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City gets 'outstanding' interest rate for bonds

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

A bond issue of \$3 million was sold Monday night by the City of Hereford at an interest rate described as "outstanding."

The bonds will be paid off over a 15-year period from revenue the city receives for water sales.

Proceeds of the bond sale will be used in an ambitious water development program designed to take the city into the 21st century.

Average interest on the bonds as bid by Coastal Securities of Houston will be 4.539021 percent. Less than 2/10 of one percent separated the low bidder, Coastal Securities, from the highest, 4.728093 percent bid by Southwest Securities.

Milt Halpern of Rauscher, Pierce Refines, Inc., of San Antonio, fiscal agent for the bond issue, told the City Commission that the city received the "benefits of the A rating, saving

\$300,000 in interest" over the life of the bonds. He called the low bid "outstanding."

Twelve securities firms submitted bids for the bonds.

In other business at the commission meeting, permission was given LaVerne Northcutt to hook on to a city sewer on North K and a resolution was passed approving interim rates for Southwestern Public Service.

Expense of the sewer line connection will be the responsibility of Mrs. Northcutt.

The SPS rate, a reduction of approximately 2.9 percent for customers, previously was negotiated by the state Public Utilities Commissions and the electric company.

Proceeds of the bond sale should be in hand by Nov. 16. The city will invest the money until needed to pay for the water development project. A committee of City Manager Chester

Nolen, Mayor Bob Josserand and Craig Smith, president of Hereford State Bank, will decide on investments.

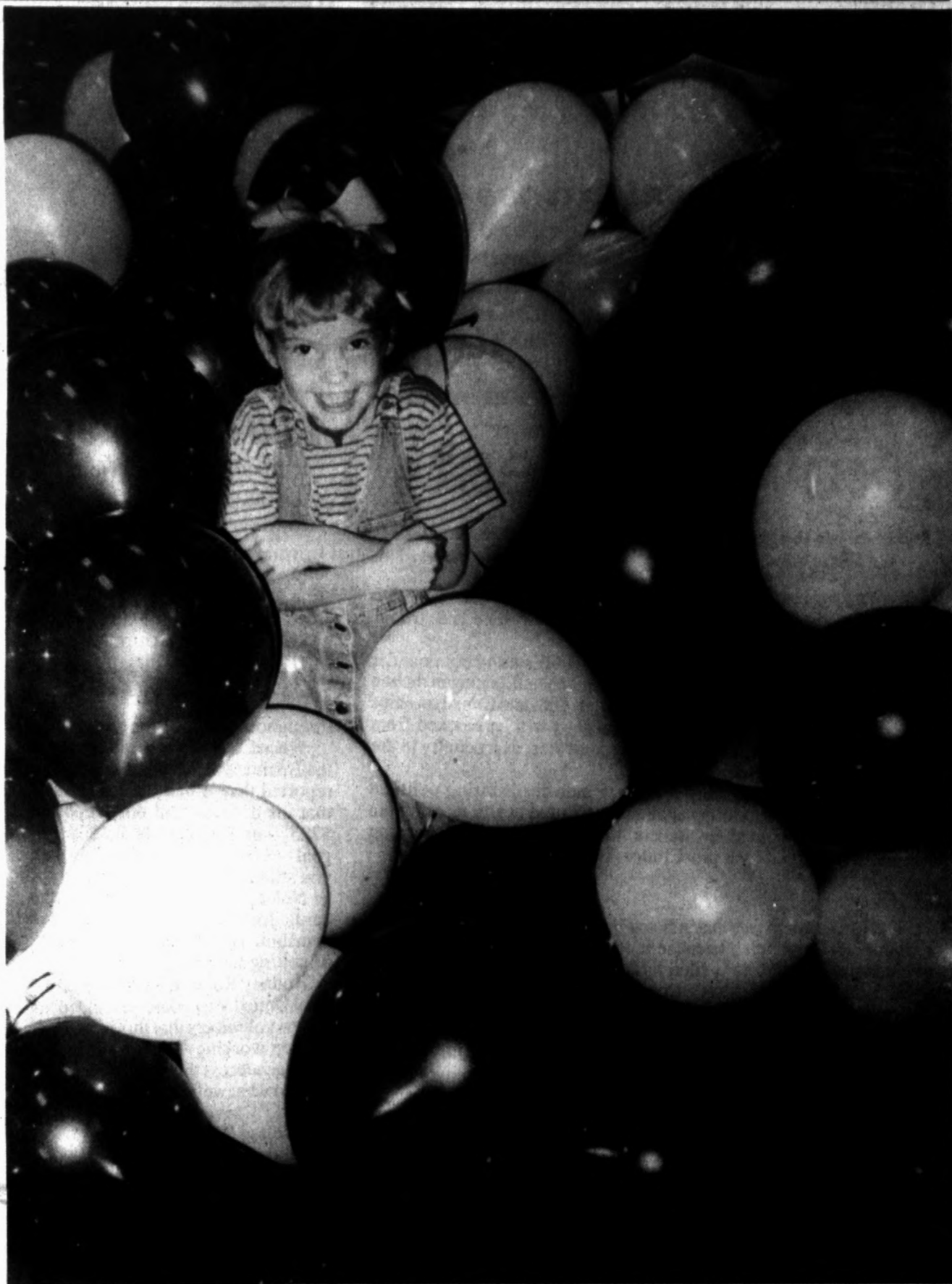
The outgrowth of a series of workshops held by the City Commission since May to determine needs of the city, the water development program includes new wells, storage and piping.

To maintain water quality, the commission has directed that nine new wells be drilled into the Ogallala formation and three into the Santa Rosa.

The \$3 million plan provides also for construction of a million-gallon storage tank at the station on Avenue C and for pipelines for moving water from the new wells to storage.

And, \$200,000 is earmarked for purchase of water rights.

City officials expect to have at least one Santa Rosa and two Ogallala wells on line by next summer.



Balloon girl

Stephanie Shaw, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Shaw, is framed by balloons as she plays during a work day Saturday at the Hereford High School band hall. The hall was decorated by members of the Band Boosters as an enthusiasm builder for the band's performance this weekend in a band contest in Borger.

United Way at 30 percent of \$150,000 campaign goal

By GARRY WESNER
Managing Editor

1993 United Way of Deaf Smith County fund drive chairman Wes Klett was welcomed back to the fold after a two-week absence to a positive report on the status of the annual drive.

Klett, who has missed two report luncheon meetings due to out-of-town business, told participants in Monday's weekly session that he is very encouraged by reports that 30 percent of the United Way's \$150,000 goal has already been collected.

JoLene, the United Way's new volunteer supermodel spokeswoman was unable to attend, reportedly because of a "bad hair day."

As of Monday, total collections were \$45,038.85, for 30 percent of the goal.

"This is great," Klett said. "I'm really pleased about this."

He said the amount of money raised is good because such efforts typically start slowly, then build momentum as time goes by. In this case, he continued, the fact that just over \$45,000 had been collected as of Monday was encouraging.

Within the reports from each United Way division, Mauri Montgomery's Pacesetter division led the pack, with 69 percent of its \$8,216 goal having been pledged already. That division has pledged of \$5,595.40.

The most money raised by one division is the F.I.R.E. Division, which stands for Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Energy.

Volunteers there have raised \$9,719.20, which is 58 percent of the

division goal of \$16,894.

In third place is the Professional Division, which is headed up by Pete Holcombe.

Holcombe said the major thrust of this division now is in the three nursing homes. He noted that Arrowhead Mills finished its campaign last week, but that details of the campaign's success are not available.

The Professional division has raised \$8,160, which is 35 percent of its goal of \$23,409.

Only one campaign division, the Corporate Gifts Division, has not reported any giving.

The mood of the meeting in Mrs. Abalos' Restaurant was light

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Brand publisher Speedy Nieman named TTU outstanding alumnus

LUBBOCK -- O.G. (Speedy) Nieman, publisher of *The Hereford Brand*, was one of four recipients of the 1993 Outstanding Alumni Award presented by the Texas Tech University School of Mass Communications Saturday at a homecoming breakfast.

The other recipients were Roy McQueen, publisher of *The Snyder Daily News*; Charles Reinken, editorial page editor of *The Fayetteville (NC) Observer-Times*; and Chino Chapa, vice president of Fleishman-Hillard, Inc., in St. Louis.

Dr. Roger Saathoff, director of Mass Communications, presided at the breakfast, and award presentations were made by members of the

Lubbock Area Mass Communications Alumni Council. The award recognizes alumni of Texas Tech who have made outstanding contributions to the field of mass communications.

Nieman, a 1954 journalism graduate, has been publisher-editor of *The Brand* since January 1972. His involvement with community newspapers started before he graduated, when he was sports editor and editor of *The Lamesa Daily Reporter* in 1952-52. He was editor of the *Tech Ex-Student Publications* in 1953-54 and after graduation, he was a sports reporter for *The San Angelo Standard-Times*.

He later served as editor again at Lamesa, then was editor of *The*

Brownfield News and Littlefield Leader-News. In 1965, he became a partner and publisher of *The Slaton Slatonite*. He became a partner in the Hereford paper and North Plains Printing Co., in 1972.

He is a stockholder and serves on the board of newspapers at Snyder, Vernon, and Brownfield. He is also a stockholder in newspapers at Azle, Quanah, Gatesville, Copperas Cove, and Lovington, N.M.

Nieman is currently a director of the Texas Newspaper Foundation, and is a former president of the Texas Press Association, West Texas Press Association and Panhandle Press

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Tech honors newsmen

Hereford publisher O.G. (Speedy) Nieman was among four Texas Tech University graduates honored as Outstanding Mass Communication Alumni Saturday during homecoming activities. Dr. Roger Saathoff, right, Mass Communications director, congratulates three of the recipients, left to right: Charles Reinken of Fayetteville, N.C., Roy McQueen of Snyder, and Nieman. Chino Chapa of St. Louis was unable to attend.

Senator charged with official misconduct Motions call for Hutchison charges to be dismissed

AUSTIN (AP) - The grand jury that indicted U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison was improperly empaneled because it contained a juror facing a theft charge, according to motions filed by attorneys for the senator.

Two dozen motions were filed Monday by Mrs. Hutchison's counsel, claiming the official misconduct case facing her should be dismissed because of legal mistakes.

The motions claim grand juror Melvin Wrenn should have been excluded because a November 1988 charge of theft by check was pending against him at the time the panel was selected.

"This grand juror was absolutely mandatorily disqualified under the law," the motion said.

About 525 indictments returned by a Harris County grand jury were dismissed last month because the jury panel's foreman had been indicted on a charge of theft by check.

Wrenn has not been indicted, but

Rain showers hit Hereford

Thunderstorms, some with heavy rains and high winds, rumbled across North Texas this morning. Hereford had recorded .41 of an inch of rain by 10:30 a.m. today.

Storms were scattered across West Texas this morning, according to an AP report, but an upper level storm system was expected to trigger mostly cloudy skies and a good chance of showers and thunderstorms for all areas through tonight.

The storms spawned tornadoes in East Texas, causing a fatality in Emory. A flash flood watch was in effect through tonight for most of North Texas.

it is illegal for accused or convicted felons to serve as grand jurors, according to Texas law.

Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle could not be reached for comment by The Associated Press late Monday. His first assistant, Steve McCleery, refused to comment except to say, "There weren't any surprises."

McCown asks about finance alternatives

AUSTIN (AP) - A judge has questioned what alternative school finance reform law might be developed if he throws out the current system requiring the richest school districts to share some local property tax wealth.

"If we can't do it this way, then I think we're in real trouble. I don't see any other way to do it," state District Judge F. Scott McCown of Austin said Monday during closing arguments in a trial on the law.

He suggested that a huge state tax increase or massive school consolidation might be the only other options.

But McCown also cautioned observers not to assume he's going to uphold the law, which is meant to meet a 1989 Texas Supreme Court order to even out funding available to school districts of differing property wealth.

"These are complicated and difficult arguments, and whatever I do has to be something that can be written and justified," McCown said. "I often find that I am unable to write and justify what I want to do."

McCown said he would try to have a decision before the Christmas holidays on whether lawmakers must try again at reform. Any decision is

Mrs. Hutchison, 50, a Republican, was indicted last month on four felony counts and a misdemeanor charge accusing her of using state employees for personal and political jobs during her term as state treasurer.

She also is accused of overseeing the destruction of computer records as part of a coverup.

expected to be appealed to the Supreme Court.

The new law gives the 98 school districts with more than \$280,000 in property wealth per student several options for sharing. There are 1,048 school districts in the system, which is built on a combination of state aid and local property taxes.

Three previous school funding laws have been found unconstitutional by the state Supreme Court, a fact cited by McCown.

He said the Legislature and governor "are saying, 'Look, this is the best we can do,'" and noted that one expert said the law would give Texas among the nation's most equitable school finance systems.

"Is it appropriate for a court then to say that's unconstitutional, and you have to do something else?" McCown asked.

Lawyer Al Kauffman of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund, representing poor districts, said that's just what the judge should do.

"I think the state can do better," Kauffman said. Property-poor school districts say the law would leave at least a \$600 funding gap per student.

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Local Roundup

Cool, breezy weather continues

Hereford recorded a high of 76 Monday and a low of 52 this morning. KPAN reported .41 of an inch of rain at mid-morning. Tonight, showers likely and a few thunderstorms. Continued cloudy with areas of fog. Low in the lower 40s with northeast to south wind 10-20 mph. Chance of rain is 70 percent. Wednesday, breezy with a 30 percent chance of light rain in the morning. High in the upper 50s with northeast wind 15-20 mph and gusty early.

Health department to close

The Texas Department of Health will be closed Wednesday through Friday of this week so that staff members can attend inservice training. As a result, the immunization clinic is canceled for those days. Immunizations will resume on the normal schedule on Monday, Oct. 25. The shot clinic is held from 7 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. daily.

News Digest

World/Nation

WASHINGTON - Congress is challenging President Clinton's foreign policy with an eye toward restricting his authority to send U.S. troops to Haiti and other flash points around the globe.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti - Talks to prod Haiti's army commander into allowing the return of its ousted elected president fail, setting in motion today the beginning of a worldwide embargo. U.S. and Canadian ships float offshore as nearly all supplies from abroad will be blocked from entering Haiti, one of the world's poorest countries, as a penalty to the military for ousting its elected president.

WASHINGTON - The health insurance industry is hiring political operatives in key states to lobby against the Clinton health reform plan and get critics to turn out at lawmakers' town hall meetings, according to documents obtained by a pro-Clinton lobbying group.

State

AUSTIN - The grand jury that indicted U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison was improperly empaneled because it contained a juror facing a theft charge, according to motions filed by attorneys for the senator.

SPACE CENTER, Houston - Columbia's astronauts launched into two weeks of medical experiments in space - the most ever - after a belated rocket ride with 48 rats.

AUSTIN - Pledges to abide by campaign finance reform grabbed center stage in the early moments of a 1994 race for the Texas Supreme Court.

HOUSTON - Not only does former President George Bush have a new residence in Houston, Texas' largest ballroom now bears his name. The city of Houston on Monday officially named the 31,500 square foot ballroom of the George R. Brown Convention Center the George Bush Grand Ballroom.

SAN ANTONIO - A transit tax to pay for the Alamodome is generating millions of dollars more than projected, and now the city and VIA Metropolitan Transit are at odds over who will control the money.



Police Beat

Weekend Hereford Police Department activity reports contained the following incident reports and arrests:

TUESDAY

-- Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported. The vehicle was later recovered abandoned west of the city.

-- Criminal mischief to a building in the amount of \$15 was reported in the 400 block of Main.

-- Criminal trespass was reported in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue, in the 200 block of Brevard and in the 100 block of Higgins.

-- Suspicious activity was reported in the 400 block of Avenue C.

-- Criminal mischief by BBs to a window was reported in the 200 block of Avenue I, with \$150 damage.

-- Domestic violence assault was reported in the 300 block of Avenue K.

-- Theft of furniture valued at \$925 was reported in the 400 block of Star.

-- Phone harassment was reported.

-- Officers issued 12 citations.

-- There were two minor accidents.

MONDAY

-- A 28-year-old male was arrested for evading.

-- Criminal trespass was reported in the 600 block of East Third.

-- Phone harassment was reported.

-- Theft of items valued at \$900 was reported in the 900 block of Sioux and in the amount of \$140 in the 100 block of Hereford Calle.

-- Burglary of a business was reported on east U.S. 60. An unknown amount of items was taken.

-- Officers issued seven citations.

-- The fire department responded to a structure fire on South Main and a stove fire on George Street.

SUNDAY

-- A 46-year-old male was arrested for DWI.

-- Two 29-year-old males and a 24-year-old male were arrested for public intoxication.

-- A 32-year-old male allegedly threatened to commit suicide by jumping off a grain elevator. He was transported to Amarillo's Northwest Texas Hospital.

-- Theft of beer was reported from a convenience store.

-- Criminal mischief and assault were reported in the 700 block of Avenue G.

-- Domestic disturbances were

reported in the 400 block of Avenue B and in the 300 block of Adelito Calle.

-- Theft of items valued at \$25 was reported in the 200 block of Avenue F.

-- Disorderly conduct by abusive language was reported at U.S. 385 and 15th Street.

-- Officers issued 23 citations.

-- There were two minor accidents.

-- The fire department was dispatched on two grass fires and a wreck call.

Sheriff's Report

Weekend Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department activity reports included the following arrests and incident reports:

-- A 44-year-old female was arrested on a Randall County warrant for theft by check over \$20.

-- A 26-year-old female was arrested on Deaf Smith, Randall and Potter county warrants for theft by check and on three Potter County warrants for issuance of bad checks.

-- A 33-year-old male was arrested for DWI and on three Howard County traffic warrants.

-- A 19-year-old male was arrested on a having a weapon in a prohibited place commitment.

-- A 23-year-old male was arrested for violation of probation (resisting arrest).

-- A 29-year-old male was arrested on a Potter County warrant for indecency with a child.

-- A 32-year-old male was arrested on a felony DWI commitment.

-- Theft was reported in the far western portion of the county, where parts were taken from a bus and replaced with other parts.

-- Domestic violence was reported.

-- Assault was reported between two women.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Reyes Cano, Aurora DeIto, Ludie Greeson, Pauline Lovan, Quantilla Morris, Thelma Osman, Josefa Rivas, Effie Turner, Felix Vera, Dorothy Jean Walker, Barbara White, Gladys Woodring.



Red Ribbons for Rotarians

Members of PALS at Hereford High School, Sheila Teel, right, and Lee Harder, pin red ribbons on Rotary Club members Rebecca Walls and Lupe Chavez at the club's weekly meeting Monday. PALS is conducting the Red Ribbon project to draw attention to the nationwide emphasis on a drug-free society. PALS members are calling on Hereford businesses, also, for the observance of Red Ribbon Week, beginning next Monday. Donations from supporters will be used for PALS activities. Members of the Rotary Club contributed more than \$40 to the student group.

UNITED WAY

throughout the hour-long session.

When Chester Nolen, chairman of the Business and Industry Division, reported that "I'm a little ashamed" that his division had only reported \$225 -- or 1 percent of its \$21,229 goal -- Klett responded that, "As well you should be."

Nolen, however, said all pledge cards for his division have been distributed and that it is just a matter of getting the pledges in.

Rodney Ruthart, a member of the local United Way board, reminded his fellow volunteers that this is the time to keep working on the campaign.

"Our success this year is measured beyond what we're raising in money," he said. "I'm very proud to be part of this United Way organization."

Other campaigns starting around town this week and next include those at the public schools, Hereford State Bank, Frito Lay, the city and the county.

In the public schools, United Way board president Mike Hatley said, numerous activities are scheduled to gain teacher and student interest.

At Hereford Junior High School, he said, a "Kiss a Pig" contest is under way to see which of seven

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Association.

He has been active in community affairs, having served as president of the Deaf Smith County and Slaton chambers of commerce, and the Hereford and Slaton Lions Clubs. He was named Hereford's Citizen of the Year in 1989 and Slaton's Man of the Year in 1970. He has served as a director or member of many community organizations.

His wife, Lavon; two sons, Craig of Hereford, and Steve, daughter-in-law Rhonda, and grandchildren Ross and Stephanie of Lubbock were present at the induction breakfast.

administrators or teachers can raise the most money for United Way.

This is second year the contest has been held at the junior high.

Also, Hatley said, Northwest Elementary School is hosting a poster contest. Lisa Klett said independent judges will select the five best posters from the entrants.

Those posters will be placed on display with instructions that money serves as votes for the best poster.

The poster with the largest donation will be the winner. Proceeds will go to the United Way.

Hatley also said West Central Intermediate School is hosting a candy sale to raise money for United Way.

Division totals as of Monday, along with the division goal and percentage of goal, are:

-- Senior Citizens, \$11,233 goal,

\$3,830 collected, 34 percent.

-- Agriculture, \$4,635, \$100, 3 percent.

-- Business and Industry, \$21,229, \$225, 1 percent.

-- Commerce, \$10,680, \$1,603, 15 percent.

-- F.I.R.E., \$16,894, \$9,719.20, 58 percent.

-- Corporate Gifts, \$5,837, nothing collected.

-- Professionals, \$23,409, \$8,160, 35 percent.

-- Public/Federal/State, \$20,345, \$4,655, 23 percent.

-- Pacesetters, \$8,216, \$5,595.40, 69 percent.

-- Advanced gifts, \$27,522, \$3,150, 12 percent.

-- Care Walk, \$5,197.85.

-- Servant Sale, \$1,890.

-- Golf Tournament, \$913.40.

CHOF inductee Fern Sawyer dies

Services were held this morning in Roswell, N.M., for longtime New Mexico rancher and rodeo and cutting horse champion Fern Sawyer, who died Saturday while visiting friends in Texas. She was 76.

Miss Sawyer was a member of the National Cowgirl Hall of Fame, headquartered in Hereford. She was also a member of the National Cutting Horse Hall of Fame and the Rodeo Cowboy Hall of Fame, was a pioneer for women on the professional rodeo circuit and a founder of the National Cutting Horse Association.

Miss Sawyer also had served on the New Mexico State Fair Commission, state racing commission and as Democratic Party chairman in Lincoln County, N.M., where she owned a ranch near Nogal.

Miss Sawyer collapsed Saturday after a horseback ride at Blanco, Texas, near San Antonio, said longtime companion Chloe Baker. "She had gotten off the horse and

just collapsed," Miss Baker told the Associated Press.

The funeral service was held at 11 a.m. today at St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Roswell, with burial at 1:30 p.m. in the Tatum cemetery.

Her death stunned friends, including Gov. Bruce King, who had appointed Sawyer to the state fair commission.

"She was an outstanding, pioneer individual," King said. "And she was an advocate for New Mexico, one of the forerunners for women in Western activities - rodeo and things. A very highly respected woman."

"The staff and board have been numb from the news of Fern's passing," said National Cowgirl Hall of Fame assistant director Virginia Artho this morning in a prepared statement.

"She attended the Rhinestone Roundup this summer and was as lively and colorful as ever," Mrs. Artho said, referring to Miss Sawyer

TEA study committee appointed by Bullock

AUSTIN -- State Sen. Teel Bivins of Amarillo has been named to an interim committee charged with look at every facet of the Texas Education Agency's mission and operations.

The announcement of the appointment was made last week by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock.

The creation of the 17-member select committee was one of the education accountability measures adopted this year by the Texas Legislature.

Senators to serve on the panel are: Bivins, Bill Ratliff, Gonzalo Barrientos, Bill Haley and Jim Turner. Appointed by House Speaker Pete Laney to represent that body are Reps. Libby Lineberger, Christine Hernandez, Scott Hochberg, Steve Ogden and Paul Sadler.

Seven public members selected jointly by Bullock and Laney will complete the group and will represent business, education and community interests.

The panel will be co-chaired by Ratliff and Lineberger.

"This is a strong committee with a heavy blend of educational and business experience," Bullock said. "I have every faith in Sen. Bivins' proven ability and expertise."

The committee will study the mission, organization, size and effectiveness of the TEA and compare it with similar agencies in other states and national education goals.

Other areas of focus include how to best manage state resources and assistance to school districts, identifying functions best performed by regional service centers and the effectiveness of programs for special students, staff development and site-based management teams.

The committee also will monitor school finance litigation and the implementation of the latest school finance plan.

A final report will be issued by Dec. 1, 1994.

as "a fell-like personality and strong supporter of the Hall of Fame.

Miss Sawyer was a Cowgirl Honoree of the Hall in 1976.

In September, Mrs. Artho said, a portrait of Miss Sawyer was donated to the Hall for permanent display by Ruidoso, N.M., artist and gallery owner Linda Smith.

That portrait was taken to Roswell on Monday for display at the funeral.

"Fern has been active all year with participation in cutting horse exhibitions, which is what she was doing when she passed away," Mrs. Artho's statement said. "She's fortunate to have been involved throughout her life with activities she loved."

Born May 17, 1917, in Buchanan, N.M., Miss Sawyer spent her life in New Mexico and West Texas. She always said she was first placed on horseback at age 1.

After studying home economics for three years at Texas Tech, she quit to pursue rodeo, where she competed in barrel racing, calf roping and bull riding.

She was the 1938 World Champion All Around Cowgirl at Madison Square Garden and Cutting Horse World Champion of 1947 at Fort Worth.

During the early 1940s, Miss Sawyer helped found the National Cutting Horse Association.

Miss Sawyer was the first woman appointed to the New Mexico State Fair Commission, and served on the commission for 15 years. She was involved in State Fair activities since the event's 1937 inception.

Miss Sawyer also served several terms as head of the Lincoln County Democratic Party and was a member of the New Mexico Racing Commission in 1981.

Miss Sawyer is survived by her sister, Myrl Sawyer Good of Roswell, a nephew, a niece, one great-nephew and three great-nieces.

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Obituaries



HOWARD C. GAULT

Howard Cameron Gault, 64, of Hereford, died Sunday in Hereford. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in First Presbyterian Church. Officiating will be Dr. John Powell, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church of Lubbock, and Dr. James W. Cory, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Hereford. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery under direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Gault was born in Buhl, Idaho,

and came to Deaf Smith County from Idaho in 1941. He married Kathryn King on June 18, 1961, in Hereford. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church. He was a packer-shipper of produce.

Survivors are his wife; his mother, Edna Gault of Hereford; a son, Drue Gault of Hereford, and two sisters, Gayle Kendall of Boulder, Colo., and Glenna Carlson of Webster, Wisc.

The family has requested that memorials be directed to the Moor Ranch Presbyterian Assembly at Hunt or to Deaf Smith Health Care Foundation.

FANNIE "Pat" RUDD

Oct. 18, 1993

Fannie "Pat" Rudd, 85, longtime Deaf Smith County resident, died Monday.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Joe Wood, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Rest Lawn Memorial Park.

Born in Montague County, Mrs. Rudd came to Deaf Smith County in 1922. She and Paul Rudd were married Jan. 22, 1925. He died in 1976. Mrs. Rudd was a life member of the Pioneer Study Club, a charter member of Westway Home Demonstration Club and a member of the Farm and Ranch Club. She was a Methodist.

Survivors are three sons, Homer Rudd and Kenneth Rudd of Westway and Harold Rudd of Amarillo; a sister, Eula "Dink" Griffin of Amarillo, 15 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

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

JOAQUIN CASTILLO JR.

Oct. 16, 1993

Joaquin Castillo Jr., 80, of Hereford died Saturday.

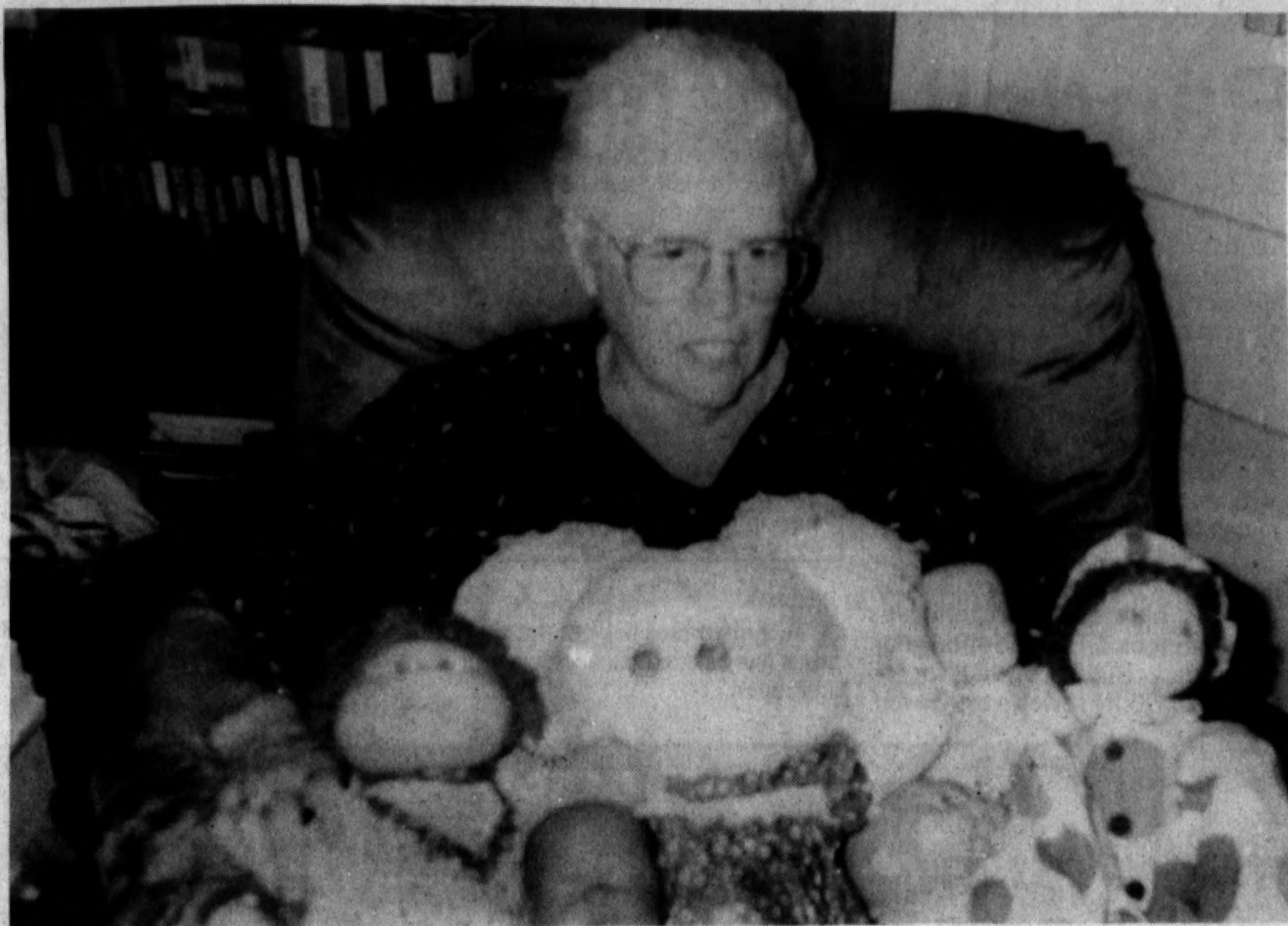
Services were set for 10 a.m. Tuesday in San Jose Catholic Church with the Rev. Darryl Birkenfeld, pastor, officiating. Burial was in St. Anthony's Cemetery, by Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Castillo was born in Lockhart and came to Hereford from San Marcos in 1957. He married Anastacia Medina in 1938 in Tahoka. He was retired from the Missouri-Pacific Railway.

He was preceded in death by two sons, Uliao Castillo in 1969 and Joaquin Castillo III in 1970.

Survivors are his wife; five sons, Arnulfo "A.C." Castillo, Ricardo Castillo, Rodolfo Castillo and Santos Castillo, all of Hereford, and Juan Castillo of Chicago, Ill.; a daughter, Refugia "Cuca" Cruz of Chicago, 38 grandchildren and 45 great-grandchildren.

Lifestyles



Volunteers needed for Toys Program

The Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross has begun its Annual Christmas Toys Program and volunteers are needed to dress dolls. According to Executive Director Betty Henson, boy toys are also needed as soon as possible in order to clean and repair them. If you can assist with this program, please call the local Red Cross office. Lending a helping hand is Jo Hill, one of the Red Cross volunteers.

Vocal selections are heard by study club

A program of vocal selections was presented by Gene Streun, accompanied by Linda Gilbert, when the

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A poster of the 1931 "Frankenstein" movie sold for a record \$198,000, while the pick used by Sharon Stone's character to kill her male prey in "Basic Instinct" fetched \$3,750.

The items were among dozens of film and music memorabilia sold over the weekend by Odyssey Auctions.

The top bid from an anonymous buyer for the "Frankenstein" placard was the highest ever for a movie poster, shattering the old record of \$70,000 for an original "Dracula" poster, according to Odyssey Auctions president Bill Miller.

About 250 people attended the auction for movie posters ranging from "Creature From the Black Lagoon" to "Gone With the Wind."

Calliopean Study Club met Oct. 14 in the home of Mary Sue Hull. Dorothy Ott served as co-hostess.

Vocal presentations included: "Such Lovely Things" by North; "Ich Liebe Dich" ("Love Thee") by Grieg; "A Page's Road Song" by Novella; "Linden Lea" by Williams; "Without a Song" by Yosemite; "Serenade by Toselli; "Oon Wings of Song" by Mendelssohn; "Oh, What A Beautiful Morning" from "Oklahoma" by Rodgers; "In My Garden" by Firestone and "Bring Him Home" from "Les Miserable" by Claude-Michel Schonberg.

President Audine Dettman conducted a short business meeting.

Following the program, refreshments were served to the guest, and members: Ott, Hull, Cynthia Streun, Mary Fraser, Dettman, Kay McWorther, Louise Leasure, Jan Furr, Gilbert, Kathryn Ruga, Claudia McBrayer, Kathlee Palmer, Irene Coneway and Virginia Holmes.

Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: I purchased two books at a yard sale. They are in good condition; however, when I got them home, I discovered the pungent odor of cigarette smoke. Help! — Lucy Pickering, Baltimore, Md.

Here's an easy solution to try. You'll need an ice chest, a small bowl, a metal rack (optional) and vinegar.

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Previous years' activities reviewed by La Madre Mia

Movies of La Madre Mia Study Club's past years' activities and old scrapbooks were viewed when members met recently at the Hereford State Bank with Lucy Rogers serving as hostess.

During the business meeting with President Francyne Bromlow presiding, committee reports were given and correspondence was read from Big Brothers/Big Sisters and the Deaf Smith County United Way.

Those present were Carolyn Baxter, Bromlow, Merle Clark, Linda

Cumpton, Kay Hall, Mary Herring, Barbara Manning, Glenda Marcum, Gladys Merritt, Lavon Nieman, Nancy Paetzold, Rogers, Georgia Sparks, Betty Taylor, Marline Watson, Mary Beth White and Judy

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) - Thomas "Mack" McLarty left the White House for the pulpit, encouraging churchgoers to love thy neighbor.

McLarty, the White House chief of staff, preached to about 200 people Sunday at the Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church.

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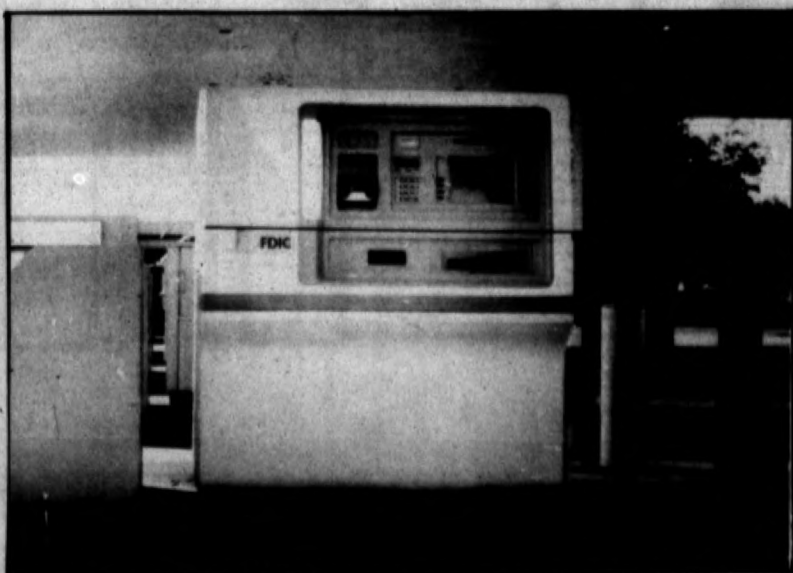
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Sports

Lady Whitefaces get past Randall

Hereford's volleyball team struggled early in both games of a match with Randall Saturday in Hereford but still came away with a 15-7, 15-6 win.

The games were tied--7-7 in the first game and 6-6 in the second--even after many rotations. Hereford pulled away easily in both games, but

it was the Herd's intensity level in the early parts of the games that concerned coach Brenda Reeh.

"We just didn't come to the gym ready to play," she said. "Our level of concern was not as high as it needed to be."

Reeh admitted that Randall's good blocking and hitting didn't let

Hereford get away with an easy win. Still she was mostly unhappy with Hereford's performance.

"My concern is are we ready on a daily basis to compete here with whoever we come up against. That means in workouts and in games."

In each game, Hereford got hot and got a serving run that made the score look like a blowout. In the first game, Melissa Berend went to the service line with a 7-7 tie and served out the game. In the second, Michelle Brock started serving with a 6-6 tie and stopped serving when Hereford led 12-6.

Danielle Cornelius led Hereford with eight kills and four solo stuffs. Kara Sandoval had five kills, and Brock had eight digs.

The win moved Hereford's record to 20-6, 5-2 in District 1-4A. Hereford is in sole possession of

second place after Berger beat Pampa 15-11, 15-3, giving both 4-3 records in district.

Dumas remains undefeated in district after a 15-9, 15-0 win over Caprock. Dumas is 20-6 overall.

Caprock is 0-7 in district; Randall is 1-6.

Hereford goes to Amarillo tonight to take on Caprock. The junior varsity match will start at 6, and the varsity will start 20 minutes after the JV match is over.

In the JV match Saturday, Randall was the only team struggling as Hereford took a 15-4, 15-4 laugh. Brittney Binder served for 16 points, and Kelly Jowell added seven.

Ruiz fight may be on ESPN

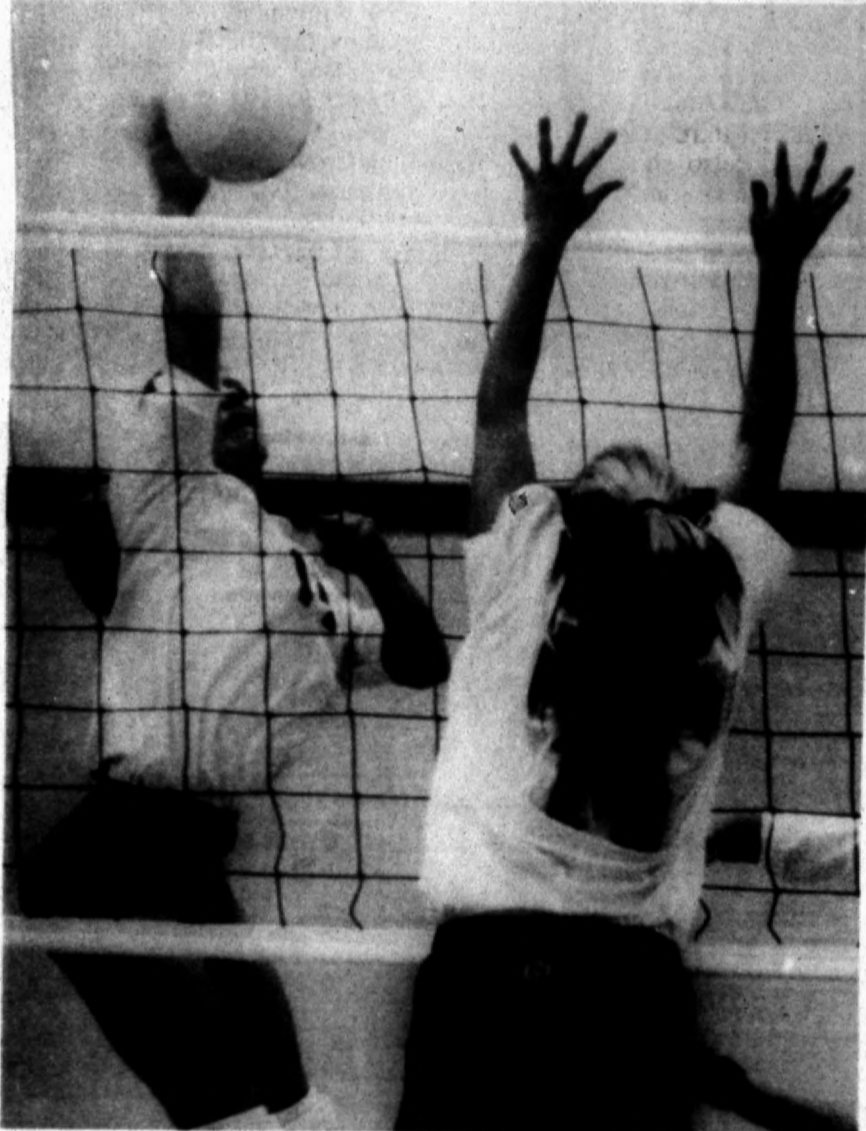
Hereford's Jaime Ruiz has a professional boxing match scheduled for Wednesday, and he has a chance of being shown on ESPN, the cable sports network.

Ruiz, 3-1 in his pro career, doesn't know the name of his opponent but does know his record is 7-0. Ruiz said he got the call Monday and didn't want to pass up a chance to fight for Top Rank Boxing Promotions.

The fight will be a six-rounder in Bay St. Louis, Miss., on a floating casino. The bout will be an undercard to a fight featuring Iraan Barkley, a well-known boxer.

ESPN cameras will be on hand for the Top Rank Boxing show, which airs from 8-10 p.m. Wednesday on Hereford Cablevision Channel 14. There is a chance some of Ruiz' fight could get on TV.

"If there's a quick knockout in the main event, to fill in air time they'll put on an undercard like mine," Ruiz said.



Kleuskens kills

Hereford's Heather Kleuskens pounds a ball over a Randall blocker. Hereford beat Randall 15-7, 15-6 Saturday in Whiteface Gym.

Schumacher wins football contest

Cory Schumacher missed five games in last week's Hereford Brand Football Contest and beat out two others in a close tie-breaking process.

Of the three players who missed five games, none picked Hereford to win the tie-breaker. (Hereford beat Randall 29-27.) Schumacher and Lisa Zelonist both picked a total score of 35, beating George Loerwald's pick of 34. Schumacher pick for Hereford score was 14, which was closer than Zelonist's pick of 7 points for Hereford.

Schumacher will pick up \$25 in Hereford Bucks for the win. Zelonist and Loerwald will receive \$15 and \$10 in Hereford Bucks for second and third, respectively.

There were seven entrants who missed only six games: Joy Stagner, Gladys Cavness, Wayne Amstutz, Jim Mercer, Earl Stagner, Dorothy Grasmick and Shayla Moore.

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Hall of Fame golfer Billy Casper played on eight United States Ryder Cup teams.

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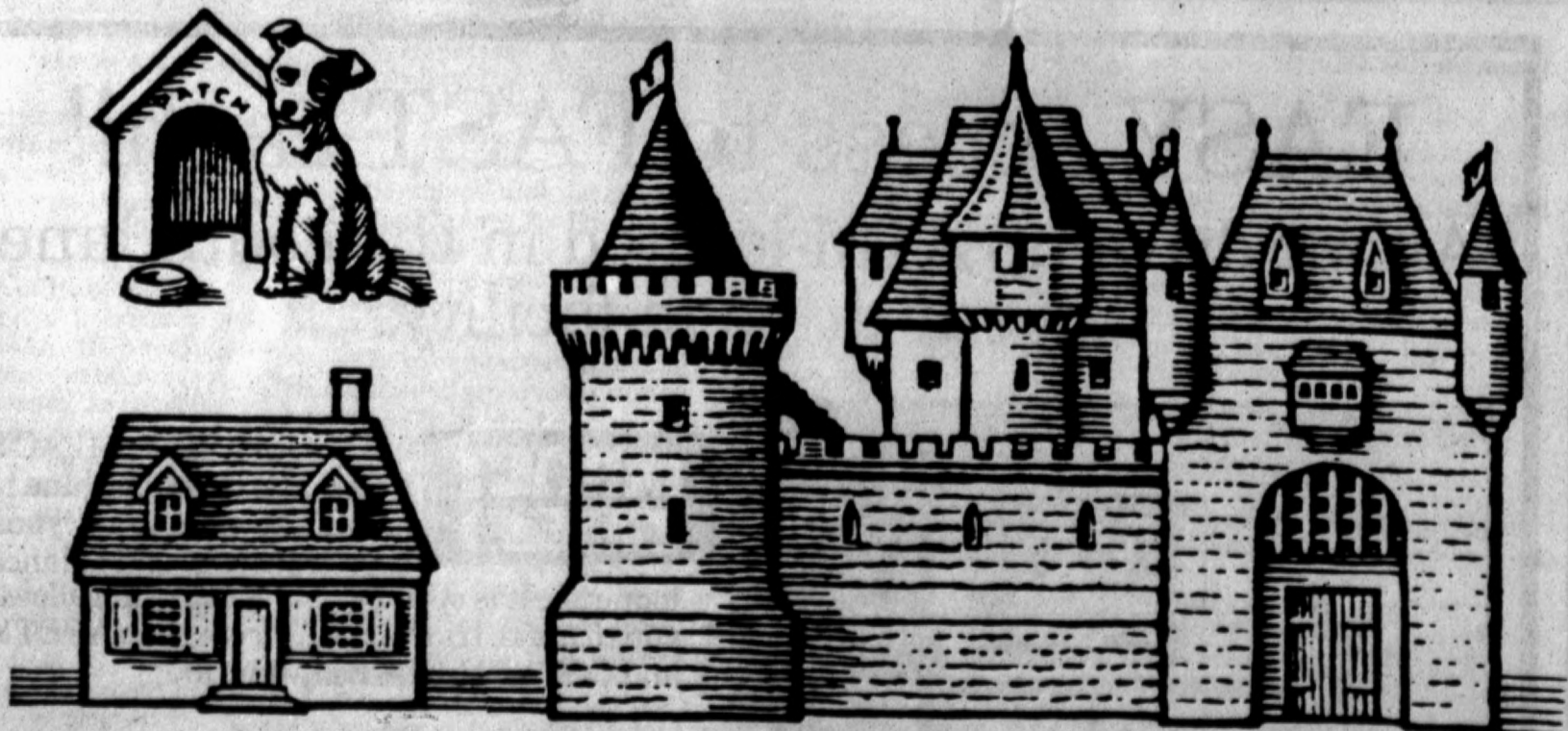
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Hereford netters close season by sweeping Dumas

The Hereford High School tennis team finished off the regular season with an 18-0 sweep of Dumas Saturday at Whiteface Courts.

Hereford, 4-1 in District 1-4A, will play in the Region 1-4A Tournament Oct. 29-30 in Lubbock as the district's runner-up. Borger, 5-0, is the district champion.

Hereford dominated Dumas, needing only two sets to win all but one match. In all, Hereford won 220 games to Dumas' 54.

"I thought we played real well," coach Ed Coplen said. "We didn't think (Dumas would) be very good, but we tried to play like we were getting ready for regionals--that's what I told them to do."

The team will travel to Canyon after school today for a team match with the Eagles.

Following are the results of the Dumas match. The winners all were from Hereford, except where noted in extra matches.

HERD 18, DUMAS 0

Boys' singles--Chris Lyles def. Ryan Jones, 6-2, 6-1; Pete Vargas def. Mike Moore, 6-3, 6-2; B.J. Lockmiller def. Tommy Brady, 2-6, 6-0, 6-0; Rob Reinauer def. Bobby Ellibee, 6-1, 7-5; Tom Jarecki def. Aaron Garham, 6-2, 6-1; and Marcus Berend def. James Holland, 6-2, 6-3. Extra matches: Tyler Merrick def. Jason Dershem, 8-1; and John Stevens def. Dershem, 8-5.

Boys' doubles--Vargas/Jarecki def. Jones/Moore, 6-1, 6-2; Lyles/Scott Shaw def. Brady/Garham, 6-0, 6-2; and Reinauer/Lockmiller def. Ellibee/Holland, 6-0, 7-5.

Girls' singles--Bri Reinauer def. Chealana Pool, 6-0, 6-0; Natalie McWhorter def. Kelly McCracken, 6-1, 6-1; Brooke Weishaar def. Leslie Cullen, 6-1, 6-1; Paige Robbins def. Rachel Pendergrass, 6-0, 6-0; Gabriela Gamez def. April Munton, 6-0, 6-0; and Taylor Sublett def. Jenny Lewis, 6-0, 6-1. Extra matches: Jessica Higdon, Dumas, def. Terri Reiter, 8-6; Lezlee Taylor def. Ashley Griffin, 8-4; and Traci Reiter def. Amanda Johnson, 9-7.

Girls' doubles--McWhorter/Weishaar def. McCracken/Cullen, 6-0, 6-3; Reinauer/Robbins def. Pool/Munton, 6-1, 6-0; and Gamez/Sublett def. Pendergrass/Johnson, 6-1, 6-0. Extra match: Reiter/Reiter def. Lewis/Griffin, 6-4, 6-2.

NCAA formally charges A&M

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) - The NCAA has formally charged Texas A&M with allegations raised by a newspaper last December - that a Dallas booster paid a total of \$18,000 to at least seven football players for work not performed.

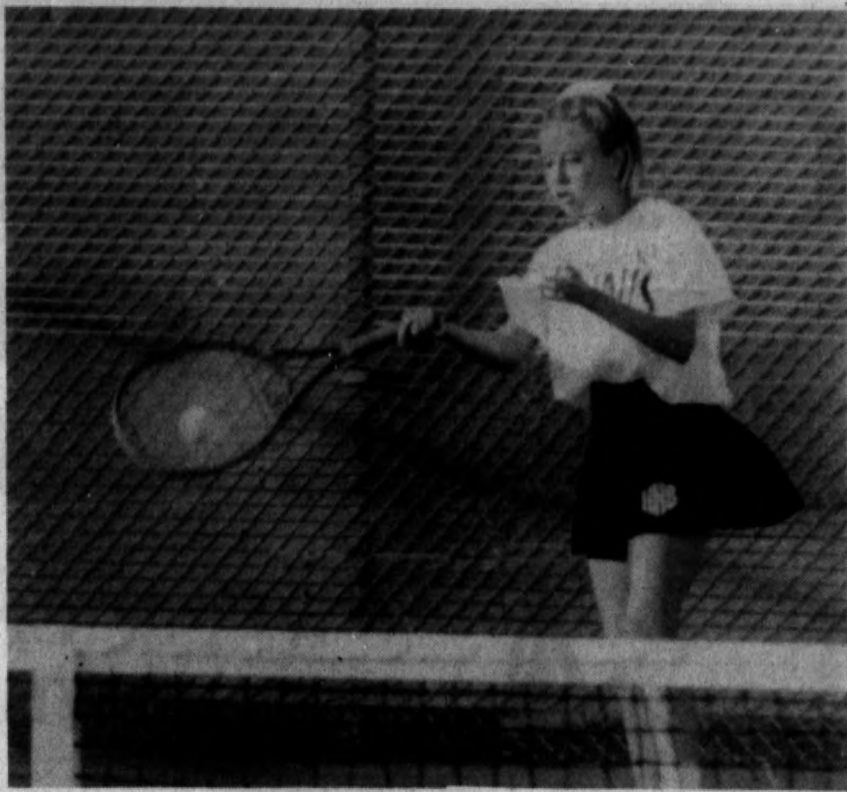
In a letter received by school officials Monday, the NCAA said the Aggies should have tightened procedures after the NCAA placed Texas A&M University on probation in 1988 because of a similar payment allegation.

The ruling body also said assistant athletic director Tim Cassidy, who is in charge of the Aggies' recruiting, ignored information he received about players who were on the payrolls of two companies at the same time.

Athletic director Wally Groff said Monday that the school disagrees with the allegations that Texas A&M itself is at fault in the matter.

If summer job monitoring is insufficient at Texas A&M, it also is at most other institutions, Groff said.

"Obviously, in hindsight, there is always something you can do better. The point is, how many other schools have a monitoring system that is any better than ours?" Groff said.



Strong shot

Hereford's Paige Robbins sends the tennis ball back over the net in singles play. Robbins and all her teammates won as Hereford swept Dumas Saturday at Whiteface Courts.

Jaeger's ugly kick lifts Raiders to win

DENVER (AP) - In terms of style points, Jeff Jaeger gave himself about a 3.5.

But for Los Angeles Raiders owner Al Davis, whose just-win philosophy has become legendary, it was a perfect 10.

Jaeger's 53-yard knuckleball field goal with 16 seconds left lifted the Los Angeles Raiders to a 23-20 victory over the Denver Broncos Monday night. It was the Raiders' ninth win in the last 11 games in the series.

"It was an ugly kick," Jaeger said. "It was so low. But it went through, and that's all that counts. Let it be as ugly as can be if it goes through the uprights."

Jaeger's clinching three-pointer capped a wild fourth quarter that saw the Broncos rally from a 13-3 deficit to take a 17-13 lead on two John Elway touchdown passes in a span of 59 seconds.

Then, just 23 seconds later, the Raiders reclaimed the lead on Jeff Hostetler's 74-yard pass to James Jett.

The Broncos drove for a tying field goal with 5:33 remaining, setting up Jaeger's game-winner. It was Jaeger's third successful kick of the game following 32- and 49-yarders.

"I don't know what's happening to us on field goals," Denver coach Wade Phillips said. "I think this is about 17 in a row that people have made on us. All kinds of bad kicks just seem to go through. That last one just knuckleballed through there and made the difference in the game."

The Raiders (4-2) forged their early lead thanks to fierce defense. By the time the Broncos (3-3) finally scored to make it 13-3 midway through the third quarter, they had managed just 88 yards of offense.

Elway, who had been sacked only eight times in his first five games, was sacked seven times by the Raiders, led by Greg Townsend's three and Anthony Smith's two. Smith raised his NFL-leading sack total to 10.

"They got quite a bit of pressure on me," Elway said. "I knew they were good, but I didn't know they were that good."

"The pass rush really was a big difference," Broncos linebacker Karl Mecklenburg said. "Their defense had a great pass rush. Ours didn't get any."

Hostetler was sacked just twice. "I think our defense did a great job of pressuring Elway," Raider coach Art Shell said. "If you don't pressure him, he will hurt you. And our offense made the plays when we needed them."

Elway's 27-yard scoring pass to Arthur Marshall with 11:47 left got the Broncos within 13-10. On the next play from scrimmage, Hostetler fumbled the snap and Denver nose tackle Greg Kragen recovered at the 5. Two plays later Elway hit tight end Reggie Johnson on a 2-yard TD pass with 10:48 left.

But the Broncos couldn't maintain their momentum. Hostetler, spying the speedy Jett covered by a linebacker, hit the Olympic sprinter near midfield, and Jett scored untouched with 10:25 to go for a 20-17 advantage.

"We got into a situation with a mismatch with our linebacker (Dave Wyman), and Hostetler was smart enough to see it and he threw the ball," Mecklenburg said.

"You just can't give up a big play like that and win," added Kragen. "I can't believe we let this one get away, because we had it."

It marked the second straight game in which the Broncos had played a sluggish first half and superlative second half.

"We've got to come out of the blocks," Elway said. "We're only playing about 30 minutes right now."

On Sunday in the NFL, it was Cleveland 28, Cincinnati 17; Houston 28, New England 14; Pittsburgh 37, New Orleans 14; New York Giants 21, Philadelphia 10; Detroit 30, Seattle 10; Phoenix 36, Washington 6; Kansas City 17, San Diego 14; and Dallas 26, San Francisco 17. Atlanta beat the Los Angeles Rams 30-24 on Thursday.

Teams with open dates were Buffalo, Indianapolis, Miami, New York Jets, Chicago, Green Bay, Minnesota and Tampa Bay.

Townsend takes title in Stratford

Hereford's Bethany Townsend won the Stratford Cross Country Meet and helped the Hereford team to a fifth-place finish.

The Hereford boys, in their first varsity race this season, also finished fifth.

Townsend finished the two-mile course in 12 minutes and 53 seconds. Following her from the Herd varsity were: Beth Weatherly, 21st in 13:59; Jamie Harrison, 23rd in 14:03; Rita Soto, 31st in 14:22; and Karon Harder, 43rd in 14:36.

Borger, Hereford's District 1-4A mate, won the meet with 70 points to Hereford's 111. Coach Martha Emerson was disappointed in that difference, considering Hereford is

chasing Borger for a berth in the regional meet, but she said one girl wasn't able to run because of illness.

Stratford was second with 78 points, Tascosa was third with 91 and Booker was fourth with 95. Eight other teams were behind Hereford.

The boys were led by Miguel Carrillo, who finished 24th in 19:15 (over three miles). He was followed by: Randy Sorenson, 34th in 19:49; Adolfo San Miguel, 35th in 19:52; Josh Pena, 41st in 20:17; and Justin Criner, 42nd in 20:21.

"I think the boys made a good effort," Emerson said. "We have very little experience with these five, but they are giving a good effort."

Perryton won the boys race with

31 points, Borger was second with 50, Ft. Elliott was third with 92, Tascosa was fourth with 95, and Hereford was fifth with 155. Four other teams trailed Hereford.

Hereford's junior varsity girls were second behind Borger, 28 points to 37. Kris Daniel led the Hereford JV runners, finishing third in 15:17. She was followed by: Becky Henderson, 7th in 15:33; Beverly Celaya, 8th in 15:43; Vanessa Garcia, 9th in 15:53; Ana Torres, 10th in 15:58; and Anna Witkowski, 13th in 16:24.

Golf teams both come in second

Both Hereford's boys' and girls' golf teams came in second in fall golf triangulars Saturday.

The boys, playing at Plainview Country Club, shot a 333 to fall in between Frenship's 329 and Tascosa's 337.

Hereford's Justin Griffith shot a 76--the lowest individual score in the triangular. Griffith was followed by Scott Burkhalter with a 81; David Sims, 84; Carlos Mendez, 92; and Keith Riley, 94.

The girls, playing at Hidden Hills Golf Course in Pampa, totaled 411, one behind Amarillo High's 410. Pampa was third with a 430.

Kelly Kelso shot a 92 for the second-lowest score of the triangular. She was followed by Karen Manchee with a 102; Jana Baird, 106; Jami Bell, 111; and Stephanie Bixler, 113.

Hereford's girls will play Saturday in Hereford, while the boys play in Borger.

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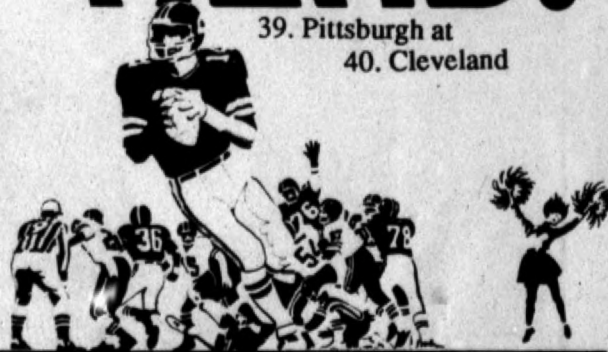
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Teams are numbered in ads; check games and mark box number of team selected as winner. Use official entry blank (no copies of the official form will be accepted). Entries must be deposited at Brand office before 5 p.m. Friday. All mail entries must be post-marked no later than Thursday to be eligible. Those post marked later than Thursday or received late will be disqualified. Only one entry is allowed per person. All entrants must be at least 8 years of age to be eligible. Prize winners residing in Deaf Smith County MUST appear IN PERSON prior to the next week's contest to claim award. Prizes not claimed within 5 working days become null and void. Entrants outside the county can appear in person or enclose a self-addressed envelope with entry. Be sure to guess total score in the tie-breaker game. Members of the Brand staff or their families are not eligible. Decision of the judges is final.



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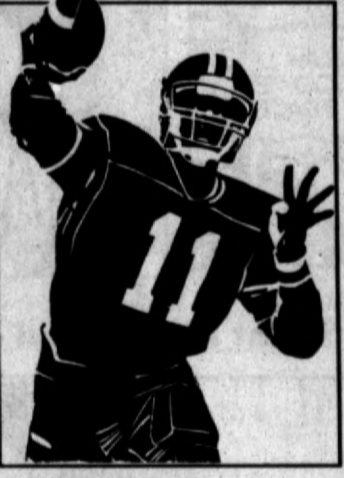
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19 Local Access

20 HBO
21 Cinemax
22 MTV
23 VH-1
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Movie: The Sword in the Stone *** G	Mouseterp	Wiping Tears	Movie: Windwalker Trevor Howard *** PG	Movie:							Movie: The Worst Witch	Pony Tales	Quack	Care Bears	Umbrella	Wonderland	Kids In Corp.	Mickey	C. Brown	Wonderland			
News	Cops	Saved-Bell	Getting By	Movie: Message From Nam	Jenny Robertson.	News	(-35) Tonight Show				Our Lives	Another World	John & Leeza	Painting	Sesame Street	Reading	Sandiego	Sq. 1 TV	You Choose	Insights	Cur. Affair	NBC News	
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Nova	Frontline	Perspective	Arts	Thinking	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour					Body Elec.	Nova	General Hospital	Planet	Brady B.	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Head Clas.	Gro. Pains	ABC News			
Andy Griffith B. Hillbillies	(05) Movie: The Vikings (1958) Kirk Douglas, Tony Curtis. ***	(-20) Movie: The Long Ships (1964) Sidney Poitier **									Rush L.	One Life to Live	Jewish Chronicles	Blood	Odds	Music	Music	Faith, Hope	Options				
Life Choices	Spirit	Joy-Music	Conscious Couple: H. Hendrix	In Touch	Music	Cap.-News	VISN				News	Kojak	Design. W. Hello Sp.	Yogi	Dawgs	Flintstones	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Wavelength				
Design. W. Jeffersons	Movie: The Man Who Would Not Die (1975) *** 1/2	News	Night Court	Suspect	Court TV						Bold-Beau	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Design. W.	Family	Edition	Hard Crpy	News	CBS News				
News	Married...	World Series: Game 3 White Sox or Blue Jays at Braves or Phillies	News	Golden Girls	Late Show						Hunter	Matlock	People CL	Love Con.	Tom-Jerry	Tiny Toon	Animaniacs	Batman	Saved-Bell	Full House			
Roseanne	Murphy B. Roc	Bakersfield	America's Most Wanted	Star Trek Gen.	Chevy Chase	M*A*S*H					Soccer	World Cup USA	America's Horse	Max Out	Dream Lg.	Challenge	Max Out	Inside PGA	Up Close				
Sportsctr.	NHL Hockey	Pittsburgh Penguins at New York Islanders	Sportsnight	Sportscenter							Triv. Purs.	Split Sec.	Make Deal	Gadget	Babar	Heathcliff	Archie	Popeye	Popeye	Punky B.	Big Jake		
Waltons	Young Riders	Father Dowling Mysteries	700 Club	Bonanza	Red Shoe	(-35) Movie: Night Eyes 2					Movie:	Movie: Deception (1946) Bette Davis, Claude Rains.	Movie: Ghostbusters (1984) Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd.	Movie: Operation Lookout ** PG-13	Movie:								
Movie: City Slickers (1991) Billy Crystal, Daniel Stern.	Movie: Psycho IV: The Beginning 'R'	Fatality	Red Shoe	(-35) Movie: Night Eyes 2							(10-45) Movie: The Right Stuff 'PG'	Sports Quiz	Movie: Defense Play David Oliver. 'PG'	Movie: Operation Lookout ** PG-13	Movie:								
Movie: Ghostbusters PG	Movie: Singles Bridget Fonda. 'PG-13'	I Am a Promise: Children of Stanton Elementary	Movie: Under Siege 'R'								Movie: I Don't Buy Kisses	Movie: Seven Days in May Burt Lancaster. ****	Movie: Fugitive Family Richard Crenna.	Movie: Say Anything...									
Movie: Nickel & Dime PG	Movie: Desire and Hell at Sunset Motel	Movie: The Last Boy Scout Bruce Willis.	(-15) Movie: Boomerang Eddie Murphy.								News	Be a Star	On Stage	Cookin'	:10 Seconds	Club Dance	VideoPM	Homeworks	Home	Beyond 2000			
Dance Line	News	American Music Shop	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News	Music Shop					Home	Pet Con.	Great Chfs	Cuisine	Graham K.	Cholesterol	Easy	Home	Rockford Files				
Animals	Pet Con.	Terra X	Magical	Invention	Next Step	Eight Tray Gangster	Terra X	Magical	Invention		Rockford	Movie: Foxfire (1955) Jane Russell, Jeff Chandler. ***	Mrs. Columbo	Movie: The Wizard of Loneliness (1988) ***	Supernat.	Shop-Drop	Shop-Drop						
In Search Of...	Biograh	Miss Marple	Evening at the Improv	Biography							Shop-Drop	Anything	Ullman	Moonlighting	Movie: The Wizard of Loneliness (1988) ***	Supermatk.	Shop-Drop						
Unsolved Mysteries	Healthy Challenge	Movie: Lady in the Corner (1989) Loretta Young.	Unsolved Mysteries	Mysteries							Gravity	Women's College Volleyball Texas A&M at Baylor	Paid Prog.	S. Goodwin	D. Roberts	Outdoors	Fred	Bear Bunch					
La. Downs	Triathlon	Tennis Corel Champions - Semifinal	Danny Ford	C. Reedy	Tennis Corel Champions - Final						Movie: Gene	(-15) Movie: The Nevedan (1950) Randolph Scott. **	Movie: Face of a Fugitive (1959) *** 1/2	Carloons	Fred	Bear Bunch							
Bugs Bunny's All Stars	Movie: A Life in the Theatre (1993) Jack Lemmon.	Movie: Some Like It Hot (1959) Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis. *** 1/2									Litt' Bits	Dennis	Flipper	Underdog	Looney	Muppets	Crazy Kids	Hey Dude	Guts	You Do	Looney		
Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Lucy Show	Hitchcock	Sale	Joker's Wild	Tic Tac	Press Luck	Scrabble	Pyramid	Pyramid	Parker L.	Facts-Life	Turtles	Turtles		
Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Web of Deceit (1990) Linda Purl. *** 1/2	Major Dad	Wings	Odd Couple					Lleavelto	De Frente al Sol	Alcanzar una Estrella II	Cristina	Noticias y Mas	Cuna-Lobos	Notici.Uni.						
Dos Mujeres, un Camino	Valentina	La Loba Herida	Sensacionalismo	Notici.Uni.	Movie: Muerte Federal						Yan Cooks	Peasant	P. Franey	Madeleine	Great Inns	Homebodies	Hometime	Peasant	Yan Cooks	N. Dupree	Laurie		
Homebodies	Hometime	Space	Furniture	Home Pro	Hometime	Science Frontiers	Space	Furniture	Home Pro		Fant. Max	Down Wif' Droopy D	Atom Ant	S. Squirrel	Yogi Bear	Super Adventures							
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Fraggle	Pooh Corner	Umbrella	Dumbo	Tracks	Care Bears	Gummi B.	Lunch Box	Walt Disney Presents	Movie:		Home-Donald	Movie: Willow (1988) Val Kilmer, Warwick Davis. 'PG'	(-05) Movie: The Blue Max (1966) George Peppard, James Mason.	News	Cops	Unsolved Mysteries	Now-Brokaw	Law & Order	News	(-35) Tonight Show			
Today	Write	Business	Business	Lamb Chop	Barney	Sesame Street	Mr Rogers	Station	Lifetime		MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Live From Lincoln Center	Great Performances	Tony Brown	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour								
Giligan	Bewitched	Happy Days	3's Co.	Little House on the Prairie	(-05) Matlock	(-05) Perry Mason	Movie:				Andy Griffith B. Hillbillies	(-05) Movie: Walking Tall (1973) Joe Don Baker. *** 1/2	(-35) Movie: A Real American Hero (1978) **	News	Wh. Fortune	Thea	Joe's Life	Home Imp	Grace	Moon Over Miami	News	(-35) Cheers	Ent. Tonight
Good Morning America	Donahue	Regis & Kathie	Little House on the Prairie	News							Jesuit	Prism	Joy-Music	Stories	Portraits	Worship	Homeland	Cap.-News	Common S				
Worship	Views	Songs	Joy-Music	Old Time Gospel Hour	Cope	To Be Announced	1 in Spirit				Design. W. Jeffersons	Movie: Operation Cobra (1971) David Janssen. *** 1/2	News	Night Court	Renegade								
Garfield	Bozo	Flintstones	Joan Rivers	Jane Whitney	Geraldo	News					News	Married...	World Series: Game 4 White Sox or Blue Jays at Braves or Phillies	News	Golden Girls	Late Show							
(6-10) This Morning	Ricki Lake	Price Is Right	Young and the Restless	News							Bonkers	Rangers	Melodies	Tale Spin	700 Club	Robert Tilton	K. Copeland	Training	Hunter				
Sportsctr.	Sportsctr.	Jake	Bodyshape	Sportsctr.	Sportsctr.	Fitness Pros	Getting Fit	In Motion	Bodyshape	Latin Futbol	Sportsctr.	PBA Bowling	Rochester Open	Boxing Iran Barkley vs. Adolpho Washington	Speedweek	Sportsctr.	Volleyball						
Babar	Rupert	Waltons	700 Club	Flashback	Health Club	Name-Tune	Make Deal	Pursuit			Movie:	Stories	Movie: Gladiator Cuba Gooding Jr. *** 1/2 'R'	Movie: Miracle Beach Ami Dolenz. 'R'	Movie: Bikini Summer 2 *								
Heroes	Movie: Ghostbusters (1984) Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd.	Movie: The Tiger and the Pussycat Vittorio Gassman.	Movie: Driving Me Crazy								(5:30) Movie: Pizza Man	Movie: Storyville James Spader. *** 1/2 'R'	Crypt Tals	Sanders	Dream On	Movie: Platoon *** 'R'							
Tintin	Pinocchio	Entertainment Report	Movie: The Hunter Steve McQueen. 'PG'	(-45) Movie: The Right Stuff Sam Shepard. *** 1/2 'PG'							Movie: Say Anything...	Movie: Toto the Hero Michel Bouquet.	Movie: The Lover (1992) Jane March, Tony Leung. 'R'	Movie: The Grifters 'R'									
(5:30) Movie: The Wall	Movie: Heaven With a Gun Glenn Ford.	(-45) Movie: Don't Tell Mom the Babysitter's Dead **	Movie: I Don't Buy Kisses								Dance Line	News	Mountain Magic Jamboree	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News	Mtn. Magic						
(Off Air)	VideoMorning	Wildlife	Home	Great Chfs	Cuisine	Graham K.	Cholesterol	Easy	Home		Mutley	Pet Con.	Living Planet: Earth	Wings of the Red Star	Beyond 2000	Living Planet: Earth	Wings						
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Wildlife	Home	Great Chfs	Cuisine	Graham K.	Cholesterol	Easy	Home		In Search Of...	Movie: The Suspect (1944) Charles Laughton. *** 1/2	Police Story	O'Hara, U.S. Treasury	Rockford								
Workout	Gourmet	Your Baby	Baby Knows	Movie: A Case of Deadly Force (1986) *** 1/2	Gourmet	Born Lucky	Supermtk.				Unsolved Mysteries	L.A. Law	Movie: Lost Angels (1989) Donald Sutherland, Adam Horovitz. *** 1/2	Unsolved Mysteries									
Sportswriters on TV	Trainer	Bodies	Auto Racing ASA's AC Delco Challenge Series - Jennerstown 400								Wk. in SWC	NHL Hockey	Dallas Stars at Montreal Canadiens	HS Extra	Women's College Volleyball								
Bugs Bunny	Colossal Cartoon Club	Adventure	CHiPs	Charlie's Angels	Movie: The Gene Krupa Story (1959)						Bugs Bunny's All Stars	Movie: Judgment at Nuremberg (1961) Spencer Tracy, Burt Lancaster. ****											
Flipper	Rooster's	Eureeka's Castle	Elephant	Gnome	Cappelli	Bearskin	Muppets				Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Lucy Show	Hitchcock		
Turtles	Ghostbust.	Ghostbust.	Scooby Doo	Turtles	Facts-Life	Quantum Leap	Murder, She Wrote	Talkabout			Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Pet Sematary (1989) Dale Midkiff. *** 1/2	Major Dad	Wings	Odd Couple						
Nos. Jos G.	El Chavo	Chespirito	Papa Solt.	Candido P.	Simplemente Maria	Madres Egoistas	Lleavelto				Dos Mujeres, un Camino	Valentina	La Loba Herida	Se Anunciara	Notici.Uni.	Movie: Valente Quintero							
Magic Box	Kitty Cats	Bookmeek	Join In!	Zoobilee	Iris the Prof.	Magic Box	Kitty Cats	Laurie	N. Dupree	Cooking	Homebodies	Hometime	Operation	Universe	FX Masters	Universe Chng.	Operation						
(5:00) Morning Crew	Smurfs	Smurfs	Yogi's Gang	Bedrock	Snorks	Snorks	Puppies				Ban. Splits	Scooby Doo	Flintstones	Jetsons	Bugs & Daffy								

Marvin By Tom Armstrong

HEY, MOM... LOOK! MY FAVORITE COOKIES! CAN I HAVE SOME?!

I'M SORRY, SWEETHEART, BUT IT'S TOO CLOSE TO DINNER TO HAVE SWEETS.

WAAAH!

OKAY... NO COOKIE, NO PEACE!

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart

BUNG, HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE ROYAL TAX COLLECTOR?

WHY ME?

YOU DON'T SEEM TO MIND GETTING STONED EVERY DAY

BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake

LET'S TAPE ANOTHER MINUTE TO BE SURE YOU GET IT?

SKNXX-X

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, BOYS?

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WE'RE TAPING / WE NEED THE MR BUMSTEAD SOUND OF A GRIZZLY BEAR FOR OUR SCHOOL PLAY

WILL WE HAVE TO PAY HIM A ROYALTY?

NO, I'M SURE HE'LL WAIVE

BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker

MEN WORKING

MAN LOAFING

Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell

I NEED TO TALK TO YORE AUNT LOWEEZY

YOU HAVE TO WAIT TILL SHE GETS OFF TH' LINE

WHEN DID SHE GIT A PHONE ??

MAW !! OUR MAILMAN AN' TH' WIDDER ARE SETTIN' ON HER FRONT PORCH-- IN HER SWING !!

SHH !! THEY'LL HEAR YOU !!

ACCORDING TO THE PARENTING BOOKS, WHEN A BABY THROWS A TANTRUM, IT'S A BATTLE FOR POWER...

...AND PARENTS SHOULD CLEARLY DEMONSTRATE WHO'S IN CHARGE!

WE SURRENDER!

JEFFREY!!

I'LL HAVE A BLT SANDWICH

THAT COMES WITH A SIDE, MADAM

REALLY?

OKAY... I'LL HAVE A SIDE OF BEEF WITH IT

WOULD YOU PLEASE STAY AND WORK LATE TONIGHT?

NOT A CHANCE

THEN LET ME PUT THAT A DIFFERENT WAY

WOULD YOU PLEASE STAY AND WORK LATE TONIGHT?

UGH-GASP! OKAY-OKAY

IT'S NOT WHAT YOU SAY, IT'S THE WAY THAT YOU SAY IT

BOOM!

I HATE IT WHEN SARGE FALLS OUT OF BED!

MAW !! OUR MAILMAN AN' TH' WIDDER ARE SETTIN' ON HER FRONT PORCH-- IN HER SWING !!

SHH !! THEY'LL HEAR YOU !!

Hereford resident graduates

Jared Blankenship of Hereford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lee Blankenship, was one of 70 participants in summer commencement at Abilene Christian University.

Blankenship earned a bachelors of arts degree.

ACU is a private liberal arts college that offers 116 baccalaureate programs, 39 master's programs and one doctoral program through its three undergraduate colleges, Graduate School and School of Nursing. It is one of the largest private universities in the Southwest and is the largest university affiliated with the churches of Christ.

Columbus subject of club program

Joe Weaver presented a program on "Columbus" for members of the Lone Star Study Club when the women met recently in the home of Roxie Phipps.

The program was followed by a question and answer session.

Marjorie Thomas called the meeting to order and roll call was answered by "a remark on Columbus."

Refreshments were served to 11 members and two guests, Willie Witten and Marie Harris.

Members present were Betty Jo Carlson, Margaret Ann Durham, Byrdie Fellers, Mildred Fuhrmann, Wilma Goettsch, Naomi Hare, Birdine Huff, Verna Sowell, Ruby Stevenson, Marjorie Thomas and Roxie Phipps.

Sunday school class conducts auction

Rosie Wall served as auctioneer when members of the Kingdom Seekers Sunday School Class met recently for their regular business meeting and auction. Luella Thomas served as hostess.

Proceeds from the sale will go toward class projects.

Trudie Gray presided over the short business meeting and the hostess gave a reading entitled "House of Prayer." Wilma Bryan gave the benediction.

The November meeting is planned in the home of Trudie Gray.

Others in attendance were Erma Bain, Dorothy Sargent, Maxine Coleman, Ruby White, Ruby Skelton, Ruby Stevens, Coy Tice, Velma Carrol and Fannie Townsend.

Conestoga wagon bells originated in Lancaster County, Va.

During the American Revolution, forces under Gen. George Washington lost the Battle of Brandywine Sept. 11, 1777, to the British near Wilmington, Del. Washington's troops were forced back into Philadelphia, which also fell to the British.



Planning 42 tournament

The public is invited to participate in the first of three 42 tournaments hosted by the Hereford Pilot Club. The first tournament will be held from 7-10 p.m. Thursday in the Hereford Community Center ballroom with tickets priced at \$5 per person. Participants purchasing tickets for the three tournaments (also scheduled Jan. 20, 1994, and March 24, 1994) will have a chance to win the grand prize of a card table and chairs to be awarded at the final tournament. Proceeds from the 42 tournaments will benefit various community organizations and activities.

"Mad Scientist Daze" is at Discovery Center

Searching for a safe trick-or-treating alternative? The Don Harrington Discovery Center is just the location for you. The Discovery Center is sponsoring the fourth annual Mad Scientist Daze/Pumpkin Craze Halloween extravaganza. Edna Wilson and Grace Cory are the volunteer coordinators for this fun-filled family event which will be held Oct. 26-30 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Discovery Center.

This Halloween spooktacular will thrill and chill children and adults of all ages. Admission is \$1 per person, and Discovery Center members will be admitted free and will be given a special Halloween bag filled with prizes and games. Costumes are encouraged for all family members. Yes, moms and dads that includes you!

Numerous creative and creepy activities are planned for this five day event. The tough teenagers can test their nerves as they encounter Spookville's Haunted House, while the toddlers and pre-schoolers explore the eeriness of Slimer's Spookhouse. Innovative experiments will be tested on visitors nightly, so be prepared. Games and craft areas for children of all ages will be set up throughout the Discovery Center. Children can win prizes and candy as they play! "Mad Scientist Daze/Pumpkin Craze is a great event for the entire family to enjoy. This is the fourth year, and it promises to be the best yet with added activities such as the treasure hunt, Mad Scientist super experiments, and other new and exciting games," states Camie Boone, Mad Scientist Daze Coordinator.

Wanda the fabulous fortune teller will be on hand to intrigue and entertain you as she fills you with good fortune. You won't want to miss the Mad Scientists as they perform their super scientific experiments at 6:30 and 7:30 in the planetarium.

Creative costumes are a must, as the Discovery Center will be having a costume judging contest on October 29 and 30 at 7:00 p.m. Each contestant must be registered by 6:45 p.m. on the evening in which they wish to

participate. The contest will be divided into three categories: ages 0-3 years, ages 4-6 years and ages 7-10 years. Celebrity judges will be on hand to award prizes to the most creative in each category.

Don't miss the Discovery Center's fourth annual Mad Scientist Daze/Pumpkin Craze Halloween Extravaganza! This five day event will be so enticing that you will want to come back night after night. Mad Scientist Daze is made possible thanks to FirstBank, Southwest, FOX 14, Schlotsky's, KISS FM, and McCormick Advertising.

Workbook helps guide businesses

Starting a new business during questionable economic times may sound like a crazy idea, but as unemployment figures rise, more professionals are seriously considering that option.

Now, a handy, easy-to-read booklet - "Checklist for Starting a Successful Business," published by the Center for Entrepreneurial Management - offers guidance for people thinking of taking the plunge into small business ownership.

Introspective questions and worksheets illustrate the details involved in a business venture and help you determine initial costs and monthly expenses. Two chapters are devoted to developing a business plan. Readers can rate their response to queries given to other potential entrepreneurs: "Can you lead others?" "Can you make decisions?" "Have you made a real investigation into the potential success of your business?"

"Starting a business is risky at best," says "Checklist" author Joseph R. Mancuso, founder of The Center for Entrepreneurial Management.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - Hank Williams Jr. is ready for some more football.

The country music singer has opened ABC Monday Night Football games with the musical yowl, "Are you ready for some football?" for the last four seasons.

And he's baaaaaack.

Williams will open the Dec. 20 telecast of the New York Giants-New Orleans Saints game with a new performance based on his hit "All My Rowdy Friends," publicist Kathy Gangwisch said Thursday.

U.S. farmers reap harvest in Mexico

When Stan Ahlerich look across his 2,000 acre Kansas wheatfield, he sees all the way to Mexico and the opportunities that await farmers like him. "Mexico is a great market for American farmers," he said.

From the smallest family farm to the largest agri-business, American farmers are already harvesting a bumper crop of benefits from growing trade with Mexico.

American farmers are playing an important role in feeding Mexico's growing population, selling everything from wheat to vegetables, fruit to meat. In fact, Mexico is currently the fastest-growing market for U.S. farm products, with sales skyrocketing more than \$2.6 billion - 248 percent - over the last six years.

Sales of fresh fruit climbed nearly 3,000 percent in the last six years, while export of red meat and poultry increased more than 1,000 percent. Mexico, for example, is now the top export market for U.S. turkeys. More than 7,000 metric tons of California tomatoes will be shipped to Mexico this year. Mexicans are also enjoying more Texas rice and munching more California almonds.

Much of this is the result of Mexico's efforts to relax trade restrictions in recent years, and also the growing prosperity of Mexican consumers. Now, many American farmers are looking toward the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), which will phase out almost all trade restrictions and give U.S. farmers duty-free access to the Mexican market.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has projected a positive impact from NAFTA on America's top farm

commodities - grains and cereals, livestock, dairy products, and soybeans. According to USDA, these commodities generated 72 percent of U.S. farm cash receipts in 1991.

Overall, USDA is optimistic the NAFTA harvest will be a bountiful one. By the end of NAFTA's 15-year phase-in period, U.S. agriculture exports will be almost \$2 billion higher than they would be without the agreement. Farm income is expected to rise 2 to 3 percent.

Most importantly for the U.S. economy, jobs will be created. More than 95,000 people currently work in agriculture or food-related trade with Mexico. USDA expects NAFTA to add 54,000 new jobs to that total - jobs in farming, food processing, transportation and other related areas.

And so Stan Ahlerich has reason to be optimistic about the future. "I think NAFTA's greatest potential could be in agriculture," he said. "I feel strongly that trade with Mexico can put money in my pocket."

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Morrissey, alternative music's king of catharsis, wants to broaden his appeal.

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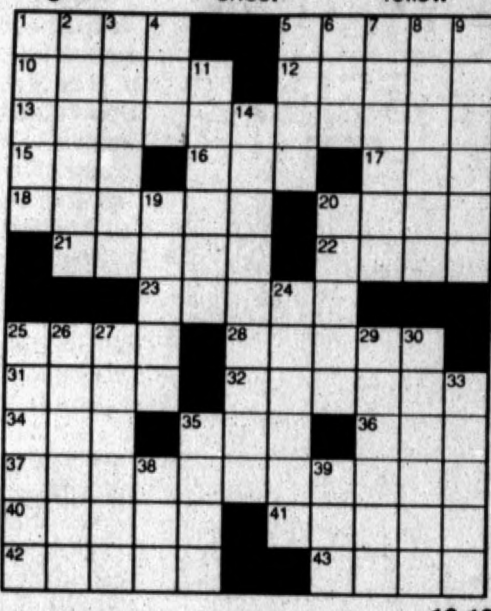
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All properties are marketed individually for up to 120 days before being included in packages, and more auctions are conducted. Meanwhile, nationwide seminars educate small investors regarding profit opportunities. **Success Through Access** Savvy small investors and brokers are using modern computer databases. "I have been able to sell several parcels that without the on-line (computer) ability would not have happened," said Lawrence, who has been dealing with federal properties since 1977. "It has paid for itself." Lawrence and others use the Federal Information Network. It is run by Business Information Network, a Maryland firm which has an exclusive contract arrangement with the RTC. The network gives investors and brokers instant computer access to foreclosure properties for sale by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Fannie Mae. BIN President David R. Forward said the service was designed to give small real estate investors "direct access to the same information the big guys have. So with the RTC changing its focus, the little player can now tap into the big opportunities." In addition to federal agencies, the network features REO listings from over 3,000 of the biggest banks in the country. Updated weekly, it carries over 60,000 properties and hundreds of auction events around the nation. Network members can also access loan portfolios, auction events, rules, regulations and available financing.

State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS


By Lyndell Williams and Ed Sterling
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AUSTIN—Three former Texas Agriculture Department officials were found guilty last week by a federal grand jury on charges of conspiracy and bribery in a scheme to trade public funds for the solicitation of campaign funds. The defendants were aides of former agriculture commissioner Jim Hightower, who was defeated in his 1990 re-election bid. According to testimony, former deputy agriculture commissioner Mike Moeller, his assistant Peter Thomas McRae and division chief Billie Quicksall hired consultants with public money to travel the state soliciting political contributions for Hightower's campaign. Moeller was found guilty on a charge of conspiracy and six other counts of misappropriating or theft of public funds. McRae was found guilty on five counts and Quicksall was found guilty on four counts. The three face 36 to 48 months in prison and fines under federal sentencing guidelines. A sentencing date of Nov. 19 has been set. Jurors heard how \$173,000 in public funds was misspent. The bulk of the money was said to go to consultants Bob Boyd and Russell Koontz, both retired long-time agriculture department employees. Agribusiness owners whose livelihoods are regulated by the agriculture department testified that Boyd and Koontz pressured them for campaign contributions during business trips. Boyd and Koontz were excused from the trial because they suffer from ill health.

Hightower said he returned all of the improperly raised campaign donations after reading a 1990 report in *The Dallas Morning News* concerning the actions of the consultants. Hightower was not accused of any wrongdoing, but Assistant U.S. Attorney Dan Mills said charges against the former commissioner could emerge as a result of the verdict. Mills suggested the defendants might come forward with more information because they are facing a prison sentence. Moeller's attorney, William Allison, said his client would appeal the verdict. **Grand Juror Subpoenaed** A subpoena was filed last week for Melvin G. Wrenn of Austin who served on the grand jury that indicted U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison last month on five criminal charges. Hutchison's attorney, Dick DeGuercin of Houston, filed the subpoena instructing Wrenn to appear for questioning at the Travis County Courthouse on Oct. 28. DeGuercin could not be reached for comment on why the subpoena was filed. He earlier accused Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle of discouraging witnesses in the case from talking to defense attorneys. **Schools and Income Tax** A state personal income tax is part of the solution to Texas' public school funding troubles, a Texas Association of School Boards official testified last week in an education finance trial. Billy Walker, TASB executive director, testified that equity in school funding will occur only when the state comes up with a better tax system. "A personal income tax is part of that solution," Walker told state District Judge Scott McCown, presiding judge in the nine-year-old school finance case. "You must solve the state revenue problems before you can solve your school finance problem," Walker said. "If the state does not solve the revenue problem, then the school finance problem may well be insoluble." Walker's comments came in response to a question by McCown, who asked the school finance expert how he would improve the education funding system. Walker


said he and the association have no position on whether the school finance law is constitutional. But whatever system is used, he said, there must be more money for education. **Professor Calls Plan Fair** In later testimony, a New York University professor said Texas would have one of the most equitable school funding systems in the nation under its news education finance law. Robert Berne, associate dean and professor of public administration at the university, was called to testify by state attorneys defending the law against challenges by property-rich and property-poor school districts. "I think if it plays out the way we've anticipated, it will produce a system that is the most equitable in the country," Berne said. **Texas Short on Grants** Texas ranks near the bottom—46th in the 1992 fiscal year—in seeking and getting federal grants. The U.S. Census Bureau gave Texas that low per-capita ranking because the state received only 5.3 percent of the federal grants available when it had 6.8 percent of the country's population. The state's failure to capitalize on federal dollars makes Texas a "donor" state, one where more federal dollars are leaving than returning. Comptroller John Sharp estimated the cost of being a donor state in 1990 was \$2.4 billion. **Other Highlights** ■ U.S. Rep. Martin Frost, D-Dallas, announced he will run for re-election next year rather than seek the Senate seat held by Republican Kay Bailey Hutchison. "I intend to spend all my energies with the future of the Super Collier," he said. ■ U.S. Housing and Urban Development Secretary Henry Cisneros has squelched rumors that he will run for the U.S. Senate next year. "I can't imagine any scenario under which I would be a candidate next year," said the former San Antonio mayor. ■ Early voting for the Nov. 2 statewide election started last week and runs through Oct. 29. The ballot includes 16 proposed constitutional amendments on subjects ranging from an income restriction to prison construction.

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Paul was going by land to Assos, and we went on ahead by ship. He joined us there and we sailed together to Mitylene; the next day we passed Chios; the next, we touched at Samos; and a day later we arrived at Miletus. Paul had decided against stopping at Ephesus this time, as he was hurrying to get to Jerusalem, if possible, for the celebration of Pentecost. But when we landed at Miletus, he sent a message to the elders of the church at Ephesus asking them to come down to the boat to meet him. When they arrived he told them, "You men know that from the day I set foot in Turkey until now I have done the Lord's work humbly -- yes, and with tears -- and have faced grave danger from the plots of the Jews against my life. Yet I never shrank from telling the truth, either publicly or in your homes. I have had one message for Jews and Gentiles alike the necessity of turning from sin to God through faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. "And now I am going to Jerusalem, drawn there irresistibly by the Holy Spirit, not knowing what awaits me, except that the Holy Spirit has told me in city after city that jail and suffering lie ahead. But life is worth nothing unless I use it for doing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus -- the work of telling others the Good News about God's mighty kindness and love. And now I know that none of you among whom I went about teaching the Kingdom will ever see me again." Acts 20:13-25

NEVER LOOK BACK. SOMETHING MAY BE GAINING ON YOU



At present, the average year, as reckoned by the Gregorian calendar used in almost all the world today, is about 26.3 seconds longer than the solar year. If not adjusted by the year 4136 it will have gained one year on the sun. It takes 4,000 crocuses to make an ounce of saffron.

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Mercy Ships bringing hope to the hopeless

John and Anika Magwood thought they saw poverty when they went to Mexico with their church group. But those visits didn't begin to prepare them for their experiences with Mercy Ships, an international, interdenominational Christian organization that takes healthcare and relief programs to developing nations.

Magwood is searching for the words to describe his reactions to the villages he and Anika have seen. It's shocking," he says, "very shocking. To see people literally starving to death, it's heartrending to see that firsthand."

The first Mercy Ship, the Anastasis, set sail in 1982. It's the world's largest

privately owned hospital ship - nine stories high and the length of nearly two football fields. On board, Magwood says, "it's like being part of a city of dedicated professionals."

And they're all volunteers. Magwood left his job as a biology teacher to join Mercy Ships fulltime. Anika is a registered nurse. "We saw a tremendous need in the world," he says. "We knew a house and cars weren't all there is to life." From what is, indeed, a cruel world, Magwood tells stories with happy endings.

Recently, for instance, they reached a village in Sierra Leone just in time for nurses to save children who would have died from a measles outbreak.

"It changed the entire village," Magwood says. "With the nurses' help, the government started an immunization program there."

Meanwhile, he was working with nationals to put in a drinking water system, latrines, a deep reservoir and irrigation system.

"It's hard sometimes," Magwood says. "There are times when we think about just going home. But the rewards keep us going."

"We've been thanked by people who had absolutely no hope before we got there. There's a great deal of satisfaction in helping people who thought things were hopeless."

The organization and its volunteers are funded by donations from corporations, church groups and individuals.

Magwood says there's some romance to sailing on the high seas and visiting exotic ports. "It's exciting," he says. "There's a real sense of adventure."

But it's the people who keep the Magwoods sailing year after year.

CHICAGO (AP) - OK, so he's retired. But Michael Jordan's popularity is soaring the way he used to on the basketball court.

Jordan's retirement has triggered a stampede of enterprises aimed at cashing in on the superstar's cashing out. And everything from commemorative edition cars to smelly sneakers is fair game.

A Jordan-signed jersey that went for \$495 in pre-retirement days sold for \$895 post-retirement. Jordan cards, even unsigned, now sell as much as 50 percent higher, dealers say.

Chicago-area Chevrolet dealers have announced that commemorative editions of the Blazer bearing his name soon would be on sale.

And a California-based company, Green for Jeans, buys used Air Jordan sneakers from Americans for \$15 and sells them to Japanese youths, who pay through the nose for them - as much as \$50 to \$75 a pair.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I was stunned and angered by the complaints of the medical transcribers who found doctors' transcription tapes filled with inappropriate noise. Your response was totally insensitive.

Don't you understand what it means when a doctor eats an apple while he dictates? It means that he has not taken time out to sit down to a meal with his family. Don't you understand what it means when a doctor's child is playing the clarinet while he dictates? It means the doctor has missed the child's recital again and cannot make time to

relax and enjoy the child's music. Don't you understand what it means when a doctor's tapes have airplanes droning in the background? It means the doctor is dictating while on vacation or on the way to Grandma's house.

I don't know what the impact will be from the health care reforms Hillary Rodham Clinton and her committee have proposed, but I only hope the changes permit doctors to work more normal hours. This would mean doctors would see fewer patients and the public would have to wait longer to get an appointment. But at least the doctors will have time to make nice clean tapes for the medical transcribers. -A Doctor's Wife in Scarsdale, N.Y.

several times a week. Invariably, the first thing the maitre d' says is "Alone tonight?" Then the headwaiter inquires, "Will anyone be joining you?" After that the table server asks, "Just one?"

Before you even order your food, the fact that you are alone has been pointed out several times, and you wish you had stayed at home. I'm sure these restaurant employees have no clue that these repeated inquiries can be painful.

Please urge restaurant managers everywhere to instruct their employees to assume that the patron who walks in alone is, indeed, alone and to begin the dialogue with, "Good evening. Would you prefer smoking or non-smoking?" The customer will most assuredly notify the maitre d' if he or she is expecting someone else. The waiters, too, should assume that the diner is alone and can begin the conversation with a simple, "How are you this evening?"

This may seem trivial, but it would make life more pleasant for those of us who are still hurting from our loss. -Lonely in Texas

service people something today. Thank you.

DEAR READERS: "L.S. from Fair Oaks, Calif." took exception to a recent Gem that said the three sweetest words to a woman's ear are, "Let's eat out." L.S. suggested three other words that women would appreciate: "I'll cook tonight."

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - Lorianne Crook and Charlie Chase kick off their new country music show on The Nashville Network against some stiff competition: the World Series.

"So to make people feel at home, I'll be scratching, and she'll be spitting every time the camera is on us," said Chase, joking about the baseball championships scheduled to air nationally most nights this week.

"Music City Tonight" debuted Monday as the new flagship prime time show on TNN, replacing Ralph Emery's "Nashville Now" program. The show, a hybrid of the talk and variety formats, gets underway at 8 p.m. CDT with Crook and Chase as hosts and airs every weeknight.

Scheduled guests for the opening show are singers Alan Jackson and Pam Tillis. Expected later this week are former Eagle Don Henley, Trisha Yearwood, Tanya Tucker and the band Shenandoah.

Crook and Chase abandoned their "Crook & Chase" show, which also aired on TNN, to take on the new project.

DEAR DOCTOR'S WIFE--In Scarsdale and everywhere else: I understand your feelings of frustration and possibly neglect because your husband puts in so many hours caring for his patients. Rest assured, however, that no matter what kind of health reform bill we get, dedicated doctors such as your husband are still going to put in killer hours. This is the type of physician he is, and that's the kind of medicine he will practice, no matter what.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Many people who have been left alone due to the death of a spouse, or divorce, find themselves eating in restaurants

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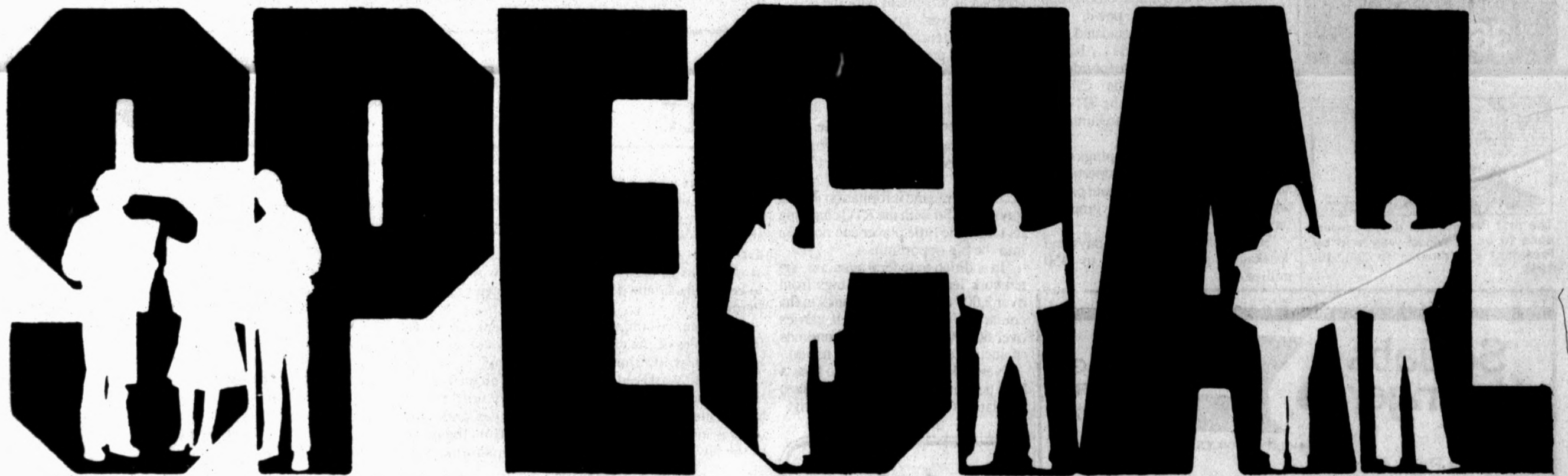
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