin, Ruth Corley and Helen White.

Those who missed the meeting and want to attend the next one can contact attendees listed above.

Spade and Hoe Garden Club

Naturalist Zoe Kirkpatrick, known as "The Wildflower Lady" and author of "Wildflowers of the Western Plains," was guest speaker of the Spade and Hoe Garden Club April 11 at the Big Spring Country Club.

Sixty-one people watched while she narrated a slide showing of wildflowers she has photographed. She autographed books after the presentation.

The club will meet again at noon May 9 at the Country Club, when Karen Fraser will demonstrate "Making a Topiary."

Anyone interested in becoming a member of the Spade and Hoe Garden Club may obtain more information by calling 267-5275.

CAT SCAN



Shoo-Shoo, a 10-year-old Siamese, grabs at ABLE Inc. group home manager Karen Brazelton's pen at the group home in Dickinson, N.D. Workers at the home say the cat sense when residents will have seizures. About 30 seconds before the onset of a seizure, the cat will jump into bed with people and stay with them until the seizure subsides.

Use common sense to keep burglars away from house

By LAURA CHRISTMAN
Scripps Howard News Service

REDDING, Calif. — Pure rage. That's the reaction Dan Reese had when he returned to his Redding condominium one January evening to find it burglarized.

"I saw my CDs — or what was left of my CDs — scattered across the floor," Reese said. "It looked like a hurricane went through. The stuff that they didn't take was scattered everywhere."

Gone were credit cards, money, jewelry, guns — even some of his socks and underwear.

It had already been a lousy night. Reese, a nurse at Mercy Medical Center in Redding, ended his shift to discover his new car had been broken into. The window was smashed and the garage door opener gone. The opener was used by the burglar (or burglars) to enter the condominium the same night.

All told, Reese figures he lost \$7,000 to \$10,000 worth of property, including personal things like high school medals. Arrests have been made in the case and he may get some things back, but Reese said he'll never get back what was. "It took me a third of a year to earn in wages what he took, he'll never reimburse me," said Reese, who didn't have renter's insurance.

He said there's more to being burglarized than losing valu-

ables. There's an element of creepiness — the idea of a stranger being in your home going through your things. "It makes the hair stand up on your neck," he said.

Being the victim of a burglary means realizing home sweet home is not all that secure.

There are ways to lower your risk of being burglarized, according to Kirk Brenner, crime prevention coordinator for the Police Department.

In cases such as Reese's, where a burglar uses a garage door opener to gain access to the home, precautions include not leaving the opener or information with a home address in the car and locking the door between the garage and home.

One of the main burglary prevention strategies, as obvious as it may sound, is keep your doors and windows locked.

Brenner said burglars try to avoid houses where they will have to take too much time or make too much noise to enter. "The first thing they'll look for are doors or windows that are unlocked."

Open garage doors are an open invitation to burglary, Brenner said. It doesn't take long for someone to run in, grab some tools and run off.

Brenner recommends secondary locks on all external doors and windows. He said doors should be solid wood (hollow doors are easy to kick in) and have deadbolt locks. Make sure the striker plate for the deadbolt is securely

anchored to the home, Brenner advised. Most are installed with 3/4-inch-length screws that only go through the molding, and it doesn't take much to rip off molding. Replace the shorter screws with 3-inch-length screws, he suggested.

Different locking pin systems can be used to make a sliding glass door more secure. Wooden dowels placed in windows and patio doors to prevent them from sliding are also effective, Brenner said.

Bushes and other plants near windows can provide ideal cover for burglars, giving them plenty of time to jimmy a window and get into a home. "You want bushes cut below window level and trimmed up from the ground," Brenner said.

Outside lighting makes a home less likely to be a burglary target. Motion lights, which come on when movement is detected, are a big deterrent, Brenner said. He also recommended high-pressure sodium lights that pop on when the sun goes down and go off when the sun comes up.

Retired Teachers state president to speak

Special to the Herald

The Big Spring-Howard County Retired Teachers Association will host the District 18 Retired Teachers Leadership



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Mitchell, Lamesa, District 18 President of Texas Retired Teachers Association (TRTA) will preside during the opening session and business meeting.

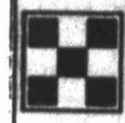
Registration is 9 a.m. with the general session to begin at 9:15 - 10:20 a.m. After the morning break, leadership training groups will meet from 10:30 a.m. to noon. After lunch reports and the business meetings are scheduled, with the election of officers for District 18 for 1995-96.

Speaker for the general session is Bob Richards, first vice president of Texas Retired Teachers Association, Austin.

Richards graduated from Robstown High School, Robstown, Texas and received his bachelor's and master's degrees from A&I University (now Texas A&M University, Kingsville).

He has coached for 10 years in Pawnee, Victoria and Kingsville. He served as elementary principal in Kingsville for 25 years and as headmaster at Epiphany Episcopal School in Kingsville for four years.

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Salvation Army

Captain Will Cundiff, the Salvation Army's divisional evangelist, and wife Sue will speak 7 p.m. April 18-21 and 11 a.m. April 23 at the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St.

The Cundiffs have served as commanding officers for the Salvation Army before becoming divisional evangelists.

For more information, contact Major Roy Tolcher at 267-8239.

Baker's Chapel AME

Baker's Chapel Methodist Church will have Sunrise Service, 6 a.m. Sunday. The community is invited to attend.

College Park Church of God

The church will have a car wash and garage sale starting 8 a.m. Saturday. An Easter skit will be presented during 11 a.m. services Sunday.

First Church of the Nazarene

The entire church family has been invited to the "Investing in Eternity" banquet Saturday evening at 6:30 p.m. Banquet attendees will hear about expansion plans for the church.

The congregation will join Living Water Ministries in a shared celebration of Resurrection Sunday. Sunday school classes will not meet this week, and the worship service will begin at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary at 1400 Lancaster. April 17-20, Nazarenes from across West Texas will gather in Abilene for District Assembly. The Monday evening rally will focus on missions, Tuesday's on Sunday school and Wednesday is the district rally. The Big Spring Rejoice Choir, under the direction of music minister Robert Brooks, will be there April 18 for the Sunday School Ministries Convention.

Minister's Fellowship Sunrise Service

The Howard County Minister's Fellowship will sponsor a sunrise service 7 a.m. Sunday at the amphitheater in Comanche Trail Park. The theme of the service will be "Son Rise Over the Nations."

The service will have a community choir, drama, special music, flags and banners, and special guest from area churches. There will also be refreshments served on a donation basis.

Those interested in singing in the community choir, please contact Robert Brooks at 267-7015.

Trinity Baptist Church

Easter Sunday night, the Adult Choir of Trinity Baptist Church will present the Easter musical "The Day He Wore My Crown."

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): The unexpected occurs with a friendship. Maintain a sense of humor even though your feelings are hurt and you don't agree. Confusion runs amok. Actions taken today could have long-term implications vis-a-vis a relationship. Be cool, lay back and observe. Tonight: Say yes.***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your popularity is high, yet you might have to make an uncomfortable choice. Evaluate what is important for you in the long run. You are playful. Communications are surprising. Somebody in the know could make a startling last-minute demand. Tonight: Be docile.****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Easy does it. Make an effort to remain positive as others push and pull. Decisions made today could have long-term implications. Don't let another's foul mood get to you. You receive surprising news from a distance that may affect your choices. Tonight: Play it smart and low-key.***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Something unusual happens concerning a family situation or a real-estate matter. A partner takes uncommon actions. Maintain a sense of humility in the face of change. Lighten up about life's possibilities. Tonight: Let a partner call the shots.***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): News and partners' actions could be startling, causing you to wonder what you are doing. Listen very carefully to what is happening, and focus on your choices. A light approach helps you gain insight. Be aware of what is important to you. Tonight: Entertain at home.***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Money matters could become a crisis when you least expect it. Keep your attitude light, but do not take risks. A loved one or partner may be unpredictable. Your ability to get past the obvious will help you. Express your true spirit spontaneously. Tonight: Be out and about.***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Others may be testy. A loved one may encourage you to take a risk or push you beyond your limits. Use your laughter as a healing tonic. Knowing your options can make a tremendous difference in what goes on. Touch base with your feelings. Tonight: Be careful with spending.****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Push comes to shove early in the day. Keep up good spirits when dealing with someone who is obstinate. The clearer you are about your goals, the better off you will be, but don't announce your plans just yet. A family member may be in an uproar. Tonight: Be spontaneous.***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Friends act unpredictably. Ease up and laugh your way through a problem. This light approach works and helps others see the light side of a difficult situation. Allow yourself an opening or discussion. Note what isn't being said. Tonight: Slow down; you need some rest.****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You are on top of a situation. An unforeseen financial problem occurs, but you have the wherewithal to deal with it. A family member's cantankerous behavior could upset you but serves you in the long run. Be open to feedback. Tonight: Share war stories with friends.***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You gain brilliant insight because of what goes on. You might be acting strangely, according to others, but how others perceive you might have little to do with reality. Carry on with a sense of gaiety, and stay on top of a problem. Tonight: Make a must appearance.***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): One-to-one relating is highlighted, though another may not understand your choices. A creative venture is important to your well-being. Stay open to change. Listen to your inner voice regarding someone who is at a distance. Your insights may stun you. Tonight: See a movie.***

IF APRIL 15 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: Relationships will change this year in a dynamic manner. You will find that you view partners and what goes on in your life very differently. Your goals are changing. It is wise not to take unnecessary risks when confused, especially involving career or friendship. Communications are often stressful, but his is a period of growth and success. If you are single: There is a strong possibility your status will change; be open to the unpredictability and fun of a relationship; don't count it as stable until it has gone through six months or a year.

THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.
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8277 APRIL 14 & 17, 1995

BIG SPRING HERALD CLASSIFIED

Reunion

WOODSON FAMILY REUNION
Saturday, April 15, 9:00 a.m.
Coahoma Community Center
Coming: Katherine Roberts, Fred, Velma Ruthee Wood, Futhie, Margie Hill, Murphy, Darla Swindell; families of Walter, Paul and Freddie Tiner.

PUBLIC NOTICE

ANNOUNCEMENT:
The Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services is currently soliciting applications for Evaluation/Treatment contract providers to serve Child Protective Service (CPS) clients (adults and children) in a 43 county service delivery area of Region 2/9. Counties affected by this procurement include the following: Hardeman, Cottle, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Knox, Baylor, Archer, Clay, Montague, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Jack, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Stephens, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Sterling, Coke, Runnels, Coleman, Brown, Comanche, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, Concho, McCulloch, Crockett, Schleicher, Menard, Mason, Sutton, and Kimble. TDRPS in Region 2/9 is changing the way evaluation/treatment contracts are procured within these counties. Procurement will now be conducted on a non-competitive, open-enrollment basis throughout the year, with no time limit for responses. Requirements prospective applicants must meet include the following: reside within one county of Region 2/9, agree to follow the policies and directives contained in the actual contract documents, and be licensed or certified to independently provide services. TDRPS sets the fees for allowable services: Applicants may charge the rates they advertise for the general public, or TDRPS rates, whichever are lower. If you are interested in providing psychological services (psychiatric evaluation, psychological testing, psychological evaluation, counseling), you may receive an application by contacting Elaine Holl, TDRPS Contract Technician, P.O. Box 6636, Abilene, TX 79608, telephone number 815/672-8814, ext. 210. Or pick up an application at our office site, located on the 2nd floor of the Taylor County Plaza, 400 Oak, in Abilene. 8275 April 14, 16, 17, 1995

PUBLIC NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
The Big Spring Independent School District shall receive sealed bid proposals until 2:00 p.m., May 2, 1995, on the following:
Music Supplies
Music Equipment
Music Equipment Repair Services
Specifications and bid documents may be secured from the school district's Business Office, 708 Eleventh Place, Big Spring, Texas 79720-4610, phone number (915) 264-3620. Bids will be publicly open and read immediately following the deadline for receiving the bids in the Business Office of the Big Spring Independent School District. Bidders are invited to be present at the bid opening. Bids received after the opening date and time will be returned unopened. Bids will be presented for consideration to the Board of Trustees on May 11, 1995, at 5:15 p.m. at their regularly scheduled board meeting. The Big Spring Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
8279 April 14 & 21, 1995

TAKE TIME OUT FOR YOURSELF READ

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THE BIG SPRING HERALD APPRECIATES YOUR BUSINESS

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2211. COACHMAN Travel Trailer. Self-contained with shower, sleeps 5-6, A/C, very clean. \$2250. 263-8273 after 6:00pm.
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1988 CAMARO. No engine or trans. Interior good, body rough.
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1993 THUNDERBOLT. Red, 30,000 miles, V-6, loaded. \$11,100. 1975 Chevrolet Pickup. 6-cylinder, standard. \$750. 267-6504.
'78 BUICK LeSabre. \$350. '82 Buick Regal, parts car, make offer. 263-4332.
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'92 FORD EXPLORER XLT. Fully loaded. Asking \$13,500. Call 915-394-4926.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK of STANTON, 119 N. St. Peter. Is accepting bids on a 1988 Peterbilt 5-ton truck w/sleeper; 1985 Aztec 40ft. Platform trailer. Bids will close 4/30/95. 915-756-3361.
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'89 DODGE D50...\$3250
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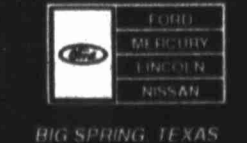
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Help Wanted 085

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GRANTWRITER POSITION

Qualifications: proposal writing, accounting, computer and planning skills. The position is to write and administer public and private grants for Howard County and City of Big Spring. Salary up to \$25,000 depending on experience. Mail resume and narrative proposal to: Moore Development For Big Spring, Inc., P.O. Box 3359, Big Spring, Texas 79721. Resumes without a sample proposal will not be considered.

LEAD MAINTENANCE PERSON wanted for apartments. Experience and tools required. EOE. Call 267-5191.**LONG JOHN SILVER'S** Part-time positions available day or evening shifts. Must be energetic and dependable. Apply at 2403 S. Gregg. No Phone Calls Please.**LVN NEEDED.** 8:00-2:00 shift. Apply in person Big Spring Care Center, 901 Goliad. **LVN'S:** Immediate openings on our Med/Surg unit for two 7P to 7A positions and at our TDCJ unit clinic for two 11P to 7A positions. We offer competitive wages based on experience, shift differentials and benefits. Part-time and PRN positions also available. EOE Contract Human Resources at Cogdell Memorial Hospital, 1700 Cogdell Blvd., Snyder, Texas 79549. 915-673-6374.**MAKE UP TO \$50,000.** In 6 months. Leads, Draw, No credit turnaround. Big Spring Roofing. Commission sales. 263-5503.**MANAGER TRAINEES WANTED.** Pay negotiable. Contact James at Sonic Drive-In. No calls please.**NOW HIRING Assistant Manager and Hair Stylists.** Are you making \$300-\$400 weekly? Successful salon averaging 300 walk-ins weekly is looking for professional stylists. We offer the best. If you are ready to get serious, then we're ready to get you. Base pay: \$6.00 per hour. Call Karen at 263-0262.**OPENING FOR LVN 11:00-7:00 shift,** 3 on 3 off, 50 bed long-term care. Part of hospital district, travel pay. Call Mrs. Gonzalez, RH, D.O.N. 915-728-2634. Monday-Friday 8:00-4:00.**OPPORTUNITY FOR experienced Operator,** Derrickman, and Floor Hands. Steady work, competitive wages, plus safety bonus paid monthly. Apply in person R&H Well Service, 1300 E. Hwy 350, Big Spring.**Now Hiring Apply in Person** 1710 E. 3rd**Restaurant** (No Phone Calls)**PART-TIME EVENING Dishwasher** needed. Apply at Red Mesa Grill, 2401 Gregg.**RECEPTIONIST NEEDED** for growing Big Spring manufacturing company. Applicant must possess excellent communication and typing skills. Computer knowledge a must. Competitive salary and benefits package. Please call Annette between 9:00-11:00a.m. at 263-8497 or send resume to PO Box 2110, Big Spring, TX 79721.**ROOF SALESMAN NEEDED.** Will train. Best commission paid. Liberal draws. Big Country Roofing, 801 E. 4th. 264-6352.**TELEMARKETING POSITION OPEN** We need people to sell subscriptions over the phone. Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 5:00-7:30pm. Contact Scott at 263-7331.

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The Colorado River Municipal Water District's Board of Directors will accept resumes from persons who may be interested in filling a vacancy as General Manager of the Colorado River Municipal Water District. All resumes should be submitted on or before April 25. Anyone interested in applying for this position that has a question regarding the details, etc., may contact the District's office by telephone at (915) 267-4341. Resumes should be mailed to:Manager Search Committee
C.R.M.W.D.
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Big Spring, TX 79721-0869**TREY TRUCKS** now hiring experienced Transport and Vacuum Truck Drivers. Must have Class A CDL with Haz-Mat. Apply in person 1300 E. Hwy 350.U.S. POSTAL SERVICE
JOB OPPORTUNITY

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WAITRESS NEEDED at Golden China Restaurant. Apply in person 700 East FM 700, 9:00am-12:00pm/4:00pm-8:00pm.**WANTED:** Experienced metal stud and dry wall framers in Colorado City. Apply at job site, or call 915-737-2607 after 6:00pm. Commercial Interiors.**WANTED: JOURNEYMAN** - Residential and commercial electrician. Wages dependent upon experience and performance. Nolan Electric 1010 25th Street, Snyder, TX 79549. 915-573-5117.

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ALL TYPES OF LAWN SERVICE. Mow or bag. Very reasonable. Call Matt, 264-7238 or Dave, 1-800-887-0508.**AVON REPRESENTATIVE.** Ramona Tijerina. (915) 267-3549. Major: Education and Sociology.**BACKHOE WORK:** Tree/Bush Removal and Planting, Lot Clearing, Septic Repair, Water/Gas Lines. AJ Stephens 264-9900.**MOW YARDS** and alleys, haul trash, trim trees, remove tree stumps, and odd jobs. Call 267-5460.**MOW YARDS.** Remove & haul trees, stumps, trash. Odd jobs and cleaning. 267-5975.**WILL MOW LAWNS** at reasonable rates. Call 263-4645, leave message.**Loans 095**
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Auctions 325

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Dogs, Pets, Etc 375

5 AKC REGISTERED Chinese Pug Puppies. 7 weeks old. \$150 each. 267-1924 after 4:00pm.**6 WEEK OLD ROTTWEILER puppies** for sale. Phone 267-3904 leave message.**FREE KENNEL CLUB BREEDER REFERRAL SERVICE:** Helps you find reputable breeders/quality puppies. Pured breed rescue information. 263-3404 daytime.

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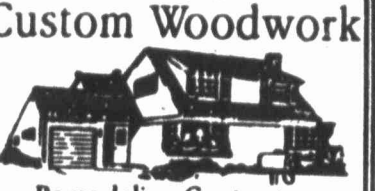
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	Midland	Odessa	Dallas	Dallas	Odessa	Dallas	Midland	Atlanta	Spanish	Premium	Nashville	Premium	Premium	Premium	Odessa	New York	Discovery	Atlanta	Sports	Sports	Claudio	Black Ent.
6:30	News	Full House	C. Sandiego	Waltons	News (2443)	News (2443)	News (1559)	Who's Boss?	Agustas	Trading Mom	America	Movie: Greedy	Kramer	(802191)	Prime Time	Rockford	Beyond 2000	In the Heat	Baseball	(309337)	A. Lansbury	Happen. Now
7:00	Wm. Fortune	Full House	C. Sandiego	Waltons	Ent. Tonight	Ent. Tonight	Coach	Major League	Rosa	Comic	News	Movie: Greedy	Kramer	(802191)	Prime Time	Rockford	Beyond 2000	In the Heat	Baseball	(309337)	A. Lansbury	Happen. Now
7:30	Fam. Mat.	VR.5 (CC)	Wash. Week	Shade	Burke's Law	Fam. Mat.	Unsolved	Baseball: At-	Maria Jose	Yesteryear	(157356)	Another Stak-	Planes.	(779530)	Biography	Fangs!	NBA Basket-	Major League	Boston	(309337)	A. Lansbury	Happen. Now
8:00	Step by Step	X-Files (CC)	People in	Rescue 911	Wright	Step by Step	Dateline (CC)	at Pittsburgh	Movie: Amigo	Daughter	Ralph Emery	Movie: Rescue Me	Outer Limits	(8350627)	Frederick K.	Wings	York Knicks	Baltimore	New York	(3284743)	Video Soul	Top 20
9:00	20/20 (CC)	Star Trek: Voyager	Search for	700 Club	Pocket	20/20 (CC)	Homode: Life	(27365191)	Movie: The	Club Dance	(197191)	Movie: The	Outer Limits	(2449004)	Praise the	Wings	Pacers	Texas	Rangers	(15) Movie:	Shepherd of	(239559)
9:30	News	Fresh Prince	MacNeil-	Racing Today	News	News	News (93066)	Us From Evil	Noticiero Uni-	River (CC)	(284191)	Movie: Bitter	33 1/3. The	(2449004)	Law & Order	Fangs!	Movie: The	Goat	Baseball	(309337)	A. Lansbury	Happen. Now
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11:00	Roseanne	the Night	Red Green	Bonanza	Married...	Ent. Tonight	(CC) (73646)	House of	Movie: Vi-	The Who's	Yesteryear	(157356)	Movie: The	(8350627)	Dennis Miller	Wings	Goat	Baseball	(309337)	A. Lansbury	Happen. Now	Jazz Central
12:00	Rush L.	Exposure	Movie: Kings	Paid Program	Jon Stewart	(6967578)	Extra	Movie: Empire of	Nacional	Tommy	(335) Trading	Ralph Emery	With Dolly	(15856627)	stick Camera	(12:10) Double	Wild West	Charlie's	Formula Cup	Drag Racing	Can	(888511)

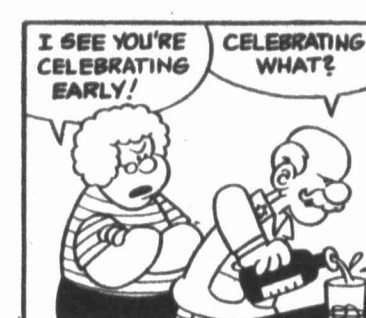
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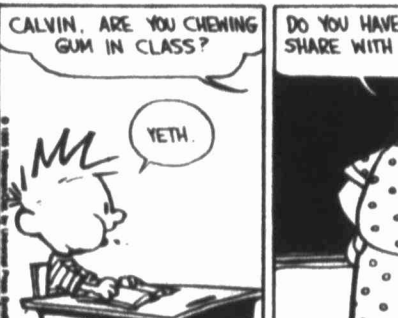
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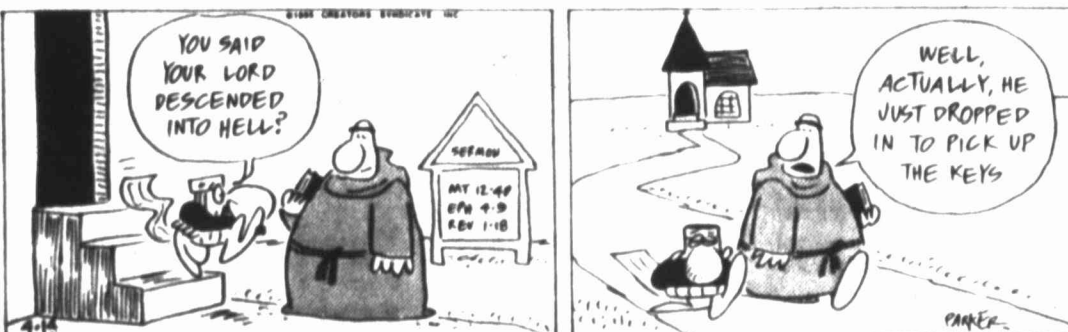
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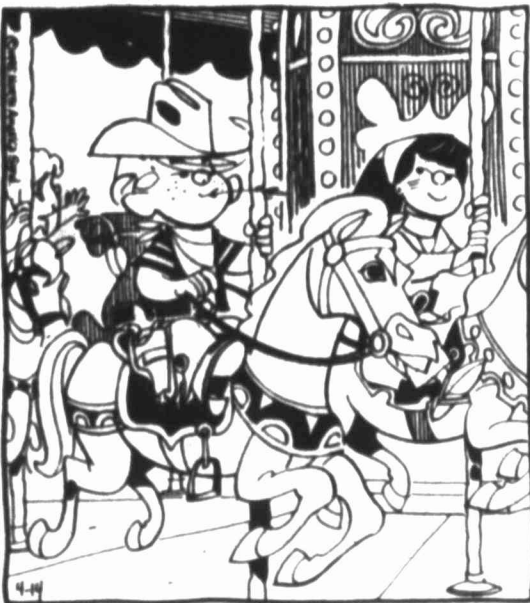
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2:10 4:20 7:10 9:20
Tall Tale PG
2:00 7:00
Major Payne PG-13
1:50 4:10 6:50 9:10
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4:00 9:00
All shows before 6 pm 'n' Tuesday Night all shows 'n'

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11:30 1:55 4:20 7:20 9:35
TOMMY BOY PG-13
11:50 2:15 4:40 7:10 9:25
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12:00 2:25 4:50 7:00 9:15
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NOBODY'S FOOL R
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ACROSS
1 Saharan
5 Village
9 Tennis shots
13 "A Bell for..." (Hersey)
14 Like some vaccines
15 Declare positively
16 They access illegally
19 Wound
20 Actor David Ogden—
21 Count calories
22 Political patronage
25 NYC neighborhood
27 JFK arrival
28 Pocket bread
29 A feast—famine
30 Southern nut
31 "Achy—Heart"
34 Lacking spontaneity
36 Model train name
38 Pontificate
39 Armed forces monogram
40 Glowing review
41 Fink
44 Endangered vulture
48 Muslim official
49 "—saber" (trusty scout)
50 German songs
52 Ill-fated
54 Possess an agenda
57 Bit of news
58 Small group
59 Actor Quaid
60 Jumble
61 Spoke
62 Objectives

DOWN
1 Handsome youth
2 Aircraft engine
3 Enter data
4 Tullen

Thursday's Puzzle solved:
5 Anonymous John
6 Hockey great
7 Cheers
8 Poet Sylvia
9 Magic Johnson, once
10 Exceed weight limits
11 Frenzied
12 Some students: abbr.
13 Sulfuric, et al.
17 Representative
18 Spy org.
23 —end (over)
24 Mythical box opener
26 Month
28 Seeger
30 Witticism
31 Pretense of courage
32 Ceremony
33 Shoe width
34 Schemes

35 Haul
36 Jean—Picard of "Star Trek"
37 Quarantine
41 Jog one's memory
42 Modifies
43 Brandy drink
45 Judges
46 Harem room
47 Leases
49 Bible of Islam
51 —avis
53 Hideous one
54 That guy
55 Midnight in Rome
56 Bushy clump



This date in history

Today is Good Friday, April 14, the 104th day of 1995. There are 261 days left in the year. The Jewish holiday Passover begins at sunset.

Today's Highlight in History:
On April 14, 1865, President Lincoln was shot and mortally wounded by John Wilkes Booth while attending the comedy "Our American Cousin" at Ford's Theater in Washington. The president died the following morning.

On this date:
In 1759, composer George Frideric Handel died in London.
In 1775, the first American

society for the abolition of slavery was organized by Benjamin Franklin and Benjamin Rush.

In 1828, the first edition of Noah Webster's "American Dictionary of the English Language" was published.

In 1894, a motion picture "peep show" device invented by Thomas Edison went on public display in New York City.

In 1902, J.C. Penney opened his first store, in Kemmerer, Wyo.

In 1912, the British liner Titanic collided with an iceberg in the North Atlantic and began sinking.

In 1931, King Alfonso the XIII of Spain went into exile, and the Spanish Republic was proclaimed.

In 1939, the motion picture "Wuthering Heights," starring Merle Oberon and Laurence Olivier, premiered in New York.

In 1939, the John Steinbeck novel "The Grapes of Wrath" was first published.

In 1956, Ampex Corp. demonstrated its first commercial videotape recorder.

In 1968, the Matt Crowley play "The Boys in the Band" opened in New York.

In 1981, the first test flight of America's first operational space shuttle, the Columbia, ended successfully as the orbiter landed at Edwards Air Force Base in California.

Ten years ago: Jack C. Bur-

cham became the fifth person to receive the "Jarvik 7" permanent artificial heart. (However, he died 10 days later at Humana Hospital Audubon in Louisville, Ky.) Bernhard Langer of West Germany won the Masters golf tournament in Augusta, Ga.

Five years ago: Lithuanian officials, facing a Kremlin deadline to back away from their declaration of independence, acknowledged that an economic blockade threatened by Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev could result in huge layoffs.

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