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Marking time 'til Homecoming

Hereford High School cheerleader Kate Denison, a junior, leans across a banner she is making to outline the letters. HHS cheerleaders worked into the night Thursday to prepare the high school gym for today's Homecoming pep rally, set for 2 p.m.

Trade deficit narrows

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER
AP Economics Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - The U.S. trade deficit narrowed slightly to $10.8 billion in August, still the second-worst showing in five years, as America's demand for Chinese toys and Christmas lights pushed the imbalance with that Asian nation to an all-time high.

The Commerce Department reported today that the deficit edged down 6.6 percent from a July deficit of $11.6 billion, which was the biggest imbalance since the government began tracking monthly goods and services trade in 1992.

GOP challenger Bob Dole and Reform Party candidate Ross Perot have sought to make America's worsening trade performance a campaign issue, contending that the ballooning deficits mean the loss of millions of American jobs.

The administration prefers to focus on the rise in American exports to record levels, contending it shows that the United States has become increasingly competitive on overseas markets.

In August, America's deficit with China surpassed the imbalance with Japan, the second time this year that has occurred. Analysts believe it signals the start of a new trend in which a growing trade gap with China will overshadow Japan, the country that traditionally has had the biggest trade imbalance with the United States.

The Chinese deficit climbed to a record $4.7 billion, up 23 percent from July. U.S. exports to China were down 22 percent, representing big declines in sales of American passenger jets and fertilizer while imports climbed 14 percent, reflecting a big jump in U.S. demand for Chinese toys and Christmas decorations, clothing and telecommunications equipment.

The U.S. deficit with Japan fell in August by 11.8 percent to $3.8 billion. For the first eight months of this year, America's deficit with Japan is down 28 percent to the lowest level since 1992.

The administration has sought to take credit for this improvement, contending new market-opening trade agreements are bearing fruit. Private economists generally give more of the credit to currency changes that have made American goods more competitive in Japan.

America's deficit with Western Europe narrowed in August. After hitting a record $4.2 billion in July, the imbalance shrank to $1.6 billion. Much of the improvement came from a drop in American purchases of European cars.

The U.S. deficit with Mexico continued to run at record levels, reflecting the fact that Mexico's currency crisis has made Mexican imports cheaper in this country while making U.S. exports to Mexico more expensive. The deficit with Mexico rose to $1.5 billion, up 11.2 percent from July.

The deficit in goods and services is running at an annual rate of $112.04 billion, compared to $105.06 billion in 1995.

For August, U.S. exports of goods and services climbed 3 percent to $69.3 billion while imports were up 1.6 percent to $80.2 billion. The trade deficit is the difference between what America imports and what it sells to foreign countries.

The increase in exports was led by a rise of $497 million in sales of passenger aircraft and a $197 million increase in exports of American cars and parts.

On the import side, demand for foreign cars and parts was up $462 million and U.S. demand for foreign consumer goods was up $530 million. America's foreign oil bill edged down 8.1 percent to $5.04 billion.

Morales asserts his vote for president is a secret

By JUAN B. ELIZONDO Jr.
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) - Democratic U.S. Senate candidate Victor Morales says there's no controversy over who will get his vote for president. But the Mesquite schoolteacher refuses to state his choice.

Morales, a high school government teacher, on Thursday picked up an endorsement from Ross Perot's 180,000-member Texas Reform Party.

Asked by reporters whether he will vote for Perot or fellow Democrat Bill Clinton, Morales declined to say.

"I've not given that any thought, truthfully. My vote is secret," said Morales, who campaigned with the president in Texas last month and appeared at the Democratic National Convention where Clinton was renominated.

"I've said it from the beginning that I back Mr. Clinton. I've backed a great many of his programs. I'm certainly not anti-Mr. Perot. You can read that as a vote or not a vote, but I prefer to keep my vote secret," he told a Capitol news conference.

Larry Neal, a spokesman for Republican Sen. Phil Gramm, criticized Morales' decision, saying as a candidate Morales has given up his right to a secret ballot.

"I think if you stand up in front of the people of Texas and ask them to support one candidate over another and ask them to pledge their vote, you owe them the respect of telling them who you are going to vote for. I think it will come as a surprise to Bill Clinton," Neal said.

"(Phil Gramm) supports Bob Dole and is going to vote for Bob Dole, not Ross Perot or Bill Clinton," Neal added. "It's interesting that (Morales) will take their endorsement but not say who he's going to vote for."

In a later written statement, Morales said there should be no controversy about his comments.

Morales said the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee is giving his campaign up to $200,000, allowing him to prepare for at least one television ad in the less than three weeks before the election. He said the ad will focus on his candidacy and will not be an attack against Gramm.

First freeze recorded here; mercury hits 30 degrees

Hereford recorded its first fall freeze this morning when temperatures dipped below 32 degrees during the early morning hours.

According to KPAN Radio, the city's official weather reporting station, the freezing temperature hit Hereford at 2 a.m.

The freezing temperatures remained for more than five hours, with the low temperature this morning recorded as 30 degrees at 6:55 a.m. The mercury stayed at this level for more than an hour.

It was too early to tell freeze damage to crops this morning, Ted Peabody II, county executive director of the Farm Service Agency said.

"We'll have to wait and see," Peabody said, although he added that most farmers suffered some kind of setback from the freeze.

Milo is the most critical crop at this time, Peabody said.

Milo producers were prepared for the freeze; however, producers would have liked it to hit a few weeks later, he said.

According to Carmen Flood, a local Master Gardener, most of the frost-sensitive plants such as annuals were lost. But most of the perrenials survived the early morning freeze.

At 10 a.m. this morning, frost still covered many of her plants, she said.

As a precaution to freezing temperatures, Flood recommends covering the plants with blankets or plastic wrappings.

Plants such as dahlias, which are not hardy in cold weather, should be mulched to protect the root system, she said.

Many gardeners are moving on to the next phase of gardening, which is cleaning out their beds and planting spring bulbs, she said.

The forecast for tonight calls for mostly clear and breezy, with a low in the mid 40s.

On Saturday, it will become partly cloudy, windy and warmer. The high temperature is expected to be 75 to 80 degrees with south winds of 15 to 25 mph.

SUNDAY IN THE BRAND

Who will be the 1996 Hereford High School Homecoming Queen and King?

Who will win the top float awards in the parade?

The answers to these questions and more will be answered in Sunday's Hereford Brand.

Staff Writer Sherri Martin will attend Friday's pep rally and parade to bring you all the exciting details.

Also Sunday, Managing Editor Garry Wesner takes a look at a new program by the Hereford Police Department.

Officers are trying to increase awareness of traffic laws regarding pedestrians and bicyclists.

Sunday, local officers Brian Burzynski and Ron Taylor review their plans for taking the message of traffic safety to the entire community.

Deaf Smith County gets portion of FEMA money to aid homeless

By WILLIAM SEELEY
Staff Writer

The Federal Emergency Management Agency this morning announced that $100 million in federal funds has been made available to help feed the hungry and shelter the homeless during fiscal year 1996.

Deaf Smith County will receive $9,433 of more than $8 million granted the State of Texas.

"These funds will reach more than 10,000 nonprofit and local government agencies in every state," FEMA Director James Lee Witt said. "The money will supplement their efforts to provide emergency food and shelter."

Judy Baker, of Deaf Smith County Social Services, said the money will be used for food assistance and to pay water, gas, electric and propane bills on an emergency, one-time-per-year basis.

"Each applicant is assessed on an individual basis," Baker said.

Funds are distributed locally by the Emergency Food and Shelter board of which Baker is co-chairman.

County Judge Tom Simons is board chairman. In order to qualify for the federal funds, Baker said at least one local board member must be a person who, if not for the availability of FEMA funds, would be homeless.

The FEMA national board is comprised of representatives from the American Red Cross, Catholic Charities USA, Council of Jewish Federations, National Council of Churches, The Salvation Army and United Way of America. The board develops each year's distribution plan based on unemployment and poverty rates.

Deaf Smith County in 1995 had 6,153 residents -- 31.3 percent -- living below the poverty level, according to the United States Census Bureau statistics.

Last year's FEMA grant to Deaf Smith County was $9,597.

Although the funds are awarded as of Oct. 1, Baker said the check actually arrives in February.

County Social Services also welcomes cash and food donations, which can be dropped off at the social services office at the courthouse.

Baker said those donating cash may specify how the funds are to be spent.

For further information contact Judy Baker at 363-7075.

Castro shelters evacuees as Lili hits Havana

By MICHELLE FAUL
Associated Press Writer

HAVANA (AP) - Fidel Castro welcomed scores of evacuees into the National Palace to wait out Hurricane Lili, which pounded mainland Cuba today with battering waves and 115-mph wind gusts.

The hurricane hit Cuba this morning after killing eight people in Central America. Heavy rains and winds that preceded its arrival toppled scores of aging buildings in downtown Havana.

A hurricane warning was in effect today for the Isle of Youth, mainland Cuba from Camaguey province westward and the northwest Bahamas. A tropical storm warning was issued for the Florida Keys.

A worried-looking Castro appeared on state television late Thursday, warning Cubans to prepare for an onslaught that he said could prove "catastrophic."

Civil defense workers went door-to-door in driving rain through the capital's poorer neighborhoods, persuading residents to seek shelter in sturdier buildings. Those seeking safety in the National Palace with Castro came from the nearby neighborhood of La Timba.

By nightfall Thursday, at least 28,000 residents had been evacuated from low-lying coastal areas. Thousands of others refused to leave their homes for fear of looting. Cuban authorities said 80,000 people would have to be evacuated from dangerous dwellings in Havana alone.

In Havana's hospitals, all but the sickest patients were asked to go home so there would be empty beds in the event of heavy casualties. Schools sent home 100,000 students.

Lili struck Cuba's tiny Isle of Youth overnight. There were no immediate reports of damage or injuries.

Cuba has suffered two killer hurricanes in recent decades: Flora, which struck the island's east in 1963, and Kate, which slammed into Havana in 1985.

In Central America, Lili left thousands homeless and stranded more as rain-gorged rivers made bridges and roads impassable in Costa Rica, Honduras and Nicaragua.



Decorators at work

Hereford High School sophomores, from left, Robin Bell and Jamie Steiert and junior Wendy Brisendine work above ground Thursday as they help decorate the HHS gym for today's Homecoming pep rally. The Homecoming King and Queen were to be announced at the 2 p.m. pep rally. Hereford will face off against the Randall Raiders at 7:30 p.m. today in Whiteface Stadium. Homecoming royalty will be honored before the game, with pre-game ceremonies to begin at 7 p.m.

Local Roundup

Hereford records first freeze

Hereford recorded a high temperature on Thursday of 62 degrees, with an overnight low of 30 degrees, according to KPAN Radio. Temperatures remained at or below freezing for five hours beginning at 2 a.m. The forecast for Homecoming night calls for mostly clear skies and breezy. Low will be in the mid-40s with south winds decreasing to 10-20 mph and gusty. Saturday will be becoming partly cloudy, windy and warm, with a high of 75-80 degrees and south winds of 15-25 mph and gusty.

Tailgate party set Tuesday

In an effort aimed at increasing attendance for Tuesday's Hereford High School volleyball match against the Dumas Demonettes, the Whiteface Booster Club will host a tailgate party at 5 p.m. Tuesday in front of the Whiteface Gym. Cost to attend is $3 per person, with a dinner of German sausage, flour tortillas, chips and drinks to be served. The junior varsity volleyball match will be at 6 p.m., with the varsity match after that. Funds raised at the party will go toward Booster Club activities.



Child Accident Prevention Week proclaimed

Hereford Mayor Robert Josserand on Monday proclaimed Oct. 20-26, 1996 Child Accident Prevention Week to "encourage all Hereford's Citizens to practice good safety habits and WATCH OUT FOR THAT CHILD!!!" The proclamation was signed in City Hall before Hereford crossing guards (from left) Herman Benavidez, Kay Redwine, Ruth Stethem, Tracey Butler, Carolyn Tackitt, Juanita Vasquez, Albina Almazan, Mary Moralez, Beverly Hulsey and Janetta Britten. Also pictured are Police Chief David Wagner, Tierra Blanca Primary School Principal Tommy Rossom, Madlyn Watts, 6, and Julio Barron, 8.

Gingrich calls for probe into contributions

By MARCY GORDON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - In an expanding controversy weeks before the election, House Speaker Newt Gingrich is calling for congressional hearings on contributions to Democrats by a powerful Indonesian banking family.

Gingrich said Thursday he expects several committees to investigate the contributions after Congress returns in January.

"I can think of no greater danger for this country than to create a pattern of foreigners trying to buy access to the politics or government and the criminal justice system," Gingrich told reporters at the Capitol.

"There's something fishy in this whole Indonesian connection," he said later on CNN's "Larry King Live" program.

Gingrich, R-Ga., said the Clinton administration should postpone its plans to sell F-16 fighter jets to Indonesia until Congress holds hearings on the matter.

A top State Department official disclosed the sale in little-noticed testimony at a Senate hearing a few weeks before questions surfaced about the foreign donations.

The administration says it plans to proceed with the sale of the nine F-16s, despite congressional objections on grounds of alleged human rights abuses in the Asian nation.

In related developments:

-The Democratic National Committee acknowledged it was a mistake for Democratic fund-raiser John Huang and others to hold a fund-raiser in April with Asian-Americans at a Buddhist temple in California. Religious facilities are not supposed to host such events because of their tax-exempt status as nonprofit charitable institutions.

"The Clinton-Gore team have given the California Gold Rush new meaning," said Republican presidential nominee Bob Dole. "They're now holding fund-raisers in Buddhist temples where you take a vow of poverty before you get in."

-Clinton campaign spokesman Joe Lockhart said Dole was unjustified in his criticisms "because he accepts the same kind of money" from foreign nationals. Lockhart cited Pepe and Alfie Fanjul of West Palm Beach, Fla., Cuban-born brothers who live in Spain but retain U.S. residency. The sugar growers have contributed to both Clinton and Dole.

"Bob Dole thought it was very proper to take money from them. There's a bit of hypocrisy here," Lockhart said.

-Federal Election Commission documents show that a member of the Riady banking family of Indonesia contributed $1,000 to Dole's 1988 presidential campaign.

-Confidential White House documents indicate the administration extracted promises from Indonesia to allow workers to form unions and to stop using the military to settle labor disputes. Based on these commitments, the administration renewed a special trade status for Indonesia in 1994.

The documents were released following reports that the head of a U.S. affiliate of the Riady banking and real estate conglomerate sits on a special panel that advises the top U.S. trade negotiator.

News in Brief

Report: Lawsuit Group Targets Consumer Organizations

AUSTIN (AP) - A leader of one citizen group is labeling as "bizarre" a reported effort by a major Texas business organization to discredit such groups.

The Dallas Morning News reported Thursday that documents show Texans for Lawsuit Reform had approved what the newspaper described as "a campaign to discredit public-interest organizations by portraying them as big-monied special interests."

In so doing, the lawsuit reform group hopes to limit the effectiveness of some of its most vocal opponents who have fought against limits on consumers' ability to file lawsuits against businesses in injury cases, the newspaper said.

TLR has hired a Washington-based public relations firm to gather information on consumer groups that oppose pollution, tobacco and curbs on civil lawsuits, according to documents provided to the newspaper by supporters of the public-interest groups.

An official of the lawsuit reform group said the inquiry only involved funding of two consumer groups that opposed tort reform legislation. "We're simply looking at public documents," said TLR's Ken Hoagland.

Magazine Details New School Ranking System

AUSTIN (AP) - At a suburban elementary campus in Richardson with a private-school atmosphere, each of the 600 report cards gets a handwritten note from the principal. Teachers feel free to enliven classes with such games as a take-off on "Wheel of Fortune."

In a Rio Grande Valley school north of Mission - at which one-third of the students are children of migrant farm workers - the principal and teachers attack the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills "as if it were a cross between the game of the year ('Beat the TAAS' reads a banner in the cafeteria) and a matter of survival (which, for these children, it is)."

And at Beaumont's oldest school, in an inner-city neighborhood, the innovative principal and teachers make it clear that economic disadvantage is no excuse for failure. The students are respectful and intensely focused on their teachers.

The three are spotlighted in the November issue of Texas Monthly magazine in an article about a new rating system for Texas elementary schools.

The three schools visited by the magazine - Richardson's Brentfield Elementary, Mission's Carl C. Waitz Elementary and Beaumont's Pietzsch Elementary - all are listed as four-star schools.

Students Help Authorities Nab Beer Vendors Who Served Minors

DALLAS (AP) - Three Central Texas high school students who got into trouble for drinking beer during a school trip to the State Fair of Texas are back in good graces.

They went undercover and helped authorities nab some of the vendors who illegally sold them the beer.

Lt. Don Engleking of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission said the students from Hutto High School were able to buy beer from 19 of the 32 vendors they approached at the fair on Thursday.

That rate of about 60 percent is roughly twice as high as in a typical minor sting, he said.

"The ones that actually made the sale will be filed on for making alcohol available to a minor," Lt. Engleking said. "And we'll take administrative action against the permitted owners of the booths."

Senator Defends Himself Against Deadbeat Dad Allegations

GREENVILLE, Texas (AP) - A state senator who helped pass stiffer penalities against deadbeat parents has defended himself against allegations he was forced to pay back child support.

Sen. David Cain, D-Dallas, said during a debate between District 2 Senate candidates Thursday that his children were his first priority.

Cain's ex-wife recently took him to court to force him to pay back child support and to get him to pay for half of their two children's private school educations, according to court records.

"She and I were divorced over eight years ago and we had a difference in opinion since that time, but we worked as a family to resolve those issues and reached an agreement over a year ago," Cain said of his divorce from Kathryn Hall in 1988. Their two children are now teen-agers.

But Cain was not the only one facing allegations.

Lottery Commission approves 'cash value' option, drawings

By JUAN B. ELIZONDO Jr.
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) - Texans picking what they hope will be winning Lotto numbers soon will have another choice to make: whether to the total estimated jackpot spread over 25 annual payments or take about half of the amount as a lump sum.

The Lottery Commission on Thursday approved the "cash value" option.

Voting 2-0, commission members also approved the addition of two more weekly Cash 5 drawings and other changes. They said the changes give Texans the choices they want and will boost Lotto jackpot prizes.

Commissioner Anthony Sadberry was not present for the vote. However, he supported the proposals when the commission discussed them in August.

"Beginning Nov. 25, we will add Monday and Thursday to our current Tuesday-Friday (Cash 5) schedule," said Lottery Executive Director Nora Linares.

Adding the Monday and Thursday drawings will bring in about an additional $12.5 million in fiscal year 1997, the commission estimated.

Ms. Linares said the cash value option will be introduced early next year.

Players would have to choose the cash option when they purchase their tickets, said Pam Udall, coordinator of the lottery's online games. Players who don't indicate a preference at that time will be paid in 25 installments.

Ms. Linares said the cash prize will be worth about half the estimated jackpot because about 50 percent of the total prize comes from interest earned on annuities the lottery purchases for winners.

Winners who choose 25 payments will get the cash value, plus interest, she said.

The commission said jackpots will increase because the annuities starting next year will be purchased for 25 years instead of 20 years as they are now. But Steve Levine, a lottery spokesman, said the effect is hard to gauge.

"There will be an impact, but jackpots are based on sales and interest rates," he said.

Ms. Udall said the commission will undertake an aggressive public relations campaign to make sure players understand the cash option.

She said at least eight other states have a cash value option, including New York and Colorado. In those states, up to 50 percent of the winners choose the option.

The commission estimates the option will increase Lotto sales by $1.8 million in the current fiscal year. The agency did not have an estimate on sales increases sparked by larger jackpots.

The new option requires changes to Lotto play slips and to Lotto machines. The agency did not have an estimate on the cost of those changes.

In other changes:

- Lotto prizes will be adjusted so that advertised estimates are more exact. Ms. Linares will be able to increase the actual prize if it fell short of the estimate or decrease it if it came in over the estimate.

The actual prize is determined by the number of sales. Estimates are based on past sales.

- Lotto will be drawn at 9:59 p.m. Central Time. It currently is drawn at 9:58 p.m.

PIN sets membership meeting

The Panhandle Information Network (PIN) will hold its first membership meeting at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22 at the Region XVI Education Service Center, 1601 S. Cleveland St., in Amarillo.

PIN is a consortium composed of area school districts, community colleges, public libraries, city and count governments, West Texas A&M University, the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in Amarillo, the Harrington Library Consortium, Panhandle Regional Planning Commission and Region XVI Education Service Center.

PIN was created to plan, coordinate and facilitate the cooperative development and operation of a regional integrated telecommunications network to enable members to serve the Panhandle and to contribute to improved student learning and the overall educational and economic development of the region.

Arnold Viramontes, executive director of the Telecommunications Infrastructure Fund (TIF) board, will deliver the keynote address at the Oct. 22 meeting. The TIF board awards grants and loans to public entities to enhance distance learning, information sharing of libraries and telemedicine services.

The Texas Legislature created the fund in 1995 and mandated that the state place $150 million a year for the next ten years into the fund.

PIN has not yet applied for monies from the fund, although individual PIN members have. Linda Pitner, interim executive director for PIN and director of the Office of Grants and Special Projects at WTAMU, said she expects the fund will provide future opportunities for PIN to apply as a consortium.

Charles Greenawalt, Hereford Independent School District superintendent, chairs PIN's board. Dr. Roger Lanier, regional dean of the School of Allied Health at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center in Amarillo, serves as vice chair. Dr. Scott Elliot, president of Clarendon College, is the board's secretary/treasurer.

Bob Josserand, CEO/chairman of AZTX Cattle Co. Ltd serves on the PIN's board of directors.

Man convicted of killing fetus

By PAULINE ARRILLAGA
Associated Press Writer

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) - It's too soon to know how the conviction of a man who drove drunk into a pregnant woman's car, resulting in her baby's death, might impact laws determining when life begins, say groups on both sides of the abortion debate.

Frank Flores Cuellar, 50, was convicted Thursday of intoxication manslaughter in the death of Krystal Zuniga, who was born a month and a half premature because of the crash.

The case is one of the first in Texas to test whether a person can be held criminally liable for harming an unborn child. However, both abortion supporters and opponents said the implications of the verdict would remain murky until considered by an appeals court.

Cuellar's attorney refused to say whether she would appeal, citing a gag order that remains in effect through sentencing, scheduled for today.

"It's too early to know whether or not it's a setback," said Pauline Cashion, executive director of the Texas Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League.

Still, pro-life groups hailed the conviction as a step toward tougher laws against criminals whose actions harm the unborn.

Cuellar faces two to 20 years in prison. He also is charged with driving while intoxicated and intoxication assault, for which he will be tried later. His defense had asked for the separate trial on the manslaughter count to avoid airing Cuellar's prior DWI convictions.

Emergency Services

Emergency services reports for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Friday contained the following information.

HEREFORD POLICE

Harassing phone calls were reported in the 600 block of Irving.

A prowler was reported in the 900 block of South Julian.

Harassing phone calls were reported to a residence in the 100 block of East Fourth. The caller is a former boyfriend, but the complainant did not want to file charges at this time.

Burglary of a residence was reported in the 300 block of Avenue J, where a jambox valued at $20 was taken.

An unidentified male entered a business in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue and asked the clerk to change a roll of dimes for a $5 bill. the clerk gave the man the bill and, after he left, checked to roll and discovered it contained 40 pennies and three dimes. The business reported it was bilked out of $4.30.

A 77-year-old male was reported bit by a dog in the 900 block of 16th Street. The dog was picked up by animal control as the owner didn't have proof of a rabies vaccination.

In the 400 block of Long Street, a woman reportedly caught her husband drinking with two other women. An argument ensued during which police were called. After a discussion, it was decided that the woman's husband would leave the residence. No assault occurred and no charges were filed.

At a residence in the 300 block of Avenue J, a man got mad at his wife after she questioned him about his drinking and spending all of her paycheck. He allegedly started throwing things in the house and at one time grabbed the woman and slapped her. The woman went to Hereford Regional Medical Center, where she called police and completed paperwork to file Class C assault charges on her husband. With the help of police the woman was able to get her children and leave the house.

Police took a 13-year-old boy into custody at Hereford Junior High School for allegedly possessing some marijuana. He was later released to the custody of his parents.

Officers issued five citations for speeding; one citation for no seat belt; and 11 other traffic citations.

There was one traffic accident reported with no injuries.

DEAF SMITH SHERIFF

Report not available.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

No calls.

Correction

A cutline of the Hereford Junior High Junior Historian officers in Wednesday's edition of the Hereford Brand incorrectly identified Danielle Pesina.

Pesina serves a second vice president-programs.

The Brand regrets the error.

Lottery

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

0-8-7 (zero, eight, seven)

Program benefits first-time homeowners in Panhandle

A program that has been helping first-time home buyers get a share of the "American Dream" of home ownership is continuing to record success in the Panhandle region.

The Mortgage Credit Certificate (MCC) Program benefits the first-time home buyer more than most other programs. according to Gary Beddingfield, president of the Panhandle Regional Housing Finance Corporation(PRHFC).

Beddingfield explains that the MCC program gives qualified first-time home buyers the opportunity to get a 35 percent dollar-for-dollar income tax credit on the interest of their mortgage loan for the life of the loan. On a $50,000 mortgage loan with the MCC, for example, the buyer could save about a $100 month on interest.

The MCC program is a partnership between lenders, Realtors and the volunteer board of the PRHFC to make sure that low-to-moderate-income residents have the ability to own a home.

The program is available in Deaf Smith County and about 23 other counties or cities in the Panhandle. Mike Carr is treasurer of the program in Hereford. The MCC is issued by the corporation through local participating lenders. In Hereford, they are FirstBank Southwest and Guadalupe Economic Service Corp.

In order to be eligible for an MCC, home buyers may not have owned a home within the pasts three years. The income limit for a family of three or more in Deaf Smith County is $44,505.

The maximum purchase price for an existing home in all counties is $59,877 and for a newly-constructed home it is $94,716.

A free informational brochure is available by calling 806-356-3456. Interested persons should ask a Realtor or a participating lender about the program.

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Lifestyles



HJH HOSTS math program

Several Hereford Junior High School students in Sandra Saul's sixth period class are participating in the Help One Student to Succeed (HOSTS) math program. The program targets students that need extra assistance in math. Pictured front row are, from left, Kristy Pruitt, Tanna Stickney, Barbara Ruiz and DeeDee Guerrero. In the back row are, from left, HOSTS assistant Margie Pena, Regino Barrientoz, Benny Hernandez, David Trevino, Mark Tijerina, Cody Scott and HOSTS teacher Sandra Saul.

Aim of HOSTS math program is to help break student failure cycle

The Hereford Junior High School Help One Student to Succeed (HOSTS) program is in its second year.

Sandra Saul is the HOSTS math teacher and Margie Pena is the assistant.

The objective of the HJH HOSTS math program is to help break the cycle of student failure the teachers say. The program targets children who need extra assistance in math.

HOSTS is not a curriculum the teachers said, but an instructional strategy that is tailored to the state, district and school math objectives and philosophies.

Unlike other HOSTS programs in Hereford, it is not a pull out program, rather a regularly-scheduled class period.

All of the students in HOSTS also have another regular math class. HJH has six classes with no more than 12 students in each.

Many of the students in the HOSTS program are monolingual. Pena, who serves as the bilingual assistant, works with these children and also helps in all areas of the HOSTS math program.

The HOSTS math class also goes to the Jostens Lab for 20 minutes twice a week. Each student is tested on an individualized program.

The program does not use mentors from the community at this time. In the future, Saul said, the program may try to have mentors one day a week. Last year, the students showed much improvement on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test.

Menus

HEREFORD I.S.D.

Breakfast

MONDAY-Pancakes with syrup; or cereal, buttered toast, diced peaches, milk.

TUESDAY-Scrambled eggs with sausage; or cereal, buttered toast, grape juice, chocolate milk.

WEDNESDAY-Breakfast pizza; or cereal, buttered toast, orange smiles, milk.

THURSDAY-Sausage pattie, biscuit and jelly; or cereal, buttered toast, rosy applesauce, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY-Hash brown, Texas style toast and honey; or cereal, buttered toast, banana, milk.

Lunch

MONDAY-Chicken nuggets with gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot apricot cobbler, whole wheat roll, chocolate milk.

TUESDAY-Steak pattie on bun, lettuce and tomato slices, potato wedges with catsup, strawberry yogurt, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Sliced turkey with gravy, brown rice pilaf, green beans, corn on cob, Waldorf fruit salad, hot rolls, chocolate milk.

THURSDAY-Nacho grande with picante sauce, lettuce with tomatoes, pinto beans, Spanish rice, pineapple T.B., cinnamon roll, milk.

FRIDAY-Chili dog with mustard, tator tots with catsup, baked beans, apple, white cake with red icing, chocolate milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

MONDAY-Frito pie, rice salad, pinto beans, applesauce cake, milk.

TUESDAY-Ham salad sandwich, French fries, carrot sticks, banana pudding, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Tacos, tossed salad, refried beans, cinnamon roll, fruit juice, milk.

THURSDAY-Pizza, corn, okra, fruity Jello, milk.

FRIDAY-Beef pot pie, blackeyed peas, biscuit, pineapple chunks, milk.

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I attended the Olympic games in Atlanta this past summer. Because I needed to use crutches and a wheelchair, I had considered staying home and not going through all the trouble of trying to get around. My family said, "If YOU don't go, WE don't go." It turned out that the Olympics were enjoyable and surprisingly easy to attend because of countless acts of kindness.

I hope you will give me the chance to extend my heartfelt thanks to the volunteers who sought me out and gave me an excellent place to view the competitions when I couldn't climb the steps, the man with the broad shoulders who walked in front of me to clear a path through the crowd so I could move forward, and the many folks who stopped to ask, "Do you need to go anywhere? I'll take you."

I want to gratefully acknowledge the 15 smiling women who told me to go ahead of them in the ladies' room line where there were only 12 stalls (I counted), all the moms and dads who quickly pulled their children out of my way so I wouldn't trip over them, and those who saw me coming and picked up napkins, paper towels and other debris from the floor and out of the way of my crutches, so my passage could be as smooth as possible.

I don't want to forget the workers who showed me a faster route, a shorter line or a closer door, and the crowds of people on the mass transit system and on the elevators who stepped aside and let me enter, even though I took up a lot of space. Nor do I want to miss thanking all those who smiled and said, "That's OK," when my husband nipped their tired ankles with my chair.

And finally, I want to thank all the volunteers who asked if I enjoyed the event and really wanted to know the answer. These acts of kindness were frequent and automatic. They helped me look forward to traveling again, and I really fell in love with Atlanta. -- Olympic Winner from Minnesota

Dear Winner: Yours is my favorite kind of letter. These days, when we read so much about crime, violence and man's inhumanity to man, it's heartwarming to know how well you were treated by strangers in Atlanta. Thanks for reaffirming the goodness in people.

Dear Ann Landers: I want to tell your readers how you have helped me solve some of my problems.

Over the years, whenever my husband (who was not a great communicator) behaved in a way that bothered me, I would write a letter to Ann Landers and leave it on the dining room table. My husband, of course, would read it, which is what I intended him to do. When he saw my feelings down on paper, he could understand how his behavior affected me.

Invariably, after he read one of my letters, he would rethink the consequences of his behavior and get back on track. We never discussed it, but I was very pleased that he was able to make a turnabout.

We were married 30 years before he died. Whenever I read your column, I think about how much you helped us in our marriage. My husband really respected your judgment. Thank you for settling some controversies you never even knew about. -- Marilyn in Bumpass, Va.

Dear Marilyn: It sounds as if you had a very good marriage. Some men are incapable of admitting they are wrong. How nice for you that your husband wasn't one of them. Thank you for letting me know I helped. That's the icing on the cake for me.

Ann Landers' booklet, "Nuggets and Doozies," has everything from the outrageously funny to the poignantly insightful. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for $5.25 (this includes postage and handling) to: Nuggets, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send $6.25.)

Book reviewed for study club

Wynon Mayes of Canyon reviewed the book, All I Know About Animals, by Erma Bombeck when the Hereford Study Club met in the home of Bessie Story.

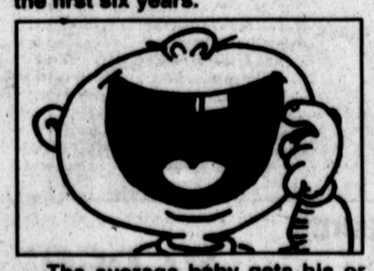
Mayes' presentation centered around Ms. Bombeck's comparison of behavioral patterns of her favorite animal species to the behavior of humans, and discovered that the odd habits of the animal kingdom are strikingly similar to our own.

President Joan Yarbro called the meeting to order and presided over the business meeting. The club voted to contribute $50 to the Community Concert Association to use in helping students attend these concerts.

Hostess Story and co-hostess, Elizabeth Cesar, served refreshments to Barbara Allen, Jean Ballard, Willie Braddy, Doris Bryant, Morgan Cain, Jeane Dowell, Hazel Ford, Mildred Garrison, Betty Gilbert, Elizabeth Hellman, Betty Martin, Carole McGilvary, Helen Spinks, Mary Stoy, Evelyn Wilson, Addie Cunningham, Gladys Setliff, Mayes and Yarbro.

The next meeting will be in Dowell's home with a program of "Pantomime in Music."

At birth, a normal baby has flat feet. Arches develop slowly over the first six years.



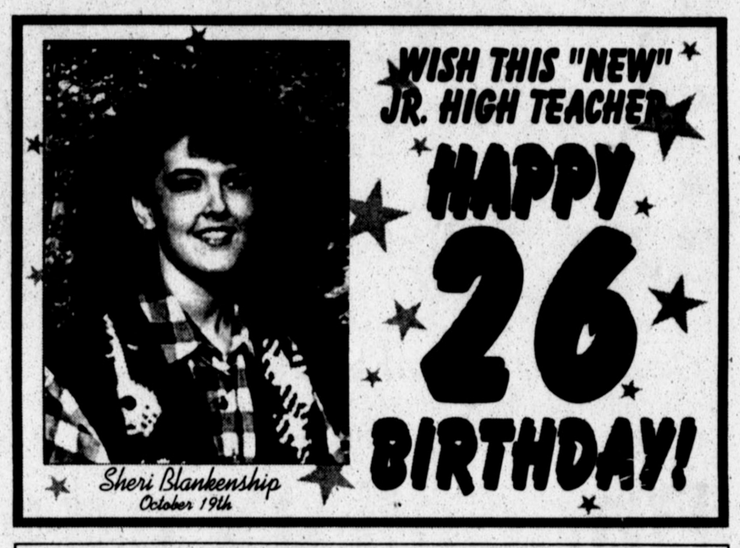
The average baby gets his or her first teeth around the age of six months.

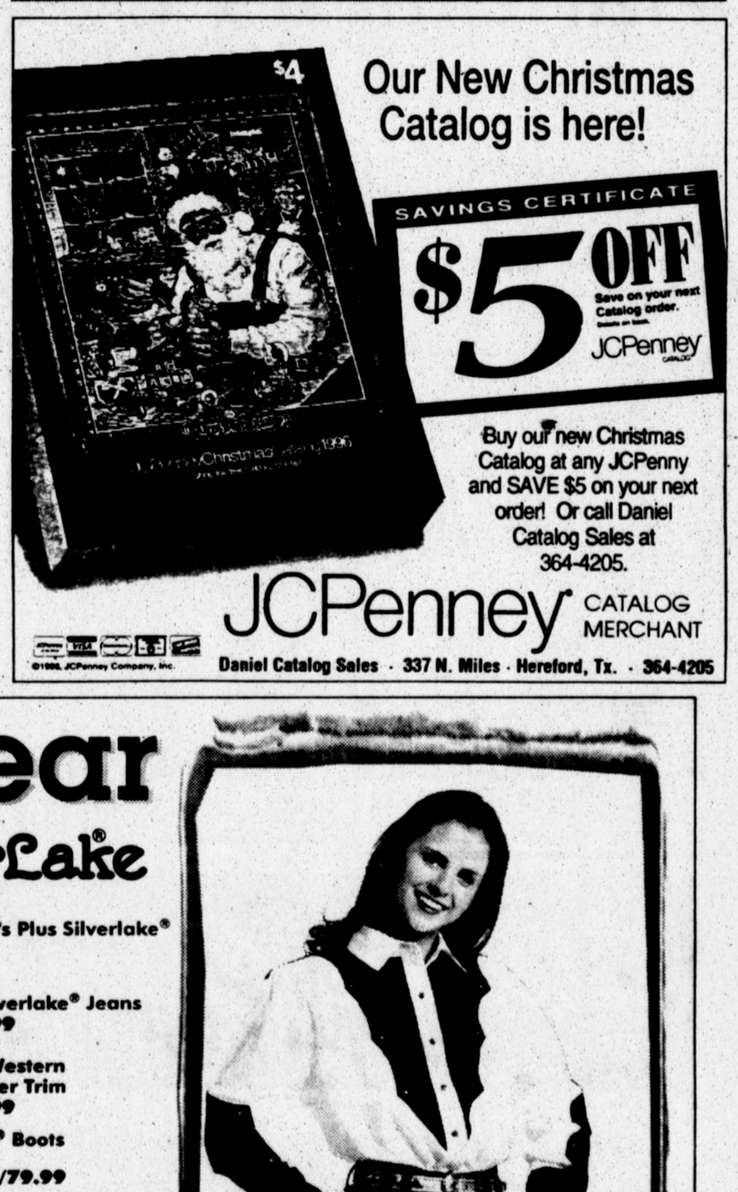
Westway Bazaar scheduled in Nov.

Westway Country Christmas Bazaar is scheduled for Nov. 9 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center.

Booth space is still available.

For more information or booth rental, call Carolyn Evers at 364-4739 and leave a message.







Sports



Coming right at you

Hereford freshman running back Greg Ewing (32) turns the corner and heads for the goalline during the freshmen team's 20-0 win over Valleyview Thursday at Whiteface Stadium.

Braves blow by Cardinals into another World Series

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

ATLANTA (AP) - By the time the crowd started singing along with Frank Sinatra's version of "New York, New York," the Atlanta Braves already knew what was next.

On to Yankee Stadium for the World Series.

The St. Louis Cardinals, meanwhile, could only try to figure out what went wrong.

In one of the most surprising Game 7s in baseball history - and the biggest postseason rout ever - the Braves embarrassed the Cardinals 15-0 Thursday night to complete a remarkable rally from a 3-1 deficit in the NL championship series.

How startling was the comeback?

Held to 12 runs in the first four games, the defending champion Braves erupted to outscore St. Louis 32-1 in winning the last three. Atlanta, known for its pitching, permitted that lone run to score on a wild pitch.

"I don't think we expected to dominate like this," Tom Glavine said. "We always seem to get in nail biters."

Not this night, thanks to Glavine.

Glavine, MVP of the 1995 World Series, hit a bases-loaded triple to highlight a six-run first inning. He also pitched seven innings of three-hit, shutout ball.

"You wouldn't expect this many runs from any team," Braves manager Bobby Cox said. "You would never imagine it. I thought every game here would be very tight, low scoring. A couple of balls fell, and then it just steamrolled.

"But when we were down 1-3, we felt like we could reel off three. You always worry, but there's an awful lot of talent on this team," he said. "We had a lot of confidence. Not only did we pitch well. We hit well, too."

The Braves have reached four of the last five World Series. When John Smoltz starts Game 1 on Saturday night in the Bronx, it will be a homecoming of sorts for Cox - he made his major league debut with the Yankees and coached first base on their 1977 championship team.

"My roots," he said. "It will be great to get to the old house before they tear it down."

The Yankees have been idle since Sunday, when they finished off Baltimore in the AL playoffs. Since then, though, New York has been keeping its eye on the Braves.

Yankees scout Gene Michael, the team's former manager and general manager, sat in the front row behind the backstop taking notes. He was one of about a half-dozen scouts watching Atlanta.

Surely, it's been a scary site, as the Cardinals found out first-hand.

"It just wouldn't stop," outfielder Brian Jordan said. "It was hit after hit after hit."

Javy Lopez, MVP of the series, Fred McGriff and Andruw Jones added two-run homers. Jones, at 19, became the youngest player to connect in a postseason game.

The sellout crowd of 52,067 spent the whole game cheering, chopping and chanting. The fans sang "New York, New York" in the late innings and reprised it during the on-field celebration.

The crowd also gave a standing ovation when Ozzie Smith came to bat for the last time in his career. Glavine stepped off the mound to let Smith soak in the applause, and the future Hall of Famer waved his helmet.

Smith, pinch-hitting the sixth, fouled out. The 41-year-old shortstop had previously announced his retirement, and was hugged by his teammates in the dugout after batting.

"It would have been great to win another ring, but I'll get up tomorrow and get on with my life," Smith said.

Though Marquis Grissom began the rout by singling on Donovan Osborne's first pitch, the Braves' playoff comeback clearly started before then.

It may have begun back at Busch Stadium when Dennis Eckersley pumped his fist forcefully in the air after closing out a Game 4 win that gave St. Louis the 3-1 lead. That prompted the Cardinals to put 20 cases of champagne on ice in anticipation of a clincher that never came, and seemed to anger Atlanta.

"They've proved it to us," Eckersley said. "They didn't have to beat the hell out of us to prove it to us, that's for sure."

The Cardinals had been the only team to twice blow a 3-1 lead in postseason play, having done it in the 1968 and 1985 World Series - they lost 11-0 in Game 7 to Kansas City in that 1985 series.

St. Louis had never lost an NL playoff series, going 4-0 until running into Atlanta.

The Braves became the eighth team out of 48 to overcome a 3-1 deficit, and the first ever to do it in the NLCS. They also added to their legacy of playoff comebacks - they won the last two games of the 1991 NLCS to beat Pittsburgh, then came back the next year to defeat the Pirates in Game 7 when Francisco Cabrera's two-out, two-run single capped a three-run rally in the bottom of the ninth inning.

Cabrera was on hand this time to throw out a first ball, and the Braves hitters took it from there.

Grissom singled on the first pitch from Game 3 winner Osborne and Mark Lemke doubled on the next one. Later, Jermaine Dye and fellow rookie Jones hit RBI singles and Jeff Blauser was hit by a pitch that loaded the bases.

Glavine, who led all pitchers with a .289 batting average this season, sliced a fly ball to left field. Ron Gant came up inches short on a head-long dive, and briefly stayed on the ground as he watched the ball and the Cardinals' season roll away.

"It happened too fast for me," Osborne said. "The first batter gets a hit up the middle and here we go."

Notes: This was the Cardinals' worst shutout loss since a 19-0 defeat on Aug. 3, 1961, against Pittsburgh. ... Blauser left the game as a precaution after being hit in the leg by a pitch. The injury wasn't considered serious and he will be available Saturday night. ... Glavine, who had only three RBIs this season, hit the first triple by a pitcher in LCS history. ... Andy Pettitte is expected to start Game 1 for the Yankees. Smoltz and Pettitte led their leagues in wins, and are expected to win Cy Youngs when the awards are announced next month. The last time a pair of eventual Cy Young winners faced each other in the World Series opener was 1969 when Tom Seaver opposed Mike Cuellar.

Randall JV edges Herd

The Herd junior varsity football team fell victim to Randall's ball-control skills in a 22-19 loss Thursday at Randall.

Randall especially controlled the third quarter, manufacturing two solid drives for touchdowns. They got the two-point conversions after each score, turning Hereford's 13-6 halftime lead into a 22-13 lead for Randall.

Hereford cut the lead in the fourth quarter when Chris Torres hit Chris Henson for a five-yard touchdown pass. Hereford went for two points and a tie, but Randall stopped the run out of kicking formation.

Randall put together another drive and ran out the clock. A key play was a fourth down which Randall converted at its own 45-yard line with 48 seconds to play.

"We thought we had it stopped, but the measurment proved us wrong," coach Joe Cabezuela said. "That happens sometimes.

"The kids did a great job of playing hard," Cabezuela said. "The coaching staff was visiting and we said, 'Hat's off to 'em.' We wern't pleased with the outcome, but we were pleased with how the players continue to battle and get better."

Cabezuela also praised some members of the sophomore team, whose games have been canceled fora few weeks. Several players who joined the JV "stepped up and made plays," he said.

Randall scored first in the game by recovering a Herd fumble in the end zone for a 6-0 lead.

Hereford answered with two touchdowns in the first quarter (no one scored in the second). Leo Balderas ran four yards for a TD and Jose Martinez kicked the extra point. A little later, Torres hit Eddie Evans with a 10-yard TD pass, but the kick failed, leaving the score at 13-6.

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The Hereford freshmen teams hosted the Valleyview ninth-graders Thursday in Whiteface Stadium.

The Herd A team used two quick scores in the third quarter and a good defensive effort to win, 20-0.

Hereford led all the way. Seth Pietsek scored on a one-yard run in the first quarter to make it 6-0, and the Herd defense made that hold up at halftime.

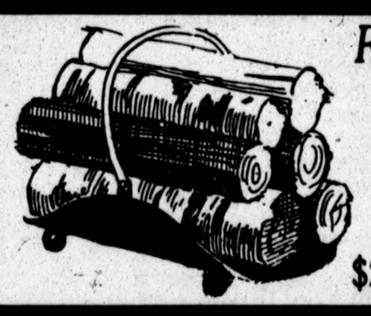
Quickly after the break, Hereford scored two more touchdowns on rushing plays. One, an 18-yarder by Greg Ewing, was capped by a two-point catch by James Miller.

There was a B game following the A game, but details were not reported.

Prep scores

By The Associated Press
Thursday's Scores
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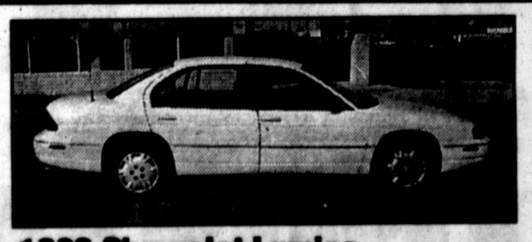

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KC, 118 penalty yards overwhelm Seahawks

By CRAIG HORST
AP Sports Writer

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - The Seattle Seahawks looked at their game against Kansas City as one that would define their season. They would either challenge the established teams in the AFC West or fall again into the division cellar.

The cellar won out again.

The Seahawks were penalized 118 yards and had two players ejected while losing to the Chiefs 34-16 Thursday night.

"Wow," defensive end Michael Sinclair said about four times. "118 yards? You can't even beat a Little League team playing like that."

Seattle helped Kansas City keep a drive alive in the first half with three offsides penalties, then committed three personal foul penalties in the second half to lead to another Chiefs touchdown.

"It's inexcusable," Seahawks coach Dennis Erickson said. "You expect to be offsides once or twice. But you can't do it time and again against a team like that team in that stadium."

Ejected in the second half after personal foul penalties were linebackers Winston Moss and Dean Wells.

"It's frustrating because you watch the film and you know they are going to cut you, you know they are going to block you low," Sinclair said. "It's frustrating to me personally. It's nothing bad, you just know they are going to do it. We knew that if we could come in here and win the game, we could turn the corner. But we didn't do it."

Corey Harris earlier was given a personal foul penalty for shoving Marcus Allen while Allen was out of bounds in the second quarter.

Allen, who lost the cool that he always maintains, scored twice to move within one rushing touchdown of Walter Payton's career NFL mark of 110.

There were many scuffles in the game, and the officials seemed to take a harder view of things after the incident between Harris and Allen.

The Chiefs, who lost two in a row after winning their first four, now must go to Denver a week from Sunday in an unusual schedule that saw them play on Monday night, go through their bye week and then play on Thursday night.

"We really went back to basics," Allen said. "We went back to fundamentals. A lot of us felt like we were in training camp the past couple of days. But I think it paid off. I still think this offense has a lot of room for improvement."

Kansas City led 17-0 with less than four minutes left in the first half after Pete Stoyanovich kicked a 45-yard field goal, Kimble Anders scored on a 15-yard run and Allen scored a 1-yard TD.

Todd Peterson kicked a 24-yard field goal for Seattle with 26 seconds left in the half, but Stoyanovich's 43-yarder as time expired made it 20-3.

Chris Warren broke a 50-yard run for the Seahawks early in the third quarter to give Seattle hope, but the Chiefs answered with drives ending with scores by Allen and by Sean LaChapelle on a pass from Steve Bono to make it 34-10 with 6:40 remaining.

Joey Galloway caught a 16-yard pass from John Friesz with less than two minutes to go for Seattle's final score.

The Seahawks had won two of three and were coming off a victory at Miami.

But the Chiefs shut down Warren in the first half, although he finished with 81 yards on 14 carries, and the Kansas City offense featuring slant routes by the wide receivers began to work.

Bono was 17-of-26 for 194 yards and a touchdown. Allen had 39 yards on 14 carries, and Anders gained 38 yards on four carries for a still- stumbling Chiefs rushing attack that nonetheless finished with a total of 146 yards.

In games Sunday, Atlanta is at Dallas; Miami at Philadelphia; New England at Indianapolis; New Orleans at Carolina; the New York Giants at Washington; Baltimore at Denver; Buffalo at the New York Jets; Cincinnati at San Francisco; Jacksonville at St. Louis and Tampa Bay at Arizona.

Oakland is at San Diego on Monday night.

Chicago, Detroit, Green Bay and Minnesota are off.

'Husker D wants to stop Hanspard

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - Texas Tech has little to lose Saturday against No. 5 Nebraska. Red Raiders tailback Byron Hanspard has everything to gain.

Hanspard, the nation's leading rusher at 217.7 yards per game, is Tech's not-so-secret weapon against the Cornhuskers (4-1, 2-0 Big 12), who happen to possess the third-best defense against the run.

"This is a great challenge, for our defense especially," defensive end Jared Tomich said. "We pride ourselves on the rushing attack, so it brings a little more extra enthusiasm during practice."

Texas Tech (4-2, 2-1) is poised to make a run in the conference's South Division, where favorites Texas and Texas A&M have committed big-game pratfalls.

Texas Tech has won 11 consecutive home games since a 42-16 loss to Nebraska here two years ago. However, the Red Raiders still would control their own divisional destiny by beating Oklahoma, Texas and Texas A&M in the season's final month.

Meanwhile, Hanspard has a unique opportunity to make a statement to Heisman Trophy voters nationwide against a team that is allowing only an average of 61.6 yards rushing.

"They know we are a running team, but we also have the ability to pass the ball," Hanspard said. "That will open up the run."

History dictates that Hanspard isn't likely to have his fifth 200-yard performance of the season. The last man to do that against the Huskers was Penn State great Curt Warner in 1982, when Hanspard was 6 years old.

When Nebraska stacks the line of scrimmage with its usual battery of strength and speed, it will be up to Hanspard and his overachieving blockers to create yards.

"Our linebackers run just as fast as we do, which is scary," said Nebraska running back Ahman Green, part of coach Tom Osborne's backfield-by-committee. "It's going to be a long day (for Hanspard). They're relentless out there on us, and I know they're going to be relentless on Byron."

Each team relies heavily on the run and a quarterback who has improved steadily after a shaky September, although both schools remain at the bottom of the run-happy Big 12 in passing offense.

"Everyone has room for improvement," said Huskers quarterback Scott Frost, who like Raiders counterpart Zebbie Lethridge has led his team to a three-game winning streak. "Once I play a game where I feel like every ball I threw is exactly where I want it, I'll feel pretty good about it."

Neither passer is shy about running it himself, though Frost usually lets tailbacks Damon Benning, DeAngelo Evans or Green do the work. Both Benning and Evans eclipsed 100 yards last week in a 49-0 rout of Baylor.

Green missed the game with a sore toe, and his status is uncertain as the Tech game approaches.

"It looked like they just plowed through them," Tech coach Spike Dykes said of Baylor, whom the Raiders blew out the week before. "They've got so darn many weapons on the offensive side of the football that they have the ability to attack every area and attack it well."

Tech's defense has been no slouch this season, either. While sometimes vulnerable to the pass, the Raiders have yielded just 78.2 yards per game on the ground this season and stuffed Kansas star June Henley last week, ejecting him from Hanspard's 200-yard club.

"I don't know if people understand how talented this Texas Tech team is," Benning said.

Tech OL Jones to play after restraining order

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - Texas Tech starting offensive guard Casey Jones could be back in action in time for Saturday's game against No. 5 Nebraska, thanks to a state judge's order.

State District Judge John McFall granted a restraining order Thursday to make two-year starting offensive guard immediately eligible for play. It also shields the school from later reprisal by the NCAA.

Jones, a 6-5, 280-pound senior who started every game of his sophomore and junior seasons, missed the Red Raiders' first six games this season because of an eligibility question concerning the NCAA's "75 percent rule."

The rule requires players to have at least 25 percent of his degree requirements in place before starting his fifth semester, 50 percent by the seventh semester and 75 percent by the ninth semester.

"It's unbelievable," Jones said. "It was a little bit of a roller-coaster ride. I'm overwhelmed, and I can't wipe this smile off my face. That was really something in there."

Jones, from Shepherd in East Texas, changed his major in midstream, leaving much of his prior coursework no longer counting toward his requirement.

Jones was informed of the problem Aug. 30, the day before Tech's season opener against Kansas State. Since then, he has had three appeals denied by various NCAA panels. He has practiced with the team since his third appeal was denied Oct. 7.

McFall scheduled a hearing for Oct. 30, when he will decide whether to issue an injunction against the NCAA.

An injunction can be issued on a permanent basis, for a specific period of time or until further order of the court.

In the meantime, Jones will be allowed to play. He could be in the lineup as soon as Saturday, when the Raiders meet No. 5 Nebraska at 2:30 p.m. in Tech's Jones Stadium.

During the early stages of the hearing, McFall had indicated he would deny the restraining order, but after attorneys Tom Whiteside and Russ Meyers presented additional arguments on Jones' behalf, McFall changed his mind.

Originally, McFall's concern was NCAA Operating Bylaw 19.8, which stipulates that member institutions are subject to a variety of sanctions.

Offensive line injuries have hindered Dallas

DALLAS (AP) - Running backs coach Joe Brodsky recently compiled a videotape of every Dallas Cowboys running play this season.

He planned for it to be a teaching tool for the young players, but what it revealed was not surprising.

"We had a running back not completely healthy and an offensive line hurting," Brodsky said. "When we had a week to rest, we did a good job. When we're healthy, we're a good running team."

They haven't been healthy much.

Mark Tuinei appears headed for off-season knee surgery. Two months after spraining the medial collateral ligament in his right knee, he's still having problems.

Right guard Larry Allen began training camp recovering from knee surgery. Center Ray Donaldson had undergone ankle surgery and right tackle Erik Williams, toe surgery.

Even Emmitt Smith was nursing a host of ailments.

"I think it goes way back to training camp when we didn't have guys together," Cowboys offensive coordinator Ernie Zampese said about the Cowboys' weak running game. "Everybody has injuries. You can use any excuse you like. We were just not playing well. We were not playing with any consistency."

Maintaining their health may be another issue.

The Cowboys play the winless Atlanta Falcons on Sunday and won't have another week off the remainder of the season, so they've got to hope that one of the NFL's oldest offensive lines can stand up to the weekly punishment.

"We're old," Tuinei said. "That's obvious. We're going to keep going out there until they find a young guy to do the job."

In other developments, two-way player Deion Sanders participated in defensive drills only Wednesday. Coach Barry Switzer held him out of offensive drills because of a noticeable limp.

Mavs' exec Grant quits

DALLAS (AP) - Keith Grant, Dallas Mavericks vice president for operations who had been with the team since its inception 16 years ago, has resigned, citing "an element of burnout."

"What's been accomplished with the Mavericks in the last four months is really incredible, but the pace we've been operating at has placed a strain on my personal life," he said. "There is an element of burnout involved in my decision."

Grant, who was promoted into the position three months ago, said in a statement that he decided to resign Wednesday night and informed management of his decision on Thursday.

The Mavericks also announced the signing of Oliver Miller, a 6-foot-9 free-agent center who played last season with the Toronto Raptors. Terms of the one-year deal were not disclosed.

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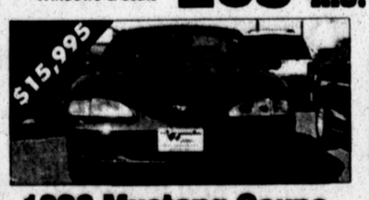
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Ready for competition

Hereford High School Mighty Maroon Band mallet player Ruby Barrett, left, twirler Elizabeth Cooper and mallet player Bethany Townsend work their sideline stations during a recent band practice session. Director Don Summersgill can be seen at center prowling the field as the band prepares for Saturday's area marching band competition. The contest will be held at Borger Stadium in Borger. The Herd band plays at 8 p.m., trying to earn top marks for the 36th consecutive year.

Acerbic Nixon remarks released

By MIKE FEINSILBER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - Every morning in the White House, Richard Nixon would use his pen to vent his anger at critics, scrawling vitriolic comments on the margins of a daily news summary. "Jerks," "clowns," he would write in reaction to news that did not please him.

The president's acerbic feelings showed through in scrawled comments on the typewritten news summaries that were made public Thursday by the National Archives, keeper of the country's official papers.

"Muzzle these jerks," Nixon wrote in a comment to aides John D. Ehrlichman, his domestic policy adviser, and H.R. Haldeman, his chief of staff, on a March 1973 news summary noting that a columnist had reported that Nixon wanted FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to resign.

It was not clear who Nixon had in mind, but the context suggested he meant the insiders who leaked the item to the columnist, Jack Anderson.

Reacting to a news report in the same time frame saying some of Nixon's own people were worried that the developing Watergate scandal had weakened the president and made him vulnerable, Nixon wrote to Haldeman: "Can't we muzzle our worry warts?"

All told, some 28,000 pages, enough to fill 30 four-foot-long shelves, were opened. During his lifetime, the former president contested their release, but archivists who reviewed the documents a second time found his objections groundless.

One news summary reported that the American Medical Association's board of trustees had recommended elimination of penalties for possession and use of marijuana. Scrawled Nixon in a note on the margin to special counsel Charles W. Colson: "What's wrong with these clowns? Drs. have always been 'soft' on drugs."

"Harvard should be ashamed to have produced such juvenile jerks!" Nixon wrote about a 1972 news summary. It reported that unless Nixon revealed a plan to get out of Vietnam someone named Gillette - otherwise unidentified but apparently a product of Harvard University - had threatened to support Rep. Pete McCloskey, R-Calif., who was challenging Nixon in the New Hampshire primary. McCloskey was an opponent of the war.

The words "juvenile jerks" were underlined.

Nixon also made clear his feelings about reports that William Ruckelshaus, administrator of the Environmental Protection Administration, proposed that only lightweight cars be manufactured to save energy and protect the environment. A news summary reported that television's David Brinkley "looked ahead with some glee to (the) idea of top pols being chauffeured in Vegas and Pintos if Ruckelshaus quietly dropped bombshell on legally holding car weights to 2,500 pounds (Caddy weighs 5,000) ever passes."

"E," Nixon wrote to Ehrlichman, "Any jackass statements like this are to be submitted to me for approval in future."

When the news summary quoted an Associated Press story in February 1973 that said that Nixon quietly had given the Agriculture Department "authority to examine tax returns filed by farmers over (the) past five years," Nixon seemed livid.

"E," he wrote in big letters, "Who in the world did this? Why do we always investigate our friends?" He underlined "investigate."

An accompanying memo from Bruce Kehrli, a high-level assistant, to White House aide Ken Cole noted that Nixon on Jan. 17, 1973, indeed had signed Executive Order No. 11697, titled "Inspection by Department of Agriculture of Income Tax Returns Made Under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 of Persons Having Farm Operations."

Wrote Kehrli: "I am enclosing a copy of your cover memo to the President on this executive order as you will probably want to put together a quick explanation of the rationale behind it."

The president could be humorous as well as angry.

One news summary quoted a columnist as writing that because of inflation, troubles with Congress and the Watergate affair "hostility toward WH (White House) by GOP officials has reached a new peak - tho not directed at RN (Nixon) ..."

Nixon's comment, addressed to Haldeman: "H - after all our nice parties!"

Another summary noted that Sen. William Saxbe, R-Ohio, had referred to draft dodgers as "dogs," and a woman in Ohio had taken issue, calling the comment "an insult to an animal which is faithful to its master unto death."

"Great!" wrote Nixon. "Pass to Julie and Bebe." That was a reference to Nixon's daughter, Julie Nixon Eisenhower, and the president's friend, Bebe Rebozo, a Miami banker. An accompanying letter to Mrs. Eisenhower, quoting the woman's reaction to Saxbe, showed the president's instructions had been carried out.

Texas crop report

Drought spared Christmas trees

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) - This year's drought hasn't destroyed the Christmas tree industry, but prospective tree buyers should expect to shop around for that perfect tree this year, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"We were a little concerned about the trees going into the spring and summer, then we got these late rains and they filled out pretty good," said Dr. James Robinson of Overton, Extension entomologist.

Alan Dreesen of Conroe, Extension program leader for forestry said, "The drought hasn't hurt the quality, but the trees didn't grow as much on farms that don't irrigate. So people may have to shop around to get a tall one."

Robinson said the trees are well developed, but they are going to be shorter than normal.

"We have an abundance of trees this year. They didn't grow enough, but they are good," Robinson said. "The needles developed and filled, but they just aren't as tall."

To most people, he said, the perfect Christmas tree is what they grew up with. This year, Texas tree shoppers can choose between the usual Virginia Pine and Afghan Pine, a new species called Leyland Cypress or in some parts of the state - Noble Firs.

"The Virginia Pine is grown in East Texas while the Afghan Pine is mostly grown in Central and the rest of Texas," Dreesen said. "And in all areas of the state we are in our third year of growing a new species called Leyland Cypress."

Additionally, Dreesen said few of the pines were killed or hurt, but the new Leyland Cypress trees suffered a greater loss. Because of this, some farms will be trucking in the cypress so consumers will have the opportunity to buy it as a Christmas tree or a potted plant.

"It will be available as a potted plant, but if you want to plant it make sure it is put in soil with a pH of 6 to 6.5 which is slightly acidic," said Dreesen.

He also said that overall selection will be good, even though the drought did put a damper on the trees' growth. However, the selection will be scattered across the state so shoppers should get ready to hunt out that perfectly shaped tree.

"As always most farms will open the Friday after Thanksgiving," said Dreesen.

He advises that if the tree is to be put up immediately, shoppers should cut the bottom off and keep a close eye on water levels.

"Take it home, cut a half inch off the base and put it directly in water. Use a tree stand that holds enough water to cover the base," said Dreesen. "The water level should not go below the base."

He advises that because trees "drink" or take up a lot of water in the first week, shoppers should keep a close eye on the level.

If the tree is not to be put up immediately after the cutting, Dreesen also advises that the base be cut a half inch and put in water. Then when it is put up, the tree should be cut by another half inch and placed in the tree stand.

The following specific livestock, crop and weather conditions were reported by district Extension directors:

PANHANDLE: Moisture adequate to short. Range in good condition. Livestock in good condition. Wheat stands are excellent; some leaf rust. Cotton is good. Sorghum good to excellent; some hail damage. Corn is good to excellent; harvest under way.

SOUTH PLAINS: Moisture adequate. Wheat planting continues. Harvest aid chemicals continue to be applied to many cotton fields. Planting of oats continues. Peanut harvest continues. Sorghum more than half mature.

ROLLING PLAINS: Moisture adequate. Range and pasture condition ranges from poor to good. Livestock in good condition. Cotton crop starting to open up. Peanut harvest under way. Armyworms still a problem.

NORTH TEXAS: Moisture short to adequate. Pastures remain plentiful; winter pasture planting continues. Cattle in excellent shape. Soybean, sunflower, cotton, corn harvest under way. Little vegetable activity. Sweet potato harvest under way.

EAST TEXAS: Moisture adequate. Pastures in fair to good condition. Summer grass growth slowing. Seeding cool season forages. Livestock condition good; markets steady. Good yields for fall vegetables. Sweet potato harvest declining. Pecans fair.

FAR WEST TEXAS: Moisture adequate to short. Pastures remain fair to good. Livestock in fair condition. Cutting and baling alfalfa hay. Harvesting bell peppers, cantaloupe. Cotton harvest still under way. Rainfall needed to continue crop growth.

WEST CENTRAL TEXAS: Moisture adequate. Ranges and pastures in good condition. Livestock in good condition. Grain sorghum suffering moisture stress. Fall armyworm treatments continue. Peanuts requiring irrigation. Pecans progressing well.

CENTRAL TEXAS: Moisture adequate. Hay harvest continues. Fall gardens being planted. Heavy armyworms pressure in pastures, lawns. Small grains up to good stands; need moisture. Wheat planting under way.

SOUTHEAST TEXAS: Moisture short to adequate. Pastures, ranges in good condition; armyworms continue to be a problem. Cattle in good condition. Decrease in cotton quantity and quality due to excessive rain over last several weeks. Fall gardens progressing well.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Moisture short. Pasture and range conditions have improved. Hay being cut; yields below average. Small grains making progress; some crops remain stunted. Drought conditions are far from over.

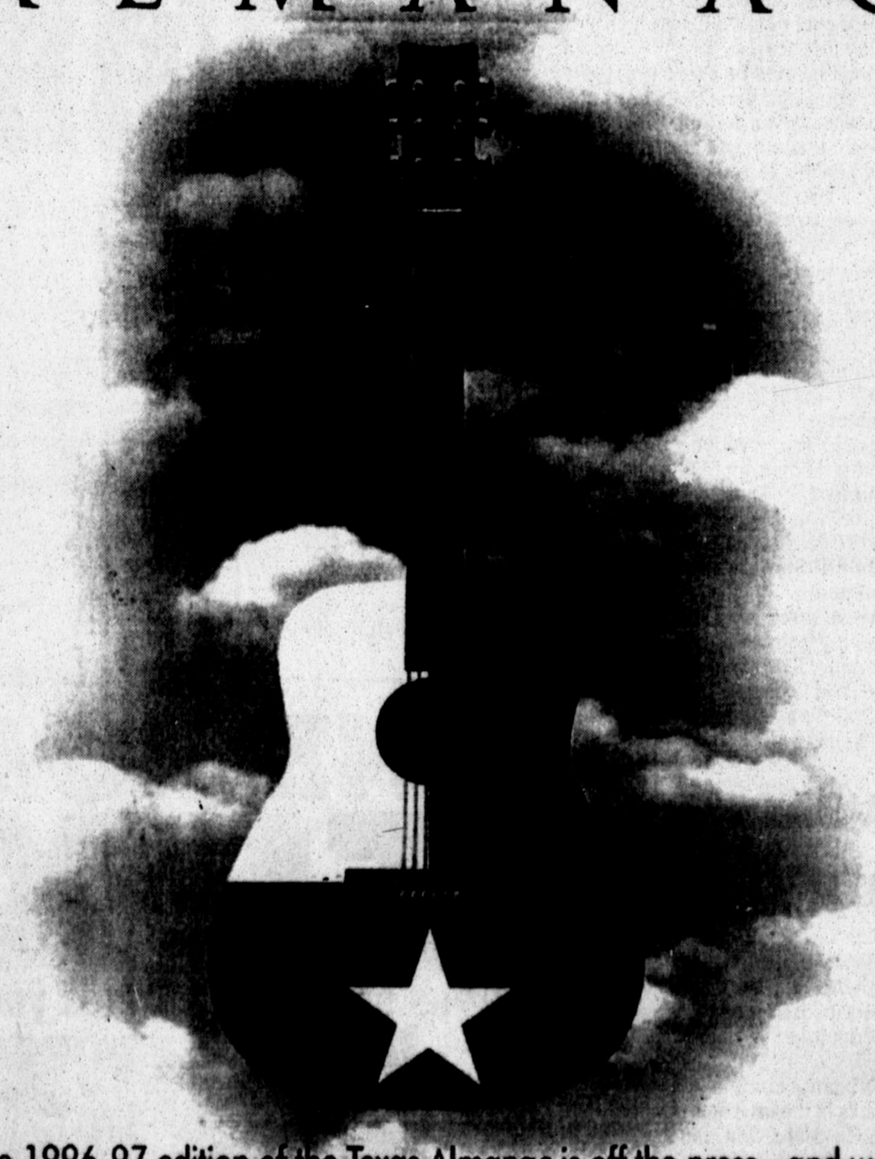
COASTAL BEND: Moisture adequate. Pastures in excellent condition. Livestock in good condition. Fall armyworms still a problem. Small grains being planted. Seeding winter rye grass: Field work resumes with dry weather.

SOUTH TEXAS: Moisture adequate. Pastures and ranges in fair condition. Early citrus harvest gaining momentum. Sugarcane harvest under way. Stressed sugarcane from summer recovering, but yields still reduced.

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Church News

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Homecoming is an exciting time. After the Herd whips Randall, all youth from 4th grade through teens are invited to an after-game party. Meet at the fellowship room right after the game. We will have a Progressive Dinner/Hayride. This will be loads of fun. Remember to dress warmly. Contact Dale or Tracy for more details. Please R.S.V.P.

Don't forget Senior Citizen's Day Oct. 24. The meal will be stew and cornbread. Everyone needs to bring desserts. Come enjoy the day.

The 1st-6th graders will have a pizza party in the fellowship room starting at 12 noon on Oct. 26. Everyone needs to bring $2.

Come join us in Bible Class Sunday. We have classes for all ages and some great teachers. Class begins at 9:30 a.m. Come study with us.

ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"Among the Nations" is the title of the sermon by The Very Rev. Charles A. Wilson on the Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost. The Holy Eucharist is celebrated at 11 a.m. and there is a coffee hour after the service.

Christian Education for all ages is at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday. Children and youth will meet in the Education Wing for "Living the Good News," a curriculum based on the Sunday readings in the Eucharist. The Adult Class meets in the Ruth Warner Room for the video mini-series "A.D.," covering the years A.D. 30-59 in the life of the early Church.

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 6 p.m. with the Litany of Healing, the Laying-on-of-Hands with Holy Unction, and Holy Communion. The proper collect and readings will be those for the major feast of St. James of Jerusalem, brother of our Lord Jesus Christ and Martyr, ca. 62.

Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message. In case of emergency, or to make appointments for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 353-1734.

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Guess what time it is? Time to sort, organize and get rid of winter clothes (that don't fit or you're tired of anyway) and household goods for the Problem Pregnancy Center Fall Garage Sale. It will be Nov. 1-2 in the gym. We need an organizer for the garage sale, so if you can help, call Annette at 364-6150 or 3433.

The project is underway to replace our Nativity Set and Creche. Anyone wanting to help with life-sized wooden figures, please call the office.

St. Anthony's Parish Organization will offer you that opportunity which comes once a year, to share your time and talent with the parish family. SAPO Sign-up Sunday will be next weekend during all three liturgies.

Hereford Ministerial Alliance is inviting the public to join a special prayer time for our national and local elections at noon in the Community Center on Nov. 4.

Also the Ministerial Alliance is looking for a cast of 47 to perform in "Heaven's Gates and Hell's Flames," a drama coming Nov. 17-19. For rehearsal times, contact Jeremy Grant (need adults, children and youth).

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church. We have classes for all ages. If you need a ride, our numbers are 364-1667 or 364-1668.

Morning worship is at 11. The sermon will be titled "A Feast of Victory for All People." The text is Isaiah 25:6-9.

Immediately following our worship service, we will have our fellowship meal and our voter's meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

You are always welcome at First Baptist Church!

Our schedule of activities includes:

Sunday

9:45 a.m.--Family Bible Study
11 a.m.--Morning worship
4 p.m.--Team Kid
4, 4:30 & 5 p.m.--Disciples College
5 p.m.--Youth

Monday

6:30 p.m.--Adult handbells

Wednesday

5:30 p.m.--Fellowship supper
6 p.m.--Children's choirs
6 p.m.--Acteens
6:15 p.m.--Prayer meeting
7 p.m.--Youth
7 p.m.--G.A.'s and Mission Friends
7:10 p.m.--Adult choir

There is room for you in each of the above areas of fellowship and ministry. There is a place for you at First Baptist Church.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

The brotherhood of the Temple Baptist Church invites all men and boys to come have breakfast with them at 7:30 a.m. Sunday in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The speaker for this morning breakfast will be Rev. C.W. Allen.

Then everyone is invited to come worship with the congregation and the pastor, H. Wyatt Bartlett. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. with morning worship service at 11. The pastor will preach.

The evening service begins at 6 with Church Training. The worship service is at 7. In the evening worship service, we will observe the Lord's Supper.

The mid-week prayer meeting is on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. At this time we will study the Book of Psalms, Chapter 50.

The sanctuary choir will meet at 7:45 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

"Approaching the Throne of Grace" will be the title of Pastor Gaston's Sunday morning message at 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and classes are provided for all ages.

Children's Church will meet at 10:45 a.m. in the fellowship hall. The kids are practicing for their Christmas play during Children's Church. Come and get your kids involved.

"Why Spend Another Night with Those Frogs?" will be the title of Pastor Gaston's message Sunday evening at 6. A nursery is provided for each service of the church by a most capable nursery worker.

Choir practice will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday in the fellowship hall.

Missionettes and Royal Rangers, scouting-type programs for girls and boys, will be held Tuesday at 7-8:15 p.m. We have a club for each girl and boy, ages 4 and up.

Our youth group meets on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Come and see what all the excitement is about.

Our mid-week service will be Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary.

Our church cookbooks have arrived and are for sale -- $7. Get your copy today. All proceeds will pay for new lighting fixtures in the sanctuary.

There will be a hayride Friday night, Oct. 25 at 6 p.m. for kids ages 12 and up. It will be followed by a bonfire and food. Call for more details.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF DIMMITT

We are excited to announce that we have a "Deeper Life Weekend" planned for this weekend. Services will be at 7 p.m. Saturday and 10:40 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday. Roy Barringer of Hereford will bring the inspiring messages to encourage everyone to dig deeper in their spiritual lives. Come and join us for these and other services.

Our regular schedule includes Bible School at 9:30 a.m. Sunday with worship at 10:40 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Wednesday Bible study is at 7 p.m.

Jim Hardwick is the minister. Call 647-5478 for more information.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

On Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m., J. Jeremy M. Grant, minister, will deliver the fourth in the sermon series "God's Blessed Rascal" titled "Facing Two Presents." Scriptures are Old Testament: Genesis 31:1-21; New Testament: First Peter 1:3-9.

The folks at First Presbyterian Church invite you to join us in the worship of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Come to the Fellowship Hall at 10:10 a.m. before worship for food, conversation and socialization.

Sunday Church School starts at 9:15 a.m. Come one, come all.

Prayer Group is at 6 p.m. Monday.

Witness committee will meet at 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Cherub Choir will practice at 6 p.m. and Youth Choir will practice at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. The Adult Choir will practice at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a Youth meeting from 6:30-8 p.m. Wednesday.

Little Blessings Day Care is open from 7:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday.

For more information, call the church office from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 364-2471.

BARN CHURCH

Barn Church is a non-denominational Christian ministry. Our goal is to worship God and fellowship with each other. Barn Church is for everyone that likes things a little on the country side. We'll have some singing, some preaching and maybe a testimony or two.

It's come as you are, so dust off your jeans and come on out. Bring the family and tell your friends.

Barn Church services will be held on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Services are held at the B-S Indoor Arena which is 6 miles west on FM 1058 and 2 miles north on FM 1057.

The next regular service is Nov. 21.

CHRIST'S CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

Pastor Bill Weaver and congregation invite you to join them at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday for Bible classes for all ages followed by the worship service and K.I.D.S. Church at 10:45 a.m.

Tuesday visitation is at 7 p.m.

Bible study is held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday.

The Wednesday night choir practice is at 6.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 1204 Moreman

Pastor Danny Parnell and the membership of Bible Baptist Church invite you to visit this week for Sunday School and worship services.

Sunday School for all ages begins at 10 a.m., with the Sunday morning worship service at 11 a.m.

Sunday night services begin at 6 p.m., while Wednesday night services are at 7.

IGLESIA DEL NAZARENO

Elda Olivarez, pastor of Iglesia Del Nazareno, 340 Ave. H, reports she and her congregation of approximately 50 to 65 are blessed.

The church is building a 40 by 80-foot addition which will be home to classrooms, a fellowship hall and a nursery.

Olivarez started with four members as a Spanish mission at the Church of the Nazarene on La Plata Drive. Four years ago, Olivarez and 15 parishioners established their own branch of the New Hope Church of the Nazarene.

The present church building formerly housed the Church of God. While most of the $20,000 addition was funded by members of the church, Olivarez said "many people who remember this as the Church of God have made gifts of love."

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Dorman Duggan and congregation invite you to come and worship and praise with them Sunday morning.

Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10:30. A nursery is provided.

The Sunday evening service is at 6 and a nursery is again provided.

The Intercessory Prayer Group meets Monday night at 7 p.m.

Tuesday morning at 9:30 the Ladies Prayer Group meets.

The Wednesday service, children's church and youth group all begin at 7 p.m.

For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Pastor Ed Warren and the church congregation invite the public to all services at the church located on S. Hwy. 385 and Columbia St.

For additional information, call 364-3487.

SUMMERFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

The public is invited to attend all of the church services.

Sunday school is held at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. The Wednesday service is held at 7 p.m.

Transportation is available upon request.

For more information or to make arrangements fora ride, call 357-2535.

AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Avenue would like to remind you that our Revival will conclude this evening. We invite you to come and share this last night at 7 p.m.

Roundup will be Saturday evening at 6 at the Taylor home, 516 Sycamore Lane.

All Wednesday organizations will be at their usual times beginning Oct. 23.

Family Game Night and Canned Food Drive will be Saturday, Oct. 26 in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring two canned good items or staples to restock our food pantry. We will also have a time of games, snacks and fellowship. Bring the whole family.

High Attendance Sunday will begin next Sunday, Oct. 27.

If you have not been a part of Sunday School, we invite you to come and join us. ABC goal is 120. There is a class for everyone so come and be a part as we not only learn of God's word but attempt to reach our goal for the Lord.

Don't forget out Fall Festival coming up on Oct. 31. There will be games for the kids, snacks, and lots of fellowship. Please only Biblical or cartoon nature costumes.

We think you will find Avenue a growing, warm and nurturing church and if you are looking for a church home -- come give us a visit.

If your teenager is looking for a loving, fun and caring group, bring him or her on Wednesday evenings at 7.

HEREFORD CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The congregation of the Nazarene Church would like to invite you to join us for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. praise and worship at 10:30 Sunday morning. Pastor Ted Taylor's sermon will be "Seeds of Faith."

In Children's Church, Pastor Carol will teach on the grace of God and our grace to others. Also coming this month for children we will have "Hallelujah Night" on Oct. 31. The entrance fee will be a donation of a large bag of candy for a family of four or two bags of candy for a family of five or more. Bring your pot luck supper and join us for praise, worship, carnival games, fun and fellowship.

Praise, Prayer and Fasting, a time of seeking the Lord, will be at 6 p.m. Sunday in the sanctuary.

All ladies are invited to join Susie Merrick's Bible Study each Tuesday morning at 10. She is teaching on "The 26 Miracles of Jesus."

Join us at Nazarene Kid's Korner on Wednesday and Friday. All kids are welcome to share the fun, games, movies and outings we enjoy. Call Eleise at 364-8161.

We are having Junior High Bible Study Club at 7:30 a.m. Thursday in the HJH library. Also for the Youth, Club Paradise at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday and Fall care groups at 6 p.m. Sunday.

Disciple Now, a time of seeking God, a time of fellowship and a time of fun for youth is coming Nov. 1-2. The cost for the weekend is $25 plus a snack plate.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"Half-Healed Christians" will be the topic of Dr. Tom Fuller's message at the 10:45 a.m. Sunday worship service. Early worshipers will be greeted by pre-service music, "His Eye Is on the Sparrow," sung by Pastor Fuller and performed on guitar. The service is preceded at 9:30 a.m. by Sunday school classes for all age groups. The Cherub Choir, composed of 4-and 5-year-olds, will sing the special music for morning worship. "D-I-S-C-I-P-L-E-S" will be sung as the choral introit and "Sunbeam" as the anthem. The Sanctuary Choir will perform "Seek First the Kingdom" for the offertory.

Evening vespers are held at 6 in the sanctuary, and the United Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Weekday Senior and Junior High Small Groups are meeting on Thursdays with Pastor Tom in Fellowship Hall. Junior Highs meet at 6:30 p.m. and Senior Highs at 7:30 p.m.

The Council on Ministries will conduct fall and spring planning, also on Thursday, in the Friendship Classroom at 7 p.m.

Groups and individuals are invited to help with the Children's Fall Carnival from 5 p.m.-7 p.m. on Oct. 26. The carnival gives the children a Christian atmosphere in which to enjoy games, projects, eat great food and wear creative costumes. The children are encouraged to bring friends. Contact Robin Johnson of Shelly Moss to help or for more information.

Oct. 26 also provides opportunities for viewing the fall foliage at Ceta Canyon and attending a children's workshop in Amarillo.

Ceta Canyon Methodist Church Camp is holding a fall festival open house beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday. Guests are invited to a free chili dinner at 1 p.m., a concert and silent auction. A RSVP is requested by Oct. 23 for meal planning.

Sunday school teachers, children's council members and all persons interested in youth and children are encouraged to attend a Children's Ministry Seminar at Trinity Fellowship in Amarillo from 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. The registration charge will be paid by First UMC. A nursery will be provided at First UMC for small children. Contact Kris Dollar or the church office for registration.

Groups are busy creating sale items for the Nov. 9 Church Bazaar. Project volunteers are always needed. Contact Martha Layman, Mary Jones or the church office if you can help.

WESTWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

We at Westway Baptist Church welcome you to come join us for all services. We are a church that loves the Lord and teaches His holy word.

We are small in size but our spirit is great. God has blessed Westway Baptist in so many ways.

We have Sunday School classes for all ages from nursery to adult at 9:45 a.m.

Worship services are at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Monday evening at 7 we have a weight loss program.

Our Wednesday Bible study begins at 7 p.m. We are studying "Journey of a Lifetime."

On the first and third Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. we have craft classes.

Ronny Sanders is music minister and Ray Sanders is pastor.

COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD 401 Country Club Drive

Pastor Woody Wiggins and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities at the church.

The following is the regular schedule of services.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Services are conducted at 7 p.m. each Wednesday. Thursday night prayer service begins at 7 p.m.

A nursery is available.

A new book by Pastor Wiggins, "A New World Order" on the New Age Movement is available by calling the church office at 364-5390.

Pastor Wiggins said, "If you are needing a place to worship, come be with us. We are here for those who are hurting."

Our 24 hour information and prayer line is 364-5390.

FRIO BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Larry Perkins and the congregation of the Frio Baptist Church invite you to join them for services each Sunday and Wednesday.

Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. and is followed by worship at 11 a.m. Evening services begin with Discipleship Training at 6 which is followed by evening worship at 7.

We would also like to invite youth to join us and our youth minister David Splawn.

Wednesday evening prayer services begin at 7:30.

GOOD NEWS CHURCH 400 N. 25 Mile Ave. Sugarland Mall

Pastor David Alvarado and the Good News congregation invite you to come and worship the Lord Jesus Christ with us in the spirit of love.

This Sunday Crystal River from Lubbock will be ministering in song and the Word at the 10 a.m. service.

If you have any questions or you need prayer, please call Pastor David Alvarado at 364-5239. God bless you.

FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

The Fellowship of Believers invites you to attend services this Sunday.

The Bible study class begins at 9:30 a.m. and the worship service at 10:30 a.m.

Classes for children are at 9:30 a.m. and are available through elementary ages. Nursery facilities are available during the worship service.

If you need transportation to the church services, please call 364-0359.

The youth group will meet at 6 p.m. Wednesday.

CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

The leadership and congregation of Christian Assembly welcome you to worship the Lord with us.

Where the spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. Come, be a blessing and be blessed.

Sunday worship is at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.

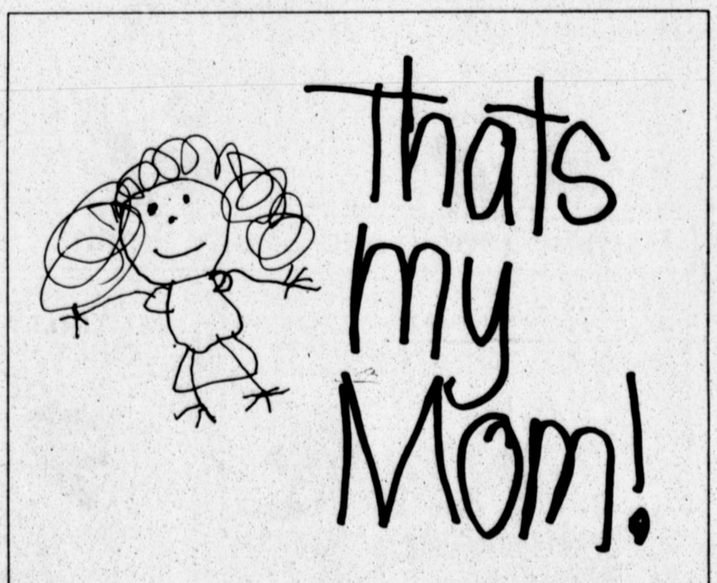
Wednesday evening worship is at 7 p.m.

For more information, call 364-5874 or 364-0974.



Party in the gym

Hereford Keywanettes recently hosted a "Gym Night Party" in the Nazarene Church gym for the local Big Brothers/Big Sisters program. Forty-eight of the bigs and littles gathered for food, fun and fellowship. Pictured are Luis Elizondo, Chris DeLaRosa, Fermin Oliverez and Danelle Haws.



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Urban growth encroaching on formerly-rural cemeteries

By PAMELA WARD
Austin American-Statesman

ROUND ROCK, Texas - Four giant, empty paint buckets lay at the back of the cemetery, just a few yards away from apartments under construction.

Once a quiet country graveyard, Bratton Cemetery today is littered with evidence of changing times. Established along a country lane in the mid-1800s by Kentucky native John Bratton, the cemetery now is shadowed on two sides by the new Limestone Ranch apartments. The plot's serenity has given way to the sound of automobiles whizzing down FM 1325, a five-lane road that links MoPac Boulevard and Interstate 35.

That Bratton Cemetery even survives is fortunate, local historian Karen Thompson said. It was not mowed over by development or forgotten by time, but its juxtaposition is a reminder, she said, that graveyards, an important link to Texas' heritage, are threatened by growth. This is especially true, she said, for Williamson County, where land is being gobbled fast by development.

"Cemeteries are at the mercy of anybody doing a development," said Thompson, a seventh-generation Texan and Jollyville resident who is founder and president of Save Texas Cemeteries.

Save Texas Cemeteries, an organization that aims to preserve all cemeteries and burial sites in Texas, is in the midst of identifying and encouraging preservation of about 50,000 cemeteries statewide.

Sadly, Thompson said, the state does little to protect cemeteries. "There are 12 state agencies that have something to do with cemeteries, but none has responsibility for them," she said. "We have an Egg Board and a Fire Ant Board and a Wildfire Board, but no Cemetery Board."

She said 175 perpetual care cemeteries are regulated by the Texas Banking Commission because of up-front investments by consumers, "but the rest of the 50,000 cemeteries in Texas are not regulated or protected in any way."

In Williamson County, 210 cemeteries have been identified.

Six Round Rock cemeteries, plus one that was destroyed in the 1970s, highlight the potential threat to these historic links.

Two in Round Rock are well-known - Round Rock Cemetery, where the outlaw Sam Bass is buried, and Palm Valley Cemetery, next to the historic Palm Valley Lutheran Church, where Swedish settlers are buried.

Four others, however, including Bratton Cemetery, are little-known. One is Smalley Cemetery, which was the reason Thompson organized Save Texas Cemeteries, she said. It was created in the 1840s by the Rev. Freeman Smalley, the first Baptist preacher to come to Texas. Today, the graveyard, north of U.S. 79 at Hidden Acres Drive, consists of a 120-square-foot fenced plot, within the shadow of a model home. Inside the fenced plot, headstones are broken and askew.

"This cemetery started out as two or three acres," Thompson said. "In the 1970s, the city of Round Rock paved a street through it, and then three utility entities ran utilities through it."

Another little-known plot, the Harrell Cemetery, sits fenced behind a Sirloin Stockade on I-35. "It's a miracle that it was saved in the midst of all this development," she said.

The most remote of all, Ganzert Cemetery, is hidden away on an unmarked gravel road just west of Southcreek Road, north of Gattis School Road.

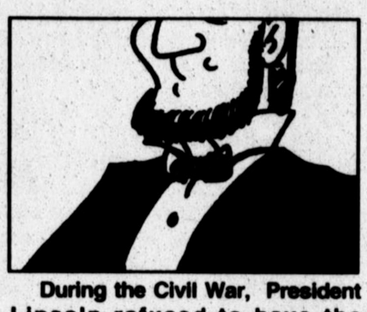
"I worry that someday, some developer will come down this road and decide that it's a pretty place for an apartment complex," Thompson said. "You can see why Ganzert picked this site for a cemetery." From the rise, winding Brushy Creek is within view, as is the pastoral Palm Valley.

Not too long ago, Round Rock had a seventh cemetery. It disappeared one night in the 1970s, bulldozed to make way for housing in the Chisholm Valley section of Round Rock, Thompson said.

In Jollyville, Save Texas Cemeteries recently won a 10-year battle to protect Jolly Cemetery, when an apartment developer agreed to build several feet away from the graves and to maintain the plot.

"There's a lot of ignorance and a lot of people who don't care," Thompson said. "But cemeteries are like books with pages to be read. They tell us so much about our heritage, about those who settled here and worked so hard. We need to preserve our heritage."

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During the Civil War, President Lincoln refused to have the Southern stars taken from the flag.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 18

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
2	Movie: Frankenstein and Me ★★½ 'NR'		(:35) Movie: Stepmonster *Alan Thicke.* ★				Movie: Gremlins *Zach Galligan.* ★★★ 'PG'		(:45) Movie: The Sting II		
4	News	Ent. Tonight	Unsolved Mysteries		Dateline		Homicide: Life		News	(:35) Tonight Show	
5	Newshour With Jim Lehrer		Wash. Week	Wall St.	Scottish Fiddle Orchestra		Red Green	Fawlty T.	Keeping Up	Charlie Rose	
6	Videos	Videos	(:05) Movie: Harry and the Hendersons (1987) ★★★				(:15) Movie: The Blue Lagoon (1980) *Brooke Shields.* ★★				
7	News	Wh. Fortune	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Sabrina	Clueless	20/20		News	Seinfeld	Nightline
9	Fam. Mat.	Bzzzz	Movie: We're No Angels (1989) *Robert De Niro.* ★★½				News		Wiseguy		Heat
10	News	Home Imp.	Devo's	Raymond	Mr. & Mrs. Smith		Nash Bridges		News	(:35) Late Show	
13	Roseanne	Mad-You	Sliders		X-Files		Star Trek: Voyager		Mad-You	Martin	Real TV
15	Sportsctr.	Series	Outside the Lines		NHL Hockey Philadelphia Flyers at Phoenix Coyotes						Sportsctr.
17	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Three Stooges		Carson
18	Movie: It Could Happn		Movie: The Mummy Lives *Tony Curtis.*		Clip Notes		Sex and the Silver Screen		Bedtime	Latino	Movie: 2002
20	Inside the NFL		Movie: Under Siege 2: Dark Territory 'R'		30 Seconds		Movie: The Dentist *Corbin Bernsen.* 'R'		Elections		Comedy
21	Movie: Bye Bye, Love		Movie: Chameleon *Anthony LaPaglia.* 'R'				Movie: Die Hard With a Vengeance *Bruce Willis.* 'R'				Hot Line
23	Movie: Summer Stock		Movie: The Kissing Bandit (1949) *Frank Sinatra.* ★★				Movie: That Midnight Kiss (1949) ★★½			Movie: Toast-Orleans	
24	Dukes of Hazzard		Championship Rodeo		Prime Time Country		News	Club Dance	Dallas		Dukes
25	Bey. 2000	Next Step	Wild Discovery		Invention	Bey. 2000	Wings		Next Step	Bey. 2000	Wild Disc.
26	Equalizer		Biography		Movie: Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde (1968)				Law & Order		Biography
27	HopeGlori	Designing	Intimate Portrait		Movie: Escape From Terror: The Teresa Stamper Story				Living	Mysteries	Mysteries
28	Racing	NBA Preseason Basketball Houston Rockets at Orlando Magic					Motorsports Hour		Hockey	Hennings	H.S. Extra
29	In the Heat of the Night		Football America				Football America				Football
30	Doug	Rugrats	Kablam!	Happy Days	I Love Lucy	Munsters	M.T. Moore	Rhoda	Taxi	Odd Couple	Bewitched
32	Highlander: The Series		Renegade		Movie: Mr. Baseball (1992) *Tom Selleck.* ★★				Big Easy		Movie:
33	Cancion de Amor		Maria Barrio	Canaveral de Pasiones			A Traves del Video		Noticiero	P. Impacto	Movie:
37	Road to Infamy: Cntdown		History's Crimes & Trials		Movie: Night of the Generals (1967) *Peter O'Toole, Omar Sharif.* ★★★						CrimeTrial
40	RPM 2Night	Strongest Man	Women's College Volleyball Indiana at Minnesota				Motoworld		RPM 2Night	NHL 2Night	Superbouts

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
2	Life of Toys	Amazing	Wonderland	Umbrella	Movie: Bingo *Cindy Williams.* ★★ 'PG'		Movie: Neverending Story II				Baby-Sitters
4	Sky Dancers	Dream Big	Sing a Story	Science Guy	Saved-Bell	Hang Time	Saved-Bell	Dreams	Inside Stuff	Locker Rm	NFL Films
5	Business	Business	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Quilting	Sewing	Quilt	Sewing	Baking-Julia	Garden	Gourmet
6	Flintstones	Taz-Mania	WCW Wrestling		(:05) National Geographic Explorer				(:05) Movie: "batteries not included ★★½		
7	Jungle Cubs	New Doug	Ducks	Sharks	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bone Chill.	Gargoyles	Flash	Weekend	Sleepy H.
9	Farm Report	Business	WWF Wrestling		Outdoor	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Soul Train		Movie:
10	Felix the Cat	Timon	Weather	G.eek.er	Ace Ventura	POV	Secrets	Turtles	Beakman	HS Football	Prolong
13	C-Bear	Beetleborgs	Casper	Spider-Man	Goosebmp	Life-Louie	X-Men	Tick	Big 12	College Football	
14	Fly Fishing	Wild Skies	Shooter	Outdoor	Photo Safari	WalkerCay	Outdoors	College Gameday		College Football	
17	Bugaloos	Lidsville	Sigmund	Pufnstuf	Family Challenge		Young Riders		Bonanza		Paradise
18	Treas Isle	Movie: Mad Love *Chris O'Donnell.* 'PG-13'			(:15) Movie: The Adventures of Baron Munchausen *John Neville.* 'PG'				Movie: What About Bob?		
20	Never.-Story	Wiz. of Oz	Movie: Nell (1994) *Jodie Foster, Liam Neeson.* 'PG-13'				Inside the NFL		Movie: The Legend of Billie Jean 'PG-13'		
21	Movie:	Movie: Bushwhacked *Daniel Stern.* ★★			Movie: Operation Mad Ball *Jack Lemmon.*				(:45) Movie: National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation		
23	Movie: Please Believe Me		(:15) Movie: Dream Wife (1953) *Cary Grant.* ★★½				Movie: The Student Prince (1954) *Ann Blyth.* ★★½				Movie:
24	(Off Air)		Sportsman	Hunting	Outdoors	Fishing	Fishin'	Outdoors	In-Fish	Southern	Outdoors
25	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Cuisine	Great Chefs	Home Matters		Housesmart!		Popular Mechanics		Wings
26	Movie: Son of Monte		Wildlife Mysteries		Biography for Kids		Voyages		Blue Angels-at the Speed of Sound		
27	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Gourmet	Handmade	Living	Our Home	Debt
28	College Soccer Weekly		Pathfinders	Football	SEC TV Weekly		Championship Wrestling		Motorsports Hour		Drag Racing
29	Hondo		How the West Was Won		Wild, Wild West		Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.		Lazarus Man		Movie:
31	Doug	Rugrats	Tiny Toon	Tiny Toon	Muppets	Muppets	Beetlejuice	RenStimpy	Salute	Hey Dude	Looney
32	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	World Wrestling Live Wire		Fighter	WingCom	MortalK	Dragon	Renegade
33	La Pinata Loca						El Club de Gaby		Super Sabado Sensacional		
37	History Showcase		Once Upon	Once Upon	Year by Year for Kids		Ramses the Great		Vic. at Sea	Battle Line	Men
40	NFL Great	NFL's Greatest Moments	NFL's Greatest Moments		NFL		Drag Race	Motoworld	Blackwater	College Football	

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
2	Ready-Not	Torkelsons	Ocean Girl	Spellbinder	Animal	Scooby-Doo and the Ghoul School			Claymation	Avonlea	
4	Pro Football		College Football Air Force at Notre Dame							TBA	NBC News
5	Old House	Workshop	Hometime	Red Green	Streamside	Crafting	Garden	World Transformed			Hear Us
6	Movie:	(:05) Movie: Brewster's Millions (1985), *John Candy* ★★			(:05) Movie: Better Off Dead (1985) *John Cusack.* ★★					(:05) WCW Saturday Night	
7	Legend of Sleepy Hollow		Paid Prog.	H. Patrol	College Football Regional Coverage -- Ohio State at Purdue or Game to Be Announced						
9	(12:00) Movie: ★½ Flash Gordon (1980)			Adventures of Sinbad	Xena: Warrior Princess			Hercules-Jrnys.		Highlander: The Series	
10	TBA	Money	Mer.Media	Williams TV	College Football Teams to Be Announced						
13	(11:30) College Football Big 12 Game -- Teams to Be Announced				Hercules-Jrnys.			Xena: Warrior Princess		Cape	
14	College Football: Big Ten Game -- Teams TBA				Scoreboard	Golf Nike Tour Championship -- Third Round					Sportsctr.
17	Paradise	Big Valley		Rifleman	Rifleman	High Chaparral		Bonanza		Hardcastle	
18	Movie: What About Bob?		Movie: The Mummy Lives *Tony Curtis.* 'PG-13'			(:25) Movie: La Bamba ★★★ 'PG-13'				(:15) Movie: Mad Love ★★	
20	Lifestories: Families		Movie: Made in America *Whoopi Goldberg.* ★★½ 'PG-13'			Without Pity: Abilities			Movie: Forrest Gump *Tom Hanks.* 'PG-13'		
21	Movie: Body Slam *Dirk Benedict.* ★★ 'PG'		Movie: Far From Home: Yellow Dog			Movie: Congo (1995) *Dylan Walsh, Laura Linney.* 'PG-13'				Movie: In-	
23	(12:00) Movie: ★★½ Kismet (1955)			Movie: Tension at Table Rock (1956) *Richard Egan.* ★★				Movie: Rock-a-Bye Baby (1958) *Jerry Lewis.* ★★½			
24	Mechanic	Auto Racing NASCAR Grand National -- AC-Delco 200				Motor Trend	Inside NASCAR		Farm Aid		
25	Wings	Mysterious	Invention	Cyberlife	Next Step	Bey. 2000	Movie Magic	World's Greatest Stunts	Discover Magazine		
26	Blue Angels	20th Century		Investigative Reports		American Justice		America's Castles	Home Again	Home Again	
27	Supermkt	Designing	Nurses	Mysteries	Cure	Movie: My Breast (1994) *Meredith Baxter.*			Movie: Lightning-Bottle		
28	Drag Racing	Cycle World		Football	College Football Memphis at Southern Mississippi						
29	(12:00) Movie: Run Silent, Run Deep			Movie: Josh and S.A.M. (1993) *Jacob Tierney.* ★★½			Scooby Doo	Dexter's Lab	Taz-Mania	JonQuest	
31	Looney	You Do	Crazy Kids	Weinerville	Beetlejuice	Temple	G.U.T.S.	Land of Lost	RenStimpy	Doug	Rocko's Life
32	Renegade	Highlander: The Series		Movie: Silent Witness: What a Child Saw (1994)				Movie: Hellraiser (1987) *Andrew Robinson.* ★★★			
33	SuperSab.	Onda Max		Caliente	Control	Movie: Oye, Salome *Sasha Montenegro, Lalo "El Mimo".*			Anabel	Noticiero	
37	Perspectiv'	War Years		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials	History's Crimes & Trials		
40	(11:30) College Football Big Ten Game -- Teams to Be Announced					Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Thrill-Spill	Horses	College Football	

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2	Movie: Land Before		(:10) Movie: Prehysteria 2 ★½ 'PG'			(:35) Movie: Murder by Death *Peter Falk.*			(:15) Movie: The Freshman ★★★ 'PG'		
4	News	Criminals	Dark Skies		Pretender		Profiler		News	B. Switzer	Jerry Jones
5	Thinking	McLaughlin	Bomber Boys		Lawrence Welk Show		Austin City Limits		Wait for God	Mr. Bean	TBA
6	WCW Saturday Night		(:05) Movie: Back to the Future (1985) *Michael J. Fox.* ★★★½				(:35) Movie: Wargames (1983) *Matthew Broderick.* ★★★				
7	News	Wh. Fortune	Second Noah		Coach	Common	Relativity		News	Psi Factor: Chronicles	
9	Fam. Mat.	Riches	Columbo			Gift of Love		News	Night Court	Movie: Diggstown (1992)	
10	News	Golden Girls	Medicine Woman		Early Edition		Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Golden Girls	Baywatch N.
13	M*A*S*H	Pregame	World Series Game 1 -- Teams to Be Announced						Mad TV		BurnZone
14	College Football Southeastern Conference Game -- Teams TBA						Football Scoreboard		Sportscenter		NFL
17	Super Bloopers & Jokes		Movie: Panic in the Skies! (1996) *Kate Jackson.*				Movie: The Alamo (1960) *John Wayne, Richard Widmark.* ★★★½				
18	(5:15) Movie: Mad Love		Movie: Johnny Mnemonic *Keanu Reeves.*		(:35) Roger Corman Presents				Boxing Keith Holmes vs. Richie Woodhall		
20	Movie: Forrest Gump		Movie: Fair Game *Cindy Crawford.* ★ 'R'		Movie: GoodFellas (1990) *Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta.* ★★★★ 'R'					Movie:	
21	Movie: In the Line		Movie: The Brothers McMullen *Jack Mulcahy.* ★★★ 'R'				Movie: Synapse *Karen Duffy.* 'R'		Movie: Watch Me (1995) ★		
23	Classic Comedy Shorts		Movie: Objective, Burma! (1945) *Errol Flynn, William Prince.* ★★★½				Movie: San Antonio (1945) *Errol Flynn.* ★★★				
24	(5:00) Farm Aid										Statler Bros.
25	On Jupiter		Wild Discovery		World's Greatest Stunts		Justice Files		Wings		Wild Disc.
26	Mysteries of the Bible		Biography This Week		Investigative Reports		Rich in America: 150 Years-Town & Country Magazine				Bio-Week
27	Movie: Lightning-Bottle		Movie: Laker Girls (1990) *Tina Yothers, Paris Vaughan.*				Traders		Girls' Night Out		HopeGlori
28	College Football Big 12 Game -- Teams to Be Announced						(:15) College Football Pac-10 Game -- Teams to Be Announced				
29	In the Heat of the Night		In the Heat of the Night		Movie: Midnight Run (1988) *Robert De Niro, Charles Grodin.* ★★★					Movie: Smokey-Bandit	
31	Monsters	Rugrats	Kenan & Kel	SpaceCase	All That	Kablam!	I Love Lucy	Lucy and Desi		Happy Days	Taxi
32	Movie: Hellbound: Hellraiser II (1988) *Clare Higgins.* ★★				Pacific Blue		Weird Sci.	Duckman	Movie: Vice Academy (1989) ★½		
33	Amor Gigante		Sabado Gigante Internacional						Nuestra Belleza de Mexico 96: Semifinal		
37	History's Crimes & Trials		Movie: The Legend of Lizzie Borden (1975) ★★★				Movie: Torpedo Alley (1952) *Mark Stevens.* ★★				Movie:
40	(5:00) College Football Big East Game -- Teams TBA				College Football Western Athletic Conference Game -- Teams TBA						NHL 2Night

SUNDAY OCTOBER 20

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
2	Donald	Ducktales	Chip 'n' Dale	Goof Troop	Movie: Parent Trap II *Hayley Mills.* ★★		(:25) Movie: Munster, Go Home ★★				Baby-Sitters
4	TBA	Grace	TBA	Marriage	Meet the Press		Baptist Church		NFL on NBC		Football
5	Sesame Street		Kidsongs	Imagination	Literary	Literary	Geology	Geology	Art of the Western World		Hotels
6	Dexter's Lab	Jetsons	Flintstones	Flintstones	Griffith	(:35) Movie: Back to the Future (1985) *Michael J. Fox.* ★★★½					Movie:
7	Animal	Good-Gang	New House	Home Again	Living	Newsworthy	Good Morning America		Week-David Brinkley		News
9	Waynehead	Animaniacs	Bozo Super Sunday		PinkyBrain	Superman	Rovers	Freakazoid!	Earthworm	Dreams	Movie:
10	Power	Church	Weather	First Baptist Church		Sunday Morning			United Methodist		Face Nation
13	Hulk	B.A.D.	Bonanza		Movie: Kenny Rogers as the Gambler III: The Legend				Fox NFL Sunday		Football
14	Sr. PGA	Inside PGA	NFL	Sportsweekly		Reporters	Sportsctr.	NFL Countdown			Equestrian
17	In Touch		Sigmund	Space Nuts	Family Challenge		Snowy River: McGregor		Christy		Movie:
18	Treas Isle	Movie: Like Father, Like Son ★★ 'PG-13'			(:15) Movie: Chaplin (1992) *Robert Downey Jr., Dan Aykroyd.* 'PG-13'				Movie: River Runs Thr.		
20	Never.-Story	Wiz. of Oz	Movie: Steel Magnolias (1989) *Sally Field, Dolly Parton.*				Movie: Hiding Out *Jon Cryer.* ★★ 'PG-13'		(:45) Movie: For Keeps		
21	Movie:	Movie: Bugs Bunny Movie			Movie: Necessary Roughness *Scott Bakula.* 'PG-13'				Movie: Margie *Jeanne Crain.* ★★★		
23	Movie: Zombies-B'way		Movie: Murder, She Said (1961) ★★★			Movie: Murder Most Foul (1964) ★★★			Movie: Little Miss Thoroughbred (1938)		
24	(Off Air)		Mechanic	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR		NHRA	Skeet Shoot	Raceday	Auto Racing	
25	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Cuisine	Great Chefs	Home Matters		Housesmart!		Cyberlife	Shipwrecks	Civilizations
26	Movie: Machine Gun		Breakfast With the Arts				Movie: Murder Ordained (1987) *Keith Carradine.* ★★★				Movie:
27	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Baby Knows	KidsDays	Commish		Movie: Her Desperate Choice (1996)		
28	Auto Racing Hav-A-Tampa Series			H.S. Extra	Fishin'	Americana	Fishin'	Outdoor	Afield	Outdoors	Baseball
29	Scooby Dooby Doo		Taz-Mania	Gilligan	In the Heat of the Night		In the Heat of the Night		Movie: Coal Miner's Daughter (1980)		
31	Muppets	Beetlejuice	Looney Tunes		Rugrats	Monsters	RenStimpy	Rocko's Life	Pete & Pete	All That	SpaceCase
32	Action Man	Ultraforce	Fighter	MortalK	WingCom	Dragon	WWF Superstars		Movie: The Babe (1992) ★★½		
33	La Pinata Loca			Temas-De.	Onda Max		Caliente	Control	Fuera	Lente Loco	DomDepor
37	On Campus		Columbus	Once Upon	Year by Year for Kids		Masters of War		Century of Warfare		Weapons
40	(5:30) Outdoors			Outdoors		Speed	World Rally	RPM 2Day	NASCAR	Speed Skating	

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The Roads of Texas and The Roads of New Mexico are for sale at The Hereford Brand in book form. Texas maps are $14.95 plus tax, and New Mexico maps are $12.95 plus tax. Discover roads you never knew were there. Hereford Brand, 313 N. Lee. 24757

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Weight Watchers is opening a community meeting in Hereford. For information, please call 1-800-359-3131. 32808

Looking for Firewood? Give us a call at 276-5733. We have Slab Pine for $100.00 a cord. We deliver. 33152

For Sale: Antique upright Washburn Piano. Good condition. Call 364-3402. 33158

For Sale: Sofa & loveseat. $250.00. Call 364-3709 or 364-5347. 33168

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1A. GARAGE SALES

Garage Sale: 522 Ave. G, Thursday, Friday & Saturday. 9 til ??. Little bit of everything. 33160

Garage Sale: Saturday, October 19th, 222 Elm, 8 til ??. Toys, clothes, etc. Come Christmas Shop EARLY! 33161

Garage Sale: 211 W 6th, Saturday, 8 til 4. Duncan Phyfe Table, clothes, bed spreads, & miscellaneous. 33169

Garage Sale: 1003 Plains, Saturday, 8 until 1. Country blue couch, bedspreads, women's and children's clothing, Halloween Pumpkins and lots of miscellaneous. 33170

Garage Sale: 230 Beach, Saturday, 8:30 till 4:00. Lots of goodies. 33172

Garage Sale: 215 Western, go around side to carport, Saturday only; 8 to 3. Baby clothes, women's clothes, table, treadmill, miscellaneous. 33173

Garage Sale: 207 Union, Saturday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Furniture, carpet remnants, clothing & much miscellaneous. 33174

Garage Sale: 112 Ave. A, Friday & Saturday, 7 til ??. Little bit of everything. 33176

Garage Sale: 120 Pecan, Saturday, 8 to ??. Furniture, bedspreads, golf equipment, curtains, miscellaneous, clothes. 33180

2. FARM EQUIPMENT

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Custom No-Till drilling. J. D. Drill/CAT tractor. Call John at 647-2867 and leave message. 33171

3. VEHICLES FOR SALE

For Sale: 1988 Chevy Blazer, excellent condition, loaded. Must see. 129 W. 5th, Hereford, Tx. Call 364-2213 or 247-3726 after 6 p.m. 33127

For Sale: 82 Toyota Corona, 4 Dr. Automatic, A/C. 364-3782. 33145

For Sale: '92 Ford, XLT Explorer. In good condition. 364-3709 or 364-5347. Call & make offer. 33157

For Sale: 1987 GMC Suburban, 4x4, 65,000 miles. Excellent condition. 364-8139. 33159

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Marcum Motors Co.
Clean Used Cars & Trucks
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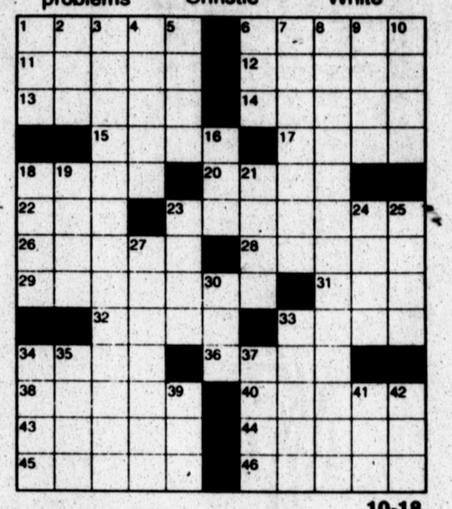
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ACROSS
1 Set forth
6 Fence supports
11 Church feature
12 Band-leader Shaw
13 Occupy the throne
14 Country singer Patsy
15 Hoof sound
17 Passed without trouble
18 One-liner, e.g.
20 Impatient driver's sound
22 One of the March sisters
23 "Whoa" counterpart
26 Puzo subject
28 Soft
29 "Starman" star
31 Charged atom
32 In proximity to
33 Teen's bane
34 Long story
36 Pool table extra
38 Shipping allowances
40 Mastigates
43 Snowy bird
44 Copycat's cry
45 Like forest rocks
46 English county

DOWN
1 Links goal
2 Grand — Opry
3 Rolling Stones album
4 U.S. symbol
5 First 007 film
6 Lobbying org.
7 Magic Kingdom setting
8 Difficult problems
9 Fork feature
10 Garden starter
16 Fraternity letter
18 Door feature
19 Actor Sharif
21 Bookie's concern
23 Crazy
24 Shortly
25 Parker — (Agatha Christie sleuth)
27 Brainstorms
30 Go awry
33 Aspirin targets
34 Snifter part
35 Jason's ship
37 Peak
39 Hog haven
41 Misery
42 Baseball's Red or White

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Yesterday's Answer



10-18

STUMPED? For answers to today's crossword, call 1-900-454-7377! 99¢ per minute, touch-tone / rotary phones. (18+ only.) A King Features service, NYC.

For Sale: 3 BR, 1 Bath, Brick house. (South of Hereford). Call 578-4381 or 364-2138. 33052

House For Sale By Owner, Edwardo Torres. Call 915 653-5929. 33103

GOOD CREDIT? LOWEST DOWNPAYMENTS IN TOWN. $499.00 on new singlewides, $999.00 on new Double Wides. Hurry! Very limited time! See at Oakwood Mobile Homes, 5300 Amarillo Blvd. E, Amarillo, Texas, 800-372-1491. 33129

For Sale By Owner: 4 BR, 2 Bath, 1 Car Garage, 630 Ave. J. Totally remodeled, new carpet, appliances, linoleum, roof & paint. $1260.00 down, $438 month. Call Robbie 364-3955. 33149

For Sale by Owner: 3 BR, 2 Bath. Sprinkler system. Double car garage, with opener. Brick. Call 364-3249. 33153

Home for Sale: 1 yr. old. 3 BR, 2 1/2 Bath, hot tub, sprinkler system, unique master bath. 722 Baltimore, 364-2501.

5. HOMES FOR RENT

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For Rent: 2 BR apartment. Stove, fridge. Water paid. 364-4370. 33061

For Rent: 1 BR apartment, $200 month & $200 deposit. No smoking9. 33102

For Rent: 2 BR Mobilehome, stove, fridge, washer/dryer hookups, fenced yard. Call 364-4370. 33105

For Rent: 1 BR apartment, $200.00 a month, $200 deposit. No smoking or drinking. 364-2179. 33146

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8. HELP WANTED

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Hereford Care Center, needs RN's & LVN's, flexible scheduling. Call or come by 231 Kingwood. Call 364-7113. 32645

Water Well Rig helpers wanted: Call Big T Pump, 806 364-0353 or apply in person at Big T Pump, East N. Y., Hereford. Tx. 33115

Carpenter's helper needed. Some experience necessary. Applications will be taken at 128 N. Schley between 8 & 5 Monday thru Friday. 33125

AVON Representatives urgently needed for Christmas selling. Earn $$$. For information call toll free 1-888-222-5097. 33131

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ACCOUNTING CLERK: Hereford Location. Send confidential resume to: Office Manager, P. O. Box 1636, Hereford, Tx. 79045. 33143

INSURANCE CLERK: Hereford location. Workers' Comp. experience preferred. Send confidential resume to: Insurance Manager, P. O. Box 1636, Hereford, Texas 79045. 33148

Small Finance Co. is looking for part-time Cashier/B Loan experience preferred. Call John at 364-4287. 33155

XIT Cellular is currently taking applications for Cellular technician to install & repair cellular phones. Apply at 1009 W. Park Ave.-Hereford, Tx. 364-1426. Equal Opportunity Employer. 33162

Part-time Dietary Assistant needed: Apply in person at King's Manor Methodist-400 Ranger Drive. 33167

Bartlett II feedyard is accepting applications for feed truck driver. Applications can be picked up at feedyard 20 miles North of Hereford on FM 2943. 258-7298.

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For CIS Technician
Position will require knowledge and experience in hardware and software applications. Must have the ability to resolve different types of computer system problems associated with hardware and software in a timely manner. Specific operating systems are DOS, Windows, Novell, Unix. Contact:
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We need 10 people who would like to earn an extra $200 per week or more! It's new, it's glamourous, and it's fun!
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MAKE MONEY THIS WEEK!

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Pregnancy Test
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505 E. Park Ave.
Call: 364-2027 or 364-5299 (Michelle

LEGAL NOTICES

Sealed bids for a motorgrader to be purchased by Deaf Smith County, Texas, will be opened and read in open Court by the Deaf Smith County Commissioners at 9 AM October 28, 1996. Specifications may be obtained at 242 East Third Street in Hereford, Texas. A trade in of a 1993 140G Catepillar needs to be taken into consideration and may be seen at the Precinct 4 Barn. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals for new carpet for the Deaf Smith County Library will be opened at 9 AM November 11, 1996 by the Deaf Smith County Commissioners. Specifications may be obtained from Rebecca Walls, County Librarian at 211 East Fourth Street, Hereford, Texas. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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Panhandle AUCTION SERVICE
Sunday, October 20th, 1996
at 1:00 pm inside the Sugarland Mall
North 25 Mile Avenue • Hereford, Texas
WATCH SUNDAY IN THE HEREFORD BRAND CLASSIFIEDS...
for further details!

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Unsure how to write a Classified Ad that will get results? Follow these pointers and you'll soon have an empty space in your storage room and cash in your pocket.

For starters, look at ads which offer the same item/products. Get a sense of going rates and ideas for how to make your ad stand out. Once you're ready to write, begin with exactly what you're selling: "Dining room set, maple, six chairs." Then, remember these hints:

--Give the price. A newspaper consultant says 70 percent of classified readers won't respond to an ad with no price.

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--Don't use abbreviations. It's tempting to abbreviate and save money if ads are billed by the line. Brand ads are billed by the word, so spell them out so readers won't be confused trying to figure out abbreviations.

--Don't be misleading. Think accurate and factual when you write. Be sure to include a phone number and the best times to reach you.

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13. LOST & FOUND

LOST: Billfold at Thriftway, E. Park, Thursday. Can keep money, but return the rest. Joe Ortega. 1-806-647-2187. 33177

DOGNAPPED:::Large Great Danc/Lab. Mix, black male with hot pink collar. Picked up on East Bound side of I-40 on Tuesday Morning. Call: 267-2564, 267-2230, or 267-2556, in Vega. 33179



Certain diseases and medications can give you a suntanned look. If that happens, see your doctor.

AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

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Nov	63.45	63.85	63.40	63.67	+ .22	66.05	54.60	3,443
Ja97	64.27	64.60	64.25	64.32	+ .02	66.10	55.70	3,837
Mar	64.15	64.42	64.05	64.20	+ .02	65.20	56.15	1,369
Apr	64.35	64.80	64.35	64.62	+ .15	65.30	57.75	1,014
May	65.00	65.30	64.95	65.02	+ .12	65.55	59.00	1,386
Aug	66.50	66.60	66.35	66.57	+ .07	67.30	64.05	532

Est vol 2,429; vol Wd 2,486; open int 14,228, —46.

CATTLE-LIVE (CME) 40,000 lbs.; cents per lb.

Oct	70.85	71.65	70.72	71.40	+ .47	73.95	59.90	8,353
Dec	65.20	65.67	65.15	65.40	+ .12	68.95	59.40	38,747
Fb97	63.27	63.45	63.15	63.35	+ .07	66.02	60.15	10,379
Apr	65.15	65.45	65.12	65.27	+ .05	67.90	62.65	10,396
June	63.05	63.42	63.05	63.17	+ .10	66.75	61.60	4,982
Aug	62.27	63.00	62.77	62.77	— .02	66.75	62.40	5,374
Oct	65.55	66.75	65.50	65.55	+ .02	66.90	65.50	2,477

Est vol 13,961; vol Wd 12,240; open int 88,626, +4.

HOGS (CME) 40,000 lbs.; cents per lb.

New contract prices begin with Feb97

Oct	55.27	56.30	55.05	55.92	+ .65	60.67	41.00	1,855
Dec	54.05	55.12	53.95	54.70	+ .50	58.85	41.90	15,590
Fb97	74.85	75.50	74.65	75.15	+ .12	79.17	63.15	7,648
Apr	71.10	71.42	70.82	71.15	+ .05	76.00	61.15	3,662
June	73.70	73.95	73.45	73.72	— .10	80.40	67.60	3,089
July	73.20	73.60	73.30	73.60	+ .20	77.00	67.40	795
Aug	69.35	69.70	69.15	69.70	— .05	71.60	66.00	887
Oct	63.40	63.50	63.25	63.50		67.95	62.00	288

Est vol 8,427; vol Wd 9,506; open int 33,231, —1,383.

GRAIN FUTURES

CORN (CBT) 5,000 bu.; cents per bu.

Dec	283	283¼	280¾	283¼	....	289	229	156,944
Mr97	290	290½	287½	289¼	+ ¾	294½	279¼	79,023
May	293½	294¾	293½	295	— 1¼	296	293½	35,813
July	297¼	297½	296	297½	— 1¼	298	284	29,357
Sept	287	287	284	285	— 2¼	335	284	3,170
Dec	283½	284	281	283½	+ ½	310	269¾	20,563
Mr98	289	289½	287½	289½	— 1	305	287½	342
July	296	297½	295	297½	— 1	315½	295	288
Dec	....	....	....	272½	....	290	270	239

Est vol 37,000; vol Wed 69,967; open int 325,634, +2,168.

SOYBEANS (CBT) 5,000 bu.; cents per bu.

Nov	690	690¾	684	685½	— 3½	825	585	79,799
Ja97	696	696¼	689	693½	— 3¼	824	650	39,534
Mar	703	703	696½	700½	— 3¼	838	693¼	26,727
May	708	708¼	703	705¼	— 3	838	708	15,358
July	708	708	701½	705½	— 3¼	838	611	13,824
Nov	688	688	674	677½	— 3	749	597½	6,971

Est vol 54,000; vol Wed 60,107; open int 183,469, +1,881.

WHEAT (CBT) 5,000 bu.; cents per bu.

Dec	417	417½	409	411	— 6¼	632½	362	48,877
Mr97	425	425½	397½	400½	— 5	618½	397½	15,119
May	385	386½	381	383½	— 3¼	547	381	3,280
July	368½	369	364	365¾	— 3¼	485	364	8,881

Est vol 14,500; vol Wed 15,190; open int 66,926, —716.

METAL FUTURES

GOLD (Cmx.Div.NYM)-100 troy oz.; $ per troy oz.

Oct	379.90	380.00	379.90	380.60	— .20	422.20	377.00	16
Dec	382.90	382.90	382.10	382.60	— .60	447.50	379.60	109,621
Fb97	384.80	385.10	384.30	384.80	— .60	438.00	381.90	16,171
Apr	387.00	387.20	386.70	387.00	— .50	438.00	383.80	10,662
June	....	....	....	389.40	— .50	436.00	386.50	10,995
Aug	....	....	....	391.90	— .50	414.50	392.10	4,199
Oct	....	....	....	394.40	— .50	426.50	396.30	1,152
Dec	397.00	397.00	397.00	396.90	— .60	477.00	393.50	11,381
Fb98	....	....	....	399.60	— .60	426.00	396.90	450
Apr	....	....	....	402.00	— .70	458.40	399.20	1,089
June	....	....	....	404.70	— .70	459.50	403.00	5,211
Dec	....	....	....	412.90	— .80	505.00	412.00	4,869
Jn99	....	....	....	421.20	— .80	530.00	422.00	5,408
Dec	....	....	....	429.40	— .80	506.00	426.00	3,458
Jn00	....	....	....	437.70	— .80	473.50	439.30	2,776
Dec	....	....	....	446.20	— .80	474.50	447.00	5,076
Jn01	....	....	....	454.80	— .80	....	....	1,395

Est vol 21,000; vol Wd 20,851; open int 195,214, —1,539.

SILVER (Cmx.Div.NYM)-5,000 troy oz.; cnts per troy oz.

Oct	....	....	....	486.9	— 11.5	503.0	495.0	14
Dec	500.0	500.0	480.0	490.5	— 11.8	670.0	464.0	63,827
Mr97	506.5	506.5	495.5	497.1	— 12.0	611.0	492.0	11,103
May	510.0	510.0	499.0	501.7	— 12.1	606.0	498.0	6,528
July	515.0	515.0	504.0	506.5	— 12.2	655.0	503.0	4,995
Sept	....	....	....	511.1	— 12.3	576.0	513.0	2,859
Dec	524.0	524.0	519.0	510.3	— 12.4	695.0	502.0	1,058
Mr98	....	....	....	526.1	— 12.5	573.0	539.0	119
July	....	....	....	536.2	— 12.7	700.0	534.5	382
Dec	....	....	....	548.9	— 12.9	734.0	550.0	937
Jn99	....	....	....	560.1	— 13.2	660.0	560.0	288
Dec	....	....	....	583.6	— 13.4	730.0	585.0	117

Est vol 24,000; vol Wd 14,981; open int 93,546, +602.

FUTURES OPTIONS

CATTLE-FEEDER (CME) 50,000 lbs.; cents per lb.

Strike Price	Calls-Settle Oct	Nov	Jan	Puts-Settle Oct	Nov	Jan
62	1.55	1.97	3.30	0.02	0.30	0.90
63	0.62	....	....	0.10	....	....
64	0.20	0.70	1.90	0.67	1.02	1.60
65	0.05	....	....	....	....	....
66	0.00	0.12	0.90	2.47	2.45	2.55
67	0.00	....	....	....	....	....

Est vol 422 Wd 221 calls 196 puts

Op int Wed 3,670 calls 6,836 puts

CATTLE-LIVE (CME) 40,000 lbs.; cents per lb.

Strike Price	Calls-Settle Nov	Dec	Feb	Puts-Settle Nov	Dec	Feb
69	....	0.27	0.37	....	3.85	....
70	....	0.15	0.25	....	4.75	6.82
71	....	0.10	0.15	....	....	....
72	....	0.05	0.10	....	....	....
73	....	0.00	....	....	....	....
74	....	0.00	....	....	....	....

Est vol 1,539 Wd 1,456 calls 883 puts

Op int Wed 20,782 calls 18,552 puts

CORN (CBT) 5,000 bu.; cents per bu.

Strike Price	Calls-Settle Dec	Mar	May	Puts-Settle Dec	Mar	May
260	23¾	....	36¼	¼	2¾	2
270	14¾	22½	....	1¾	4	4
280	7¾	16¼	22	4¾	7	7¼
290	3¼	11	16½	10½	11¾	11½
300	1¼	7¼	12	19	18¼	17
310	½	3	9¼	37	25½	23½

Est vol 19,000 Wd 10,099 calls 11,275 puts

Op int Wed 200,923 calls 203,038 puts

GOLD (CMX) 100 troy ounces; $ per troy ounce

Strike Price	Calls-Settle Dec	Jan	Feb	Puts-Settle Dec	Jan	Feb
360	22.60	24.00	25.00	.10	.10	.20
370	12.60	15.00	15.20	.10	.30	.30
380	3.50	6.10	6.90	.20	1.30	2.10
390	.60	1.60	2.10	7.00	6.00	7.20
400	.10	.50	.70	17.00	15.70	15.60
410	.10	.20	.30	27.40	25.40	25.50

Est vol 9,000 Wd 5,569 calls 420 puts

Op int Wed 269,929 calls 75,631 puts

Artist finds balance with stones

By GARY WORTH
North (S. Diego) County Times

ENCINITAS, Calif. (AP) - Samuel Smalley has a rocky approach to tranquility.

"It's a form of meditation," Smalley says. "When you're balancing a rock that big, you have to totally concentrate on it. All the other stuff going on in your life goes away."

Smalley rolls up his sleeves and shows the scratches and scars that can happen when he doesn't concentrate.

"If that rock falls on you, you get hurt," he says. "It's not risk-free."

But when things go right, the results are amazing. People driving down Highway 101 in south Encinitas have been known to hit their brakes and jump out of their cars with a camera to capture Smalley's work.

That's not a bad idea, considering that Smalley's work is not meant to last. Smalley balances large rocks in seemingly impossible formations on other rocks, and chances are they will not stay that way for long.

Smalley says he has seen the rocks stay up for as long as a week, but inevitably they will topple. Sometimes people walking by will deliberately nudge them, perhaps testing to see if there is some trick involved.

There isn't, other than Smalley's background in physics and geometry.

There must be three points on the tip of the rock being balanced, he explains, and the center of gravity must be placed precisely on the base he is stacking upon.

Sometimes Smalley will place a smaller rock on top to counterbalance the larger one, a trick that requires him to call out for an extra hand from anyone who might be passing by.

Small stacks of balanced rocks have become a common sight lately. But don't be fooled. Smalley says he usually waits until those lesser attempts have fallen before he goes to work because he does not want them to distract from his designs.

His versions stand out from the others fairly easily. For one thing, not everybody can lift the rocks Smalley uses.

"This one weighs at least 200 pounds," he says, looking over some snapshots of his work. "I like stacking that one a lot."

It also helps to be a weightlifter, he admits.

Smalley, a 30-year-old construction engineer, first saw somebody balancing rocks behind Seaport Village off San Diego Bay. But he didn't try it himself until he was camping on a surfing trip in Mexico and was looking for a way to pass the time when the waves were flat.

Smalley says he still stacks rocks when the waves are flat in Encinitas, but usually he plans his projects in advance, going out once every few weeks.

Other people who have perfected rock-balancing have found ways of cashing in on their skill. At least one person does inspirational talks at schools, and another accepts tips while working.

Smalley says his only reward comes from people passing by who say they enjoy his work.

"It's kind of a nice way of giving something back to the community."

Mother of war hero still deals with loss of son

By MARIA F. DURAND
San Antonio Express-News

EDINBURG, Texas - Twice a week, Dolia Gonzalez drives to the Freddy Gonzalez Elementary School, on a street of the same name, passing what soon will be a park also named in her son's honor.

Twenty-eight years have passed since Freddy Gonzalez gave his life in the fight for Hue City, Vietnam, but the people of this small border town remember their most-decorated war hero.

Dolia Gonzalez takes comfort in his legacy as a role model, but still she misses him.

"The pain never really goes away," she said. "It just gets easier to deal with."

The 21-year-old Medal of Honor winner died Feb. 4, 1968, while saving another Marine's life in one of the Vietnam War's fiercest battles.

For nearly three decades, his mother has mourned his loss among people who knew his heroism. Now, that sacrifice has become part of a broader military history.

The Navy recently commissioned the USS Gonzalez, a destroyer the Navy says is the first ever named for a Hispanic Texan.

"We are all very proud of what he did for our country," said Joe Ochoa, Edinburg's mayor. Ochoa traveled with Mrs. Gonzalez and other members of his family to Bath, Maine, earlier this year for the christening of the ship.

Gonzalez received posthumously the Medal of Honor, the Purple Heart and the Vietnam Service Medal with two bronze stars, among other awards.

"He was a hero's hero," said Jim Sullivan, one of Gonzalez's platoon members, who now lives in Pennsylvania. "I can say many guys in that group deserved the Medal of Honor, but you take the bravest thing any of those guys did and (Gonzalez's) actions were 10 to 15 times greater than that."

Gonzalez enlisted in the Marine Corps in San Antonio in 1965. Six months later, he began a tour in Vietnam as a rifleman and squad leader.

After his first stint ended, he returned to Edinburg to see his family and friends for what would be the last time.

"We were back from our first tour and he was trying to decide if he should go back," recalled J.J. Avila, one of Gonzalez's lifelong friends in Edinburg, who also had recently returned from Vietnam. "One day, he heard half of his old platoon had been blown away. That's when he said 'That does it. I'm going back.'"

This was a time when many young men were doing whatever they could to avoid the war. But to Gonzalez, going back became a matter of loyalty to his mates, Avila said.

Six month after he returned to Vietnam, now as a sergeant, his platoon was dispatched to Hue City.

"We hadn't been trained to fight in the city," platoon member Herbie Watkins said in a telephone interview from his home in New Hampshire. "We had learned to fight in the jungle."

Watkins was wounded a few hours before Gonzalez was slain.

The Marines were heavily outnumbered. As they moved into the city, Gonzalez's platoon was hit several times.

"The echoing of the tank fire was deafening," Watkins said. "The machine guns, the small hand guns, they all were very loud. It was very hair-raising. The enemy was everywhere."

Gonzalez successfully moved the platoon through enemy fire. Later, he ran through a fire-swept area to aid an injured soldier.

On the third day, Gonzalez was hit, but he refused medical treatment and kept fighting.

"He was the kind of guy who . . . was right there in the middle of everything," Sullivan said "He wouldn't tell you to do anything unless he would do it himself."

The Marines had set up in an abandoned school. While walking among his men near a window, he saw an enemy soldier taking aim at their position.

In an instant, he ran across the room, pushed two Marines out of the way, and took the fire himself. It killed him instantly.

"His death was a shock to all of us who had been there for only six to seven months," said Edward Nease of New Jersey, who was also in Gonzalez's platoon but was not in the building where he was shot.

Gonzalez was among 150 dead at the end of the 30-day battle.

When she accepted the folded American flag at her son's funeral, part of Dolia Gonzalez died too.

For most of her life her son had been the center of her world.

"We used to do everything together," she said as she brushed a few leaves from her son's headstone. "He would ask me, do you think we can afford this or at?"

She raised Gonzalez as a single parent working as a waitress.

As a teen, Gonzalez picked crops during summers and after football practice.

"Somehow, we always managed," she said.

But after his death she stopped eating, would sleep all day and refused to go out. At one point, the 5-foot-5-inch woman weighed 98 pounds.

"All I wanted to do was sleep, because in my dreams I was with Freddy and I was happy," she said.

Seven years after his death, during one of those incidents, Gonzalez dreamt that her son told her to stop worrying about him, that he was now in a safe place.

After that dream, Gonzalez began crawling out of her depression. She found solace in community service and in friends.

Every Monday for more than 10 years, Gonzalez has attended a group counseling session for parents who have lost sons or daughters. As parents tell the stories of their children's deaths, they look to Gonzalez as a source of solace.

"She has been an inspiration to all of us," said one of the parents.

Perhaps the most rewarding work for Gonzalez is the time she spends as a volunteer at Freddy Gonzalez Elementary, which was named in his honor in 1975.

"I am doing what he should be doing," Gonzalez said, explaining that her son would have become a coach or teacher.

When Gonzalez returned from his first tour, he promised his mother he would buy her a home on what was then the outskirts of town. Today the school sits in the area he loved so much.

"The children just love her, they call her mom or grandma," said Principal Maria Luisa Guerra. "Because of her and the Freddy Gonzalez name, I think a lot children take pride in the fact that they go to this school."

The men who fought with Gonzalez in Vietman, whom Gonzalez calls "my babies," only recently have become part of her life, but they have learned to admire her as much as they admired their sergeant.

"She is a wonderful person," Sullivan said. "When you think about what she has given over the years for what she has lost, there's another medal that should be given out to her."

For now, accepting her son's honors is enough for her.

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