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WEATHER

Today:



TODAY 72°-74° **TONIGHT** 45°-46°

'Good Doctor' performance set at 2 p.m. today

The last performance of the Howard College Theatre Department's fall production is today at 2 p.m. at Big Spring Mall. A group of students will perform Neil Simon's "The Good Doctor" in the former Jazzercize space at the mall.

Admission for the general public is $3 per person for the play, which includes adaptations of short stories by Anton Chekhov.

Churches hosting Biker Sunday at First Baptist

Close to 300 bikers are expected to arrive in Big Spring today as four local churches host Biker Sunday.

The event, sponsored by the local chapter of Christian Motorcyclists Association, is a cooperative effort of First Baptist Church, Christ's Community Fellowship, Cornerstone Church and Hillcrest Baptist Church. Activities and worship service are planned at First Baptist beginning at 10 a.m.

A hamburger lunch, bike games and other activities will continue until 4 p.m. Dress will be casual, even for the worship service; everyone is welcome to attend.

WHAT'S UP...

MONDAY

❑ Senior Circle, 4 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics, 50 or above are welcome. For more information call 268-4721.

❑ Big Spring Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 East Third, call Janis Dean 267-3068.

TUESDAY

❑ Intermediate line dance classes, 9 a.m. Senior Citizens Center, call 267-1628.

❑ Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

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Howard County firefighters bestowed Life Safety Award

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer



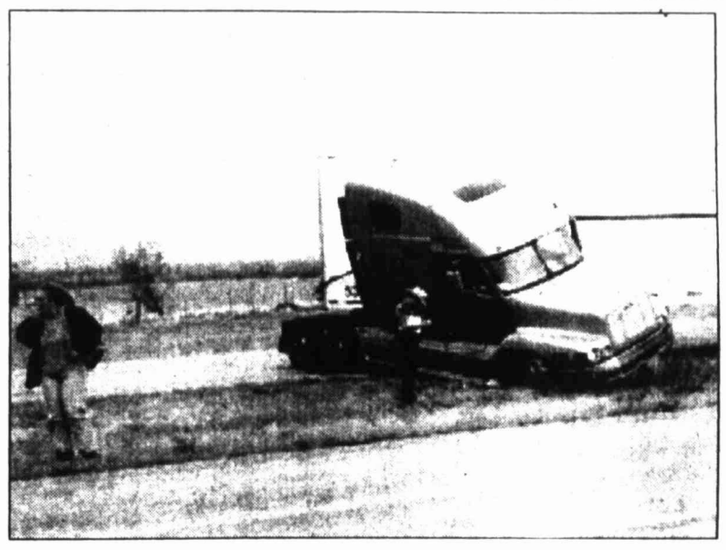
SULLIVAN

Howard County Volunteer Fire Department, under the guidance of Chief Tommy Sullivan, has been presented with a Life Safety Achievement Award for 1999 by the Residential Fire Safety Institute (RFSI).

Sullivan said his entire staff, some 71 volunteers strong, is proud of the achievement.

"For the fireman, it's a real achievement," said Sullivan. "For us, it's a goal of ours each year to go without a death in the county from fire. We also strive to get the word out to everyone about fire safety

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Brenda Thompson, a driver for Mesilla Valley Transport of Las Cruces N.M., was uninjured when her truck jackknifed and came to rest in the median near mile marker 174 on Interstate 20 Saturday. Rain and winds up to 45 mph caused her to lose control of the vehicle. DPS trooper Jason Hester was the investigating officer.

HERALD photo/Carl Graham

Fall festivals to capture holiday spirit

By DEBBIE L. JENSEN
Features Editor



HERALD photo/Carl Graham

Winners from the halloween costume contest held Satuday at the Settles Building were, from left, Amy and Sydney Winters, Anna Babinszki, Donavan and Kaley Garcia and their mom Bonnie Smith, Cory Hilario, Alexandra Hilger and Tyler Narin. The contest was sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

While trick-or-treating may be the main Halloween activity for many, three local churches have alternative celebrations planned.

Trinity Baptist, First United Methodist and First Church of the Nazarene all have fall festivals slated for Tuesday evening with games, contests and food. Children are welcome to wear their costumes to all three events.

First United Methodist Church, 400 Scurry, plans its Fall Festival in the Partee Building from 7 to 9 p.m.

They will conduct a costume contest along with games and other activities, all organized by the youth department. Snacks will be available for purchase, and church information says children should come prepared to take home lots of candy.

At Trinity Baptist Church, 810 E. 11th Place, the festival is from 6-8 p.m., promising games like a hockey puck shoot, football and baseball throw and ring toss.

Fifteen or 20 booths offering various activities are expected, along with a snack bar and 1950s-style soda fountain; tickets are five for $1.

First Church of the Nazarene, 1400 Lancaster, has slated its Harvest Fest 2000 from 6-9 p.m.

Called a "Christian alternative to trick-or-treat," the event will include a moon walk, games, clowns and face painting. While costumes are welcome, the church asks that children not dress as anything scary or "evil" such as witches.

For those who want to make the rounds gathering up treats, the community has several opportunities.

Among them, West Texas Discount Flooring, 1712 Gregg, will be handing out candy Tuesday from 6-8 p.m. Mountain View Lodge will offer candy to little goblins from 6-7:30 p.m., 2009 Virginia.

All city firestations will pass out candy to kids Tuesday night.

Alert

Some charities not legitimate, Permian Basin BBB president tells consumers

By BILL McCLELLAN
News Editor

We're all familiar with the United Way, Salvation Army and other worthwhile charitable organizations.

But with the holiday season fast upon us, the Better Business Bureau is cautioning businesses and consumers that they will be inundated with mail and telephone appeals from charities and relief agencies.

Unfortunately, some of these charities are not legitimate, said Dick Rowland, president of the Permian Basin Better Business Bureau.

"Here in the Permian Basin, we need to be sure that any giving we do stays with legitimate organizations that will do some good in this area," Rowland said.

Businesses and customers

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Big Spring police looking for a few good men, and women

By DEBBIE L. JENSEN
Features Editor



SMITH

The Big Spring Police Department is looking for you.

But it's not because you have broken any laws or avoided paying your parking tickets. This time, they want you to consider becoming one of them.

That's right, you — the badge, the gun, the whole bit.

"We need more applicants," explained Lonnie Smith, police chief. The department will host an open house Thursday from 3-7 p.m. at its training center in the City Hall complex.

"Anyone who is interested, whether you think you are qualified or not, we hope you will come by and talk to us," said Lt. Stan Parker.

The department is hoping to attract more local residents to apply for openings now and in the future. At the present time, the BSPD is looking to fill four slots.

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Applicants don't have to be certified police officers; the department will send you to the academy. If you have already graduated, however, that can be a plus.

But more important is that you be an upstanding citizen, without misdemeanor or felony convictions or drug use in the last three years, and have a good driving record.

College is not a requirement, although a high school diploma or GED is.

Officers must be 21 at the time of their academy graduation.

"I know a lot of people out there don't think they can do it," Smith said. "But you never know. If you are at all curious, come over and see us."

Interested people can arrange a visit to the police station, talk with officers, and maybe even ride with one on patrol.

Smith wants people to know about the benefits that come with the job, including a pay raise that has brought starting salaries up to $13.07 an hour, or $27,185 per year. Beyond that, there are ways to advance in rank and salary, including college hours that can be paid for by the department.

Officers are issued a car they can drive home, and everyone gets a bulletproof vest along with the other necessary equipment.

Don't want to make the commitment right away? Consider applying for dispatcher or jailer, jobs several officers have used as a "foot in the door" and a way to get to know the work better.

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Volunteers join in to make a difference

By BILL McCLELLAN
News Editor

SIMMONS

Groups joined together for a common cause Saturday — making a difference in others' lives and in the environment.

Community Care Hospice teamed with stylists from SmartStyle Salon to offer free haircuts for low-income and homebound residents. Members of the Retired and Senior Volunteer (RSVP) program posted house numbers. Others joined in picking up trash in various areas around the community.

"We had a good turnout," said Pat Simmons, who coordinated the Make a Difference Day cleanup effort.

Four groups — Comanche Flats residents, youth of Nazarene and Hillcrest Baptist and employees and families representing the First Bank of West Texas — picked up debris and pulled weeds.

"They did a good job. I was especially impressed with the First Bank of West Texas, from Coahoma, as well as the Big Spring branch.

"They were one big family and they cleaned up Comanche Park. They did a super job," Simmons said.

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HERALD photo/Carl Graham

First Nazarene youth, led by youth pastor Greg Simpson, kneeling, were out making a difference Saturday, cleaning up their assigned area from Martin Luther King all the way to the HEB Grocery. Group members were Don Weissman, Kathryn Weissman, Cambrie Cooke, Cashea Earls, Steson Earls, David Lee, John Avant and Amanda Hart.

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OBITUARIES

John Rene Hart

John Rene Hart, 83, a resident of the Roswell, N.M. area since 1961, died Wednesday, Oct. 25, 2000, at Eastern New Mexico Medical Center, Roswell, N.M.

Funeral services were held at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 28, 2000, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church. Rev. Bill Johnston conducted the service.

Mr. Hart worked 34 years for El Paso Natural Gas Company before he retired in 1979.

He was born on June 14, 1917, on a farm in Mitchell County near Westbrook. After his father died in 1929, he worked on the family farm until 1941. That year he became the first Mitchell County man drafted into the Army. He served in Australia, New Guinea, the Admiralty Islands and the Philippines during World War II. Hart was discharged on Sept. 30, 1945, and married Margaret Jackson on Nov. 17, 1945. They had known each other while growing up in Mitchell County and had written letters during the war. Before the end of the year, he was working for El Paso Natural Gas and his wife was working as a teacher at the same company station.

Hart was a long-time member of Aldersgate United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife of 407 Northwood Drive in Roswell, a daughter and son-in-law, Joy and Jerry Hunter of Dallas, and two sons and daughters-in-law, David and Barbara Hart of Abilene and Jane and Carrie Hart of Los Lunas, N.M. Survivors also include six grandchildren: Mary Elizabeth and Jay Hunter, Alicia and Laura Hart, and William and Emma Hart. He has one living sister, Nell Parker of Big Spring, and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Clarence Courtney Hart and Ada Conaway Hart Armstrong; one brother, Olen; and two sisters, Delores Palmer and Annie Fairchild Barber.

Pallbearers were Mike McCowan, Albert Oluyitan, Bill Flunt, Larry Loy, Paul Paschall and Bob Bergmark.

Honorary pallbearers were Rev. Nelson Bunnage, Rev. Eric King and Harrell Paschall.

Loy Bressler was in charge of the music.

Instead of flowers, the family requests that you make donations to the Aldersgate United Methodist Church Building Fund or to your favorite charity.

Internet access for Mr. Hart will be at www.legacy.com. An internet guest book will be available for friends and family to sign or view.

Arrangements were entrusted to the care of Ballard Funeral Home in Roswell.

Paid obituary

Kenneth Bruce Stephens

Kenneth Bruce Stephens, 73, of Caddo Mills, formerly of Big Spring, died Friday, Oct. 27, 2000, at his residence.

Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29, 2000, at the Caddo Mills Church of Christ with Ray Hunter, officiating. Graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Monday, Oct. 30, 2000, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Royce Clay officiating.

He was born Aug. 19, 1927, in Drumright, Okla., and married Ernestine Bailey on June 1, 1948, in Vernon. She preceded him in death on Sept. 19, 1991.

Mr. Stephens came to Big Spring in September of 1949. He worked for the Colorado River Municipal Water District as an electrical superintendent.

He was a member of the Church of Christ. Mr. Stephens had served in the United States Navy during World War II.

Survivors include one son, Michael Loyd Stephens of Caddo Mills; one daughter, Cynthia Lynette McFarland of Lucas; two brothers, Bill Stephens of Ardmore, Okla. and Neal Stephens of Hurst; five sisters, Dean Pate of Bucyrus, Ohio, Kay Lovejoy of Frederick, Okla., Betty Baker of Floydada, Mary Fry of Dallas and Candy Butler of Vernon; five grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

Arrangements are under the direction of Rentfrow Funeral Home in Caddo Mills.

Jimmie Key Barrier



Long time resident Jim Barrier, age 67, passed away Friday, Oct. 27, at his home after a lengthy battle with cancer. A battle fought in the optimistic and courageous way that he lived his life. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him, especially his family who will miss his loving care and devotion.

Funeral services for Mr. Barrier will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 31, 2000, at Myers and Smith Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Glen Forney of Fort Stockton officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Jimmie Key Barrier was born Dec. 6, 1932, in Snyder to Chancey Jehu Barrier and Lois Scott Barrier. As a young boy he helped his father in the ranching business in New Mexico and Colorado. They raised Black Angus cattle and horses.

This cowboy way of life was the beginning of his life-long love for the outdoors. As a young man his father taught him how to shoe horses. This later became his part-time occupation, which was more than just a job, it was a labor of love. His love of horses allowed him to meet many special people and make lasting friendships.

He graduated high school in Walsenburg, Colo., in 1950. While attending school he was on the track team and won several events. His family soon bought a ranch and settled in Trinidad, Colo. There he met his best friend, Lee Just. They traveled to and competed in rodeos. Jim won championships in bull riding and bareback bronc riding.

He served in the Army from 1953 to 1955. It was there that he met Kenneth Williams and Dr. Joe Neff, fellow horsemen, and all three would eventually reside in Big Spring. Upon returning home from the military, he enrolled in junior college at Trinidad State in 1956. It was there that he met and fell in love with Alice Joan Patterson. They were married Sept. 29, 1956, in Raton N.M. They enjoyed 44 wonderful years together. While living in Raton, he shod horses at the racetrack.

In 1960 they moved to Big Spring. He then went to work for Reef Fields refinery, which later became Texaco. He retired from Texaco after 32 years of employment. He was one of Jehovah's Witnesses and served as an elder in the local congregation. He also served on the Regional Building Committee of Jehovah's Witnesses where he had the privilege of helping build and remodel many Kingdom Halls in West Texas and New Mexico. Jim was an avid outdoorsman who loved hunting and fishing. He was a devoted husband and loving father who placed the needs of his family above his own.

Survivors include his wife, Alice of Big Spring; one daughter, Jeanie and her husband Garry Risinger of Edgewood; one son, Jimmie and his wife Stephanie Barrier of Big Spring; one grandson, Jeremy Gamboa of Canton; one granddaughter, Brandi Risinger of Edgewood; one great-grandson, Wesley Chandler of Big Spring; his father, Chancey Barrier of Big Spring; and three half-sisters, Virginia Barrier of Ohio, Mary Jo Freeman of Ohio and Zoe Ann Padilla of Trinidad, Colo.

He was proceeded in death by his mother, Lois Barrier, stepmother Myrl Barrier and one sister.

Pallbearers will be C.L. Lunsford, Jimmy Taylor, Joe Baxter, Charles Phillips, Eliseo Gamboa, Hanley Spencer, Bobby Cathey and Bert Sheppard.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Grady Storie, Ricky Brown, Hopson Turman, Glen Click and Gil Turman.

The family has requested that memorials be made to The American Cancer Society.

Funeral Services are under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home and Chapel.

Paid obituary

Howard Doyle Huddle

Service for Howard Doyle Huddle, 88, of Lamesa were held at 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 28, 2000, at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Dennis Teeters officiating.

Burial was in Lamesa Memorial Park.

Mr. Huddle died Oct. 26, 2000 at Covenant Medical Center.

He married Lillija Graves April 11, 1941, in Ackerly.

He came to Dawson County in 1920 from Tyler. He farmed until he retired in 1998. He started farming in 1945. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lillija of Lamesa; one son, Ronnie Huddle of Lamesa; one daughter, Carol Ann Lee of Pecos; one brother, Lawrence Huddle of Roswell N.M.; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Heart Association.

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Eusebio Saiz, 61, died Wednesday. Rosary will be 8:00 PM, Sunday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass will be 11:00 AM, Monday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Jim Barrier, 67, died Friday. Funeral services will be 10:00 AM Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel, with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

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who receive a request from a charity they haven't supported in the past should check the group out with the BBB before sending a check or agreeing to donated, he advised.

"Don't hesitate to ask for enough information to make an informed giving decision. Most charities will be happy to provide you with written information about their programs and finances," Rowland said.

"Watch out for emotional appeals. While they may bring tears to your eyes, they may tell you nothing about how the charity will use your donation. Appeals should clearly identify the charity's program activities," he added.

Rowland urged consumers and businesses to set some guidelines:

• Never allow the solicitor to talk you into giving cash or a check to a runner or courier who will come by your office or to pressure you into using overnight mail. Charities who claim to need your money today will also welcome it tomorrow.

• If you decide to give, write a check instead of giving cash, but don't make the check out to a certain individual. Use the official name of the charity.

"If you don't want to donate money, you may want to consider alternative ways to support your favorite cause," Rowland said.

You may want to consider performing volunteer work for the organization. Many charities need your time and talents just as much as they need your money.

Organize an effort in your office to support a charity. By pooling contributions with your co-workers, you can make a more sizable donation.

"There are lots of ways to help out," Rowland said. "Donate food items, such as canned goods, or assist with organized food drives in your community. To find out where help is needed most, contact your local social service agencies.

"Whether you choose to support a charitable organization through your time and effort, or by donating money, carefully evaluate charitable requests to avoid being taken by deceptive and fraudulent appeals," Rowland said.

Check with the BBB prior to making a donation to an unknown organization. The bureau can be reached at 563-1380, or you can receive reports on the Internet at www.permianbasinbbb.org.

APPLICANTS

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Concerned about the hours? Officers work 12-hour shifts, switching from days, 6 a.m.-6 p.m., to nights. They work a rotating schedule of days off, so that every other weekend they get a Friday, Saturday and Sunday to themselves.

A battery of tests is required to get hired, including reading and writing, a psychological exam and physical agility.

Men and women are welcome to apply, and there is no upper age limit. Smith said it might make a good second career for someone who needs a change of pace.

"This will give you an opportunity to help your community," he said. "You will become part of a proud tradition. If you have ever considered it, this would be a good time to try."

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activities between 8 a.m. Friday through noon Saturday:

• **TONY DELAGARZA,** 35, of 1605 States, was arrested on a charge of driving while license invalid.

• **JAMIE LOPEZ,** 47, of New York, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

• **GUADALUPE NIETO,** 33, of 1514 Sycamore, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

• **ANDY FLORES,** 30, of 304 NE 8th, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **DISTURBANCE/FIGHT** was reported in the 2500 block of Gunter.

• **BURGLARY OF A BUILDING** was reported in the 500 block of Abrams.

• **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 1000 block of Stadium.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1500 block of E. 11th and in the 1500 block of Kentucky Way.

• **CLASS B THEFT** was reported in 1000 block of S. Main.

• **ASSAULT BY THREAT** was reported in the 400 block of E. 4th.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 600 block of Steakley, in the 300 block of Owens, in the 3300 block of E. Marcy, in the 900 block of Willia and in the 2300 block of Wasson Rd.

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★ Raised in West Texas
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★ Member of Rotary Club of Big Spring
★ Member of Big Spring Chamber of Commerce
★ Member of Texas Police Association
★ Member of Sheriff's Association of Texas

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AWARD

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and prevention of fires."

The Life Safety Achievement Award recognizes local fire prevention activities that contributed to reducing the number of lives lost in residential fires. The Howard County Volunteer Fire Department qualified for the award in 1999 because it recorded zero fire deaths in structures during that year.

Although residential fires in the U.S. account for only 20 percent of all fires, they result in 80 percent of fire deaths. The RFSI is committed to reducing that number. A total of 1,243 fire departments in the U.S., Canada, Iceland and Puerto Rico received the 1999 Life Safety Achievement Award.

The award was announced by Patrick Coughlin, RFSI executive director.

Coughlin, from Shawnee Mission Kansas, said that public education on fire safety pays dividends.

"Experience tells us that fire prevention activity and public education can significantly reduce life and property loss from residential fires," said Coughlin. "Prevention and education are very cost effective compared to the traditional approach of relying on fire suppression. The Life Safety Achievement Award recognize fire departments for their fire prevention efforts and encourages them to continually improve those efforts."

The RFSI advocates the use of residential fire sprinklers, smoke alarms and teaching people fire-safe behavior. Its principal program is Operation Life Safety, which assists fire departments with implementing residential sprinkler/smoke alarm programs. The RFSI's membership includes the United States Fire Administration, the National Association of State Fire Marshals and private industry associations with an interest in residential fire safety.

The Howard County Volunteer Fire Department is overseen by an executive board. Gary Simer, a Howard County commissioner, is the chairman of that board and Tim Drinkard and Robert Ragan are the other board members.

"The board oversees the annual budget and how we spend our money," said Sullivan. "Our firemen are all pleased with the board and the direction our department is headed."

VOLUNTEERS

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The constant threat of rain may have kept the volunteer numbers down some, though for those who were dedicated, it worked out fine, Simmons said.

"It's been a good, eventful day, and the good Lord held the rain until we got through," she said.

Some 35 people helped with the cleanup effort.

Another 25 or so, including 15 members of the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department, assisted RSVP in putting up house numbers on some 107 homes of elderly and disabled residents.

There were 115 house signs to be distributed and the other eight will be put out Monday.

"I think it all went really well," said Nancy Jones, RSVP director. "And this isn't a one-day project, either. We are going to try to do the north side next. I think it will catch on."

The reflective signs are designed to help make addresses visible for emergency vehicles who may have to respond to the residence. Elderly and disabled residents may request the signs by call 264-2347.

Those 60 or so volunteers who took part in Make a Difference Day were treated to a meal afterward at Al's & Son Barbecue.

State threatens takeover of Philadelphia schools

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — If the Philadelphia teachers' strike isn't settled by Monday, the mayor is threatening to call the governor, the first step toward a state takeover of the city schools.

Taking over the school system would allow the state to revoke the credentials of any teacher who remains on strike.

"This is the last best offer, folks," Mayor John F. Street said. "You don't have to be a rocket scientist to understand that there's no more money."

Gov. Tom Ridge has expressed support for a state takeover if the mayor requests it.

William M. George, president of the Pennsylvania AFL-CIO, said in a recent letter that the union would not tolerate the revocation of teaching credentials, though he did not specify what labor's reaction would be.

"The building trades would not tolerate a law stripping them of their journeymen papers," George said. "Nurses would not allow a law that revoked their licenses. And truck drivers would not permit a law to stand that withdrew their CDL licensing."

The main issues in the dispute are pay, health benefits and a move by the school board to extend the 6½-hour school day one hour. Starting salaries are $31,344 for teachers with a bachelor's degree and $32,555 with a master's.

Dental program for poor under scrutiny in Texas

WASHINGTON (AP) — The letter sent to Texas Gov. George W. Bush carried a pointed message. Dentists in his state were unnecessarily performing more expensive procedures on poor children to earn higher reimbursement, a former Medicaid investigator alleged.

Bush, who has benefited from large donations from the state dentist lobby, replied to the 1997 letter by instructing a top aide to look into the allegations and take "whatever action you deem appropriate."

Three years later, former Medicaid investigators who worked during Bush's tenure say little has changed to keep poor children from getting unnecessary work, like more expensive crowns when all that's needed are fillings.

"What scares me is the lack of concern by the governor's office about fraud in the Medicaid dental program," said Bob Olson, who was the Texas attorney general's senior Medicaid fraud investigator for 12 years until his retirement in 1997.

Bush's chief health and human services commissioner defends the administration's record.

"I feel we are recovering significant amounts of dollars and doing everything within our power to impress on the provider population there will be consequences" for fraud, Texas Health and Human Services Commissioner Don Gilbert said in an interview.

Gilbert's agency notes it recovered $1.8 million in improper payments from dental providers in the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, and is in the process of collecting $3.5 million more in payments and penalties. Twenty-three dentists have been excluded from Medicaid in Texas since 1998.

Critics say the more expensive crown procedure can carry greater risks because children sometimes have to be anesthetized. At least three poor children in Texas have died during the procedures during the 1990s.

Pediatric dental experts say the more durable crowns can be a good solution for children who receive care infrequently.

The practices of the Medicaid dentists have raised concerns across Texas.

Two Medicaid dental investigators were removed from their jobs under Bush's administration after influential dentists complained about aggressive audits.

Officials in Galveston, Texas, discovered a group of roving dentists this summer who were performing procedures on indigent children using a bus equipped like a dental office. Police said the dentists used a computer linked to state records showing how much money children had left in their Medicaid accounts. State officials concluded the dentists were bilking Medicaid.

The Houston Chronicle has reported extensively about the practice. And a judge ruled this summer that Texas failed to fulfill a 1996 agreement to make major improvements to its Medicaid program.

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OUR VIEWS

Big Spring pride shines Friday night

Big Spring put its best foot forward at Memorial Stadium on Friday night in several different ways, and in the end, it was an experience that virtually everyone could walk away from with a little pride.

Not only did Big Spring's Steers roll to a convincing 41-7 win over Lubbock Estacado, remaining unbeaten in District 4-4A play and guaranteeing themselves a spot in the Class 4A playoffs this season, but the Steer Marching Band made its first public appearance after having earned Division I ratings from all judges at the University Interscholastic League (UIL) marching contest the previous weekend.

If that weren't enough to put a little extra bounce in the stride of the community's residents, the evening's halftime show also included a combined presentation by the Steer Band and the Big Spring Junior High School Band that drew a standing ovation.

Even the crowd on hand for the game was respectable, especially when one considers how many other activities had been scheduled for the weekend.

Those observations weren't made by clearly biased eyes, either.

Coaches from Snyder and Plainview that were scouting the game commented on not only the quality of football the Steers were playing, but applauded the bands' performance from their seats in the stadium's pressbox.

In fact, one of the Snyder scouts noted that Big Spring was his favorite place to be assigned. "We always get treated better here than we do anywhere else we go," he explained. "Believe me, a lot of folks could learn from you guys here in Big Spring."

Simply put, we can all take a bow.

OTHER VIEWS

While Al Gore and George W. Bush are running around the nation telling voters how they are going to dispose of the surplus, members of Congress are sitting in [illegible]shington making [illegible]here will be very [illegible]rplus to dispose of.

Published estimates by both Republicans and Democrats have it that this year's new programs will reduce the surplus over the next 10 years by somewhere between $800 billion and $900 billion, roughly a third of the surplus that had been projected. That alone grinds the plans of Gore and Bush into so much baloney, although neither will likely acknowledge as much, seeing as how they would then have to revise their whole campaigns.

There are two points here that ought to cause some discomfort to people in our great democracy. One is that you cannot put money in front of Congress in an election year without it being slurped up like slop in a hog trough. The other is, both of the candidates' major pledges to the voters will have been based on a demonstrably false premise.

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Janitor is the Tooth Fairy in blue jeans



RHETA GRIMSLEY JOHNSON

Carlton Butler is a rare bird. In this self-important age when everyone wants a title, he doesn't mind that most of his "clients" don't even know his last name. They call him "Mr. Carlton."

"I give hints about my last name," he laughs. "I'll say, 'The Butler did it,' or 'I'm a Butler, but the children don't notice.'"

You can describe his job position any way you want, too. Call him custodian, sanitation engineer or — as he prefers because he likes directness and simplicity — a janitor.

"If the Lord lets me be a small part of something grand like this, I'm grateful," he says.

"I told the teachers, 'Even if you don't pay me, I'd still work here. But please don't try it.'"

We sit in front of the lost and found lockers, above a stack of sweaters and coats and other expensive items crumbled left in this endless year of childhood carelessness. This will be Carlton's 6th Christmas. He squeezes hours and hours and hours out of a "part-time" position with no benefits and "should" be the focus of a union.

"There's not a single thing about me that's interesting."

Not so. His modesty alone makes him unusual. A tall, basic, engaging fellow in denim shirt and blue jeans, Mr. Carlton, 54, has been a janitor at Fellowship Christian Academy in Roswell, Ga., for 11 years. He came here after a 31-year career with Rich's, much of that spent in the print shop. The department store's downsizing changed his profession — and his life.

Mr. Carlton is — insist the 425 children and teachers at this small suburban school — the genial workhorse, the linchpin that keeps this place ticking.

He changes tires, cleans up after sick kids, gets rid of stray dogs and dead bunnies and yellow jackets," office worker Jan Witt raves. "We even called him once to get ants out of a classroom. And he always responds the same way, no matter what."

"Call Mr. Carlton," somebody will say.

If life were a board game with squares labeled "The Extra Mile," Mr. Carlton would land there each roll of the die.

"We had lectured my daughter about not taking out her retainer at school," says school staff member Becky Cardwell. After the first school day, Becky found her daughter with Mr. Carlton, searching headfirst through garbage cans to try to locate the missing retainer.

"Oh, that wasn't bad," Mr. Carlton says, minimizing his heroics. "The one (retainer) that got all the way to the dumpster was bad."

In case you've ever wondered what the Tooth Fairy looks like, he has a pink and pleasing forehead striped with a few wisdom lines. He smiles widely and often and has a devoted gardener's tough hands.

"That Tooth Fairy business started when a child came to me concerned about a loose tooth," Mr. Carlton says. "I told him, 'When it comes out, I'll give you a quarter.'"

The child remembered, Mr. Carlton delivered, and "word got around." Now every time a child loses a tooth, he's there, looking up at Mr. Carlton with an outstretched hand and a gap-toothed grin.

"They'll sometimes come by and wiggle a tooth at me, giving me warning. Coming off summer's vacation I need a lot of quarters ..."

Mr. Carlton also gives away free rides on his hand truck and the trash buggies, and brags ceaselessly on "my kids." They aren't rowdy or disrespectful. They don't even put gum under the desks, he says.

He doesn't like to talk about retirement, but when it comes, Mr. Carlton plans to spend it making creative birdhouses and gardening and relaxing on his screen porch with wife Cheryl.

When he does quit, Carlton Butler should have a lot more quarters.



Rules change for Arabs and Israelis



CHARLEY REESE

In these politically correct days, all of us are supposed to refrain from being racist bigots, right? Then how come so many Americans believe it's OK to be a racist bigot when it comes to Arabs and Muslims?

Ric Keller, running for the 8th Congressional District seat in Florida, got carried away recently and said that the Palestinians who killed two armed Israeli soldiers are "lower than pond scum."

Well, I have one question, Mr. Keller: Do you have the guts to stand up in public and say that the Jewish settlers who lynched a Palestinian — they gouged out his eyes, broke both arms, fractured his skull and set him on fire — are "lower than pond scum?"

If you don't, you don't deserve the vote of any decent American. You are just another cowardly panderer. None of my Palestinian friends condones the murder of the two Israelis, even though, unlike the Palestinian, they were armed. But if it's brutality you're against, then you have to be against it no matter which side commits it.

Don Imus, the radio pseudo-iconoclast, referred to Yasser Arafat as a "rag head." Well, Mr. Imus, if you feel free to call Arabs ragheads, do you think Jews should be called kikes and blacks should be called burrheads? Why do you think Arabs are exempt from common decency? Could it be that you, too, are a cowardly panderer?

Rod Dreher, a New York Post writer, claimed that Israel was the only outpost of Western Civilization "in that savage and irrational desert." Well, Mr. Dreher should study history. Most of Western Europe's knowledge of classical society came from Arabs who preserved the texts of ancient Greeks and Romans.

Franklin Graham, the Rev. Billy Graham's son, repeats the old canard that Arabs hate all Jews. Well, once more, consult history. When Jews fled Christian persecution in Europe, where did they go to find sanctuary? The Islamic countries. Arabs don't hate Jews. Jews, Christians and Muslims have lived together in the same countries for centuries. Arabs are, by the way, also the "seed of Abraham."

The dispute with the Israelis is over territory, not religion. No less a man than a leader of Hamas reminded a caller who asked how Hamas would treat Christians that Islam teaches that Muslims must treat them as they would treat themselves.

Conservative columnist Cal Thomas, who must be a Christian Zionist, warns that Muslims are a threat to Americans. Wake up, Cal, and read something besides Zionist propaganda. Muslims have been part of America since the 1800s, and, so far as I know, we Christians have done the killing in North America.

And Cal, if you visit an Arab city, your hotel clerk won't have to warn you to stay out of certain neighborhoods. There is far more crime in our cities than in theirs. If you go to Michigan, you will find a Christian church built with a $1 million donation from Saddam Hussein. How many churches have you built?

Islam has been greatly distorted, and the propaganda campaign seems to be intensifying, probably to divert attention from Israeli brutality.

Needless to say, most Americans are as ignorant of Arab history and culture as they are of their own. In Jerusalem, the keys to Christianity's holy site were entrusted to Muslims.

There is only one point on which I agree with the politically correct types, and that is that racism and bigotry should be condemned.

But when you exclude Arabs and Muslims and feel free to publicly insult, stereotype and distort their culture and their religion, you are really telling the world that you are a hypocrite. You are, in fact, a racist bigot, and ignorant to boot.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Sunday, Oct. 28:

Communication gains intensity. Feelings surface a lot more quickly. Go with the flow, and don't cut others off when you become upset. Use care with finances, as your feelings often come out in your checkbook. If you are single, no one can deny your magnetism. Dealing with your intensity takes a strong personality. If attached, avoid power plays involving feelings and money. Talk about what ails you. SCORPIO enjoys swapping ideas with you.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

**** Someone's intensity could overwhelm you. You gain another perspective because of what you hear and observe. Your unusual energy takes you in another direction. Build on a relationship rather than taking a risk. A talk illuminates your understanding of another. Tonight: With your favorite person.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

***** Make an effort with others. You might be stunned at how far a partner will go out of his way for another. Recognize how important this sharing is to him. Return calls. Accept invitations. A flirtation could be developing into a lot more. Tonight: Just don't be alone.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

**** Others clearly want you near them. You might need to spread yourself thin in order to please everyone! Worry less about what others think. Clear out errands and do what needs to be done. Another happily joins your projects. This person just wants to be close to you. Tonight: Relax about who and where.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

***** Someone knows how to make you smile, and vice versa. Don't sell yourself short. You have a lot to offer. Indulging another doesn't have to be expensive. Sometimes a back rub means as much as a gift. Return calls, especially those involving a child. Tonight: Dance the night away.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

**** Listen carefully to your feelings and imagine what you would love to do. Let a loved one or family member in on this information, and together you can have a ball close to home. Don't just sit there. Tonight: Just enjoy.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

**** Your actions mean a lot to another. Right now isn't the moment to sit back and do nothing. Go right in. You gain because you are forthright. You might be concerned by another's reaction. Don't be. Intensity is the name of the game. Tonight: Out and about.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

**** You might be spending in an attempt to toss your frustrations. It actually might work right now, but ultimately it might not bring you the results you want. Think about a decision carefully before you blurt it out. Feelings rise quickly to the surface. Share them. Tonight: Treat another to dinner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

***** The moon makes you the lead player in your immediate circle. Make decisions, and others will follow. Gather the troops and opt for a spontaneous party. You know what you want. Now make it happen. You could go haywire with spending. Remember, there is a tomorrow. Tonight: Your smile goes a long way.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

**** You don't need to do a lot, so lie back. Express strong feelings or preferences. Those around you might not be mind readers. Think through what might be bothering you before verbalizing it. Let go of recent stress. Tonight: You don't have to share the details.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

**** Join friends. Recognize that you might be more upset about an emotional or financial issue than you need to be. Pull back and understand where another is coming from. Lighten up about a change with a loved one. Be especially careful with someone you meet. Tonight: The party is where you are.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

**** A friend might feel a lot more strongly than you realize. Be careful, as he might want a lot more than you do. Handle responsibilities early in the morning so that you can clear your day. Invite friends and family for a little pre-Halloween fun. Tonight: Leader of the gang.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

**** Reach out for another. Make a point of touching base with those at a distance. Write a letter to a far-off loved one. Timing works with you. You might reverse your stand on a critical issue. Think about the implications of what you are doing. Get ready for reactions! Tonight: Where the music is.

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Five killed, two injured in accident near Austin

MUSTANG RIDGE, Texas (AP) — Five people were killed and two were severely burned Saturday in a fiery collision between a car and a recreational vehicle near Austin, officials said.

The accident occurred about 11:45 a.m. at Texas 21 and Farm-to-Market 1854 in the northern corner of Caldwell County, about 20 miles southeast of Austin.

Both vehicles erupted in flames after the collision, said Department of Public Safety spokeswoman Tela Mange.

Among the injured was Roslyn Brinkley, 57. She was taken by helicopter to Brackenridge Hospital in Austin and then transferred to Brooke Army Medical Center in San Antonio with second- and third-degree burns over half of her body, said Pam Crowther, spokeswoman for SETON Healthcare Network.

The other injured person was hospitalized after suffering second- and third-degree burns, according to reports from Austin broadcasters KLBJ Radio and KTBC-TV.

The names of the five people killed in the accident were not immediately available.

"Right now we don't know who these people are," Mange said.

She said DPS officers still were trying to determine what caused the accident. According to one unconfirmed report, one of the vehicles veered into on coming traffic before the crash, Mange said.

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Crossroads Area names appear on state's unclaimed property list

HERALD Staff Report

Hundreds of Crossroads Area residents — past and present — appear on the state's unclaimed property list.

According to the State Comptroller's Office, each of the individuals or companies in the list have at least $100 coming to them. The state also keeps records of individuals, businesses and organizations that reportedly have unclaimed property valued at $50 or more. It is possible to search this list on the Internet at: www.window.state.tx.us/up/

You can also find out if you are on the list by calling toll-free at 1 800 654-3463. When you call, be prepared to provide the following information:

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Kelly, Jerry
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Polson, Lynn
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Rose, Bennie
Rose, Donald D.
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NOTICE OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL Y ESPECIAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Howard, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Howard, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on November 6, 2000, for voting in a general election for the purpose of electing Presidential Electors, State and District Officers, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, county and precinct officers as required by Section 3.003 of the Texas Election Code.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Noviembre de 2000, para elegir oficiales del estado, distrito, Electores Presidenciales, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, como esta apuntado en el Seccion Numero 3.003 de el Clave de Las Elecciones de Tejas.

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

101, 106, 109, 110, 111, 112	NORTH SIDE FIRE STATION
102, 107 & 108	ANDERSON KINDERGARTEN CENTER
103	WESLEY YATER RESIDENCE
104	PRAIRIE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
105	KNOTT FIRE STATION
204 & 202	WASHINGTON PLACE SCHOOL
203	GOLIAD MIDDLE SCHOOL
205	KENTWOOD OLDER ACTIVITY CENTER
207	COAHOMA COMMUNITY CENTER
208	FORSAN SCHOOL BUILDING
302, 301 & 306	18TH AND MAIN FIRE STATION
303 AND 305	WASSON ROAD FIRE STATION
304	ELBOW SCHOOL BUILDING
402, 401 & 410	BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
403	11TH & BIRDWELL FIRE STATION
404	JONESBORO ROAD FIRE STATION
405, 407	SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH
406	LUTHER BAPTIST CHURCH
408	VINCENT BAPTIST CHURCH
409	SAND SPRINGS LIONS CLUB

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at:
(La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)
The Office of Donna Wright, County Clerk, Howard County Courthouse, Big Spring, Texas
between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on October 23, 2000 and ending on November 3, 2000.
(entre las 8 de la manana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el dia 23 de Octubre, 2000 y terminando el dia 3 de Noviembre, 2000.)
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada porcorreo deberan enviarse a:)
Donna Wright, County Clerk P.O. Box 1468, Big Spring, TX 79721
Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 31, 2000.
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negoc io el dia 31 de Octubre, 2000.
THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE WILL BE OPEN ON **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH** BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9:00 a.m. AND 2 P.M. FOR EARLY VOTING.
(La Oficina de Condado Escribano va estar abierto Sabado el 28 de Octubre, 2000, entre las 9 de la manana y las 2 de la tarde para votar temprano.)
Early voting will also take place at the following locations in Big Spring, Texas:

CANTERBURY-NORTH,	1600 Lancaster	10-25-00	1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
CANTERBURY-SOUTH,	1700 Lancaster	10-24-00	1:00 p m. to 3:00 p.m.
CARRIAGE INN,	501 West 17th	10-25-00	9:00 a. m. to 11:00 a.m.

Issued this the 10th day of October, 2000.
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IN BRIEF

Martin finishes sixth in junior bull riding

Rusty Martin of Big Spring has qualified for the National Junior Bull Riders Finals set for Nov. 2-5 in Muskogee, Okla.



MARTIN

Martin earned his spot in the finals with a sixth-place finish at the Texas Junior Bull Riders Association Rodeo in August.

Competitors from Texas, Oklahoma, California and New Mexico have qualified for the finals.

Hunter's dinner slated in Colorado City

The 10th annual Hunter's Appreciation Dinner, sponsored by the Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce, has been scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 4, at the Railhead Trade Days Building.

Tickets for the barbecue dinner are $5 each and can be purchased at the chamber offices or at the door.

Several door prizes donated by merchants in the area will be given away.

For more information, call the chamber office at (915) 728-3403.

Quarterback Club to meet Monday

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the Big Spring High School Athletic Training Center's meeting room.

Anyone interested in supporting the Steers football program is invited to attend.

Lady Hawks ready for Nov. 1 opener

Howard College's Lady Hawks will open their 2000-2001 basketball season at 7 p.m. Wednesday when they take on the Wayland Baptist University junior varsity at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Lady Hawks played in the "Super Scrimmage" in McKinney where they saw a number of teams they'll face in the upcoming season.

"There wasn't a team there we couldn't play with," head coach Ron Mayberry noted. "So, we're expecting to have an exciting season."

ON THE AIR

Radio

FOOTBALL

3 p.m. — Jacksonville Jaguars at Dallas Cowboys, KBST-AM 1490.

Television

AUTO RACING

Noon — NASCAR Grand National Sam's Town 250, TNN, Ch. 35.

1:30 p.m. — CART FedEx Championship Series, The 500, ESPN, Ch. 30.

FIGURE SKATING

12:30 p.m. — Skate America, ABC, Ch. 2.

1 p.m. — World Pro Championships, NBC, Ch. 9.

PRO FOOTBALL

Noon — NFC regional coverage, FOX, Ch. 3.

Noon — New York Jets at Buffalo Bills, CBS, Ch. 7.

3 p.m. — Jacksonville Jaguars at Dallas Cowboys, CBS, Ch. 7.

7:30 p.m. — Oakland Raiders at San Diego Chargers, ESPN, Ch. 30.

GOLF

1:30 p.m. — Buy.com Tour Championship, final round, FXS, Ch. 29.

3 p.m. — PGA National Car Rental Classic, final round, ABC, Ch. 2.

5 p.m. — Senior PGA, Senior Classic, final round, ESPN, Ch. 30.

Wolves still perfect in 3-2A play after topping Forsan

By EDDIE JOHNSTON
Herald Correspondent

FORSAN — The Colorado City Wolves remained a perfect 3-0 in District 3-2A by posting a 20-0 shutout win over Forsan's Buffaloes on Friday night.

Colorado City's defense dominated the game by allowing the Buffaloes just 160 yards of total offense.

In fact, Forsan never once managed to push the ball into Colorado City territory and approached the midfield stripe just once.

For much of the first half, however, the Buffs were just as stingy defensively. The game remained scoreless until the Wolves finally got on the scoreboard with 17 seconds left before intermission.

Colorado City took over from the opening kickoff of the second half. The Wolves started from their own 20-yard line and mounted an 11-play drive that ate six minutes off the clock.

Running back Andrew Spear got the final 9 yards, outrunning Buff defenders to the corner of the end zone.

Forsan muffed the ensuing kickoff and the Wolves recovered at the Buffs' 38. While it took seven plays to score against a stubborn defensive effort, quarterback Chase Phariss got the final yard on a sneak to complete the game's scoring.

Phariss had nothing short of an outstanding game, rushing for 132 yards on 17 carries and passing for another 175.

"Chase did a great job with the running game," Wolves head coach Gerald James said in praising his quarterback's play. "They (Buffs) double-teamed our main receiver (Marquise Lenard), so we had to go to our running game.

"In the third quarter, we were concerned about going into the wind, but we put together our best drive of the year."

Indeed. Colorado City controlled the ball for 10 of the third quarter's 12 minutes.

James also had plenty of praise for his defensive unit.

"I thought we had a good game defensively," he offered. "Our kids were really getting after them."

The Wolves' defense allowed Forsan just four first downs in the second half and made it a difficult night for Forsan's outstanding sophomore running back, Wes Longorio.

Longorio picked up 85 yards on 18 carries, leaving him knocking on the 1,000-yard door with 990 yards on the season.

"Yeah, he (Longorio) had a good ballgame," Forsan head coach Roger Hudgins acknowledged following the loss. "So did Dustin Morgan, and I thought Andy Neel

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Steers pound Estacado, 41-7

Domination puts lock on playoff berth

By JOHN A. MOSELEY
Managing Editor

Big Spring's Steers were nothing short of overwhelming Friday night in rolling to a 41-7 win over Lubbock Estacado's Matadors.

With the victory, the Steers — now 6-2 on the season and a perfect 5-0 in District 4-4A play — guaranteed themselves a berth in the Class 4A football playoffs.

In clinching a spot in the postseason with two games remaining in the regular season, the Steers departed from the scenario they've followed in recent years when they entered the final game not only needing to win, but win by substantial point margins.

"This was just a great night for us both offensively and defensively," Big Spring head coach Dwight Butler said following the lopsided win, admitting that even in his wildest dreams he couldn't have imagined such a dominating performance.

"They (Matadors) over the last three weeks had scored so many points that there was no way to think we'd be able to shut their offense down as well as we did," Butler added. "They've got lots of speed, but our kids were always in the right position to make the play.

"And offensively, our line was just spectacular," he continued. "We just kept blowing their defense off the line of scrimmage and that allowed us to control the football."

At the outset, however, it looked as if it could be a long, difficult struggle for the Steers when Estacado running back Pernell Upshaw broke a tackle outside right end and raced 80 yards for a touchdown on the first play from scrimmage.

But that 80 yards would be more than half the total offense the Matadors could muster on the night.

In fact, Estacado would not muster another first down until less than nine minutes were left in the third quarter, and by then, the Steers owned a 35-7 edge.

"We were in position to make the play when Upshaw broke for the touchdown on that first play," Butler noted, "he was just able to break a tackle and get open. But our kids on defense just decided they weren't going to be a weak link tonight and shut them down from there on out."



HERALD photo/Bruce Schooler

Big Spring running back Jason Woodruff (24) bulls his way through a pair of Estacado tacklers en route to a big gain during the first half of the Steers' 41-7 romp over the Matadors. Woodruff finished the night with 104 yards and two touchdowns to his credit.

Even after Butler and his staff made wholesale substitutions in the fourth quarter, Estacado would finish the night with just 143 total offensive yards.

The Steers defensive secondary was nothing short of air tight, allowing Matadors quarterback Cory Morrison to complete just one of 13 passes for 1 yard and intercepted him twice.

Of course, the Big Spring offensive unit did a lot to keep things positive on the Steers sideline.

With senior running back Jason Woodruff doing most of the damage, the Steers answered the quick Estacado score with a 6-play, 60-yard drive that deadlocked the score with 8:52 remaining in the first quarter.

And when the Steers stonewalled Estacado and punter Mark Gonzales fumbled a deep snap and Big Spring recovered at the Matadors' 16, the tie was quickly broken.

In fact, the Steers needed just four plays before Woodruff had his second touchdown of the night and was well on his way to a 104-yard performance on 16 carries.

Woodruff's backfield mates were also impressive, as Jaroe Parnell finished with 104 yards and two touchdowns of his own on 17 carries and quarterback Jason Choate rushed for 60 yards and a touchdown on three carries. He also completed 2-of-6 passes for 38 yards and a touchdown.

The Matadors were allowed just three plays before having to punt on their third possession and the Steers followed with perhaps their most sustained drive of the night.

Setting up shop at their own 30, the Steers mixed runs by Woodruff and Parnell with a couple of Choate passes to move 70 yards in nine plays. Parnell got the final 16 steps, skirting right end for the touchdown on the first play of the second quarter.

Three Matador snaps and a punt later, Big Spring again had the ball, but finally had to punt the ball back to Estacado.

It was just a momentary delay, however, as Larry Thompson intercepted a Morrison pass and returned it to the

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Steers tankers second

HERALD Staff Report

Pecos' Eagles and El Paso Andress' Lady Eagles claimed the team championships in vastly different fashion Saturday at the Big Spring Invitational swim meet.

The Eagles, who'd been expected to contend for the team title, were more than just a contender. They dominated.

Pecos piled up 428.5 points to almost double the 217.5 scored by Big Spring's runner-up Steers in claiming the boys' championship.

Andress' girls, on the other hand, found themselves in a shootout with Pecos. The Class 5A El Paso school finished the meet with 251 points, seven more than the Class 4A Pecos squad could muster.

Big Spring's Lady Steers, hampered in no small part by having just six swimmers healthy and eligible for the meet, were a respectable seventh in the team standings with 120 points.

"I was really pleased with the way our kids swam today," Big Spring coach Harlan Smith said following the meet. "We knew Pecos would be strong and they were ... maybe even a little stronger than anyone could have expected. They're for real.

"As a matter of fact," he continued, "I'll tell you how well I think we swam today ... I was kind of surprised when our boys wound up second. We did a great job, but we just don't have the numbers to compete with Pecos right now."

Still, Big Spring swimmers managed to place in virtually every race of the meet.

Only once did a swimmer from the host team take a first-place finish, that coming in the girls' 50 freestyle

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Stanton back on track after knocking off Coahoma

By RICHARD JACKSON
Herald Correspondent

STANTON — It's called getting back on track.

That's exactly what Stanton's Buffaloes did Friday night, got back into the District 3-2A chase with a solid 34-6 romp over Coahoma's Bulldogs.

And it didn't take the Buffs long to get on the scoreboard, as star running back Jeremy Hull broke loose from 36 yards out with 10:48 showing on the first quarter clock.

Hull, who would finish the night with 133 yards on 19 carries, added a second touchdown, this one from 14 yards out, to give the Buffs a 13-0 lead in the second quarter.

The big play of that drive, however, was a 25-yard pass completion from quarterback Keith Cook to fullback Clay White.

Coahoma finally got on the scoreboard on the ensuing kickoff when Cory Hill gathered in the ball at his own 5-yard line and returned the kick 95 yards for what would prove to be the Bulldogs' only score.

Not to be outdone, though, Hull took Coahoma's kick back the other way 80 yards to make it a 20-6 Stanton lead.

The Buffs were anything but through, however.

Stanton intercepted a Coahoma pass at the 33-yard line a few moments later.

Although it looked as if the Bulldogs would thwart Stanton's bid for another score, Cook completed a 26-yard pass to Hull on a fourth-and-12 play to keep the drive alive. Two plays later, White bulled his way into the end zone from three yards out to give the Buffs a 27-6 halftime edge.

White, who would finish the night with 77 yards rushing, would add a 28-yard touchdown burst in the third quarter to complete the scoring.

Although Hull and White managed a pair of touchdowns apiece, Buffs head coach Mark Cotton had particular praise for Cook following the game.

"I though Keith had his best game of the year," Cotton said after seeing his charges improve to 6-2 overall and 2-1 in District 3-2A play, tied with Coahoma and Seagraves for second place in the league's stand

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HERALD photo/Jim Fierro

Coahoma running back Cory Hill (5) is stopped in his tracks by Stanton linebacker Clay White (38), as the Buffs' Kerry Hinojosa (55) moves in to help out. White, Hinojosa and their teammates rolled to a 34-6 win over the Bulldogs.

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SPORTS EXTRA

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
ANAHEIM ANGELS—Signed RHP Kelvin Castillo, RHP Carlos Morban, RHP Abel Moreno, RHP Bilis Perez, RHP Jonathan Saladin, RHP Ramon Torrez, C Leopoldo Ramirez, C Cesar Velasquez, and SS Wilbur Soto.
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Announced the resignation of Dan Evans, assistant general manager.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Exercised option on RHP John Smoltz for next season. Declined option on 1B Wally Joyner.
Western baseball League
SONOMA COUNTY CRUSHERS—Fired manager Jeffrey Leonard.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Claimed G Emanual Davis off waivers.
WASHINGTON WIZARDS—Released C Lorenzo Williams.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
NFL—Fined Carolina Panthers DE Sean Gilbert $5,000 for violating the league's dress code policy during a game on Oct. 22.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Waived RB Herbert Goodman.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Assigned D Rostislav Klesla to Brampton of the OHL.
COLLEGE
BAYLOR—Signed Dave Bliss, men's basketball coach, to a contract extension.
OREGON STATE—Announced junior basketball F Philip Ricci will be redshirted this year.

NHL

Friday's Games
Buffalo 2, Toronto 1
New Jersey 3, Carolina 3, tie
Ottawa 6, Tampa Bay 0
N.Y. Islanders 2, Montreal 1
Columbus 3, Washington 1
Minnesota 3, Calgary 1
Florida 3, Nashville 3, tie
Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Rangers 1
Phoenix 4, Dallas 2
Atlanta 1, Vancouver 1, tie
Anaheim 3, Edmonton 2
Saturday's Games
Toronto at Boston, (n)
N.Y. Islanders at Montreal, (n)
Columbus at Detroit, (n)
New Jersey at Pittsburgh, (n)
Ottawa at Florida, (n)
Dallas at St. Louis, (n)
Buffalo at Chicago, (n)
Edmonton at Colorado, (n)
Los Angeles at Phoenix, (n)
Atlanta at San Jose, (n)
Today's Games
Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
Washington at Philly, 6 p.m.
St. Louis at Carolina, 6 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Anaheim at Calgary, 7 p.m.

LOCAL BOWLING

VA COUPLES
WEEK 4
RESULTS Four Niners over Dazed and Confused 6-2, Sonny Beaches over Let's Do It 8-0, The Rookies over BSI 6-2, Misfits over What's A Name 8-0, Final Answer over Been There Done That 6-2, Bandits over Blue Bowlers 8-0, Just Plain Easy over Four Stars 8-0, Nuts and Bolts over Twilight Zone 8-0, Blackjack over Ace's Wild 6-2, Lighthouse over Gutter Dusters 8-0, T&T's over Young & The Restless 8-0; hi sc team series Bandits 2220, Sonny Beaches 2026, Blackjack 1988; hi sc team game Bandits 790, Sonny Beaches 712, Let's Do It 712; hi sc series men Jim Gaither 614, Jerald Burgess 608, Rick Hill 599; hi sc game men Jim Gaither 236, Rick Hill 230, Lynn Maddox 225; hi sc series women Irene Jackson 538, Mary Ann Rocha 525, Rosalita Lozano 519; hi sc game women Wilma Doll 221, Mary Ann Rocha 203, Maria Escobar 201; hi hdcp team series Misfits 2756, Bandits 2739, Sonny Beaches 2704; hi hdcp team game Bandits 963, Sonny Beaches 938, Four Niners 937; hi hdcp series men Rick Hill 764, BJ Watkins 726, Mike Short 713; hi hdcp game men Mike Short 297, Rick Hill 285, Lynn Maddox 280; hi hdcp series women Barbara Miller 735, Wilma Doll 726, Mary Ann Rocha 717; hi hdcp game women Wilma Doll 302, Barbara Miller 268, Mary Ann Rocha 267.
STANDINGS Final Answer 26-6, Bandits 24-8, Blackjack 24-8, The Rookies 24-8, Young & The Restless 22-10, Twilight Zone 22-10, Lighthouse 20-12, Misfits 18-14, BSI 18-14, T&T's 18-14, Four Niners 18-14, Gutter Dusters 17-15, Been There Done That 16-16, Let's Do It 14-18, Four Stars 14-18, Just Plain Easy 12-20, Sonny Beaches 12-20, Nuts and Bolts 12-20, Dazed & Confused 10-22, Whats A Name? 6-26, Ace's Wild 5-27, Blue Bowlers 0-32.

VA COUPLES
WEEK 5
RESULTS The Rookies over Ace's Wild 6-2, Whats A Name? over Lighthouse 6-2, T&T's over Gutter Dusters 8-0, Let's Do It over Bandits 8-0, Four Stars over Young & The Restless 8-0, Blackjack over Misfits 8-0, BSI over Final Answer 6-2, Just Plain Easy tied Dazed & Confused 4-4, Blue Bowlers over Four Niners 8-0, Sonny Beaches over Nuts and Bolts 6-2, Been There Done That over Twilight Zone 6-2; hi sc team series Blackjack 2034, Whats A Name? 1961, T&T's 1918; hi sc team game Blackjack 717, Sonny Beaches 676, Bandits 663; hi sc series men Gene Richard 595, Randy Nix 594, Adrian Zarate 573; hi sc game men Charles Campbell 236, Gene Richard 222, Richard Good 222; hi sc series women Aria Escobar 591, Alice Ewing 581, Cruz Cruz 492; hi sc game women Maria Escobar 226, Alice Ewing 225, Cruz Cruz 219; hi hdcp team series Been There Done That 2721, The Rookies 2710, Blue Bowlers 2663; hi hdcp team game The Rookies 951, Been There Done That 938, Lighthouse 917; hi hdcp series men Gene Richard 736, Jesse Lopez 729, Randy Nix 714; hi hdcp game men Richard Good 286, Charles Campbell 272, Gene Richard 269; hi hdcp series women Maria Escobar 774, Mary Grace Jackson 743, Lockie Scooling 713; hi hdcp game women Maria Escobar 287, Cruz Cruz 280, Alice Ewing 269.
STANDINGS Blackjack 32-8, The Rookies 30-10, Final Answer 28-12, T&T's 26-14, Bandits 24-16, BSI 24-16, Twilight Zone 24-16, Young & The Restless 22-18, Let's Do It 22-18, Been There Done That 22-18, Lighthouse 22-18, Four Stars 22-18, Sonny Beaches 18-22, Misfits 18-22, Four Niners 18-22, Gutter Dusters 17-23, Just Plain Easy 16-24, Nuts and Bolts 14-26, Dazed & Confused 14-26, Whats A Name? 12-28, Blue Bowlers 8-32, Ace's Wild 7-33.

LADIES MAJOR
WEEK 6
RESULTS Rocky's 4-4, Frustrated Four 4-4, Team 9 0-8, Day & Day Builders 8-0, Culligan Water 2-6, "DUH" 6-2, Ain't Gotta Clue 6-2, Star Trk Strikers 2-6, Dakota's Flowers 6-2, Neighbors Hot Rods 2-6, bowlmg Angels 6-2, D&S Flooring 2-6, GreenHouse Photography 6-2, D&S Rollers 2-6, Big Spring Music 6-2, Bowla-rama 2-6; hi sc team game Big Spring Music 748, GreenHouse Photography 647, Ain't Gotta Clue 628; hi sc team series Big Spring Music 2129, Ain't Gotta Clue 1853, GreenHouse Photography 1771; hi hdcp team game GreenHouse Photography 888, Bowling Angels 885, Big Spring Music 869; hi hdcp team series Bowling Angels 2541, Frustrated Four 2523, Rocky's 2520; hi sc game Joycee Davis 217, Teresa Woolverton 213, Betty Gibson 207; hi sc series Betty Gibson 561, Joycee Davis 554, Rosalita Lozano 547; hi hdcp game Teresa Woolverton 258, Bethany Everett 256, Betty Gibson 254; hi hdcp series Bethany Everett 710, Nena Cruz 702, Betty Gibson 702.

NFL STANDINGS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Jets	6	1	0	.857	165	140
Indianapolis	5	2	0	.714	202	153
Miami	5	2	0	.714	149	91
Buffalo	3	4	0	.429	140	153
New England	2	6	0	.250	143	171
Central						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tennessee	6	1	0	.857	145	97
Baltimore	5	3	0	.625	134	89
Pittsburgh	4	3	0	.571	121	78
Cleveland	2	6	0	.250	95	197
Jacksonville	2	6	0	.250	142	190
Cincinnati	1	6	0	.143	68	164
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Oakland	6	1	0	.857	192	128
Kansas City	4	3	0	.571	188	147
Denver	4	4	0	.500	238	178
Seattle	2	6	0	.250	121	200
San Diego	0	7	0	.000	117	204

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Washington	6	2	0	.750	149	115
N.Y. Giants	5	2	0	.714	120	105
Philadelphia	5	3	0	.625	181	110
Dallas	3	4	0	.429	174	174
Arizona	2	5	0	.286	121	210
Central						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Minnesota	7	0	0	1.000	184	137
Detroit	5	2	0	.714	143	134
Green Bay	3	4	0	.429	148	139
Tampa Bay	3	4	0	.429	164	125
Chicago	1	7	0	.125	110	202
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
St. Louis	6	1	0	.857	296	228
New Orleans	4	3	0	.571	131	117
Carolina	3	4	0	.429	144	116
Atlanta	2	6	0	.250	149	238
San Francisco	2	6	0	.250	214	258

Today's Games
Carolina at Atlanta, Noon
Cincinnati at Cleveland, Noon
Detroit at Indianapolis, Noon
Green Bay at Miami, Noon
Minnesota at T. Bay, Noon
NY Jets at Buffalo, Noon
Pittsburgh at Baltimore, Noon
St. Louis at San Fran, 3 p.m.
N. Orleans at Arizona, 3 p.m.
Philly at NY Giants, 3 p.m.
Jacksonville at Dallas, 3 p.m.
Kansas City at Seattle, 3 p.m.
Oakland at S.Diego, 7:20 p.m.
Open Date: Chicago, Denver, New England
Monday's Game
Tenn. at Washington, 8 p.m.

COLLEGE SCORES

EAST
Boston College 42, Rutgers 13

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SOUTH
Auburn 21, Arkansas 19
Florida 34, Georgia 23
Georgia Tech 31, Clemson 28
Louisville 35, Tulane 32
Maryland 20, Duke 9
Mississippi 43, UNLV 40
Miss. State 61, Mid. Tenn. 35
Tennessee 17, South Carolina 14
UAB 16, East Carolina 13
UCF 40, Alabama 38
Virginia 17, North Carolina 6
Virginia Tech 37, Pittsburgh 34

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MIDWEST
Michigan St. 14, Illinois 10
Northwestern 41, Minnesota 35
Notre Dame 34, Air Force 31, OT
Purdue 31, Ohio St. 27
Texas Tech 45, Kansas 39
Wisconsin 13, Iowa 7
Youngstown St. 42, Indiana St. 7

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SOUTHWEST
Oklahoma 31, Nebraska 14
SMU 21, Nevada 7
SW Texas 21, Northwestern St. 10
Southern Miss. 6, Houston 3
TCU 37, Rice 0
Texas 48, Baylor 14
Texas A&M 26, Kansas St. 1

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FAR WEST
Colorado 37, Oklahoma St. 21
New Mexico 10, Utah 3
Oregon 56, Arizona St. 55, OT
Washington 31, Stanford 28

Lady Steers duo headed to region

HERALD Staff Reports

LUBBOCK — Big Spring's Steers and Lady Steers ran well Saturday, but it simply wasn't enough to contend with the top teams at the District 4-4A cross-country meet at Mae Simmons Park.

Two of the Lady Steers runners, April Aguilar and Eve Tobar, did run well enough to finish among the top 10 in the varsity girls' division and qualify to return this weekend for the Region I, Class 4A meet.

Aguilar led the way for the Lady Steers, finishing second in the individual standings with a clocking of 12 minutes, 41 seconds. Tobar added seventh place with a 13:32 clocking.

Nicole Williams added 20th place for the Lady Steers with a 14:29 clocking, while Jessica Salazar was 27th with a time of 14:47 and Priscilla Franco was 34th with a 15:30.

That left the Lady Steers with a total of 88 points, six shy of qualifying as a team for the regional meet.

Levelland's Lady Loboes took the girls' team title with a 26-point margin over Frenship's Lady Tigers, while Andrews finished third. The Lady Steers finished fourth as a team, while Plainview was fifth, San Angelo Lake View was sixth and Snyder rounded out the field in seventh.

In the boys' division, Frenship's Tigers claimed the district championship with 23 points, while San Angelo Lake View saw its string of six straight loop titles come to an end. The Chiefs finished with 49 points for second place, while Levelland and Big Spring both finished with 95 points.

The Loboes, however, will advance to the regional meet on a tiebreaker. None of the Steers' runners qualified for regional.

Mike Martinez led the Steers' contingent with a 17:17 clocking over the three-mile course, finishing 11th. Mike Solis was right behind in 13th place with a 17:33 and Jacob Marquez was 14th with a time of 17:38. Martin DeLosSantos, who posted and 18:48 in finishing 29th, and Mark Hickman's 30th-place finish in 19:01 rounded out Big Spring's showing.

Mustangs get 9-1A boys' championship

Sands' Mustangs lived up to their state ranking Saturday in rolling to a District 9-1A cross-country team championship at McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark.

While Borden County's Trent Pepper easily won the boys' individual championship with a 17:04 clocking over the three-mile course, the Mustangs' "Martinez Connection" took four of the next five individual places.

Jose Martinez led the way for Sands, finishing second with a 17:33, while Emmanuel Martinez was fourth at 18:17 and Carlos Plata was sixth with a time of 19:06. Steven Barraza rounded out the Mustangs' showing with a seventh-place time of 19:40.

Pepper and his Coyotes teammates finished second in the team standings, 11 points behind the Mustangs, while Loraine was third. All three teams advance to this weekend's regional meet at Vandergriff Park in Arlington.

Grady's Nick Winford finished eighth in the individual standings with a 20:59 clocking, earning a berth in the regional meet as an individual.

In the varsity girls's division, Borden County's Lady Coyotes claimed the district title with 35 points, while Sands was 11 points behind in second place. Grady's Lady Wildcats were third, rounding out the district's contingent of teams headed to regionals.

Deisi Porras paced the Lady Mustangs' second-place finish in the team standings by taking the individual championship, crossing the finish line with a 13:27 clocking. Jessica DeWitt was third with a 13:53, while Brandi Woods and Amanda Watkins were 12th and 13th, respectively.

Brandy Hale led the way for Grady, finishing fifth with a 14:23 clocking, while Candice Howard was ninth at 14:50. Ashton Houston was 11th for the Lady Wildcats, clocked at 15:12, and Jessica Spradlin added 15th place with a time of 15:31.

No team competition was held in the junior varsity races, but Sands runners dominated both. Johnny Chavez won the boys' event with a 23:41 clocking, while T'Anna Reed and Kristal Blagrave finished 1-2 in the girls race with times of 16:12 and 16:26. Roxanne Castro was fourth with a time of 16:36.

Lady Wildcat JV runners Miranda Spradlin and Callie Harryman finished sixth and seventh, respectively with times of 17:46 and 18:10.

Grady won the junior high boys' team championship, finishing 13 points ahead of Sands, while the Lady Wildcats' junior high entry finished third.

Grady's boys entry was led by Andrew Villa in third place, while Ben Hirth finished fifth. Bryan Johnston was 12th and David Ramirez chipped in 13th place. Cole Mitchell rounded out the team's showing with 16th place.

Sands' boys were paced by Marcello Barraza's sixth-place finish, while Corey Ramey was 10th, Santos Ybarra was 18th, Cevan Smithson 21st, Javier Varela 23rd and Trent Rogers 24th.

Oklahoma upsets Nebraska, 31-14

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Oklahoma is back all right just ask No. 1 Nebraska.

Josh Heupel threw for 300 yards and a touchdown, Derrick Strait returned an interception 32 yards for a score and the third-ranked Sooners shut down the mighty Cornhuskers 31-14 on Saturday.

After falling behind 14-0 in the first seven minutes, Oklahoma roared back behind Heupel's passing and a smothering defense to derail Nebraska's run at the national championship and enhance its own.

The Huskers (7-1, 4-1 Big 12) still have a chance to get back in the title chase if they can win out and then beat the Sooners (7-0, 4-0) in a rematch in the Big 12 title game on Dec. 2.

For now, though, Oklahoma is poised to move into the No. 1 ranking in the AP poll, take over first place in the Bowl Championship Series standings and play in its first title game since losing to Miami in the 1988 Orange Bowl.

In the renewal of this great rivalry after a two-year absence, the Sooners ended an embarrassing seven-game losing streak against the Huskers, who outscored Oklahoma 265-61 during that span which included a 73-21 loss in '96 at Norman.

This time it was the Sooners who dominated a Nebraska team that was second nationally in scoring at 46.3 points per game and

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Hewitt Midway 25, Waxahachie 21
Hn Forest Brook 61, Oak Ridge 18
Hn Furr 29, Hn Scarborough 7
Hn Jones 32, Hn Wheatley 6
Hn Sterling 42, Hn Waltrip 0
Huntsville 35, Brenham 14
Jacksonville 46, Chapel Hill 38
Jasper 15, Livingston 9
La Marque 38, Santa Fe 6
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Lancaster 49, Wylie 20
Lockhart 25, Del Valle 3
Longview Pine Tree 36, Carthage 28
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Mercedes 21, Mission Sharyland 13
Mt. Pleasant 35, Sulphur Springs 7
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New Caney 29, Crosby 28
PA Jefferson 37, LC Mauriceville 7
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SA Fox Tech 7, SA Sam Houston 0
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Rio Hondo 49, Santa Rosa 0
San Diego 27, Bishop 7
Sanford-Fritch 18, Childress 14
Sanger 21, Whitesboro 0
Sinton 34, George West 14
Splendora 19, Coldspring 0
Stafford 26, Rice Consolidated 21
Sweeny 9, Sealy 5
Venus 22, Whitney 12
Vernon 13, Iowa Park 10
Waco Robinson 24, Fairfield 0
Warren 20, West Hardin 15
Wharton 28, Hitchcock 6
Wimberley 20, Burnet 7
Winnsboro 38, Rains 0
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Class 2A
Albany 20, Haskell 7
Alto 32, Cayuga 0
Anahuac 55, Deweyville 26
Arp 38, Kerens 0
Bangs 48, Hawley 6
Banquete 35, Premont 13
Big Sandy 29, Hawkins 22
Boyd 32, Millsap 0
Brookshire Royal 55, Somerville 21
Celina 51, Prosper 0
Center Point 14, Florence 6
Clifton 55, Blooming Grove 0
Coleman 17, Cisco 16
Colorado City 20, Forsan 0
Comanche 35, Hamilton 14
Comfort 22, Blanco 21
Cooper 36, Blue Ridge 6
Corrigan-Camden 42, Groveton 0
DeKalb 26, Prairiland 0
Dilley 18, Pettus 6
East Chambers 20, Hull-Daisetta 8
Edgewood 22, Alba-Golden 13
Eldorado 37, Wall 0
Electra 27, Archer City 22
Goldthwaite 34, DeLeon 7
Grand Saline 12, Winona 0
Grandview 36, Godley 6
Hale Center 19, Morton 6
Hardin 58, Stephen F. Austin 21
Henrietta 20, Paradise 17
Hico 21, San Saba 12
Hubbard 20, Crawford 6
Italy 20, Axtell 14
Jacksboro 27, Nocona 0
Junction 8, Grape Creek 7
Louise 46, Boling 0
McCamey 28, Van Horn 7
Memphis 46, WF City View 9
New Diana 27, Harmony 0
Nixon-Smiley 32, Navarro 6
Olney 34, Stamford 12
Omaha Pewitt 63, Paris Chisum 0
Ore City 8, Harleton 6
Ozona 41, Anthony 6
Palmer 23, Maypearl 6
Pilot Point 55, Aubrey 7
Poth 47, Brackett 21
Pottsboro 14, Lake Dallas 6
Quanah 34, Seymour 6
Reagan County 32, Tornillo 0
Refugio 56, Karnes City 6
Rio Vista 28, Scurry-Rosser 11
Rogers 21, Jarrell 14
Schulenburg 21, Weimar 12
Seagraves 23, Plains 13
Skidmore-Tynan 37, Freer 34
Sonora 42, Mason 7
Spearman 42, Wellington 0
Stanton 34, Coahoma 6
Stockdale 21, Flatonia 7
Timpson 14, Colmesneil 7
Troup 50, Crossroads 0
Van Alstyne 62, Tom Bean 6
Van Vleck 20, Tidehaven 14
Wallis Brazos 48, East Bernard 26
Whitewright 34, Bells 6
Winters 31, Jim Ned 21
Yorktown 20, Woodsboro 6
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Class 1A
Agua Dulce 27, Ben Bolt 17
Baird 35, Santa Anna 12
Bartlett 22, Holland 0
Benavides 23, Bruni 6
Bosqueville 52, Valley Mills 14
Bremond 41, Oakwood 26
Bronte 21, Menard 0
Burkeville 53, Apple Springs 0
Celeste 39, Quinlan Boles 6
Chico 51, Throckmorton 6
Collinsville 49, Savoy 8
Cross Plains 54, Rising Star 0
Dawson 20, Rice Consolidated 8
Falls City 55, Sabinal 27
Farwell 34, Whiteface 0
Garden City 21, Robert Lee 7
Gruver 18, Claude 0
Gunter 15, Howe 14
Hart 48, Boys Ranch 12
High Island 21, West Sabine 19
Iola 54, Lovelady 0
Itasca 35, Frost 7
Joaquin 48, Cushing 6
Karnack 53, Detroit 0
Knox City 22, Munday 7
Lindsay 27, Ladonia Fannindel 0
May 28, Gorman 8
Medina 20, Harper 12
Mildred 64, Covington 0
Miles 48, Water Valley 6
Mount Enterprise 48, Carlisle 6
Nazareth 15, Kress 0
Nueces Canyon 42, Leakey 0
Paducah 47, Crowell 6
Petrolia 55, Muenster 0
Ranger 38, Perrin-Whitt 6
Rankin 61, Fort Hancock 8
Rocksprings 24, La Pryor 6
Roscoe 50, Sterling City 0
Rotan 44, Roby 6
Runge 20, D'Hanis 14
Saint Jo 39, Alvord 6
Shiner 37, Charlotte 0
Simms Bowie 47, Union Hill 6
Springlake-Earth 33, Sudan 6
Stratford 49, Vega 6
Tolar 64, Santo 8
Valley 52, Happy 46
Wheeler 48, Booker 19
White Deer 54, Shamrock 7
Windthorst 52, Era 18
Wink 61, Fort Davis 0
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Six-Man
Blackwell 50, Veribest 46
Blum 43, Walnut Springs 24
Brookesmith 48, Lohn 0
Calvert 54, Oglesby 33
Cherokee 46, Rochelle 0
Chillicothe 76, Vernon Northside 28
Coolidge 56, Penelope 0
Follett 60, Lefors 12
Fort Elliott 47, Higgins 0
Gordon 56, Moran 0
Grandfalls-Royalty 56, Grady 8
Groom 46, Samnorwood 0
Gustine 44, Zephyr 30
Guthrie 65, Harrold 20
Highland 56, Loraine 7
Ira 57, Westbrook 12
Jonesboro 36, Buckholts 16
Lazbuddie 30, Three Way 18
Marathon 36, Dell City 12
Milford 72, Trinidad 36
Paint Rock 53, Lueders Avoca 21
Rule 64, Rochester 27
Sands 39, Loop 0
Sidney 74, Star 28
Silverton 58, Hedley 6
Strawn 50, Newcastle 6
Trent 58, Novice 8
Woodson 46, Bryson 7

HOW THEY FARED

Here's how teams ranked in The Associated Press' high school football poll fared this week:

Class 5A
1. Austin Westlake (8-0) beat Seguin, 43-9
2. Katy (7-0) vs. Alief Elsik, Saturday, 2 p.m.
3. Aldine Eisenhower (8-0) beat Houston Memorial, 35-7
4. Converse Judson (7-0) at San Antonio Madison, late Saturday
5. Lewisville (7-1) lost to McKinney, 35-25
6. Garland (7-1) beat Garland Lakeview Centennial, 52-12
7. Tyler John Tyler (5-2) lost to Lufkin, 31-21
8. San Antonio Marshall (8-0) beat San Antonio Holmes, 22-0
9. Duncanville (7-1) beat S. Grand Prairie, 30-13
10. Midland Lee (6-2) beat Odessa Permian, 19-0

Class 4A
1. Wichita Falls (8-0) beat Azle, 52-7
2. Stephenville (7-1) beat North Crowley, 45-14
3. San Marcos (8-0) beat Bastrop, 22-14
4. Hereford (7-1) beat Amarillo Palo Duro, 35-14
5. Nederland (7-1) lost to No. 7 West Orange-Stark, 21-10
6. Highland Park (8-0) beat No. 10 Mesquite Poteet, 12-7
7. West Orange-Stark (8-0) beat No. 5 Nederland, 21-10
8. Houston Forest Brook (8-0) beat Conroe Oak Ridge, 61-18
9. Wolfforth Frenship (6-2) beat San Angelo Lake View, 22-20
10. Mesquite Poteet (7-1) lost to No. 6 Highland Park, 12-7

Class 3A
1. Aledo (9-0) beat Eastland, 66-6
2. Lamesa (8-1) beat Midland Greenwood, 34-17
3. Diboll (8-0) beat Huntington, 56-19
4. Gatesville (8-0) beat Waco LaVega, 17-10
5. Crockett (7-1) beat Center, 30-7
6. Abilene Wylie (8-0) beat Sweetwater, 31-0
7. Daingerfield (8-0) beat Tatum, 19-14
8. Commerce (8-0) beat Royce City, 38-0
9. Cuero (7-1) beat Gonzales, 14-7
10. Madisonville (8-0) beat Shepherd, 47-7

Class 2A
1. Mart (8-0) beat Buffalo, 54-0
2. Celina (8-0) beat Prosper, 51-0
3. Refugio (8-0) beat Karnes City, 56-6
4. Sonora (8-0) beat Mason, 42-7
5. Olney (8-0) beat Stamford, 34-12
6. Rogers (7-1) lost to Jarrell, 21-14 (OT)
7. Lone Oak (8-0) beat Como-Pickton, 63-0
8. Arp (8-0) beat Kerens, 38-0
9. Pilot Point (7-1) beat Aubrey, 55-0
10. Comfort (8-0) beat Blanco, 22-21 (OT)

Class A
1. Shiner (8-0) beat Charlotte, 37-0
2. Stratford (8-0) beat Vega, 49-6
3. Paducah (8-0) beat Crowell, 47-6
4. Rankin (8-0) beat Fort Hancock, 61-8
5. Celeste (8-0) beat Quinlan Boles, 39-6
6. Roscoe (8-0) beat Sterling City, 50-0
7. Windthorst (7-0) beat Era, 52-18
8. Iraan (6-2) beat Marfa, 54-6
9. Beckville (6-1) at Teniaha, late Saturday
10. Nazareth (8-0) beat Kress, 15-0

STEERS

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Estacado 32.

Four plays later Choate hit Jason Thomas with a 6-yard touchdown strike and then kept the ball on the two-point conversion play to give the Steers a 28-7 lead.

If there was any doubt the Steers had the game well in hand, they all but locked away the victory on their first possession of the second half when Choate and Thomas combined for a 32-yard completion on a second-and-13 play, setting the stage for a 40-yard Choate keeper that make it 35-7.

Choate wasn't though putting his stamp on the game, however, as he intercepted a Morrison pass on the next Estacado possession and returned it to the Matadors' 22.

Three carries by Parnell covered that distance, the final 16 yards coming with 7:02 remaining in the third quarter.

From there it was simply a matter of stopping the Matadors twice and mounting a 12-play drive with a number of reserves. That drive moved the ball from Big Spring's 29 to the Estacado before the Steers were forced to turn the ball over on downs at the Matador six.

BUFFS

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ings. "Clay White also played well defensively, as well as did our entire defensive line."

The Buffs will travel to Forsan this week. The Bulldogs, now 5-3 overall and 2-1 in district play, will also be on the road, traveling to Seagraves and a pivotal showdown with the Eagles.

"We clearly ran into a better football team and just got kicked," Coahoma head coach Robert Wood said, adding that he was pleased with the showing Chase Bennett and Travis McMillan made defensively.

WOLVES

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played pretty good for us in the secondary.

"We're just so beat up, we haven't hardly got anybody to play right now," he added. "We almost got 11 guys going both ways for us and they keep getting beaten up a little more each week."

The crippled Buffs, now 3-5 overall and winless in district play, must now take on Stanton's Buffaloes this week.

Colorado City, which improved to 7-1 overall, takes on Plains' Cowboys.

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Garden City tops Robert Lee; Grady succumbs to Grandfalls

HERALD Staff Reports

ROBERT LEE — Garden City's Bearkats once again turned in a solid defensive performance in posting a 21-7 win over Robert Lee's Steers in a crucial District 9-1A showdown Friday night.

The 'Kats allowed Robert Lee just 188 yards of total offense and a lat fourth quarter touchdown in improving their record to 6-2 overall and 2-1 against district competition.

Garden City opened the game's scoring when quarterback Justin Hillger hit wideout Roger Alvarado with a 40-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter.

That Bearkats touchdown held up until halftime, as Garden City went to the lockerroom with a 7-0 edge.

In the third quarter the Bearkats unleashed running back Curtis Eggemeyer and he responded with a 98-yard performance and touchdown runs of two and 33 yards.

The Steers' lone touchdown came with 3:35 remaining in the game when Colby Eubanks broke loose for a 52-yard romp.

While the Bearkat defense was keeping Robert Lee under control, the Garden City offense was piling up 252 yards rushing and another 98 passing.

The loss leaves Robert Lee with a 3-5 record overall and 0-3 in 9-1A play.

Grandfalls 56, Grady 8

LENORAH — Grandfalls-Royalty's Cowboys, ranked No. 12 in the Huntress Six-Man Football Poll, lived up to their billing Friday night in rolling to a 56-8 win over Grady's Wildcats.

Most of the Cowboys' damage was done in the first half, and the game ended on the 45-point mercy rule following a couple of quick Grandfalls touchdowns in the third quarter.

The Cowboys exploded for 44 first-half points in improving their record to 6-2 overall and a perfect 3-0 in District 7 competition.

Star running back James Stocks did most of the damage for the Cowboys, rushing for 185 yards and scoring three touchdowns on runs of 55, 34 and 4 yards.

Grady, which dropped to 4-3 on the season and 1-2 in district play, got its only touchdown early in the second quarter when Cooper Tate hauled in a 20-yard pass from Eric Tunnell. Colter Tate kicked the conversion.

By that time, however, the Cowboys owned a 32-8 edge and simply cruised to the win.

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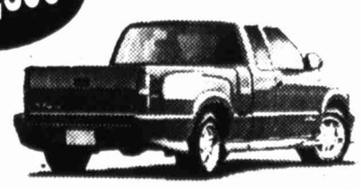
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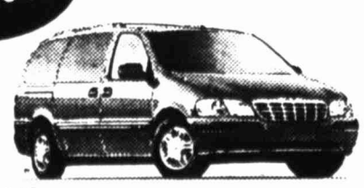
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SPORTS EXTRA

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
ANAHEIM ANGELS—Signed RHP Kelvin Castillo, RHP Carlos Morban, RHP Abel Moreno, RHP Blis Perez, RHP Jonathan Saladin, RHP Ramon Torrez, C Leopoldo Ramirez, C Cesar Velasquez, and SS Wilbur Soto.
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Announced the resignation of Dan Evans, assistant general manager.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Exercised option on RHP John Smoltz for next season. Declined option on 1B Wally Joyner.
Western baseball League
SONOMA COUNTY CRUSHERS—Fired manager Jeffrey Leonard.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Claimed G Emanual Davis off waivers.
WASHINGTON WIZARDS—Released C Lorenzo Williams.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
NFL—Fined Carolina Panthers DE Sean Gilbert $5,000 for violating the league's dress code policy during a game on Oct. 22.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Waived RB Herbert Goodman.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Assigned D Rostislav Klesla to Brampton of the OHL.
COLLEGE
BAYLOR—Signed Dave Bliss, men's basketball coach, to a contract extension.
OREGON STATE—Announced junior basketball F Philip Ricci will be redshirted this year.

NHL

Friday's Games
Buffalo 2, Toronto 1
New Jersey 3, Carolina 3, tie
Ottawa 6, Tampa Bay 0
N.Y. Islanders 2, Montreal 1
Columbus 3, Washington 1
Minnesota 3, Calgary 1
Florida 3, Nashville 3, tie
Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Rangers 1
Phoenix 4, Dallas 2
Atlanta 1, Vancouver 1, tie
Anaheim 3, Edmonton 2
Saturday's Games
Toronto at Boston, (n)
N.Y. Islanders at Montreal, (n)
Columbus at Detroit, (n)
New Jersey at Pittsburgh, (n)
Ottawa at Florida, (n)
Dallas at St. Louis, (n)
Buffalo at Chicago, (n)
Edmonton at Colorado, (n)
Los Angeles at Phoenix, (n)
Atlanta at San Jose, (n)
Today's Games
Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
Washington at Philly, 6 p.m.
St. Louis at Carolina, 6 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Anaheim at Calgary, 7 p.m.

LOCAL BOWLING

VA COUPLES
WEEK 4
RESULTS Four Niners over Dazed and Confused 6-2, Sonny Beaches over Let's Do It 8-0, The Rookies over BSI 6-2, Misfits over What's A Name 8-0, Final Answer over Been There Done That 6-2, Bandits over Blue Bowlers 8-0, Just Plain Easy over Four Stars 8-0, Nuts and Bolts over Twilight Zone 8-0, Blackjack over Ace's Wild 6-2, Lighthouse over Gutter Dusters 8-0, T&T's over Young & The Restless 8-0; hi sc team series Bandits 2220, Sonny Beaches 2026, Blackjack 1988; hi sc team game Bandits 790, Sonny Beaches 712, Let's Do It 712; hi sc series men Jim Gaither 614, Jerald Burgess 608, Rick Hill 599; hi sc game men Jim Gaither 236, Rick Hill 230, Lynn Maddox 225; hi sc series women Irene Jackson 538, Mary Ann Rocha 525, Rosalita Lozano 519; hi sc game women Wilma Doll 221, Mary Ann Rocha 203, Maria Escobar 201; hi hdcp team series Misfits 2756, Bandits 2739, Sonny Beaches 2704; hi hdcp team game Bandits 963, Sonny Beaches 938, Four Niners 937; hi hdcp series men Rick Hill 764, BJ Watkins 726, Mike Short 713; hi hdcp game men Mike Short 297, Rick Hill 285, Lynn Maddox 280; hi hdcp series women Barbara Miller 735, Wilma Doll 726, Mary Ann Rocha 717; hi hdcp game women Wilma Doll 302, Barbara Miller 268, Mary Ann Rocha 267.
STANDINGS Final Answer 26-6, Bandits 24-8, Blackjack 24-8, The Rookies 24-8, Young & The Restless 22-10, Twilight Zone 22-10, Lighthouse 20-12, Misfits 18-14, BSI 18-14, T&T's 18-14, Four Niners 18-14, Gutter Dusters 17-15, Been There Done That 16-16, Let's Do It 14-18, Four Stars 14-18, Just Plain Easy 12-20, Sonny Beaches 12-20, Nuts and Bolts 12-20, Dazed & Confused 10-22, Whats A Name? 6-26, Ace's Wild 5-27, Blue Bowlers 0-32.

VA COUPLES
WEEK 5
RESULTS The Rookies over Ace's Wild 6-2, Whats A Name? over Lighthouse 6-2, T&T's over Gutter Dusters 8-0, Let's Do It over Bandits 8-0, Four Stars over Young & The Restless 8-0, Blackjack over Misfits 8-0, BSI over Final Answer 6-2, Just Plain Easy tied Dazed & Confused 4-4, Blue Bowlers over Four Niners 8-0, Sonny Beaches over Nuts and Bolts 6-2, Been There Done That over Twilight Zone 6-2; hi sc team series Blackjack 2034, Whats A Name? 1961, T&T's 1918; hi sc team game Blackjack 717, Sonny Beaches 676, Bandits 663; hi sc series men Gene Richard 595, Randy Nix 594, Adrian Zarate 573; hi sc game men Charles Campbell 236, Gene Richard 222, Richard Good 222; hi sc series women Aria Escobar 591, Alice Ewing 581, Cruz Cruz 492; hi sc game women Maria Escobar 226, Alice Ewing 225, Cruz Cruz 219; hi hdcp team series Been There Done That 2721, The Rookies 2710, Blue Bowlers 2663; hi hdcp team game The Rookies 951, Been There Done That 938, Lighthouse 917; hi hdcp series men Gene Richard 736, Jesse Lopez 729, Randy Nix 714; hi hdcp game men Richard Good 286, Charles Campbell 272, Gene Richard 269; hi hdcp series women Maria Escobar 774, Mary Grace Jackson 743, Lockie Scooling 713; hi hdcp game women Maria Escobar 287, Cruz Cruz 280, Alice Ewing 269.
STANDINGS Blackjack 32-8, The Rookies 30-10, Final Answer 28-12, T&T's 26-14, Bandits 24-16, BSI 24-16, Twilight Zone 24-16, Young & The Restless 22-18, Let's Do It 22-18, Been There Done That 22-18, Lighthouse 22-18, Four Stars 22-18, Sonny Beaches 18-22, Misfits 18-22, Four Niners 18-22, Gutter Dusters 17-23, Just Plain Easy 16-24, Nuts and Bolts 14-26, Dazed & Confused 14-26, Whats A Name? 12-28, Blue Bowlers 8-32, Ace's Wild 7-33.

LADIES MAJOR
WEEK 6
RESULTS Rocky's 4-4, Frustrated Four 4-4, Team 9 0-8, Day & Day Builders 8-0, Culligan Water 2-6, "DUH" 6-2, Ain't Gotta Clue 6-2, Star Trek Strikers 2-6, Dakota's Flowers 6-2, Neighbors Hot Rods 2-6, bowling Angels 6-2, D&S Flooring 2-6, GreenHouse Photography 6-2, D&S Rollers 2-6, Big Spring Music 6-2, Bowl-a-rama 2-6; hi sc team game Big Spring Music 748, GreenHouse Photography 647, Ain't Gotta Clue 628; hi sc team series Big Spring Music 2129, Ain't Gotta Clue 1853, GreenHouse Photography 1771; hi hdcp team game GreenHouse Photography 888, Bowling Angels 885, Big Spring Music 869; hi hdcp team series Bowling Angels 2542, Frustrated Four 2523, Rocky's 2520; hi sc game Joycee Davis 217, Teresa Woolverton 213, Betty Gibson 207; hi sc series Betty Gibson 561, Joycee Davis 554, Rosalita Lozano 547; hi hdcp game Teresa Woolverton 258, Bethany Everett 256, Betty Gibson 254; hi hdcp series Bethany Everett 710, Nena Cruz 702, Betty Gibson 702.

NFL STANDINGS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Jets	6	1	0	.857	165	140
Indianapolis	5	2	0	.714	202	153
Miami	5	2	0	.714	149	91
Buffalo	3	4	0	.429	140	153
New England	2	6	0	.250	143	171
Central						
Tennessee	6	1	0	.857	145	97
Baltimore	5	3	0	.625	134	89
Pittsburgh	4	3	0	.571	121	78
Cleveland	2	6	0	.250	95	197
Jacksonville	2	6	0	.250	142	190
Cincinnati	1	6	0	.143	68	164
West						
Oakland	6	1	0	.857	192	128
Kansas City	4	3	0	.571	188	147
Denver	4	4	0	.500	238	178
Seattle	2	6	0	.250	121	200
San Diego	0	7	0	.000	117	204

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Washington	6	2	0	.750	149	115
N.Y. Giants	5	2	0	.714	120	105
Philadelphia	5	3	0	.625	181	110
Dallas	3	4	0	.429	174	174
Arizona	2	5	0	.286	121	210
Central						
Minnesota	7	0	0	1.000	184	137
Detroit	5	2	0	.714	143	134
Green Bay	3	4	0	.429	148	139
Tampa Bay	3	4	0	.429	164	125
Chicago	1	7	0	.125	110	202
West						
St. Louis	6	1	0	.857	296	228
New Orleans	4	3	0	.571	131	117
Carolina	3	4	0	.429	144	116
Atlanta	2	6	0	.250	149	238
San Francisco	2	6	0	.250	214	258

Today's Games
Carolina at Atlanta, Noon
Cincinnati at Cleveland, Noon
Detroit at Indianapolis, Noon
Green Bay at Miami, Noon
Minnesota at T. Bay, Noon
NY Jets at Buffalo, Noon
Pittsburgh at Baltimore, Noon
St. Louis at San Fran, 3 p.m.
N. Orleans at Arizona, 3 p.m.
Philly at NY Giants, 3 p.m.
Jacksonville at Dallas, 3 p.m.
Kansas City at Seattle, 3 p.m.
Oakland at S Diego, 7:20 p.m.
Open Date: Chicago, Denver, New England.
Monday's Game
Tenn. at Washington, 8 p.m.

COLLEGE SCORES

EAST
Boston College 42, Rutgers 13
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SOUTH
Auburn 21, Arkansas 19
Florida 34, Georgia 23
Georgia Tech 31, Clemson 28
Louisville 35, Tulane 32
Maryland 20, Duke 9
Mississippi 43, UNLV 40
Miss. State 61, Mid. Tenn. 35
Tennessee 17, South Carolina 14
UAB 16, East Carolina 13
UCF 40, Alabama 38
Virginia 17, North Carolina 6
Virginia Tech 37, Pittsburgh 34
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MIDWEST
Michigan St. 14, Illinois 10
Northwestern 41, Minnesota 35
Notre Dame 34, Air Force 31, OT
Purdue 31, Ohio St. 27
Texas Tech 45, Kansas 39
Wisconsin 13, Iowa 7
Youngstown St. 42, Indiana St. 7
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SOUTHWEST
Oklahoma 31, Nebraska 14
SMU 21, Nevada 7
SW Texas 21, Northwestern St. 10
Southern Miss. 6, Houston 3
TCU 37, Rice 0
Texas 48, Baylor 14
Texas A&M 26, Kansas St. 10
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FAR WEST
Colorado 37, Oklahoma St. 21
New Mexico 10, Utah 3
Oregon 56, Arizona St. 55, OT
Washington 31, Stanford 28

Lady Steers duo headed to region

HERALD Staff Reports

LUBBOCK — Big Spring's Steers and Lady Steers ran well Saturday, but it simply wasn't enough to contend with the top teams at the District 4-4A cross-country meet at Mae Simmons Park.

Two of the Lady Steers runners, April Aguilar and Eve Tobar, did run well enough to finish among the top 10 in the varsity girls' division and qualify to return this weekend for the Region I, Class 4A meet.

Aguilar led the way for the Lady Steers, finishing second in the individual standings with a clocking of 12 minutes, 41 seconds. Tobar added seventh place with a 13:32 clocking.

Nicole Williams added 20th place for the Lady Steers with a 14:29 clocking, while Jessica Salazar was 27th with a time of 14:47 and Priscilla Franco was 34th with a 15:30.

That left the Lady Steers with a total of 88 points, six shy of qualifying as a team for the regional meet.

Levelland's Lady Loboes took the girls' team title with a 26-point margin over Frenship's Lady Tigers, while Andrews finished third. The Lady Steers finished fourth as a team, while Plainview was fifth, San Angelo Lake View was sixth and Snyder rounded out the field in seventh.

In the boys' division, Frenship's Tigers claimed the district championship with 23 points, while San Angelo Lake View saw its string of six straight loop titles come to an end. The Chiefs finished with 49 points for second place, while Levelland and Big Spring both finished with 95 points.

The Loboes, however, will advance to the regional meet on a tiebreaker. None of the Steers' runners qualified for regional.

Mike Martinez led the Steers' contingent with a 17:17 clocking over the three-mile course, finishing 11th. Mike Solis was right behind in 13th place with a 17:33 and Jacob Marquez was 14th with a time of 17:38. Martin DeLosSantos, who posted and 18:48 in finishing 29th, and Mark Hickman's 30th-place finish in 19:01 rounded out Big Spring's showing.

Mustangs get 9-1A boys' championship

Sands' Mustangs lived up to their state ranking Saturday in rolling to a District 9-1A cross-country team championship at McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark.

While Borden County's Trent Pepper easily won the boys' individual championship with a 17:04 clocking over the three-mile course, the Mustangs' "Martinez Connection" took four of the next five individual places.

Jose Martinez led the way for Sands, finishing second with a 17:33, while Emmanuel Martinez was fourth at 18:17 and Carlos Plata was sixth with a time of 19:06. Steven Barraza rounded out the Mustangs' showing with a seventh-place time of 19:40.

Pepper and his Coyotes teammates finished second in the team standings, 11 points behind the Mustangs, while Loraine was third. All three teams advance to this weekend's regional meet at Vandergriff Park in Arlington.

Grady's Nick Winford finished eighth in the individual standings with a 20:59 clocking, earning a berth in the regional meet as an individual.

In the varsity girls's division, Borden County's Lady Coyotes claimed the district title with 35 points, while Sands was 11 points behind in second place. Grady's Lady Wildcats were third, rounding out the district's contingent of teams headed to regionals.

Deisi Porras paced the Lady Mustangs' second-place finish in the team standings by taking the individual championship, crossing the finish line with a 13:27 clocking. Jessica DeWitt was third with a 13:53, while Brandi Woods and Amanda Watkins were 12th and 13th, respectively.

Brandy Hale led the way for Grady, finishing fifth with a 14:23 clocking, while Candice Howard was ninth at 14:50. Ashton Houston was 11th for the Lady Wildcats, clocked at 15:12, and Jessica Spradlin added 15th place with a time of 15:31.

No team competition was held in the junior varsity races, but Sands runners dominated both. Johnny Chavez won the boys' event with a 23:41 clocking, while T'Anna Reed and Kristal Blagrave finished 1-2 in the girls race with times of 16:12 and 16:26. Roxanne Castro was fourth with a time of 16:36.

Lady Wildcat JV runners Miranda Spradlin and Callie Harryman finished sixth and seventh, respectively with times of 17:46 and 18:10.

Grady won the junior high boys' team championship, finishing 13 points ahead of Sands, while the Lady Wildcats' junior high entry finished third.

Grady's boys entry was led by Andrew Villa in third place, while Ben Hirth finished fifth. Bryan Johnston was 12th and David Ramirez chipped in 13th place. Cole Mitchell rounded out the team's showing with 16th place.

Sands' boys were paced by Marcello Barraza's sixth-place finish, while Corey Ramey was 10th, Santos Ybarra was 18th, Cevan Smithson 21st, Javier Varela 23rd and Trent Rogers 24th.

Oklahoma upsets Nebraska, 31-14

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Oklahoma is back all right just ask No. 1 Nebraska.

Josh Heupel threw for 300 yards and a touchdown, Derrick Strait returned an interception 32 yards for a score and the third-ranked Sooners shut down the mighty Cornhuskers 31-14 on Saturday.

After falling behind 14-0 in the first seven minutes, Oklahoma roared back behind Heupel's passing and a smothering defense to derail Nebraska's run at the national championship and enhance its own.

The Huskers (7-1, 4-1 Big 12) still have a chance to get back in the title chase if they can win out and then beat the Sooners (7-0, 4-0) in a rematch in the Big 12 title game on Dec. 2.

For now, though, Oklahoma is poised to move into the No. 1 ranking in the AP poll, take over first place in the Bowl Championship Series standings and play in its first title game since losing to Miami in the 1988 Orange Bowl.

In the renewal of this great rivalry after a two-year absence, the Sooners ended an embarrassing seven-game losing streak against the Huskers, who outscored Oklahoma 265-61 during that span which included a 73-21 loss in '96 at Norman.

This time it was the Sooners who dominated a Nebraska team that was second nationally in scoring at 46.3 points per game and

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Frenship 22, San Angelo Lakeview 20
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Hallsville 33, Kilgore 20
Henderson 25, Whitehouse 7
Hereford 35, Amarillo Palo Duro 14
Hewitt Midway 25, Waxahachie 21
Hn Forest Brook 61, Oak Ridge 18
Hn Furr 29, Hn Scarborough 7
Hn Jones 32, Hn Wheatley 6
Hn Sterling 42, Hn Waltrip 0
Huntsville 35, Brenham 14
Jacksonville 46, Chapel Hill 38
Jasper 15, Livingston 9
La Marque 38, Santa Fe 6
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Lancaster 49, Wylie 20
Lockhart 25, Del Valle 3
Longview Pine Tree 36, Carthage 28
Lumberton 27, Silsbee 0
Mercedes 21, Mission Sharyland 13
Mt. Pleasant 35, Sulphur Springs 7
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SA Burbank 32, SA Edison 29
SA Fox Tech 7, SA Sam Houston 0
SA McCollum 60, Uvalde 44
SA Roosevelt 28, SA Lanier 0
SA Southside 50, SA Memorial 12
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San Marcos 22, Bastrop 14
Smithson Valley 37, Kerrville Tivy 24
Snyder 32, Levelland 19
Stephenville 45, North Crowley 14
Texas City 36, Houston King 22
WF Rider 31, Azle 13
Waco University 26, Red Oak 13
Waller 31, Montgomery 14
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Wichita Falls 52, Azle 7
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Crane 41, Monahans 0
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Cuero 14, Gonzales 7
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Dalhart 42, Amarillo River Road 14
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Denver City 36, Slaton 14
Devine 26, Crystal City 7
Diboll 56, Huntington 19
Edna 26, Industrial 6
Electra 17, Rockdale 14
Falfurrias 50, Orange Grove 21
Ferris 27, Hillsboro 19
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Sanger 21, Whitesboro 0
Sinton 34, George West 14
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Alto 32, Cayuga 0
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Big Sandy 29, Hawkins 22
Boyd 32, Millsap 0
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Bartlett 22, Holland 0
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Bosqueville 52, Valley Mills 14
Bremond 41, Oakwood 26
Bronte 21, Menard 0
Burkeville 53, Apple Springs 0
Celeste 39, Quinlan Boles 6
Chico 51, Throckmorton 6
Collinsville 49, Savoy 8
Cross Plains 54, Rising Star 0
Dawson 20, Rice Consolidated 8
Falls City 55, Sabinal 27
Farwell 34, Whiteface 0
Garden City 21, Robert Lee 7
Gruver 18, Claude 0
Gunter 15, Howe 14
Hart 48, Boys Ranch 12
High Island 21, West Sabine 19
Iola 54, Lovelady 0
Itasca 35, Frost 7
Joaquin 48, Cushing 6
Karnack 53, Detroit 0
Knox City 22, Munday 7
Lindsay 27, Ladonia Fannindel 0
May 28, Gorman 8
Medina 20, Harper 12
Mildred 64, Covington 0
Miles 48, Water Valley 6
Mount Enterprise 48, Carlisle 6
Nazareth 15, Kress 0
Nueces Canyon 42, Leakey 0
Paducah 47, Crowell 6
Petrolia 55, Muenster 0
Ranger 38, Perrin-Whitt 6
Rankin 61, Fort Hancock 8
Rocksprings 24, La Pryor 6
Roscoe 50, Sterling City 0
Rotan 44, Roby 6
Runge 20, D'Hanis 14
Saint Jo 39, Alvord 6
Shiner 37, Charlotte 0
Simms Bowie 47, Union Hill 6
Springlake-Earth 33, Sudan 6
Stratford 49, Vega 6
Tolar 64, Santo 8
Valley 52, Happy 46
Wheeler 48, Booker 19
White Deer 54, Shamrock 7
Windthorst 52, Era 18
Wink 61, Fort Davis 0

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Six-Man
Blackwell 50, Veribest 46
Blum 43, Walnut Springs 24
Brookesmith 48, Lohn 0
Calvert 54, Oglesby 33
Cherokee 46, Rochelle 0
Chillicothe 76, Vernon Northside 28
Coolidge 56, Penelope 0
Follett 60, Lefors 12
Fort Elliott 47, Higgins 0
Gordon 56, Moran 0
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Woodson 46, Bryson 7

HOW THEY FARED

Here's how teams ranked in The Associated Press' high school football poll fared this week:

Class 5A
1. Austin Westlake (8-0) beat Seguin, 43-9
2. Katy (7-0) vs. Alief Elsik, Saturday, 2 p.m.
3. Aldine Eisenhower (8-0) beat Houston Memorial, 35-7
4. Converse Judson (7-0) at San Antonio Madison, late Saturday
5. Lewisville (7-1) lost to McKinney, 35-25
6. Garland (7-1) beat Garland Lakeview Centennial, 52-12
7. Tyler John Tyler (5-2) lost to Lufkin, 31-21
8. San Antonio Marshall (8-0) beat San Antonio Holmes, 22-0
9. Duncanville (7-1) beat S. Grand Prairie, 30-13
10. Midland Lee (6-2) beat Odessa Permian, 19-0

Class 4A
1. Wichita Falls (8-0) beat Azle, 52-7
2. Stephenville (7-1) beat North Crowley, 45-14
3. San Marcos (8-0) beat Bastrop, 22-14
4. Hereford (7-1) beat Amarillo Palo Duro, 35-14
5. Nederland (7-1) lost to No. 7 West Orange-Stark, 21-10
6. Highland Park (8-0) beat No. 10 Mesquite Poteet, 12-7
7. West Orange-Stark (8-0) beat No. 5 Nederland, 21-10
8. Houston Forest Brook (8-0) beat Conroe Oak Ridge, 61-18
9. Wolfforth Frenship (6-2) beat San Angelo Lake View, 22-20
10. Mesquite Poteet (7-1) lost to No. 6 Highland Park, 12-7

Class 3A
1. Aledo (9-0) beat Eastland, 66-6
2. Lamesa (8-1) beat Midland Greenwood, 34-17
3. Diboll (8-0) beat Huntington, 56-19
4. Gatesville (8-0) beat Waco LaVega, 17-10
5. Crockett (7-1) beat Center, 30-7
6. Abilene Wylie (8-0) beat Sweetwater, 31-0
7. Daingerfield (8-0) beat Tatum, 19-14
8. Commerce (8-0) beat Royce City, 38-0
9. Cuero (7-1) beat Gonzales, 14-7
10. Madisonville (8-0) beat Shepherd, 47-7

Class 2A
1. Mart (8-0) beat Buffalo, 54-0
2. Celina (8-0) beat Prosper, 51-0
3. Refugio (8-0) beat Karnes City, 56-6
4. Sonora (8-0) beat Mason, 42-7
5. Olney (8-0) beat Stamford, 34-12
6. Rogers (7-1) lost to Jarrell, 21-14 (OT)
7. Lone Oak (8-0) beat Como-Pickton, 63-0
8. Arp (8-0) beat Kerens, 38-0
9. Pilot Point (7-1) beat Aubrey, 55-0
10. Comfort (8-0) beat Blanco, 22-21 (OT)

Class A
1. Shiner (8-0) beat Charlotte, 37-0
2. Stratford (8-0) beat Vega, 49-6
3. Paducah (8-0) beat Crowell, 47-6
4. Rankin (8-0) beat Fort Hancock, 61-8
5. Celeste (8-0) beat Quinlan Boles, 39-6
6. Roscoe (8-0) beat Sterling City, 50-0
7. Windthorst (7-0) beat Era, 52-18
8. Iraan (6-2) beat Marfa, 54-6
9. Beckville (6-1) at Tenaha, late Saturday
10. Nazareth (8-0) beat Kress, 15-0

STEERS

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Estacado 32.

Four plays later Choate hit Jason Thomas with a 6-yard touchdown strike and then kept the ball on the two-point conversion play to give the Steers a 28-7 lead.

If there was any doubt the Steers had the game well in hand, they all but locked away the victory on their first possession of the second half when Choate and Thomas combined for a 32-yard completion on a second-and-13 play, setting the stage for a 40-yard Choate keeper that make it 35-7.

Choate wasn't though putting his stamp on the game, however, as he intercepted a Morrison pass on the next Estacado possession and returned it to the Matadors' 22.

Three carries by Parnell covered that distance, the final 16 yards coming with 7:02 remaining in the third quarter.

From there it was simply a matter of stopping the Matadors twice and mounting a 12-play drive with a number of reserves. That drive moved the ball from Big Spring's 29 to the Estacado before the Steers were forced to turn the ball over on downs at the Matador six.

BUFFS

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ings. "Clay White also played well defensively, as well as did our entire defensive line."

The Buffs will travel to Forsan this week. The Bulldogs, now 5-3 overall and 2-1 in district play, will also be on the road, traveling to Seagraves and a pivotal showdown with the Eagles.

"We clearly ran into a better football team and just got kicked," Coahoma head coach Robert Wood said, adding that he was pleased with the showing Chase Bennett and Travis McMillan made defensively.

WOLVES

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played pretty good for us in the secondary.

"We're just so beat up, we haven't hardly got anybody to play right now," he added. "We almost got 11 guys going both ways for us and they keep getting beaten up a little more each week."

The crippled Buffs, now 3-5 overall and winless in district play, must now take on Stanton's Buffaloes this week.

Colorado City, which improved to 7-1 overall, takes on Plains' Cowboys.

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Garden City tops Robert Lee; Grady succumbs to Grandfalls

HERALD Staff Reports

ROBERT LEE — Garden City's Bearkats once again turned in a solid defensive performance in posting a 21-7 win over Robert Lee's Steers in a crucial District 9-1A showdown Friday night.

The 'Kats allowed Robert Lee just 188 yards of total offense and a late fourth quarter touchdown in improving their record to 6-2 overall and 2-1 against district competition.

Garden City opened the game's scoring when quarterback Justin Hillger hit wideout Roger Alvarado with a 40-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter.

That Bearkats touchdown held up until halftime, as Garden City went to the lockerroom with a 7-0 edge.

In the third quarter the Bearkats unleashed running back Curtis Eggemeyer and he responded with a 98-yard performance and touchdown runs of two and 33 yards.

The Steers' lone touchdown came with 3:35 remaining in the game when Colby Eubanks broke loose for a 52-yard romp.

While the Bearkat defense was keeping Robert Lee under control, the Garden City offense was piling up 252 yards rushing and another 98 passing.

The loss leaves Robert Lee with a 3-5 record overall and 0-3 in 9-1A play.

Grandfalls 56, Grady 8

LENORAH — Grandfalls-Royalty's Cowboys, ranked No. 12 in the Huntress Six-Man Football Poll, lived up to their billing Friday night in rolling to a 56-8 win over Grady's Wildcats.

Most of the Cowboys' damage was done in the first half, and the game ended on the 45-point mercy rule following a couple of quick Grandfalls touchdowns in the third quarter.

The Cowboys exploded for 44 first-half points in improving their record to 6-2 overall and a perfect 3-0 in District 7 competition.

Star running back James Stocks did most of the damage for the Cowboys, rushing for 185 yards and scoring three touchdowns on runs of 55, 34 and 4 yards.

Grady, which dropped to 4-3 on the season and 1-2 in district play, got its only touchdown early in the second quarter when Cooper Tate hauled in a 20-yard pass from Eric Tunnell. Colter Tate kicked the conversion.

By that time, however, the Cowboys owned a 32-8 edge and simply cruised to the win.

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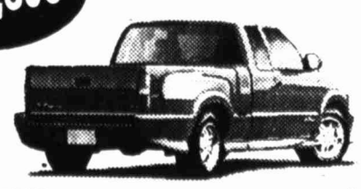
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ROUNDUP

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first in rushing at 379.7 yards. Oklahoma, which entered game as the nation's top scoring team at 46.7 points per game, finished with 118 total yards.

No. 2 Virginia Tech 37, Pittsburgh 34

Pittsburgh knocked Virginia Tech quarterback Michael Vick out of the game, but Lee Suggs and Dave Meyer wouldn't let the Panthers knock the second-ranked Hokies out of the national championship picture Saturday.

Texas A&M 26, No. 10 Kansas State

Ja'Mar Toombs, Texas A&M's 275-pound fullback, plowed through Kansas State's defense for three touchdowns as the Aggies beat the No. 10 Wildcats 26-10 on Saturday.

The Wildcats didn't make it interesting until the second half. Texas A&M (6-2, 4-1 Big 12) jumped to a 19-0 lead, marking the first time in four years the Wildcats (7-2, 3-2) had been held scoreless in the first half.

Toombs had touchdown runs of 2 and 8 yards and Terence Kitchens kicked field goals of 31 and 22 yards to give the Aggies their lead.

No. 8 Florida 34, No. 13 Georgia 23

Quarterbacks get shuffled. Florida beats Georgia.

These have become staples of Steve Spurrier's long span of success with the Gators, and nothing changed Saturday as No. 8 Florida beat No. 13 Georgia 34-23.

Jesse Palmer and Rex Grossman provided the one-two quarterback punch and the defense saved the game for the Gators (7-1, 5-1 Southeastern Conference), who are alive in the national-title picture.

No. 22 Texas 48, Baylor 14

Major Applewhite threw for two touchdowns, ran for another and became the career passing leader for No. 22 Texas in a 48-14 victory over Baylor on Saturday.

Despite misfiring on some passes and watching his receivers drop several others, Applewhite was 18-of-42 for 297 yards to pass James Brown as the Longhorns' career yardage leader.

Texas Tech 45, Kansas 39

Kliff Kingsbury threw four touchdown passes to Derek Dorris as Texas Tech snapped a two-game losing streak with a 45-39 victory over Kansas on Saturday.

Kansas quarterback Dylen Smith ran for three touchdowns, including a 1-yard run that closed the gap to six points with 2:02 left. Mark Washington recovered an onside kick at the Kansas 46, but Carl Nesmith blocked Chris Burkholz's 44-yard field-goal attempt and Algie Atkinson returned it to the Kansas 40.

MEET

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where Heidi Robinson posted a clocking of 28.50 seconds, edging Abilene Wylie's Haylee Hall by seven one-hundredths of a second.

Robinson would add a fourth-place finish in the 100 freestyle and swim legs on all three of the Lady Steers' relays. She teamed with Holli Cobb, Amanda Chapman and Nadia Torres to finish eighth in the 200 medley relay, and matched that finish in the 200 freestyle relay swimming with Cobb, Chapman and Lauren Bradley.

She then teamed with Daniele Bartlett, Bradley and Torres to finish fifth in the 400 freestyle relay.

The Steers' best finishes came from senior Doug Willberg, as he finished second in the 200 freestyle and 100 backstroke. He also combined with Patric Beltran, Josh Pike and Michael Carrasco to finish second in the the 200 and 400 freestyle relays.

Big Spring's boys got off to a slow start in the 200 medley relay, as Chris Stokes, Will Liggett, Cody Clark and Ryan Beal finished seventh.

But the Steers began to mount their 217.5 points when Beltran finished eighth in the 200 freestyle and later added sixth-place points in the 100 freestyle behind Carrasco's fourth-place finish. Carrasco was also fourth in the 50 freestyle, while Stokes was ninth.

Bartlett was the Lady Steers' only point producer in the 200 freestyle, finishing 10th.

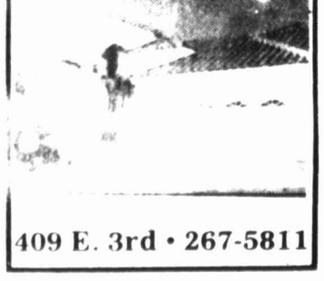
Both Big Spring teams had solid showings in the 200 individual medley races. Torres finishing fifth and Chapman ninth in the girls' division, while Pike and Liggett finished fifth and seventh, respectively, in the boys' race.

Bradley added fourth-place points for the Lady Steers in the 100 butterfly and Clark was seventh in the boys' division. Bartlett provided 10th-place girls' points in the 500 freestyle and Bradley provided another fourth-place finish in the 100 backstroke.

In addition to Willberg's second-place clocking of 1:02.59 in the 100 backstroke, the Steers got a fourth-place finish from Pike and Stokes was seventh.

Torres finished fourth for the Lady Steers in the 100 breaststroke, while the Steers had three more swimmers earn points in the boys' race. Clark and Liggett finished fourth and fifth, respectively, while Ryan Beal added eighth-place.

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When Ackerly's Jay Fryar looked for a career in law enforcement, he didn't look far. The Air Force veteran joined the Big Spring Police force a year ago, after working as a dispatcher.

"It's a career you can be proud of," said Fryar, who is one of 17 area natives among the 45 officers in the department.

The Big Spring Police Department is making an effort to attract local residents to apply for several job openings it has now and will have in the near future. The idea, said Chief Lonnie Smith, is to boost the department's applicant pool and help it fill openings sooner.

"If we can get them here, we have a pretty good chance of keeping them here," said Smith.

With "local" officers such as Fryar, Smith said there come added benefits. They know the community, and they often have a reason to stay here.

"You know the town; that can be an advantage," agreed Sgt. Robert Fitzgibbons, who grew up in the area. "I know where businesses are just by their names. I know what businesses used to be in there. It can help."

City policy now requires employees to live within a 30-minute response time to their jobs, another reason local applicants make sense.

"We have a lot of advantages," said Thad Thomas, a veteran of more than eight years in the department who grew up in Big Spring. His father was a defense lawyer in the community, while his mother ran a bail bonds operation.

"I grew up down here (at the police station) and in the court," Thomas said. "The joke was after I got hired, that I could arrest them, my mom could get them out of jail and my dad would get them off."

Thomas, who has become a training officer for BSPD, said there are plenty of reasons for seeking a career in law enforcement.

"I enjoy it," he said. "It's about helping people." Thomas recalled a time when, after investigating a burglary where the family's cat was killed, he got a replacement pet from the humane society and took it to the grief-stricken children. That helped earn him Officer of the Year honors from his peers.

"It's not all about riding around and putting people in jail, or writing tickets," Thomas said.

For Fryar, while the decision to become an officer was not difficult, the requirements to make it were taxing.

"It is easy if it's set in your mind that's what you want to do," he said. "But you have to want it. There are a lot of steps to go through."

Applicants must pass several tests, including physical agility, reading and writing, a psychological exam and in some cases, a polygraph.

The police department often hires people already certified by the state, but others, like Fryar, are sent to the law enforcement academy by the department. During their employment, there are opportunities for advanced training and college courses.

As he takes classes, Fryar will be opening up opportunities for advancement within the department. He also has use of a police car at all times, driving it home daily whether he is on duty or not.

But there are sacrifices.

"The whole family makes sacrifices," said Smith. "About grade school, your kids think it's neat. But later on they will probably decide they might not want their parent to be a police officer."

Some officers have unlisted phone numbers to avoid harrassing phone calls.

And the pay, while it has been increased recently, is still a drawback for some. Starting officers now make more than $13 an hour.

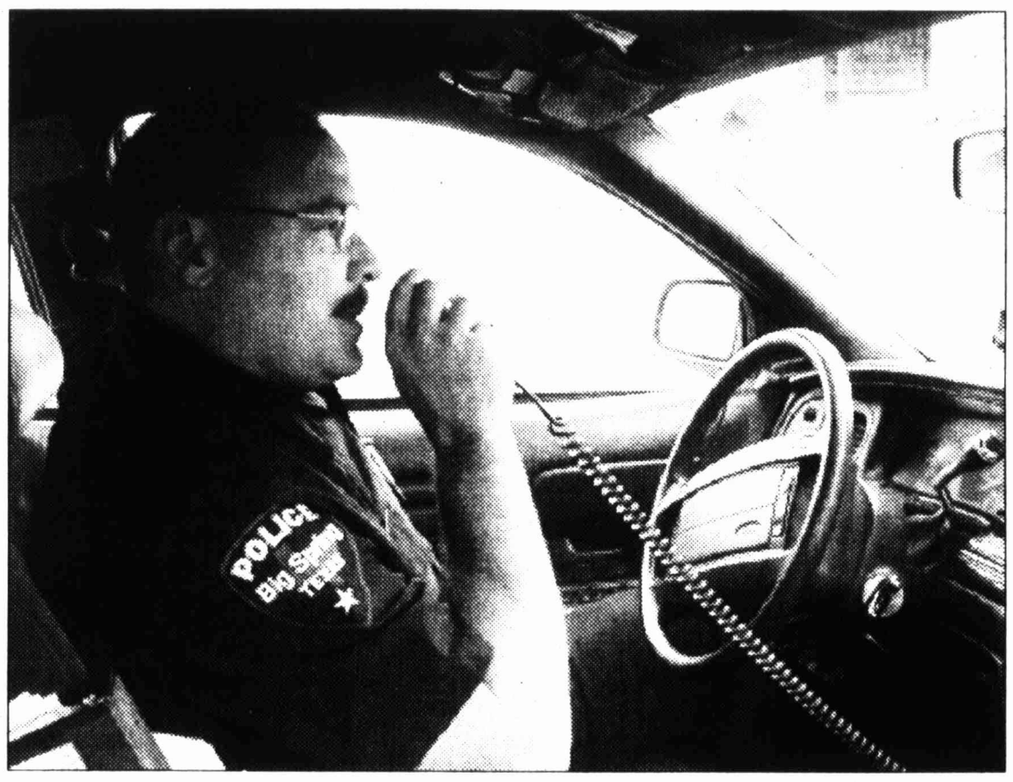
"Anyone in city government is not doing it for the money," Smith said. "You have to want to help make the city something we can all be proud of."

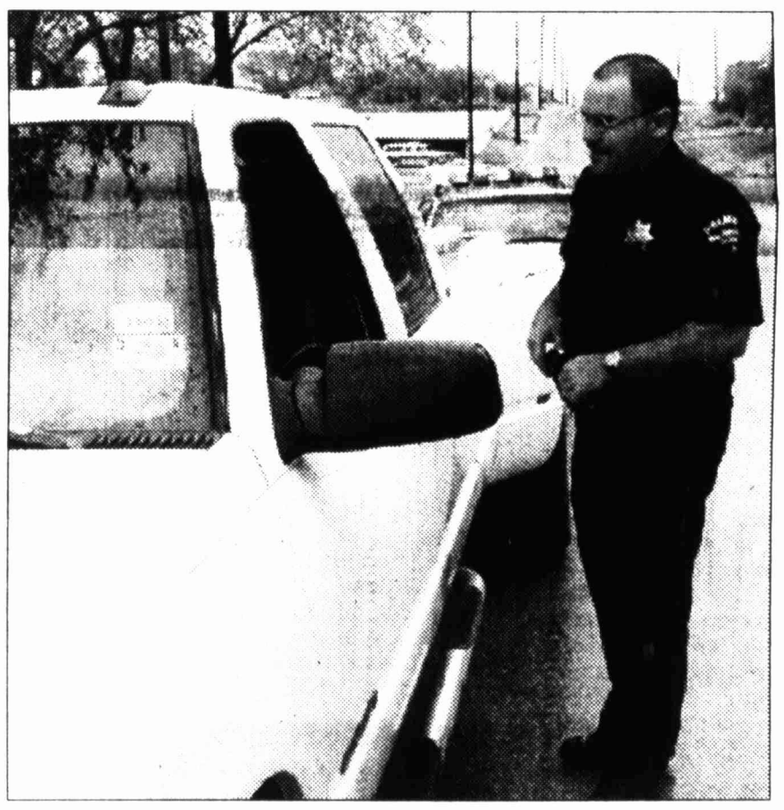
Fryar, who has family and friends throughout the community, said reaction to his decision to become an officer was good all the way around.

"I even have one friend I've talked into becoming a dispatcher; now he wants to be an officer," Fryar said. His training also allows him to assist his sister, who owns a local nightclub, and help family members who have questions about the law.

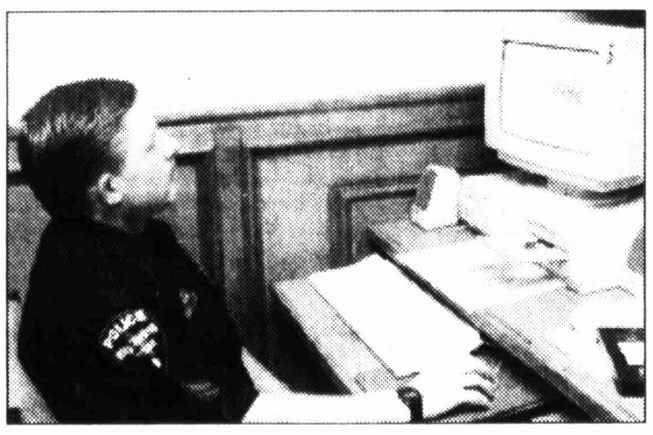
"If it's something you want to do, you can't get any greater satisfaction," Fryar said. "The investment is big — I would go into it knowing that. But I know I wouldn't be happy doing anything else."

— *Debbie L. Jensen*

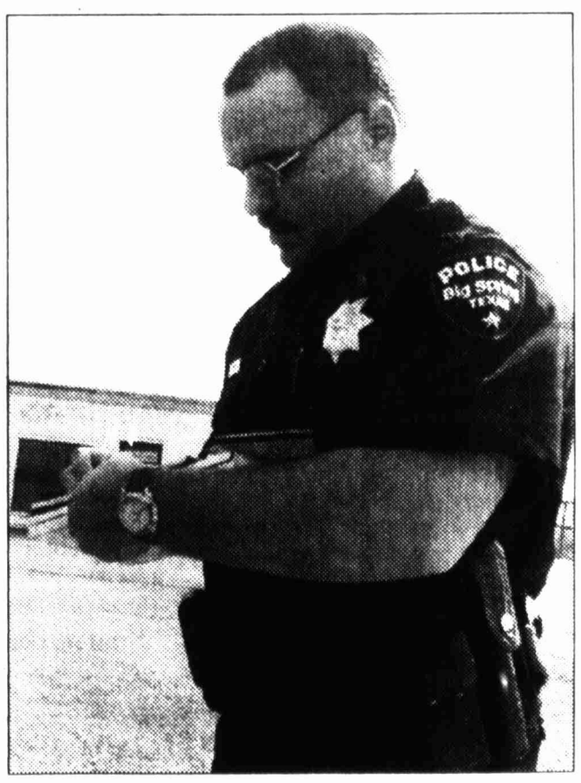








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In the photos: At left, Jay Fryar, a one-year veteran of the Big Spring Police Department, calls in a license plate number on his car radio recently. Fryar is one of 17 officers in the department who grew up in the local area. Below, left, Fryar makes a traffic stop. Occasionally, the officer stops people he knows or grew up with, but "the law applies to everyone," he said. Below, right, Thad Thomas is a veteran of more than eight years with the BSPD, but he grew up in Big Spring as well. In this photo, Thomas is framed in the windshield of his police cruiser, where a video screen is visible above the rear view mirror. He is the first officer in the department to have a car equipped with a video camera to record traffic stops and other occurrences.

Above, left, BSPD officer Thad Thomas works on a computer at the police station. Every month, officers must use the computer to complete training. Above, right, officer Jay Fryar writes a ticket that will be given to a woman whose car had an expired registration sticker. Luckily, a child riding with her was buckled up, or she could have received another ticket with a hefty fine. At right, officer Thomas and Sgt. Robert Fitzgibbons discuss some paperwork before a recent shift begins at the police department.

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WEDDINGS

McDonald-Bedell

Christina Lee McDonald and Steven Craig Bedell, both of Big Spring, were united in marriage on Oct. 21, 2000, at East Fourth Baptist Church with the Rev. Dudley Mullins, pastor, officiating.

She is the daughter of Lois Treadway of Big Spring and Robert and Janet Mullins of Midland, and the granddaughter of Iva and Clyde Treadway of Big Spring.

He is the son of Johnny and Ceil Bedell of Big Spring and the grandson of Ivy Lee Bedell of Big Spring.

Instrumentalist/vocalists were Betty Downey and Ceil Bedell, mother of the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a princess style crepe eggplant-color dress with an embroidered bolero jacket. She carried a bouquet of purple and white roses surrounded by stephanotis.

Nancy Hudek of Midland, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor and bridesmaid was Tracy Dean of Big Spring, sister of the bride.

Sabrina and Savana McDonald, daughters of the bride, were flower girls.

Daniel Andrews of Midland served as best man and groomsman was Stuart Sincleair of Big Spring.

Ushers were Garey Dean of Big Spring and Brad Hudek of Midland, brothers-in-law of the bride.



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A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of East Fourth Baptist Church.

The bride's cake was a three-tiered cake separated by columns, iced in white and decorated with purple flowers, topped with flower and heart topper. The groom's cake was an amaretto bundt cake.

The bride is a Jim Ned High School, Tuscola, graduate and currently works at Dunlaps.

The groom is a 1990 Big Spring High School graduate and attended Howard College and Texas State Technical College. He is currently employed as a firefighter/paramedic in Big Spring.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., the couple made their home in Big Spring.

Topous-Porras

Tamara Topous and Robert Porras, both of Houston, exchanged wedding vows on June 24, 2000, in Houston with Pastor James R. Gainnantonio of Christ the Servant Lutheran Church, officiating.

She is the daughter of Thomas and Emily Borton of Houghton Lake, Mich., and James Topous of Mississippi.

He is the son of Alicia Porras of Big Spring and the late Pedro Porras Sr., and the grandson of Dolores Porras of Big Spring.

Soloist was Dawn Bennett; organist was Betsy Baumgardner.

Given in marriage by James Topous and Thomas Borton, the bride wore an ivory Oleg Cassini dress with tank-style bodice of venise lace with satin ribbon detail and a full matte satin skirt with box pleats. It had a waistline ivory veil. She carried a bouquet of Casablanca lilies with pale pink Anna roses.

Teri Emond, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor and Deborah Carter served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Melinda Marquez, sister of the groom, Karen Calmes and Arianna Ross.

Augustine Paredez served as best man and groomsmen were Jimmy Marquez, Brian Stubbs, Hal Barrix and John Renteria.

Ushers were Brian Hurt and Jonathan Selvera and candlelighters were Emily Borton and Alicia Porras.

A reception was held at Ashford Oaks in Houston.

The wedding cake was a three-tiered vanilla cake with off white frosting accented with ribbon and bow icing decorations. The groom's cake was a German chocolate cake with fudge frosting.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT PORRAS

The bride is a graduate of Clarkston High School, Clarkston, Mich. and Michigan State University, with a teaching certificate from Southwest Texas State University. She is a teacher for O'Donnell Middle School, Alief Independent School District.

The groom is a Big Spring High School graduate and is attending the University of Houston. He is employed by Federal Express.

Following a wedding trip to San Francisco, Calif., and Sonoma Valley, Calif., the couple made their home in Houston.

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Rogers

Charlie and Debbie Rogers, Sterling City, formerly of Big Spring, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Oct. 28, 2000.

Charlie was born on Oct. 17, 1955, in Bronte and Debbie Lister was born on Jan. 27, 1959, in Sweetwater.

The couple met at Divide High School in Nolan and were married on Oct. 28, 1975, in Big Spring.

They have two daughters, Blessin Frizzell of Sterling City and Danielle Rogers of Stephenville. For the past 18 years, the couple has lived in Sterling City.

Charlie is employed by Horwood Ranch Company. Both Charlie and Debbie like to team rope.

The couple had this to say, "Twenty-five great years."

WHO'S WHO

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Jill Allen of Coahoma has been named an All-American Collegiate Scholar.

The All-American Collegiate Scholars must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school official or other qualified sponsor are accepted.

Allen attends Lubbock Christian University. She is the daughter of Bruce and Marsha Allen of Coahoma and the granddaughter of Don and Pat Allen of Coahoma.

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Several area students were listed in the "The National Dean's List, 1999-2000."

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisors and must be in the upper 10 percent of their class, on their school's "Dean's List," or have earned a comparable honor.

Local students selected included:

Colorado City: Will Crockett, Baylor University student and Staci L. Turnbow, Texas Tech University student.

Ackerly: Rusty L. Oaks, Texas Tech University student.

Big Spring: Loretta S. Burns, University of Texas of the Permian Basin student; Margarita R. Cervantes, University of the Permian Basin student; Cynthia L. Clanton, a Howard College student; David B. Cook, University of Texas of the Permian Basin student; Lisa D. Currie, an University of Texas of the Permian Basin student; Christopher C. Felty, an Oral Roberts University student; Melanie Flenniken, a Lubbock Christian University; Matthew T. Holt, a Texas Tech University student; Robert E. Hutte, University of Texas of the Permian Basin student; Jason B. Mims, Texas Tech University student; Lindsay D. Moates, a Howard College student; Lochie B. Musgrove, a Howard College student; Tracey L. Pounds, a Texas State Technical College at Sweetwater student; Rachel Ray, a Wayland Baptist University student; Sarah Fay Sanghavi, a University of North Texas student; Amy L. Smith a Texas Tech University student; Amy L. Wilson, a Howard College student; Elizabeth A. Froman, a Texas Tech University student; and Joshua T. Hadley, Howard College student.

Garden city: Anthony W. Braden, a Texas Tech University student.

Stanton: Michelle L. Adams, a University of Texas of the Permian Basin student, Kyle Herm, a Rice University student; Misty D. Reynolds, a Howard Payne University student; and Daniel J. Saunders, a Midland College student.

Teryn Gonzalez, 15, a sophomore at Midland Lee High School, was inducted into the Hispanic Honor Society on Oct. 19.



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He is the son of Albert and Michelle Alvarez of Midland and Roland Gonzalez of San Antonio and the grandson of Joe F. and Becki Torres of Big Spring.

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Moore — Large black male mix, 2 years old plus, good guard dog.

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These, plus many more dogs and cats are awaiting adoption. Adoption fees for dogs are just $60, for purebred dogs $100 and cats are $60. This includes spaying or neutering, vaccinations, wormings and rabies shots. Also covers feline leukemia tests for cats. All pets come with a two-week trial period. Call 267-7832.

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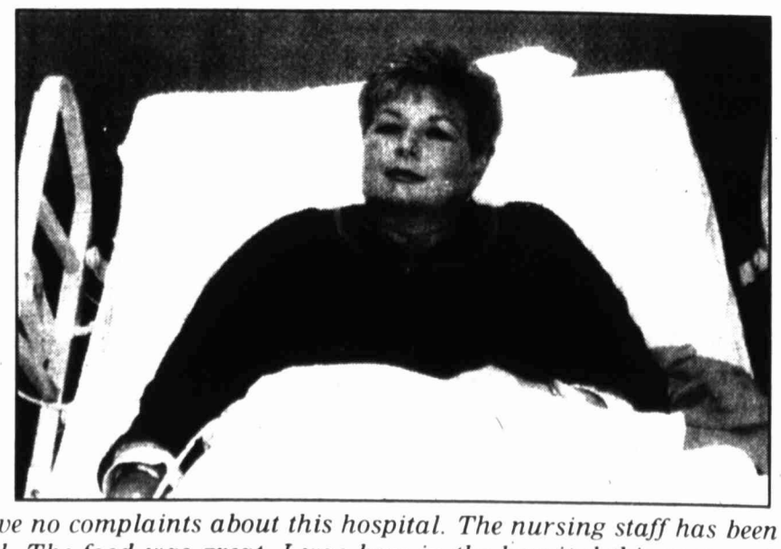
CORRECTION NOTICE
In our October 29 ad insert, we advertised the computer software title "Star Trek: The Fallen," and the CD "My World, My Way," by Silkk the Shocker. We had expected the software title to be available on October 29 and the CD title to be available on October 31. Neither title will be available on those dates. We now expect "Star Trek: The Fallen" to be available on November 24 and "My World, My Way" to be available January 16, 2001. We will issue rainchecks for both of these titles through the week of October 29.
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WEDNESDAY-Ham, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, fruit salad, milk/rolls, cake.
THURSDAY-Chicken, noodles, squash, salad, milk/rolls, cobbler.
FRIDAY-Roast, baked potatoes, beans, salad, milk/rolls, fruit.

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MONDAY-STAFF DEVELOPMENT
TUESDAY-Hamburger or cheeseburger on a bun, potato puffs, hamburger salad, pears, brownies, fruit drink, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Ravioli (bean burrito), corn, tossed salad, applesauce gelatin, french bread, fruit drink, milk.
THURSDAY-Salisbury steak (beef tips), rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, peaches, hot roll, fruit drink, milk.
FRIDAY-Choice of sandwiches, potato puffs, vegetable soup, sandwich salad, apples, cinnamon cookie, fruit drink, milk.

ELBOW ELEMENTARY
MONDAY-Cowboy stew, corn, fruit, crackers, milk.
TUESDAY-Sloppy joe, french fries, salad, fruit, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Meat & cheese sandwich, chips, veggies, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY-Beef & bean chalupa, corn, salad, fruit, milk.
FRIDAY-Hamburger, french fries, salad, pickle, fruit, milk.

COAHOMA ISD
MONDAY-Pizza, tater tots, salad, milk. Teachers only, salad or baked potato.
TUESDAY-Hamburgers, spicy fries, tomato, lettuce, pickles, Halloween cup cake, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Chalupas (sub sandwich, salad tray), salad, nacho chips, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY-Steak fingers (corn dogs), gravy, potatoes, green beans, rolls, fruit, milk.
FRIDAY-Baked chicken (chili dogs), baked beans, macaroni & cheese, bread, pears, milk.

FORSAN ISD
MONDAY-Frito pie, pinto beans, salad, white cake, fruit, milk.
TUESDAY-Hamburgers, fritos, salad, pickles/onion, cookies, fruit, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Barbecue sandwich, french fries, salad/pickles/onions, chocolate mousse, milk.
THURSDAY-Western casserole, corn, salad, cookies/fruit, milk.
FRIDAY-Chicken stir fry, egg rolls, rice, ice cream, milk.

SANDS ISD
MONDAY-Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, tater tots, wacky cake milk.
TUESDAY-Baked ham, potato salad, ranch style beans, hot rolls, fruit milk.
WEDNESDAY-Tamales, pinto beans, salad, cornbread, cobbler, milk.
THURSDAY-Steak fingers w/gravy, mashed potatoes, June peas w/carrots, hot rolls, cobbler or fruit, milk
FRIDAY-Fish w/tarter sauce or ketchup, macaroni & cheese, pork & beans, batter bread, pudding, milk.

BIG SPRING ISD
MONDAY-Corn chip pie, broccoli w/cheese sauce, spiced apples, trail mix, milk.
TUESDAY-Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, glazed carrots, pineapple tidbits, hot roll, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Ravioli, corn on cob, celery w/peanut butter, pears, hot roll, milk.
THURSDAY-Sausage patty, pancake, hashbrown, applesauce, fruit juice, milk.
FRIDAY-Cheeseburger, salad, french fries, border beans, cookie, milk.

Family loses argument against drug

BERNE, N.Y. (AP) — The school nurse called during Kyle Carroll's first week of second grade last September. Wasn't Kyle going to be taking his Ritalin?

No, Jill Carroll said, he made it through the summer without the drug and did just fine. She and her husband, Michael, were holding out, hoping the Ritalin days were over.

On Sept. 15, the Carrolls say they got another call. Their 8-year-old son was in the office and they were threatening to expel him unless the Ritalin resumed.

Superintendent Steven Schrade, who wasn't with the approximately 1,200-student school district when all this happened, denies the threat and now says the whole situation with Kyle "was from well-intentioned people and just snowballed."

Meetings would follow, with the Carrolls on one side of the table and a team including guidance counselors and special education specialists on the other.

"I just started throwing things at them, why Kyle shouldn't be on Ritalin," says Michael Carroll, a construction worker. "They just kept throwing things back, why he had to be."

The law requires that school employees report instances of neglect to child protective agencies. In Kyle's case, someone at the school equated the failure to medicate Kyle with the unexplained bruises or signs of malnutrition that might prompt other calls.

The matter went to Family Court, where a judge ordered the Carrolls to continue giving Kyle the medications.

"The case as I see it is educational neglect," says Pamela J. Joern, the law guardian appointed to the case. "Your child has a diagnosis, it interferes with his education, a recommendation is made. It is not followed by the parents. It continues to interfere with his education. The parents take no steps to address the problem.

"It's not a pro-Ritalin decision; it's not an anti-Ritalin decision. A parent failed to ensure their child was able to receive an education."

Ritalin is a brand name for the methylphenidate, believed to increase a child's alertness by stimulating the central nervous system.

Psychiatrist Susan Abbott says Kyle was better able to learn when medicated.

"If unmedicated, you certainly won't learn as much as well, you won't achieve the same grades, you may not be able to follow your aspirations, attend your college of choice," she says. "When the kids in the neighborhood don't play with you and you fall farther and farther behind ... that's sad."

American doctors are writing an estimated 11.4 million Ritalin prescriptions a year — more than double those written five years ago.

NEWCOMERS

New residents of Big Spring welcomed recently by Joy Fortenberry and the Newcomer Greeting Service include:

Rafael and Martha Mendez, Nashville, Tenn. He is a supervisor for MA plus O Construction.

Amanda Edward, Lubbock, student at Howard College.

Andra Speer, Lubbock, student at SouthWest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf.

Kayla Roberts, Lubbock, X-ray technician for Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Patty Dossey, children, Brayden and Tona, Artesia, N.M.; dental hygiene student at Howard College.

Sam and Tara Lathen, son, Justin, daughters, Hana and Sarah, Fort Worth. He is a technician consultant for StarTek.

Jack and Tera Glover, Wichita Falls. He is a lab technician for Alon U.S.A. She is employed with Big Spring High School.

Mike Henry, Amarillo. He is the afternoon news anchor for KBST.

Clint and Jennifer Adams, Houston. Clint and Jennifer are both high school teachers.

Luciana Alexander, Little Rock, Ark. She works for the VA Medical Center.

Andy and Lorae Martinez, son Nora, Lamesa. He is a correctional officer for the Federal Correctional Institution.

Veronica Gonzales, son Ricardo, daughter, Rene, Abilene. She works for Slaton Insurance Agency.

Amber Davis, San Angelo. She is a secretary for Mitchem & Sons.

Gary and Janet Renfro, daughters, Karen, Melissa, Amy and son John, Waco. He is an engineer for Fina.

New in town? The Herald has all your news, sports and information.

IN THE MILITARY

Marine Corps Pvt. Orlando Munoz, son of Martha G. Munoz of Big Spring, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

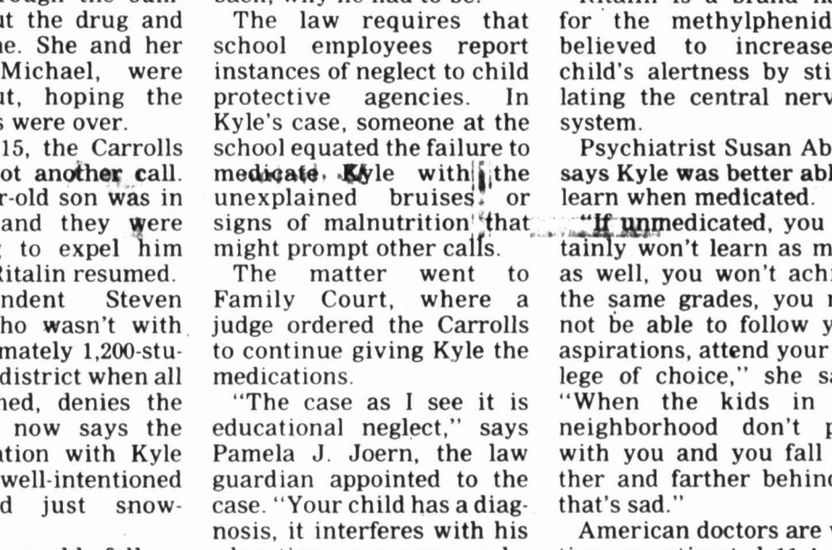
Munoz successfully completed 12 weeks of training designed to challenged new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Munoz and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Munoz spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit during filed training.

Munoz and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54 - hour team effort, problem solving evolution which culminated with an emotional ceremony in which the recruits were presented the Marine Corps Emblem, and were addressed as "Marines" for the first time since boot camp began.


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Texas cities are taking on big utilities over franchise fees

DALLAS (AP) — From the Red River to the Gulf, Texas cities are suing big utilities and accusing them of underpaying fees for laying pipes and stringing power lines along public streets.

Lawyers for the cities accuse Reliant Energy HL&P in Houston and Dallas-based TXU Corp. of cheating the cities out of about $350 million.

The utilities did this, the lawyers say, by using a narrow definition of gross revenue in calculating fees paid to the cities.

The utilities say they are honoring the terms of their contracts with cities, and they say that customers will end up paying more if the cities win in court.

In Southeast Texas, 47 cities, including Houston, filed lawsuits last week against Reliant Energy HL&P, which they said has underpaid them $113 million, dating to the 1950s. The lawsuits came a day after a state district judge ruled the cities must file individual lawsuits rather than join in a class-action case against HL&P.

Judge John Wooldridge also overturned a jury's finding in an earlier case that HL&P had intentionally defrauded three cities by underpaying franchise fees. The jury wanted to award $34.2 million — mostly in punitive damages — to Pasadena, Galveston and Wharton, but the judge cut the sum to $1.2 million.

A spokeswoman for HL&P said Wednesday the company plans to appeal the remaining judgment and $13.6 million in attorney fees for the cities' Houston law firm, O'Quinn & Laminack.

In North Texas, Denton city officials accuse TXU of intentionally underpaying $1.17 million in franchise fees by deducting some income before calculating the franchise fees. It filed suit June 7 in state district court in Denton.

David LaBrec, a lawyer hired by the city, said Wednesday that 21 other cities have endorsed the lawsuit, from Sherman to Round Rock and Odessa to Fort Worth. He said the case could involve $240 million.

"This money is rightfully due to these cities," said LaBrec, of the Dallas firm of Strasburger & Price. "Every penny TXU isn't paying, you and I are paying it in city taxes."

LaBrec complained that the city's case has been made more difficult because TXU said its gas records for Denison only go back to 1998. A judge granted his request for an order that TXU not destroy records relating to franchise fees in any city.

The utilities said their contracts with cities call for paying a percentage of revenue from energy consumption, which they interpret as charges for gas and electricity, not miscellaneous items.

TXU spokesman Chris Schein said the utility pays Denton 4 percent of what it earns for selling electricity in the city and 3 percent of gas sales.

Gardner program under way

The second Master Gardner class has begun within Howard County. Thirty individuals are participating in this educational experience.



DAVID KIGHT

The Master Gardener program is a program implement by the Howard County Extension Service. The purpose of the program is to educate volunteers about all aspects of horticulture.

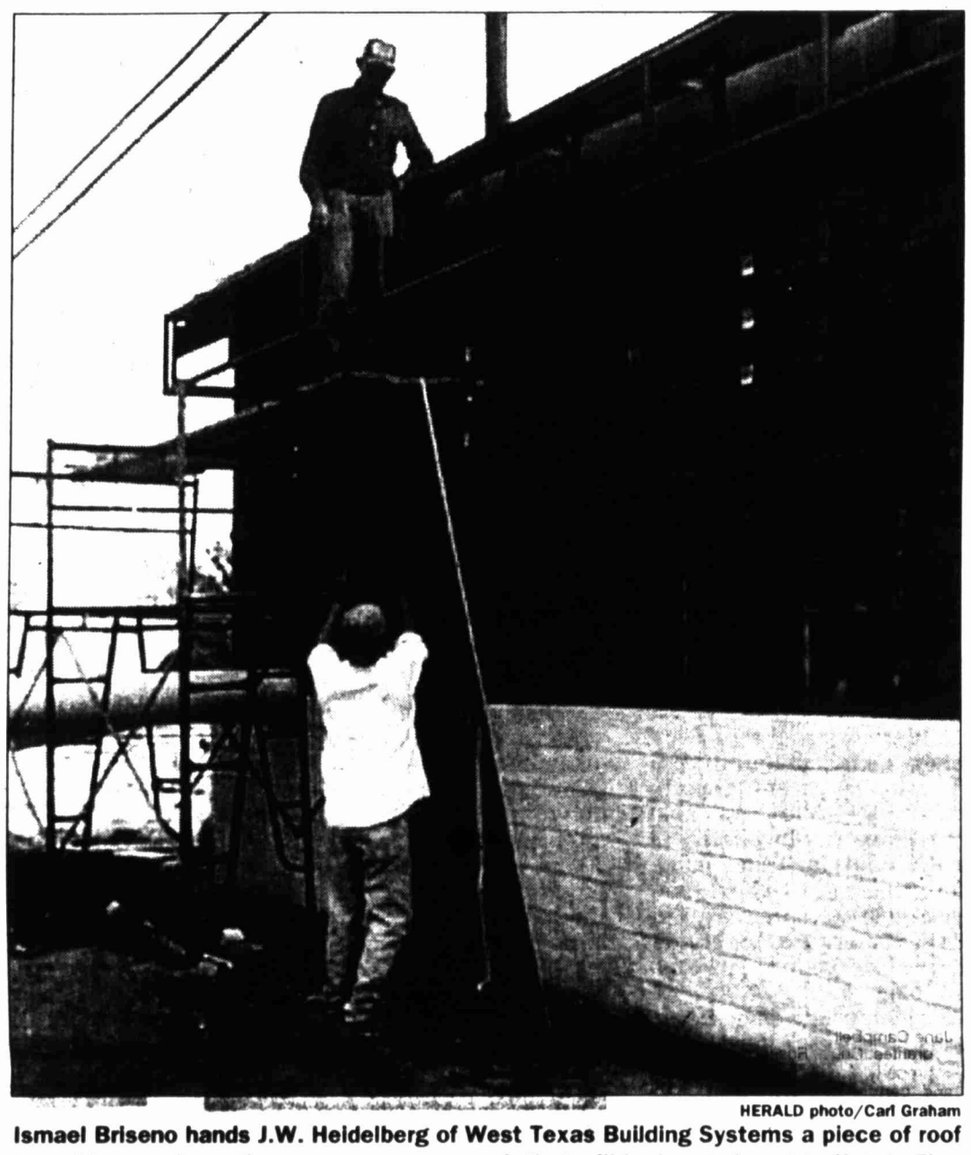
Anyone can be a master gardener. This past year's graduating class of Master Gardeners included Martin Anguiano, Nikki Broyles, Ronald Cross, Ida Fisher, Bob Lewis, Shirley Murphy, Raymon Ontiveros, Xan Painter, Pat Porter, Donna Simer, John Sparks and Randy Sanders.

Each Master Gardener class commits to serving 60 hours of community service back to the community in horticultural-related projects. Most Master Gardeners from last year's class are currently assisting with the Junior Master Gardener programs being conducted at Marcy, Elbow and Coahoma ?Elementary. The Junior Master Gardener program teachers third through fifth graders about soil, water, nutrients and plants. It is incorporated by their teachers within the classroom.

Other community projects that Master Gardeners are involved in include the new city park as well as gardening learning centers at Coahoma ISD, Marcy Elementary and Elbow Elementary.

Master Gardeners have also initiated fund-raising efforts to support ongoing projects as well as new ones. Grants from charitable organizations have

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HERALD photo/Carl Graham

Ismael Briseno hands J.W. Heidelberg of West Texas Building Systems a piece of roof to weld as work continues on a new car wash that will be located next to Kate's Fina Mart at the U.S. Highway 87 and I-20 intersection. It is expected to be completed by the second week in November.

Tessco

Company purchases assests of L. Kay and Co. in Big Spring, Andrews

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer

Tessco, an electrical sales and service company of Midland, has purchased of the assets and operations of L. Kay and Company in Andrews and Big Spring.



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According to Jerry Hudgeons, Tessco President, the addition will make Tessco one of the largest full service oilfield electrical contractors in the Permian Basin. Other facilities are located in Midland, Odessa, Stanton and Kermit. Tessco also has facilities in Hobbs, Eunice and Carlsbad, N.M. Previous acquisitions include Brown Electric of Kermit, N&WA Electric of Stanton and Commercial Electric Service of Hobbs, N.M. Hudgeons said the company is considering additional acquisitions.

According to Dennis Grubb, sales manager, the company is looking into possible acquisitions in Westbrook and Colorado City.

"We are doing some talking with a couple of other small companies but it is just in the talk stage at this time," said Grubb. "Usually when you talk about buy-outs it tends to scare people but actually in this case it is a big advantage because you have a better bargaining tool in numbers. You can offer a better benefit package and many other benefits than when you are small in number."

In addition to the oilfield electrical division, Tessco has formed an industrial division, TEI&I (Total Electrical Industrial & Instrumentation Company). The industrial division, which is managed by Kendall Shirley and Tom Horton, specializes in providing industrial electrical applications for power

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Schafers set to show Boer goats at NAILE

By CARL GRAHAM
Staff Writer

When the 27th annual North American International Livestock Exposition (NAILE) is held at the Kentucky Fair & Exposition Center at Louisville, Ky. on Nov. 4-17, a local area couple, Ann and Hugh Schafer of Garden City, and a partner of theirs, Justin Kueth, will be showing five head of Boer goats.

NAILE is recognized as the world's largest purebred livestock show with more than 21,000 entries.

In September, the Schafers and partner Kueth won the Grand Champion senior doe at the Los Angeles County Fair at Pomona, Calif., so traveling great distances to show their goats is not a big deal to them.

"One of the reasons for us to make these trips is to get exposure of the Boer goat to other parts of the country," said Ann.

Schafer Farms won Grand Champion junior doe and Reserve Champion buck. They also came away with an award for having the best pair of does.

At Louisville, purebred breeders from nearly every state and Canada bring entries to compete in one of

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HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody

Surrounded by the Big Spring Ambassadors and staff, Richard Wright owner of Culligan and his wife, Clarinda, cut the ribbon to open Culligan's new location on FM 700 earlier this week.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

Ben & Jerry's recalls flavor

SOUTH BURLINGTON, Vt. (AP) — Ben and Jerry's Homemade, Inc. is recalling 80,000 pints of Peanut Butter Cup ice cream because they may contain nuts other than peanuts.

The company issued a nationwide allergy alert Friday for pints with expiration dates before Oct. 26, 2001. Pints dated after that are labeled as possibly containing the nuts.

Only individuals who are allergic to tree nuts run the risk of developing a reaction from eating the ice cream, company officials said. So far, six consumers have reported allergic reactions.

The dates appear on the bottom of the containers.

No other Ben & Jerry's flavors have been affected.

The company is working with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and is notifying all distributors.

Consumers with questions may contact Ben & Jerry's at 800-637-7691.

Compaq recalls battery packs

HOUSTON (AP) — Compaq Computer Corp. is voluntarily recalling about 55,000 battery packs used in its Armada E500 and V300 notebook computers, citing a possible fire hazard.

Compaq will replace each recalled battery pack with two new batteries.

The battery packs being recalled have one of the following codes on the white label to the right of the battery connector: TCGK 00001-10500; TCGK 20001- 21800; TCGK 40001- 83100 or TCHK 40001- 44700.

Compaq is asking customers to immediately discontinue using the recalled batteries and order replacements by calling (800) 889-7613.

WorkSTEPS program aiding local employers

HERALD Staff Report

Scenic Mountain Medical Center and ALON USA, formerly Fina Oil & Chemical, are working together.

Scenic Mountain (SMMC) has recently completed a series of job site analyses and has begun WorkSTEPS physical employment testing on several new-hire positions at ALON.

WorkSTEPS is one of the nation's largest providers of standardized medical/functional employment testing. SMMC is a licensed WorkSTEPS provider.

The WorkSTEPS program was developed by physical therapists in a clinical setting in response to industry's need for reliable, medically/legally defensible employment testing programs designed to reduce workplace injury and injury costs.

The program conforms to EEOC guidelines for application of the Americans with Disabilities Act. To insure future conformance, WorkSTEPS employs an attorney whose primary function is to evaluate litigation involving the ADA and related employer-employee issues.

"Companies currently using the WorkSTEPS program are reporting average reductions of 50 percent over their previous years' work injury cost, and some have achieved savings of as high as 80 percent," said Jacob Brewer, SMMC director of rehabilitation services.

SMMC provides WorkSTEPS employment testing to several other businesses in Big Spring. They include Southwest Convenience Stores, Dr. Pepper Bottling co., Co-Ex Pipe, Howard College and Big Spring ISD.

Additional information regarding WorkSTEPS can be obtained by contacting Brewer at 268-4564.



Courtesy photo

ALON USA director of safety Don Riley lifts a drum as [illegible] services director Jacob Brewer looks on.

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Cooper, Melody A
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Limon, Chris M
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Lockhart, Kori
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Mann, James A
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McClain, O'Neal
Mims, Carol L.
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Mize, Carla S.,
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Moore, Gary,
Odessa
Nail, Gena Gay
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Alvear, Ruddy, 1106 1/2 N. Main, Lamesa
Anderson, Michelle N. 7105 E. County Rd. 90, Midland
Balderaz, Bernard, 3304 W. 80 Apt. 44, Big Spring
Barraza, Alicia, 1501 Wood, Big Spring
Batchelor, Dana, 2300 S. Eight No. 24, Lamesa
Beck, Linda, 1713 Worley Rd. Banner Elk, N.C.
Benton, Forest E., 3304 W. Highway No. 15, Big Spring
Bowen, Pennie G., 1811 SE 18th, Mineral Wells
Brown Jason, 1018 Nolan, Big Spring
Bullard, James 202 Fourth, Palestine
Calicuitt, Gloria, 1104 N. Bell or 1011 N. Scurry, Big Spring
Cantu, Jim, 1214 Lindberg, Big Spring
Cantu, Lisa, 4106 Dixon or 1214 Lindberg Big Spring
Cantu, Pete J., 2605 Ent, Big Spring
Cardona, Talana 2300 S. Eight No. 60, Lamesa
Carrisalez, Mary Helen, 903 Ave. Q, Snyder
Carter, Terry, P.O. Box 2771 or 1510 11 Place, Big Spring
Cavazos, Anthony, 2435 N. Central Express Way South, Richardson
Chapa, Irma, 1501 Bluebird, Big Spring
Chavera, Arnulfo Sr., 1108 Sr., 1108 W. Sixth St., Big Spring
Chavera, Arnulfo Jr., 1810 Mittle, Big Spring
Chism, John, 4105 Dixon, Big Spring
Christian, Amanda, 1508 Tucson, Big Spring
Cisneros, Ramon, 623 McEwen, Big Spring
Cobb, Melissa, P.O. Box 812, Coahoma
Coker, Todd William, 1611 E. Fourth, Big Spring
Cole, Glen Dale, P.O. Box 877, Coahoma
Connolly, John C., P.O. Box 305 Texhoma, Okla.
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Deblanc, Roy E., 1066 Cutrer Road, Osyka, Miss.
Dickson, Krista A., 6917 Todd, Sachae
Dominguez, Albert, 2010 S. Polk, Amarillo
Dunnan, Layla, 205 Settles, Big Spring
Elliott, Amy, 408 Sleepy Top, Glenn Heights
Evans, W. Carol, 809 E. 33rd, Plainview
Fagan, Chris M., 1305 N. Taylor Apt A, Amarillo
Feaster, Tonya, 1203 N. F.M. 700, Sp. 27, Big Spring
Flores, Rachel, 211 S. Convert, Stanton
Ford, Paul, 501-A West Kiowa, Hobbs, N.M.
Futrelle, Deborah, 2512 Fairchild, Big Spring
Garfias, Joe Nick Jr., 1509 Oriole or 538 Westover, Big Spring
Gariby, Danny, 1911 Hudson Ave., Midland
Garza, Angel A., 501 E. 15th Street, Big Spring
Gomez, Cheri Lee, P.O. Box 1282, Elkhart, Kan.
Grayson, Shawna D., 311 E. 35th, Odessa
Hamilton, Alfred Jr., 1110 1/2 Aylesford, Big Spring
Hamilton, Lou, 108 Brooks, Big Spring
Henderson, Tammy Jean, P.O. Box 59, Coahoma
High, Eva Marie, P.O. Box 1115, Lamesa
Hill, Johnny R., 704 San Antonio, Big Spring
Holje, Jon, 835 E. 11th Street, Colorado City
Horton, Thomas L., 8048 E. 12th Street, Big Spring
Howery, Jeanie R., 4700 Polo Parkway No. 149, Midland
Humphrey, Jason, Howard College SWCID/student, Big Spring
Hunter, Fredlee Jr., 308 N. Ave H., Lamesa
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Jones, Amy, 1602 Wren, Big Spring
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Limon, Chris M., 4522 Roosevelt, Midland
Limon, Rita, 406 E. Broadway, Brownfield
Lipscomb, Carol Thompson, 1511 E. Scurry St., Big Spring
Locke, William Ray Jr., 3205 E. 11 Place, Big Spring
Lockhart, Kori Shane, 911 N. Browning, Big Spring
Lopez, Jaime, 1815 Benton, Big Spring
Lopez, Ruben Jr., 107 Milburn, Snyder
Mann, James A., 1610 Young, Big Spring
Martiniez, Theodore, 1610 Owens, Big Spring
Massingill, Sky W., 6526 Lyngate, Spring
McDaniel, Michael Christopher, 840 E. 11th, Colorado City
McClain, O'Neal, 911 17th, Snyder
Mims, Carol L., 4005 Connally, Big Spring
Mize, Carla S., HC 61, Box 384 Big Spring
Moore, Gary, 817 N. 26th Street, Odessa
Nail, Gena Gayle, 1120 Will Rogers Dr., Santa Rosa, N.M.
Nail, Jessica, P.O. Box 1934, Big Spring
Nirmul, Banu B., 205 Mindy Lane, Piscataway, N.J.
Nugent, Jim, P.O. Box 31, Sylvester
O'Bannon, Eddie, Rt. 1, Box 50, Ackerly
Olivas, Julian Hernandez, P.O. Box 304, Coahoma
Olyer, Marla, 1016 E. 21st, Big Spring
Orozco, Juana, P.O. Box 186, Idalou
Ovalle, Ninfa Gonzales, 3801 E. Highway 80 No. 34, Midland
Pallanes, Lucia, P.O. Box 10054, Midland
Palmer, Johnny D., P.O. Box 30458, Midland
Picazo, Alanda L., 112 Cedar or P.O. Box 2464, Big Spring
Pierce, Vivian Kay, 113 W. Robinson Rd., Big Spring
Ragsdale, Sam, 814 N. 12th, Lamsea
Ramirez, Francisco, P.O. Box 217, Lyford
Ramirez, Ramon, 1710 Alabama, Big Spring
Redford, William Robert, 1604 Virginia Apt. B, Big Spring
Reyes, Shalina Louis, 186 Sourdough Rd., Coahoma
Rios, Fidel, 1219 San Felipe, Alice
Roach, Gene D., 1685 W. Mount Springs Rd., Cabot, Ariz.
Rodriguez, Joe Jesse Jr., 5318 Opal Lane, Big Spring
Rowden, Hulbert Cleon, 2604 Carlton, Big Spring
Sams, Alyson Beth, 321 W. 21st Apt. 4, Big Spring
Sanders, Joann Lavonne, 4001 Dixon, Big Spring
Schenck, Robert Charles, 1303 W. Michigan, Midland
Sims, Teresa Ann, 1019 Johnson, Big Spring
Sowell, John A., 500 N. Salem Rd., Big Spring
Stone, Marsha A., 820 S. Meridian, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Suiter, Kimberly, 538 Westover No. 254, Big Spring
Sutton, Michael L., 4211 Parkway, Big Spring or 1502 N. Ave G., Lamesa.
Thompson, Robert Gene, 108 E. Robinson Rd. Big Spring
Timmerman, Angela M., 5280 Professional Dr., Apt. 347, Wichita Falls
Tyron, Evangeline, 406 E. Cedar, Midland
Valle, Jose Olger, 1605 Glenwood Dr., Midland
Vasquez, Judy, 1907 N. Seventh, Lamesa
Villafranco, Felisa, 301 E. Peck, Midland
Wirges, Joseph A. IV, 53893 Way N., Bloomfield, Nev.
Yanez, Eva Carrasco, 1408 Oriole, Big Spring

Howard County Clerk's Office:

Marriage Licenses:

Joseph Michael Short, 46, and Gerry Hartley, 52
Santiago Cervantes, 31, and Ramona Castillo Bermea, 29
Melton Odell Mantooth, 67, and Elizabeth J. Wilson, 70
Juan O. Valencia, 41, and Patricia Aquire, 40
Larry W. Platte, 22, and Lawren B. Bargewell, 19
Enrique Calderon III, 20, and Vanessa Malu Holgiun, 17
Lupe Roy Gomez, 21, and Sally Ann Rodriguez, 23
James Bradley Baker, 30, and Kasi Shea Welch, 25

County Court Minutes:

Probated Judgment Possession of Marijuana, less than two ounces Jeremy Coker, $750 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Ray Geronimo Calderon, $300 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Patrick Ferguson, $300 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Jeffery Wells, $500 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail

Probated Judgment Driving While License Invalid Oscar Canales, $250 fine, $260.25 court cost 180 days in jail; Delfina Guadalupe Zarraga, $250 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Fernando Rodriguez, $250 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail

Probated Judgment Driving While Intoxicated William Loren Davis, $1,500 fine, $275.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Kristina Lea Miller, $1,500 fine, $275.25 court cost, 180 days in jail

Probated Judgment Driving While Intoxicated, second offense Crispin Gonzalez Sanchez, $2,500 fine, $275.25 court cost, 365 days in jail

Probated Judgment Driving While License Suspended Mary Alice Martinez, $250 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail; Nancy Ann Rios, $250 fine, $260.25 court cost, 180 days in jail

Judgment and Sentence, Evading Arrest/Detention/Vehicle Michael Bryan, $250 fine, $320.25 court cost, 45 days in jail

Judgment and Sentence Driving While Intoxicated Shelly Rene Cross, $1,500 fine, $325.25 court cost, 30 days in jail; Evaristo Trevino Jr., $500 fine, $275.25 court cost, 90 days in jail; Juan Olivas Valencia, $500 fine, $275.25 court cost, 100 days in jail

Judgment and Sentence Driving While License Invalid Christopher Scott Homes, $500 fine, $310.25 court cost, 60 days in jail

Judgment and Sentence Possession of Marijuana, less than two ounces Shelly Rene Cross, $300 fine, $310.25 court cost, 30 days in jail; Doyle Ray Miears, $500 fine, $260.25 court cost, 60 days in jail.

Revocation of Probation and Imposition of Sentence Kayla Denise Horton, Driving While Intoxicated, second offense, $2,500 fine, $375.25 court cost, 10 days in jail; Christopher Scott Holmes, Driving While License Suspended, $250 fine, $360.25 court cost, 60 days in jail; Christopher Scott Holmes, Driving While License Suspended, $250 fine, $360.25 court cost, 60 days in jail

Warranty Deeds

grantor: Brannon Henderson, a/k/a Brannon Scott Henderson and wife, Beatrice Henderson
grantee: M.E. McCutchan
property: Lot 5, blk. 3, Saunders Addition to the city of Coahoma.
filed: Oct. 18, 2000

grantor: Peggy Leah Soldan
grantee: Paul F. Soldan
property: Lot 12, blk. 22, Monticello Addition
filed: Oct. 18, 2000

grantor: Elizabeth Langley
grantee: Gerald D. McCasland and spouse, Alvine McCasland
property: A 575 acre tract of land out of the SE 1/4, blk. 31, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey
filed: Oct. 19, 2000

grantor: AtoFina Petrochemicals Inc., (formerly known as Fina Oil and Chemical Company)
grantee: Alon USA Refining
property: Tract 1: a 640.28 acre tract of land, all of sec. 40, blk. 31, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. Tract 2: a 320.62 acre tract of land, the E. 1/4 of sec. 41, blk. 31, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. Survey
filed: Oct. 19, 2000

grantor: Sherrill B. Carroll and Dorothy Carroll
grantee: College Baptist of Big Spring
property: Lot 10, blk. 3, Seton Place Addition
filed: Oct. 20, 2000

grantor: Charles Violette and Pandora Violette
grantee: Gaylord Rich and wife Roxann Rich
property: Lot 7, blk. 1, Barnes Subdivision, a subdivision of sec. 44, blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P Ry. Co. Survey
filed: Oct. 20, 2000

grantor: Gloria Alexander
grantee: Paul Gene Alexander
property: Tract 1: 48 acre of land in sec. 40, blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P Ry. Co. Survey. Tract 2: 48 acre of land in sec. 40, blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P Ry. Co. Survey
filed: Oct. 20, 2000

Warranty Deed With Vendor's Lien

grantor: Chuck Rosenbaum
grantee: Pete Rosenbaum
property: All of lot 9, blk. 2, La Loma Addition
filed: Oct. 19, 2000

grantor: Casey T. Clark and Fayelyn Clark
grantee: Brandon C. Smith and Kelly Smith
property: Lot 3, blk. 2, Suburban Heights Addition
filed: Oct. 20, 2000

grantor: Gene Campbell and Mary Jane Campbell
grantee: Chuck Rosenbaum
property: A certain tract of land out of and part of blk. 27, College Height Addition
filed: Oct. 20, 2000

Court Filings
Divorce
Jeff Askins vs. Jana Lynn Askins
San Juanita Isabel Diaz vs. Alfredo Diaz
Donna Marie Kennedy vs. Mickey Lynn Kennedy
Diana Vera vs. Alfonso Flores Vera
Randy Dean Bennett vs. Katheryn Denise Bennett
Tommy D. Morton vs. Brenda Kay Morton
Steve Wayne Davis vs. Teresa Louise Dunn-Davis
Family
Gaylena Jean Bryant vs. James P. Shanahan
Salena Marie Taylor vs. Cameron Seago
Teresa Ann Rangel vs. Johnny Rangel Jr.
Account, notes and contracts
Providian National Bank vs. Glenn M. Pierce and Barbara Z. Pierce
Injuries and damages with a motor vehicle
Kimberly Byrd vs. Jacob Bavin and Drew Bavin
Other
Ted O. Groebl Jr. Trust No. 1 and Ted O. Groebl Jr. Trust No. 2



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Hugh Schafer, from left, Ann Schafer, and Justin Kuethe display the ribbons and trophies won at the Kerrville National Boer Goat Show. The group also won Grand Champion senior doe at the Los Angeles County Fair last month.

GOATS

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nine expo divisions: dairy cattle, dairy goats, Boer goats, beef cattle, quarter horses, draft horses, sheep, swine, and llamas. More than 220,000 American and foreign visitors attend the hundreds of individual breed shows and sales. Winners from the competitions take home in excess of $750,000 in premiums and awards. In addition to the recognition and prize money that comes with winning at the NAILE, the value of the breeding stock is significantly enhanced.

The NAILE is produced by the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the Kentucky State Fair Board. It is held at the Commonwealth's giant Kentucky Fair & Exposition Center, which features 1,000,000 square feet of climate-controlled exhibition space.

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enabled them to fund approximately $5,500 worth of projects this past year. Howard County Commissioners Court funds a part-time Master Gardener position to support this effort as well. The Master Gardener coordinator is Ginger Anderson.

TESSCO

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plants, refineries, gas compression stations, processing plants, CO2 and waterflood facilities. Instrumentation installation, calibration and fiber optic applications are also services provided by the industrial division.

Hudgeons said one of the primary goals of Tessco is to provide customers with prompt and dependable service.

"We do not want to be more than 30 minutes from a customer's production area," said Hudgeons.

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Grubb said that Tessco has a commitment to its employees and customers.

"First of all, people make a company, and good people help make a company successful," said Grubb. "Our employees are all very important to us and by consolidating these companies, we can provide our employees with better safety training programs, good equipment, and excellent benefits."

NOTICE

On October 13, 2000, TXU Electric Company ("TXU Electric") filed an Application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas ("Commission") seeking authority to assess a surcharge on its customers' electric service bills to recover an undercollected balance of fuel cost revenues for the months of August and September 2000. The surcharge in the amount of $231,423,477.83, inclusive of interest through January 2001, is proposed to be implemented in TXU Electric's January 2001 billing month and recovered over a 12-month period. Additional interest would be applied if the surcharge is begun after January 2001.

All of TXU Electric's customers and classes of customers whose electric service rates include charges for fuel costs pursuant to TXU Electric's tariffed Rider FC, titled "Fuel Cost Factor," and all territories served by TXU Electric are affected by the proposed surcharge in the Petition. The proposed surcharge is subject to final review by the Commission in TXU Electric's next reconciliation proceeding at the Commission. Persons with questions or who want more information on this Application may contact TXU Electric, 1601 Bryan Street, 32nd Floor, Dallas, Texas 75201 or call 1-800-242-9113 during normal business hours. A complete copy of this Application is available for inspection at the above address. Persons who wish to formally participate in this proceeding, or who wish to express their comments concerning this Application should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Commission's Office of Customer Protection at (512) 936-7120 or toll-free at (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the Commission at (512) 936-7136 or use Relay Texas (toll-free) 1-800-735-2989.

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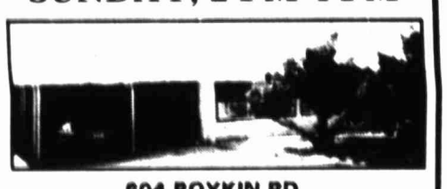
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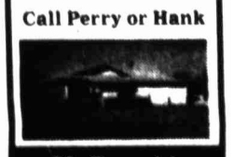
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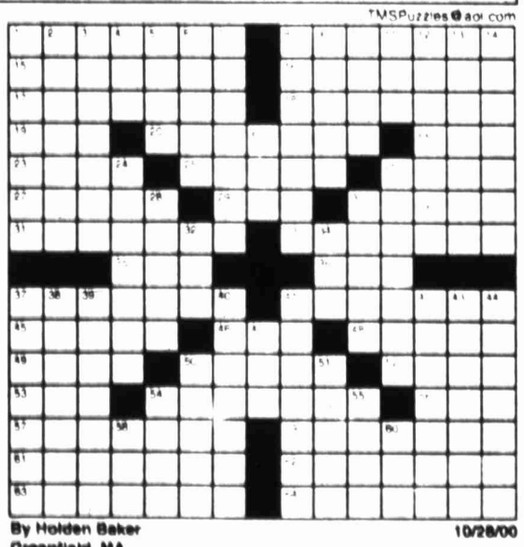
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By Holden Baker
Greenfield, MA

10/28/00

ACROSS
1 Flight simulator, e.g.
8 Like utilities
15 Lancaster's emblem
16 Sea otter's meal
17 Brit's commercials
18 Showoffs
19 Texas canton
20 Constituent of natural gas
22 Pets with angelic lateral
23 ___ in B Minor"
25 Fireplace-ish
26 Gordon's father
27 Run ___ of the law
29 "Losing My Religion" group
30 Suffice
31 Grooved like muscle
33 Map collections
35 OSS today
36 Took the cake
37 Met
41 Most trendy
45 Slurpee
46 Shemp's former pal
48 Bart Simpson's dad
49 Barbed remark
50 Jeans material
52 Scotch companion
53 CSA soldier
54 Melancholy
56 Small boy
57 Make bigger
59 Learned
61 Take care of something
62 Spoke too long
63 Spanish shawls
64 Christian and Helen

DOWN
1 Emotional wounds
2 Write again from scratch
3 Counselor
4 Wrath
5 Average
6 ___ Park, CO
7 Make like new
8 Honorific for Gandhi
9 Black
10 London art gallery
11 Olden times in olden times
12 Fans in the stands
13 Etch
14 Cravings
21 Tiller's tool
24 Word before mission or squeeze
26 Simple shelters
28 "Mule Train" singer
30 Symbol of laziness
32 Make lace
34 A pair
37 Lose evolutionary ground
38 One to whom property is transferred
39 Taker of little bites
40 Brunch dishes
41 Young cows
42 Soul stirring
43 Calmer
44 Wall Street wheeler-dealers
47 Chiffons hit "___ Fine Day"
50 Motherless calf
51 Wall painting
54 Word with fear or gum
55 Our moon
58 One time
60 E-mail ps.

Friday's Puzzle Solved

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Wealthy sister keeps score for game sibling won't play

DEAR ABBY: My older sister "Jane" and I used to be close. She married 10 years ago, and her husband has done very well. Jane is a stay-at-home mom with three children. She and her husband recently purchased a million-dollar home in the wealthy area of our city. I took a different path, and now work full time in an industry I love. I enjoy life with my husband and two children. We have a lovely house in the suburbs.



ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Lately, whenever Jane and I are together — whether it's alone or in public — she has become aggressive about comparing our lifestyles. Although I wish Jane well, she has paid a high price for her affluence. I am not, nor have I ever been, jealous of her status. I have tried to convince her of this, but she tunes me out and continues her monologue about her nanny, housekeeper, new cottage, etc. I'm sure you get the picture. I have almost come to the point where I don't want to see her anymore.

Please guide me through this, Abby. I am annoyed and frustrated. How shall I handle this in the future? — YOUNGER SIS

DEAR YOUNGER SIS: You can't change other people, but you can change the way you react to them.

Although your sister "married well," she appears to be insecure and insensitive to the feelings of others. That is pitiable, not enviable. When she starts spouting off, bear that in mind and don't take the bait. It may help you to be more tolerant of her.

DEAR ABBY: I must reply to the letter you reprinted recently from the irate mother whose 16-year-old son received a birthday card from his grandparent with a note enclosed, telling him he was getting only the card — but no money that year — because he had failed to send a thank-you note for the money he had been given the year before. You told the mother that you thought the grandmother had given the young man a birthday gift far more valuable than money.

I disagree. One of my greatest pleasures is giving gifts. However, whenever I do so, I must be absolutely certain that it is, in fact, a gift. That means I expect nothing in return — not even a thank-you. A gift should be given for no other reason than the joy of giving. It should be a celebration of the fact that you have someone to give to. — GORDON READE, PALO ALTO, CALIF.

DEAR GORDON: I have received a blitz of mail about that letter, and the "reviews" are running 50-50 regarding whether my answer was correct. Perhaps I should have elaborated further.

Teaching children the social graces may not be fun for a parent, but it is a duty, because those skills — or the lack of them — will affect the way those children are regarded for the rest of their lives. Failure to teach them is a disservice to the children.

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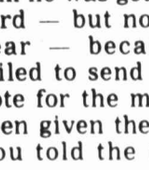
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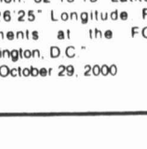
PUBLIC NOTICE

"Martin Weiss filed an application for LPTV Ch. 52 and 54 at Big Spring, TX on 8/30/00 Location: 32°13'13" Latitude 101°26'25" Longitude. File comments at the FCC, Washington, D.C." 2986 October 29, 2000



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Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 7, 2000, for voting in a special election to Rollback Taxes. (Notifiquese por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el Nov. de 7, 2000 para votar en le Eleccion Especial para regresar a Texas.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at:
(La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)
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Monday thru Friday
Lunes (a) Viernes

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
(Las solicitudes para boleras que se votaran adelaniado por correo deberan enviarse a:)
Wanda Forbis
(Name of Early Voting Clerk
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion Adelanado)
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Garden City, Texas 79739

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October 31, 2000

Issued this the 16th day of November, 2000.
(Emitada este dia 16th de Noviembre, 2000.)
Wm. Bednar
County Judge
(Firma del Juez del Condado)
2979 October 22 & 29, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sale to satisfy landlords lien of furniture, household, clothes and other miscellaneous items of the following tenants now stored at AAA Mini Storage, 3301 East FM 700, Big Spring, Texas.

Mariselda Lopez
Valerie Moomey
Gary Moore
Tarry Hill
Della Gonzales
Mervell Begalton
Joe Garfias

Auction will be to the highest bidder at 7:00 PM at Spring City Auction, 2000 West Highway 80, Big Spring, Texas, November 9th, 2000
2980 October 22 & 29, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF BIG SPRING
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Pursuant to the authority granted by the City Council of the City of Big Spring, Texas, the City of Big Spring will receive sealed bids on the following date/time for the purchase of the below listed pieces of equipment:

A. Date/Time:
Tuesday, November 14, 2000, at 2:00 p.m. for the following:
1. Police Package Vehicles, five (5) each
2. 1/2 Ton Extended Cab Pickup Truck, two (2) each
3. 1/2 Ton Regular Cab, Long Wide Bed Pickup Truck, three (3) each
4. 1/2 Ton Regular Cab, Short Wide Bed Pickup Truck, one (1) each
5. 1-Ton Truck with Utility Body, two (2) each
6. 3/4-Ton Regular Cab Pickup Truck, two (2) each
7. 4-Door Mid-Size Sedan, one (1) each
8. 1-Ton Flat Bed Truck, one (1) each
9. 1-Ton Flat Bed Cab and Chassis only, one (1) each

B. Date/Time
Wednesday, November 15, 2000, at 2:00 p.m. for the following:
1. Backhoe, three (3) year lease, two (2) each
2. Sanitation Trucks, two (2) each
3. 12-14 Yard Dump Truck, one (1) each
4. 1-Ton Truck with Utility, Body and Aerial Lift, one(1) each
5. Roll-Off Truck, one (1) each
6. Truck Mounted Sewer Jet Machine, one (1) each
7. Street Sweeper, one (1) each
8. Backhoe, three (3) year lease, one (1) each

C. Date/Time
Thursday, November 16, 2000, at 2:00 p.m. for the following:
1. Track Loader, one (1) each
2. 72" Cut Mower, two (2) each
3. Fire Truck, one (1) each
4. EMS Ambulances, two (2) each
5. Greensmower,one (1) each

Bids are to be opened and read aloud in the Big Spring City Council Chambers, City Hall, 307 East 4th Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720, with award to be made at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Big Spring City Council. Bid information and specifications may be obtained from the Office of the Purchasing and Material Control Manager, 1380 Airpark Drive East, Bldg #19, Big Spring, Texas 79720. All bids must be marked with the date of the bid and a general description of the bid item(s).

The City of Big Spring reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities.

2987 October 29 & November 5, 2000