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3brdm/2bth like new duplexes, spacious, ceiling fans, privacy fence, lawn maintenance. No pets. Mid August. \$975/mo. 775-4225.

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FOR SALE

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1-M/F share new 2-story house in Bryan, near shuttle, 5-min. A&M/Blinn. 4-bdrm, 2.5bth, large yard/deck, w/d and cable, \$300/mo. +1/4-uttl. Year lease/mo. deposit. Available now. 779-1484.

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Laid back Female needed to share 2brdm/1.5bth condo. \$400/mo., all bills paid. Melissa 694-9184.

Male roommate wanted. Fall, spring semester. \$275/mo. Call Allen 694-6811. Fun person wanted.

Male to share new 4-bedroom home. CS, large yard, deck, fireplace. 1-yr. lease, \$325/mo. (979)693-6731 ask for JC or (254)698-7261. jcschoel@edoutfitters.com

Roommate ASAP, M-F, new 4brdm/4bth University Place, \$360/mo. +1/4bills. 764-1816.

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Newspaper Crossword

ACROSS	1 Timber wolves	6 Hammer-wielding god	10 Completed	14 fairs (crawling)	15 Bar mitzvah dance	16 "Not on your "	17 Skyliit courts	18 Prayer ender	19 Burrowing mammal	20 Free-for-all	22 "Ah me!"	23 Spigot	24 Present from birth	26 Apply quickly, as brakes	30 Ore seeker	32 Chinese cuisine	33 Tag-sale shopper, often	37 Word form for "all"	38 Berra and Bear	39 Low-lying area	40 Giving one's name to something	42 ___ stone (unchangeable)	43 Wal-Mart competitor	44 Encroachment	45 Triangular Greek letters	48 ___ Lanka	49 Poet Khayyam	50 In a tough spot	57 Calamitous	58 Additional	59 Islamic text	60 Gymnast																																
DOWN	1 Dryer batch	2 Not tricked by	3 Square-dance site	4 Ken or Lena	5 Astronaut Deke	6 Choreographer	7 Thwyla	8 ___ sapiens	9 Creme-filled cookie	9 Results of a coaches' poll	10 Show Boat song	11 Cello's cousin	12 D's upper neighbor	13 Pee Vee of baseball	21 Make illegal vote	25 Arts-supporting grp.	26 Brogan or loafer	27 Gravy	28 Part of AD	29 Widely accepted	30 Yuletide trio member	31 Pupil surrounder	33 Rude dude	34 Defense grp. since 1949	35 Lamb's nom de plume	36 Tear apart	38 Peruvian-born singer	41 Thumbs-up	42 Half-suppressed laugh	44 Ill temper	45 Long-gone birds	46 Author Zola	47 Humongous	48 Wheat bundle	51 Ritzy	52 Sloth's home	53 Part to play	54 The Emerald Isle	55 Comfort	56 ___slapper (riot)																								
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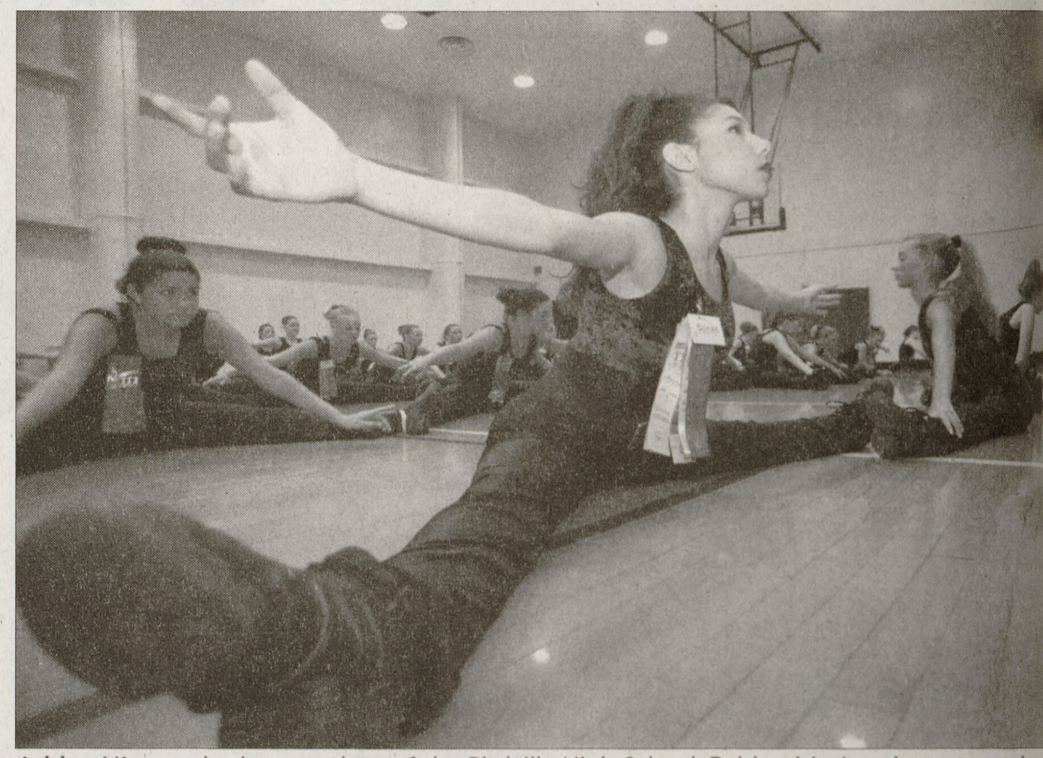
by Fred Piscop Edited by Stanley Newman

Answers to crossword puzzle

GNAW	CLIP	JUMBO
LALA	RACE	UNION
ONE	EVEN	RAKES
BACKSEAT	DRIVER	
OAK	ISB	
SHINS	GRANTWOOD	
WAH	HARASS	ERNO
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6/16/00

Dance fever



Ashlee Nino and other members of the Birdville High School Golden Motion dance team of Birdville, Texas stretch before a practice on Saturday at the Reed Building. The girls will spend hours learning complicated choreography for a competition this week.

Midland judge orders death penalty DNA test

DALLAS (AP) — Upcoming DNA tests could cast doubt on the guilt of a man condemned to die in the 1993 strangling of a 7-year-old suburban Dallas girl, *The Dallas Morning News* reported Saturday in a copyright story on its Website.

An independent North Carolina lab conducted a DNA test in January 1998 on a hair found in the vehicle of Michael Blair, now 30, who was convicted of molesting and killing Ashley Estell.

Prosecutors alleged at the trial that the hair was the victim's.

LabCorp said its test proved the hair not to be the girl's.

The trial was moved to Midland because of publicity in the Dallas area. Blair's attorneys are trying to have the conviction overturned.

In a story for its Sunday edition, *The Dallas Morning News* reported that a Midland judge has ordered DNA tests on two other hairs found in Blair's car and said by the prosecution to belong to Ashley.

After its 1998 test, LabCorp said: "Although the DNA activity in this sample fails to meet reporting standards due to its weakness, Ashley Estell ... is excluded as a possible contributor of the genetic material in this sample."

A forensic expert in Virginia contacted by Collin County prosecutor Tom O'Connell called the results of the test "inconclusive at best."

Doubts surrounding Blair's case come as Texas death row convictions are being questioned nationwide.

Gov. George W. Bush issued his first reprieve recommendation in 5 1/2 years June 1 to Ricky McGinn, 43, because of questions surrounding his guilt in the 1993 murder of his 12-year-old stepdaughter in Brown County. His execution has been delayed to allow DNA testing.

Campaigning in Florida Saturday, Gov. Bush told *Dallas Morning News* that he would have to check on the status of the Blair case with his lawyers in Austin and would be handled like all other death penalty cases.

"There's going to be two questions asked," Bush said "the question about whether the man is guilty or not, and the question as to whether or not he's had full access to the courts."

Blair has had two executions stayed. A new execution date won't be set until his federal appeals run their course. Reports on other hair samples authorities say belong to Ashley that were found in Blair's car are due out later this month, said Roy Greenwood of Austin, one of Blair's appellate attorneys.

Blair's attorneys also hope to test two hairs found on the transfer sheet that carried Ashley's body and on the waistband of her underwear. A prosecution expert believed that microscopic analysis of the hairs showed they came from a man of the same race as Blair.

Because the DNA tests would destroy the hair samples, Blair's attorneys are waiting for the results of the hairs on the car before asking a federal judge to allow testing.

STUDENTS

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decision to eliminate cut will decrease the morale of student participation.

"I'm extremely disappointed and disheartened at the termination of cut," Thompson said. "I'm in complete awe they cut it out. It [taking away cut] completely blows morale." The crowded Memorial Student Center (MSC) Flagroom was silent with anticipation as students waited to hear the fate of bonfire.

After Bowen's announcement, some students were pleased with his decision.

"For two years, I think it is worth the wait, and the safety of the people is more important than just building a bonfire right away," said Chee-seag Lee, a chemistry graduate student.

Kimmy Skelkel, a prospective student, said she's satisfied with Bowen's decision.

"I know the families are devastated by the bonfire incident," Skelkel said. "I think it's a really good idea that he's waiting to make it safe."

However, not all students agree with Bowen's decision.

Sara Proffitt, a freshman journalism major, said Bowen's decision was influenced by outsiders' views of the bonfire tradition.

"It's a decision more for the public because they are looking in on us and making their own judgments," Proffitt said.

Christopher Lafield, former Moses Hall roommate of John Comstock and a sophomore mechanical engineering major, said he was upset about Bowen's decision.

"They took away what brought A&M together," Lafield said. "I can understand that they would be apprehensive, but bonfire should continue — just with supervision."

Lafield said Comstock told him Bowen's decision over the phone Thursday.

"He (Comstock) feels pretty much the way I do," Lafield said. "We just hope that there is something that we, the students, can do to change their minds."

Frampton said the announcement brought her and her family a sense of closure.

"I can't speak for the other families, but it has brought us one closer to closure," she said. "It's easier (to deal with Jeremy's death) as time goes on, but it has been hard this summer because always came home for the summer. I'm just glad a decision was made."

ATHLETE'S FOOT STUDY

Volunteers, ages 12 and up, needed for a 6-week research study of investigational medication for the treatment of athlete's foot. Eligible volunteers will be compensated.

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