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AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Montoya named '98 valedictorian

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
Staff Writer

Eduardo Montoya was named valedictorian of Hereford High School's Class of '98 during the annual awards assembly.

The assembly was held Tuesday night at the high school auditorium. Montoya earned the top honors with a cumulative grade-point average (GPA) of 108.9020.

Justin Betzen was named salutatorian with a cumulative GPA of 106.5510.

Neal Medlock presented Michael Hicks with a scholarship from Acacia; the Pantex Lumber scholarship to Andrew Deltoro and Jared Lantz; Panhandle Technology Teachers Association to Rusty Dutton; Taylor and Sons outstanding woodworker to Andrew Deltoro and Jared Lantz.

Betty Jo Carlson presented a \$250 American Legion Auxiliary scholarship to Sarah Wright.

Roger Eades presented a \$600 American Legion Post 192 scholarship to Jeremy Urbanczyk.

Dennis Paetzold presented a \$1,000 BPOE Elks Lodge #2269 scholarship to Crystal Bailey.

Dorothy Sydoski presented two \$750 Casey Smith Memorial scholarships to Catie Betzen and Anthony Lopez.

Joe Sturgeon and Sara Pesina presented a \$250 Cinco De Mayo Fun Run scholarship to Julian Griego.

Stan Fry presented two \$700 Deaf Smith County Health Care Foundation scholarships to Carrie Herrera and Jeremy Urbanczyk.

Jim Marsh presented a \$1050 Deaf Smith County 4-H Parents scholarship to Erin Aukerman.

Jo Lee presented the Deaf Smith County Family Community Education Association scholarship to Cindy Harder.

Bob Beville presented a \$1,000 per year Dee Anne Trotter FFA Memorial Scholarship to Zack Wall.

Jackie Andrews presented a \$1,000 Easter Lions Club scholarship to Amanda Andrews.

Carolyn DeLozier presented the Ethel Womble Memorial scholarship to Karen Smith.

LaJean Henry presented seven \$500 Fellowship of Believers Church scholarships to Briar Baker, Chip

Barnett, Heath Henderson, Ryan Dearing, Elice Guerrero, Renee Schulze, and Jared Lantz.

Marie Stringer presented three \$400 First Baptist Church WMU scholarships to Karen Smith, Cindy Harder, and Misti Davison.

Mike McPherson presented three \$700 First United Methodist Church scholarships to Kate Denison, Meredith Tabor and Justin Landrum.

Neal Medlock presented the Gary Billingsley memorial scholarship to Jared Lantz.

Sara Pesina presented two \$200 Golden "K" Kiwanis scholarships to Justin Betzen and Staci Betzen.

Cindy Rogers presented six Hereford Band Boosters scholarships to Pam Lange, Wendy Brisendine, Jerilyn Rule, Kristin Carnahan, Rocky Corona, and Elizabeth Cooper.

Sara Pesina presented a \$500 Hereford Cattlewomen scholarship to Tate Head.

Joe Rohrbach presented a \$2,500 Hereford Farm Bureau scholarship to Justin Betzen.

Bob Baker presented ten Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union scholarships to Staci Betzen, Jacque See AWARDS, Page 9



JARED RANCE
... Receives award



Photo by Dianna F. Dandridge
Oldham County Sheriff David Merlin shows Chelsea Campbell the correct way to check the chamber of a rifle during Tuesday's agricultural safety day activities.

Students receive farm safety advice

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
Staff Writer

VEGA - Farming, ranching and other agricultural pursuits have been cited by experts as some of today's most dangerous occupations, so Tuesday students from Vega, Walcott, Adrian and Wildorado schools converged on the Oldham County Barn to learn what makes agriculture so dangerous and ways to prevent agriculture accidents.

The agricultural safety day, sponsored by the Progressive Farmer, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and other agribusinesses, gave the kindergarten-sixth grade students hands-on or closeup demonstrations of do's and don'ts in the world of agriculture.

Oldham County Family Consumer Science Extension Agent Sherry Harder said the number of agriculture-related accidents remain high primarily because people don't take necessary precautions.

"The response we've had for volunteers had really been tremendous," she said. "Since December, we've had people from lots of agencies come together for the planning and development of this year's Farm Safety Camp."

According to Harder, two workers Elaine Broman and Connie Harwood, have been instrumental in putting the camp together. Broman and Harwood attended special training in organizing the event, with special emphasis on maintaining volunteer participation.

Snakes are a common problem in most ag-related industries; some are harmful and others are not. Students were given a brief lesson on the poisonous and non-poisonous snakes commonly found in the area.

Participants learned the appearance of the non-poisonous hognose snake and the prairie rattler closely resemble one another. They also learned the rattler has a triangular-shaped head, while the hognose's head is relatively cylindrical head.

Most farmers and ranchers have guns, which they use for hunting as well as a means of getting rid of coyotes and other unwanted animals. Unfortunately, every year, accidents happen when people get careless or don't know how to handle a gun.

Oldham County Sheriff David Merlin demonstrated the proper handling of guns and reviewed what to do when finding a gun.

The younger students played a version of hide and seek to prove they knew better than to pick up a gun.

Other demonstrations included a high voltage wagon from SPS, where students viewed a miniature high line wire and were treated to actual effects of voltage going through different objects.

Topics included in the safety camp were PTO safety, electrical safety, ATV safety, first aid, fire safety, firearms, 911 usage, grain entrapment, tractor and combine awareness, animal safety and chemical and pesticide safety.

"Farming, ranching and agriculture in general can be a great way of life," Harder said. "But young people must know the dangers and be prepared to avoid them or how to correct them before an emergency happens. We hope this is what the students get from today's event."

U.S. producer price index shows increase

WASHINGTON (AP) - Prices charged by factories and other producers rose in April for the first time in seven months, pushed up by jumps in food and tobacco costs. Retail sales rebounded after a lull the month before.

The 0.2 percent seasonally adjusted gain in the Labor Department's Producer Price Index - the first since September - was expected as a result of stabilizing world petroleum prices.

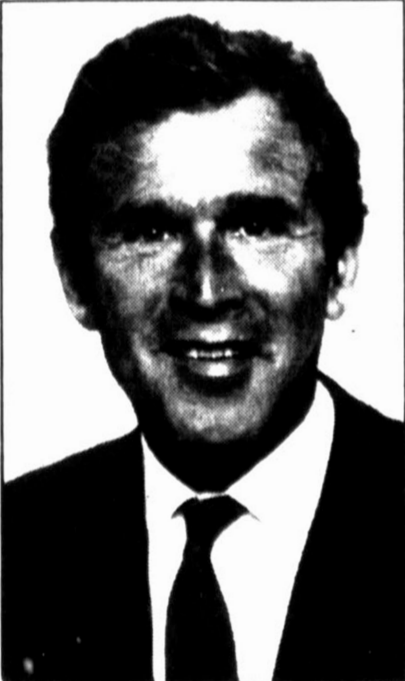
Since early fall, producer prices have been held down by tumbling energy costs and drops in the price of goods exported from economically ailing East Asia.

The influence of the energy decline, however, is waning. Its cost edged

just 0.1 percent lower last month after six months of steeper drops, the department said today, and analysts look for them to plateau or drift higher for the rest of the year.

After the price report's release, interest rates ticked up slightly in the inflation-sensitive bond market.

For the first four months of the year, the wholesalers who buy finished goods from producers have enjoyed a rare period of deflation. The index for finished goods fell at a 2.5 percent annual rate. Excluding the volatile food and energy sectors, so-called core prices rose at a scant 0.8 percent annual rate.



GOV. BUSH
... Leading Gore

Bush 'mystified' by survey putting him in lead for 2000

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. George W. Bush insists that he's interested only in re-election, despite a new national poll showing him leading other Republican presidential prospects and holding a narrow edge over Vice President Al Gore.

"I'm mystified," Bush said of the latest opinion survey. "My focus is running for governor of Texas."

His heart may be in Texas, but his name's getting around.

A USA Today/CNN/Gallup Poll looking toward the 2000 presidential election found that 50 percent of those surveyed over the weekend favored Bush to 46 percent for Gore.

The telephone survey of 1,005

adults, published Tuesday, had a margin of error of 3 percentage points.

In an interview with The Associated Press, Bush again insisted that he hasn't made up his mind about running for president. He said he has no timetable for making such a decision.

"I'm working harder now than I did in 1994. I want to be the first governor re-elected to back-to-back four-year terms," Bush said.

"I'll make up my mind (about the White House) after this election cycle. I don't know whether I will or will not run."

Among Republicans, Bush led

with 30 percent, followed by Elizabeth Dole with 14 percent, Jack Kemp and former Vice President Dan Quayle with 9 percent each, Steve Forbes with 7 percent and U.S. House Speaker Newt Gingrich with 6 percent. No other Republican got above 4 percent. The margin of error was 5 percentage points on that question.

Democrat Garry Mauro, Texas' four-term land commissioner, is the man who hopes to block Bush's re-election. His campaign said Bush should level with voters.

"George Bush knows he's going

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Part of the agenda at every Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce Fun Breakfast is the presentation of the Bullchip Award. Don T. Martin receives the award from Hereford Brand Publisher Speedy Nieman at the May 8, 1997 event.

Doctors say insurers showing gender bias

NEW YORK (AP) - A doctors' group that says insurers discriminate by covering Viagra for men but not birth control for women are missing an important point, an anti-abortion organization says.

"Pregnancy is not a disease," said Judie Brown, president of The American Life League.

The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, which met in New Orleans on Tuesday, urged Congress to pass a bill requiring insurers who pay for prescription drugs to also cover birth control.

Spokeswoman Dr. Anita Nelson

said insurers' coverage of Viagra, the wildly popular Pfizer Inc. impotency drug, points out a bias by those that refuse to cover another "medical necessity" - contraception.

"Insurers not covering methods of birth control is forcing women to pay more out-of-pocket for medical care than men do. That's a clear bias," said Ms. Nelson, an obstetrician and gynecologist at the University of California at Los Angeles.

"Viagra just hit like a tsunami and had immediate acceptance. I'm glad there's coverage for male impotence, but it does contrast with the lack of

coverage for contraception."

While nine out of 10 employer-based health insurance plans cover prescription drugs, most don't cover prescription contraceptives, the doctors' group said. Employer-based plans cover two-thirds of all women ages 14 to 44. Fewer plans offer women a choice.

By contrast, nearly half of the almost 300,000 men per week who take Viagra - the latest and most popular impotency drug - are reimbursed at least in part by their insurers, according to IMS Health, a private consulting group that tracks

drug statistics. Up to 73 percent of patients using rival impotency treatments are reimbursed.

The call for contraceptive coverage drew outrage from the league, which opposes birth control drugs and advocates that women avoid pregnancy by abstaining from sex during the days when they are fertile.

"The decision to use artificial birth control is elective," said Mrs. Brown, who did not take a position on Viagra.

Most insurers offer plans that cover contraception, but employers often don't choose to pay for it.

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Lifestyles

HRSEA has installation

Kenneth Laycock, newly elected president of Texas Retired Teachers Association, presented the program during the Monday meeting of Hereford Retired School Employees Association and he installed officers for the 1998-2000 term.

New officers include Betty Jo Carlson, president; Louise Witkowski, first vice president; John and Teddie Poindexter, second vice president; Sue Inmon, treasurer; and Julia McNaney, recording secretary.

Laycock urged the membership to be supportive of active teacher salary increases and to support health insurance programs. Laycock also expressed his belief that there will be an increase in retired annuities during the next Legislative session.

Betty Mercer reported that TRS-Care will pilot three Medicare HMO's in the Dallas area next year.

Betty Jo Carlson, who attended the State TRTA meeting in Lubbock reported that a mock check for \$232,000,000 was presented to Governor George W. Bush to represent the value of the volunteer hours contributed by Texas Retired School Employees during 1997.

The "Share the Pot" activity was won by Mary Dziuk and the door prize was awarded to Rita Burgess.



Officers installed to serve Hereford Retired School Employees Association for the 1998-2000 term are, front row from left, Betty Jo Carlson, president; Louise Witkowski, first vice president; Teddie Poindexter, co-second vice president; Julia McNaney, recording secretary; back row from left, Kenneth Laycock, installing officer and president of Texas Retired Teachers Association; John Poindexter, co-second vice president; and Sue Inmon, treasurer.

Senior Citizens

MENUS
THURSDAY-Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered Normandy vegetables, pear and cheese salad, biscuits, fruited cheese cake; or sliced ham, diet cheese cake.
FRIDAY-Catfish fillet with lemon wedge, scalloped potatoes, Harvard beets, cabbage/carrot slaw, cornbread, sherbet; or roast pork with gravy, Scandinavian vegetables.
MONDAY-Salisbury steak, baked potatoes with sour cream and grated cheese, fried okra, 5-cup fruit salad, French bread, sugar cookies; or chicken fillet, diabetic cookies.
TUESDAY-Sliced turkey with gravy, cornbread dressing, green beans, cranberry salad, rolls, pumpkin pie; or sliced pork, fruit salad, D'zerta pudding.
WEDNESDAY-Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, blackeyed peas, cottage cheese with chopped vegetables, cornbread, bread pudding with lemon sauce; or salmon patties with dill sauce, vanilla wafers.

ACTIVITIES
THURSDAY-Chamber Fun Breakfast 6:30 a.m., pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., oil painting 9-11 a.m., DSHHC BP/BS 9 a.m.-12 noon, Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
FRIDAY-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
SATURDAY-Games 12 noon-4 p.m.
MONDAY-Pool classes, FOT meeting 9:30 a.m.
TUESDAY-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., decorative tile painting 1-3 p.m., Miracle Ear 9 a.m.-12 noon.
WEDNESDAY-Pool classes, ceramics 12 noon-4 p.m., birthday social 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

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Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I clipped the enclosed article from the Grand Rapids Press because it struck me as a perfect example of what's wrong with our society. Once in a while, we need to do a reality check. Too many people these days are being promoted to their level of incompetence. I realize that school personnel must monitor for drugs because of the problems we have with school-age pushers and violent crimes, but let's take a second or third look before losing our sense of balance. Here's the story:

A 6-year-old boy in Colorado Springs has been suspended for half a day because he brought "drugs" to

school. Actually, they were lemon drops that he had purchased in a health food store.

The fire department and an ambulance were called after a teacher found the first-grader giving the candies to a fellow pupil. Both boys' parents were urged to take their children to the hospital for tests, despite the mother's assurances that the lemon drops were harmless.

An administrator at the school said the half-day suspension was consistent with the district's drug policy, which treats unfamiliar products as controlled substances. The boy's mother called the response "complete hysteria," adding, "I

can't believe these people are educating our kids." -- J.W. in Martin, Mich.

Dear Martin, Mich.: I'm glad you sent the clipping. I would have had a hard time believing the story without proof. What on earth has happened to good, old-fashioned common sense?

Dear Ann Landers: I have two beautiful granddaughters, ages 12 and 13, who have appalling table manners. They act like they were raised by wolves. I cringe whenever guests are present. Their parents believe that teaching appropriate behavior at the table is an outdated waste of time and of no importance whatsoever in today's high-tech world.

Socially accepted manners were something I was taught early in life by example, and I have tried to pass on that legacy to my children. My daughter, unfortunately, has become a slob, just like her husband. Her table manners have deteriorated pathetically since she married the bum. Both my daughter and her husband are college graduates and hold high-level positions. I have often wondered what their associates think of them during business lunches.

My heart goes out to my teenage grandchildren, who have no idea how they appear when invited to their friends' homes or out in public. My daughter and I have a good relationship, which I want to maintain. How should I approach her about this? -- A Concerned Grandmother in California

Dear California Grand: Leave your daughter out of this, and go directly to the girls. Invite them to have lunch or dinner out, and as soon as you are seated, tell them you have some suggestions to help them become more comfortable and self-assured when they are dining with friends. Then, proceed to instruct them on how to hold silverware, how to chew with their mouths closed and how to ask for food to be passed instead of reaching across the table.

Explain that table manners are important and they should begin to practice them at their very next meal. Teaching your grandchildren table manners is as valuable a gift as any amount of money you might leave them.

Gem of the Day: If you want to find a helping hand, look at the end of your sleeve.

Lewis scheduled as guest for Hard Line Ministries

Aruna Lewis will be a special guest when Hard Line Ministries meets at 7 p.m. Saturday at 519 Star.

Lewis, originally from India, now lives in Hereford where she is a working mother with two children, a 7-year-old daughter and a 14-

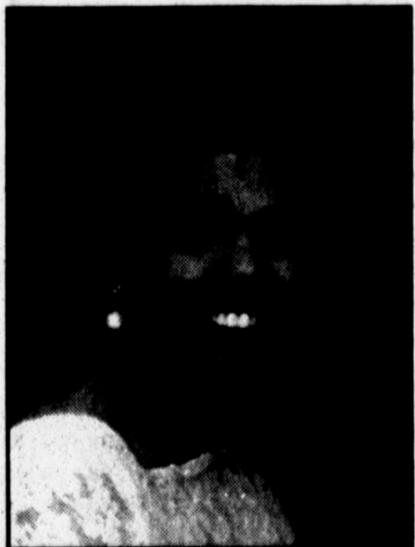
month-old son.

Lewis grew up knowing about Lord Jesus Christ, but began her Christian walk in 1977. Her father is a composer and singer in India. While Lewis was living in India, she was involved in Sunday school, vacation Bible school and in the classical music group "Tabernacles." She was also involved in the crusade ministry as a soloist.

Lewis is currently pursuing a music career as a Christian artist.

"Since I am from India and I am a Christian, I want people in the United States to know that not all Indians are Hindus. The new age movement in the U.S.A. seems to have taken its roots directly from Hinduism. This has really surprised me because we in India think that all Americans are Christians," Lewis said.

"Through my music ministry I want to reach out to all those out there looking for answers. I know, without a doubt, I can do this through Christ," she concluded.



ARUNA LEWIS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

(Exemption Registration No. 38328)

Monty Getman, Inc. has made registration with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) under TNRCC 30 Texas Administrative Code Section 106.202 (formerly known as Standard Exemption 93) to operate a Concrete Batch Plant near Dawn, Deaf Smith County, Texas. The proposed location is one mile north of the intersection of FM 1062 and FM 809. Additional information concerning this registration is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper. This notice is to be published on May 12th and May 13th, 1998.

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"Hats Off to You" was the theme for the installation of officers for Hereford Study Club. Pictured are, front from left, Mary Stoy, president; Betty Martin, vice president; back row, Doris Bryant, secretary/reporter; Evelyn Wilson, corresponding secretary; Elizabeth Hellman, parliamentarian; and Virginia Winget, historian.

Hereford Study Club installs officers utilizing 'Hats Off to You' theme

Hereford Study Club met in the home of Mary Stoy with Doris Bryant as co-hostess for the installation of officers and closing meeting of the club year.

Officers for the coming year are Mary Stoy, president; Betty Martin, vice president; Nedra Robinson, treasurer; Evelyn Wilson, correspond-

ing secretary; Doris Bryant, secretary/reporter; Virginia Winget, historian; and Elizabeth Hellman, parliamentarian.

Outgoing president Elizabeth Hellman conducted the installation using the theme "Hats Off to You." Each new officer was presented with a hat pertaining to her office.

Prior to the installation, a catered luncheon by Acatur was served to Jean Ballard, Willie Braddy, Morgan Cain, Elizabeth Cesar, Addie Cunningham, Hazel Ford, Mildred Garrison, Carole McGilvary, Gladys Setliff, Helen Spinks, Bryant, Hellman, Martin, Stoy, Wilson and Winget.

CCS students participate in contests

Students from Community Christian School recently attended the Association of Christian Schools, Int'l. District Art and Speech Contest in Abilene.

Sam Russell and Shyla Sossaman received an excellent rating for their pencil and pastel drawing, while

Christi Duggan received a Best of Class and Superior rating on her pencil drawing and mixed media.

A readers theater group composed of Amanda Bustamante, Amber Brumley, Christi Duggan, Jodi Wilburn, Rachel Chamberlain and

Miriam Wilks received an excellent rating.

An adapted 4-H Illustrated Talk was performed as a readers theater by Trae Blain, Miriam Wilks, Amber Brumley and Jodi Wilburn. The group earned a Superior rating at the contest.



Attended contest

Students from Community Christian School recently attended the Association of Christian Schools, Int'l. District Art and Speech Contest in Abilene. Students who attended are, from left, Sam Russell, Amanda Bustamante, Amber Brumley, Christi Duggan, Jodi Wilburn, Miriam Wilks, Shyla Sossaman and Trae Blain. Not pictured is Rachel Chamberlain.

County officials are honored at luncheon

Friends of the Library of Deaf Smith County honored Judge Tom Simons and commissioners Johnny Latham, Troy Don Moore and Wayne Betzen with a luncheon Monday in appreciation of their support of the library.

A meal of barbecue, beans, green salad, butterhorn rolls and mocha chunky chocolate pie, provided by the FOL board, was served in the Heritage Room of the Deaf Smith County Library.

County librarian Rebecca Walls led a tour of the GED room and the soon-to-be completed audio visual

room. She discussed the library's internet which is almost ready for use, and gave a report on the interlibrary loan system.

Walls reported on her trip to Washington, D.C., where she contacted legislators regarding pending bills which will affect local communities and libraries' involvement in literacy programs.

Also attending were board members Jessie Davis, Joan Allsup, Pat Montgomery, Cindy Veigel, Vondell Plummer, Marie Carra, Dean Herring, Derrin Ginter and guest, Ben R. Plummer.

College Report

Twenty-one students, including Jonathan Eric Wall of Hereford, have successfully completed Clarendon College's Ranch and Feedlot Operations Program.

Graduation ceremonies were held recently in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium at Clarendon College with Neal Odom with the McLean Feedyard as featured speaker.

West Texas A&M University announced its highest student honors at a banquet recently.

Tin Burkhalter of Hereford, a graduate student in biology, was named the Outstanding Student Organization President of the Year.

The West Texas A&M University T. Boone Pickens College of Business recognized outstanding students and announced scholarship recipients at its recent annual convocation.

Among the scholarship recipients was Dana Michelle Brisending of Hereford, a freshman marketing major. She received the Bob Chester Memorial Scholarship, \$300 and Ocie Chism Scholarship, \$500.

To Your Good Health

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: After a respiratory infection I had one year ago, I am still coughing and short of breath. My doctor says I have asthma and will be on inhalers the rest of my life. I am going to a pulmonary specialist for a second opinion. I always thought you were born with asthma. What will my life be like if I do have asthma? — S.S.

ANSWER: Your fear of asthma is unwarranted.

Asthma is a serious illness and should be viewed with respect. Asthma deaths appear to be on the rise. However, most asthma can be controlled and most patients lead

long, active lives. Some world-class athletes have asthma.

Asthma is a sudden narrowing of bronchi — the lung's airways. Asthmatics have ultrasensitive airways that react excessively to pollen, dust, dander, strong perfumes, viruses or allergens such as foods.

The narrowed airways make a patient gasp for air, cough and wheeze.

There is no age limit for asthma. It can appear at any age. A person might be born with a propensity to asthma, but the propensity often doesn't become a reality until late in

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Today in History

By The Associated Press
 Today is Wednesday, May 13, the 133rd day of 1998. There are 232 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History:
 On May 13, 1981, Pope John Paul II was shot and seriously wounded in St. Peter's Square by Turkish assailant Mehmet Ali Agca.
On this date:
 In 1607, the English colony at Jamestown, Va., was settled.
 In 1846, the United States declared that a state of war already existed against Mexico.
 In 1914, boxing champion Joe Louis was born in Lafayette, Ala.
 In 1917, three peasant children near Fatima, Portugal, reported seeing a vision of the Virgin Mary.
 In 1918, the first U.S. airmail stamps, featuring a picture of an airplane, were introduced. (On some of the stamps, the airplane was printed upside-down, making them collector's items.)
 In 1940, in his first speech as prime minister of Britain, Winston Churchill told the House of Com-

mons, "I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat."
 In 1954, President Eisenhower signed into law the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Act.
 In 1954, the musical play "The Pajama Game" opened on Broadway.
 In 1958, Vice President Nixon's limousine was battered by rocks thrown by anti-U.S. demonstrators in Caracas, Venezuela.
 In 1985, a confrontation between Philadelphia authorities and the radical group MOVE ended as police dropped an explosive onto the group's headquarters; 11 people died in the resulting fire.
 Ten years ago: The U.S. Senate voted 83-6 to order the U.S. military to enter the war against illegal drug trafficking, approving a plan to give the Navy the power to stop drug boats on the high seas and make arrests.
 Five years ago: The House Ways and Means Committee gave final approval to President Clinton's deficit-cutting package, containing a tax increase of \$246 billion over five years. In suburban Paris, a

masked man armed with dynamite took a roomful of nursery school children hostage, demanding \$18.5 million. (The man was shot to death by police two days later).

One year ago: At the Oklahoma City bombing trial, prosecutors showed jurors the key to the Ryder truck used to blow up the Alfred P. Murrah federal building, alleging Timothy McVeigh left it behind in the same alley he picked to stash his getaway car.

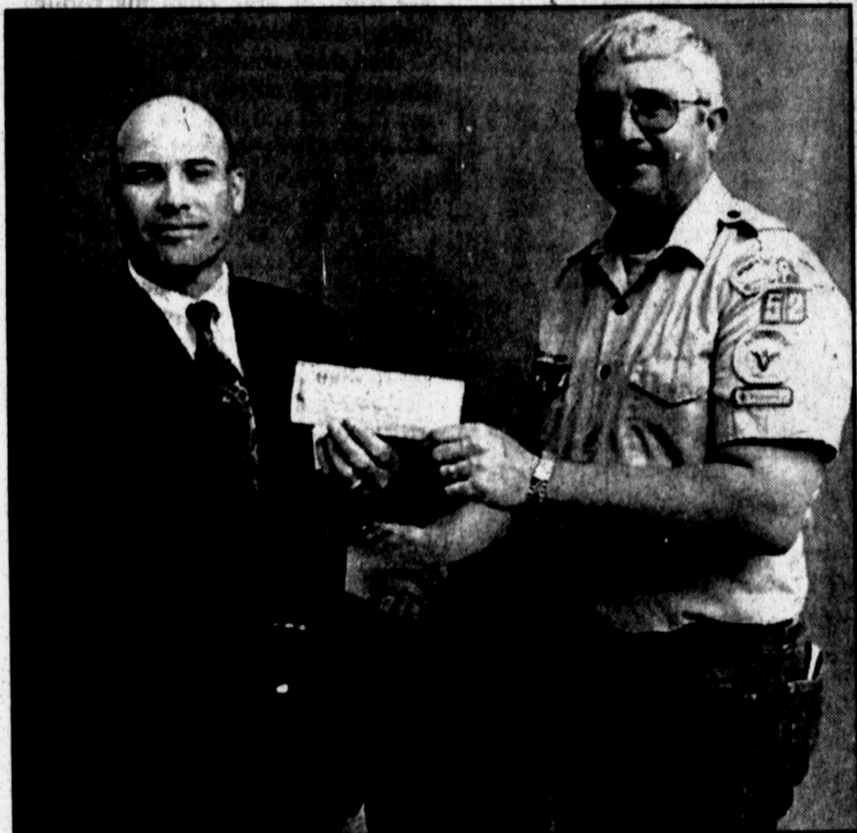
Today's Birthdays: Actress Beatrice Arthur is 72. Critic Clive Barnes is 71. Director-choreographer Herbert Ross is 71. Actor Harvey Keitel is 59. Actor Franklin Ajaye is 49. Singer Stevie Wonder is 48. Basketball player Dennis Rodman is 37. Actress Julianne Phillips is 36. Country singer Lari White is 33. Singer Darius Rucker (Hootie and the Blowfish) is 32.

Thought for Today: "So you think that money is the root of all evil. Have you ever asked what is the root of money?" - Ayn Rand, Russianborn author (1905-1982).



Masonic Lodge scholarship winner

The Masonic Lodge, represented by Bill Shore, presented Monica Caperton with a \$200 scholarship, a medallion of excellence and a certificate of accomplishments.



Gift to Scouts

Max Middleton, left, leading knight of the Elks Lodge of Hereford, presents a check for \$250 to Bill Caraway, local Boy Scout leader. The funds will be used by the Boy Scouts to further the work now in progress on the Billingsley Memorial Cannon. Anyone wishing to contribute to this fund should contact Brenda Milam at Hereford State Bank.

Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: Recently in one of your columns you had a hint on how to remove tomato sauce from plastic containers. I would appreciate it very much if you could repeat that hint, as I misplaced the article. I read and clip out many of your hints and have several of your booklets. — R.S.Y., Barefoot Bay, Fla.

Not to worry, here is the information. Those stubborn tomato-based stains can be tough, and you usually need plenty of elbow grease to remove them.

Sprinkle some baking soda on a damp sponge and rub on the stains. Let stand for a few minutes or overnight and then wash the container using the hottest water you can use. If the staining is dark or old, you may need to repeat the process several times until the stains are removed. Good luck!

To prevent staining, line the container with plastic wrap first, then add the tomato sauce. — Heloise

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Dear Heloise: I never buy copper cleaner anymore for my pots and pans. I just pour a little vinegar over the area and sprinkle salt on right from the salt shaker. Then I wipe with a paper towel and it's clean as a whistle. It's cheaper and easier than buying the stuff! — Patricia Ann Taylor, Medford, N.J.

Be sure to rinse and dry well or the copper will turn green. — Heloise

QUICK DESSERT
Dear Heloise: Keep a jar of cinnamon applesauce and cinnamon graham crackers on hand for a health-

ful emergency dessert. — M.E.F. from New Hampshire

COFFEE GROUNDS

Dear Heloise: I truly enjoy cooking, especially with a lot of garlic and onions. As you may well know, by doing so one is left with garlicky-smelling hands. In this case, I find myself scrubbing my hands with the first pot of coffee grounds (cooled — Heloise) left in the coffee machine from the morning. It not only takes the smell away, but it also acts as a sloughing exfoliation for one's hands.

— Lisa Faidi, Dallas, Texas
 We tried your hint and it worked great. No more garlic odor! Thanks for sending it to us. — Heloise

POTATO SALAD
Dear Heloise: Peel and cut potatoes to the desired size for potato salad before cooking. They cook in just minutes and you don't have to wait for potatoes to cool before peeling and dicing. Just put them in a colander and rinse with cold water. — M.R., Milan, Ind.

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Hospital Notes

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Bean, Domingo Diaz, Francisco Gomez, Louise G. Kinsey, Christina Madrigal and infant girl Madrigal.

HEALTH

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life.
 Allergies are common triggers for asthma attacks when the illness begins in childhood. In later life, allergies have less of a hand in asthma attacks.

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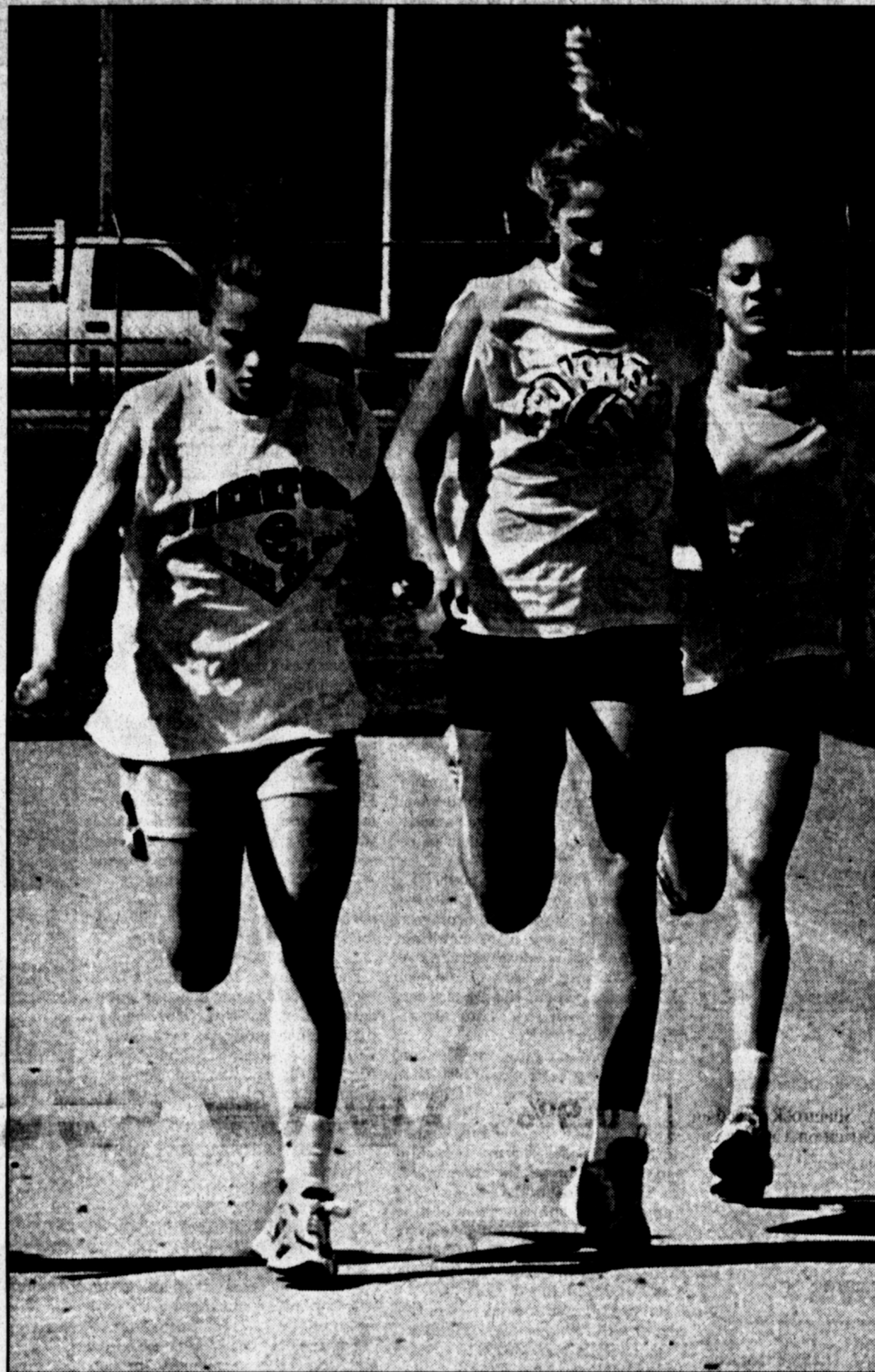
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Sports

Belfour still trying to shake label

The Associated Press
EDMONTON, Alberta -- Ed Belfour says he was cheering hard for Denver Broncos quarterback John Elway in this year's Super Bowl. After all, the Dallas Stars goaltender has heard for much of his NHL career what Elway had in his until this January: He can't win the big game. "That's just the way it is (gauging players by championships), you can't change that," Belfour said. "You can't take anything away from guys who haven't won, they've worked hard their whole careers." "It takes a team and a lot of good luck and some guys are real fortunate that way and some guys just miss it by a little bit." Belfour, 33, signed as a free agent with Dallas last July after a brief stop in San Jose following his trade there from Chicago. "I was real happy to see Elway win this year, he has always been on the underdog side, they always said he couldn't win the big game." Belfour said Tuesday after the Stars practiced the day before Game 4 of the Western Conference semifinal with the Edmonton Oilers. "It was nice to see him win the big game." On Monday, Belfour was the difference in a big game, making 28 saves for the Stars in a 1-0 overtime win that gave Dallas a 2-1 lead in the best-of-7 series. But Belfour credited his defensemen for much of the shutout as they kept the front of the net clear and blocked numerous shots. The Oilers aren't getting teary eyed about Belfour's Elway-type quest for a championship. Edmonton forward Bill Guerin, who leads the Oilers with six playoff goals but hasn't scored in this series, said the key to beating Belfour is creating havoc in front of him. "If you're going to have any success you have to get him moving around or have people in front," Guerin said. "And Dallas blocks shots better than any other team in the league, it's tough to get shots through and that makes it easier for Eddie." "And if one does get through, Eddie is there and he's a big-game player, who makes the saves." Belfour got to the Stanley Cup final in 1992 with Chicago, but the Blackhawks were swept in four games by Pittsburgh. Belfour led all goaltenders in the 1992 playoffs with a 2.42 goals-against average. Coming into this season's postseason he was tops in that at 1.88 and second in wins with 37. He's on a similar roll in the 1998 playoffs, allowing just 14 goals in nine games. For all of his big numbers, Belfour was passed over for the Olympic and World Cup teams. He was part of the 1991 Canada Cup team coached by Mike Keenan -- then his boss in Chicago. Belfour isn't bitter because he believes his career numbers speak for themselves. "It probably has a lot to do with who you know," he says. Dallas coach Ken Hitchcock said Belfour's puck-stopping prowess is an obvious plus for his team and so is his desperate desire to win. "He brings a competitive edge to the group," Hitchcock said. "Eddie is fiery and the guys like having him around. He means as much to our team as Curtis Joseph does to Edmonton."

HIGH STEPPING



Audra Witkowski (left), Lyndi Carlile (center) and Brionne Yosten of the Hereford girls track team warm up prior to practice recently at Whiteface Stadium. All three are member of the Lady Whitefaces' 1,600-meter Relay team that qualified for the Class 4A Track and Field Championships in Austin Friday and Saturday. Hereford won the Region I-4A 1,600-meter Relay title in San Angelo May 2.

Photo by Julius Bodner

Texas takes 5th in a row

ARLINGTON (AP) -- Aaron Sele got a lot of help from his former teammates Tuesday. The right-hander beat Boston for the first time and the Red Sox left 13 men on base as the Texas Rangers won their fifth straight, 6-3. "My pitches were an 'R,'" Sele said, giving himself a failing grade. "It was one of those days when I had to battle and compete. I was able to pitch out of some jams and we made some good defensive plays." Sele (6-2) had lost his last two starts, including a 5-3 defeat to the Red Sox in Boston on May 1, and was in trouble throughout his 52-3-inning outing Tuesday. The Red Sox stranded seven runners over the first four innings, but Sele worked out of the jams, leaving runners on third base in the first and fourth innings. The Rangers gave Sele a nice cushion when they scored six runs in the second inning, highlighted by Tom Goodwin's two-run homer off the top of the right field fence. "He struggled with his command," Rangers manager Johnny Oates said of Sele, who was acquired from the Red Sox in an offseason trade and had won his first five starts for the Rangers. "He had a good curveball but wasn't able to spot his fastball. He threw a lot of pitches. But six runs helped him."

Sele allowed three runs and five hits. "Aaron kept us off-balance," Red Sox catcher Jim Leyritz said. "When he has his breaking ball working, he's at his best. He has a smooth motion and can sneak the fastball right by you." Texas sent 10 men to the plate in the second against Brian Rose (1-4). The rookie started the inning by hitting Juan Gonzalez with a pitch, and things went downhill from there. In addition to Goodwin's two-run homer, his first since last July 19 when he was with Kansas City, the Rangers got RBI doubles from Will Clark and Bill Haselman and run-scoring singles from Lee Stevens and Fernando Tatis.

"I wouldn't look for too many of those," Goodwin said of his rare homer. "We can build on this. The pitchers have done an outstanding job keeping us into games." In the sixth, Sele issued consecutive walks to Darren Bragg and John Valentin. Bragg advanced to third on a fly ball and then scored on Mark Lemke's infield single. Sele hit Darren Lewis with a pitch to load the bases, and reliever Scott Bailes threw wildly to third after fielding pinch-hitter Damon Buford's grounder, allowing two more runs to score. Bailes then struck out Mo Vaughn with runners on second and third to preserve the 6-3 lead. John Wetteland pitched the ninth for his 10th save in as many chances this season and he has converted 22 straight save opportunities.

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Lady Harvesters 3rd in 4A, Vega's Basford wins 1A

From staff and wire reports
AUSTIN -- Snyder failed to defend its Class 4A girls title as Dallas Highland Park won its first-ever state team title, finishing 30 shots in front of the Lady Tigers Tuesday at Roy Kizer Golf Course. Maiko Senda won medalist honors in leading Highland Park, firing a two-round total of 148, one shot ahead of Angela Olivarri of San Antonio Burbank (149) and two shots ahead of Nicole Johnson of Montgomery (150). Pampa, the winner of the District

1-4A crown, finished 53 shots back of Highland Park to claim third. Highland Park has now had a player win medalist honors six of the past seven years. Kelli Kuehne won four straight titles from 1992 to 1995, and McKinzie Gibson took the title in 1997 for Highland Park. After firing a 71 in the first round, Senda said she was disappointed with a 77 on Tuesday. "I struggled all day," she said. "It was painful. (Now) I'm very happy and surprised." Allison Piersall shot rounds of 81

and 77 to finish in 13th place, the top-finisher for the Lady Harvesters. Teammate Shelby Allison was two strokes behind with a two-round total of 160 (81-79). In girls 1A, Baird repeated as state champions, winning a team playoff on the second hole to edge Vega. Robert Lee was third. Heather Basford of Vega took medalist honors with a two-round total of 161, ahead of Kyla Neal of Baird (169) and last year's medalist Melissa Smith of Robert Lee (172).

Troy Matteson repeated as medalist in boys Class 4A, leading Austin Anderson to its fourth state golf championship in five years on Tuesday. Austin Anderson, which returned all five players from last year's state title team, won the championship by 20 strokes after shooting an even-par, two-round total of 568. The total was a team record in 4A, replacing Anderson's total from last year of 588. "As a team, we've done something that's never been done," said

Matteson, a Georgia Tech signee who had a hole in one on the 168-yard, par-3 13th at Roy Kizer Golf Course on Tuesday. "It may never be replicated. To be part of a team is more important than the individual title." Anderson has also won 4A titles in 1997, 1995 and 1994. In boys 3A, Ryan Hancock repeated as medalist in leading Mexia to a one-stroke victory over Longview Spring Hill for the team

Iowan records three aces in less than one month

By GREG SMITH
Associated Press Writer
IOWA CITY, Iowa -- Just like there was talk about "Tiger-proofing" Augusta National to keep Tiger Woods in check, there's now talk about "Christian-proofing" the University of Iowa golf course. Christian Owen, who is new to the Iowa City area, recorded two holes-in-one Monday at Finkbine Golf Course. One of them came at the same hole where he notched an ace three weeks ago.

"Oh my gosh, that is just phenomenal. It is unbelievable," Iowa golf coach Terry Anderson said Tuesday. "We've had three aces at Finkbine this year, and they're all his. This guy is just on fire." Owen eagled the two par-3s on

the front nine and used a 5-iron to nail his first ace at the 192-yard eighth hole. He shot a 69 on the par-72, 6,989-yard course. "It was just an eagle of a day," Owen said Tuesday. Owen, 27, moved to Coralville, just outside of Iowa City, seven months ago from Kansas City, Mo. The first hole-in-one was witnessed by one of the club members Owen was playing with, Anderson said.

Owen said he was bothered by back pain on the back nine, which included his second ace on the No. 13 water hole. He used a 6-iron from 188 yards out to put the ball in the cup, a shot witnessed by Finkbine starter Bill Mitchell. "On 13, I thought I had lost the ball. I thought it went over,"

"Is it luck or skill? I am shooting at the stick every par-3. So is it luck? Yeah, it could have not gone in. But did I put it there? Yes. So it goes both ways. You have to get it in the zone for it to even have a chance."

-- Christian Owen

Owen said. "So Bill and I were looking in the weeds and I was like, 'Well, Bill, I guess before I go all the way back and hit another ball, I might as well check the cup.' And there it was. I couldn't

believe it." Owen, an assistant grocery store manager who is close to a scratch handicap, also used a 5-iron three weeks ago to ace No. 8. According to Mark Logue of the

University of Iowa's statistics and actuarial science department, the approximate chance of someone shooting two holes-in-one at Finkbine on the same 18 holes is one in 363 million. That would occur once in 10,371 years, he said. "Is it luck or skill? I am shooting at the stick every par-3. So is it luck? Yeah, it could have not gone in," Owen said. "But did I put it there? Yes. So it goes both ways. You have to get it in the zone for it to even have a chance. "Both shots were just pretty shots. They were just like missiles going at the flag." Of course, there's the traditional matter of buying the clubhouse a round of drinks for a hole-in-one. But what about two of them? "Whoa. I probably owe some

serious drinks out there," Owen said. "I'm working on a loan." He could have had the money if the aces had come later Monday, instead of during a practice round for a tournament later in the day. Had he hit those shots during the tournament, he would have won a \$21,000 sport utility vehicle for aching No. 8 and \$1,700 cash for aching No. 13. "I'm the luckiest, unluckiest guy in the world, basically," Owen said. "But gosh, I'll take those memories of those two shots with me for a long time. Sure, it would have been nice to have won the car and the money. "But I have a feeling I'll probably get another hole-in-one someday."

Elementary Track

Khwanic Club of Hereford Annual Elementary Track Meet at Whitehouse Stadium... 500m Relay: 1. Shirley 1:00.85, 2. West Central 1:03.31, 3. Bluebonnet B 1:03.53, 4. Shirley B 1:04.87, 5. West Central B 1:05.12, 6. Bluebonnet NT.

200m: 1. Ana Vasquez, West Central, 34.30; 2. Stephanie Hernandez, West Central, 35.35; 3. Crystal Rodriguez, Bluebonnet, 35.76; 4. Jerry Rincon, Shirley, 36.05; 5. Sarah Jo Yosten, St. Anthony's, 36.18; 6. Bianca Riley, Shirley, 36.40.

Walker, Bluebonnet, 83-1; 6. Kristen Estrada, West Central, 81-8. Long Jump: 1. Deedra Wharton, Shirley, 10-2; 2. Lucinda Cantizales, West Central, 9-8 1/2; 3. Kendra Smith, Shirley, 9-4 1/2; 4. Tanisha Walker, Bluebonnet, 9-3; 5. Adrien Wharton, Shirley, 9-3; 6. Tillary Mendoza, Shirley, 9-2.

100m: 1. Eric Horton, West Central, 14.70; 2. Ryan Bullard, West Central, 14.97; 3. Sergio Reyes, Bluebonnet, 15.08; 4. Spencer Terry, Shirley, 15.44; 5. Stephen Baldizon, West Central, 15.84; 6. Caitlin Murgula, Shirley, 15.89.

Jazz eliminate San Antonio, 87-77

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) -- Karl Malone had 24 points and 13 rebounds as the Utah Jazz advanced to the Western Conference finals for the fourth time in five seasons with an 87-77 victory over the San Antonio Spurs on Tuesday night.

Harvesters

championship. Mexia trailed defending champion Austin Lake Travis by four strokes after the first round, but Lake Travis fell apart on Tuesday as Matt Fain, who shot a 71 on Monday, fired an 88 on Tuesday, helping cause Lake Travis to slide to third place.

team titles in 2A.

The Hamilton boys, who fired a 605 and finished 29 shots ahead of second-place Memphis, were led by Riley Gardner (145), Aaron Gardner (148) and Brian Funderbuck (152).

Astros double Fish to win 4th straight

HOUSTON (AP) -- Derek Bell and Craig Biggio homered and Sean Bergman pitched 6 2-3 shutout innings Tuesday night as the Houston Astros won their fourth straight game, 4-2 over the Florida Marlins.

Moises Alou went 3-for-3 against his former team for the Astros, who are 17-5 in their last 22.

Pittsburgh levels Rockies

PITTSBURGH (AP) -- Esteban Loaiza, winless for more than a month, pitched 7 2-3 shutout innings and Kevin Young had three hits and 3 RBI in the Pittsburgh Pirates' 6-0 victory over Colorado on Tuesday.

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AWARDS

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Bill Shore presented the \$200 Hereford Masonic Lodge #849 scholarship to Monica Caperton.

David Wagner presented three \$500 Hereford Noon Kiwanis Club scholarships to Julie Schlabs, Sara Perez, and Justin Betzen.

Anna Robinson presented three \$500 Hereford Regional Medical Hospital Auxiliary scholarships to Carrie Herrera, Jeremy Urbanczyk, and Crystal Bailey.

Karen Marsh presented two \$500 Hereford Sports Association scholarships, in memory of Sue Urbanczyk, to Julie Rampley and Bryant McNutt.

Sara Pesina presented the Joey Mazurek Memorial Scholarship to Tamara Diller.

Cindy Rogers presented the Johnny T. Clark Memorial Scholarship to Tony Garcia.

Sara Pesina presented the \$500 Brent Cumpton Memorial Scholarship, La Madre Mia Study Club scholarship to Jeremy Urbanczyk; the Nita Lea Memorial Scholarship to Eduardo Montoya; two \$250 Nouvelle Ameis Study Club scholarships to Monica Caperton and Jacob Gonzales;

And, the Palo Duro Baptist Church scholarships to Jerilyn Rule and Brandon Stow.

Becky Weatherly presented two

\$500 P.E.O. Berta Ottesen Memorial scholarships to Kate Denison and Catie Betzen.

Martha Jones presented two \$500 Pilot Club-Berta Ottesen memorial scholarships to Wendy Brisendine and Brandi Armstrong.

Sara Pesina presented a \$500 Rotary Club scholarship to Kendra Wright; three \$250 San Jose Fiestas Patrias scholarships to Naomi Delacerda, Crystal Zepeda and Janie Mendez.

Rance Suttle presented three \$250 St. Anthony's Catholic Church scholarships to Jacque Bezner, Brandon Tidmore, Julie Schlabs and Justin Betzen.

Jeanie Conway presented three Deaf Smith County Classroom Teacher Association scholarships to Trevor Criner, \$500; Justin Betzen, \$250; and Meredith Tabor, \$250.

Jim Stiert presented three West Texas Rural Telephone scholarships to Marisa Nanez, Kristin Carnahan, and Brandon Brown.

Sgt. Marvin Houser presented the Army Scholarship to Brandy Turnbow, Marcus Banner and Les Stubbs.

Sara Pesina presented the Abilene Christian University scholarship to Misti Davison; the \$5,000 Regis University, Denver, Colo., board of trustees scholarship to Marisa Nanez; and the following West Texas A&M University scholarships:

- Charles Hubner, \$700 residence scholarship; Catie Betzen, \$800 residence scholarship; Amanda Kriegshauser, \$500 residence hall scholarship; Wendy Brisendine, \$500 residence hall scholarship; Jared Lantz, \$300 residence hall scholarship; Anthony Lopez, \$500 residence hall scholarship; Sarah Wright, \$400 residence hall scholarship.

Dorothy Szydlowski presented the Spirit Award to Sarah Chavez.

Marine Sgt. Hockett presented the Semper Fidelis award to Jeremy Taylor.

Hockett and Coaches Reeh and Coach Yenzen presented the Distinguished Athlete awards to Briar Baker and James Blakely.

Hockett presented the scholastic excellence award to Eduardo Montoya.

Sara Pesina presented the National Macy Scholar Recognition to Tony Garcia; the National Merit Scholarship (finalist) award to Eduardo Montoya; the Legacy Award, Oklahoma State University, to Craig Ames.

The senior members of the National Forensic League were: Justin Betzen; Monica Caperton; Andrew Del Toro; Michele Denning; Tamara Diller; Kyle Flood; Kris Friel; Eduardo Montoya; Amanda Padilla; Brandon Stow, and Brandy Turnbow.

Top 10 percent UIL certificates

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Jeremy Urbanczyk; Hector Vasquez; Juanita Villalobos; Zack Wall; Lindsay Ward; Holly Weishaar; Stephen Wheeler; Erin Whipple; Dustin Whitaker; Coy Whitehorn; Kendra Wright; Sarah Wright; Laura Zambrano; Edgar Zapata; Crystal Zepeda.

Students with a cumulative GPA of 100 or more were:

Craig Ames; Crystal Bailey; Briar Baker; Crissey Barrick; Catie Betzen; Justin Betzen; Staci Betzen; Jacquelyn Bezner; Brandon Brown; Curtis Cantrell; Kristin Carnahan; Elizabeth Cooper; Misti Davis; Misti Davison; Andres Del Toro; Kate Denison; Tamara Diller; Rusty Dutton; Maximino (Tony) Garcia;

Cindy Harder; Lorena Hernandez; Carrie Herrera; Amanda Kriegshauser; Anthony Lopez; Leslie Michael; Eduardo Montoya; Julie Rampley; Karen Smith; Brandon Stow;

Meredith Tabor; Jeremy Urbanczyk; Dustin Whitaker; Sarah Wright and Kendra Wright.

BUSH

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to run for president. The people of Texas know he's planning to run for president. Why won't George Bush come forward and say so?" asked Mauro spokesman Joe Cutbirth.

Bush said he feels no pressure from polls showing him a presidential favorite. But another Texan familiar with presidential politics said Bush can't escape pressure and will have to make a decision one way or the other.

"There's no question about that," said George Christian, an Austin consultant who was press secretary to President Lyndon Johnson.

"This latest poll shows that the

Republicans are looking for some new face, some person they can have confidence in. That mantle seems to have fallen on him.

"I think the more these polls come out, the more pressure it will be for him to make a definitive move sometime in the next year," Christian said.

The Texas governor, eldest son of the former president, said his decision will turn on his family, wife Laura and their twin daughters.

"I will make up my mind based on personal matters, whether or not it's right for my family," he said. "It's a big decision, and not one I take lightly."

NEWS

in brief

Conservative congressman loses bid for governor

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) - A tearful Rep. Jon Christensen struggled for words after learning he had been trounced in his bid to win the Republican gubernatorial nomination.

"Sometimes you learn more from a loss than a win and I'm excited to see what the Lord has in store for us," said Christensen, whose fiancée, former Miss America Tara Holland, was at his side.

Once the front-runner, the 35-year-old Christensen finished third in a five candidate field Tuesday. Lincoln Mayor Mike Johanns easily won the GOP nomination, stunning the conservative two-term congressman who gave up his seat on the powerful House Ways and Means Committee to run for governor.

Arbitrator reinstates Miss Colorado

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) - Regina Flores' reign as Miss Colorado isn't over after all.

Miss Flores, 22, was reinstated and awarded \$153,000 on Tuesday by arbitrator Harold Reed. The retired Denver judge found the pageant "intentionally inflicted emotional harm on distress" on the beauty queen.

The ruling was the latest chapter in a case that included allegations of racism, telephone taps and snooping by pageant officials at a national level.

Miss Flores was stripped of her crown Dec. 30 in a dispute with pageant officials, who said she violated her contract when she got a part-time job at a department store without approval, got her mother to book her appearances and missed one appearance.

Angry at the mayor, NYC cabbies don't feel so well

NEW YORK (AP) - Be civil or be slapped with a \$150 fine? New York City's taxi drivers said the mayor's new crackdown on niceness makes them sick.

That could make it harder to hail a cab, whether you're an old pro at flagging one down in the rain or a tourist bent on getting the ride of your life.

Cabbies are so fed up that some pledged not to go to work today.

Angry over tougher rules proposed as part of Mayor Rudolph Giuliani's efforts to make the city more civil,

the 800-member Taxi Workers Alliance planned a work boycott with the idea of enticing most of the city's more than 12,000 yellow cab drivers to follow suit.

Media challenge anonymity of Unabomber jury

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - A news media challenge to the anonymous Unabomber jury got little sympathy from an appeals court panel, with two members suggesting such secrecy might be good in all infamous cases.

The most encouraging note for the media during Tuesday's hearing was Judge Donald Lay's assertion that the court should declare the case moot without writing guidelines for future trials.

A lawyer for news organizations argued that U.S. District Judge Garland Burrell Jr. had no evidence of danger to the jury when he refused to identify potential jurors during pretrial questioning in the Theodore Kaczynski case last fall.

Mother of Danish baby sues city for \$20 million

NEW YORK (AP) - A Danish woman who ended up in jail briefly for leaving her baby girl unattended in a stroller outside a restaurant while she dined inside has filed a \$20 million lawsuit against the city.

Anette Sorensen's lawsuit accuses the city and unidentified police officers of falsely arresting and maliciously prosecuting her, causing her "profound humiliation, degradation and embarrassment."

The lawsuit, filed on Monday in U.S. District Court, also alleges the city deprived Ms. Sorensen of custody of her daughter, Liv, for four days. The girl was 14 months old at the time.

Report: American Express to sell consumer data

ARLINGTON, Va. (AP) - American Express is teaming with database marketer KnowledgeBase Marketing to sell detailed purchasing information about consumers, USA Today reported.

The report in today's editions says KnowledgeBase keeps tabs on 175 million Americans and that the partnership will sell information on potential target customers to small businesses that have not been capable of maintaining their own databases.

It said American Express, working with its new marketing partner, will sell information on cardholders.

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- Use key words to describe what you're selling. The key words for a car are make, model, year, body style, color, mileage and price. If it's a house, key words are location, type of construction, number of bedrooms and baths, and condition.
- Don't use abbreviations. It's tempting to abbreviate and save money if ads are billed by the line. Brand ads are billed by the words, so spell them out so readers won't be confused trying to figure out abbreviations.
- Don't be misleading. Think accurate and factual when you write. Be sure to include a phone number and the best times to reach you.

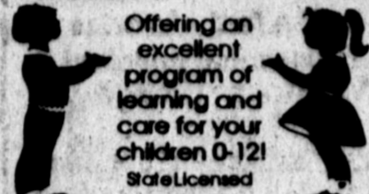
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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

(Exemption Registration No. 38328)

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To request a hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) the registrant's name and registration number; (3) the statement "I/we request a public hearing;" (4) a brief, specific statement of how and why emissions from the proposed facility would adversely affect you in a way not common to members of the general public; and (5) the location of your residence relative to the proposed plant.

Hearing requests or comments on the registration must be received in writing at the Chief Clerk's Office, MC-105, TNRCC, P. O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, within 15 days after the second publication of this notice. This notice is to be published on May 12, 1998 and May 13, 1998.

A copy of the registration is available for review and reproduction at the TNRCC Office of Air Quality, 12124 Park 35 Circle, Building C, Austin, Texas 78753. Registration documents and further information may be obtained from TNRCC Amarillo Regional Office, Air Program located at 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4996, telephone (806) 353-9251. Individual members of the public who wish to inquire about the information contained in this notice or to inquire about other agency permit applications or permitting processes should call the TNRCC Office of Public Assistance, toll free, at 1-800-687-4040.

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Private Club Permit by Joe's Country Club, located at 537 Myrtle, Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas. Officers of said incorporated association of persons are Marcellina Olguin Soliz, President; Joe Rubio Soliz, Sr., Vice-President; Jose Soliz, Secretary.

Sealed bids for a motorgrader to be purchased by Deaf Smith County, Texas, will be opened and read in open Court by the Deaf Smith County Commissioners at 9 AM, June 8, 1998. Specifications may be obtained at 116 S. 25 Mile Avenue in Hereford, Texas. A trade in of a 1973 Caterpillar needs to be taken into consideration and may be seen at the Precinct 3 Barn. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

LEGAL NOTICES

BID NOTICE

South Plains Health Provider Organization, Inc. is accepting bids for janitorial services of the Hereford site. Bids should be submitted by 4:30 p.m., May 22, 1998. Bid specifications may be obtained by request at: SPHPO c/o Maria Medina, Clinic Supervisor

603 Park Avenue
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(806)364-7688

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF NAOMI MAY HARE, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of NAOMI MAY HARE, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 11th day of May, 1998, in the proceeding below my signature hereto, which proceeding is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons who may have claims against said estate which is being administered in the County below named, are hereby required to present same to me at my residence address in Moore County, Texas, and with my post office address being: Box 881, Sunray, Texas 79086, before suit upon same is barred by the Statutes of Limitation, and within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 11th day of May, 1998.

/s/ ALLEN M. HARE
Independent Executor of the Estate of NAOMI MAY HARE, Deceased, No. PR-4396 in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas

AAA pushes limit on teen driving

WASHINGTON (AP) - A national campaign to limit teen driving is working, according to a survey released today that found nearly half the states in the country have tightened laws for young drivers.

The progress report issued by the American Automobile Association measured the number of states that have adopted a graduated licensing system, which increases driving privileges as experience grows. AAA reported that eight states have enacted such programs, 13 have adopted partial graduated laws and three others have increased restrictions on teen drivers.

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Building gets brick
Workers for Gamez Construction have been laying brick on the Deaf Smith County Youth Home and its new addition. The new addition provides classroom space, computer stations and office space for the juvenile probation officers.

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Strike	Call	Put	Strike	Call	Put
100.00	101.00	99.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
101.00	102.00	100.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
102.00	103.00	101.00	1.50	1.50	1.50
103.00	104.00	102.00	1.75	1.75	1.75
104.00	105.00	103.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
105.00	106.00	104.00	2.25	2.25	2.25
106.00	107.00	105.00	2.50	2.50	2.50
107.00	108.00	106.00	2.75	2.75	2.75
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109.00	110.00	108.00	3.25	3.25	3.25
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116.00	117.00	115.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
117.00	118.00	116.00	5.25	5.25	5.25
118.00	119.00	117.00	5.50	5.50	5.50
119.00	120.00	118.00	5.75	5.75	5.75
120.00	121.00	119.00	6.00	6.00	6.00

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Names

KATE SHINDLE

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) - Miss America Kate Shindle had to wait for the boos to die down before she could finish talking to high school students about safe sex.

Miss Shindle told students at Jefferson Davis High School that the AIDS virus can be avoided through education and avoiding unprotected sex and intravenous drug use.

She told teen-agers that if they were sexually active, they should use latex condoms. "It doesn't mean that you don't trust someone; it means that you're concerned about your health," she said.

Then she was asked whether she practices abstinence or safe sex.

"I don't get into my own sexual experience," she replied, prompting loud boos.

Miss Shindle, 21, waited for the ruckus to die down, and then continued her speech Monday.

"No matter what I say, some of you will not be able to relate to it, but what I will say is that I practice what I preach," she said.

WAYNE NEWTON

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) - Wayne Newton has gone to court over a Branson theater deal he says struck a sour note.

Newton claims in a \$5 million lawsuit that Shenandoah South Inc. and its owners mismanaged the now-closed Wayne Newton Theatre and failed to pay him much of the money he was promised.

But a lawyer for Shenandoah told jurors Tuesday that within months of the opening in 1993, Newton became suspicious that he was being cheated out of huge sums of money.

He began bullying the partners, threatening the son of shareholder Eugene Bicknell on one occasion, Shenandoah lawyer Vince O'Flaherty told jurors.

Bicknell and co-shareholders Gary Snadon and Richard Gallagher have filed a counterclaim accusing Newton of damaging their reputations.

After Newton's music hall closed, he performed at Tony Orlando's Yellow Ribbon Theatre, which has gone bankrupt. The two now take turns headlining at their new Talk of the Town theater.

GENE SISKEL

NEW YORK (AP) - Gene Siskel is recuperating from surgery for a growth on his brain. A spokesman for the film critic gave few details about the operation.

Siskel was recovering Tuesday at a New York hospital, where doctors have given him a good prognosis, said the spokeswoman for "Siskel & Ebert," the Chicago-based syndicated television show starring Siskel and fellow critic Roger Ebert.

The spokeswoman refused to give her name or details of the surgery.

Siskel, 52, expects to resume taping the show when Ebert returns later this month from the Cannes Film Festival in southern France, the spokeswoman said. Siskel also writes reviews for the *Chicago Tribune*.

GINGER BAKER

KIOWA, Colo. (AP) - In the past year, rock star Ginger Baker scrapped with immigration officials, lost a beloved polo pony and suffered injuries that threaten his drumming.

"A year ago I was the happiest guy in America," said Baker, who together with Eric Clapton and Jack Bruce formed the 1960s rock group Cream. "Today I'm a very sad fellow. Extremely sad."

The transplanted Brit is giving up his beloved horse farm near Denver and looking for a new country to call home. Baker said in Tuesday's *Rocky Mountain News* that he has narrowed his search to Italy or Ireland.

At 58, Baker thought the routine of caring for his horses and his ranch would last a lifetime. But things began to unravel last June when his horse caretaker, a fellow Briton, was deported in a green card controversy. Baker said he was fined \$2,000 for employing the caretaker.

Two weeks ago, Baker received word that his own visa was extended to April 2000, but his stay is linked to keeping a record deal threatened by horse-related shoulder and rib injuries.

"It seems like I've done it all for nothing," Baker said.

R.E.M.

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) - It may not be a Grammy, but R.E.M. has earned an award for its concern for historic buildings in Athens.

The Student Historic Preservation Organization of the University of Georgia presented bassist Mike Mills with a plaque Monday. The award includes a piece of plaster molding from the school's Demonsthenian Hall, built in 1824.

The band members have restored several historic buildings in Athens, where Mills has lived for 20 years. They have also tried to prevent the destruction of historic homes and contributed to studies for a downtown warehouse district.

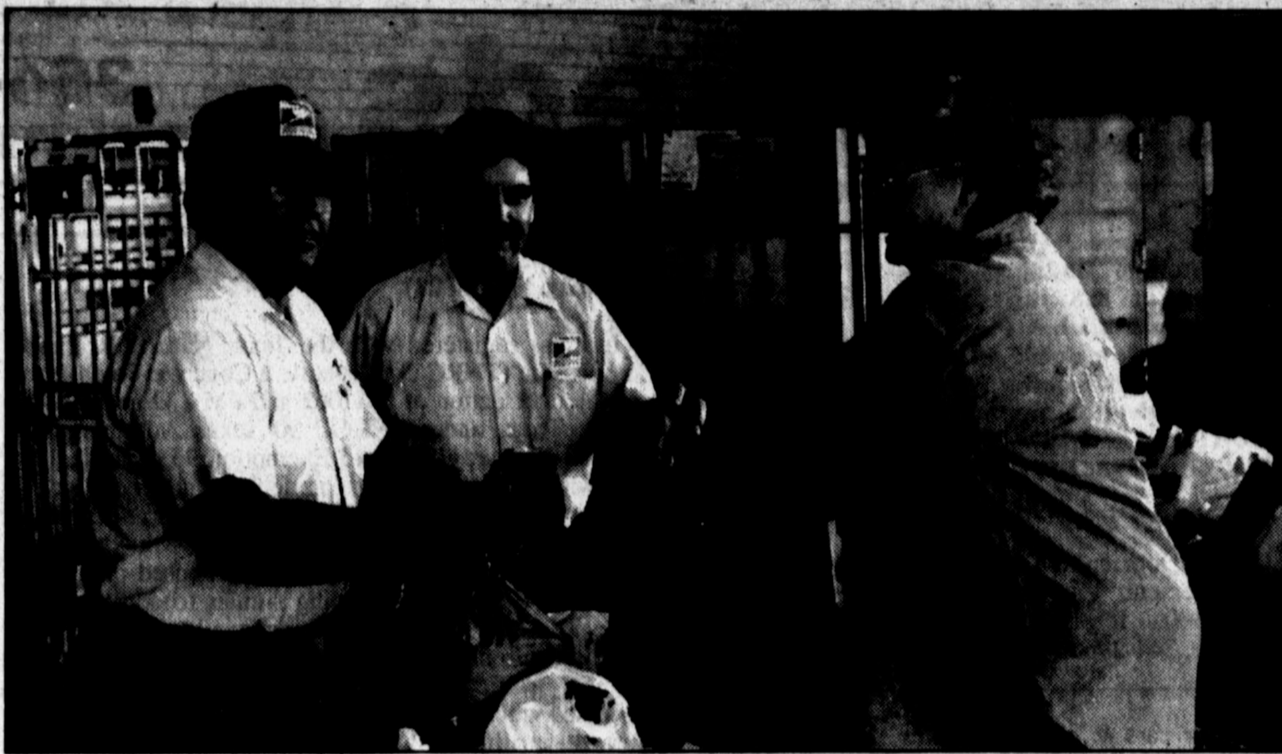


Photo by Don Cooper

Food delivered

Sally Walker, volunteer coordinator at the Hereford Food Bank, accepts delivery of donated food items from letter carriers Leon Trevino (left) and Robert Gallegos. The Hereford mail carriers collected nearly 5,000 pounds of non-perishable food items Saturday while making their rounds. The food was turned over to the food bank on Tuesday.

GOP targeting tobacco bill

WASHINGTON (AP) - A key conservative senator is joining the movement to kill Congress' leading tobacco bill because, he says, it contradicts the conservative principles on which the GOP won control of Congress.

"This bill is nothing more than a big government boondoggle cloaked in the language of 'protecting children,'" Sen. John Ashcroft, D-Mo., said in a statement Tuesday.

Ashcroft's announcement, expected today, was the latest in a series of increasing attacks on the bill, which passed the Senate Commerce Committee 19-1

on April 1. Sponsored by Chairman John McCain, R-Ariz., the measure would charge the tobacco industry \$516 billion and approve vast new power to the Food and Drug Administration.

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott plans to bring the issue to the Senate floor on Monday.

Many conservative Republicans say the bill simply means higher taxes and bigger government bureaucracy, anathema to the GOP message as the party defends its majority in this election year.



Photo by Julius Bodner

Fan honored

Tom Bailey (right), president of the Whiteface Booster Club, presents the booster club's prestigious Fan of the Year Award to Bobby Boyd during the annual all-sports banquet at the Bull Barn. The banquet, held Monday evening, recognizes individuals and athletes who have contributed to Hereford High School athletic programs.

Fortier sentencing

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - Michael Fortier's attorneys called their client "the mailman who delivered the evidence" in the Oklahoma City bombing trials of Timothy McVeigh and Terry Nichols.

That wasn't enough for a federal judge to go easy on Fortier, saying the 168 deaths that resulted from the April 19, 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Building can be considered in determining his sentence.

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Senate votes to restore food stamps for aliens

WASHINGTON (AP) - Food stamp benefits would be restored to 250,000 legal immigrants under legislation passed by the Senate, which brushed aside arguments that it would reverse the 1996 welfare law.

The five-year, \$1.9 billion bill, sent to the House on a 92-8 vote Tuesday, also would provide new financial guarantees for crop insurance and set aside new money for agricultural research in what

supporters said was a balance intended to appeal to both urban anti-hunger forces and farm advocates.

"This is a carefully crafted compromise," said Sen. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa.

On a 77-23 vote, the Senate defeated an attempt by Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, to send the bill back to committee, which would have effectively killed it.

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