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Peace officers not eligible for fund

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

Victims of violent crimes and their families are eligible to receive reimbursement of certain expenses through the Texas Crime Victims' Compensation Program.

However, "any peace officer, firefighter, lifeguard or any other individual whose employment includes the duty to protect the public safety acting within the course and scope of the individual's employment" cannot apply for this compensation, according to Article 56 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

"No law enforcement officer is eligible for this compensation because they usually have other means, such as life insurance, to pay for these expenses," commented Sonya Sanchez, public information officer with the Attorney General's office who sponsors the program. This also means the family members of those listed in Article 56 are not eligible for assistance either.

The fund is regarded as a "last resort" when someone's health or life insurance, sick leave paid by employer, disability insurance, workers compensation benefits, social security and/or Medicare or Medicaid does not pay for the expenses.

Reimbursement for property damage or loss is not an eligible expense. The fund may provide compensation for reasonable medical, counseling, prescription and rehabilitation expenses; certain funeral expenses; partial loss of earnings and support; child care to enable a victim or spouse to continue employment and reasonable attorney fees for assistance in filing the application and in obtaining benefits, if the claim is approved.

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>
> **Sonya Sanchez**

If eyeglasses, hearing aids, dentures or prosthetic devices are lost, damaged or needed as result of the crime, a person can be reimbursed for those expenses.

As defined in a pamphlet from the Attorney General's Office those who can qualify for compensation are:

•An innocent victim of a violent crime who suffers personal injury

•The surviving spouse or children of a deceased victim

•A person who legally assumes the obligations or voluntarily pays the medical or burial expenses of a deceased victim

•A deceased victim's immediate family member who requires counseling and who resided in the same household as the deceased

•An immediate family member who resides in the same household as a victim under the age of 17 and who requires counseling because of the crime

Those who cannot qualify, according to the pamphlet, are:

•A victim whose own misconduct contributed to the crime; in such cases, benefits may be reduced or denied

•A victim who knowingly and willingly participated in the criminally injurious conduct

•The offender and/or an accomplice, or anyone whose award would unjustly enrich

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

Steven McDaniel holds Cordelia while a large line of animals and owners wait outside the Howard County Fairbarns Saturday during a rabies clinic. Many people had to wait over an hour before their pets could be seen.

Turnout for rabies clinic surpising

■ *Rabid foxes prompt clinic*

By BARBARA MORRISON
Staff Writer

It was indeed another kind of dog show.

The scene was the Howard County fairbarn and the event was the rabies vaccination clinic hosted by the Big Spring Animal Control Committee. The clinic was staged Saturday in response to two confirmed cases of rabies in wild foxes.

The clinic brought some unexpected results.

"I didn't have any idea this many people and their animals would turn out," said Sierra Animal Clinic veterinarian Dr. Neal Tindol. "I hope I don't run out of stuff."

Tindol moved quickly, vaccinating the hundreds of cats and dogs who arrived. Big Spring resident Rhonda Green waited more than an hour to have her two dogs vaccinated against Rabies.

"I brought my two pedigree mutts because I think it's really worth it," Green said. "I keep my dogs in the yard all the time but I have kids. It's scary with everything in the news about rabies."

Information from the Texas Department of Health states: rabies is a disease to which all men and mammals are susceptible to and it is almost always

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Grant helps to fix homes of families in lower income bracket

■ Program's purpose is to provide safe, decent housing

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Within the next few weeks, low income Big Spring residents will be able to participate in the city's Homeowner Rehabilitation Program thanks to a $208,000 grant from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

TDHCA's program is called the HOME Program and Big Spring's purpose in participating in the program is to provide financial assistance for decent, safe, and sanitary housing for low and very low income residents for the rehabilitation of existing structures to a condition which brings the structures into compliance with HUD's Section 8 Housing Quality Standards.

Kay Howard of Lubbock-based A.K. Howard Consultants was hired by the city to assist in the application process, which began in 1993.

The city was approved for a TDHCA grant in July 1994.

Big Spring Personnel Director Emma Bogard said the city will soon begin advertising the program and will also have a public hearing so that residents can ask questions and gain a better understanding of the program.

Once the program is operational, a rehabilitation specialist will administer the components of the program such as take applications, verify eligibility, inspect substandard housing; prepare work write-ups, cost estimates for necessary improvements, construction documents and contracts for the rehabilitation project, and make interim and final inspections of construction work.

Guidelines for the program have been completed by the Housing Rehabilitation Task Force and eligibility requirements are as follows:

•An applicant must be an individual or family who owns and occupies a single family residential unit with the city of Big Spring. An applicant will be considered the owner if he/she is the "owner of record" on the books at the County Courthouse; or possesses a life estate which has been, or may be, filed for record at the County Clerk's office.

•The owner-occupied structure must be located in the designated target area as provided in the city's application.

•Since HOME funds are intended to serve low and very low income residents or hardship cases who have no other

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County, city show slight increase in unemployment rates

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Unemployment figures for the month of December have been released and Howard County and the city of Big Spring saw slight increases in their unemployment rates from November.

In November, the civilian labor force for Howard County was 14,233 with a total employment figure of 13,569, leaving 664 people unemployed for a rate of 4.7 percent.

December figures show the county's civilian labor force at 14,070 with a total employment figure of 13,370, leaving 700 people unemployed for a rate of 5.0 percent.

City of Big Spring had a civilian labor force of 9,794 in November and a total employment figure of 9,284, leaving 510 people unemployed for a rate of 5.2 percent.

December figures for Big Spring show a civilian labor force of 9,686 for a total employment figure of 9,148, leaving 5.6 percent of the labor force unemployed.

Figures from one year ago show Howard County had an unemployment rate of 4.2 percent and Big Spring stood at 4.6 percent.

Statewide, figures show Texas' unemployment figure jumped from 5.6 percent in November to 5.8 percent in December.

Locally, the Odessa-Midland Metropolitan Statistical Area, which does include the Howard County/Big Spring area, as a region, remained unchanged from the month of November, showing an unemployment rate of 6.3 percent.

According to Texas Employ

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Texas Trivia

Who was the Most Valuable Player of Super Bowl V?

Chuck Howley

The official name of the Astrodome is?

Harris County Domed Stadium

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Nation: For Norell Sanders, life often seems a cruel waiting game. Each year, she hopes to learn the fate of her missing daughter; each year, she grows more convinced one man behind bars holds the key. See page 3A.

World: The thought still haunts Mel Mermelstein. On this visit to Auschwitz-Birkenau, it brought the 68-year-old man to tears. See page 8A.



STATE

Evicted again

First forced out of makeshift homes beneath a freeway ramp, dozens of homeless people now face eviction from city-sponsored apartments they received eight months ago. See page 6A.

Given life sentence

A 23-year-old man has been sentenced to life in prison for beating up a man, stealing his car and then driving over him three times so he wouldn't report the assault to police. See page 6A.

Trading guns for paint

Some San Antonio youth gangs are passing up guns and picking up spray paint. See page 6A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Today



54 ▲ Highs / Lows ▼ 35

Partly cloudy

Today, partly cloudy, cooler, high lower 50s, northwest winds 10 to 15 mph; partly cloudy night, low lower 30s.

Tonight



Permian Basin Forecast

Monday: Partly cloudy, cooler, high lower 50s, northwest 10 to 15 mph; partly cloudy night, low lower 30s.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy, cooler, high lower 50s, northwest to north winds 10 to 15 mph; partly cloudy.

JAN 29 1995

OBITUARIES

Camilo Noyola

Camilo Noyola, 77 of Runge and formerly of Big Spring, died Jan. 26 at his residence. Rosary services will be at 7 p.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Rev. Robert Vreteau, pastor of St. Thomas Catholic Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

He was born on July 15, 1917 in Yorktown and married Paulina Villanueva on May 22, 1985. Mr. Noyola was a retired farmer and moved to Karnes County from Big Spring in 1985. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served during World War II. He was a member of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

Mr. Noyola was preceded in death by his parents, Miguel and Fidela Noyola; one son, Rufino Noyola; one daughter, Anita Noyola; his first wife Dora Noyola; two brothers, Paublo and Geronimo Noyola; and two sisters, Bridgeda Benevides and Ranulfa Amerjorado.

Survivors include his wife, Paulina Noyola of Runge; five daughters, Irma Torres of Houston, Sofia Villarreal and Diana Martinez of Victoria; Erminia Camacho of Haltom City and Patricia Urias of Dallas; five sons: Perfecto Caudillo, Jr. of Midland, Noe Noyola of Corpus Christi, David Noyola of Chicago, Franki Noyola-Izquierdo of Elmhurst, N.Y. and Armando Noyola of Irving; two brothers, Trinidad Noyola of Corpus Christi and Benny Noyola of Grand Prairie; three sisters, Rosa Tamez, Francisca Garza and Chepa Garcia of Corpus Christi.

Additional survivors include two step-sons, Juan Soto and Carlos Soto; seven step-daughters, Maria Alvarez, Gracie Salas, Clara Vasquez, Georgia Leal, Rose Garza, Sandy Bondch and Susan Reyes. He is also survived by 28 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

MYERS & SMITH
FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL
24th & Johnson 267-8288

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel
906 GREGG
BIG SPRING

Camilo Noyola, 77, died Thursday in Runge, Texas. Rosary Services will be at 7:00 P.M. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral Services will be held at 10:00 A.M. Tuesday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

RITZ
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Macauley Culkin in
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Meg Ryan & Tim Robbins in PG
I.Q.
7:10 9:20 Sat. & Sun. Mat. 2:10 4:20
All shows before 6 pm "2"
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In stereo 1:30-4:00-7:25
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Increase

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ment Commission, the labor force tends to swell at this time of year as seasonal jobseekers enter the labor force. Most seasonal hiring was done in November, resulting in little change for December.

Total employment from a year ago, for the region, increased by 1,200 people, but total unemployment remained unchanged.

TEC says the local region has seen that growth has brought more into the labor force as more jobs have been made available through new stores opening and from other expansions. The TEC added that more people continue to enter the work force as local employment conditions continue to improve.

According to the TEC, final conclusions about the 1994 labor market must await the December establishment (employment by industry) estimates and the revisions for the entire year, but current evidence indicates 1994 was the strongest year in some time for both Texas and U.S. labor markets.

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the offender or accomplice

•Anyone injured in a motor vehicle accident unless the driver intentionally caused the injury, was driving while intoxicated or failed to stop and render aid

•Anyone who was incarcerated in a penal institution when the crime occurred

The pamphlet can be misleading because it does not state anywhere that a peace officer, lifeguard, firefighter or even a jailer cannot apply for this program. Only when a person reads Article 56 outlining the program in its entirety does one find out this information.

The program is funded by convicted criminal offenders when they pay court costs such as $45 for felony convictions, $35 on Class B misdemeanor and municipal ordinance convictions (fines of over $200) and $15 for Class C misdemeanor and municipal ordinance convictions (fines of $200 or less) excluding parking and pedestrian violations.

Revenue also comes from restitution, subrogation, donations and monthly supervisory fees paid by parolees.

Clinic

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fatal. Rabies is transmitted by an infected animal's biting or licking.

The disease affects the central nervous system and may take anywhere from 10 days to a year to develop. Rabies infection is detected by laboratory examination of the animal's brain tissue.

"I brought my dogs because if they got bitten, I didn't want their heads cut off," Green said.

More than 1 million people are bitten each year in the United States. About 30,000 require anti-rabies treatment.

Katherine Cline brought three cats because the clinic was "a lot less expensive than taking them to the vet. I live out in the county and we have a lot of skunks out in that area."

Tindol warned pet owners against using the clinic as a replacement for complete pet care.

"Animals need more than this," Tindol said referring to the shots. "They need full examinations. They need a doctor to check their eyes, their ears and their hearts. Owners need education on heart worms and parasites."

Margaret Lloyd is a board member for the Howard County Humane Society.

"This clinic is not a replacement for pet care. That's not its purpose," Lloyd said. "This is the way we wiped out polio. Back then, we didn't give the kids complete examinations, we gave them pink medicine in little pink cups. But we got rid of polio.

"We're fighting rabies, here," Lloyd added. "We're not trying to fight every other disease an animal may have. This is a rabies emergency we're in now and that's what we're dealing with."

Program

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means of financing repair or improvements, such funds shall not be available to any owner-occupants who have substantial financial resources available.

•To qualify for assistance, the income of the applicant shall not exceed HUD Section 8 income limits. All income by any family member 18 years of age or older who reside in the dwelling unit of the applicant shall be counted as part of the applicant's income provided such person has a security interest in the property.

HUD Section 8 income standards (limits) are: one person, $1,488 per month or $17,850 per year; two people, $1,700 per month or $20,400 per year; three people, $1,913 per month or $22,950 per year; four people, $2,125 per month or $25,550 per year; five people, $2,296 per month or $27,550 per year; six people, $2,467 per month or $29,600 per year; seven people, $2,638 per month or $31,650 per year; and for eight people, $2,809 per month or $33,700 per year.

•An applicant must be a resident of the designated target area, in the city of Big Spring, for at least five years.

•Prior to receiving an award for assistance, all property taxes shall not be delinquent more than two tax years unless an agreement for repayment of such taxes has been executed between the applicant and taxing entities. Or, the property owner must have qualified and received the tax deferral or exemption as allowed under Section 33.06 of the Texas Property Tax Code.

•No member of the governing body of the city and no other official, employee or agent of the city who exercises policy or decision-making functions or responsibilities in connection with the planning and implementation of the HOME Program shall be eligible for rehabilitation assistance.

According to the guidelines established by the Housing Rehabilitation Task Force, once an applicant has met program qualifications, he/she will be eligible to receive assistance in the amount necessary to bring the property up to HUD's Section 8 Existing Quality Standards; provided the necessary amount does not exceed $20,000.

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ON THE RUN — Big Spring

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents during a time period from 8 a.m. Friday to 1 p.m. Saturday:

•**TONY FUENTES**, 27 of 209 E. 6th St., was arrested for driving with a suspended license. He was transported to the county jail where he was released after posting a $1,500 bond.

•**MICHAEL A. MILLER**, 32 of Western Hills #61, was arrested for 2 counts of possession of marijuana. He was transported to the county jail where he was released after posting two $1,500 bonds.

•**DAVID FRANK MORGAN**, 38 of 3613 Calvin, was arrested for driving while intoxicated. He was transported to the county jail where he was released after posting a $1,500 bond.

•**JASON MICHAEL MUNDELL**, 17 of 1502 E. 6th St., was arrested for criminal mischief over $800. He was transported to the county where he was released after posting a $500 bond.

•**REYNALDO HERNANDEZ, SR.**, 38 of 1502 Bluebird, was arrested for outstanding local warrants.

•**STEVEN G. HILDEBRAND**, 26 of 1510 Nolan, was arrested for public intoxication.

•**ARLENE H. RANGEL**, 29 of 1102 Runnels, was arrested for outstanding local warrants.

•**MICHAEL A. MILLER**, 32 of 2911 Hills, was arrested for an outstanding county warrant.

•**DISTURBANCE/FIGHTS** in the 1500 block of Bluebird, 800 block of W. I-20, 1400 block of Bluebird, 1400 block of Wood, 2900 block of W. 11th Pl., 200 block of N. Goliad and 200 block of E. 10th St.

•**LOUD PARTIES** in the 1400 block of Bluebird, 1300 block of Kindle and 1000 block of Goliad.

•**INTOXICATED DRIVERS** receiving a verbal warning in the 900 block of W. 4th St., 400 block of Gregg St., and at 4th and Johnson.

•**WELFARE CONCERNS** in the 1900 block of E. 11th and the 1500 block of Cole.

•**THEFTS** in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa, 4800 block of W. 80, 1100 block of Nolan, 1700 block of Marcy and the 800 block of E. I-20.

•**AGGRAVATED ASSAULT** in the 900 block of Aylesford.

•**DRAG RACING** in the 2300 block of Wasson and at 25th and Birdwell.

•**DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES** in the 800 block of I-20, the 2500 block of Gunter, 1400 block of Wood and the 500 block of E. 13th.

•**ASSAULT/FAMILY VIOLENCE** in the 1900 block of Wasson Rd.

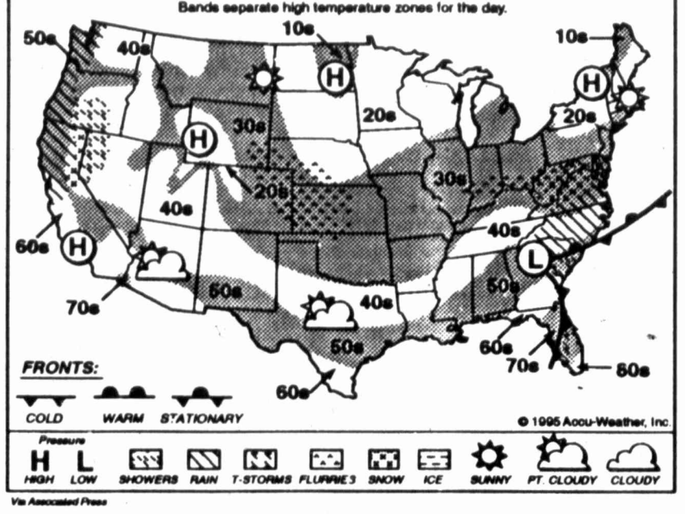
•**ASSAULT** in the 900 block of Goliad.

•**BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** in the 500 block of FM 700 and the 500 block of S. Birdwell.

NATIONAL Weather

The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Sunday, Jan. 29.

Bands separate high temperature zones for the day.



Via Associated Press

NATIONAL SUMMARY:
A slow-moving storm will produce a variety of weather across the mid-Atlantic and Southeast tomorrow. A band of accumulating snow will whiten northern Virginia and southern Maryland and Delaware. Farther south, rain will dampen the Carolinas, while showers and thunderstorms advance across Florida. Elsewhere, lingering snow will persist in the western Plains, while more rain soaks northern California.

DID YOU WIN? LOTTO: 5, 21, 22, 33, 43, 44
PICK 3: 4, 7, 4

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** in the 500 block of Westover.

•**FORGERY** in the 1700 block of Gregg St.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents during a time period from 8 a.m. Friday to 1 p.m. Saturday:

•**BETTY D. CUNNINGHAM**, 42 of 1200 Austin St., pled guilty for driving while license was suspended and revocation of probation. She was sentenced to 15 days in jail and paid $405 in fines and court costs. She was transferred to Mitchell County.

•**MATTHEW G. HILGER**, 21 of HC 76 Box 2B, was found guilty of resisting arrest and was sentenced to 8 days in the county jail and must pay $400 in fines and court costs.

•**ROBERT DELGADO**, 36 no address given, was found guilty of driving while license was suspended, second offense. He was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail. He was released for time served and was ordered to pay $710 in fines and court costs.

•**MICHAEL ROBERT BOLTE**, 43 of 435 Hillside, was found guilty of possession of marijuana under two ounces and was sentenced to ten days in the county jail and ordered to pay $500 in fines and court costs.

•**DICK CHARLES NICHOLS**, 56 of HC 76 Box 306, received a probated judgment for his second offense of driving while intoxicated. He pled guilty and was sentenced to four days in the county jail. He was ordered to pay $835 in fines and court costs and was released for time served.

•**PETE SALAZAR, JR.**, 30 of 1406 Stadium, received a judgment for possession of marijuana under two ounces. He laid out his fines for five days in jail and was released.

•**GILBERT HERNANDEZ**, 30 of 1203 Stanford, pled guilty to his second offense of driving while intoxicated. He was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail and ordered to pay fines and court costs of $1,270.

•**JOHNNY RUEDA**, 38 of 1105 W. 5th, received a judgment for driving while license was suspended. He was sentenced to 15 days in the county jail and ordered to pay $305 in fines and court costs.

•**RODOLPHO OLIVAS**, 27 of 1103 Lamar, received a judgment for driving while license was suspended. He was sentenced to 10 days in the county jail.

•**KEVIN BRUCE SNEED**, age and address unavailable, surrendered himself on a grand jury indictment for indecency with a child. He was released on a $10,000 bond.

FIRE

The Big Spring Fire Department reported the following incidents during a time period from 8 a.m. Monday to 8 a.m. Friday:

•**INVESTIGATION** of controlled burn in the 500 block of West Third.

•**STRUCTURE FIRE** in the 1300 block of Kendall. The fire was out on arrival and a child told firefighters she was playing with a lighter.

•**SMOKE DETECTOR ACTIVATED** in the 3300 block of Drexel. A humidifier malfunctioned and set off the alarm.

SPRINGBOARD

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

TODAY

•St. Thomas Catholic Church offers bingo at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. Lic. #3-00-786055-1.

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

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

•The Birdwell Lane Baptist Church will hold a Fifth Sunday "Singing Celebration" at 2 p.m.

MONDAY

•"Single-Minded," unmarried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868.

•Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6:30 p.m. Weigh-in, 6 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Call 263-1340 or 263-8633.

•Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241.

•Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center. Call 267-6764.

•Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

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

•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting, 615 Settles.

TUESDAY

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

•Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.

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

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

•Pastoral counseling by Samaritan Counseling Center, First Christian Church, 10th and Goliad. For appointment call 1-800-329-4144.

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

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

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

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

•Free pulse oxygen reading, 5 p.m., Family Home Health Equipment, located in the College Park Shopping Center. Call Jana Cordes, 394-4929.

WEDNESDAY

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

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

•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12 study.

•West Texas Legal Service offers legal help on civil matters for those unable to afford their own attorney, Northside Community Center. Call 1-686-0647.

THURSDAY

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

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A test of wills

Man spends 7 years in jail for refusing to tell where his daughter is

By SHARON COHEN
Associated Press Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — For Norell Sanders, life often seems a cruel waiting game. Each year, she hopes to learn the fate of her missing daughter; each year, she grows more convinced one man behind bars holds the key.

That man, the girl's father, snatched Deborah after the unwed couple quarreled a decade ago. Odell Sheppard claims he returned the girl, then almost 2 years old, to her mother. She says he didn't. And the courts believe her.

They ordered him jailed and issued an ultimatum: Tell us where the child is and you can go free.

Sheppard insists he doesn't know Deborah's whereabouts and so, for more than seven years, he has languished in Cook County Jail — not for a crime, but for what some legal experts believe is the longest civil contempt jailing ever in the United States.

He sits in jail with his silence; the girl's mother sits at home with her anxiety. And the test of wills goes on: Odell Sheppard's latest appeal recently was rejected — and Norell Sanders just keeps waiting.

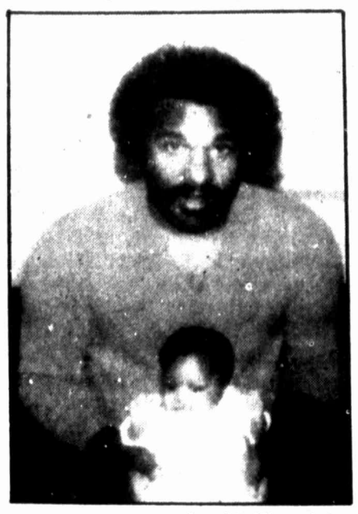
"Eventually something has to break, something has to give," she says, her voice rising with hope. "I'm not giving up."

"That was my daughter," she adds, her small frame coiled over a table at the noisy fast-food restaurant where she works. "You just can't abandon your child. You just can't walk away not knowing what happened to her."

Sanders vs. Sheppard is one of a growing number of domestic cases involving civil contempt charges — most notably the two-year jailing of Elizabeth Morgan, a Washington, D.C., doctor who refused to disclose the whereabouts of her daughter, who she claimed had been sexually abused by her ex-husband.

Civil contempt often is used to force reluctant witnesses to testify before a grand jury — organized crime cases, for instance — but the witnesses usually are released once the panel ends its session.

Locking someone up for civil contempt is justified as long at it is considered coercive and not punishment.



Associated Press photo

Odell Sheppard holds his daughter, Deborah Sanders, in a photo released in 1984. Deborah has been missing since 1984 after Sheppard took her during a quarrel with her mother, Norell Sanders.

The courts believe more time in jail will induce Sheppard to talk, but his attorney says it doesn't even matter what his client knows at this point.

"The law of contempt is clear," says the attorney, Steven Glink. "If an individual cannot comply or will not comply, the incarceration has no coercive effect. They have to let him go. It's a violation of due process. ..., They're just using the system to break the guy down or punish him."

Other legal experts say depriving Sheppard of his freedom for so long is an abuse of judicial power because he never has been charged with a crime or had a trial.

"It's a dirty rotten trick. This is life on the installment plan," says Al Alschuler, a University of Chicago law professor. "It's a way of doing an end run around the Bill of Rights."

But others say contempt and jail are necessary tools the courts need in exceptional cases.

"Having a finite, discrete period of time in a life-threatening situation is self-defeating," says Mitchell Mirviss, a Baltimore attorney representing a child in a similar case fought up to the U.S. Supreme Court.

In 1990, the high court ruled in that case that the mother could be held indefinitely until she discloses the whereabouts of her son, who had once been removed from her care after allegations of severe abuse.

Unlike Sheppard, the mother, jailed since 1988, has invoked her Fifth Amendment privilege and never denied knowing where her son was, Mirviss says.

Elizabeth Morgan also didn't deny knowing her daughter's whereabouts. The doctor was freed in 1989 after President Bush signed a specially tailored bill that limited contempt of court jailings in District of Columbia cases.

Norell Sanders has no high-profile champions.

Though the 43-year-old mother of four has won all her legal battles, she still doesn't know what became of Deborah, the wide-eyed little girl who could outrun her as a toddler — and would now be 12.

"I know there's that reality that she could be dead," she says. "You keep hoping, hoping for the best. ... If she's dead, I want to know. If she's alive, I want to know."

Ms. Sanders is convinced the truth will lead to Sheppard, the 48-year-old man she had a relationship with but didn't live with or marry.

"I don't think anybody can do anything and keep it a secret forever," she says. "If he's hiding her, somebody knows that. And if he killed her, somebody knows that."

Deborah disappeared Sept. 29, 1984, weeks before her second birthday, according to her mother, who says Sheppard came to her apartment, that the two argued and struggled over the child, and that he then grabbed the toddler.

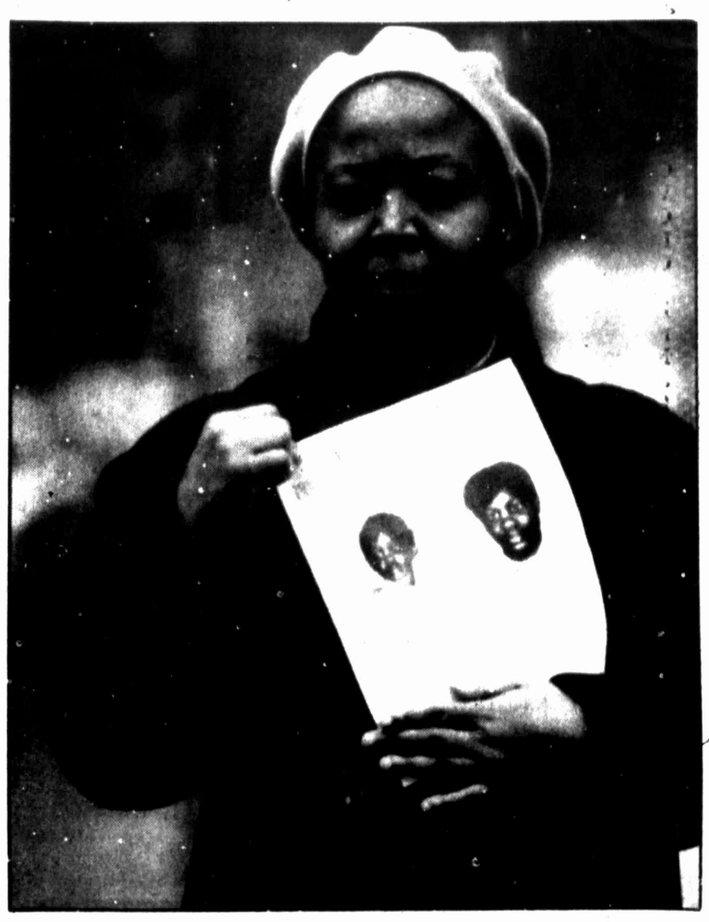
Shortly after, court records show, she was allowed to talk to Deborah once on the phone, then Sheppard called and warned her she would see the child next in a "pine box."

Sheppard says he returned Deborah that December. But Ms. Sanders' relatives testified they never saw her following her abduction.

Sheppard was convicted of child abduction — he says he took the child to a family funeral in Tennessee — and was freed Oct. 6, 1987, after serving about half of a three-year sentence. Three days later, when ordered to return to court with the child, he came alone. He was jailed.

Mrs. Sanders thought he would crack.

When he didn't, she became a woman obsessed, appearing on talk shows, calling the police so often they recognized her voice, chatting with missing children's groups, buttonholing politicians and never, she says with her eyes crinkling into a soft smile, taking no for an answer.



Associated Press photo

Norell Sanders holds a missing-child poster of her daughter, Deborah, in Chicago. Deborah has been missing since her father, Odell Sheppard, snatched her after the unwed couple quarreled a decade ago. He has spent seven years in prison for contempt of court after refusing to say where the child is.

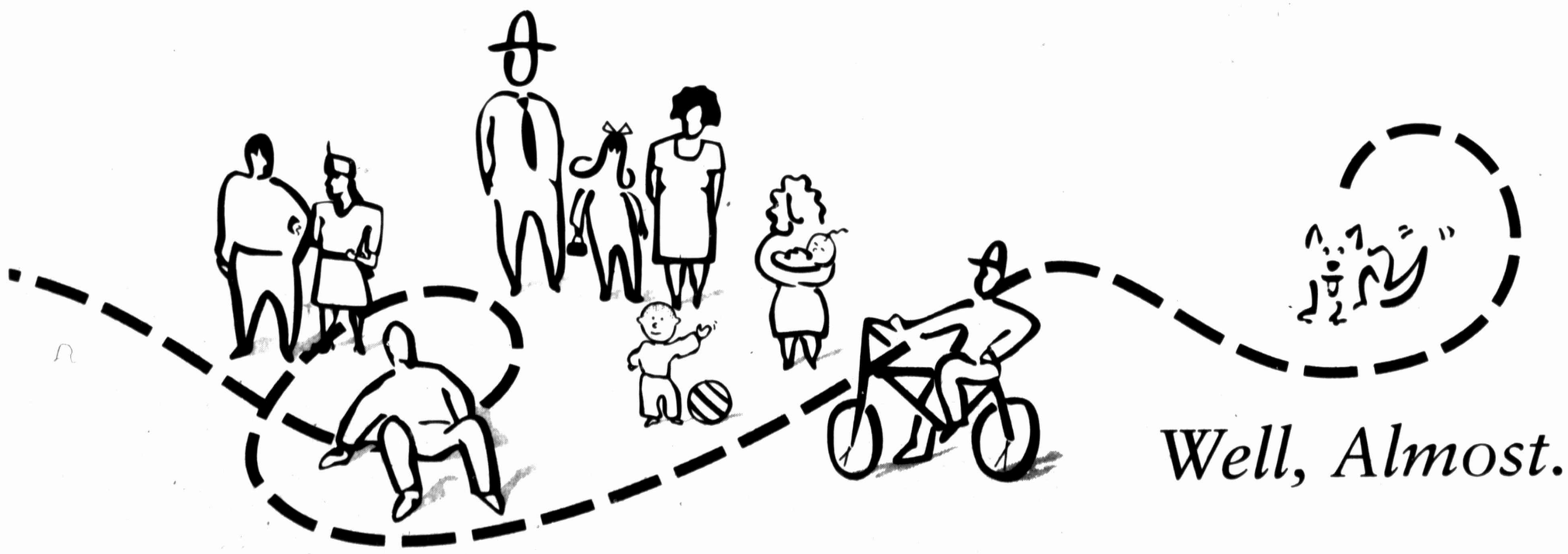
"I used to be on the edge," she says. "I'd live it, eat it, sleep it. I worried ... does she have food? Is she cold? I couldn't control those things so I had to give up thinking about them."

Sheppard's attorney, Glink, calls it "a case of one person's word against another." But Ms. Sanders' attorney, Joan Colen, notes that two judges have deemed Sheppard a witness lacking credibility.

"The issue is no longer who's telling the truth," she says.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"Freedom comes at a hell of a price. It is not guaranteed. It is fragile. It must be constantly championed and defended."

Allen H. Neuharth, chairman The Freedom Forum, 1994

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THADEUS & WEEZ

by Charles Pugsley Fincher



Those who 'protect and serve' can't become victims?

Right or wrong, Texas Crime Victims' Compensation Program does not cover those whose job it is to protect the public.

The reasoning given by the Texas Attorney General's Office, sponsor of the fund, is firefighters, lifeguards or police officers have other means to pay for expenses.

There are others who are exempted from receiving benefits from the fund such as an accomplice, someone whose own misconduct contributed to the crime, someone who willingly participated in the conduct. However, the families of those who protect us shouldn't be exempt.

While insurance is often provided as a benefit through the city, often it isn't enough. And, how much the person has depends on expenses and needs, such as having several dependents.

It seems strange that lifeguards, firefighters and police officers can't be considered victims of crime.

Say a firefighter dies while fighting a blaze, as four did in Seattle, Wash., when they were trapped in the basement of a burning building. The cause was arson - a crime. Are they not victims, then, of a crime, even if it is their job to serve and protect?

The same could be said for any police officer shot in the line of duty.

If this is appalling to you, write your state congressman about getting the law changed.

After all, it is court costs paid by the offenders that fund this program. Shouldn't some of it go to those left behind when those whose job it is to protect the public die doing their job?

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Letters to the Editor

Extra mile reason for living here

Editor;

I, along with many of other residents of Howard County, have been asked "Why do you live there?" This question was answered today, Jan. 24, 1995, by a number of people.

My eighth grade daughter suddenly became ill at school. I was immediately notified by the attentive Forsan School personnel that she needed medical attention.

After I arrived at the school and saw her condition, I frantically made a call to Dr. John Farquhar's office. I was asked "how soon" I could get there with her. In less than 15 minutes, she was in an exam room and treatment was implemented.

With one telephone call, Dr. Farquhar arranged for further treatment at the Emergency Room at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Upon our arrival there, the nursing staff were awaiting with IVs and additional medication.

After treatment at the hospital and arriving home, we received follow-up phone calls from various personnel at the hospital and other friends who had heard of her sudden illness.

During the time frame I was involved with my daughter, I was scheduled with Grady Walker Butane to move a Butane tank. The personnel that arrived at the scheduled time, could just have easily left since I was unavailable to assist as scheduled. Instead, they went an extra mile, took the time to inquire about what was needed, and completed the task that was needed.

The genuine concern for my daughter shown by FISD, Dr. John Farquhar and his staff, Scenic Mountain Medical Center's staff, friends and the "can-do" attitude of Grady Walker's personnel, answered the question "why I choose to live in Big Spring and Howard County."

Jimmy Wallace
Big Spring

Letters welcomed

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Federal cops coming under fire

WASHINGTON CALLING

WASHINGTON — Booming fourth quarter economy makes another boost in short-term interest rates a given: Question now is whether the stage is set for a second hike later in the year.

Although rates were increased six times last year, the Federal Reserve still sees inflation shadows everywhere.

There are signs the economy will slow — inventories are way up, for example — but the 4.5 percent growth rate in the fourth quarter of 1994 is sure to give Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan and other inflation hawks the ammunition needed to raise rates when the Fed open market committee meets Tuesday and Wednesday.

Consensus among economists — a one-half percent hike now and another half-percent this spring. Much beyond that and the Fed risks dragging the economy into recession.

The economy grew 4 percent last year, much higher than the 2.5 percent rate the Fed considers non-inflationary.

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The first bill passed by the Republican-controlled Congress — a law applying federal workplace laws to Congress — may make it illegal for the GOP to fire Democratic patronage employees such as elevator operators, doormen and clerks.

Labor law experts caution the law is hazy, but they think fired employees who were not in policy-making jobs may be protected from a Republican housecleaning.

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New Republican motto showing up on the desks of many GOP House members: "DWYSYD." Translation: "Do What You Said You'd Do."

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House Republicans move ahead rapidly on a line item veto bill that would allow the president to "rescind" any spending item in an appropriations bill.

If a majority of Congress doesn't act within 20 days, the cut would go through. If Congress acts,, the president could resubmit the cuts, after which a two-thirds majority would be required to override.

For their part, Democrats are miffed that the veto applies only to spending items, not pricey tax breaks.

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NEWSMAKER: House Rules Committee Chairman Gerald B.H. Solomon is the man in charge of making the Contract With America train run on time.

BACKGROUND: Solomon, 54, former New York insurance executive and veteran state and federal lawmaker, bristled under Democratic restrictions on House floor debate during first 16 years in Congress. As senior GOP member of panel that sets terms for consideration of each bill, he complained bitterly about each and every slight under Speaker Tom Foley.

Solomon recently ran afoul of Congressional Black Caucus for installing portrait of segregationist former chairman in committee room. Quelled uproar by replacing portrait with one of Ronald Reagan.

OUTLOOK: Democratic war-by-amendment strategy will make it difficult for Solomon to fulfill GOP pledge of more open House. Look for Solomon to nix fairness pledge, set strict two-day time limit on most bills between now and April.

PERSONAL: Solomon quit college to join Marines on outbreak of Korean War, has been staunch anti-Communist, provet, and foreign policy expert in House. Married, five children.

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An unholy alliance between conservative groups like the National Rifle Association and liberal ones like the American Civil Liberties Union is being forged to protest federal law enforcement tactics.

Critics on the right accused the Feds of violating civil liberties in the Branch Davidian siege and the shootout with white supremacists in Idaho. From the left come salvos accusing drug agents of killing a partially blind man during a botched raid that found no drugs, and blasts against the FBI for allegedly entrapping a daughter of Malcolm X in a plot to assassinate black separatist Louis Farrahkhan.

Representatives of 10 groups met with a top Justice Department official recently to complain. The coalition is enlisting members of Congress to help.

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Also on the law enforcement front: Capitol Police are bracing for new rounds of civil disobedience as Republicans press ahead with their conservative agenda. Protests and marches are regular events on Capitol Hill, but they are generally kept outside. Lately, some groups have carried their protests into congressional hallways and committee rooms and police suspect more is in store.

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Among the winners in the Republican sweep in November was the National Collegiate Athletic Association. The governing body of college sports had been advertising for a D.C. lobbyist before the GOP wipeout. A few resumes came in, but after the election the NCAA received nearly 400 more.

The NCAA, which has been vigorously fighting any government interference in college athletics, hopes to have its new office open by March 1.

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TV broadcaster Pat Buchanan apparently has decided to run for president again in 1996. Buchanan, who got 37.5 percent of the vote against President George Bush as a protest candidate in the 1992 New Hampshire primary, has hired a staff to organize his efforts in the Granite State.

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George White's 23-year tenure as architect of the Capitol is about to end. Democratic liberals have been sniping at him for years on grounds he doesn't hire women and minorities, while Republicans accuse him of presiding over a Capitol Hill land grab. Now lawmakers from both parities say the 74-year-old White probably will be forced into retirement when his term expires later this year.

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Applauding loudest when President Clinton called for an increase in the $4.25 an hour minimum wage during his State of the Union address were the congressional pages lining the back of the House chamber.

The pay rates are not strictly comparable because the high school-age pages are on a stipend, which covers room, board, tuition and spending money.

But, if you calculate the pages' pay the way the House clerk's office does, it comes to $34.25 a day, just a quarter — 25 cents that is — more than the minimum wage.

Washington Calling is a weekly size-up by the Washington staff of Scripps Howard News Service.

Looking for some tolerance



DD Turner
Managing Editor

Saturday was the 50th anniversary of the liberation of the death camp Auschwitz by Soviet troops.

Auschwitz is a study in intolerance. All the death camps were. More than 50 million people were put to death for no better reason than they were Jewish.

I had thought the world had learned something about intolerance from the horrifying images of the death camps. I am learning, not only have we not learned tolerance, we have become even more intolerant.

Intolerance, as defined by Webster's Dictionary, is being unwilling to grant equal freedom of expression, especially in religious matters; and unwilling to grant or share social, political or professional rights.

Let's look at the garbage on Capitol Hill. We all thought everything would be different with the Republicans in charge, now didn't we? Things haven't changed, except that the Democrats look like the whiners now.

However, nothing has changed with the new leaders on the Hill. The infighting is still going on, especially along party lines.

Now, wouldn't it be in our best interest - both Republican and Democratic - if our elected officials could learn to work together, not against each other?

That's where tolerance comes in. Each man and woman on Capital Hill has a different opinion of how things should be, even within the same party. But, tolerance of the other person's views and a willingness to work toward a goal that would be beneficial to all of us should be their first priority.

It's not. Because they haven't learned the first thing about tolerance, as we haven't, because we continue to tacitly approve of what they do up there.

More often than not, we are intolerant when people don't believe as we do - whether it is politics, religion or what football team is the best.

I am a big Trekkie and one the main things I ever got from watching or reading about Star Trek was tolerance. The Vulcan philosophy of "Infinite Diversity in Infinite Combinations" is a philosophy of tolerance and strength.

We are stronger for having to deal with differences. One of several things can happen when we ask questions of ourselves, delve into the reasons why we believe as we do: We gain a new piece of knowledge, are strengthened in our beliefs or accept a new one.

Tolerance isn't about right and wrong, it is about understanding that the right you have to believe in something is extended to the other.

We simply are a country of many nationalities, races, colors, creeds and religions coming under the heading of American. Tolerance was written into the Constitution, in the Bill of Rights.

We should want to learn all we can about things different from us, not so we can get on a soapbox and preach about how evil it is because it doesn't go along with our beliefs, but because knowledge and understanding is power.

I know most of you won't believe this, but I was raised in an organized religion from the time I was born until the time I decided it wasn't for me. It was a strict religion and a rather intolerant one.

One of the tenets taught, this may be true of all but I am not sure, is that only members of this church were going to heaven.

You know how you get to that questioning stage - the one where you question everything. So I questioned that precept. I asked my Mom if God would really not take into heaven people who did what the Bible commanded but weren't members of this particular church? Would God really condemn the good because they weren't a member of a specific church?

According to her, and this belief has changed in her also, God wouldn't take anybody but those members of this church.

I didn't want to believe that. I didn't want to think that someone doing good, helping others, wouldn't be going to heaven where all the good people are.

I didn't want a God like that. Surely God can't be that intolerant himself, that only one specific church is going to be there with Him?

No, God wants us to be tolerant of others, despite the differences. He wants us to work and live together in peace and harmony.

We can only do that by learning some tolerance.

Beginning of the end

The official opening of the O.J. Simpson murder trial means that, blessedly, the countdown toward a jury verdict has begun. After seven months of uncaged sensationalism, leaping out from television screens and check-out lines and even T-shirts, the Case of the Century has at last begun its climactic trek toward closure.

This is not to disparage the taste of the eight Americans in 10 who plan to closely follow the amply televised trial. After all, The People vs. O.J. Simpson overflows with the stuff of classic drama: blood, sex, race, jealousy, fame, sorrow. This is Othello Meets Perry Mason.

On the contrary, the trial proper will allow the public to separate actual admissible evidence from tabloid tripe, reckless speculation and false impression. Now, one almost requires a special software package to accomplish this.

The prosecution's tasks are to establish motive and to put Simpson at the crime scene. There is no eyewitness, no weapon, but a large amount of circumstantial evidence. Murder defendants have been sent to the pen with less.

However the case ends, celebrity and foul murder have come together to put the Simpson trial under public scrutiny. As the jury judges the ex-football star, so America will judge it, prosecutors, defenders, Ito — and, to an unprecedented degree, the judicial system. Let us hope all stand the test.

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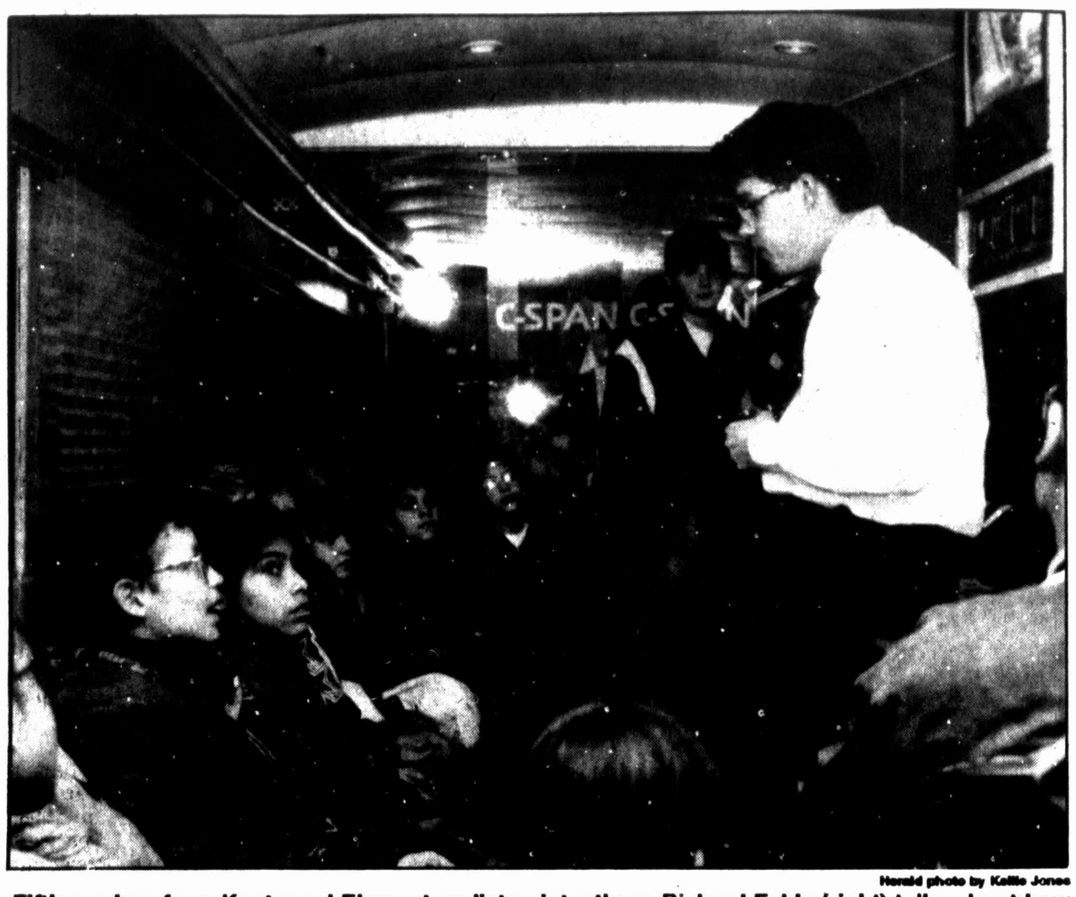
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Fifth graders from Kentwood Elementary listen intently as Richard Fahle (right) talks about how C-SPAN can be used as an educational tool in the classroom. Fahle is a marketing representative for C-SPAN. The network is making bus tours through Texas to show teachers and students about their programming.

C-SPAN on the road

Bus visits town as educational opportunity

By KELLIE JONES
Staff Writer

"Wow! Check out this bus - it's so cool!," exclaims a Big Spring fifth grader as he boards the C-SPAN school bus Thursday morning.

C-SPAN is currently on a tour to schools around the country to show teachers and parents how to use the network's public affairs programing in the classroom.

The bus was at Big Spring High for about four hours Thursday and students from all campuses had a chance to tour the 45-foot vehicle also used as a studio.

"The objective of the bus is three-fold. One, it is a production studio and has live capabilities. Two, it is a marketing tool for the network. Three, it is an educational tool," explained Linda Wright, C-SPAN'S international producer and bus volunteer.

While in Big Spring, bus volunteers will talk to residents about their concerns with Congress and President Clinton.

"We will do a 'man on the street' segment for our program, Washington Journal. We want to get feedback from residents on what they want to ask or talk about with the U.S. House and Senate," Wright said.

Teachers were given demonstrations on how they can use C-SPAN's archives of information in the classroom. The educational programming provided by the network is free to schools who choose to use it.

Not only can teachers order videotapes from the public affairs video archives at Purdue University, they can record programs on C-SPAN or watch them live for teaching purposes.

C-SPAN provides programs on subjects such as social studies, history, basic reading skills, news, drama, performing arts, biography and anthropology.

On wings of cranes this weekend

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Cranefest, a birdwatchers dream, is less than a week away.

Chairperson Pat Simmons and the Cranefest Committee expects people from all over Texas to be a part of the event.

During Cranefest birdwatchers and local citizens get a chance to see thousands of Sandhill Cranes that have flocked to Big Spring's One Mile Lake as well as to other areas of West Texas and New Mexico.

The third annual event, Feb. 3-4, will feature Ross Dawkins and Kelly B. Bryan as speakers. Dawkins, a professor of Chemistry at Angelo State University, will be the keynote speaker at the Cranefest banquet on Feb. 3. The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Civic Center.

Dawkins has authored several scientific articles on birds as well as co-authored "Sympatry of Eastern and Western Screech Owls in Texas."

His interest in birds began when he was a graduate student. He would go out with another student on his banding sessions and examine and photograph the birds up close.

Dawkins has several Ornithology courses to his credit and has been active in birding for 25 years, spending 15 of those years banding 230 species and more than 39,000 individuals.

He has also conducted several Texas Conservation Passport programs at Lake Brownwood State Park and has been a compiler of the San Angelo Christmas Bird Count for six years.

Dawkins is a member of the Recovery Team for both the Black-capped Vireo and Golden-cheeked Warbler. He is also a member of the North American Bird Banding Association, Texas Academy of Science, Society of Sigma Xi, Texas Ornithological Society, Sierra Club, and the Texas Nature Conservancy.

Bryan, a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Natural Resource Specialist from Fort Davis, will speak at the Cranefest luncheon Saturday. He will present a slides on Montane birds in Trans-Pecos; islands of unique species in a desert region.

Bryan's personal interest in birds is in the photography and banding of birds. He and his assistants have banded more than 30,000 song birds in the past 20 years and have had recoveries from eight states as well as in Mexico and Guatemala.

He has worked as a seasonal ranger at Huntsville State Park; superintendent of Kickapoo Caverns State Natural Area near Brackettville; and superintendent of Davis Mountains State Park in Fort Davis.

Bryan is currently co-author of the manuscript "Birds of Trans-Pecos Texas" which will be published by the University of Texas Press.

Other events at Cranefest will include booths by Ducks Unlimited, Joint Venture Playas, and the TPWD. There will also be a class on Hunting and Fishing safety and a feature with live birds of prey by "Last chance Forever."

According to organizers, Cranefest sweat shirts and the book "Cry of the Sandhill Crane" will be available for purchase.

Simmons added in order to keep better track of visitors to the annual event, a register will be kept during the two-day event to record names, addresses, and the destinations from which people have traveled to be a part of Cranefest. This register will be used to mail out invitations for future events.

Simmons said, "I told the committee last week that I wanted to do this so we would have an accurate register of the people who attend Cranefest."

Last year people came from as far away as Houston and San Antonio.

Tickets for Cranefest may be purchased from the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce or by calling 263-7641 for more information.

The Family of Dwain Leonard appreciate the many deeds of kindness shown in the passing of Dwain. Thank you for each prayer, visit, delicious food, lovely floral tributes and compassionate memorials. We appreciate the phone calls, cards and support during our bereavement. Thank you to Dr. M.H. Shroff and Dr. John Farquhar and staff at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. We are grateful for Rev. Ken McMeans, Dr. Kenneth Patrick and Nalley-Pickle & Welch for their kindness and guidance. A special thanks to JC Ringener, the "hunting bunch" and Duane Sanders.

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Family has bats in belfry, walls, bouncing off windows

TIVOLI (AP) — Bats have a Southeast Texas family scared to go outside after dark.

Thousands of bats flying through the night air, bouncing off walls and windows, return each night to their new roost inside Sandi and Terry Dowdys' home overlooking the Guadalupe River.

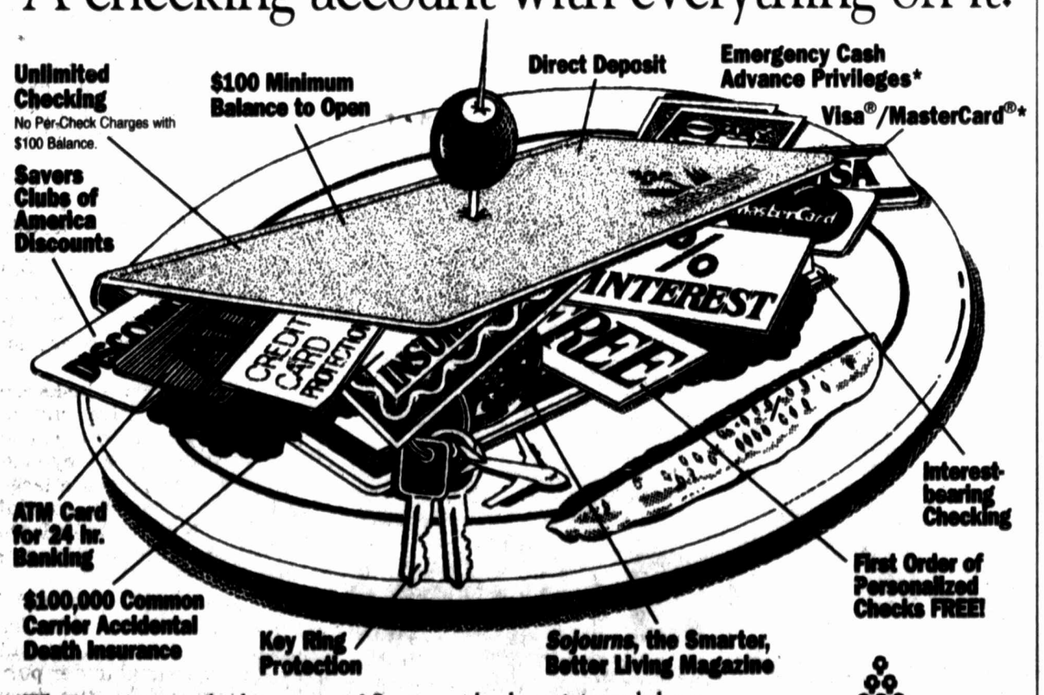
"I don't want to stay," Mrs. Sandi told The Victoria Advocate Thursday. "I'm afraid the baby (Eric, her 13-year-old son) will get rabies."

If they don't find a way soon to get the bats out and keep them out, the infestation could cost the Dowdys their rented home.

Mrs. Dowdy first noticed sounds in the walls a few months ago — scraping and chirping noises. But not until lately did the couple realize that the noises werecaused by bats.

The family is convinced that the bats are damaging wiring inside the walls. Electrical cords feel hot to the touch, Dowdy said, and "the coffee maker is doing some magical things."

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Man gets probation for killing stalker

HOUSTON (AP) — A man has been sentenced to 10 years' probation for killing his sister's stalker with a baseball bat.

Michael Anthony Zapata, 24, pleaded no contest to voluntary manslaughter July 11 for hitting his sister's estranged boyfriend twice in the head with the aluminum bat.

He was sentenced and fined $2,500 Friday.

The July 4, 1991, slaying of Jesse Melchor at Zapata's southeast Houston home ended Melchor's six-month "reign of terror," defense attorney Mike Hinton said.

Armey apologizes for 'slip of the lip'

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Majority Leader Dick Armey has apologized for referring to a homosexual colleague, Massachusetts Democrat Barney Frank, as "Barney Fag" during an interview. He said it was a slip of the tongue.

Frank said he did not believe the remark, which the Texas Republican made during a session with broadcast reporters on Friday, was intentional.

"But I could not accept that it was wholly accidental," Frank said after listening to a tape of the interview. "I just had to believe that it was somewhere in the back of his mind."

In a House floor speech later, Armey protested that the news media were creating a "firestorm" from what was an honest mistake.

Elegant restaurants shuts down temporarily

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — With its Creole and continental cuisine, fine wines and tuxedoed waiters, La Louisiane for nearly 60 years was one of the city's select restaurants.

But San Antonians and out-of-town visitors who delighted in La Louisiane's elegance have been doing without it since early January, when the restaurant shut down — at least temporarily — amid reports of financial difficulties.

Slight drop in cattle numbers

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Cattle numbers are dropping slightly as farmers continue to cope with weak prices for beef.

The monthly cattle on feed report issued Friday by the U.S. Department of Agriculture showed 10.6 million cattle on feedlots Jan. 1 in the nation's top 13 beef-producing states.

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A Texas Department of Public Safety honor guard makes its change at the casket of John C. White, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee and Texas agriculture commissioner, before start of services in the Capitol rotunda in Austin.

Gangs trade guns for spray paint

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Some San Antonio youth gangs are passing up guns and picking up cans of spray paint.

Police say at least two dozen such groups, some with members as young as 8, are causing new types of problems by marking their territory with the paint.

The process, which is called "tagging," originated in California and swept eastward. Within six months, it has left bright and distinctive drawings around San Antonio — even inside a probation office.

"Over on the North Side, currently we've got a tagger's war going on these kids crossing each other's graffiti out with their own, showing disrespect for the other tagging groups," said Sgt. Richard Palomo with the San Antonio School District's police department's gang unit.

There's a difference between this gang practice and traditional graffiti.

The new displays often have words decorated with elaborate drawings and bright colors.

"If you compare the street gang and tagger graffiti, there is a difference," Palomo said. "The taggers' graffiti are very artistic, very descriptive in nature. A lot of it is really good artwork, as opposed to the street gang graffiti, which are really crude and not really defined."

But to Diane Espinoza, who manages a restaurant in the midst of the taggers' war zone, it's all a nuisance.

"I don't think there's a spot that's not covered," she said. "We haven't even attempted to paint it again, because they're just looking for a clean wall to go to work on."

Palomo said the trend is spreading, and it's becoming an acceptable alternative to more violent forms of gang activity.

Dallas' homeless facing eviction for city housing

DALLAS (AP) — First forced out of makeshift homes beneath a freeway ramp, dozens of homeless people now face eviction from city-sponsored apartments they received eight months ago.

City funding for the housing is about to stop and officials running the program say the money will run out by March. That would leave the tenants homeless again, and some people already have been evicted and dozens have received notice.

Lawyers trying to stop the ouster complain that official promises of counseling and training to help the homeless establish independent lives failed to materialize.

City and county officials said the housing program was only temporary. The city had dedicated $300,000 to house 308 street people displaced by the demolition of a shantytown beneath Interstate 45 on the eastern edge of downtown.

The free lodging allowed the squatters a chance to find work and kick drug and alcohol habits, if necessary. But the program's success was difficult to measure, said the county officials who administered it.

"It's been a hard program," said Marva Jones, Dallas County welfare administrator.

Jury gives life to man who ran over victim

ODESSA (AP) — A 23-year-old man has been sentenced to life in prison for beating up a man, stealing his car and then driving over him three times so he wouldn't report the assault to police.

Jurors needed about an hour Friday to punish Jesse Renteria in the slaying of animal control officer Freddy Belis.

"It was clear that he took Freddy Belis' life and then the jury took his life," Deputy District Attorney Miller Wallace said.

Renteria was the third person convicted of murder in Belis' death. A fourth, Raul Hernandez, pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor assault on Belis.

"We're very disappointed with the verdict," defense attorney Bob Garcia said.

"We're disappointed the jury took the word of accomplices who were the only evidence showed by the state."

Hernandez and a teen who was convicted as a juvenile for Belis' murder were among the witnesses who testified for the prosecution.

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An unidentified person is loaded into an ambulance after a gunman opened fire at the Ralston Foods Inc. cereal plant in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Friday, killing two workers and wounding two others.

Gunman kills two co-workers

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa (AP) — A gunman opened fire at a Ralston Foods Inc. cereal plant, killing two workers and wounding two others, and a plant employee was arrested after a standoff at his home.

Assistant Police Chief Bruce Kern said investigators believed the gunman intended to shoot one of the workers and the others may have been "at the wrong place at the wrong time."

Police would not give details and didn't know what set off the violence late Friday.

After the shooting, police surrounded the home of Gerald Rieflin, and relatives and officers persuaded him to give up after two hours, Assistant Police Chief David Johnson said.

Rieflin, 35, was charged with first-degree murder and attempted murder.

Investigators confident of finding crash cause

PITTSBURGH (AP) — They've unraveled the mysteries of other plane crashes with less information than they have about this one.

And federal investigators are confident they'll eventually figure out what caused USAir Flight 427 to flip over and nose dive into the ground Sept. 8, killing all 132 aboard.

But as a weeklong hearing came to a close Friday, investigators admitted they have so far uncovered more frustrations than answers.

"I'm frustrated. We're all frustrated," said James Hall, chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board. "This has been a very difficult accident investigation."

The week's worth of testimony — often before a packed house — made it clear that investigators believe a sharp left rudder movement may have caused the plane to flip over. But little else was concluded.

"We need to explain why, if the rudder moved, as the flight simulations indicated it did, did it move as the result of an action of the flight crew or another anomaly?" Hall said.

Both pilot error and a malfunction within the rudder's power control unit have been considered.

Investigators need to "think about what could have been done, what the crew could do," said Tom Haueter, the NTSB's chief investigator for the crash.

Investigators will now examine data presented at the hearing. They are continuing to gather reports and studies from companies involved in the probe, including Boeing Commercial Airplane Group.

Welfare summit airs differences

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democrats and Republicans sat down with President Clinton to politely sort through their differences over welfare reform Saturday but GOP leaders made it clear they intend to control the debate.

None of the 30 governors, legislators or local officials who attended Clinton's 5½-hour "work session" suggested the battle over welfare reform had ended.

But the president's effort to give Democrats a greater voice in the debate did at least produce a civil exchange and agreement that states should have more flexibility in delivering benefits, although with clear differences over how much.

Republicans, who have been busy crafting welfare legislation on Capitol Hill, said there is much common ground but made it clear they were pressing forward on their own on a fast track.

Rep. Clay Shaw, chairman of the House Ways and Means subcommittee overseeing welfare reform, said he is moving legislation ahead with a "sense of urgency," and noted that he favors greater restrictions on benefits than does Clinton.

Call-forwarding scheme flushes plumber into jail

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A plumber is accused of trying to flush the competition by using call-forwarding to siphon off their customers.

Michael Lasch called Bell Atlantic and ordered an "ultra call-forwarding" service for phones listed in the names of at least five rival plumbing companies, police said.

Lasch used the service — which allows people to forward calls from one telephone by punching in a number code from any other phone — to intercept calls placed to the other plumbers, according to authorities.

Plumber Joseph Lucas said he "probably lost thousands of dollars" worth of business.

Lasch, 36, of Levittown, was charged with theft by deception, criminal attempt, unlawful use of a computer, criminal trespass and impersonating an employee.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Unfunded mandate bill passes Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans are hailing the approach of a new era in federal-state relations with progress on a bill that cracks down on the Capitol Hill habit of making others pay for programs Congress creates.

The Senate passed the "unfunded mandates" bill Friday by an 86-10 majority. The House expects to vote on its version of the measure by the middle of next week. And a former Arkansas governor now living in the White House is likely to sign it.

President Clinton congratulated an audience of some 200 mayors on passage of the bill shortly after the Senate acted Friday.

Misconduct or simple mistake?

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Misconduct or mistake? Attorneys in the O.J. Simpson case are bickering over what to tell the jury about the defense's failure to properly reveal its witnesses.

Prosecutors want Superior Court Judge Lance Ito to tell the jury that defense attorneys committed misconduct by hiding witnesses. . Simpson's team wants to tell the panel that it just made a mistake.

Ito, who solicited the proposed admonitions Friday, will draft his own instruction before Monday, when defense lawyer Johnnie Cochran Jr. is scheduled to resume his opening statement.

Ito also will decide whether to grant the prosecution's request for a 30-day delay.

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A boy measures the water level of the Seine River with his bicycle in Paris Saturday. The banks of the river in the French capital are closed to car traffic after recent heavy rainfalls in the region and in Normandy.

Survivors relive Auschwitz horrors, pain

OSWIECIM, Poland (AP) — The thought still haunts Mel Mermelstein. On this visit to Auschwitz-Birkenau, it brought the 68-year-old man to tears.

When his family of Hungarian Jews was unloaded at the extermination camp in May 1944, the Nazis selected Mermelstein's sisters for slave labor, his mother for immediate death in the gas chamber.

"Yet they leaped across to go and be with my mother because they didn't want to leave her," he said. Now, a few paces from where he last saw them, Mermelstein summoned his sisters:

"And I almost asked them to tell me, tell me please: Are you angry at me that I abandoned you?"

So much is unresolved at this place of unspeakable horror.

About 1.5 million people, 90 percent of them Jews, died at Auschwitz. But the camp complex was built for Poles who resisted the Nazi occupation, and for non-Jewish Poles it became a symbol of their nation's martyrdom. Disputes over the ceremonies led Jews to organize their own memorial on Thursday.

> And I almost asked them to tell me, tell me please: Are you angry at me that I abandoned you?
>
> **Mel Mermelstein**

At Friday's main commemorations of the camp's liberation by Soviet troops exactly 50 years ago, Président Lech Walesa decided against more Jewish-Polish discord and chose reconciliation.

The devoutly Roman Catholic politician finally acknowledged what the world's Jews had demanded he make clear — that the Nazi's premier slaughterhouse was above all a place of Jewish suffering.

Auschwitz "stands for the suffering of many nations, especially of the Jewish nation," Walesa said in a speech in the camp.

His words — "especially of the Jewish nation" — were missing from a prepared text of his speech, and Walesa hadn't mentioned Jews during his public speeches Thursday marking the liberation.

About 5,000 sick and emaciated people in the camp were liberated by the Red Army on Jan. 27, 1945. A week before, Mermelstein, future Nobel laureate Elie Weisel and 58,000 other inmates had been marched west with the retreating Nazis. Most were murdered by Nazi guards or died of cold and hunger on the way.

On Friday, about 5,000 mourners gathered: Survivors wearing imitations of the striped prisoners' uniforms; others waving Israeli flags, silently weeping, praying and stamping their feet against the cold.

Some lit candles on the railroad tracks that once brought Jews from all corners of Nazi-held Europe for slaughter.

Leading the crowd, Walesa, Wiesel and Israeli Knesset speaker Shevah Weiss walked side by side under Auschwitz's cruel entrance sign: "Arbeit Macht Frei," or "Work Shall Make You Free."

Cracks form in alliance

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Tensions between Bosnian government and allied Croat forces appear to be rising in northern Bosnia, a U.N. official said Saturday. Cracks in that alliance could undermine faltering peace efforts.

Muslim-led government forces and Bosnian Croat militias ended hostilities in March when they signed a U.S.-brokered federation agreement.

The federation boosted international efforts to end Bosnia's 33-month war, and turned the focus of peace efforts to Bosnian Serbs.

Tensions were especially high around the northern Muslim-held town of Tesanj. On Friday, the Tesanj police chief ordered the arrest of several local Croat officials after Croats had arrested some government officials earlier in the week.

The flareup is "indicative of decreasing relations between Croats and Muslims in the federation," said Maj. Robert Lyman, a spokesman at the regional U.N. headquarters in Gornji Vakuf.

In an effort to prevent conflict within the federation, senior government and Bosnian Croat officials met Friday in Mostar, which is divided between Muslims and Croats.

New Buyer's Agent Joins Local Firm



Buyer's Resource Real Estate of Big Spring proudly announces the association of Dorothy D. Jones, formerly with Rowland Real Estate. Dorothy has been a Texas licensed real estate salesman since 1973, first practicing in the Greater Houston area.

A graduate of Abilene Christian High School. She attended Texas Tech University, the University of Maryland, the University of Houston and Howard College.

She began her real estate career with Superior Homes of Houston, promptly winning the Million Dollar Award her first year in business, she worked as a field appraiser with Jimmy Partin in Abilene and locally she has been associated with First Realty and most recently with Rowland Real Estate.

Dorothy has been involved with many community and civic groups. She is a current member of the Planning and Zoning Board. For six years Dorothy served on the Board of Directors of Christmas in April and six years on the Chamber of Commerce's Beautification Committee. She is most proud of the years she served as the Executive Director of the Heart of Texas Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Dorothy offers her clients her vast experience working with both HUD and VA acquired properties available here in Big Spring for use as homes or as investment properties. She has been very active with the Big Spring Board of Realtors in the past and plans to remain active in current board functions. Dorothy is also a member of the Texas Association of Realtors and the National Association of Realtors.

After a recent four month absence from the local real estate scene due to a recent heart attack, Dorothy is completely recovered and back on the job. She wishes to thank everyone who sent their wishes during her illness. After 22 years as a "Traditional Agent," Dorothy is eager to embark on her new career Exclusive Buyers Agent. "I am anxious to show all my former clients and customers a new and exciting way to buy a home", says Dorothy.

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Experts say 'Why play?'

MIAMI (AP) — Why play?

When one team, the San Francisco 49ers, is perhaps one of the greatest of the Super Bowl era.

And the other, the San Diego Chargers, is, well, lucky to even be here.

Why play?

Super Bowl Spread
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Which is what a lot of people could be asking by the time the Super Bowl ends Sunday night at Joe Robbie Stadium.

For by the second quarter, third at the latest, they may be watching Elvis Grbac throwing to Nate Singleton, Ed McCaffrey and Ted Popson — not long after Steve Young, Jerry Rice, John Taylor and Brent Jones have devoured the suspect San Diego secondary.

San Francisco is a team of superstars seeking to become the first to win five Super Bowls, while extending the winning streak of the NFC to 11 NFL titles. All but two of the last 10 victories were by lopsided scores, an average of 38-15 — the same score by which the Niners beat the Chargers at San Diego Dec. 11.

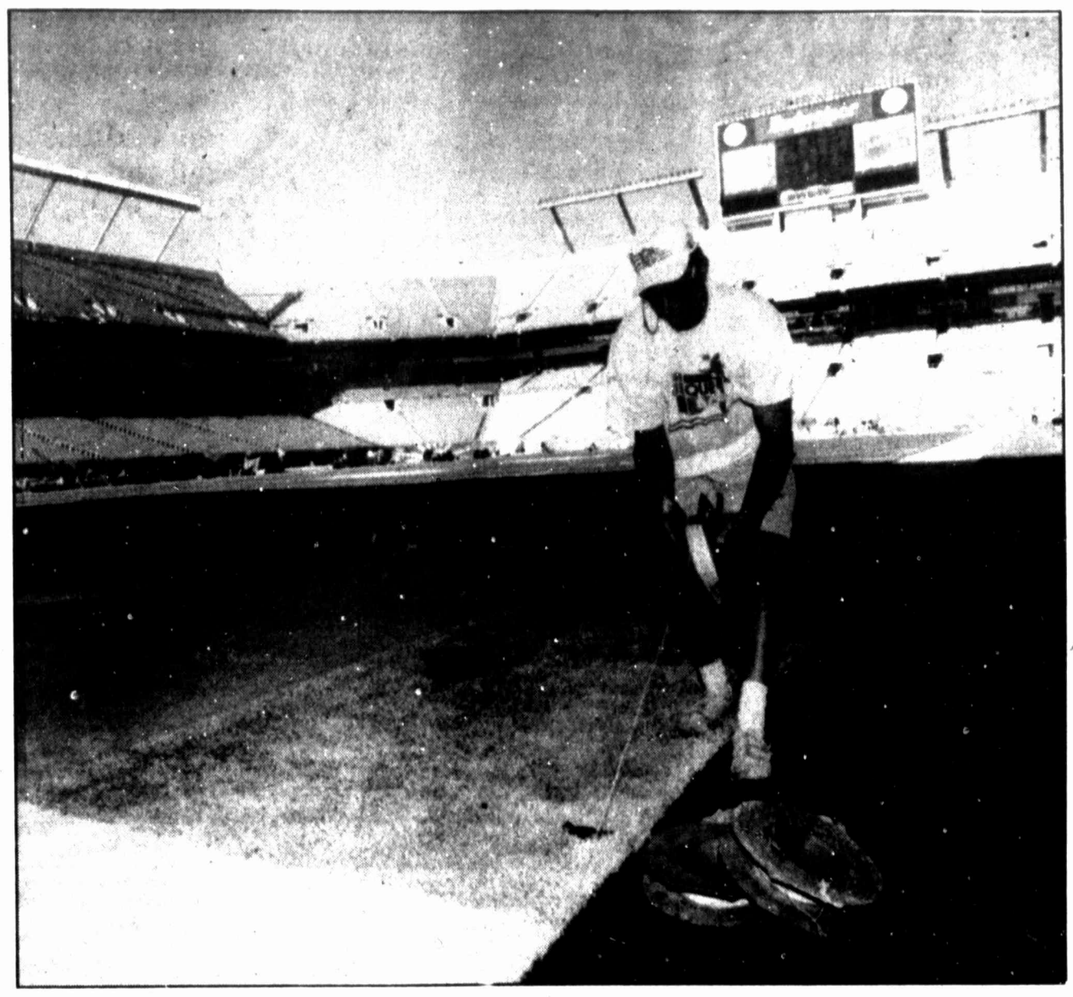
San Diego?

"The only way to get respect is to go out and try to win the game," said Leslie O'Neal, the defensive end who is one of the few recognizable names on the Chargers' roster.

San Francisco has Young, the league MVP two of the past three seasons; Rice, the NFL's all-time touchdown leader; Deion Sanders, and a panoply of brash young stars whose trash talking would never have been tolerated during the reign of Joe Montana and Ronnie Lott.

San Diego, which enters the game as an 18- to 20-point underdog, has a panoply of the obscure and the cast off. Beyond O'Neal and Junior Seau, the middle linebacker who smashes

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Associated Press photo
A worker runs string along the end zone for painting at Joe Robbie Stadium Saturday, in final preparations for Super Bowl XXIX. The San Diego Chargers are playing the San Francisco 49ers. Game time is 5 p.m.

Lady Steers clinch playoff spot

FORT STOCKTON - The Big Spring girls' basketball team clinched a playoff spot Friday, and their fourth consecutive district title is not far away.

Big Spring (18-4, 8-0 in District 4-4A) blasted Fort Stockton 72-48 to guarantee itself at least a share of the 4-4A title. A Big Spring win or Lake View loss will give the Lady Steers the title. Big Spring's next game is Friday at home against Monahans (13-12, 3-4).



WISE

Big Spring junior Robin Wise led the Lady Steers in scoring for the second consecutive game. Wise, who scored 14 in Big Spring's crucial win at Lake View Tuesday, poured in 19 points Friday to sink Fort Stockton (12-13, 1-7). The Lady Steers scored a whopping 30 points in the second quarter to take a 43-18 halftime lead.

Girls

Big Spring	13	30	15	14	- 72
Fort Stockton	6	12	14	16	- 48

Big Spring - Birrell 6, Bristow 11, Anderson 7, Armstrong 6, Hall 0, Wise 19, Le. Elrod 10, Gregg 11.

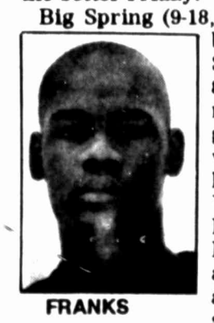
Fort Stockton - Cordova 10, Rodriguez 6, Valeriano 8, Grenado 4, McKenzie 7, Billano 10, Smith 3.

Three-point goals - Anderson, Valeriano.

JV - Big Spring 74, Fort Stockton 56.

Steers enjoy fantastic Friday

The Big Spring boys haven't clinched a playoff spot, but their chances took a turn for the better Friday.



FRANKS

Big Spring (9-18, 4-2 in 4-4A) beat Fort Stockton 95-83 and received good news when it heard Lake View beat Pecos 56-48. Big Spring and Pecos are tied for second place, and Pecos will visit Steer Gym Feb. 10.

Daniel Franks had another big game for the Steers - the 6-foot-5 junior poured in 33 points. Aaron Bellinghausen, the Steers' point guard, scored 24. Big Spring withstood six three-pointers sank by Fort Stockton (9-15, 1-5).

Boys

Big Spring	24	24	17	30	- 95
Fort Stockton	23	19	17	24	- 83

Big Spring - Thayer 0, Bellinghausen 24, Purcell 0, Chavarria 8, Wollenzien 11, Monger 16, Belew 3, Franks 33.

Fort Stockton - Perales 2, Morales 4, Keller 8, Wofford 9, Garcia 5, Mercado 22, Wallace 6, Leyva 5, Reeves 23, Poage 2.

Three-point goals - Reeves 4, Wofford, Garcia.

Stakes are high in Howard-Midland war

Ladies tied for first in WJCAC

By STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

A game most preseason observers thought would be merely interesting has suddenly become crucial.

The Midland College Lady Chaparrals come calling to Garrett Coliseum Monday to face the Howard College Lady Hawks (6 p.m. start). To the winner goes sole possession of first place in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference standings.

Howard's 68-59 loss to Odessa College Thursday dropped the Lady Hawks (20-2) into a first-place tie with Midland, in its first year of women's basketball. Both teams hold identical 4-1 conference records.

The Lady Chaparrals (19-4) have been the surprise team in the WJCAC this season. Few expected the team to be this good this fast; even head coach Ron Jones has been pleasantly surprised.

"Before the season, I thought we had some good, young talent, but what's surprised me is that we've won several close games, and that we've matured so quickly," Jones said.

Midland's conference-leading offense is averaging 90 points per game. Its leading scorers are 6-foot-3 post player Joanna Kailahi, who's averaging 19.7 a game, and freshman wing Roslyn Dunn, who averages 11.1 per contest.



Photo by Bruce Schooler
Howard's Amber Lacey shoots during the Lady Hawks' win over Frank Phillips College Monday.

Arrayed against the Lady Chaps' attack will be Howard's conference-best defense.

"Containing their offense will have to be a concern of ours," Howard coach Terry Gray said. "We have to be ready defensively to have a chance to win."

Playing good defense also will be a priority for Midland.

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Can Hawks upset Midland Chaps again?

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

Howard College men's basketball coach Tommy Collins has the conference's first-place team coming to his team's backyard Monday.

Despite that, there's still one team that concerns Collins more than the first-place Midland College Chaparrals.

His own.

"I'm mostly concerned about my team," Collins said. "We're self-destructing, and that's what concerns me. We need to find ways to win, instead of finding ways to lose."

Collins can be a notoriously negative coach when telling the media about his Hawks, but sift through his worst-case scenarios and you find truth. Howard (14-8, 2-3 in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference) has been behind at halftime in just two of its 22 games. Basically, the Hawks are beating their opponents into the ropes but not putting them away.

"We have to have 40 minutes of intensity on defense, instead of 20," Collins said.

Last season, Howard upset No. 7 Midland 82-79 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, but the Hawks will have to have a better second half than they did Thursday in Odessa to upset the Chaps again.

Thursday, Howard led 16th-ranked Odessa 35-26 at halftime. Odessa dominated the second half and won 71-66.

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Two WJCAC teams are in the nation's top 20, but surprisingly, Midland (18-3, 5-0) is not one of them. That should soon change, since Midland beat No. 9 New Mexico Junior College 100-94 Thursday at the Chap Center to take sole possession of the WJCAC's top spot.

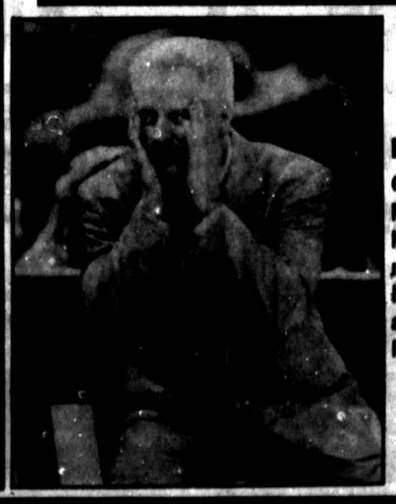
Midland isn't the same team that made the NJCAA national tournament last season - at least they weren't supposed to be. Last year's freshman sensation, post player John Brown, didn't return this season, but one star who did return was guard Kevin Rice.

Rice leads in scoring at 18 points per game, and he's one of five Chaps averaging double figures. The others are Devon Phillips, D'Juan Baker, Ben Radford and Shedrich Franklin.

Game time is 8 p.m. at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

BOTTOM of the ORDER

SHOT OF THE DAY



I'm so confused!
Miami Heat coach Kevin Loughery reacts to a play Friday in NBA action. Miami beat Milwaukee 96-87.

TEXAS SPORTS

San Jose beats Dallas Stars

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Pat Falloon scored with 1:38 left in the game and San Jose survived a last-minute flurry of Dallas shots as the Sharks defeated the Stars 3-2 Saturday for their third straight win.

Horned Frogs take SWC lead

FORT WORTH (AP) — Texas Christian drew a foul and converted it into Juan Bragg's two free throws with 2.6 seconds to play, giving the Horned Frogs a 72-71 victory Saturday over Texas A&M.

TCU (13-5, 5-1 Southwest Conference) took a time out and set up for a deep pass, and then A&M (9-11, 2-3) called a timeout. Bragg was fouled before the pass and made both shots.

NATION/WORLD

Floyd rakes in the money

KOHALA COAST, Hawaii (AP) — Raymond Floyd, picking up where he left off on the final day of the Senior Skins Game a year ago, rolled in three birdie putts Saturday to win $130,000 on the opening day of the 1995 event. After a rocky start, Jack Nicklaus wound up earning $80,000 by winning the seventh and eighth holes. Arnold Palmer and Lee Trevino were shut out.

Crenshaw leads Phoenix Open

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Ben Crenshaw rolled in a 30-foot putt on the 18th hole Saturday to break out of a six-way logjam and take the lead in the Phoenix Open.

ON THE AIR

Football
Super Bowl XXIX
San Diego vs. San Francisco, 5 p.m., ABC (ch. 2 & 8).

Basketball
College
Kentucky at Arkansas, 1 p.m., CBS (ch. 7).
NBA
Phoenix at New York, 11 a.m., NBC (ch. 9).
Golden State at Chicago, 1:30 p.m., NBC.

Golf
PGA
Phoenix Open, 3 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30).
Senior Skins Game, 12:30 p.m., ABC.

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SPORTS IN BRIEF

YMCA reports results, schedules meeting

The Big Spring Family YMCA reported the following adult league results for the week of Jan. 23:

In the Tuesday power volleyball league, Quick Pick defeated Willis, and SideOut defeated U.R. Mine.

In Wednesday's wallyball league, Misfits defeated S.S. & G, while Bauer defeated Salty Dog.

In the recreational volleyball league, T.O.T.B. beat Krazy 8, Whitehead defeated Rodriguez, and Sparks defeated Conoco.

The Y is having an organizational meeting for the winter coed recreational volleyball league Thursday at 7:30 p.m. The Y is also having a racquetball league for their adult members - entry deadline is Friday.

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

Coahoma reports youth hoops results

Here's a roundup of the latest Coahoma youth basketball games reported to the Herald:

Cardinals 17, Queens 14

Kortney Kemper scored 10 points to lead the Cardinals to a win. Lyndi Bar added three points, and Chelsie Churchwell and Sheena Harding led the Cardinals' strong defensive effort.

Marideth Barr scored eight points for the Queens, while Sarah Privett added two. Ashley Lang and Christina Gwen played good defense for the Queens.

Spurs 26, Lakers 16

The Spurs received a big game from Lane Belew and beat the Lakers in boys' action.

Belew scored 11, while teammate Sam Lovett added six. Matthew Marlar and Justin Fishback play good defense for the winners.

Derek De Hoyas scored 13 for the Lakers, who received good defensive play from David Ontiveros and Eddie Gonzales.

Roadrunners 35, Owls 16

Lesa Monroe poured in 20 points to lead the Roadrunners to a win in girls' action.

Heather Rich added seven points for the winners, while Leslie Phinney scored six. Tiffany Shaw and Rhonda Barnett played strong defense.

Desiree Henry led the Owls with eight points, while Jennifer Hurst and Natalie Tucker each scored four. Brandi Hutchison, K'Ja Fowler and Maegan Lee played well defensively.

Rockets 35, Celtics 14

The Rockets blasted the Celtics in boys' action, and Thomas New was the catalyst.

New poured in 19 points for the winners, while Paul Ruiz chipped in six. Tom Griffin, Chris Petree and Chase Davis led the Rockets' strong defense.

Blaine Wright scored 11 for the Celtics. Ricky Richters added two, while Justin Barnes and Brandon played well defensively.

Hawks 18, Eagles 14

Kenni Kay Buchanan scored 12 points to lead the Hawks to a down-to-the-wire win in girls' action.

Karen Sterling added four points for the winners, who received strong defensive play from Lauren Nichols and Kynzi Roberts.

Kayla Smith scored six for the Eagles, as did Becky Light. Brandie Hart had a strong game defensively for the Eagles.

In other area YMCA action, the Warriors beat the Bulls 22-12 in third- and fourth-grade boys' play.

Kelby Kemper led the Warriors with 18 points, while Kody Jackson added four. For the Bulls, Jeremy Cerda scored eight, while Gary Austin and Taylor Frazer scored two each.

Austin pulled down 10 rebounds, while Adam Cobos, Ralston Coates, David Welch and Cody Plowman also played well.

Hunter education class slated for Feb. 4-5

A course in hunter education has been scheduled for Feb. 4-5 beginning at 8 a.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center in conjunction with the CrapeFest of Big Spring.

Sands sweeps Grady

By STEVE REAGAN
Sportswriter

ACKERLY – Into every rivalry some routs must fall.

Both Sands girls' coach Leland Bearden and boys' coach Jerry Gooch were scared to death Friday evening. The reason? Grady was coming to town, and Grady teams always play their best against Sands.

Well, almost always.

Bearden and Gooch's fears proved unfounded: The Lady Mustangs cakewalked to a 57-45 win over Grady, while Sands' boys powered their way to a 68-51 victory over the Wildcats.

Boys' game

Practice may not be making the Sands Mustangs perfect, but Gooch says it's making them pretty darned good.

"I came in the gym Wednesday night, and eight of the 10 guys on the varsity team were practicing, and of the other two, one was practicing at his house," Gooch said. "There's 41 (playoff trophies) out there in the display case. These kids know about those other teams, and they know they have to improve their game, and they have."

Friday, the Mustangs' hard work was evident almost from the start. They pulled away to an 18-12 lead after one quarter and kept adding to their lead.


CANTU

Leading the way for Sands (13-9, 2-0 in district) was Steven Cantu, who blistered the Wildcats with 23 points, 15 of those coming from three-point range.

The Wildcats adjusted their defense to quiet Cantu in the second half, but that opened things for Sands' inside game. Senior post player DeLynn Reed responded by scoring 12 points from close range, while Jerrod Beall added 10.

Grady (8-14, 0-2) was led by Brady Cox, who scored 18.

Boys
Grady 12 15 10 14 – 51
Sands 18 23 15 12 – 68
Grady - Peugh 12, Cox 18, Hewtty 10, V. McMorries 9; totals 17 10-16 51.
Sands - Maxwell 8, Fryar 6, Reed 12, Cantu 23, Barnes 4, Beall 10, Brown 2; totals 24 11-16 68.
Three-point goals – Cox 3, Hewtty 2, Fryar, Cantu 5.

Girls' game

A lot of teams like to play an inside-outside game, but not many do it with the same player. Sands guard Mandy Hodnett took her points where she could find them Friday night – down low and from the perimeter. She scored 23 points, and Amy Nichols chipped in 16 to lead the Lady Mustangs (18-4, 2-0).

The Lady Wildcats (13-9, 1-1) were led by Tarah Schuelke, who scored 18.

Hodnett started things, scoring to give Sands an 18-17 lead. Hodnett then added two baskets to increase the Lady Mustangs' lead to five.

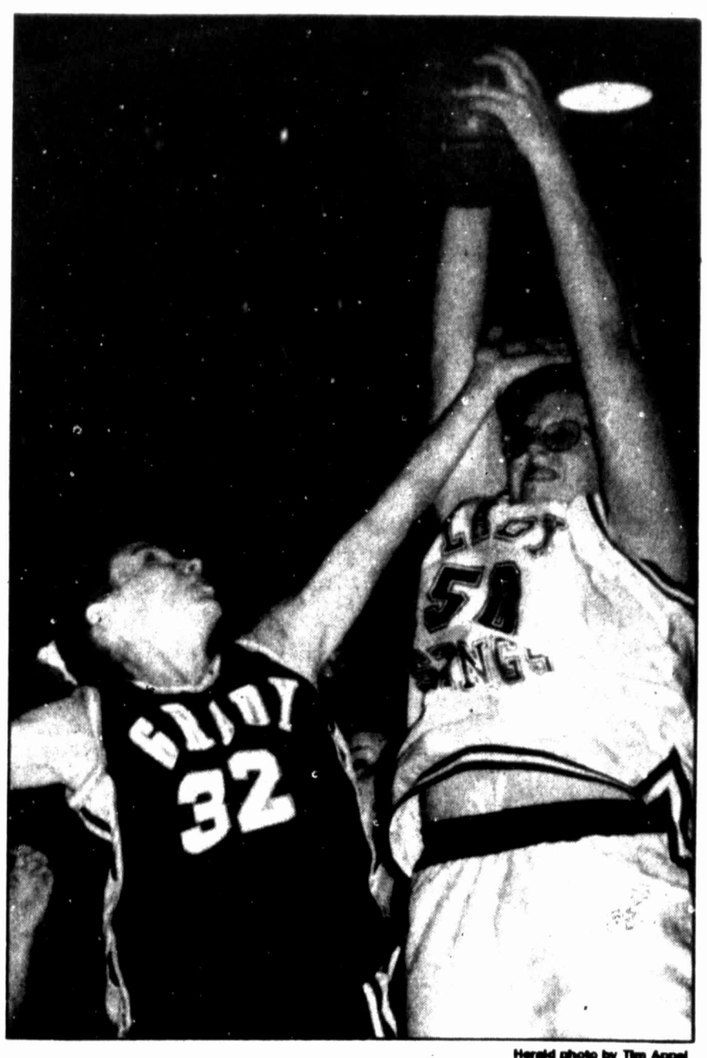
Schuelke stopped the mini-run with a basket for Grady, but Sands' Kim Webb responded with consecutive scores, Hodnett added a pair of free throws and Nichols capped the half with a three-pointer to give the Lady Mustangs a 31-21 lead.


HODNETT

Grady was able to cut its deficit to four points in the third quarter, but Nichols and Hodnett answered with consecutive three-pointers.

"Sands has a very experienced team, and they've been to the playoffs a lot, and I think that showed tonight," Grady coach Johnny Peugh said.

Girls
Grady 13 8 15 9 – 45
Sands 16 15 17 9 – 57
Grady - Schuelke 18, Madison 4, Tubb 10, Romine 6, Cooper 7; totals 19 7-15 45.
Sands - Hodnett 23, Zant 4, S. Nichols 6, Webb 4, A. Nichols 16, Newell 4; totals 22 10-13 57.
Three-point goals – Hodnett, A. Nichols 2.


Herald photo by Tim Appel
Sands' Stacy Newell (50) grabs a rebound over the outstretched arm of Grady's Holly Madison (32). Sands won 67-45.

No. 6 Winters blasts Stanton Lady Buffs

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

STANTON - The Stanton girls' basketball team had a chance at revenge, district supremacy and a win over a state-ranked team Friday.

None of that happened.

The Winters Lady Blizzards, ranked sixth in the state Class 2A polls, whipped Stanton 69-54 to earn their third win in as many tries over the Lady Buffs.

Stanton's fans had more fun with the boys' game, where the Buffalos defeated Winters 66-46.

Girls' game

Stanton had lost to Winters twice before by a scant total of three points, but Friday was the first time the Lady Buffs had Winters on their home court.

The home court wasn't a factor - Winters outscored Stanton 18-4 in the second quarter and kept control.

"We played as hard as we ever had; we just didn't accomplish a lot of things," said Stanton coach Frank Riney. "We missed easy shots, we missed a bunch of free throws, and we were forced into some situations that we shouldn't have been in. Winters played well. They played better than I've ever seen them play before."

Stanton (16-8, 0-1 in District 6-2A's second half), which was state-ranked at the start of the season, looked like an elite team in the first quarter, racing to a 21-13 lead. Stanton guard Laura Herm sank two three-pointers and Sande Bundas sank all three of her shots.

The second quarter turned the game 180 degrees. The Lady Blizzards (20-5, 1-0) burned Stanton with a 12-0 run to end the half, giving them a 31-25 halftime edge. In that quarter, Winters outrebounded Stanton 16-4 and held the Lady Buffs to 2-for-11 shooting.

Stanton managed to tie the game at 33 in the third quarter, but Winters quickly built a new lead. Janet Guy, who led all scorers with 17 points, and Alisa Presley sank quick buckets down low to start a 9-1 run for Winters, and Stanton never cut its deficit to less than five after that.

Bundas led Stanton with 16 points, while Herm added 15. Post player Kindra Woodfin, who sat on the bench much of the game because of foul trouble, scored 12.

Girls
Winters 13 18 17 21 - 69
Stanton 21 4 16 13 - 54
Winters - Guy 17, Edwards 11, E. Vega 9, Biddix 13, Presley 6, Bryan 6, Killough 7, Parramore 0, Brown 0, Pritchard 0, A. Vega 0.
Stanton - Herm 15, Moore 3, Chapa 4, Woodfin 12, Bundas 16, Wyckoff 0, Butler 4, Chandler 0.
Three-point goals - Killough, Herm 2, Moore.

Boys' game

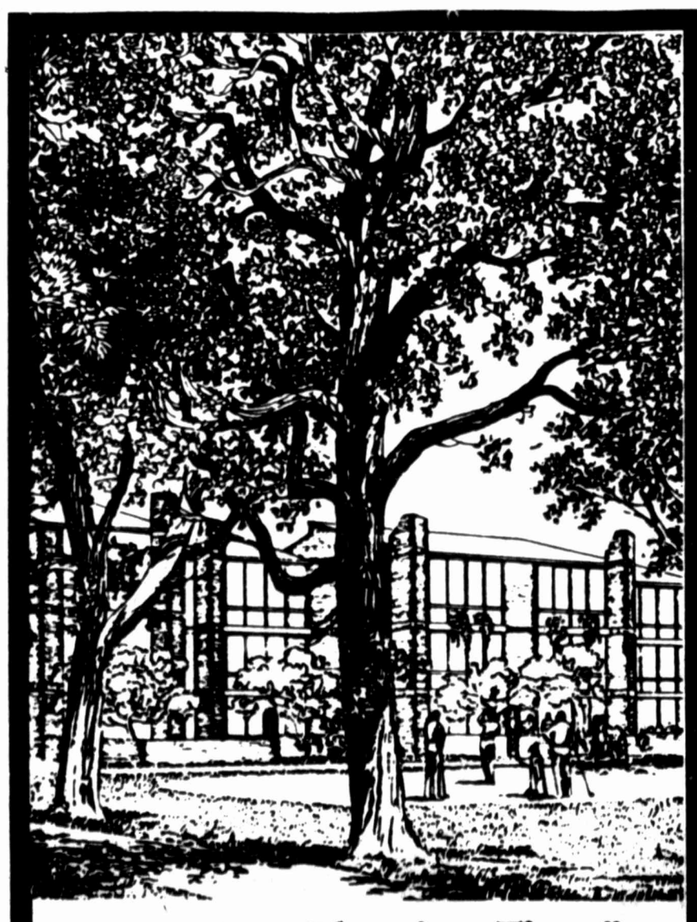
Stanton spread the wealth Friday - 11 of the 12 Buffs scored. The one that didn't score - senior point guard J.J. Ortiz - was too busy passing out assists.

The Buffalos (13-10, 1-0) have played better games, but they plenty well enough to manhandle Winters (4-14, 0-1). Junior shooting guard Taylor Looney poured in a game-high 15 points for Stanton, while sophomore Leo McCalister added 12.


LOONEY

"Taylor has come on a little bit in district and played a lot better," said Stanton coach Doug Gordon. "The one thing he wasn't doing before district was scoring consistently, but he's been scoring every game but one in district. The one game he didn't score, he had eight assists, so we were pretty pleased with that, too."

Boys
Winters 11 9 9 17 - 46
Stanton 14 17 12 23 - 66
Winters - Richards 3, Thompson 7, Reed 1, Reyes 6, Burton 4, Conner 10, Kozelsky 0, Dieke 9, Guy 6, Belew 0.
Stanton - Hopper 9, Martel 2, Ortiz 0, Looney 15, McCalister 12, Hull 4, Marquez 6, Castro 5, Hirt 4, Stallings 4, Lee 4, Kendall 1.
Three-point goals - Thompson, Reyes, Looney, McCalister.


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Records - Colorado (Sonora 7-18, 2-4.
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JV - Colorado City 4

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Friday Night Hoops

County teams blanked

WALL - For the second time this season, Wall handed Coahoma a pair of losses.

Wall's boys defeated the Coahoma Bulldogs 53-48 to put a severe hurt to the Bulldogs' chances of repeating as 6-2A champions. Wall is 12-10, 1-0 in 6-2A's second half.

Henry DeLaRosa led Coahoma (16-10, 0-1) with 12 points.

For the second time, the Coahoma Bulldogettes gave Wall a run for its money only to fall short. Wall (12-12, 1-0) beat Coahoma 43-35.

Tara Sterling scored 10 for Coahoma (8-18, 0-1).

Boys

Coahoma	14	14	9	11	- 48
Wall	13	14	8	17	- 53

Coahoma - Ruiz 4, Archibald 5, Tindol 4, McGuire 11, H. DeLaRosa 12, A. DeLaRosa 2, Shifflett 10.
Wall - Garcia 18, McMillan 5, Goff 10, Box 2, Myer 14, McGee 4.
JV - Wall 75, Coahoma 70.

Girls

Coahoma	12	2	5	19	- 35
Wall	10	9	12	12	- 43

Coahoma - Sterling 10, Herring 4, Reid 2, Elmore 8, Coleman 4, Kirkpatrick 6, Bingham 4.
Wall - King 4, Wilde 15, Weishuhn 1, Thomas 2, Mercer 2, Etheridge 14, Kotrca 5.
Three-point goals - Sterling, Etheridge.
JV - Wall 35, Coahoma 29.

Jim Ned upends Buffs, Queens

TUSCOLA - The Forsan Buffaloes lost 66-60 to 6-2A first-half champion Jim Ned Friday.

Forsan (15-10, 0-1) had 20 points from Rusty Baker. Jim Ned is 20-3, 1-0.

Jim Ned's girls (18-5, 1-0), the defending Class 2A state champions, defeated the Forsan Queens 61-40. Tisha Hillger scored 15 for Forsan (14-11, 0-1).

Boys

Forsan	18	9	15	18	- 60
Jim Ned	23	16	17	10	- 66

Forsan - Hopper 13, Evans 10, Etheredge 9, Sims 8, Baker 20.
Jim Ned - Dodson 2, Cross 11, Brown 8, Dacus 16, Warren 14, Pevehouse 6, Torrez 12.

Girls

Forsan	10	8	13	9	- 40
Jim Ned	17	9	16	19	- 61

Forsan - DeLaGarza 3, Bedwell 4, Hughes 4, D. Light 10, M. Light 4, Hilger 15.
Jim Ned - Miller 11, Guffey 8, Gates 4, K. McClure 12, Brown 11, Rogers 2, Saunders 2, Knott 2, M. McClure 3, Hall 2, Parra 4.

Garden City girls ruling District 25-A

GARDEN CITY - The Garden City Lady Kats (14-8, 3-0) blasted Rankin 68-31. Melinda Braden had another big game for Garden City, scoring 25.

Rankin won the boys' game 99-61. Garden City is 4-19, 1-2.

Girls

Rankin	5	8	6	12	- 31
Garden City	7	21	23	17	- 68

Rankin - Bynum 2, Delacruz 3, Guaderrama 10, Sanchez 4, Hoard 6, King 6.
Garden City - Eoff 6, Hart 2, Maxie 12, Zachary 4, Fine 2, Jones 3, Braden 25, Batla 14.
Three-point goals - Eoff.
JV - Garden City 25, Rankin 22.

Area girls boxes

Colorado City	13	10	10	19	- 52
Sonora	11	18	4	14	- 47

Colorado City - Crawford 16, Galey 13, McKnight 6, Mendoza 6, Ceballos 4, Scott 2, Ausbie 2.
Sonora - Ortiz 12, Marshall 12, Crain 8, Richardson 6, Jones 3, Covington 3, Purvis 2, Samaniego 1.
Records - Colorado City 10-10, 2-4 in 8-3A; Sonora 7-13, 2-4.
JV - Colorado City 47, Sonora 41.

Ira	15	11	18	16	- 60
Westbrook	5	15	1	7	- 28

Ira - J. Rankin 22, Northcott 10, Kelly 8, G. Rankin 8, Chaney 5, Taylor 3, Brasual 2, Chance 2.
Westbrook - Rich 7, Jones 7, Rollins 6, Duran 6, Vigil 2.
Records - Westbrook 2-12, 0-2 in 26-A; Ira 13-9, 2-0.

Klondike	19	29	18	17	- 83
Borden Co.	8	10	12	10	- 40

Leading Scorers - Klondike: Etheredge 29, Kinnear 25; Borden Co.: Isaacs 8.
Records - Borden Co. 8-14, 0-2.

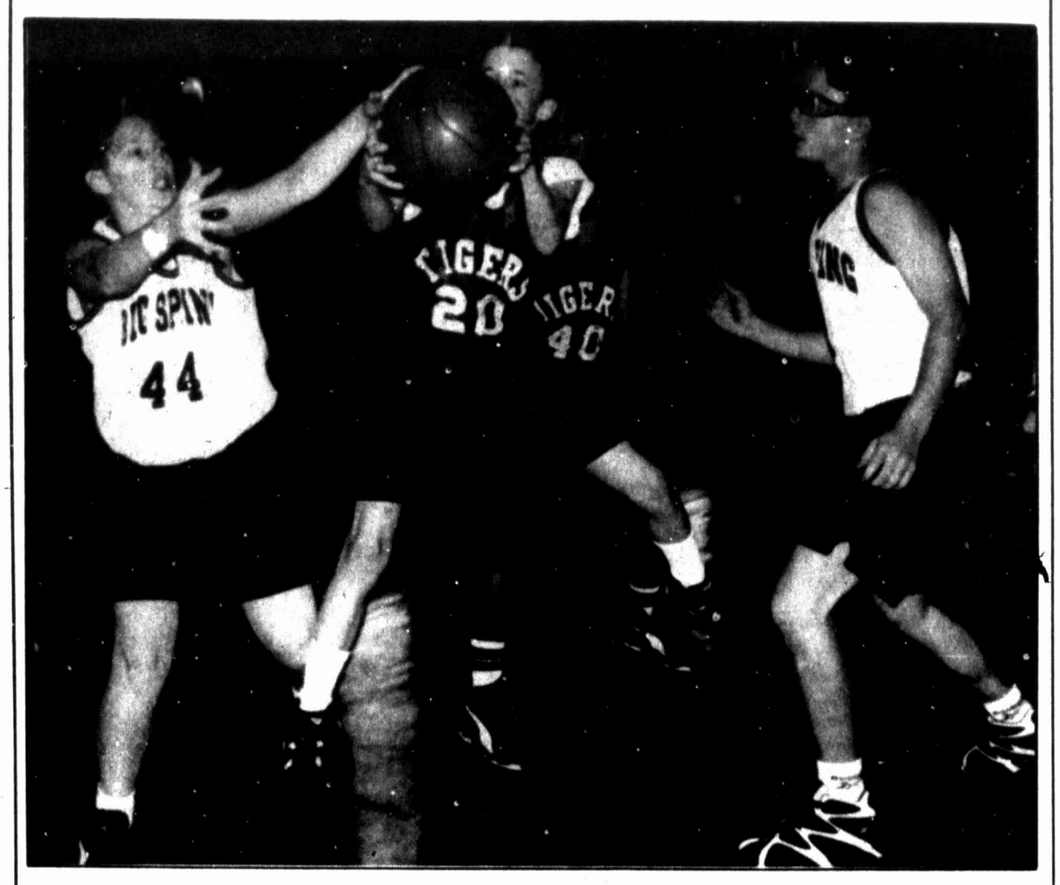
Area boys boxes

Colorado City	9	14	14	26	- 63
Sonora	19	15	13	22	- 69

Colorado City - Lindsey 22, Silva 8, Gutierrez 1, Dockery 4, Mays 9, Hoyle 12, Parras 5.
Sonora - Hudman 7, Smith 19, Barker 11, House 9, Burnham 19, Jones 4.
Three-point goals - Lindsey 4, Smith 4, House.
Records - Colorado City 4-11, 0-5 in 8-3A; Sonora 8-14, 1-4.
JV - Colorado City 49, Sonora 44.

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GOLIAD HOOPS



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Goliad Middle School's Marcus Hernandez (44) and Kyle Britton, right, go after a loose ball against Snyder last weekend at the Goliad Basketball Tournament.

Texas tames Tech men; No. 7 Lady Raiders cruise

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas coach Tom Penders clued in his assistant coaches and then threw his suit jacket into the middle of the court.

The theatrics drew the technical foul he was looking for and helped ignite the Longhorns to an 82-68 victory against Texas Tech on Saturday. Terrence Rencher led the Longhorns with 28 points.

"It fired us up," said Roderick Anderson, who added 18 points for Texas. "He wanted to motivate us and he did a pretty good job of it."

Texas (12-4, 4-1 Southwest Conference) trailed 15-11 and was off to a sluggish start when Anderson was called for charging and brought on Penders' outburst.

After Tech's Koy Smith gave the Raiders a 17-11 lead by making both free throws from the technical foul, the Longhorns went on an 11-0 run and took control of the game.

"I try to make them (technicals) when I want them and when it's not going to hurt the team," Penders said. "There were two or three calls that I thought weren't right, and I looked at the assistants and said, 'I think I'm about to get a technical here.'"

"I heard the record for the jacket flip was 25 feet. I was disappointed mine only went about 20 feet," Penders joked.

Tech (9-7, 3-2) was led by Mark Davis with 15 points and Jason Sasser with 14. The Red Raiders successfully broke Texas' full-court pressure, but they struggled with turnovers in their half-court offense and never recovered from a nearly 9-minute scoring drought from the field in the first half.

Texas beat Tech for the eighth straight time in Austin and extended its home winning streak to 20 games.

It was a matchup of the preseason conference favorites, but Tech coach James Dickey said he was disappointed with his team.

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>
> **Tom Penders**

"We weren't one of the two best teams in the league," Dickey said. "I think you saw one of the best two teams and that is Texas. Tom has done a great job. They have got a great backcourt in Roderick and Terrence."

The Red Raiders were frigid after Penders' technical foul, going without a basket from the field in nearly nine minutes before Cory Carr hit a shot with 20 seconds left, pulling Tech within 35-25 at halftime.

Texas Tech ladies blow out Texas

LUBBOCK (AP) — Michi Atkins had 19 points and 13 rebounds and No. 7 Texas Tech used an 18-2 first-half run to pound Texas 84-40 Saturday, the worst loss for the Lady Longhorns in 17 years.

The Lady Raiders (19-2, 5-0 Southwest Conference) used the big spurt to jump to a 22-6 lead and their 16th straight victory, the nation's second-longest winning streak.

Tech never was challenged again as it took a 46-22 lead at halftime. The margin grew throughout the second half with the biggest difference being the final score.

Tech didn't need much from its starters. Coach Marsha Sharp emptied her bench with 5:24 left and a 73-38 lead.

Tabitha Truesdale scored 16 points for the Lady Raiders and Connie Robinson added 14.

Angela Jackson led Texas (7-9, 3-2) with 11 points. She was the only player in double figures as Texas shot 22.2 percent for the game, including 17.9 in second half. The 14-for-63 effort was the worst from the field for a Texas team since Jody Conradt became head coach in 1976.

This was the fourth-lowest point total in Lady Longhorns history and their fourth-worst defeat. The last time they lost by 44 was Jan. 10, 1978, in a 102-48 defeat to Montclair State.

Although Texas has a 41-7 lead in the overall series with Tech, the Lady Raiders have won seven of the last 11 meetings.

The Lady Longhorns had won four out of five games before losing two straight to ranked teams. They fell to No. 13 Florida earlier this week.

100% Weird

Australian Open home of the bizarre

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Half tennis tournament, half soap opera, the Australian Open ends today after two weeks of drama and tragedy, comedy and silliness, heat, wind, storms and a flood.

All that's missing are kangaroos and koalas on center court, and no one would be shocked if they showed up to watch the men's final between Pete Sampras and Andre Agassi.

Thunder rumbled ominously Saturday and dark clouds marbled the sky, but an odd stripe of sunshine broke through to brighten the court long enough for Mary Pierce to claim her first Grand Slam title with a 6-3, 6-2 upset of Arantxa Sanchez Vicario.

Much stranger things happened over the fortnight.

There was the Yarra River, nicknamed the Upside Down River because its top is as brown as its bottom, overflowing its banks in a flash flood Friday night and swamping the courts and corridors in ankle-deep water.

All that's missing are kangaroos and koalas on center court, and no one would be shocked if they showed up to watch the men's final between Pete Sampras and Andre Agassi.

There was Sampras, the least emotional champion since Bjorn Borg, serving aces through his tears during an epic five-set victory over Jim Courier on the day Sampras' coach, Tim Gullikson, returned home with a serious illness related to two recent strokes.

There was Naoko Sawamatsu's rousing run to the women's semifinals after her family home in Japan was destroyed in an earthquake.

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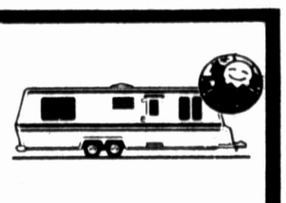
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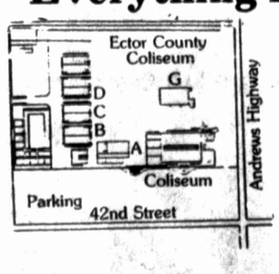
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Who will win?

Uncle Stevie says, 'Why Not the Chargers?'

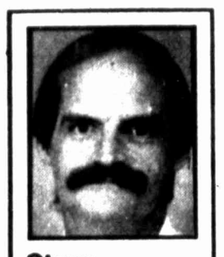
Good afternoon, Mr. Reagan. It has come to our attention there will be a football game called the Super Bowl played later today in Miami. This Super Bowl is being billed as one of the greatest mismatches in history. The 49ers, so the experts tell us, are exceedingly superior to the Chargers.

The problem with this situation is that it violates the great American tradition of competition. Also, several bookies we know are taking a beating.

There must be a way for the Chargers to win this game – short of using explosives or incriminating photos. Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to find that way. Show the world that San Diego can win the game. Show that dreams do come true, impossible odds can be overcome, ... you know, all that Cinderella baloney.

This tape will self-destruct in five seconds.

Oh, wait! There's something important we forgot to tell you! Don't forget to SQUAWK!FIZZLE!BEEEEP! ...



Steve Reagan
Sports Writer

Wow, talk about your impossible missions!

Backing the Chargers in today's Super Bowl is kind of like believing in the tooth fairy: It's a nice dream, but admitting it in public makes you look foolish.

Then again, my job is not to convince you that the Chargers WILL win; it's to convince you they CAN win.

So, Mr. Expert, how can the Bolts do the dirty deed?

The Chargers will have a chance at victory if they accomplish the following things:

1. Control the ball

Everybody talks about what an unstoppable force Steve Young and the 49ers' offense is, but there is one sure-fire way to stop it:

Don't let them on the field.

San Diego absolutely must dominate time of possession. Give Natrone Means the ball, oh, 40 times or so and eat the clock. If the Chargers can put together a few 10-minute possessions (that end in scores, naturally), that will level the playing field a great deal.

2. Avoid turnovers

It's a given San Francisco will score its share of points today. It's vital the Chargers don't give the 49ers any more chances than necessary.

3. Hound Young unmercifully

Teams that have consistently put pressure on Young have rattled him. Of course, the guy is playing so well this season, you could probably rip off his arm and he'd still find a way to beat you.

Regardless, the Chargers' defense has to find a way to harass Young today. Blitz him, hit him early and often, make him hear footsteps. Everybody talks about what a great running quarterback he is, but he can't beat San Diego running the ball – he has to throw it.

Make him pay when he does.

4. Shut down the short passes

Young completed almost 70 percent of his passes this season, and most of those were short slant-ins and crossing routes to Jerry Rice, John Taylor and the rest of the 49er receiving corps.

San Francisco's offensive philosophy is based on ball control via the short pass, so the Chargers have to cheat toward the line of scrimmage and dare Young to beat them with the long ball. Sure, it's a gamble, but San Diego's going to have to take a few of those if it's going to win today.

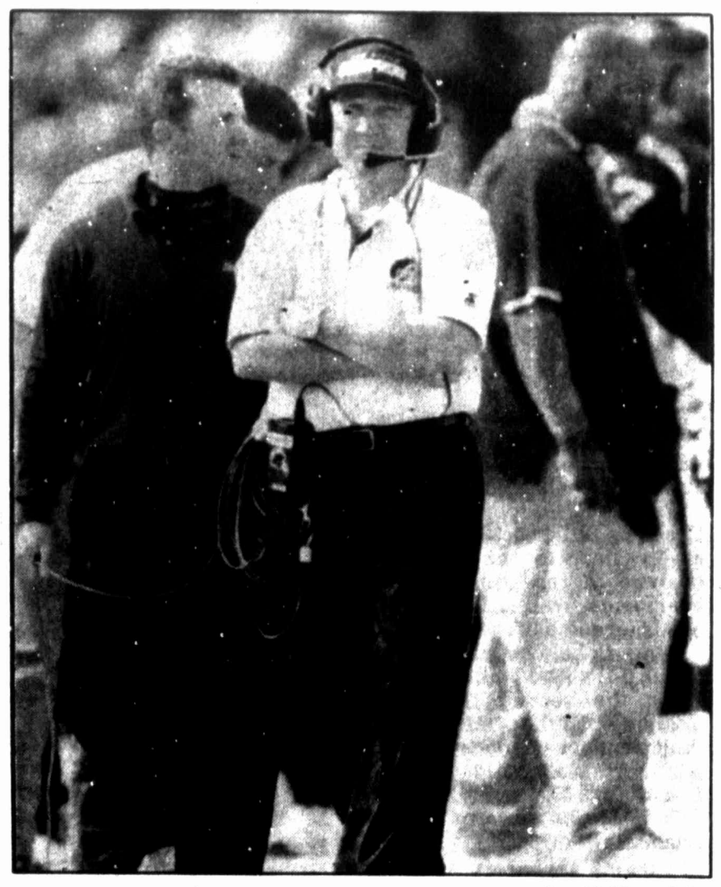
So there you have it, folks: The Impossible Mission Force's four keys to San Diego Super Happiness.

If the Chargers accomplish all four of these things, will they absolutely beat the 49ers?

Not necessarily. San Diego could play the game of its life and still get beat by 21 points. San Francisco is that good.

But the 49ers can be taken.

By a score of, say, 28-24.



Associated Press photo

If San Diego wins today's Super Bowl, coach Bobby Ross, above with headset, will become the second coach to win NCAA and NFL championships. The first? Jimmy Johnson.

Queasy stomachs should skip 49er romp

Can't wait to turn on the television today. TNT is having a "Starsky and Hutch" marathon! Awesome!

Yeah, there's this football game starting at 5:18 p.m., something called Super Bore XXIX, but who gives a rip? We're talking David Soul and Paul Michael Glaser here! Oh, and that red Ford Torino they drove with the white stripe down the side?

Talk about Super Sunday!

Starsky and Hutch will grab the crooks every hour on the hour, while the San Diego Chargers will be doing their dead-level best to survive past the first commercial of the Super Bore.

The San Francisco 49ers are 19-point favorites. The only comparable Super Bore mismatch was Super Bore III - Baltimore Colts vs. New York Jets.

OK, you're thinking, "Hey, Baltimore was supposed to win that game easy, but New York killed them."

You're right - New York won 16-7. Don't forget, too - that game was in Miami, as is today's Super Bore.

There's just one problem. San Diego quarterback Stan Humphries couldn't carry Joe Namath's jockstrap.

Humphries has talent and heart, but in both categories he falls well short of Namath, the Jets' quarterback in Super Bore III. Humphries has spent the week saying the Chargers can win the game, they have nothing to lose and they're going to have fun while seeing what happens.



Dave Hargrave
Sports Editor

Namath had pure guts, guaranteeing before the game his Jets would win. He put his team on his shoulders, and the Jets won.

If anyone deserves to be cocky in this game, it's 49er quarterback Steve Young. Sitting before him today is a Charger defense that couldn't stop the Pittsburgh Steelers, a team with a pedestrian offense, in the AFC Championship. Pittsburgh marched down the field most of the game but somehow didn't win. San Diego's defense, geared to stop the run, slowed Pittsburgh's running game only somewhat while the Steelers passed it silly.

Today's Super Bore will be perhaps the worst blowout in professional sports championship history. By the end of the first quarter, 'Starsky and Hutch,' 'The Simpsons,' or even 'The Best Test Patterns of the 20th Century' will be more attractive than the carnage in Miami's Joe Robbie Stadium.

By halftime, ABC Sports' announcing team of Al Michaels, Dan Dierdorf and Frank Gifford will be chatting about Miami restaurants, and Gifford's wife, Kathie Lee, will sing 'Hey, Hey Goodbye' once the Chargers' tombstone is firmly in place.

How bad will it be? Try really, really, really bad. Try maybe the worst championship blowout of all-time, until the Chargers score a couple of late, meaningless touchdowns.

San Francisco 58, San Diego 21.

The 58 points will be a Super Bore record, breaking the mark the 49ers set in Super Bore XXIV when they beat the Denver Broncos 55-10. San Diego's points will be gifts - by the second half the 49ers will be playing on cruise control, and everyone knows San Francisco's Dexter Carter fumbles the ball at least once per game.

Sure it's exciting to root for the underdog, but you might want to excuse yourself from that American responsibility today.

It won't be pretty.

Just ask Starsky and Hutch.

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Mismatch?

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sand castles in commercials, the average fan would be hard-pressed to recognize anyone, even Humphries or Natrone Means, the smashmouth running back.

The only way the Chargers appear to have a chance Sunday is to run the ball with Means, the second-year pro who evokes memories of John Riggins.

"I've told the players, we're not just glad to be here, we're here to win a football game," says Bobby Ross, the coach who won half a college national championship at Georgia Tech in 1991 and will try to duplicate Jimmy Johnson's college-pro double.

The Super Bowl media center computer, which has picked the past 14 games, picks the biggest spread ever: 46-15, 49ers. The previous high: 42-12 in 1969, which turned out to be a 55-10 win by San Francisco over Denver.

There is one thing going for the Chargers.

The New York Jets were the previous biggest underdog, 18 points to the Colts in 1969. They won 16-7 after Joe Namath guaranteed victory.

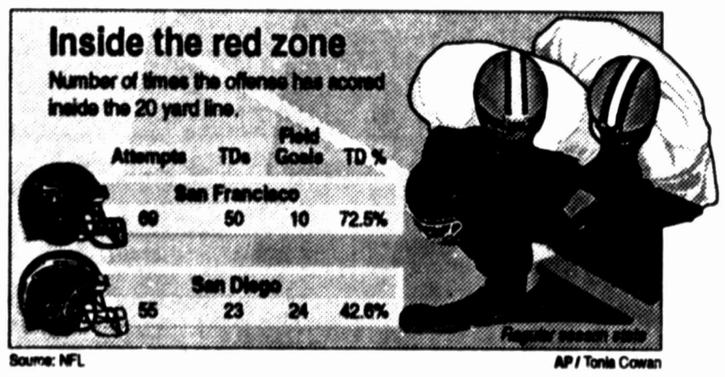
Nobody this week has guaranteed anything.

Namath was asked if this game might be a repeat of his Super Bowl.

"History says it can be done. It happened once, it can happen again," he said.

So who did he like Sunday?

"The 49ers."



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Young soaks in Super Sunday

MIAMI — Steve Young has a law degree, which a guy can really use when he keeps getting charged with not being Joe Montana.

Young also has the NFL record for quarterback efficiency.



YOUNG

Moving right along, the San Francisco 49ers' quarterback has just been handed the league's Player of the Year trophy. Now he has a trophy for each hand.

And Deion Sanders says Young "has got some soul."

So, it seems as if Steve Young has got some of everything.

Ah, hold on.

Everything but a Super Bowl ring.

Unless the San Diego Chargers make chumps of everyone, Young will have that ring. Yeah, the ring's the thing. How are great quarterbacks measured? By the orbit around their fourth fingers.

Is this wise? Fran Tarkenton has no Super Bowl rings. But Jeff Hostetler has one. John Elway? None. But Doug Williams has one.

And Joe Montana has four.

Young, who could have used his law-dog smarts to sue Niners fans for non-support, finally seems to have been embraced by the Bay Area. He has taken them to the cusp of glory.

There have been three seasons of 3,000 or more passing yards. Four consecutive 100-plus QB ratings. Stats and testimonials galore.

But to loads of critics, any Charger success will be obliterated by the perception of a Steve Young failure.

"We risk everything we've got this weekend," said Young, when asked if a 49ers' defeat would be comparable to a train wreck.

And the left-handed quarterback, who was thinking more along the lines of team-wide disaster, will be in the critical crosshairs.

Young became a San Francisco 49er in 1987, thanks to a slick trading maneuver by Bill Walsh. Young, a descendent of Brigham Young, had racked up big numbers while at BYU and big cash with the USFL's L.A. Express.

After moving to the NFL and Tampa Bay, Young often was obliged to run for his life. He was doggone good at it, too, so the Bucs sort of turned this skill into part of the game plan. But you don't exactly learn how to become a polished quarterback that way. The opportunity to study under Walsh and Montana made for a quick study. It didn't take long for the team and the starting quarterback to learn that Young was too talented to just stand there and watch.

"I was in the lab with Joe Montana every day," said Young. "I don't know a better situation there could be. But there was a time when I felt like, 'OK, I got this down, now can I try it?"

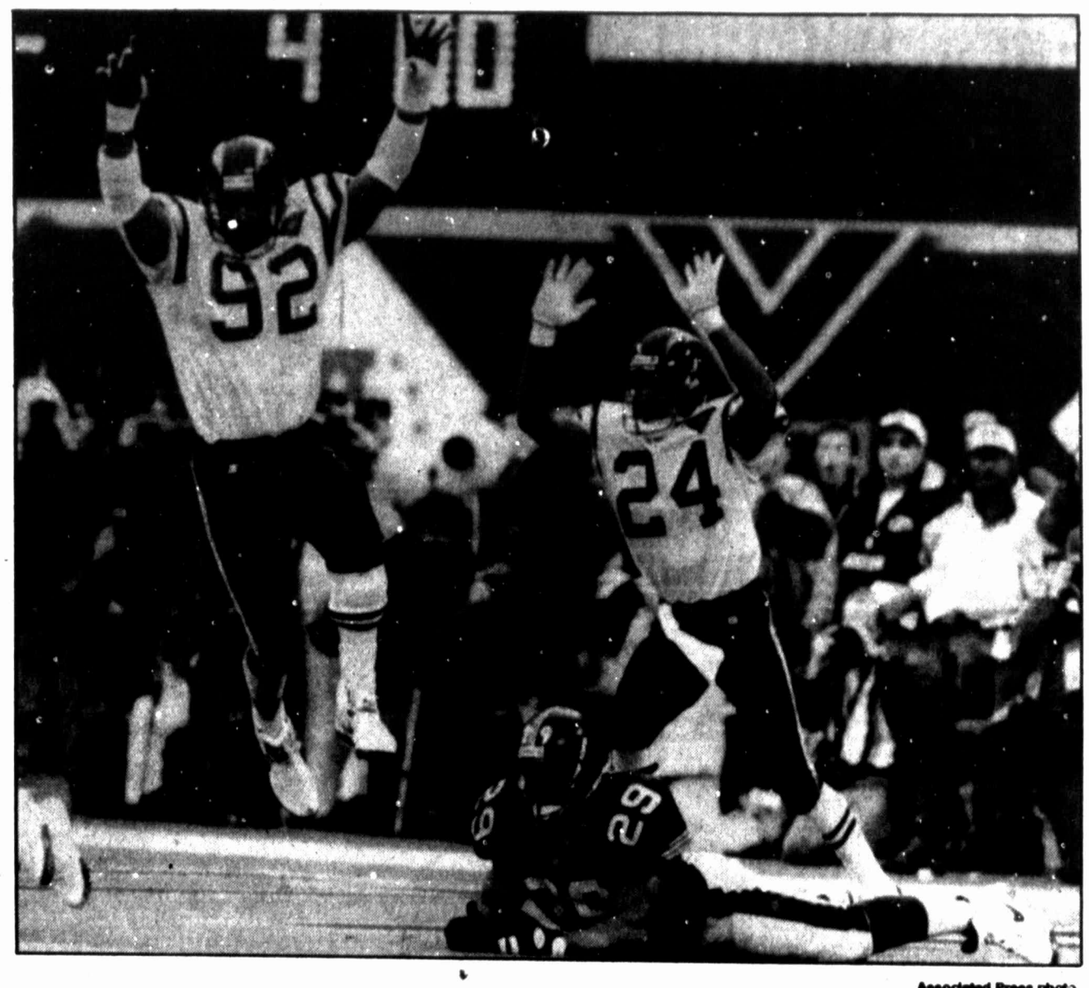
When Montana was injured and it became his turn to try, Young excelled. Until the playoffs. The other 49ers weren't quite up to the same speed they had when jogging along to the Super Bowl with Montana.

Although he performed to Pro Bowl specifications, Young became the rallying point of ridicule for Niners fans.

This season has been different. The franchise went out and leased a defense and, suddenly, the leader of the offense has the look of a winner.

As for Steve Young's seat in the doghouse of NFL history, it's all over but the ring — and the shouting.

Thomson News Service



Associated Press photo
San Diego Chargers David Griggs (92) and Stanley Richard (24) celebrate after teammate Dennis Gibson (unseen) blocked a touchdown pass meant for Pittsburgh's Barry Foster (29) in the AFC Championship Jan. 15. San Diego won 17-13 to reach the Super Bowl.

Consulting the stars

Celebrities going with the favorite, San Francisco

It's time once more for the annual Scripps Howard Super Bowl Celebrity Poll, where famous folks divulge which team they think will win between the Super Bowl.

We asked each of our panelists "Why don't you just whisper it to me, just between you and me," starting with:

JOHNNIE COCHRAN JR., lead attorney for O.J. Simpson: San Francisco. They're going to beat them up. Bet on Simpson and San Francisco — that's a great parlay.

MARCIA CLARK, lead prosecutor in Simpson trial: Oh, puhleeze, I know nothing about that.

BILL CLINTON, president: I'm for the team from California.

PAULA CORBIN JONES, suing Clinton: San Francisco.

JERRY MATHERS, The Beaver: San Francisco 40, San Diego 30. San Francisco will win but if I were betting, I'd take the Chargers and the points.

GERALD FORD, former president: I always favor the underdog, and the Chargers are better than the 19-point spread. I think San Diego is going to win.

SPIKE LEE, movie director: Knicks by 7.

BEANO COOK, TV analyst: San Francisco 63, San Diego 2. Both Nebraska and Penn State would give the 49ers a better game than the Chargers.

BILL O'REILLY, "Inside Edition" anchor: I'm picking the San Francisco 49ers, 38-10. If San Francisco loses this game, I'm moving to Sri Lanka.

GARY SHANDLING, comedian/actor: San Francisco 122, San Diego 3. If the Super Bowl were played in San Diego instead of Miami, the score would then be San Francisco 122, San Diego 6.

HANK AARON, baseball hall of famer: San Diego, 17-14. San Diego's defense will stand tall.

SONNY BONO, California congressman/singer: I believe San Francisco will win the game, but it does depend on how angry Junior Seau is when he wakes up.

JACK NICKLAUS, golfer: Anybody that doesn't pick San Francisco is probably crazy.

RICHARD JENI, comedian: The way things are going, I wouldn't rule out the possibility of a strike at halftime.

ORVILLE REDENBACHER, popcorn mogul: It'll be San Diego by three points. I think San Francisco was lucky against Dallas. They got three quick scores, but Dallas outplayed them after that.

LEIGH STEINBERG, player's agent: I represent seven 49ers and one lonely Charger. I think it's obvious who I'm pulling for — isn't it?

HARRY CARAY, Cubs announcer: As far as winning, it's San Francisco all the way. If I could have the points, I'd take San Diego.

PETE WILSON, California governor: I've been following the Chargers for over 30 years. This is a big moment and we're looking for big things. My heart is with those Chargers. Go Chargers! The Bolt is back.

LARRY KING, talk show host: San Francisco is one of the great football teams ever, and without taking anything away from a very good San Diego team, this is a great San Francisco team. It's still beyond a leap of faith to say anything but San Francisco 35, San Diego 14.

Scripps Howard News Service

Some start it hot

San Francisco generally starts games well offensively, scoring 11 of their 37 pass touchdowns in the first quarter of play.

1st quarter

	Rushing				Passing					
	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Com	Att	In	Yds	CPct	TD
San Diego	116	501	4.3	2	56	110	3	672	50.9	2
San Francisco	107	473	4.4	1	101	145	2	1,289	69.7	11

Early strength

Expect Steve Young to start out well in the Super Bowl. In his first down attempts, he has completed over 70 percent of his passes for 11 touchdowns.

Passing: First 10 attempts

	Com	Att	In	Yds	CPct	TD	QBRate
Stan Humphries	81	150	2	1,035	54.0	3	76.9
Steve Young	113	160	2	1,305	70.6	11	112.6

Wrapping it up

San Diego's pass offense goes into full gear in the fourth quarter, while San Francisco's high-powered offense has been more consistant.

4th quarter

	Rushing				Passing					
	Att	Yds	Avg	TD	Com	Att	In	Yds	CPct	TD
San Diego	145	595	4.1	2	82	136	5	951	60.3	8
San Francisco	173	615	3.6	5	79	107	2	978	73.8	10

Source: STATS, Inc

AP / Tracie Tso

49ers spent all the money for this game

MIAMI (AP) — In a week of endless interviews, only one question left Carmen Policy momentarily speechless.

What if the San Francisco 49ers lose?

The team president gave the inquiring reporter a puzzled stare, his mouth open, but silent.

Finally, Policy responded.

"What did you say?" he asked.

It could happen, you know. San Francisco, the most lopsided favorite in Super Bowl history, could lose Sunday to the San Diego Chargers.

Policy thought about the unthinkable.

"What would the reaction be?" he said. "It would be that we are, for the purposes of the 1994 season, an irrelevant team — because everything we did has absolutely no bearing whatsoever in terms of where we had to go.

"That's why Sunday is so critically important, because it becomes the closure of all this effort that we've been talking about — everything we've done, and every dollar we've spent."

Whew. Talk about pressure. The assumptions, the expectations, the weight of this week's buildup to the big game are all on the 49ers.

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BASKETBALL

District 4-4A Girls

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Big Spring	8	0	18	4
Lake View	6	2	16	7
Andrews	4	3	14	11
Monahans	3	4	13	12
Fort Stockton	1	7	12	13
Pecos	1	7	4	14

FRIDAY'S SCORES

Big Spring 72, Fort Stockton 48; Monahans 54, Andrews 43; Lake View 66, Pecos 31.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Lake View at Andrews; Monahans at Pecos; Fort Davis at Fort Stockton; Big Spring idle.

District 4-4A Boys

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Andrews	6	0	19	7
Big Spring	4	2	9	18
Pecos	4	2	14	11
Lake View	2	4	8	11
Monahans	1	5	16	8
Ft. Stockton	1	5	9	15

FRIDAY'S SCORES

Big Spring 95, Fort Stockton 83; Andrews 76, Monahans 49; Lake View 56, Pecos 48.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Lake View at Andrews; Monahans at Pecos; Fort Davis open; Big Spring idle.

Area Boys' Scores

Ira 9 13 10 26 -58
Westbrook 27 9 18 28 -82

Ira - Rogers 17, Mathis 14, Collom 11, Howard 12, Brasuel 3, Davis 1.

Westbrook - Daniels 22, J. Hill 22, C. Hill 11, H. Hill 8, Morris 6, White 5, Matlock 2, Reyes 2.

Records - Westbrook 5-11, 1-1 in 26-A; Ira 1-14, 0-2.

Klondike 16 27 25 10 -78
Borden Co. 7 6 7 12 -32

Leading Scorers - Klondike: Etheredge 34, M. Arlemendez 13, C. Arlemendez 10; Borden Co.: Hess 6, Baeza 6, Cooley 6.

Records - Klondike 21-2, 2-0; Borden Co. 4-19, 0-2.

4-4A Girls' Scores

Andrews 13 7 8 13 -43
Monahans 15 12 9 19 -54

Andrews - Porter 10, Ramsey 3, Allen 3, Rampone 6, Renteria 3, McDonald 10, Connally 8.

Monahans - Sloan 0, Tarango 12, Williams 19, Hicks 4, Dutton 8, Johnson 9.

Three-point goals - Renteria, Williams 4, Tarango, Dutton.

Pecos 10 6 8 7 - 31
Lake View 13 20 24 11 -68

Pecos - Nichols 15, Carrasco 2, Estrell 4, Marquez 2, Arienvas 2, Verela 2, Oliver 6, Dominguez 0.

Lake View - Harper 8, Lee 13, Aguero 3, Irvin 4, Shockley 9, Guerrero 3, Rodriguez 4, Stephens 12, Allen 12.

Three-point goals - Nichols 2, Lee 3, Shockley, Harper.

4-4 Boys' Scores

Andrews 22 19 19 16 -76
Monahans 11 12 14 12 -49

Andrews - Mayfield 20, Browning 15, Do 10, Molleur 5, Sanders 4, Moore 4, Farise 0, Cloud 3, Daniels 1, Dickerson 5, Crawford 9.

Monahans - Johnson 16, Huckabee 2, Pittman 9, Woods 5, Williams 0, Cockrum 8, Rivera 2, Ornelas 7.

Three-point goals - Mayfield 6, Browning, Cloud, Do, Pittman, Woods.

Pecos 7 18 11 12 -48
Lake View 18 15 9 14 -56

Pecos - Rodriguez 3, Graves 2, Villanueva 8, Dodson 10, Terry 25.

Lake View - Bartz 6, Napoles 7, Byrd 8, Ashley 7, Wiley 16, Curry 4, Burke 6, Curry 4, Valdez 2, Velez 0.

Three-point goals - Terry 2, Villanueva 2, Rodriguez, Wiley 2, Napoles, Ashley.

District 6-2A Girls

Second-Half Standings

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
x-Winters	1	0	20	5
Jim Ned	1	0	18	5
Wall	1	0	12	12
Stanton	0	1	16	8
Forsan	0	1	14	10
Coahoma	0	1	8	18

x - first-half champion

FRIDAY'S SCORES

Winters 69, Stanton 54; Jim Ned 61, Forsan 40; Wall 43, Coahoma 35.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Forsan at Coahoma; Stanton at Jim Ned; Winters vs. Wall.

District 6-2A Boys

Second-Half Standings

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
x-Jim Ned	1	0	20	3
Wall	1	0	12	10
Stanton	1	0	13	10
Coahoma	0	1	16	10
Forsan	0	1	15	9
Winters	0	1	4	14

x - first-half champion

FRIDAY'S SCORES

Jim Ned 66, Forsan 60; Wall 53, Coahoma 48; Stanton 66, Winters 46.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Forsan at Coahoma; Stanton at Jim Ned; Winters vs. Wall.

District 25-A Girls

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Garden City	3	0	14	8
Sanderson	2	1	14	7
Rankin	1	2	17	9
Wink	0	3	0	15

FRIDAY'S SCORES

Garden City 66, Rankin 31; Sanderson 56, Wink 30.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Sanderson vs. Rankin; Wink at Garden City.

District 25-A Boys

Team	District W	District L	Overall W	Overall L
Rankin	3	0	23	2
Wink	2	1	7	5
Garden City	1	2	4	19
Sanderson	0	3	3	17

TUESDAY'S SCORES

Wink 94, Sanderson 26; Rankin 96, Garden City 61.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

Sanderson vs. Rankin; Wink at Garden City.

NBA Standings

All Times EST

	W	L	Pct.	GB
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
Orlando	35	8	.814	—
New York	26	14	.650	7 1/2
Boston	16	26	.381	18 1/2
New Jersey	16	26	.364	19 1/2
Miami	14	27	.341	20
Philadelphia	12	30	.286	22 1/2
Washington	11	26	.282	22
Central Division				
Cleveland	26	15	.634	—
Charlotte	26	16	.619	1/2
Indiana	24	17	.585	2
Chicago	20	21	.488	6
Atlanta	18	24	.429	8 1/2
Milwaukee	16	26	.381	10 1/2
Detroit	13	26	.333	12
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Utah	31	10	.756	—
San Antonio	24	14	.632	5 1/2
Houston	24	15	.615	6
Denver	19	21	.475	11 1/2
Dallas	16	23	.410	14
Minnesota	10	30	.250	20 1/2
Pacific Division				
Phoenix	33	8	.805	—
Seattle	28	11	.718	4
L.A. Lakers	26	13	.667	6
Sacramento	23	17	.575	9 1/2
Portland	22	18	.550	10 1/2
Golden State	12	26	.316	19 1/2
L.A. Clippers	7	36	.163	27

Saturday's Games

Late Games Not Included

L.A. Lakers 128, Seattle 121, OT
Washington 93, L.A. Clippers 87
Orlando 107, Milwaukee 103
Charlotte 102, Atlanta 93
Detroit 89, Miami 85
Indiana 106, Philadelphia 103, OT

Sacramento at Dallas, (n)
Minnesota at Houston, (n)
Denver at San Antonio, (n)
New Jersey at Utah, (n)

Top 25 Scores

How the top 25 teams in The Associated Press' men's college basketball poll fared Saturday:

1. Massachusetts (15-1) did not play. Next: vs. St. Bonaventure, Monday.
2. Connecticut (15-1) lost to No. 7 Kansas 88-59. Next: vs. Miami at Hartford, Conn., Tuesday.
3. North Carolina (16-1) beat No. 16 Wake Forest 62-61. Next: at Duke, Thursday.
4. UCLA (12-2) lost to California 100-93. Next: at Southern California, Thursday.
5. Kentucky (13-2) did not play. Next: at No. 9 Arkansas, Sunday.
6. Syracuse (15-2) beat Miami 76-51. Next: at No. 14 Georgetown, Monday.
7. Kansas (15-2) beat No. 2 Connecticut 88-59. Next: vs. Colorado, Tuesday.
8. Maryland (16-3) beat Duke 74-72. Next: vs. No. 15 Virginia, Wednesday.
9. Arkansas (15-4) did not play. Next: vs. No. 5 Kentucky, Sunday.
10. Michigan State (14-2) beat Illinois 75-67. Next: vs. Penn State, Thursday.
11. Iowa State (17-2) beat Kansas State 87-79. Next: vs. No. 20 Missouri, Monday.
12. Arizona (14-4) at Oregon State. Next: vs. Washington State, Thursday.
13. Arizona State (13-5) at No. 16 Oregon. Next: vs. Washington, Thursday.
14. Georgetown (14-3) beat Pittsburgh 71-60. Next: vs. No. 6 Syracuse, Monday.
15. Virginia (12-5) beat George Mason 128-96. Next: at No. 8 Maryland, Wednesday.
16. Wake Forest (11-4) lost to No. 3 North Carolina 62-61. Next: vs. Vanderbilt, Sunday.
17. Stanford (13-3) beat Southern California 86-82. Next: vs. No. 18 Oregon, Thursday.
18. Oregon (12-3) vs. No. 13 Arizona State. Next: at No. 17 Stanford, Thursday.
19. Cincinnati (15-6) lost to Saint Louis 75-66. Next: at Memphis, Friday.
20. Missouri (14-3) did not play. Next: at No. 11 Iowa State, Monday.
21. Georgia Tech (12-6) did not play. Next: at Florida State, Sunday.
22. Villanova (13-5) beat Providence 86-67. Next: vs. St. John's at Madison Square Garden, Wednesday.
23. Florida (10-6) beat Mississippi 72-57. Next: at Mississippi State, Wednesday.
24. New Mexico State (14-4) vs. Pacific. Next: at Cal State-Fullerton, Thursday.
25. Oklahoma (15-4) beat Nebraska 82-72. Next: vs. No. 11 Iowa State, Wednesday.

College Scores

Friday
Men

EAST
Brown 63, Columbia 59
Delaware 84, Vermont 62
Drexel 59, Hartford 49
Massachusetts 97, West Virginia 94, OT
Yale 73, Cornell 67

FAR WEST
Boise St. 74, Montana 66
Montana St. 88, Idaho St. 70
Santa Clara 85, Portland 58
St. Mary's, Cal. 73, Gonzaga 66

Saturday
Men

SOUTHWEST
Ark.-Little Rock 66, Arkansas St. 64
Houston 73, Southern Meth. 71
North Texas 86, Sam Houston St. 62
Oklahoma 82, Nebraska 72
Rice 90, Baylor 79
Stephen F.Austin 88, Texas-Arlington 71
Texas 82, Texas Tech 66
Texas Christian 72, Texas A&M 71
Texas Southern 88, Prairie View 49
W. Kentucky 77, Lamar 66

FAR WEST
California 100, UCLA 93
Pepperdine 74, Loyola Marymount 65, OT
Stanford 85, Southern Cal 82
Washington St. 74, Washington 73

HOCKEY

NHL Standings

All Times EST

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
EASTERN CONFERENCE						
Atlantic Division						
N.Y. Islanders	2	2	1	5	12	16
Florida	2	3	0	4	14	14
Philadelphia	2	3	0	4	10	14
Tampa Bay	2	3	0	4	14	17
Washington	1	2	1	3	7	10
N.Y. Rangers	1	4	0	2	9	11
New Jersey	0	3	1	1	4	10
Northeast Division						
Pittsburgh	4	0	0	8	19	14
Quebec	4	0	0	8	17	5
Buffalo	3	1	1	7	14	13
Boston	3	1	0	6	8	4
Montreal	2	1	0	4	9	6
Hartford	1	2	2	4	10	9
Ottawa	0	2	2	2	10	14
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
Detroit	4	1	0	8	21	11
St. Louis	3	1	0	6	19	10
Dallas	2	1	1	5	11	7
Toronto	2	2	1	5	14	13
Chicago	2	2	0	4	13	11
Winnipeg	1	3	1	3	13	17
Pacific Division						
San Jose	3	1	0	6	12	9
Anaheim	3	2	0	6	14	15
Calgary	2	2	1	5	15	15
Edmonton	2	3	0	4	13	19
Los Angeles	0	3	1	1	9	14
Vancouver	0	3	1	1	7	20

Saturday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Philadelphia 2, Boston 1
Detroit 5, Edmonton 2
Florida 2, Hartford 1
Montreal 5, New Jersey 1
San Jose 3, Dallas 2
Tampa Bay 4, N.Y. Islanders 1
Buffalo 2, Ottawa 2, tie
Quebec 2, N.Y. Rangers 0
Toronto 2, Calgary 1
Vancouver at St. Louis, (n)
Winnipeg at Los Angeles, (n)

BOWLING

Local Leagues

NOTE - Additional bowling results will be printed during the week in the Herald:

MEN'S MAJOR BOWLING

RESULTS - Fina Engineers over Trio Fuels, 8-0; O'Daniel Trucking over Parks Ins. Co., 8-0; Bob Brock Ford over Freds Construction, 6-2; Walker L.P. Gas over B.S.I., 6-2; Denny's over Bob Brock Body Shop, 6-2; Rocky's over Pollard Chevrolet, 6-2; Parks Conv. Center over Frank Hagen T.V., 6-2; hi game Fernando Saucedo, 290; hi series Eddie Williams, 767; hi team game, Parks Conv. Center, 1203; hi team series Walker L.P. Gas, 3435.

STANDINGS - Fina Engineers, 101-59; Bob Brock Ford, 100-60; Walker L.P. Gas, 100-60; Rocky's, 86-74; O'Daniel Trucking, 84-76; Denny's, 82-78; Pollard's Chevrolet, 78-82; Freds Construction, 74-86; Parks Ins. Co., 74-86; Trio Fuels, 70-90; B.S.I., 67-93; Hagen T.V. Repair, 64-96; Bob Brock Body Shop, 54-106.

WEDNESDAY NITE TRIO

RESULTS - A Timeless Design split with Golden Corral, 4-4; Slow Starters Two split with Fifth Wheels, 4-4; Fly By Night over Security State Bank, 6-2; Charlotte's Raiders over Adventures by Gail, 6-2; Big Spring Music over Loan Stars, 8-0; Neals Sporting Goods over Randy's Sugs, 8-0; Copy Cats split with Gas 'N' Grub, 4-4; Comanche Flats over NTS, 6-2; hi sc. game (man) Junior Barber, 229; hi sc. series (man) JM Ringener, 614; hi hdcp game and series (man) Kenneth Conway, 268 and 713; hi sc. game and series (woman) Joycee DAvis, 217 and 612; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Ursula Gomez, 259 and 685; hi sc. team game and series Big Spring Music, 594 and 1723; hi hdcp team game Golden Corral, 740; hi hdcp team series Charlotte's Raiders, 1960.

STANDINGS - Big Spring Music, 107-45; Charlotte's Raiders, 94-58; Copy Cats, 86-66; Loan Stars, 84-68; Security State Bank,83-69; Slow Starters Two, 83-69; Fly By Night, 80-72; Golden Corral, 78-74; NTS, 74-78; Fifth Wheels, 73-79; Neals Sporting Goods, 72-80; A Timeless Design, 72-80; Gas 'N' Grub, 68-84; Adventures by Gail, 61-91; Comanche Flats, 51-101; Randy's Sugs, 50-102.

PINPOPPERS

RESULTS - Health Food Center over Petty Farms, 6-2; Kuykendall Inc. over D & S Installations, 7-1; Calverts Liquor tied Steve Smith Agency, 4-4; A & B Farms over Yates Cattle Co., 6-2; Tret-O-Lite over Casual Shoppe, 8-0; hi sc. game and series Rene Cave, 223 and 556; hi sc. team game and series Tret-O-Lite, 681 and 1896; hi hdcp game Rene Cave, 253; hi hdcp series Laura Baker, 650; hi hdcp team game and series Tret-O-Lite, 834 and 2355.

STANDINGS - Tret-O-Lite, 118-50; Health Food Center, 101-67; Petty Farms, 90-78; A & B Farms, 84-84; Casual Shoppe, 82-86; Steve Smith Agency, 80-88; Kuykendall Inc., 80-80; Calverts Liquor, 71-97; Yates Cattle Co., 68-92; D & S Installation, 56-112.

Howard

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"I think a lot of our offense is generated off our defense," Jones said. "I expect Howard to be very focused Monday night, and I expect that the team that plays the best defense will have the best chance of winning ... I think it's going to be a very entertaining game."

Despite Howard's loss to Odessa, Jones still considers the Lady Hawks the team to beat in the conference, and Gray hopes Jones is right.

"I think they went in not prepared, and it cost them," Gray said of Thursday's loss. "Hopefully, it will make them re-focus for the game Monday night ... This is a big ball game for us. We don't want to be in the situation of having to be pressed all the way through the regular season."

Monday starts a four-game homestand for the Lady Hawks, while Midland will have to play five of its remaining seven games on the road. Gray hopes Howard will take advantage of its home-court situation.

"It makes Monday's game much more important, certainly, because the winner walks away with first place," Gray said Thursday after the loss to Odessa. "The good thing is, this was our fourth road game, and Midland has just played their fourth home game. That should give us an advantage in the second half."

Jones admits Midland's impending road swing will be crucial.

"I think at this time, everybody's jockeying for position in the conference," he said. "More than anything else, I think we need to concentrate on playing one game at a time. I know that's a cliché, but you have to do that."

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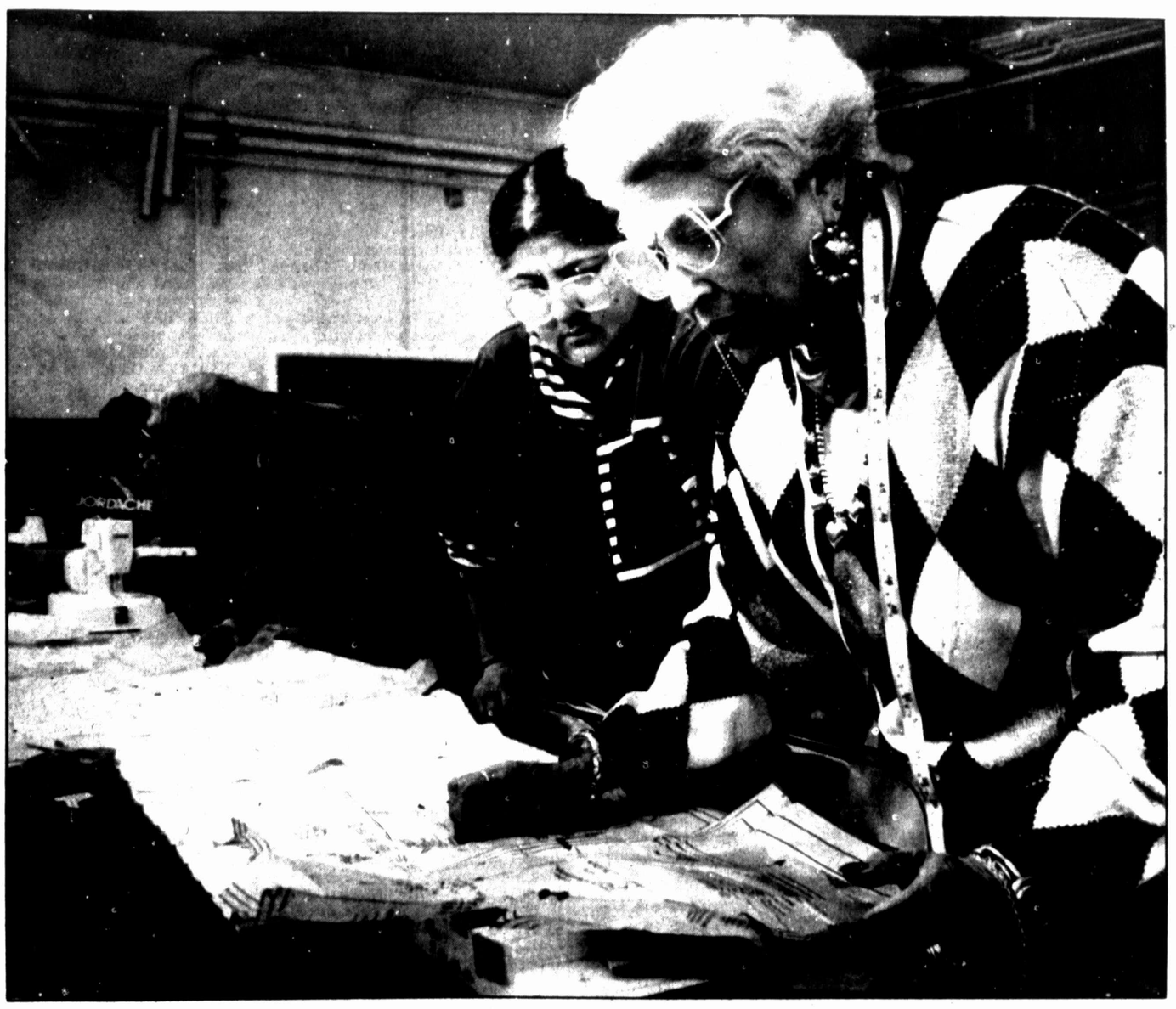
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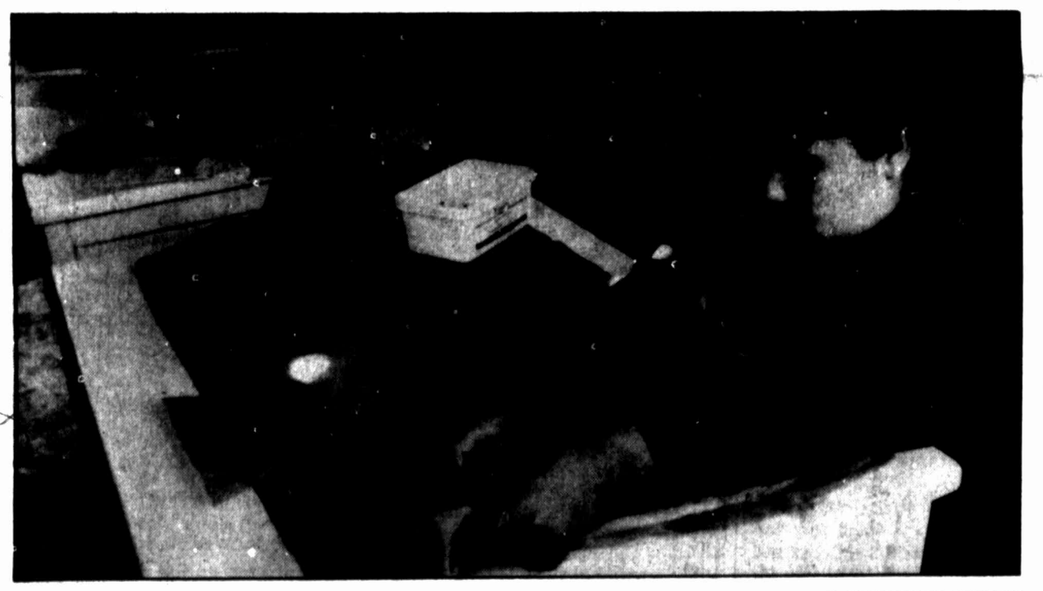
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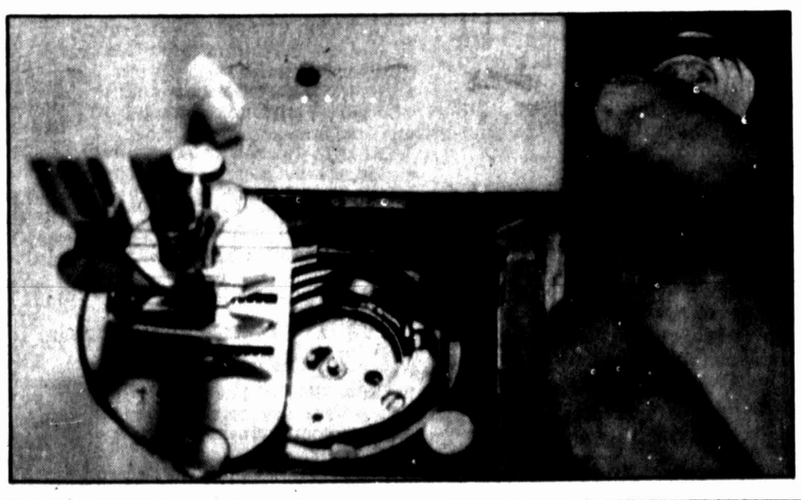


Lakeview School is best known in Big Spring as home to the Headstart Program. However, students of an older variety have been using the facility to enrich their lives.

In addition to G.E.D. classes, there is also an industrial sewing class, where Big Spring resident and nationally-known seemstress Paula Vasquez shares her knowledge of creating clothes out of raw materials.









Clockwise from top left: **Teacher Paula Vasquez** looks over a pattern with Antonia Bustamante; Sharon Tucker eyes her work as she runs it through the sewing machine; Vasquez prepares a machine for use; Lori Juarez pins the pattern to her material.

Dentist visits more painful to wallet than mouth



Barbara Morrison
Staff Writer

It was a wonderful week. I began it by going to the dentist.

Now, I don't mean to offend anybody, but going to the dentist ranks number two in my list of life's most miserable requirements.

Yup, you guessed it. Going to the gynecologist is number one.

Anyway, I'm a good mother. I take my kids to get their teeth cleaned. Why I even nag them to brush their teeth.

I love my son's response. "Gee whiz, Mom," he loves to complain. "I already brushed them once this week!"

Yeah, right, kiddo. Head to the bathroom. "And don't forget to floss!" I yell. Gosh, I wonder how often he bathes?

Maybe that's another column. If he reads this, it'll scare him into bathing. After all, what kid would want their mother putting into print how often they bathe?

Hmmmm. That's a rather sinister thought. It's starting to grow on me already.

I took my daughter to the dentist this year. It was right after she complained that every time she bit into something on her right side, it hurt. And then it broke off.

That was dandy.

So, we went off to our "sweet dentist" (as my daughter calls her.) Megan got her first taste of Novocain and has decided to start brushing her teeth again.

Yeah buddy. Maybe I'll bring them all in for teeth cleaning, slip the dentist an extra $20 and ask her to give them all Novocain, just once, just for the pain. That way, they'll ALL start brushing their teeth!

The idea has a rather ghoulish appeal. But not one I'm above trying out if I get in the right mood.

So, after a couple of trips, I got Megan taken care of. One thing I did learn along the way, though, was the system dentists use for charging their patients.

And, while I don't mean to offend my dentist, I feel it is my public duty to pass my knowledge on to the general public. I gained my knowledge quite by accident.

I was standing at the check-in or check-out desk (it all depends which way you're facing as to what it is called). I began writing out my check.

"That will be $45," the kind assistant said.

"Oh," shouted my dentist from one of the exam rooms. "I forgot there was an XYZ on tooth W for her."

"I'm sorry," said the assistant. "The bill will be $66.50."

I gulped, as I studiously thought about the conversation.

"Oh, and then I did a G on it as well," added the dentist.

"Seventy-four dollars," said the now not-so-kind assistant.

Then, I had it.

For each initial or letter the dentist yelled out, it was costing me $7.50!

I wrote the check as quickly as I could and we got out of there before any more letters could be added. I've never been so afraid of the alphabet in my life.

Next, it was my husband's turn to go.

"You'll really like her, honey," I said as I tried to calm his fear. "But run if she starts to call out letters!"

He came away with teeth fixed and without a literacy complex, so I guess his experience went pretty well.

If the truth be known, I think he rather liked having three women waiting on him. I think I picked up on it when he began asking me to remind him when his next appointment is. I've got your number, honey.

So, as soon as I had my family shaped up, what happened?

While we were in Florida, my tooth broke. And then it began to hurt.

Time to carry myself to the dentist. Yup, you guessed it. Root canal. OUCH!!!!!

Only, it really didn't hurt that bad. The worst part was trying to talk around all the contraptions in my mouth. Don't worry, I managed.

And, I kept a very careful list of every letter of the alphabet mentioned during the procedure.

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WEDDINGS

Harrell-Huitt

Jamie Aileen Harrell and Charles Carlysle Huitt, both of Big Spring, exchanged wedding vows Dec. 31, 1994, at the home of the bride's parents.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stephen Grace, ordained minister of the Gospel at First Assembly of God.

The bride is the daughter of Glenn and Sharron Harrell, Big Spring. The groom is the son of Rodney and Suzanne Huitt, Big Spring.

The couple stood before a fireplace accented with white wedding bells. All music was prerecorded.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown accented with lace and white roses on the back. She wore a hairpiece of white roses with cascading pearls. She carried a bouquet of stargazer lilies and white roses.

The maid of honor was Deedra Reed, Big Spring. Preston Huitt of Big Spring, cousin of the groom, served as best man.

The ushers were Joey Huitt, brother of the groom, Las Vegas, Nev.; Jason Harrell, brother of the bride, Phoenix, Ariz.; and Shanan Saverance, Big Spring.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the bride's parents' house.

The wedding cake was a four-tier cake with two satellite cakes, decorated with burgundy roses and hunter green leaves. The cake topper was two white doves circled with flowers with lace.



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES HUITT

The table also featured burgundy and hunter green napkins, plates and candles.

The bride received her GED and is employed by 7-11.

The groom is a graduate of Big Spring High School. He is employed by Clint Hurt Drilling Co. in Midland.

Following a wedding trip to Las Vegas, the couple will make their home in Big Spring.

Kemmerer-Molina

Lis Mary Kemmerer and Christopher Michael Molina were united in marriage Dec. 23, 1994, at Holy Trinity Church in Westminster, Colo., with Father George, of Holy Trinity Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Virginia Ramos. The groom is the son of Jenaro and Margie Amaro.

The couple stood before an altar of Christmas decorations. The bride was given in marriage by Ignacio Fresquez.

The maid of honor was Victoria Valdez. Bridesmaids were Christina Fresquez, Christina Engstrom and Sherry Molina.

Skyla Tenorio served as flower girl, and Christopher Molina served as ringbearer.

Jim Barter was best man. Groomsmen were Eric Wassman, Louis Draughn and Angelo Medina.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at St. Anthony's Society.

The bride's table was decorated with Christmas decorations which included an angel, a Santa, dove, white poinsettias and black and white champagne glasses. The table also featured a three-tiered, heart shaped red and white cake.



MR. AND MRS. CHRISTOPHER MOLINA

The bride is a graduate of Escuela Professional High School in Panama and attends Howard College.

The groom is a graduate of North High School in Denver, Colo. He is enrolled in the registered nurse program at Howard College.

Following a wedding trip to Grand Lake, Colo., the couple will finish college in Texas and eventually make their home in Colorado.

Stevenson-Park

Stefanie Stevenson, Big Spring, and Daniel Park, Leander, were united in marriage Jan. 28, 1995, at the First Baptist Church of Big Spring with Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Brenda Moore, Big Spring, and Gary Stevenson, Austin.

The groom is the son of Janie Park, Leander, and David Park, Georgetown.

The couple stood before an altar of matching candelabras entwined with greenery and columns holding baskets of greenery. The bridal isle was marked with white pew bows with greenery.

Julie Shirey was the pianist, and vocalists were Brenda Shirey and Terry McDaniel.

Given in marriage by her two fathers, the bride wore a sheath gown of white satin with alencon beaded and sequined lace. The elongated basque bodice featured a V-neckline with pearls and sequins.

The deep V open back was highlighted with a candy box bow at the waistline. The slim sheath skirt was trimmed with alencon lace and featured a hand-beaded lace cut-out cathedral train.

She carried a formal cascade arrangement of bridal white roses and stephanotis accented with sprigs of ivy.

The maid of honor was Tammi Mason, Big Spring. Bridesmaids were Tonya Crenwelge, sister of the bride, Upper Marborlo, Md.; Letitia McMahan, San Marcos; and Kisa McEwen, Austin.

The flower girl was Sarah Danek, niece of the groom, and the ringbearer was Cody Lattimore, nephew of the groom.

The best man was Trey Park, cousin of the groom, Leander. Groomsmen were Michael Park, brother of the groom, Leander; John Chamberlain, Leander; and Scott Moore, Mildred.



MRS. DANIEL PARK

Ushers were James Burkett, Leander; George Cox, Austin; and Garret Taylor, cousin of the groom, San Antonio.

Gail Reinert, Lubbock, and Shelby Gray, cousin of the bride, Sweetwater, served as candlelighters.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Dora Roberts Community Center.

The bride's multi-tiered cake and satellite cakes were decorated with fresh stargazer lilies, roses and greenery.

The serving table held a loose arrangement of stargazer lilies, white larkspur and roses. The entertaining area was decorated with candle globes surrounded with fresh lemon leaves and burgundy cloths.

The groom's table held a silk arrangement and a German chocolate cake.

The bride is a 1991 graduate of Big Spring High School and a December 1994 graduate of Angelo State University.

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Leander High School and a May 1994 graduate of Angelo State University. He is employed by Sabre Data in Austin.

Following a wedding trip to Las Vegas, the couple will make their home in Leander.

Hughes-Woodbury

Amanda Hughes and David Woodbury, both of College Station, were united in marriage Dec. 29, 1994, at University Baptist Church, Houston, with Dr. Robert Creech, senior pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hughes, Dallas.

The groom is the son of Allen Woodbury, Houston.

Rick Pruitt served as vocalist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a candlelight raw silk dress with a beaded bodice and covered buttons on long sleeves. The long train had inserts of lace and beads.

She carried a bouquet of white orchids, white lilies and star stephanotis with English ivy flowing down.

The matron of honor was Kenda Walter, sister of the bride, Wilmington, N.C.

The bridesmaids were Elise Wilkins, Boulder, Colo.; Beth Tedesco, Anna Nyquist and Katie Ammerman, all of Houston; and Mrs. David Breshears, Denton.

The best man was Yuri Koston, Lake Charles, La.

The groomsmen were Allen Woodbury, brother of the groom, Houston; Michael Woodbury, brother of the groom, also of Houston; Paul Goode, Austin; Nikheel Dhekne, New York, N.Y.; and David Breshears, Denton.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Bay Oaks Country Club. The reception had a Christmas theme of green and burgundy.



MRS. DAVID WOODBURY

A food buffet featured a three-foot ice carving of a heart with love birds.

The bride's table featured a three-tiered white wedding cake decorated with fresh flowers and greenery.

The groom's cake was a chocolate cake with chocolate icing and chocolate dipped strawberries topping the cake.

The bride is a graduate of Clear Lake High School, Houston. She will graduate from Texas A&M in May of 1995 with a degree in education.

The groom is a graduate of Clear Lake High School and of the University of Houston with a BS in political science. He will receive his master's degree from Texas A&M in May of 1995.

The couple took a wedding trip to Jamaica.

NEW IN TOWN

Jo Ann Garrigan, Dallas. She is doctor of internal medicine at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Otis and Ruby Fonda, Hobbs, N.M. He is a retired engine mechanic.

Cindy Chrane and daughter Misty Phillips, Midland. She does office work.

Jose and Mary Alvarado, sons Bengamin, Joe and Arthur and daughters Veronica and Bianca, Snyder. He is employed by Yale E. Key.

Brent and Alice Newton, son Junior and daughters Deseree and Coriena, Roswell, N.M. He works for Price Construction.

Jim and Julie Speckels and daughter Ashley, Anson. He is a paramedic student at T.S.T.C. in Sweetwater, and she is employed by Comanche Trail Nursing Center.

Shelly Broome, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She is an RN at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Cathy Siroishka, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She is an RN at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Heather Ritco, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She is employed by Scenic Mountain Medical Center as an RN.

Colleen Strachey, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. She is employed by Scenic Mountain Medical Center as an RN.

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ON THE MENU

SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
LUNCH

MONDAY - Chicken fried steak; potatoes; green beans; tossed salad; milk/rolls and cake.

TUESDAY - Chicken spaghetti; broccoli; vegetable salad; milk; rolls and fruit.

WEDNESDAY - Meat loaf; macaroni; green beans; carrot/raisin salad; milk/rolls and applesauce.

THURSDAY - Catfish; potatoes; spinach; salad; milk/rolls and fruit.

FRIDAY - Ham; whipped potatoes; mixed vegetables; Waldorf salad; milk/rolls and oatmeal cookies.

BIG SPRING SCHOOLS
(Elementary)
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Waffle; sausage patty; grape juice and whole/low-fat milk.

TUESDAY - Cereal choice; sausage patty; peach slices; whole/low-fat milk.

WEDNESDAY - Biscuit & sausage; apple juice; whole/low-fat milk.

FRIDAY - Honey bun; cereal choice; orange juice; whole/low-fat milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Steak fingers; gravy; mashed potatoes; broccoli w/cheese sauce; hot roll; pineapple tidbits; whole/low-fat milk.

TUESDAY - Chili mac w/cheese; corn-on-cob; spinach; hot roll; orange; whole/low-fat milk.

(Secondary)
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Waffle; sausage patty; grape juice; whole/low-fat milk.

TUESDAY - Scrambled eggs; toast; pineapple tidbits; whole/low-fat milk.

WEDNESDAY - Biscuit & sausage; apple juice and whole/low-fat milk.

THURSDAY - Breakfast burrito; peach slices; whole/low-fat milk.

FRIDAY - Honey bun; cereal choice; orange juice; whole/low-fat milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Steak fingers; gravy or Smoked brisket; mashed potatoes; broccoli w/cheese sauce; hot roll; pineapple tidbits; whole/low-fat milk.

TUESDAY - Chili mac w/cheese or stuffed baked potato w/chili & cheese; corn-on-cob; spinach; hot rolls; orange; whole/low-fat milk.

COAHOMA SCHOOLS
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Ham/cheese sandwich; fruit and milk.

TUESDAY - Pancake on stick; syrup; fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Waffles w/syrup; sausage; fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Cereal w/fruit; toast and milk.

FRIDAY - STUDENT HOLIDAY.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Chicken nuggets; w/gravy; potatoes; fruit and bread.

TUESDAY - Chef salad; crackers; fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Stromboli w/stew; corn; fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Burrito w/chili; shoestring potato; fruit and milk.

FRIDAY - STUDENT HOLIDAY.

STANTON SCHOOLS
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Breakfast Pizza; or assorted cereal; buttered toast; fruit juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Biscuit/sausage; scrambled eggs; or assorted cereal; fruit juice; buttered toast and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Pancakes/syrup; or assorted cereal; buttered toast; fruit juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Cinnamon roll; or assorted cereal; buttered toast; fruit juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Bagel with peanut butter; or assorted cereal; peaches; buttered toast and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Barbecue/bun or chicken patty/bun; baked beans; lettuce/tomato; chocolate cake and milk.

TUESDAY - Salisbury steak or meat loaf; mashed potato/gravy; English peas; mixed fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Nacho grande or Fiesta salad; refried beans; lettuce/tomato; pineapple cup and milk.

THURSDAY - Fish nuggets or corn dog; macaroni/cheese; mixed vegetables; peaches; cornmeal roll and milk.

FRIDAY - Barbecued riblet/bun or grilled cheese; tater tots; fruit and milk.

GARDEN CITY SCHOOLS
LUNCH

MONDAY - Chili dogs; French fries; ranch-style beans; brownies and milk.

TUESDAY - Chicken nuggets; gravy; mashed potatoes; broccoli; rolls and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Green enchiladas; pinto beans; tossed salad; saltine crackers; fruit cup and milk.

THURSDAY - Turkey roast; brown gravy; butter rice; green beans; hot rolls and apple cobbler.

FRIDAY - Hamburgers; tater tots; lettuce; tomatoes; pickles; cookies and milk.

SANDS SCHOOL
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Donut; milk and juice.

WEDNESDAY - Cinnamon rolls; milk and juice.

THURSDAY - Breakfast pizza; milk and juice.

FRIDAY - Donuts; milk and juice.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Sandwiches; soup; potatoes chip; cookies; ice cream and milk.

TUESDAY - Roast beef; sweet potatoes; salad; hot rolls; fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Taco salad; pinto beans; cornbread; fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Chicken fried steak; mashed potatoes w/gravy; green beans; hot rolls; fruit and milk.

FRIDAY - Corn dogs w/mustard; pork and beans; sliced potatoes; cobbler and milk.

FORSAN SCHOOLS

BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Sausage and biscuits; butter and jelly; juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Blueberry muffins; juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Scrambled eggs; ham; biscuits; butter and jelly; juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Texas toast; jelly; peanut butter; juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Cereal; bananas; juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Chicken and noodles; blackeyed peas; carrot and celery sticks; crackers; cinnamon rolls and applesauce and milk.

TUESDAY - Barbecued wieners; whipped potatoes; ranch style beans; salad; sliced bread; cherry cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers; onion rings; salad; pickles and onions; bar cookies and peaches and milk.

THURSDAY - Hot dogs and chili; French fries; salad; pickles and onions; chocolate cake and applesauce and milk.

FRIDAY - Turkey roast and gravy; whipped potatoes; green beans; hot rolls; butter and honey; Jell-O salad with fruit cocktail and milk.

WESTBROOK SCHOOLS
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Oatmeal; toast; jelly; juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Pancakes; little smokies; juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hot pockets; juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Donuts; juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Cereal; toast; juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Pizza; English peas; corn; peanut butter and crackers; peaches and milk.

TUESDAY - Spaghetti with meat sauce; black-eyed peas; spinach; Jell-O and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers; lettuce, tomatoes; onion, pickles; French fries; ice cream cups and milk.

THURSDAY - Frito pie; chili; cheese; pinto beans; tossed salad; corn bread; fruit bombs and milk.

FRIDAY - Turkey and dressing; giblet gravy; green beans; sweet potatoes; fruit salad; cranberry sauce; sliced bread and milk.

ELBOW SCHOOL
BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Cereal; toast; juice; milk.

TUESDAY - Eggs; biscuits; juice; milk.

WEDNESDAY - Waffles; sausage; juice; milk.

THURSDAY - French toast; sausage; juice; milk.

FRIDAY - Donuts; sausage; juice; milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Burritos; corn; salad; fruit and milk.

TUESDAY - Corn dog; macaroni/cheese; peas; fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Mr. Rib sandwich; fries; salad; pickle; fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Braised beef; mashed potatoes; green beans; fruit; hot rolls and milk.

FRIDAY - Chicken strips; broccoli/cheese; scalloped potatoes; peaches; whole wheat roll and milk.

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GETTING ENGAGED



Valarie Akin and Shawn Shreves, both of Big Spring, will exchange wedding vows March 11, 1995, at St. Paul Lutheran Church.

She is the daughter of Eddie and Janet Akin.

He is the son of Dorothy Shreves, Dallas.



Kara Ranae Coleman and Chad Edward Freeman, both of Lubbock, will exchange wedding vows March 11, 1995, at the First Baptist Church with Kenneth Patrick, minister, officiating.

She is the daughter of Joyce and Steve Coleman, Big Spring.

He is the son of Carolyn and John Freeman, Big Spring.



Christina Marie Reed, Summerville, S.C., and Britton R. Walling, Jacksonville, Fla., will unite in marriage Feb. 18, 1995, at A Special Meeting Place, Summerville, S.C.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reed, Summerville, S.C.

He is the son of Barton and Debbie Reese Neighbors, Big Spring, and Richard and Cindy Walling, Midland.

MARRIAGE IS FOR THE BIRDS



Associated Press photo

Sorbian children in their traditional costumes, tailored after traditional wedding dress, celebrate their "birds' marriage." Sorbs, a Slavic minority in eastern Germany, give thanks to the birds who delivered presents on the doorsteps for children after being fed through the winter.

Quaint we ain't, says Tom Graham



Tumbleweed Smith
Columnist

J. Tom Graham has worked at newspapers all over Texas. "I don't last too long in any one place," he says. "I wear out a town in about five years."

I first met Tom when he was publisher of the Big Spring Herald. He was a serious minded person then and seemed to be all business. He moved on to Del Rio, Kerrville and other cities, other papers.

A few years ago I heard a song on the radio about "them danged old cows." I heard the announcer say the singer was a man from Luling named Cuz who wrote the song as well as sang it.

I put the name on my list of people to interview and the next time I was in Luling I tried to call Cuz. The lady at the chamber of commerce said he had moved to Mineola. I left the name "Cuz" on my list, but changed the address to Mineola.

I was in northeast Texas this past fall on an interview trip and called Cuz in Mineola. He agreed to meet me Sunday morning at the Mineola Monitor newspaper.

I had no idea what connection a composer of songs like "Them Danged Old Cows" would have with a newspaper, but I sometimes run across strange stuff like that and didn't think much about it.

Come to find out Cuz was J. Tom Graham, the mild mannered, all serious guy that was publisher of the Herald years ago. I don't think I've ever seen one person be two completely different people as Tom is able to do.

He told me he wrote a bunch of songs and took them to an agent in Austin. The songs all poked good-natured fun at the Texas way of life. Tom sang a couple of songs for the agent and accompanied himself on the guitar.

The agent told Tom that he wouldn't be able to get any band to play Tom's songs and suggested that Tom sing them himself.

He got Tom a gig at a local super market opening. The crowd laughed at his antics. He then got on the program at a big Austin entertainment event which led to some bookings.

Then he came out with his song, "Them Danged Old Cows." A big radio station in Fort Worth played the song every morning on the farm show and people started calling Tom.

He performed at functions in small towns all over the country. "I know all the Dairy Queens between here and Montana," says Tom.

Some of his other song titles are "The 'They Done Took Away My Government Check' Blues," "Something There Is That Draws Women To Truck Driving Men" and "When You Love An Ugly Person Everything Is Beautiful."

In his Cuz appearances, Tom wore an old floppy hat, polka dot shirt, boots that are wide at the top and blue jeans. He carried a mop and acted like a country comic when he wasn't singing his crazy songs.

Tom never stopped working at a newspaper. Now he's publisher of the Mineola Monitor and Lindale Times. He serves as regional executive for Westward Communications of Dallas and oversees 13 country newspapers in East Texas and Louisiana.

He has just written his third book, "Quaint We Ain't," which is about life as a small town newspaper editor. He has written two musicals for the stage. His comedy, "For Marrieds Only" is running in theaters across the U.S. Tom occasionally performs his country act.

First impressions can be wrong. Tom isn't so serious after all.

Hospital bids farewell to volunteers



Kathy Higgins
State Hospital

Some people retire to stay home, but many of our volunteers at BSSH have retired, and stay busier than ever helping others. Such has been the case with the Saturday Night Bingo group. Organized in 1990 by Polly Mays and Betty Wrinkle, the group played bingo with patients one Saturday a month, for five years. These ladies recruited Harlan Huibretsge and Ernie Boyd to help them, and for five years, they entertained patients with their time and prizes.

They have had to quit and they will be missed, by patients and staff.

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Another retiree and 20-year former state employee has recently moved. Lucille Harrison served as a volunteer at the hospital and downtown at The Corral for eight years. She was a member of the Public Responsibility Committee on the Medical Unit, served on the Advisory Board of The Corral, and on the BSSH Credit Union Board.

She recently moved to a retirement home in Lamesa, where her daughter resides.

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Activity Therapies employee of the month for January was Melinda Cano. Department of the month was Patient Education.

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The American Cancer Society will be sponsoring a "Relay for Life," which is a 24-hour relay on the high school track. BSSH Employees interested in the relay, call Barbara Morrison, ext. 7260.

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Members of Advocacy, Inc., attended a Patient Council meeting on Jan. 11. Advocacy, Inc., serves people with mental illness by helping them with their legal rights.

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Memorial services were held Jan. 20 in the Tollett Chapel for Catherine Baca Sneed, BSSH employee. Cathy was a psychiatric aide on the Geriatric unit for 18 years, until her retirement in 1993, due to illness. Cathy will be remembered as a caring employee, who took a great deal of personal interest in our patients.

Mark Cabaniss, Social Worker on NPS passed away Jan. 12. Mark had been an employee of the hospital for the past two years.

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Employees and friends are invited to a retirement party for Frances Johnson, psychiatric aide on Northeast Psychiatric Services. Frances began working at BSSH in 1969 and will retire Jan. 31. The party will be from 2-4 p.m. Jan. 31, in the dining room on NEPS.

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The Volunteer Services Council and Board will meet Jan. 30 in the Community Relations office at BSSH at noon.

Plans will be finalized for the Valentines Fundraiser, and the Jody Nix Dance and Reception at Don Newsom's. There will be flowers delivered, singing valentines, and baked items on sale.

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Kathy Higgins is the Director of Community Relations at BSSH, which is the Volunteer Services and Public Information Department.

STORK CLUB

Kaleb Conard McAdams, Jan. 17, 1995; parents are Rusty and Peggy McAdams.

Grandparents are Weldon and Kathie McAdams and Ivan and Mary Anne Conard.

Brice Olivia Aberegg, Jan. 21, 1995, 4:42 p.m.; parents are Darrel and Shona Aberegg, Forsan.

Grandparents are Wayne and Glynn Drewery, Coahoma, and Harold Aberegg, Big Spring, and the late Frances Aberegg.

Amy Nicole Perez, Jan. 18, 1995, 8:14 a.m.; parents are Amalia and Baltazar Perez, Big Spring.

Grandparents are John and Elina Perez and Simeon and Elena Cruz, all of Belize.

Brett Allan Stanley, Jan. 18, 1995, 9:47 a.m.; parents are Kenneth and Kerry Stanley.

Grandparents are Carroll Morgan, Audra Morgan, Betty Stanley and Kermit Stanley.

IN THE MILITARY

Navy Fireman Steven A. Rodriguez, son of Charlie V. and Marlene F. Rodriguez of Big Spring, has returned home to San Diego from a six-month deployment to the Indian and Western Pacific oceans and the Persian Gulf with the dock landing ship USS Fort McHenry.

He joined the Navy in May 1991.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Robert C. Sadler, a 1992 graduate of Colorado City High School, recently completed the Navy Nuclear Power Training Unit Course.

He joined the Navy in November 1992.

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WHO'S WHO

Christy Parker, a 17-year-old Junior at Big Spring High School, was named to "Who's Who in American High School Students" for 1994. This is the second consecutive year she has been named to "Who's Who."



PARKER

Her activities include Sign Language Club, Choir, Rhapsody, stage play production, Jr. National Honor Society, National Honor Society, church youth group, Jr. Nurses Aide, and volunteer work with children and the elderly.

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Teri Gonzales was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students. Activities include: Future Home-makers of America, Sign Language Club, Social Chairman; Junior Class Secretary, Sophomore Class Secretary, Student Council Representative, Volleyball, Softball, Track, Meistersingers, Key Club, D-FY-IT



GONZALES

She is the daughter of Felix and Rosalinda Gonzales.

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John P. Seidenberger graduated cum laude from Texas A & M University Dec. 17, 1994. He received a bachelor of science degree in industrial distribution. John was awarded the Outstanding Senior in the Industrial Distribution Program for which he was selected for exceptional achievement by the faculty of the Department of Engineering Technology. He is the son of Dennis and Ellen Seidenberger of Garden City.



SEIDENBERGER

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Darllene L. Boydston, a 1994 graduate of Big Spring High School in 1994, made both the Dean's List and the President's List for the fall semester at Northeast Louisiana University (NLU) in Monroe, Louisiana. She is the daughter of Troy and Jessie Boydston, Big Spring.



BOYDSTON

The Dean's List recognizes students with a grade point of 3.75 or higher; the President's List recognizes students who make a 4.0 grade average. Darllene is attending NLU under a music scholarship.a

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Lisa Fisher of Big Spring received a bachelor of science in interdisciplinary studies in elementary education from Lubbock Christian University this winter. She was also named to the Dean's List while at LCU.

Fisher is the daughter of Leonard and Linda Norman, Big Spring.

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"Stacey" striking solid black Chow mix, long-haired, fluffy coat with ears up, medium sized spayed female.

"Laiser" white lab mix, sleek white coat and Lab features, tall neutered male.

"Daisy" small gray and white terrier, ears up and wiry coat, cute spayed female.

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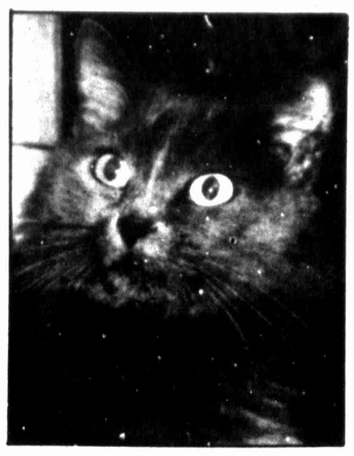
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Everyone's a winner at Junior Livestock show

The Howard County Junior Livestock show has once again been successfully completed as the final results of the show and sale have been tallied. Much appreciation is given to the many businesses and industries from surrounding communities who supported our young people so well.



Michael Kelsey
Extension Agent

It is encouraging to see the community support our young people in activities which are designed to help enhance and develop skills needed for a successful future.

Fifty-one 4-H members exhibited their livestock projects which included capons, lambs, heifers, steers and swine.

CAPONS-Cody Carlile, Heath Carlile, Sydney Leatham, Taylor Leatham, Brandi Self and Dusty Sumpter; HEIFERS-Dondi Brewer, Cody McCann, John Paul Nichols and Robb Walker; LAMBS- Clint Bamert, Allan Belew, Lane Belew, Cade Bowlin, Luke Bowlin, Dondi Brewer, Caleb Hollingshead, Hamp Hollingshead, Jason Laster, Lauren Middleton, Kirstie Moates, John Newton, Taylor Sheppard, Heather Smith, Billy Bob Walker, Kyland Wegner, Landon Wegner, Tony Wyrick and Porsha Yarbar; STEERS-Marc Baker, Dondi Brewer, John Jenkins, Megan Knight, Lindsay Moates, John Paul Nichols, Natalie Nichols, Brandi Purcell, John Purcell, Lance Purcell, Chrystal Stockton, Tarrence Tabor, Tonya Tabor, Justin Wood, D.D. Wright and Ryan Wright; SWINE-Nick Bailey, Trevor Bibb, Heath Carlile, Justin Cotton, Audra Johnston, Jerod Johnston, Brenda Koerber, Blake Lansperry, Lauren Middleton, Justin Schoonover, Donna Seymour, Dusty Sumpter and Justin Wood.

4-H members receiving special awards included: Megan Knight, Lames - Jr. Showmanship; Luke Bowlin, Lambs - Jr. Showmanship; Justin Wood, Caprock Electric Scholarship; Kirstie Moates, M.H. "Slick" Boatler Memorial Scholarship and Kenneth Williams Memorial Scholarship; Clint Bamert, 1995 Top Hand Award sponsored by Caprock Electric.

Preparing a livestock project is no easy task. Feeding, exercising, and grooming are all daily activities that require a fair bit of time to complete.

The skills that 4-H members develop from selecting, feeding, preparing and exhibiting a livestock project will aid them in their pursuit of success not only in the future but in other current interest and activities.

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THE LITTLEST MARKSMAN



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From his hideout inside a tire, Ethan Carr shoots a toy gun as he was playing outdoors at the Proffitt Day Care Center on a recent afternoon.

Jeans reclaim fashion throne

By RHONDA B. SEWELL
The Toledo Blade

They're not just for farmers and workers any more.

Denim jeans have a higher calling in the '90s.

They're in the hallways of schools, slipped on for weekend treks, and are showing up in some of the more casual workplaces.

Picks go beyond tones of indigo. Light blue stone-washed denim is popular nationally, as is the black jean. Last year's muted-tone neutral craze has also influenced jean colors. New colors such as rust, loden green, wine, and sand are popular at stores such as Eddie Bauer and through Bauer's mail-order catalog and that of L.L. Bean and others.

These days it's common for women to cross over to the men's section of stores in search of jeans with a comfortable fit in the crotch, hips, seat, and legs.

> I usually wear guy jeans; they fit better. I like them worn in a bit, the baggy ones with no holes.
>
> **Winnie Burks**

Manufacturers have taken note of women's demands. Last year Levi reintroduced its 501 Shrink-to-Fit button-front jeans because women wanted more of the style so popular in the mid-1980s.

Local jean salespeople said men seem to be experimenting a little more in jean styles, opting for a baggy look, bell bottoms, or a more worn look, but not a grungy one.

"Women tend to go with one style, once they find the style," said Arnold. "Men go with different styles."

Worn or used jeans seem to have a growing appeal, and less expensive pairs or charity-store jeans are popular among the young crowd.

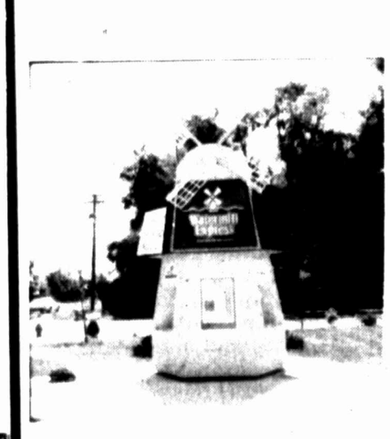
Winnie Burks, 18, said she buys her jeans only at places like The Salvation Army and thrift stores in Michigan.

"I usually wear guy jeans; they fit better. I like them worn in a bit, the baggy ones with no holes," said Miss Burks, who works as a secretary and part-time model.

Five dollars is the most she will pay for a pair of worn jeans, she added.

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Winter inspires memories of teacher

Dear Reader, get your imagination in high gear and follow me back in time to the school year of 1925-26. I'd like you to meet a most remarkable lady. But first a bit of background is in order.



Myrtle Griffith
Prime Columnist

Picture in your mind remote Southwestern Wyoming Ranch lying in the beautiful LaBarge River Valley. It is over 60 miles to the nearest railway and a town called Kemmerer, two miles to the nearest neighbor and the rural mail runs once weekly.

There are no telephones, no electricity, and no indoor plumbing. However, the ranch house is of sturdy log construction, sealed inside, and quite comfortable.

Now in your mind's eye look north. See that somewhat sheltered nook and the white one-room schoolhouse near a steep, low-lying hill. It has a small bell tower complete with a large bell. Joining the side of the school house is a large wood coal shed. A short distance away there's a small corral and barn, a trail behind the school leads to an out-door privy.

Stomp the snow from your feet and step inside. The furnishings are rather sparse, consisting of the very large, round, heavy metal wood or coal burning heater located near the center of the room, a teacher's desk and several student desks of varied sizes.

Winters here are long and bitterly cold with blinding snowstorms and blizzards suddenly racing across the countryside with little or no warning. During these the temperature is always well below zero.

But it is now early morning and the teacher, Mrs. Coletti, has been here long enough to have a roaring fire going in the big stove and has tidied the room from yesterday's classes. She has previously unsaddled her horse and put fresh hay in his stall. Around noon she will melt snow so that he can have water to drink.

Why don't you take that extra chair over there and make yourself comfortable? The rest of the students will be here soon as it is almost 9 a.m.

They live at the nearby ranch so they always walk, even though sometimes they have to plow through drifts waist high. The teacher lives 2-1/2 or 3 miles across the river where her board and room is furnished by the Christman family.

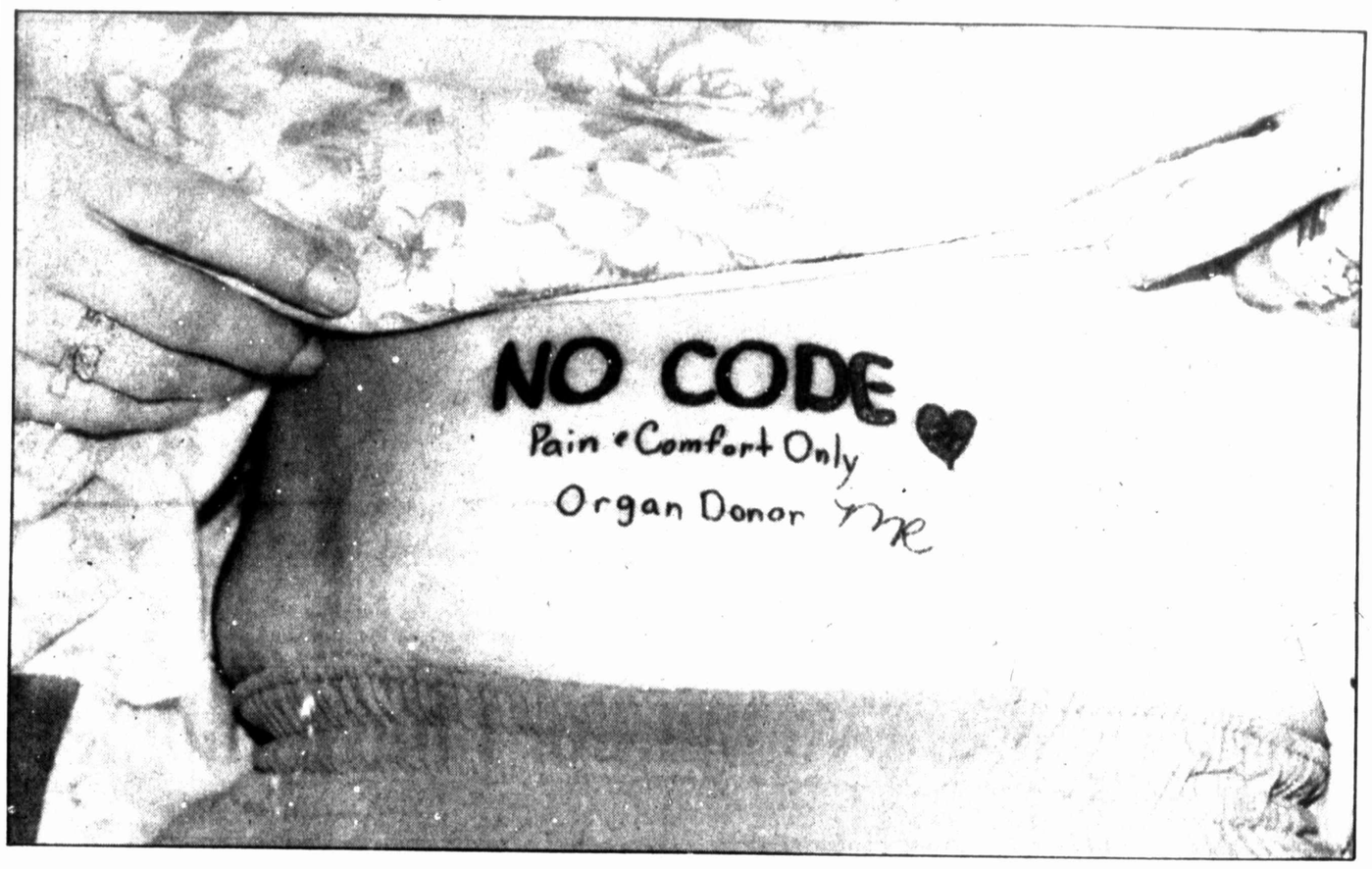
As you look at her you see a woman possibly in her early 30s, not exactly pretty but wholesomely attractive, with light brown hair, slightly roundish features, a skin showing the stress of a harsh climate and hours in the out-of-doors. Her eyes are remarkably clear and sparkling and of a soft brown color.

She welcomes you with a smile that brightens the whole atmosphere. She is a truly dedicated person and determined that these students will have the benefit of the knowledge she can offer no matter what hardship it may involve in this remote area.

By now the kids have warmed fingers and toes and Mrs. Coletti calls the room to order.

Please see GRIFFITH, page 6B

A REAL 'LIVING WILL'



Associated Press photo

Maria Rodriquez of Gary, Ind., shows off the living will she had tattooed on her stomach. The 40-year-old practical nurse says she wanted the tattoo for years but finally got it last month after suffering chest pains. She says the "No Code" instructs medical personnel not to resuscitate her or keep her alive by artificial means.

Seniors find fulfillment at work

By THERESE COX
Thomson News Service

CHARLESTON, W.Va. — Perched at attention behind her cash register, Ruby Stoddard produced a wide smile and welcomed a Hardee's customer.

She punched a few buttons and moved to a soda machine, adeptly dispensing liquid into a large cup.

"This to go?" she asked, her scarf tied neatly, filigreed earrings shining. "Need ketchup?"

She dropped a couple of packets into a paper bag and thanked her customer.

Stoddard's husband wouldn't have wanted her to work, especially at a fast-food restaurant, she said.

But she decided to seek employment for the first time after he died several years ago.

She was past 65 then.

Now she's 74. Recently her boss, Gail Davis, promoted her to crew leader at the Hardee's on West Washington Street in Charleston.

"I wouldn't trade her for a million dollars," Davis said. "She's dependable, and an immaculate dresser. I have a lot of customers who come in to see her."

Stoddard is part of a slowly swelling trend — the new old, the retired worker.

Not only serving up cheeseburgers and crispy curls, they're also selling clothing, tending office phones and balancing budgets.

People shouldn't be forced to retire, Stoddard said.

"They should work as long as they can."

Mildred Preiser agrees.

Nearly 85, Preiser takes care of day-to-day business for the Alzheimer's Association.

"It's something to do to keep from getting old," she said.

As for Stoddard, the extra income helps keep the budget humming.

Most of their friends stay at home, but both have noticed other seniors remaining in or entering the working world in larger numbers.

Convincing statistics are lacking, but two developments may help explain it, said Ed Merrifield, director of labor and economic research for the state of West Virginia.

The country is running low on young people and the population of those older has increased, he said.

In the decade ending in 1990, West Virginians over 65 increased by nearly 32,000, Merrifield said.

But prejudice toward them, called ageism, does exist, said Scott Snyder, a gerontology instructor at West Virginia State College.

And myths abound.

Productivity does not decline and benefits for older people are not necessarily more expensive, as many think. Research also shows that seniors actually exhibit equal or better attendance, have lower accident rates and contribute experience, stability and positive role modeling.

Snyder said that when Social Security was introduced in 1935, officials believed that forcing retirement was humanitarian.

Barbara Williams, staff assistant for the local office of the Social Security Administration, said she is witnessing more seniors working, either part- or full-time.

From age 65 to 69, seniors may earn up to $11,280 a year without losing Social Security benefits, Williams said.

Texas author sees book transformed into movie



Jean Warren
Prime Columnist

Elmer Kelton's best-seller, "The Good Old Boys," has been made into a movie by Ted Turner productions. It will be shown on the TNT network sometime in March.

I visited with Kelton about the movie. He told me he has seen the script, which was written by Tommy Lee Jones; it follows the story line of the book quite well. Jones also directs the movie and plays the leading role of Hewey Calloway.

Although the book is set in Upton County, movie shots include the open vistas of the Alpine-Ft. Davis region.

Some scenes were made on the Bill Moody Ranch near Del Rio. Kelton spent one day on location, watching the filming of the production.

"The Good Old Boys" is the story of bronc buster and fiddlefooted cowboy Hewey Calloway who likes the open



KELTON

range and fears farms, mortgages, and all ties that bind. He returns to his brother Walter's homestead in the spring of 1906 to find his brother struggling to keep his small holdings against a large ranch owner.

His sister-in-law Eve does not approve of Hewey's footloose lifestyle. She and Walter encourage him file on a nearby homestead.

When he falls in love with Spring Renfro, the local teacher, Hewey is faced with a choice between settling down or continuing his rambling ways.

"The Good Old Boys" was written on two levels. It is a humorous and good-natured picture of country life in West Texas in the early years of this century. The humor is reminiscent of that of my husband's uncles, K and Allen Brooks, who for many years farmed and ranched north of Big Spring.

But, in Kelton's words, "It is also a lament for a less-pressured time and a simpler way of life that has died. Hewey Calloway tries to live a life that is already out of its time.

"He attempts to remain a horseback man while the world relentlessly moves into a machine age."

Kelton was raised on the McElroy Ranch near Crane and spent his formative years among cowboys and old-timers. The author of more than 30 novels, he has won many awards, including four Western Heritage Awards from the National Cowboy Hall of Fame, five Spur Awards from the Western Writers of America, and the Levi Strauss Golden Saddleman Award for lifetime achievement in Western literature, as well as honors from the Texas Institute of Letters.

He lives in San Angelo.

Prime POEM

THE WIND STILL BLOWS

I used to walk down
Those old cotton rows
Where the sand storms
Were a blowing
And the cattle roamed
By our old home
You could hear the coyote howling.

And the wind would blow
As we crossed the draw
On our way to school a-going
As we crossed over the Elbow bridge
You could see the creek a-flowing.

The bridge is gone
Where we used to roam
But the coyote is still a-prowling
And the wind still blows
Down those cotton rows
And the tumbleweed still rolling.

And the windmill spins
There in the wind
Where there cotton fields are growing
And I still long for my old home
When I hear the west wind blowing.

—Bernice Reed Jones

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Need financial answers? Ask lots of questions

When you don't know the answer, ask questions. This seems to be the biggest problems experienced by the powers in charge of Orange County, California's management team.

The county supervisors had been advised that they had a problem with the bond fund. They were told that the fund had a possible "liquidity" crisis. This information was transmitted to their respective offices about a year before the crisis.



Max Green
Prime Columnist

The word "liquidity" is very impressive, but what does it mean? A good bet would be that "if there is a major change, you will not be able to meet your debt obligations." In other words, you will probably "lose your shirt."

The bond rating companies were also surprised by the county taking bankruptcy. Consequently, the rating companies will be taking a new look at their procedures on establishing credit ratings. They have now become aware of the problem of derivatives.

This leads directly into the problem of reading financial statements. To me the process is quite simple. The balance sheet is a summary of the company's financial position at a given date, the profit and loss statement gives the results of the company's operations for a given period.

The whole thing is so simple that it immediately becomes complex and difficult to understand.

We will now take a brief review of the profit and loss statement. The very top line will give the dates covered by the statement.

Then next is the income that has been received for the period. There may be two or three sources of income and a grand total of income.

If you are investing, it is very important that you learn to read a financial statement.

Then you have expenses. Generally, expenses are broken down into several categories, such as salaries, utilities, interest, repairs and maintenance, etc. Then you will have a grand total of expenses. The "net profit or loss" is the "bottom line." The "bottom line" determines the success of the management team. This is where the manager of the Orange County fund was really shining. He was making an above average income on his investments.

The top line of the "balance sheet" will give you the date of preparation. This report is basically an inventory, on a given date, of the items owned and the items owed by the company. The difference is the company's "net worth."

If the company owes more than it owns, then it is called a "deficit" company. The "deficit" company is losing its shirt and it is always questionable if they will be able to stay in business.

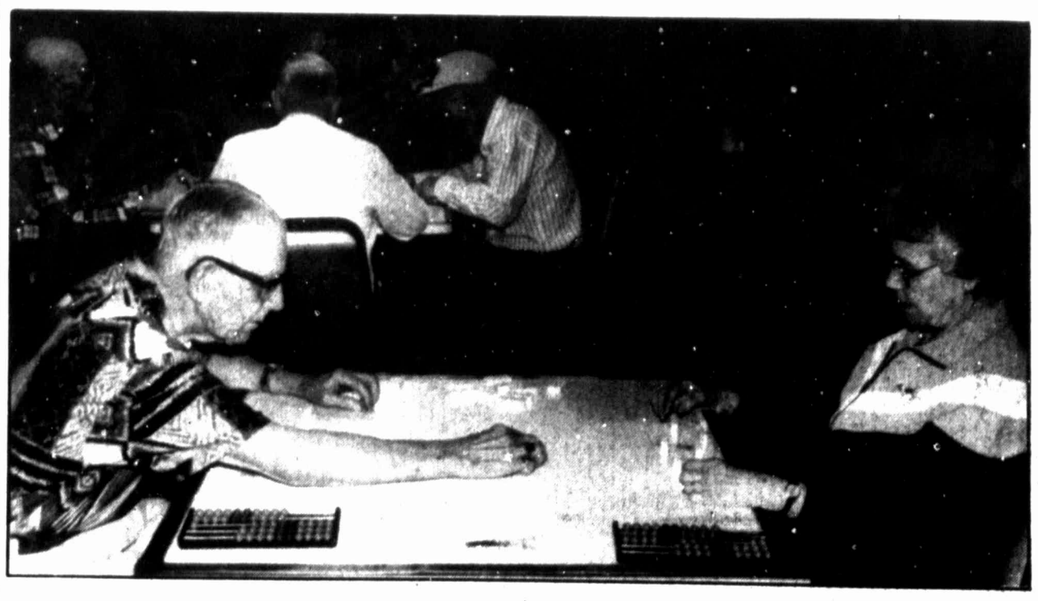
It is always important to read the footnotes of the balance sheet. This will give you information concerning the analysis of the report.

If you have bonds that mature in five years and you are obligated to buy these bonds in 90 days, you have a "liquidity crisis." This is the situation that Orange County got into. They did not have enough money to cover their short-term obligations.

As long as bonds were going up, everything was great; when the bonds started going down, they got into serious trouble.

If you are investing, it is very important that you learn to read a financial statement. Otherwise, you may be getting involved in companies that are in financial trouble. Ask questions and, if necessary, seek professional help.

YOUR MOVE



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Dan Birdwell makes his move as opponent Norma Perkins watches as the two were playing dominoes at the Big Spring Senior Citizens Center Wednesday morning.

Forgive me, for I have thinned

By MARY RANDLE
Prime Columnist

"Forgive me, for I have thinned!"

That was going to be my slogan for 1995, but here it is the end of January and I'm not too pleased with my progress.

As a child I was sort of skinny; well, definitely not fat. Probably because I had every childhood disease that came along, and some more than once.

When my thyroid went out of kilter, I began to have a weight problem, but I was young and active, so I managed to keep off extra weight.

After marriage the thyroid went south, and the weight became a big thing. With medication I lost 40 pounds in less than six months, and that ruined me forever.

If I gained weight, my thyroid was too low; no, I really ate too much.

We were young and didn't have much money, so "all you can eat" was a bargain. Wrong! Again, it helped form bad eating habits, along with the most wonderful greasy hamburgers you ever tasted.

After we moved to Lubbock, I worked in an office where no one was larger than a size 10, except me. I finally began to get my act together.

This worked pretty well for several years. We were both working long hours - you can't eat when you are working - so we weren't overweight.

In Big Spring we discovered the joys of Tex-Mex food, chicken fried steak, chocolate and other pleasures of daily eating.

I went to a diet doctor and had success. Oddly enough, allergies were treated then with a form of diet pill, so I got double duty without realizing it.

Four of us went together. We would take diuretics, not eat, wear the lightest clothes we had and go to Lubbock for our monthly weight check.

If we did well, we went out and ate donuts to celebrate.

Recently science has discovered that there are those of us born with a bad fat gene. So dieting is not the answer; it's in our genes.

Our bodies also have a built in regulator to protect us from starving. We may not lose weight if we just diet and count fat grams because of this factor. We need to add exercise to take off those pounds.

Even though their diet is mainly fat, the Eskimos don't gain weight. Because they live in a very cold climate, their bodies make "brown fat cells," which can cause a weight loss. We experienced this when we added on to our first house, and there was virtually no heat in the addition.

We lost weight even though we ate more. The only time we were warm was at work. I don't recommend that diet.

Later on, I came to enjoy solitary walking and Hatha Yoga. The walking was done on the "Buffalo Track."

The Buffalo Track was at Goliad Middle School, and I called it that because one day when I thought I was running like a deer, a couple asked me how I liked jogging - I realized because of childhood polio I ran like a buffalo, and a wounded one at that. But the exercise kept the weight in check.

Then a bout with colon cancer sent my weight spiraling - down. I was on a diet at the time, so I was pleased with my rapid weight loss.

I began to lose too much weight. For the first time in my life, I didn't want to get on the scales. Every time I did, I had lost another five pounds. I was a great size six, and I was dying.

I'm fine now thanks to a gifted surgeon and his staff; foolishly I really believed I would never gain back the weight, WRONG!

Yesterday I was honest counting my fat grams. Now I'll try to do better on the fat grams each day, and increase my exercise.

Honestly though, I think I'm like Erma Bombeck, not really overweight, just too short for what I weigh.

Griffith

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First comes a short prayer, then the pledge to the flag. Next she seats herself behind the large desk and opens the novel she has been reading to the classes each morning.

She has cleverly arranged the time so that she can hear all classes during the school day even though these are several grades: one first grader, one third, one fourth, two sixth and one eighth.

Ah, I see that her expressive, soft, voice held you as spell bound as it did the youngsters. She only reads a couple or so chapters each morning and lets each child express his or her opinion about what has been read. There will be two recess periods and an hour for noon.

Sometimes on special days Mrs. Coletti comes to school with saddle-bags bulging. This alerts the kids that she has found special treats for them, sometimes homemade candy or cookies.

You have already decided that I must have been one of the pupils; yes, I was the eighth-grader in that little school and I learned a lot that year and all credits were accepted in the Texas schools the following year.

Some of the titles of books read to us still come to mind e.g. "Black Beauty," "The Last of the Mohicans," "Penrod," "Tom Sawyer," "Huckleberry Finn," "The Light That Failed" and others. Memories of that little school and teacher remain permanently stamped on my mind. It was only after years went by that I fully realized what a wonderful person Mrs. Coletti really was.

I learned to appreciate the hardships she endured to bring the chance to us to share her knowledge and personality. On those short winter days she must have left home before daybreak in sub-zero weather, arriving at the school half frozen, only to have to build a fire and attend her mount, all before the pupils arrived.

How many times did she have to ride in a severe blizzard, and did she ever have to depend on her horse to take her safely to the ranch house because the snow was so thick she could not see?

Do we still have that kind of devotion to duty? Or kids eager enough to learn to face the elements as these pupils did? I do wonder. How about you?

Live to be 100 — or more

Secrets for ageless body, timeless mind

By WANDA DENSON
Prime Columnist

In 1900, the average life span of Americans was 49 years. Now there are more than 37,000 American over the age of 100 and the U. S. Census Bureau predicts there will be 77,000 centenarians by the year 2000.

"The extra time we've gained in longevity isn't added to the end of life, but to the middle," says Lydia Bronte, author of the 1993 book, "The Longevity Factor."

Bronte says middle age can now be considered from roughly age 50 to 75.

Longevity is the focus of numerous studies. Findings are varied but there is a common thread of consensus among researchers.

All agree that you must use your body. Deepak Chopra, M.D., author of "Ageless Body Timeless Mind," said if wearing out were the cause of aging, it would be a good idea to rest in bed all your life.

But in fact, a patient on complete bed rest for a few weeks will suffer as much muscle and skeletal wasting as someone who has aged 10 years.

Researchers found that regular exercise benefits older bodies just as much as it does younger ones. In one study, a group of frail nursing home residents ranging in age from 87 to 96, were placed on a weight-training program.

Within eight weeks muscles had come back 300 percent, coordination and balance improve, and overall sense of active life returned.

Some of the subjects who had been unable to walk without help were able after training to go to the bathroom by themselves.

With 37,000 Americans now more than 100 years old, is it conceivable that you too might live that long?

In every society, expectation rules outcome, says Dr. Chopra. Whatever a particular culture values, society aspires to attain.

If wealth is most valued, people strive to make money. If longevity is regarded as the highest goal, society is motivated to live up to that ideal.

For example, a legendary region of southern Russia boasted that they had the most long-lived citizens. There, the Abkhasians revered and celebrated the oldest members of their society.

In this area, called the "longevity belt," reaching old age was the primary goal. A favorite toast was "May you live as long as Moses."

Scientists say major factors found to hasten aging are: social isolation, lack of daily routine, feeling there's nothing to live for-no purpose in your life and depression which is said to lead to premature aging, chronic illness and early death.

To enhance your chance of living 100 years or more, researchers suggest:

1. Exercise.
2. Adapt to changes creatively.
3. Lessen anxiety.
4. Eat properly.
5. Get enough sleep.
6. Maintain close ties to persons with whom you can be yourself and share your feelings.
7. Keep your mind stimulated.
8. Adopt better lifestyle habits.
9. Maintain your independence.
10. Want to stay alive.

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Wal-Mart halts Mexico expansion

BENTONVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Wal-Mart Stores Inc., which two weeks ago warned it may slow its expansion into Mexico, said uncertain economic conditions there have forced it to halt its plans altogether.

Wal-Mart's 25-store project could resume once the Mexican economy improves, the company said.

"Wal-Mart remains committed to its long-term business plans in Mexico," company spokesman Geraldo Ruiz said. "We will proceed when we think it is appropriate."

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> **Geraldo Ruiz**

Wal-Mart, the United States' largest retailer, had planned to develop 13 Sam's Clubs and 12 Supercenters in Mexico this year. Wal-Mart had planned the project jointly with Cifra SA, Mexico's largest retailer.

The peso has lost 40 percent of its value against the dollar in the last five weeks, raising the prices of U.S. goods in Mexico.

"Things are changing every day and it just makes sense to hold off," Ruiz said. "We believe it makes good business sense to take our time and monitor things in Mexico."

The decline in the Mexican economy has caused other companies trouble.

Southwestern Bell said it would take a charge against its fourth-quarter earnings because of its Mexican investments. PepsiCo stock was downgraded because of its wide investments in Mexico, and Price-Costco Inc. canceled the sale of 11 retail membership stores when its buyer couldn't raise enough money because of the falling peso.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Five members of the Pollard Chevrolet service department were recently named Certified Master Chevrolet technicians after taking the 1994 Chevrolet Certified Technician (CCT) program. From left are Todd Owens, Willis Morrison, Neal Watkins, Bobby Morrow and Ray DeLeon.

Masters of their universe

■ Five Pollard mechanics make 'master' list

By BARBARA MORRISON
Staff Writer

"Five of the nation's finest Chevrolet mechanics live right here in Big Spring."

These are the words of Pollard Chevrolet Service Manager Kent Brown. And Brown's words are backed by facts.

"When you compare us with other Chevrolet dealerships across the country, we are considered a pretty small dealership," Brown said. "So, when we have the same number of Certified Master Chevrolet technicians as they do in the larger cities like Dallas, that's a pretty big deal."

Brown is referring to the 1994 Chevrolet Certified Technician (CCT) program which recognizes and rewards technicians based on demonstrated knowledge of Chevrolet products and service procedures.

And, Brown proudly proclaims, Pollard Chevrolet has five of the top finishers in the country.

Certification status is determined by cumulative scores on a series of written exams and meeting Chevrolet training and Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) requirements. The top 5 percent in the country receive the status of "Master Technician."

According to Brown, five of his technicians achieved that prestigious status this year. They are: Ray DeLeon (Paint), Todd Owens (Body), Neal Watkins (Body Repair), Bobby Morrow (Auto Transmission/Transaxle) and Willis Morrison (Engine Repair; Morrison is also currently ranked 15th out of approximately 9,000 Buick technicians in the nation.)

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What makes a master technician?

The Chevrolet Certified Technician (CCT) Program is one of the most assertive automotive technician testing programs in the industry, according to Pollard Chevrolet Service Manager Kent Brown.

In order to qualify for CCT Program status, a technician must:

•Be actively employed full-time as a mechanical or body technician at a Chevrolet dealership throughout the test year;

•Be certified by the Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) organization in the same testing category as CCT;

• Successfully complete

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Teaching responsibility the key

As we move into 1995, local extension educational program efforts will focus on several key issues identified in the development of its new Long Range Extension Program.



Don Richardson
County Agent

One of these issues is private property rights of landowners. This will be a key program at out upcoming West Texas Ag ExPo in March.

In developing our Long Range Extension Program and the issue relating to private property rights, lack of respect is at the heart of the issue, and youth should be targeted in efforts to reverse that pattern.

Both notions were expressed during a series of six person focus groups across Texas in late December. This agent was invited to participate in the one in Odessa led by Dr. Amy Purvis Pagano, assistant professor of agricultural economics/range land ecology and management at Texas A&M University.

"The viewpoints of people in mid-sized cities on property rights and environmental regulations were closely aligned with landowners' main points," Pagano said.

Pagano, with colleagues Drs. Richard Conner and Ed Smith, both Texas A&M University agricultural economists, and Dr. John Holt, professor of food and resource economics at the University of Florida, met with 10 focus groups in a first attempt to seek input from the public about property rights.

The heated issue stirred Texas residents last fall over endangered species management and is expected to return to the forefront this legislative session.

But the focus groups indicated that property rights are tied to responsibilities, and appreciation for property must be instilled in children.

In fact, landowners believe that responsibility - to neighbors and family - can't be separated from private property rights. They are most worried about how increasing levels of misguided environmental regulation will affect future generations' land management options, Pagano noted.

Similarly, residents of mid-sized cities emphasized family values in their understanding of the issue.

"Children learn respect for each other and for others' property at home, according to the city residents," Pagano said. "They feel adults have taught children that they have rights but failed to teach them that with rights come responsibilities."

That failure has had a direct impact on the increase in crime, due to the erosion of respect for other people and their property, according to the city dwellers.

Both sectors called for youth education to instill a sense of responsibility and pride in community.

Regulators were cited by both sectors as the reason for many property rights and environ-

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Cadbury and Dr. Pepper, a delicious win-win

DUBLIN (AP) — At the oldest Dr Pepper bottling plant, where the Texas-born beverage is still sweetened with cane sugar, Bill Kloster hopes a British candy and soft drink maker doesn't sour his formula for success.

The owner of Dr Pepper Bottling Co. in this central Texas town was encouraged somewhat by his company's stock gain Thursday after Cadbury Schweppes PLC bid $1.71 billion to buy Dr Pepper-Seven-Up Cos. Inc. and grab third place in the U.S. soft drink market.

"Cadbury is more internationally connected. If they would keep Dr Pepper in its heartland, maintain it in the same capacity and keep the same management, it would ease concerns," Kloster said. "I would be a little more in favor of it if it meets those terms."

Cadbury, the world's No. 3 soft-drink maker and already one-quarter owner of Dallas-based Dr Pepper-Seven-Up, would end up with a 16 percent share of the U.S. market with the acquisition.

Coca-Cola and Pepsi now control about 70 percent of the $49 billion-a-year business.

The London company, following a strained 18-month courtship, says Dr Pepper's board is advising shareholders to accept its offer. Dr Pepper-Seven-Up shares rose $2 to close at $32.50 on the New York Stock Exchange Thursday after the buyout offer was disclosed.

"It will bring a new dimension to the international area," said Dr Pepper chairman John Albers, adding that no corporate move was envisioned from merging with the London-based company.

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Associated Press photo

Bill Kloster demonstrates his bottling machine at his Dublin plant Thursday. The plant was the first to bottle Dr. Pepper in 1891, just a couple of years after the fountain soft drink was invented in Waco. Cadbury Schweppes PLC purchased Dr. Pepper-Seven-Up Cos. Inc.

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BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

TU offers new customer service via the phone lines

TU Electric customers who experience a power outage may now report the problem by using TU Electric's new automatic voice response phone system. The new system will be especially helpful during storms when large numbers of customers lose their power. It will avoid "on-hold" phone delays to speak to a representative.

Big Spring area residents may call 1-800-233-2133 to report a power outage. A recording will direct callers to press "1" to report a power outage.

The system automatically reads the customer's phone number and reports the address to an electric service restoration center. Callers who select Spanish information or who do not have touch tone phone service will be directed to a customer service representative.

Durable goods orders up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Factory orders for big-ticket durable goods such as cars and computers rose 1.4 percent in December, capping the biggest annual increase in 16 years. But analysts noted the strength at the end of the year came from military and transportation orders and that, excluding those components, demand was weaker than it appeared.

More trouble for loan package

WASHINGTON (AP) — The International Monetary Fund announced an emergency loan to Mexico as a Clinton administration proposal for a $40 billion rescue package ran into more trouble from skeptical senators. To help Mexico out of its currency crisis, IMF officials agreed — subject to approval next week by the agency's executive board — to lend the country up to nearly $7.8 billion over 18 months.

First-time buyers not scared off

CHICAGO (AP) — Rising interest rates didn't scare first-time buyers out of the U.S. housing market last year, thanks to adjustable rate mortgages, the nation's largest title insurer said. First-time buyers accounted for 47.1 percent of all home sales in 1994 compared with 46 percent in 1993, when mortgage rates were lower, the Chicago Title and Trust Co. said Thursday in its annual survey of 5,000 home buyers.

Price offered was too low

LONDON (AP) — Glaxo PLC's $14.24 billion bid for Wellcome PLC would be the most expensive buyout ever in the pharmaceutical business, but Wellcome said the price is too low. Wellcome urged its shareholders Thursday to hold back.

RIG COUNT

HOUSTON (AP) — The number of oil and gas rigs operating nationwide dropped by five this week to 731, Baker Hughes Inc. said Friday.

There were 778 rigs in operation last year at this time.

Of the rigs running this week, 405 were exploring for natural gas and 315 for oil. Eleven were listed as miscellaneous.

Houston-based Baker Hughes has kept track of the count since 1940.

The rig count represents the number of rigs actively exploring for oil and natural gas.

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"We run as good or better as the large shops," Brown said. "But, what most people don't realize is that the technician works harder in a small shop. They specialize in one category but are required to work in all of them. Overall, our technicians are more rounded and have more expertise than a lot of others."

Master Technician, Bobby Morrow, agrees with Brown. "This is the first dealership I've ever worked in, but long before I ever worked here, I wouldn't drive anything but a Chevrolet. They just lead the way and other car manufacturers follow."

Morrow is a first year Master specializing in transmissions and says there is no trick to being a good mechanic. "You just have to be honest, because your reputation is built on that," Morrow explained.

"I don't believe in selling a customer a job he doesn't need. That kind of thing gets around and I don't want my reputation being messed up because of that."

Morrow said he is impressed with his first experience with the Chevrolet testing program. "It's pretty challenging with the questions really making you stop and think. Chevrolet gives you something to shoot for. I think it's neat you have to be certified to even work for them," Morrow said.

Owner, Bill Pollard, is filled with praise for his entire service team. "We are extremely proud of our total Service Department and the entire service facility," Pollard said.

"We feel we have perhaps the best parts and service management team between Dallas and El Paso and probably even on both sides of that," Pollard continued. "We're very proud of our ASE program and especially proud of our Master Technicians because they are proof of extreme excellence."

Both Brown and Pollard explained the excellence doesn't stop with automotive repair. "Chevrolet is creating a new image and we're a part of it," Brown said. "We've got new uniforms and resurfaced the entire shop floor in order to keep our technicians working in the best possible environment," Pollard added.

"Chevrolet is going to be doing some big things in the near future," Brown said. "We're proud to be right in the middle of all of that. We're proud to be a part of it."

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hours of Chevrolet-endorsed training at a GM Training Center, approved satellite location, or in-dealership certified training.

In addition to the above criteria, enrolled technicians can earn one of five titles by meeting stringent Chevrolet-developed requirements. Based on test and standard results the 1995 estimates are:

•The top 40 technicians in the country will reach Advisory Council status. Advisory Council members are selected from a group of top scoring Master Technicians;

•The next 1,750 technicians in the country will reach Master Technician status;

•The next 2,000 technicians in the country will reach Craftsman Technician status;

• The next 6,500 technicians in the country will reach Journeyman Technician status; and

•The next 9,750 technicians in the country will reach Skilled Technician status.

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Cummings, Lilo, 1408 Princeton, Big Spring.

Jackson, Juanita D., 538 Westover #136, Big Spring.

Pierce, Kelly, 538 Westover #136, Big Spring.

Rawlings, Richard R., 10429 N. Macarthur #359, Irving.

Robinson, Shirley, P.O. Box 553, Colorado City.

Smith, Odessa, Rt. 3, Box 400, Big Spring.

Stephens, Vedon, 3031 W. Hwy 80, Odessa.

Valle, Jeanette M., P.O. Box 3244, Big Spring.

Weber, Shawna, 1813 Vine, Brownwood.

Yanez, Lydia B., 1704 Johnson, Big Spring.

Marriage Licenses:

Robert Evart Sizenbach, 19, and Dorothy May Trent, 17.

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Jimmie Ray Kelly, 47, and Lisa Ann Tanner, 30.

James Earnest Gray, 21, and Christina Louise Stallings, 22.

Michael Hugh Seely, 41, and Bettye Chris Gueterslof, 28.

Cody Rhea Hare, 23, and Stacy Marie Kurnes, 19.

David G. Morales, 18, and Angelina Cheri Neighbors, 16.

Ty Le Kritzinger, 22, and Jacque Leigh Saunders, 22.

Robert Allen Stewart, 21, and Traci Elaine Prather, 21.

Carlos Polundo Rios, 49, and Mali Arlene Wilcher, 31.

Daniel Abila, 28, and Dalia Morales Garcia, 33.

County Court Records:

Probated judgment theft over $20/under $200: Maria Avalos $100 fine & 180 days in jail, Michael Don Adams $150 fine & 180 days in jail, Richard Marquez $100 fine & 180 days in jail and Adela Garcia $100 fine & 180 days in jail.

Order: Juan Renteria.

Order of dismissal: Joe Taylor, Ronnie Clayton and Jesus Manuel Ramirez.

Probated judgment DWI: Tommy Glen Hildebrand $450 fine & 180 days in jail, David Lee Brumley (2nd offense) $600 fine & 2 yrs. in jail, Jessie Lee Clark (2nd offense) $600 fine, $270 court cost & 30 days in jail, Erlinda Hernandez $450 fine & jail.

Probated judment DWLS: Jerry Stanhope $200 fine & 180 days in jail.

Judgment & sentence DWLS: Jessie Lee Clark $100 fine, $205 court cost & 30 days in jail, Betty Diane Cunninham $200 fine, $205 court cost & 15 days in jail, Ramon Valdez $200 fine, $205 court cost & 30 days in jail and Jimmy Rodriquez (5 times) $200 fine, $205 court cost & 60 days in jail.

Revocation of probation & imposition of sentence: Aniceto Peralta Agrunliga $600 fine & $237 court cost.

Motion to dismiss revocation of probation: Juan Renteria, Darren Keith Sorley, and Juan Delossantos.

Probated judgment fleeing from Police Officer:

Edward Vincent Mendez, III $300 fine & 180 jail.

Probated judgment possession of marihuana under 2 ozs.: Edward Mendez $300 fine & 180 days in jail.

Judgment & sentence possession of marihuana under 20 ozs.: Robert Earl Jones $100 fine & $167 court cost, James William Leffler III $167 court cost & 180 days in jail and James "Bo" William Leffler III $167 court cost & 180 days in jail.

Motion to dismiss: Andrea Lopez.

Probated judgment unlawfully carrying a weapon:

Domingo Castillo $100 fine & 180 days in jail, Paul Talamantez $200 fine & 180 days in jail and James Lee Woodard $100 fine & 180 days in jail.

118th District Court Filings:

DIVORCE:

Patricia Labelle Morrow Ugstad vs. Bradley Gerald Ugstad.

Evelyn Marie Hess vs. Mark Antony Hess.

Thomas Edwin Hoggard vs. Gwendolyn Hoggard.

Mary Diane Williams vs. Michael Dean Williams.

ACCOUNTS, NOTES & CONTRACTS:

Howard County Employee Federal Credit Union vs. Gilbert Paredes.

Mary Cuellar vs. Mary Rios.

Rulings:

Darla June Coates vs. Frank W. Coates, disposed—family law.

Glenda Fern Young vs. Thomas Hollan Young, disposed—family law.

Rickie Dale Burt vs. Jeri Dee Burt, disposed—transfer (family).

Thelma Rosa Mendoza vs. Jessie Mendoza, disposed—family law.

Eugenia Ruth Neel vs. Cary Scott Neel, disposed—family law.

The State National Bank of Big Spring vs. Cal Wright, disposed—judgment (accounts, notes & contracts).

Etta Renne Murphy vs. Kenneth Lee Murphy, disposed—family law.

Norma Hilario vs. Alejandro Franco, Jr., disposed—family law.

Jaime Juarez vs. David Juarez, disposed—family law.

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Former Democratic governors Mario Cuomo of New York and Ann Richards of Texas are featured in a tongue-in-cheek chip commercial debuting on Super Bowl Sunday. More than two dozen advertisers paid a record of about $1 million for a 30-second spot.

Time is money at the Super Bowl

NEW YORK (AP) — Count on seeing some ranting and raving during the Super Bowl, along with solid performances under pressure.

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Many sponsors, especially those with time in the second half, are hoping the game won't be the mismatch.

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mental issues problems.

The landowners' belief that common sense is missing from most regulations met with the urban consensus that while "everyone is in favor of clean air and water, problems arise in how bureaucrats interpret and carry out the law," Pagano noted.

Some said regulators are uninformed about agricultural management and are neither interested in nor concerned about learning. The landowners called for collaborative decision making rather than "mandatory, top-down rules."

"You can lead me a long way, but you can't shove me an inch," one rancher said. The landowners said willing participation in resource protection and conservation programs is efficient for their operations.

Urban residents, too, expressed a desire to improve safe use of chemicals on lawns, golf courses and highways which they believe are as potentially harmful in cities as agricultural practices on the farm.

The economists said the first phase of focus group studies revealed many unexpected similarities, but they agreed that additional focus groups are necessary to obtain a broader sense of the Texas public.

"The city residents we spoke to were in close proximity with agricultural production and may not necessarily represent big cities," she said.

Pagano plans to expand the focus groups effort to other important audiences such as large-urban residents, youth, environmental groups and government agencies.

Dr. Pepper

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"There are opportunities for continued growth," he said.

Kloster, himself a Dr Pepper-Seven-Up stockholder, has watched the company grow in a 62-year career that began in Dublin as a bottle sorter at age 14. The two-story plant downtown could then bottle a maximum 50 cases a day.

The company only bottles once a week now, on Tuesdays, producing about 80 cases an hour. Kloster, 76, has a staff of 20 that includes grandson Mark Kloster, the general manager. Mark Kloster's wife, Diane, runs a museum project on the property.

"We would hate to think that a brand born and bred in Texas wouldn't be able to remain here," said the younger Kloster, 42.

His grandfather proudly displayed a soda fountain from Dublin Drug and Jewelry, where the fruit syrup and seltzer concoction was once served up. It is now a part of the museum being constructed alongside the bottling plant that businessman Sam Houston Prim opened in 1891.

Hundreds of visitors tour the plant each week.

In a soft drink industry that has gravitated toward corn sweeteners, it is more expensive to use cane sugar. But Kloster said it is part of Dr Pepper's distinctive taste that has kept it competitive.

"When Mister Prim had the business, he always said he wanted to make the drink the best that he could," he said. "I'm the same way."

Dozens of Dr Pepper clocks, calendars and other promotional items in Kloster's collection, valued at $250,000, tell the soft drink's story since a beverage chemist first perfected the formula in 1885 in Waco, where a second museum is located.

The taste has generated brand loyalty in the Dublin bottling plant's territory, a 40-mile radius. DeAlva Shillingburg, 87, still believes in a former Dr Pepper slogan, "Drink a Bite To Eat At 10, 2 and 4 O'clock."

"I buy it 48 bottles at a time," said Shillingburg, who lives in the community of about 3,000 residents, 75 miles southwest of the Dallas-Fort Worth area. "When friends come to my house in the morning, 10 a.m. is when I pull out my first Dr Peppers."

Another brand-oriented booster of Dr Pepper said that, as the current slogan goes, the proposed Cadbury deal may be just what the doctor ordered.

"Really, when you look at this, it might be another opportunity to get Dr Pepper into some other parts of the world," said J.D. Hampton, who has retired from the U.S. State Department's Agency for International Development.

"Dr Pepper was started in Waco, Texas, but had since been bought out by investors, not all of them Texans," said Hampton, 68. "But if Cadbury leaves rights for local production as they are, it could be a win-win."

HOROSCOPE

FOR SUNDAY, JAN. 29, 1995

ARIES (March 21-April 19): The unexpected occurs when dealing with authority figures, parents and the outside world. Maintain a sense of humor, and express your flexibility and you'll do fine. Don't let another get to you. Remain upbeat. Make a must appearance. Tonight: Out and about. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Look way beyond the obvious. There are unexpected answers for you. Once you break through restrictions, you will be able to find a solution. News from a distance is exciting, sometimes overwhelming. Know you can handle all of this. Tonight: Take a drive. *****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): One-to-one relating is highlighted, and you make a big difference because of how you handle a situation. Be aware of your limits, and be more open with a loved one. Talk about what you need and your choices in situations. Tonight: Be with your loved one. *****

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Partners are unpredictable, and you can barely decide which way to go. A sense of humor helps, as does understanding others' perspectives. Your willingness to handle matters gets you ahead and gives you a unique outlook. Tonight: Go out; and have fun. *****

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You need relaxation. The unexpected occurs quickly, and you might not be ready for what you hear. Maintain a sense of humor, and work at being flexible. Do not get yourself locked into negative thinking. Go with the flow. Tonight: Get a good night's snooze. ****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Romance flourishes as it has not for a while. A creative option opens. Flow with your opportunities, and maintain a sense of humor. Romance knocks on your door. Be ready for flirtation and fun times. Make time for a child or loved one. Tonight: Wild thing. *****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Stay home. The unexpected is occurring, and there is no way around it. You might have been locked into rigid thinking and need to let go. Consider an event lucky, not difficult. Everything will fall into place because of who you are. Tonight: Order in. ****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Communications are active, and you see life in a new light. Be willing to review changes and handle a problem differently. Your sense of humor makes all the difference in the outcome. Be ready for a change, and be more happy-go-lucky. Tonight: Chat over dinner. *****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A lot is happening to you financially. Be very careful when dealing with funds today; they could vanish before you know it. Be prepared to handle finances in a different way. Also be careful in public. The unexpected occurs. Tonight: Pay bills. **

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You might shock others as you remove your shackles. You are ready for a change, which you make clear to others. There will be no more halfway measures; it is all or nothing now. You do well as a result and feel good. Tonight: Ask and you shall receive. *****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You have sudden insights and may not be very happy with what's going on. Be aware of what you are asking. Creative options are more available than you think. Your awareness will make the difference in a situation outcome. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep. **

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You are ready for change and more dynamic. As you prepare to take action, you can make an impression. The unexpected occurs while dealing with others and expressing your feelings. A friend comes through. Tonight: Maintain your humor. *****

IF JAN. 29, 1995 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: Unexpected events and sudden revelations will cause you to change direction this year. Though not every moment will be easy, you will make decisions that ultimately benefit you. Focus on goals, orientation and making things happen. Stay focused. If you are single: You meet people out of the blue, but they can vanish as quickly and may be difficult; maintain a level of skepticism. If attached, this is an intimate year if you continue to express your vulnerability. CAPRICORN shocks you.

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

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Make new year good for your kids



Abigail Van Buren
Columnist

DEAR ABBY: I am a pediatrician, and I wrote these "Parents' Resolu-tions for 1995." If you think they will help children and parents, you are welcome to print them. -- ALFREDO SANTESTEBAN, M.D.

DEAR DR. SANTESTEBAN: Though a little late, your resolutions are well worth space in my column. Thank you for sending them. Here they are:

(1) Because every two hours a child dies in this country as a result of a firearm injury, I'll either get rid of any firearms in my possession, or keep them locked up or unloaded, so my children can't harm themselves.

(2) I'll be an advocate for children everywhere and contribute time or money to feed, clothe or somehow help as many children as I can.

(3) Because cigarette smoke is harmful to children --especially those with asthma -- I will not smoke near them. And if I become pregnant, I will quit smoking immediately.

(4) I'll make sure all medicines in my home are stored in a place where no children can reach them.

(5) I promise to spend time with my children, and not feel guilty if I must work outside my home.

(6) I promise to seek help if I'm so overwhelmed while caring for my children that I lose my patience and hit them. I will never shake an infant. If I see a child being hit in a clearly brutal way, I'll try to talk the abuser out of it, or report her or him to proper authorities.

(7) I'll teach my children healthy eating habits and not reward them with candy.

(8) I'll take my children to the doctor for regular checkups and immunizations. If my financial resources are low, I'll take them to a free health clinic. (Please: There are no excuses for not immunizing children properly.)

(9) I'll strive to build my children's self-esteem by never belittling them, and by being a good role model.

(10) I'll encourage my teenager to resist peer pressure and to say "No!" when tempted to try drugs or engage in sex.

(11) I'll teach my children responsibility by setting an example: "If you want something -- work to get it!" "Everybody has hurdles to jump over; jumping over hurdles builds character."

DEAR ABBY: This letter is prompted by one I just read in your column from the young man whose mother used to shout, "You're just like your father!" He heard it every time his mother wanted to put him down.

For me, it was, "You're just like your mother!" My husband used to say it every time he wanted to hurt my feelings and belittle me.

After many years of taking it without saying a word, I figured out how to respond to what was meant to be an insult.

I said: "Thank you! I am proud to be just like my mother. She was a fine wife and an excellent mother. She was unusually intelligent, had many friends, and was a much respected member of her community." I went on and on, attributing every virtue I could think of to my mother, who really did her best to be everything a good wife and mother should be.

Abby, the last time I heard that comment was in 1976, and I'm sure I'll never hear it again. -- WON IN WICHITA

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sherri & Wally Gonzalez Announce the birth of their son,

Ian Joseph

at Central Texas Medical Center in San Marcos on January 16, 1995. Ian weighted 7 lb. 3 oz. and is 20 inches long. He is welcomed by his brother Adam Joseph, and grandparents Mrs. Joe B. Gonzalez of San Marcos, and Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Rogers and Mrs. W.J. Rogers all of Big Spring.

Card of Thanks

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Glen T. and Judy Kingston

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CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

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John Yater
Applicant's Authorized Representative

#9181
January 22 & 29, 1995

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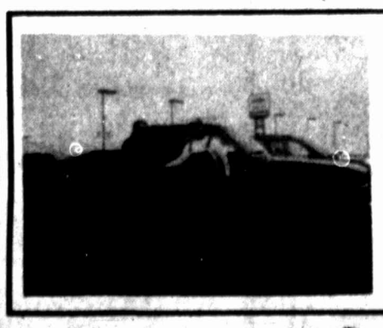
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94 Cadillac Fleetwood - Gray/Black leather, GM Program car, 28K.....#360 $21995
94 Corsica - White/Red cloth, V-6, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, tape, 21K.....#361 $11295
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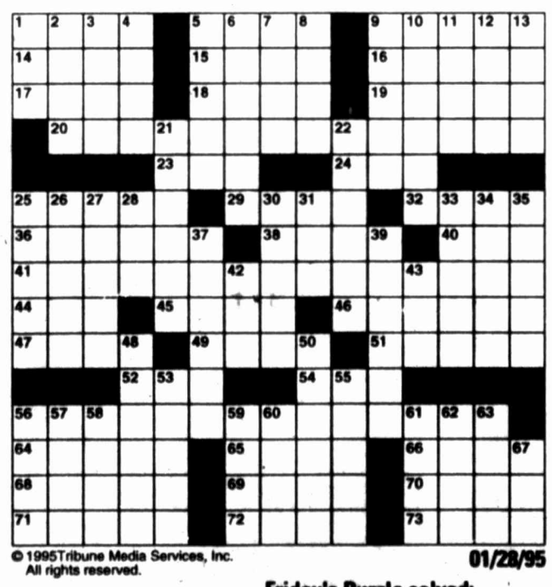
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THE QUIGMANS by Buddy Hickerson



"That's just Bob. He drinks like a fish."

THE Daily Crossword by Kenneth Witte



ACROSS
1 Tittle-tattle
5 Jack, of late night fame
9 Move effortlessly
14 Whimper
15 "Picnic" author
16 Quiver item
17 Strong as —
18 "Death in the Family" author
19 New Zealand native
20 Begin
23 Musical syllable
24 Card game
25 Chicago Bears name
29 Movie dog
32 Huck's transportation
36 Egyptian deity
38 Boaters
40 Sine —
41 Overreact
44 Sheridan or Sothern
45 Long ago
46 Took up anchor
47 Type of egg?
49 "Daily Planet" reporter
51 Thin
52 Consumed
54 US Army member
56 Owing too much
64 Bays
65 Bandleader Lawrence
66 WWII enemy
68 Chris of tennis
69 Wheel hub
70 Kind of gin
71 DeVito or Thomas
72 Toboggan
73 Sea bird

DOWN
1 Auditor, maybe
2 Put up, as a painting
3 Medicinal plant
4 Topic
5 Spinet, e.g.
6 Ms. Lansbury
7 "Rock of —"
8 Shoal
9 Brief role for a star
10 William Jennings Bryan, e.g.
11 In —(lined up)
12 Tender
13 Tease
21 Harden
22 Pleases greatly
25 Navaho lodge
26 United
27 NFL team
28 Canine comment
30 Gloss
31 Little bit
33 An Astaire
34 Levied a penalty
35 Bear named for a president
37 Furnace tender
39 Probe
42 Charlemagne's domain: abbr.
43 Dessert
48 Saloon
50 Dozen
53 Irritable
55 Inquired
56 — tea
57 — Scotia
58 Oast
59 Has
60 "Hud" actress
61 "— of Eden"
62 Wheel holder
63 Fashion name
67 Lawmaker: abbr.

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01/29/95

Friday's Puzzle solved:

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01/28/95

Help Wanted 085

The Texas Department of Transportation has the following job open:

JOB TITLE: General Engineering Technician II

NUMBER OF OPENINGS: 2

SALARY: $1612.00

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from high school or equivalent plus two (2) years experience in roadway engineering work. Related college education or technical training may be substituted for experience on a year for year basis.

LOCATION: S.H. 350, Big Spring, Texas

JOB VACANCY NUMBER: 5 08 E194 002

JOB DESCRIPTION: Under general supervision, performs work related to roadway engineering activities such as construction, inspection, plant inspection, maintenance contract inspection, drafting, laboratory work, surveying, construction recordkeeping or engineering data collection. Work requires contact with the public.

JOB TITLE: Roadway Maintenance Technician II

NUMBER OF OPENINGS: 4

SALARY: $7.27

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: One (1) year roadway maintenance work or related field.

LOCATION: U.S. 84, Snyder, Texas

JOB VACANCY NUMBER: 5 08 K510 003

JOB DESCRIPTION: Under supervision of a crew chief, performs maintenance work on a specialized or routine maintenance crew. Performs some duties independently. Work requires contact with the public.

ADDRESS: Applications may be mailed to P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604-0150 or returned to any TxDOT office.

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