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Hay fire

The Hereford Fire Department responded to 10 fire calls on Monday. The dry conditions and high winds have triggered grass fires in the area. Here, firefighters work to extinguish flames in a bale of hay, located on North Progressive Road.

Economists expect short-term interest rates to be raised

WASHINGTON (AP) - Consumers will face higher borrowing costs for everything from auto loans to credit cards if the Federal Reserve raises short-term interest rates as most economists expect. Fed Chairman Alan Greenspan's recent public remarks have been interpreted by economists - as well as those on Wall Street - as a clear signal that the central bank is ready to boost rates for the first time in two years as a hedge against inflation. "Greenspan can't keep talking about irrational exuberance and the dangers of excessive economic activity and do nothing," said Norman Robertson, economic adviser to Smithfield Trust Co. in Pittsburgh. "To put it in the vernacular, the Fed has to put its money where its mouth is."

It began in December when Greenspan mused aloud about "irrational exuberance" in the stock market. And in congressional testimony last week, he stressed the "importance of acting promptly - ideally pre-emptively - to keep inflation low."

Those reflections were widely interpreted as a signal the Federal Open Market Committee, the central bank's monetary policy arm, will intervene to ratchet up short-term rates at its meeting today.

If all goes as anticipated, the Fed will drain reserves from the banking system, pushing the rate charged among banks on overnight loans from 5.25 percent to 5.5 percent. It will be the first increase since Feb. 1, 1995.

In response, lenders are expected to nudge the prime rate they charge their best business customers from 8.25 percent to 8.5 percent. Because many consumer loans including credit cards and equity lend lines are tied to the prime rate, millions of consumers will have to pay more, too.

The Fed hopes the higher borrowing costs will slacken economic growth and reduce pressures - a tight labor market and demand for raw materials - that exacerbate inflation.

The nation's inflation rate is

actually lower so far this year: 2.3 percent for January and February compared with 3.3 percent for all of last year. But Greenspan seems bent on a pre-emptive strike.

It's a tactic applauded by many economists, although panned by some.

The Fed first tried the pre-emptive approach three years ago. Starting in February of 1994, it doubled the overnight interbank rate from 3 percent to 6 percent, in seven steps over a 12-month period.

"It was very revolutionary and absolutely correct," said economist Allen Sinai of Primark Decision Economics in New York. "In the old days, interest rates weren't raised until the whites of the eyes were there, until inflation was rising, and it was always too late."

The result of the new policy: contained inflation and sustained economic expansion. Growth slowed from 3.5 percent in 1994 to 2 percent in 1995, before increasing to 2.4 percent in 1996.

As counter-intuitive as it seems, an early growth-slowing increase in interest rates is aimed at extending the economic expansion, which began its seventh year this month.

Bullock unhappy with education board

Lieutenant Governor says it may be time to return to appointed group

AUSTIN (AP) - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock says it may be time to return to an appointed State Board of Education, now that meetings of the elected board have turned into battles between religious conservatives and more liberal factions.

"I'm about ready to go back to the appointed board, kick this bunch out and start over again," Bullock, a Democrat, told the Texas Daily Newspaper Association annual meeting.

"I think it's gone a little far to the right. We need to balance this thing up a little bit," Bullock said Monday. "They need to behave. Texas government needs to get on with educating our children."

Some board members backed by religious conservatives have objected to a state law curtailing their authority in such areas as textbook content and have contended that a state curriculum rewrite has been intruded on by a national group and the federal government.

More liberal board members have

warned that the Legislature may disband the panel. Bills have been filed to abolish the board or drastically curtail its powers.

"Six of us out of 15, and it's too far to the right?" asked board member Donna Ballard of The Woodlands, one of the half-dozen board members backed by religious conservatives.

She said the call for change is coming because "There are people getting on the board who are parents and concerned citizens and aren't part of the education establishment."

"I will vote according to my conscience," she said. "I expect other board members will do the same."

Board Chairman Jack Christie of Houston, a Republican board member who is not aligned with those backed by religious conservatives, said he understands frustration from Bullock and legislators.

"I get frustrated also. I think it was Dwight Eisenhower who said when going down the road of life, the

extreme right and the extreme left are gutters," Christie said.

Christie and others noted, however, that Texas voters in 1987 endorsed a return to an elected State Board of Education. The board temporarily became an appointed body in 1984 as part of an education overhaul.

The board chairman had an alternative suggestion: "Board members ought to have requirements that their children have been, will go or are going to public schools, and they should be able to pass the TAAS (Texas Assessment of Academic Skills) test."

"You ought to have some type of vested interest in the public schools," said Christie, who has three children. Two go to public school and one is 3 years old, he said. Ms. Ballard said her children also have been educated in public schools.

Board member Richard Watson of Gorman, who is backed by religious conservatives, said he would concur with voters who wanted to return

the elected board. He said philosophical differences improve the process.

As for Christie's suggestion, Watson asked, "Does he want to put those same restrictions on members of the Legislature? ... They're the ones that actually make the laws. We just more or less implement them."

Watson has five children. The one who is school-age is being home schooled. Two children now in their 20s got most of their education in public schools, he said, and the remaining two are age 4 and 2.

Board member David Bradley of Beaumont, another board member backed by religious conservatives whose two children are home-schooled, said, "As board members, we are trying to have serious discussions about issues and policy and education in Texas."

Storms trigger flooding, tornadoes

By The Associated Press

Strong thunderstorms roared across a vast area of Texas during the night, triggering flash flooding and producing several tornadoes.

There were no reports that any of the tornadoes caused any damage. Most were reported by the National

Weather Service based on radar reports from rural areas.

Flash flooding was reported in Parker and Palo Pinto counties, west of Fort Worth, where the heaviest rainfall was reported.

The activity was triggered by a

southbound cold front that moved rapidly during the night. It was located early along a line from between Wichita Falls and Dallas southwestward through the San Angelo area into the Big Bend area.

Patchy blowing dust was reported over western areas of the South Plains and Permian Basin before dawn today.

There is a chance of thunderstorms spreading into the mountains of West Texas tonight and Wednesday. The rest of West Texas will have partly cloudy skies.

It will be mostly cloudy across North Texas tonight with a chance of rain in southern and eastern areas. Clouds will be decreasing on Wednesday.

It will be cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms across South Texas tonight and Wednesday.

Lows tonight will be in the 20s in the Panhandle and in the 30s and 40s across the rest of West Texas, in the 30s and 40s in North Texas and in the 40s in the Hill Country and in the 50s and 60s elsewhere in South Texas.

Highs Wednesday will be in the 60s and 70s.

County tables bids on liability insurance

BY SPEEDY NIEMAN
Editor-Publisher

Deaf Smith County Commissioners' Court, in a regular session Monday morning, opened bids on liability insurance; discussed the status of underground fuel storage tanks; heard a request from C of C Manager Don Cumpton; approved a one-mile closure of Road O in Precinct 4; authorized advertising for bids on seal coating on county paved roads; and appointed Judy Baker to the Sick Leave Pool committee.

Plains Insurance and the Texas Association of Counties (TAC) submitted bids on liability insurance for public officials and law enforcement officers. Plains had the low bid, but TAC had two benefits not listed by the local agency. Commissioners decided to study the plans further and take action at the next meeting.

Emory Brownlow, Brownlow Brothers Inc., appeared at the meeting to discuss testing and work needed to bring the underground fuel storage tanks under compliance with Texas Natural Resources and Conservation Commission rules.

Brownlow said county employees needed to uncover tank connections

in order for his company to do the necessary testing, then he could outline the specific work that would be required. The court agreed to start the procedure.

Cumpton, executive vice president of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, presented the board's request that local taxing entities implement a policy of requiring employees to reside in the county.

Judge Tom Simons and the commissioners supported the idea, but Troy Don Moore said there were unique circumstances that should be taken into consideration.

Cumpton said chamber directors realized that some exceptions might be necessary. However, he said there were currently 105 school and hospital district employees living out of town. "That represents a payroll of about \$2 million leaving town," said Cumpton. "If we could trim that to even 25 over the next few years, it would still be a big impact on the local economy."

Attorney Jerry Smith presented a petition for his client, Jimmy Brown, to "abandon or shorten one mile of

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Palo Duro Park sets ban on camp fires

Due to the forecast of high winds and extremely low humidity each evening, a ban on fire is in effect at Palo Duro Canyon State Park, it was announced Monday by park officials.

Camp stoves fueled by white gasoline or propane is permitted. No ground fires of wood or charcoal are permitted during this fire ban. "Please exercise caution and help us protect you and the resource," said Larry Scruggs, park manager.



Here comes the Easter Bunny

Easter is only five days away. Since Hereford school students are on spring break this week, the Easter Bunny made an early appearance at Stanton Learning Center. Here, students pick out some candy eggs from the Easter basket.

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Local Roundup

Sunny, windy weather forecast

Hereford recorded a high of 78 degrees Monday and a low of 33 this morning, reports KPAN. Winds gust up to 50 mph Monday night. Tonight, clear with a low around 30. Light west wind. Wednesday, mostly sunny with a high of 70 to 75. West to southwest wind 10-20 mph and gusty. Thursday, mostly clear with a low near 40 and a high in the lower 80s.

Crimestoppers

Anyone having information which leads to the arrest and indictment in the Crime of the Week can receive a reward of up to \$1,000.

The Deaf Smith County Sheriff's office and the City of Hereford Police Department are investigating the sale and/or possession of illegal narcotics or any other crime.

Anyone having information about the Crime of the Week or any other criminal activity is urged to call the CLUE LINE at 364-CLUE(2583). All callers may remain anonymous by using a code name or number.

News Digest

STATE

AUSTIN - Gov. George W. Bush says he's optimistic the Legislature will enact a property tax overhaul, and he's urging lawmakers to make any tax cut sizeable.

AUSTIN - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock says it may be time to return to an appointed State Board of Education, now that meetings of the elected board have turned into battles between religious conservatives and more liberal factions.

AUSTIN - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, saying he is moved to tears by the plight of some neglected nursing home residents, is vowing to "sic my General Investigating Committee" on facilities that don't shape up.

WASHINGTON - The federal government is targeting landlords who pocket taxpayer money to provide housing for the poor, but fail to furnish safe and decent living conditions.

DALLAS - Eight people have pleaded guilty in federal court on charges of staging more than 700 automobile accidents to get payments from insurance companies.

NEWARK, N.J. - The public must wait until after a hearing next month to learn more about whether government prosecutors improperly released information that outlined kickback deals involving lottery lobbyists in New York and Texas, a federal judge has ruled.

WASHINGTON - The \$50 limit on duty-free goods Mexican shoppers may tote across the border from the United States is a violation of the spirit of NAFTA, Texas lawmakers contend.

AUSTIN - Attorney General Dan Morales says evidence uncovered in the state's ongoing lawsuit against tobacco companies is proof of why the industry should lose an exemption that prevents some lawsuits.

NATION/WORLD

BEIJING - In meetings overlooking Tiananmen Square, Vice President Ai Gore urges Beijing to improve its human rights record and curb arms sales, but also salutes new stability in U.S.-China relations and toasts Premier Li Peng, a key architect of the 1989 crackdown on pro-democracy demonstrators. Li says Gore's visit "will further enhance the friendly relations and cooperation between China and the United States."

WASHINGTON - Consumers will face higher borrowing costs for everything from auto loans to credit cards if the Federal Reserve raises short-term interest rates as most economists expect they will at a meeting today.

LOS ANGELES - The romantic war epic "The English Patient" won nine Academy Awards, including a surprise supporting-actress Oscar for Juliette Binoche. The developing sweep about a burn victim's tortured recollections of his misdeeds in time of war put the film among Hollywood's elite. The all-time winner was 1959's "Ben-Hur" with 11 Oscars.

JERUSALEM - Palestinians clash with Israeli troops in the West Bank for a fifth day and Israel warns that new attacks by Islamic militants are possible. The United States is urging Yasser Arafat's Palestinian Authority to reign in terrorists, but says he may have lost control of Hamas, the group that claims responsibility for a suicide bombing in Tel Aviv.

WASHINGTON - In Atlanta and Milwaukee, families with modest incomes are moving into public housing along with the poor. They're doing the same in Cleveland, Oakland and other cities as the government throws aside the rule book and tries to find some new answers.

WASHINGTON - "Lower your cholesterol without drugs," trumpet large ads for a new dietary supplement. But federal health officials say it may actually be a drug in disguise and they advise people to consult a doctor before trying it.

Texas Senate passes helmet law repeal bill

AUSTIN (AP) - A repeal of the state's mandatory helmet law for motorcyclists who are at least 21 and carry insurance was approved by the Texas Senate on Monday.

Sen. Jerry Patterson, R-Pasadena, the sponsor of the bill, praised the Texas Motorcycle Rights Association for working diligently to help pass the measure, which now goes to the House for consideration.

"I want to recognize one of the best grassroots lobbying efforts in our state," Patterson said. "The Texas Motorcycle Rights Association has shown that if you are organized, work hard and you are consistent, it really does work."

Several members of the association, wearing black leather vests, chaps and bandanas stood and were

applauded in the Senate chamber. The bill was approved on a voice vote after receiving vocal opposition from Sen. Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant.

"Members I just want to remind you what this is about," Ratliff said. "I want to urge you to be responsible to the state of Texas for what this means all across our state."

Ratliff was successful last week in amending the bill, preventing helmetless riders who suffer head injuries in wrecks from getting state rehabilitation fund money to help in their recovery.

An estimated 500 fewer motorcyclists were injured in the first year after the helmet law was enacted in 1989, Ratliff said.

of paved roads and seal coating. He said he felt that a plan should be developed, since the improvements were not in the budget.

After discussing the issue, commissioners approved the advertisement of bids on seal coating, asking for a volume discount breakdown on various miles of roads. The county will also check with the City of Hereford to determine if it would be advantageous to seek bids for both entities at the same time.

The meeting started at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 10:10 a.m. Commissioner Lupe Chavez was absent.

COUNTY

Road O in Precinct 4. Smith said the petition had been posted according to law and that no response had been received. He noted the county quit maintaining the part of the road two or three years ago, at Brown's request. He also noted the public has not been using the road.

Commissioners approved the request after looking at a map to determine the exact location of the one-mile portion of the road west and northwest of Simms community. Commissioner Wayne Betzen had requested the discussion of conditions



Easter fun

Stanton Learning Center students celebrated Easter early this year. The students, teachers and parents had class parties, complete with candy egg hunts, games and a visit from the Easter Bunny. Here, students count their Easter eggs.

Obituaries

HAZEL SERIGHT March 23, 1997

Hazel Seright, 80, of Hereford, died Sunday.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Prairie View Baptist Church in Elk City, Okla., with the Rev. Kyle Streun, grandson and pastor of First Baptist Church in Olton, and the Rev. Boyd Whitehead, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Altus, Okla., officiating. Burial will be in Sayre-Doxey Cemetery by Whinery-Savage Funeral Home in Elk City, Okla. Arrangements in Hereford were by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Seright was born in 1916 in Berlin, Okla. She attended school in Doxey. She had lived in Beckham County before moving to Hereford in 1989.

She married Leonard Seright in 1935 in Beckham County, Okla. He preceded her in death in 1983.

She was a member of the Prairie View Baptist Church, a Sunday School teacher and a long-time member of the Merritt Quilting Club. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include a daughter, Murlene Streun of Hereford; two sons, Dean Seright of Wichita, Kan., and Gene Seright of Welch, Okla.; a sister, Ima Keeling of Rogers, Ark.; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

LEONA H. JAMESON March 22, 1997

Leona H. Jameson, 82, of Plainview, died Saturday. Her brother, Edgar Hartley resides in Hereford.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church Family Life Chapel with Dr. Travis Hart, pastor, and the Rev. Lenard Hartley, associate pastor of Paul-Ann Baptist Church in San Angelo, officiating. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park by Lemons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jameson was born and raised in Aiken. She attended schools in Aiken and Lockney. She married Thomas LeRoy Jameson in 1931 in Aiken. They moved to Plainview after their marriage. She taught school in Petersburg for a year and was a special education teacher at Thunderbird Elementary School in Plainview for 10 years. They moved to Amarillo in 1943 and Burkburnett in 1969. They returned to Plainview in 1973.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1975.

She was a member of First Baptist Church and taught an adult Sunday School class for a number of years. She was a member of the Plainview Community Concerts, Knife and Fork Club, Retired Teachers Association and past president of the Hale County Unit.

She was also a past president of the Woman's Club of Plainview and past president of the Travel Study Club. She served as treasurer of the beta Dolphin Club. She was a member of the Turf Turners Garden Club and member of the Plainview Chapter No. 37 of the Order of the Eastern Star and was a past worthy matron. She was currently serving as electa.

Survivors include two brothers, the Rev. Lenard Hartley of San Angelo and Edgar Hartley of Hereford.

HOWARD E. HERSHEY March 22, 1997

Howard Emmanuel Hershey, 92, of Hereford, died Saturday.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First United Methodist Church with Dr. Tom Fuller, pastor, officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Hershey was born in Piqua, Ohio. He came to Deaf Smith County in 1909 from Piqua, Ohio. He worked for the U.S. Soil Conservation Service. He married Mary Clayton in 1928 in Hereford. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1973.

Survivors include a son, Elmer Hershey of Houston; three daughters, Zelma Sorgenfrei of Conroe, Thelma Alexander of Hereford and Laoma Ivey of Washburn; a sister, Mary Ella Ricketts of Hereford; 10 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; and a great-great-granddaughter.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

ESMA R. PARKS March 23, 1997

Esma R. Parks, 93, of Amarillo, died Sunday. Her daughter, Morna Bee Parks resides in Hereford.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in East Amarillo Church of Christ with Cecil Burch of the church officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery by Memorial Park Funeral Home.

Mrs. Parks was born in Woodville, Okla. She married Otto Lee Parks in 1922. He died in 1981.

She was a farmer and homemaker most of her life. She was a member of the East Amarillo Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, Clyde

Parks of Amarillo and E.J. Parks of San Antonio; four daughters, Morna Bee Parks of Hereford, Ima Lee Popp of Sharon Springs, Kan., Willie Mae DuBois of Lubbock and Minnie Bell Settle of Russell, Kan.; nine grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

HORTENCIA VUITTONET March 22, 1997

Hortencia Vuittonet, 56, of Kress, died Saturday.

Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Tullia Catholic Church of the Holy Spirit with the Rev. John Salazar, rector of the church of the Holy Spirit, officiating. Rosary services were at 7 p.m. Monday in the Lemons Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Kress Cemetery.

Mrs. Vuittonet was born in Robstown. She grew up and attended schools in Robstown. She married Emilio Vuittonet Sr. in 1958 in Robstown.

She worked in the cafeteria at Kress High School from 1975 until 1991. In 1991, she started Vuittonet's Fast Foods in Kress, which she was still operating. She was a member of St. Paul's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Elida Coronado of Farwell; seven sons, Armando Vuittonet of Warsaw, Ind., Enrique Vuittonet, Emilio Vuittonet Jr., Eduardo Vuittonet and Michael Vuittonet, all of Kress, Alfredo Vuittonet of Clovis, N.M., and John Paul Vuittonet of Amarillo; four brothers, Oscar Maldonado of Hereford, Joe Maldonado, Carlos Maldonado and Pete Maldonado, all of Kress; three sisters, Linda Guerra of Plainview, Nena Cabrera of Kress and Bertha Garza of Hereford; her father, Eduardo Maldonado of Kress; and 16 grandchildren.

Former President Bush to make parachute jump

HOUSTON (AP) - When former President George Bush bailed out of his bullet-torn torpedo bomber over the Pacific Ocean during World War II, he promised himself that someday he would make a parachute jump that wasn't an emergency.

His opportunity has finally arrived. He said he would fulfill that promise today by jumping from a civilian plane 12,500 feet over the Army Yuma Proving Ground in Arizona.

Bush bailed out of his plane Sept. 2, 1944 after it was struck by fire from the Japanese navy.

Bush, 72, the only American president ever to parachute from an airplane, will jump from an aircraft with two jump masters at his side, Army spokesman Doug Smith said Monday.

"According to President Bush's people, he made a promise when he bailed out of his plane in World War II that someday he would make a parachute jump that wasn't an emergency jump," Smith said.

Bush told the Parachute Industry Association convention in Houston last month his chute was damaged in the 1944 jump and he landed in the Pacific and began swimming toward

the nearest land, then held by the Japanese. But he was picked up by a U.S. submarine.

Madolyn Murdock, Gulf region director for the U.S. Parachute Association, said Bush had hoped to discover one day what it was like to make a parachute jump under more desirable conditions.

"He mentioned in front of the whole crowd that he would like to do it again, so the invitation came out that we would help him and that this is the group to do it with," Murdock said.

"He did express an interest in wanting to jump again if it was OK with (wife) Barbara."

Business Briefs

Excel Transportation, Inc., recently honored 54 drivers at the annual Safety Awards banquet for accident-free driving during the calendar year of 1996.

Among the drivers recognized was Terry Fogo, who was honored for seven years of accident-free driving. The drivers are part of a group that has accumulated 178 years and over 18 million accident-free miles.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

We are compelled to reply to Joyce Stevens' letter regarding the Merry Mixers sale of festival tickets, because there is an obvious misunderstanding. Although the article that prompted her letter clearly states that these tickets are sold by all square dance clubs across the state, and while we think Hereford Bucks would be a great prize, they probably would not appeal to someone in other parts of the state.

This is an annual affair and is the only fundraising activity for the Texas State Square Dance organization. Local clubs share in the revenue based on the number of tickets sold. The prizes are selected by a committee appointed to conduct each year's sale. The local clubs have no control over these prizes or where they are purchased.

However, in 1988, Benny and Joan Womble served on that committee, and one prize was pickup purchased right here in Hereford at Stagner-Orsbom. We think that is impressive support of Hereford when you consider the thousands of car dealers in Texas.

The Hereford Merry Mixers dance weekly at the Community Center, and we are not unkindful or ungrateful to have such a nice facility available to us. All members pay dues to cover the cost of operating the club and hiring callers for the dances. The extra money earned by selling tickets has enabled the club to purchase and donate items to the Community Center. This has included tables, chairs, a water fountain, refrigerator, coat racks and a contribution to new drapes. We have offered to purchase ceiling fans for the ballroom, if the city will install them.

Hereford Merry Mixers is one of the strongest and most popular clubs in the Texas Panhandle and is recognized statewide. Hereford's Ed McCreary is past president of the Texas State Federation. Again, an impressive recognition for Hereford. In October, we hosted a Top-Tex dance in Hereford at the Bull Barn, which attracted more than 100 out-of-town guests - mostly from Amarillo.

Square dancing is also an excellent form of recreation and exercise for Hereford residents, as not everyone plays golf or uses the Aquatic Center (our members use both). Everyone is invited to attend our dances and, if interested, to take lessons and join in the fun.

It is too bad the letter writer saw fit to make derogatory statements about our club without checking the facts. However, we appreciate the opportunity to respond and explain the true functions of our club. Our only regret is that someone might read the uninformed letter and not see our response. We challenge you to find any Hereford club or organization that is more pro-Hereford than the Merry Mixers.

Roger & Alice Rahlfs

LOTTO TEXAS
TEXAS LOTTERY

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery:

2-6-12-27-32<
(two, six, twelve, twenty-seven, thirty-two)

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

1-3-4
(one, three, four)

By The Associated Press
No ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas, state lottery officials said.

Numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 14-16-28-33-48-49.

If sales continue as expected, Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$31 million.

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

0-7-9
(zero, seven, nine)

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Lifestyles

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in the letters from readers who want to decriminalize marijuana. How nice it would be, they said, if we would just make the wacky weed legal. People would be free of tension, and the world would be a better place. Sounds wonderful, doesn't it? I am glad you didn't agree with them.

Studies show that marijuana is stronger than it used to be. Even 20 years ago, that "harmless" stuff helped transform a lovely, witty, bright-spirited teen-age family friend into a manic-depressive, strung-out, frightened girl who wound up not knowing who or where she was.

My ex-husband tried pot when he was 10 years old. The stuff was given to him by his 12-year-old sister, no less. I married the man 20 years after his first experience with pot, believing him when he told me he would never touch it again. I was wrong. I couldn't figure out why we never had any money, even though we both worked. I found out the answer when I caught him sniffing cocaine in the garage. Soon after, when I discovered 15 marijuana plants growing in our yard, I left him. I knew he'd rather give me up than get rid of the stuff.

Don't tell the relatives of those

who were killed by someone driving under the influence of drugs that marijuana is harmless. Don't tell the teachers whose lethargic students are blowing their minds on the stuff and flunking out of school that they will give it up when the novelty wears off. Don't tell parents crying over their dead children who threw their lives away on drugs that the dangers of pot have been exaggerated.

Don't tell suicide hot-line workers that their data is wrong about most suicides being drug and alcohol related. Don't tell those rock stars, actors and actresses who have gone to rehab clinics to get that monkey off their backs that marijuana is harmless. It is a known fact that many who smoke pot graduate to harder stuff like cocaine, speed and LSD.

My message to those who think marijuana is harmless is this: Get out from under the cloud you're in, and wake up and smell the coffee. I know this letter is too long to print, but hearing people say we should legalize pot makes me boil. -- Jersey Shore, Pa.

Dear J.S., Pa.: Thank you for the voice of truth. I am in favor of decriminalization (decreasing penalties for possession) and medicinal use, but not legalization. I took that position years ago and

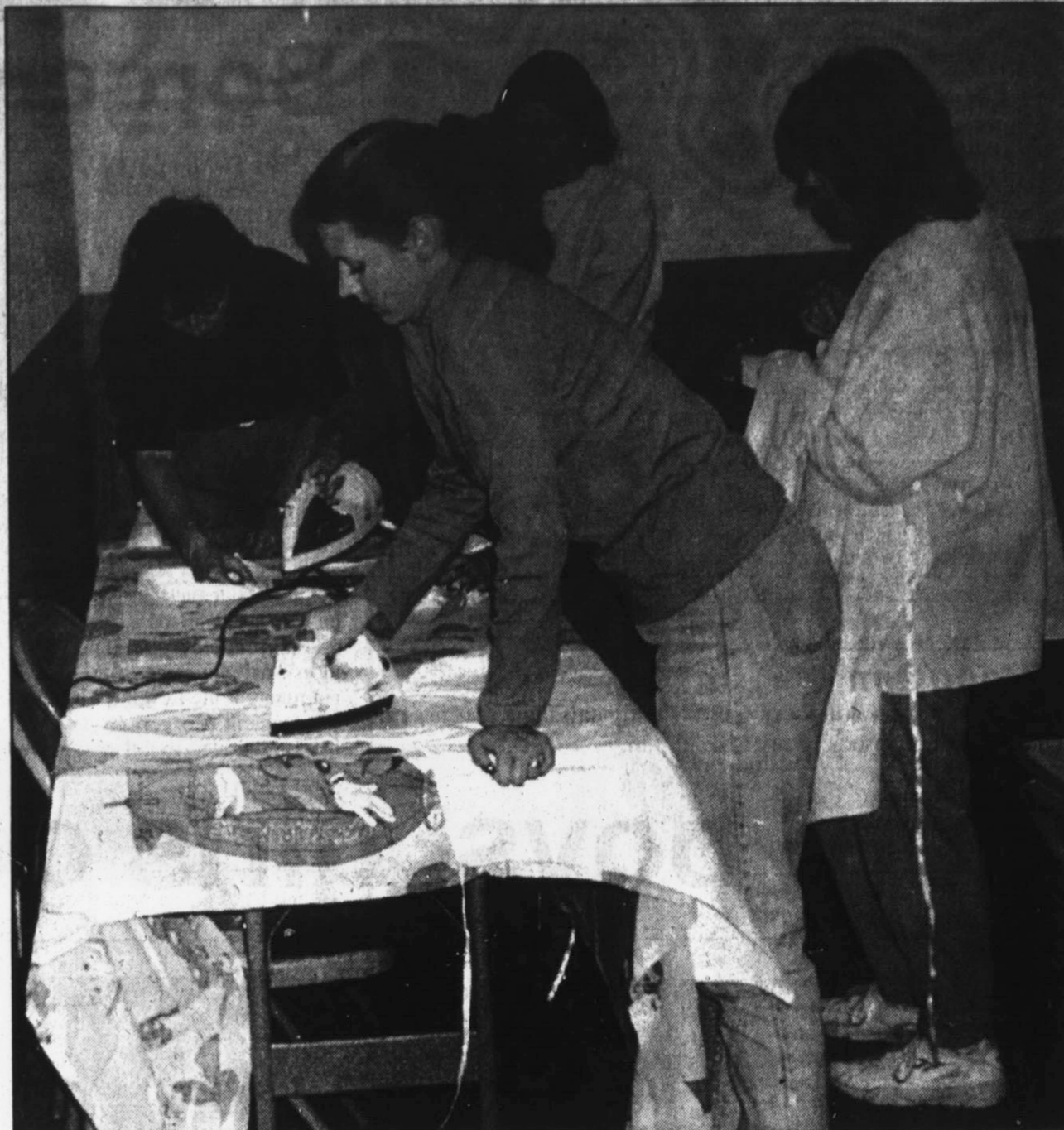
have stayed with it.

Dear Ann Landers: We own a lovely estate where garden weddings and receptions are held several times a year. Occasionally, invited guests bring along their dogs. We do not permit pets, for obvious reasons. They can cause property damage, and there is always the danger of someone being bitten. Also, they get in the way of the caterers.

People become angry when we tell them they must take their dogs home no matter how small, clean or well-behaved they happen to be. I've read articles saying many people think of their pets as children. Isn't this a bit over the top?

My husband and I are animal lovers, and we have had many dogs and cats over the years, but we never have taken them to a party or a wedding. Do you have any suggestions on how we can get this message across? -- Northern California Wine Country

Dear N. Calif.: Whenever a catered affair is planned, post an attractive sign with some adorable little dog and cat faces at the entrance of your estate saying: So sorry. No pets allowed.



Participating in training

Deaf Smith County 4-H Clothing and textile leaders participate in a training to learn how to use the most updated means of technology to design clothing decorations. Practicing their newly learned knowledge are, left to right, Janice Brumley, Georgia Auckerman, Jan Salazar and teen leader Jamie Steiert. The leaders taught and assisted 4-H'ers at a recent Clothing and Design Workshop. The 4-H Fashion Show will be at 7 p.m. April 3 in Kings Manor auditorium. The public is encouraged to attend.

Wyche FCE has meeting

The Wyche FCE club met recently in the home of hostess Camelia Jones. The co-hostess was Carol Wortham. "Sharing You Day" by James Joseph Huesgen was the opening poem read by Wortham.

Acting president Jo Lee lead the group in prayer.

Club members Kay Behrends, Vada Batterman, Audry Rusher and Lee participated in the program on Alzheimer's disease.

The program included symptoms and signs of the disease, treatment and effects on the patient and family. Roll call "My experience with Alzheimer's Disease" was answered by members Thelma Auton, Marie Maxwell, Barbara Stern, Carol Sarain, Behrends, Batterman, Lee, Rusher, Jones and Wortham.

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H.O.S.T.S. Notes

HOSTS Math and Reading teachers and assistants recently attended the HOSTS National Convention in Dallas.

The teachers and assistants came back with new ideas and revived enthusiasm.

The end of another HOSTS year is fast approaching. Where does the time go?

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to mentors, parents and teachers for their help in making this another successful year.

At Northwest Primary School's HOSTS program, we currently have 82 mentors. Of those mentors, 23 are first-year mentors, 13 are second-year mentors, 17 are third-year mentors and 29 are fourth-year mentors.

To the mentors, the HOSTS program would like to say thank you from the bottom of our hearts. HOSTS is so lucky to live in a community that places children so high on their lists of priorities. HOSTS could not do it without the mentors!

Hereford Junior High's HOSTS math program is going very well.

The Josten Computer Lab is a great assistance and advantage that all of our HOSTS children use on Tuesday and Thursday. This helps the children work at their own pace in any area of math.

HJH is now making plans for summer school. The school plans to have summer school June 2-27, which will offer math, reading and writing. This was helpful to the students last year.

The focus after Spring Break will be the TAAS objectives.

Bluebonnet Intermediate School's HOSTS math program would like to thank each mentor for the help and support that has been given to the program this year.

West Central Intermediate School's HOSTS program is very excited to announce that they have 37 four-year mentors, 26 three-year mentors, 23 two-year mentors and 22 one-year mentors.

Northwest Primary School's HOSTS program needs more mentors. If you can be a mentor, please call Donita Rule at 363-7727. She will also be signing up mentors for next year.

Aikman Primary School's HOSTS bilingual mentors have expressed their inner most feeling about the bilingual HOSTS program.

They have emphasized that the program has been a wonderful achievement in our community, and they are very supportive of the program.

They have admired seeing the tremendous growth and accomplishment in the children and the community and parent involvement taking place in the school.

Tierra Blanca Primary School's HOSTS program has added three new mentors to their list. Welcome to Hipolita Zapata, Teresa Armendarez and Francis Foster.

The goal for the students this year has been to improve their reading skills, thus improving their reading level in the classroom.

We are happy to report that teachers have said that they are seeing improvement.

Mentors, keep up the super work! Thank you for giving your time so generously so that they may continue to succeed.

At Tierra Blanca, the students are anxiously waiting for April. Some of the mentors have promised the students a coke-float party.

One of their assignments in April will be to design a book cover for their favorite book.



Working on a lesson

The HOSTS (Help One Student To Succeed) has been a very successful program in Hereford schools. The schools are always looking for more volunteers. Here, a volunteer mentor works on a lesson with a student.

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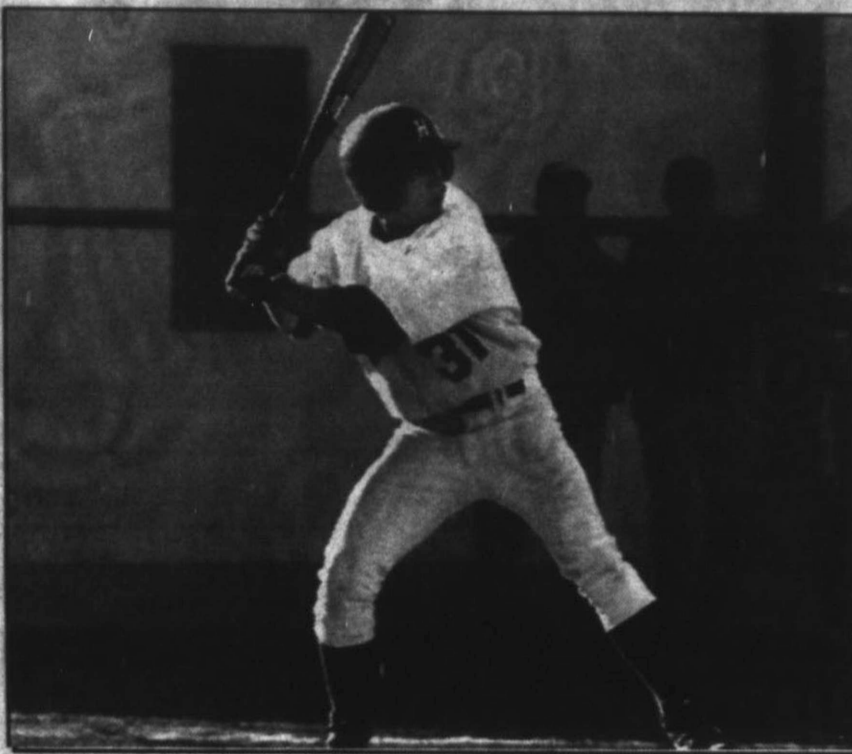
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Sports

Borger upends Hereford, 9-4



Taking aim

The Hereford Whitefaces will try and snap their seven-game slide against Caprock today at 4:30 p.m.

By TOMMY WELLS
Managing Editor
BORGER - Saturday was a case of Good News and Bad News for the Hereford Whitefaces. First, the Good News — the Whiteface bats showed some signs of life as they produced the team's highest amount of hits in a game since, well...a few weeks ago. Now for the Bad News — the Whitefaces' hits didn't spell an end to the team's seven-game slump.

Hereford suffered its second straight District 1-4A setback Saturday afternoon as the Borger Bulldogs posted a 9-4 victory.

The loss leaves the Whitefaces holding a 6-9 season record, and an 0-2 mark in loop play. The Whitefaces' last win came in the scintillating round of the Levelland Baseball Tournament. Borger, on the other hand, improved to 1-1 and moved

into a tie with Caprock and Randall for third in the league standings.

Borger got off to a quick start offensively against the Whitefaces. After the Herd had posted two outs, the Bulldogs battled back to load the bases, and then scored when the umpire called HHS starter Joseph Artho for a balk.

It only got worse from there. The next batter popped the ball high into the air in the infield, scoring two runs.

Borger added to its run in the bottom of the third. The Bulldogs strung together six of their nine hits in the frame and scored four runs.

The Bulldogs' Marciel Guerva started the BHS run with a bang. The Borger standout hit a deep fly that glanced off the glove of Arturo Nava and fell over the fence for a solo homer. Four singles and a double later, the Bulldogs held a 7-0

DISTRICT 1-4A STANDINGS		
Team	District	Overall
Dumas	2-0	12-5
Canyon	1-0	7-8
Caprock	1-1	8-8-1
Borger	1-1	9-7-1
Randall	1-1	6-14
Pampa	0-1	8-5
Hereford	0-2	6-9

edge.

Hereford wasn't without an offense of its own. The Whitefaces rallied in the top of the fifth, scoring four times.

Anthony Lopez kick started the HHS offense, opening the fifth by reaching base via an error. From

there L.J. Vallejo walked and the Borger third baseman misplayed a grounder by Nathan Govina to load the bases. Andrew Ramirez didn't waste the opportunity. With one out, he slapped a double to left, driving in two runs. Nava and Artho followed with RBI singles.

Despite the growing losses, HHS head coach Pete Rodriguez isn't ready to throw in the towel.

"We had our opportunities to get back into those games," he said. "A hit here and there and we could have easily have won four of those seven games. The thing we have to do is forget about them and go out there and play good fundamental baseball."

The Whitefaces continue their District 1-4A trek this afternoon as they host Caprock beginning at 4:30 p.m. at Whiteface Field.

Herd boys, girls golfers take second



Running wild

The Hereford Whiteface thinclads put on impressive efforts this past weekend in the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Track Meet. The HHS boys placed third in their division, while the Lady Whitefaces nabbed fourth in the varsity girls division and first in the JV girls class. Please see final results starting on Page 5.

By TOMMY WELLS
Managing Editor

The Hereford Whitefaces trimmed 28 strokes off their first round totals Saturday afternoon and eased into second place in the annual Whiteface Golf Tournament which was held on the John Pitman Municipal Golf Course this past weekend.

Hereford fired a 300 over the final 18 holes, and finished just four shots off the pace set by Pampa.

"I was really proud of how they came back and scored," said Hereford golf coach Stacy Bixler, who watched his team climb from fifth place after one round. "It was a good tournament for us."

Corey Schumacher paced the Whiteface squad, shooting a 73 in the final round. Schumacher finished the event as the fifth highest individual medalist with a two-day total of 155.

Pampa's Mike Smith won the overall individual title, firing a 149. Memphis Gunnar Roberts was second at 151, while Pampa's Brian Brauci and Randall's John Valdez tied for third at 153.

Heath Henderson recovered nicely from a tough first round. After shooting an 85 over the first 18 holes, he came back Saturday to chalk up a final round of 73 and finish as the Whitefaces' second-leading golfer, at 158.

Jeremiah Baros was another steady force for the HHS squad. He posted a second round of 80 - just one stroke higher than his opening effort of 79.

Greg Reinart and Keith Riley finished at 160 and 161, respectively. Both Reinart and Riley played well Saturday, tallying scores of 76 and 78.

The Hereford "B" team placed ninth in the final team standings.

Cody Sargent led the way for the Whiteface No. 2 squad, scoring a 158 for the tournament. Randy Mason, Cal Wallace and Kent Reinart finished at 167, 178 and 187, respectively. Dustin Whitaker closed out the event at 195.

Hereford also had three individuals playing in the tournament, including Brent Carlson, Ben Sublett and Dewayne Dotson. Carlson

finished the second round with a mark of 100. Sublett and Dotson etched in scores of 118 and 132.

The Lady Whitefaces also

showed marked improvement over their first round efforts. The Lady

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Whiteface tennis team finishes fifth in annual Beef Capital Tournament

By TOMMY WELLS
Managing Editor
Andrew Carr and Tamara Diller each turned in solid efforts this past weekend and helped carry the Hereford tennis team to a fifth place finish in the Fourth Annual Beef Capital Tournament.

Carr finished second in his singles bracket while Diller captured third in hers.

The Andrews Mustangs walked away with the overall top honors - again. The Mustangs won first place in eight classes and rolled to the team championship for the second straight year with 149 points. Canyon edged out Altus, Okla-

Beef Capital Tournament Final Team Standings	
1. Andrews	149
2. Canyon	102
3. Altus, OK	99
4. Randall	91
5. Hereford	77
6. Sweetwater	70
7. Snyder	67
8. Muleshoe	34

homa, for the runner-up honors, 102-99.

Carr was impressive in singles play. The Whiteface standout breezed into the finals of his bracket. He roared past a Snyder opponent in the opening match by scores

of 6-4 and 6-4. From there, he posted a 6-2, 6-3 win over a Randall netter. In the finals, however, he suffered a 6-1, 6-3 to a district rival from Canyon.

Diller, who also teamed with Brynne Bryant to take third in the consolation doubles bracket, was equally impressive in singles play. After pounding out an 8-2 victory against Snyder in the first round,

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GOLF

Whitefaces, behind Amy Killingsworth and Katie Bone, trimmed 17 strokes off their first round totals and finished second in the final standings.

The Pampa Lady Harvesters won the team title, finishing 17 strokes ahead of Hereford. Vega was third overall - 17 behind the HHS girls. Killingsworth paced the Lady

third, respectively.

Katie Bone finished as Hereford's second-leading finisher, scoring 178. Stephanie Bixler, Lindsay Ward and Jennifer Phipps scored 182, 185 and 191.

The Lady Whiteface "B" squad was paced by Michelle Bixler's 197. Kristin Cole also played well, tallying a two-day mark of 215.

The Hereford golf teams will take to the Palo Duro Creek course later this week to open the Canyon Tournament and the District 1-4A schedule. The tournament is slated to begin on March 27.



Hereford Golf Tournament	
Boys Team Standings	
1. Pampa	624
2. Hereford	628
3. Borger	646
4. Memphis	647
5. Canyon	651
6. Randall	656
7. Caprock	661
8. Morton	689
9. Hereford B	690
10. Dumas	719
11. Trinity Fellowship	894
Girls Team Standings	
1. Pampa	696
Hereford	713
3. Vega	730
4. Randall	731
5. Borger	744
6. Denver City	780
7. Dumas	821
8. Canyon	856
9. Caprock	929
10. Trinity Fellowship	1,087

Whitefaces. After shooting an 89 on Friday, she posted an 82 in the final round and finished at 171 - seventh highest in the meet.

Vega's Heather Bastrop won the individual medalist honors with a final mark of 158. Kasey Henderson, of Randall, and Pampa's Allison Piersall finished second and

Barkley to miss games with injury

HOUSTON (AP) - Charles Barkley has been anxious to get back into the Houston Rockets lineup for the regular-season stretch drive. Now he's worried about being ready for the playoffs.

Barkley, who has missed 10 games with a bruised left pelvis, thought he'd be ready to play tonight when the Houston Rockets host the Minnesota Timberwolves in The Summit.

But during a half-court drill on Monday, Barkley felt his left pelvis tighten. Now trainer Keith Jones says there will be no more timetables on Barkley's return.

"Not being able to play is the hardest part, but I'm getting concerned about the playoffs getting so close," Barkley said. "We need two, three weeks of playing and working with everyone to get together."

"I had a great weekend running and jumping, but I guess I kind of regressed," Barkley said Monday.

Coming at ya

The Hereford Whiteface tennis teams competed in the Fourth Annual Beef Capital Tournament this past weekend and placed fifth overall. The Andrews team won the event for the second straight year

DEAF SMITH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TRACK MEET

Varsity Boys

Team Totals - 1. Canyon, 162; 2. Clovis, 123; 3. Hereford, 110; 4. River Road, 57; 5. Caprock, 54; 6. Randall, 49.

1,600 Relay - 1. Hereford, 3:32.02; 2. Canyon, 3:33.04; 3. Caprock, 3:37.56; 4. Clovis, 3:39.03; 5. Randall, 3:56.28.

1,600 - 1. Winter, Canyon 4:47.79; 2. O'Boony, Clovis, 4:51.22; 3. Meadow, Canyon, 4:56.25; 4. Anderson, Canyon, 4:59.06; 5. James, Caprock, 5:02.08; 6. Hernandez, Hereford, 5:05.26.

200 - 1. Stone, Canyon, 22.99; 2. Williams, Clovis, 23.38; 3. Sullivan, Clovis, 23.65; 4. Stumbo, Randall, 23.88; 5. Wise River Road, 24.22; 6. Dress, Caprock, 24.68.

300 Hurdles - 1. Carrillo, Hereford, 40.42; 2. O'Boony, Clovis, 41.40; 3. Lyons, Canyon, 42.65; 4. Dominguez, Hereford, 42.81; 5. Black, Randall, 42.94; 6. Hargrove, Clovis, 42.98.

400 - 1. Hernandez, Hereford, 52.26; 2. Segars, Clovis, 52.55; 3. Parie, River Road, 52.81; 4. Brown, Hereford, 53.75; 5. Wolfe, Caprock, 54.93; 6. Pool, Canyon, 55.20.

100 - 1. Longbine, Canyon, 11.01; 2. Stumbo, Randall, 11.16; 3. Claud, Hereford, 11.22; 4. Terry, Caprock, 11.24; 5. Sullivan, Clovis, 11.36; 6. Smith, River Road, 11.41.

110 Hurdles - 1. Christensen, River Road, 15.27; 2. O'Boony, Clovis, 15.35; 3. Kubacak, Hereford, 15.49; 4. Hargrove, Clovis, 15.78; 5. Lyons, Canyon, 16.07; 6. Black, Randall, 16.24.

800 - 1. Dryden, Canyon, 2:04.01; 2. Parie, River Road, 2:05.60; 3. Carr, Clovis, 2:08.08; 4. Pool, Canyon, 2:10.25; 5. Huerta, Hereford, 2:10.98; 6. Anderson, Canyon, 2:11.05.

400 - 1. Canyon, 43.84; 2. Hereford, 44.10; 3. Clovis, 43.84; 4. Randall, 45.12; 5. River Road, 45.41; 6. Caprock, 45.66.

Shot Put - 1. Hernandez, Caprock, 49-1 1/2; 2. Davis, Clovis, 45-9 1/2; 3. Hicks, Hereford, 45-4; 4. Hardy, Clovis, 43-10; 5. Alvarado, Hereford, 43-8; 6. Varnard, Clovis, 43-3 1/2.

Pole Vault - 1. Hernandez, Hereford, 12-0; 2. Molina, Clovis, 12-0; 3. Godwin, Randall, 11-6; 4. Bentley, Randall, 11-0; 5. Stemp, Caprock, 11-0.

Triple Jump - 1. Manhkong, Canyon, 40-3 1/4; 2. Pavvie, River Road, 31-10 1/2; 3. Miller, Hereford, 39-10 1/4; 4. Stumbo, Randall, 39-5 1/2; 5. O'Boony, Clovis, 38-1 1/2; 6. Hernandez, Hereford, 37-10 1/2.

Discus - 1. Wright, Canyon, 137-8; 2. Hernandez, Caprock, 128-8; 3. Russell, Randall, 132-3; 4. Alvarado, Hereford, 131-9; 5. Vanardo, Clovis, 131-8; 6. Aragon, Clovis, 131-2; 7. Hicks, Hereford, 128-0.

Long Jump - 1. Williams, Clovis, 20-7 1/2; 2. Stumbo, Randall, 20-5 1/2; 3. Longbine, Canyon, 20-0 1/2; 4. O'Boony, Clovis, 19-3 1/2; 5. James, Canyon, 16-9; 6. Drees, Caprock, 18-8.

High Jump - 1. Dwyer, Canyon, 6-2; 2. Parie, River Road, 6-0; 3. Miller, Clovis, 6-0; 4. O'Boony, Clovis, 6-0; 5. Kubacak, Hereford, 5-8; 6. Downs, Randall, 5-8.

3,200 - 1. Dryden, Canyon, 10:51.66; 2. Winter, Canyon, 10:54.44; 3. Meadow, Canyon, 11:02.56; 4. O'Boony, Clovis, 11:06.34; 5. Leander, Caprock, 11:14.13; 6. Pahe, Caprock, 11:23.44.

Girls - Division I

Team totals - 1. Pampa, 102; 2. Palo Duro, 97; 3. Odessa, 81; 4. Hereford, 70; 5. Dumas, 50; 6. Canyon, 42; 7. Caprock, 41; 8. (tie) Clovis, 37; 8. (tie) Randall 37 10. Tascosa, 32.

1,600 Relay - 1. Pampa, 4:12.18; 2. Odessa, 4:14.15; 3. Canyon, 4:15.69; 4. Dumas, 4:16.00; 5. Hereford, 4:19.74; 6. Randall, 4:29.21.

1,600 - 1. Marabel, Canyon, 5:29.20; 2. Harrison, Hereford, 5:33.18; 3. Fatharee, Pampa, 5:41.72; 4. Townsend, Hereford, 5:44.66; 5. Resendez, Pampa, 5:45.06; 6. Siglar, Canyon, 5:45.10.

200 - 1. Givens, Odessa, 27.10; 2. Flowers, Palo Duro, 27.12; 3. White, Caprock, 27.18; 4. Gardner, Palo Duro, 27.69; 5. Hines, Clovis, 27.89; 6. Cavalier, Pampa, 28.36.

300 Hurdles - 1. Hatter, Dumas, 46.83; 2. Seitz, Tascosa, 47.97; 3. Teakell, Clovis, 48.24; 4. Carlile, Hereford, 49.12; 5. Williams, Pampa, 49.86; 6. Lindsey, Pampa, 51.10.

400 - 1. Jackson, Odessa, 61.01; 2. Soria, Caprock, 61.09; 3. Denison, Hereford, 62.52; 4. Fearn, Canyon, 62.56; 5. Cornelius, Randall, 63.62; 6. Wysner, Palo Duro,

63.98.

800 Relay - 1. Palo Duro, 1:48.34; 2. Caprock, 1:50.44; 3. Hereford, 1:50.92; 4. Randall, 1:52.25; 5. Odessa, 1:53.81; 6. Clovis, 1:54.45.

100 - 1. Dawson, Clovis, 12.54; 2. Tudman, Palo Duro, 12.78; 3. Soria, Caprock, 12.81; 4. Armstrong, Palo Duro, 12.84; 5. Evans, Pampa, 13.10; 6. Price, Clovis, 13.15.

100 Hurdles - 1. Fangman, Hereford, 15.96; 2. Morton, Pampa, 16.18; 3. Seitz, Tascosa, 16.35; 4. Teakell, Clovis, 16.40; 5. Paver, Caprock, 16.90; 6. Williams, Pampa, 17.05.

800 - 1. Marable, Canyon, 2:23.99; 2. Fatharee, Pampa, 2:24.55; 3. Lee, Pampa, 2:26.81; 4. Grant, Palo Duro, 2:26.83; 5. Stone, Canyon, 2:33.25; 6. Schreur, Canyon, 2:34.83.

400 Relay - 1. Palo Duro, 50.67; 2. Pampa, 51.21; 3. Tascosa, 52.12; 4. Clovis, 52.22; 5. Dumas, 52.98; 6. Caprock, 55.06.

Long Jump - 1. Jackson, Odessa, 17-2 1/2; 2. Armstrong, Palo Duro, 16-7; 3. Givens, Odessa, 16-7; 4. Tudman, Palo Duro, 16-4 1/2; 5. Cavalier, Pampa, 16-2; 6. Paver, Caprock, 15-4 1/2.

High Jump - 1. Benson, Randall, 5-4; 2. Cornelius, Canyon, 5-2; 3. Seideman, Tascosa, 5-2; 4. Fangman, Hereford, 5-2; 5. Jaggard, Canyon, 4-10; 6. Little, Odessa, 4-10.

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This Morning	Quack Pack	Bobby	Mask	Peter Pan	Fox After Breakfast	Step-Step	Mr. Cooper	K. Copeland	Paid Prog.	Gunsmoke						
Sportscenter	Jesus of Nazareth	Busy World	Movie: 100 Rifles (1969) Jim Brown, Raquel Welch. PG	Movie: Educating Rita Michael Caine. *** PG	Movie: Ace E-Rodger	Movie: Man-Other Mothers	Movie: Stepping Out Liza Minnelli. ** PG	Comedy Hour	Movie: French Kiss (1995)							
(6:30) Movie: Lili Almer	Movie: Coneheads Dan Aykroyd. PG	Movie: For the Moment Russell Crowe. *** PG-13	Movie: High Spirits (1988)	(6:45) Movie: ** Gold Diggers of 1937	Movie: Madame Curie (1944) Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon. ***	Movie: Humoresque (1946) ***	(Off Air)	VideoMorning	Dallas	Aleene's Crafts	Wildhorse					
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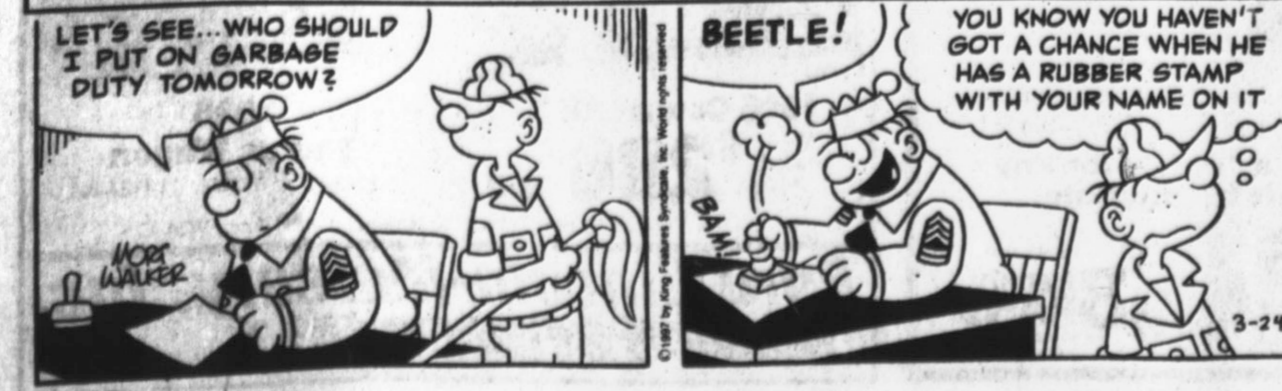
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'The English Patient' takes nine Oscars at award show

LOS ANGELES (AP) - When "The English Patient," bearing a serious literary pedigree and lacking stars, came knocking on Hollywood's door, the studios smelled paltry grosses and turned up their noses.

Next time such an opportunity comes their way, executives may focus on a different numbers game - the nine Oscars, including best picture honors, won Monday night by the wartime drama of love and betrayal.

When studios make only blockbusters like "Independence Day," they earn a box-office windfall but lose when it comes to Academy Awards prestige. Could the outcome of the 69th Academy Awards change their outlook?

Even emcee Billy Crystal tweaked the industry. He reminisced about the last time he hosted the ceremony, three years ago: "Back then, the major studios were nominated for Oscars," he said.

Independent films dominated the awards ceremony, with a single major honor going to a big studio production: Cuba Gooding Jr.'s best supporting actor trophy for "Jerry Maguire."

"Independence Day," last year's top-grossing film with \$300 million-plus, earned a single award, for visual effects. By comparison, "The English Patient" has earned \$62 million.

Because smaller films tend to make stars, not hire them, Monday's ceremony gave viewers an opportunity to discover new faces.

Geoffrey Rush, the Australian stage actor who played emotionally disturbed pianist David Helfgott in "Shine," picked up the best-actor trophy. Earlier, Rush beamed when Helfgott made a surprise appearance, doing a turn at the piano for the Shrine Auditorium audience.

Frances McDormand, named best actress for her role as a homespun Midwestern cop in "Fargo," had watched husband Joel Coen and brother-in-law Ethan Coen accept the Oscar for best original screenplay. In her speech, McDormand offered

congratulations to production companies that allow filmmakers to "make decisions based on qualifications and not just market value."

Gooding made the most of his victory: "Everybody involved with this, I love you, I love you," said the exuberant actor, delightfully refusing to exit the stage after his allotted 45 seconds.

Although "English Patient" was made outside the studio system, it represents the kind of old-fashioned epic filmmaking that academy voters traditionally honor.

The last film to win as many Oscars was "The Last Emperor" in 1988. "The English Patient," which had the most nominations with 12, also won for cinematography, dramatic score, film editing, sound, costume and art direction.

"The movement of passion is the most gratifying satisfaction in any moviemaker's life," said the film's producer, Saul Zaentz. "This happens when you see and hear people all over the world share their laughter, their crying and their sudden gasps at identical screen moments."

Zaentz's film was rescued by Miramax after 20th Century Fox, an earlier supporter, reportedly wanted to replace the film's lead actors with box-office names such as Demi Moore.

The film's director, Anthony Minghella, was honored, as was co-star Juliette Binoche. Her best supporting actress victory upset predictions that veteran actress Lauren Bacall would claim her first Oscar for "The Mirror Has Two Faces."

"I'm so surprised," said Binoche, who, like many, thought the statuette would go to Bacall. "I didn't prepare anything. I thought Lauren was going to get it. And I think she deserves it."

"It's not my fault!" the actress exclaimed backstage after repeated questions about Bacall's loss.

Composer Andrew Lloyd Webber, celebrating his best song win with Tim Rice for "You Must Love Me" from "Evita," acknowledged the dominance of "The English Patient."

"Thank heavens there wasn't a song in 'The English Patient' is all I can say," Webber joked backstage.

Winners

Winners at the 69th annual Academy Awards on Monday night:
BEST PICTURE: "The English Patient."
ACTOR: Geoffrey Rush, "Shine."
ACTRESS: Frances McDormand, "Fargo."

SUPPORTING ACTOR: Cuba Gooding Jr., "Jerry Maguire."
SUPPORTING ACTRESS: Juliette Binoche, "The English Patient."
DIRECTOR: Anthony Minghella, "The English Patient."
FOREIGN FILM: "Kolya," Czech Republic.

SCREENPLAY (based on material previously produced or published): Billy Bob Thornton, "Sling Blade"

SCREENPLAY (written directly for the screen): Ethan Coen & Joel Coen, "Fargo."
ART DIRECTION: "The English Patient."
CINEMATOGRAPHY: "The English Patient."
SOUND: "The English Patient."

SOUND EFFECTS EDITING: "The Ghost and the Darkness."
ORIGINAL MUSICAL OR COMEDY SCORE: "Emma," Rachel Portman.

ORIGINAL DRAMATIC SCORE: "The English Patient," Gabriel Yared.
ORIGINAL SONG: "You Must Love Me" from "Evita," Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice.

COSTUME: "The English Patient."
DOCUMENTARY FEATURE: "When We Were Kings."

DOCUMENTARY (short subject): "Breathing Lessons: The Life and Work of Mark O'Brien."

FILM EDITING: "The English Patient."
MAKEUP: "The Nutty Professor."
ANIMATED SHORT FILMS: "Quest," "Live Action Short Film: "Dear Diary."

VISUAL EFFECTS: "Independence Day."
IRVING G. THALBERG MEMORIAL AWARD: Producer Saul Zaentz.

HONORARY AWARD: Choreographer Michael Kidd.
SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL OSCAR: Imax Corp. for its large-format movies.

Hospital Notes

Report from Hereford Regional Medical Center on March 24:

Admissions: Carolina Ortiz, Gerda Rouse, Margarita Salgado, Stephanie Walker, Gloria Galan, Irene Latham. Discharges: German Torres, Andi Fogo, Angelica Villarreal, Jose Rodriguez and Ruby Brannon.

Report from Hereford Regional Medical Center on March 25:

Admissions: Areclia Pacheco, Minnie Lee Vernon. Discharges: Stephanie Walker, Gerda Rouse, H.L. Word, Margarita Salgado, Ernesto Griego.

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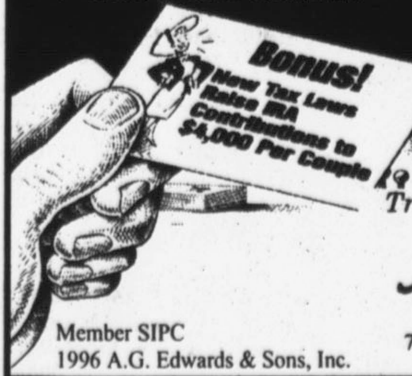
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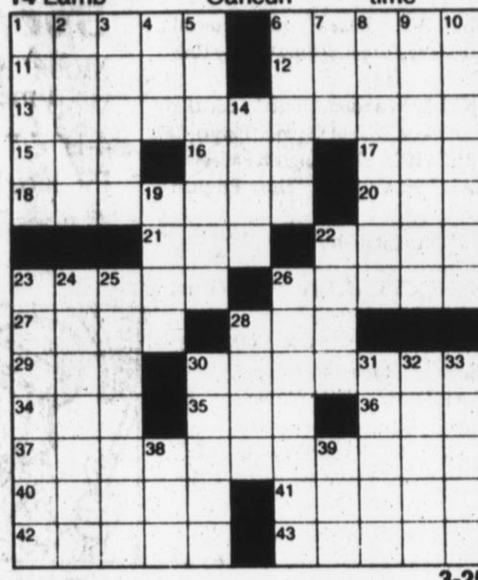
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Another new business

Maria's Beauty Shop is now open at 133 Bennett, and the C of C Hereford Hustlers conducted a ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new business Monday morning. Bob and Maria Cozbey, owners, are shown holding the big scissors and standing beside them are stylist Gloria Liscano, and Maria's sons, Johnny and Daniel Medrano. The shop features haircuts for both women and men, and perms, nails and pedicures for the ladies.

Emergency Services

Activities reported by law enforcement agencies Tuesday:

POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 24-year-old male arrested for driving while intoxicated in the 800 block of West 1st.
- 36-year-old male arrested for resisting arrest in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.
- 20-year-old male arrested for public intoxication in the 800 block of East 3rd.
- 19-year-old male arrested for driving with no driver's license in the 200 block of Lee.
- Burglary of a motor vehicle reported in the 800 block of South Texas.
- Criminal mischief reported in the 600 block of East 3rd.
- Assault reported in the 600 block of Irving.
- Criminal mischief reported in the 600 block of Irving.
- Theft reported on South Main and Austin Road.
- Assault reported in the 200 block of Avenue H.
- Domestic disturbance reported in the 200 block of Beach.
- Forty citations issued.
- 29-year-old male arrested for domestic assault in the 600 block of Avenue H.
- 39-year-old male arrested for driving while intoxicated in the 100 block of South Avenue K.
- 26-year-old male arrested for

domestic assault in the 900 block of Sioux.

- Two minor reported as being in violation of city curfew.
- Criminal mischief reported in the 100 block of Aspen.
- Criminal mischief reported in the 400 block of Avenue G.
- Domestic assault reported in the 700 block of Stanton Street.
- Domestic assault reported in the 1300 block of 1st Street.
- Theft reported in 800 block of Schley.
- Violation of court order reported in the 300 block of West 5th.
- Burglary of a habitation reported in the 500 block of Avenue H.
- Assault reported in the 200 block of Harrah Street.
- Domestic disturbance reported in the 100 block of San Obregon.
- Eleven citations issued.
- 27-year-old female issued a Class C citation for theft in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.
- Vandalism reported in the 600 block of Avenue G.
- Criminal non-support charges filed against 35-year-old male.
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- Twenty-five citations issued.
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

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SHERIFF'S REPORT

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The station engages in the rebroadcasting of station WAFF-FM, located in Tupelo, Mississippi, channel 202 (88.3-MHz).

Individuals who wish to advise the FCC of facts relating to our renewal application and to whether this station has operated in the public interest should file comments and petitions with the Commission by June 17, 1997.

Further information concerning the FCC's broadcast license renewal process may be obtained from the FCC, Washington, DC.

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 9.506 km of planing, one course surface treatment and acp on US 385 from North City Limits of Vega, South to Deaf Smith County Line covered by CSR 226-3-39 in Oldham County and from Oldham County to 1.612 km South covered by CPM 226-4-14 in Deaf Smith County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, 200 E. Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas, until 1:00 P.M., April 8, 1997.

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Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Don Day, Area Engineer, Canyon, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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and then suffering a loss in the semifinals, she rebounded to claim a 6-2, 6-4 win over an Altus player in the third place tilt.

Difler and Bryant rebounded from an early losses to claim an 8-4 win over a Snyder-based duo in the third-place match.

Amanda Kriegshauser placed second in the consolation round of her singles bracket. After beating back a threat from a Mule star in the semifinals, Kriegshauser fell to Randall in the finals, 8-2.

Her day was far from through, however. Kriegshauser came back later in the two-day tournament and teamed with Annie Hoffman to win the runner-up consolation honors in

doubles play. Kriegshauser and Hoffman, after an early setback against Altus, pounded out solid efforts against Muleshoe and Snyder.

In singles action, Hoffman captured third place consolation honors in her division.

Holly Weishaar and Brynne Bryant also played well. Weishaar was fourth in her bracket, while Bryant, keyed by a long three-set win over against a Snyder foe, placed fourth in the consolation standings.

Diana Detten and Riley took second place honors in the consolation finals in their bracket of doubles.

Rob Reinauer and Amit Patel

showed their intestinal fortitude in boys' doubles. The HHS duo stormed back from an opening loss to defeat Muleshoe and Canyon. The downed Canyon by an 8-4 clip in the consolation finals.

In individual action, Patel was fourth in the consolation bracket, while Reinauer grabbed third on the winner's side by downing a Canyon netter in straight sets, 6-4, 6-0, in the third-place tilt.

Reinauer's only loss came to an Andrews player, falling in three sets, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5 in the second round.

Nelson Beville also turned in a solid effort at the meet. He won the consolation championship in his

bracket. The Hereford standout, after a loss to a Muleshoe player early, hammered out a 9-7 win over Randall in the semifinals, and then capped the run with an 8-3 win over Sweetwater.

Brent Berend and Beville won consolation runner-up honors in their doubles segment, losing to Altus in the finals, 8-2.

Riley Hall and Carey Lyles took third in the consolation round of their bracket. Hall was fourth in his singles division.

The Hereford Whitefaces will make their final regular season tune-up prior to the District 1-4A meet this weekend in Abilene. The 1-4A meet is April 11-12.



Riding high

Hereford's Loretta Camp rounds a barrel during competition in Saturday's Lazbuddie High School Rodeo, which was held at the B-S Indoor Arena. Camp was one of several locals taking part in the Texas High School Rodeo Association event.

Cowboys resign Broderick Thomas

IRVING, Texas (AP) - The Dallas Cowboys aren't taking any chances on Charles Haley.

Haley, who had back surgery again last year, hasn't decided whether he will play in 1997, so the Cowboys re-signed pass-rush specialist Broderick Thomas on Monday.

"We had to have this guy," said coach Barry Switzer. "He was a priority for our staff. He can run people down from behind. He has natural pass-rushing instincts."

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Discus - 1. Martinez, Dumas, 113-0; 2. Williams, Dumas, 112-0; 3. Wallace, Odessa, 103-9; 4. Brown, Hereford, 100-8; 5. Butler, Clovis, 98-10; 6. Harris, Clovis, 93-1.

Shot Put - 1. mendoza, Dumas, 40-6; 2. Wine, Pampa, 39-9; 3. Hodgest, Palo Duro, 39-4; 4. Hooker, Randall, 37-6; 5. Battle, Palo Duro, 36-9; 6. Harris, Clovis, 35-2 1/2.

Triple Jump - 1. Jackson, Odessa, 37-0 1/2; 2. Givens, Odessa, 36-0 3/4; 3. Tudman, Palo Duro, 35-6 1/2; 4. Cavalier, Pampa, 33-10; 5. Benson, Randall, 33-2; 6. Bryant, Randall, 33-1 1/2.

3,200 - 1. Harrison, Hereford, 12:12.80; 2. Resendiz, Pampa, 12:48.47; 3. White, Randall, 12:56.15; 4. Townsend, 12:58.35; 5. Santiago, Odessa, 13:18.16; 6. Hurst, Pampa, 13:19.01.

Girls - Division II
 Team totals - 1. Muleshoe, 177; 2. River Road, 96; 3. Amarillo JV, 94; 4. Friona, 83; 5. Palo Duro JV, 62; 6. Tascosa JV, 52; 7. Odessa High 14.

1,600 Relay - 1. Muleshoe, 4:22.25; 2. Amarillo JV, 4:39.16; 3. Tascosa JV, 4:50.46; 4. Palo Duro JV, 4:54.97; 5. River Road, 4:59.01.

1,600 - 1. Faver, Muleshoe, 5:46.28; 2. Locker, Muleshoe, 5:55.20; 3. Aguirre, Muleshoe, 6:06.18; 4. Gomez, Tascosa, 6:12.78; 5. deJongh, Amarillo, 6:19.22; 6. Winslow, Palo Duro, 6:30.44.

200 - 1. Daniel, River Road, 27.27; 2. Reasonover, Palo Duro, 28.47; 3. Aguirre, Friona, 28.77; 4. Washington, Odessa, 29.62; 5. Benham, Muleshoe, 30.04; 6. Harlan, Muleshoe, 30.58.

300 Hurdles - 1. Hilleland, Muleshoe, 48.56; 2. Ellis, Friona, 50.55; 3. Cole, Tascosa, 55.69; 4. Wall, Amarillo, 57.13; 5. Bunuelos, Odessa, 57.38.

400 - 1. Benham, Muleshoe, 67.03; 2. Fields, Muleshoe, 67.62; 3.

Barkley, Amarillo, 67.91; 4. Molberg, Amarillo, 68.68; 5. Cain, River Road, 72.50; 6. Bragg, Amarillo, 73.26.

800 Relay - 1. Friona, 1:53.33; 2. River Road, 1:53.45; 3. Amarillo, 1:55.84; 4. Muleshoe, 1:56.43; 5. Palo Duro, 1:56.63; 6. Tascosa, 1:56.68.

100 - 1. Oates, Palo Duro, 12.87; 2. Bell, River Road, 13.24; 3. Crain, Palo Duro, 13.38; 4. Pope, Friona, 13.42; 5. Findley, River Road, 13.48; 6. Urban, Amarillo, 14.61.

100 Hurdles - 1. Ellis, Friona, 15.83; 2. Gilleland, Muleshoe, 17.22; 3. Wall, Amarillo, 18.50; 4. Baker, Odessa, 20.34; 5. Banuelos, Odessa, 24.66.

800 - 1. Locker, Muleshoe, 2:31.06; 2. Field, Muleshoe, 2:37.24; 3. Tratten, Amarillo, 2:40.33; 4. Lovett, Tascosa, 2:40.35; 5. Silva, Odessa, 2:53.90; 6. Coward, Amarillo, 2:53.94.

400 Relay - 1. River Road, 52.46; 2. Palo Duro, 52.96; 3. Friona, 53.66; 4. Muleshoe, 53.90; 5. Tascosa, 54.38; 6. Amarillo, 54.63.

Long Jump - 1. Daniel, River Road, 15-1 1/2; 2. McKellar, Amarillo, 14-6 1/2; 3. Findley, River Road, 14-1; 4. White, Amarillo, 13-10; 5. White, Friona, 13-8; 6. Ovanemalay, Palo Duro, 13-6.

High Jump - 1. Ratliff, Tascosa, 4-10; 2. Ellis, Friona, 4-10; 3. Field, Muleshoe, 4-8.

Discus - 1. Hill, Amarillo, 103-8; 2. Fiel, Friona, 97-0; 3. Beezley, River Road, 92-2; 4. Gilmore, Tascosa, 87-6; 5. Adams, River Road, 86-0; 6. Hardy, Palo Duro, 84-3.

Shot Put - 1. Benham, Muleshoe, 32-8; 2. Adams, River Road, 30-8; 3. Morris, Muleshoe, 30-7 1/2; 4. Sims, Amarillo, 28-8 1/2; 5. Rodriguez, Friona, 28-5; 6. Wheeler, Muleshoe, 28-3 1/2.

Triple Jump - 1. Pope, Friona, 35-5; 2. Gilleland, Muleshoe, 32-7 1/2; 3. McKellar, Amarillo, 32-4 1/3; 4. White, Amarillo, 31-9 1/3; 5. Daniel,

River Road, 30-3 1/2; 6. Harrison, Muleshoe, 30-1.

3,200 - 1. Faver, Muleshoe, 12:58.28; 2. Aguirre, Muleshoe, 13:35.08; 3. Gomez, Tascosa, 13:56.00; 4. deJongh, Amarillo, 13:56.55; 5. Morrison, Amarillo, 15:48.21; 6. Reeve, Amarillo, 17:03.68.

JV Girls
 Team Totals - Hereford, 93; 2. Pampa, 90; 3. Dumas, 88; 4. Clovis, 77; 5. Caprock, 74; 6. Canyon, 62; 7. Randall, 29; 8. Muleshoe, 26; 9. Friona, 20.

1,600 Relay - 1. Dumas, 4:36.90; 2. Hereford, 4:43.12; 3. Caprock, 4:43.21; 4. Pampa, 4:43.29.

1,600 - 1. Epps, Clovis, 6:11.96; 2. Delgado, Hereford, 6:00.02; 3. Hanson, Pampa, 6:28.28; 4. Dominguez, Hereford, 6:33.09; 5. Ontiveras, Dumas, 6:35.72; 6. Carillo, Hereford, 6:42.36.

200 - 1. Okwuchi, Canyon, 29.37; 2. Buzzard, Pampa, 29.66; 3. Ward, Pampa, 29.90; 4. Sample, Clovis, 30.16; 5. Johnson, Muleshoe, 30.37; 6. Diaz, Dumas, 30.58.

300 Hurdles - 1. Donnell, Canyon, 53.48; 2. Matthesse, Dumas, 56.69; 3. Semour, Canyon, 58.18; 4. Hahn, Randall, 58.87; 5. Bourne, Pampa, 65.68; 6. Zambrano, Caprock, 69.30.

400 - 1. Graves, Dumas, 67.90; 2. Maul, Pampa, 68.09; 3. Epps, Clovis, 68.63; 4. Brown, Friona, 68.87; 5. Turner, Caprock, 69.84; 6. Fuentes, Dumas, 70.68.

800 Relay - 1. Clovis, 1:58.10; 2. Pampa, 1:58.27; 3. Dumas, 2:00.46; 4. Hereford, 2:01.34; 5. Caprock, 2:02.59.

100 - 1. Sharp, Randall, 14.13; 2. Johnson, Muleshoe, 14.18; 3. Messenger, Muleshoe, 14.28; 4. Reid, Clovis, 14.30; 5. Fuentes, Dumas, 14.68; 6. Turner, Pampa, 14.69; 6. Luvaal, Randall, 14.69.

100 Hurdles - 1. Donnell, Canyon, 17.98; 2. Hahn, Randall, 20.20; 3. Seymour, Canyon, 20.67; 4.

Bourne, Pampa, 21.56; 5. Zambrano, Caprock, 26.21.

800 - 1. Cabezuola, Hereford, 2:44.55; 2. Brown, Friona, 2:45.09; 3. Pompa, Caprock, 2:45.40; 4. Taylor, Dumas, 2:47.86; 5. Calderon, Dumas, 2:51.88; 6. Henson, Pampa, 2:52.40.

400 Relay - 1. Clovis, 54.96; 2. Pampa, 55.27; 3. Dumas, 56.04; 4. Hereford, 56.66; 5. Randall, 56.93; 6. Caprock, 56.97.

Long Jump - 1. Terry, Caprock, 13-8 3/4; 2. Chavez, Hereford, 13-0; 3. Johnson, Muleshoe, 12-3; 4. Tyler, Clovis, 11-2 3/4; 5. Messenger, Muleshoe, 11-9 1/2; 6. Litherland, Caprock, 11-3 1/2.

High Jump - 1. Taylor, Canyon, 4-10.

Discus - 1. Parkinson, Caprock, 93-3 1/2; 2. Dow, Friona, 90-10; 3. Church, Clovis, 89-2 1/2; 4. Schlabs, Hereford, 88-5 1/2; 5. Wright, Caprock, 87-0; 6. Solis, pampa, 83-2.

Shot Put - 1. Wright, Caprock, 30-11 1/2; 2. Grice, Dumas, 30-9; 3. Terry, Caprock, 30-3 1/2; 4. Parkinson, Caprock, 29-5 1/2; 5. Hotchkiss, Randall, 28-7; 6. Church, Clovis, 28-0.

Triple Jump - 1. Ward, Pampa, 31-10 1/4; 2. Perrin, Hereford, 30-6; 3. Donnell, Canyon, 29-5 1/2; 4. Reynolds, Pampa, 27-11; 5. Messenger, Muleshoe, 27-11; 6. Reid, Clovis, 27-6 1/2.

3,200 - 1. Delgado, Hereford, 13:56.78; 2. Carillo, Hereford, 14:51.18; 3. Taylor, Dumas, 15:06.92; 4. Woods, Canyon, 15:26.68; 5. Hall, Caprock, 15:27.37; 6. Garcia, Clovis, 16:33.47.

YMCA Men's Church League

SOFTBALL

Two churches may combine to form one team. Representaion from the two churches need to be as equal as possible. Rosters must be final and signed by the church's pastor by the end of the second week of play. Players must be of high school age or older.

There will be two divisions for the softball league, division A and division B. The league will last for 8 games, with a tournament following, to determine the league champions. LEAGUE IS OPEN TO THE FIRST 12 TEAMS WITH PAID ENTRY FEE! So sign up now!!

SIGN UP DEADLINE: Thursday, April 17th at 6:00 pm, with an entry fee of \$200 per team.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Softball games will officially start on Monday, April 21st, with playing times at 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm. Games will be 55 minutes or 7 innings.

Game days will be on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Some weekends may be scheduled depending on the number of teams entered. Games will be played at the Nazarene ball park.

The teams must provide their own softballs (USSA 50 core blue stitch), the YMCA will provide umpires for the games. Games will be played according to USSA Rules.

There will be a Team Representative Meeting on April 17th starting at 7:30 pm at the YMCA. All teams must be represented!

You may come and pick up registration forms at the YMCA office.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call the YMCA...

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