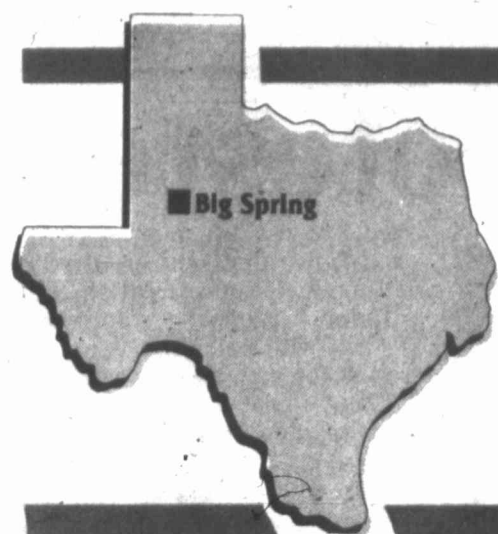
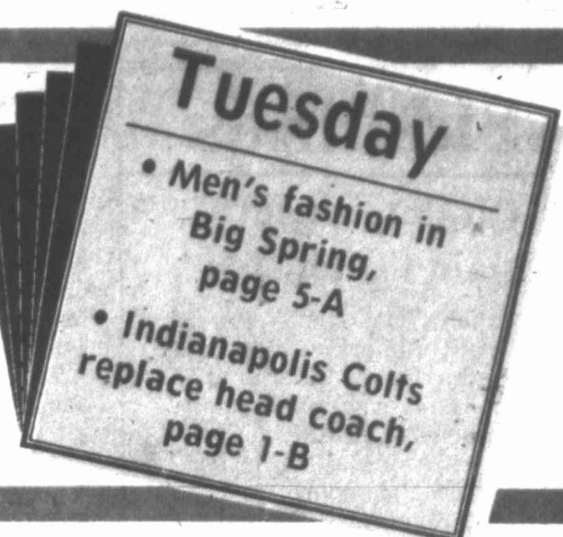




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Monday's low temp.	54
Average high.	82
Average low.	55
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Record low.	41 in 1985
Inches	
Rainfall Monday.	0.00
Month to date.	4.39
Month's normal.	2.30
Year to date.	22.91
Normal for year.	15.12

Coahoma ISD calls special meeting

COAHOMA — The school board of trustees have called a special meeting Wednesday at 7 p.m. to approve the resignation of trustee Jim Mathison. Trustees will also consider filling the vacancy left by Mathison.

In other action, school policies concerning employee leaves and absences and employee complaints will be approved and the request from the junior high school students for facilities for a homecoming dance is expected to be approved.

MHMR issues AIDS report

AUSTIN (AP) — One of every 32 mentally disabled people tested by the state mental health department has the AIDS virus, according to five-year data obtained by the Austin American-Statesman through the Texas Open Records Act.

Nearly all of those infected — 96 percent — are mentally ill patients in state psychiatric hospitals.

In Texas, health officials estimate that between 47,000 and 102,000 people may be infected with the AIDS virus. The state population is about \$17 million.

Man charged with attempted murder

A man charged with attempted murder in connection with a shooting last week was arrested again over the weekend and charged with parole violation.

Lionso Lee Jimenez Jr., 32, Route 2, Box 147, was arrested for parole violation in connection with the shooting of Raul Cazarez Gonzalez in the shoulder last Wednesday in Coahoma, said David Harman, a parole officer in Big Spring.

Jimenez faces having his parole for a third offense driving while intoxicated conviction in Tom Green County revoked. The five-year prison sentence on the conviction is not up until December 1994, a parole officer in San Angelo said. In addition, attempted murder carries a penalty of 2-20 years in prison and up to a \$10,000 fine.

Jimenez and Gonzalez have had an ongoing dispute, possibly over a domestic matter, for the past two years, said Howard County Sheriff Deputy Woodie Howell.

Jimenez, who allegedly used a 22-caliber pistol in the shooting, was originally charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and released on a \$15,000 bond. Last Thursday, sheriff officials said the charges would be upgraded to attempted murder. Jimenez is being held without bond on the parole violation charge.

Council votes to postpone referendum

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

In a surprise move, the Big Spring City Council voted to postpone the proposed Nov. 5 charter amendment referendum until Jan. 18.

The stated reason for the postponement was to allow time for the city manager to elicit an opinion from the U.S. Department of Justice regarding the legality of the election.

"I have spoken to Mr. Austin Bray, who is an attorney for the Secretary of State/Election Division of the state of Texas," City At-

torney Mike Thomas explained in a letter to the city council.

"The question I proposed to Mr. Bray was whether or not the city would have to submit the proposed election to the Justice Department. Mr. Bray informed me that this item definitely needed to be submitted to the Justice Department."

Thomas acknowledged that communities without Justice Department approval.

Council members Tim Blackshear and Corky Harris urged an early election date to allow citizens to make their wishes

known to the council.

Harris warned that the council might be overlooking the will of the people they represent. He said, although he did not believe the amendment was a good idea, the people should be offered a question on the ballot as to whether or not they agree with the council's decision to cut the police force.

"Are we going to give the people a chance to express their views?" he asked.

Council member Ladd Smith said, "What you're saying is that if we don't vote your way, we're not supporting the will of the people

and that's a bunch of hooey!"

"What I'm saying is that 500 people have already said they don't agree with what the council is doing," countered Harris.

"I think the people had a pretty good say in May when they elected the new city council," said Smith.

The council voted on Smith's motion for a Jan. 18 date. Mayor Max Green, and council members John Coffee, Mark Sheedy and Smith voted for the postponement. Harris, Blackshear and Pat DeAnda voted against it.

"To my knowledge, this has never been an issue for the Justice

Department," said Fraternal Order of Police attorney David Twedell.

"The Voting Rights Act deals with the election of public officials and does not apply to citizen action or referendum," he said.

Big Spring Police officer and FOP member Stan Parker said they would immediately be seeking a writ of mandamus from a judge to overrule this "delay tactic."

"We will be asking the appropriate court to rule on this question," said Twedell. "We hope to have something by Wednesday."

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County approves redrawn precincts

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

A county precinct redistricting plan was unanimously approved by Howard County commissioners Monday after the commissioner representing the only precinct with a Hispanic majority received some assurances from a civil rights attorney.

"I voted for it, reluctantly," said Precinct 1 Commissioner O.L. "Louis" Brown, who expressed concerns that the plan slightly dilutes the minority-voting strength of his district even though Hispanics are the only major racial group in Howard County to increase in numbers since 1980.

Brown has pointed out that federal civil-rights guidelines say that minority voting strength should not be diluted in a redistricting plan. He has also questioned the accuracy of the 1990 U.S. Census, saying Hispanics may have been undercounted in some areas or overcounted in others.

Shortly before the vote was taken Monday, San Antonio civil rights attorney Rolando Rios told Brown in a telephone conversation that he would review the plan and monitor its implementation. The plan, put together by Map Resources Inc. of Austin, was faxed to Rios Monday.

"He's going to call me back," Brown said. "He advised me to go ahead and vote for it. He's going to monitor the county to see if everything's all right."

In August, Rios requested that commissioners redraw precinct lines to conform to the one-man, one-vote rule of the U.S. Constitution.

The old populations of precincts 1 through 4 are, respectively, 7,377, 10,268, 8,618 and 6,080, according to census figures. Under the redistricting plan, the populations of each precinct are within 25 people of the average population of 8,085.

Precinct 1, on the northwest side of the county, gained 701 people, of which half are white, mostly from the other three precincts in the city of Big Spring. That diluted the proportion of Hispanics there by 1.27 percent, to 57.87 percent.

Blacks in Precinct 1 decreased almost a half percent, to 8.42 percent. Whites increased 1.75 percent, to 32.87 percent.

Hispanics overall in the county increased by 1,630 people from 1980 and now comprise 26.61 percent of the total 32,343 county population, census figures show. The total population, of which 68.72 percent are white and 3.63 percent are black, decreased by 1,207.

According to the redistricting plan, the proportion of Hispanics in precincts 2 through 4 are, respectively, 12.22 percent, 16.18 percent and 20.21 percent. Blacks are .77 percent, 3.3 percent and 2.04 percent respectively while whites are 86.04 percent, 79.13 percent and 76.81 percent respectively.

The biggest change in the plan is a switch of nearly 2,000 people on the northeast side of Big Spring from Precinct 2 to Precinct 4. Also, more than 13,000 acres of land in the Sand Springs area were moved from Precinct 2 to Precinct 4.

The plan must now be submitted to the U.S. Justice Department where officials have 60 to 120 days

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Herald photo by Tim Appel

Ping pong

Charlie Newton prepares to return the ball to the other side of the net as he and an opponent played an early morning game of ping-pong in the Student Union Building at Howard College today.

BSISD trustees face major school repairs

By MARSHA STURDIVANT
Staff Writer

Trustees approved the results of Saturday's school bond election during a special meeting Monday at noon.

The defeated bond issue called for \$11.745 million to build two new schools in Big Spring, as well as repair roofs and an air conditioning system on other campuses. The issue was defeated by 499 votes, with 1,962 against to 1,463 for.

Without the bond issue, trustees now face the dilemma of maintenance for the roofs at Goliad Middle School and Moss Elementary schools and the lack of funds in the school budget, more than \$250,000, that is needed for these repairs.

William McQueary said, "I see that you've got three options. Option one is to go with the 5-cent increase, option two is to go with the effective tax rate and option three is to go 3 percent above the effective tax rate."

Trustees were looking at a tax rate of 44.03 cents per \$100 property valuation for the 1991-92 school year. Combined with the county education district tax rate, citizens in Big Spring might expect to pay \$1.23 per \$100 property valuation.

However, trustees must now decide how to fund the needed repairs to the buildings.

"Now that the bond has failed, you've got to decide whether to take care of some of those things or

wait. You've got to decide to bite the bullet and take care of them or continue to put them off. We must set the tax rate in October," McQueary said.

Trustee John Arrick said, "The roof projects need to be done. If we apply a Band-Aid this year, we'll have to make the decision next year."

And Ron Logback, assistant business manager, said, "The roofs have got to be fixed. And the cooling system at the high school is in critical condition."

McQueary said the effective tax rate would not be enough to repair the cooling system. "We'll have to do it in steps, we can't do it all at once. We'll just have to apply Band-Aids this year."

The next scheduled meeting is Oct. 10.

The election that was defeated had low voter turnout, according to Margaret Ray, Howard County clerk. "Three years ago, for the 1988 presidential election, we had 11,172 vote. That's 67.5 percent. And in the last general election in 1990 for the governor's race, we had 8,388 or 55.23 percent vote," Ray said.

More than 34 percent of the eligible 10,000 voters cast ballots for the bond issue. "Thirty-four percent is low," Ray said.

Districts 1 and 4 supported the bond issue. These districts cast a total of 410 votes in favor, while 365

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City police force loses four officers

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

Instead of removing police of ficer positions through attrition, as earlier discussed, City Manager Hal Boyd gave four Big Spring police officers their walking papers Monday because of cuts in the department's budget for the 1991-92 fiscal year.

The officers were laid off in what was termed "an administrative decision." This decision was based on the newly adopted city budget, which went into effect today.

When asked if this was not a contradiction to earlier plans to delete the positions through attrition, Boyd said, "That was discussed but never voted upon by the council."

The officers who were laid off include Ramon Golden, James Sawyer, Darrell Peterson and Bobby Armstrong, a veteran of the Big Spring force.

Boyd said seniority was not a factor in the decisions. The supervisors made recommendations to the chief, who in turn sent his revised list to Boyd for this action.

Fraternal Order of Police attorney David Twedell said these layoffs are "directly contrary to

statements made by Mayor (Max) Green."

Green told Twedell during the Sept. 24 council meeting that "the positions would be deleted through attrition."

In addition to the four layoffs, Capt. Melvin Fowler retired and the police chief's secretary's position was deleted and changed to a clerking position.

Boyd said each officer will be given a letter of recommendation stating that job performance was not a factor in their layoff. They will also be receiving 30 days severance pay while they seek other employment, he said.

"If you knew you were going to lose your job, would you want to be left hanging for an extended time, or get it over with and move on?" said Boyd, in defense of the layoffs.

The elimination of these positions, when coupled with a sergeant and a police officer vacancy, and the retirement of Fowler, account for the seven police officer positions that must be cut under the new city budget.

The jail issue has yet to be acted upon, but two jailer positions have recently been vacated and not refilled, said Boyd.

Arms proposals may lead to summit talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States and the Soviet Union are setting up a series of talks beginning here Oct. 9 to implement President Bush's proposal for deep cuts in nuclear weapons stockpiles.

Administration officials said Monday the result could be a four-nation meeting of foreign ministers in November or even a summit with Bush, Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, French President Francois Mitterrand and British Prime Minister John Major attending.

The U.S. aim is twofold: to quickly get from the Soviets a proposal to match Bush's move on Friday to remove all battlefield nuclear weapons from Europe and to arrange a speedy accord to ban long-range, multiple-warhead nuclear missiles based on U.S. and Soviet soil.

The talks will be opened by Undersecretary of State Reginald Bartholomew and Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Alexei Obukhov on Oct. 9 and followed by expert-level discussions soon afterward "to flesh things out," the U.S. officials said.

The next step would be a meeting of Secretary of State James A. Baker III with the Soviet, French and British foreign ministers, or a summit, said the officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Mitterrand has proposed a four-power summit. Bush said Monday while traveling in Florida he was "not familiar with that."

He told reporters "it's early" to think about meeting with Gorbachev. He said he had not talked with the Soviet president since a telephone conversation Friday spelling out his arms plan.

The Soviets, responding favorably Monday to Bush's initiative, indicated their priority goals would include a ban on nuclear weapons tests and bringing

other nations into the expanding nuclear club into the discussions.

Bush, in his detailed proposals, did not offer to halt weapons tests. He expressed concern about nuclear proliferation and suggested the United States and the Soviet Union consider defensive measures.

Also, the president's offer to outlaw ground-based strategic missiles with multiple warheads did not include similar devastating missiles carried on U.S. Trident submarines. The Soviets do not have a comparable arsenal.

Referring to Bush's overall plan, First Deputy Foreign Minister Vladimir Petrovsky said Monday in Moscow: "We have accepted these proposals and we stand for the immediate start of dialogue on all these subjects."

British, French and German leaders hailed Bush's proposals over the weekend.

"I think peace has a much better chance than it's had in a long, long time," the president said Monday. He said he was pleased by Gorbachev's positive reaction.

"Because of the dramatic changes that have swept our world — particularly in the Soviet Union — we are now able to take equally dramatic steps to make our world safer from the threat of nuclear weapons," Bush said in a speech in Miami to a gathering of business leaders.

Unilaterally, the United States will scrap about 2,400 short-range nuclear missiles on land and at sea. Gorbachev in the past acted unilaterally to cut Soviet troops and weapons arsenals. Bush's decision to remove the battlefield weapons is conditional on a matching Soviet move.

The Oct. 9 meeting had been scheduled earlier as a way of looking into further cutbacks in strategic nuclear weapons.

Sidelines

Off-duty deputy slain in Houston

HOUSTON (AP) — Harris County authorities today were hunting for the killer of an off-duty female sheriff's deputy whose body was found in a field near a mall where she had gone shopping.

Roxanne Allee, 34, had been shot in the head with a large caliber weapon, police said.

The woman's husband reported her missing Monday night after she failed to return home from a shopping trip. Officers suspected foul play after the woman's van was found on fire.

"We're afraid she was abducted in the parking lot as she was leaving," Sheriff Johnny Klevenhagen said today.

"We're going to go ahead and backtrack every move she made."

Officials said the woman, a corporal assigned to jail duty, had worked for the sheriff's department for four years. Her husband also is a deputy. The couple had two children.

Tourist spending on rise in Texas

FORT WORTH (AP) — Travelers spent \$18 billion in Texas in 1989, representing a 7.7 percent increase over 1988 and outpacing the estimated national travel spending growth rate of 5.7 percent, according to a recent study.

Texas' share of the travel industry was reported in a study completed by the U.S. Travel Data Center in Washington, D.C., and was announced at Travel Summit, an annual statewide tourism conference.

"The increase is found in both pleasure and business travel," said Dianne Mendoza Freeman, deputy director of the Tourism Division of the Texas Department of Commerce.

Paper glut stalls program

AUSTIN (AP) — Austin and several other Texas cities may be forced to alter, scale back or scrap their newspaper recycling programs because of a glut in the recycled paper industry, city and industry officials say.

Matt Myers, recycling coordinator for ACCO Waste Paper of Austin, said Monday that his company has asked to renegotiate its contract with the city because it cannot find buyers for the increasing amounts of paper it has been receiving.

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New waste disposal rules protested

AUSTIN (AP) — A mock cemetery outside the Texas Water Commission contains tombstones inscribed, "Earl E. Graves," "I.M. Polluted" and "I.C. Toxics."

The epitaphs garner smiles from some passersby. But environmental protesters say they're serious about asking officials to vote against new hazardous waste disposal permits until stronger state rules can be developed.

"It's a mock graveyard here, but there are real graveyards in our communities. Toxic waste in Texas is a serious problem... Pollution in Texas has killed people, has destroyed families and communities," said Rick Abraham, executive director of Texans United.

Protesters at commission headquarters have set up several tents, hung a "Toxic City, Texas" banner and constructed the mock graveyard, complete with a stuffed crow perched on one monument that reads, "Hazard Hill Cemetery: For Those Who Gave Their Lives for Profit."

But Water Commission spokesman Bill Colbert said state law does not allow for a wholesale permit denial by the agency, which he said has held up 16 to 18 permit applications during a temporary moratorium approved by lawmakers.

Lawmakers earlier approved a four-month moratorium on hazar-



AUSTIN — Bearing a banner with more than 10,000 signatures, citizens of Midlothian gathered in Austin Monday to protest the continued burning

of toxic wastes in their community by three cement plants.

dous waste sites, while the commission worked on new rules. The law included guidelines for new agency rules on granting hazardous waste disposal permits.

That moratorium is to end Wednesday, when the Water Commission votes on its proposed new regulations.

But environmental activists, who plan to stay at their tent city through Wednesday, say the new rules do not go far enough. For example, they say it is insufficient to allow only a half-mile "buffer zone" between hazardous waste disposal sites and homes or schools.

Colbert said that the agency

must follow the law.

"I dare say if we attempted to impose a new moratorium, it would not take a court very long to consider an appeal by a regulated industry to have that lifted," Colbert said. He said that the proposed rules track the law and are stronger than past ones.

Monte Janssen of the Texas Chemical Council called the protesters' request "somewhat absurd." He said that denying permits for hazardous waste disposal sites will not eliminate the need for companies to get rid of such waste.

"What's going to happen with their idea is that we will produce waste and have nowhere to put it," said Janssen, a vice president of the council, which represents about 90 chemical manufacturers.

Janssen said the industry agrees with environmentalists that the amount of waste produced should be reduced. But he added, "If their idea is to eliminate waste by not allowing you to get rid of it, that isn't going to work."

Marshall Lott, a Midlothian city council member, said the groups want a moratorium to be in effect until a stronger law can be passed, if necessary. He was with Citizens Aware and United for a Safe Environment, which opposes hazardous waste-burning cement plants in Midlothian.

The Midlothian group said that they believe the burning has caused health problems for residents. Two plants are burning hazardous waste and have asked for storage permits that could increase how much they burn. A third plant has requested a new permit.

Company foresees slow drilling year

HOUSTON (AP) — Worldwide recession, a soft energy demand and continued low natural gas prices are threatening to shrink the domestic drilling industry next year in a period that could rival the disastrous mid-1980s, an oilfield supply company predicts.

"Just when we thought we saw the light at the end of the tunnel, it appears we have found a train," Roy Caldwell, president of Houston-based Reed Tool Co., said as the firm announced its 39th annual rig census.

"The 1991 Reed rig census describes an industry once more facing crisis."

The depressed prices and low energy demand coupled with limited financing for speculative drilling are contributing to the bleak outlook. What's worse is many companies no longer have funds reserved to pull them through a tight period.

"In 1986, they'd come from boom, so they had cash and money tucked away," Caldwell said of rig contractors. "Today, they've gone through four or five years of hell. They've got no resources behind them. There's nothing there. A lot of those contractors are living literally on the knife edge, and they're going to go under."

Reed officials said the only potential for growth would be if the nation experienced a winter cold

enough to trigger a gas shortage.

"Another difficult year is shaping up for drilling contractors in 1992," Caldwell said. "Activity levels are likely to be even lower than in 1991. The glut of natural gas on the market will continue to depress prices and reduced cash flow from operations will also negatively impact drilling."

"The larger problem is that fundamentally, there is no reason to expect things to improve over the next year or two. Gas prices show no sign of recovery and major operations are leaving the U.S. for the more lucrative international markets."

This year, only 66 percent of the rigs available in the United States were being used, down from 72 percent a year ago. The decline is the first in five years and compares with industry ideals of between 80 and 85 percent.

The last time rig utilization was above 80 percent, however, was in 1981, when 98 percent of the rigs were listed as active. At the bottom of the bust in 1986, rig utilization was less than 30 percent.

As of last Friday, there were 775 oil and gas rigs working nationwide, according to Baker Hughes Inc., a Houston-based oilfield tool maker that has kept track of the count since 1940. A year ago, the count was 1,055 rigs.

Heart pump recipient near 1-month milestone

HOUSTON (AP) — A Houston-area man who became the second recipient of a portable, battery-powered heart pump says he probably would have died if the experimental device wasn't installed last month.

Michael Templeton, 33, of Humble, Texas, received the second of five HeartMate devices in an operation Sept. 3 at the Texas Heart Institute.

"I wasn't making it, and I was real close to the end," Templeton told The New York Times Monday from his hospital room. But since he received the pump, Templeton said, "I can breathe deep, eat the things I like, am getting my strength back, and I feel good."

Victor Poirier, president of Thermo CardioSystems Inc. and developer of the pump, said last Monday that Templeton suffers from idiopathic cardiomyopathy, a heart muscle disease of unknown origin.

"The heart muscle has deteriorated to the point where it cannot propel the blood through the body," said Poirier, who is in

Houston today to present details of the project at a news conference at the hospital.

"By design, the patients (approved for the experimental device) are essentially on their last possible procedure when this device is used," Poirier said. "They are expected to die within next 24 to 48 hours. All of their other organs deteriorate rapidly because of the lack of blood being pumped to them."

Templeton, an electronics worker, is recovering very well, Poirier said.

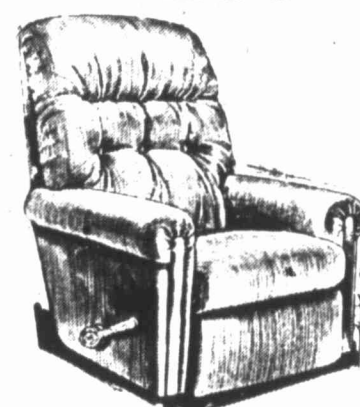
"He's exercising, walking daily, doing extremely well — beyond my wildest expectations, really," Poirier said. "I'm very pleased with what has transpired. I've been doing this (development) for 25 years, so this is the culmination of 25 years' work."

Poirier, trained as a mechanical engineer, previously has developed pneumatic models of heart pumps that have been successfully implanted into 56 patients. The new device relies on a miniature electric motor to pump the blood.

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Exxon Corp. settles for \$1 billion

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Exxon Corp. agreed to a \$1 billion settlement of state and federal lawsuits over the nation's worst oil spill — \$25 million more than a similar package rejected by a judge as too easy on the oil giant.

The agreement announced Monday by Gov. Walter J. Hickel guarantees more money for restoring Prince William Sound, but otherwise closely resembles the plea bargain rejected in March by U.S. District Judge H. Russel Holland.

Holland said then that the criminal penalty in the package was not severe enough to deter polluters. The judge has final say over the agreement.

The Legislature also voted down the first deal, but Hickel

said he wouldn't give it a chance to kill this one.

"I think this is a good settlement," he said Monday.

Like the first package, this one, if approved, would be biggest settlement of an environmental damage case in U.S. history.

"This is basically the same bad deal the judge, the Alaska Legislature and the public rejected before," said Sarah Chasis, a lawyer with the Natural Resources Defense Council in New York, which is suing Exxon for damages over the Exxon Valdez spill of March 24, 1989.

"I would be mystified if Judge Holland accepts it this time," said Pamela Brodie, Alaska representative of the Sierra Club.

Congress will send bill to president

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate and House are prepared to send President Bush a \$6.4 billion measure extending benefits for Americans who have been out of work the longest, setting the stage for a likely veto fight.

Senate Republicans forced a test vote scheduled for today in which, for procedural reasons, Democrats will need to find 60 votes to keep the measure alive.

But even GOP lawmakers conceded the Democrats would prevail, and both chambers of Congress were expected to send the measure to the White House by day's end.

The administration will put on

a full-court press, but I'm optimistic we'll get it," chief sponsor Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, said Monday.

The bill would provide up to 20 extra weeks of benefits for people who have exhausted the regular 26 weeks of payments.

Since about 300,000 Americans are using up their standard half-year of benefits every month, the measure has attained enormous political significance.

Democrats, their eyes on the 1992 presidential campaign, are hoping the fight over the legislation will convince the public that Bush cares little for domestic issues.

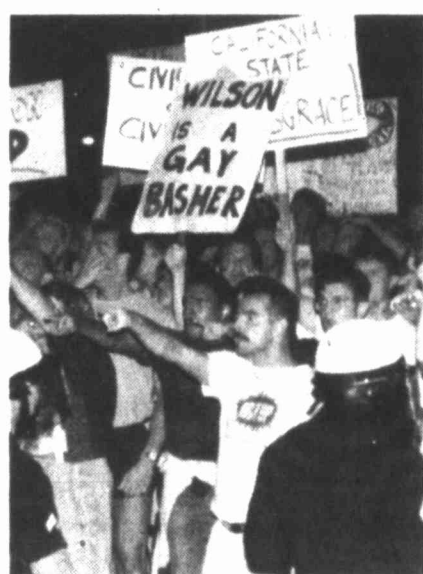
Gay-rights groups protesting veto

Some 5,000 demonstrators angry over California Gov. Pete Wilson's veto of a gay-rights bill smashed windows and spray-painted slogans at San Francisco's Civic Center. Thousands took to the streets in the Los Angeles area, burning Wilson in effigy.

No injuries were reported in either city Monday. One protester was arrested in Los Angeles for vandalism and another for throwing dye on two plainclothes officers, police said. No arrests were reported in San Francisco.

The protesters surrounded the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, where Wilson was meeting with the Mexican President Arturo Salinas de Gortari, and were kept at bay by police in riot gear.

"Gay and lesbian people are not just disappointed, they're angry. Pete Wilson is going to



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have hell to pay," said Torie Osborn of the L.A. Gay & Lesbian Community Services Center.



NEW YORK — Demonstrators near the United Nations wave candles Monday night as they protest the arrest of Haitian President Jean-Bertrand Aristide by mutinous soldiers in Haiti

Army seizes power and exiles Aristide

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — President Jean-Bertrand Aristide flew into exile today after the army ousted him and the first democratically elected government in Haiti's nearly two centuries as a nation.

He arrived this morning in Venezuela, en route to France, and met privately with the U.S. and French ambassadors in Caracas.

Haiti's acting army commander, Brig. Gen. Raoul Cedras, announced Monday night that the military had taken control. He did not say whether the country would be ruled by an individual officer or a group of officers.

The notoriously corrupt army, an agent of repression that has long dominated politics in Haiti, accused Aristide of interfering in its affairs. Indeed, Aristide retired the army's high command and was rumored to be training an elite unit for his protection.

Cedras urged calm and spoke of creating a "serene climate favorable to the next election."

The army rebellion began Sunday, and at least 26 people were killed and 200 wounded in related fighting or street violence. Many Haitians feared further violence

over the ouster of Aristide, who won 70 percent of the vote in Haiti's first free presidential elections and had championed the cause of the poor against dictator Jean-Claude Duvalier and a succession of military-dominated governments.

Sporadic gunfire rang out early today in Port-au-Prince, the capital of 1 million people, but few residents ventured outdoors after midnight. The city was reported quiet this morning.

Since taking office Feb. 7, Aristide forged a good relationship with the United States and set about improving the lot of the 6 million people in the Western Hemisphere's poorest country.

Last week, during a three-day visit to the United States, the 38-year-old Roman Catholic priest's speech was warmly received at the United Nations, and he was cheered during visits to Haitian communities in Miami and New York City. France, which once ruled Haiti as a colony, today suspended foreign aid to Haiti and demanded that Aristide be restored to office. The U.S. Embassy, meanwhile, denounced the coup as "an outrageous attack."

U.N. team returns for Scud search

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — A team of U.N. ballistic weapons experts flew to Baghdad today to test Iraq's willingness to allow U.N. inspectors free use of helicopters to scan the country for Scud missile launchers and rockets.

Inspectors tracking Iraq's nuclear, chemical, conventional and biological weapon programs have until now been able to operate only near Baghdad because of the lack of helicopters.

The U.N. Special Commission overseeing the weapons search was waiting for "diplomatic clearance" from Baghdad before it could bring three German helicopters into the country from Turkey.

"It's not a major problem,"

said the commission's regional office chief in Bahrain, Alastair Livingston.

The delay on allowing the helicopters into the country has been just one in a series of confrontations with Baghdad.

Saddam Hussein's government has repeatedly stalled on compliance with Gulf War cease-fire conditions set by the U.N. Security Council that call for the elimination of Iraq's weapons of mass destruction.

Douglas Englund, an American who leads the 20-member ballistic team, said he would use the helicopters to search western Iraq and supervise destruction of the 28 Scud fixed-site launchers used to attack Israel during the Gulf War.

Police say they can't stop attacks

BERLIN (AP) — A nationwide police union is expressing frustration at what it calls the lack of political will to bring an end to dozens of attacks on foreigners in recent weeks by neo-Nazis.

The incidents are on the rise as Germany prepares to celebrate its first anniversary as a unified nation.

Some Germans are calling for curbing the number of refugees allowed into their country, while others stress that energy should be devoted to fighting the prejudice itself.

The influential newsmagazine *Der Spiegel* said this week that the violence recalls

Kristallnacht, the November 1938 night that Nazi thugs raged nationwide, destroying Jewish homes and businesses.

This time, the targets are Vietnamese, Mozambican and eastern European immigrants searching for a better life in Germany.

In the most recent attack, about 20 neo-Nazis stormed into a restaurant in the eastern German town of Ilmenau on Monday, hitting foreign students with baseball bats.

Also Monday, police said rightist radicals pelted refugee shelters with stones in the towns of Jueterbog and Prenzlau.

U.S. troops withdraw from border

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — U.S. soldiers withdrew today from a strategic border with Communist North Korea, handing their camps and patrol mission over to South Korean troops for the first time in 38 years.

South Korean officials said a brief ceremony marked the departure of American troops from the sensitive area just south of the truce village of Panmunjom, inside the Demilitarized Zone that separates the rival Koreas.

The withdrawal was symbolic of a U.S. military shift from leadership to a supporting role.

From now on, all but a small number of American soldiers guarding the isolated truce village will stay outside the 2.5-mile-wide DMZ.

The DMZ, extending the width of the Korean peninsula roughly



PATROLING ALONG THE DEMILITARIZED ZONE

along the 38th parallel, was established by the 1953 armistice that ended the three-year Korean War.

Families to get better protection

BOSTON (AP) — Officers in every police department in Massachusetts are under orders beginning today to arrest anyone who violates a family restraining order.

The new guidelines on the handling of spouse-battering and child abuse cases were ordered by the Legislature last December and worked out by a panel of police chiefs, victims' advocates, court officials, prosecutors and others.

Under the guidelines, police must also check for signs of child abuse in households where there is domestic violence, file an incident report even if no one is arrested and inform the victim when the assailant is released on bail.

Police also can make an arrest for abuse without actually witnessing the mistreatment and take suspects into custody even if the victim won't press charges.

Previously, officers had discretion in deciding whether to arrest someone for violating a court order protecting another person from harassment or abuse.

In domestic violence cases, officers often would not make an arrest if they did not see the abuse or if the victim did not want to press charges.

The guidelines follow instances around the country in which women who obtained court orders protecting them against abusive husbands or boyfriends were killed or injured after police failed to act against violations.

"On paper, this is a good system," said Joan Stiles, public education coordinator for the Massachusetts Coalition of Battered Women Service Groups. "It remains to be seen if we can make it work."

Departments had until Monday to accept the proposal as is or spell out variations in the way it would be implemented in their towns. State officials said most of the variations recommended made the guidelines tougher.

"We have come light years in working with police," said Rai Kowal, deputy director of the Massachusetts Committee on Criminal Justice.



Train derailment

PINECLIFF, Colo. — A Southern Pacific freight train was derailed Monday by a rock slide near

Pinecliff, Colo. Two railroad employees were killed and at least two others were injured.

Civil rights commission under fire

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House is extending the life of the U.S. Civil Rights Commission, but only briefly and with less money.

The House on Monday passed on a voice vote a bill authorizing a budget for the commission of \$6 million a year — \$1 million less than it is spending this year, and far short of the \$10 million a year the Bush administration requested.

The bill would extend the commission's life for two years, through 1993, far less than the 10-year extension sought by the Bush administration. Commission Chairman Arthur A. Fletcher wanted 25 years.

The measure now goes to the Senate.

Before the vote, House members expressed dissatisfaction with the commission, which is supposed to investigate discrimination in the United States.

"We did examine the work of the Civil Rights Commission with great care, and were disappointed with the record of the past two years," said Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., chairman of the Judiciary

subcommittee on civil and constitutional rights.

Others complained that the rights panel held no hearings during the past two years and issued only one report.

"The commission seemed to be expending its energy more on divisive rhetoric than on fulfilling its mandate to investigate and report," said Judiciary Chairman Jack Brooks, D-Texas.

Both Brooks and Edwards supported the smaller reauthorization measure. Both said the commission has shown some signs of improvement since the Fletcher became chairman.

But Republican Rep. James Sensenbrenner of Wisconsin urged it be abolished, calling the panel "an agency that has been mismanaged, hasn't done anything and is roundly criticized even by its supporters."

"It's time to put this commission out of its misery," Sensenbrenner said.

Fletcher, who was appointed by President Bush, said his commission's staff was suffering from

budget cuts during the 1980s that reduced the staff from nearly 300 to 77 and forced the closure of most regional offices.

"Give us the staff we need in the field to do investigations," Fletcher said in a telephone interview from Denver. "I'd like nothing better than to hold hearings. . . . It's a crime that we don't have enough staff to do a good job of looking at the education system."

The Civil Rights Commission is an independent agency whose members are appointed by the president and Congress.

Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., ranking Republican on the Judiciary Committee, supported the budget cut and short extension. He said they "may seem harsh" but are "meant to send a clear message to the Civil Rights Commission."

Sensenbrenner, however, took issue with the Bush administration's support for the panel.

"Even my administration can be wrong, and I'm awfully afraid it is on this one," he said. "There isn't anything in the record that indicates to me this commission is going to clean up its act."

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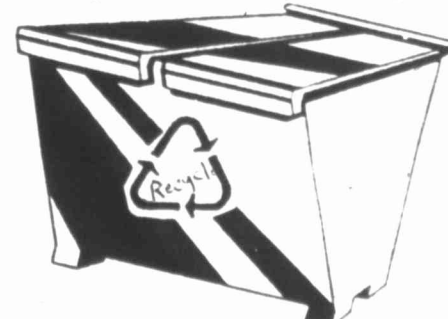
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Soft drinks, beer and some pet foods come in aluminum cans. Aluminum tends to be shiny and a magnet will not stick to it. Rinse the can and smash as much as possible. It is not necessary to move both ends or to remove any labels.

STEEL

Most canned foods can in steel cans. A magnet will stick to steel cans. Rinse the can and remove both ends. The ends should also be checked with the magnet because occasionally a different material will be used. Smash the can as much as possible. It is not necessary to remove the paper labels from the cans.

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Council, citizens both responsible

Who does the Big Spring City Council represent? Citizens have a valid reason to be concerned as the council repeatedly fails to address questions and issues raised by the general public.

At Monday night's special meeting, the council reversed its decision to schedule a Nov. 5 election date on a citizens' petition to amend the city charter.

Overriding the expressed concerns of council members Corky Harris, Tim Blackshear and Pat DeAnda, the majority voted to postpone the referendum until Jan. 18 on the flimsiest of reasons. Mayor Maxwell Green and council members Ladd Smith, Mark Sheedy and John Coffee decided to submit the proposed election to the United States Department of Justice for approval under the Voting Rights Act, even though such prior approval is neither necessary nor customary.

It remains to be seen if they can legally do this. The Fraternal Order of Police seems determined to take the issue to court and we can only hope for an early ruling.

More important are the ethical and moral issues involved. Does the council have the right to disregard the expressed wishes of the public that it represents to follow their own agenda?

This really depends on the public. If no one bothers to come to council meetings and watch what is happening, if no one stands up publicly and demands to be heard, if no one objects to being ignored, the council can safely assume that no one cares what they do or why they do it.

Obviously, we're concerned about four members of the council who seem to have forgotten that they were elected to represent all of the people. If this "gang of four," as they are beginning to be called, is acting out of self-interest, they can only continue to do so with the tacit consent of an apathetic citizenry.

We urge the citizens of Big Spring to attend the city council meetings, to become informed on the issues, and to follow the actions of their elected officials.

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Washington is aware of nation's frustration

By RANDY WYNN
Herald Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — People who think Washington considers itself the center of civilization are all wrong — or at least not on target the way they used to be.

The capital is more aware these days that many Americans could live full and happy lives, thank you, without hearing another Washington talk show, listening to another self-righteous politician or receiving another newsletter from their congressmen.

Politicians, pundits and bureaucrats fresh from their summer vacations have returned to a capital city in the midst of one of its periodic identity crises.

There's nothing going on here to compare with the upheaval in Moscow. But a combination of irritants including the recession, the political climate and national unresolved issues gnaw at Washington's self-esteem and stature.

The supposedly recession-proof local economy is a disaster. Washington area banks are the shakiest in the nation. The national economy is not much better, and Washington has no idea what to do about it.

Politicians who have spent years declaring themselves tough on crime go to work each day in the nation's murder capital. Tourists wonder if the capital is safe. Casting doubt on national urban policy, the nation's capital suffers from a local government only recently rescued from total disgrace and constantly in need of financial bailouts.

If all that were not bad enough, Washington is also being plagued by an embarrassing migration of government and private sector jobs to West Virginia.

When things go wrong in a big way, as in the savings and loans debacle, Washington's contribution is to bicker over who's to blame. That only increases the public perception that nearly every major issue is mishandled in a way that hits the taxpayer in the wallet.

The year began with five U.S. senators receiving scoldings for their work on behalf of Charles Keating. Then the Kennedy family got in trouble in Palm Beach during spring vacation. Virginia Sen. Charles Robb was more recently embarrassed by a beauty queen's

claims of hanky-panky.

The general public's reaction to the prospect of a 1992 presidential campaign is a giant yawn.

The problem is that Washington has "punted" so often on issues important to everyday American life, either because politicians cannot figure out what to do about those problems or have no money to spend on them. The federal budget deficit has left politicians without money to throw at problems, and thus largely impotent.

Returning to Capitol Hill after a month on the road, congressman report general public dissatisfaction with Washington's performance.

"Throughout my district this recess, people expressed their tremendous frustration with a Congress that has yet to make meaningful reforms in our budget process, a Congress unable to control its appetite for spending, a Congress that seems more interested in taking care of itself than in taking care of the nation," declared Rep. Peter Goss, R-Fla.

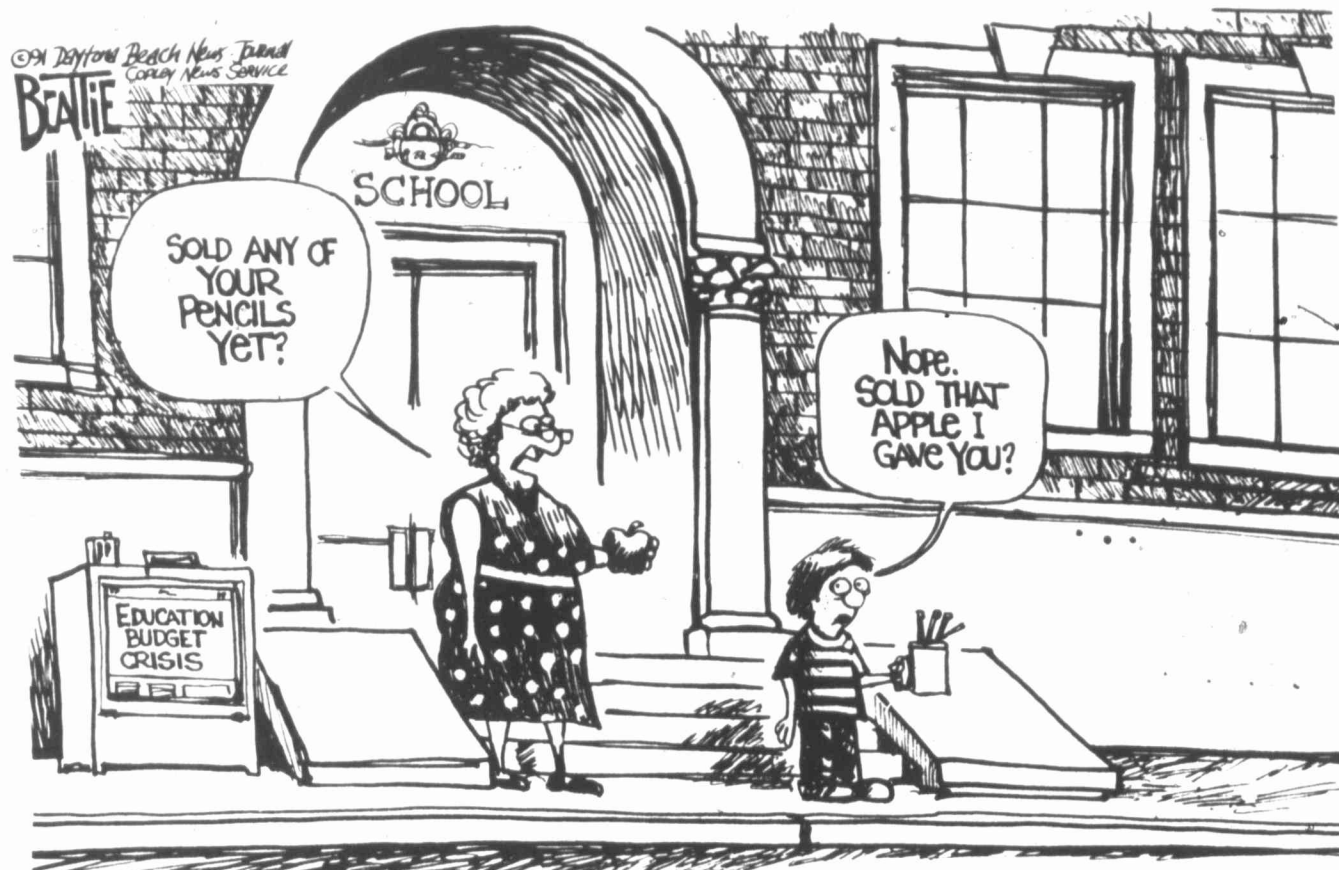
Ohio Republican John Kasich put it more succinctly. "Folks are just downright disgusted with us and the rest of the federal government," he said.

Democrats also heard the message. During a caucus of the House majority, members complained that health costs and medical insurance were the issues most frequently mentioned.

Since Congress remains far from agreeing on what to do about the health insurance problem, final action on the issue is no closer than it has been for years. But rank-and-file Democrats demanded some form of action even if it is more talk than substance.

"Holding hearings and marking up a bill would at least get the people's attention that we're doing something about it," said one House Democrat. Or in the best Washington tradition, leave the impression that something is being done.

Capitol report



Statistics more than numbers

By JOE OLVERA
El Paso Times

EL PASO, Texas — It angers me the way some columnists and writers of letters-to-the-editor blast away at those poor unfortunates who migrate illegally to the United States.

Those people who cross the border illegally are desperately trying to survive, to feed their families.

Yet, anti-Mexican columnists often blast away at these people without understanding the need that forces them to cross the border daily.

They don't understand why these unfortunates risk their very lives to come to the United States. They only see statistics, they only see numbers.

But, the unfortunates are more than numbers. They are living, breathing, intelligent human beings. If people would only look close enough, they might even find a little something of themselves in the unfortunates. Maybe that's why some are afraid to look closely. They fear what they might see.

But, we can't forget — those of us who are of Mexican descent — the old truism: "There, but for the grace of God and the United States, go I."

Let me tell you about three people I know.

I'll just call the first Licha because I don't want to embarrass her or her family. But, rest assured, she does have a last name.

Guest column

Licha comes to El Paso to work whenever she can scrape up the money for bus fare. A trip from her little village, near Delicias, Chihuahua, Mexico, costs just \$7. But that's \$7 she needs to feed her family.

She has four boys, ages 4 to 14. The oldest child says he can't wait until he grows up so that he too can come to the United States to work. Right now, however, he has to be satisfied with working the fields in his small village.

When there is field work, the times are relatively good. Between him and his two brothers, they earn about 30,000 pesos a day; that's \$3.

When there are no crops to pick, the family goes hungry. That's when Licha starts getting ideas of coming to El Paso to work illegally. She cries to realize that the \$7 she needs for bus fare could feed her family for two days.

Working as a maid, it takes her about two weeks before she can send money home, meanwhile her kids go hungry. When she finally has money, she sends most of it, keeping only a small amount for necessities.

Then, there's Roque. He's 12 years old. Roque always wanted to attend school in the United States. An intelligent child, he knew that if he stayed in his small village near Meoqui, Chihuahua, Mexico, he would only go to

school up to the sixth grade. Beyond that, his family can't afford his schooling.

His father, Rene, finally was able to fix his papers. In August, Roque was able to come to El Paso to join his father. Along with him came his mother and his brother and little sister. Roque was thrilled to be in El Paso, finally going to school here and planning for his future.

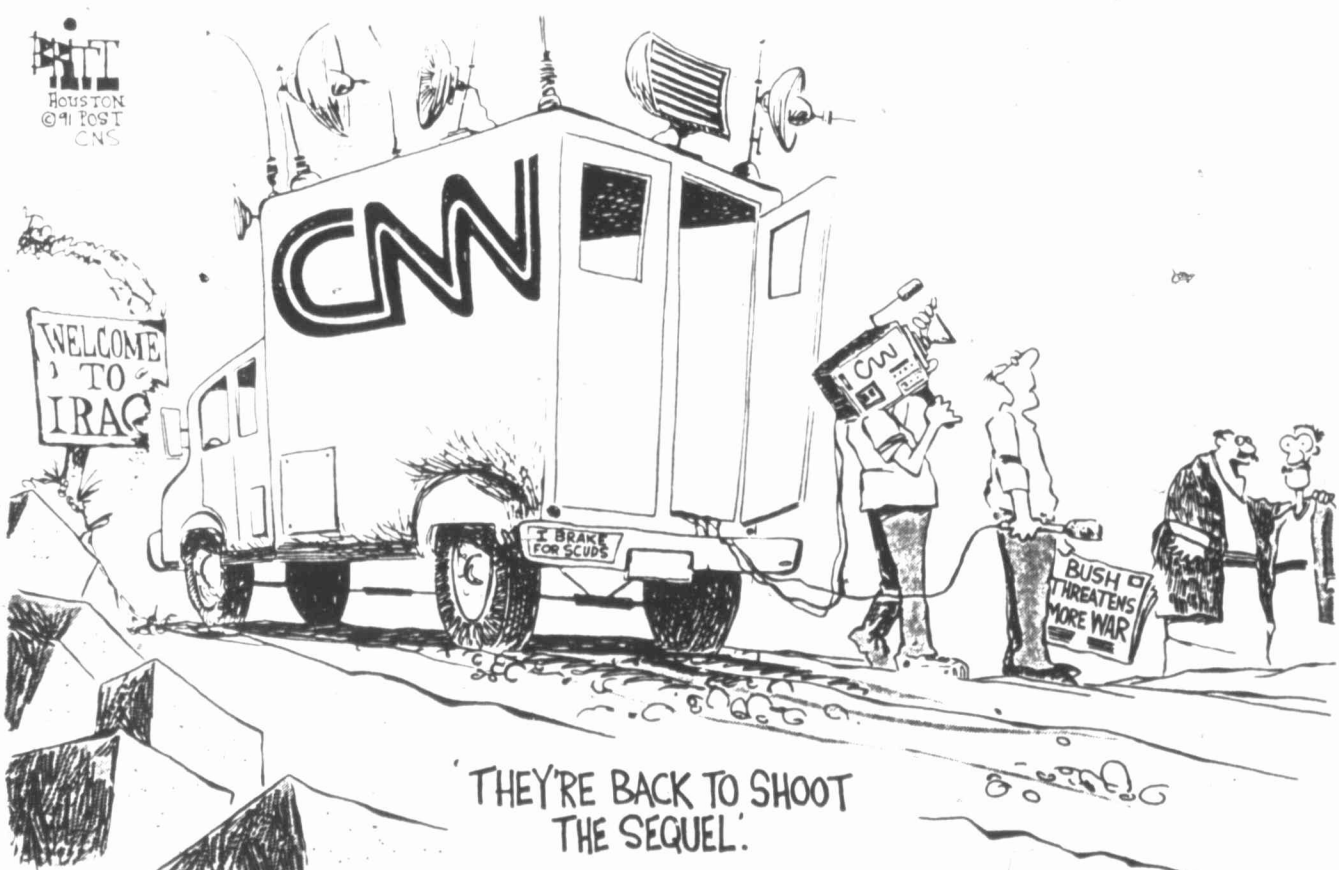
But tragedy struck. Roque's father was run over by a pickup truck and killed. Roque and his family were forced to return to Mexico. His dreams of a U.S. education have now been dashed to bits.

Roque returns to a two-room home with his grandmother; a home that was recently destroyed by heavy rains. Roque and his family must rebuild, but they must do it without Roque's father.

Ramona, 45, is someone who never has crossed the border illegally to work. She can't afford the bus fare. What little money she earns, she gets by washing laundry for her neighbors.

Her husband, an alcoholic, is abusive and tries to take her money for his booze. Her son takes after the father and also tries to hit her, but she stands up for herself.

She has another boy who has epileptic seizures. The family's normal diet consists of tortillas filled with lard or with sugar. Sugar tortillas? Now, there's one I'd never heard of. But, people do what they must to survive.



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Mailbag

Filling vacancy on Coahoma board

To the editor:

There is a vacancy on the Coahoma School Board. This vacancy was created by Jim Mathison's being transferred by his employer from the Coahoma Independent School District.

The Board will meet Wednesday evening, October 2, at 7:00 p.m. to consider filling this vacancy. They have several options in handling this matter.

I would urge each concerned in-

dividual to contact every Board member, and insist that the voice of the people as shown in the April Election tally be followed. The voters have spoken loud and clear.

Let's ask that Gail Wells be appointed to fill the remainder of this trustee's term. She is a very qualified and respected person and would take a stand for which our Community could be proud!

On second thought, let's also attend this Wednesday evening's meeting and show our interest and concern, even though this issue will be discussed in Executive Session.

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Letters

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Art
Buchwald



Pills for healing, investing

Years ago the big profits in the United States were made in oil. These days they come from pharmaceuticals.

The price of prescription drugs rose 153 percent during the '80s and is going still higher. Pills cost so much that Americans are now buying them for investment rather than for curing an ailment.

Tom Bedocs is one of the major speculators in prescription drug trading and has made a fortune. He invited me over to his house to see his pill collection.

Two burly guards searched me and escorted me into Bedocs' ornate office.

He said, "Pill dealing was never much of a business in the past. People just took pills without thinking about them appreciating in value. They are now kicking themselves for not putting their prescriptions away in a safe."

He held up a pink capsule. "Take this diuretic, for example. Originally it was made for high blood pressure and cost 25 cents.

If I sold it today it would be worth \$25,000. Of course, that's not all profit for me. The drug companies would get at least half."

"What's in that case over there?"

"That's a tranquilizer," Tom said. "Sotheby's sold one like it last week for \$18,000. It's a big item with pill collectors."

"How do you explain the surge in prescription drug prices in the last few years?"

"It's related to the price of cotton. As you know, all prescriptions come one part pill and five parts cotton. When the price of cotton went soaring, the manufacturers had no choice but to raise the cost of their drugs. I read in a prescription drug catalogue that you can get \$8,000 just for the cotton that comes in the bottles."

One of the guards brought out a velvet tray.

Bedocs picked up a magnifying glass from his desk.

"These are some of the crown jewels of prescription drugs. This green pill is made of aspirin and codeine. It was sold to us by an old lady on Medicare who found it when she was cleaning out her medicine cabinet. It was obvious that she had no idea of the value of the tablet, and thought it had something to do with pain. The company that made it offered me \$11,000 to buy it back because they were planning to raise the price of it again."

He showed me a black and white capsule. "There are collectors all over the country who would kill for this muscle relaxer."

"How much is it?"

Tom laughed. "If you have to ask, you can't afford it."

"The drug companies say that they need to charge a lot of money and make unbelievable profits in order to stay in business," I said.

"They have to say that because people are starting to complain about the costs. The fact is that prescriptions are a risky gamble, and you shouldn't accept one from your doctor if you are going to complain about the bill."

The guard took away one tray and brought another.

"What are those?" I asked.

"They're over-the-counter drugs. Since prescription ones have gotten so expensive, many investors are now turning their attention to these. You can make a bonanza on them if you know what you're doing. This sugar-coated anticid pill was 4 cents two years ago and is now worth \$15. I don't sell them. I just keep them around to amuse my friends."

"Aren't you afraid of keeping so many valuable prescription drugs in your house?"

"Not really. Even if the thieves got inside, no one would be able to open the safety tops of the bottles."

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Local specialty store offers insights into men's fashion

By MARSHA STURDIVANT
Staff Writer

Men generally wear what their women like. And men in Big Spring are usually dressed about two years behind the latest fashion, according to Gentleman's Corner store manager Henrietta Morales.

"I'd say 60 percent of all our customers are women. They buy clothing for their husbands or as gifts for family members," said Morales about the store in Big Spring. More than 80 percent of the customers at the Gentleman's Corner in Midland are women.

She said men generally bring their wives with them when they shop. If they visit the store alone, they ask the opinion of the women sales clerks.

Popular items for men this year include plaid jackets with earth tone colors, but Morales said her customers are not buying the look.

Sales clerk Renea McCutcheon said, "Within two years they'll be buying that here. Right now, our customers say the look is too old-fashioned."

Along with the plaid jackets, black or brown leather jackets are popular in Big Spring, said Morales. She ordered several for this winter's season from London Fog.

"Jackets are popular all year round. Men just push up the sleeves in the summer," she said. Earth tones such as olives, rusts, browns and mustards are popular colors this year. Also, natural fabrics such as cotton, rayon, silk and wool will be seen in men's clothing, she said.

"Cotton shirts are 100 percent fashionable this year. And there's a new fabric, mycrofiber, that's more processed than the old polyester," Morales said.

Double-breasted suits are still the main stay of the Gentleman's Corner. Lapels are wider and by changing the shirt and tie, a new look may be created from the same suit, she said. The average cost for a suit is \$350, she said.

"Men can change from very conservative to flashy by changing the shirt and tie. Ties are really wild, very colorful and the wilder the better. Wearing casual shirts with a suit is also popular. Unlike women, who have five different seasons to buy clothing, men have only two," she said.

"Baseball casual wear is really hot now. Anything that has to do with baseball," said Morales.



Herald photo by Marsha Sturdivant
Don Oliver of Gentlemen's Corner in Big Spring shows the many styles of ties available at the shop. Men can change the look of a suit from conservative to flashy merely by choosing a different tie.

McCutcheon said suspenders, now called braces, are also popular. Wearing suits with casual shirts and no tie is also another look for the year, she said.

But men in Big Spring stick more to the blue jean look, said Morales. "Bealls and J.C. Penney take care of that, so we don't try to compete."

Gentleman's Corner also offers young men's fashion, from sizes 14 to 20, said Don Oliver, sales

clerk for the store. "Casual wear is popular here, even if we don't sell a lot of it. Big Spring is two to three years behind."

Along with ties, dress shirt, hats and cologne, the Gentleman's Corner also sells tuxedos, and offers tuxedo rental for its customers. Alteration and tailoring are also available. The store at 223 Main St. is open from 9:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Men seek a little individuality

By The Associated Press
What's new in men's fashions for the fall season? As usual, it depends on who you ask, but there seems to be agreement on color choice and comfortable fabrics.

According to a Liz Claiborne representative, "Fall is defined by a dynamic combination of texture, tone and well tailored pieces."

"As life gets busier, men are looking for clothes which reflect a modern sense of style, which hinges on pure, understated sophistication."

Marcos Ergas
Designer

Another fashion observer says fall's best looks reflect an earthier way of dressing, combined with European savoir-faire, but when asked for the rule of thumb for the season, replies: "There isn't one — but look for checks, softness and more jeweled tones."

Designer Marcos Ergas agrees. He believes men have begun to express a desire for more individuality in dressing.

"Fabrics, innovation and colors have all been discovered by men," Ergas says. "As life gets busier, men are looking for clothes which reflect a modern sense of style, which hinges on pure, understated sophistication."

In fall colors, Ergas is enthusiastic about gray, declaring "charcoal will never look drab again. Today's version is heathered tones which will awaken any men's wardrobe creating an utterly sophisticated statement."

In fabrics, he likes the softness of ultrasuede, the plushness of velvets, and the modern look of cotton and wool lycra knits. "The body will be wrapped in luxury," he says.

Some consultants refer to a new world order in fashion — namely, break the rules.

"Functional, warm-looking, comfortable clothes are what men want right now coupled with the added sophistication of international touches in detailing," notes Charles Cantrell, brand development manager for J.C. Penney Co.

"They want fashion value for their dollar and comfort in their closet. It is a simple concept — comfortable clothes just make you feel good."

Like many others in the fashion business, Cantrell believes that with the recession and environmental concerns on many people's minds, men want to relax a bit to get away from it all when they're not on the job.



Associated Press photo

Looking good

Sharp's two-button olive and black-flecked single breasted young men's suit, in 'Celebrate' acetate and rayon, features pants with an inverted pleat front, and is paired with an olive print shirt.

Witnesses of violence become partners in crime

DEAR ABBY: Nearly every day, we read or hear about a major crime (such as murder) that was committed in the presence of many witnesses, but nobody called the police until after it was too late to save the victim.

Have we forgotten Kitty Genovese, who was stabbed in three separate attacks for more than half an hour in the courtyard of her New York apartment while 38 neighbors watched and did nothing? Only one person called the police — and that was after Kitty was already dead!

That happened in 1964, but it inspired the social psychologists to study the apathy of our "I-don't-want-to-get-involved" society so prevalent in our nation today.

They concluded that when more than one person witnesses a crime, there is a "diffusion" of responsibility — all the witnesses assume that "someone else" will call the police. So nobody calls.

I am not proud of the fact that I have been guilty of the above attitude. Please print this. — NEVER AGAIN IN N.Y.C.

DEAR NEVER AGAIN: Thank you for writing to acknowledge your guilt. Perhaps your letter will cause others who witness a crime to call the police immediately.

DEAR ABBY: Please settle an argument I am having with a friend. She says it's tacky to state on an invitation to a bridal shower where the bride is registered.

I say it is a proper way to let people know where they can buy a gift. And it doesn't mean that everyone invited to the shower has to buy the gift at that store.

If you think it is considered tacky, please suggest a less tacky

Dear Abby



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This reminds me of the story about a young woman with six children waiting on the street corner for a bus. An elderly woman approached her and remarked that all the children so greatly resembled her — but could they all be hers, since they appeared to range only

several years in age?

The young mother replied that they were three sets of twins — born a year apart, and they were all hers.

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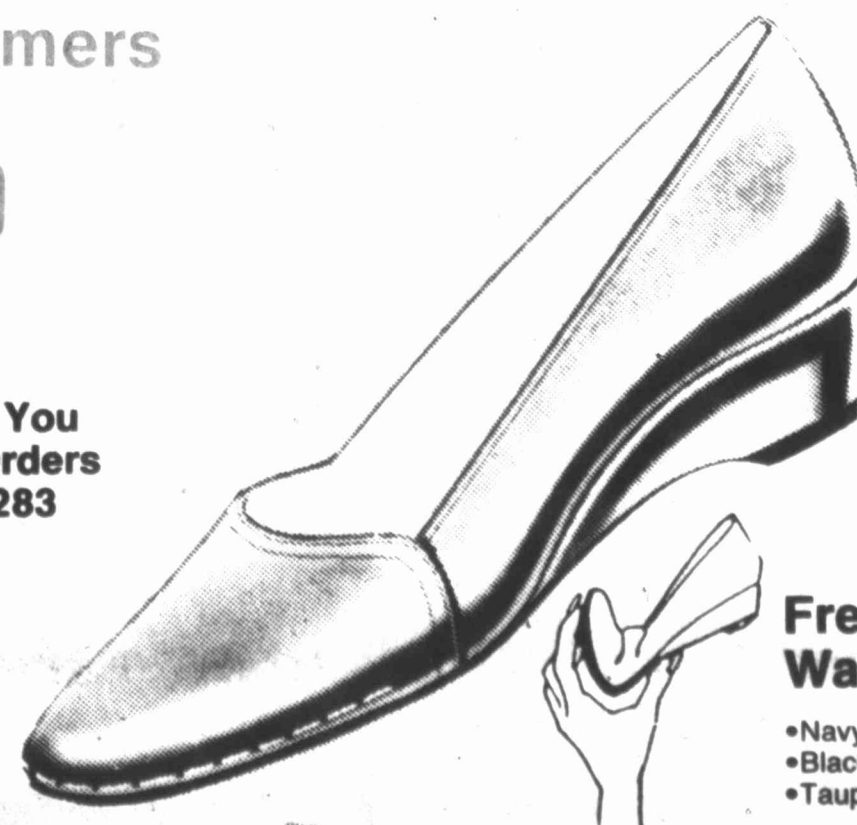
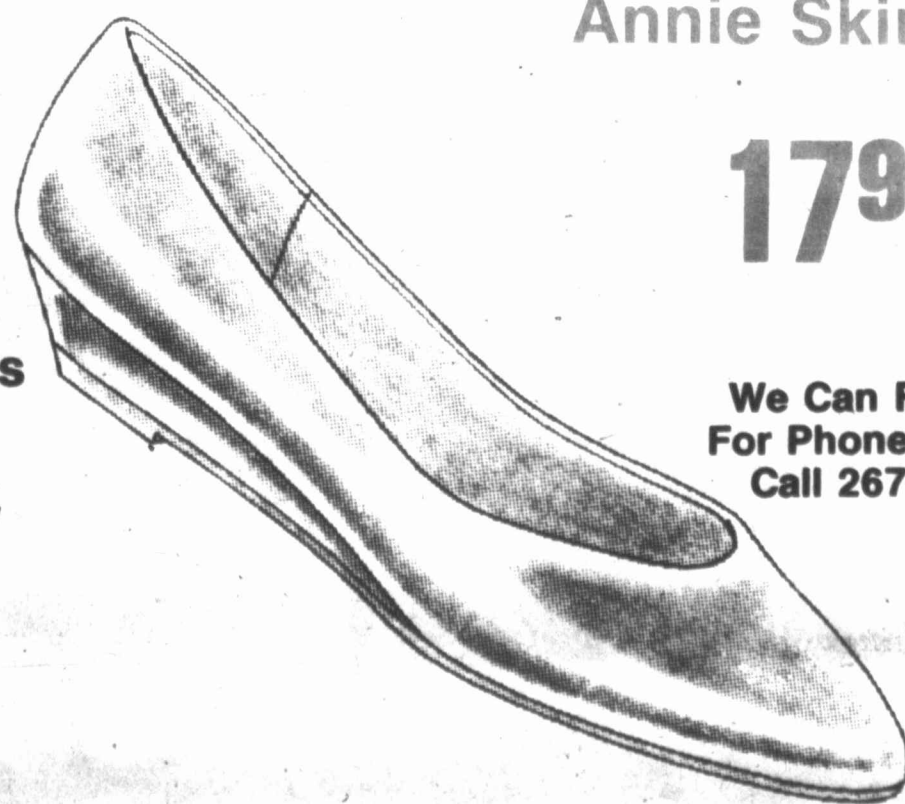
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How's that?

Q. Louise Mandrell is a native of what city?

A. According to Texas Trivia, she is a native of Corpus Christi.

Calendar

TODAY

• The City of Big Spring Clean Team will be working in District 4 today through Thursday. If you have articles to be picked up, call the city at 263-8311.

• Big Spring Bass Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Big Spring High School room V-19.

• Coahoma Elementary School will have a meeting for parents of students in the Chapter One Program at 6:45 p.m. in the elementary school library.

• Coahoma elementary, junior high and high schools will have fall open house from 7-8 p.m. All parents are encouraged to attend. For more information call 394-4535.

• Are you concerned about someone's drinking? Al-Anon will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 615 Settles St.

• Coahoma Athletic Booster's will meet at 7 p.m. in the Coahoma Elementary cafeteria. Highlights of the JV and varsity football games will be shown. For more information call 394-4405.

• AMAC (Adults Molested As Children) will meet at 5:15 p.m. in the Saint Mary's Episcopal Church library, 1001 Goliad St. Anyone interested must call first — Dr. Federman or Dawn Pearson at 267-8216 ext. 287.

• The Parenting Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. at the Howard County Mental Health Center. They provide support and parent education to assist parents in coping effectively with their children and teenagers. Anyone interested must call first — John McGuffy or Dawn Garrett, 267-8216 ext. 287.

• Desert Storm Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. at the Scenic Mountain Medical Center cafeteria.

• The Compassionate Friends, a support group for parents and grandparents who have lost a child through death will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, room 113. Use the southeast entrance.

Cotton growers support joining program

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

Joining an eradication program to help rid cotton of the boll weevil received "overwhelming support" from about 150 Howard County producers who attended a meeting Monday.

"It looks like there's overwhelming support for a boll weevil diapause program," said state agriculture extension agent Don Richardson of Big Spring, who took a survey of producers. "It looks like we'll try to join the High Plains (Boll Weevil Diapause Control Program) rather than (form) our own."

A proposal to join the program will be presented Oct. 9 at a meeting in Lubbock of the board of

directors of the High Plains program, Richardson said. Board members must approve the addition of Howard County.

If approved, Howard County farmers would pay charges ranging from 10 cents to 25 cents on each bale of cotton ginned to cover costs of the program. Participating farmers in the High Plains program elect board members and the board sets the bale assessment

fees, which are collected by cotton compress operators.

It is important that all cotton producers in an area participate, experts say, because boll weevils typically move into neighboring fields. The program targets problem areas and is able to spray pesticides at a cheaper cost.

Richardson said there was a good turnout at the meeting Monday at the Dora Roberts Fair

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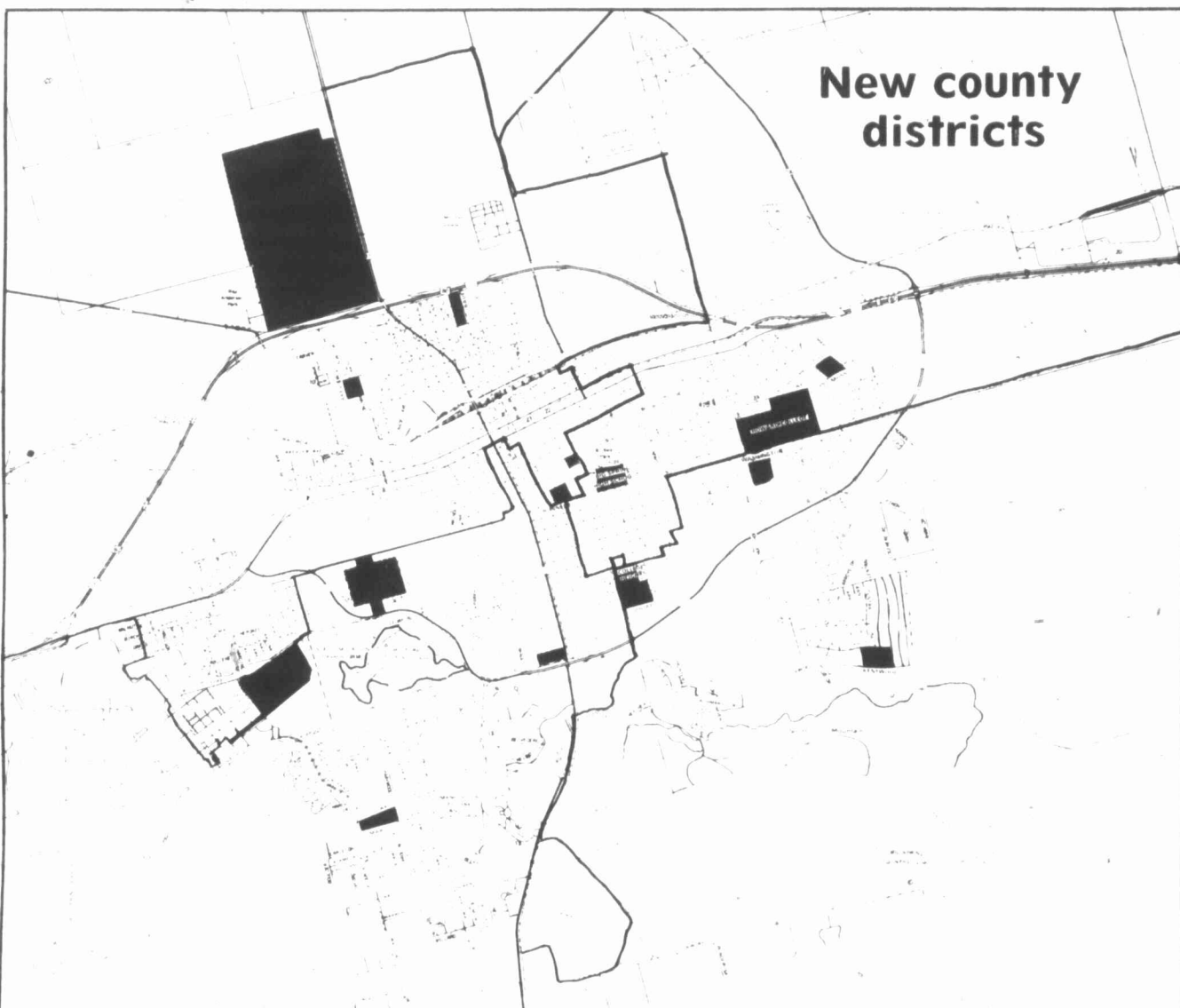
Don Richardson
State agriculture extension agent

worst infestation of boll weevils in that county, said state entomologist Victor Lucero of Stanton.

"We're going to see if they'll include us in their program," Lucero said.

"I think if we (Howard and Martin producers) can go together we can both get that included," Richardson said.

The High Plains program was created in the 1960s to thwart the westward migration of the boll weevil, which was stopped at the Cap Rock on the northern edges of Howard and Martin counties. The boll weevil was identified north of the Rio Grande for the first time in 1894 in Brownsville.



Council

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Twedell believes the mayor and council members purposely delayed this action, leaving little time before the 30-day election deadline of Oct. 5.

Referring to the 4-3 vote in the last council meeting to hold two special meetings to read an ordinance calling for the referendum

on Nov. 5, Twedell said, "I think they basically just lied. If they had voted down the Nov. 5 referendum last week, we would have had time to get it to court."

The council also voted to postpone a vote on the proposal to form a committee to revise the city charter until it can be adapted to

include the Jan. 18, 1992, date instead of the Nov. 5, date. It will be addressed at the regularly scheduled council meeting on Oct. 8.

The council concurred in a decision to cancel Tuesday's special session. The proposals will receive a second and final reading on the Oct. 8 regular council meeting.

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to approve or reject it.

Employees of Map Resources said they would begin on Monday to define the smaller voting districts within the precincts, information that is required in the final submission to the Justice Department, said County Judge Ben Lockhart.

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

• A convenience store on the 300 block of S. Gregg Street reported a bank bag containing currency,

"They're going to do it as soon as they can."

Candidate filing for next year's election begins Dec. 3. Up for election are precincts 1 and 3.

Prior to the vote to approve the plan, a public hearing was held Monday, which no private citizens attended.

coins and checks written to the store was found to be missing.

• A business on the 2900 block of W. 13th Street reported a glass door shattered over the past weekend. The door's value was estimated at \$185.00.

• A 22-year-old man from Odessa was arrested on a theft warrant.

Deaths

Evelyn Young

Evelyn Young, 64, Big Spring, died today in a local hospital.

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

Mable Arant

Mable Grace Arant, 78, Big Spring, died today at her residence.

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Pauline Holmes, 66, died Monday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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

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Sheriff's log

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

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negative votes were submitted.

Districts 2 and 3 defeated the issue, with a total of 546 against. Votes for the issue in those two districts were 455.

Early voters cast 1,051 votes against the issue, while 598 early voters supported bonds for new schools. The total ballots cast for the election were 3,425.

Murray Murphy, assistant superintendent for personnel with the district, reported that Marcy Principal Rey Villareal is undergoing skin grafts at the University

• A 33-year-old woman was arrested on a Midland County warrant for theft between \$20 and \$200. She was released on a \$1,000 bond.

Medical Center in Lubbock for a burn accident he sustained last week.

"Things are doing well over at his school. Tom Henry has been over there for several hours a day. Rey is doing well and there has been a tremendous response from the community," Murphy said.

R. Kent Bowerman, principal for the high school, underwent surgery at Scenic Mountain Medical Center on Monday. He is doing well, according to the nursing supervisor at the hospital.

College announces its 17th record enrollment

By GARY SHANKS
Staff Writer

An announcement of the 17th consecutive record enrollment to Howard College was overshadowed as the board of trustees voted to accept, with regret, the resignation of Precinct 1 trustee David Gomez.

"With regret because he was such a good man," said trustee Dr. P.W. Malone.

In his stead, the board voted to instate Charles Gonzales as the new Precinct 1 representative.

President Bob Riley endorsed Gonzales saying, "I found him impressive."

Following his appointment, Gonzales will be sworn in at the next board of trustees meeting and will serve the remaining eight months of Gomez' term before facing an election campaign in May, said Cheri Sparks, vice president for institutional advancement.

The board passed a resolution granting a tax abatement to Power Resources Inc.

The college is the last of several entities to grant the 5-year, 50-percent abatement, said Board Chairman James Barr.

The resignation of Terry Kesler was also accepted at Monday's meeting. Kesler was the instructor for the Heating/Air Conditioning program at the Federal Correc-

tional Institution.

Replacing Kesler will be Grant Meile from Midland.

The board also voted to instate David Drake, from Ranger Junior College, as the Learning Resources Center Director for Howard College.

Drake will be replacing Judith Fleming, who resigned shortly before the beginning of the fall semester.

In his report, president Riley congratulated the board for the 2,809 student enrollment for all Howard College campuses. "It's less than what we had last spring, but more than what we started with in the fall, so that makes the 17th record enrollment," he said.

Riley also said that because of changes in the workers compensation insurance plan, the college will be paying \$90,000 this fiscal year instead of \$130,000 for like benefits.

About 1,600 of the newly enrolled students are at the Big Spring campus of Howard College, he said.

In other business, the board discussed the present financial report, presented by trustee Harold Davis.

Following this discussion, the board voted to accept the current bills for August as presented in that report.



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Crossroads Chalk Talk

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

Area high school football teams battled 600 this past week, winning six games and losing four.

Leading the way were unbeaten teams Big Spring, a 34-13 winner over Snyder, Garden City, a 56-0 victor over Wall and Sands, which whipped New Home 50-8. Other teams winning were Grady, 51-6 over Loraine, Colorado City, 14-12 over Merkel and Borden County, 42-12 over Loop.

Coming out on the short end of the stick were: Stanton, a 42-6 loser to Wall; Forsan, which lost to Ozona 47-0; Klondike, which lost to Smyer 54-8; and Coahoma, which fell to Iraan 35-19.

Here is what area coaches had to say about last week's games and this week's encounters:

Borden County coach Bobby Avery on the win over Loop and this week's game with Klondike — "I thought we did real good. Loop is down this year in numbers, they're not a strong ballclub, but they do things well. They jumped on us early, and I was wondering if we could get going.

"But we dominated the game after they made that first touchdown. I was pretty pleased. We tried different things and did not let our usual rushers touch it (football) as much. We let the other backs run it a little.

"Klondike is not as tough as they've been in the past. They are down in numbers and hurting with some injuries. I expect a big effort out of Klondike, but I don't expect to see that great of a team."

Forsan coach Jan East on the loss to Ozona and this week's game with Iraan — "Ozona is not a real bad team, and they had three or four out. I didn't see a whole lot of improvement from our team. We had to start three freshmen in the backfield and that didn't help. It's pretty hard for freshmen to go up against seniors.

"I thought Iraan would be a lot like they were last year. But their quarterback Cory Mauer is throwing the ball better and they run the power sweep. If you can't stop the power sweep, they're going to beat you. They handled old Coahoma pretty well."

Coahoma coach Steve Park on the loss to Iraan and this week's important game with Wall — "We gave them some opportunities early. There was a time in the second quarter when they scored about three times off turnovers and a kickoff return.

"They are real quick and we just didn't take care of some of our jobs sometimes. You can't give a good ballclub those opportunities.

"Wall is very quick, offensively and defensively. They've got a lot of team speed. They execute well offensively and line up and come at you on defense."

Klondike coach Tom Ham on the loss to Smyer and this week's homecoming game with Borden County — "I was real pleased with the way our kids played. Our kids are bruised up but they'll be all right. There was taunting going on all night, but I was pleased the way they kept their cool.

"The night started out terrible. The school brought two new buses, we started out and the bus wouldn't start. So we ended up going to the game in two vans and a truck. We were late, we barely got there for the kickoff. It was terrible. It was one of those Murphy's Law Fridays.

"It's going to be tough. Borden County has its act together. They're playing well. We'll show up. We'll play the best we can. It's our homecoming."

Colorado City coach Tom Ramsey, on the narrow win over Merkel and this week's game with Wylie — "The kids played really well. We had two touchdowns called back because of penalties. Kevin (Green) played for the first time since the first game and gained 192 yards on 15 carries. He had one run of 45 yards called back and another 15-yard touchdown. He was smoking them and he's still not full speed.

"Wylie's first loss was last week. They're 2-1-1, a pretty good football team. They went to the playoffs last year and went farther than they've ever gone. They've got some speed.

"We're going have to hang on to the football and get some big plays. You've got to have some big plays to beat Wylie."

Grady coach Leandro Gonzales, on his team's first win and this week's game against Hermleigh — "We finally got our offense in gear and the defense played well. I was really proud of both. We were lacking in both and they really came through last Friday night.

"We finally had a game that we had all six starters back from the first scrimmage. We've had some injuries and it paid off to have them back.

"The kids came back after being 0-3, and they played well. I lost middle linebacker Manuel Aguirre to a dislocated elbow. He'll be out for three weeks.

"I scouted Hermleigh Saturday night. On offense they run an unbalanced wing T and I. They've got big boys up front. Their speed is fair."

Garden City coach Sam Scott, on the win over Wink and this week's district opener and homecoming tilt against Roscoe — "We played a real good game. We had a big win the week before and I was a little concerned about a letdown. They did an excellent job of getting up for Wink. That's the sign of a good football team.

"Roscoe is 2-2 and they've got 11 starters back both ways, so they've got to be better with that year of maturity. They've got some large kids — they average about 190 pounds on the line — and they've got some quickness.

"They are definitely better than they were a year ago."

Big Spring Steers coach Dwight Butler, on the win over Snyder and the open week this week — "I was really pleased the way we played in the first half. Again we had another letdown in the second half. I don't know why, it just shows our immaturity.

"It's awful hard to be intense when you've got that big of a lead, but we've got to learn to do that. We did some new things offensively and it put them (Snyder) in a bind. Gerald (Cobos) was able to check off on some plays and it put them in a bind.

"We're going to work on some stuff this week, break down our passing game, work on running some routes, we're getting a little sloppy. We'll also work on some defensive things. It's a good time to go back and to that, right before district starts."

Sands Coach Randy Roemisch, on the win over New Home and this week's game against Ira — "We played all right. We were kind of flat after we scored 22 points in the first three times we touched the ball. "We did good. We went in there and took care of them quickly. We kept our heads into the game and I was a little worried about that after the Christoval game.

"Ira is 1-3 and their good kid is Mike Hughes. He does it all. They like to run him out of the deep back and he'll throw it sometimes. We've got a good shot at winning if we stop him."

Redskins pluck Eagles, 23-0

WASHINGTON (AP) — Darrell Green had two interceptions and Charles Mann had two sacks as Washington notched its third shutout in five games this season.

But it was a first-quarter knee injury sustained by star-crossed Philadelphia quarterback Jim McMahon that ensured the Washington Redskins would remain one of the NFL's three unbeaten teams.

The Redskins beat the Eagles 23-0 Monday night as Mark Rypien threw a 19-yard touchdown pass to Art Monk. Earnest Byner ran in from 7 yards out and Chip Lohmiller had field goals of 37, 35 and 27 yards.

But most of the credit has to go to a defense that limited Philadelphia to 89 total yards, got five sacks and three interceptions and never let the Eagles cross midfield after they reached the Washington 47 on their first possession.

"They have a good defense but we made it look awesome," said Pat Ryan, who took most of the pounding after McMahon went out with a knee injury in the first quarter.

"They played well but I haven't figured out if they played that good or we played that bad."

McMahon sprained a ligament in his right knee when he scrambled toward the sideline while being chased by Wilber Marshall, his former teammate on the 1985 Super Bowl champion Chicago Bears.

McMahon, who was 4 of 6 for 32 yards during his short stint, was on crutches in the locker room after the game. Dr. Vincent DiStefano, the team physician, said it probably wasn't a season-ending injury but added that McMahon "will be out for some time."

McMahon had replaced Randall Cunningham after Cunningham was lost for the season with a knee injury on opening day and provided some spark to the offense.

But Ryan, his replacement Monday night, struggled in his first action in more than two seasons — he sat out 1990 after 12 years as a backup with the New York Jets — going 4 of 14 for 24 yards with three interceptions.

"Before the injury, our offense was moving the ball well but I'm not going to make any excuses," Philadelphia coach Rich Kotite said.

The best chance for Philadelphia (3-2) came on the first series of the



WASHINGTON — Washington Redskins running back Earnest Byner (21) confronts Philadelphia Eagles linebacker Seth Joyner during second half

action at RFK Stadium Monday night. Byner scored a touchdown to lead the Redskins to a 23-0 victory.

second half, when Rypien stumbled, then fumbled and Wes Hopkins recovered for the Eagles at the Washington 10. But one play later, Green had his second interception — picking off Ryan's pass to a well-covered Kenny Jackson in the end zone.

"The flow of the game changed dramatically when we threw that interception in the end zone," Kotite said. "But give credit where credit is due. Their defense was relentless."

But other than that, the Eagles never got beyond the Washington 47 — and that was on the first series of the game as Washington posted its third straight home shutout — the first team to open the season that way since Detroit in 1934. In two road wins, the Redskins have

allowed 58 points to Dallas and Cincinnati.

Washington wasn't much better on offense. Rypien, who was 13 of 23 for 204 yards, threw two interceptions, fumbled four times and lost two, once halting a drive at the Philadelphia 14. But two plays after that, Collins intercepted Ryan and returned the ball to the Eagles' 7, setting up Byner's TD run.

"We struggled because their defense is so good," acknowledged coach Joe Gibbs.

Eric Allen's interception ended an early Washington threat after a 75-yard pass from Rypien to Gary Clark had given the Redskins a first down at the Eagles' 7.

But the Eagles went nowhere — and after Washington knocked out

McMahon, it scored 10 points on its next two possessions.

First Fred Stokes sacked Ryan at the Eagles' 15, giving Washington field position at its own 46. Nine plays later, on third-and-9 from the 19, Rypien found Monk far behind Izel Jenkins and it was 7-0.

The Eagles went three-and-out again and this time Brian Mitchell returned Jeff Feagles' punt 14 yards to the Philadelphia 36. That set up Lohmiller's 37-yarder that made it 10-0 with 3:26 left in the half.

After Green's second interception stopped the Eagles, the Redskins drove 62 yards in 14 plays to set up Lohmiller's second field goal, which came with 4:38 left in the third period.

Mustangs lose QB

DALLAS (AP) — Quarterback Mike Romo, who helped revive SMU's football program from an NCAA "death penalty," has been sidelined for the season with a knee injury.

Romo, the Mustangs' starting quarterback since 1989, tore the anterior cruciate ligament in his right knee in the third quarter of Saturday's 45-7 loss to No. 11 Baylor. He sustained the injury during a 21-yard run.

Dr. John Baker, an orthopedic surgeon, examined Romo Monday and said the player could return next season.

"Depending on his knee and his rehabilitation, I don't think there is any reason why he couldn't return," Baker told The Dallas Morning News.

"That injury in and of itself is not career-ending," Baker said.

Coach Tom Rossley announced Monday that fellow junior Dan Freiburger will start for the Mustangs (0-3) against Tulane on Saturday.

"I feel really bad for Mike," Rossley said. "He invested a lot of time this summer rehabilitating his left knee and was in great shape going into the season."

Romo had major surgery on his left knee while playing in high school. He had arthroscopic surgery on the right knee after the 1989 season and similar surgery on his left knee following the 1990 season.

Romo has played 24 games at SMU and is the No. 9 passer in Southwest Conference career passing yardage with 6,041 yards. He ranks third in completions with 601 and fifth in attempts with 1,034.

He is second among SMU career leaders in attempts and completions, third in yards and second in touchdown passes with 35.

Commenting Sunday on his injury, Romo said he hoped everyone would pick up the slack and work harder.

"A lot of times, when something like this happens, the team comes out better," Romo said.

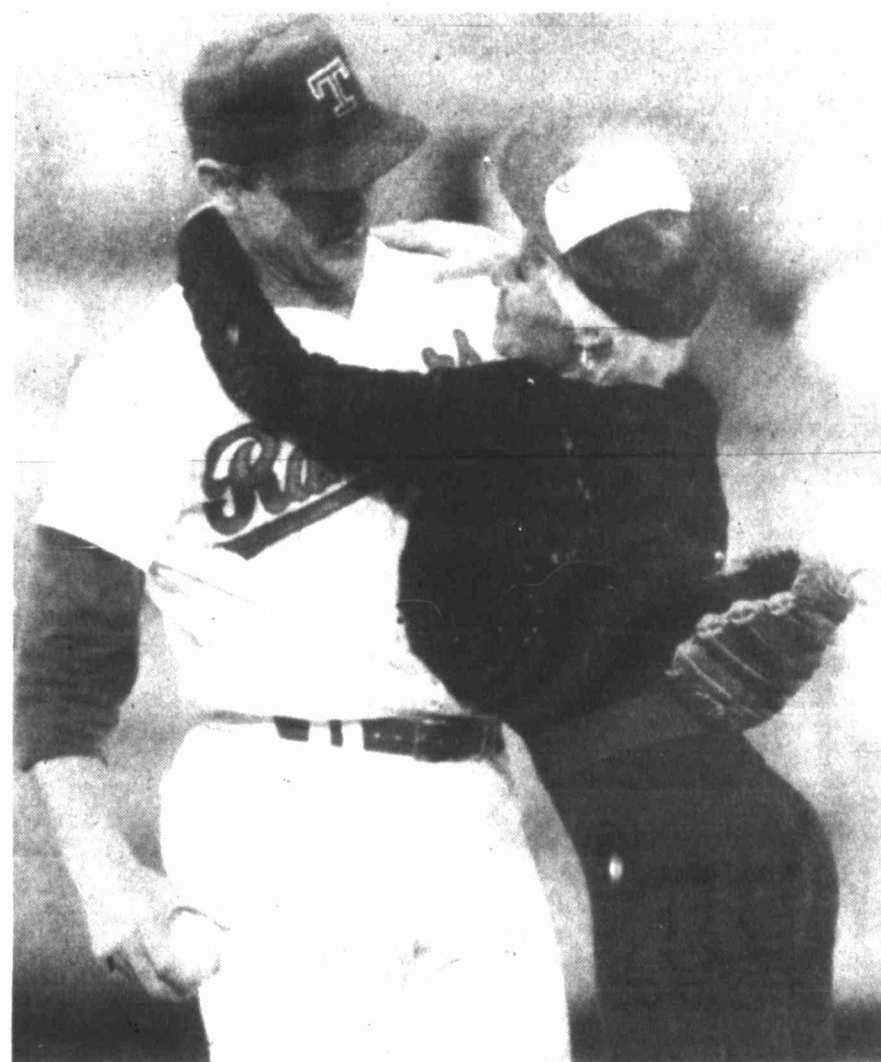
He joined the team in 1989 as football was resumed at SMU after a two-year absence.

The NCAA banned SMU football in 1987 because of a slush fund established by over-zealous alumni to pay athletes.

SMU then decided to sit out a second year to allow time for recovery. The Mustangs were 2-9 in 1989 and 1-10 in 1990.

Freiburger has played in 14 games in two seasons, including one start in 1990 against Texas A&M when Romo had a sprained ankle. Freiburger completed 18 of 32 passes for 190 yards and two touchdowns against the Aggies.

"It's Danny's turn now," Rossley said. "He's worked hard, he has confidence in himself and his teammates have confidence in him."



Unauthorized curves

ARLINGTON — Texas Rangers starting pitcher Nolan Ryan gets an unauthorized visit to the mound from Kathy Stathopoulos who ran onto the field to give Ryan a hug during fifth inning play against Seattle. Ryan struckout his 5,500 batter in the sixth inning.

Struggling Colts change head coaches

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Ron Meyer was fired as coach of the winless Indianapolis Colts today and replaced by defensive coordinator Rick Venturi.

Meyer's dismissal comes two days after an embarrassing 31-3 loss to the Seattle Seahawks dropped the Colts to 0-5.

The 45-year-old Venturi, who coached at Northwestern from 1978-1981, joined the Colts in 1982 as linebackers coach.

The Colts also fired offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach Leon Burtnett.

Colts general manager Jim Irsay said at a news conference that Ven-

turi is the "head coach for the next eleven games."

Venturi said Colts management had grown tired of hearing Meyer complain about injuries.

"I can't worry about those type of things," Venturi said. "You get dealt a hand of cards and you have to make the best of that hand. I just don't think at this point we can dwell on it."

"Eleven guys have to line up offensively and defensively. We have to maximize their chances to win."

The firings are not a surprise. Meyer had been under pressure since the start of the season, when the Colts lost their opener to the

lowly New England Patriots 16-7 at the Hoosier Dome. The Patriots were 1-15 last season, with their only victory coming against the Colts.

After losses began to build — 17-6 to Miami, 16-0 to the Los Angeles Raiders and 33-24 to Detroit — Meyer complained about injuries hurting his team's chances. After Sunday's loss to the Seahawks, Irsay, who played at Southern Methodist when Meyer coached there, had seen and heard enough.

In his coaching career, Meyer established a reputation for turning around faltering programs.

At UNLV, he took a team that went 1-10 in 1972 and in two years

led the Rebels to an 11-0 regular-season record, and an NCAA Division II playoff berth.

He had similar success in the NFL, resurrecting the New England Patriots in the early 1980s. In 1981, the Patriots were 2-14. Then Meyer took over in the 1982 strike-shortened season and Patriots made the playoffs with a 5-4 record.

Meyer was 18-15 at New England, which lost its '82 playoff game to Miami. He was fired midway through the 1984 season despite a 5-3 record and was replaced by Raymond Berry.

Sidelines

Faculty volleyball competition set

There will be a faculty volleyball game Wednesday at Steer Gym at 7 p.m. The game will pit the Runnels and Goliad faculty members against the high school faculty members. There is no charge of admission.

Forsan junior high wins second game

FORSAN — The Forsan Junior High Buffaloes ran their football record to 2-1 by defeating Garden City 20-6 last Thursday.

Wesley Crow paced Forsan with two touchdowns. Todd McAdams scored a touchdown and Tim Marino scored a two-point conversion.

Forsan will play Runnels B Thursday in Forsan at 5 p.m.

G-City runners finish third

IRION COUNTY — The Garden City Lady Bearkats finished third with 97 points at the Irion County cross country meet Saturday.

There were 105 runners competing in the girls division. Garden City's top finisher was a 16th place by Corey Hassman, who ran a 14:28.

The Garden City Bearkats finished fourth in the boys team race, with 114 points. There were 88 runners in the division. Leading Garden City was a 17th place by Andy Lopez, who ran a 18:27.

Complete Garden City Results

Girls
16. Cory Hassman, 14:28; 18. Jenny Hunter, 14:31; 24. Karla Jones, 14:39; 25. Christy Bryant, 14:40; 27. LeAnn Maxie, 14:42; 34. Jennifer Jones, 14:48; 35. Stacy Karnes, 14:50; 44. Jamie Glass, 15:05.

Boys
17. Andy Lopez, 18:27; 19. Cody Hirt, 18:29; 32. Jim Bob Scott, 19:21; 35. Jim Hassman, 19:35; 47. Wesley Glass, 20:02; 51. Mario Aguilar, 20:14; 75. Mike Talamantez, 25:00; 76. Heath Daniel, 25:08.

Runnels B team wins two matches

The Runnels B volleyball team won two last two matches.

Saturday in Pecos Runnels B won 15-4, 15-13. High point servers were Stacia Loftin with nine points and Allison Alcantar with seven points.

Pecos won the A game 15-7, 8-15, 15-5. High point servers Christi Myers with eight points and Marissa Hilario with five points.

Monday Runnels traveled to Colorado City and both teams won.

The B team won 15-9, 13-15, 15-4. Loftin served 16 points in the match and Angel served eight points.

The A team won 12-15, 15-6, 15-13. Molly Smith was top server with 11 points. Myers served nine points and Claire Miller and Hilario served four points each.

The A team will participate in the Pecos tournament Saturday.

Officials think boxer didn't drink before bout

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Despite testing positive for alcohol, boxing officials now believe bantamweight Fernie Morales did not drink before entering the ring against champion Orlando Canizales.

Morales, 25, underwent brain surgery hours after losing the Sept. 21 bout and tested positive for alcohol in his system right after the fight.

But State Athletic Commission official Dale Ashley said Monday after completing a three-day investigation that he believes Morales did not drink alcohol prior to the fight.

Ashley said alcohol most likely entered his system in the form of rubbing alcohol — either he inhaled its vapors or absorbed it through his skin.

The commission last Thursday released drug test results of urine samples taken immediately after the fight from both Morales and his opponent. Morales' test showed a .06 alcohol level, and .05 on his backup sample. In California, .08 is considered legally drunk.

Morales' family protested the lab results, saying that he never drank alcohol.

Meanwhile, Morales continued to improve at John F. Kennedy Hospital in Indio, where he has been hospitalized since his surgery.

Red Sox rally to edge closer to 'Jays

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

These are tough times for the Boston Red Sox: blowing big leads, losing big games and falling behind bigtime in the AL East race.

Finally, something right happened for them on Monday night.

They characteristically blew a big lead, but uncharacteristically came back to beat the Milwaukee Brewers 9-8 for possibly their most important victory of the season.

"It's been a tough series, and this game looked like it easily could have gone the other way for us again, and it would have been a tough one to swallow," Tom Brunansky said. "We battled back. We had to win. Hopefully it will give us some sort of momentum for the last six."

The Red Sox, who had blown a 4-0 lead to lose 5-4 to Milwaukee on Sunday, squandered a 6-0 lead Monday night. But Jack Clark's two-run homer and Brunansky's RBI double rescued them in the seventh inning as they moved within 3½ games of the Toronto Blue Jays, who lost 2-1 to California. The Red Sox have six games to play, the Blue Jays five.

Milwaukee went ahead 7-6 with four runs in the third and Greg Vaughn's three-run homer in the fifth. Clark struck back with a homer off rookie Mike Ignasiak (1-1) and Brunansky doubled in another run off Chuck Crim.

Dennis Lamp (6-3) let Milwaukee close within a run in the bottom of the inning, but Tony Fossas and Dan Petry held off the Brewers, with Petry getting his first career save.

The Red Sox, who broke a four-game losing streak, have all their games remaining at Fenway Park. Toronto has two at home and three in Minneapolis.

Boston's final three games are against the Brewers, who won three of four at County Stadium after dropping the first six to Boston this season.

Angels 2, Blue Jays 1



ARLINGTON — Seattle Mariners pitcher Bill Krueger grabs some dirt as Texas Rangers' Monty Fariss runs the bases after Fariss runs the bases after Fariss hit his first major league home run in the fifth inning.

Dave Winfield hit a two-run double in the eighth, and Mark Langston and Bryan Harvey com-

bined on a three-hitter. Langston (18-8) struck out six and walked three in 7 1-3 innings

and Harvey finished with perfect relief for his league-leading 45th save.

Dodgers and Braves both win as pitching prevails

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

If pitching wins pennants, the Dodgers and Braves might be heading for a tie.

Both teams won again Monday night behind outstanding starting pitching, keeping Los Angeles one game ahead of Atlanta in the NL West.

At Cincinnati, Atlanta's John Smoltz overcame control problems to pitch two-hit ball over eight innings and Sid Bream singled home a pair of runs in a four-run third inning for a 4-0 victory over the Reds.

Atlanta recorded its 90th win for only the second time and reached 23 games over .500 (90-67) for the first time since 1983, the year after its last title.

Smoltz (13-13) stayed unbeaten since Aug. 15. He walked three and threw three wild pitches, but used 10 strikeouts to avoid trouble. The only hits off him were clean second-inning singles by Bill Doran and Billy Hatcher.

"It's a great feeling to put the pressure on the Dodgers. They know we already won," said Smoltz (13-13). "We can sit back and relax, knowing we've done our job. That's all we can do."

The Dodgers went out and answered the Braves' strong pitching with some of their own as Orel Hershiser shut out visiting San Diego for seven innings to preserve Los Angeles' slim lead.

Hershiser (7-2) struck out six and walked two in the opener of the Dodgers' final home series of the regular season.

For the second straight night, the

National League

Dodgers began play aware that a loss could drop them into a tie with the Braves.

But Hershiser's pitching and more big hitting by Darryl Strawberry, his 26th homer, kept Los Angeles in the division lead with five games remaining.

"I knew the Braves had won, I knew that we needed a good, solid outing, but I tried to focus on doing my job," Hershiser said. "Pressure is only what you put on yourself. I really felt we had a baseball game to play, and win or lose, it doesn't matter if there is pressure or not, it's just a ballgame."

Atlanta has two more games at Cincinnati before finishing the season at home with three games against last-place Houston. On Wednesday night, Jose Rijo (15-5) is scheduled to start for the Reds.

The Dodgers play host to the Padres for two more games before heading to San Francisco to finish the season.

Elsewhere in the NL it was Pittsburgh 6, New York 5; St. Louis 11, Montreal 1; Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5; and Houston 2, San Francisco 0.

Pirates 6, Mets 5
Jay Bell's first career grand slam in a six-run second inning carried Pittsburgh past visiting New York. It was the Mets' second game under interim manager Mike

"I knew the Braves had won, I knew that we needed a good, solid outing, but I tried to focus on doing my job. Pressure is only what you put on yourself. I really felt we had a baseball game to play, and win or lose, it doesn't matter if there is pressure or not, it's just a ballgame." — Dodgers pitcher Orel Hershiser.

Cubbage, who took over when Bud Harrelson was fired on Sunday. Howard Johnson extended his NL home run lead with his 38th.

Cardinals 11, Expos 1
Mark Clark pitched 5 1-3 innings of scoreless relief for his first major league win and Felix Jose drove in four runs as St. Louis clinched second place in the East at Busch Stadium.

Astros 2, Giants 0
Chris Gardner pitched six-hit ball over seven innings for his first major league victory as Houston beat San Francisco before 5,379 fans — the smallest crowd at Candlestick Park since 1988.

Phillies 6, Cubs 5
Wally Backman's sacrifice fly capped a three-run ninth-inning rally for Philadelphia at Veterans Stadium.

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American League

Mariners 3, Rangers 2
Rangers 2, Mariners 0

Nolan Ryan reached the 5,500-strikeout mark in the doubleheader opener with six in six innings, and Ken Griffey Jr. became the youngest player to drive in 100 runs since Al Kaline did it for Detroit in 1956.

Seattle won its club-record 79th game as Jay Buhner homered in the 11th off Wayne Rosenthal (1-4). Mike Schooler (3-3) pitched two innings of hitless relief and Bill Swift pitched the 11th for his 16th save.

Brian Downing and Monty Farris homered in the second game, Brian Bohanon (4-3) allowed six hits in 7 1-3 innings and Jeff Russell finished for his 30th save. Bill Krueger (10-8) gave up six hits in seven innings.

Tigers 8, Orioles 3

Pete Incaviglia, Mickey Tettleton and Lou Whitaker hit two-run homers as Detroit closed its home season with a six-hitter by Mark Leiter (9-6), the first complete game of his career.

Yankees 3, Indians 0

Scott Sanderson (16-10) became the Yankees' first 16-game winner since Rick Rhoden in 1987, but was forced from the game when Ed Taubensee's line drive dislocated a finger.

It was the 17th shutout of the season against the Indians and their major league-leading 101st loss.

Twins 8, White Sox 3

Randy Bush, Pedro Munoz and Paul Sorrento homered for the AL West champions, and Tom Edens (2-2) allowed one run and five hits in six innings.

Royals 8, Athletics 4

Mark Davis (6-2) allowed two hits in six shutout innings and Kurt Stillwell hit a three-run double in a six-run second.

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Digital Loop Service provides digital transmission of circuit switched voice and data communications between the customer's premises and the central office. This service allows the customer to use a 1.544 Mbps facility capable of delivering up to 24 line terminations. Southwestern Bell will provide Digital Loop Service within the customer's serving central office where facilities are available.

If approved by the Commission, the rates for the Digital Loop Service facilities will be \$445 per month for each digital transmission loop arrangement which provides a capacity of up to 24 line terminations, plus \$3 per month for each line termination and \$9 per month for each channel termination. The proposed rate for the unlimited use of the central office varies from \$12.25 up to \$18.90 per month for each line termination depending on the rate group classification, determined by the customer's location. Southwestern Bell estimates revenue of \$2.1 million from this offering during the first year.

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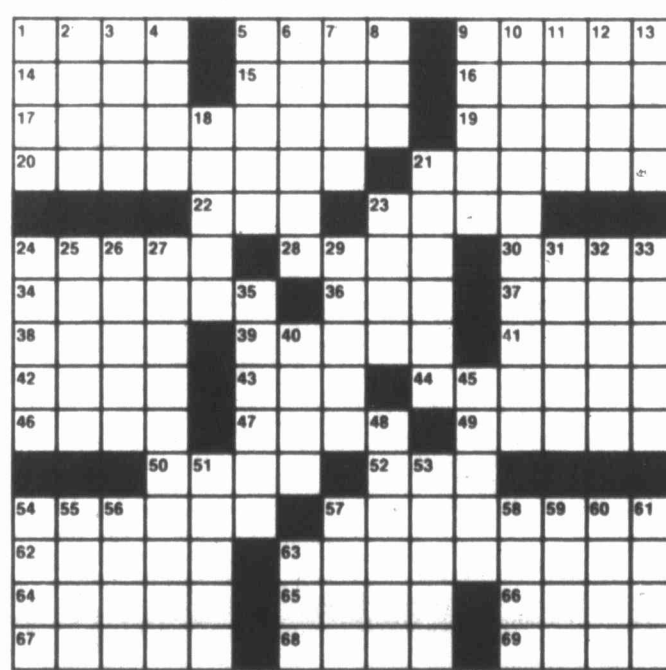
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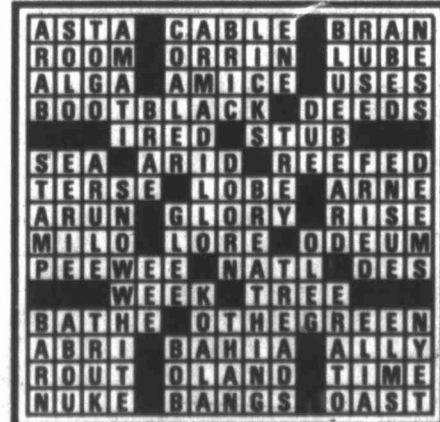
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR/EXECUTRIX
Notice is hereby given that on Aug. 29, 1991, Letters of Testamentary as Independent Executor upon the Estate of Vance Davis, deceased, with Will annexed, were issued to Carolyn Davis, Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, by the Honorable Howard County Court acting as Probate Court of Howard County, Texas, in Cause No. 11457 pending upon the Probate Docket of said Court.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	87	70	.554	—	
Boston	83	73	.532	3 1/2	
Detroit	80	76	.513	6 1/2	
Milwaukee	77	78	.497	9	
New York	67	89	.429	19 1/2	
Baltimore	66	90	.423	20 1/2	
Cleveland	54	101	.348	32	

West Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Minnesota	93	63	.596	—	
Chicago	84	72	.538	9	
Texas	83	74	.529	10 1/2	
Oakland	82	75	.522	11 1/2	
Kansas City	81	76	.516	12 1/2	
Seattle	79	78	.503	14 1/2	
California	78	79	.497	15 1/2	

x-clinched division title.

Saturday's Games
Cleveland 5, New York 4
Detroit 5, Baltimore 4, 10 innings
Minnesota 5, Toronto 1
Milwaukee 4, Boston 1
Texas 6, Oakland 3, 10 innings
Chicago 5, Seattle 2
California 4, Kansas City 3

Sunday's Games
Cleveland 5, New York 2
Baltimore 7, Detroit 4
Toronto 2, Minnesota 1
Seattle 2, Chicago 1
Kansas City 8, California 4
Milwaukee 5, Boston 4
Oakland 19, Texas 5

Monday's Games
Seattle 3, Texas 2, 11 innings, 1st game
Texas 2, Seattle 0, 2nd game
New York 3, Cleveland 0
Detroit 8, Baltimore 3
California 2, Toronto 1
Minnesota 8, Chicago 3
Boston 9, Milwaukee 8
Kansas City 8, Oakland 4

Tuesday's Games
Milwaukee (Wegman 14-7 and George 0-0) at Cleveland (Nichols 2-10 and Otto 1-8), 2:05 p.m.

Baltimore (Milacki 10-8) at New York (Taylor 7-12), 7:30 p.m.

Detroit (Tanana 11-12) at Boston (Clemens 18-8), 7:35 p.m.

California (Fettters 2-4) at Toronto (Guzman 9-2), 7:35 p.m.

Minnesota (West 4-4) at Chicago (Alvarez 2-2), 8:05 p.m.

Oakland (Moore 16-8) at Kansas City (Gubczka 9-11), 8:35 p.m.

Seattle (Burba 1-2) at Texas (Boyd 2-6), 8:35 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Baltimore (Rhodes 0-3) at New York (Perez 2-4), 7:30 p.m.

Detroit (Terrell 12-13) at Boston (Heskeith 11-4), 7:35 p.m.

Milwaukee (Bosio 14-10) at Cleveland (Jones 4-7), 7:35 p.m.

California (Grube 3-7) at Toronto (Candiotto 13-13), 7:35 p.m.

Minnesota (Tapani 16-9) at Chicago (McDowell 17-10), 8:05 p.m.

Oakland (Darling 3-6) at Kansas City (Saberhagen 13-8), 8:35 p.m.

Seattle (Fleming 1-0) at Texas (Guzman 13-6), 8:35 p.m.

NL Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Pittsburgh	95	62	.605	—	
St. Louis	82	75	.522	13	
New York	75	81	.481	19 1/2	
Philadelphia	75	82	.478	20	
Chicago	73	82	.471	21	
Montreal	70	86	.449	24 1/2	

West Division		W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	91	66	.580	—	
Atlanta	90	67	.573	1	
San Diego	80	77	.510	11	
Cincinnati	74	83	.471	17	
San Francisco	72	85	.459	19	
Houston	63	94	.401	28	

x-clinched division title.

Saturday's Games
Philadelphia 6, New York 2
St. Louis 3, Chicago 2
Atlanta 5, Houston 4
San Francisco 4, Los Angeles 1
Pittsburgh 3, Pittsburgh 2
San Diego 4, Cincinnati 2

Sunday's Games
Pittsburgh 6, Montreal 3
New York 4, Philadelphia 3
Cincinnati 8, San Diego 1
Chicago 5, St. Louis 3
Atlanta 6, Houston 5, 13 innings
Los Angeles 3, San Francisco 2

Monday's Games
Atlanta 4, Cincinnati 0
Pittsburgh 6, New York 5
St. Louis 11, Montreal 1
Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5
Houston 2, San Francisco 0
Los Angeles 7, San Diego 2

Tuesday's Games
Atlanta (Leibrandt 15-12) at Cincinnati (Rife 15-5), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago (Castillo 6-7) at Philadelphia (Greene 13-7), 7:35 p.m.

New York (Cone 13-13) at Pittsburgh (Smith 16-10), 7:35 p.m.

Montreal (Barnes 5-6) at St. Louis (Olivares 10-6), 8:05 p.m.

San Diego (Benes 14-10) at Los Angeles (Ojeda 11-9), 10:35 p.m.

Houston (Williams 9-11) at San Francisco (Burkett 11-11), 10:35 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
Montreal (Gardner 9-10) at St. Louis (Cormier 3-5), 1:35 p.m.

Houston (Kile 7-10) at San Francisco (McClellan 3-5), 3:35 p.m.

Atlanta (Glavin 19-11) at Cincinnati (Scudder 6-8), 7:35 p.m.

Chicago (Madison 13-11) at Philadelphia (DeJesus 10-8), 7:35 p.m.

New York (Schourek 5-4) at Pittsburgh (Tomlin 8-7), 7:35 p.m.

San Diego (Harris 8-5) at Los Angeles (Belcher 10-9), 10:35 p.m.

Transactions

NATIONAL LEAGUE

FLORIDA MARLINS—Named Frank Wren assistant general manager.

BASKETBALL
BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME—Named Robin J. Deutsch public relations director.

National Basketball Association
ATLANTA HAWKS—Signed Stacey Augmon, forward, to a 5-year contract. Renounced their rights to Sidney Moncrief, guard.

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Named Mack Calvin assistant coach.

LOS ANGELES LAKERS—Signed Irving Thomas, Tony

Baseball Today

Tuesday, Oct. 1
By The Associated Press
SCOREBOARD
Atlanta at Cincinnati (7:35 p.m. EDT).
Charlie Leibrandt pitches for the Braves
against Jose Rijo in a matchup of 15-game
winners as the Braves duel the Dodgers for

the NL West title.

STATS
Ken Griffey Jr. reached 100 RBIs Mon-
day night. Griffey, at 21 years, 10 months,
is the second youngest player in major-
league history to hit the mark, the
youngest being Detroit's Al Kaline in 1956.
Kaline was 21 years, nine months. ... Pitt-
sburgh has three pitchers with more than

15 wins: John Smiley (18), Zane Smith (16)
and Doug Drabek (15). That's a first since
1930 when Remy Kremer won 20, Erv
Brame and Larry French each won 17 for
the Pirates.

STREAKS
Pittsburgh left-hander Neal Heaton
threw 15 consecutive balls Monday night
against New York.

SWINGS
Pittsburgh pitchers had gone 21 innings
without issuing a walk before giving up
four in three innings against New York on
Monday night.

STARTERS
Scott Sanderson became the Yankees'
first 14-game winner in four years as New

York beat Cleveland 3-0 Monday. Sande-
rson has accounted for 24 percent of the
Yankees' victories (16-of-67). It's the
highest percentage for the Yankees since
Ron Guidry had 25 of 100 in 1978.

STOPPERS
Dan Petry of the Red Sox pitched out of a
ninth-inning jam Monday night and saved
Boston's 9-8 victory over Milwaukee, the

first save of his career.

STRIKES
Nolan Ryan reached the 5,500-strikeout
mark Monday night.

SLUMPS
Cleveland was shut out for the 17th time
Monday, the Indians' 101st loss of the
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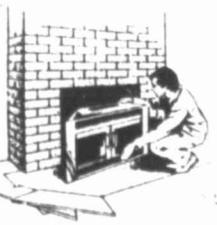
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5	PM 3:30	Cosby Show	Ninja Turtle	Sesame Street	Rin Tin Tin New Zorro	Jeopardy! CBS News	News ABC News	2 Close Andy Griffith	Maria Nadio Noticiero	Win, Lose Movie: Story			Supermarket Shop Drop	Would You? Get Picture	Lassie	Cartoon Express	Movie: A	Avengers	Beyond 2000	Gilligan's Buge Bunny	Motorport Grant Teaff	Run & Race Up Close						
6	PM 3:30	ABC News	Who's Boss? Wheel	C. Sandiego? Survival Wild	Walters	News Married	News Wheel	Hillbillies Major	Alcazar una Estrella II	of Snow White	Be a Star	Movie: Post-cards From	T. Ullman Open House	Danger Looney	OWL/TV We Have	MacGyver	Looker	David Letterman	Wild. Monitor Big Fin Week	Bugs Bunny	Tom Rousley Fall Review	SportsCenter Major League						
7	PM 3:30	Full House	Movie: First Monday	Nova	Rin Tin Tin Witness	Rescue: 911	Full House	Real People	League Baseball	Cameo Propis	20,000 Leagues	On Stage Church St.	the Edge	L.A. Law	Mork Superman	Movie: Aliens	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Post-cards From	Torre X Smithsonian	Movie: Iran: Days of	SportsTalk Major League	Baseball (L)						
8	PM 3:30	Roseanne	Coach	October	American Experience	Father Dowling	Roseanne Coach	In the Heat of the Night	Braves at Reds (L)	Dona Belja/ Dona Bella	Movie: Cleopatra (Pt 2)	Nashville Now	Movie: Ghosts Can't	Confessions Hidden Room	D. Van Dyke Get Smart	Tuesday Night Fights	the Edge	Dinosaur	Invention Beyond	Crisis (Pt 2 of 2)	Baseball Mariners at	-						
9	PM 3:30	Homefront	Hunter		700 Club	Homefront	Law & Order	Real Genius	(15) Movie Especial	Brigade	Noticiero La Movida	(85) Oz. Movie: Bad	On Stage Church St.	Dark Side of the Moon	Sponsor: For Hire	Green Acres Mr. Ed	Come In Peace	MacGyver	Movie: Friday the	Evening at Improv	Wings	Crisis (Pt 2 of 2)	Baseball (L)					
10	PM 3:30	News	Cheers	Arsonia Hall	MacNeil/Lehrer	T and T Movie	News M*A*S*H	(35) Ent.	(35) Tonight	News	(35) Nightl.	(35) Hill	(35) Letter	Movie: Blue	Day at Black Rock	Nashville Now	(85) Movie Carnival of	Looney Doble Gillis	Gaww	Equalizer	13th, Part 2 Crypt Tales	Biography	Jack Hanna's Wildlife	Movie: Iran: Days of	College Football	Days of	Hawaii at Colorado	SportsCenter
11	PM 3:30	Ent. Tonight	Love Connect	Mystery!	Cockeyed	Cowboys	Exile	(95) Nightl.	(95) Hill	(95) Letter	Movie: Blue	Day at Black Rock	Nashville Now	(85) Movie Carnival of	Looney Doble Gillis	Gaww	Equalizer	13th, Part 2 Crypt Tales	Biography	Jack Hanna's Wildlife	Movie: Iran: Days of	College Football	Days of	Hawaii at Colorado	SportsCenter			
12	AM 3:30	Into the Night	Hawaii Five-		Paid	Personals Smith/Jones	Street Blues (35) News	man (35) Costas	Collar	Hola America	Amazing	Crook, Chase	Souls	Self-Improve	Patty Duke My 3 Sons	(44) Movie	Tuesday Night Fights	Dinosaur	Wild. Monitor Big Fin Week	Crisis (Pt 2 of 2)	Hawaii at Colorado	SportsCenter						

Names in the news

Marla watch

YAKIMA, Wash. (AP) — Donald Trump's ex-fiancee, Marla Maples, was seen holding hands at a state fair with Grammy-winning singer Michael Bolton.

"It was fairly obvious they have a pretty good relationship," said Bolton's manager, Greg Stewart.

The couple rode "The Zipper" and ate "elephant ears" — a pastry — after the R&B balladeer's sold-out performance Sunday, Stewart said.

Bolton — whose hits include "Time, Love and Tenderness" and "How Am I Supposed to Live Without You?" — is recently divorced.

A star for Liza

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Like mother, like daughter: Liza Minnelli got a star along Hollywood's Walk of Fame.

More than 400 fans, friends and family, including sister Lorna Luft, showed up for Monday's festive unveiling of the Minnelli star on Hollywood Boulevard.

Minnelli's mother, the late Judy Garland, has three stars on the

Walk of Fame.

Fonda looks at jungle problems

NEW YORK (AP) — Jane Fonda is teaming up with fiance Ted Turner to produce a nature special, "Mysterious Elephants of the Congo," on his TBS Superstation.

Fonda will serve as host of the Audubon Society special on Nov. 24.

The one-hour program looks at the plight of Africa's forest elephants and the lives of the pygmies, whose way of life is threatened by destruction of the forest.

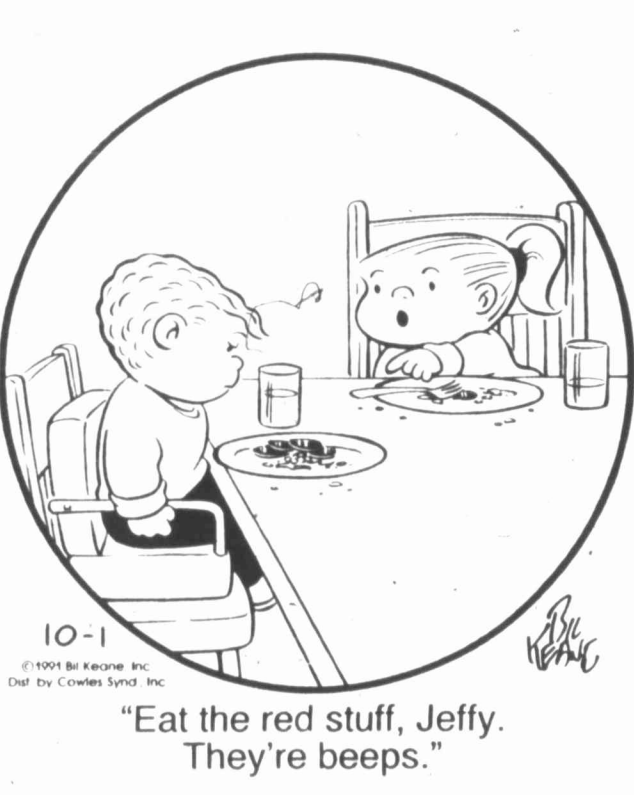


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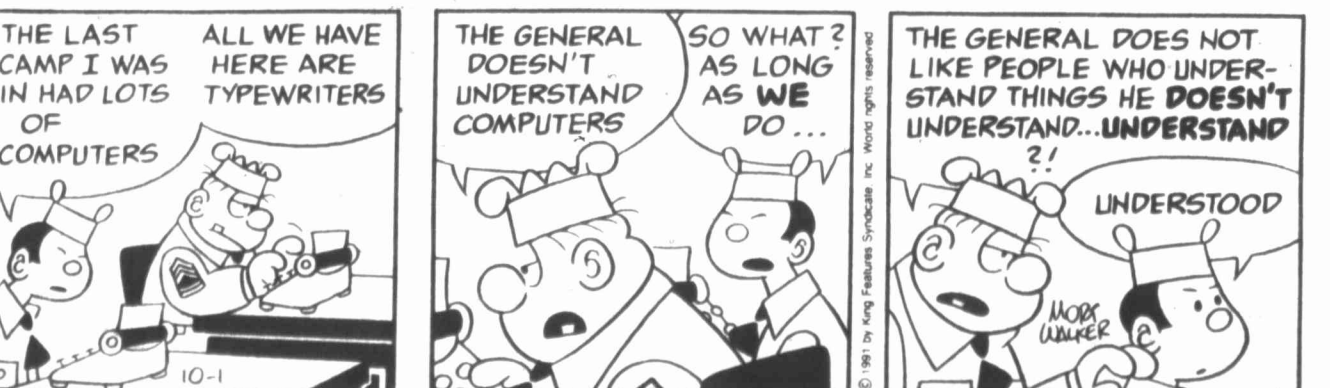
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Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE:

Making timely money and car repairs will save you money later on. Relatives offer "inside" employment information in October. A job change or promotion is featured in November. A family reunion at Christmas could lead to a much-desired reconciliation. Plan on going back to school in the new year. A legal matter will be settled in your favor in the spring of 1992. Look forward to a delightful romance next August.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: designer Donna Karan, rock star Sting, author Graham Greene, singer Tiffany.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Once you assess the economic factors involved, you will realize the need for teamwork. Check all accounts for possible discrepancies. Romance may be high on your agenda tonight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Accept the generosity or backing of

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wealthy sponsors so long as it is for a worthy cause. Good career news is headed your way. Influential people will open important doors for you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A friendly approach will get you further than taking a lofty attitude. Pay close attention to the costs of business entertainment. Keep in touch with the folks at home when traveling.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): People and circumstances may prevent you from enjoying the privacy you seek. Do not be influenced by conflicting reports. Family disagreements can be resolved through tender loving care.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): People at the top are willing to go so far but no further; be very tactful. Hold off on making changes until more information is available. Conduct your own research in private.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): The atmosphere at work could get somewhat stormy today. Set a sunny tone and tend to your routine. By late afternoon, you will be in the driver's seat. Expand your social calendar.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Your life is changing at a deeper level; let

go of the past. Seek out different kinds of friends. Short-term investments can work if you use your head. Build savings first.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Try not to fret if those in authority are uncooperative or give you a rough time. Grin and bear it. By late afternoon, you will see some refreshing changes! Better days lie ahead.

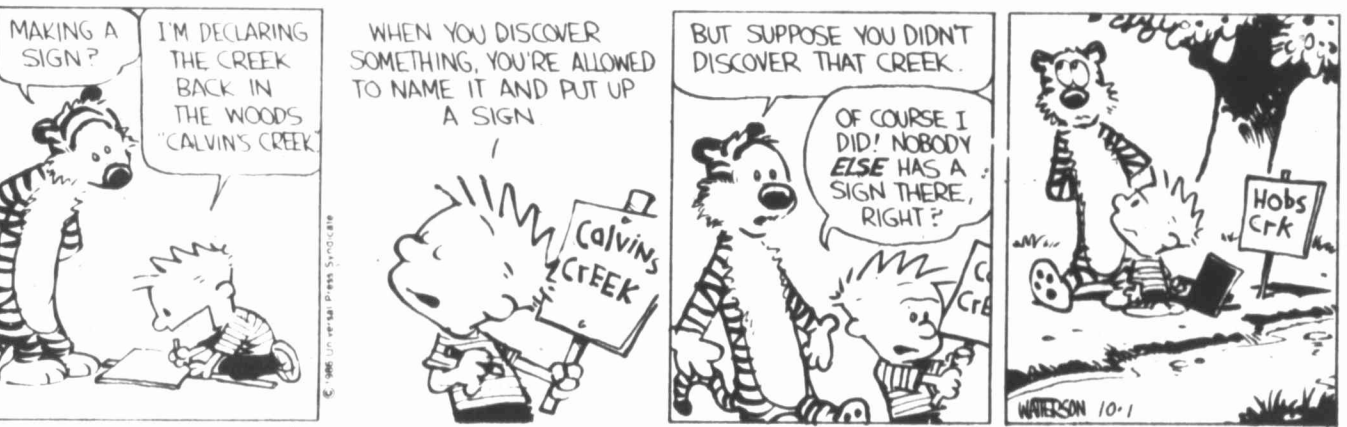
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Big things are in the works. They probably will not take place on center stage but in a private setting. Be open-minded. Your generosity of spirit will be richly rewarded.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Home would make a good base of operations today. Catch up on your reading or phone calls. Your love boat enters an exotic port of call tonight. Do not come on too strong.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Good news abounds! You finally hear the right words regarding your domestic life or a love affair. Keep your credit cards under lock and key to avoid complications.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Expect the red carpet treatment today. Travel, telephone calls and meetings give you greater financial control. Dodge emotional tidal waves by stressing serenity.

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