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Heat sets new marks

Hereford set new records the last two days with temperatures shooting over 100 degrees on Sunday and Monday.

Monday's high of 105 degrees shattered the old record of 101 degrees in 1973.

Sunday, a high of 102 degrees was recorded at KPAN, the official observation station for the National Weather Service. That broke the old record of 101 set in 1953, during the course of a three-year drought and hot streak when most hot temperature records were set in this region.

The temperatures were accompanied by much higher than normal humidity and dew points in the 40s and 50s. Usually, the humidity is around 20 percent or less during the afternoons, with dew points often in the teens.

The higher-than-normal moisture content and gusty southwest winds contributed to a furnace effect. The furnace effect, or heat index, is the opposite of the chill index: it measures how hot it feels.

The high today and Wednesday was forecast to again break 100 degrees. A slight respite from the heat may come this weekend with a storm system that may bring widely scattered thunderstorms.

YMCA begins '92 campaign

Volunteers are beginning their work for the Hereford YMCA's annual sustaining campaign.

Volunteers picked up prospect cards last week and will work through August 3 to raise \$10,000. Funds raised during the campaign will be used to help supplement youth programs and scholarships.

Dave Hopper and Nena Veazey will lead the Major Division, and Cindy Simons and Linda Fitzgerald will head the Teams Division.

Each year, the Hereford YMCA has over 1,500 youngsters participating in programs. Many are able to participate only through YMCA scholarships made possible by volunteer dollars raised during the campaign. As long as the campaign is successful, no one is turned away from YMCA youth programs.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the campaign may call the Hereford YMCA at 364-6990.

Appraisal board sets tax hearings

The Appraisal Review Board for the Deaf Smith County Appraisal District will hold hearings beginning at 9 a.m. Wednesday in the County Commissioner Courtroom.

Notices of appraised values were recently mailed to all property owners. The notices listed appraised values on property and equipment, as well as estimated tax rates and estimated tax.

Taxpayers with complaints about appraised values were requested to visit with the appraisal district prior to the hearings. Those with complaints should call the appraisal district, 364-0625, and asked to be placed on the agenda for the hearings.

Fred Fox, chief appraiser for the district, said the total tax roll will remain "about the same" this year. Many taxpayers will have a higher tax bill because of rate increases in the County Education District and Deaf Smith County Hospital District.

Fox said total evaluations could drop some because of the new option on inventory dates. Taxpayers can choose between Jan. 1 and Sept. 1 to declare their inventory values.

Fox added that the appraisal district only determines the value of the property. "If a taxpayer objects to increasing taxes and government expenditures, he or she should complain to the governing bodies of these taxing units."

**Warrens' wonderful watermelon**

Ralph and Doug Warren offer up free watermelon at the annual July 4th celebration Saturday at Dameron Park. The watermelon was obtained by Warner Seed and served to thousands of persons at the park. Pictures from the celebration are on Page 9.

Two hurt on TV crew

AMARILLO (AP) - Two members of an Amarillo television news crew suffered electrical shock injuries Monday when the antenna of their news van touched overhead power lines while they were reporting on a train derailment.

Officials said the incident occurred about 6 p.m., approximately an hour after cars of a Santa Fe Railway train derailed 5 miles north of Amarillo.

KAMR-TV newswoman Jill Yonas was touching the van when the electrical charge went through it and

received burns on her thighs and back. She was reported in stable condition at a hospital. Photographer Todd Hunt was treated and released for minor injuries.

Kurt Ecker, a spokesman for the Amarillo Fire Department, said the train was northbound from Amarillo to Dumas when about 10 of its 25 to 30 cars derailed approximately 5 miles north of Amarillo.

Three of the derailed cars were carrying ammonia, which leaked from

one of the cars and spilled, Ecker said.

Two of the train's three crew members were treated after complaining that their eyes were burning from the ammonia fumes.

The area where the spill occurred is not populated, officials said. Ecker said the ammonia would be allowed to dissipate and would cause no harm.

The train also was carrying helium and corn, which were not damaged in the incident.

Leaders approve Yugoslavia action

MUNICH, Germany (AP) - Western leaders warned Serbia militia today that U.N. military force may be used to get emergency relief supplies to war-shattered Bosnia. They also pledged to help the former Soviet Union safeguard its nuclear weapons.

Midway through a three-day summit, the leaders issued a political communique as they prepared to hear Russian President Boris Yeltsin plead for urgent economic help.

President Bush and the leaders of Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Canada and Japan said the breakup of the Soviet Union creates unprecedented opportunities as well as enormous problems for the countries of central and eastern Europe.

"We will support them as they move toward the achievement of fully democratic societies and political and economic freedom," the political communique said.

On the economic front, the leaders appeared headed for failure in their search for a strategy to revive global economic growth or to revamp the world trading system.

Apart from the statement on Yugoslavia, the highpoint of the day was the expected arrival of Yeltsin to meet with Bush and leaders of Germany, France, Britain, Japan, Italy and Canada.

Yeltsin, already assured of a \$1 billion down payment in aid from the International Monetary Fund, flew in a day earlier than scheduled to press for a two-year moratorium on

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payments on Russia's \$74 billion of foreign debt. Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady said the debt relief "is in the cards."

The leaders also were preparing to endorse the \$24 billion aid package

for Russia unveiled by Bush and German Chancellor Helmut Kohl two months ago.

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With Russia and the other former Soviet republics committed to sharp reductions in nuclear weapons, the leaders pledged their efforts "to inhibit the spread of expertise on weapons of mass destruction."

"We attach the highest importance to the establishment in the former Soviet Union of effective export controls on nuclear materials, weapons and other sensitive goods and technologies and will offer training and practical assistance to help achieve this."

Unknown attackers threw a firebomb into an office building of one of Germany's largest companies early today in what police believed was a protest against the summit.

City approves consultant for landfill closing

By GEORGIA TYLER
Staff Writer

Looking ahead to the day when the City of Hereford landfill will be closed permanently, the City Commission Monday night authorized employment of a consulting firm to recommend procedure for the closing and for moving trash to other landfills.

The engineering services will cost the city \$17,700.

Requests for zoning changes at two sites in Hereford were approved and the commission authorized preparation of specifications for an office building at the wastewater treatment plant and for water department cash collection and hand-held meter reading systems.

A bid for purchase of turf grass products for the John Pitman Municipal Golf Course was accepted and a contract was approved for a review of city practices related to the Americans with Disabilities Act requirements.

On the second of a required three readings of an ordinance for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company franchise, the commission voted approval.

John F. Landgraf and J. Fletcher Kelly of the Odessa firm of Landgraf, Crutcher and Associates, Inc., reviewed a proposal for the landfill.

Since the commission earlier this year decided to abandon municipal landfill operations, plans must be prepared to close the present landfill by Oct. 9, 1993.

Landgraf listed the services to be provided. The engineers will prepare a closure plan to be submitted to state authorities, including surveying, at fees of \$11,450.

The second phase of the proposal will include evaluation of garbage collection operations, recycling, transport to a regional landfill and need for a transfer station. Fee for this phase is \$6,250.

In approving the proposal, commissioners also voted transfer of funds from the water department account to the general fund to pay for the service.

The commission agreed with the planning and zoning board recommendations for approval of two zoning changes.

A change from R-2, residential, to C-2, commercial, will be permitted for 505 Grand. The change was requested to allow a neighborhood convenience store to be opened in the building at that location.

On a request from the Fellowship of Believers Church, zoning on a site of slightly more than three acres will be changed from R-2 to multi-family. Purchaser of the site from the church proposes to build a nursing home.

Improvement of water department meter-reading and billing and collection is expected in new equipment approved for purchase in the current year. Specifications for the electronic equipment will be prepared by city staff.

Also included in the budget this year is an office building at the wastewater treatment plant. Preparation of building specifications was authorized.

Low bid of \$13,639 for pesticides, fertilizers and herbicides for the city golf course was submitted by Scott's of Albuquerque, N.M. The only other bid, \$16,832, was from Terra of Plainview.

A contract with Panhandle Regional Planning Commission for review of city policies and practices relating to handicapped persons was approved. A report and recommended changes will be made by a consulting firm.

City Manager Chester Nolen reported that the cost will range from \$2,300 to \$2,800, depending on the number of cities participating in the program.

The telephone company's franchise agreement will bring an estimated \$64,000 to the city the first year and approximately \$76,000 in each of the next four years. The company is allowed to pass on the franchise cost to telephone customers.

During the first year, 65 cents will be added each month to the telephone bill, and the charge in the next four years will be 78 cents per month.

In recent years, the charge to customers has been 26 cents per month with revenue to the city totaling \$19,335.

The ordinance was approved on first reading at the June 15 meeting of the commission and again Monday night. A third reading is required before the ordinance becomes effective.

New items in Brand poll

How do you feel about violent television programming?

You can let us know in this week's **Hereford Brand** poll.

This week's national issue:

"Do you feel violent television programming is contributing to violence in our homes and streets?"

All you have to do is answer yes or no by calling 1-900-407-8550, extension 13. Each call to that number is 99 cents. You will be charged on your telephone bill. Persons under 18 must have parental permission before calling. The results of the national poll will be forwarded to the three major networks.

We still want to know, for our local topic, if you think the City of Hereford should establish a curfew for persons under 18 to be off the streets.

If you would like to vote on that topic, call 1-900-407-9550, extension 13. Just follow the instructions. Each call will be 99 cents and billed to your phone number. Persons under 18 must have parental permission.

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Local Roundup

Crimestoppers offers reward

Deaf Smith County Crimestoppers is offering a reward of up to \$300 for information leading to an arrest and indictment in the Crime of the Week. Hereford police are investigating criminal mischief at the Hereford Independent School District athletic complex over the last two weeks. Over \$10,000 damage has been done to the scoreboard, graffiti was written on several walls, and a golf cart and wrestling mat were damaged. If you have information about this or any other crime, call the Clue Line at 364-2583. If your information leads to an arrest and indictment, you will receive a reward of up to \$300 from Crimestoppers. All callers may remain anonymous by using a code name or number.

Twelve arrested over holidays

Nine persons were arrested over the holiday weekend by Hereford police, including a man, 17, for public intoxication and resisting arrest at San Obregon and Hereford Calle; a man, 43, in the 600 block of Ave. G for disorderly conduct; three men, 20, 28 and 47, for driving while intoxicated; a man, 30, for public intoxication; a woman, 24, for aggravated assault in the 600 block of Irving; and two men, 25 and 51, for domestic violence. Police are investigating an aggravated robbery in the 600 block of Ave. F. A woman was let into a man's house; she was followed by two or three men who took money from the man's wallet. The case is under investigation. Reports included three civil matters; disorderly conduct in the 1300 block of E. First, 300 block of Ave. H and at S. Main and Austin Road; Class A assault at Park and U.S. Highway 385 and in the 600 block of Stanton; Class C assault in the 600 block of Irving, 800 block of S. Lee and 100 block of Lawton; found property in the 200 block of Fir; criminal trespass in the 400 block of Ave. H, 500 block of E. Fourth and 100 block of W. Eighth; reckless driving in the 300 block of Douglas; Theft in the 100 block of Catalpa, 800 block of W. Park, 600 block of Irving, S. Main and Austin Road and 400 block of N. 25 Mile Ave.; child abuse in the 100 block of Ave. A; criminal mischief in the 100 block of Aspen, 100 block of Lawton, 100 block of Ave. H, 200 block of James and at 13th and U.S. Highway 385; phone harassment in the 200 block of Ave. F; burglary of a residence in the 800 block of S. 25 Mile Ave.; dog bite in the 600 block of Stanton; and three break-in attempts. Police issued eight tickets over the weekend and Monday and investigated four minor accidents.

Hereford firefighters were kept busy with four fireworks-related calls, a water heater fire at Harbor Glen Apartments, a grass fire southwest of the city and a grease fire at Sonic Drive-In.

Sheriff's deputies arrested three persons, including two men, ages 41 and 61, for driving while intoxicated; and a man, 46, for violation of probation. Reports included a runaway who later returned home; a dog bite; terroristic threat; disorderly conduct; domestic dispute; criminal mischief; and sexual abuse of a child.

More hot weather forecast

Tonight, clear. Low near 70. South wind 10 to 20 mph. Wednesday, hot again. Mostly sunny with a high around 101. South wind 10 to 20 mph. The extended forecast for Thursday through Saturday, clear to partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms each day. Highs generally in the 90s. Lows from 65 to 72. This morning's low at KPAN was 71 after a high Monday of 105. That is a new record, breaking the old mark of 101 in 1973.

News Digest

Texas

DALLAS - Ross Perot plans to meet today with volunteers from across the country at a private strategy session that may lead to establishing a national advisory committee, a campaign official said.

WAXAHACHIE - With Texas' \$8.25 billion superconducting super collider project facing a potential final vote for funding, lawmakers fighting to save the project visited the plant in an effort to draw attention and support.

DALLAS - Air travelers got a three-day reprieve from higher ticket prices that would have taken effect today as the nation's airlines took a second look at the planned increases.

NEW YORK - Once known as a breeding ground for revolution, intractable debts and cocaine exports, Latin America is now producing a healthy crop of billionaires, Forbes magazine reports.

WASHINGTON - French electronics giant Thomson-CSF is dropping its bid for the missile division of LTV Corp. in the face of opposition in Congress and likely rejection by a U.S. government committee.

GALVESTON - The shrimp season has opened in the Gulf of Mexico with government experts predicting that fishermen will find small shrimp in small numbers this year.

AUSTIN - Travis County investigators are interviewing co-workers, friends and relatives of a missing Austin woman who was last seen alive in the trunk of a car driven by paroled killer Kenneth McDuff.

HOUSTON - An Arizona truck driver has testified he lied about a plea-bargaining agreement and exaggerated his 1984 story about how condemned pickax murderer Karla Faye Tucker killed a man.

HOUSTON - A high school student who told authorities that she discovered a premature infant abandoned on her doorstep has confessed that she is the mother.

SPACE CENTER, Houston - Columbia's astronauts squeezed in last runs of some Spacelab experiments today, a day before their record-breaking mission was due to end.

SAN ANGELO - City leaders still in shock say they will stand by Goodfellow Air Force Base in the wake of pornography charges leveled against the base's former commander.

FRITCH - For the second time this year, federal disaster aid officials have set up offices in Texas counties to assist residents ravaged by severe weather.

Texas governor wants Clinton to convey energy at convention

AUSTIN (AP) - Bill Clinton should use his Democratic National Convention stage to show off a can-do attitude and not just make promises, says Gov. Ann Richards, who will chair the gathering.

"He needs to convey his energy," Richards said Monday. "People need to see him as a worker, not a talker. Or maybe a talker and a worker."

Richards said that the nationally televised convention in New York City will be an important platform for the Arkansas governor due to the sizeable audience that will be watching.

But the folks at home all have heard politicians' promises before. So Clinton needs to do more when he delivers his speech accepting the nomination, Richards said.

"I think Bill's speech to the convention needs to be pragmatic. That is, he needs to lay out what he can do," she said.

"The American people - just like people in Texas - are sick of being told things that could be and would be accomplished that turned out they couldn't do."

Richards, who early on ruled herself out of the vice presidential derby, also said she had advised Clinton to pick a running mate with whom he feels comfortable.

"My advice to him was that he has to have someone that he likes. He really needs to have somebody he can work with," she said.

Although many people still think of the vice presidency "as a sort of ribbon-cutting, funeral-attending position," Richards said a president "really does need someone who can assume some heavy lifting. And it has to be somebody he can trust, so that the business of personal affinity I think is real important."

So far, Clinton has kept his favorite choices under wraps to



Hoelschers win at picnic

R.C. and Seth Hoelscher won the egg toss event at the Hereford Noon Kiwanis annual family day picnic held recently. Kiwanis members and their family enjoyed a picnic and games.

Lottery profit goes in general fund

AUSTIN (AP) - Texans may be spending \$110 a second on lottery tickets, but the proceeds likely won't leave piles of extra cash sitting around the state Treasury. The Legislature already has spent it.

"The money's already been budgeted," said Andy Welch, a spokesman for the comptroller's office.

Lottery proceeds are lumped into the state's main checking account, the general revenue fund, along with the revenue from most of the major state taxes.

How it is spent is up to lawmakers. In this budget, lottery profits are being spent just like the other tax money - on schools, services and operations of state government agencies.

"If they wanted to spend an extra \$461 million on highways or some other services, that would be a legislative decision," Welch said.

Some states dedicate all their lottery profits to one purpose, such as schools. But Texas lawmakers rejected that plan, noting that lottery income can fluctuate widely.

The comptroller's official estimate of lottery profits is \$461 million during the current two-year budget period, which ends Aug. 31, 1993.

That money began coming in on May 29, when the first instant-win, scratch-card tickets went on sale.

Comptroller John Sharp said last week that in its first month, the Texas Lottery sales totaled \$286 million. That's 110 of the \$1 tickets a second,

Richards hedges on school share of revenue rise

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. Ann Richards says she's uncertain how much public education would get of any growth in state revenue, although she hopes early projects of \$650 million are correct.

"We all know that there's going to be growth in the economy, and we feel good about that. How much of it's going to go to the public schools, I don't know yet," Richards said Monday.

Her statement came only days after Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said public schools would get at least \$650 million more state aid next legislative session.

Richards said she didn't want her statements to be painted as a disagreement with Bullock. She said, "I hope he's right."

Bullock had said the increase would come from economic growth and improvement. He said it might be as much as \$1 billion for the budget period encompassing the 1993-94 and 1994-95 school years.

The governor said she hadn't talked to Bullock because the lieutenant governor was preparing to have back and knee surgery.

But she told reporters, "I'd say you can't be definitive about exactly how much is going to go to public schools ... Don't set that up as some kind of disagreement or quarrel or something because it really isn't. I mean there's going to be extra money there, and there are going to be a lot of competing things for that money."

Bullock's earlier statement came after he, Richards and House Speaker Gib Lewis told school superintendents in a June letter, "There will be no new state money for public education next biennium and you can expect per pupil state aid to remain, at best, constant."

Mary Jane Wardlow, a spokeswoman for the lieutenant governor, characterized the statement as a "clarification" of the previous letter.

Ms. Wardlow said Bullock wanted to emphasize that growth in the budget would provide money for additional students, even though school districts could not count on a funding increase per student.

She said there had been concern from school districts expecting a large number of new students.

In figuring the projected public education increase, Ms. Wardlow said, Bullock's staff took Legislative Budget Board staff estimates for the coming budget cycle and pulled out the percentage that normally goes to education. That is about 38 percent of general revenue money, she said.

Bullock last week said State Comptroller John Sharp says tax revenues are running ahead of projections, and that Sharp will recommend budget savings.

The Texas Supreme Court has given lawmakers a June 1, 1993, deadline for fixing the school finance system. The court in January found the current system violates the state constitution.

Arsenal discovered in shooter's van

FORT WORTH (AP) - Police say they found 903 rounds of ammunition in the van that George Lott used for his getaway after killing two and wounding three in last week's courtroom rampage.

According to records released Monday, a search of Lott's 1982 Dodge van found the 903 rounds of 9mm ammunition, three loaded clips for his Glock semiautomatic pistol, binoculars, a compass, a police radio scanner and a road map of Peoria, Ill., where his ex-wife and son are in hiding.

Also, at his apartment, police found a psychological report on Lott and a resume, four targets and a sealed envelope labeled "My Death." One of the targets came from a shooting range and was dated June

25 - five days before the courthouse shootings.

Police did not release the contents of the report, the resume or the sealed envelope.

Lott was charged last week with capital murder, assault on court personnel and a weapons violation.

Thirty-two hand-held metal detectors were in use for the reopening of the Tarrant County courthouse Monday.

The detectors had been in storage Wednesday when Lott, a 45-year-old attorney, stood from the back row of an appellate courtroom and opened fire.

"When requested, we use them," said Capt. Tony Wise, head of security at the courthouse. "Some of the judges requested it today."

he said. Daily sales volume has averaged \$9.5 million.

The largest share of lottery income - 45 cents of every dollar - goes back to lottery players in the form of prizes, said lottery spokesman Steve Levine.

The state gets the second largest cut - 40 percent. Of the remaining proceeds, 5 percent is retained by ticket sellers and 10 percent goes for the administrative costs of running the games.

Welch also noted that lawmakers created a "lottery stabilization fund" as a hedge against a sudden, unexpected drop in lottery proceeds.

"On the first day of every (budget) biennium, \$100 million of lottery

revenue is transferred into the stabilization fund. It stays there and draws interest," Welch said.

"It's a cushion, a rainy day fund to make sure that if, for unforeseen reasons, lottery revenues are a half billion dollars one year and nothing the next, some money is there," he said.

Because the lottery started selling tickets about five weeks earlier than planned, the comptroller's office says initial profits may be about \$40 million higher than the official \$461 million estimate.

But that's not a "huge" pile of cash by government standards, either. The current state budget totals \$60 billion - 1,500 times more than the extra lottery money.

The courthouse was open for business again Monday for the first time since the shooting, but security was clearly tighter than in the past. Officials said the county ordered more metal detectors.

For those judges who asked for the security, every person who stepped into their courtrooms was checked by a detector.

Gene Kelley, a bailiff, said screening was thorough.

"We are checking their briefcases, pockets, everything," Kelley said.

Judy Duncan, a supervisor in the probate office, said the events of last week are still on people's minds.

"It's not back to normal. We're trying, but employees are still jittery," Ms. Duncan said.

"I feel like we do need security.

There's so many things going on at the courthouse. We have a lot of upset people. Sometimes they just reach the breaking point," she said.

Several employees who were in the building during the shootout said Wednesday's events were hard to erase from their minds.

County workers were startled when a fight broke out between two men Monday in the basement of the courthouse. One man was arrested. Officials said no weapons were involved.

Lott is being held in the Tarrant County Jail without bail on capital murder charges. Shortly after the shooting, Lott turned himself in at WFAA-TV studios in Dallas, saying he fired the 9mm semiautomatic pistol because he was angry over his divorce case and his ex-wife's child-molesting charge against him.

Attorneys Chris Marshall, 41, and John J. Edwards, 33, were killed during the shootout.

Judges Clyde Ashworth and John Hill were wounded in the shootout, as was attorney Steve Conder. Ashworth, 69, remained Monday at Harris Methodist Hospital in good condition. Hill, 48, was released from Harris Saturday.

Conder, 28, was treated and released from the hospital Wednesday shortly after the shooting.

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Obituary

WILLIAM P. HARRIS
July 4, 1992

William P. "Bill" Harris, 80, of Canyon, former resident of Hereford, died Saturday in Canyon.

Graveside services will be conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Memory Gardens Cemetery. The Rev. Pat Carathers, pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church, will officiate. Arrangements are by Brooks Funeral Directors of Canyon.

Mr. Harris was born in Woodward County, Okla. A farmer, he lived in Hereford from 1956 until 1969 when he moved to Missouri. He moved to Canyon in March. He and his wife, the former Hope Brewer, were married in 1940.

Survivors are his wife; a daughter, Marjorie McCarty of Canyon; two sons, Charles Harris of Hereford and Jim Harris of Canyon; four sisters, Mabel Sullivan of Oregon and Lena Ford, Nannie Harris and Leona Ball, all of Oklahoma; a brother, Paul Harris of Oregon; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Janice Daniels, Diana De La Cruz, Infant boy De La Cruz, Helberto Salazar, Irene Serma, Infant girl Watts, Jan R. Watts, Infant girl Wiles and Machira Wiles.

NEWBORNS

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Rodriguez are parents of a baby daughter, Samantha Nikole Rodriguez, 8 lbs. 3 oz., born on July 2, 1992.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Lloyd Lookingbill have a new son, Cyle Lloyd Lookingbill, 7 lbs. 6 oz., born on July 3, 1992.

Mr. and Mrs. Feliberto Mungia are parents of a baby boy, Timothy Andrew Mungia, 7 lbs. 12 oz., born on July 4, 1992.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Charles Watts have a baby girl, Malori Rose Watts, 7 lbs. 2 oz., born on July 5, 1992.

Life!

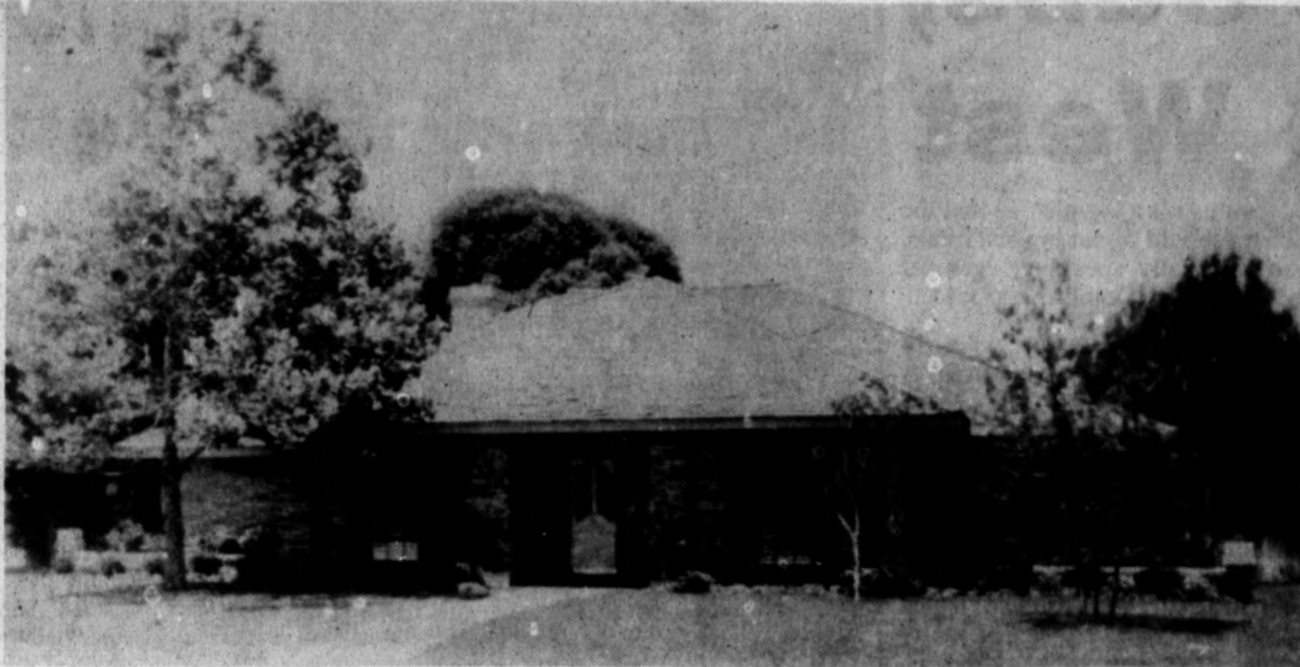
Deadline for reservations Wednesday

The Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Women's Division's quarterly meeting is planned at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Cowgirl Hall of Fame and Western Heritage Center.

All those planning to attend the outdoor picnic are asked to bring a salad for the Dutch treat supper and to dress casual as games are scheduled.

According to Women's Division President Rita Bell, during the business session, the Queen for a Day will be announced. The award will be presented to a member who has signed up the most new members in the organization. Also, special recognition will be given to committees.

Members of the executive committee will serve as hostesses. Those wishing to attend are asked to make reservations no later than Wednesday by calling the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce office, 364-3333.



Residential beauty spot

The residence of J.L. and Glenda Marcum, located at 315 Elm St., has been chosen as one of the July residential beauty spots of the month. The home was selected by members of the Women's Division beauty spot of the month committee.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: My cousin and his wife are well-educated people who move in high-level academic circles. Their 3-year-old daughter, "Betsy," is unusually bright and attends a prestigious pre-school.

Last fall, they had a baby boy born with Down Syndrome. My cousin and his wife were devastated. They are convinced that the little guy will never be able to do anything. Worse yet, they appear to be ashamed of the child and have the notion that he will somehow damage Betsy.

The woman they hired to care for the boy speaks very little English. She keeps him clean and fed, but that's about all. The parents virtually ignore this child. Betsy, however, is crazy about her little brother and he responds wonderfully to her.

I realize that having a less-than-perfect child has been a bitter pill for my cousin and his wife, but I honestly believe these two do not know what

they are doing. They are not interested in contacting other parents of Down Syndrome children nor do they wish to be identified with them.

I'm afraid they are wasting valuable time, allowing that baby to lie in his crib for hour son end with no intellectual stimulation. It's easy to see how much he brightens up whenever Betsy is around.

My patience is wearing thin. Since they refuse to talk with other parents, maybe something can be done to open their eyes to the damage they are doing. Please, Ann, print my letter but not my name.--Anonymous Bystander

DEAR BYSTANDER: Your letter showed a great deal of compassion as well as insight. That couple desperately needs some guidance. How about contacting Betsy's teacher or the boy's pediatrician? The guidance must come from an outsider whose professionalism will be respected. Bless you for being so alert and caring. You've done your good deed for today.

NEW YORK (AP) - A judge has ordered the makers of the movie "Lawnmower Man" to do without Stephen King's name.

The horror writer sued the producers and distributors of the film, saying it had virtually nothing to do with his short story of the same name. King wrote the story in 1975 and sold it to Hollywood in 1978.

U.S. District Judge Constance Baker Motley said the only part of the movie taken from King's story is a two-minute scene in which a homeowner is killed by the man who cuts his lawn.

In a ruling released last week, the judge ordered Allied Vision, the film's producer, and New Line Cinema, the distributor, to remove all references to King.

Joseph Santora, a lawyer for New Line, said his client will appeal. He said King signed a contract that allows the producers wide latitude in adapting the story.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I realize that a great many men and women have lost people they love in the many wars our country has fought, but I have had more than my share of such grief.

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SPORTS

Vincent sends Cubs, Cardinals into West

By The Associated Press

NL president Bill White was unhappy with commissioner Fay Vincent's decision to order realignment on the National League. So were the owners of the Chicago Cubs, Los Angeles Dodgers and Cincinnati Reds.

"The Dodgers believe that the commissioner had exceeded his authority under the Major League Agreement by attempting to revoke what is, in effect, a business decision made by the National League clubs in accordance with the National League constitution," Dodgers owner Peter O'Malley said Monday.

Vincent ordered the Cubs and the St. Louis Cardinals to the West next season, and Atlanta and Cincinnati to the East. The divisions had not been altered since the league split into two divisions in 1969. Though realignment was approved 10-2 when a vote was taken in March, the Cubs, as was their right under National League rules, had blocked the procedure.

"We believe the commissioner's decision is wrong, bad for baseball and especially bad for baseball fans here in the Chicago area," the Cubs said in a statement. "We are presently considering alternatives available to us."

O'Malley's statement left open the possibility that the Dodgers might support a lawsuit.

"Even though the Dodgers voted in favor of realignment and have traditionally been supportive of the office of the commissioner, the Dodgers do not concur with the

commissioner's decision in this instance because it undermines the National League constitution. This decision could establish a dangerous precedent for the future of both the National and American Leagues."

White had pushed for realignment, but was against the commissioner interfering in his league's decision. "I am very disappointed with the commissioner's extraordinary decision to override the National League constitution," White said in a statement.

The Atlanta Braves, who will benefit from more games with earlier starting times in the Eastern time zone, applauded the move. Team president Stan Kasten said "it should have been that way for the last 20-some years."

"It makes sense," Braves general manager John Schuerholz said. "We are geographically an Eastern city, and the new alignment puts us in the East. It will relieve some of our burden of travel to the West Coast. Also it will allow us a chance to create a rivalry with our nearest neighbor, the Florida Marlins."

Cincinnati also voted in favor of the plan on March 4, but owner Marge Schott criticized Vincent's decision.

"Can somebody who doesn't own a team, is not an owner and is really an employee - do we want to be set where that person has the right to do anything he wants to?" Schott said. "I don't think that's fair to ownership because, after all, it's the owners who should make the decisions."

The Florida Marlins, who begin play next spring, said they were pleased.

"For us it's a big plus, in that the Braves should be our biggest rivals, geographically speaking," general manager Dave Dombrowski said.

The Colorado Rockies, who will play in the West, also were in favor of the decision.

"This is a good decision for the fans of the Rocky Mountain region and very good news for the Colorado Rockies," chairman John Antonucci said. "Both the St. Louis Cardinals and Chicago Cubs are very popular here, two of the most-followed teams in the National League for many years."

Even though St. Louis reluctantly voted in favor of realignment in March, Cardinals vice chairman Fred Kuhlmann said he was unhappy with Vincent's decision.

"I don't think any great good comes out of it from the Cardinals' standpoint," said Kuhlmann, chairman of baseball's ownership committee.

Kuhlmann, however, said the team would "go along with a realignment because, well, geographically, logically, it makes sense."

Dodgers general manager Fred Claire defended Vincent's decision.

"I would describe it as logical, because you took two teams that were in the Eastern time zone and placed them in the Eastern Division," Claire said. "There's a certain amount of logic 'at is very hard to dispute."

Joe Montana set a Super Bowl record with 83 completions in 122 passing attempts.



Crimestoppers Champs

The Sabres beat the Young Guns 10-2 to take the championship of the Hereford Crimestoppers Softball Tournament, which was played July 4 and 5. Members of the Sabres are, (kneeling, left to right) Edward Villareal, Ernest Villareal, Juan Fuentes Jr., Jimmy Ramirez, Dan Odell, Richard Moya, (second row) Mike Maynard, James Hernandez, Henry Gallardo, Brian Taylor, Ray Coronado, Jackie Mercer, Erasmo Gonzales and Robert Caballero. The Sabres, which are sponsored by Merrick Pet Foods, went undefeated through the double-elimination tournament.

Cotten goes to FHS; Christopher moves up

Curtis Cotten has accepted the head baseball coaching position at Friona High School, and some minor coaching changes have been announced by Hereford Boys' Athletic Director Danny Haney.

Chris Christopher will move from Hereford Junior High to fill Cotten's position as coach of ninth grade

football, basketball and baseball. Cotten, a 1986 graduate of HHS filled the position for one year. Christopher has coached at HJH for two years.

Filling the void at HJH will be Grant Davis of Jal, N.M., who coached at Jal High School for one year.

7th, 9th-graders need physicals

Incoming seventh- and ninth-graders need to start getting physicals for the upcoming school year. Hereford Junior High Coach James Salinas said.

Junior high athletes will pick up equipment in mid-August, but they won't be able to if they haven't had their physicals.

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SAVINGS!

Reds stretch West lead

By The Associated Press

While Fay Vincent announced the future destinations of Cincinnati and Atlanta, the Reds were taking care of matters again in the present.

Vincent announced Monday afternoon that Cincinnati and Atlanta would move to the National League East next season, with St. Louis and Chicago shifting to the West. The expansion Florida Marlins will be in the East and the Colorado Rockies in the West.

The race in the West right now is between the Reds and Braves, and Cincinnati moved to a five-game lead Monday night by beating the Cubs 6-2 while New York won 3-1 at Atlanta.

Reds owner Marge Schott, happy about her club's lead in the West, is disappointed about the move to the East.

"Can somebody who doesn't own a team, is not an owner and is really an employee - do we want to be set where that person has the right to do anything he wants to? I don't think that's fair to ownership because, after all, it's the owners who should make the decisions," Schott said.

On the field, Jeff Branson hit a three-run double as Cincinnati scored four unearned runs in the first inning and went on for its fifth straight victory at Chicago.

Keith Brown, called up from Triple-A Nashville to replace the Reds' injured Tom Browning, made his first major-league start since 1988. He allowed one run and five hits in 4 2-3 innings. Scott Ruskin (3-1) pitched 1 1-3 innings for the victory and Rob Dibble got the last four outs for his 12th save.

Mike Morgan (7-3) saw his personal seven-game winning streak end. He gave up five hits, walked two and struck out five in six innings.

"We believe realignment has long been overdue and will certainly benefit all the teams and their fans," Braves president Stan Kasten said.

With the decision, the Braves will get additional games in the Eastern time zone, which benefits SuperStation TBS, which is owned by Turner Broadcasting System Inc., which also owns the Braves.

Elsewhere in the NL it was Pittsburgh 1, Houston 0; San Francisco 4, Philadelphia 2; St. Louis 4, San Diego 0; and Los Angeles swept Montreal, 8-3 and 4-3.

Mets 3, Braves 1

Dave Gallagher's run-scoring double snapped an eighth-inning tie and David Cone (8-4) pitched three-hit ball for seven innings. Cone struck out nine to run his major league-leading total to 145 and survived a season-high seven walks. Deion Sanders' first-pitch leadoff homer in the first accounted for Atlanta's only run.

Chico Walker opened the eighth with a single off Marvin Freeman (2-3) and scored on Gallagher's double.

Cardinals 4, Padres 0

St. Louis rookie Mark Clark allowed only four singles in his first complete game and Andres Galarraga homered in his second straight game.

Clark (1-3) threw three perfect innings before giving up a walk to Tony Fernandez and a single to Tony Gwynn.

Craig Lefferts fell to 10-6.

Pirates 1, Astros 0

Zane Smith pitched five-hit ball for 8 1-3 innings and Orlando Merced's homer helped end Pittsburgh's four-game losing streak.

Smith was two outs away from his second consecutive shutout when Stan Belinda finished for his 12th save.

Smith (7-7) continued to dominate Houston at Three Rivers Stadium, where he is 4-0 with an 0.28 ERA and two shutouts since joining the Pirates in August 1990. The left-hander struck out four, walked one to improve to 7-1 with a 1.62 ERA in his last 12 appearances against Houston.

Giants 4, Phillies 2

Philadelphia rookie Kyle Abbott fell to 0-11 as Bud Black pitched 7 2-3 strong innings at Candlestick Park and Cory Snyder homered for San Francisco.

Black gave two runs on eight hits before Mike Jackson and Rod Beck finished. Beck got the last out for his sixth save.

Dodgers 8, Expos 3

Mike Sharperson tied the score with a bases-loaded two-run double and Eric Davis followed with a two-run single to cap a four-run seventh as Los Angeles rallied for a sweep of its first of three consecutive doubleheaders against Montreal.

In the opener, Dennis Martinez, pitching at Dodger Stadium for the first time since his perfect game last July 28, was hit hard. Winner Kip Gross (1-0) allowed three runs and seven hits in six-plus innings.

Orel Hershiser (7-6), lifted for pinch-hitter Mitch Webster in the seventh, earned his first victory in his last five starts despite allowing 10 hits in seven innings in the nightcap. Jeff Fassero (3-5) was the loser in relief of Kent Bottenfield.

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O's edge White Sox in 14th

By The Associated Press

The Baltimore Orioles, who leave a lot of runners on base, still got enough of them home to win.

After 4 hours and 38 minutes, Mike Devereaux finally singled home the winning run with one out in the 14th inning Monday night, giving Baltimore a 4-3 victory over the Chicago White Sox despite leaving 21 runners on base.

"At least we've been getting the chances," Brady Anderson said. "They had six hits all night."

Baltimore has stranded 56 men in its last four games, and is 6 for 46 (.130) with runners in scoring position in its last three games.

"We didn't have a lot of chances, unlike them," White Sox manager Gene Lamont said.

Leo Gomez opened the 14th with a walk off Roberto Hernandez (2-1) and took third on Tim Lulett's one-out single. Anderson was intentionally walked, loading the bases, and Devereaux singled past a drawn-in infield.

In other games, Toronto beat California 3-0, Texas beat Milwaukee 3-1, Oakland beat Cleveland 13-4, Minnesota beat New York 10-5, Kansas City beat Boston 6-3 and Detroit beat Seattle 5-4.

Alan Mills (6-1) pitched two innings of one-hit relief for Baltimore. Tim Raines had opened the 13th with a single - Chicago's first hit since the sixth - stole second and tried to score on Robin Ventura's single. But Raines overran the plate and was tagged out by Rick Dempsey.

Blue Jays 3, Angels 0

Juan Guzman took over the league lead in ERA (2.01) and strikeouts (115), allowing two hits in seven innings and striking out 10 as Toronto won its fifth straight and sent visiting California to its eighth consecutive loss.

Duane Ward pitched a two-hit eighth and Tom Henke finished the four-hitter for his 15th save as Toronto won its fifth straight. Jim Abbott (4-11) allowed three runs and seven hits in 7 1-3 innings.

Rangers 3, Brewers 1

Kevin Brown became the first 13-game winner in the majors this season, getting home runs from Ivan Rodriguez and Dean Palmer.

Brown (13-4) won his fourth consecutive start, allowing seven hits in 8 1-3 innings with eight strikeouts. Jeff Russell finished for his 20th save.

Wegman (7-7) gave up nine hits for visiting Milwaukee in his fourth complete game.

Twins 10, Yankees 5

Kirby Puckett doubled in two runs in a four-run third while pinch-hitter Shane Mack also hit a two-run double as visiting Minnesota rallied to win its third straight.

Carl Willis (3-2) allowed two hits in 4 1-3 innings, and Mark Guthrie pitched three innings for his second save.

New York's Danny Tartabull homered for the fourth straight game. Tim Leary (5-6) allowed six runs and

six hits in 2 2-3 innings and walked four.

Athletics 13, Indians 4

Scott Brosius returned from the minors with home runs in his first two at-bats and went 4 for 5 as Oakland won for a four-game split in Cleveland.

Mike Moore (9-7) allowed four runs and eight hits in six innings. Jeff Mutis (0-1) gave up eight runs and 10 hits in 5 1-3 innings.

Royals 6, Red Sox 3

Rick Reed (2-3) won as a starter for the first time since July 5, 1990, with Pittsburgh, allowing three runs and five hits in 6 2-3 innings at Fenway Park. Rusty Meacham finished for his first major league save.

Keith Miller drove in three runs with a double and a bunt single, and Kevin McReynolds homered. John Dopson (5-4) was tagged for six runs and 11 hits in six innings.

Tigers 5, Mariners 4

Skeeter Barnes hit a sacrifice fly in the 14th inning to end a 4-hour, 23-minute game, the longest in Detroit in seven seasons.

Tony Phillips walked to start the 14th. Lou Whitaker sacrificed and reached when Mike Walker (0-3) threw wildly to second. Travis Fryman sacrificed, Cecil Fielder was intentionally walked and Barnes flied to right.

John Kiely (2-0) pitched 2 2-3 innings for the victory.

Agassi had tough taskmaster

LAS VEGAS (AP) - Andre Agassi was introduced to tennis before he could walk, talk or possibly know that image is everything.

Growing up in Las Vegas, the newly crowned Wimbledon champion had a tough taskmaster in his father, Mike Agassi.

"Andre is everything that Mike made him," said George MacCall, tennis facility coordinator for UNLV. Nick Bollettieri, the younger Agassi's coach for the past six years, "has helped, but Mike built the foundation. Mike's philosophy was to belt the ball whenever you have the opportunity," said MacCall, a former United States Davis Cup captain.

It is said the Mike Agassi swung a tennis ball over Andre's crib to train the boy's eyes. At mealtime in his high chair, Andre supposedly spent as much time hitting a helium-filled balloon on a string with a ping-pong paddle as he did eating.

"I was teaching at the Frontier (Hotel & Gambling Hall), and Andre was 3 years old. His dad left him at the backboard, and Andre hit the ball for two hours straight," said Marty Hennessy, now the tennis director at the Desert Inn Hotel & Casino.

Mike Agassi "was really caught up with being No. 1," said Chris Entzel, who used to play with the younger Agassi.

Entzel, now a 23-year-old senior at the University of Utah, added: "I

remember one time Andre lost in the final of a tournament, and his father took the trophy and smashed it all over the ground."

The elder Agassi was always coaching his son, but he would also give free lessons to other kids at the tennis court at the Agassi home in west Las Vegas. But, "if we didn't do what he told us, he would get mean and grab us," Entzel said.

The elder Agassi refused all interviews Sunday after his son defeated Goran Ivanisevic of Croatia 6-7 (8-10), 6-4, 6-4, 1-6, 6-4. The younger Agassi had been 0-3 in Grand Slam finals before the victory.

"It's about time," said Rita Agassi, Andre's sister, who played on the women's professional tennis circuit from 1978-81. "I expected him to win the French Open," she said. When asked when, she laughed: "This year, last year, the year before ..."

Mike Agassi, a native of Iran and a former boxer, does not have a strong background in tennis, but he has studied it relentlessly.

"He has several ball machines on the court - one for backhands, one for returns of serve, one for forehands - and blowers that blow the balls into a cage so kids can hit millions of balls instead of picking them up."

"He has I-don't-know-how-many garbage cans on the court full of tennis balls. He must have at least

5,000 balls. How could Andre hit that many balls and not be a great player?" Entzel asked.

Mike Agassi "is one of the most interesting people I've known in my life. How many people in life know exactly what they want to do and how to do it? He knows he can develop tennis players. His family is where he has concentrated most of his efforts, but he has donated tons of time to other players," MacCall said.



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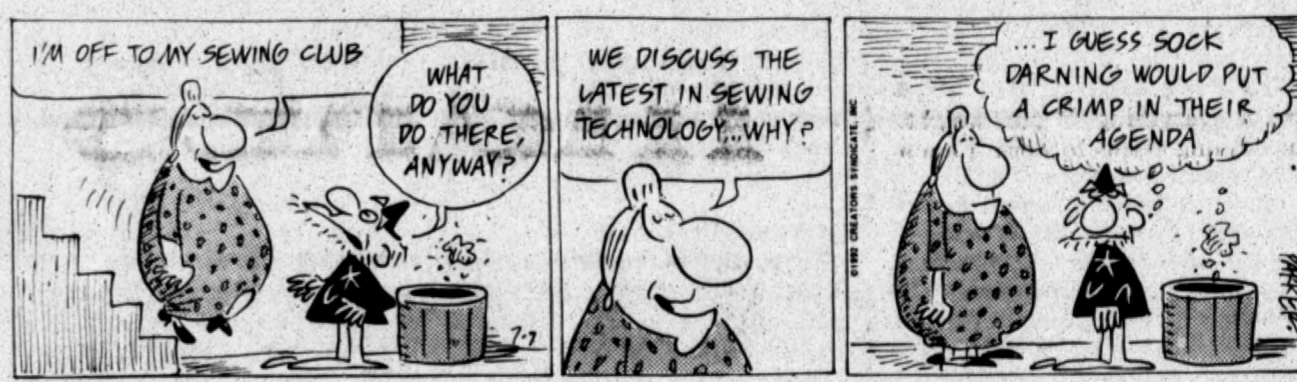
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Environmental awareness important to travel industry

The national movement in the U.S. to preserve and protect the environment continues to grow and has important implications for the Texas travel industry, according to a new report released by the Travel Industry Association of America (TIA). The Discover America report indicated that all of the members of the U.S. travel industry -- including hotels, airlines, attractions, travel agencies and others -- must become more environmentally conscious and active to ensure continued success in the '90s.

Commissioned by TIA's Discover America Implementation Task Force -- a group of private and public sector travel marketing executives who guide an on-going program to encourage domestic travel -- the Discover America report is a review of nearly 200 completed studies, surveys, and polls on the environment. The report suggested that as travel consumers become more environmentally demanding and environmental laws and regulations more abundant the Texas travel industry will have to develop new skills and practices as well as the ability to change and adapt.

The report documents the dramatic increase in the number of environmental groups and the number of consumers and corporations involved in environmental protection. It also identifies "ecotourists" as those travellers who choose and make specific transportation and lodging choices based on environmental considerations. "The new report spells out in black and white why it's important for our industry to become more 'green,'" said Texas Department of Commerce Tourism Director Dr. Diane Mendoza Greeman. "When you think about it, what we really sell

in the travel industry is the environment. It's our livelihood. That's why it's doubly important that companies which make up our industry share an interest in protecting and preserving our world," Dr. Freeman added.

The report suggested that the travel and travel-related industries in Texas consider these suggestions to become more environmentally conscious:

*Adopt the three R's of environmentalism -- reduce, reuse and recycle

*Foster a "green" mentality company-wide; adopt and promote fundamental values, tones and examples that are set by the chief executive officer, the board of directors and senior executives

*Promote environmental awareness and involvement among employees; develop internal teams of environmentally conscious workers who can propose ideas

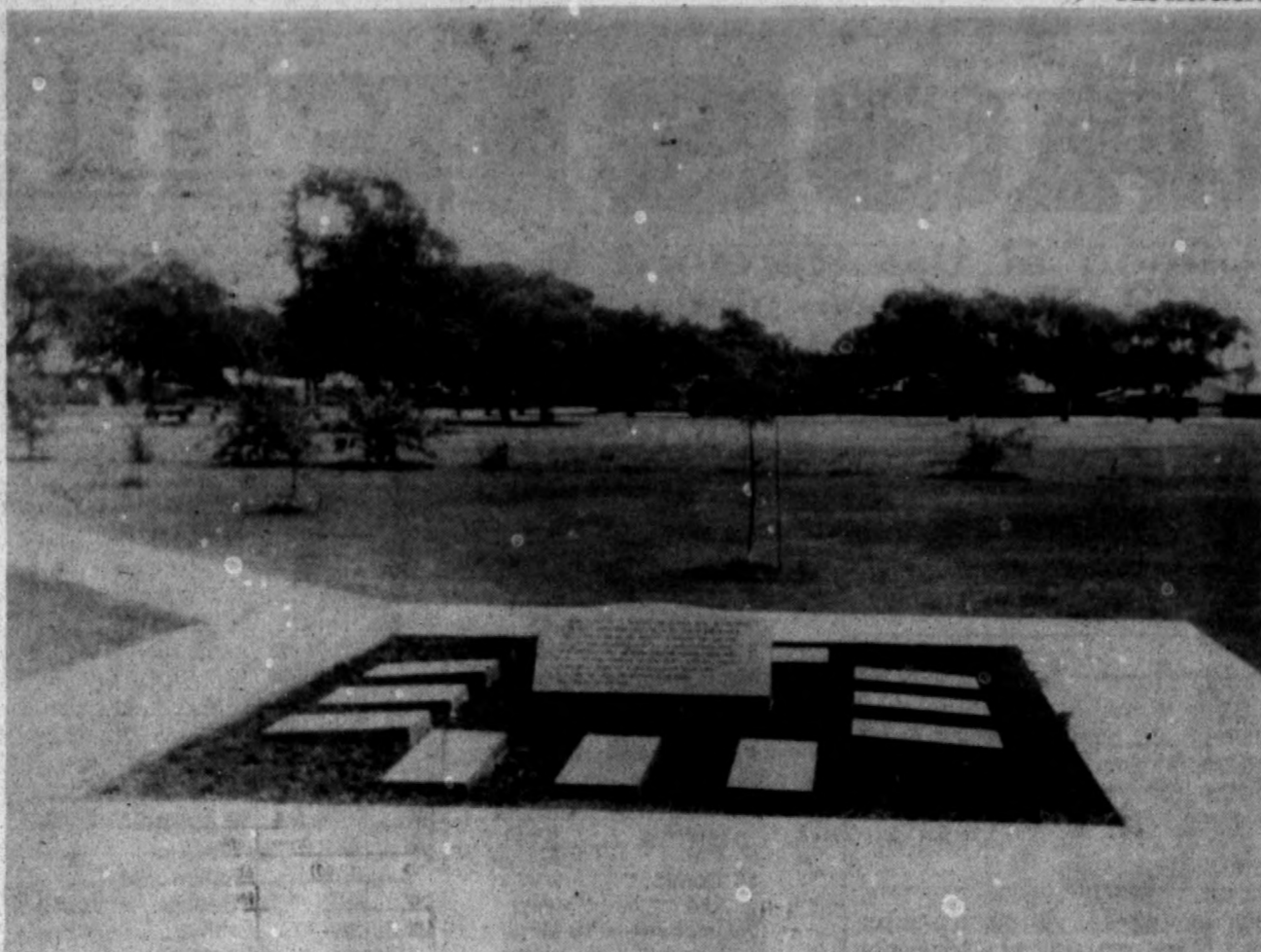
*Anticipate state and federal environmental legislation and changes in public opinion; move to adopt higher standards before they are mandated

*Conducted periodic environmental audits to identify strengths and weakness and to ensure your company meets all regulations

*Communicate with environmental groups; look for ways to work together to educate employees and customers on the need to preserve and protect the environment

*Consider undertaking cause-related marketing effort that benefit environmental groups or causes and fit in with your corporate image.

"The implication of the report is clear: If you want to make sure your bottom line is in the black, you better make sure your company is in the green," said TIA president Edward R. Book.



Non-residential beauty spot

The park, located on the Ave. H. and 15th St., has been selected as the non-residential beauty spot for July by members of the Women's Division beauty spot of the month committee. The park, which features a special marker, was established as a tribute to the county residents who served in the armed forces.



The sun is the largest object within 25 trillion miles of galactic space of Earth.

The chemical that gives the skunk his dreaded smell is called *ethanethiol*; this substance is so pungent that one ten-trillionth of an ounce can be detected by the human nose.

Nutrition hints

It is sometimes difficult to know which sources of nutrition information are valid.

Here are some guidelines to help you evaluate sources.

-A single research study that presents a definite conclusion is probably not thorough enough. The same conclusion drawn from numerous studies will be more reliable.

-If the claim sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

-Any information source that suggests megadoses of anything as the key to good health should be questioned. Today's nutrition message from reputable health professionals is balance, variety and moderation.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Rob Morrow, who plays an out-of-place New York doctor on "Northern Exposure," has agreed to return to the set after a contract dispute with CBS, a studio spokesman says.

Morrow had been AWOL since June 30. Producers of the hit series sued the next day, seeking \$5 million in damages and claiming Morrow violated his contract.

"He's back, he starts tomorrow," MCA Universal spokesman Bob Crutchfield said Monday. "He's working while his people work out the details."

He wouldn't comment further. CBS referred calls to the studio.

Morrow reportedly demanded more money. According to the lawsuit, his five-year contract stipulated his salary would increase, in yearly increments, from \$12,500 per episode to \$21,175 per episode.

Ask Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB: I have tried almost everything to gain weight, but nothing seems to work. I am a male, who just turned 19, weigh 130 pounds and am 5 feet 11 inches. I eat a lot of foods with many calories, but it is no use. I tried a high-calorie milkshake preparation, but that didn't work either.

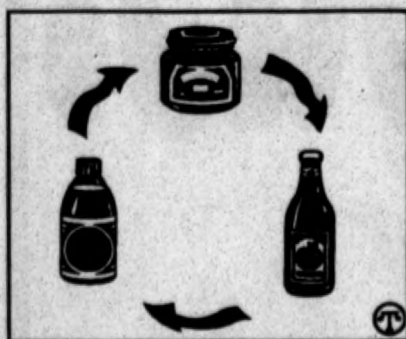
I have been at 130 pounds for two years now. My mother tells me that I'll gain lots of weight when I stop growing. She says I'll stop growing when I'm around 20 years old. I think I stopped growing a long time ago. How can I gain weight? Do I need to see a doctor? Is my mother right?

DEAR READER: Even if you were still growing, the increased growth would add pounds to your body, even though you might be thin. A person's body does tend to stay at a fairly constant weight despite the amount of exercise and calories one consumes. That is part of the set-point theory on body weight, which assumes your genes determine what you should weigh at different phases of your life.

The best way to gain weight is to develop muscles. It is a bad idea to try to gain weight simply by eating so many calories that you add fat to your body. I would recommend a strength-training program for you. If you exercise your muscles against resistance properly, they should begin to get larger, and your increased weight would be healthy weight, not unhealthy weight from fat.

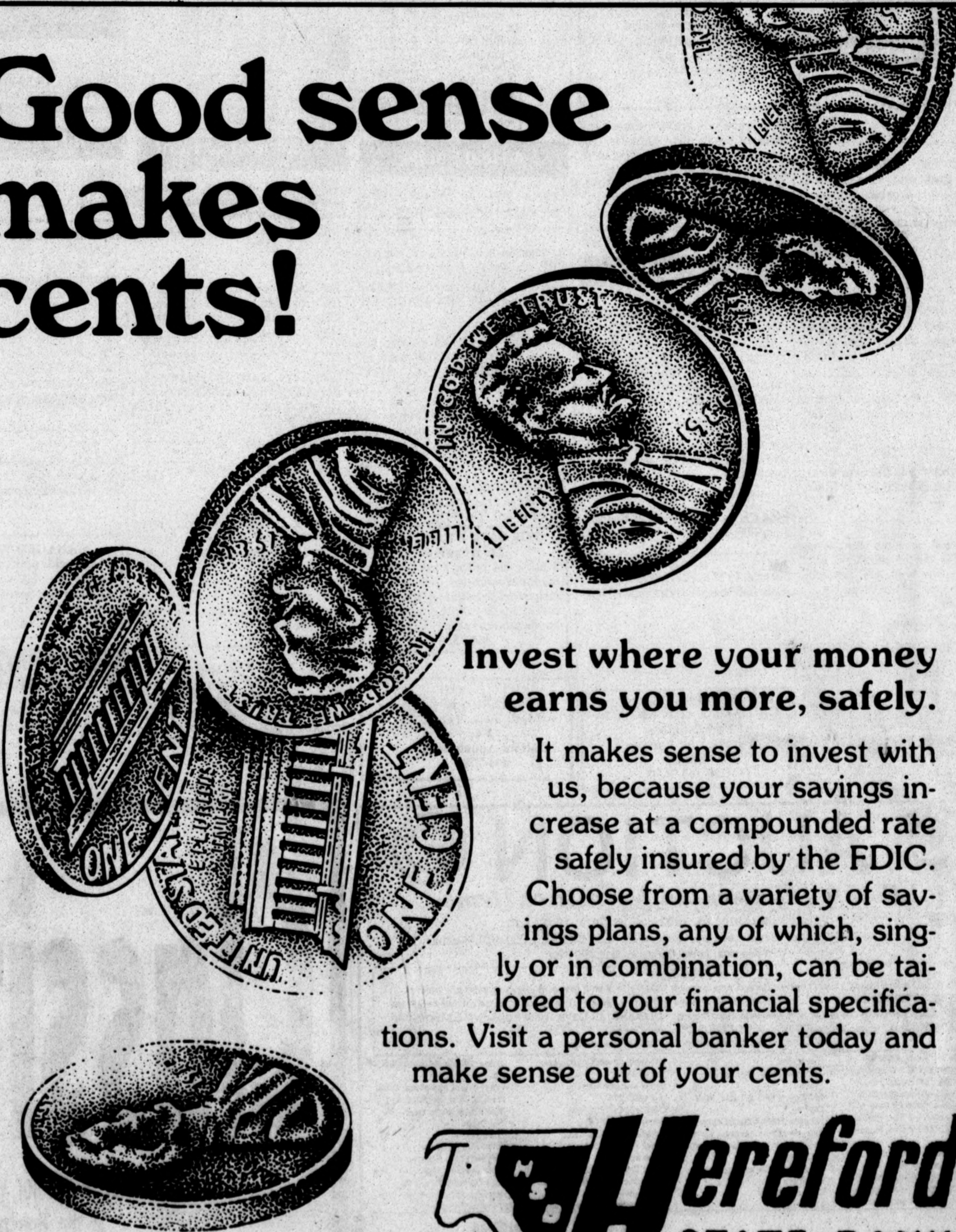
I'm sending you Special Report 92, Strength Training for Health, for some guidelines on how you can begin a strength-training program. Others who want this report can send \$3 with a long, stamped (52 cents), self-addressed envelope for it to THE HEALTH LETTER/92, P.O. Box 5537, Riverton, NJ 08077.

In addition to genetics and the right nutrition for developing muscle, one also needs an adequate amount of testosterone. The male hormone does stimulate muscle development. Which leads me to ask about your other physical characteristics: If you are not adequately developed with reasonable beard growth and other masculine features, you might see a doctor to see if you do have delayed development. In that case, time may change a lot of things for you.



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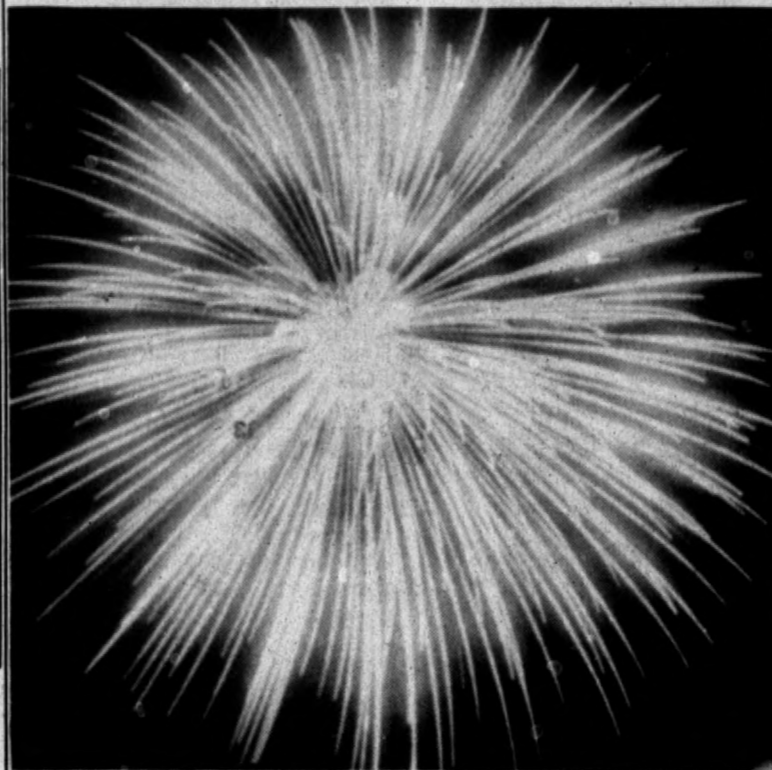
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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: LIBERTY MAY MAKE MISTAKES BUT TYRANNY IS THE DEATH OF A NATION. — MATTEOTTI



July 4, 1992

Hereford's second annual July 4th celebration was a huge success. Veterans Park was host to picnickers who relaxed while enjoying music from many talented Hereford performers. The program also included a welcome from Mayor Tom LeGate and posting of the colors by the Hereford post of the American Legion.



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FBI: from spychasers back to gangbusters

By FRED BAYLES
AP National Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) - Squad 16 works in the everyday chaos of an inner city police station. Suspects' pictures decorate the walls. A large aerial photo of a stakeout site leans against a battered desk. Cops in jeans, T-shirts and shoulder holsters negotiate around piles of paperwork. But their badges indicate a difference. Mixed with a sprinkling of District of Columbia detectives are federal officers from the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, and the FBI, among them veterans of Cold War intrigue. Instead of pursuing Soviet spies and drug cartel members, these agents now chase murderers and street gangs. "This is the first time we've put people into solving murders, and I've

never seen guys work like they're working," said Phil Rendin, an FBI supervisor who runs the squad. "They want to turn things around and make this community a safer place to live in." Squad 16 and other federal-local task forces now forming in nearly 50 cities represent a major change for the FBI. With many East Bloc espionage agencies fading away, the bureau has transferred 300 agents - the largest personnel shift in FBI history - from foreign counterintelligence to the violent crime division. Their new charge: break up the gangs and crime that are turning U.S. cities into free-fire zones. "The threat to the country right now is here," said Danny Coulson, deputy director of the FBI's criminal division. "Wherever we talk to people in the country, the one message that comes back is, 'I'm afraid to walk the streets, my kids

can't go to school, I can't go to church.'" But some worry about the implications of federal agents working the jurisdiction of local authorities. They see potential abuse in the use of tough federal racketeering and conspiracy laws against street-corner criminals. "It is appropriate to use these tools against gangs like the Bloods and Crips, but what I see it being used against is young, inner-city kids who are accused of being part of a gang that may never have existed," said Henry Asbill, president of the American Board of Criminal Lawyers. The FBI's shift toward fighting street crime is part of the Justice Department's "weed and seed"

policy, a two-tiered strategy for dealing with crime and social problems in the nation's cities. The idea is to weed the criminal element from a neighborhood, then seed it with programs and grants. "All the community initiatives to help a neighborhood, like better education or more job training, aren't effective as long as there is so much criminality that you can't get on the street to take part in it," Coulson said. In some ways, the change brings the FBI full circle. The agency came to the forefront during the 1930s when it set about to combat the violent crimes of the day: interstate bank robberies and wandering gangs led by notorious figures like John Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd and Bonnie and Clyde. By the 1960s, the emphasis had shifted to other areas: espionage, organized crime, white collar crime and drug trafficking. "Our responsibilities have expanded, but basically violent crime is what we were put in business to do in the late 1920s and 1930s," Coulson said. Today, federal agencies, including the FBI, DEA and ATF, are teaming with local authorities to take on crime problems plaguing many cities. In Newark, a local-federal task force tracks down fugitives; in Chicago, the target is gangs. A Dallas task force is going after home invaders. The focus in each city is decided by the local agent, in consultation with police and community leaders.

FBI involvement offers many pluses: increased manpower, high-tech surveillance, and state-of-the-art crime labs. But perhaps the most potent weapons are tough laws that can put gang members behind bars for decades. A conviction on federal conspiracy charges means 20 years to life with no parole. A local court conviction for drug trafficking would mean four to eight years in prison. The threat of hard time often makes it easier for investigators to pry cooperation and information out of gang members. "Homicide guys working a murder may hear which gang did the shooting. Then we start jamming people up on charges," Rendin said. "The more time people face, the more cooperative they are." Such tactics have borne fruit. Federal investigators have brought charges against gangs in Chicago, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other cities. In December and February, federal and District of Columbia authorities staged raids against what they called the P Street Gang, seizing 50 grams of crack cocaine and 23 weapons. The criminal complaint against 18 people alleged they were part of a gang involved in indiscriminate murder and street violence. In February, 24 people were charged under a federal indictment with operating a violent drug organization known as the R Street Crew. Among the list of racketeering offenses: drug trafficking, money laundering and conspiracy. Prosecutors say the gang was in business since 1983, buying and selling more than \$560 million in drugs. The government is seeking to seize two houses and 14 cars, including seven Mercedes, it says were purchased with drug money. FBI and local police made some 200 audio and video surveillance tapes and executed 31 search warrants during the investigation. The idea behind the mass indictments is to bring down an entire gang, rather than pick away at its leadership. "We'd go after the head, and someone else would take over. All we were doing was creating an employ-

ment opportunity within the gang," Coulson said. "Now we're trying to create the situation where there are no opportunities to be promoted because the organization's not there." But defense attorneys claim the zeal for mass prosecutions can bring the considerable weight of federal resources down on relatively minor lawbreakers. Bernard Grimm, a Washington attorney who successfully defended an alleged gang member against racketeering and conspiracy charges, calls that case an example of overkill. "The FBI had a preconceived notion that this was a drug cartel before they got involved in the case and they never let loose of that notion," he said. "Our defense was this was a bunch of nickel and dime drug dealers who happened to get their drugs from the same source." Attorneys also complain that prosecutors in federal racketeering cases have a huge advantage: To prove a criminal conspiracy, they can bring up details and allegations not allowed in regular criminal proceedings.



Miss Hereford performs
Miss Hereford Vanessa Gonzalez sang the national anthem and "God Bless The USA" at Saturday's July 4th celebration at Dameron Park. Several other singers also performed for the large crowd at the park.

Feds set up office in Fritch

FRITCH, Texas (AP) - For the second time this year, federal disaster aid officials have set up offices in Texas counties to assist residents ravaged by severe weather. George Burgess, spokesman for Federal Emergency Management Agency, said residents of this tornado-torn Panhandle town trickled into a makeshift office Monday to see what relief is available for damage wrought by at least three tornadoes June 27. Burgess said unfortunately many residents will look at the government relief as a handout and may refuse it. "Some think it is charity and that is a shame," Burgess said. "It's neighbor helping neighbor. It's something they have paid for with their taxes." President Bush declared Hutchinson and Carson counties disaster areas July 2, and about 160 residents have sought aid since then through a toll-free number, Burgess said. The Fritch tornado damage marks the second time this year counties in Texas have been declared federal disaster areas.

FEMA also set up offices in Central Texas through the first six months of this year to help residents who suffered through record flooding. "Texas has had its share of weather-related tragedies this year," Burgess said. "Here you see homes leveled to the ground. There you saw homes under water up to the rooftops." An office for Fritch residents to meet with FEMA officials was set up Monday at the town's middle school. The Red Cross estimates more than 1,000 homes were damaged in the small community comprised mostly of blue-collar oil refinery workers. Remarkably, no one was killed in the twisters, which swept through the heart of several neighborhoods. Seven people were injured. Many residents didn't have insurance. Sherron Boyd said after the twisters destroyed her three-bedroom trailer home, "federal assistance is my only hope. I have nothing saved." Any resident, with or without insurance, whose home was damaged by the storm may be eligible for short- and long-term assistance, Burgess said.

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