

IMPORTED BEER SPECIAL
 Wednesday 7-closing
YESTERDAYS
 18 Imported Beers
 on Special

Head for the Mountain
Mount Aggie
 AGGIE
 UPHILL Δ DOWNHILL
 CLASSIC
 coming
 November 14, 1988

texas a&m

WordPerfect

One-week classes for students who want to learn this important word processing program

Cost \$35.00

November 9 - November 13
 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Sterling C. Evans Library
 Learning Resources Department
 Room 604 845-2316

AIM HIGH

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST
 PHARMACIST
 OPTOMETRIST

The Air Force can make you an attractive offer — outstanding compensation plus opportunities for professional development. You can have a challenging practice and time to spend with your family while you serve your country. Find out what the Air Force offers. Call

T Sgt Smith
 713-661-5613 Collect

Mario & Sons Pizzeria
 REAL ITALIAN STYLE

Free Delivery 846-0379
Best Pizza in Town Northgate

Large 16" One Topping Thin Crust Pizza \$5.99 + tax

Mario & Sons Pizzeria
 REAL ITALIAN STYLE

Free Delivery 846-0379
Best Pizza in Town Northgate

Small 12" One Topping Thin Crust Pizza \$4.99 + tax

Holiday Sale **Contact Lenses** **Limited Time Offer**

Only Quality Name Brands (Bausch & Lomb, Ciba, Barnes-Hinds-Hydrocurvel)

- *\$79.00 -STD. DAILY WEAR SOFT spare pr. only \$39.50 LENSES
- *\$99.00 -STD. EXTENDED WEAR spare pr. only \$49.50 SOFT LENSES
- *\$99.00 -STD. TINTED SOFT LENSES DAILY WEAR OR EXTENDED WEAR

Spare PR at 1/2 price with purchase of first pr at regular price!

Call 696-3754 For Appointment

Sale ends Dec. 30, 1987
 Offer applies to standard Bausch & Lomb, Ciba, Barnes-Hinds lenses only.

CHARLES C. SCHROEPEL, O.D., P.C.
 DOCTOR OF OPTOMETRY

* Eye exam & care kit not included

707 South Texas Ave., Suite 101D
 College Station, Texas 77840
 1 block South of Texas & University

McGuire's 49 homers makes rookie unanimous choice for rookie of year

NEW YORK (AP) — Oakland first baseman Mark McGuire, whose 49 home runs set a major-league record for a first-year player, was unanimously selected Rookie of the Year in the American League, the Baseball Writers Association of America announced Tuesday.

McGuire, the choice of all 28 voters, is the second unanimous selection in the 40-year history of the award. Carlton Fisk of the Boston Red Sox was the first, in 1972.

"The thing that really got me," McGuire said, "was when I was told it was unanimous and that Carlton Fisk was the only other one to do that. That was pretty nice."

McGuire's selection marked the first time since 1958-59 that players from the same team won the AI

award in consecutive seasons. Oakland's Jose Canseco was the 1986 recipient. Washington's Albie Pearson and Bob Allison were the last to be selected in consecutive seasons.

McGuire earned 140 points to 64 for the runnerup, third baseman Kevin Seitzer of the Kansas City Royals. Catcher Matt Nokes of the Detroit Tigers was third with 32 points.

McGuire broke Al Rosen's AL rookie home run mark of 37, set with Cleveland in 1950, then broke the major-league record of 38 set by Wally Berger of the Boston Braves in 1930 and tied by Frank Robinson of Cincinnati in 1956.

"I don't even think about it," McGuire said about hitting homers. "I've never even put myself in the

position where I thought I would lead the American League in home runs."

McGuire, in fact, tied the Chicago Cubs' Andre Dawson for the major-league homer lead while driving in 118 runs and batting .289.

McGuire's record-breaking 39th homer was off 300-game winner Don Sutton of the California Angels on Aug. 14 at Anaheim Stadium.

With four homers in April and 15 in May, McGuire fell one short of Mickey Mantle's major-league record, set in 1956, of 20 homers in the season's first two months.

McGuire gave up a chance to go for his 50th homer in the final game of the season to be with his wife, Kathy, as she gave birth to their first child. McGuire, who turned 24 the

last week of the season, was determined all year to keep his achievements in perspective. Home runs, he said, were secondary to winning.

"He's so solid mentally," La Russa says. "That's one reason he's been able to do it. He's got a ton of ability but he kept himself real composed. He never got too high or too low."

Seitzer became the 13th rookie in major-league history to reach the 200-hit mark, finishing with 207. The last time it happened was 1966 when Tony Oliva of Minnesota had 217 hits and Richie Allen of Philadelphia had 201. The Kansas City third baseman also had 15 homers, 83 RBI and a .323 average.

Nokes replaced departed free agent Lance Parrish as Detroit catcher and hit 32 homers with 33 RBI while batting .289.

Baseball players' contract incentive clauses allow vets to earn thousands for a day's work

NEW YORK (AP) — Lance Parrish of the Phillies went 1-for-4 in a 9-3 loss to the Atlanta Braves on July 12 and made \$200,000 for it.

Andre Dawson of the Chicago Cubs went 1-for-4 in a 12-0 loss to the Los Angeles Dodgers that afternoon and made \$150,000.

Steve Balboni of the Kansas City Royals went 0-for-4 against the Oakland Athletics Sept. 20 and made \$65,000.

All had incentive bonus clauses in their contracts that added substantially to their salaries if they were not injured by certain points of the season.

A study of baseball salaries published in Tuesday's editions of *The New York Times* and contract details obtained by the Associated Press reveal that several players earned

more in bonuses than they did in salary.

According to *The Times*, there were 57 players who made more than \$1 million and six of them made more than \$2 million — Dan Quisenberry, George Brett, Jim Rice, Eddie Murray, Mike Schmidt and Gary Carter.

The \$200,000 Parrish received for being in that July 12 game was a bonus for not being on the disabled list by the All-Star break, and it made him a 1987 millionaire. His salary was \$800,000.

Parrish and Dawson were the only two premier free agents who changed teams last season. Dawson took a \$1 million pay cut to sign a \$500,000 contract with the Chicago Cubs, the team he wanted to play for.

The veteran left fielder earned an extra \$150,000 when he did not go on the disabled list before the All-Star break and another \$50,000 when he was named to the National League All-Star team.

He led the major leagues with 137 runs batted in and tied for the lead with 49 home runs. Because of owner's desires to reduce salaries, Dawson had to take a huge pay cut to switch teams.

He is almost certain to file for salary arbitration.

Balboni was released by the Royals following the 1986 season. He earned \$625,000 but hurt his back Sept. 9 and missed the remainder of the season.

Kansas City offered him a 1987 contract that guaranteed only \$100,000 but included bonuses of

\$65,000 for every 30 games that he did not go on the disabled list.

So even though he batted .207 with 24 home runs and 60 RBI in 121 games, Balboni earned a \$525,000 in bonuses.

Large bonuses identified by *The Times* went to Don Sutton of the California Angels, who made \$340,000 for games started; Mike Witt of the Angels, who made \$250,000 for innings pitched.

Jim Gott of the Pittsburgh Pirates made \$217,000 in bonuses above his \$100,000 salary for games started.

Charlie Kerfeld of the Houston Astros had perhaps the most unusual contract in baseball. He made \$110,037.37 and 37 boxes of orange Jell-O.

Mom of Arlington Heights football player sues district athletic officials for civil rights violations

FORT WORTH (AP) — The mother of a high school football player filed a lawsuit against state and District 6-5A athletic officials alleging civil rights violations after the youth was ruled ineligible.

Tommie Anderson, the mother of player Ezekiel "Zeke" Richardson, 16, filed the suit Monday in federal district court, alleging the ruling violates the equal protection and due process clauses of the U.S. Constitution.

Officials had ruled that the ineligible Arlington Heights football player would cost the team its district championship.

Papers filed in the suit seek a temporary restraining order to prevent District 6-5A officials from enforcing the ruling. The suit asks the court to void the ruling and restore the boy's eligibility and the team's victories.

U.S. District Judge David O. Bellow Jr. set a hearing on the request for 2 p.m. Wednesday.

The district's 6-5A executive committee, composed of the district's eight principals, ruled on Oct. 27 that Richardson was ineligible because he did not meet residency requirements of the University Interscholastic League.

The ruling caused the school to forfeit four district victories, which dropped its district record from 5-0 to 1-4. The team is now 2-4 in the district and 2-7 overall.

Papers filed in the suit named the executive committee; its chairman, Quince Fulton; and the University Interscholastic League. The Austin-based league is the state governing body for high school athletics.

Mrs. Anderson protested the ruling. She said she signed a lease for an apartment out of the Arlington Heights High School attendance zone on behalf of a friend. But she said she and her son live with her

mother in the Butler housing project, within the Arlington Heights zone.

The league's residency rule "does not consider the circumstances of some inner city kids," said Fort Worth attorney Edward L. Kemble, who filed the suit in federal district court.

The suit claimed the ruling penalizes Richardson because he lives, out of financial necessity, with his grandmother and not in the home of his mother. Documents filed in the suit claimed that infringing a constitutionally protected right.

Old Mesquite Skeeters regain pride

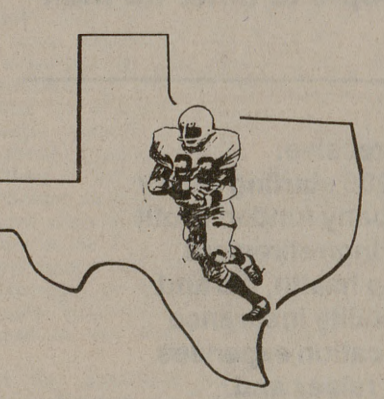
MESQUITE (AP) — Jason Harter remembers that sick feeling. Embarrassment, shame, humiliation. He felt like a second-class citizen, uninvited to the party on the other side of town.

Harter, then a Mesquite High School tight end, watched North Mesquite celebrate another district championship, another rout of his team, and burned inside.

North Mesquite had just whipped the Skeeters, 42-21, to finish the 1986 regular season with a 10-0 record.

The Skeeters, once an area power, were 4-6 and out of the playoffs for the 11th time in the past 12 seasons.

"People around town used to make fun of us," Harter said. "They would laugh at us. It was embarrassing, the worst feeling in the world. And the seniors, they just accepted it."



Mesquite coach Mickey DeLamar, whom many in town credit with saving the Mesquite program.

"It was almost to the point that football was all they thought about. Since then, it all went downhill.

"Mesquite is really two separate towns, North Mesquite and Old Mesquite. People around here have been so hungry for a winner.

"In Old Mesquite, they've been sitting back and wishing and hoping for it for 10 years."

Though the population of the Mesquite school district, with four high schools, is greater than 100,000, Old Mesquite still resembles a small town madly supportive of its one high school.

There is a main street, a town square, the Mesquite Opry on one corner and a barbecue place on another.

"This is still basically a small town," said H.E. Finley, a school board member and a 32-year resident of Mesquite.

"Right now, the town is really excited about the Skeeters again. It's a real topic of conversation at the bank or on the square.

"I just got back from a bank meeting downtown and everybody was talking about Skeeter football. It hasn't been like that for some time.

People are really excited and they just love Coach DeLamar."

A junior varsity coach at Mesquite when the Skeeters reached the state finals in 1974, DeLamar spent 11 seasons at Richardson, 10 as defensive coordinator, before returning to Mesquite.

Once taking over at Mesquite, he and offensive coordinator Steve Halpin (a player on the 1974 Mesquite team) installed the rarely used wishbone offense for a team that had never been known for quickness.

The result has been an average of 295.5 yards of offense per game — numbers that pale in comparison to North Mesquite's 395.6, but have keyed Mesquite's resurgence.

"We run a true triple-option wishbone," DeLamar said. "The quarterback (junior Jeff Hantes) reads everything.

"You can run the wishbone offense, if you run it well, with lesser athletes. . . . You've got to have a good quarterback, and I'd pick out over any quarterback in the district."

That says a lot for Hantes when considering that DeLamar described Highland Park quarterback Case Clyce, whom he will see first-hand this week, as phenomenal.

AMERICAN DREAMS
 AMERICAN REALITIES
 EXPERIENCE . . .

MONDAY, NOV. 9
 6:30 p.m. Rudder Theatre
 admission \$1.00

Sullivan's Outfitters
 your headquarters for all your hunting supplies

Get ready today for Deer Season
 ammunition - new & opsolete, Guns
 reloading equipment, portable deer stands
 game feeders, hunting licenses, knives
 Register before Nov. 14 for the Big Buck Contest

"Under the Moose"
 3602 Old College Rd., Bryan
 260-9831