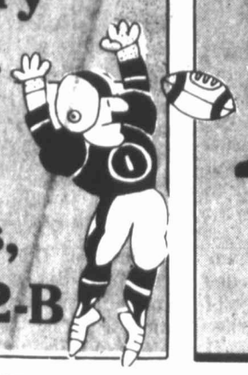
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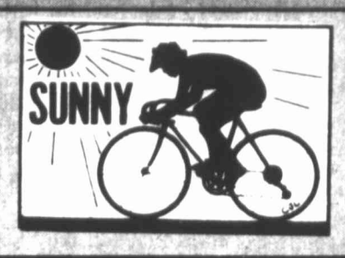
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Local weather

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City OKs special rates to lure prison

By RUTH COCHRAN
City Editor

BIG SPRING — The Texas Department of Corrections has added incentive to locate a prison here after the city council agreed to give the TDC discounted water and sewage rates.

The council voted 7-0 Tuesday night to cut water and sewage rates 30 percent for the proposed TDC prison. The decision, made during an emergency meeting, means Big Spring customers could face a surcharge on their water and sewage bill.

Howard County Commissioner Bill Crooker, who helped draft the incentive package, said the discounted rates will be added to the prison proposal the city/county already has turned in to the TDC. Big Spring and 45 other Texas cities are bidding for two proposed TDC facilities.



"I think it very definitely makes us more competitive with other proposals . . . particularly those coming from the West Texas areas. This is a great step toward progress and to perhaps turn Big Spring around." — Bill Crooker, county commissioner

Crooker said the discount, which is the same the city gives to the Big Spring State Hospital, significantly improves Big Spring's chances of making the cut from 46 prison proposals to 22.

"I think it very definitely makes us more competitive with other proposals . . . particularly those coming from the West Texas areas," Crooker said. "This is a great step toward progress and to perhaps turn Big Spring around."

According to the agreement, if Big Spring/Howard County is awarded one of the prison facilities, the TDC will be charged 70 percent of the going rate for in-city water and sewage, as of Oct. 1 each year. The rate could be changed every year according to fluctuating costs.

Currently, the TDC would pay $1.14 per 1,000 gallons of water. Big Spring residents pay a base charge of $9 a month and a rate of $1.63 per 1,000 gallons. Out-of-city customers pay $18 a month and a rate of $3.26 per 1,000 gallons.

The council had considered giving the TDC a 25 percent discount, which would have set their water rate at $1.22 per 1,000 gallons. Crooker said that rate would have made Big Spring competitive but not nearly as attractive to the TDC.

"The $1.14 as opposed to the $1.22 makes us very competitive in the West Texas area," he said. "I would be surprised if any other community in West Texas would be able to come up with a better rate than $1.14."

The lowest rate offered to customers by area cities is $1.25 per 1,000 gallons.

If the county wins a prison, Big Spring customers will pay to provide the TDC with water and sewer lines. According to the agreement worked out Tuesday, customers will pay at most an extra $2.50 each month for service.

Tom Decell, city public works director, said the surcharge, which would appear monthly on utility bills if a prison is built here, would help pay for improvements the city's water and wastewater systems will need.

"Our initial engineering estimates are for about $4.2 million for improvements necessary to put water to the facility and to bring wastewater to the treatment plant."

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On the side:

3 men arrested

BIG SPRING — Three men were arrested Tuesday on drug charges and a substance that appears to be cocaine was seized, according to a Howard County Sheriff's Department report.

Arrested for aggravated possession of a controlled substance were: Joe Trevino, 20, 808 W. Eighth St.; Ismael Paradez, 21, 106 Washington Blvd. and Ray Martinez, 26, Stanton. All three are being held in the Howard County jail in lieu of $15,000 bond.

Two ounces of a substance that appears to be cocaine with an estimated $6,000 value was confiscated, according to the report. The arrest represents one of the larger busts for area authorities, an officer working with the joint county and Permian Basin Drug Task Force reported.

The arrests Tuesday came after authorities received information about a possible drug transaction at the entrance to the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark, the report said.



Kiss Off

RENO, Nev. — Fernando and Karen Gonzales, foreground of Fernley, Nev. were declared the winners of the First Great American Kiss-Off in Reno, Nev. in the secret agreement to divide the top prize of $10,000 with the remaining two couples. Lloyd and Laura Gubler of Reno, background, and Bret Watson and Lori Block of Reno, center, in this Sept. 10 picture. The contest ended after 43 days.

Baby killer parole?

AUSTIN (AP) — The November parole eligibility of convicted baby killer Genene Jones is bringing complaints from across the state.

Karin Armstrong of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles said more than 575 letters had been sent to the board since the case was publicized last week on the syndicated television show "Geraldo."

"That's a lot of letters. It's as many as any of us can remember," a second board spokeswoman said Tuesday.

Ms. Jones first becomes eligible for parole in November after being sentenced to 99 years in prison for killing a 15-month-old girl by fatal injection.

Chelsea McClellan died Sept. 17, 1982, after suffering mysterious seizures while in the care of Ms. Jones, who worked as a nurse in a Kerrville pediatrician's office.

Her eligibility for parole under state law doesn't mean that she will be released, Ms. Armstrong said. A board member is scheduled to interview Ms. Jones next week and file a report for a three-member panel to make a parole decision.

"She's dangerous," said Kerr County District Attorney Ron Sutton, who prosecuted the 1984 case.

Sutton said the board hadn't yet notified him of the November consideration but he "definitely" will object.

"She never has admitted her guilt in this thing. For that reason, I consider her extremely dangerous," Sutton said. "I'm going to protest the parole. I think she's dangerous and I think she's got sociopathic tendencies."

Ms. Jones, then 33, didn't testify during her trial. She did take the witness stand briefly during the punishment phase.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Getting a head start!

BIG SPRING — Before their class begins Wednesday morning, Patrick Walter, left, and Raymond Castillo get a chance to play with some toy cars and a toy house. The two were in their classroom at the Lakeview Headstart School.

Recall
2 more apply for petitions

By RUTH COCHRAN
City Editor

BIG SPRING — Two more people, including the woman who originally began the effort, have joined a city councilwoman in trying to remove Mayor Max Green from office.

Michelle DeAnda Rodriquez and Ysidoro Gonzales applied Tuesday for recall election petitions against Green, according to the city secretary. Rodriquez and Gonzales join City Councilwoman Pat DeAnda in trying to oust the first-term mayor.

Rodriquez, the daughter of DeAnda, began a recall effort last week. The petition issued to her was declared invalid, however, after city officials discovered it did not contain information required by the state election code.

DeAnda filed an application Friday and she was joined Monday by her father, Chon Marquez.

According to the applications filed with the city secretary, all four are seeking to remove Green from office because he has prevented the police and fire departments from receiving adequate funds and because he has failed to listen to the citizens of Big Spring.

During recent budget discussions, DeAnda supported a 5-cent,

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Cotton boosters eye mill

By JAMES FLEEHR
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — Cotton is king on Texas farms, but Big Spring officials say the state lags far behind in the production market, an oversight they plan to change.

A task force of local producers and ginners met Monday with a TU Electric representative, a research expert and an entrepreneur at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce to discuss the possibilities of getting a textile mill here.

Although Texas produces one-third of the nation's cotton crop, 80 percent of the worldwide cotton market is not Texas generated, according to figures released at the meeting. Most of the processing is done out of state, primarily in the Southeast.

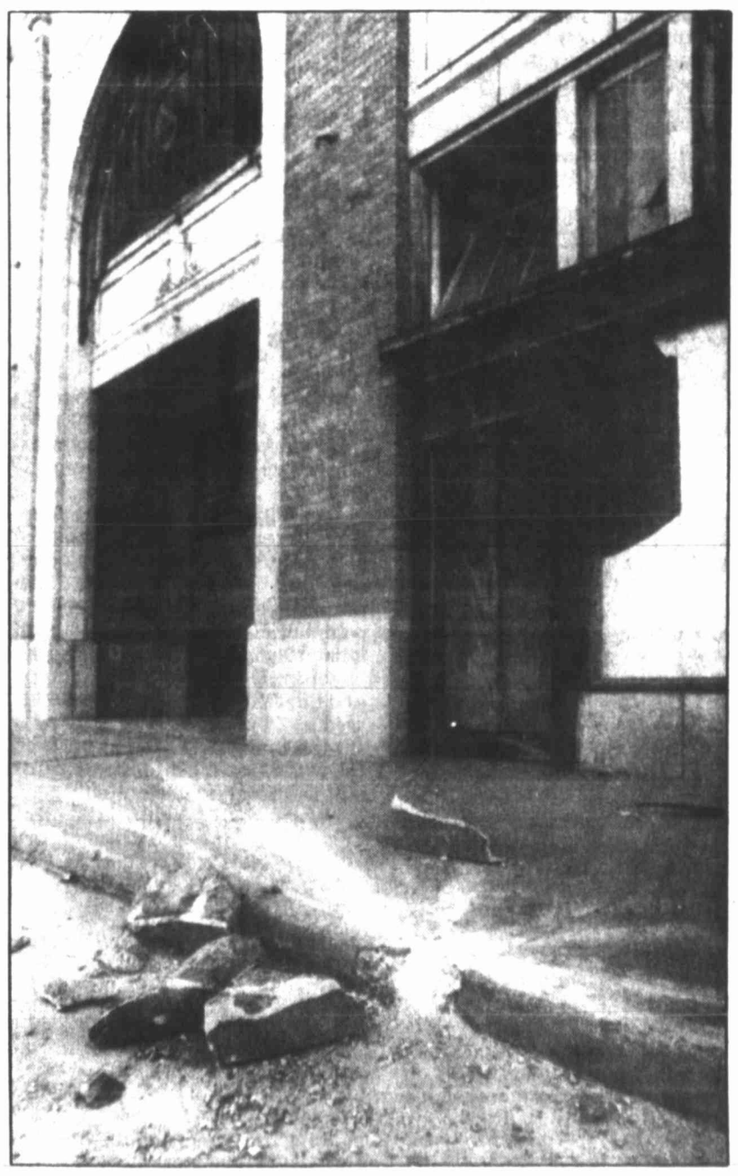
The plans were tentative Monday, but the group unanimously agreed with the speakers and voted to continue planning for the mill.

The task force is not a closed group and anyone with interests in the cotton market can be included in its ranks.

"In my mind I don't see any reason it can't be done," said Task Force Chairman John R. "Rich" Anderson, as he spoke to the group of 17 listeners.

"The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce became involved in the textile mill question when TU Electric and Texas A&M (University) prepared a feasibility study. The opportunities include economic development, jobs and

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

BIG SPRING — A chunk of concrete hit the sidewalk Tuesday that apparently fell from the top of the Settles Hotel on Fourth Street. The concrete either broke off from the old hotel or was deliberately pushed to the street.

Concrete on hotel falls to the street

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — A chunk of cement at least a foot long fell from the Settles Hotel this week, chipping a small hole into the edge of the sidewalk below.

It is the second time this year that concrete has fallen from the 15-story hotel, which is said to be the first skyscraper in West Texas.

"I instructed the street department to place some barricades around there," said Tom Decell, director of the city public works department. He said the barricade will run from Runnels Steet east to the alley.

He also said that a letter was sent to the owner, Cuadra Manufactured Housing Inc., of San Antonio, requesting that they have a structural engineer evaluate the 59-year-old building and make recommendations.

Decell said he does not know why the cement fell from the building but added that last year's incident may have been an act of vandalism.

"I think at one time we had some problems with some kids going up there," he said.

A story which ran in the *Herald* in October said that a 2-cubic-foot block of concrete, which apparently fell from a decorative cornice at the top of the building, had shattered the sidewalk, leaving a 6-inch hole. An engineer estimated that the block weighed about 300 pounds.

Decell, who surveyed the scene this morning, said he hasn't determined if the cement which recently fell came from the top of the building.

"It fell from some height because of the damage it did to the curb," he said.

This week's incident happened about a month after a state district judge was asked to let a foreclosure on the hotel remain pending. The suit, still pending in the 118th District Court, was filed because the owner has not paid county, city or school taxes on the property since 1985. A total of $134,471.12 in taxes were due as of October 1988, according to the county tax collector's office.

Attorney Drew Mouton, who is representing the state in the suit, said the suit will remain pending until someone is willing to bid on the property at a foreclosure sale.

If the property is foreclosed and a bidder who is willing to pay the deliquent taxes is not found, it will become the property of the taxing entities, he said.

"Nobody wants that to happen because nobody wants to be associated with that kind of liablility," Mouton said. "It has a lot of potential liability.

"Right now that liability is with the current owner," he said.

City Manager Hal Boyd agreed with that position. "None of the taxing entities want another major taxing liability," he said. "That's our position at this time.

"We'd like to see the current owner do something with it that's constructive."

County Judge John Coffee voiced a similar opinion.

"I don't believe I'd be willing for the county to take over the building," he said. "But something definitely needs to be done."

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San Antonio man recreates story of early Texas settlers

By R. DANIEL CAVAZOS
The San Antonio Light

SAN ANTONIO — Joseph De Solis' South Texas is one of far-flung ranches of the 1700s, where a hardy people endured harsh conditions that became a cradle of heritage for millions of Texas Hispanics.

De Solis lives in the present at his South Side home, but often finds himself turning back to the old documents and maps that tell the story of a Hispanic people who settled in Texas a century before a Moses Austin-led group of settlers came to the Mexican province.

"Texas history didn't begin in 1820," De Solis said of the era when Austin arrived in Texas. "All we learned in school was Anglo history, which is why Hispanic-surname students could never relate to Texas history."

De Solis has been on a mission of sorts since retiring as a computer specialist from Kelly Air Force Base eight years ago.

He has traveled to Mexican border towns such as Camargo and Mier to collect copies of old church records and documents detailing the names of thousands of Spanish settlers who came to northern Mexico and South Texas 200 years ago to begin the communities that now dot both sides of the Rio Grande.

Through his vast collection of records, De Solis weaves the story of settlers who lived on land grants given by the Spanish crown. The grants ranged from a few thousand acres to hundreds of thousands of acres scattered across South Texas.

Tucked away on a large ranch near Baffin Bay in South Texas was Javier Salinas, a Spanish land grant holder who was born in 1765, in present-day Texas. Salinas is someone special to De Solis. The old Spanish settler is a De Solis ancestor and a figure of how far back Texas Hispanic history goes.

"I followed a thread and found many blankets," De Solis said of his research into the past. "In backtracking and finding out where they lived and how they lived, I feel very strong ties to what happened to these settlers."

Most of the Spanish land grant holders and their descendants lost their rights and titles to their lands in the aftermath of wars between Mexico and its northern neighbors — first the Republic of Texas and then the United States.

That fact long has been a sore point for Hispanics such as De Solis, who feel their families were treated unjustly. But through the disappointment, De Solis relishes the opportunity to tell stories about family descendants who tried to tame the wilds of South Texas.

One of his favorites is Juan Marroquin, one of the famed Kinenos who were cowboys on the ranch of Richard King in the late 1800s. Marroquin, De Solis' great-grandfather, was a South Texas cowboy his entire life, and used strong discipline and traditions to keep a close watch on his family.

It is these sort of strong figures that many Texas Hispanics know nothing about, De Solis said. Missing out on this heritage is like losing a vital slice of history that gives valuable insights to the Texas Hispanic, he said.

"One of the best things it (research) did for me was give me a wider scope of history," De Solis said. "Finding out about all these people who came before me was like reading a story where you put yourself in their place."

Spring board

How's that?

Q. Are Western Pacific typhoons stronger or weaker than Atlantic hurricanes?
A. Stronger, according to the Associated Press, because of a greater expanse of warm ocean waters.

Calendar

Dancing

TODAY

- Big Spring Squares will begin square dance lessons at 8:30 p.m. at Square Corral on Driver Road. The first two lessons will be free and will continue each Wednesday night for 22 weeks. David Davis of Midland will be the caller. For more information contact Skeeter Salisbury at 263-4476 or Wayne Bonner at 263-6305.

THURSDAY

- Narcotics Anonymous will meet at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's, 10th and Goliad.
- There will be a country and western music concert at the Kentwood Older Adult Center from 7 to 9 p.m. There will be no dancing. The public is invited.
- The water will be off on South Scurry, from Fourth to Ninth streets for repair.

FRIDAY

- There will be a senior citizens dance at 8 p.m. in Building 487 in the Industrial Park.

TUESDAY

- The Coahoma Athletic Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. in the elemetary cafeteria.
- Narcotics Anonymous will meet at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's, 10th and Goliad.

Tops on TV

Jitters

- Growing Pains — Kirk Cameron, Jane Powell. Mike and Julie come down with the jitters as the big day approaches. — 7 p.m. Channel 2.
- Unsolved Mysteries — 7 p.m. Channel 13.

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents Tuesday:

- Joe Felix Venegas, Jr., 34, address unkown, was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- A person living in the 1300 block of Birdwell reported the burglary of a TV valued at $150.
- A person living in the 1300 block of Elm reported the burglary from a vehicle of a shotgun valued at $65.
- The Seven-Eleven at 2101 Marcy reported the theft of six cartons of cigarettes valued at $79.
- The Seven-Eleven at 1801 S. Gregg reported the theft of four cartons of cigarettes valued at $56.

Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incident:

- Chris Bishop, 25, 903 Abrams St., was released after serving time on a 30-day jail sentence for revocation of probation.

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Armed beachwear

EIN FASHKA, Israel — An unidentified female Israeli soldier walks from the beach carrying her M-16 assault rifle Tuesday. Following numerous terrorist actions in the area, the army has recommended its troops carry their weapons with them at all times.

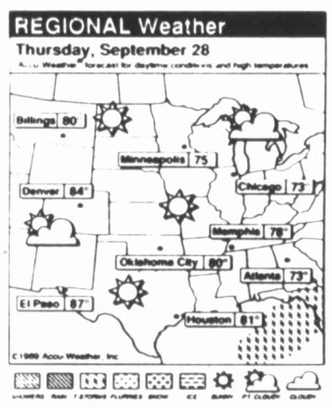
Weather

Fair skies covered much of the nation early today, and temperatures again dropped into the 30s and 40s from the northern Plains to northern New England.

Overnight temperatures were expected to drop into the 30s in parts of Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, Illinois and Indiana. Frost and freeze advisories were in effect for all of Michigan, and a frost advisory was in effect in central and northern Indiana.

Skies were fair to partly cloudy over most of the West, where warmer temperatures prevailed, but moist southwest winds produced some brief showers and thunderstorms in Utah late Tuesday and early today.

Thunderstorm winds gusted to 55 mph just south of Salt Lake City's airport late Tuesday afternoon, and gusts elsewhere hit 40 mph.



Miami set a new record high for the date Tuesday with 93 degrees, exceeding the old mark of 92 set in 1941.

The nation's cold spot Tuesday was International Falls, Minn., with a low of 25 degrees.

Recall

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or 8 percent, tax increase, which she said was necessary to pay for equipment needed by the police and fire departments. Green had campaigned for no increases, saying residents and businesses can't afford one. He later supported the 3-cent, or 2.4 percent, tax increase that was approved by the council on a 4-3 vote.

City Secretary Tom Decell said the signatures of 894 registered voters living in the city are needed to force a recall election. That number represents 35 percent of the number of people who voted in the last regular city election, he said.

Because all four people are seeking a recall election on the same person, their valid signatures must total 894, Ferguson said. Each person is not required to obtain 894, he said.

The four were required to file applications for petitions, Ferguson said, because their signed affidavits are their promise that they witnessed each signature on their petition.

Since DeAnda's application was filed Sept. 22, her petition is due Oct. 22; applicants have 30 days to gather the required number of signatures, Ferguson said. Also, because Marquez, Rodriquez and Gonzales have filed on the same person as DeAnda, their petitions are due Oct. 22, Ferguson said.

If the four gather the proper number of signatures, and if the petition is declared valid, the city council must set a recall election for a date between 10 days and 20 days after the petition is returned, Ferguson said.

A simple majority could vote to remove Green from office, he said. If Green was removed from office, the council would appoint someone to serve the remainder of the three-year term.

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Hotel

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The building, named a Texas Historical Landmark in 1987, is currently valued at $80,000 by the Howard County Consolidated Tax Appraisal District.

Gil Cuadra of San Antonio bought the building for $20,000 in 1984 when it was valued at $284,000. According to *Herald* reports, he had planned to pay the $92,000 in taxes which the former owner had not paid then renovate the building for use as a shopping center.

He paid the 1984 taxes, which came to $3,401, stripped the building of it's lavish furnishings and then halted work on the building in 1985, saying that he had already spent $100,000 and that there was a "lack of community support."

The tax collector's office said he has not paid any taxes on it since then.

Assault trial could begin Monday

By BRADLEY WORRELL
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — A local man indicted for a December 1987 sexual assault will probably face trial for the offense next week, said William Dupree, Howard County assistant district attorney.

"It looks like it's going to go," Dupree said Tuesday. The sexual assault case, one of 35 criminal cases on Tuesday's docket call, will be the first criminal case heard in district court next week, he said.

James Gregg, 118th district court judge, has the option of setting the sexual assault case first for trial or one of the nine civil cases on Tuesday's docket, Dupree said. Jury selection for either criminal or civil cases begins Monday.

John Michael McMurry, 23, Sterling City Route, Box 6B, is charged with using threats and physical force in the sexual assault of a woman.

McMurray was arrested Dec. 18, 1987 on a charge of aggravated sexual assault and was later released on $250,000 bond. McMurray was indicted June 14, 1988 on a lesser charge of sexual assault.

Dupree said a decision by McMurray to change his legal counsel at least two times since he was charged with the offense has prevented an earlier trial.

Other criminal cases on Tuesday's docket call are:

- Eli Aldrige, burglary of a habitation and burglary of a motor vehicle.
- Perfiell Parker, burglary of a habitation and burglary of motor vehicle.
- Gregg Turner, theft over $750 but less than $20,000.
- Bryan Averette, theft over $750 but less than $20,000.
- Larry Jobe, theft over $750 but less than $20,000.
- Johnny Ochoa, burglary of a habitation.
- Shane Forgus, burglary of a building.
- Chris Tennyson, burglary of a habitation.
- Mickey Alvarez, burglary of a habitation.
- Richard Diaz Lopez Jr., burglary of a habitation.
- Gerald D. Mireles, burglary of a habitation.
- Ronny Ray Womack, felony driving while intoxicated.
- Georgia Celeste Schafer, theft over $20,000.
- Morrison Donaghe, theft over $750 but less than $20,000.
- John Cavner, possession of a prohibitted weapon.
- Kenneth Ray Kimbler, theft by appropriation.
- George Swift, theft by check.
- Buddy Chandler, DWI.
- Bob Jackson, theft by exercising control.
- Ruben Bruce Powers, failure to stop and render aid.
- Roy Biddle III, forgery by passing.
- Isabel G. Lomas, failure to stop and render aid.
- Constantine Margaziotis, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.
- Manuel Sosa Jr., tampering with physical evidence.
- Santiago Trevino, tampering with physical evidence.
- Jaime Cruz, failure to stop and render aid.
- Jose Diaz, felony DWI.
- Lorenzo Duron, felony DWI.
- William Killcrease, burglary of a habitation.
- Gilbert Gamboa, burglary of a motor vehicle.

Rates

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Decell said improvements to the potable (drinkable) water system would include construction of a booster pump station, 38,000 feet of 14-inch water line, and a 150,000-gallon elevated storage tank at the prison site.

Improvements to the wastewater system would include construction of a pump station, 7,000 feet of force main, 16,000 feet of gravity main and improvements to the treatment plant itself, Decell said. Improvements to the plant, estimated at $750,000, would be necessary to handle the increased load caused by the prison, he said.

Also, he said, those same $750,000 in improvements may be required anyway when the Environmental Protection Agency and the Texas Water Commission perform a permit inspection in 1991.

"These are very preliminary costs," Decell cautioned. "Looking at the options we had in order to bring this into being, it's going to require a bond issue. There're not adequate funds to support a project of this magnitude."

The city will have to issue a 20-year $4.2 million bond, he said. Annual payments will total $435,000. The bulk of that payment — $300,000 — will come from the surcharge added to customers' bills, he said. The rest will come from the TDC's payments for water and sewage service, he said.

Decell stressed that all of the figures are preliminary estimates that can easily be changed. The figures are based on Big Spring winning the 2,250-bed facility, which will have higher utility usage than the 1,000-bed facility.

"If we can make adjustments, I feel comfortable that we can make downward adjustments," he said.

Big Spring Mayor Max Green said the surcharge could be adjusted down because of a variety of factors.

"If we get the 800 jobs, if we get the big prison, I anticipate additional revenues coming in from that, which will have a bearing on what we're finally going to wind up having to assess," Green said. "With an improved economy, I also feel like we will gain more revenues from sales taxes and from franchise taxes.

"Also, I can envision more houses, more business buildings and more property being located within the city limits of Big Spring, which will increase our ad valorem taxes without increasing the ad valorem tax rate. It will start rebuilding our tax base. And the county as well as the city will receive benefits from this."

Commissioner Crooker asked the council to consider offering the TDC reduced utility rates because other West Texas cities were offering better rates in their proposals.

Crooker told the council that when the TDC chooses prison sites, "one of the important aspects will be utility rates."

The council had to hold the emergency meeting because any changes to the prison proposal must be made before Friday, Crooker said. Because it was an emergency meeting, any decision the council made had to come from a unanimous vote.

Textile

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investment potential," Anderson said.

Anderson said the basic purpose of the meeting was to start Big Spring thinking about the advent of a textile mill. The idea comes in light of recent thought that although the cotton crop is here in Texas, not enough attention has been paid to the refining end of the raw cotton, he said.

The proposal was first developed by TU Electric, and representative Charles Elk explained the move was a part of TU's thinking for public service.

"TU services the Big Spring area," he said, "and here is where we are going to stay. We're going to prosper as well as our customers do."

According to Elk, the move is intended to enhance the area and was only proposed by the utility company to better Big Spring. The premise is that the end product pound of cotton is valued at about $2.50, when local producers are only getting 60 cents for the raw crop, and the difference is in the mill, he said.

"It is being done in other parts of the world," said Elk, as he explained the history behind cotton.

"When you take a look particularly at the economy of the state, we are a big producer and we are a big consumer," he said.

"Cotton," he said, "is marketed where it is needed or historically found." He used the examples of the Southeast and the industrial Northeast as national producer locations — end product producers in the North and South and crop producers in the South.

The feasibility study showed supporting evidence for the mill — the high labor cost when compared with profit in the producer markets mentioned above. "It's a very old industry," Elk said.

In the study prepared by Texas-Agri-Business Electric Council in cooperation with Texas A&M, it was found "the market is on the move."

"That to us stuck out in the study," said Elk, but he did not know where the market was moving. The study showed an expected "dramatic change over the next four years." He feared it would again settle in the traditional Southeast, and so the labor cost became an attractive plus.

The Texas labor base is labor rich when compared to the high cost, poor labor Southeast, Elk said. Texas labor quality is high, he said.

One of the early targeted goals for the local mill was set as the knitting industry.

On his second visit with the task force, Dr. Jim Parker, director of textile research for Texas Tech University, said, "You cannot produce too much of it. I would very much like to see somebody in Texas develop some additional textile industry. We're not manufacturing enough of the goods."

Parker used examples from around the state — Lubbock, New Braunfels, Lorenzo, Abernathy — as sites where textile mills now operate at a profit.

In Lubbock, the plant produces about 3½ to 4 million pounds of yarn per week, Parker said.

With the average purchase price at $1.55 a pound for yarn, and an 8 percent sales profit of over $400,000 per week as Parker explained, the Lubbock plant is a perfect example environment. The profit, Parker added, of course takes into consideration a 55- to 85-cent charge on a pound of raw cotton and the fact that the plant there uses between 180,000 to 200,000 bails per week to produce the yarn.

"It is a simple case of supply and demand," he said.

Robert A. Hutchison, an international entrepreneur and consultant, was present to offer potential outside investment that might be considered for the milling industry in the state of Texas.

Deaths

Eunice Homan

Eunice Homan, 81, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Sept. 27, 1989.

Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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Arvie Peterson, 83, died Sunday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Eunice Homan, 81, died Wednesday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Inside Texas

Boyfriend charged

AUSTIN (AP) — The boyfriend of a South Austin woman who was accused last week of severely beating her two children with a shoe has been charged with injury to a child.

Robert Alvarez Jr., 31, was arrested Tuesday and jailed in lieu of $30,000 bail in the injury of the 5-year-old son of Marie Belen Gutierrez, said Travis County sheriff's detective Gary Cutler.

Cutler said Alvarez, an X-ray technician for a group of Austin urologists, was charged with injury to a child because he had witnessed beatings and failed to report them to the authorities.

The boy remains in a coma and was in critical condition with head injuries at Children's Hospital of Austin at Brackenridge, Cutler said. He also suffered broken bones in both feet and may lose two left toes because of gangrene.

The woman's 7-year-old daughter was in serious condition at Children's Hospital. Cutler said she had been beaten in the face and head, and some of her teeth had been knocked out.

Pilot, co-pilot blamed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal safety officials are blaming the pilot and co-pilot, but not the third man in the cockpit, for a Delta Airlines crash at Dallas-Fort Worth airport that killed 14 people.

The Aug. 18, 1988, crash was caused by a lack of cockpit discipline, the crew's attempt to take off with wing flaps and slats in the wrong position, and failure of an alarm system to warn that something was wrong, the National Transportation Safety Board concluded Tuesday.

The board laid secondary blame on Delta for sloppy cockpit procedures and training and on the Federal Aviation Administration for failing to correct Delta's known deficiencies.

Board staff members, who conducted the year-long investigation, said Delta has since corrected the deficiencies.

Board member James Burnett dissented from the decision, saying the conclusion let Delta off too easily by citing it only for slow correction of problems during a period of rapid growth and merger and should have laid more direct blame on FAA failures.

Please send money

SIERRA BLANCA (AP) — This West Texas village hopes to revive business by spending $32,500 for highway signs to beckon motorists to stop, but first it must raise money to buy the signs.

"We haven't done too well so far," said Ruth Love, owner of the Silver Spike Bar and chairwoman of the associations's finance committee. "I guess we've made about $185 so far."

The town has a dance and auction scheduled Saturday evening to try to raise money for the 12 roadway signs.

The community's businesses have suffered since Interstate 10 was built on its south side in 1968, diverting traffic that once cut through town on U.S. Highway 80.

"I would guess that 50 percent of the businesses that were here before 1968 have folded over the years," said Gene Wells. A truck stop that Wells operated after his father died in 1985 is one that has folded.



Associated Press photo

Headless Tex

DALLAS — The head of Big Tex rests on the ground as his body is raised into place at Fair Park Monday. The 52-foot tall cowboy has greeted Texas State Fair goers since 1951 and will be ready to say "Howdy" when the fair opens Friday.

Dallas gunman opens fire on bus; wounds 12-year old

DALLAS (AP) — A 12-year-old girl was in critical condition today after she was wounded by a gunman who opened fire on a DART bus in an attempt to shoot a man he had been chasing down a city street, authorities said.

A second student among about 15 people on the Dallas Area Rapid Transit bus from school to home was grazed by a bullet, but was not hospitalized.

LaToya Battee, a seventh-grader at D.A. Hulcy Middle School in South Oak Cliff, was listed in critical condition after surgery at Methodist Medical Center Tuesday night.

Police said Kenneth Phillips, 29, the man who jumped on the bus to escape from the gunman, sustained a minor head injury, but it was unclear whether he was shot or hit by flying glass, police said. No other injuries were reported.

Phillips was questioned by police Tuesday night, but no arrests were made.

The shooting began just as the bus had stopped in front of a convenience store to pick up some students.

"We were getting on the bus when we heard shooting," said Tonia Jackson, a 19-year-old Carter High School student. "We saw this man running toward the bus and another guy running after him with a gun. After the first guy ran onto the bus, he yelled, 'Please save my life,' and the guy with the gun started shooting."

Jackson said one of the first shots fired at the bus went through a window and struck the Battee girl in the forehead.

At least two and perhaps up to four shots were fired at the bus, which had two bullet holes in the windows on the right side, and one exit hole in a window on the left side. police said.

Jackson said the gunman fired about five shots at the bus, apparently aiming for the man who had leaped onto the bus.

"The gunman still was running after the bus after we took off and everyone was screaming at the bus driver to just keep driving," Jackson said.

The drive drove for several blocks before stopping to summon police.

"At first I thought it was blanks," said Adrian Williams, a 15-year-old Carter student. "Then I saw this one dude running from two other guys and I knew it was for real."

The incident came just eight days after the stabbing and robbing of a bus driver prompted city officials to announce plans to create a transit police force.

Councilman Al Lipscomb, who was at the scene Tuesday, said the shooting demonstrated the need for quick action on the transit police plan.

"It's unfortunate that it takes an incident like this to make us stop playing politics," he said. "This is the straw that broke the proverbial camel's back. We need to make a decision on the transit police tomorrow."

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Austin officials: Stay clear of bats

AUSTIN (AP) — Health authorities are warning Austin residents to stay clear of the thousands of bats that call the Texas city their summer home.

"There are some sick bats out there," said Dan Pickens, spokesman for the Austin Travis County Health Department.

Pickens told the Austin American-Statesman that a student at one of the city's elementary schools found a grounded bat last week that tested positive for rabies.

People regularly flock to Congress Avenue bridge near downtown to watch the nightly exodus of bats that reside under the bridge. Most of them are Mexican freetails, who will fly south in about six weeks for the winter.

But while the bats are still in town, they should be avoided if they are on the ground, Pickens said. He urges those who find grounded bats to report them to the animal control office of the state Department of Health

"Our concern is that if you can approach a bat," Pickens said, "then it's probably rabid. That's true with any wild animal."

The unidentified student who found the bat in southeast Austin took it inside Allison Elementary School and a secretary called the health department.

Although health department officials confirmed the bat was infected with rabies, the child did not require treatment because he had not been scratched or bitten by the animal.

Biologist and bat expert Merlin Tuttle, who founded the research group Bat Conservation International, told the Austin newspaper that rabid bats pose no threat to anyone who leaves them alone.

"Even a sick bat is extremely unlikely to bite anyone except in self- defense if they're handled," Tuttle said. "They are among the most naturally gentle creatures on Earth."

Tuttle said the bats under the Austin bridge consume about 15,000 pounds of mosquitoes and other insects on an average night.

Good news forecasted for Texas petroleum

HOUSTON (AP) — Conservative drilling operations, consolidated corporations and a shift from crude oil to natural gas have brought the U.S. petroleum industry its most promising year since 1985, a study reported.

Arthur Andersen & Co.'s 1989 Reserve Disclosures Survey of 244 public petroleum companies showed increases in exploration spending, acquisitions and gas reserves, marking the first such significant moves since 1985.

"I think overall, these are good things — more positives than negatives," said Victor A. Burk, managing director of Arthur Andersen's oil and gas industry services. "It certainly will have a positive effect in the amount of money people will spend in drilling."

Burk said mergers, acquisitions and even the loss of some firms have brought an overall healthier atmosphere in the industry.

"We see fewer of the non-major companies now," Burk said. "The bigger companies are getting bigger." He said 36 of the 244 benchmark companies surveyed for the report have been acquired by other companies or gone out of business.

"Most U.S. exploration and production companies are continuing to reposition for the future through a combination of strategies; consolidating their operations, emphasizing technological innovation, improving operating efficiencies, redirecting their exploration and development activities and investments, and buying and selling reserves," Burk said.

Burk said such indicators as the $7.70 average finding cost per barrel show companies are making careful decisions about their futures, with some moving away from crude oil and into natural gas.

"Management is being very selective in choosing their development sites," Burk said.

Burk said in 1988, capital expenditures to acquire, explore or develop oil and gas properties increased by 53 percent to $24.6 billion. Previously, capital expenditures fell by more than 70 percent from 1984 through 1987.

In 1988, $5.5 billion of the spending increase — 65 percent — was related to survey companies acquiring Tenneco's oil and gas properties. With the Tenneco deal, the acquisitions of proved properties reached the highest levels since 1984.

U.S. gas reserves also increased for the first time since 1984 to rise to 103.9 trillion cubic feet (TCF). In 1987, gas reserves had dropped for the fourth consecutive year, to 103 TCF.

But in 1988, petroleum companies were able to replace more than half their oil and gas production through discoveries of new reserves.

"While this is far from a sign that the U.S. oil and gas industry is about to return to boom times, it does indicate that many companies have successfully adapted to today's low price environment," Burk said.

"I think we will continue to see improvements in 1989," Burk said.

Company's future could hinge on trial

Business

DALLAS (AP) — Officials for a troubled high-technology company have decided to let a federal judge dictate the outcome of a trial on charges that the firm and two officers sought to defraud the U.S. Postal Service.

U.S. District Judge George Revercomb will begin hearing charges against Recognition Equipment Inc., its former chief executive officer, William G. Moore Jr., and Robert W. Reedy, former company vice president, on conspiracy, fraud and theft.

Proceedings are to start today in Washington.

The criminal charges pending against REI have blocked it from postal contracting. And the Irving-based company's stock price has plummeted as its legal woes increased.

Attorneys for REI, Moore and Reedy, waived their clients' constitutional right to a jury trial. The defendants asked for the right to a "bench trial" with Revercomb.

Jenny Haynes Barker, REI vice president, said the motion was mode because the case is so complicated that it would best be handled by a judge.

Revercomb's secretary, Paula Fuller, told The Associated Press the judge would not comment on the trial.

"It's highly unusual for a defendant to give up his rights to trial by jury," Charles Stillman, Moore's attorney, said. "It is most unusual for the government to consent."

The charges stem from REI's attempts to win $400 million in Postal Service contracts and billions of dollars of potential business.

If convicted, Moore and Reedy would each face a maximum of 33 years imprisonment and $1.5 million in fines. Both men, who are on paid leaves of absence, have maintained their innocence and plan to return to their former jobs if exonerated.

A seven-count indictment in October 1988 followed a 2½-year investigation by a Washington grand jury into details of competition for a computer automation contract with the Postal Service.

A former vice chairman of the Postal Board of Governors, Peter E. Voss, and two consultants hired by REI have already pleaded guilty to charges arising from conduct of the competition.

Prosecutors charged the consultants paid bribes to Voss to steer the contract toward REI, which makes image and data processing equipment. The government now claims that the payments were made with the knowledge of REI or the former officers.

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"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

Herald opinion

Harmonious city actions

Bickering. Battling. Behaving like children. Those are a few of the terms you hear these days describing Big Spring city council members. It does not have to be that way.

The city council proved that Tuesday night when they spent 80 minutes discussing, debating, reviewing, and then voting unanimously on a subject that promises to affect the occupants of all homes in this community.

Before the council on Tuesday was the subject of water and sewer rates for the proposed Texas Department of Corrections prison. Considering the words and petition threats that have flown in recent weeks, one could have expected great difficulty in reaching a consensus.

Discussing the subject Thursday, as scheduled, would have done little good, which complicated the situation. State authorities had indicated to county officials that Friday would likely be too late for any rate adjustment in the county proposal being considered for the first cut of the 46 applications.

That forced the issue into an emergency meeting Tuesday; by the rules of emergency meetings, no action can be taken unless it is unanimous. A unanimous vote in this atmosphere? That seemed unlikely.

Although discussion of the topic and the two alternatives outlined by the mayor seemed confusing at first, by the end of the discussion a healthy debate had been conducted and this council proved it can place the good of the city ahead of political animosity, and that it was capable of decisive strong action.

The decision to discount TDC water and sewer rates in a fashion similar to the contract arranged with the Big Spring State Hospital seems reasonable on the city's part and should prove competitive for the local bid in the prison derby.

The water and sewer rates, debated for either a 30 percent or 25 percent discount, were selected to reflect the 30 percent reduction — a cost of $1.14 per 1,000 gallons of water purchased.

Not to be lost in the consideration of this action is how the council decided to pay for the initial expense of providing water and sewer lines to the facilities; unlike the renegotiated contract with the state hospital, this change involves a significant expenditure — as much as $3.5 million at the most, city officials estimate.

Debate on the payoff of this investment involved either a per-gallon charge or a flat per-month increase for all users to retire the debt. The debate could have been endless on which route is best, but the council discussed the two possibilities and selected the latter. The amount of that per-month charge is yet to be determined.

For debate purposes Tuesday the figure of $2.50 was used, but the bottom line is a long way from being known. In fact, several aspects enter into play before we know what it will be — not the least of which is the TDC's decision as to where prisons will next be located.

And that's an important consideration to keep in mind as such rates are discussed. In order to be successful in its bid, Howard County must bring forth as many reasonable, positive enticements as can be developed; with at least three dozen applicants still actively pursuing a prison, this is no time to be rocking back and waiting for something good to happen.

The other side of the coin, of course, is the fact that no such proposal costs the residents of Big Spring or Howard County a dime unless a prison is constructed here. A proposal like that approved by the city is merely a proposal. If one of the prisons is constructed here, and 300 or 800 direct jobs are realized, only then will the users of the Big Spring water system face the expense to provide extended services.

As it stands now, the council is to be applauded for healthy debate on the subject and the ability to set aside personality conflicts and act in a manner its members believe is best for this community.





"You'd like a ticket from New York to Los Angeles.... around the world so you can smoke?!"

Parents, children never talk

By KAREN McCARTHY
Staff Writer



Around the rim

I read in an article recently in another newspaper that Cynthia Langham of the University of Detroit has discovered the average parent spends 14.5 minutes per day talking with his/her child.

Ridiculous, I thought.

Not so ridiculous, I decided after a little consideration. I have a son and one of his friends living at home with me and a daughter one mile away in a dorm. I can't remember when we had a conversation above the level of whose turn to do the dishes or take out the trash.

Actually I did spend 20 minutes the other day pointing out that anyone who puts clothes in the washing machine has an obligation to follow the rest of the process and get them into the dryer and back to the bedroom. Judging from the results, the conversation was meaningful only to me. I should have known from the glazed look in the boys' eyes. But they held up their own end of the discussion — they both nodded in the appropriate places.

I do talk to my daughter fairly often. She is, by some strange coincidence, the publicity chairwoman of every group she belongs to, so she justifies frequent personal phone calls to me at work, almost always timed just at deadline, by calling them business. When I cut her short, she accuses me of never wanting to talk to her.

I thought maybe she was getting homesick recently when complained that we never have a chance to "interact" anymore. I bit my tongue and refrained from telling her one of us had to work our tail off so she can go to college and learn to use jargon like that. Instead I suggested that we interact over Sunday dinner in a few days.

It turned out she really wanted to interact with my pocketbook. I gave her an appointment with my purse and she was quite satisfied. One of these days I hope to figure out whether she is the poorest kid at college and therefore quite needy, or if she is the most pampered and needs the money to maintain her reputation.

But 14.5 minutes is not a very long time. Hardly enough to get really going on a typical spiel about the dustballs under my son's bed and how is he going to find a good woman to marry him and take him away from all this when he is too lazy to carry his drinking glasses from his room to the kitchen and it's his fault the rest of the family hasn't had a drink in three days because there's nothing left to pour water into.

Routine bribery — I will give you $5 if you take this list and go do the grocery shopping for me — generally takes five minutes, but I can't afford to do it three times a day.

The nightly "What's for dinner, mom?""Anything you want to cook" discussion used to take longer, but we now have that down to three minutes.

I have been known to spend more than 14.5 minutes hollering at the bathroom door when one of the boys was in the shower but I don't suppose it qualifies as quality time if the person you're yelling at can't hear you.

I resolved to spend more time in meaningful dialogue with my children. Last night I cornered my son in the kitchen before he could reach the TV and asked him how his day was.

"Why do you want to know," he asked.

"Because I am your mother and I am interested in what you are doing."

"My day was fine. Hey, I saw the neatest jacket this afternoon. If you give me $190 dollars, I can buy it and you won't have to worry about me being cold this winter. It's all leather and everyone else has one like it and it will last for years and if you buy it for me I won't even ask for a Christmas present unless you want to give me one. Please."

I decided that was as much meaningful dialogue as I could stand at one time and sent him back to the television set.

I spent the rest of my 14.5 minutes talking to the dog.

Yeutter pushing BST on Europe

By JACK ANDERSON
and DALE VAN ATTA



Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON — Europe knocked the American beef industry on its rump roast last winter with a ban on beef injected with growth hormones. Now Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yeutter is pulling strings to stop a similar ban on American dairy products.

Yeutter wrote a private letter to Ray MacSharry, a commissioner of the European Community — the union of European nations. In it, Yeutter comes off as the cheerleader for Bovine Somatotropin, a man-made hormone that is injected into cows to boost their milk output.

MacSharry has suggested a temporary ban on BST in Europe, but the last thing Yeutter needs is another hormone ban.

The Food and Drug Administration is still testing BST, and it is only used on a limited number of cows as part of the testing. The milk from those cows is marketed. Some U.S. supermarket chains have banned BST products and the jury is still out on its safety.

But Yeutter is doing his best to paint BST as the next best thing to the tractor. In fact, at a meeting in Vermont earlier this month, he said BST is to the dairy farmer what the tractor is to the grain farmer.

In his letter to MacSherry, Yeutter warned that a European ban on BST would be seen as a follow-up to the controversial beef hormone ban, and as a trade barrier. His subtle, yet influential plug for BST ignores the controversy swirling around the hormone. Yeutter wrote to MacSharry, "To the best of my knowledge, there is no scientific evidence to suggest that BST poses any kind of health threat to consumers."

Why should there be any scientific evidence? There have been no scientific studies on the effect of BST milk on humans. The research done by its manufacturers as part of the FDA approval process has concentrated only on the effect of BST on cows, and even that is still in doubt.

Sources in the FDA told our associate Tim Warner that the agency's review of BST has been less than stellar. Confidential studies conducted by scientists hired by the companies that produce BST raise serious concerns about the health impact on cows.

Why then would Yeutter go to bat for BST in Europe? His spokeswoman said Yeutter didn't want Europe to fan the controversy over BST in the middle of the FDA approval process.

Yeutter is asking MacSharry not to form an opinion about BST until after the FDA decides if the hormone is good or bad. Yet, at the same time, Yeutter is beating the drum for BST. He is telling Europeans, in essence, to allow BST to be used there when it has not been approved for widespread use here and when the effect on humans is unknown.

Health impacts aside, there are economic consequences to weigh also. Rep. Peter Smith, R-Vt., has suggested a three-year moratorium on BST so Congress can restructure the national dairy program. The high production that BST promises could radically skew the American dairy market, drive prices down and put small farmers out of business.

But Yeutter appears more concerned now about boosting the production of cows. "We just cannot, and should not, stop technological progress in this world," Yeutter wrote to MacSharry.

It looks to us that Yeutter is saying, we cannot and should not let anything stand in the way of selling American agricultural products overseas no matter what we put in them.

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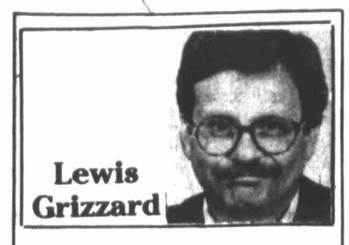
"It is my hope that we can combine two of the South's finest traditions — college football and a desire to help our fellow man." — Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., as six southern universities planned to collect canned goods at Saturday football games to help Hurricane Hugo victims.

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"We've got to see what it is we're doing wrong, how can we be more accountable." — President Bush, going into a two-day education summit with governors.

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"I said I believe the storm hitting Charlotte was a warning to Charlotte. I said it had nothing to do with Jim and Tammy Bakker, but it did have to do with the way the people in Charlotte, North Carolina, have treated God's people." — Tammy Faye Bakker, referring to Hurricane Hugo amid husband Jim Bakker's fraud trial.



Lewis Grizzard

Birthday gifts I never got

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

My birthday is just around the corner, and I've been giving a lot of thought to the fact that I've never received the gift I've really wanted on any of my previous birthdays.

This obviously has taken its psychological toll on me and is perhaps the reason I can't stay married and continue to worry there are monsters under my bed.

When I was 6 I wanted a pony, but I didn't get one.

"We live in an apartment," explained my mother. "Where do you think you would keep a pony?"

I've never been one to get bogged down by details. I'd have kept the pony in my bedroom, and if there were a monster under my bed, the pony would have warned me.

When I was 10, I wanted a Flexy racer. For those who don't know, you lie down on a Flexy racer and aim it downhilll and the subsequent thrill is indescribable.

I didn't get a Flexy racer, either.

"You could get hurt on one of those things," my mother said. What I got were pajamas, a set of Lincoln logs and a box of peanut brittle.

When I was 14 I wanted a motor scooter.

"I am not about to give you a motor scooter," said my mother. "You are too young for such a thing."

My friend Dudley Stamps got a motor scooter for his 14th birthday, which proved beyond the shadow of a doubt that Dudley's parents loved him more than my parents loved me.

I mentioned that fact to my mother after I had opened the gifts I got on my 14th birthday, some more pajames, a portable radio and another box of peanut brittle.

"If you want to go live with Dudley, then go," said my mother.

I knew she didn't really mean that and was probably just trying to hide her guilt. I decided to live at home for at least a couple of more years.

In a couple of more years I was 16. I wanted a Thunderbird convertible.

"People in hell want ice water, too," said my mother.

When I was 21 I still wanted a Thunderbird convertible, but I was making only $140 a month and had a wife, and she gave me a cigaret lighter with my initials on it.

"What," I said to her, "no peanut brittle?"

When I was 30 I wanted a Rolex watch. My second wife gave me a sweater and friends gave me a houseplant, some cologne and a case of beer.

When I was 35 I wanted a helicopter. My third wife gave me a Gucci watch and a new rug for the den.

When I was 40 I just wanted to be left alone. Friends gave me a big surprise party and brought back two of my three ex-wives to stand up and make fun of me.

I'll be 43 on my next birthday. What I really would like to have is either my own private jet or a White House Cabinet post.

With the background I've just described, I'm certainly not counting on either one. But my birthday is October 20, just in case.

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Bush opens education summit

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — President Bush summoned the nation's governors today for summit talks aimed at determining "what it is we're doing wrong" in public education and setting national goals to improve classroom performance without major new federal spending.

"Our problem is not money, our problem is using the money that is there effectively," said White House chief of staff John Sununu, as the governors gathered for the two-day conference.

"We've got to do it smart, we've got to do it right," Sununu said on NBC-TV's "Today" show.

Bush was flying by helicopter to the summit on University of Virginia campus in midafternoon today to join the governors in a series of closed-door discussions on revitalizing the teaching profession, improving the learning environment — including keeping drugs out of schools — and deciding who's in charge of the schools.

Additional Star Wars money axed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell said today the Senate's refusal to put an additional $300 million into Star Wars reflects a growing sentiment toward reining in the missile-defense shield.

"I think there is a growing recognition ... that we have to reduce our expectations and level of resources committed to it," Mitchell, D-Maine, told reporters. He said the Senate vote "was a strong indication of concern in that regard."

By a vote of 66-34 Tuesday, the Senate turned aside a Republican-backed attempt to restore funds to Star Wars, formally known as the Strategic Defense Initiative, to a level closer to the $4.5 billion approved by the Senate in its authorization bill last month.

Mitchell said the vote amounted to a major blow to the program. Then-President Reagan proposed Star Wars six years ago, hailing it as a nuclear-age antidote to a strike against the United States.

The funding level adopted in the $288 billion appropriations bill totals about $4.1 billion — $3.7 billion for the Pentagon's program and $355 million in Energy Department and military construction money.

Ex Pierce aide takes the fifth



FORMER HUD SECRETARY SAMUEL PIERCE

WASHINGTON (AP) — A former top assistant to onetime Housing Secretary Samuel R. Pierce Jr. refused today to testify before a congressional panel about the scandals at HUD, citing his Fifth Amendment rights.

Lance Wilson, once Pierce's executive assistant, appeared under subpoena but refused to answer questions.

That means Pierce and his two closest aides at HUD — Wilson and his successor as executive assistant, Deborah Gore Dean — have all refused to respond to questions by the House subcommittee probing allegations of influence-peddling, fraud and mismanagement at the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Wilson read a brief statement saying "statements made by the subcommittee members ... convinced me the subcommittee had already prejudged me" and identified him as "a prime candidate for a criminal investigation."



Associated Press photo

NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C. — Three-year-old Destiny McCrillon Hamilton smiles as she leaves a grocery story Tuesday with members of her family carrying her share of the groceries as the area continues to recover from Hurricane Hugo.

Relief pouring in to Hugo victims

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — Tons of supplies, including food, tents, shoes and even diapers and dog food, are pouring into hurricane-ravaged South Carolina, where tens of thousands remained homeless for a sixth day today.

Authorities planned to distribute food and clothing throughout the city today. Officials in outlying areas also devastated by Hurricane Hugo, meanwhile, pleaded for help.

About 300,000 residences or buildings remained without power across South Carolina. An estimated 50,000 of Charleston's 65,000 residents were still out of their homes, said Mayor Joseph P. Riley Jr.

But officials were heartened by the relief effort across the nation.

"The interest and concern and compassion and generosity of the citizens of our country is extraordinary," said Riley.

In Cincinnati, the Procter & Gamble Co. said it was sending 1.5 million disposable plastic diapers to South Carolina and Puerto Rico through the American Red Cross and the Salvation Army.

College football fans at six southern universities are being asked to bring canned goods to games Saturday to help storm victims.

"It is my hope that we can combine two of the South's finest traditions — college football and a desire to help our fellow man," said Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C.

While most of the national attention centered on this historic port city, which took a direct hit from the storm Thursday, officials in outlying areas expressed concern relief supplies were not flowing to their communities.

"People are hungry. We are in desperate need of a whole lot of help," said the Rev. Frank Maddox of Sumter.

The Red Cross planned to open disaster centers in Williamsburg, Horry, Georgetown, Florence and Sumter counties today to provide for immediate needs such as food, clothing, temporary housing and medical supplies.

More assistance is needed.

"We need money and we need people," said David Giroux, public affairs specialist for the Red Cross. "This is a Level 5 disaster — they don't get any bigger than this."

In North Carolina, preliminary damage estimates Tuesday stood at $237 million for 23 counties, but state officials expected the final total to be close to $500 million.

World

OPEC officials reach agreement

GENEVA (AP) — OPEC ministers today reached an agreement designed to increase the cartel's current oil production quota but keep prices firm in the coming months, an official said.

Members of the 13-nation cartel agreed to lift the output ceiling of 19.5 million barrels a day in the final three months of the year, Iraqi Oil Minister Issam al-Chalabi said. But he declined to say how high it would be lifted.

The new ceiling, however, likely would be below the 22 million barrels a day OPEC is already producing as a result of overproduction by Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates.

Chalabi, emerging from meetings with ministers from Saudi Arabia and Kuwait, also refused to say whether the ministers worked out a formula for meeting some countries' demands for a higher share of OPEC's production.

"We solved a good deal," he said. "Maybe we'll leave something for November."

The ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries were scheduled to meet in late November to plan their production strategy for 1990.

Barco signs pact with guerrillas

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — The government and Colombia's most notorious leftist guerrilla group have signed a peace accord, but there will be no peace for the nation's cocaine cartels, President Virgilio Barco said.

Barco was to travel to the United States today to talk with President Bush about Colombia's war against the drug traffickers.

He announced the treaty late Tuesday night in a surprise nationwide television and radio address, and said it calls for pardons for members of the May 10 guerrilla movement and for them to give up their weapons. The rebels also would be allowed to form a political party under the agreement, reached after six months of negotiations, Barco said.

There was no immediate comment from M-19, one of six rebel groups in Colombia. The Colombian congress must approve the accord.

Quayle wants U.S. bases to stay

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Vice President Dan Quayle called Wednesday for talks on U.S. military bases and said most Filipinos "want us to stay." He said the slaying of two Americans was a cowardly terrorist act.

A senior Philippine official said President Corazon Aquino had accepted the U.S. offer to begin talks in December on whether to extend the leases on six military bases. The leases expire in September 1991.

Police fired tear gas to disperse 2,000 leftists near the presidential palace who refused to end an anti-bases rally. Officials said at least 10 police were injured as protesters hurled stones and homemade bombs.

At least 157 people were arrested today for joining anti-Quayle rallies.

On Tuesday, suspected Communist guerrillas ambushed and killed two American civilians who were working near a U.S. base north of the capital.



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Deaf Awareness Week

BIG SPRING — In celebration of Deaf Awareness Week, students and visitors attended an open house Monday at SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf. Pictured from left are: Jovita Douglas, Kim Sanders, Cleta Tucker and Regina Grant.

Solving tuition problems

(AP) A solution to the college tuition problem may be to have colleges and universities band together to presell tomorrow's education at today's prices.

The yearly inflation rate for college tuition is now 10 percent, Donald R. Katz wrote in Esquire, which means the bill for a toddler's future education at an elite institution will be upwards of $250,000.

Currently there are experiments in Michigan, Florida, Wyoming and at Indiana University, as well as at some 30 private colleges, to allow parents to prepay tuition.

The concept is something like a commodities futures contract. You pay for something you fear will be more expensive when you need it.

The problem is that the prepurchased commodity in question is not of universal character or quality. What if the education you bought is inappropriate for your child's ability or desires.

The states, depending on the program, will only return your original investment if your child doesn't attend or if you move out of state. If the kid can't get in, they provide alternatives.

"There is no reason why colleges couldn't band together as financial intermediaries," Katz wrote. "They could presell interchangeable, even exchangeable, units that represent credits at one of a large number of geographically and educationally diverse institutions.

"Entirely new organizational structures and thinking patterns are needed, but the fact is that with prepaying, the dire financial side of the problem can be worked out."

Until this is done, here's what's out there for parents:

- U.S. Savings bonds. The EE issues pay 85 percent of the five-year Treasury rates and current issues will float no lower than 6 percent. But after Jan. 1 the tax usually paid on interest when you cash them in can be avoided as long as you use the money for school and meet income requirements.

The exemption is diminished gradually from adjusted incomes of $60,000 to $90,000, when it is eliminated.

The problem is the bonds now yield a bit more than 7 percent and tuition costs are rising at well over 9 percent.

- Minor's trust. There is one left, now that loopholes like Clifford Trusts have been eliminated, that will allow $5,000 in income to accrue tax-free, but the money goes directly to the kid around college time.
- Keogh or IRA. If you will be over 59 when your kids are in college, you can get at the savings tax-free.
- College finance expert Richard Anderson of Columbia Teachers College, advocates starting early with shares in a solid, growth-oriented mutual-fund held in the child's name. Fund it regularly until the child is 14, then roll it into the safest, highest-yielding fixed-income instruments you can find. This dodges taxes while offering the possibility of double-digit appreciation.

Woman can't forget her past as a molested child

Dear Abby



DEAR ABBY: When I was 4 or 5 years old, I was sexually abused by my stepfather. I told my mother, but she wouldn't believe me. This went on until I was 9 years old. After that, he went to some kind of sanitarium. I never really knew what kind of place it was, but I do remember that he was locked up.

I am reading so much about child molestation now, but in those days it was all hush-hush. I'm married now and have grown children, but I have always had terrible hangups about sex and never could be the kind of partner I should have been. I thank God every day for the understanding, patient man who married me. I never told him how repulsed I was by the touch of a man — even a decent one such as himself.

You keep telling people who have been molested as children to tell someone — anyone. I wish I had! You always say in your column, "Get counseling and join a support group. It will do you a world of good."

Is it too late for me? I'm 49 years old. — NIGHTMARES IN INDIANA

DEAR NIGHTMARES: It's never too late to get counseling and join a support group. Write to: Survivors of Incest Anonymous Inc., P.O. Box 21817, Baltimore, Md. 21222-6817. Be sure to enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for the address of the nearest support group. Please go. You have nothing to lose but your nightmares. Good luck and God bless.

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DEAR ABBY: My problem is that I have absolutely no sense of direction. Every time I drive to a new place, I allow myself 30 minutes to get lost because I know I'll need it. I am so accustomed to getting lost, I no longer find it distressing. I just go back and try again.

I have been lost within a few blocks of where I'm going so I keep driving around until I find my way. Usually when I'm absolutely sure I'm going the right way, I'm wrong.

My husband insists that I get lost all the time because I'm just too lazy to make the effort to remember. This is the only thing we ever argue about. I told him that a sense of direction is something a person is born with — like the ability to sing or compose music. Some people have it and others don't. If I'm wrong, please tell me. — WRONG-WAY HOUSEWIFE

DEAR WRONG WAY: No one is born with a "sense of direction." Your husband is right — it's simply a matter of paying attention to where you are and deciding how to get where you're going. But first you must care enough to chart your course, and then concentrate on staying on it.

By allowing yourself time to get lost, you are setting yourself up to get lost. Obviously, getting lost is not a problem to you, but it can be an inconvenience to others. Try harder.

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DEAR ABBY: A reader wanted to know whether to include her deceased children when a stranger asked, "How many children do you have?"

She said if she didn't mention them, it would be as though she felt their lives had no meaning — and they never existed.

Many years ago, I met a woman who handled the question this way: "I have four, but I only got to keep two." (Two had died in infancy.) I thought that was a very nice way to handle it. — MRS. H.L., WHITING, N.J.

DEAR MRS. H.L.: So do I. But I was stumped when a St. Paul reader asked, "How should I respond when I'm asked how many children I have? I had a baby out of wedlock when I was 16. I can never forget my first-born, whom I gave up for adoption to be raised by another. Should I not count her as one of my children?" Readers?

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Readers can write to Abby at P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.



Associated Press photo

Shapely nails

WASHINGTON — Donna White shows off the art on her fingernails recently in Washington. White sports a 14-carat gold nail, two-inches long, on her pinkie. It's adorned with nine dangling charms, for a total value of about $500.

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Autumn picnicking

Easy-to-prepare main dish salads

Whether you take an invigorating hike, tailgate it at the stadium, or simply enjoy a sylvan setting, this week's recipes for main dish salads will come in handy.

AVOCADO TURKEY DAGWOOD

California avocado spread

2 medium ripe California avocados, seeded, peeled and mashed
2½ tbs. fresh lemon juice
2 tbs. thinly sliced green onions
1 tsp. garlic salt
½ tsp. tarragon

Sandwich

California avocado spread
1 head iceberg lettuce, shredded to equal four cups
8 slices whole wheat bread
½ cup sliced ripe olives
2 medium ripe tomatoes, sliced
4 slices Cheddar cheese
4 slices Muenster cheese
2 packages (6 oz.) smoked turkey breast slices, rolled
4 tbs. sweet hot mustard

Combine all avocado spread ingredients; blend well. Core, rinse and thoroughly drain lettuce before shredding. Chill shredded lettuce in a sealed plastic bag or crisper. Divide avocado spread equally on four bread slices. Top each with 2 tbs. olives, 2 tomato slices, 1 slice each Cheddar and Muenster cheese, 2 turkey slice rolls and 1 cup shredded lettuce. Spread remaining 4 bread slices with mustard and place on top of other ingredients. To serve, slice sandwiches in half.



Try these main dish salads at your autumn picnic.

MEDITERRANEAN TURKEY OLIVE SALAD

1 head iceberg lettuce
1 tbs. chopped onion
1 tbs. chopped onion
1 slice (¼x1-inch) pared fresh ginger root
½ cup vegetable oil
2 tbs. white wine vinegar
1 small orange, peeled and sectioned
¼ tsp. salt
⅛ tsp. white pepper
1½ pounds over-roasted turkey breast
1 ripe avocado, peeled and sliced
½ cup ripe olives

Core, rinse and thoroughly drain lettuce. Chill in a sealed plastic bag or crisper. Place onion and ginger in electric blender or food processor; whirl until finely chopped. Add oil, vinegar, ½ orange, salt and pepper; whirl to mix. Cut iceberg lettuce head into eight thin wedges and place two wedges on each plate. Cut turkey breast into ¼-inch slices. Arrange turkey slices on lettuce slivers. Top with avocado and olives. Pour ¼ cup dressing over each serving and garnish with an orange section.

TURKEY STUFFED ICEBERG LETTUCE

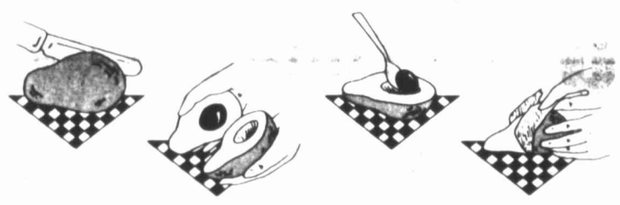
1 head iceberg lettuce
4 ounces cream cheese, at room temperature
⅓ cup dairy sour cream
¼ cup minced parsley
1 tsp. dried dill weed
2 tsp. sliced ripe olives
½ cup cubed avocado
½ cup red bell pepper
½ cup chopped walnuts
¾ pound turkey ham, cubed

Core, rinse and throughly drain lettuce. Remove inner leaves from lettuce head to form a fist-sized hollow in center. Wrap lettuce head in plastic bag and chill to crisp lettuce while making filling. In a medium-sized bowl, combine together cream cheese, sour cream, parsley, dill and mustard until well blended. Mix in olives, avocado, red pepper, walnuts and turkey ham. Spoon mixture into hollowed lettuce head; cover with plastic wrap. Chill at least two hours. To serve, cup lettuce head into six wedges.

AVOCADOS ARE EASY TO PREPARE

To prepare an avocado, follow these steps:

- Cut the avocado in half, lengthwise around the seed.
- Then rotate the two halves to separate.
- To remove the seed, slide the tip of a spoon gently underneath and lift it out.
- To peel the avocado half, place the cut side down on a cutting board and remove the skin with your fingers or a knife.
- Sprinkle all cut surfaces with lemon or lime juice to prevent discoloration.





STEPS FOR PROPER LETTUCE CARE

1. **SELECT** heads that give slightly when squeezed. A firm, but not hard, perfectly "mature" head.
2. **CORE** by holding head core-end down, then rap it onto a counter, then lift or twist out the core with fingers. Or, you may cut with stainless steel knife; cut edges may discolor sooner.
3. **RINSE** by holding head cored-end up under running tap water allowing water to run all through the head to refresh it.
4. **DRAIN** the rinsed head *thoroughly* with cored-end down in rack or on drainboard.
5. **STORE** in refrigerator in a tightly-closed plastic bag or special lettuce crisper.

Quick sandwich idea for those going to the game

By PAPA JOE REED

It's football time, and you don't want to be late to the game, but you do want to have a nice supper before you go. Don't fret, I have just the answer for such an emergency. It's time for a "Nutty Chicken Supper." We will want enough ingredients to make about eight sandwiches, so we will need the following for:

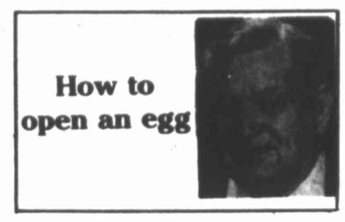
A NUTTY CHICKEN SUPPER

Chicken (cooked, 1 can, chopped)
Peanuts (½ cup, chopped)
Parsley (1 tbsp, chopped)
Salt (1/4 tsp.)
Salad dressing
Bread (16 slices)
Cheese (16 slices)

Combine the chicken, peanuts, parsley, salt and enough salad dressing to moisten. Spread each slice of bread with oleo and for each sandwich cover a slice of bread with the cheese and chicken mixture. Top with a second slice of cheese and bread. There you are. You've got a beautiful, tasty sandwich and you have plenty of time to get to the game. By the way, don't forget the garnish. It just makes the food look like a picture when you serve it.

You wanted a fast sandwich for supper, you got it. Now how about a rich creamy dessert? I have just the thing. It's fast, it's quick, and it's delicious, and it will make six servings.

How to open an egg



STRAWBERRY PINEAPPLE CREAM

Gelatin, unflavored (2 envelopes)
Sugar (1/3 cup)
Pineapple (1 can, crushed)
Strawberries (1 pkg., frozen)
Cream (1 cup, heavy)
Ice (1 cup, crushed)

Combine the gelatin and the sugar in the container of the blender. Heat the pineapple with syrup to boiling and add to blender all at once. Blend on high until smooth. Next, you add the strawberries, cream and then the crushed ice. Blend until completely smooth. Pour into six serving glasses. Chill until ready to serve. Takes about 15 minutes.

With this supper you will be the hero of the house. It will be the first time in 15 years that you had a really good meal and got to the game on time. It's a day to be remembered.

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Papa Joe's Kitchen Tip: Bothered about grease spattering all over the stove when frying food? Here's a good way to stop it. Just turn a metal colander upside down over the skillet. This allows the team to escape but keeps the grease from spattering.



Tex-Mex cornbread salad

1 pkg. Mexican cornbread mix, prepared
2 cans (15 ounces each) pinto beans, drained
2 cups chopped tomatoes
1 cup chopped green onions
½ cup chopped green pepper
¼ to ½ cup chopped and seeded jalapeno peppers
12 strips bacon, cooked and crumbled
2 cups (8 ounces) grated Monterey Jack cheese
1 cup (8 ounces) dairy sour cream
1 cup salsa
Additional sour cream and jalapeno pepper slices, optional

Crumble half of prepared cornbread into bottom of large serving bowl. Top with half of beans. In another bowl, combine tomatoes, onions, green pepper and jalapeno pepper; blend well.

Spread half of vegetable mixture over beans. Sprinkle with half of the bacon and half of the cheese. Repeat layering procedure with remaining cornbread, beans, vegetables, bacon, cheese and dressing.

Garnish with sour cream and jalapeno pepper slices, if desired. Cover tightly and chill 2 to 3 hours before serving. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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Avoid vending machine snacks

NEW YORK (AP) — Snacks and desserts can perk up your lunch, but they can be high in fat, sodium, sugars and calories.

Consider the amount of calories, fat, sodium and sugars in the following vending machine fare:

- Brownie, frosted: 105 calories, 5 g fat, 50 mg sodium, 11 g sugar.
- 10 small chocolate chip cookies: 205 calories, 9 g fat, 176 mg sodium, 17 g sugar.
- One 1.4-ounce milk chocolate candy bar, plain: 210 calories, 13 g fat, 34 mg sodium, 21 g sugar.
- One 1.4-ounce milk chocolate candy bar with almonds: 220 calories, 15 g fat, 34 mg sodium, 20 g sugar.
- One 2-ounce milk chocolate candy bar with chocolate, peanuts, caramel and nougat: 275 calories, 13 g fat, 144 mg sodium, 26 g sugar.

Cake-type doughnut, plain: 210 calories, 12 g fat, 192 mg sodium, 8 g sugar.

Instead of buying sweets, bring fresh fruits like apples, pears or grapes — whatever is in season!

Or, make your own cookies, quick breads, muffins or cupcakes. Use whole-grain flours and oatmeal for less sugar and fat. Add shredded vegetables or chopped dried fruits for added nutrients and fiber.

The following recipe is provided by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

BROWN BAG FRUIT MIX

½ cup unpared and diced apple
½ cup sliced banana
½ cup grapefruit sections, cut up
2 tablespoons juice from grapefruit
⅓ cup grapes, halved
⅓ cup pineapple tidbits, juice-packed and drained

Mix apple, banana and grapefruit sections with juice to prevent darkening of apple and banana. Add grapes and pineapple. Chill. Makes 2 servings, about 1 cup each.

Note: Fresh fruits in season may be substituted, as desired. Use peaches, nectarines, melon, berries or apricots.

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Watchdog groups oppose tax cut

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer, labor and government watchdog groups announced today their opposition to President Bush's plan to cut the capital gains tax, saying it would be a windfall for high-income taxpayers.

"Capital gains proponents are asking Americans to ignore the unjustified financial windfall this tax break will provide to individuals who need it the least," said Fred Wertheimer, president of Common Cause, a self-styled citizens lobby involved in government ethics isssues.

"Congress is once again hearing the claim that there is nothing wrong with the economy that a tax cut for people with incomes over $200,000 won't cure," said Joan Claybrook, president of Public Citizen, a Ralph Nader organization.

"The vote is a critical test of whether the Congress is truly a representative body — or whether it is a captive of big money lobbyists and the wealthy," she said. That vote could come as early as Wednesday.

"If Congress approves of this new tax break, members of Congress may find it hard to explain to working people back home why they voted for yet another bargain with high-income taxpayers," said a statement by the Friends Committee on National Legislation, a Quaker group.

The groups held a news conference in the Capitol as the battle over the capital gains tax moved to the airwaves, with Republicans and Democrats advertising for popular support on an issue that is dividing Congress sharply along partisan lines.

"George Bush wants to raid the Treasury by reducing capital gains taxes for the superrich and he wants working Americans to pay for it," House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., argues in a television spot produced by the Democratic National Committee.

"Why are foreign economies growing faster than the U.S.? One big reason is taxes," says a Republican ad that pictures an American flag slipping behind flags from Japan, Taiwan and Korea. "We have one of the world's highest capital gains taxes," it says, while the comparable taxes in those other countries are miniscule.

The parties were buying time for the ads in Washington, where the target will be the votes of a few mostly conservative Democrats who could decide the outcome when the House votes. It is the biggest test for the new House Democratic leadership under Speaker Thomas S. Foley of Washington, and for a Republican strategy that seeks to weaken the majority leadership by courting conservative Democrats.

The Republicans say Democrats, by fighting the Bush-supported plan to cut the maximum capital gains rate from 33 percent to 19.6 percent over the next 27 months, are attached to a "tax and spend" philosophy.

The Democratic alternative would raise marginal tax rates on the wealthy to the same 33 percent paid in the bracket that covers the upper-middle-income. That revenue would then be used to restore tax breaks for Individual Retirement Accounts.

The Democratic plan also includes a capital gains cut — to 28 percent, so it would not cut the marginal rate paid by the most wealthy.

"It's clearly a reconfirmation that they want to raise taxes," Bush's budget director Richard Darman said Monday. "Who's going to believe they want to stop there?"

Foley denounced Darman's comments as "stuff and nonsense."

The Democrats oppose the Bush-backed plan because it is "ill timed, ill considered and damaging . . . helping only the richest of our citizens and unfair to the middle class," he said.

The capital gains tax cut is part of a huge budget bill before the House. The package would be contentious even without the tax fight, because it also contains changes in the Medicare catastrophic health coverage plan, new federal child care programs, and dozens of other issues with divided support.

Nearly buried beneath the controversial issues is the bill's underlying purpose, which is reducing the federal deficit.

Rep. Bill Frenzel, D-Minn., said a review of the bill showed that much of the deficit-reduction in the package was "disingenuous."

Still, Frenzel said he would probably vote for the bill if it includes the GOP-supported capital gains tax cut. He didn't put that in the "disingenuous" category, but included figures showing that it, too, would begin adding billions of dollars to the deficit after an initial period of added revenues.

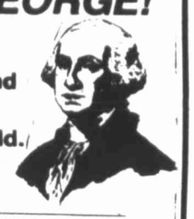
Stenholm among Democrats opposing capital gains tax cut

WASHINGTON — A plan to cut capital gains taxes received a setback Tuesday when a group of conservative Democrats said they would vote against the Bush administration proposal.

Meanwhile, Rep. Ed Jenkins of Georgia, the leader of Democrats siding with the administration, conceded that support was slipping but still predicted an "extremely close" vote Thursday.

"I would have maybe half a dozen votes to spare today, but the (Democratic) leadership is applying a great deal of pressure to peel away some of those votes," Jenkins said in an interview Tuesday evening. "I think they may be successful because I don't have the same ability to promise favors or twist arms."

Lawmakers announcing opposition to the Jenkins plan included Rep. Charlie Stenholm of Texas, the informal leader of the conservative "boll weevil" Democrats who have sided in the past with Republicans on tax policy issues.

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Two undefeated teams; a losing streak broken

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

After three weeks of play — there are two.

Those two being the only undefeated football teams left in the Crossroads Country area — the Garden City Bearkats and Sands Mustangs.

And that really isn't a surprise. Garden City went to the regional round of the state playoffs last year, losing to eventual state champion White Deer, 21-20. A converted two-point conversion may have been the difference between the Bearkats being state champions and regional finalist.



Steve's stuff

Coach Sam Scott returned 19 lettermen from that team, so the 'Kats are expected to win.

Even with wins over Forsan (39-0) and Grandfalls (23-7), until last Friday, Scott was having trouble with his team. Coach Scott felt they weren't playing motivated ball. That was until they travelled to Roby.

Then the Bearkats went to work against Roby, thrashing the over-sized Lions 63-7. Garden City put on a remarkable show, especially sophomore running back James Soles. Soles rushed for 366 yards in 14 carries and six TD's — and that all came in one half.

Soott summed it up in a few words. "The kids saw what they can do once they take care of business."

All the football experts predicted the Sands Mustangs would be a force in six-man play. After all, the Mustangs return four starters on each side of the ball from a 7-3 team last year.

If not for one lackadacisal game last year against Grady, the Mustangs would have been in the playoffs last year. But it seems coach Randy Roemisch's 'Stangs have learned their lesson from last year. They just concluded an impressive three-game road trip where they took no prisoners. They beat Hermleigh 66-8, Buena Vista 54-20 and Blackwell 53-8.

Two weeks ago in the victory over Buena Vista, Roemisch said his team left its guard up for almost two quarters. He issued a stern message before the game with Blackwell — 'We'll be ready to play.' Indeed they were.

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Spirits are High at North Dallas High School.

The North Dallas High School football team had lost 31 consecutive games and their self-confidence meter was on empty.

But the Bulldogs scored early and often Saturday to snap the country's seventh-longest high school losing skid with a 54-28 win over Dallas Lincoln High School.

"We finally had it coming," said coach Gilbert Sanchez, whose team started the season with 29 consecutive losses. "We had a lot of missed opportunities. Fortunately, we scored early. That's what we've been waiting for."

The Bulldogs, who jumped out to a 23-0 lead, hadn't won a game since defeating Bishop Lynch at the start of the 1986 season. The team went 1-9 that year and 0-10 the past two seasons.

North Dallas lost its first two games this season, to Allen and St. Mark's.

Sanchez said the Bulldogs' downfall can be traced to the Dallas school district's minority-majority transfer ruling in 1985, which allowed some of the school's best athletes to go to schools with stronger athletic programs.

The rule allows a minority student to transfer if the school he is attending is at least 75 percent minority and the school he is transferring to is less than 50 percent minority.

"It just depleted us," Sanchez said. "All of our good athletes went somewhere else, thinking it was better. But it wasn't, when they got there they were nothing but a number."

Cubs win East title

By The Associated Press

While the Chicago Cubs are waiting for yet another shot at the World Series, the San Francisco Giants just can't wait for their title clincher.

Chicago clinched its second National League East championship in six seasons, beating Montreal 3-2 at Olympic Stadium Tuesday night after second-place St. Louis lost to Pittsburgh.

The Cubs took advantage of the Cardinals' 4-1 defeat in Pittsburgh and became the first team to guarantee a spot in the playoffs.

Ryne Sandberg's dash home in the eighth inning made Zimmer a champion for the first time in 11 years of managing, and also made meaningless a season-ending, three-game series in St. Louis.

The Cubs, who won the NL East in 1984, have not won a World Series title since 1908 and have failed to win the NL pennant since 1945.

Chicago will open the playoffs next Wednesday night at Wrigley Field, all but certainly against San Francisco. The Cubs and Giants split 12 games this year.

Meanwhile, the Giants missed a chance to clinch the NL West for the second straight day, losing 2-1 to Los Angeles at Dodger Stadium.

Dodgers rookie Ramon Martinez, 6-4, allowed four hits in 8 2-3 innings and Jay Howell got the last out for his 27th save.

The Giants' magic number for clinching their second division title in three years remained at one as second-place San Diego beat Cincinnati 3-1 earlier in the night to move within four games of San Francisco. The Giants and Padres each have four games remaining, including a three-game series against each other in San Diego this weekend.

San Francisco has another chance to clinch the title tonight if it can beat the Dodgers or if San Diego falls to Cincinnati.

Cubs 3, Expos 2

Ryne Sandberg, the only everyday starter remaining from the Cubs' last title team in 1984, scored the go-ahead run in the eighth inning with the kind of aggressive play that transformed Chicago from an 77-85 club last year into a winner this season.

Sandberg singled with two outs off Dennis Martinez, 16-7, and was running when Dwight Smith followed with a single to right field. When Hubie Brooks bobbled the ball for a split second, Sandberg kept going and beat second baseman Tom Foley's relay to the plate.

Greg Maddux, 19-12, allowed seven hits in 8 1-3 innings and Mitch Williams got two outs for his 36th save.

After Mike Fitzgerald made the final out of the game, the Cubs darted out of the dugout and met in celebration at the mound.

Dodgers 2, Giants 1

The Dodgers scored the winning run off starter Kelly Downs, 4-7, in the sixth inning when Willie Randolph scored from third base on Eddie Murray's double-play grounder.

The Giants took a 1-0 lead in the first on a home run by Will Clark, his 23rd.

The Dodgers tied it in the fifth on a two-out double by Jose Gonzalez and an infield hit by Ramon Martinez, who legged out a single to deep short. Gonzalez, who was running all the way, scored on the play when catcher Terry Kennedy couldn't handle the hurried throw by Clark from first base. No error was charged.

Astros 3, Braves 2

Harry Spilman's run-scoring pinch double off Tommy Greene, 1-2, with two outs in the seventh inning lifted Houston past Atlanta at the Astrodome.

Jim Deshaies, 14-10, pitched seven innings, allowing four hits and one earned run for the victory.

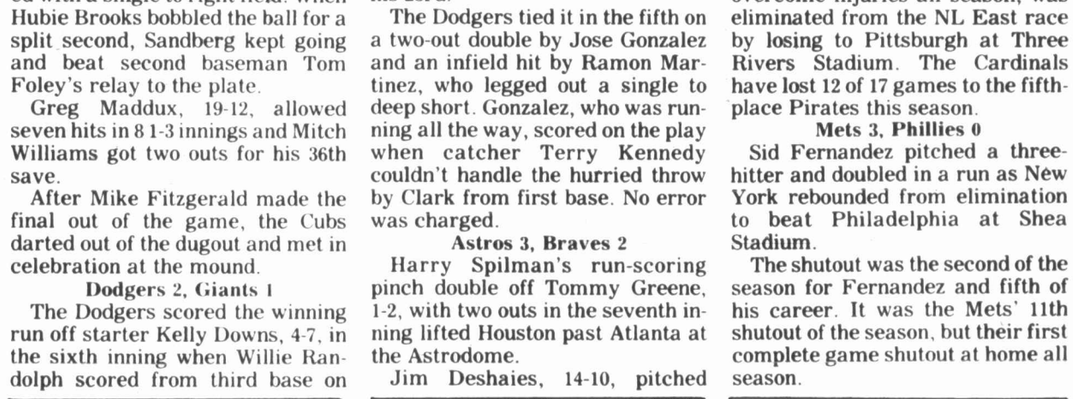
Pirates 4, Cardinals 1

St. Louis, which struggled to overcome injuries all season, was eliminated from the NL East race by losing to Pittsburgh at Three Rivers Stadium. The Cardinals have lost 12 of 17 games to the fifth-place Pirates this season.

Mets 3, Phillies 0

Sid Fernandez pitched a three-hitter and doubled in a run as New York rebounded from elimination to beat Philadelphia at Shea Stadium.

The shutout was the second of the season for Fernandez and fifth of his career. It was the Mets' 11th shutout of the season, but their first complete game shutout at home all season.



Associated Press photo

MONTREAL — Chicago Cubs manager Don Zimmer gets showered with beer Tuesday night in the clubhouse after the Cubs beat the Montreal Expos 3-2 to clinch the National League East.

Orioles fail to gain ground on Blue Jays

By The Associated Press

Baltimore and Toronto are heading to their division showdown in the inimitable style of the American League East: both blew big games.

The first-place Blue Jays failed to hold a two-run, ninth-inning lead Tuesday night, losing to Detroit 4-3. But Toronto maintained its one-game lead in the American League East as Baltimore lost to Milwaukee 7-3.

Gary Pettis tied the game with a two-run single off Tom Henke, 4-10, and Alan Trammell followed with a game-winning single that ended visiting Toronto's nine-game winning streak against Detroit.

Mike Henneman, 11-4, pitched two innings of two-hit relief as Detroit stopped a six-game losing streak.

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Jaime Navarro, 7-7, prevented Baltimore from moving into a first-place tie by beating the Orioles at Milwaukee with a seven-hitter for his first big-league complete game.

Mike Felder hit a leadoff inside-the-park home run in the first and Gary Sheffield hit a solo home run in the second. The Brewers chased starter Dave Johnson, 4-7, with a two-run third capped by Billy Spiers' triple.

"It was fortunate for us that we're not any worse off than before the game," Orioles manager Frank Robinson said. "That's the nice thing about that."

Paul Molitor extended his hitting streak to 16 games with his 11th homer in the seventh off reliever Dave Schmidt.

In other games, Oakland beat Texas 4-3 to clinch a tie for first in the AL West, Kansas City eliminated California 4-0, Boston beat New York 9-5, Minnesota beat Chicago 7-1 and Seattle beat Cleveland 3-2.

Robinson wouldn't speculate on whether Toronto's loss would be especially damaging to the Blue Jays. The Orioles finish the season with a three-game series at Toronto.

Athletics 4, Rangers 3

Oakland clinched a tie for its second straight American League West title behind Dave Henderson's tiebreaking two-run homer in the eighth. The Athletics lead Kansas City by five games with five games remaining.

With the score tied 2-2, Walt Weiss singled off Mike Jeffcoat, 9-6, and Henderson hit his 15th home run of the season off Gary Mielke.

Royals 4, Angels 0

Bret Saberhagen pitched a six-hitter to win for the 19th time in 21 decisions and eliminate California. Bo Jackson singled in two runs for the visting Royals, giving him a career-best 101 RBIs.

Saberhagen, 22-6, pitched his fourth shutout and extended his scoreless streak to 27 innings with his major league-leading 12th complete game. Kirk McCaskill, 15-10, allowed nine hits in his sixth complete game.

Red Sox 9, Yankees 5

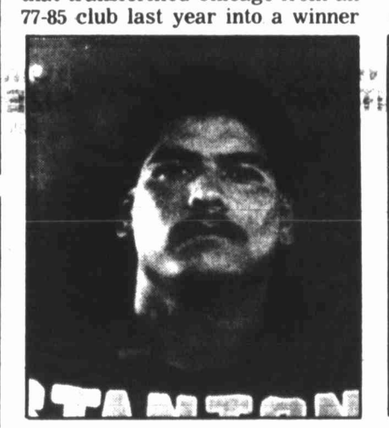
Wade Boggs singled twice in an eight-run first inning rally at Fenway Park and raised his average to .332. He trails Minnesota's Kirby Puckett by 11 points and Oakland's Carney Lansford by five in a bid for his fifth consecutive AL batting title.

Twins 7, White Sox 1

Rick Aguilera, 3-5, matched his career best with a three-hitter and Gene Larkin and Kirby Puckett hit two-run homers at Comiskey Park. Puckett had two hits, raising his league-leading average to .343. Melido Perez, 11-14, allowed six runs and seven hits in four innings.

Mariners 3, Indians 2

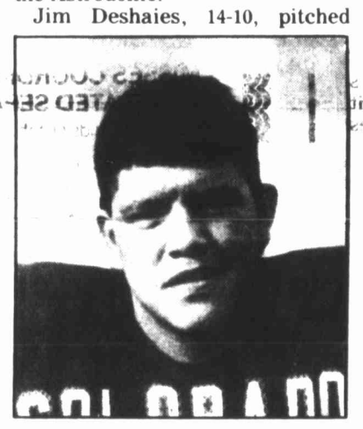
Scott Bradley tied the score with a pinch double off Doug Jones, 7-10, and Henry Cotto drove in the go-ahead run with a two-out single as Seattle rallied in the eighth inning at the Kingdome.



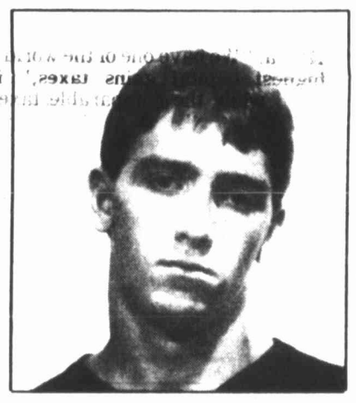
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Stanton DT, G-City RB head list

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

As usual Crossroads Country football action had its share of big-play performers. Leading the pack this week is a Stanton defensive tackle and a Garden City running back.

Stanton tackle Richard Villa, a 6-3, 230-pound senior, has made a remarkable comeback after not playing football last year. Last Friday he was instrumental in Stanton gaining its first win of the year, a 20-15 upset victory over Greenwood.

Villa had a strong defensive game, making 10 tackles. Villa was also a force punting the ball, averaging 48 yards on six kicks. He had punts of 58 and 67 yards. For his effort, he is the Defensive Player of the Week.

Garden City sophomore James Soles had an unforgettable night in the Bearkats' 63-8 romp over Roby. The 5-10, 150-pounder carried 14 times for 336 yards. He scored TD on runs of 3, 26, 49, 25, 31 and 94 yards.

Even more amazing was that Soles did this all in the first half. He sat out the second half because Garden City had a 49-0 halftime lead. For his effort Soles is the Offensive Player of the Week.

Other top offensive performance were:

- In Stanton's win, quarterback Randy Naverez completed 6 of 11 passes for 92 yards. Running back Jessie Montez carried 5 times for 89 yards, including a 76-yard TD run.
- Paving the way for Soles to gain all his yards was the Garden City offensive line of tackles Gregg Huffman and Martin Mier; guards John Seidenberger and Roy Ramirez and center Michael Jones.
- In Sands 53-8 romp over Blackwell, Bill Grigg carried 15 times for 137 yards and 4 TD's. He also caught one pass for 18 yards. He was aided by the fine blocking of ends Jay Johnston and Brandon Riddle. Quarterback Albert Franco completed 5 of 5 passes for 102 yards.

In Coahoma's 49-0 homecoming win over Tahoka, halfback Carlos Cervantes rushed 24 times for 141 yards while quarterback Shane Walker carried 12 times for 102 yards, and completed 6 of 10 passes for 78 yards. Drawing praise from coachSteve Park was The entire blocking unit of Coley Dobbs, Keith Fontana, DeWayne Bradbury, Brian Black, Mike Knowles, John Overton, Phillip Anderson, Eric Drewery, Keith Burnett, Jeff Rawson and Brandon Bishop.

- In Colorado City's 20-13 win over Slaton, quarterback George Ramsey carried 14 times for 85 yards and completed 2 of 7 for 65 more yards. Tackle Danny Luera was C-City's leading blocker.
- In Klondike's 53-46 loss to New Home, Cody Vogler caught four passes, three of them for TD's covering 50, 32 and 25 yards. Quarterback Corbett Foster had a superb game, completing 16-25 passes for 300 yards, and carrying 16 times for 194 yards.
- In Forsan's 21-17 loss to Roscoe, fullback Richard Griffin scored once while gaining 107 yards in 19 attempts. Center Jo Jo Jo Hope graded out 95 percent.
- In Big Spring's 35-14 loss to Plainview, tailback Otis Riffey gained 88 yards in 16 carries.

Defensive stars were:

- Stanton linebacker David Mendez made 10 tackles against Greenwood.
- Garden City linebacker Ray Ramirez made 18 tackles, five for losses, end Chad Soles made 15 tackles, four for losses, strong safety Mario Aguilar made 11 tackles and picked off two passes, lineman Heath Daniel made 12 tackles; end Wesley Glass also made 12 tackles and middle linebacker Eric Seidenberger was in on 10 stops.
- In Sands' win over Blackwell, linebacker Eric Herm made 15 tackles, and intercepted a pass, returning it 60 yards for a TD. Cornerback Albert Franco made eight tackles and returned a punt 40 yards.
- Coahoma cornerback Rusty Ginnetti made six tackles, intercepted a pass, and caused another interception.
- In C-City's win over Slaton, tackle Bobby Silva made 17 tackles, including two QB sacks and two stops behnd the line of scrimmage. End Raymond Sutton was in on 11 tackles and recorded two QB sacks.
- Forsan middle linebacker Scott Roman made 17 tackles in his team's loss to Forsan.
- Big Spring free safety Freddie Rodriguez made six tackles intercepted a pass, returned four punts for 54 yards, and one kickoff for 39 yards.

Honor Roll

Fort Hancock top six-man team

LUBBOCK (AP) — Fort Hancock and Christoval enjoyed a week without challenges to their positions atop the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal high school six-man football poll, but No. 3 May wasn't as fortunate.

May outdueled No. 5 Zephyr 48-26 and retained its position right on Christoval's heels in the balloting by a panel of West Texas sports writers. Fort Hancock and Christoval had open dates last week.

Fort Hancock, the defending state champion, garnered five of six possible first-place votes and totaled 59 points.

Texas assistant to try for Tennessee baseball job

AUSTIN (AP) — Bill Bethea, the former Texas Longhorn baseball assistant, says he will interview Thursday for the head coaching job at Tennessee.

Bethea, who resigned after 21 years under Texas Coach Cliff Gustafson, told the Austin American-Statesman he plans to arrange a preliminary interview with Mike DePalmer, Tennessee's athletic director in charge of spring sports.

"I visited with him twice on the phone," Bethea said. "There's nothing concrete at this time."

On Sept. 1, Bethea, 47, was named career counselor and placement coordinator in the Texas athletic department. He said he enjoys the job but has spent his entire adult life in baseball.

Bethea said he has been told Tennessee Athletic Director Doug Dickey will interview the four or five finalists for the baseball coach's job and choose one by Oct. 30.

Inside Sports

Tae Kwon-Do class

A youth Tae Kwon-Do class will be taught at the Big Spring YMCA starting Oct. 2

Instructor is Tamra Garza, who has a black belt in Tae Kwon-Do. The class is for youth ages 5-12. Class is on Tuesday and Thursdays from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Cost is $19.50 for YMCA members and $25.50 for non-members.

For more information Call 267-8234.

Cards end suspended

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Defensive end Freddie Joe Nunn of the Phoenix Cardinals has been suspended for 30 days by the NFL for violating provisions of the league's substance abuse policy, the team announced.

Cardinals general manager Larry Wilson said Nunn was placed on the club's non-football illness list and is in a professional treatment facility in the Phoenix area. He said league policy prohibits him from disclosing the nature of the violations.

Nunn, a fifth-year pro, was among the NFL sack leaders last season with 14, but had only a half-sack this season in three games. He will not be allowed to practice or play for the team until at least Oct. 25. He also will not be paid during his suspension.

U.S. boxers faltering

MOSCOW (AP) — Skipper Kelp of Colorado Springs and Terry McGroom of Chicago were beaten in quarterfinal matches at the World Amateur Boxing Championships, leaving the United States with only three medals, its lowest total in such an event or an Olympics during the 1980s.

Kelp lost 11-7 to Michael Carruth of Ireland in the 139-pound class, and McGroom was beaten 22-9 by Nurmagomed Shanavazov of the Soviet Union at 178 pounds.

The Soviet Union will have 11 semifinalists, Cuba will have nine and East Germany will have seven. Semifinalists are assured of at least a bronze medal.

Eric Griffin of Houston was to fight Kim Dok Nam of North Korea in a 106-pound semifinal; Tonga McClain of Racine, Wis., was to fight Julio Gonzalez of Cuba at 132, and Raul Marquez of Houston was to fight Francisco Vastag of Romania at 147.

Brit racer suspended

PARIS (AP) — Nigel Mansell of Britain was suspended from this Sunday's Spanish Formula One Grand Prix by the sport's governing body. Ferrari team officials said they would appeal the decision, but would not replace Mansell in the race.

Netters edge Andrews

BIG SPRING — The Big Spring High School tennis team made a giant step towards capturing the 4-4A team tennis title as it edged Andrews Tuesday afternoon at Figure Seven Tennis Center.

The two teams tied 9-9 in match play, but Big Spring won because it won 21 sets to 20 for Andrews. Andrews was one of the preseason favorites.

"A little luck never hurt anybody," said Big Spring coach Don Lawrence. "It's like I was telling the kids after the match, you've got to be in position to have a little luck. It was a big win, now we've beaten two of the tough teams (Monahans and Andrews). Lake View will be tough, but I guess all of them will be tough."

Big Spring won on the strength of its boys teams, who beat Andrews 8-1. As usual the most impressive was junior Rocky Tubbs, who beat his opponenet 6-0, 6-0 in singles, and teammed with Danny Whitehead in the doubles to win 6-0, 6-0.

The girls only victory came in doubles play when Danene Moore teammed with Jana Haney for a 6-4, 2-6, 6-3 victory.

Big Spring, 3-0 in district team play, will be in action Tuesday when it travels to Snyder.

Boys Singles

Rocky Tubb (BS) def. Jason Hopper (And) 6-0, 6-0.
Danny Whitehead (BS) def. Randall Bender (And) 6-0, 6-2.
Steve Sims (BS) def. Eric McQuitty (And) 6-1, 6-4.
Kevin Nichols (BS) def. Chance Dower (And) 7-5, 6-2.
Lamar Kello (And) def. Luis Hinojos (BS) 6-3, 7-6.
Chris Ficke (BS) def. Martin Sandoval (And) 7-5, 6-3.
Pacen Booth (BS) def. Michael Hillis (And) 6-2, 7-6.

Boys Doubles

Tubb-Whitehead (BS) def. Bender-McQuitty (And) 6-0, 6-0.
Sims-Nichols (BS) def. Harper-Kaup (And) 6-2, 6-2.
Hinjos-Ficke (BS) def. Keller-Sandoval 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

Girls Singles

Carol Rodgers (And) def. Tami Mason (BS) 6-1, 6-3.
Amy Davis (And) def. E.D. Barnett (BS) 6-0, 2-1, (retired).
Jennie Hines (And) def. Kristern Sevey (BS) 6-7 (retired).
Cassie Halsey (And) def. Danene Moore (BS) 6-4, 6-2.
Rachael Prizer (And). def. Mary Kay Terrazas (BS) 6-3, 6-2.
Shana Martin (And) def. Jana Haney (BS) 6-2, 6-0.

Girls Doubles

Rogers-Davis (And) def. Mason-Barnett (BS) 4-6, 7-6, 6-2.
Hines-Halsey (And) def. Terrazas-Sevey (BS) 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.
Moore-Haney (BS) def. Niffen-Martin (And) 6-4, 2-6, 6-3.

Team stripped of crown

ORANGEBURG, S.C. (AP) — Former Howard coach Willie Jeffries is no longer the 1987 MEAC coach of the year, and the Bison no longer will be in the record books as the league's football champions that year.

The Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference announced that Jeffries and the Bison had been stripped of those honors, a decision that Jeffries on Tuesday said was unfair.

The MEAC announced the decision last weekend after an internal probe by the university found the school used ineligible players. Irregularities in the financial aid program also were found.

Howard finished 9-1-1 overall and 5-0 in the conference in 1987, but all the victories were ordered forfeited by the MEAC decision. Jeffries resigned last year to return to South Carolina State, where he coached from 1973 to 1978.

"I won't comment personally on Howard," said Jeffries, who coached at Howard for five seasons. "I thought it was unfair since only two ineligible players were allegedly used, and those were two who came in '83, the year before we got there."

But the school said its investigation found nine ineligible players were allowed to play for Howard from 1983 to 1988, the period covered in the investigation, the MEAC said.

Under NCAA rules, a player is eligible for four seasons over a five-year period. Tailback Fred Killings, who rushed for 1,452 yards in 1988, was among the ineligible players said to have played for the Bison.

Jeffries said there was "no intent to deceive anyone or to put an outstanding player on the field for another year." He said that should have been taken into consideration when the MEAC was considering a penalty.

"There were no records or film available," Jeffries said. "We were told they were redshirts, and we thought that was the case. I think it's unfair to me.

Snyder dumps Lady Steer spikers

SNYDER — The Big Spring Lady Steers dropped their third straight volleyball game, losing to the Snyder Tigers here Tuesday night in 4-4A action.

The Tigers beat the Lady Steers 13-15, 15-5, 15-10. The loss drops Big Spring's record to 2-4 in district play and 10-13 overall. Snyder advances to 3-3 and 10-7.

In JV action, Snyder won 15-6, 15-6. The JV fall to 9-10 overall and 2-3 in league play.

Heather Farris served 17 points while leading the Lady Steers freshmen to a 15-10, 11-15, 15-11. The freshmen are now 6-3.

The Lady Steers will host Fort Stockton Saturday in Steer Gym. Freshmen plays begins at 12:30, followed by JV at 2 and varsity action at 3 p.m.

DISTRICT STANDINGS

Pecos	6-0
Sweetwater	6-0
Snyder	3-3
Fort Stockton	3-3
Andrews	3-3
Big Spring	2-4
Monahans	1-5

Lake View 1-5

Tuesday's Results

Pecos def. Fort Stockton 15-8, 13-15, 15-12; Andrews def. Monahans 15-10, 15-10; Sweetwater def. San Angelo Lake View 15-6, 15-3; Snyder def. Big Spring 13-15, 15-5, 15-10.

Rich Vikings are struggling

By The Associated Press

To paraphrase the Beatles, money may not be able to buy you love. In the NFL, however, it can buy the closest thing — victories.

Just ask the Minnesota Vikings on the one hand, the Cleveland Browns, Philadelphia Eagles and New York Giants on the other.

The Vikings showed up at training camp July 31 as the consensus favorite to win the Super Bowl. They also showed up minus eight holdouts — at least in part because of their deserved reputation as one of the league's most penurious teams.

So three weeks into the season, the Vikings are 1-2, including Sunday's 27-14 loss at the hands of the Pittsburgh Steelers, who entered the game having scored 10 points and allowed 92.

Worse, both Vikings and ex-Vikings talk openly of their discontent with management, providing a reason, perhaps, why they tend to lose games they should win against teams like Pittsburgh and Green Bay. They lose enough such games to keep them from taking the NFC Central title away from the Chicago Bears.

This year, for example, wide receiver Anthony Carter and strong safety Joey Browner are playing at less than their potential and tight end Steve Jordan was hurt. All are Pro Bowl players, all missed long stretches of training camp as holdouts.

"There's a heck of a long way between having great players and a great team," Coach Jerry Burns said after Sunday's game. "We certainly are no great team. I don't know who we can beat at this point."

Mike Mullarkey, a former Viking (discontented version) said after catching a 15-yard touchdown pass for Pittsburgh Sunday: "Once I caught it I wanted to spike it right at the Vikings. I just wanted to stick it right in their face."

The Eagles, Browns and Giants do things the other way.

Philadelphia, of course, handed Randall Cunningham a six-year, $18 million contract extension a week ago. That ensured he will be the quarterback of the '90s with the Eagles rather than anyone else should, as expected, some form of free agency comes to the NFL in the next few years.

Cleveland did the same with Bernie Kosar, tying him up for the next five years, and the Rams are renegotiating with Jim Everett for a contract that will put him in their class.

All three teams are operating on the expectation of new rules for NFL contracts.

One is that there will be some form of free agency for all players when a collective bargaining agreement is reached with the players union. That agreement is in limbo while both sides wait for the courts to decide on the antitrust suit filed by the NFLPA after the players' strike two years ago.

The other is that there will be more bidding for free agents under the current system. Cunningham or Kosar are worth far more than the Eagles and Browns would get as compensation, particularly since most No. 1 draft picks hold out for most of training camp and are being paid more than long-time All-Pros. After a decade with no free agent offers, Wilber Marshall went to the Washington Redskins from the Bears in 1988. Ray Childress of the Houston Oilers and Bruce Smith of the Buffalo Bills got offer sheets this year that were matched by their old teams.

"It's a two-tier system," agent Leigh Steinberg, who represents a flock of quarterbacks, said. "If you have a star quality player, you want to get him tied up before someone else grabs him."

But it's not only stars.

The Giants took that philosophy one more step by re-signing some of developing young talent — tackle Doug Riesenberg and wide receivers Odessa Turner and Stephen Baker. All were in their option years and all might have demanded more next season.

Last season, tight end Mark Bavaro and linebacker Carl Banks held out for most of training camp after All-Pro seasons, then (see the Vikings' Jordan above) spent most of the season playing subpar with minor ailments.

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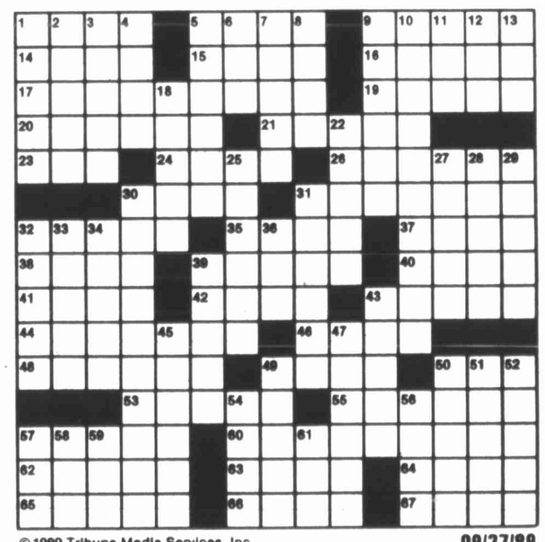
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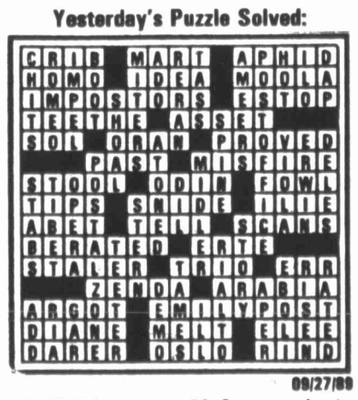
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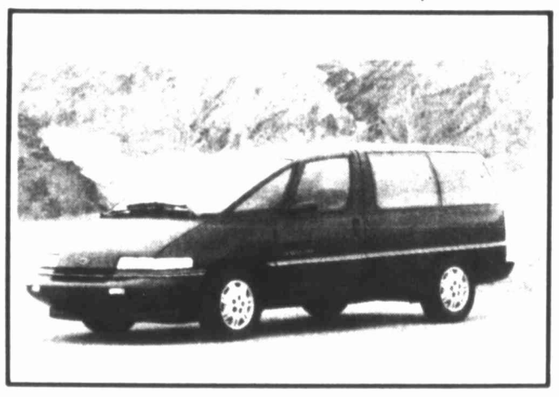
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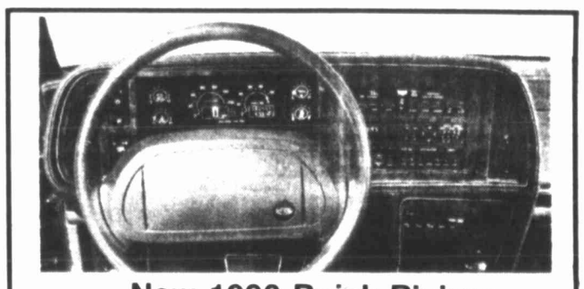
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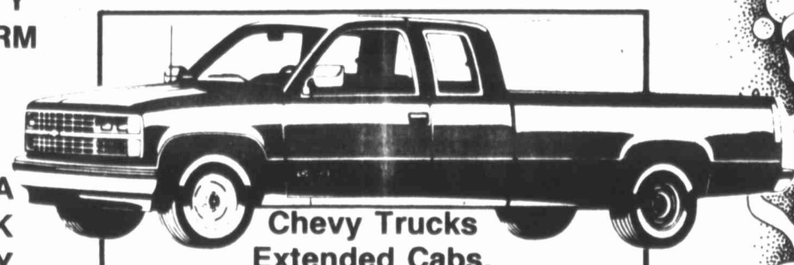
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STATE OF TEXAS
TO: VICKI NEWSOM, DEFENDANT
GREETINGS:

"YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 118th Judicial District, Martin County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Stanton, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of the service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STANTON, Plaintiff, filed in said Court on the 19th day of October, 1988, against Vicki Newsom, Defendant, and said suit being No. 4302 on the docket of said court, and entitled First National Bank of Stanton vs. Vicki Newsom, the nature of which suit being suit on Promissory Notes.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this the 21 day of Sept. 1989."

Virginia James, Clerk of the District Court of Martin County, Texas
By: Virginia James
6319 September 27, 1989 &
October 4, 11, & 18, 1989

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TO: MIKE AND LETICIA VERASTIQUE
DEFENDANT
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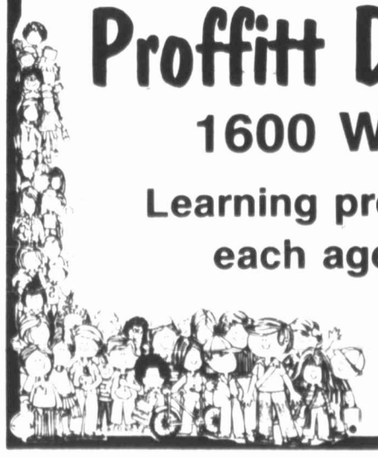
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Names in the news



BERRA



HALL

HOUSTON (AP) — Yogi Berra, who coined the phrase "It ain't over 'til it's over," announced that it's over as far as his 42-year on-field career is concerned.

Berra, 64, resigned Monday as the Houston Astros' hitting instructor and will accept a job as their baseball adviser.

"I felt in spring training that this might be it," Berra said. "I figured after 42 years it was time to try something else."

Berra came to the Astros in 1986 as a member of then-manager Hal Lanier's staff, helping the team to the National League Western Division title.

Now the Hall of Famer will spend more time at home and continue working with the Astros in scouting and spring training.

"I've got seven grandkids and I want to see more of them," Berra said. "I want a chance to travel a little bit before I die. If we want to take a trip to Europe, we might just do it."

Berra has appeared in 21 World Series, 14 as a player, and is one of only five managers to represent both leagues in the World Series.

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RADNOR, Pa. (AP) — Nobody believed Arsenio Hall in his student days when he told a communications class at Kent State University he wanted to be a standup comic doing something like Johnny Carson.

"All these people would be covering their mouths and laughing like, 'Sit down, stop embarrassing yourself,'" he said in this week's TV Guide magazine.

Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1989

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Marcello Mastroianni, actor William Windom, boxer Max Schmeling, actress Brigitte Bardot, sportscaster Tom Harmon.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A golden opportunity arises. Be prepared to make some quick decisions. Be more aware of other people's motives. The ability to speak or write a foreign language serves you well.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Let others take the lead today. The tempo at work has slowed down. Use any extra time to complete a pet project. Look into the possibility of forming a new partnership. Romance turns serious.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Something that looks like a setback will soon boomerang in your favor. Legal matters begin to sort themselves out. Purchasing art objects can be a sound investment. Spend more time with your children.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A raise or bonus is indicated for past performance. Long-range plans should be given more thought. Pay special attention to your personal life. Be prompt and avoid giving sarcastic answers.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You are on thin ice. Avoid jumping to conclusions. Heed the warning signals partner is sending and act in a mature manner. Talking things out calmly should restore domestic harmony. Be affectionate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A good time for intellectual pursuits. New progress is possible, thanks to your resourcefulness and initiative. Give credit where it is due. Show off your culinary skills by hosting a dinner party.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You pluck a promotion out of thin air or start a new career. Confidence and poise are your strongest assets today; use them wisely. Wear your heart on your sleeve in romance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): An authority figure has great expectations for you. Do your best! With some strong encouragement, you will be able to boost your income. Exercise more patience with difficult people.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Look forward to a day of confirmation instead of contradiction. If you change your mind about something, avoid offending others. Keep your own counsel. Love lights on your shoulder!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be careful what you say and do. Hurt feelings and tantrums are possible. Enhance your business potential with a positive attitude. Take time to listen to mate's or partner's problems.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Clear up odds and ends at work. Consult with your associates on creative as well as practical matters. A great time to sign contracts and agreements. Romance may have its rocky moments.

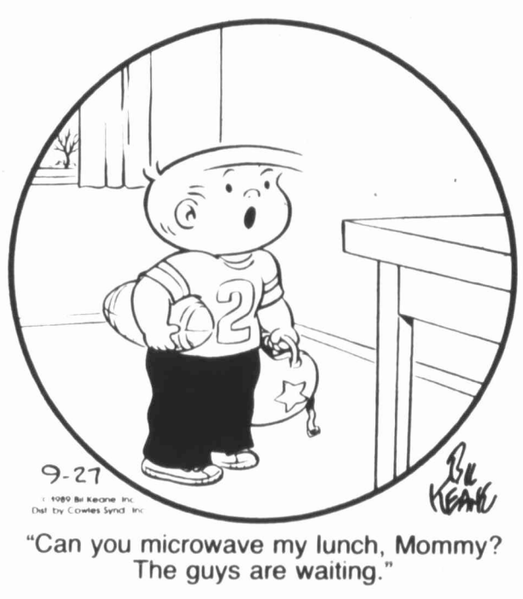
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Make certain everything you do is open and aboveboard. Steer clear of anyone who tries to involve you in shady deals. Do what you can to smooth loved ones' ruffled feathers.

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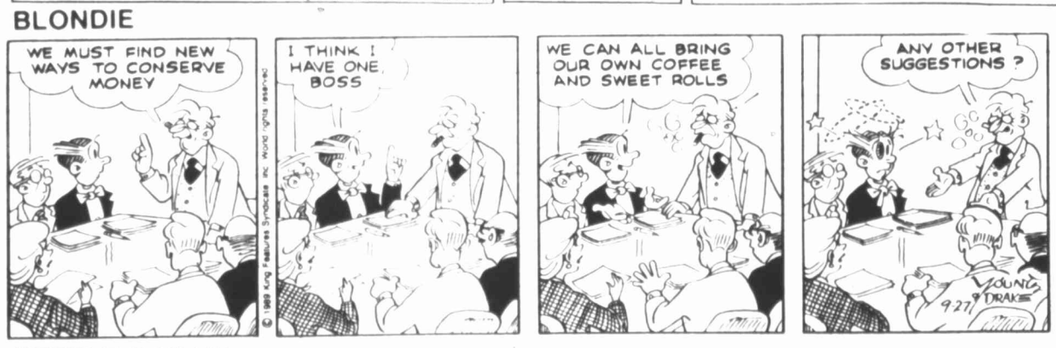
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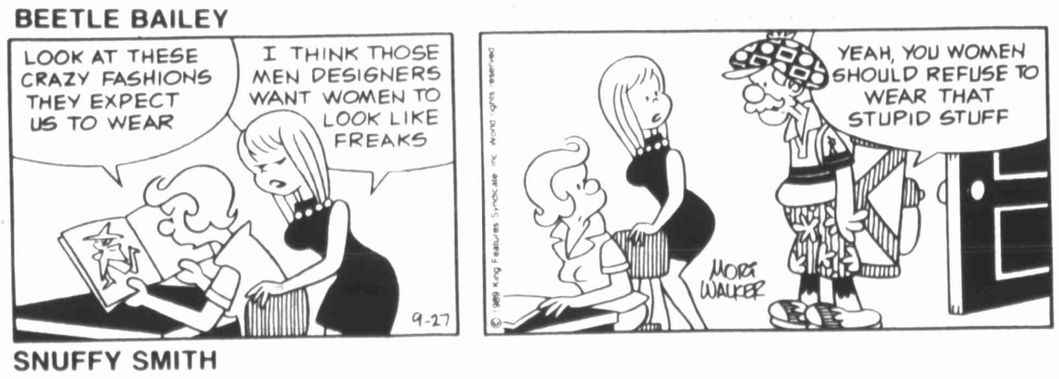


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BIG SPRING — The *Big Spring Herald* has added two new staff members and promoted a reporter to the position of city editor.

Ruth Cochran, who came to the *Herald* from the *Borger News-Herald* in March, has been promoted to the position of city editor. She will continue to cover activities at city hall as part of her responsibilities.

Cochran, a graduate of Texas A&M, is an award winning columnist and writer. She received two first place awards in the Texas Associated Press Managing Editor's contest last year in sports column writing and sports writing.

She was also recognized by the Panhandle Press Association in 1988 with a first place award in sportswriting, a second place award in general column writing and an honorable mention in humorous columns.

The promotion became effective Saturday, according to Managing Editor Steve Ray.

"We are extremely pleased to have a reporter of the caliber of Ruth Cochran here at the *Big Spring Herald*," Ray said. "Her reporting is always fair and concise and she has a tremendous ability to make the reader feel like he is a part of the story.

"We expect her to continue in those endeavors as well as take command of a staff of highly motivated reporters who are ready and willing to put out the best community newspaper in the state of Texas."

Two recent additions have been made to the *Herald* staff, Ray said.

Patrick Driscoll, 30, joined the staff in July. He came to Big Spring from San Antonio where he worked as a free lance writer.

He was formerly employed by the *San Antonio Light*.

Driscoll has attended San Antonio College and the University of Texas at San Antonio. His duties will be primarily on the regional beat, traveling outside of Howard County to add greater depth to the *Herald's* coverage.

"I think people in West Texas are real friendly," said Driscoll, "and it made the move easy . . . they know how to make people feel comfortable."

"Pat will be heading up our Crossroads Country team," Ray said. "He is a major part of our increasing coverage in Borden, Glasscock, Martin and Mitchell counties.

"At the *Herald* we feel like coverage of these areas is an extremely important position in our news room. All four of these counties are in our trade area and important to us as a newspaper and as a community.

"In the short time he has been here, Patrick has already demonstrated the expertise we need in covering events in the surrounding counties that are important to the people of Howard County. We think he is an extremely important addition to our staff."

James Fleehr, also 30, has joined the Herald staff as a photographer and reporter, according to Ray.

Fleehr, a native of Pennsylvania, began his duties this week.

He was recently employed by the *Marlin Daily Democrat*. Previous to that he worked at the *Ennis Daily News*. He is a graduate of Duquesne University in Pittsburgh with majors in English and journalism and a minor in business.

One of Fleehr's duties at the Herald will be covering the Crossroads Country business community.

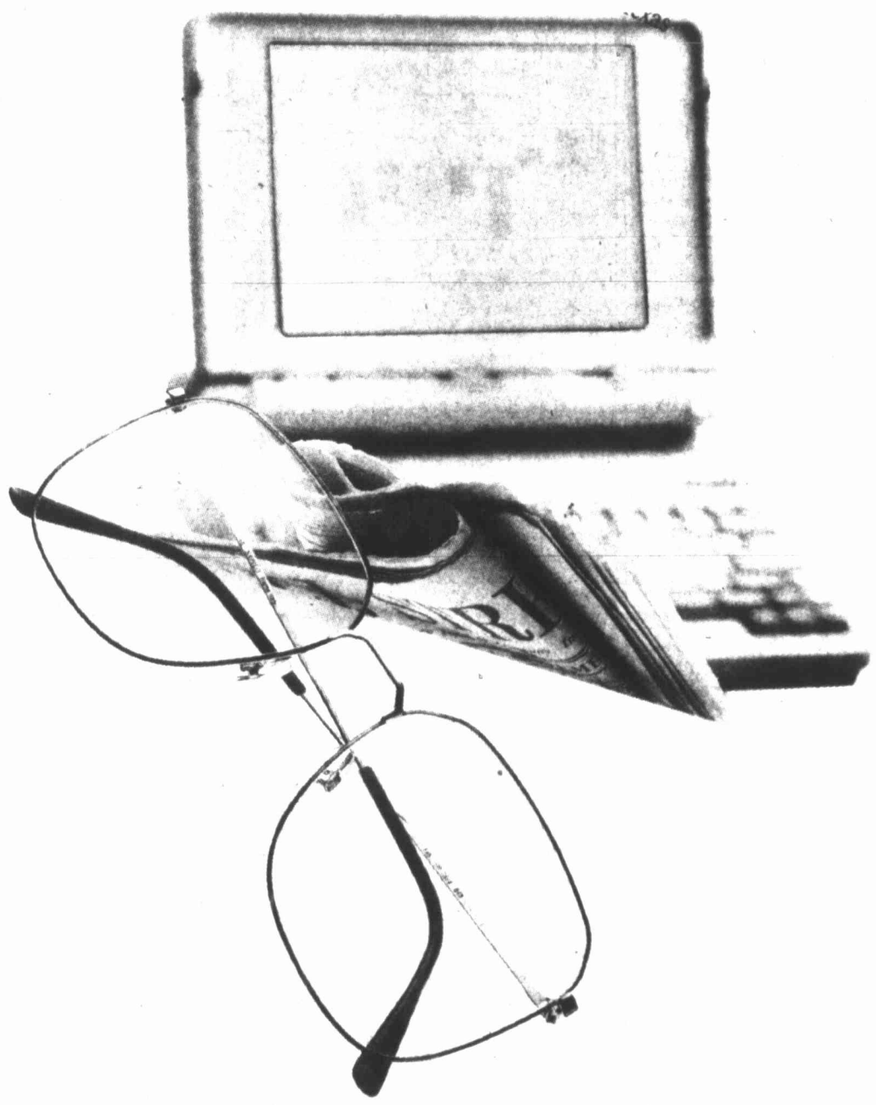
"I started out working in East Texas, where my relatives live, and I am happy now to be on my own here in West Texas," Fleehr said. "There is a proud tradition of hard work based on the American work ethic that I found attractive when I came to Big Spring."

"The addition of James to our staff has already improved our coverage," said Ray. "It is easy to see his dedication by the number of photographs and stories he has already produced.

"He is filling a position that we have spent some time finding just the right person for — and I think James is that person. He is extremely interested in becoming a part of the Howard County community. And he is extremely capable of capturing life in the Crossroads Country both in picture and words."

Fleehr's employment marks an increase of the *Herald* newsroom staff to the level last enjoyed near the end of 1986. "We decided to restore the position in December," said Publisher Robert Wernsman.

"With the changes we've experienced and Steve Ray's development of the staff since he came aboard in February, we've now done what few newspapers are doing these days — adding a position. It speaks well for the acceptance of this newspaper in Big Spring, Howard county and all of Crossroads Country," Wernsman said.



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Two counties gain, 3 lose in area Crossroads Country sales report

Sales tax report

AUSTIN — State Comptroller Bob Bullock has released the September 1989 first quarter state sales and use tax analysis report. In the local five-county Crossroads Country area, Borden and Glasscock Counties posted a gain, while Howard, Martin and Mitchell Counties showed a decline in gross sales for the first quarter of 1989.

The industry by county report shows first quarter sales in Borden County up 18.3 percent and in Glasscock County up 21.8 percent.

The three counties showing declines in first quarter gross sales for 1989, when compared to the previous year's totals, were as follows: Howard (down 3.4 percent); Martin (down 11.4 percent); and Martin (down 90.9 percent).

With four reporting outlets (number of individual business locations with a sales and use tax permit who filed a return), Borden's totals were $148,318 in gross sales for 1989 first quarter and $125,357 in gross sales for 1988 first quarter.

Glasscock County, up 21.8 percent, showed first quarter sales of $653,452 for 1989 and $536,623 in 1988. Glasscock has 12 reporting outlets.

The three first quarter losers were as follows: Howard, $114,557,130 in first quarter 1989 sales and $118,597,248 in 1988; Martin, $19,239,191 in first quarter 1989 and $211,407,266 in 1988; and Mitchell with $13,200,440 in sales for 1989 and $14,900,650 in 1988 for the first quarter.

The report in outlets were listed in the Comptroller's report as follows: Howard with 731; Martin with 69; and Mitchell with 176.

The use tax purchase listing was as follows for the first quarter of 1989 (counties in alphabetical order): Borden, $695; Glasscock $3,687; Howard, $927,251; Martin, $59,634; and Mitchell, $10,803.

As for the first quarter amount in each county subject to state sales and use tax, the reports on each county varies. Borden County was listed at $128,497; Glasscock County was listed at $169,975; Howard County was listed at $927,251; Martin County was listed at $2,278,539; and Mitchell County was listed at $5,222,907.

The Comptroller's report shows the state sales and use tax analysis by county for all industries.

Grand Re-Opening

BIG SPRING — Bramalea Centers, Inc., owners of Big Spring Mall, are proud to announce the plans for a Grand Re-Opening and the scheduled opening of Sears in the shopping center.

Grand opening for Sears, Santa Fe Sandwiches and Suggs Hallmark will be held Friday and Saturday. In addition to the many activities planned for the celebration, the new additions will be welcomed to Big Spring Mall with a ribbon cutting ceremony beginning at 10 a.m. on Friday morning.

A customer appreciation reception will be held Friday beginning at 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. Guests will be registering for door prizes to be given away throughout the evening, enjoying refreshments and receiving balloons. Flutists Karen Lee and Myra Harrell will provide musical entertainment from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

On Saturday the Grand Opening celebrations will continue with free balloons, door prizes and freeze modeling. Musical entertainment featuring "The Hot Potato Band" will begin at 2 p.m. Cake and punch will be served at 4 p.m. Gale's Cakes and Cookies will be providing a replica cake of Big Spring Mall.

"We hope everyone in Big Spring and the surrounding areas will take this great opportunity to visit and see how we have grown. With the addition of Sears Appliance Store, Santa Fe Sandwiches, Suggs Hallmark, and several other new stores we are adding the much needed variety Big Spring shoppers have been looking for," says Tammy Watt, Mall Manager.

Stork Club

SCENIC MOUNTAIN MEDICAL CENTER

• Born to Sheri Jones, 1804 Owens, a son, Cody Waymon Jones, on Sept. 13, 1989 at 11:01 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 15¼ ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Nita Jones, Big Spring; and Johnny Jones, Austin.

• Born to Roy and Noelia Carrillo, 3308 Auburn, a daughter, Ashley Marie Carrillo, on Sept. 14, 1989 at 5:56 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 8½ ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Leal, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Carrillo.

• Born to Ben and Debra Murphy, a son, Brady Lane Murphy, on Sept. 15, 1989 at 4:11 p.m., weighing 8 pounds 7 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter. Grndparents are Brent and Pat Murphy, Ira; and Wallace and Bobbie Combest, Snyder. Brady is the baby brother of Wesley, 4.

• Born to Sabas and Michelle Garza III, Colorado City, a son, Sabas Garza IV, on Sept. 16, 1989. Grandparents are Sabas and Otila Garza Jr., Raymondville.

• Born to Ben and Christy Smith, 100 E. 37th St., a son, Corbin Richard Smith, on Sept. 16, 1989 at 11:33 a.m., weighing 8 pounds 6 ounces, delivered by Dr. Porter.

• Born to Brandy and Debbie Hendricks, a son, James Clay Hendricks, at 11:44 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 2 ounces, delivered by Dr. Farquhar. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams, Snyder; and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Halfmann, Big Spring.

• Born to Pascual and Janie Porras, a son, Kevin Jacob Porras, on Sept. 19, 1989 at 2:47 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 14½ ounces, delivered by Dr. Hubert Jean Louis. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pascual Porras Sr., 507 N. Johnson St.; and Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Molina Sr., 502 11th Place. Kevin is the baby brother of Jamie, 18, Lewis, 17, Kelly, 9, and Theresa, 7.

• Born to Jamie Bartley, 2425 Fairchild, a daughter, Adrienne Danielle Bartley, on Sept. 20, 1989 at 4:02, weighing 5 pounds 1 ounce, delivered by Dr. Herrington. Adrienne is the baby sister of Tanika.

Dennis joins firm

BIG SPRING — G.S.W. & Associates, Inc. (GSW), a civil and environmental engineering firm, is pleased to announce that Steve A. Dennis, P.E., R.P.S., has joined the firm as Associate/General Manager of the Big Spring office.

As General Manager, he will be responsible for the management, administration and design of municipal projects including water, wastewater, paving, drainage and infrastructure rehabilitation.

Prior to joining GSW, Dennis was employed with Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., in Midland. As Project Manager, Dennis was responsible for project design, design team coordination and business development for the firm.

Dennis earned his Bachelor of Science and Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

GSW is headquartered in Dallas with branch offices located in Big Spring and Houston.

Yee new chief

BIG SPRING — Dr. Jordan Yee assumed the position of Chief of Psychiatry of the Big Spring VA Medical Center on Aug. 1, according to Conrad Alexander, Director.



YEE

Yee served as Assistant Professor, Geriatric Medicine at School of Medicine at University of Buffalo, New York, as well as the Director of Geriatric Psychiatry Service at Warren State Hospital, Warren, PA.

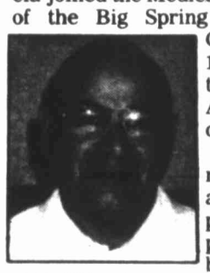
Yee has been active in Pain Management Research. He has a patent pending for a chronic pain management medical device, the Sphenopalatine Ganglion Block applicator. The modality of pain management and research activities extended into areas of biofeedback, hypnosis and acupuncture.

He was trained in the field of Psychiatry and Geriatric Medicine at University of Buffalo, N.Y. At the age of 37, he came into the Big Spring community with his wife, Evelyn, a doctor of Pharmacy, and two sons, Ben, 5 and Nathan, 2.

He has also been active in teaching Martial Art and meditation secondary to his medical profession. He will be starting a "Spiritual Self-Defense" course at the local YMCA.

Garcia joins VA

BIG SPRING — George Z. Garcia joined the Medical Service staff of the Big Spring VA Medical Center on Aug. 13, according to Conrad Alexander, director.



GARCIA

Garcia is responsible for assisting physicians in patient care, both in the Outpatient Clinic, and on the inpatient medical ward.

Garcia, 43, is a native Texan from San Antonio. He is a retired U.S. Army Warrant Officer with over 24 years of service, with three of these years in Vietnam. His last assignment was at Fort Hood.

Garcia graduated from the U.S. Army Physician's Assistant Course in 1983. He later served as the primary medical officer in four infantry battalions.

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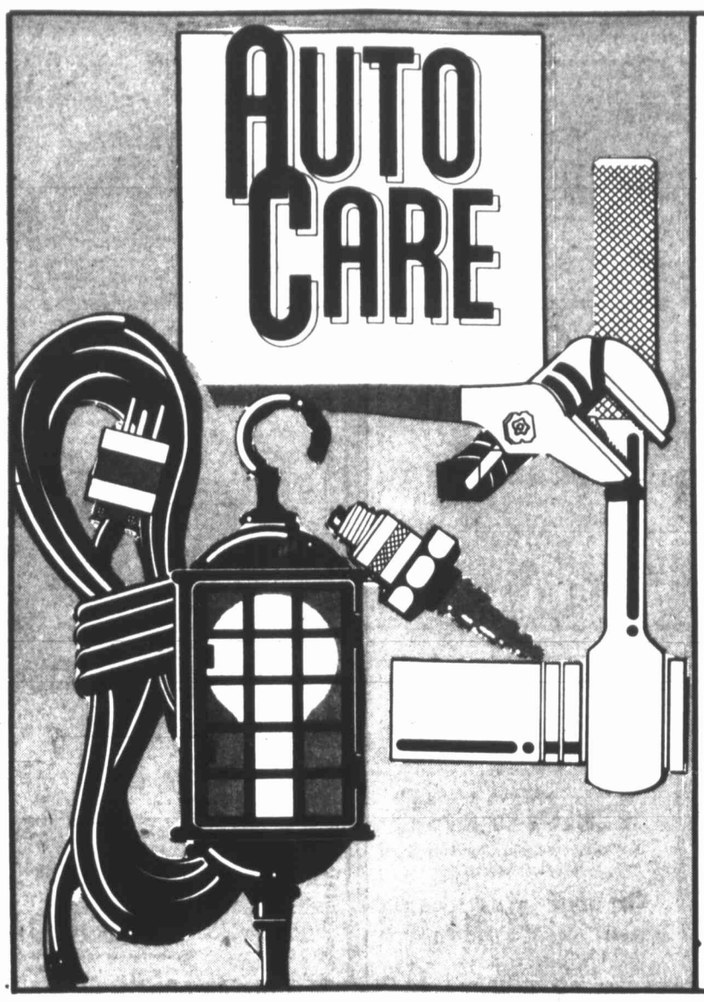
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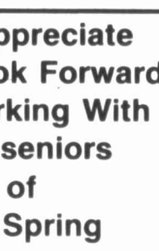
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American Breeders Service programs

Ask the agent



By DON RICHARDSON
County Extension Agent

Beef cattle producers should have their hands full trying to get around to all the events being offered this week.

Beginning Monday at 8:00 a.m. at Days Inn, Big Spring, cattlemen interested in learning how to artificially inseminate cattle may do so by registering for this training program being offered by the American Breeders Service.

They also will have the opportunity to learn how to pregnancy test cattle by rectal palpation during this four day shortcourse.

Cost for the training program is $325 for the AI portion with participants receiving a certification certificate and a $100 credit towards a breeders kit. The palpation clinic is $200.

Instructors for this program include David Stubblefield, Colorado City, who is associated with ABS and Dr. Jerry Cowley, who is Extension livestock specialist with Texas A&M University, stationed at the San Angelo Research and Extension Center.

Although the event is headquartered at Days Inn, most of the hands-on training will be conducted at the Big Spring Livestock Auction.

Beef cattle will be on the spotlight Wednesday when the County Extension Services in Howard, Midland, Martin, Ward, Ector, Crane and Winkler Counties sponsor a Permian Basin Rancher's Roundup.

Registration is requested for those interested in attending this event. Please contact the county Extension nearest you.

Scheduled on the program will be Linda Janca with an update report on the Beef Referendum and a Beef Outlook report by Jim Kelly from the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association.

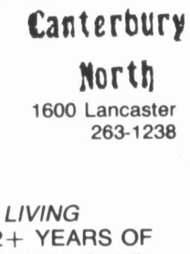
Tee Knox, on whose ranch this event will be held, just north of Tarzan in Martin County, will discuss diversified breeding programs, followed by a break sponsored by Ezell-Key Grain Co., Snyder. Kent Mills, company representative, will discuss forage quality. Supplemental feeding of beef cattle will be discussed by Dr. Rick Machem, Extension livestock specialist, Ft. Stockton.

Mike Felton and Doug Stokes will present a program on video marketing, followed by a bar-b-que lunch hosted by the Texas Livestock Marketing Association and Producers Livestock Auction Co. of San Angelo.

Dr. Jerry Cowley will discuss the importance of palpation of beef cattle. Big Spring's own Bobby Price will present a program on AI and performance records, followed by a weed and brush control update by Dr. Allan McGinty, Extension range specialist, Ft. Stockton. Dr. Pete Gibbs will complete the day's program with an update on the Texas horse racing program and nutrition of the mare and foal.

All interested persons concerned with any aspect of livestock production should find this program most interesting and should make plans to attend this event.

Tumbleweed Smith



By TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Eric Marley is headed toward Utopia. He's lived in San Antonio, Helotes, Boerne, Pipe Creek and Bandera. Now he's at Vanderpool, not far from Utopia, his ultimate destination.

"Everybody ought to try to reach Utopia," says Eric.

Eric lives in an Indian teepee with his two daughters. He helped deliver them. Not long after the second youngster was born, the mother of the children decided she had had enough of the Indian life, so she fled to civilization.

Eric would like to re-marry. But he says it's kinda hard to find somebody who wants to live in a teepee with him and his two daughters.

When I drove up to his place, he was painting the outside of his studio. He is an artist. That's one of the ways he makes a living. he also lectures to school kids about Indian life. He operates a barbeque business on weekends. He takes care of ranches for absentee owners. And he's a practicing midwife.

Eric greeted me with a smile and seemed glad to have an excuse to get out of the hot sun. He was wearing a bathing suit, a beard and braided hair.

The inside of his studio was like being in a real Indian teepee. All kinds of feathers and leathers hung on the walls along with bead work and weavings. I noticed three pallets on the floor made from animal skins. I told him I thought he lived in a teepee. He said he was

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U.S. Gov't. Approves Patent Claims for New Diet Pill

BEVERLY HILLS, CA (Special)—An amazing new weight loss pill called "fat-magnet" has recently been developed and perfected by two prominent doctors at a world famous hospital in Los Angeles that reportedly "guarantees" you steady fat loss and calorie reduction by simply taking their tested and proven new pill.

The U.S. government has just approved the doctors claims for a hard-to-get patent that confirms "there has never been anything like their fat-bonding pill process before." It is a totally new major scientific breakthrough and is revolutionizing the weight loss industry.

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Best of all, "you can continue to eat your favorite foods and you don't have to change your normal eating habits. You can start losing fat and reduce calories from the very first day, until you achieve the ideal weight you desire without exercising".

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Within 2 days you should notice a change in the color of your stool, caused by the fat particles being eliminated.

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According to one of the inventors, Dr. William Shell, heart specialist and associate professor of medicine at UCLA medical school, "the new fat-bonding process is a "lazy way" to lose weight because the pills alone "automatically" reduce calories by eliminating dietary fat. It is 100% safe and not a drug."

The fat-magnet pills are already sweeping the country with glowing reports of weight loss from formerly overweight people in all walks of life who are now slimmer, trimmer and more attractive again.

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If you are trying to lose 20, 50, 100 pounds or more, you can order your supply of these "no-risk" highly successful fat-magnet pills directly from the doctors' exclusive manufacturer only (includes optional calorie-reduction plan for even better results). Send $20 for a 90 pill supply (+$3 handling), or $35 for a 180 pill supply (+$3 handling), to: Fat-Magnet, 9016 Wilshire Blvd., Dept. W842, Beverly Hills, CA 90211. (***Unconditional money-back guarantee if not 100% satisfied.***) Visa, MasterCard and American Express OK. (Send card number, expire date, and signature.) For fastest service for credit card orders ONLY call anytime 24 hours, toll free **1(800) 527-9700**, ext. W842. ©F-M 1989

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BOB JOHNSON from Lubbock is an instructor at SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf. Hobbies include camping and fishing.

KEITH and **PAULA SIBLEY** from Dallas. Keith is a coordinator at SWCID. Hobbies include sports and reading.

DIANE FREYTAG from Lamesa is a interpreter at SWCID. Hobbies include sports and reading.

CHENG TAN from Washington, D.C. is a math instructor at SWCID. Hobbies include sports and reading.

MICHAEL McMILLIAN from Lubbock is a interpreter at SWCID. Hobbies include sports and reading.

TOMMY and **TANI WASHINGTON** from Crane. Tommy is a senior high school teacher and basketball coach. Tani is a senior high school English teacher. They are joined by their children, Marcus, 9, Michael, 11 months, Stephanie, 7, and Heather, 4. Hobbies include basketball, hunting and fishing.

DIANNE McPHERSON from Amarillo is a third grade teacher. She is joined by her children Madonna, 16, Malinda, 15, Edward, 13, and David, 2. Hobbies include reading, sewing and swimming.

JAMES and **ALICE McGUIRE** from Sweetwater. James is employed by the Big Spring Police Department. Alice is an LVN at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. They are joined by their children, Cherry, 18, and Nathan, 15. Hobbies include golf, bowling and football.

JANE BEGY from Amarillo is curriculum director for the Coahoma Independent School District. Hobbies include reading and music.

VI PHUONG from Amarillo is a student at SWCID. Hobbies include photos, fishing and volleyball.

NANCY MORENIO from Plains is a student at SWCID. Hobbies include sports.

JAMES ROBERT DAVIS from Conroe is a student at SWCID. Hobbies include reading and sports.

Indian life at Vanderpool

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in the process of re-doing it. The poles of half a dozen teepees were in place just outside. He said he was getting ready for a summer camp he operates as a public service to troubled children.

"You get 'em out here with the river, the berries and the rest of nature and let 'em sleep in a teepee, it helps 'em," says Eric.

Eric (White Turtle" grew up in San Antonio and had a couple of years of college when he decided to pursue the life of an Indian. He says he is one-quarter Comanche.

"I had friends who were graduating from college and couldn't find jobs. I knew it wouldn't be any easier when I graduated," says Eric. So he went to the country.

He says he taught himself everything he knows about living in the Indian manner. "I watched the birds and the deer to learn which berries to eat."

His daughters are six-year-old Anita (Little Bear) and nine-year-old Melonie (Little Watermelon). They are being taught at home by their father. He sees his daughters growing up to be midwives or veterinarians.

They take saunas by heating rocks, putting them in a dome and pouring water over them. Then they go jump in a nearby spring fed creek. For soap they dig the roots of yucca cactus and cut them into slices. Eric says they lather up nicely.

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Involved in many community activities, Valdes served many years for Cosden Credit Union; YMCA; United Way; Lions; Little League and Teen-Age League, and is now serving his fourth term as a member of Big Spring Independent School District Board.

Mrs. Valdes was employed as an educational aide prior to completing requirements for her degree from the University of Texas of the Permian Basin and is a second grade bilingual teacher at College Heights Elementary School.

She has a degree in education from the University of Havana. She taught school for four years before coming to America.

The couple received their American citizenship in 1959.

They have two children: Al Jr., Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; and Cathy Wilder, Midland. Both are pharmacutical representatives of Merck, Sharpe and Dohme. The couple also has three grandchildren.

They are active members of First United Methodist Church and are members of the Couple's Class.

Hobbies and interests include camping, traveling and playing 42.



MR. AND MRS. AL VALDES

Women Veterans Day

BIG SPRING — The Third Annual Women Veterans Day will be held at Big Spring V.A. Medical Center on Oct. 6 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., according to Conrad Alexander, Medical Center Director.

The observance is intended to focus attention on the significant contribution of women in the Armed Forces. Because of their traditional roles as non-combatants, the heroism of military women in war has been overlooked, but they too have paid the price for freedom.

This year's Women's Veterans Day is designed to inform the woman veteran of her rights as a veteran, to provide health education and to provide an array of health screening examinations from which the veterans may choose, such as blood sugar and cholesterol levels, spirometry testing for the lungs, pelvic exam and Pap smear, general physical examination, mammography and other examinations.

The day will begin with registration and coffee, with speakers starting at 10 a.m. Mrs. Barbara Brandau, Coordinator, VA Advisory Committee on Women Veterans, Department of Veterans Affairs, Washington, D.C., will explain the functioning of the Women Veterans Advisory Committee. Dr. Debora I. Siscoe, a practicing gynecologist in Midland will present "Gynecological Problems of the Aging Woman Veteran." Another featured speaker from Washington will be Brigadier Geneal Wilma L. Vaught, USAF Retired, President, Women in Military Service For America Foundation, Inc.

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Good nutrition

Guidelines to reduce cancer risk

By NAOMI HUNT
County Extension Agent

Good nutrition is vital for everyone, but it becomes even more essential as we age.

Americans are living longer and enjoying life more. Many remain as an integral part of the workplace, while others use the freedom of retirement to pursue favorite interests. For these active people, sound nutrition and the good health that comes with it have never been more important.

Based on a report by the National Academy of Sciences' Committee on Diet, Nutrition and Cancer, the American Institute for Cancer Research recommends four basic dietary guidelines that may reduce cancer risk.

These compare with the dietary guidelines for all major chronic diseases and provide a sound basis for healthy eating:

- Reduce intake of fat — both saturated and unsaturated — from the current average of about 40 percent to a level of 30 percent of total calories.
- Eat more fruits, vegetables and whole grain cereals.
- Consume salt-cured, smoked and charcoal-broiled foods only in moderation.



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- Drink alcoholic beverages only in moderation.

These guidelines apply to people over 50 as well as to younger adults. Scientists are not completely certain how effective these guidelines are, regardless of age. However, they represent the best understanding to date based on research studies and observations in people around the world of steps that seem likely to lower cancer risk.

Research has suggested that for some forms of cancer, following a guideline early (such as reducing fat intake) may be more helpful in lowering cancer risk. No evidence exists, though, to indicate that changing dietary habits stops being effective at any age.

These dietary guidelines offer other benefits, too, especially for older adults. Fat is one of the most concentrated sources of calories, and older adults need fewer calories but certainly not fewer vitamins and minerals. Avoiding excess fat limits calories without compromising nutrients.

Eating more fruits, vegetables and whole grain cereals provides more fiber as well as many valuable nutrients. Fiber is helpful in preventing constipation and may play a role in reducing the risk of colon cancer. Avoiding excess alcohol makes sense for several reasons in addition to reducing cancer risk. If you take one or more medications, they may interact with alcohol. Alcohol may also have direct toxic effects, especially if your ability to handle alcohol has decreased with age.

Finally, alcohol adds calories with little nutritional value. By following dietary guidelines to lower cancer risk, you will discover new ways of preparing foods. You may even introduce a few new dishes into your daily menus. Thus, the guidelines offer benefits to your health, your figure and your enjoyment of good eating throughout life.

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BUSINESS & INDUSTRY REVIEW

Edited by Lea Whitehead

City Finance Company: loans from $10 to $330

"For those sudden unexpected cash shortages, we fill a real community need," says Debbie Walling, manager of City Finance, 206 ½ Main Street.

Money to pay bills, take a vacation, pay for car repairs, buy new school clothes — and even to pay for college books and tuition — are among the reasons people turn to City Finance, according to Debbie and her associate, Pat Cypert.

"We've had record months recently," Debbie says. "We've been sending out mailings and doing a lot of phoning to let people know we want their business."

The loan limit has recently been raised by the State of Texas to $330, Debbie says. All that is required is for the customer to fill out an application, have a permanent job, and pass credit approval.

The business is state regulated, with the state setting the interest rate and payment schedule, and the state specifies that the borrower must have the means to pay back the loan. State auditors check the firm's books annually.

Debbie says they serve borrowers with loans that are smaller than those which banks can handle profitably.

Another important use of a small loan is to establish credit. For example, a customer will bring in a son or daughter and co-sign a loan. The borrower than makes regular payments and thus establishes a credit rating.

The staff tries to provide a friendly, comfortable atmosphere that puts customers at their ease. Borrowing is simply another alternative in personal or family finances — "Almost everybody needs a little extra cash once in-awhile," Debbie maintains.

To improve services to customers, City Finance is presently undergoing refurbishing, with new customer service counter, newly furnished waiting area and new carpet.

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Big Spring business leaders tour farm-related industries

By BRADLEY WORRELL
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — Although Howard County has a large number of farm-related industries, there is a general lack of awareness about area agriculture, said Dusty Johnson, dean of students at Howard College and organizer of "Ag Day" for Leadership Big Spring.

"In general, although we're a rural town, we're not that aware of the agriculture industry," he said. Johnson noted that only about five of the 25 people who took an agriculture tour Wednesday knew who the state agricultural commissioner was and few were aware about the state of this year's cotton crop.

Acquainting people who may have little or no experience with the wide range of farm-related industries is the purpose of Ag Day — a once a year chance for members of the Leadership Big Spring group to get a first-hand view of different aspects of area agriculture, Johnson said.

"It was a real good tour," Johnson said after he and Don Richardson, Howard County agricultural agent, led members on a five hour tour of agriculture industries including a shrimp farm, cotton farm, cotton gin, meat packing plant, livestock auction, farmers market and home farm.

"I feel good about it, we accomplished our goal," Richardson agreed.

One of the newer agriculture industries toured by Leadership Big Spring members was a shrimp and fish farming. Vernon Holcomb, owner of Genesis Fish Farm, said his business is experiencing a lull for the moment because the shrimp hatcheries he usually orders from have been found to have a virus similiar to a cold or influenza. The virus kills off the young shrimp, he said.

Holcomb said he will be unable to get new supplies from the dealers as long as the virus remains.

"It may be quite an ordeal," he said.

Holcomb said his immediate goal is to keep the shrimp he does have virus free. He said he hopes to eventually be able to increase his stock.

"I guess this is the best next year country I ever saw," Holcomb joked with the touring group.

Asked by one of the tour members if shrimp farming is a viable future farming industry, Holcomb replied, "It's a big question mark."

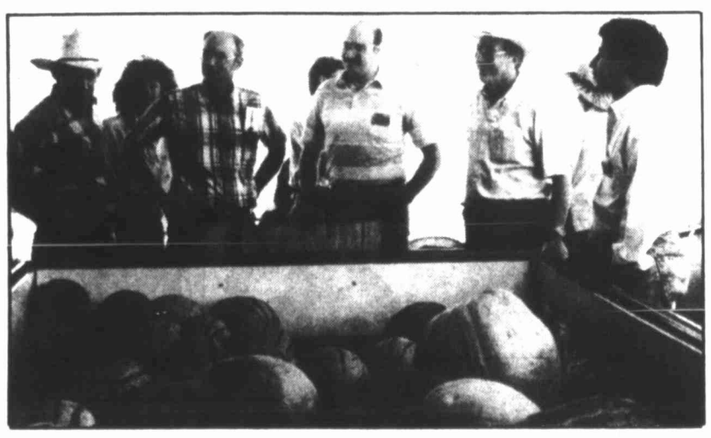
"If you can't get the larvae there's no need for a shrimp farm . . . I don't know what we'll be doing in 10 years."

Holcomb said he first became involved in shrimp farming a few years ago after a county agent in Monahans convinced him to give it a try. He started the project on his own and later got investors to join the project.

The shrimp raised at Holcomb's Stanton ranch are mostly sold in the Big Spring, Midland and Lamesa area. Holcomb said he sells the shrimp for about $3.95 a pound. Retailers sell then shrimp for about $7 a pound.

Holcomb said he also raises a hybrid white bass at the fish farm, but said there is not much of a demand for the fish. Holcomb also does cattle breeding.

Leadership Big Spring members also toured the Knott Co-Op Gin, a cotton farm in Knott, the Hubbard Packing Company, the Big Spring Livestock Auction, the Permian Baisin Farmer's Market and visited the owners of Bennie's Garden, a five acre garden.



BIG SPRING — Don Richardson, Howard County agricultural agent, second from right, explains the workings of the Permian Basin Farmer's Market at the Highland Shopping Mall. The mall is host to the farmer's market every Wednesday during the producing season.



KNOTT — Cotton grower Larry Shaw, center, shows tour members how to find the cotton-containing pods on the rows of cotton plants.



STANTON — Members of Leadership Big Spring survey a man-made pond created for shrimp harvesting. The Genesis Fish Farm, owned by Vernon Holcomb, has been in the business of providing shrimp for Big Spring, Midland and Lamesa for a few years now.

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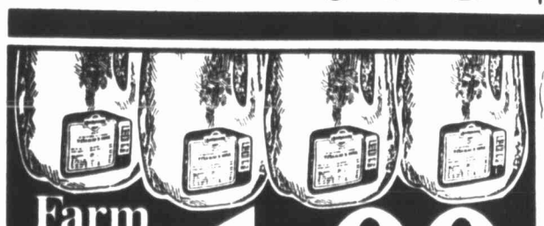


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