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Setting up the pumpkin shop

Nazarene Christian Academy, in keeping with the fall season, is selling pumpkins from a stand on North 385 near Moreman Street. The school is holding the sale as a fundraiser. Shown arranging the orange and white pumpkins and green gourds on Thursday are, from left, Melinda Walden and her son, Keeton, 7; Trent Huffaker, 6; and Lacy Torbert, 8. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the private school. They are sold from noon to 6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and will be sold through Oct. 27.

'Local rule' school proposal rejected by legislative panel

By PEGGY FIKAC
Associated Press Writer
AUSTIN (AP) - A proposal to create "local rule" school districts that would be free from a number of state regulations has been rejected by a special legislative committee.

"I'll fight my heart out to beat it," state Sen. Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, said before the Joint Select Committee to Review the Central Education Agency voted on the proposal and related recommendations.

The panel voted 10-4 to delete the "local rule" proposal from its report to the Legislature, along with specific recommendations on how groups could get charters to run school campus programs.

However, the committee also endorsed the general idea of experimenting with school charters and of giving parents flexibility in choosing the public schools their children attend.

Barrientos said he has an open mind about school charters and choice. But he said he voted against the specific recommendations on implementing those ideas because he believed there hadn't been enough study.

"There's just too many questions," he said.

"I start off from the bottom line: Are our test scores up for Texas kids? Yes. Is the school dropout rate decreasing? Yes. None of those are acceptable to me, but it seems we're going in the right direction," he said.

"If we're going to go into some significant change (with local rule school districts) ... let's study it first."

Senate Education Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, who is co-chairman of the joint committee, has championed the idea of charter schools and local rule school districts.

He said the committee recommendations didn't go as far as he would

have liked. But he still plans to file legislation including those ideas when lawmakers meet in regular session beginning in January.

Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, said there's a need to change local educators' mindset so they'll feel free to try new ideas to improve education.

"There is a perception in our school districts that unless it's written someplace that they can do something or that they must do something, then they can't," he said.

The idea of giving schools more flexibility has been supported by Democratic Gov. Ann Richards and her Republican challenger, George W. Bush.

The proposal rejected by the committee would have allowed creation of 100 "local rule" public school districts, out of about 1,100 districts in the state.

Flood becomes inferno when pipeline explodes

HOUSTON (AP) - The swirling San Jacinto River already was angry, swollen to record levels this week by torrential rains. Then it erupted like a flamethrower gone berserk.

"It was like hell had opened on the water," said Mike Norman, who was trying to retrieve his sailboat on the river at midday Thursday when all around him exploded. "It was like the whole world caught on fire, everything you can see."

A leaking 40-inch gasoline pipeline blew up in the river east of Houston and 420,000 gallons of fuel in the waterway ignited, spewing flames and smoke hundreds of feet into the air.

It gobbled trees and perhaps a dozen homes in a dizzying 60-80 mph race down the river that shook people already jolted by the flooding.

"It was just boom! boom! boom!" said Willard Richey, who watched the inferno from his home across the river.

State and federal officials today were trying to find out exactly what happened.

"We don't know whether it was

the flow of the river or debris flowing in the river that caused the rupture," said Brian Scheible, a spokesman for the Texas Railroad Commission, which regulates the petrochemical industry in the state.

Smoke and fumes sent some 70 people to hospitals for treatment of minor injuries.

The continuing weeklong siege of floods, meanwhile, was blamed for taking at least 17 lives.

And while water levels on the raging San Jacinto receded - 6-8 feet in waterlogged Kingwood, a hard-hit northeast Houston suburb - the more than 8,000 residents of Liberty, 30 miles to the east, were inundated by the seething Trinity River.

Twenty-six Texas counties were designated federal disaster areas earlier in the week by President Clinton. Another seven - Brazoria, Jackson, Orange, St. Augustine, Shelby, Victoria and Wharton - have applied for federal assistance. Ed Schaefer, assistant coordinator for operations of the state's Division of Emergency Management, said.

Coming in Sunday's Brand

Hereford residents see the trucks rumble through town, piles of beets peeking out over the tops. They see the plant at the west side of town and know that sugar is produced there.

On Sunday, Brand reporter Georgia Tyler shows some of what goes on at Holly Sugar.

Come along for a guided tour of Holly Sugar, including a look at how sugar beets are harvested and how they are transformed from agricultural produce to pearly white grains of sweetness that roll off the assembly line in bright blue packages.

HISD trustees reject Shirley project bids

By GARRY WESNER
Managing Editor

An anticipated new roof and air conditioning system for Shirley Intermediate School will have to wait at least until next summer after school trustees rejected all bids for work on the proposed project.

In a 6-0 vote, the trustees voted unanimously to turn aside three bids that had been received to install a standing seam metal roof on the building and install a new heating/air conditioning system.

The lowest bid received was from Reynosa Construction of Amarillo, which said it could do the work for \$1,285,080. Reynosa served as general contractor last year on the heating and air conditioning project at Hereford High School.

District architect Larry Harvey and Superintendent Charles W. Greenawalt said the bids were higher than had been anticipated for several reasons.

Greenawalt said school principal David Fanning also asked that the

project be put off until next summer.

Fanning told trustees that his staff had favored a delay, because they are preparing students for TAAS testing and moving classrooms during the project would be disruptive.

Greenawalt explained that one major reason given for the high bids was the need for the contractors to pay overtime in order to get the job done on time.

The bid specifications called for the work to be complete by March 13, 1995, with a \$500 per day penalty for running over that date.

Harvey said one contractor added \$30,000 to his bid to cover penalties, because the company estimated it would take 60 days more to complete the project than originally requested.

In addition, Harvey and Greenawalt told trustees, the general contractors that bid on the project would have had to add additional workers to take on the Hereford job because of currently heavy workloads already.

Greenawalt recommended the bids

be turned down and said he would put the project back on the agenda for the board's next regular meeting on Nov. 1.

In the mean time, he said, Assistant Superintendent Don Cumpton has received a quote of \$3,800 to perform repairs to the Shirley roof that would carry the school through the winter without major problems.

Greenawalt said that money would be taken out of construction project funds and would be spent because one major rain or snow storm during the winter could cause more than \$3,800 in damage to Shirley equipment and supplies.

At the same time, Cumpton said, he will spend \$5,300 to have repairs done on the Bluebonnet Intermediate School roof, which would then take care of problems there for the near future.

Those funds will come out of already-budgeted maintenance department funds.

Greenawalt said one way to save money on the Shirley project would be to have the district act as its own general contractor, then hire a construction management firm, which would be paid a flat rate to coordinate the project.

While the superintendent said he has had good luck working with such companies in the past, Harvey was not so enthusiastic.

"I'd be willing to work that way if that's what you want to do," he said. "I have not had positive experiences with them."

Greenawalt said he will contact several such companies and have them make presentations to the board at the Nov. 1 meeting.

Harvey also will attend that meeting to further discuss the Shirley project.

Greenawalt said he would like to ask for bids on several different options at Shirley, including a modified bitumen roof, a steel roof and the entire project again.

Board president Steve Wright

City waits for insurance company report on truck

City officials are waiting to hear from insurance adjusters about damages to a garbage truck that turned over Monday while en route to the Amarillo landfill near Bushland.

The truck, driven by Fred Melendrez, 24, of Hereford, was loaded with 13,000 pounds of garbage when the accident occurred on FM 809, south of Widorado, but in Deaf Smith County.

City Manager Chester Nolen said the truck, a 1994 model that was put in service in 1993, has been inspected by two insurance adjusters.

"We're waiting to hear whether it will be totaled out or repaired," said Nolen. Purchase price of the truck was \$79,800.

Since the hydraulic system on the truck was damaged in the accident, the truck was parked outdoors at the city landfill, at 15th and Progressive Rd., until it can be unloaded.

"We'll have to take the garbage out manually," Nolen said.

The driver reported that he was distracted briefly while adjusting the radio and the right front wheel went off the pavement. Nolen said Melendrez said he over-corrected and the truck ended up on its side on the left side of the highway.

Melendrez was transported to Hereford Regional Medical Center by EMS. Nolen said the driver was treated for minor injuries and discharged.

Persian Gulf troop alert rescinded

WASHINGTON (AP) - With a threat from Iraq receding, the United States has canceled plans to mobilize as many as 150,000 troops for duty in the Persian Gulf. But 13,000 U.S. ground troops will conduct exercises in the region.

Cancellation of the alert was announced Thursday after intelligence officials estimated that the Iraqi forces threatening Kuwait had been pulled back far enough to justify a sharp reduction in the number of American forces that had been tapped to go to the region.

That meant more than 100,000 U.S. troops are being taken off alert.

Instead, some 13,000 soldiers - including 5,000 already on the ground in the region - and 274 aircraft will conduct exercises for an undetermined period, said a senior Pentagon official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

After Iraq began massing forces along its border with Kuwait earlier this month, the Pentagon had envisioned sending some 150,000 men and women into the region in the event a ground war against Iraq broke

out.

"The vast preponderance of forces are being taken off alert and will not deploy," Lt. Gen. Howell Estes, director of operations for the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said at a Pentagon briefing Thursday.

Estes said the threat Iraq posed to Kuwait when it put nearly 75,000 troops on its southern border is receding. "The threat ... is not totally eliminated, but changes in its posture allow us to make some changes in our forces," he said.



New bus in town

The Hereford Independent School District recently purchased two new school buses as part of its annual replacement program for the buses. Here, maintenance workers Dewayne Robbins, left, and Leo Brown show off the new 54-passenger special education bus that recently arrived in town. The district also bought a 71-passenger bus that joins the regular fleet. Assistant Superintendent Don Cumpton said the special education bus has air conditioning to meet medical requirements of special students. The other bus will be used for out-of-town trips by sports teams and other extra-curricular groups. The cost of the vehicles was about \$90,000.

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Local Roundup

Clear weather ahead

Weather will continue clear and sunny through Saturday. A low in the lower 40s Saturday morning and a high in the afternoon in the upper 70s are expected. Wind Friday night will blow at 5-15 mph from the west, then switch to northwest, 10-20 mph Saturday. Hereford enjoyed an 80-degree high Thursday and woke up to 52 degrees Friday morning.

News Digest

World/Nation

SEOUL, South Korea - A section of a recently repaired bridge collapsed during morning rush hour today, sending a packed city bus, a van and about 10 cars plummeting to the river below. At least 48 people were killed.

HOUSTON - The San Jacinto River was finally receding after a week of torrential rains swelled it to record levels. Then it erupted like a flamethrower gone berserk.

"It was like hell had opened on the water," said one witness. "It was like the whole world caught on fire, everything you can see."

GENEVA - North Korean and American negotiators today sign a landmark accord meant to end the threat of nuclear proliferation on the Korean peninsula by opening up the communist country's nuclear program to full inspections.

LOS ANGELES - Nicole and Ron who?

The focus of the O.J. Simpson case has abruptly shifted to issues far removed from the murders of Simpson's ex-wife and her friend. Instead, a constitutional battle between the news media and the judge in the case has erupted. The fight intensifies today as a media attorney seeks to halt jury selection so a higher court can review the judge's press blackout.

GAITHERSBURG, Md. - A scientific panel advises the Food and Drug Administration to approve the nation's first eye laser to correct nearsightedness, provided the maker can meet strict safety criteria.

TEL AVIV, Israel - When Fruma Levy saw the hair being scraped off a building damaged in the Tel Aviv bus bombing, a vivid picture came to mind: the millions of Jews whose hair was shaved and placed in neat piles outside the Nazi crematoria. Her feelings reflect many Israelis' still deeply rooted fear for their country's survival.

WASHINGTON - In front of a TV camera, Republican Jon Christenson is asked why he failed to vote in three out of four local elections. A hesitant Christenson explains that he runs his busy life according to a written schedule. "Unfortunately, I didn't have anything on that piece of paper that said 'vote today,'" he explains. "C'mon," an announcer says in a tone of disbelief.

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa - South Africa's impoverished black majority needs houses, schools and roads. And art, a group of aspiring curators insists. "Art is a part of life and a very necessary part of life," said Tumelo Mosaka, among 13 aspiring curators sent to the United States, Europe and Australia to study and now back home to help set up an ambitious visual arts festival scheduled next year.

State

HOUSTON - The swirling San Jacinto River already was angry, swollen to record levels this week by torrential rains. Then it erupted like a flamethrower gone berserk. "It was like hell had opened on the water," one witness said.

HOUSTON - Residents already hard-hit by the worst flooding in history received a double whammy when two exploding fuel pipelines amid the water network known as The Spaghetti Bowl ruptured and exploded. "It looked like hell opened up on the water and the whole river was gasoline," said Mike Norman. He was trying to retrieve a water-damaged sailboat Thursday from the swollen San Jacinto River when thousands of gallons of gasoline exploded, ignited and lit the river aflame before his eyes.

HOUSTON - For at least two hours, residents near Houston's "Pipeline Alley" went about their business dealing with a record flood while up to 420,000 gallons of gasoline gushed into their backyards. After the swollen San Jacinto River burst into a massive wall of orange flames and towering pillars of black smoke, they wanted to know: Why weren't we warned?

LIBERTY, Texas - No one knew the train was coming. Rancher Howard Pipkins only knew that flood waters were rising as 65 of his heifers were stranded on the edge of a railroad trestle with no more than a few feet of ground on either side.

EL CAMPO, Texas - John Cockrell has spent the past two days sucking flood water from his El Campo yard with a huge vacuum machine and scaring off the poisonous water moccasins.

All this and Wharton County, located southwest of Houston, hasn't even been declared a disaster area. "If this can't be a disaster I don't know what the hell a disaster is," Cockrell steamed.

BRYAN - The Brazos County district attorney's office has refiled criminal misdemeanor charges against former Texas A&M Vice President Robert Smith. Smith, who served as A&M's vice president for finance and administration before being reassigned as executive director of special operations, was indicted in June on two misdemeanor charges of using his public office to solicit gifts.

Police, Sheriff, Fire, Emergency Calls

Friday's emergency services reports contained the following information:

HEREFORD POLICE

- Criminal mischief in the amount of \$550 to windows was reported in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue; and in the amount of \$150 in damage to a vehicle window in the 800 block of Irving.
- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 400 block of Avenue D.
- Criminal trespass was reported in the 100 block of Avenue H.
- Assault was reported in the 400 block of Bradley.
- Forgery was reported in the 100 block of Catalpa.
- Disorderly conduct was reported in the 600 block of Irving and in the 300 block of Stadium.
- Criminal mischief was reported in the 500 block of West Third, where juveniles were caught tearing up flowers and property. A representative of the property told the juveniles that no charges would be filed if they helped repair damages.
- Child abuse was reported in the 600 block of Irving.

- Officers issued 12 citations.

DEAF SMITH SHERIFF

- A 37-year-old male was arrested for theft by check.
- A 25-year-old male was arrested for failure to stop and render information.
- Phone harassment was reported.
- FIRE DEPARTMENT
- Firefighters were called out at 8:40 p.m. Thursday to a one-vehicle accident three-fourths of a mile west of U.S. 385 on Road 15.
- Firefighters were called out at 9:54 p.m. Thursday to a grass fire at the west end of Lake Street.
- EMS
- Report not available.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

- Inf. Girl Aguilar, Paula Aguilar, Loreta Briggs, Faye Brooks, Christina Celaya, Inf. Girl Celaya, Inf. Girl Escamilla, Mary E. Garrison.
- Charles Gates, Maria Guerra, Esther Hagar, Othell Hataway, Loyd Holmes, F.G. Houston, Violet Jane Kelley, Horiencia Martinez, Ott Miller.
- Peggy Oakes, Celia Tafaya, Gracie Uvalde, Imogene Zink.



Floating landmark

Hereford residents may have seen a miniature dirigible floating over the city in recent days, seen here tracing a path in the sky over City Hall and near Hereford Grain. The small blimp -- tethered to a rope line and with a small electric motor -- is a new advertising symbol of Hereford Auto Center.

Bush, Richards to face off in debate

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer
DALLAS (AP) - Separated by a single percentage point in the most recent opinion poll, the Texas gubernatorial candidates square off tonight in what's probably their only debate of the campaign.

The prime-time showdown will give viewers an hour-long look at Democratic Gov. Ann Richards and Republican challenger George W. Bush. Their debate follows a similar session between Republican U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and Democratic nominee Richard Fisher.

The debates will be structured as a town hall forum, with selected Texans asking questions. Reporters from organizations producing the debate - KERA, The Dallas Morning News, WFAA-TV, KHOU-TV and Texas Monthly magazine - also will take part.

Mark Sanders, an Austin political consultant, said the most important factor for any candidate in a debate is to avoid making mistakes.

"The only thing that matters is not making a mistake. No one sees them, but everybody reads about them the next day," Sanders said.

"You've got two classical challenger's races here and it's absolutely critical for their campaigns

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asked Cumpston to look at roofs of other schools in the district to see what needs to bring all of them up "functional condition."

Negative advertising going full tilt

By JIM DRINKARD
Associated Press Writer

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The ad - taken from local television news footage - is being aired in eastern Nebraska by Democratic House incumbent Peter Hoagland, and it seems to be helping. Hoagland has climbed from a double-digit deficit in the polls back to a statistical dead heat.

With less than three weeks to go until the Nov. 8 elections, negative political advertising is in full cry.

"Positive spots absolutely are not working," said political analyst Charlie Cook.

"Democrats who understand that they are already carrying the baggage of the president and of Congress are deciding the only way to level the playing field is to pin some negatives on their opponents," said Stuart Rothenberg, an analyst who publishes his own nonpartisan political newsletter.

that neither of the challengers makes a mistake," he said.

Richards, who trailed Bush 44 percent to 45 percent in this week's Texas Poll, said debates "are double-edged swords" that can hurt or help a candidate such as herself who enjoys a reputation as a good debater.

"If they think you know your stuff, if they think you know the facts, if you know the details, then people always feel you're going to do well. If the other guy can just stand up and take a sip of water, they say, 'Well, he wasn't as bad as I thought he was,'" Richards said.

Bush adviser Reggie Bashur said the debate will give Texans a chance to hear Bush's proposals for state government.

"George W. Bush is going to talk about the issues he's talked about all year - criminal and juvenile justice reform, welfare reform, improving education. He's going to talk specifics," Bashur said.

"He's going to try to detail to people what his vision of the future is, be respectful to the governor, and show that he's ready to be governor."

Mrs. Hutchison and Fisher debated earlier in San Antonio, and they are scheduled to meet again in Houston on Oct. 26.

"Kay is a graduate of public

He said doing repair work on several roofs -- including Shirley's, which is by far the worst in the district -- would give the board some breathing room to look at options for rebuilding the school roof and installing air conditioning.

A letter from Harvey to the board dated Oct. 18 includes communications from several prospective contractors about the Shirley project, including alternatives that could be considered to lower the cost.

Harvey also delivered to trustees on Wednesday another letter that outlines three additional options the board could consider -- negotiations with either Reynosa of second-lowest bidder Southwest General Contractors on a contract to do the project as bid; splitting the project into two parts and handling the roof in one part and the heating/air conditioning in a second stage; or reject the bids and rebid the project.

Greenawalt said he would like to discuss all project alternatives on Nov. 1.

The superintendent said he would like to have final action on the project taken by March 1, 1995, in order to give contractors and subcontractors three months to get their equipment ordered and on site before starting construction on June 1.

The board vote was to reject all bids. All trustees were present and voted except Trustee Ron Weishaar.

Also at the meeting, trustees came to an informal consensus to accept an offer from Energas for the utility company to hire an engineer to do a complete study of Tierra Blanca and West Central schools on how to make them more energy efficient and comfortable.

Cumpston said there is no cost to the district and the report will say what is most efficient, not just look at natural gas.

Floodwaters draw candidates to sites in East, South Texas

AUSTIN (AP) - When floodwaters rose in East Texas, Gov. Ann Richards and Republican challenger George W. Bush put on their raincoats.

Both candidates, locked in a dead-heat battle, were quickly at the scene. Their images were on television, their words in print.

What do people think of candidates at an emergency? They expect it, one political expert said Thursday.

"It's almost obligatory behavior. One would be embarrassed if the opposition went and you had not shown up," said Maxwell McCombs, a University of Texas-Austin professor and specialist in political media coverage.

But McCombs said voters don't place much stock in candidates appearing at disasters.

"People see it as part of the campaign ritual," he said. "They would probably get more votes by spontaneously rescuing a cat from a tree."

Both sides deny there was any political motivation behind their visits to the Houston area.

Richards spent two days in the Houston area and Bush spent one day.

"She is doing what governors are expected to do, and that is to bring relief as quickly as possible to people who are in distress," said Richards' spokesman Bill Cryer.

Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Bush, said the Republican arrived in

Houston on Tuesday for previously scheduled campaign appearances. When those events were canceled, she said, he decided to go out and thank volunteers for their efforts.

Ms. Hughes, a spokeswoman for Bush, praised Richards' efforts during the emergency.

"She's the governor and she should be commended for responding quickly and requesting help for people who are in trouble," Ms. Hughes said.

Cryer said the governor's personal contact with Housing and Urban Development Secretary Henry Cisneros and federal highway officials helped quicken the federal response to the flood.

Ms. Hughes said that after Bush's campaign appearances were canceled due to the weather, he decided to visit Harris County Commissioner Steve Radack.

He had read in the newspaper of Radack's efforts to rescue people from their flooded homes and wanted to thank him, she said. Radack is a co-chairman in the Bush campaign.

Bush rode in an airboat with Radack and firefighters who rescued a young girl from a flooded area during the trip, she said.

"We had a full day of campaigning scheduled in Houston. Obviously because of the terrible human tragedy, George wanted to go out and say thank you and demonstrate his concern," Ms. Hughes said.

was an agreement between the two campaign managers.

"It was a joint agreement to do one debate. Now, that's not what we hear from Gov. Richards and the kind of rhetoric she's been using the last couple days. But that is clearly what (Richards' campaign manager) had said," Bashur said.

In another development, a federal judge on Thursday denied a request by Libertarian gubernatorial candidate Keary Ehlers and the Libertarian Party of Texas asking for a restraining order against Friday's debate broadcast.

Ehlers, who was not invited to participate in the debate, filed suit earlier this week against KERA, which is presenting the debate.

KERA said Ehlers wasn't invited based on objective information, including the most recent Texas Poll, which found that only 1 percent of the voters surveyed preferred the Libertarian.

Obituaries



BOBBY GRIEGO
Oct. 20, 1994

Funeral services for Bobby Griego, 58, are scheduled Saturday at 10 a.m. in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Bruce Hernandez, pastor of Primera Iglesia Bautista Church, officiating. Burial will be West Park Cemetery with arrangements by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Griego died Thursday morning at the VA Hospital in Amarillo. The longtime Hereford businessman was owner of Greigo Dragline, Inc.

Prayer services were held Thursday night and will be held again tonight at 7 in Rose Chapel of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Griego came to Hereford in 1948 from Viadero, N.M., where he was born on June 19, 1936. He married Licha Herrera on June 5, 1954 in Clovis, N.M. He served in the U.S. Army in 1957-58. He was a member of Primera Iglesia Bautista Church.

Survivors include his wife, Licha; one son, Robert of Hereford; three daughters, Mary Griego of Lubbock, Lila Liscano of Hereford and Ruth Lucero of Arlington; his father,

Ernesto Griego, and stepmother, Lola, of Hereford; five brothers, Isias, Max, Tony and Ernest, all of Hereford, and Jimmy of Oklahoma; 11 sisters, Rose Carlton, Martha Cortez, Irene Guerra, Lala Baca, all of Hereford; Teodora Pacheco of Muleshoe, Clara Guerrero, Beatrice Urias and Annabelle Villegas of Amarillo, Rita Flores of Houston, and Betty Gonzales of San Antonio, Rose Mary Griego of Dallas; and seven grandchildren.

JUANITA KOCH STONE

Oct. 15, 1994
Juanita Koch Stone, 70, of Brownwood died Saturday and graveside services were held Tuesday at Eastlawn Cemetery of Brownwood. She was a former Hereford resident.

Mrs. Stone was born May 13, 1924. She and her late husband, Charlie, operated a Purina dealership in Hereford in the 1970s.

Survivors include one daughter and four sons.



AUSTIN (AP) - The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 8-2-8 (eight, two, eight)

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Church News

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

You are invited to "Discover Jesus" with us during the exciting month of October. This week, Susie Merrick, Jim Haile and the choir will present "There is Strength in the Name of the Lord." Pastor Ted Taylor's message will be on "Miracles are for You."

There will be a concert featuring Eternity at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 26 in the Sanctuary of the Nazarene church. This talented group of young people travel all around the USA ministering in song. Come and enjoy a heart-warming evening with Eternity.

"Hallelujah Night," Monday, Oct. 31, is a great night for everyone.

There will be a movie at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary, followed by a potluck at 7 p.m., then fun and games until 9 p.m.

Remember, one large bag of candy will get you in. This is a family time. No nursery.

A meeting for the Bluewater Garden Outreach Ministry for children will be held in the Nazarene church at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 22.

Discovery class, a meeting for those wanting to know more about church membership, will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, in Fellowship Hall. There will also be a meeting for nursery parents at 5:15 p.m. in the Library.

Children's Church: Kids don't forget this is "1955 Hanky Sunday." Bring your hanky and expect lots of excitement.

The W.O.W. meeting originally set for Monday, Oct. 24, has been canceled due to illness.

Sunday School is held at 9:30 a.m. The Sunday morning worship service is at 10:30 a.m. and the Sunday evening worship service is at 6 p.m.

On Wednesdays, the Kids Fall Program is at 7 p.m., as are the Teen "Club Paradise" and Adult Bible Study.

ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"Let Me See Again" is the title of the sermon by the Rev. Charles A. Wilson on the 22nd Sunday after Pentecost. The Holy Eucharist is celebrated at 11 a.m. and there is a coffee hour in the parish hall after the services.

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. with the Litany of Healing, the Laying-on-of-Hands with Holy Unction and Holy Communion. We will observe the major prayer book feast of St. Simon and St. Jude, Apostles.

Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message. In case of emergency or to make appointments for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 353-1734.

There will be Christian Education for all ages at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday with children and youth meeting in the Education Wing and the Adult Class meeting in the parlor. The Adult Class continues a 12-week study of Mark's Gospel using the Serendipity material.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"On Our Way Rejoicing" is the title the Rev. Don Shepherd has given his sermon for the Sunday morning worship service. The Scripture lesson is Philippians 4:1-20. The service begins at 10:30 a.m.

The Youth Groups will meet together Sunday at 5:30 p.m. for snacks and fellowship. From 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. they will hear a guest speaker, Rev. Doug Manning, who will speak to them on the subject of death.

Sunday School for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. The Adult class, lead by Don Shepherd, will continue the study of Presbyterian 101 on the subject of Presbyterian beliefs.

There will be a Junior High dance Friday, Oct. 21, from after the ball game until midnight.

Prayer Group meets every Monday at the church at 6 p.m.



Group to appear here

Eternity, a contemporary Christian music group from Austin will be in concert in Hereford on Wednesday, Oct. 26, in the Hereford Church of the Nazarene, 1410 La Plata Dr. The concert will be at 7 p.m. Eternity has appeared with Michael W. Smith, Steve Camp, Bryan Duncan, Carman and David Meece, and have performed around the United States, Europe, Central America and the Middle East. For more information call Sandy or Addie at 364-8303.

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Central Church of Christ would like to invite you to worship with us.

Join us for Bible study Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. We worship at 10:25 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sunday.

The youth traveled to Keyes, Okla., Saturday for a Youth Rally. We had a great time.

The young adults are meeting on every second and fourth Monday in the Jackson at 211 Hickory. They are studying what the Bible says about angels.

There will be a Ladies Day Out Saturday, Oct. 22. The ladies will leave the building at 11 a.m. for Amarillo. They will eat, shop and go to a movie.

Seniors Citizens Day will be the 27th. Come join us in a meal and fellowship.

After the football game Friday, the youth and young adults will have their usual parties.

Have a great week!

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

"Day of Prayer" will be observed from 6 a.m. until 8 p.m. Saturday. Those participating are asked to pray in 15-minute intervals for the church, the pastor search committee and the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

A woman's Bible study, taught by Marie Stringer, will meet at 7 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in the home of Marlene Watson. For more information, call 364-1470 or 364-1635.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Temple Baptist Church congregation of Avenue K and Forrest Street invites everyone to come worship with them this coming week.

Our Sunday School and Bible Study with something for every member of the family begins at 9:45 a.m. Our morning worship service is at 11 a.m. and we are very glad to have Brother Bartlett back with us.

The MASTERLIFE Study will be at 6 p.m. with Brother Jim Bozeman and Brother Bartlett bringing the study.

At 7 p.m. Brother H. Wyatt Bartlett will be bringing the evening message.

On Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. will be our midweek prayer meeting and Bible Study. The sanctuary choir meets at 7:45 p.m.

SUMMERFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

The public is invited to attend all of the church services. Sunday school is held at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. The Wednesday service is held at 7 p.m. For more information, call 357-2535.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

We welcome one and all to our Saturday morning worship service. Our morning begins at 9:30 a.m. with a special program. We separate for Bible class study at 10 a.m. Classes range from Kindergarten to

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

A CYO dance will be held from 9 p.m. until midnight today in Sugarland Mall. Cost is \$3 per person. Adam Treff will provide the music.

Altar flowers this past weekend were donated by the Larry Paetzold family in memory of Joe Paetzold.

Envelops for All Souls Day are among the October contribution envelopes.

St. Anthony's Parish Organization minutes from the October meeting are available at church entrances for your updating on various parish activity.

The October SCRIP contest goal is \$20,000. School children will be asking for help so they may all enjoy a free movie and popcorn. Contact the church for more information about the SCRIP publication.

Liturgical Ministers Workshop Part II is planned from 10:15-10:45 a.m. Sunday in the church. If you are a lector, preacher, altar server, usher,

greeter, musician/choir or eucharistic minister or if you want to begin one of these ministries, then we will see you there.

The Parish Advisory Council minutes from the September meeting are ready at the church entrances.

The Alan Guttmacher Institute is sponsoring a seminar in November in Amarillo. For further information, call Janie at 364-6150.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

First Assembly of God, located at 606 E. 15th, invites the public to come and hear the "Master's Hands" singing group from Levelland, Texas.

They will be ministering in both the morning and evening services this Sunday, Oct. 23.

Service times are 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Everyone is welcome, says Pastor Michael Matheny.

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Sports

Herd freshmen rip Bulldogs

By JAY PEDEN
Sports Editor
Rodney Gomez caught four touchdown passes from Jeremy Urbanczyk to lead the Hereford freshman football team to a 41-16 rout of the Borger freshmen Thursday in Hereford.

Also Thursday, the Herd junior varsity lost 21-6 to the Borger JV in Borger, and the sophomore team lost 38-13 to the Sudan JV in Sudan.

In the freshmen's game, Gomez caught scoring passes of 14, 72, 68, and 15 yards from Urbanczyk, who threw a fifth TD pass to Jeremy High, a 12-yarder.

Jeremy Scott accounted for Hereford's lone rushing TD on a one-yard run. Anthony Lopez kicked one extra point and threw to Henry

Hernandez for a two point conversion. Hernandez also ran for a two-pointer.

Borger answered Hereford's scores in the first quarter and held leads of 8-7 and 16-13, but the Herd defense shut out the Bulldogs from there.

In Borger, the Herd JV went up 6-0 in the first quarter on Joseph Artho's six-yard TD pass to C.J. Kubacak, but the kick failed.

Hereford led until the six-minute mark of the fourth quarter, when Borger finally scored, but Hereford blocked the extra point to keep it tied. Borger stopped Hereford, then scored again to make it 14-6 with 2:00 left. Borger added another score on a long run with 20 seconds left.

"We got beat, but boy, we played

good," coach Craig Yenser said. "I'm real pleased with these young men's efforts. We played especially well on defense. The defense deserves a pat on the back. The offense struggled a little bit because they (Borger) stunted."

In Sudan, the Herd sophomores lost to the Sudan JV, 38-13. Sudan's varsity is ranked No. 2 in Class A,

and after seeing the JV, Herd sophomore coach Britt Narrell testified that they'd be pretty good for the next couple of years.

Hereford scored twice in the fourth quarter. Jason White broke up the shutout with a one-yard plunge, and Adan Tarin kicked the extra point. Stephen Cloud ran 22 yards for a touchdown later, but the kick failed.



Big game by Gomez

Rodney Gomez of the Hereford freshman football team hauls in one of his four touchdown catches, as the Herd whipped Borger, 41-16, Thursday on the field south of the field house.

Herd tennis, volleyball teams need to avoid looking ahead

The main problem the Herd tennis and volleyball teams face this weekend that they not look too far ahead.

The tennis team, which already has clinched a berth in the regional tournament, finishes the regular season with a team match in Dumas Saturday, starting at 10 a.m.

The volleyball team, which plays at Canyon at 2 p.m. Saturday, also has clinched a playoff spot, but that's not what they'd be looking forward to most. The date circled on the Lady Whitefaces' calendars is Oct. 25: the second Dumas match. Hereford won the first district meeting; another win over Dumas would give Hereford its first District 1-4A title.

The cross country team will run at

the South Plains Meet in Levelland starting at 9 a.m. Saturday. That meet is the last before the district meet, which will be held Oct. 29 in Amarillo.

The junior varsity and freshman volleyball teams also will play Saturday in Canyon. The freshmen play at 10 a.m., and the JV plays at 2 p.m. The varsity match starts about 20 minutes after the JV match is over.

The eighth grade volleyball teams will play in a tournament Saturday in Pampa.

The eighth and seventh grade volleyball teams wrap up their seasons Monday by hosting Valleyview at 5 p.m. The freshman team also finishes up Monday by hosting Dumas at 6 p.m.

Denison-Sherman bigger than usual

By JOHN MCFARLAND
Associated Press Writer

There are a few new twists to one of the oldest rivalries in Texas high school football.

While tonight's game between 4A powers Denison and Sherman is the 78th edition of the rivalry known as the "Battle of the Ax," it's the first time both teams have entered the game as ranked teams.

It's also the first time in 10 years that the two schools, located about 10 miles apart in North Texas - are playing in the same district.

So in addition to taking possession of the weatherbeaten ax that has traditionally rested in the winning school's trophy case for a year, tonight's winner will be in first place

in District 7-4A.

"Both schools are going to be just higher than a kite," said Denison coach Bob Brown, whose team is 7-0 and the No. 8 team in this week's Associated Press football poll. "Some kids could go out and make foolish mistakes because they're so high. You just have to be careful."

Brown's hoping his Yellow Jackets can capture the ax for the first time in his three seasons in Denison. No. 6 Sherman (6-1), which leads the series 49-22-6, has won the past two games, including last year's 28-21 victory.

"When you've got two teams so evenly matched, whoever makes fewer mistakes is going to win," said Sherman coach John Outlaw, who won two Arkansas state championships at Arkadelphia.

If Sherman is to retain the ax, the Bearcats will have to shut down Denison's running attack, which relies on 6-foot, 190-pound power runner Reggie Hunt and the smaller scatback Anthony Snell.

Hunt, a junior, has rushed for 571 yards and 11 touchdowns on 69 carries. Snell, a senior whom Brown likens to a "waterbug," has gained 659 yards on 86 tries and ran for eight touchdowns.

But Sherman, whose only loss was a 28-25 defeat to 5A Garland, has allowed just 13 points over the past

five games and one touchdown in 18 quarters.

On offense, quarterback Hunter Smith leads the Sherman attack, which is averaging 329 yards per game. Smith, who played wide receiver last season, has rushed for 217 yards and passed for 612 yards and seven touchdowns.

In last week's 31-7 victory over Wichita Falls Hirschi, Smith completed just three of nine passes, but two went for touchdowns.

The Bearcats also can run the ball, led by sophomore Jerwayne Parker's 586 yards and seven touchdowns on 106 carries.

The Sherman-Denison battle is one of two games this week between ranked district rivals.

In 3A, No. 2 Sealy (7-0) takes on No. 9 Columbus (6-1) for the advantage in the tough District 23-3A, which also includes Bellville. All three teams are 4-0 in district play heading into the final stretch of the season.

"It's a pretty big shootout, it always is," said Sealy coach T.J. Mills. "We pretty much have been the playoff teams year in year out in the ten years I've been here."

Sealy has rolled over opponents this season with its explosive offense.

Quarterback Brad Burtshell has thrown 165 consecutive passes without an interception dating back to last year. This season, he's completed 42-of-61 passes for 1,001 yards and 11 touchdowns.

"He's a heck of a kid," Mills said.

Burtshell's favorite target is Jaron Dabney, who's caught 16 passes for 605 yards and nine touchdowns.

The Tigers also like to pound it out on the ground, as Fred Smith has racked up 1,046 yards and 23 TD's on 109 carries.

While no 5A teams play ranked opponents, there could be upsets this week since most of the top ten teams are on the road.

No. 1 Abilene Cooper plays at San Angelo, No. 3 Deer Park is at Pasadena Dobie, No. 5 Aldine MacArthur goes to Spring and Cypress Creek plays at Klein Oak Saturday.

No. 7 Arlington Lamar hopes to avoid an upset at crosstown rival Arlington Bowie. No. 8 A&M Consolidated is at Conroe Saturday. Ninth-ranked Tyler John Tyler is at Lufkin and 10th-ranked Humble travels to Humble Kingwood.

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Vikes' defense saves win over Green Bay

By RON LESKO
AP Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - Warren Moon still can't find the end zone against the Green Bay Packers. This time, he didn't have to.

Minnesota's defense scored its fourth touchdown of the season Thursday night and held the Packers to just 48 yards in the second half, while Moon also struggled to move the Vikings.

Moon finally led the Vikings to a tying field goal by Fuad Reveziz with 17 seconds left in regulation and the winning kick 4:26 into overtime for a 13-10 win.

"They all don't have to be real pretty," Minnesota linebacker Jack Del Rio said. "We did enough to win, that's the bottom line."

Thanks to the defense, Minnesota (5-2) salvaged a game it seemed destined to lose and kept the Packers (3-4) from getting back into the NFC Central race. The Vikings lead Chicago by a half-game, awaiting the Bears' trip to Detroit on Sunday.

Time after time Thursday, the Vikings stuffed Green Bay, only to watch their offense wilt against the Packers' relentless pass rush.

Moon was 20-for-45 for 156 yards with two interceptions and had been sacked four times - twice by Sean Jones - when the Vikings took over at their own 34 with 5:32 left in regulation, trailing 10-7.

The offense hadn't been within 30 yards of the end zone, and had

run just seven plays in Green Bay territory. It was similar to Green Bay's season-opening 16-10 win, in which Moon threw for 166 yards and was intercepted three times in his Vikings debut.

Minnesota was driving late in that game, too, until Green Bay linebacker James Willis caught Moon's final pass at the Packers 22 with 1:52 to play.

This time, Moon came through. He hit seven of 10 passes for 58 yards to lead Minnesota to Reveziz's first field goal, a 29-yarder that sent the game into overtime.

Moon was 4-for-5 for 57 yards on the first possession of the extra period, setting up Reveziz's 27-yarder for the win.

"Oh, it was frustrating," Moon said of Green Bay's defensive pressure. "When you get that much heat, it makes you a little jittery at times, then you start to throw the ball a little quicker than you want to. But we held in there. That's what they pay me the big bucks to do."

Still, the Packers almost pulled even with Minnesota in the division race, and they nearly did it after losing quarterback Brett Favre with a hip pointer in the first quarter.

The Packers pointed out the season is a long way from over.

"We're not going to hang our heads now," cornerback Corey Harris said. "Once this team comes together - the special teams, defense and offense - we'll be tough."

Upset-minded Owls aim for A&M

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ
AP Sports Writer
The Rice Owls would like to revise the Southwest Conference history books twice in one week.

They ended a 28-year losing streak with a 19-17 victory over No. 13 Texas last week, and they have a chance to reverse another trend against No. 6 Texas A&M on Saturday.

The Aggies (6-0, 3-0 SWC) have the nation's longest home winning streak (24) and the Owls haven't beaten the Aggies anywhere in 13 years.

Rice (3-2, 2-0) is a 20-point underdog, more than double the nine points they were supposed to lose by against the Longhorns.

First-year coach Ken Hatfield wants fans to get used to winning. "We're not turning things around, we're continuing on," Hatfield said. "We've got a lot of work to do. We've got to win six games to get to a bowl and we're just halfway there."

Hatfield tired quickly of hearing about the Owls' Cotton Bowl chances and shut off player interviews a day early, on Wednesday.

Rice rushed for 202 yards against the Longhorns, but they likely won't do the same against A&M, ranked No. 9 in the nation in defense and No. 7 against the run.

The Aggies think they have a point to prove after allowed 176 rushing yards in a 41-21 victory over Baylor, which was the first team to rush 100 yards against A&M all season.

"For someone to score 21 points, that was bad," Aggie linebacker

Antonio Armstrong said. "We have to redeem ourselves. We have a tradition to uphold."

The Aggies continue to win with the running of Rodney Thomas and Leeland McElroy but Corey Pullig is improving his passing with five touchdown passes in the last two games.

In other SWC games, Baylor (5-2, 2-1) is favored by a point at Texas Tech (2-4, 1-2); Southern Methodist (1-6, 0-3) doesn't even rate odds at Texas (4-2, 1-1) and Texas Christian (3-3, 0-2) is a 14-point choice over Houston (1-5, 1-1).

The Red Raiders had last week off to recuperate from their 24-21 loss to Rice, and they used the times to get freshman quarterback Zebbie Lethridge healthy.

Coach Spike Dykes also hopes the Red Raiders have learned something about winning the close games. "We've been on the lip of the cup and can't get anything to happen," Dykes said. "We're still going to have fun and some good days."

Baylor failed in its bid to upset the Aggies in College Station and now they must face the Red Raiders in Lubbock, where they have won five times since 1980.

Texas coach John Mackovic reinstated seven players, including receivers Lovell Pinkney and Mike Adams, who missed Sunday's loss to Rice. Adams is still bothered by a knee injury.

Southern Methodist continues to be troubled by injuries, especially quarterback Ramon Flanagan, who has tried to continue playing with a

hamstring injury.

The Houston Cougars should have been the talk of the town after ending their 10-game losing streak with a victory over SMU, but Rice's bigger victory over Texas dimmed the Cougars' effort.

Coach Kim Helton took a brief moment to congratulate the Owls and then returned to concerns about a starting quarterback. Chad O'Shea, who led the Cougars last week, has an injury that may keep him sidelined.

"If Clay wakes up Saturday

morning and feels OK, then he will start," Coach Helton said. "If Chad feels OK, then he'll be the back. If neither one feels OK, then we'll have to think of something else."

It's a recurring story for the Cougars, who lost starter Chuck Clements for the season and had Clay Helton injured two weeks ago against Texas A&M.

TCU coach Pat Sullivan worries about Houston momentum.

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Tolliver to get start for Oilers vs. Eagles

HOUSTON (AP) - The Houston Oilers have had a quarterback question all season and Billy Joe Tolliver is the current answer-maybe.

Tolliver will start Monday night's game against the Philadelphia Eagles if starter Cody Carlson isn't sufficiently healed from his shoulder and ankle injuries.

The former Texas Tech quarterback moved ahead of backup quarterback Bucky Richardson, who started three games in Carlson's absence with mixed results.

"It's harder when you have to start and set the tempo," Tolliver said. "If you come in later in the game the other team is worn down so it's easier to get something done."

"I just get off the bus when they tell me."

Tolliver stepped into the Oilers' Oct. 13 game against Cleveland and threw a touchdown pass that kept the Oilers from begin shut out for the first time since 1976.

He showed enough to get a chance against the Eagles if Carlson isn't ready.

"When you're 1-5, there is a lot of soul-searching," Tolliver said. "All you can do is try to stay mentally strong when these kinds of things happen."

"We were 0-5 in Atlanta and it was funny all the harping that went on about it being the coach's fault. When they put in a game plan there is a reason."

"It's the responsibility of the

Fuller blames owner Adams for Oilers' ills

HOUSTON (AP) - Former Houston Oilers defensive end William Fuller now plays for the Philadelphia Eagles but he hasn't forgotten what it was like to play for the Oilers.

The biggest problems are with owner Bud Adams, Fuller says, as he prepares to face his old teammates on Monday night.

"I think it all starts with Mr. Adams and filters down," Fuller said. "The right hand doesn't know what the left hand is doing. No one knows who is really in charge. There are guys who think they have a lot to say, but they're really just figureheads."

Coach Jack Pardee is a victim of the system, because he has no control, Fuller says.

"The system is set up for divisiveness," Fuller said. "Look at the situation we had last year with Buddy Ryan. He came in and had complete autonomy over the defense and Kevin Gilbride had complete autonomy over the offense."

"Under that arrangement, you're going to have a stressful situation and that's definitely what we had all last year."

The Oilers have dipped to a 1-5 record this season.

players to make the plays and we're not doing that right now. That's where we are at right now, trying to develop."

Carlson could start against the Eagles if he gets a clear medical report on his left shoulder that was partially separated in the first game of the season and a chronic sore knee.

Richardson assesses his starting assignments as average. "I have to grin and bear it and roll with the punches," Richardson said of his demotion. "I'm a team player. Playing this season has been a great experience for me. I'm young and I'm going to get better."

The quarterback depth chart has been rotating since training camp. Sean Salisbury was supposed to back up Carlson but was waived after failing to learn the run-and-shoot quickly.

Richardson became the No. 2 quarterback and the Oilers signed Tolliver at the No. 3.

Tolliver has gained a reputation as being more effective off the bench, but he's ready to step in when called to start. He completed 9 of 15 passes for 115 yards and a touchdown pass.

Richardson, in three starts for Carlson, completed 77 of 149 passes for 982 yards and six touchdowns.



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Dodgers' Mondesi named as National League's top rookie

By JOHN NADEL
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Only a few years ago, the Los Angeles Dodgers farm system was being heavily criticized. Now, it's being praised. Outfielder Raul Mondesi unanimously won the NL Rookie of the Year award Thursday, the third straight Los Angeles winner of an honor the Dodgers have dominated since its inception.

"I want to say thank you to my teammates," Mondesi said from his home in the Dominican Republic. "They tell me, 'You've got to play hard because you've got a chance to win Rookie of the Year.'"

"I played hard every day, that's why I won." The Dodgers have had the NL's top rookie 14 times since Jackie Robinson - for whom the plaque is now named - won the initial award in 1947 with Brooklyn. No other NL team has won more than six.

"What it really says is just the continuation of the direction we have

been headed, having three Rookie of the Year winners and a number of players who will have the opportunity to win the award next year," Dodgers general manager Fred Claire said.

"There should be no question in anybody's mind about the direction or drawing from our farm system."

Mondesi, who batted .306 and led major league outfielders with 16 assists, was the seventh unanimous winner in the NL. Catcher Mike Piazza was a unanimous winner last year, and Dodgers first baseman Eric Karros won in a closer vote in 1992.

Several first-round draft choices of the Dodgers in recent years have been flops, and in the late 1980s, the team relied on free agency rather than its farm system for filling holes.

All that's changed. Rick Sutcliffe, Steve Howe, Fernando Valenzuela and Steve Sax won Rookie of the Year awards for Los Angeles from 1979-1982. The Dodgers could make it four in a row again next year if Triple-A third baseman Ron Coomer plays to

potential.

Coomer, who hit .338 with 22 homers and 123 RBIs for Albuquerque in the Pacific Coast League this year, is only one of a number of farmhands the Dodgers believe will play for them in the near future.

Others are outfielders Billy Ashley, Roger Cedeno and Todd Hollinsworth; first baseman Mike Busch, and pitchers Darren Dreifort, Chan Ho Park, Ismael Valdes, Greg Hansell, Antonio-Osuna and Rick Gorecki.

Ashley is expected to start in left field for the Dodgers next season, if there is a season. But he is not eligible for the rookie award. Ashley, who hit .345 with 37 home runs and 105 RBIs for Albuquerque, is eight major league at-bats over the 130 allowed to qualify as a rookie.

"I've been very fortunate, this is my seventh Rookie of the Year as a manager," Tom Lasorda said. "Like Fred said, it's a chain reaction. Everybody joins in something like this."

Top agents meet with union

NEW YORK (AP) - For five hours, one of the most powerful forces in baseball assembled in one room.

The top 10 agents, who helped drive the average salary to nearly \$1.2 million, brainstormed with union officials about the strike Thursday and predicted their clients would stay together even if owners attempt to use replacement players next spring.

"I think players have principle," agent Scott Boras said. "The principle in this case is very clear."

The 10 agents represent about half the 1,100 players with major league contracts. After meeting at union offices, they went to another site for a presentation from agent Dick Moss, who is attempting to organize a new league for next season.

"It's coming along," Moss said, adding that details would be made public in several weeks.

In other strike news, union associate general counsel Eugene Orza said the union probably would file a grievance today over the nine

players who filed for free agency and were rejected by owners.

Management claims the group, which includes Jack McDowell and Jim Abbott, is short of the required six years of service because the time during the strike doesn't count.

Owners may contest arbitrator George Nicolau's right to hear the grievance. Management lawyer Chuck O'Connor says the grievance process may have expired along with the labor agreement last Dec. 31.

Comics

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



Marvin By Tom Armstrong



BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake



BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell



FRIDAY OCTOBER 21

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Movie: The Worst Witch	Movie: Hocus Pocus Bette Midler. **1/2 PG	Movie: Much Ado About Nothing Kenneth Branagh.	Movie: News	Ent. Tonight	Unsolved Mysteries	Dateline	Homicide: Life	News	(35) Tonight Show	Movie: Kill
MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Texas Debates	Texas Debates	Time Goes	Previews	KACVideo	News	(35) Cheers	Rush L.
Boss?	Boss?	(05) Movie: She's Out of Control (1989) **	(05) Movie: No Small Affair (1984) Jon Cryer. **1/2	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
News	Wh. Fortune	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Step by S.	Mr. Cooper	20/20	News	News	News	News
Main St.	Family	Joy-Music	Issues	VISH Agenda	Family Enrichment Series	Gospel	Cap.-News	Lawson Live	News	News
Love Con.	Jeffersons	Movie: V.I. Warshawski (1991) Kathleen Turner. **	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
News	Coach	Diagnosis Murder	In the Heat of the Night	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Roseanne	M*A*S*H	M.A.N.T.I.S.	X-Files	Sightings	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	News	News	News	News
Sportstr.	NHL Hockey	May Be Pre-Empted Due to Season Postponement	Stanley Cup	Sportstr.	News	News	News	News	News	News
Shade	Shade	Movie: Young Indiana Jones and Hollywood	700 Club	Father Dowling Mysteries	Station	News	News	News	News	News
Movie: Peggy-Married	Movie: Radio Inside William McNamara. (35) Movie: The Dark Half Timothy Hutton. **1/2 R	Movie: Marilyn Chamber	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Inside the NFL	Movie: Falling Down Michael Douglas. **1/2 R	Dennis M.	Movie: Delta Heat Anthony Edwards. R	Hardcore TV	Movie: News	News	News	News	News	News
Movie: Abrams, Guardian	Movie: Freaked Alex Winter. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Hot Shots! Part Deux **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Emmanuelle 5 R	Movie: News	News	News	News	News	News	News
American	News	Yesteryear	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News	News	News	News	News	News
Bay, 2000	Next Step	Wild West	Wings	Secrets of the Deep	Wild West	Wings	News	News	News	News
Rockford Files	Biography	Investigative Reports	Ancient Mysteries	Law & Order	Biography	News	News	News	News	News
Design. W.	Design. W.	Barbara Walters	Movie: Kate's Secret (1988) Edward Asner **1/2	Girls Night Out	Ooh La La	News	News	News	News	News
Drag Racing	NBA's Greatest Games	NHL Hockey May Be Pre-Empted Due to Season Postponement	Boxing: Garrett vs. McKart	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Kung Fu	Movie: Geronimo (1993) Joseph Runningfox. ***	Movie: Lakota Woman: Steps at Wounded Knee (1994)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Doug	Looney	Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart	Dragnet
Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Back to the Future Part II (1993) ***	Movie: Time Barbarians-Magic	Notic.Unt.	Movie: Mettche Encaj.	News	News	News	News
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Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo	Flintstones	Jetsons	Bugs & Daffy	Space G	Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo

SATURDAY OCTOBER 22

7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Pony Tales	Care Bears	C. Brown	Marsupium	Movie: Care Bears Movie II	Movie: Ludely's Think Tank (1985) NR	Danger Bay	News	News	News	News
Madison	Pigasso	Wonderland	Bill Nye	Adventure	Saved-Bell	Dreams	Inside Stuff	Paid Prog.	The NFL	News
Tradition	Tradition	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Quilling	Sewing	Quilt	Sewing	Sun Cuisine	Garden	Gourmet
(05) Bonanza	(05) Bonanza	(05) WCW Pro Wrestling	Nat'l Geographic Explorer	Network Earth Undercover	(05) Native Americans	News	News	News	News	News
Cro	Sonic	Free Willy	Sybaris	Bump	Cryptkeeper	Bugs & T.	Addams	Weekend	Wh. Fortune	News
Peppermint	Storybam	Prime Time Playhouse	Sunshine	Garbert	Just Kids	Kingdom	Pet Care	Plant Groom	Lifestyle	News
Farm Report	Business	News	MotorWeek	Outdrgr	Pro Football	Paid Prog.	Soul Train	Star Search	News	News
Mermaid	Beethoven	Aladdin	Warriors	Wild.C.A.T.S.	Turtles	Garfield and Friends	News-Kids	Football	Football	News
Dog City	Rangers	Animaniacs	Eek!	Batman	Tick	X-Men	Sandiego	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Diff. World
Outdoors	Fly Fishing	Salt Water	WalkerCay	Nat'l Trail	Photo Safari	Outdoors	College Gameday	College Football	College Football	News
Madeline	Wish Kid	Marlo	Max. Drive	Masters	My Dog	Jungle	Big Jake	Bonanza	Chaparral	News
Movie: We're Talkin' Serious Money	Movie: National Lampoon-Weapon	Ready-Hot	DebraJ.J.	Movie: The Meteor Man ** PG	Movie: Inside the NFL	Movie: Inside the NFL	Movie: Inside the NFL	Movie: Inside the NFL	Movie: Inside the NFL	Movie: Inside the NFL
Smogies!	White Fang	Shakespeare	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG	Movie: Airborne Shane McDermott. PG
(15) Movie: Robin Hood: Men in Tights Cary Elwes.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.	Movie: Hombres (1967) Paul Newman, Fredric March.
(Off Air)	Remodeling	Mechanic	Rodeo	Outdoor	Fishing	Outdoor	Fishing	Outdoor	Fishing	Outdoor
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	In the Wild	Nature	Pet Con.	Animals	Wildlife	Nature	America Coast to Coast	Skybound	News
Wildlife Mysteries	Dogs	Civil War Journal	David L. Wolper Presents	Twentieth Century	Investigat.	News	News	News	News	News
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Baby Knows	Your Baby	Picture What Women Do	Love	News
Race Report	Ab Isolator	Big 8 Gridiron Report	Football	SWC	Gary Gibbs	Ken Hatfield	College Football: Clemson at Fla. St.	College Football: Clemson at Fla. St.	College Football: Clemson at Fla. St.	College Football: Clemson at Fla. St.
Hondo	How the West Was Won	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West
Doug	Rugrats	Muppets	Muppets	Beetlejuice	Gumby	Alvin Show	Adven-Tinlin	Kaboosey	My Brother	Looney
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Hollywood	World Wrestling Mania	To Be Announced	Movie: The Fan (1981) **	Movie: The Fan (1981) **	Movie: The Fan (1981) **	Movie: The Fan (1981) **	Movie: The Fan (1981) **
Chapulin	Cantinflas	La Hora de los Tigritos	El Club de Gaby	Johnny Canales	Super Sabado Sensacional	Super Sabado Sensacional	Super Sabado Sensacional	Super Sabado Sensacional	Super Sabado Sensacional	Super Sabado Sensacional
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Pasant	Kitchen	Cookbook	N. Dupree	Burger	Yan Cooks	Gardening	Capri's	Cookbook
Tom and Jerry	Quick Draw	Augie Dog	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Zorro	Texas John Slaughter	Spinnlery	Movie: Strange Monster-Cove	Movie: Iron & Silk (1990) Mark Seltman, Pan Qinglu.	News	News	News	News	News	News
NFL Battle Zone	Nat'l. Geo. on Assignment	Paid Prog.	Solheim Cup Golf Second Day	Jerry Jones	News	News	News	News	News	News
Old House	Workshop	HomeTime	Cars	Outdoor	Texas Parks	Vic. at Sea	Longtimers: Senior Artists	Voices	Visions	News
Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans	(05) Native Americans
Star Search	Courtesan's Rediscovery	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced	College Football Regional Coverage - Teams to Be Announced
Alvin	Parenting	Family	Race to Save the Planet	Campbells	Sullivan	Crossroads	Homeland	Max Glick	Have Faith	News
Star Search	Movie: The October Mist (1947) John Mills. ***	Movie: Snow Kill (1990) Patti D'Arbanville. **	Saved-Bell	Dreams	News	News	News	News	News	News
(12:00) College Football Southwest Conference Game - Teams TBA	Night Court	Wild West Showdown	Evil Nest	CBS News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Paid Prog.	Movie: Hamburger Hill (1987) Anthony Barris. ***1/2	Movie: Rocky III (1982) Sylvester Stallone. ***	Baylon 5	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
College Football: Big Ten Game - Teams TBA	Scoreboard	Battle of Baseball Stars	PGA Golf: Las Vegas Invitational	Sportstr.	News	News	News	News	News	News
Chaparral	Young Riders	Gunslinger	Big Valley	Bonanza	Snowy River: McGregor	News	News	News	News	News
Movie: Chris Cross	Movie: Huck and the King of Hearts PG	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13	Movie: Enemy Mine Dennis Quaid. **1/2 PG-13
Movie: Weekend at Bernie's II ** PG	Movie: School Ties Brendan Fraser. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13
Movie: The Natural (1984) Robert Redford, Robert Duval. *** PG	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13	Movie: A League of Their Own Geena Davis. *** PG-13
Racing	Auto Racing NASCAR Grand National - AC Delco 200	Truckin'	Rodeo Pro Bull Riders	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Adventurers	Challenge	Beyond 2000	Movie	Know Zone	Next Step	Invention	Secrets of the Deep	News	News	News
Investigat.	American Justice	Movie: Topaz (1969) John Forsythe, Frederick Stafford. ***	Movie: House of Death (1981) **	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Ooh La La	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Maid for Each Other (1992) Dinah Manoff.	Movie: Deception: A Mother's Secret (1991)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
(11:00) College Football Clemson at Florida State	Kim Helton	Tennis Champion's Tour - Final	Football	Football	Football	Football	Football	Football	Football	Football
Movie: Heaven With a Gun (1969) Glenn Ford. **1/2	(15) Movie: Alghany Uprising (1939) ***	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny
Looney	You Do	Crazy Kids	Wainwright	Freshman	Double Dare	Beetlejuice	Guts	Arcade	Rocky's Life	News
Movie: Fan	Movie: The Lookalike (1990) Bo Brinkman **	Movie: The Companion (1994) Kathryn Harrold	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad	Major Dad
Super Sab.	Onda Max	Control	Camera	Movie: Mi Compadre el Panson Gaspar Hainane.	Hasta que	Notic.Unt.	News	News	News	News
Laurie	Kitchen	Burger	Capri's	Gardening	Homebodies	Furniture	Better Home	Home Pro	HomeTime	HomeTime
Adventures	Thunder	Fantastic 4	Galtar	Centurions	Jonny Quest	Goldie-Jack	Goldie-Jack	SWAT Kats	Jetsons	Dynomutt

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Movie: The Slipper and the Rose Richard Chamberlain. **1/2 G	Movie: Challenger (1990) Karen Allen, Barry Bostwick. ***	Carolee King	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Cops	Trauma	Wilder	Evil Nest	Sweet Justice	Sisters	News	Entertainment Tonight	News	News	News
High Plains	McLaughlin	Kennywood Memories	Lawrence Walk Show	Austin City Limits	Keeping Up	OneFoot	(Off Air)	News	News	News
WCW Saturday Night	(05) Movie: I'm Gonna Get You Sucka (1988) **1/2	(05) Movie: V.I. Warshawski (1991) **	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
Hawkeye	Movie: Problem Child 2 (1991) John Ritter. **	Comish	News	News</						

Heart transplant patient, her surgeon have strong faith in who holds future

By MICHAEL HUGHES
Amarillo Globe-News
AMARILLO, Texas - Vicki Johnson runs after her 14-month-old son, Mark, as he dashes toward the playground at a local park.

Mark is headed toward the swing set, but he pauses long enough to hand his mother a short length of electrical tape and several cigarette butts he found along the way.

"At least he's not putting these things in his mouth," Johnson said as she accepted Mark's gifts.

It is a scene that would not have seemed possible for the Johnson family less than a year ago, when Vicki's heart failed following Mark's birth. Her condition was caused by myocarditis, a rare virus that sometimes attacks the heart following a bout with the flu.

She was placed immediately on the waiting list for a donor heart. In what doctors said was miraculous, a donor heart was found in time to save Johnson's life.

On Oct. 17, 1993, Vicki got a new heart. The 34-year-old mother attributes her restored life to the grace of God and the talented hands of Lubbock transplant surgeon Dr. Vince Rittmann.

"The last thing I remember was someone saying that my blood pressure had dropped dramatically," she said. "For the most part, from the end of September until I woke up with the new heart on Nov. 11, I don't remember anything. I lost a lot of time."

Today, after months of rehabilitation during which she learned how to walk and feed herself again, Johnson said her life is getting back to normal.

She likes to draw and paint and hopes to write a book about her experience so the public can learn more about the transplant and rehabilitation process.

But Johnson's life has not been filled completely with happiness. During her recovery, Johnson's husband filed for divorce. Rittmann,

the surgeon to whom she has grown so close, has been diagnosed with glioblastoma - a malignant, inoperable brain tumor.

Rittmann, 43, has performed 33 heart transplants and 1,500 other heart operations. He has a wife - Ellen - and four children - Christian, 5; Dean, 3; Randall, 1; and Adrienne, 3 months.

He gives all the glory associated with his life to God.

"I think there's living faith and dying faith," Rittmann said in a telephone interview from his home. "When you get to a point in life when you're staring the angel of death in the face, you've got to have faith to be able to tolerate that."

"My family, my local church and many other people around West Texas have been praying for healing mercies on me."

Rittmann said he once told Vicki Johnson that all healing is divine healing.

"All healing comes from God's mercy, whether the instrument is a doctor or not," he said. "I do operations and I do them to the best of the ability that God has given me, but I don't save anyone's life and I don't make them live longer."

"And I'll tell you this - I won't be mad at God if I'm not healed. I'm thankful for every day of life and breath that I've had."

Rittmann said his faith has sustained him, just as Vicki's faith has sustained her through similar difficulties. "She's handled it all magnificently," he said. "I've gotten to know her quite well through all this and she's really a wonderful person."

Johnson said she realizes that God has plans for her life.

"I'm going to discover his will - whatever it is," she said. "Maybe he wanted me here for Mark, or maybe my testimony will help someone else."

"I just want to make one thing clear. Putting a situation like my situation in God's hands does not mean I expect healing or anything else. It just means I want his will to be done."

Rittmann said Johnson's case was the only heart transplant he has ever

performed in which the patient did not give consent first. Usually, he said, surgeons want a conscious patient so they can be sure they are not wasting a heart on a patient who is never going to wake up.

"I'm very, very thankful to God that things turned out as well as they did for Vicki," he said. "I recently gave some depositions in her behalf and I hope they helped her court case. I see no reason that she can't be a perfectly wonderful mother to that child."

In an article published by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, Rittmann said there is no situation that cannot be used for the glory of God.

"I believe the time for everyone to be born and die is in God's hands," he said. "If it is my time to die, I am prepared for it."

"I don't know what the future holds, but I know who holds the future."

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HJH historians tour area, see 'Moving Wall' display

By CAROLYN WATERS

Hereford Junior Historians were the only school group attending the October 15 Dedication Ceremony of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, "The Moving Wall" at Llano Cemetery.

Forty-seven members, guests and sponsors began the day with a guided tour of Llano Cemetery, which is Texas' first cemetery to become a Texas Historical Site and is also on the National Register of Historical Places. The tour included the Garden of Devotion, Poppy Field, where the Eternal Flame is located-honoring all veterans; Field of Valor and Four Chaplains, Garden of Pioneers, the Plantheon Mausoleum and each of the designated areas in the cemetery.

Before the "Moving Wall" ceremony, the group was given a brief orientation of the ceremony and a history of the Vietnam War and the meaning of the wall. After the ceremony and the "Laying of the Wreath" by the USN, USA, USMC and USAF representatives, 21-gun salute and the playing of "TAPS", students and sponsors viewed the wall, visited with reporters and military personnel and made some pencil rubbings of names on the wall.

After a picnic lunch at Glenwood Park, the group headed for a tour of Claude and then to Silverton through Palo Duro Canyon. Jim Crowmover was "tour director" for this phase of the trip and presented the group with an interesting and detailed history of the area at each stop. Stops included one at the Prairie Dog Town Fork of the Red River which gave an opportunity for site-seeing, hiking and rock collecting. Another stop was at the site of the First Battle of the Palo Duro which also provided an inspirational view of the canyon. After a brief tour of Silverton, the next stop was on Highway 256 on the way to Turkey for more hiking and site-seeing. The last stop was in Quitaque for the evening meal at the Sportsman Restaurant, where the decor provided a history lesson of the area, and a short tour of Quitaque's sidewalk museum.

Attending the field trip were members Jason Stark, Jason Brumbalov, Matthew Irish, Laura Ontiveros, Brent Carlson, Connie Garcia, Emily Parker, Emily Fry, Stephanie Reyes, Paul Garcia, Justin Landrum, Daniel Edwards, Sarah Freethy, Amanda Mendez, Mark Shakocius, Robin Bell, Jenny Artho, Jerry Baird, Tasha Bradford, Varlerie Galan, Jose Garcia, Laurie Gilbert, Joseph Goziales, Gus Guseman, Michael Hall, Heath Henderson, Carey Lyles, Tan Nguyen, Bryan Parrack, Lance Pennington, Josh Rowe, Myra Sanders, Krista Warren, Kriss Friel and Priscilla Zepeda. Guests were Rodney Rhyme, Theresa Aguilar, Edmundo Garcia and "Mascot for the day Ryan Leasure."

Sponsors included Don and Carolyn Waters, Jim and Wanda Crowmover, Ray and Marilyn Leasure, DeeDee Drake and bus driver Ellis Parson.

51 percent of college students receive aid

Of the 20.6 million students who were enrolled in college in the 1990-91 school year, 51 percent received some kind of financial assistance, according to a new study by the Commerce Department's Census Bureau.

The report, "Dollars for Scholars: Postsecondary Costs and Financing," shows financial aid can take many forms, including loans, fellowships, grants, and direct payments from employers.

Among students receiving aid, on average, 75 percent of their costs were covered; the value of the average annual aid package (which may include multiple sources of assistance) was \$2,919. However, a substantial proportion of students (49 percent) had none of their costs covered.

Other highlights from the report: The average annual cost of schooling for all postsecondary students was \$2,653.

Half of both men and women received some type of aid, but the sources varied. Women were more likely to receive aid from a Pell Grant or a loan, while men more frequently

received aid from a veterans' program or their employer.

"The largest form of aid for African Americans was the Pell Grant, and for Whites it was employer assistance programs."

About 60 percent of students with low family incomes received aid, and about 80 percent of their costs were covered. In comparison, 44 percent of students with higher family income received aid and about 69 percent of their costs were covered.

About 3.5 million students received financial aid from more than one source, accounting for one-third of all students who received aid. A common multiple aid package was a loan and a Pell Grant, held by a 6 percent of aid recipients, while 3 percent received a loan, Pell Grant, and some other source of aid.

The report examines patterns of school enrollment, education costs, financial aid, and the associated social, demographic and economic characteristics of postsecondary students in the nation. It includes enrollment in 2 and 4-year colleges and universities, and vocational, technical and business schools.

Bankshares reports rise in net income

First Financial Bankshares, Inc., recently announced net income of \$3,352,000, or 67 cents per share, for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1994. This compares to \$3,245,000 or 65 cents per share, as restated for the same quarter in 1993.

For the nine months ended Sept. 30, net income from operations totaled \$9,606,000, or \$1.92 per share, compared to \$9,697,000, or \$1.95 per share as restated for the same period last year. Prior year amounts have been restated to reflect the company's merger of Southwest Bank of San Angelo in the first quarter of 1994.

Commenting on recent operations, Kenneth Murphy, chairman and CEO, stated, "While our profit levels are very comparable with the prior year, we are encouraged by slight gains realized in each of the most recent three quarters."

First Financial Bankshares is the parent company of seven affiliated banks, including First National of Abilene, Hereford State Bank, First National of Sweetwater, Eastland National, First National in Cleburne, Stephenville Bank & Trust, and Southwest Bank of San Angelo.

LaRussa has a 'beef'

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - Tony LaRussa has a beef with Wendy's.

The vegetarian manager of the Oakland A's baseball team says he was misled about his cameo appearance in a commercial for Wendy's new bacon-and-swiss chicken sandwich. LaRussa says he thought he was promoting a meatless dish.

"It was stupid on my part. I screwed up," LaRussa said Tuesday.

He says his error has produced an avalanche of complaining calls, letters and faxes from fellow vegetarians.

But a Wendy's spokesman says LaRussa knew the score when he agreed to do the spot.

"We're confused, big-time confused," said Denny Lynch, vice president of communications at Wendy's headquarters in Dublin,

Ohio. "The name of the restaurant chain is Wendy's Old-Fashioned Hamburgers Restaurant. And he knew that it was a chicken sandwich commercial."

Fleas of various species can survive months without feeding or remain frozen for a year and then revive.

The four basic grades of admiral in the United States Navy, from lowest to highest are: rear admiral, vice-admiral, admiral and fleet admiral.

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Everyone is welcome to join FUMC members. The Sunday schedule of events include: 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 10:45 a.m., worship service; 5 p.m., youth program; 6 p.m., worship service; and 6:45 p.m., youth snack supper.

Dr. Ed Williamson's sermon this week is entitled "Caught in the Tar Pit" taken from Romans 7:15-25. Immediately following the service, an enchilada dinner will be served in the fellowship hall sponsored by San Pablo United Methodist Church. At the conclusion of the meal, there will be a "pounding" for our new, young, bachelor, youth and young adult director. Come meet Gary Eggart and have a good time of fellowship.

A great night of fun is being planned Saturday, Oct. 29, for the All Saints Carnival in the fellowship hall

Lunch Menus

HEREFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS Breakfast

MONDAY-Blueberry pancakes with sausage on a stick with syrup or cereal, buttered toast, mixed fruit, milk.

TUESDAY-Breakfast roll or cereal, buttered toast, orange juice, chocolate milk.

WEDNESDAY-Sausage patties, biscuit and jelly or cereal, buttered toast, orange wedges, milk.

THURSDAY-Scrambled eggs, buttered toast or cereal, buttered toast, applesauce, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY-Texas style cinnamon toast or cereal, banana, milk, buttered toast.

Lunch

MONDAY-Chicken nuggets with gravy, fluffy potatoes, mixed vegetables, peach delight, butter-scotch bar, whole wheat rolls butter, chocolate milk.

TUESDAY-Hamburger, burger salad, steak fries with catsup, lime sherbet cup, bun, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Beef enchiladas, lettuce and tomatoes, pinto beans, Spanish rice sliced peaches, cowboy bread, corn tortillas, milk.

THURSDAY-Baked potato with chili and cheese, sour cream, cabbage-apple salad, Jello with fruit topping, hot rolls, butter, milk.

FRIDAY-Corn dogs with mustard, tator tots with catsup, baked beans, lunch bunch grapes, peanut-butter cluster, chocolate milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

MONDAY-Pigs in a blanket, French fries, vegetarian beans, mixed fruit, milk.

TUESDAY-Beef enchilada casserole, rice, pinto beans, cinnamon rolls, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Submarine sandwich, coleslaw, carrot sticks, Jello, milk.

THURSDAY-Baked chicken, macaroni and cheese, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, blueberry crisp, milk.

FRIDAY-Grilled cheese sandwich, potato soup, celery sticks, peach cobbler, milk.

from 5-7 p.m. Booths, stew and cornbread served by the Methodist Men and much more is planned.

The church bazaar, "Christmas Around the World," is scheduled Nov. 4. Make your plans to shop the many booths for your Christmas needs. There will be food, candy, needlework and much more.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

K-6 Christian Formation is being held this Saturday, Oct. 22, at St. Anthony's School from 10 a.m. to noon. Parents, please mark Oct. 22 on our calendar.

If your children are still not registered, please come by the parish office to take care of this.

If your children or teenagers wish to receive any sacraments this year, they are required to be enrolled in Christian Formation classes.

Parents are also required to attend the monthly Adult Formation Sessions. The next Adult Formation will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 15.

Would you like to know how to better communicate with your teenagers?

Deacon Jessie Guerrero will offer a special Adult Formation Session for parents who want to build good relationships with their teenage daughters and sons. This formation will be given Tuesday, Oct. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the salon.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church. We have classes for all ages.

Our Adult Bible Class will continue to study the events surrounding the Reformation.

Morning worship is at 11 a.m. The sermon for this week is titled "To Live is to Die" and it is taken from Mark 10:35-45.

First year confirmation is at 7 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 24. Second year confirmation class is on Wednesday, Oct. 26, at 7:30 p.m.

CHRIST'S CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

Christ's Church Fellowship, 401 W. Park Avenue, meets for Bible Training at 9:30 a.m., with corporate worship following at 9:45 a.m.

The youth ministries and men's ministries meet on Sundays at 6 p.m. Women's PRECEPTS Bible teaching offers courses on Revelation Monday at 7 p.m. and Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. for all women of the community.

Pastor Otto Schaufele will begin a series of sermon teachings from Romans chapter 8 on the Holy Spirit this Sunday.

The Christian Youth Group meets on Wednesday afternoons at 5 p.m. and is open to all children of the community.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Dorman Duggan and the church congregation would like to extend a warm welcome to everyone to come and worship with them Sunday morning.

Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10:30. A nursery is provided.

The Wednesday schedule includes children's church, youth groups, and prayer time, all beginning at 7 p.m.

For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY CHURCH

Pastor Don Cherry and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services at the church located on S. Main St.

We have dismissed Sunday school for the time being and changed our Sunday morning worship service time to 10:30. The Sunday evening service will remain the same (6 p.m.) as will the Wednesday night service at 7.

For additional information, call 364-5874.

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and Worship at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

A special children's sermon is held each Sunday during the worship hour.

Choir practice is Thursday at 7 p.m.

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FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

We invite anyone looking for a church home to come and visit with us.

Sunday school classes for all age groups and Bible study for adults meet from 9:30-11:15 a.m. The adult class and Sunday worship service are held from 10:30-11:15 a.m. and are led by Doug Manning, worship leader.

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NEW YORK (AP) - Director Michael Ritchie is looking for lovers - unknown, starstruck lovers - to play the young people in the film version of "The Fantasticks."

Ritchie is turning to a musical about love after spoofing sports in "Semi-Tough" and "The Bad News Bears" and savaging American popular culture in "Smile" and "The Candidate."

"The Fantasticks," the Off-Broadway production that opened on May 3, 1960, tells the story of a boy and girl brought together by their fathers who pretend to quarrel in order to pique the youngsters' interest in each other.

Ritchie made his announcement recently on the cable channel America's Talking show, "R&R With Roger Rose."

NEW YORK (AP) - Promoters were on their knees this year begging Nancy Kerrigan for another skating showdown against Tonya Harding.

But the Olympic silver medalist turned down all offers.

"They were serious offers, in writing, for multimillions," said Kerrigan's agent, Jerry Solomon.

Kerrigan withdrew from the spotlight soon after the Olympics, where she last faced Harding. She re-emerged Monday for CBS' announcement of "Ice Wars: The USA vs. The World," a team competition involving Kerrigan and other skaters.

Kerrigan was clubbed on the knee in January while practicing at the U.S. championships. Harding is serving three years' probation after pleading guilty to conspiracy to hinder prosecution, but has claimed all along that she wasn't in the plot to knock out her rival.

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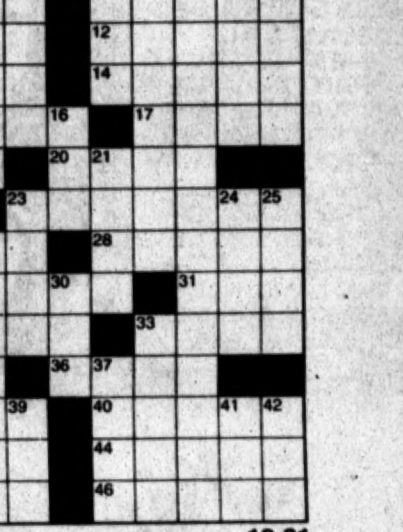
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AN APPLICATION TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE A CATTLE FEEDLOT AND FEEDMILL
Commission Docket No. 94-0592-AIR
JIM NICHOLSON CATTLE COMPANY filed an application with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (Commission or TNRCC) for Air Quality Permit Numbers 23763 and 23820. A hearing will be held for the general purpose of determining whether emissions into the air from the proposed facility will comply with the rules and regulations of the Commission and with the Texas Clean Air Act (Chapter 382 of the Health and Safety Code), including protection of the health and physical property of the people. This hearing will consider whether air quality permits should be issued to construct and operate a cattle feedyard and feedmill. The proposed facility is to be located at Route 4, Box 40, west of Hereford in Deaf Smith County, Texas.

A Hearings Examiner of the TNRCC will conduct a public hearing beginning at: 10:00 a.m.-Tuesday, November 29, 1994
Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission
12124 Park 35 Circle
Building C-Room 107W
on the above date, the Hearings Examiner will receive oral and written comments from members of the public and additionally, may consider all matters relevant to the hearing including but not limited to: the Commission's jurisdiction, who may participate as a party, and a schedule for discovering evidence. The Hearings Examiner may set future dates for presentation of evidence by parties to the hearing.

This hearing is held under the authority of 382.029, 382.0291, 382.030, 382.031, 382.0518, and 382.056(d) of the Texas Health and Safety Code, the Rules of Procedure of the TNRCC, and 30 TAC Chapter 116. This hearing is a contested case hearing under 2001.051 of the Administrative Procedure Act, TEX. GOVT CODE ANN. 2001.001, et seq. It is generally conducted like a civil trial in district court. The applicant must demonstrate, by a preponderance of the evidence, that the proposed facility will meet the requirements of 382.0518 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and 30 TAC 116.111. These requirements include compliance with all applicable TNRCC and federal regulations, including the requirement that the proposed facility will use the best available control technology, considering the technical practicability and economic reasonableness of reducing or eliminating emissions. The TNRCC has no legal jurisdiction over vehicular traffic per se or noise that may result from a facility's operation. All affected persons who wish to appear at the hearing and to discuss any factors relevant to the proposed application are urged to do so. Affected persons appearing at the hearing may be granted party status and thereby have the opportunity to present evidence and cross-examine the witnesses of each party. All parties to the proceeding will have an opportunity to negotiate a settlement of contested issues

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 The record in this proceeding will include sworn testimony and other evidence taken at the public hearing. Further information concerning any aspect of the application may be obtained by writing David Lusk, Engineer, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711 or by calling (512)239-1298. Information may also be obtained from Terri Phelps, Staff Attorney, at the same address or by calling (512)239-1298. Information may also be obtained from Terri Phelps, Staff Attorney, at the same address or by calling (512)239-0453. Information concerning public participation or procedures of the hearings may be obtained by contacting the Public Interest Counsel, Mark Alvarado, at the same address or by calling (512)239-6363. Reference the Commission docket number at the top of this document when contacting the Commission regarding this application. Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this hearing and who may need auxiliary aids or services (such as interpreters for persons who are deaf or hearing impaired, readers, large print, or braille) are requested to contact the Office of Hearings Examiners at (512)239-4100 or 1-800-RELAY-TX (TDD) at least two (2) work days prior to the hearing so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Issued this 21st day of October, 1994.

Gloria A. Vasquez,
 Chief Clerk
 Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission

NEW YORK (AP) - It's no illusion - workers are repairing Harry Houdini's vandalized gravesite, thanks to the magic of a \$10,000 donation from David Copperfield. Houdini's mausoleum, with its Gothic benches and ornate headstones, was vandalized five months ago. "I was shocked by the senselessness of the incident," Copperfield said Wednesday by phone from Den Haag, Holland, where he's on tour. "What a terrible act of violence, to disturb the final resting place of such a great American legend." Workers plan to replace the grave markers and benches and reset the 1,000-pound granite covers above the remains of Houdini and his wife. They hope to have most of the repairs done by Halloween - the 68th anniversary of Houdini's death.

LITHONIA, Ga. (AP) - Taurean Blacque might need some detective skills to keep up with his adopted children - all 11 of them. The bachelor, who played Detective Neal Washington on "Hill Street Blues," began adopting nine years ago when a black adoption festival asked him to be its celebrity spokesman. He now has eight boys and three girls ages 3 to 16.

"I felt very fortunate with the money I was making," said Blacque, who has been divorced since 1966. "I told them if I was going to tell people to adopt, then I wanted to know what it was like." Fifteen months ago, Blacque moved his family from Los Angeles to an eight-bedroom, two-story house on a two-acre wooded lot in Lithonia, an Atlanta suburb. He said crime and earthquakes made California too dangerous. "I wanted them to grow up in an environment of trees and grass," he said. "Not concrete and buildings."

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GOP hopes to cut Democrats in House

Several seats offer chance for Republican candidates

By MICHELLE MITTELSTADT
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) - With Americans in a surly mood about Congress and the Clinton White House, Republicans are hoping to capitalize on the "throw the bums out" sentiment and wrest several House seats from Democrats in Texas.

Currently, Democrats enjoy a 21-9 advantage in the state. But Texas increasingly has been shifting into the Republican column in recent years and the GOP hopes that Democrats will bear the brunt of the electorate's current hostility. "To my recollection there have never been this many competitive races for seats in the state of Texas,"

said Republican National Committee Chairman Haley Barbour. "In Texas we may make a small gain - or if we get all the breaks and win all the close ones we could win six or eight seats." Democrats, meanwhile, suggest that while Texans are angry at Congress, they generally have good feelings about their own House

member. They contend all of their candidates are viable and that they have a good chance of knocking down one Republican: freshman Henry Bonilla of San Antonio. "In the last few days, the trend has been very positive for us," said Texas Democratic Party executive director Ed Martin. "Now we have the candidates in the district and we are finally having that direct exchange of ideas instead of the nightly news spin coming out of the Beltway press corps."

Republican leaders are salivating over the prospect that they could gain 40 seats in November - which would give them control of the House for the first time in 40 years.

Historically, mid-term elections haven't been kind to the party in control of the White House. But pundits predict GOP gains in the range of 20 to 30 seats, not the 40 needed for control.

The Republicans' best chance to take over a Texas slot appears to be Houston's 25th District, in the open seat being vacated by Democrat Mike Andrews.

That race features big name: Democrat Ken Bentsen, nephew of Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen, against big money: Republican Eugene Fontenot, who has poured an astounding \$2 million of his own money into the race.

"It's very tight and is going to be very tight," said Bentsen's campaign consultant, Dan McClung. "I believe Ken Bentsen is probably the only Democratic candidate we could possibly have had who could even remotely withstand this barrage of money being spent against him."

Other hotly-contested races are: -In the Texas Panhandle, the Bill Sarpalius-Mac Thornberry matchup. Sarpalius, a three-term incumbent Democrat from Amarillo, is fending off charges he is an entrenched politician who favors big government.

He also has been dogged by reports that the Justice Department was investigating his ties, as well as those of his chief of staff Phil Duncan, to recently indicted San Antonio businessman Leslie Alfred Taber. Sarpalius has distributed documents to prove he didn't take improper honoraria from Taber, president of the bankrupt Sherwood Van Lines of San Antonio. Taber is charged with funneling \$11,000 in illegal corporate contributions to Sarpalius and nine other current or former lawmakers.

-In Southeast Texas, three-term Democratic Rep. Greg Laughlin also is embroiled in the Sherwood Van Lines investigation - which Republican opponent Jim Deats has dubbed "Moving-Gate." Said the RNC's

Barbour: "I think Laughlin, like Sarpalius, is hurt very badly by this Sherwood Van Lines revelation." Deats, a rancher, has been seeking to capitalize on the federal investigation, sending out daily updates and accusing Laughlin of being less than candid. Laughlin, like Sarpalius and other current and former members mentioned in connection with the probe, denies wrongdoing.

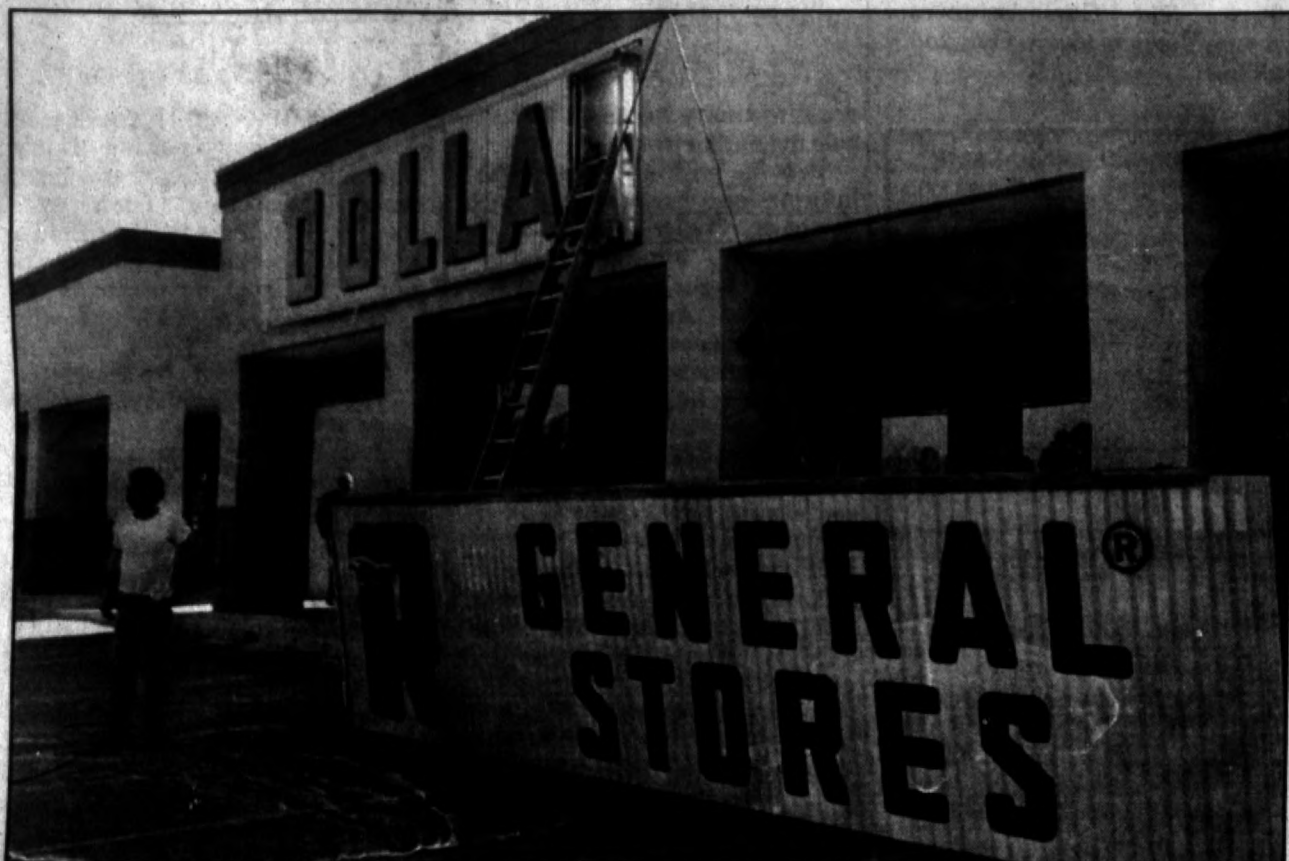
-Republican freshman Henry Bonilla is locked in a bitter race with Democrat Rolando Rios in the 23rd district, which covers a huge swath from San Antonio down to Laredo and west to El Paso. National Democrats have targeted Bonilla as one of their top priorities for defeat - in part, Republicans suggest, because they fear GOP inroads into the Hispanic community. Democrats contend Bonilla's record is out of synch with his lower middle-class constituency.

-In the Dallas area, eight-term incumbent Democrat Martin Frost faces a strong challenge from Republican Ed Harrison, who has questioned whether Frost used official funds for campaign purposes during redistricting. Republicans also have filed a complaint charging that Frost received excessive contributions from a top staffer.

-In El Paso, Republicans are targeting six-term incumbent Ron Coleman, putting up businessman Bobby Ortiz in the majority-Hispanic district. Perhaps unique among Texas Democrats, Coleman wants Clinton to come campaign for him. Ortiz, meanwhile, has received help from the likes of Texas GOP Sen. Phil Gramm and Barbour.

-In Texas' Gulf Coast, 21-term Democrat Jack Brooks, the powerful chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, is in a tough race with Republican accountant Steve Stockman. While Brooks holds the money advantage, Stockman can call on a large contingent of volunteers. Voter anger over the crime bill, its assault-weapons ban, and anti-incumbent mood also are complicating Brooks' bid to become the most senior member of Congress next year.

-In another Dallas-area district, six-term Democratic incumbent John Bryant also faces a challenge from Pete Sessions, son of former FBI Director William Sessions. The Republican earned some measure of fame earlier in the year when he towed a trailer full of horse manure through the district, charging that the load represented Clinton's health reform policies.



New business ready to open

Workers on Thursday were erecting a new sign at North Gate Plaza, announcing the coming of the new Dollar General Store to the center. The store is located on the south side of the center. On Thursday, workers were installing the sign, working on lighting and stocking shelves.

Deaths obscured by legal battles in Simpson case

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN
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LOS ANGELES (AP) - Nicole and Ronald who?

The focus of the O.J. Simpson case has abruptly shifted to issues far removed from the knife killings of Simpson's ex-wife and her friend.

Instead, a constitutional battle between the news media and Superior Court Judge Lance Ito has erupted over his decision to bar the media and public from a portion of jury selection. The fight intensifies today as a media attorney seeks to halt the closed jury selection so a higher court can review the issue.

Kelli Sager, who represents several news organizations, planned to file an appeal today contending Ito's decision violates free speech rights.

"Under the First Amendment, the public and the press have a right of access to jury selection (unless) there is a compelling interest," she said. "And no such compelling interest exists in this case."

The motion to close jury selection was made by both the defense and the prosecution at the urging of the judge, who has long expressed frustration about the amount and nature of the coverage.

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) - Lee Iacocca's third wife has filed for divorce, but the former Chrysler Corp. chairman had her beat by weeks.

Oakland County Circuit Court records show Iacocca's Sept. 1 divorce petition was sealed while he tried to repair the relationship.

Iacocca's wife, former restaurateur Darrien Earle, filed for divorce Friday in Los Angeles. The couple married in 1991.

Ito closed the portion in which prospective jurors are asked whether they can still be impartial despite intensive coverage of the case. Reporters will be allowed back in the courtroom Wednesday when prospective jurors are quizzed about their backgrounds, beliefs and biases.

The move was largely prompted by Ito's concern that a controversial new book about Nicole Brown Simpson will affect Simpson's right to a fair trial.

"The obvious compelling interest is the cross-pollination of prospective jurors," Ito's ruling said.

Many legal scholars consider jury selection the most important part of a trial, said American Civil Liberties Union attorney Douglas Mirell.

"The judge, it seems to me, has developed a very suspicious, fearful, hostile and antithetical view of the legitimate media's role in covering this event," said Southwestern University law professor Robert Pugsley.

After the ruling, 18 prospective jurors were questioned in private. Five were dismissed, including a woman who said she heard Ms. Simpson's 911 tape on Geraldo Rivera's talk show and thought that somebody was being hurt.

Also dismissed were a Customs Service intelligence analyst who said she had never seen a law enforcement officer make a mistake and a health administrator who said Simpson's slow-speed chase "suggests guiltiness," according to their questionnaires.

On Wednesday, CBS and the syndicated Maury Povich talk show turned down the judge's request to postpone broadcasting interviews with Ms. Simpson's friend Faye Resnick, co-author (with a National

Enquirer editor) of "Nicole Brown Simpson: The Private Diary of a Life Interrupted." The book alleges that Simpson stalked his ex-wife and threatened to kill her if she slept with anyone else.

Defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr. said some prospects questioned Thursday knew about the book.

Simpson is charged with murdering Ms. Simpson and Ronald Goldman on June 12. Opening statements aren't expected until November at the earliest.

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