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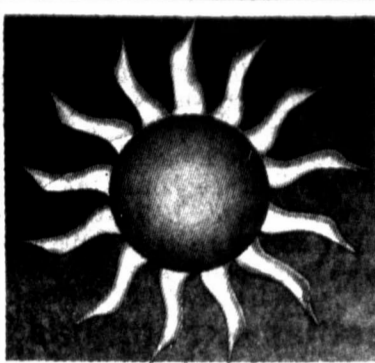
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BONHAM, Texas (AP) — The Texas Historical Commission is appealing to Gov. George W. Bush for \$350,000 needed to repair the landmark Sam Rayburn House after a December fire.

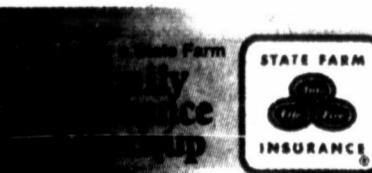
The family home of Rayburn, who served as U.S. House speaker longer than anyone in American history, is operated as a museum.

It has been closed since the Dec. 4 blaze, triggered by a breaker-box short, caused severe damage.

House director Bridget Jones said she notified the commission about the estimated \$350,000 needed for cleanup and repairs, and commission officials appealed to Bush.

- **Sylvian Bradstreet Brown, 62**, lifelong Wheeler resident.
- **Johnie A. Burrell, 81**, farmer, rancher.
- **Robert L. Call, Sr., 72**, retired employee of Cities Service Oil Company.
- **Jim D. Carroll, 62**, farmer, rancher.
- **Annie J. Sims, 75**, homemaker.
- **Nettie Townes, 79**, retired bookkeeper.
- **Annie Hazel Wade, 92**, longtime Pampa resident.

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Voters ok half-cent PEDC tax

For -770, Against - 487

By JEFF WEST
Staff Writer

When all the campaigning and letter writing was done, 61 percent of the people who voted gave their approval to continue the half-cent sales tax and thereby the Pampa Economic Development Corporation.

The numbers won't be official until they are polled Tuesday but the unofficial count was 1,257 votes with 770 voting for the measure and 487 voting against.

"We are elated at this support," said Lew Mollenkamp, director of the PEDC. "This will pave the way to proceed on a number of projects, including some we've had to put on hold, contingent on this election."

Mayor Bob Neslage said, "I am very pleased with the results. We were reaching a fork in the road with what we could do."

Chamber of Commerce President and PEDC board member, Richard Stowers said, "This is super. It will be great

for the business prospects in Pampa. It will bring in new business which will help the overall economy."

Only about 10 percent of Pampa's registered voters came to the polls which Mollenkamp says is probably typical of a one-issue Saturday election.

Neslage said, "I've always been disappointed in Pampa's turnout in all of our elections. I wish I knew what I could do get people more interested in our elections."

Mollenkamp said this vote will send a message, "Now Pampa is on the record as competing for jobs."

He said that he would of course have liked to have received 100 percent approval but said 61 percent was very gratifying. Neslage said he going to try and communicate better with the 39 percent that voted against the measure. He said he hopes to provide them with a positive impact in a material way.

Mollenkamp said he still has a problem though.

"I thought I would sleep better once this election was over, but now I'm thinking about how to make some of these deals we have in the works happen," he said.

"I've always been disappointed in Pampa's turnout in all of our elections. I wish I knew what I could do get people more interested in our elections."

— Mayor Bob Neslage

Artrain to stay additional day

By MIRANDA G. BAILEY
Staff Writer

The Artrain will be in Pampa one day longer than anticipated. Pampa Fine Arts Association (PFAA) President Loralee Cooley received confirmation earlier last week that the train will be able to stay in town for a total of six days, instead of the original five planned. The train is scheduled for arrival Feb. 19.

"I was so excited to get another day," Cooley said. The additional day comes with an additional price tag.

"I hope we can accommodate the extra \$1,000 ... I hope we can raise that," Cooley said.

The necessity for another day of Artrain exhibition became evident, Cooley said, after she realized that several area schools were signed up to visit and that didn't include all of Pampa ISD.

At least six panhandle school districts are signed up to visit the train and Cooley said last week she was expecting more with the

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More welfare checks reduced as penalty

Work rule non-compliance cited

HOUSTON (AP) — As promised, thousands of Texas welfare checks are getting smaller.

By last month, 14,555 adult welfare recipients statewide were under penalty of sanctions, more than triple the number under sanctions a year earlier, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

Monthly welfare checks are docked as punishment for recipients who don't enroll in the state's welfare-to-work programs.

Recipients such as Anna Pena of Houston say they have reasonable excuses for not doing so.

Ms. Pena, who has six children, opened her mailbox in mid-December and found bad news from the Texas Department of

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All-State Choir has PHS pupils

Four Pampa High School students made the Texas All-State Choir recently at Frenship High School at the Area A auditions.

Making the choir was Andy Fernuik, first chair, first tenor; Brad Allen, second chair, second tenor; Thann Scoggin, first chair, first bass; and Dillon Hill, third chair, first bass.

The all-state choir auditions are a culmination of three previous auditions that began in late September at the district level. The auditions for the Texas All-State choir includes schools 1A through 5A from El Paso region, the Midland-Odessa region, the Lubbock region, and the Amarillo region.

Students had to prepare the entire major work Beethoven's Mass in C. In addition, two additional pieces by Johannes Brahms sung in German had to be prepared. Each student was given a line of music to sight sing.

These four students will join the other students from across the state to meet with the Texas All-State Choir in San Antonio



PHS's Brad Allen, front left, Andy Fernuik, Thann Scoggin, back left, and Dillon Hill made the Texas All State Choir recently at Frenship High School at the Area A auditions.

in February to rehearse and perform the major work with the North Texas State University orchestra under the direction of Anton Brusilow. The clinician and director for

the 1998 Texas All-State Choir will be in Lila Cockrell Theater in the San Antonio Convention Center.

The All-State Choir is reputed to be the finest performing high school choral group in the world. About 13,000 young people start the audition process each year. 280 high school students will comprise the 1998 Texas All-State Choir.



Student leaders from each of the high school's student organizations were invited to a reception in their honor. (from left) Peter Caswell — Speech and Debate Team Officer, Marty Field — Speech and Debate Team Officer, Mindee Stowers —Varsity Cheerleader and Faustine Curry — Student Council and Science Club Officer, were some of the students honored.

Board honors PHS leaders

By MIRANDA G. BAILEY
Staff Writer

A complete listing of the student leaders honored at the reception will be printed in a later edition of the paper.

The good silver was brought out and all were dressed in their Sunday best when Pampa High School leaders were honored by the district Board

of Education at the Pampa High School library.

Students who hold office in any of the high school's organizations were "treated royally" Thursday night by the board with complimentary goods ranging from white-chocolate-dipped popcorn to individual crowns.

Following the reception, the board resumed its regularly scheduled meeting at 6:45 p.m. and received a brief elementary school construction

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Pay tax at these locations

Chief Appraiser Pat Bagley, of the Gray County Appraisal District, wants taxpayers to be aware of where to pay property taxes for the coming year.

The Appraisal District will continue to collect property taxes for Lefors Independent School District only through Jan. 31.

Beginning Feb. 1, property taxes for all the taxing units within the Appraisal District will be collected at the Gray County Assessor/Collectors office on the ground floor of the courthouse. The mailing address is P.O. Box 382, Pampa, TX 79066-0382.

The districts are: Grandview-Hopkins Independent School District, McLean Independent School District, Lefors Independent School District, Pampa Independent School District, City of Lefors, City of McLean, City of Pampa, Gray County Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District #3.

Any applications for all type of exemptions, and any other changes will be taken at the Appraisal District office at 815 N. Sumner in Pampa.

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Services

BURRELL, Johnie A. — 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Shamrock.
CARROLL, Jim D. — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.
TOWNES, Nettie — Memorial services, 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.
WADE, Annie Hazel — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Fairview Cemetery, Pampa.

Obituaries

SYLVIANN BRADSTREET BROWN
WHEELER — Sylvian Bradstreet Brown, 62, died Saturday, Jan. 17, 1998. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Roy Jones, pastor of United Pentecostal Church of Allison, and the Rev. Don Larkin, retired Baptist minister of Pampa, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.
 Mrs. Brown was born Jan. 12, 1936, at Wheeler, to Marvin and Eula Davee Bradstreet. She was a lifelong Wheeler resident. She married Guy Charley Brown on Sept. 12, 1958, at Wheeler; he died Aug. 31, 1985. She was a homemaker and a member of United Pentecostal Church of Allison.
 She was preceded in death by her parents and by two brothers, Coy Bradstreet and Travis Bradstreet.
 Survivors include five sisters, Thelma Baily of Dexter, N.M., Ruth Taylor of Wheeler, Rosalie Keelin of Briscoe, Floy Larkin of Pampa and Joy Garrison of Borger; and a brother, Roy Bradstreet of Wheeler.
 The family requests memorials be to Epilepsy Foundation or to Allison United Pentecostal Church.

JOHNIE A. BURRELL
SHAMROCK — Johnie A. Burrell, 81, died Sunday, Jan. 18, 1998. Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bruce Parks of Lubbock and the Rev. John Dorn officiating with the Rev. Ken Cole, retired pastor of Spearman, assisting. Burial will be in Kelton Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors of Shamrock.
 Mr. Burrell was born at Vernon. He had been a Wheeler County resident most of his life. He married Hallie Jeanette Chilton on March 30, 1935, at Sayre, Okla. He farmed and ranched and was president of the Kelton School Board for three years.
 He was instrumental in the consolidation of Center, Rock and Davis schools. He was a member of the Wheeler County Farm Bureau board and Wheeler County ASCS Community Committee. He also served on the Tax Evaluation Board at Kelton and received the Good Neighbor award from the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce in 1978. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge #929 and Order of the Eastern Star. He served on various boards at First United Methodist Church for many years.
 Survivors include his wife, Hallie, of Kelton; two daughters, Jona Lea Durham of Aransas Pass and Sherry Chapman of Dickinson; a sister, Imogene Bradford of Amarillo; two brothers, Harold Burrell of Yuba City, Calif., and Bob Burrell of Pampa; and three grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First United Methodist Church Memorial Fund or to Baptist St. Anthony's Hospice.
ROBERT L. CALL, SR.
 Robert L. Call, Sr., 72, of Pampa, died Friday, Jan. 16, 1998. Services will be at 4 p.m. Monday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with Howard Swinney, minister of Lefors Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.
 Mr. Call was born March 11, 1925, at Eldorado, Ark. He moved from Monroe, La., to Lefors when he was 14 and graduated from Lefors High School. He married Edna Cornett in 1942 at Lefors; she died in 1980. He was a gas tester for Cities Service Oil Company, retiring in 1982.
 He was a member of Lefors Church of Christ, Pampa Chapter of Knights of Pythias and Elks Lodge of Carmichael, Calif. He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving with an amphibious unit in the Southeast Asian theater of World War II.
 Survivors include a daughter, Sandra Phillips of Odessa; son, Robert Call, Jr., of Pampa; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.
 The family requests memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle, P.O. Box 2795, Pampa, TX 79066-2795.

JIM D. CARROLL
 Jim D. Carroll, 62, of Pampa and Canadian, died Friday, Jan. 16, 1998. Services will be at 4 p.m. Tuesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with E.E. Graham, pastor of Locust Grove Baptist Church of Lipscomb, and the Rev. Dale Moreland, associate pastor of First Baptist Church of Pampa, officiating. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday in Bethesda Cemetery at Weatherford.
 Mr. Carroll was born Nov. 11, 1935, at Munday and grew up at Weatherford and in California. He married Vivian on Dec. 13, 1957, at Lipscomb. He had resided on the Mark Rogers Ranch near Canadian for the past five years and was engaged in farming and ranching. He also maintained a residence in Pampa.
 Survivors include his wife, Vivian; three sons, Gregory Paul Carroll, Jim Edward Carroll and Michael Dale Carroll, all of California; a stepson, Gregory Leroy Malone of Pampa; his mother, Molly Odell Proctor of Indio, Calif.; two sisters, Margaret Dean Skaggs of Arizona and Edith Claudine Mandig of Palm Springs, Calif.; two brothers, Loren Carroll of Weatherford and Jack Carroll of Houston; six grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.
 The family will be at 3013 Rosewood in Pampa and requests memorials be to the American Cancer Society.

ANNIE J. SIMS
 Annie J. Sims, 75, of Pampa, died Saturday, Jan. 17, 1998. Graveside services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.
 Mrs. Sims was born Feb. 26, 1922, at Carter, Okla. She had been a longtime resident of Borger, moving to Pampa in 1986. She had been a resident of Coronado Nursing Center for the past 10 years, where she was an Alzheimers patient. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.
 She was preceded in death by three sisters, Abe Walls, Lorene McGill and Minnie Dover; and two brothers, Alford Rippetoe and Jap Rippetoe.
 Survivors include three daughters, Charlene Collins of Borger, Alicia Burke of Pampa and Terry Porter of Borger; four brothers, Bill Rippetoe of Sayre, Okla., Carroll Rippetoe of Clarendon, Jack Rippetoe and Gene Rippetoe, both of Pampa; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.
 The family requests memorials be to Alzheimer's Association, Panhandle Chapter, 2200 W. 7th, Amarillo, TX 79106; or to Crown of Texas Hospice.
NETTIE TOWNES
 Nettie Townes, 79, of Pampa, died Saturday, Jan. 17, 1998. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Dale Moreland, associate pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. The body was cremated and consequently will not be available for viewing. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.
 Mrs. Townes was born Aug. 7, 1918, at Junction City, Kan. She was a former longtime Amarillo resident, moving to Pampa in 1992 from Houston. She was bookkeeper at Franklin's Ladies Shop of Amarillo for many years. She was a Baptist.
 She was preceded in death by two husbands, Bill J. Howard and R.L. Townes; a sister, Marguerite Sagl; and two brothers, Harold Story and Jack Story.
 Survivors include a son, Jerry Howard of Houston; a sister, LaVell Wilson of El Paso; and a brother, Bob Story of Pampa.
ANNIE HAZEL WADE
WOODWARD, Okla. — Annie Hazel Wade, 92, a longtime Pampa resident, died Friday, Jan. 16, 1998, at Tender Hearts Nursing Home in Woodward. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa.
 Mrs. Wade was born Aug. 13, 1905, in Coleman County, Texas, to William and Louisa Warrick. She married Audie B. Wade on Oct. 27, 1922; he died in 1987. The couple made their home in Pampa for many years. She was a member of Assembly of God Church.
 She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, Sam B. Wade; and a grandson, Bob Wade.
 Survivors include three daughters, Eycile Young of Woodward, Montez Kirbie of Merced, Calif., and Vontell Pryor of Bakersfield, Calif.; a son, Wilbert Wade of Grand Prairie; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.
 The body will lie in state from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday at Briarwood Assembly of God Church in Pampa.

Sheriff's Office
 The Gray County Sheriff's Department reported the following arrests during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Saturday, January 17
 Lonnie Dale Fly, 33, 928 Sumner, was arrested for public intoxication.
 Jennifer Lynn Hazen, 23, Orlando Fla., was arrested for aggravated robbery.
 Dustin Allen Vanmeter, 23, Orlando Fla., was arrested for aggravated robbery.
Sunday, January 18
 Javier Perez, 25, Miami, was arrested for issuance of a worthless check.

Police report
 The Pampa Police Department reported the following arrests and calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Saturday, January 17
 A report of theft was taken in the 1500 block of N. Wells, no value reported. One person was arrested.
 Tracy Williams, 27, 1040 Huff, was arrested on two warrants.
 Ray Boyd Spencer, no age given, 445 S. Graham, was arrested on a warrant.
 William Smillie Bradley, 45, 319 Roberta, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.
Sunday, January 18
 Maricella Chavez, 17, 9006 E. Jordan, was arrested for criminal trespass.
 Shanna Mohar, 32, 617 Lefors, was arrested for failure to appear and no insurance.

Stocks
The market is closed today in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday

Emergency numbers
 Ambulance.....911
 Crime Stoppers.....669-2222
 Emergas.....665-5777

BOARD

report at the top of the hour.
 Action items considered and accepted include:
 • the participation of Pampa ISD in the West Texas Food Service Cooperative and Commodity Processing for the 1998-99 school year
 • the high school's Distinguished Achievement Program
 • high school waiver request to teach Early Childhood Professions I and II
 • appointment of James Fruge to fill a vacancy

on the Gray County Appraisal District Board of Directors
 • cash and expenditures for Dec., 1997 and monthly financial and quarterly investment reports.
 The meeting went into executive session after administrative reports were given concerning the district and campus planning process and timeline, the board training level II scheduled for Feb. 19, and the district's reading recovery and auditory programs.
 No action was taken into executive session.

Texas shorts...

Teen-ager arrested for wearing shirt judged obscene

NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas (AP) — A civil liberties group will investigate the case of a teen-ager arrested because his T-shirt was judged obscene by fellow grocery shoppers.
 John Schroeder, 18, was arrested at an H-E-B grocery store last Thursday while wearing a T-shirt for the shock rock band Marilyn Manson.
 Schroeder's mother, Olga Schroeder, said she and her son were in the store's cheese section when a New Braunfels police officer approached with another female customer.
 "He put his hand on my son's shoulder and said, 'You're coming with me,'" she told the San Antonio Express-News. "It happened so fast, I was stunned. I'm totally shocked this happened, even in New Braunfels."
 Mrs. Schroeder said the woman accompanying the officer complained about her son's shirt, which had Manson's picture on the front and the phrase "I am the God of f---" on the back.

of a murderer.
 Now both mother and son are back in a courtroom trying to prove her innocence as prosecutors seek to convict her a second time for killing her husband in 1987.
 He is still frightened, but no longer helpless.
 A third-year law student at Louisiana State University whose perseverance helped win his mother a new trial, Wade Burnett is now chief investigator for the defense team.

Mowbray's son takes active role in retrial

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Ten years ago, a frightened 16-year-old boy stood on tiptoes in the back of a crowded courtroom and watched helplessly as a jury sentenced his mother to life in prison.
 They branded her a murderer, and him the son

Tobacco settlement still has several unresolved issues

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — It's been announced. It hasn't been signed.
 Texas Attorney General Dan Morales proclaimed last week that Texas was the third state to settle its lawsuit against eight tobacco companies and three trade groups. But the agreement isn't official until U.S. District Judge David Folsom gives his approval.
 Folsom, who wanted a few days to review the papers, said he would issue his ruling on Tuesday after a long holiday weekend.
 "I know that after 22 months, you lawyers are ready for this to be finalized," Folsom said from his Texarkana courtroom on Friday after hours of meeting with attorneys from both sides.
 One of the issues Folsom has yet to resolve is the payment of private attorneys who worked for the state during the trial. The five trial lawyers had put up their own money to get the lawsuit moving and had been promised 15 percent of any verdict.

Calendar

TOASTMASTERS
 Smooth Talkers and Knee Knockers Toastmasters Club meets 5:45 p.m. Wednesday in the dining room of Furr's Cafeteria. For more information, call Daniel Silva at 669-6351 or Gary Casebier at 665-4214.
CLEAN AIR AL-ANON
 Clean Air Al-Anon will hold weekly meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon at 810 W. 23rd. For more information, call 669-0407 or 669-3988.
PANHANDLE SPE

Russell E. Ott of Artificial Lift Solutions will be speaking Tuesday, Jan. 20 at the Borger Bank Building, 3rd Floor Conference Room. The cost for the luncheon is \$10 per person. Ott will discuss, "Improving Operating Techniques to Reduce Operating Expenses Inexpensively." Call Cindy Boyer at 806-275-3403 for more information.
JUNIOR SERVICE LEAGUE
 Junior service league meeting at St. Vincent Conference Room on January 20th. Please contact Angie Leos, 665-6854.

Ambulance

The Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Saturday, January 17
 11:01 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to a local health care facility and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.
 12:54 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the Columbia Medical Center and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.
 4:41 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Gray 12

1/2 and Gray "E" and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.
Sunday, January 18
 11:50 a.m. — A mobile ICU responded to the 2500 block of Charles and transported one to Columbia Medical Center.
 12:10 p.m. — A mobile ICU responded to Columbia Medical Center and transported to a local nursing facility.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Mostly sunny today with a high of 57 and winds from the south at 20-30 mph and gusting higher. Partly cloudy tonight with a low of 33 and southwest winds at 10-20. Tuesday, partly cloudy and cooler with a high of 53 and northwest winds from 10-20 mph and gusting higher. Yesterday's high was 52; the overnight low 29.
REGIONAL FORECAST
WEST TEXAS — Panhandle — Tonight, partly cloudy with a low near 30. Southwest to west wind diminishing to 10-20 mph with higher gusts. Tuesday, partly cloudy and cooler with a high in the lower 50s. West to northwest wind 10-20 mph with higher gusts. Low Rolling Plains — Tonight, partly cloudy and breezy. Lows from the lower 30s to the lower 40s. Tuesday, partly sunny. Highs from the upper 50s northern south plains to near 70 southern rolling plains. Permian Basin/Upper Trans Pecos — Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows 38-

45. Tuesday, partly sunny. Highs from the mid 60s to near 70. Coastal Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau — Tonight, partly cloudy and breezy. Lows in the lower to mid 40s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs 65-72. Far West Texas — Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 40s. Tuesday, increasing clouds. Highs in the lower 60s. Guadalupe Mountains/Big Bend Area — Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows from the mid 30s to near 50. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs from near 60 mountains to the upper 70s along the river.
BORDER STATES
NORTH TEXAS — Tonight, increasing cloudiness. Low 42 to 48. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. Windy west and central. High 64 to 69.
SOUTH TEXAS — Hill Country and South Central Texas — Tonight, clear. Lows in the upper 40s, upper 30s Hill Country. Tuesday, patchy morning fog, otherwise mostly cloudy. Highs in the upper 60s. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast — Tonight, fair skies. Lows in the lower 40s inland to lower 50s coast. Tuesday, patchy morning fog, otherwise mostly cloudy. Highs in the mid 60s. Coastal Bend and the Rio Grande Plains — Tonight, clear. Lows in the mid 50s coast to the lower 50s inland. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. Highs in the lower 70s coast to the mid 70s inland.
NEW MEXICO — Tonight, mostly cloudy northwest with a slight chance for snow showers. Partly cloudy south. Winds diminishing mid-evening except for east slopes of central mountain chain. Lows 10 to 30 mountains and northwest, mid 20s to near 40 lower elevations east and south. Tuesday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of a shower or snow shower over the far northern mountains and the southwest mountains. Cooler statewide. Highs 30s to 40s mountains and northwest with upper 40s to mid 60s east and south. Lows 0 to 20 mountains and northwest with 20s to mid 30s elsewhere.
OKLAHOMA — Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 30s to lower 40s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of showers central and southeast. Highs in the 50s.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
Sunday, January 18
 11:49 a.m. — Two units and four personnel responded to the 2500 block of Charles on a medical assist.
Monday, January 19
 1:34 a.m. — Three units and four personnel responded to a structure fire at 744 Scott. Five more personnel were called in. The fire is under investigation.

City briefs

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ALL UMBRO Clothing \$5 off. Many more storewide savings! Holmes Sports Center, 304 S. Cuyler. Adv.

Clinton, Jones say willing to settle suit

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supporters of President Clinton and Paula Jones alike are holding open the possibility of settling Jones' sexual harassment lawsuit, even as a trial in the case appeared inevitable.

At that trial, set for May 27, attorneys for Mrs. Jones made clear they will try to establish a pattern of behavior toward other women by Clinton that would lend credence to her claim.

"There's five months before trial, and a lot can change," one of the lawyers, David Pyke, said Sunday on NBC's "Meet the Press," right after he insisted that her lawsuit "is on the train to trial" in a Little Rock, Ark., federal court.

Pyke and other members of Jones' camp made the rounds of television interview shows one day after Clinton gave his deposition in Jones' lawsuit, which accused him of propositioning her for sex nearly seven years ago.

Mrs. Jones' lawyers refused to comment directly on the testimony, citing a gag order by U.S. District Judge Susan Webber Wright. The president's personal attorney, Robert Bennett, did not respond to messages seeking comment on Clinton's deposition, taken over a six-hour period Saturday in

Bennett's office with Mrs. Jones present. Clinton political strategist James Carville, appearing with Pyke on NBC, said initially that he anticipates a trial. He accused Jones' supporters of floating a \$2 million settlement offer — then hinted that Clinton might be amenable to it if Jones would agree to "never utter another public word or make another public appearance."

"And that would be a good thing," Carville said. "That would get you your \$2 million just to go away."

Carville said he spoke against the advice of Bennett, but he did not say whether his comments went against Clinton's wishes.

Mrs. Jones' spokeswoman, Susan Carpenter McMillan, dismissed Carville's claims of a settlement pitch as "a lie." Pyke said any settlement would have to include a statement from Clinton, and there have been no serious offers of that sort.

For his part, Clinton sought normalcy Sunday. He and his wife, Hillary, attended services as usual at Foundry United Methodist Church, left holding hands and stayed at the White House the rest of the day.

Mrs. Jones, who was accompanied to Washington by her husband, Stephen, left town Sunday afternoon, slipping out of her hotel by a rear exit.

With his videotaped, closed-door deposition, Clinton became the first American president to testify as a defendant in a lawsuit.

One source familiar with the testimony said Clinton denied exposing himself to Mrs. Jones and asking her for oral sex in a Little Rock hotel room in 1991, as she has alleged. Clinton did not rule out having been introduced to Mrs. Jones, then an Arkansas state employee, but said he did not remember ever meeting her, the source said.

Newsweek magazine reported in this week's issue that former White House aide Kathleen Willey said in a secret deposition recently that Clinton kissed and fondled her in November 1993 when she met with him in the Oval Office to discuss getting a full-time job. Bennett has denied Willey's account, Newsweek said.

Messages left for Willey's attorney, Dan Gecker, were not returned Sunday.

Newsweek also reported that Danny Ferguson, an Arkansas state trooper who guarded Clinton as governor and said he took Mrs. Jones to Clinton's hotel room, testified in a recent deposition that he escorted another woman to see the then-president-elect on four occasions.

On one of the occasions, the woman appeared at the governor's mansion at 5:15 a.m. in a trench coat and baseball cap, Newsweek quoted Ferguson as saying.

Without confirming or denying the accuracy of the Newsweek reports, another attorney for Mrs. Jones, Jim Fisher, said the legal team "absolutely" is pursuing evidence of a pattern of such behavior on Clinton's part and thinks there "is a substantial basis for our contention" that such a pattern existed.

"And you would be able to prove that in court?" Fisher was asked on CBS' "Face the Nation." "Yes," he replied.

Depending on which side was speaking Sunday, Mrs. Jones or the president was described as relieved and holding a tactical advantage after the deposition.

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ARTRAIN

additional day.

The major expenses for the project now involve the renting of restroom facilities among other utilities and lodging expenses.

The Artrain committee is still looking for interested citizens to vol-

unteer to help with the tours at the train during its Pampa stay.

The train will be open to the general public on the weekend, while the week days will be used for school tours.

The schools signed up to tour the train as of the middle of last week included Pampa's Middle and High Schools, McLean, Perryton, Panhandle, White Deer and Sun Ray school districts.

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WELFARE

Human Services. Her family's welfare check would be 25 percent smaller in 1998. Sure enough, this month the check was only \$235 — \$78 less than usual.

"We just have to scrape by," said Ms. Pena. "The only thing I can say that really helps me out a lot is I'm an apartment manager and I don't pay any rent."

Mrs. Pena believes she has reasonable grounds to appeal her sanction — all of her children came down with the flu, she says, causing her to drop out of school. However, she admits she neglected to formally appeal the penalty.

Participants in back-to-work programs may obtain a high-school education, attend resume-writing classes or participate in job training programs.

Government officials said they reviewed Ms. Pena's file and believe her sanction is justified.

In the Houston region, sanctions nearly quadrupled from December 1996 to December 1997, totaling 3,813 last month, according to state records.

The first sanction lasts at least one month and can be reversed by cooperating with work requirements. A second sanction, however, carries a minimum three-month penalty.

"In the past, the state in general has been lax about sanctioning people for non-participation. I think people are realizing that we are serious that the era of something-for-nothing is over," said Texas Workforce Commission Chairman Bill Hammond.

The sharp upswing in those penalized follows the Workforce Commission's "Operation Jobs" — irreverently referred to by some in the Department of Human Services as "The Blitz."

Under the operation, the Workforce Commission launched a mass mailing last October informing 26,600 Texas welfare recipients not yet participating in welfare-to-work programs that they must show up on appointed dates or see their benefits cut.

The commission recommended sanctions in more than half of the cases. By the end of November, DHS had ruled benefits should continue in 1,078 cases that were appealed.

Out of 15,000 sanctions recommended, only about 7,500 had been carried out by December 1997, said David Beshear, spokesman for the Workforce Commission. That number is expected to increase.

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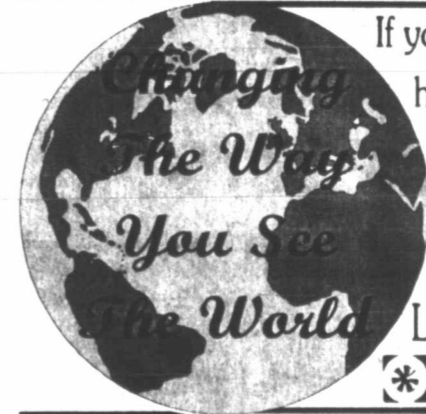
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Opinion

Presidential vows haven't evolved

Bill and Hillary Clinton came to Washington with two related messages that would eventually come back to bite them.

First, they were ostentatiously disdainful of the era of Ronald Reagan as a decade of indulgence. Second, they boasted that the Clinton era would be one of moral renewal in public life — implicitly suggesting that the GOP regime they were displacing had been ethically challenged. In contrast, Clinton vowed, his would be the "most ethical" administration in history.

All this hubris set the Clintons up for a fall. Indeed, this new year could well hold some poetically appropriate retribution for their early moralistic assaults on political and philosophical opponents.

The hypocrisy in their indictment of the 1980s was exposed early on, when it came to light that the Clintons had themselves danced on the edges of financial propriety in speculative and questionable land and legal deals in Arkansas. Also, it was revealed that Hillary Clinton — someone who publicly denounced the nation's drug manufacturers for greed — had been the \$100,000 beneficiary of an overnight commodities windfall at the dawn of the money-grubbing '80s.

And recently a Clinton associate, former Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy, was indicted on charges of accepting illegal gifts.

And more recently the story was brought forth that the Clinton defense fund will close, its efforts hampered by revelations of suspicious contributions, most notably the \$640,000 given by former Little Rock restaurateur and longtime Clinton friend Charlie Trie. Rather than answer questions about the origins of that money, Trie remains in Beijing, China; beyond the reach of investigators. Has Clinton publicly asked Trie to return, or displayed any significant concern about his having fled the country? Not noticeably.

This year could be a bumpy ride for the administration, given up to half of the 20 committees of the House of Representatives will be involved in probes of suspect goings-on in the executive branch. Some in the media have suggested that this amounts to overkill, but when the specific targets of investigation are reviewed, not a one can be dismissed as frivolous. Among the top items: Evidence suggesting that the Interior Department may have blocked approval of an Indian casino in Wisconsin in deference to campaign contributions from a competing Indian tribe; charges by the special prosecutor in the Espy case that officials at the Justice Department hampered key elements of his investigation; and those old perennial that are still thick with question marks — Whitewater, illegal foreign campaign money and the snooping into the background of political opponents that is known as Filegate.

Clinton was right at the outset of his tenure to suggest that ethics in government are important. Unfortunately, his administration has offered one object lesson after another in the danger of not abiding by those words.

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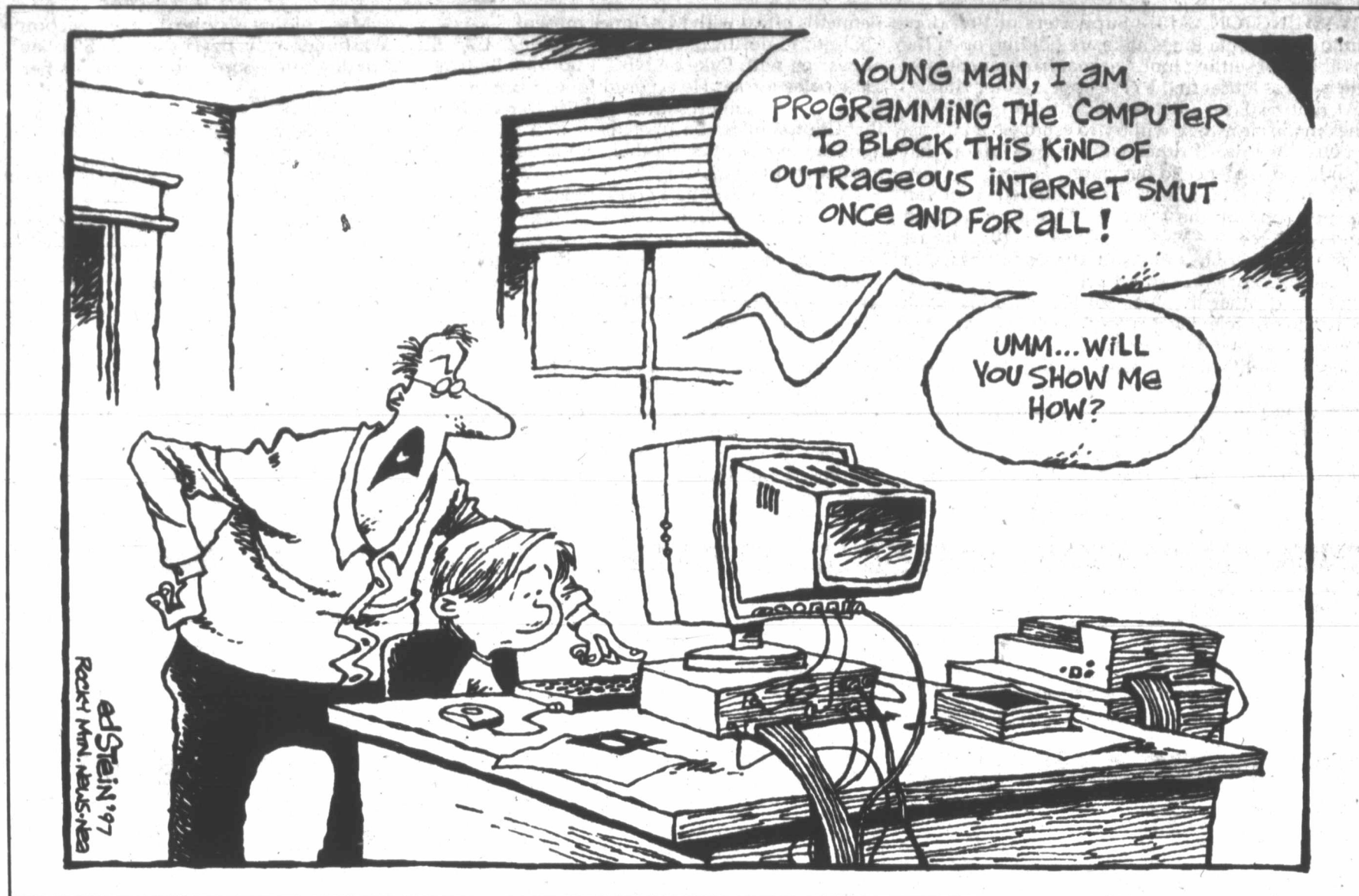
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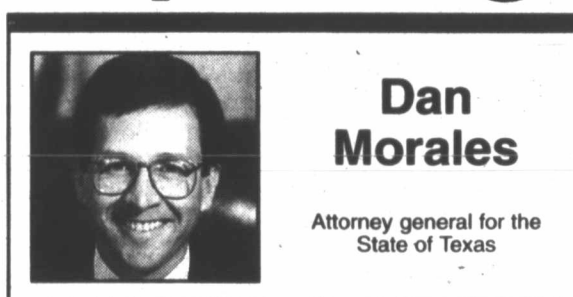
New hiring reporting mandatory

In 1996, the U.S. Congress passed, and the president signed, the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996. Provisions in the act were passed as part of Texas' welfare reform legislation in 1997.

One provision, which will soon become mandatory for all Texas employers, is the Employer New Hire Reporting program. Texas has had a voluntary new hire reporting program since September 1993. Beginning Oct. 1, 1998, businesses will be required to report pertinent information about new hires and rehires to the Office of the Attorney General. The information will be used in locating non-custodial parents who owe child support.

The new hire information provided by employers is compiled in a registry that is compared with a database of individuals who are legally required to pay child support. When a match occurs, a notice is sent to the non-custodial parent's employer notifying the employer to withhold child support.

In 1995, the Texas Legislature expanded the voluntary program and allowed the Texas Workforce Commission, the Workers' Compensation Commission and the Department of Human Services to compare the information with their respective databases. This measure provides each agency a means by which they can better prevent fraud in unemployment compensation, workers' compensa-



Dan Morales
Attorney general for the State of Texas

tion and public assistance.

When employers submit new hire information, they provide assistance not only to the child support program, but also to the children and families who depend on receiving child support checks. They also do a big favor for the taxpaying citizens of Texas.

The benefits employers provide are invaluable. Employers help improve each step of the child support process by assisting us in locating individuals who are attempting to avoid their child support responsibilities. Once a non-custodial parent is located, we can move forward with the next appropriate action — such as paternity establishment, court order establishment or enforcement action.

When employers report their new hire information, they provide the State a means by which government spending on welfare can be reduced. Lack of child support forces some

families to seek public assistance. Timely reporting of new hire information will help locate absent parents and collect child support obligations sooner, thereby decreasing a family's dependence on public assistance.

The citizens of Texas receive a benefit when employers participate in the program. Taxpayers save millions of dollars each year by preventing and detecting fraud in public assistance, unemployment benefits and workers' compensation programs.

Texas' Employer New Hire Reporting program is good for children, good for business and good for Texas.

The Office of the Attorney General is asking all employers to help make a difference in the lives of children by participating now, voluntarily, in our Employer New Hire Reporting program. Remember, federal and state laws make it mandatory for you to begin reporting on Oct. 1, 1998, but think of the number of children you can help in the upcoming months if you begin reporting today.

If you are an employer and would like to begin reporting your new hire information or would like more information about the program, please write, call or fax your request to: Texas Employer New Hire, Reporting Operations Center, P.O. Box 149224, Austin, TX 78714-9224; (888) 839-4473 telephone, (800) 732-5015 fax.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Jan. 19, the 19th day of 1998. There are 346 days left in the year. This is the Martin Luther King Jr. federal holiday.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 19, 1807, Robert E. Lee, the commander-in-chief of the Confederate armies, was born in Stratford, Va.

On this date:

In 1736, James Watt, inventor of the steam engine, was born in Scotland.

In 1809, author Edgar Allan Poe was born in Boston.

In 1853, Verdi's opera "Il Trovatore" premiered in Rome.

In 1861, Georgia seceded from the Union.

In 1944, the federal government relinquished control of the nation's railroads after settling a wage dispute.

In 1955, a presidential news conference was filmed for television for the first time, with permission from President Eisenhower.

In 1966, Indira Gandhi was elected prime minister of India.

In 1970, President Nixon nominated G. Harrold Carswell to the Supreme Court, but the nomination was later defeated because of controversy over Carswell's past racial views.

In 1979, former Attorney General John N. Mitchell was released on parole after serving 19 months at a federal prison in Alabama.

In 1981, the United States and

Iran signed an agreement paving the way for the release of 52 Americans held hostage for more than 14 months.

Ten years ago: State Farm Insurance Co. in California announced that it will pay \$1.3 million to settle a sex discrimination lawsuit brought by three former employees.

Five years ago: Attorney General-designate Zoe Baird apologized to the Senate Judiciary Committee for hiring illegal aliens as domestic help. The first American combat troops flew home from their humanitarian mission in Somalia.

One year ago: Yasser Arafat returned to Hebron for the first time in more than 30 years, joining

60,000 Palestinians in celebrating the handover of the last West Bank city in Israeli control. In Albania, riot police beat demonstrators demanding restitution for money lost in pyramid schemes. "The English Patient" won best picture and "Evita" won in the category of best movie musical or comedy at the Golden Globes.

Today's Birthdays: Actress Jean Stapleton is 75. Actor Fritz Weaver is 72. Former PBS newsman Robert MacNeil is 67. Movie director Richard Lester is 66. Actress Tippi Hedren is 63. Singer Phil Everly is 59. Actor-singer Michael Crawford is 56. Actress Shelley Fabares is 54. Country singer Dolly Parton is 52. ABC newswoman Ann Compton is 51. Singer Robert Palmer is 49.

Reader responses from the mailbag

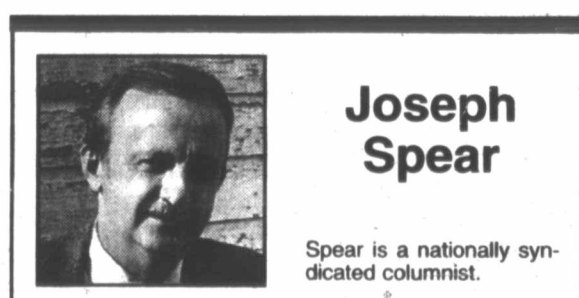
What's bugging the body politic? The mailbag knows:

JH, Carthage, Mo.: We'll be looking for your prompt correction on the Larry Lawrence story. I am not a Clinton Crazy; I just want the news media to tell the truth.

Joe: JH is talking about a sensational accusation by Rep. Terry Everett, R-Ala., that Bill Clinton may have exchanged burial plots in Arlington National Cemetery for political contributions. Talk radio luminaries rapidly spread THE TRUTH, and then the real truth emerged: Of 69 waivers granted for Arlington burial, 68 were entirely legitimate. One of those interred, ambassador to Switzerland Larry Lawrence, apparently doctored his resume to make himself look like a war hero. Put another way: The story was a 99 percent LIE from the get-go.

TY, Pleasanton, Calif.: Why shouldn't celebrities be allowed to write a column? Get off your high horse, come back down here with us minions in the newsroom. (I've been a reporter and copy editor for 17 years.) The more I read this asinine column of yours, the more embarrassed I am to be a journalist because of jerks like you. Are you surprised that none of your proposals has been accepted? Man, get a clue.

Joe: TY refers to my occasional suggestion that celebrities should not masquerade as media and that pseudo-journalists should be required to don funny hats, paint red dots on



Joseph Spear
Spear is a nationally syndicated columnist.

their foreheads and wear neon nose rings so readers and viewers can tell the bona fide from the counterfeit. This, as most of you surely surmised, was satire — a literary device to which TY, who claims to be a journalist, has obviously never been introduced. Most journalists I know are intelligent people. But once in a while, you do run into one who can't sleep on his side, lest cranial matter ooze from his ears.

CG, Peoria, Ill.: I was amused with your "alien" story. It does not take an expert to realize you did not write the story. It was the imagining of one of the government's disinformation writers. When the government wants a writer to pose as a writer of a propaganda piece, the government cannot be turned down.

Joe: Damn. Foiled again.

EE, San Mateo, Calif.: Re — Outrageous Person of the Year Contest. Nomination — Paula Jones. Specific act of outrageousness — not closing her eyes.

Joe: I have wondered myself how this horri-

fied maiden kept her focus long enough to detect a distinguishing characteristic.

CM, Hanover, Pa.: Thanks for publishing the gist of my comments to you. I got nine calls. Almost all mentioned my UN sticker ("U.S. out of United Nations ... UN World Government Means Foreign Control of Our Children, Troops & Taxes"). As far as your disparaging remarks about the "black helicopters," I am not part of any lunatic fringe. Lastly, the UN is taking over Yellowstone, the Grand Canyon, Yosemite, Independence Hall and the Statue of Liberty, along with 41 other sites. Ignore this at your peril.

Joe: No comment.

MH, Oshkosh, Wis.: We at the Naturist Society would like to express our appreciation for your desire to nominate (for an OP award) members of Congress for their stand against nude beaches. I am enclosing with this letter a complimentary copy of the Naturist Society's publication *Nude & Natural*. Enjoy.

Joe: I thought it interesting that 396 lawmakers who were sent to Washington to deal with wars and budgets could find time to take a stand against people whose main desire is to take off their clothes without being hassled. Incidentally, there was no copy of *Nude & Natural* in the envelope. I tell you this only because, you know, there could be a problem in your mailroom.

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MEDICAL

FREEZE!

Researchers study genetics of fear

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Two brown mice are put in a box. One freezes, fearing an electrical zap. The other scurries undaunted.

Why the different reactions? The answer may lie in their genes. In two studies described in a recent issue of *Nature Genetics*, researchers said they have identified a chromosome associated with conditioned fear in mice.

The research may offer insight into learning, memory, anxiety and other complex mental processes, said Dr. Lorraine Flaherty, director of molecular genetics at the New York State Health Department's Wadsworth Center. Such insight eventually might foster new treatments for Alzheimer's disease and various learning and anxiety disorders, she said.

Dr. Jonathan Flint, a psychiatrist at the Institute of Molecular Medicine in Oxford, England, wrote an editorial accompanying the two journal papers. He said genes linked to anxiety in mice might exist in humans as well, making one person bold and another timid.

Flaherty and Dr. Jeanne Wehner, a genetics professor at the University of Colorado in Boulder, both published papers describing similar mouse experiments with the same conclusions. They said the genes involved in learned fear appear to reside on a certain region of chromosome 1.

The researchers, who worked independently but cooperatively, published at the same time to strengthen each other's results, Flaherty said. An experimental finding becomes more certain when it's repeated.

Both scientists are primarily interested in identifying genes involved in learning and memory. They compared how well mice of different genetic makeup learned to fear an electrical shock.

It's uncertain how much of the difference in reactions was related to learning from experience and how much reflected different degrees of bravery or pain perception, Flaherty said.

The researchers used animals that had been inbred so that all mice in a particular strain were genetically identical. The genes in each strain were well known.

The studies recorded freezing, a fear reaction in which an animal stops all muscle movement as a natural way of eluding predators. In both studies, the mice were taken from their usual cage and put

in a box where a light would shine or a buzzer sound. Then they got a mild shock to their feet.

A day later, the mice were put in the box again. Observers recorded whether they froze when they felt the grid floor, or when they were exposed to the light and buzzer, expecting a shock to come next.

"It's called contextual learning," Wehner said. "Remembering the environment or context where the fearful conditioning occurred."

When the researchers compared the genetics of animals that froze most and least often, they discovered one region stood out strongly in the frequent freezers, on chromosome 1. A region on chromosome 3 stood out as well, but not as strongly.

In follow-up experiments, mice will learn to anticipate a treat or go through a maze, to determine whether the same chromosome regions stand out. "That will sort out whether it's a real learning relationship or only related to learning a fearful stimulus," Wehner said.

Two other groups had earlier linked the area on chromosome 1 to emotionalism, or excitability.

Flint notes that all four experiments used an inbred strain called the C57BL/6 mouse. "This is no shy, retiring mouse," he writes, and the experiments might agree because of the strong influence of the C57 gene.

There are hundreds of genes in the specified part of chromosome 1. Further breeding and behavioral studies may zero in more closely on particular genes.

"The sequences of genes that do the same things in the mouse and in humans are very, very similar," Flaherty said. "So if we have a gene in the mouse, there's a high probability we could fish out the same gene with a similar effect in humans."

For example, muscular dystrophy and cystic fibrosis are caused by the same genes in mice as they are in humans, she said.

"Most of the genes that can cause single diseases probably will be known and cloned in the next five years," Flaherty said. "What we don't know very much about is the genes that influence complex traits like behavior and emotion."

Scientists testing genes as medicine for heart disease

NEW YORK (AP) — When surgeons began a triple bypass on a 60-year-old patient in December, they knew the operation couldn't completely help the man's heart.

He needed surgery because three coronary arteries — the vessels that feed blood to the heart muscle — were clogged. Bypass surgery installs blood vessels as detours around such obstructions.

But for this patient, even the triple-bypass could provide detours for only two clogged arteries. That would leave an area in back of the man's heart unhelped.

So the surgeons tried something new. With 10 needle pricks, they injected that area of the heart with many copies of a gene. Their hope was that the gene would make the muscle cells produce a protein called VEGF for a week or so, and that the VEGF would spur the heart into growing its own new blood vessels.

It's a "biologic bypass" or "biobypass," said Dr. Ronald Crystal, who held the man's heart while colleague Dr. Todd Rosengart injected the genes at the New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center in New York. Crystal is principal investigator of the study.

It's too soon to know whether the experiment worked. But the researchers have approval to do 14 more patients in their initial study of the idea.

They're not alone. Collateral Therapeutics, a San Diego biotechnology company, has announced plans to start experiments in people in February, using a catheter to deliver a different gene without surgery to make the heart grow blood vessels. A third team of researchers plans to inject the VEGF gene into patients' hearts through small incisions in the skin, also without surgery.

Crystal and Rosengart also hope eventually to give the gene without surgery.

If the gene therapy works, scientists say, it will provide a tool for artery blockages that can't be treated by a bypass. What's more, if it can be done without surgery, it might give many patients an alternative to bypass operations and angioplasty, a procedure that reopens clogged arteries.

Genes aren't the only tool under study to get the heart to grow its own bypasses. Dr. Michael Simons of Beth Israel Medical Center in Boston is working with the idea of applying the VEGF protein itself, or another called FGF, to the heart. Both proteins have shown preliminary promise in human studies, Simons said.

Supporters of the gene therapy approach, who cite successes in pigs, may get their first hint of human results soon. Dr. Seppo Yla-Herttuala of the University of Kuopio in Finland started treating heart patients with the VEGF gene in late 1996, and he plans to get his first look at the results in February.

Yla-Herttuala enclosed gene copies in fatty bubbles and slipped them into the coronary arteries of his patients during angioplasty. His strategy has two goals.

Most of the gene copies should have ended up in the artery walls, where he hopes they will discourage the arteries from clogging up again, a common problem with angioplasty. And some of the gene copies should have been carried by blood flow to the heart muscle, where Yla-Herttuala hopes they have spurred the growth of new blood vessels.

He has treated 10 patients with the VEGF gene and five others with a sham treatment. Nobody knows which patients got what because the records are kept in code, a guard against bias when the patients were assessed.

Study: Stress lowers body's defenses against cancer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Natural immunity is weakened in breast cancer patients who worry the most about their disease, researchers say. They now hope to determine whether relieving the stress can fight the cancer.

Researchers at Ohio State University said they found that breast cancer surgery patients with the most anxiety about their medical condition had the lowest levels of white blood cells that normally attack cancer and combat infection.

"Whether or not that will affect cancer outcome is something we are still studying," said Barbara L. Andersen, an OSU psychology professor. But it is clear, she said, that stress is lowering immunity in these patients.

A report on the study is published today in the *Journal of the National Cancer Institute*.

Earlier studies linked stress to a weakened immune system, but whether the stress actually harms the body's ability to resist cancer is still in dispute.

Andersen said her study will be followed up with research to determine whether psychological counseling to lower stress can improve the medical outcome in breast cancer patients.

Although elevated stress is almost certainly present in all cancer patients, Andersen said

the OSU study dealt only with those with breast cancer.

Andersen, lead author of the study, said her group interviewed 116 women after they had undergone surgery for invasive breast cancer, but before they had started chemotherapy or radiation.

The interviews included psychological tests that determined each woman's level of stress in response to her disease by assessing the number and frequency of such things as "intrusive thoughts" about their cancer.

Some women reacted to their medical situations with a high degree of stress, while others experienced only modest levels. On a stress scale of 0 to 75, the median score was 25 — half were lower and half were higher.

The researchers then tested the women's blood for levels of immune cells that play key roles in the body's defenses.

In the blood of women with high degrees of stress, said Andersen, there were 20 percent to 30 percent fewer natural killer cells. These are immune system cells whose job is to seek out and kill cancer cells.

Andersen said the scientists also tested the samples for the response to gamma interferon, a natural protein that enhances immunity.

"Gamma interferon worked

less effectively where the stress levels were high," she said.

Still another test showed that T4 cells, a key lymphocyte in the body's defense against infection, worked less powerfully in women with high stress levels.

Andersen said the study is only the first part of a long-term project designed to test whether controlling stress can play a role in fighting cancer.

She said her group eventually will analyze stress levels in about 300 breast cancer patients. Half of them will then receive psychological therapy designed to relieve stress and to promote disease-coping skills. The other patients will not receive such support.

Comparing the groups' disease outcome should provide new understanding about how anxiety affects physical health in patients facing life-threatening cancers, Andersen said. The work also will determine whether improving patients' psychological states can influence the outcome of the physical disease, she said.

In an editorial accompanying the Andersen study, Drs. Sheldon Cohen and Bruce S. Rabin of the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine wrote, "It is speculative at best to assume that psychological stress modifies immune compo-

nents involved in the regulation of tumor growth in cancer patients."

But they noted that "it is hard to ignore" that some research suggests that social support can favorably affect the course of some cancers.

Cohen and Rabin said the Andersen study "provides an important piece of this fascinating puzzle, but the solution is still a ways off."



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Single Mom With Hands Full Ponders Giving Up Custody

DEAR ABBY: I'm going through the most confusing period of my life. I am 18 and working both a full-time and a part-time job to support my children, a daughter who is 2 and a 1-year-old son. My life is crazy at this point.

Abby, I'm thinking about giving custody of my son to a couple at church. Why? Because raising two children is too difficult at my age. I'm a single mother and cannot support two children financially.

I'm unable to give my son the love and care he needs, and I want him to be happy. I don't want to give him up, but I want the best for him and I know I can't provide it.

Abby, please help me. What should I do?



Abigail Van Buren
SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

CONFUSED, CRAZY MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: Follow your heart and give your son to parents who can provide what you cannot. It would be a generous act of love.

I would urge you, however, to give the custodial parents a letter to your son that they can give to him when he begins to question the love of a mother who would "give him away."

DEAR ABBY: My 21-year-old son, "Sam," dropped out of college and wanted to paint houses for a living. He needed a car, so I offered to find him painting projects around the house to earn \$500 — partial payment for the car. I paid him

more than the going rate and gave him credit for more hours than he worked.

When he came to me and wanted the \$500, I reminded him the money was for a car, and he could have it when he found one. (He's getting money from his mother to live on.) He picked up a bar stool and hit me with it, bruising me and breaking the tile countertop. On his way out, he broke a table and a bowl. I deducted \$300 for the damages and sent him a check, but he hasn't apologized and says he never wants to see me again.

Should I have called the police and charged Sam with assault and battery to help him see that violence is not the way to settle a dispute?

A GRIEVING FATHER

DEAR GRIEVING FATHER: Your son has a serious problem controlling his temper. He should have learned by now how to channel his anger and

frustration without resorting to violence. I am undecided as to whether or not he was fortunate that you didn't notify the police and press charges.

However, you were also wrong for having agreed to pay Sam for painting your house, then to have withheld the money he earned when he asked for it.

DEAR ABBY: Today I read the letter from "The Man Who Loves Her." I, too, was a smoker and can sympathize with both people in that letter. It took me — and me alone — to quit. Please, Abby, pass this on to those who are trying to quit: "DON'T GIVE UP!"

Maybe today you will quit for only a day, perhaps tomorrow it will be for two days. Just keep trying. I know it's not easy to stop something you enjoy, but after you have quit for a month or so, you will realize that you didn't really enjoy it — you were simply a slave to it.

In my mind, I finally decided what I wanted more than nicotine. I wanted to live.

JILL DIAL, TITUSVILLE, FLA.

DEAR JILL: Thank you for a powerful letter. Be assured that it will inspire countless smokers to follow your example.

Horoscope

Your Birthday
Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1998

It is quite likely you will go after a number of major objectives in the year ahead. Although you might not attain each and every one of them, you'll do well with the most important ones.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) An unreasonable request could be asked of you today. However, don't make a big deal over it. Unwind yourself from it with humor. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Subdue

working conditions.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Should you unwittingly take advantage of another today apologize immediately before the situation gets out of hand. Making amends builds bridges.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Directing others in your charge with too tight a grip today will be met with rebellion. Lighten up with a little humor to achieve cooperation.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Do not stew in silence today if someone does something to hurt your feelings. The offender may have no idea that he or she has stepped over the line.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In financial matters that are important, you must exercise your very best judgment today. You are vulnerable to mishaps when these are mismanaged.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Diplomacy and tolerance is necessary in all your dealings with others, and today is no exception. Pay special attention to thoughtfulness when with the boss.

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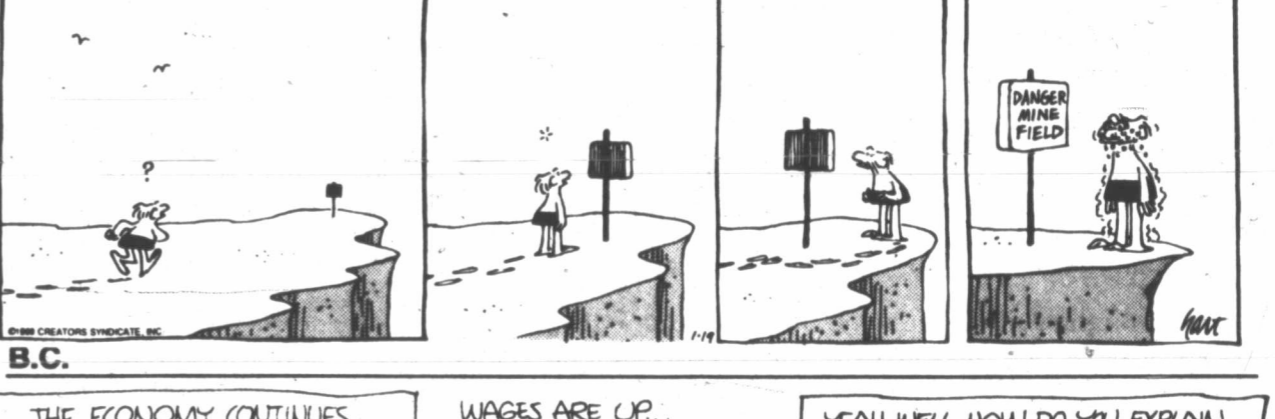
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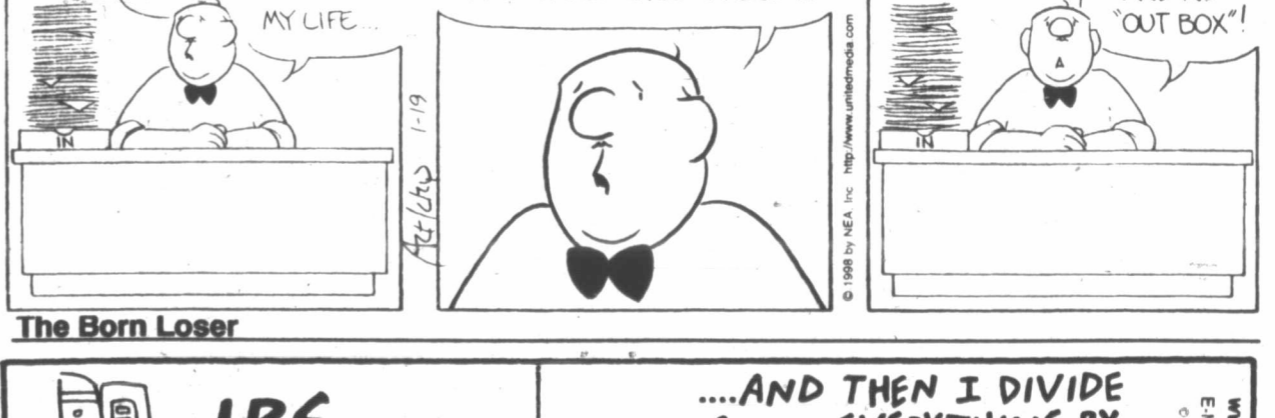
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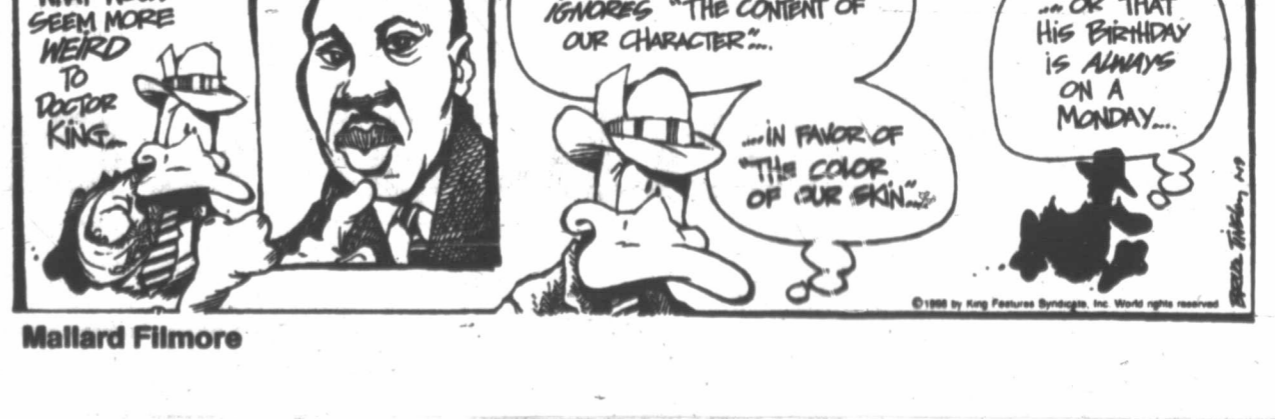
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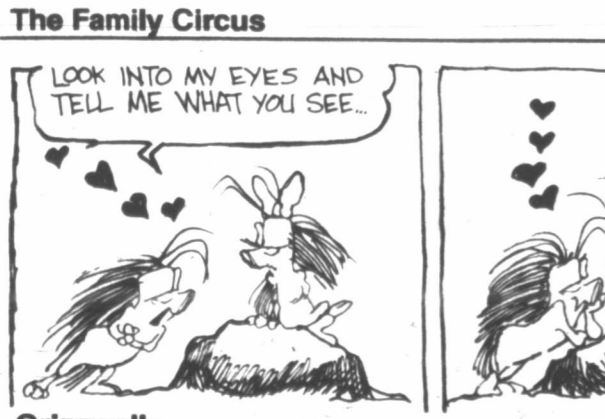
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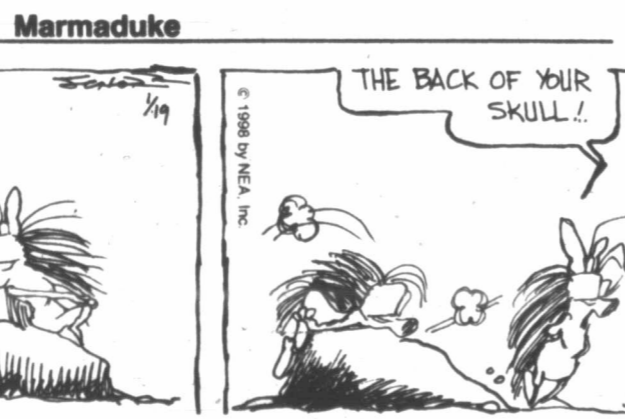
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SPORTS

Do it Mike's way is Super Bown theme

Notebook

BASKETBALL

HEREFORD — Pampa defeated Hereford, 62-48, Friday night in a junior varsity boys' basketball game. Gary Alexander led Pampa in scoring with 19 points. Colby Hale had 11 points, Kevin Osborn 10, Corey Young 8 and Casey Owens 6. The Pampa JV's are 10-8 for the season and 3-2 in district. **PAMPA** — Pampa welcomes Amarillo Caprock in a District 1-4A basketball doubleheader Tuesday night in McNeely Fieldhouse. The girls' game tips off at 6, followed by the boys' game around 7:45.

GOLF

PAMPA — Hidden Hills Seniors Association held a senior 4-man scramble last week. The team of Jack Combs, Harvey Malone, Bob Moyer, Rex Couter and Jerry Davis shot a 63 to win the scramble. Other results, are as follows: Second place: Oscar Sargent, Carol Pettit, Bob Young and Bill Harwood 65. Third place: Leroy Morris, Bob Brandon, Gene Gates and Ken Williams 66. Fourth place: Bill Washington, John McGuire, J.B. Holt and Everette Butler 68. Closest to hole: Jack Combs on No. 12. In January and February if the weather is cold on Wednesday, the seniors will play either Thursday or Friday. Call the golf shop at 669-5866.

FOOTBALL

DENISON, Texas (AP) — Denison High School running back Chris Robertson, who rewrote the school's rushing record books, has verbally committed to play football for the University of Texas, according to a published report. The Herald-Democrat reported today in a copyright story that Robertson, who gained 2,477 yards and rushed for 35 touchdowns in 1997, made the verbal commitment on Sunday afternoon. Robertson was considered one of the top 100 recruits in the state of Texas. Oral commitments are non-binding. The official signing period for high school seniors starts Feb. 4, the first day national letters-of-intent may be signed. Denison was 19-3 during the time he played. Robertson holds the single-season rushing record, career rushing record (4,430 yards) and career scoring record, all formerly held by current TCU player Reggie Hunt. **DALLAS (AP)** — Former UCLA coach Terry Donohue reportedly has interviewed for the vacancy created by Barry Switzer's firing as the Dallas Cowboys head coach, but Lou Holtz has taken himself out of the picture. Dallas radio station KLIF reported Saturday that Donohue has discussed the Cowboys job with club officials. Among his assets is that Cowboys quarterback Troy Aikman played for Donohue at UCLA. Neither Donohue nor Cowboys owner Jerry Jones could be reached for comment. As for Holtz, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram quoted a source close to him as saying the former Notre Dame coach isn't returning to coaching. The newspaper quoted the source as saying Saturday night that Holtz has too many things going on in his private life, including needing to care for his sick wife.

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Just do what Mike says. That's the philosophy both Super Bowl teams have taken, and it has paid off. Mike Holmgren and Mike Shanahan won Super Bowls as offensive coordinators with the San Francisco 49ers. Both moved on to head coaching jobs, partly by applying the lessons they learned in winning NFL titles. Holmgren is back for his fourth shot at the championship and, like his team, the Green Bay Packers, he is 3-0 in the Super Bowl. Shanahan is in his fifth Super Bowl, but is only 1-3. Still, the Denver Broncos have unchallenged faith in Shanahan's coaching skills and his wisdom in this exact situation. "I've never won a Super Bowl," John Elway said Sunday, and the Broncos quarterback didn't need to

remind anyone that he is 0-3 in them. "Mike has won one and he knows how it's done. He was on a team that won it (the 1994 49ers) with a certain system. It's great to have a coach who has won a world championship." Shanahan, the man behind the Broncos' revival — they went to three Super Bowls in four seasons in the late 1980s, but hadn't been back since — wants certain portions of history to play a part in Denver's preparation. "What I'm trying to do is take the positives from the San Francisco experience and things that weren't so good from the Denver Super Bowls," he said. "There are a lot of little things, and I hope it pays off." But he also wants the past left in the past in other instances. "Whatever's happened in the past isn't relevant to what's hap-

pening now," Shanahan said. "You can talk about Jacksonville last year, you can talk about wild-card teams not winning. All that doesn't matter. It's what we do. So don't get caught up in history, because it can change very quickly." Ah, but Shanahan's part in the 49ers' romp over San Diego three years ago is not a piece of the past the Broncos want to forget. They want Shanahan to show them the way they couldn't find under Dan Reeves after winning AFC titles in 1986, '87 and '89. Shanahan was offensive coordinator on those first two teams and the quarterbacks coach on the third super loser; he returned to the Broncos in the middle of the '89 season after being fired as the Raiders' head coach. In 1992, mainly because of a feud with Reeves, Shanahan left for San Francisco, replacing Holmgren as

offensive coordinator. Two years later, the 49ers' attack was unstoppable as they won the championship. Shanahan replaced Wade Phillips as Broncos coach in 1995. Elway strongly approved the selection. "Mike's a great young coach who knows how to win," Elway said. "You always have to believe in yourself," added Shanahan. "All of us have gone through some ups and downs. You just got to believe in yourself and keep on fighting. But this is a business; you better believe, and you better produce." Holmgren's teams have produced three straight NFC Central crowns by doing it his way. That is to say, the way the 49ers did it in their dynastic years — with Holmgren's personal touch added, of course. "He has a winning formula that works for him and he is not going

to give that up. He has his way of doing things and it works," safety Eugene Robinson said. "He says it's not a dictatorship, but coach likes to run things his way." "And it's not a democracy." Holmgren's way has tamed and nurtured Brett Favre, turning him into a three-time MVP and the NFL's most accomplished quarterback. It has encouraged assistants such as coordinators Fritz Shurmur and Sherm Lewis to use their imaginations. It has gotten the prime leaders to step forward on and off the field, all under the auspices of a popular but tough-minded coach. "It would mean a lot" to win a second straight Super Bowl, Holmgren said. "We've worked very hard and I'm proud of how our organization the last six years has been able to improve as a football team."

Harvesters win two matches at Odessa

ODESSA — The Pampa boys' soccer team closed out the Odessa Tournament last weekend by winning their last two matches. Brian Sprinkle scored both Pampa goals in a 2-1 win over El Paso Riverside in the Harvesters' final match. In the next to last match, Pampa spotted El Paso Irvin a goal 15 seconds into the contest, but the Harvesters came back to win in a shootout, 3-2. Freshman goalie Aaron Childress had an outstanding match for the Harvesters, especially in the shootout. "He was just fantastic. El Paso had seven shots on goal against Aaron and they scored once," Pampa coach Warren Cottle said.

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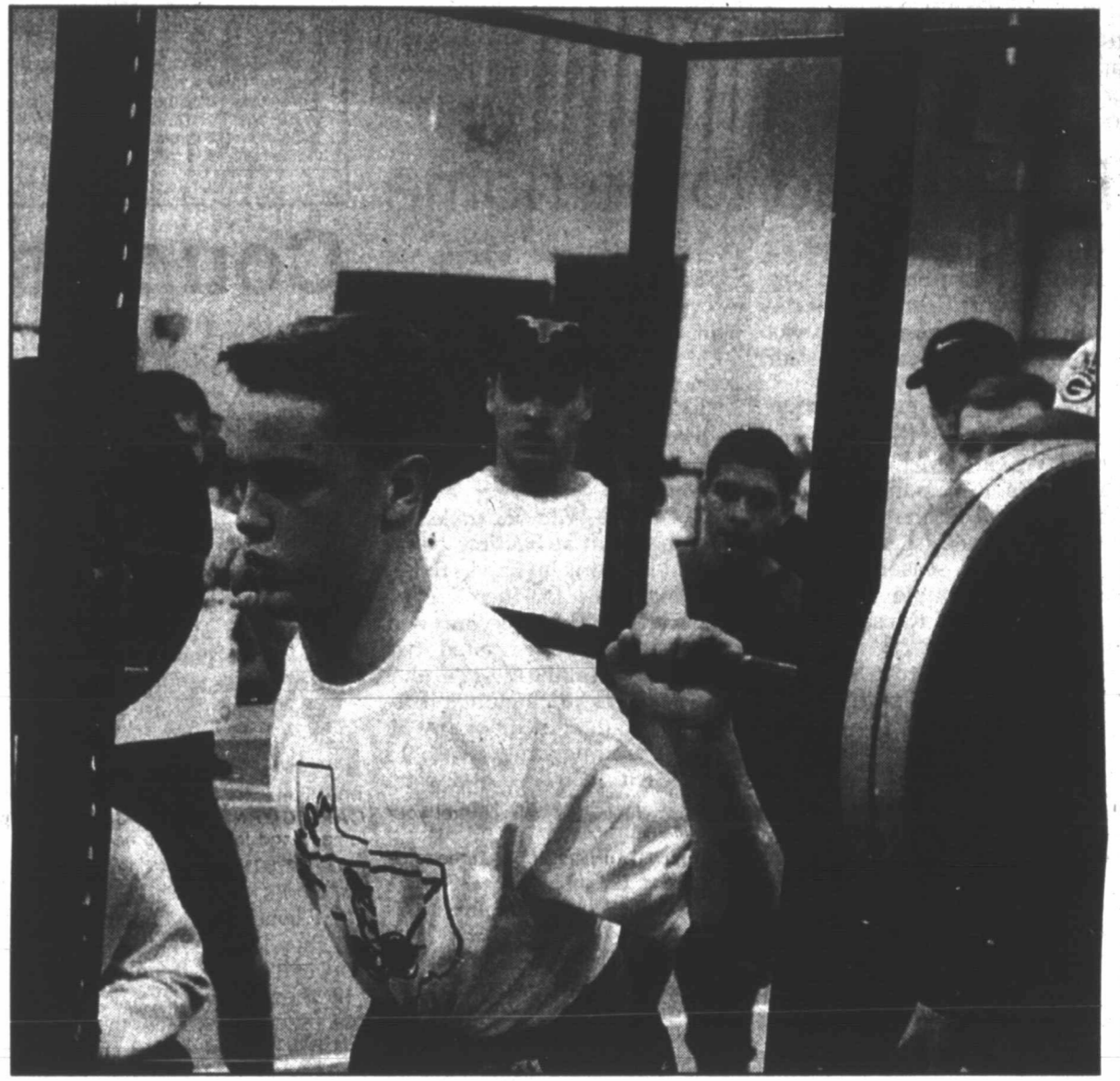
Chris Lockridge, Jimmy Story and Jason Vance each scored a goal for the Harvesters. Pampa fell to Odessa Permian, 2-0, in the tournament opener. Pampa lost to Killeen Ellison, 3-1, in the second match of the tournament. Vance scored Pampa's goal on a penalty kick. "These young kids are really starting to jell," Cottle said. "It was just amazing the way they played against these more-experienced teams. It was a great weekend for us." Pampa hosts Lubbock High at 4:15 Tuesday afternoon at Harvester Stadium.

Spurs win over Bucks in overtime period

MILWAUKEE (AP) — David Robinson is still the main man for the San Antonio Spurs, but he's getting a lot more support than he used to. Robinson had 30 points and 15 rebounds Sunday night as the Spurs won their fifth straight with a 98-92 overtime victory over the Milwaukee Bucks. The Spurs also got key support from rookie Tim Duncan and Jaren Jackson, a journeyman guard playing his first season with San Antonio. Duncan had 20 points and 11 rebounds, and Jackson scored four points during the Spurs' decisive 8-0 run at the start of overtime. "One of the best things about this year is that I don't have to score all the time at the end," Robinson said. "In the past I felt all the pressure to score. But now with Tim and Jaren, we've got some other options to make some things happen." The Spurs trailed by seven points with 5:43 left in the fourth quarter before rallying to force overtime. "I was really pleased that we hung in there, kind of a little bit like a junkyard dog," coach Gregg Popovich said. "We just tried to hang in and hang in and never stop and it worked out for us. We feel very fortunate." Milwaukee star Glenn Robinson, the league's third-leading scorer with a 23-point average, missed the game with the flu. "Coming into tonight, hearing that Glenn Robinson wasn't there, I think there's a little tendency to kind of let down," David Robinson said. San Antonio started the overtime with an 8-0 run that included a 3-pointer and free throw by Jackson,

and baskets by Avery Johnson and Duncan. The spurt gave the Spurs a 91-83 lead with 3:28 left. Ray Allen ended Milwaukee's drought by hitting a 3-pointer with 1:39 remaining to cut the deficit to 91-86. But Johnson made five of six free throws in the final 37.6 seconds as the Spurs won for the 17th time in their last 19 games. "I wish we did have Glenn out there, but I think we kind of gave the game away a little bit," said Tyrone Hill, who had 16 points and 14 rebounds for the Bucks. David Robinson made a pair of free throws with 26.8 seconds left to put the Spurs on top 83-80. But Terrell Brandon, who led the Bucks with 19 points, made a 3-pointer to tie it with 19.6 seconds left in regulation. The Bucks, who lost the last two games of their homestand after winning the first three, got 16 points from Allen. "Defense is what kept us in the game," Allen said. "In the second half they got the ball and made the tough shots. It got away from us down the stretch." Duncan scored seven points in a 12-2 run that pulled the Spurs within 51-45 midway through the third period. But the Bucks offense came alive and Milwaukee took a 66-58 lead into the final period, with Allen scoring the final basket of the quarter on a jumper. Brandon scored 11 points to lead the Bucks to a 45-31 halftime lead. A free throw by Robinson pulled the Spurs within 25-22 early in the third period. But Brandon and Ricky Pierce scored back-to-back baskets and San Antonio never got that close again in the first half.

Power lift



PHS sophomore Justin Barnes participates in the Pampa Powerlifting Classic held last weekend in the MPAC building. Athletes from 10 high schools competed in the fourth annual Classic.

Fort Elliott girls down Hedley

HEDLEY — Fort Elliott defeated Hedley, 58-45, in a girls' basketball game last weekend. Amber Estes had 14 points while Carissa Dukes added 12 to lead Fort Elliott in scoring. Hill had 15 points and Longan 11 for Hedley. Hedley had a 47-38 win in the boys' game. Aaron Harper led Hedley in scoring with 15 points. Clay Zybach and Curt Smith had 9 and 8 points, respectively, for Fort Elliott. James Potts added 12 points for Hedley.

- Houston Cypress Creek (20-2)
 - Aliief Elsik (21-5)
 - Georgetown (22-6)
 - Houston Cypress Falls (19-6)
 - Amarillo Palo Duro (20-2)
- Class 4A**
- Canyon (19-1)
 - Granbury (22-3)
 - Hereford (21-3)
 - Dallas Lincoln (20-3)
 - McKinney (20-3)
 - Bay City (23-1)
 - Waco Midway (15-8)
 - Levelland (16-6)
 - Cedar Hill (23-4)
 - Canyon Rapidall (17-5)
- Class 3A**
- Dripping Springs (20-2)
 - Mont Belvieu Barbers Hill (21-4)
 - Lufkin Hudson (22-3)
 - Winnboro (22-3)
 - Decatur (18-4)
 - Crockett (18-3)
 - Henrietta (21-1)
 - Comanche (19-4)
 - Bowie (18-5)
 - La Vernia (19-1)
- Class 2A**
- Ozona (24-1)
 - Shallowater (19-5)
 - Hughes Springs (19-0)
 - Winnie East Chambers (18-3)
 - Hamilton (14-6)
 - Van Alstyne (17-1)
 - Panhandle (18-5)
 - Hawkins (19-3)
 - Spearman (17-5)
 - Alto (20-1)
- Class A**
- Karnack (19-1)
 - Nazareth (18-5)
 - La Rue La Poynor (17-5)
 - Ponder (18-4)
 - Brooksmith (18-6)
 - Moulton (20-6)
 - Lamesa Klondike (21-2)
 - Farwell (19-4)
 - Zephyr (19-6)
 - Cross Plains (20-2)
- Private Schools**
- Dallas Bishop Lynch (17-5)
 - San Antonio Incarnate Word (24-0)
 - Austin St. Michael (22-1)
 - Houston St. Agnes (18-4)
 - Dallas Ursuline (16-5)
 - Addison Trinity Christian (15-5)
 - Fort Worth Nolan (16-4)
 - Houston Bay Area Christian (16-7)
 - Dallas First Baptist (15-5)

- Houston Westbury Christian (14-9)
- BOYS**
- Class 5A**
- Houston Milby (20-2)
 - Aliief Elsik (21-2)
 - Dallas Kimball (23-3)
 - Midland (22-1)
 - Converse Judson (19-2)
 - Duncanville (18-4)
 - Richardson Pearce (19-2)
 - Galena Park North Shore (18-5)
 - Dallas Skyline (16-4)
 - San Antonio Clark (21-2)
- Class 4A**
- Everman (24-0)
 - Highland Park (21-1)
 - San Antonio Sam Houston (23-1)
 - Dallas Lincoln (22-3)
 - Port Arthur Lincoln (17-4)
 - Houston Waltrip (19-3)
 - Cleburne (20-2)
 - Waco University (22-3)
 - Channelview (24-1)
 - Lamesa (21-1)
- Class 3A**
- Tulia (21-0)
 - Clarksdale (17-4)
 - Kennedale (19-1)
 - Dimmitt (15-6)
 - Clyde (20-2)
 - Queen City (18-3)
 - La Vernia (17-1)
 - Marlin (17-5)
 - Rusk (20-1)
 - Seminole (18-5)
- Class 2A**
- Krum (21-1)
 - Little River Academy (21-1)
 - Leonard (16-5)
 - Howe (18-3)
 - Godley (17-2)
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- Trotter (19-1)
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 - Itasca (13-6)
 - Aspermont (20-2)
 - Goodrich (19-3)
 - Avinger (15-6)

Seeking justice for Joe

CHICAGO (AP) — Baseball greats Ted Williams and Bob Feller want to clear "Shoeless" Joe Jackson's name and make him eligible to join them in the Hall of Fame. "I want baseball to right an injustice," Williams said in a statement supporting a petition he and Feller have submitted to baseball's acting commissioner, Chicago's Daily Southtown reported today. Jackson and seven Chicago White Sox teammates were accused of trying to throw the 1919 World Series. They were acquitted in court but banned from organized

baseball. Though Jackson admitted his part in the so-called "Black Sox" scandal to a grand jury, he later recanted and swore his innocence until his death in 1951. The petition submitted to acting commissioner Bud Selig asks for a declaration that Jackson, with a career .356 batting average, is not on any list of ineligible players. Williams and Feller want Jackson's candidacy to be submitted to the Veteran's Committee, of which Williams is a voting member, the newspaper said.

ALLISON — Allison held off McLean for a 53-50 win in girls' basketball action last weekend. Grayson led Allison in scoring with 20 points. Rachel Galley was high scorer for McLean with 18 points, followed by Amanda Cline with 11. Jaice Herren added 9 points for Allison. Allison won the boys' game, 62-31. Dukes was high scorer for Allison with 18 points. Ike Hanes had 10 points and Brett Montgomery 8 for McLean.

WACO, Texas (AP) — The weekly high school basketball poll as compiled by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches. Records are through Jan. 17.

- GIRLS**
- Class 5A**
- Aliief Hastings (25-1)
 - Fort Bend Elkins (22-2)
 - Duncanville (22-3)
 - Copperas Cove (22-1)
 - Longview (24-1)

South beats North in Senior Bowl

MOBILE, Ala. (AP) — Charles Woodson has the Heisman Trophy. Dre' Bly has the great name. And now Fred Weary has the Senior Bowl highlight.

Weary, one of the overlooked cornerbacks of the 1997 season, capped his year with a 97-yard interception return Saturday to help the South to a 31-8 victory in the 49th annual Senior Bowl.

Aside from speed that allowed him to pull away from the country's best players, the return will be remembered for his flamboyant celebration. After crossing the goal line, Weary strutted through the end zone, snapping his arms together like a Gator — a gesture that surely left Steve Spurrier smiling.

"You've got to represent Florida," Weary said. "I was sitting there thinking, 'There's no way he's going to throw this ball.' But he threw it and I got a good jump and I finally got into the end zone."

Weary finished with seven interceptions this season to finish his career at Florida with a school record 15. Still, he got somewhat lost behind Bly of North Carolina and Woodson of Michigan, two juniors who enjoyed great years.

"I don't think I got as much respect as I should have," Weary said. "But that was another big play for myself. I think I showed that I've got a knack for being at the right

place at the right time."

While Weary enjoyed his moment, Auburn quarterback Dameyune Craig relished the entire day, earning Most Valuable Player honors after throwing for 109 yards and two touchdowns in front of his hometown fans. Craig's NFL potential has repeatedly been questioned because of his size (6-foot-1, 200 pounds) and what scouts say is an average arm.

"It means a lot, especially with all the questions everyone has brought up," Craig said. "You come out and compete with the best players in the country, and to be named MVP is big. A lot of Senior Bowl MVPs have gone on to NFL careers and hopefully I can follow in their footsteps."

He finished 8-for-15 and left the field to the cheers of many of the same fans who watched him lead nearby Blount High School to state titles in 1990 and 1992.

"People asked me if this was a big game because it was here," Craig said. "I kept telling them I played 24 games at Auburn and they were all big. You have to know how to control your emotions and have a level mind."

Craig led three scoring drives, capping the last two with nice play-action takes that led to short touchdown passes. The first went to Auburn teammate Fred Beasley and the second to Louisiana Tech's Josh Bradley.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

The Women's Top Twenty Five By The Associated Press The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 18, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and last ranking:

Rank	Team	Record	Pts	Pv
1.	Tennessee(39)	19-0	975	1
2.	Old Dominion	14-0	838	2
3.	Connecticut	16-1	893	3
4.	Louisiana Tech	14-2	853	4
5.	Texas Tech	12-2	825	5
6.	Illinois	13-4	723	6
7.	Arizona	11-3	690	7
8.	N. Carolina St.	15-1	685	8
9.	Vanderbilt	14-2	680	9
10.	Florida	13-4	550	10
11.	North Carolina	13-4	522	11
12.	Virginia	13-3	522	12
13.	Stanford	8-5	480	13
14.	Utah†	4-0	421	14
15.	Washington	11-3	360	15
16.	W. Kentucky	15-4	344	16
17.	Wisconsin	14-4	323	17
18.	Clemson	15	298	18
19.	SMU	14-3	219	19
20.	S.W. Missouri St.	12-2	209	19
21.	Nebraska	14-5	207	20
22.	Fla. International	14-1	186	21
23.	Purdue	12-5	133	24
24.	Duke	11-5	91	25
25.	Stephen F. Austin	13-2	86	

Others receiving votes: Hawaii 70, Auburn 67, Marquette 46, Iowa St. 43, Drake 36, Arkansas 34, Colorado St. 18, N.C. Charlotte 15, Notre Dame 12, Memphis 11, Michigan 11, Colorado 10, Kansas 10, Tulane 10, Iowa 9, UCLA 7, Alabama 6, American U. 2, Youngstown St. 2, Oklahoma St. 1.

How This Week's Top 25 Fared

By The Associated Press How the top 25 teams in The Associated Press' college basketball poll fared this week: 1. North Carolina (18-1) lost to Maryland 88-83, OT; beat Appalachian State 96-83. 2. Duke (16-1) beat Wake Forest 88-52; beat Clemson 81-60. 3. Kansas (21-2) beat Texas A&M 83-65; beat Kansas State 69-62. 4. Utah (15-0) beat Colorado State 65-51; beat Wyoming 75-58. 5. Arizona (15-3) beat Arizona State 127-99; beat No. 15 New Mexico 69-70. 6. Kentucky (15-2) beat No. 14 South Carolina 91-70; beat No. 22 Arkansas 80-77, OT. 7. Stanford (16-0) beat Southern California 99-82; beat No. 8 UCLA 93-80.

Scoreboard

8. UCLA (13-3) beat California 74-73; lost to No. 7 Stanford 83-80. 9. Purdue (15-4) beat Illinois 68-58; lost to Indiana 94-88. 10. Connecticut (16-2) beat Seton Hall 80-58; beat Georgetown 86-72. 11. Mississippi (12-2) lost to Tennessee 77-67. 12. Princeton (13-1) did not play. 13. Iowa (15-5) beat Ohio State 61-46; beat Minnesota 82-69. 14. South Carolina (11-3) lost to No. 6 Kentucky 91-70; beat Georgia 68-60. 15. New Mexico (13-3) beat Colorado State 78-64; beat UNLV 79-51; lost to No. 5 Arizona 69-70. (tie) Syracuse (15-2) lost to Providence 78-64; beat Miami 85-67. 17. Florida State (13-5) lost to Clemson 66-65; beat Georgia Tech 70-67. 18. Xavier (11-4) lost to George Washington 78-73, OT; beat Virginia Tech 77-66. 19. Michigan (14-4) beat Ohio State 79-61. 20. Rhode Island (12-3) beat La Salle 84-73; beat Tulane 85-61; lost to St. Bonaventure 86-81. 21. West Virginia (15-3) lost to Notre Dame 74-72; beat Villanova 79-65, OT. 22. Arkansas (14-3) beat Florida 89-84; lost to No. 6 Kentucky 80-77, OT. 23. Marquette (10-4) lost to North Carolina Charlotte 65-53; lost to Boston College 64-54. 24. Hawaii (12-2) beat Southern Methodist 77-68. 25. Oklahoma State (12-3) lost to Missouri 70-64; lost to Baylor 97-95, 2OT.

Jerome Kersey from the injured list. Placed G Eric Snow on the injured list and traded him to the Philadelphia 76ers for a second-round draft choice in 1998 or 1999.

FOOTBALL National Football League BUFFALO BILLS—Named Bishop Harris running backs coach and Bill Bradley defensive secondary coach. HOCKEY National Hockey League WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Agreed to terms with RW Peter Bondra on a four-year contract.

GOLF Bob Hope Classic Scores BERMUDA DUNES, Calif. (AP) — Final scores and earnings Sunday of the \$2.3 million Bob Hope Chrysler Classic, played on the Bermuda Dunes Country Club (6,927 yards, par 72), Indian Wells Country Club (6,478 yards, par 72), PGA West, Arnold Palmer Private Course (6,931 yards, par 72), and La Quinta Country Club (6,901 yards, par 72); x-won on first playoff hole:

Player	Score
x-Fred Couples	64-70-66-66-66—332
Bruce Lietzke	65-65-71-62-66—332
Andrew Magee	63-68-64-68-70—333
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Mark Calcavecchia	69-67-70-65-71—342
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Paul Azinger	69-69-67-70-68—343
Omar Uresti	73-65-66-71-68—343
Glen Day	68-67-71-70-70—343
Paul Goydos	68-67-72-63-73—343

PRO BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association All Times EST EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division Miami 24 14 Pct .632 GB —

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	21	16	.568	2 1/2
New Jersey	21	17	.553	3
Washington	21	20	.512	4 1/2
Orlando	20	20	.500	5
Boston	17	20	.459	6 1/2
Philadelphia	12	23	.343	10 1/2

Central Division Indiana 26 11 .703 1/2 Chicago 28 12 .700 — Atlanta† 25 13 .658 2 Cleveland 22 15 .595 4 1/2 Charlotte 22 16 .579 5 Detroit 18 19 .486 8 1/2 Milwaukee 18 21 .462 9 Toronto 8 32 .158 21

WESTERN CONFERENCE Midwest Division W L Pct GB

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San Antonio	27	12	.692	—
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Minnesota	21	16	.568	5
Houston	18	17	.514	7
Vancouver	10	30	.250	17 1/2
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Tigers glad to be home

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Leave it to Norm Stewart to size up his Missouri Tigers against the third-ranked Kansas Jayhawks who invade the Hearn Center tonight.

"They have McDonald's all-Americans," said the Missouri coach. "We eat at McDonald's."

Tonight's 8:30 p.m. tipoff in Columbia will be the rematch of one of the greatest games in the college last season, when Missouri, in double overtime, handed then-No. 1 Kansas its first loss of the year.

Of course, to say that Missouri was synonymous with saying Missouri was home. The Tigers' road woes are starting to become an embarrassment.

On Saturday at Colorado, a couple of errant Missouri shots in the final seconds helped Colorado wrap up an 81-78 victory over the Tigers. For Colorado, it was Big 12 victory No. 1 of the season, and it came before a season-high 5,762 in the Coors Events Center.

For Missouri, it was consecutive road loss No. 17. Stewart's team hasn't won on the road in almost two years.

"We need to win on the road so people quit talking about how we lose in the road," said Monte Hargde, who had career-highs with 20 points and 13 rebounds against Colorado.

Missouri's road futility was easy to overlook by everyone else in the Big 12 this weekend, though.

There were five games on Saturday and one on Sunday, and in every instance the home team won.

Or, as a Missouri fan might say, every road team lost. The Jayhawks, perhaps distracted by all the hoopla surrounding Wilt Chamberlain's return, were 19-point favorites over Kansas State. But the Wildcats trailed by only one point at halftime before the cold-shooting Jayhawks finally prevailed 69-62 for their record-tying 55th straight homecourt win.

At Waco, Baylor needed two overtimes to beat the Big 12's other ranked team. Patrick Hunter dribbled the length of the floor and hit a 12-foot running jumper with 0.4 seconds left in the second extra period in a 97-95 victory over No. 25 Oklahoma State.

At Austin, Big 12 scoring leader Cory Carr hit just six of 18 from the floor and could not stop Texas from beating Texas Tech 88-79.

At Ames, Iowa State built a 22-point lead over Texas A&M with 10 minutes left. Then Tim Floyd's turnover-prone players let the Aggies right back in the game before time finally ran out with the Cyclones holding a 68-59 margin.

On Sunday, Tyrone Lue scored 15 of Nebraska's last 17 points as the Cornhuskers stopped Oklahoma 53-43 at Lincoln. Lue finished with 24 points as Nebraska stayed unbeaten in nine home games this season and snapped Oklahoma's eight-game winning streak.

Couples wins Hope Classic in playoff

BERMUDA DUNES, Calif. (AP) — He would love to play a friendly pickup game of basketball, or maybe play catch with a baseball, or go skiing.

Fred Couples, however, is afraid to do a lot of things other people take for granted.

He is afraid that if he does, he won't be able to play golf anymore.

Although playing in pain from his arthritic back, Couples still is one of the best golfers in the world.

The Plano, Texas golfer proved that Sunday, shooting a 6-under-par 66 that included a birdie on No. 18 to catch leader Bruce Lietzke. Then Couples had another birdie on the first playoff hole to beat Lietzke for the Bob Hope Chrysler Classic title, his first victory in almost two years.

"You learn how to swing with it (a back problem). I just don't try to hit the ball as hard when I'm tired. I just try to make contact," he said. "When it gets tired, it feels like anything can happen. There are times when I play around my back."

He first felt the pain more than four years ago.

"In 1993 I was on the range warming up and it just went out," he said. "It like blew up. And it was all just tightening up, tightening up, and it finally just snapped, was what the doctors told me. I

have an arthritic back and it is not something that can be operated on. It looks old, I guess. It feels old."

Couples said heat and exercise loosen up the muscles in his back and, although it hurts and he has more or less constant fear that it will "blow up" again, he has learned to live with it and to play his game.

"There are no days where I go and I run around the course and I say, 'You know, my back felt great today.' It is the same every day, and I am able to play, so that's good," he said.

The future, however, might be different.

"I don't know what it's going to be like two or three or four years from now, but it is getting gradually worse," Couples, 38, said.

Lietzke, a friend and a bit of a Couples fan, said Couples looks like the same player he's always been when the weather's warm and his back is "loose."

"Freddie says he is struggling, but that swing is still as pretty and as fluid as it's ever been," said Lietzke, 46, who shot a 69.

He and Couples finished 90 holes at 28-under par. Lietzke lost his one-shot lead on the final hole of regulation when he left a 15-foot birdie try high of the cup. Couples, who had hit his second shot onto the green of the par-5, 513-yard 18th, tapped in for a 4.

Andrew Magee, tied with Lietzke for the lead heading into the final round and one shot behind going into the final hole, lipped out a 15-foot birdie try, costing him a spot in the playoff.

Playing No. 18 again, Couples hit his second shot into the gallery behind the green, got a free drop and snuggled a 30-foot chip shot within 3 feet of the cup. Lietzke, facing another critical 15-foot birdie try, once again left his putt on the high side of the hole.

Couples knocked his short putt into the center of the cup to win for the first time since The Players Championship in 1996.

Along with the lingering back problem, Couples has had to deal with a couple of personal tragedies over the past year. His father, Tom, died of leukemia last November. And Couple's girlfriend, Thais Bren, had breast cancer, although he said she is OK now.

Even Lietzke, who was trying to repeat his Hope victory over 17 years ago, admitted that he was kind of pleased that Couples won this time.

"This has to be very, very encouraging for a guy that has not been too happy about a lot of things in the last few months. So you feel very good for Freddie," Lietzke said.

"Obviously it is going to be a very popular victory; popular

among the fans and among the players. The Tour needs people like Freddie Couples, so it is encouraging for all of us."

Lietzke added with a wistful smile, "I love to see good people win, so I am kind of happy he won, but I am very disappointed that I lost."

Magee, who led two days and was tied with Lietzke at the top after four rounds, closed with a 70, by two strokes his highest score of the five days.

David Duval, with a 68, and Steve Jones, with a 69, finished tied for fourth at 25-under.

Divots: Couples earned \$414,000, his second largest paycheck behind the \$630,000 for winning The Players Championship. He's nearing the \$10 million mark in career earnings, with \$9.3 million since joining the Tour in 1980. The Hope win also was his first in a pro-am format. Magee, who opened with a 63 on Wednesday, said after the final round, "I seemed to get worse as the week went along." ... Couples got some cart help on the ninth hole of the final round when his drive appeared to be headed out of bounds. The ball instead struck a cart, bounced over a sand trap and into the light rough. ... When Lietzke won the Hope in 1981, he earned \$50,000.

Genetics is the watchword in white-tailed deer management

AUSTIN — White-tailed deer management, at least management aimed at producing quality bucks, always has been considered a three-sided triangle, equal parts age, nutrition and genetics.

However, genetics is rapidly becoming the watchword for white-tailed deer management in the late 20th Century. Proponents, predictably, say that's simply a natural extension of the work they've already done on improving habitat and controlling harvest of herds.

Doomsayers, on the other hand, cry out that we (in this case Texas, since that's where most deer management trends begin) are hurtling toward all-out disaster at the hands of dreamers who want to manipulate in a pen what Mother Nature should be doing on her own.

Texas A&M University professors and extension biologists and the Texas Chapter of The Wildlife Society hope to make some sense of the whole argument during a two-day symposium scheduled Jan. 26-28 in College Station.

"The Role of Genetics in White-tailed Deer Management" will focus on such diverse issues as aging techniques, breeding programs and permits and culling.

It is the stir created by the concept of genetic management that is attracting most of the attention today, according to Billy Higginbotham, an A&M extension biologist in Tyler and one of the symposium's organizers.

"It is incredible how much interest there is because the technology we're talking about has been in place for domesticated species for a long time," Higginbotham said.

Those same principles are being applied to whitetails because some people want to grow the biggest deer they can." But because white-tailed deer are wild animals and still considered "public wildlife" under English common law and Texas statute, talk of human intervention in breeding, even with the stated goal of a better, stronger and more attractive deer herd, quickly splits most deer hunters and managers.

Texas Parks and Wildlife has been dealing with just such issues in writing rules and regulations to implement a new law passed last year by the Texas Legislature. That law would allow permitted landowners to capture and hold wild whitetails for breeding purposes. The status of that law will be on the agenda for the second day of the program and on the agenda for the regular meeting of the Parks and Wildlife Commission, on Thursday.

Higginbotham noted that genetics always has been considered an important component of management, but one that could be satisfied with the genes that exist in any given herd. Land and herd management seemed to be where most landowners could have an impact.

"I hope we never try to fast forward past habitat management and sacrifice that for genetics management," he said. "But we have progressed to the point where a small group of landowners who have done everything they can with habitat and herd control are ready to take the next step. The next step and the last frontier is genetics."

The A&M symposium will look at the issue from every angle over the two days, Higginbotham said, as well as revisit some old issues, such as taking spikes out of a deer herd and aging whitetails by tooth and in the field.

"Shooting spikes is a form of genetics management," he said. "But there are still two very clear factions in terms of whether we should be doing it. The big sticking point is whether a yearling's antlers are a good predictor of what that deer will become."

Anyone interested in white-tailed can attend the symposium. Registration at the door will be \$125, which includes materials, one meal and refreshments. Meetings begin at 8:30 a.m. Jan. 27 and run through 2 p.m. Jan. 28. All meetings will be in the Rudder Conference Center at Texas A&M University in College Station.

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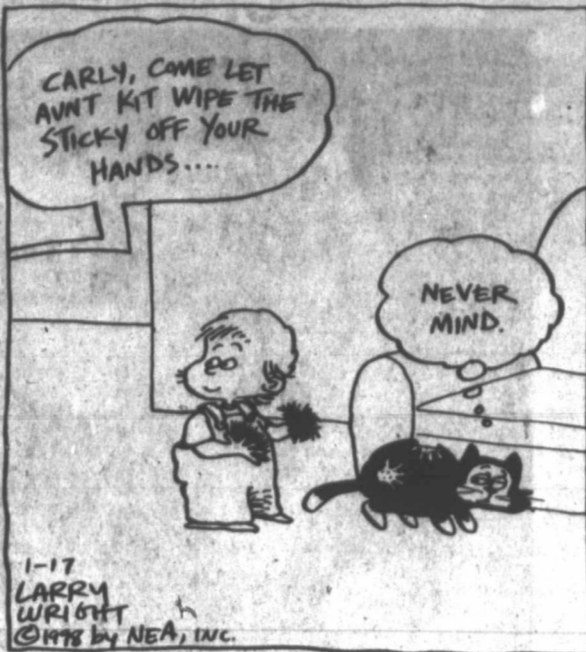
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ACROSS
1 Ran into
4 Ginger cookies
9 First degrees (abbr.)
12 Positive response
13 Purposful
14 Builflight cheer
15 Somewhat lemon-colored
17 Grant's foe
18 Ancient theater
19 Walked in water
21 Negative vote
23 Asian native
24 Airline employees
28 Cozy rooms
32 Actress Ullmann
33 Awry
34 Portico
35 Med. school course
37 Do—others
39 Liquor
40 Loudness

DOWN
1 Famous clinic
2 Viewed
3 Prefix for vision
4 Plant parts
5 Unused
6 The Greatest
7 Greek letters
8 Phonetic character
9 Fearless

unit
41 Pinkness
43 Parcel of land
45 Yalie
46 Of the kidneys
49 — Lucy
53 Actress Gardner
54 Keen-sighted
58 Obtain
59 Dressed to the
60 Chemical suffix
61 Compass pt.
62 Confidence
63 — Tin Tin (movie dog)

Answer to Previous Puzzle
JANE JAKE HID
UVFA UPON ASA
JAWS DOAS NEB
ULY LIA LUNGES
LULY LIA AER
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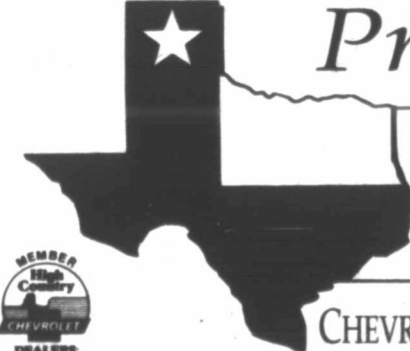
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