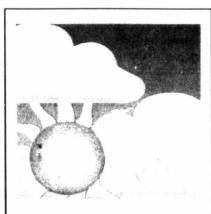


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Low tonight near 10, high tomorrow near 50. See Page 2 for weather details.

WASHINGTON, D.C. U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry (R-Amarillo) reminds area high school students that entries for "Artistic Discovery," the 1996 Congressional Art Competition, should be submitted no later than Friday, Feb. 2, at 4:30 p.m.

Thornberry is sponsoring this year's Congressional Art Competition in conjunction with Midwestern State University's third annual high school art competition. All entries for the Congressional Art Competition should be submitted directly to the Midwestern State University Art Department, located in the Fain Fine Arts Building, 3410 Taft, Wichita Falls, TX 76308.

The Congressional Art Competition is open to all high school students in the 13th District. The winning entry will be displayed for one year on Capitol Hill in Washington, while the second and third place entries will be on display in Thornberry's 13th District office. The winners will be announced at an award presentation scheduled to take place at Midwestern Feb. 10.

Clinton waits for action on spending bill

WASHINGTON (AP) – With a midnight deadline looming, a White House spokesman said today President Clinton is willing to sign a bill approved by the Republican-led House that would keep the government running through March 15.

The Senate today was taking up the measure, which would extend federal spending authority another seven weeks while cutting back funds for dozens of federal agencies.

In a telephone call today to radio station KGOR-FM in Omaha, Neb., Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., said the Senate would pass the measure today and ship it immediately to the president.

"He'll sign it tonight, and the government will stay open until March 15," Dole said.

Without the bill, thousands of federal civil servants face a third partial government shutdown beginning Saturday. But the White House said Clinton would sign it before the current temporary spending bill expires at midnight tonight.

"We fully expect Congress to take care of that today," press secretary Mike McCurry told take has produced an agreement the president can live with." However, Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., said today Democrats would offer two amendments to the temporary spending bill. One would raise the nation's \$4.9 trillion debt limit by \$185 billion, enough to last until March 1997. The other would restore federal education spending to last year's levels, up from the 75 percent level in the bill. Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer, who appeared with Daschle at a news conference, said without the restoration Detroit schools would suffer a \$16.1 million cut and could have to lay off 419 teachers. The House on Thursday passed the temporary spending measure, 371-42, marking the first fruit of the new mood of detente between Congress and the White House.

agreement soon, Republicans and the administration have agreed to seek more modest goals, seeking smaller spending and tax cuts while keeping the government open and raising the federal debt ceiling.

"This has been an incredibly tense negotiation," said Rep. Bob Livingston, R-La., chairman of the House Appropriations Committee. But "both sides have come together and crafted a compromise that keeps the government open for the next 45 days.

Stung by public criticism of the budget impasse that led to two shutdowns keeping federal workers home for nearly a month, House Republicans agreed that another shutdown wasn't politically feasible.

"We've got to be patient, you don't always get what you want," said Rep. Mark Foley, R-Fla., whose freshman class has been among the most outspoken hard-liners on a budget deal.

But they also exacted a price for keeping the government running. Ten small programs were terminated and several programs disliked by Republicans but favored by the administrareporters. Earlier, he said, "We're tion - such as the AmeriCorps satisfied that a lot of give-and- national service program, the Ounce of Prevention Council and Cops on the Beat – are to be funded at only 75 percent of 1995 levels. The bill applies to those programs that have no 1996 budget, either because Clinton vetoed their spending bills or Congress has yet to finish work on them. They include education, crime, Tabor, international, health and housing programs. The bill freezes new grant activities at a level not to exceed 75 percent of the prior monthly rate for several dozen programs such as the National AIDS Program Office, Youth Gang Substance Abuse, the Federal Council on Aging and Bilingual Education Support Services. It allows some agencies that face lower spending levels to furlough or fire employees.

Inspecting the roof



(Pampa News photo by Chip Chandler)

capital after the federation takes

control of Serb-held sections in

Serbs to stay," Zubak said.

They'll have full equality with

Krajisnik said Bosnian Serbs

wanted an agreement with the

federation on co-existence in

authority and want compro-

mise," he said. "The message to

the Serbs and all other people in

Sarajevo is that joint life in

Sarajevo can be established only

if there is mutual respect and if

minimum interests and rights

and authority of all three nations

"Serbs want to have their own

"Personally, I am calling on

Architects Jim Singleton and Don Burleson of Irving inspect the roof of Horace Mann Elementary School Thursday morning as they conducted a physical evaluation of all campuses in the district. The two, along with structural and mechanical/electrical engineers, were inspecting elementary schools as part of the consolidation study, as well as looking over the middle school and high school for Americans With Disabilities Act requirements. Also inspected during their two-day visit was the former Sam Houston Elementary School, which now houses Pampa Learning Center and Clarendon College Pampa Center.

Bosnia leaders call for release of POWs, agree to work together

PALE, Serbs have threatened to flee the Bosnia-Herzegovina

PAMPA — An Arizona man convicted in 1994 of possession of methamphetamines will get a new trial following an appeals court decision handed down Jan. 23.

A jury found William Howard Elder, Glendale, Ariz., guilty of the first degree felony charge in April, 1994 and assessed 30 years in prison and a \$75,000 fine. It was alleged he and traveling companion John Thomas White, Mesa, Ariz., were transporting methamphetamine to Indiana for sale when they were arrested near McLean on Interstate 40 on Nov. 10, 1993.

The Seventh Court of Appeals judgment reversed the trial court and sent the case back to the 223rd District Court for a new trial.

White entered a plea bargain agreement which netted him up to six months in Gray County jail, 10 years probation and a \$10,000 fine.

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) Two pen-and-ink drawings by Pablo Picasso and Henry Moore were recovered in a private collection 28 years after being stolen from a University of Michigan traveling exhibit.

No arrests were made in the thefts.

The FBI was trying to trace the chain of possession since the sketches disappeared from Delta College near Saginaw in 1967, authorities said. The drawings are estimated to be worth at least \$100,000 each.

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Having abandoned any hope of reaching a balanced budget

Anti-abortion lawmakers insisted on seeing some of their agenda in the bill, creating a problem that nearly disrupted the negotiations.

Explosion reported at natural gas plant

Local emergency personnel responded to a report of an explosion at a natural gas plant late this morning.

According to emergency broadcast channel traffic about 11:30 a.m. today, one man was reported "unconscious and unresponsive" at the Northern Natural Gas Plant about 4 miles north of Pampa on Highway 70.

No fire was reported with the explosion.

No other details were available at press time today.

City parks advisory board seeks to fill two vacancies

Parks and Recreation Department Advisory Board members are seeking new candidates to serve on the board, hoping to fill two current vacancies and at least one upcoming one.

Terry Ledbetter and James Kane recently left the board, and Robert Ellis indicated he would leave at the end of his term in April.

The terms of Rodney Springer and Judy Elliott will also expire in April, but they indicated they would be willing to serve again, with city commission approval.

The board is allowed seven members. Anyone interested in serving can contact Mayor Robert Neslage, City Manager Bob Eskridge, City Secretary

Phyllis Jeffers or any city commissioner, Parks Director Reed Kirkpatrick said.

In other business, the board discussed their plans to attend the Texas Recreation and Park Society annual institute and trade show in Lubbock March 2-5. They also discussed ways to inform the community that people can choose to donate \$1 with their water bill to be used for the Parks Department and Clean Pampa Inc.

that the city commission was expected to soon review their needs assessment survey that should be mailed to residents in late February or early March.

The board also voted to keep their meeting time at 6 p.m.

(AP) - Leaders of the two halves of postwar Bosnia called today for the immediate release of prisoners of war and agreed to work together to ease Serb fears about a reunified Sarajevo.

The meeting itself was significant. It was the first time top rival leaders met on Serb turf since war broke out in April 1992, and it marked another step in efforts to translate a paper peace deal into reality.

A U.S. official, meanwhile, accused the Croatian government of bargaining for favorable trial conditions before handing over seven indicted Bosnian Croats to the Yugoslav war crimes tribunal.

The official, speaking in Croatia on condition of anonymity, said Croatia insists that the suspects remain free before or during trial and that, if convicted, serve prison sentences in Croatia.

Christian Chartier, spokesman for the tribunal in The Hague, Netherlands, said the court "cannot bargain with anyone.

Kresimir Zubak, a Bosnian Croat, heads the federation that is to govern half of Bosnia after the peace plan is implemented. In Pale today, he met with Momcilo Krajisnik, a hard-line leader of the Bosnian Serbs, who are to govern Bosnia's other half. "We agreed to issue orders for

the release of the remaining prisoners as soon as possible,' Krajisnik said after 2 1/2 hours of talks.

A statement from the office of Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic said he would order the unilateral release of Muslim

Bosnian Serbs government-New Croat partition line federation

CROATIA

BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA

Sarajevo 1 Gorazde



1 A hidden anti-vehicle mine exploded in a Sarajevo stadium, killing three NATO peacekeepers and injuring seven.

2 Bosnian Croats announced that their self-proclaimed state would gradually transfer its institutions to the Muslim-Croat federation. The two sides are now at odds over the placement and ethnic mix of election districts in Mostar

and Croat POWs. It did not say when the release would take place, but Bosnian Serb sources in Pale said it would occur in the next couple of days.

The POW release is key to building confidence and fostering goodwill among Bosnia's enemy factions.

The rivals' failure to release all POWs by Jan. 19 was the first significant violation of Bosnia's Dec. 14 peace accord. Only about a third of the approximately 900 registered prisoners were freed. Zubak, an ethnic Croat, and

Krajisnik, a hard-line Serb leader, also agreed to work together to ease tensions around Sarajevo. An estimated 70,000

Though qualified, it was the strongest statement of support for a united Sarajevo from a senior Bosnian Serb official. The smooth reunification of Sarajevo is considered a litmus test of the peace deal. AP/Wm J Castello Tentative meetings about

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all other peoples.

reunifying the capital began at the municipal level. On Wednesday, the Bosnian Serbs' premier, Rajko Kasagic, met with Bosnia's Muslim prime minister, Haris Silajdzic, in the governmentheld part of Sarajevo. It was the first time since war began that a top Serb official had entered government territory for talks.

Just hours after the Wednesday meeting ended, two Portuguese soldiers and an Italian were killed accidentally in an explosion in a NATO compound. It was the most serious military accident since troops began to arrive in December to enforce the peace plan.

See BOSNIA, Page 2

Federal judge nixes buffalo hunt plans

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) - A federal judge today prohibited state-sponsored buffalo hunts at Fort Wingate Army Depot until the Army completes an environmental assessment on the impact of the hunt.

The ruling by U.S. District Judge Martha Vazquez is a victory for Indian and animal rights groups who sued the Army to halt the hunts, planned for three successive weekends this month at the closed Army installation near Gallup.

The losers were the nine hunters

who were chosen in a lottery to participate in the hunts and the state Game and Fish Department which planned the hunts

The Game and Fish Department scheduled the hunts in an effort to eliminate nine aging bulls from a state-owned herd of 60.

The department said it needed to cull the herd to stabilize breeding and prevent overgrazing at Fort Wingate. Department officials also have said the older animals could no longer chew their tood with their worn-out teeth.

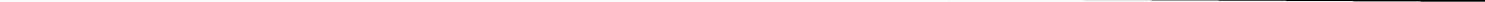
The first two hunts were postponed when Vazquez issued a temporary restraining order on Jan. 12. The third hunt had been set for this weekend.

Vazquez said she would retain jurisdiction over the case until the Army complied with environmental law.

The Army's main argument was that it didn't have any jurisdiction over the hunt because it had signed a contract with the state, allowing the state to hold the hunt unless the hunt posed a security risk at Fort Wingate.

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Board members also learned



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Obituaries

WADE W. REEVES

LEFORS - Wade W. Reeves, 79, of Lefors, died Thursday, Jan. 25, 1996. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Reeves was born Feb. 21, 1916, in Celeste, Texas. He had been a resident of Pampa from 1928 until 1993, when he moved to Lefors. He married Lura Merle Reger on Nov. 5, 1938, at Sayre, Okla.; she died in 1989. He worked for Gray County for 28 years as a heavy equipment operator, retiring in 1972. He was a member of the Fellowship Baptist Church in Pampa. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II.

Survivors include a son, Douglas Reeves of Lefors; five daughters, Merle Smithers of Houston, Nancy McDaniel of Ada, Okla., Charlene Wright and Brenda Humphrey, both of Pampa; and Sandra Regan of Vernon; two sisters, Ruby Fleming of Pampa and Grace Ivey of Borger; a brother, Roy Reeves of Pampa; two grandchildren; and 25 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch.

The family will receive friends at 501 N Nelson in Pampa and at 115 E. 5th in Lefors. DARRIAL WILLIAM ROYAL

SHAMROCK - Darrial William Royal, 74, of

Shamrock, died Wednesday, Jan. 26, 1996, at his residence. Graveside services were to be at 4 p.m. today at the Shamrock Cemetery with the Rev. Floyd Haddock, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Wright Funeral Directors.

Mr. Royal was born Dec. 3, 1921 at Dodson, Texas. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He married Velda Broyles on May 29, 1974, at Groom. He moved to Shamrock in 1990 from Spencer, Okla. He was a painter and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Velda, of Shamrock; a sister, Ferna Anglin of Wellington; and a brother, Derwood Royal of Shamrock.

CHARLIE MARIE SHURLEY

McLEAN - Charlie Marie Shurley, 77, of McLean, died Thursday, Jan. 25, 1996. Services are pending with Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home in McLean.

Calendar of events

PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB

Pampa Bridge Club meets at 2 p.m. Sunday in Room 11 at Clarendon College. For a partner, contact Marie Jamison at 669-2945. THEE PLACE

Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.

MOBILE MEALS MENU

Mobile meals menu for Saturday is meat loaf, lima beans, brown bread, jello.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrest in the 24 hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Jan. 25

Officer Fred Courtney reported disorderly conduct by fighting at Pampa Middle School, 2401 Charles at 3:35 p.m. Thursday.

Officer Fred Courtney reported disruption of classes at Pampa High School, 111 E.Harvester, at 7:50 a.m. Wednesday.

Allsup's, 309 N. Hobart, reported theft at 6:15 p.m. Thursday.

Three tinted windows were broken by rocks and bricks at Attebury Grain, 600 S. West Street. It occurred between 5 p.m. Wednesday and 7:30 a.m. Thursday. Damage is estimated at \$900.

Officer Kyle Battin reported information on a verbal fight in the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway.

Domestic violence was reported by a 24-yearold woman in the 200 block of North Houston at 9 p.m. Thursday. The woman was taken to Coronado Hospital with bruises to her face.

Lt. Shawn Fullagar reported six children between the ages of two and 10 years old abandoned or endangered in the 200 block of North Houston at 10:19 p.m. Thursday.

Domestic violence - terroristic threats were reported by a 34-year-old woman in the 1100 block of Mary Ellen at 6:30 p.m. Thursday. A pocket knife was displayed.

A board was broken off the back gate of a residence in the 1000 block of East Kingsmill at 9 p.m. Thursday.

Arrest **THURSDAY**, Jan. 25

Gregory Von Duff, 39, 713 Magnolia, was arrested at 201 E. Kingsmill on a capias pro fine warrant. He was released after paying the fine.

Ambulance

Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 26-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. **THURSDAY**, Jan. 25

5:52 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1900 block of North Wells on a medical assist for a patient transfer to High Plains Baptist Hospital. 9:08 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1400 block of East Browning on a medical assist and transported one patient to Coronado Hospital. 10:15 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital for a patient transfer to High Plains Baptist Hospital.

12:12 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 500 block of Red Deer on a medical assist and transported one patient to Coronado Hospital.

5:06 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1100 block of Christine on a trauma call. No injuries were reported and no patient was transferred.

10:07 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to the 100 block of South Starkweather on a trauma call

Christopher to meet with Russia's leaders

to confirm Russia remains on a shuttling between Jerusalem and path to free enterprise and Damascus in an effort to pep up democracy, Secretary of State negotiations now under way in Warren Christopher today set up eastern Maryland between Israel two meetings with Kremlin lead- and Syria. His plan to fly to ers - one next month in Helsinki, Helsinki Feb. 9 means he could Finland, and the other in March in Moscow.

Yevgeny Primakov, the new foreign minister, in Helsinki Feb. 10-11. State Department spokesman Nicholas Burns called it a chance "to get better acquainted and to establish a working relationship." The second meeting will take Christopher to Moscow some-

invitation from President Boris N. Yeltsin, he will meet there with Yeltsin and other leaders in Kadannikov, an old-style Soviet a government undergoing signif- bureaucrat, to succeed Anatoly icant personnel changes as Chubais, an economic reformer Yeltsin seeks to deflect criticism forced out after communists and of his reform policies.

Christopher will go to Helsinki able gains in the election of a new from the Middle East, where he Russian parliament.

Sarajevo, speaking on condition

Also on Wednesday, three

French legionnaires were injured

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Paris for treatment.

WASHINGTON (AP) – Eager has scheduled five or six days of not have an open-ended shuttle unless he postponed the meeting expressed satisfaction The first meeting will be with with Primakov he is eager to hold Moscow's responses. quickly.

In April, President Clinton is due to go to Moscow for talks with Yeltsin. Christopher's two meetings are designed to gauge the extent the Russian president remains committed to reformist policies.

On Thursday, the administratime in March. Responding to an tion welcomed new pledges of continued reform from Russian leaders, but reserved judgment again with Primakov as well as on Yeltsin's selection of Vladimir appointment, the U.S. spokesextreme nationalists made siz-

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today to give an interview to in an apparent further bid to reassure Sarajevans.

An Italian military source in About 300 people gathered today in the Serb-held sector of leader, also said he would coopof anonymity, said Thursday that Ilidza to light candles for the erate with international war the blast was caused by a small grenade-type bomb carried by a dead and protest the peace crimes investigators. Portuguese soldier, not by a land accord. But the organized gathermine as previously reported. A ing was a far cry from the for genocide, ruled out extraditprotests that thousands of Serbs ing suspects to the international memorial service for the dead staged shortly after the peace war crimes tribunal in The soldiers was to be held at deal was signed.

No date was given for the prisduring a grenade-throwing exer- cials were on standby.

The Bosnian Serb in charge of side Sarajevo, according to a POWs, Dragan Bulajic, said he French military statement re- would release the remaining 180 prisoners as soon as the Red

dier suffered serious hand injuries and was to be flown to his government "will most probably bring such a decision during ening to withhold promised aid Kasagic returned to Sarajevo the day."

Counseling association schedules workshop

AMARILLO – High Plains tinue their education each year to course of action. Counseling Association will have retain their license, and to stay up its Spring Workshop on Feb. 2 at to date on the new laws and St. Stephens Methodist Church at research concerning the counsel- University. His doctorate is in 4600 S. Western, Amarillo. ing profession.

Registration will start at 8 a.m. "Methods for Ethical Decision is usually more complicated his doctoral studies were coun-

Formulating a decision when University of Southern Califor-Dr. Jim Sell will present faced with ethical/legal conflict nia. His specializations during

Earlier, Primakov succeeded Andrei reform-minded Kozyrev as foreign minister.

These and other changes prompted administration officials to question Yeltsin's commitment to political and economic reform. On Thursday, spokesman Burns with

statements by "Recent President Yeltsin and others made publicly, but also a number of statements made to us privately in Moscow over the last couple of days, have encouraged us to believe that the Russian government will meet its commitments and will continue its general reform orientation," Burns said. Asked about Kadannikov's man was guarded.

"He's in a critical position because the (International Monetary Fund), among others, is now negotiating a \$9 billion credit line with the Russian government," Burns said.

According to the Red Cross, the Bosnian government television, Bosnian government still holds 318 prisoners and Bosnian Croats 177

Karadzic, the Bosnian Serb

But Karadzic, himself indicted Hague, Netherlands.

"All those who committed oner releases, but Red Cross offi- crimes will be tried in the (Bosnian) Serb republic," Karadzic said.

> Only one of the 52 people indicted by the tribunal, a Bosnian Serb, is in custody in The Hague.

The West has been pressuring President Alija Izetbegovic said all sides to comply fully with the U.S.-brokered peace deal, threatotherwise.

Sells is an assistant professor of

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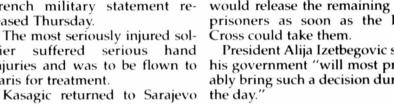
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FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN COWBOYS The Fellowship of Christian Cowboys will have a potluck supper at 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 27, at the Clyde Carruth Pavilion, followed by a concert at 7 p.m. featuring Loretta Hall and the Crimson River Band of Carter, Okla. The public is invited. There is no admission charge. For information, call John or Carolyn Stokes at 665-7896 or Jim and Kathleen Greene at 665-8067.

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and transported one patient to Coronado Hospital

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident and arrest in the 24 hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Jan. 25

Deputy Gary Johnson reported someone unlawfully carrying a weapon 14.6 miles south of Pampa on US 70.

Arrest THURSDAY, Jan. 25

Randell Allen Menefield, 37, 611 E. Albert, was arrested on a charge of unlawfully carrying a weapon.

Annie Lovee Menefield, 30, 611 E. Albert, was arrested on a charge of unlawfully carrying a weapon.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported to the following call during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Jan. 25

1:36 p.m. - Three units and seven personnel responded to Coronado Health Care Center, 1504 W. Kentucky, on an alarm malfunction.

American Cancer Society sponsoring seminar

Cancer Society is sponsoring a inar. free, eight-week seminar, "I Čan Make reservations by Friday, human anatomy, how cancer Cope," a series of educational Feb. 2, by calling the ACS office at develops, diagnosis and treatclasses for people with cancer, (806) 353-4306. their families and friends.

3915 Bell, Amarillo, and will con- cancer, address cancer facts, protinue on Feb. 14, 21 and 28 and vide practical hints and include March 6, 13, 20 and 27.

should attend all eight sessions the treatment team.

AMARILLO - The American to receive full benefit of the sem-

The seminar will be from 6 to 7 volunteers of the American communication skills, emop.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at the Cancer Society, will present tions, self-esteem, cancer and American Cancer Society office, straightforward information on intimacy, and community representations and class discus-

Included in the seminar sessions will be information about ment, side effects of treatment, The seminar, made possible by new research and clinical trials, sources.

Organizers say the information and insights offered in the "I Can Facilitator for the seminar will sions in helping people to Cope" seminar classes help be Betty Ezzell, R.N., and other become informed of cancer, make patients, families and friends community health care pro- informed decisions with their with the day-to-day issues of livviders. Organizers say people doctors and become partners in ing with a chronic disease like cancer.

Survey shows Gramm's support is fading

HOUSTON (AP) – Republican opponents in November. U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm still holds a

surveyed in the poll taken for the points. Houston Chronicle and Houston television station KPRC said they considered the favorite in his redefinitely would vote for election bid, but his support in Gramm's re-election. That's down, Texas has been falling," Del Ali, vice percent, but 41 percent of those however, from about 46 percent in president of the polling firm, said. * a similar survey last July.

still is at least 16 percentage election and for the Republican Chapman of Sulphur Springs, points over potential Democratic presidential nomination.

The survey by Mason-Dixon big lead over his potential Political-Media Research of Co-Democratic opponents but a poll lumbia, Md., included 819 regisreleased Friday shows his base tered voters questioned Jan. 20-22. support fading. The margin of error in the survey is Thirty-seven percent of those plus or minus 3.5 percentage

"Gramm certainly has to still be

Ali said voters are unhappy Despite the erosion, his edge with Gramm running for both re-

Gramm spokesman Larry Neal downplayed the slide.

"There is simply no bad face you can put on this poll," Neal said. "Phil Gramm is the commanding front-runner in the Senate race and is clearly bound for victory. The Democratic field is as weak as you can get."

Among Democrats, U.S. Rep. John Bryant of Dallas led with 24 surveyed said they didn't know who he was.

Another congressman, Jim was second with 17 percent.

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High Plains an organization for Licensed Counselors are required to con- insufficient in defining a proper they have an infant daughter.

Weather focus LOCAL FORECAST

Cloudy and cold tonight with and cold. Lows in the teens. a low near 10. Variable winds 5-10 mph. Saturday, sunny and around 50. Saturday night, fair. warmer with a high near 50 and Lows in the 20s. south winds 5-15 mph. overnight low was 9.

REGIONAL FORECAST West Texas – Panhandle

Texas Counseling Association. tives, both of which are undesir- Northern Illinois University. HPCA covers 26 counties, and is able. Dr. Sells' presentation will Certified School Counselors. the ethical guidelines appears

> to near 50. Saturday night, mostly clear. Lows around 20 to mid 20s. South Plains: Tonight, clear Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 60s.

Thursday's high was 64; the and cold. Lows 18 northwest to 29 southeast. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs 47 to 55.

South Texas – Hill Country (Northern): Tonight, clear and and South Central: Tonight, cold. Lows 0 to 10 above. clear and colder. Lows 20s Hill Saturday, mostly sunny and Country to 30s south central. warmer. Highs 40 to 50. Saturday, sunny. Highs in the Saturday night, mostly clear. 50s to near 60. Upper Coast: Lows around 20 to mid 20s. Tonight, chance of showers Panhandle (Southern): Tonight, early, otherwise partly cloudy clear and cold. Lows 5 to near 10 and colder. Lows near 30 north cold with lows in the teens. above. Saturday, mostly sunny to low 40s coast. Saturday, Saturday, mostly sunny with and warmer. Highs in upper 40s sunny. Highs in the 50s. Coastal highs in the 40s.

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Copeland seeking GOP nod for Gray County sheriff post

Retired Department of Public Safety trooper Don Copeland has announced his candidacy for Gray County sheriff.

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Copeland, a newcomer to partisan politics, will face Sheriff Randy Stubblefield in the Republican primary March 12.

Copeland, a Republican, was born in Shamrock in 1938 and is a graduate of Shamrock High School. He is married to Marilyn Copeland; they are theo parents of Randy Copeland, San Diego; Suzann Shaull, Bristow, Okla.; and Ed Copeland, Pampa

Copeland joined Department of Public Safety in 1968 after a stint with the Shamrock Police Department and Wheeler County Sheriff's Office.

He moved to Pampa 1980 after working in Wichita Falls, Electra and Shamrock. Copeland retired Aug. 31, 1995. He holds a commission as a Special Texas Ranger as an honorably retired member of DPS. Copeland earned 2,061 hours of training through the Texas Commission of Law Enforcement Officers Standards and Education and holds a master peace officers license.

to," said Copeland.

Charges filed against teen



Don Copeland

Copeland said if elected he will see that employees exceed state mandated training levels.

"As your sheriff, I will take an aggressive stand on narcotics trafficking and enforcement. I will expand drug awareness programs to all areas of Gray County with emphasis on youth and civic organizations. ... I will also strive to increase the efficiency of "I plan on working with every" the Sheriff's Department by maxlaw enforcement agency I need imum utilization of all available resources," he said.

WELLINGTON (AP) – Texas decision directing the state to pay \$514,000 to landowners over Canadian River land boundaries.

Mauro said the "outrageous" decision Tuesday in Collingsworth County sets a precedent for other raids on riverbeds and mineral rights the state claims as Permanent School Fund land.

Attorney fees and survey costs were awarded to plaintiffs, including gas tycoon Boone Pickens, the Morrison Cattle Co. and the Catharine C. Whittenberg Trusts.

"I don't care how rich or pow- unreasonable. erful they are," Mauro said in a case.'

Mauro vows to appeal jury verdict on Canadian River A jury in Wellington, about 100 River in Hutchinson and Roberts riverbeds in other parts of the Land Commissioner Garry miles southeast of Amarillo, counties. Mauro vows to appeal a jury directed that the state pay the plaintiffs and intervenors \$350,000 in attorneys' fees; \$144,000 for the entangled in a six-year lawsuit services of land surveyors; \$15,000 for any appeal to the Court of Appeals; and \$5,000 for responding to any appeal to the Texas Supreme Court.

Dallas attorney Mike Powell said the plaintiffs had sought about \$800,000 in expenses.

"We're very pleased with the outcome of the case," Powell said Thursday. "Our position that the landowners owned the land down to the flowing water - was found to be correct ... and

The lawsuit against the Texas the disputed stretch. prepared statement. "I will con- General Land Office had origitinue to fight for the rights of the nated in 1989 with several would set an awful precedent, Permanent School Fund land schoolchildren of Texas in this landowners with holdings along prompting dozens of similar, and mineral rights without a

The landowners agree that the state owns the riverbed. The dispute: How wide is the riverbed? Landowners claimed they were entitled to the property where the river used to flow before the 1965 completion of the Sanford Dam narrowed the watercourse downstream.

The state argued, meanwhile, that the riverbed boundaries are not determined by flowing water alone and that the are not affected by artificial changes.

Ron Calhoun, spokesman for the land office, said state District Judge Kent Sims has ruled that the state's position had been the landowners were entitled to defended itself against being

a 37-mile strip of the Canadian costly raids on school land in court fight?"

state," Mauro said.

Mauro said his office will appeal to the Texas Court of Appeals in Amarillo and the Texas Supreme Court, if necessary, to protect the Permanent School Fund, which provides money for public education in the state.

Sims "had the gall" to rule that the state was frivolous in defending its boundary claims, he said

"That's outrageous," Mauro said. "This has got to be the first time that the state, or any defendant for that matter, was ruled to be frivolous just because it surface and mineral rights along sued. What were we supposed to do, lay down and give them "This case, if allowed to stand, title to 13,000 acres of

Case of runaway pregnant girl raises more questions

By MICHAEL GRACZYK Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) - It turns out Cindy Garcia wasn't 10, wasn't from Houston and wasn't even Cindy Garcia.

The case of the young pregnant girl whose flight from social services authorities prompted a wide search because of fears for her safety and the safety of her unborn child took an even stranger twist Thursday.

The girl was carrying a bogus birth certificate that had been obtained by her mother, services officials various ages although the police said.

What authorities now believe is that Cindy really is Adella Quintana, probably about 14, born in Mexico and is about eight months after she was picked up," Linda Edwards, a pregnant. Officials earlier feared she could deliver her child any day, but doctors who Protective and Regulatory Services, said. examined her Thursday said she had about a month to go

Pedro Sotelo, 22, a Mexican national, was set

when both he and Miss Quintana were found hiding in a Houston apartment.

"The mother did admit she provided the juvenile division with a fraudulent birth certificate in order to enroll her in school," Houston police Capt. George Buenik said.

He said police were consulting authorities in Mexico to try to better pin down the girl's precise age. The girl's mother, Francesca Quintana, provided a written statement acknowledging the discrepancy, Buenik said. The girl herself had given police and social

certificate that turned out to be bogus was the only documentation. 'Of course, we began asking questions ...

spokeswoman for the Texas Department of

Police said it was not immediately known where in Mexico the family lived or when they moved to Houston.

Authorities complained earlier Thursday their investigation of the entire affair had

"This family has not been forthcoming with information," Judy Hay of Harris County Children's Protective Services said. "There's been a lot of misleading information. Nobody in this family has given helpful; consistent information."

Police said the girl's mother remained under investigation and faced possible charges of child neglect.

The girl was taken to LBJ Hospital in Houston where obstetricians said she was in good condition.

"We do feel we should observe her for a little while," Dr. Jude Crino said.

Her age was questioned because she gave various answers when asked about it by social services officials who discovered her a week ago when she tried to apply for welfare benefits.

A copy of a birth certificate distributed to reporters Thursday showed her birth date and place as Sept. 13, 1985 in Houston, although the certificate was not issued until July 31, 1989.

"Whether she's 10 or 14, she's been sexually abused and we will protect her," Ms. Hay said.

for a court appearance later today on charges of aggravated sexual assault. He's been held been slow because the girl's family was unco-

Airman charged with raping girl in Okinawa

TOKYO (AP) – The U.S. Air September assault on the not to leave the base and to stay Force confirmed today that Okinawa schoolgirl. another American serviceman on All three took place on been placed in custody. year-old American girl.

A high-tech computer system are on trial in a Japanese court in One case involves a Marine has been scheduled for Feb. 7 to

Okinawa has been charged with Okinawa, where more than half Japan are based. No charges have counselor on Dec. 12, and charges Three other U.S. servicemen been filed in two of the cases. were filed Wednesday. A hearing

away from the victim. He has not

Dutko said the rape was first

in death of his niece MIDLAND (AP) — A 19-yearold Midland man has been charged with capital murder in the death earlier this month of his 9-month-old niece, who suffered fatal head injuries while he was babysitting her.

State briefs

Abel David Alarcan was arrested Thursday at his Midland residence. Justice of the Peace Robert Pine set bail at \$100,000.

Emily Carter was injured while Alarcon babysat her and his 13month-old daughter on Jan. 9, officials said. An autopsy determined that the child died from a "blunt-force trauma to the head."

Alarcon said the girl suffered her injuries in a fall from her bed at his mother's house. The child was declared clinically brain dead the state to use an automated the next day at University Medical Center in Lubbock, and her parents authorized recovery of her organs for use by other children.

Umphrey Lee Elementary School that black students were inferior and should go back to Africa. The panel found she should

have more accurately gauged her students' anticipated response to the statement and, therefore, showed poor judgment.

Plan will notify stalking victims of attackers' release

FORT WORTH (AP) — In September, a state law took effect requiring that counties notify victims of family violence and stalking whenever the aggressor posts bail or is otherwise released.

Tarrant County officials called a news conference for today to announce that in March the county will become the first in rape, and that the victim is a 14- of the 47,000 American troops in reported by the victim's school calling system to notify victims.

will attempt to bridge the infor-

told fifth-grade students at

The man accused of impregnating her, on \$200,000 bond since Wednesday night operative and the boyfriend was mum.

Dallas teacher fired for alleged racist remarks

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas teacher accused by her black fifth-grade students of telling them they should go back to Africa has been fired.

A three-member administrative panel, which earlier conducted a three-day hearing in whick it heard from 16 witnesses, found Thursday that she was quoting. someone else and did not express a personal view.

But Deen Williamson showed gross errors in judgment in making the comments, the panel found, and "is no longer fit or qualified to work in a multi-cul- agency's history. tural environment such as the Dallas public schools."

Ms. Williamson with pay on Oct. Mellon Foundation. 18, two days after a classroom discussion concerning the Million scenery and a wide array of Oct. 15.

mation gap between victims of crime and the criminal justice system, Tarrant County Sheriff David Williams said Thursday. The automated monitoring sys-

tem will initially be limited to county jail inmates, providing around-the-clock access to county inmate information and keeping victims apprised of significant status changes as cases move through the judicial process.

40,000 acres donated to state

AUSTIN (AP) — Approximately 40,000 acres of land in the Chinati Mountains in West Texas have been donated to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the largest such donation in the

The land, adjacent to the Rio Grande in Presidio County, was The school district suspended donated by the Richard King

The site features stunning Man March on Washington on wildlife. It includes diverse terrain, ranging from dramatic gran-The action came after students ite bluffs to spring-filled, woodand parents complained that she land canyons and grass plateaus.

Okinawa girl. That crime has led Marine. In another, a suspect has tial will be convened. to widespread calls in Japan for not been identified, but the vic- Dutko said the victim is the troops from the southern island. In a full-page ad in today's New York Times, a Japanese women's group appealed to the United States to remove military bases indecent acts with a female under from the island, saying that is the the age of 16, adultery and pro-September rape, if Williams goes only way to prevent rapes.

an Air Force statement after woman Lt. Tania Dutko. repeated media inquiries, is the third report of rape involving operator assigned to a civil engi- tim. If convicted, he would go to American servicemen since the neering unit, has been ordered an American prison.

Morales ponders suing tobacco industry

knifepoint.

AUSTIN (AP) – Texas may be of tobacco-related diseases. drawing a legal bead on the become the most complex legal claim the state has ever pursued.

Attorney General Dan Morales says he will decide in the coming gation that I can think of than weeks whether to file a lawsuit what we are contemplating against the industry for reim- doing here," Morales said in an bursement of millions of dollars interview published Thursday by

Five states – Florida, Massatobacco industry in what could chusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi and West Virginia - have filed similar lawsuits.

"There is no more complex liti-

the rape of a 12-year-old who allegedly raped another determine whether a court-mar

the withdrawal of American tim claims a Marine raped her at daughter of an Air Force serviceman stationed on Okinawa. In the latest case, Senior Another U.S. spokesman, Maj. Airman Anthony T. Williams Jr., Kevin Krejcarek, said Williams is 24, faces charges of rape and from San Antonio.

Unlike the three charged in the viding alcohol to minors, accord- to court he will be tried under the The latest charge, confirmed in ing to Kadena Air Base spokes- U.S. military system because the rape allegedly occurred on base Williams, a heavy-machinery and involved an American vic-

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Viewpoints

Landry would've nipped a few buds

Two post-game, nationally televised expletives from Dallas Cowboy players. Two from the Pittsburgh Steelers. The Super Bowl isn't likely to remind us of a Jane Austen movie. But, oh, how the obscenity flap reminds us of life as it used to be.

Does that sound weepy, nostalgic, arthritic? I am #!&°o sorry about that. In certain urgent respects, life was better in the old days. Football players, for one thing, didn't drag out their locker-room vocabularies to entertain old ladies and preschoolers.

Had the Cowboys of Tom Landry's day talked publicly in the manner of Michael Irvin and Nate Newton, would you care to guess their fates? Deacon Tom would have come down on the offenders like an avenging angel. The anatomical features they used for sitting would have been sore for weeks. Note, please, that Jerry, ringmaster of the Cowboy circus, kissed off the whole furor with "No action is warranted." What a class act is our Jerry!

True, in other, more civilized quarters, outrage and derision are aimed at the perpetrators. William Bennett, our leading cultural critic, told USA Today that the episodes demonstrate how locker-room language has gone mainstream. It isn't "the end of the world," Bennett said. "It's one more notch ... Civilizations don't collapse all at once, they do it one degree at a time."

If the offending cretins didn't resemble Sherman tanks, one would enjoy taking them by the shoulders and shaking them - and Jerry, their enabler-in-chief, with them. But alas! - if you'll O. Selznick had had to obtain special permission

William **Murchison**

pardon a passe interjection - shaking them wouldn't do all that much good. Where do football players get the idea they can turn the air blue with expletives? Why, they get it from society at large. Alas! Alack! Jerry isn't their only enabler.

Yes, I know all too well - this sounds like tearstained 20th century liberalism. "We're alllllllll guilty! Sob! Choke!"

In a way, maybe we are all guilty. Society as a whole has raised the linguistic portcullis, admitting to ordinary discourse expressions that 30 years ago would have been firmly barred.

Thirty years ago! My moss-encrusted memory calls up the early '60s flap over the Jimmy Dean Big John." Jimmy had employed in his song lyrics four-letter word signifying the place of eternal torment. The hand of censorship descended. Jimmy dubbed in More Suitable Language. There were things one could say in private but not public, and "hell" was one of them. Earlier, David

for Clark Gable, in Gone With the Wind, to tell Scarlett, "Frankly, my dear, I don't give a damn." In the '60s, that line still brought titillated murmurs from the audience.

Modern vocabularies are, you might say, less refined. We are into self-expression these days. Norms and standards are for old movies and old minds. Irvin-Newton-like language saturates television, which may be one reason the players feel free to indulge in such language while performing for the cameras. How much worse do they talk on NYPD Blue? You can sit in nice restaurants and hear fellow diners say things for which Gary Cooper would have called them to account but that now you let go because - who'd understand? Bennett is right: Civilizationally, we're collapsing by degrees.

One hates to reinvent the wheel, but the case against bad language public clearly needs restating. The case is that such language embarrasses and degrades. The embarrassed are those who, if they enjoyed the atmosphere of a locker room, would take up permanent residence in one. The degraded are those who see the language of the locker room as normal, everyday, no big deal at all.

What are we anyway, a bunch of apes? One hopes that isn't our destiny, but one never knows. Act like an ape, with disdain for others and with unabashed joy in the more squalid features of life, and pretty soon, you turn into an ape.

Where's Tom Landry now that we need him? I know - he's covering his ears.

Today in history By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Jan. 26, the 26th day of 1996. There are 340 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Jan. 26, 1788, the first European settlers in Australia, led by Captain Arthur Phillip, landed in present-day Sydney. (The party included 700 convicts from England.) On this date:

In 1784, in a letter to his daughter, Benjamin Franklin expressed unhappiness over the choice of the eagle as the symbol of America, and expressed his own preference: the turkey

In 1802, Congress passed an act calling for a library to be estab-lished within the U.S. Capitol.

In *1837, Michigan became the 26th state with the signing of a statehood bill by President Jackson. In 1841, Britain formally occu-

pied Hong Kong, which the Chinese had ceded to the British. In 1861, Louisiana seceded from

the Union. In 1870, Virginia rejoined the

Union.

says Justin Gleem, a sophomore. "No one will ever

Post-life chic has also hit the social scene.

Seances, once confined to little girls' slumber par-

ties, are now all the rage in New York and Los

Angeles. Tiffany Trump, Alexa Brinkley, Joel and

Satchel Allen are just a few of the celebs who can

be heard saying, "Light as a feather, stiff as a

board." The Ouija board, the classic spirit-contact-

ing game, is also enjoying a revival. "We're

expecting a brisk Christmas season," says a

Parker Brothers source. And Disney's Boomer

World has parkgoers lined up to the gates, wait-

boomers have mastered the ultimate public-rela-

tions challenge: putting a positive spin on death.

Indeed, with so much great publicity it seems the

"When you're dead, things are more focused,"

explains Seth Absorbid, the former psychologist

and best-selling author. "You don't have all those

silly earthy desires nagging you. I've never felt

more alive than when I was dead." Absorbid's lat-

est book, You Guys Don't Know What You're

"We're redefining the afterlife," says Mark

Atforce, a former Columbus, Ohio, insurance

executive. "There used to be a stigma attached to

being dead. Your voice wasn't heard; you were

somehow considered 'out of it.' Once we started

The baby boomers: They may be gone, but

dving ourselves, we realized that wasn't right."

Missing, is scheduled for a spring release.

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Texas Editorials

Fort Worth Star-Telegram on POW-MIA disclosures:

Just once, it would be nice for the U.S. government not to beat former wartime adversaries to the punch with denials that those countries may still be holding American servicemen as prisoners of war.

This time it was a South Korean newspaper that reported that 'up to 10" American POWs are still captive in North Korea — an assertion that the Defense Department immediately, and without elaboration, dismissed as "totally false.

After two days, the Pentagon issued a report indicating that four of six deserters remain in North Korea after slipping across from U.S. duty stations in the south in the 1960s. One of the deserters, officials said, is probably the man appearing in a photograph in the South Korean paper.

According to the National Alliance of Families, representing families of missing servicemen, a Pentagon official told the group in 1994 that his office knew of no deserters in North Korea. Yet within 48 hours of last week's news report, the Pentagon produced an impressive amount of information to the contrary.

Just as with the volatile issue of Vietnam POWs, the Defense Department has aggressively sought to discredit any reports of live prisoners, despite massive documentation from files declassified in the last five years that raise more questions than they answer.

Yet much information remains classified, and reflexive denials from those who control the secrets only arouse suspicion that they have something sinister to hide. President Clinton should clear the air by, finally, allowing the truth to come out. After nearly 43 years in the case of Korea and 23 years in the case of Vietnam, what is there to hide?

Austin American-Statesman on campaign finance reform:

A bit of optimism is creeping into the debate over efforts to reform the way political campaigns for Congress are financed.

After decades of stalled and failed reform efforts, this year holds the very real possibility that a campaign finance bill will pass both the House and the Senate. This follows a year in which lobby reform - long dismissed as a political impossibility - succeeded. .

One of the bills under discussion and very much alive calls for voluntary spending limits by House and Senate candidates, limits on self-financing and on raising funds outside the actual district. Those candidates abiding by the limits would receive lower mailing rates and free time on television and radio. Bills also would ban contributions from political action committees and the so-called "soft money" -- contributions to candidates from state parties, dollars that are exempt from federal limits on money from single sources. The cost of political campaigns has become astronomical in recent years. Only those candidates with access to millions of dollars have much of a chance to win a seat. Reform to bring down the cost is imperative. Running for a congressional seat should not be like polo or vacht racing, only for the very rich or those with access to them.



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Baby boomers demand their afterlife

January 2056 - Once upon a time, a dead person was just that: dead. The certificate was drawn, the obituary published, the ceremony held. Friends and family would gather to honor the deceased and to comfort the survivors. And afterward, though loved ones would hold the departed in their hearts for decades to come, attention pretty much shifted back to the living.

But that was before the baby boomers died. Now the generation that brought us rock 'n' roll, peace and love, and the "Contract With America" has forever changed the way the nation looks at death

"Being dead isn't what it used to be," says Connie Sumer, formerly of Fort Lee, N.J. "It used to be so creepy, so dated and cobweb-y. My generation has changed all that.

Sumer speaks to us from the great hereafter via Madam Opportunista, one of a growing number of professional mediums - the hottest career of the decade, according to a recent Standard & Poor's analysis.

"People miss the baby boomers," explains S&P analyst Ina Kidd Nough. "They want the boomers to tell them what sneakers to wear and what TV shows to watch.

Nough says that the retail business suffered a terrible slump shortly after the boomers died. "We had racks of merchandise languishing in stores because no one knew what was cool," she says. "Should we be wearing ripped jeans and sandals, or cardigans and Hush Puppies? None of us had a clue.'



A Washington policy maker, who asked not to be identified, agrees. "Washington these days is like Russia after the Cold War. The boomers had been dictating national priorities for so long - you know, student loans when they were students, tax breaks when they were making money - that we've realized we don't know how to make decisions anymore."

Fortunately, the opinion-makers need not be left in the dark, thanks to the rapid advances in afterdeath communications technology. Once the domain of carnival vendors and late-night advertorials, communication with the dead is now a \$5 trillion industry, and mediums - or post-life facilitators, as they prefer to be called - like Opportunista are getting the respect and financial rewards that had long been denied them. At Harvard University alone, more than one-quarter of the freshman class expressed an interest in the After-Death Studies major.

"I definitely want a link with the baby boomers," they're not forgotten.

laiming the middle from both ends

On tour for Republican conservativism, the first-term GOP senator said that while it's difficult to say no to things people want, it has to be done to move America "back toward the middle of the road.'

It's an example of the way politicians use their own terms to define the middle, which is where voters tend to see themselves.

That philosophical territory has been called the mainstream, the middle way, the vital center, compassionate conservatism, the sensible center, or even the radical center.

Charting it depends upon who is drawing the heightened by the record-rate retirements depleting the roster of moderates after this year.

The people who define the debate are effectively writing the rules of the process, as Ronald Reagan did when he came to the White House 15 years ago. In this sequence, since the Republican takeover of Congress, President Clinton has accentuated the centrist Democratic tenets of his campaign. He had shifted to what seemed to be oldstyle liberal answers earlier in his administration. His four-draft transition to a balanced budget proposal displays that turn.

He won the White House as a New Democrat, promising a more conservative approach than had marked the party's past. "As Bill Clinton proved in 1992, albeit dishonestly, many Americans are open to a progressive message that progressive wings of both parties, particularly combines concern for the poor with a strong among GOP senators.

Walter Mears AP Special Correspondent

advocacy of limited, responsive, and efficient government," Joel Kotkin of the Pacific Research Institute writes in The American Enterprise.

The emphasis is on the latter as he seeks a second term while accusing Republicans of extremist answers.

They insist not. It is a tag no politician wants, map. Conservatives are now, and their dominance none, at least, since Barry Goldwater defiantly in the Republican Congress probably will be declared in accepting the 1964 GOP presidential nomination that extremism in the defense of liberty is no vice.

He was swamped. Lyndon Johnson's landslide swept Democrats to total congressional dominance and they defined the middle of the road the liberal way.

Later on, Richard Nixon said the working formula for a Republican in a presidential bid was to cater to the right to win the nomination, then move back to the center because that's where the voters are. In 1988, Democratic nominee Michael Dukakis tried to avoid "the L word," for liberal, although he finally accepted the label.

Those efforts to define and claim the middle echo now, with a record 13 Senate retirements and with 35 in the House eroding the moderate to

"The center is depleted," said Sen. John Chafee, the fourth-term Rhode Island Republican whose relatively liberal philosophy once prompted activists on the right to say he ought to leave the party

Democrat Paul Tsongas, the former Massachusetts senator and presidential candidate, had lamented a vacuum in the center of national politics. Warren Rudman of New Hampshire, a former GOP senator, said that some people now identified with the conservative wing probably will move toward the middle "because that's where the country is."

Republicans in power insist that despite the labeling, their version of conservatism is headed there now

When the touring GOP Senate freshmen held a televised forum in Knoxville recently, Sen. Fred Thompson of Tennessee said that saying no to well-meaning people is the hard part of the job.

"But we have really gotten out of kilter in this country, and what we are about is trying to move things back toward the middle of the road," he said.

That's the mainstream map Republicans want, and it is not a new one.

"There is in our affairs at home a middle way between untrammeled freedom of the individual and the demands for the welfare of the whole nation, Dwight D. Eisenhower said in his first State of the Union address in 1953. "This way must avoid government by bureaucracy as carefully as it avoids neglect of the helpless."

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ing the probation of Scott Allen Brown. He was sent to Texas Frith and requiring him to serve a Department of Criminal Justice term of confinement in a sub- for five years with credit for time stance abuse treatment facility for served on a charge of possession 90 days to one year. He is also of a controlled substance which required to remain in a continu- occurred in 1994. um of care until discharged.

guilty to possession of a controlled substance. He was burglary of a habitation which assessed 45 days in Gray County occurred in July, 1992. He was jail.

ing Dennis Bliss on deferred adjudication probation. He was ing the probation of Larry Frank assessed 90 days in Gray County Jones on a 1988 charge of driving jail; his probation was extended while intoxicated - subsequent one year; he is required to pay offense. He was assessed 159 \$225 in court-appointed attornevs fees.

An order was entered dismissing a charge of engaging in crim- Seventh District Court of Appeals inal activity against Gerald Don overturning the trial court deci-Schulz because the defendant was convicted in another case.

ing a charge of delivery of a con- District Court for a new trial. trolled substance against Jessie Earl Washington because the evidence is insufficient.

A judgment nisi was entered against Wendell George May- Judy Bennett Howard berry, principal, and Ferguson Bail Bonding, surety. An alias Sonya Winkleblack capias warrant was issued for his rearrest.

A judgment was entered revoking the probation of Matthew Gilbert Maul. He was assessed six years in prison with 313 days credit for time served.

Darwin Leon Robinson pleaded guilty to delivery of a controlled substance. He was Charles Glenn Spencer, seizure assessed five years probation, and forfeiture \$1,250 fine, 120 hours community service, \$450 for his court- of Valerie L. Simpson, a minor vs. appointed attorney and \$140 John King and Mashanda King, restitution.

An order as entered dismissing a charge of endangering a child George Mayberry, judgment nisi against Rose Marie Keys because she completed a 60-day program Branda Mosley, Industrial at Allen Treatment Center in Accident Board Appeal accordance with a motion to Ernest "Rusty" Huff vs. Sheriff

revoke probation hearing.

A judgment was entered revok-An order was entered continu- ing the probation of Paul Andre

A judgment was entered adju-Herman Michael Sides pleaded dicating the guilt of Ricardo "Ricky" Rodriguez on a charge of assessed five years in TDCJ with An order was entered continu- 77 days credit for time served.

A judgment was entered revokdays in Gray County jail with 73 days credit for time served.

An order was entered from the sion in the state of Texas vs. William Howard Elder. The case An order was entered dismiss- was remanded to the 223rd

Divorces

Linda J. Keahey and David F. Keahey

Richard Leighton Howard and Douglas Winkleblack and

Robyn L. Taylor and Dennis

Taylor Civil

Bank One Texas, N.A. vs. Ruth Walker, suit on note

State of Texas vs. \$666, Randall Albert Menefield, seizure and forfeiture

State of Texas vs. \$921.34,

Sharon Watson, as next friend damages auto

State of Texas vs. Wendell City of Pampa (self-insured) vs.

Randy Stubblefield and Gary McFall, damages

Ernest "Rusty" Huff vs. Margie Prestidge, damages Pampa Broadcasters Inc. vs.

Jackie Stockstill d/b/a Jackie's Furniture, suit on debt City of Pampa et al vs. Willie

Gardner Donnell, taxes City of Pampa et al vs. Perry

Arnold Moose et al, taxes

City of Pampa et al vs. Claude O. Nichols et al, taxes City of Pampa et al vs. Delmer David Hutto et al, taxes

City of Pampa et al vs. Beverly Ann Morse, f/k/a Beverly Ann

Reed, taxes City of Pampa et al vs. Donald Ray Robinson, taxes

City of Pampa et al vs. Juan Rodriguez, taxes

COUNTY COURT

Orders were entered discharging Arturo Villareal, Edgar Adrian Lozano, Patrick Donald Locotosh, Jack Leroy Robinson and Susan Reed Allsup from probation.

Miguel Angel Castillo pleaded guilty to evading arrest or detenprobation, \$600 fine, \$135 court assessed six months deferred and restitution have been made. costs, 50 hours community ser- adjudication probation, \$750 fine, vice and two days in gray County \$135 court costs and 24 hours jail as a condition of probation.

charges of theft of property by no contest to possession of mari- restitution have been made.

Weatherall, LaJeanna Faye Wil-Tracy Lee Betchan and Allan and 50 hours community service. Eugene Hassell because they are unapprehended.

Miller seized at the time of arrest.

Cavin Ray Martin pleaded guilty to theft \$20 to \$500. He was assessed \$300 fine, 75 days in jail with credit for time served and \$154 court costs.

cleaded guilty to deadly conduct. munity service. He was assessed \$800 fine, 70 days in jail and \$170 court costs. Rexall D. Millins pleaded probation, \$450 fine, \$165 court lives in Oklahoma. costs and 35 hours community service, \$120 restitution.

community service.

check against Tommy Jeff juana under two ounces. He was assessed 12 months deferred lard, Charles Henry Gallett, adjudication probation, \$500 fine, by check against Diane Lumley Dennis Earl Brooks, Treva Nyoka \$135 court costs, \$140 restitution because restitution has been Braley, Richard Charles Bonnett, to Department of Public Service made.

Wendell Mayberry pleaded guilty to resisting arrest. He was An order was entered releasing assessed \$400 fine, 10 months all personal property of Clint Lee probation, \$135 court costs and tion. 80 hours community service.

\$600 fine, two years probation, credit for days served and \$135 \$210 court costs, \$127.66 restitu- court costs. Richard Sharndon Wilson tion to DPS and 50 hours com-

\$50 monthly probation fee of deferred adjudication probation, An order was entered revoking Michael Joseph Wilhelm be \$500 fine, \$135 court costs, \$672 the probation of Martha Leah remitted to Oklahoma. Upon restitution and 80 hours commu-Towles. She was assessed 20 days conclusion of Oklahoma supervi- nity service. in iail with credit for time served. sion, he will pay \$35 monthly probation fee to Gray County. guilty to theft of services \$20 to The court recommends waiver of the Pampa Police Department to \$500. He was assessed 12 months fee for duration of time Wilhelm

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An order was entered dismissing a charge of theft of property by check against Mandy Dawn Michael Shay Reddick pleaded Baggett because court costs and

An order was entered dismissing a charge of theft of property

An order was entered issuing a capias for Juan Carlos Silva to be held to answer for violation of terms and conditions of proba-

John Robert Junod pleaded Michael Joseph Wilhelm guilty to possession of marijuana. pleaded guilty to driving while He was assessed \$300 fine, 20 intoxicated. He was assessed days in Gray County jail with

Charles Robert Hawkins pleaded guilty to theft \$500 to \$1,500. An order was entered ordering He was assessed 12 months

> An order was entered releasing \$562 in possession as evidence by Adult Probation to be processed for restitution for the victim of

Marriage licenses issued Fredrick Joseph Lee Jr. and

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Jack Travis King and Stacy **Heather Gross**

Byron Devoll Laury and Anna Leigh Belt

Richard Craig Harkcom and **Darcy Rae McIver**

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A New Look For A Classic Design

Baker Elementary School Bryan, Mateo Campos, Omar recently announced its honor roll Chavez, Megan Coffey, Felipe for the third six weeks grading Portillo, Diana Resendiz and period in the 1995-1996 school Jaime Resendiz.

Baker School Honor Roll

Fourth grade

weeks: A Honor Roll

Orders were entered to dismiss

Six weeks: A Honor Roll -Christina Deleon, Blas Gaytan, Dawnya Hicks, Allen Huffman, Nisha Kumar, Luis Marin, Jennifer Oxley, Noemi Perez, Adrian Puentes, David Rameriz and Ashley Shaw.

year.

A-B Honor Roll – Heather Balay, Gavin Kane, Jose Nunez, Ernie Portillo and Tommy Wendt.

Second grade

Semester: A Honor Roll -Christina Deleon, Blas Gaytan, Dawnya Hicks, Allen Huffman, Nisha Kumar, Luis Marin, Jennifer Oxley, Noemi Perez, Adrian Puentes, David Rameriz and Ashley Shaw.

A-B Honor Roll – Heather Balay, Jose Nunez and Ernie Portillo.

Third grade

Six weeks: A Honor Roll -Nicole Bryan, Mateo Campos, Omar Chavez, Megan Coffey, Diana Resendiz and Jaime Resendiz.

A-B Honor Roll – Jennifer Marisela Camacho, Bryan, Timothy Dudley, Michael Martin, Jatin Patel, Felipe Portillo, Daniel Resendiz and Alex Santacruz.

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Nikki Brown, Michael Carver, Jaime Chavez, Carrie McAnear, Zach Molina, Dean Moman and Raquel Ramirez.

A-B Honor Roll - Ryan Davis, Joe Meraz, Joshua Mullen, Annabel Saldierna and Minnie Vasquez.

Semester: A Honor Roll – Jaime Chavez and Raquel Rameriz.

A-B Honor Roll – Nikki Brown, Michael Carver, Ryan Davis, Carrie McAnear, Joe Meraz, Zach Molina, Dean

Moman and Annabel Saldierna. Fifth grade Six weeks: A-B Honor Roll -

Zach Ferris, Julian George, Chris House, Griselle Rameriz and Drew Wilson. Semester: A-B Honor Roll -

Zach Ferris and Chris House.

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Another hepatitis virus – hepatitis G – identified, new study says

WASHINGTON (AP)Researchers are uncertain symptoms of liver disease.

the journal Science that they had was done. "The implication of isolated a virus identified as hepati- this finding is still not known." tis G, or HGV, from the blood of

patients with chronic hepatitis. whether a newly discovered tion of this virus with chronic not known if HGV poses a public virus are only now becoming 14 other viruses have been linked, hepatitis virus poses a public hepatitis," said Patrice Yarbough, health problem or even if infec- available, he said. No antibody directly or indirectly, to hepatitis, health threat or even if it causes director of research at Genelabs tion by the virus should be worri- test of the type used to identify an inflammation of the liver. The Technologies in Redwood City, some to patients. He said more other hepatitis viruses has been disease also has been associated Scientists announced today in Calif., where much of the work studies are needed.

Dr. Harvey Alter of the bly has been around a long time." percent of people who have through E - have been identified virus are very low."

Although the virus is newly

National Institutes of Health, a Sophisticated laboratory tech- chronic hepatitis that cannot be as causing acute viral hepatitis. The "We have shown some associa- coauthor of the study, said it is niques capable of detecting the attributed to other causes. At least developed for HGV, said Alter.

The researchers showed that and protozoa, and to alcoholism. discovered, Alter said "it proba- HGV is present in 10 percent to 20

with some types of bacteria, fungi Five viruses — hepatitis A

seriousness of infection varies from virus to virus, and from patient to patient, but many chronic carriers never experience serious disease.

The research showed that HGV can be transmitted through blood transfusions, but Alter said "the odds of getting a case of this

Nation briefs

Utah executes man by firing squad

POINT OF THE MOUNTAIN, Utah (AP) — A child killer who chose bullets instead of a lethal injection became the nation's first inmate executed by a firing squad in 19 years early today.

The white cloth target pinned over John Albert Taylor's heart appeared to disintegrate as the four slugs fired by anonymous marksmen struck him just after fourth day of his grueling deposimidnight. The front of his blue tion, lawyers said jumpsuit quickly turned dark with blood.

lucky. It went quicker than lethal represents injection, but seven years is a 'long time to die.

row at Utah State Prison since his the day's session as "very good 1989 conviction for the rape and for us," but once again declined strangulation of an 11-year-old to give details. girl. In December, he fired his in prison.

Mrs. Clinton says will Simpson and Goldman. cooperate with grand jury

WASHINGTON (AP) — Her veracity under attack in the Whitewater affair, Hillary Rodham Clinton says her unprecedented grand jury appearance is not a first she's particularly pleased about.

Nonetheless, the first lady says "it will be a relief" to answer prosecutors' questions stemming from the mysterious reappearance of long-sought billing records that outline her work for the failed Arkansas savings and loan at the center of the Whitewater criminal investiga-

she knew how much trouble her test to a battery charge. 'limited amount of legal work" would cause her years later she wouldn't have represented the savings and loan.

Attorneys grill Simpson on domestic violence

LOS ANGELES (AP) - O.J.Simpson was grilled about domestic violence and the 1989 beating of his ex-wife during the

Simpson's testimony Thursday followed his first post-acquittal "I guess that answers that, TV interview the night before on don't it," Taylor's uncle, Gordon Black Entertainment Television, Lee, one of three witnesses invit- and heightened tension in the ed by Taylor, said through tears already pressure-filled room, overturned the conviction of a moments later. "Johnny was said lawyer John Q. Kelly, who woman who paid two hit men Nicole Brown Simpson's estate.

Fred Goldman, Ronald Taylor, 36, had been on death Goldman's father, characterized Corpus Christi reversed the mur-

Goldman's parents and Ms. lawyers and dropped all appeals, Simpson's estate have filed a was convicted in 1994 of hiring saying he preferred death to life wrongful-death lawsuit against two hit men to kill 18-year-old 3 of the 1994 killings of Ms. March 1993. She was sentenced

Michael Brewer, attorney for Ronald Goldman's mother, Sharon Mrs. Cisneros was so upset over Rufo, said Simpson was questioned Fischer's breakup with her 17at length about domestic violence, year-old daughter that she plotincluding the 1989 beating of Ms. ted for months to find someone Simpson. Simpson pleaded no con- to kill him.

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"All of the events surrounding domestic violence were explored at some length and that would include such issues as stalking, fol-

lowing, and having information relative to her schedule," Brewer said. Jurors in Simpson's criminal trial saw items from Ms. Simpson's safe-deposit box in which she documented her beating through photos, newspaper clippings and letters from Simpson.

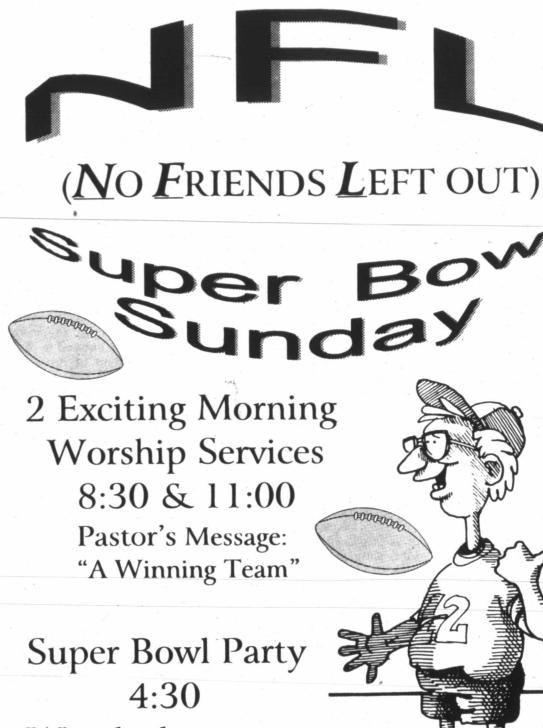
Appeals court overturns conviction

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — An appeals court has \$3,000 to kill the boy who jilted her teen-age daughter.

The 13th Court of Appeals in der conviction of Dora Garcia Cisneros, saying the evidence was insufficient.

Mrs. Cisneros of Brownsville Simpson, who was acquitted Oct. honor student Joey Fischer in to life in prison.

Prosecutors had argued that



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African American Women on Tour to be in Houston

SAN DIEGO, Calif. - Some of hearts of African American the nation's most dynamic women, including career and empowerment speakers will join business development, relation-African American Women on ships, financial management, Tour (AAWOT) when it visits health and spirituality. Houston May 17-19 at the Adam's Mark Hotel.

Familiar), Mν actress/comedienne speakers.

Other featured speakers include Cheryl Broussard, finan- Tour is presented by Allstate cial advisor and author of The Insurance and sponsored by JC Black Woman's Guide to Financial Penney, Honda, Avon Products, Independence; Audrey Chapman, United Airlines, Warner Bros. author of Entitled to Good Loving, Records, Heart and Soul magawho will present a workshop on zine, YSB magazine, Southwesstrategies for achieving successful tern Bell and Northline Mall. love relationships between black men and women; and Stephanie are at Oakland, Calif., March 28-Stokes-Oliver, editor-in-chief of 30 (Parc Oakland Hotel); Heart and Soul magazine - "The Philadelphia July 19-21 (Adam's African American's Guide to Mark Hotel); Chicago July 26-28 Health Living" - who will serve (Marriott Downtown); Miami as tone setter for the conference, Sept. 20-22 (Crowne Plaza Hotel). as well as facilitate a forum on the For registration information, mental, physical and spiritual contact African American Women health of black women.

conference is a celebration of 92123; 1-800-560-AAWT (2298). black womanhood, and features Registration packages range from over 30 workshops focusing on \$75-\$255, with group discounts ranging from \$195-\$230.

AAWOT also offers a Girls' Rites of Passage program (ages AAWOT welcomes nationally 12-19); a "Coming of Awareness" acclaimed author Alice Walker retreat for women; networking (The Color Purple, The Temple of opportunities; panel discussions; renowned business and career forums; exeractress/activist Ruby Dee and cise classes; entertainment; and a Phyllis Village Marketplace bazaar fea-Yvonne Stickney as keynote turing afrocentric clothing, art and collectibles.

African American Women on

Other 1996 conference dates

on Tour, 3914 Murphy Canyon The tobacco and alcohol-free Road, Suite 216-B, San Diego, CA

Amarillo woman to compete in Race for the Cure event

Church withdraws concert site for gay choral groups

DALLAS (AP) - After learning Chorale was one of the choruses Church of Dallas has denied the use of its sanctuary for a concert in March of the American Choral Directors Association.

"We have a longstanding practice that we do not turn our facili- for the American Choral Directors ty over to groups that advocate or Association," said Dana Effler, represent lifestyles contrary to the director of music and arts minteaching of God. ... They obviously are a symbol of that (homosexual) lifestyle," church administrator Tim Hedquist said Thursday.

Turtle Creek Chorale and the 125voice, predominantly lesbian Women's Chorus of Dallas were scheduled to sing March 21 during the American Choral Directors entirely of gay men and that the Association's Southwest convention.

The convention's openingnight concert was scheduled at discriminates or admits members First Baptist Church before the on the basis of sexual orientation, choruses were selected. The church is one of four sites that will be used for the association's meeting.

"We were told that the groups would be from schools and University and was associate churches," Hedquist said.

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officials at First Baptist Church was fired after church officials learned that the Turtle Creek learned that he is gay.

that two gay singing groups selected to perform at the church, would perform, the First Baptist they notified the association that the concert could not be held there. The concert will be held instead at nearby First United Methodist Church of Dallas.

"We're providing concert space istries at First United Methodist Church. "We're happy to provide that performance space," she said, adding that the Turtle Creek The 250-voice, all-gay, all-male Chorale and the Women's Chorus are "fine performing groups."

Both groups are directed by Timothy Seelig. He said that the Turtle Creek Chorale is made up membership of the Women's Chorus is about 75 percent lesbian. However, neither group he said.

Seelig was born in Fort Worth and grew up in close association with Baptist churches. He is a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist music director of First Baptist About two weeks ago, when Church in Houston, before he

NAACP-led protest breaks up Dallas school board meeting

testers stood and chanted, three black trustees did not vote. Dallas school trustees passed the entire evening's agenda in school construction projects and one vote, and about a dozen the purchase of more than \$1 security officers escorted them million worth of computers for from the school administration teachers. building's auditorium.

Thursday night immediately board's three black members after the meeting was called to remained seated. The other order. Lee Alcorn, president of black trustee, Hollis Brashear, the Dallas NAACP, stepped to left the meeting. the lectern and told trustees the meeting could not proceed.

adjourn this meeting until you addressed the remaining audican find a way to include the ence. She thanked the crowd for African-Americans on this attending the meeting and then board," said Alcorn, who had blasted the board for making linked arms with about a dozen decisions in a manner that she other protesters.

When an audience member called for the meeting to start, the meeting adjourned when "No justice, no peace." The remaining protesters to leave. chant was quickly picked up by many in the standing-room- lights to be turned back on, a only audience.

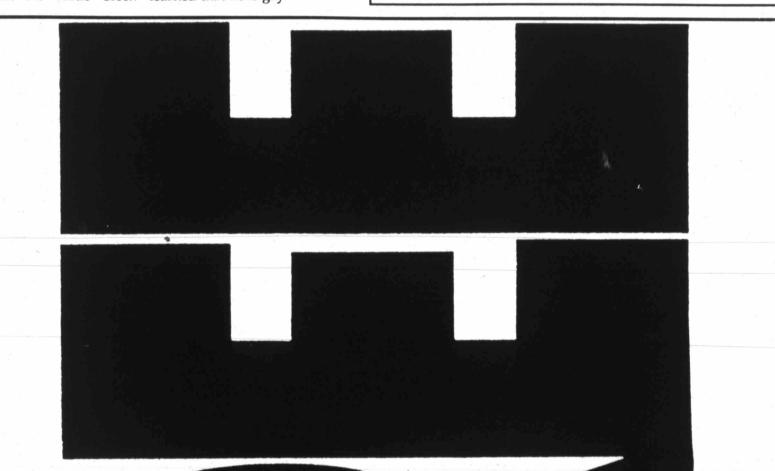
the board's four white members minister of defense.

DALLAS (AP) - As black pro- and one Hispanic member. The The agenda included new

Trustees Yvonne Ewell and Pandemonium broke out Kathlyn Gilliam - two of the

The chanting lasted for nearly 30 minutes, finally quieting "We're going to ask you to down when Ms. Gilliam said has segregated the trustees.

Tension flared further after Alcorn, along with members of school officials turned off the the New Black Panther Party auditorium lights, apparently in and others, broke into a chant of an attempt to encourage the As protesters yelled for the confrontation ensued between As the shouting grew louder, school district spokesman trustees passed the entire Robert Hinkle and Najee evening's agenda by a 5-0 vote of Mtume, Black Panther deputy



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The 1995 Susan G. Komen diately precedes the 5th Annual Breast Cancer Foundation Race for the Cure National Series Championship Race will be held Florida Race will officially on Saturday, Jan. 27, in West Palm Beach, Fla.

across the country have been series schedule, bringing the invited to compete for the total number of events to 65. invited to compete for the national Race for the Cure championship title along Flagler Drive walkers are expected to particiin downtown West Palm Beach, pate in the five-kilometer (5K) beginning at 7:30 a.m.

Karen Cooley will represent Amarillo. Cooley was the winner of the 1995 Panhandle of Texas JCPenney will return as Race for the Cure held in Presenting Sponsor of the 1996 Amarillo on Oct. 7.

Cooley is one of 56 women who has been invited to compete in the national 5K championship. Cooley ran 19:17 in last year's National Championships, and has a personal best of 18:29 for the 5K. Cooley has also qualified to run in this year's Boston Marathon.

The Race for the Cure is the largest series of 5K runs in the United States. In 1995, more than 256,000 runners and walkers participated in the national series, which represents a 38 percent increase over 1994.

Proceeds from the Race for the Cure series treatment programs in local race communities, and fund national breast cancer education, screening and treatment programs in local race communities, and fund national breast cancer research and project grants. The championship race imme-

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> More than 300,000 runners and and one-mile fitness runs/walks which are established fund raisers for The Komen Foundation.

National Race for the Cure Series. National Sponsors include American Airlines, Ford Motor Company, Lifetime Television, New Balance, Pier 1 Imports, Regis Hairstylists, and Tropicana Pure Premium.

The local sponsor of the Panhandle Race for the Cure are the circle of Friends and The Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center.

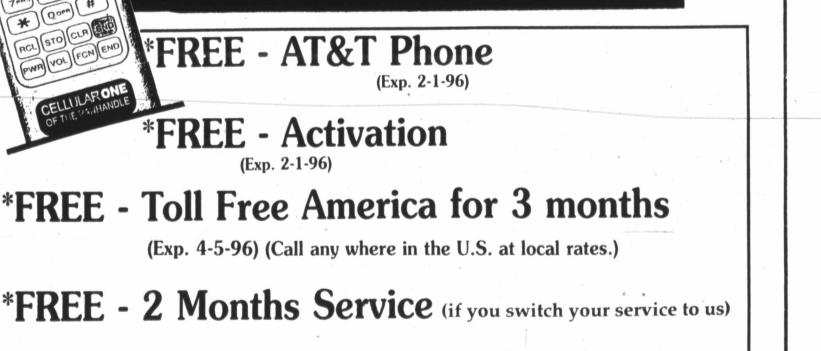
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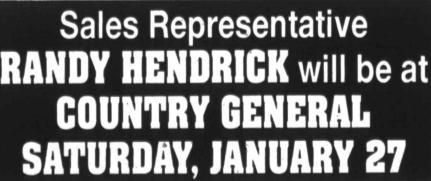
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Members of Abilene sect change names to 'Hawkins'

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ABILENE, Texas (AP) — A obscure Texas religious sect and his wife has confused the tax sta- ed a divorce in 1994. tus of properties owned by sect members.

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and its leader, Yisrayl Hawkins, -Lewallen said. is growing with its membership - an expansion signaled by a surge in the number of namechange petitions in Texas' Rolling Plains.

More than 100 Abilene-area residents have changed their last names to Hawkins in the past six Lewallen said. He denied the months to show "glory to our request and the House of heavenly father Yahweh." Yahweh threatened a lawsuit.

A number of sect members have obtained passports and exemptions if the members Associated Press, and sect mem-Texas driver's licenses and would allow Lewallen's people changed their car titles to reflect on their property, he said. their new identities. "We had an arrangement

of their leader and are moving to Hawkins and tell her we were the sect's compound in Callahan coming," Lewallen said. "She County near Clyde, about 10 would escort us on the propermiles southeast of Abilene.

what at the House of Yahweh divorced, Lewallen isn't sure compound near Clyde, about 12 what will happen. miles east of Abilene, is difficult, said Callahan County Chief with the House of Yahweh," he Appraiser Rod Lewallen. said. Because the property is either exempt for religious purposes or members own property and all showing true appreciation, declared for agricultural use, members change their names to recognition, honor and glory to taxes are minimal, he said.

"They're not paying much in tax man. the way of taxes, period," he said. Since t

According to a bill of sale, 19 The significance of the conveyed to Yisrayl Hawkins as bers describe them in similar Abilene-based House of Yahweh a part of the divorce settlement,

Those items included a number of trailers and mobile homes. The members had applied for exempt status on all their mobile homes, claiming they were parsonages, or dwellings provided by the church for its ministers,

Lewallen finally allowed the

They now share the surname whereby we would call Kay Hawkins, said "Hawkins"

Keeping up with who owns Now that the couple are

"I don't know where we stand following:

But even if some individual Hawkins, there's no escaping the the Creator and our Heavenly

Tax matters were complicated taxed, not the owner, "it's not divorce between the leader of an when Yisrayl Hawkins and going to keep us from levying Phyllis Kay Hawkins were grant- taxes and collecting them, Lewallen said.

Callahan County officials who items of personal property were have had contact with sect memterms: intelligent, polite, reserved, "look like the Amish terms: without the hats" and speak in unrecognizable accents.

> They are unmistakable in their appearance and demeanor.

'It's almost an aura," an unidentified Callahan County official told the Abilene Reporter-News

Yisrayl Hawkins did not return telephone messages left at his compound Sunday by The bers contacted by the Reporter-News were reluctant to speak.

But one follower, Banahyah means prophet or priest to members of the faith.

Each name change petition is similar, and each is notarized by the same man – Bruce Bowler. Each lists the chosen name and a reason identical or similar to the

"The petitioners feel these names are more befitting as reverent servants of the Creator, in Father Yahweh, to whom all rev-Since the church property is erence, glory and honor is due."

Some beliefs and practices of the House of Yahweh

• Abilene is the "gathering Yahweh. place" for those who will spread the news of the Messiah's Saviour. Second Coming.

to objects of false worship, and and ask forgiveness. are not used in the House of

• Yashua died for one's past • Yahweh is the only true sins, a sacrifice that cannot be name of the Creator. Lord and repeated for one's sins. He did God are translations for the not die so that people who lived Creator, which are also applied after him could continue to sin • The most sacred holidays are in Abilene in 1984.

the Passover, Pentecost and • Yashua is the name of the Feast of Tabernacles, each observed with a seven-day feast. Holidays like Easter and Christmas are considered pagan. "The Book of Yahweh," a translation of the Bible by Yahweh scholars, contains the Holy Scriptures. It was printed

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Religion briefs

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — The

held that the way the city used its well as those of a public and prizoning ordinance in the case vio- vate nature." lated federal law. The 1993 **Religious Freedom Restoration** Act allows governments to limit the exercise of religion only if there is no less restrictive way of furthering the "compelling government interest."

The Jesus Center began operat-

"In view of this situation the tions include media conglomercity of Farmington Hills cannot First Presidency has suggested ate Bonneville International; force a local church to close its that general authorities with- Deseret News Publisting Co., homeless shelter without first try- draw from membership on the which publishes Salt I ake City's ing to find ways the church can boards of directors of business afternoon newspaper; publisher address residents' concerns, the corporations. This will include Deseret Book and retailer ZCMI. Michigan Court of Appeals ruled. membership on boards of In a recent 3-0 ruling, the court church-owned corporations, as

Those church-owned corpora- nations and political entities.



In citing the faith's rapid growth, the Mormon leadership pointed out the 166-year-old faith is established in more than 150

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ing a homeless shelter in its Farmington Hills building in 1991. Nearby residents of the wealthy Detroit suburb said they feared for their safety and complained about people from the shelter trespassing and loitering in the area.

The church was told by the city it must apply for zoning approval to operate the shelter, and was turned down. The circuit court reversed the zoning board's decision and ordered the city to negotiate with The Jesus Center to address residents' concerns.

The appeals court upheld the trial court's decision.

"The Jesus Center has contended that its provision of shelter services flows from its religious beliefs and is an exercise of those beliefs," the ruling said.

"The zoning board's decision to apply the ordinance to completely prohibit the shelter service program went too far," the ruling continued.

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) -Mormon Church leaders will resign from the boards of numerous business corporations to devote all their attention to attend to the faith's spiraling growth.

The recent surprise announcement by the governing First Presidency and the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles applies to the nearly 100 men known as "general authorities" who govern the affairs of the 9.3 million-member Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

"The primary call of a general authority is his ecclesiastical responsibility. Except for family responsibilities, all others are secondary to this," said the statement, perhaps the most significant of the 10-month presidency of Gordon B. Hinckley.

Spirit Wind reunion set

The 1996 Spirit Wind choir will host a reunion weekend June 14 through June 16 in Midland. The alumni will rehearse with the 1996 choir on Friday and Saturday then participate in the 8:30 a.m. and 10:50 a.m. worship services on Sunday.

A social event will be planned for Saturday evening.

Organizers need addresses of former members of Spirit Wind. Mail or fax information to Bert W. Bostic, St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 3011 W. Kansas, Midland, 79701. The fax number is (915) 694-9608.

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9:00 a.m.	"Stress and How to Manage It" Kathryn Hughes, MS Registered Dietitian, Harrington Cancer Center
9:30 a.m.	"Depression Awareness" Stan McKeever, MSW Social Work Coordinator, Harrington Cancer Center
10:00 a.m.	"Women and Cancer" & "Men and Cancer" Christopher Ruud, MD Medical Oncologist, Harrington Cancer Center
11:00 a.m.	"Seeing Is Believing" The Scope Of Endoscopy
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1:00 p.m.	Private Practice, Psychiatry Medical Director, Golden Phoenix Center
-	"Living Well With Loss" Sr. Ellen Corcoran Bereavement Coordinator, Hospice of the Panhandle
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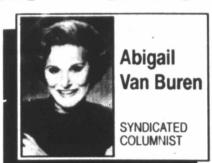


Family Planning Gives Parents More Time With Fewer Kids

column for years. I'm often surprised, moved, outraged or enter-

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PAMPA — Jared Neighbors scored 20 points and teammate Steven Browning added 19 as Miami defeated Pampa junior varsity, 75-64, in a nondistrict game earlier this week.

Brian Waldrip led Pampa with 17 points while Jimmy Reed added 12.

Miami has a 15-8 record while Pampa JV is 10-9.

FOOTBALL

PHOENIX (AP) — In distinct contrast to the college marching bands that performed at the first Super Bowl halftime 30 years ago, fans on Sunday will be entertained by Diana Ross singing atop a revolving stage lit by liquid Nitrogen mist and fireworks.

Details of the 10-minute performance are being keep under wraps, and even Ross was hushed when she began describing the show being produced by Radio City Music Hall.

"We've never played any-thing this big. Nobody will go away to get a beer," she said.

The show extends beyond the stage, including synchronized explosions around the stadium, card stunts involving 75,000 cards and 1,500 singers and dancers accompanying Ross.

While the list of songs she will sing was highly confidential information, Ross promised it would be sheer Diana.

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP)

- Even if they don't win the Super Bowl, the Pittsburgh Steelers are the NFL's runaway leader in fines.

The Steelers' failure to send nearly half their team to a mandatory Super Bowl news conference led the NFL to impose a \$25,000 fine Thursday.

The Steelers are only the second team to be fined during Super Bowl week. The Buffalo Bills were fined a reported \$5,000 four years ago following Thurman Thomas' failure

Pittsburgh's Nasty Boys are getting ready for Aikman

By DENNE H. FREEMAN AP Sports Writer

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — The story said Troy Aikman and Barry Switzer "are barely speaking." Neither quarterback nor coach

went out of his way to deny that. "Coach Switzer and I are after

just one thing and that's winning football games. That's about as far as our relationship goes," Aikman Irvin: said several times this season.

at Thursday's interviews with the have had plenty of friends and I Dallas Cowboys --- the last before have been around plenty of peo-Sunday's Super Bowl — was the sixth paragraph of the story, a col-umn by Fort Worth Star-Telegram writer Jim Reeves.

It said former defensive line coach John Blake, "complained to could ever see. I am a black man Switzer that Aikman seemed to with a black scarf on and I'm regularly single out black players wearing black shades. I'm wearas targets for his occasional angry ing all black. I'm as black as they him because I know how most of outbursts. The quarterback was come. And, I know this man loves furious and took pains to ask me. other players and coaches whether they had a problem with California and could not be his approach.'

Reeves noted several paragraphs later that players said the internal problems on the team win." there is absolutely no blackwhite problem on the team."

And that's what players heartidefense of Aikman.

"Aikman is no racist. He's a good guy and I respect him," defensive end Charles Haley said. He said if Aikman had a fault, it Switzer, Aikman said:

was being so competitive he couldn't tolerate mistakes.

Troy. He doesn't single out black ters. There has been a number of players. If he decides to chew things written about this week, somebody out on offense, the aside from Barry and my relationodds are it will be somebody black, because 90 percent of the players on offense are black. within our organization or within There's only three white guys.

"If I thought Troy was racist I'd tell him. Added wide receiver Michael

"I don't know what John Blake What really got some attention said, but let me tell you this: I ple and I know the relationship I have with Troy and what a great friend he is. And I will take that to my grave.

"I am as black as anybody you

reached for comment.

Fullback Daryl Johnston said "are nothing any team hasn't had.'

"The media in Dallas somely reinforced, especially in their times makes things out more than Blake. what they are," he said. "This has been a very special year and we're coach and a great person," he all together.'

the Cowboys. Believe me there's outside. I don't know what their "I've seen him kick a football nothing that's been written that (Aikman and Blake) problems 100 yards at practice if someone hasn't been discussed. ... It's been are."

fouls up," Haley said. "Troy is resolved and that's all that matship. I don't think anybody will pay a whole lot of attention to it the locker room."

> He added: "I have no concern with my relationship with any player on this team.

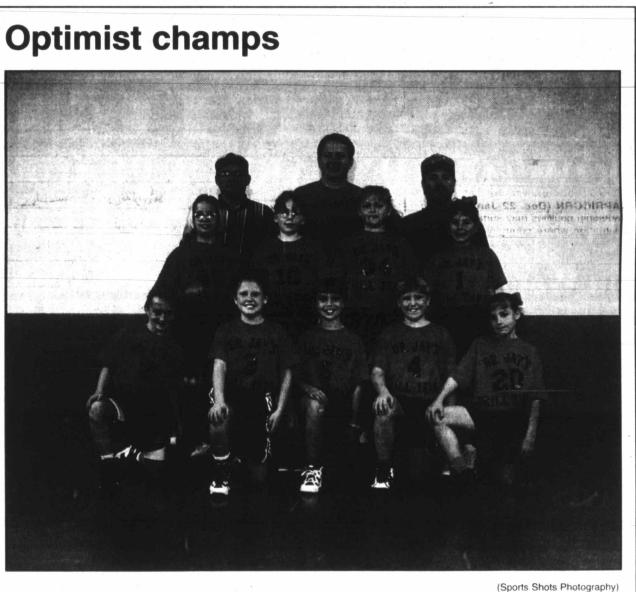
The column also said Aikman "will seek an audience" with owner Jerry Jones after the Super Bowl to discuss his relationship with Switzer.

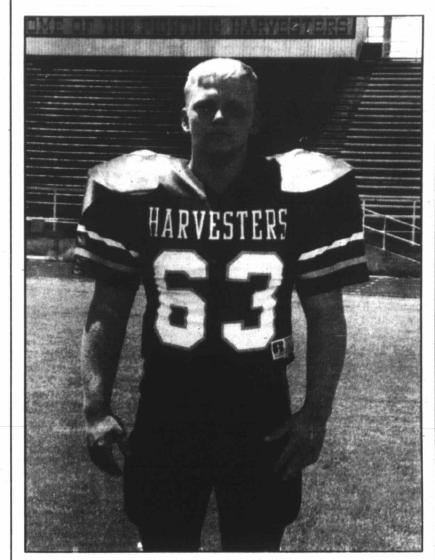
Aikman played under Switzer for two years at Oklahoma before transferring to UCLA. Aikman decided to leave after he broke a leg and saw that Switzer was going to stick with the Wishbone offense.

"Most coaches would have kept them are," Switzer said. "But I care because I was a father and Blake was on a recruiting trip to had children of my own, and I wanted this kid to be successful. I think Troy and I get along fine. I want to win and he wants to

> Switzer said Thursday he didn't know what problems existed between Aikman and

"I know John Blake is a great said. "Things happen sometime, Regarding his alleged feud with like a player in the heat of a game saying something that is taken "I don't think it's going to affect out of context by some people





Donnie Middleton, Pampa's all-state lineman.

Middleton grabs all-state honors

Pampa defensive tackle Donnie Middleton has been named to the second team on the Texas Sports Association Class 4A all-state football

Middleton, District 1-4A's Most Valuable Player and the Amarillo Globe-News Super Team defensive player of the year this season, had a teamhigh 136 tackles, including 36 first-hit tackles.

terback sacks, 11 quarterback hurries, two knockdown pass-Kick-returner — Malik Ledbetter, Corsicana, 5-11, 175, Sr. es and two fumble recoveries. Place-kicker - Terence Kitchens. He returned one fumble for a touchdown.

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

Linemen - Gabe Garza, Calallen, 5-10, 290, Jr.; David Bagley, Mount Pleasant, 6-4, 275, Sr.; Ryan Douglas, New Caney, 6-3, 305, Sr.; and Corey Jackson, Liberty-Eylau, 6-2, 265, Sr. Center - Kevin Jordan, Borger. 6-2,

223, Jr. Tight end — Daniel Franks, Big Spring, 6-5, 220, Sr. Split ends - Chris Cole, West Orange-Stark, 6-0, 180, Sr. and Kenoy Kennedy, Terrell, 6-1, 180, Sr. Quarterback — Derek Walker, Uvalde, 5-1, 185, Sr.

first-hit tackles. Middleton, a 5-10, 230-pound senior, had seven quar-terback sacks. 11 quarterback Lumberton, 5-11, 170, Sr DEFENSE

team.

to snow up at a news confer ence.

The latest fine is at least the fifth imposed on the Steelers this season. Greg Lloyd and Chad Brown each drew \$12,000 penalties for striking quarterbacks with their helmets. Coach Bill Cowher was fined \$7,500 for stuffing a photograph in an official's shirt pocket.

PHOENIX (AP) — It takes something extraordinary to make Ray Rhodes smile.

It may have happened Thursday when he was selected the NFL's Coach of the Year.

In his first season, Rhodes guided the rebuilt Philadelphia Eagles to a surprising 10-6 record and an opening-round playoff win over Detroit.

Although it was hard to tell if Rhodes, a no-nonsense type, was grinning or just grimacing from the glare of television lights, he said he was truly moved by "the magnitude of the award.'

"Believe me, this is probably the biggest honor I've ever gotten in my life," said Rhodes, who thanked his staff and players for their dedication and Eagles owner Jeff Lurie for hiring him last Feb. 2. Rhodes also won Associated Press NFL Coach of the Year designation last month in a vote of a panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

BASEBALL

WASHINGTON (AP) -Interleague play in 1997 moved a step closer to certainty when owners and the players' union met for the first time to talk about the issue.

Owners unanimously voted last week in favor of teams playing 15 or 16 interleague games starting in 1997. The union still must give its approval.

Union head Donald Fehr and Randy Levine, the owners' chief negotiator, talked about a one-year agreement interleague play. on Continuing the concept past 1997 will likely be linked to a new labor agreement between the sides.

Dr. Jay's Drill Team were the regular season and tournament champions in the Optimist Club 3rd-4th grade girls' basketball league this year. The team had a 9-0 won-loss record. Team members are (front row, I-r) Jenny Rogers, Cally Carter, Abbi Covalt, Karissa Snelgrooes and Teryn Garner; (middle row, I-r) Amanda Anderson, Chelsea Powers, Jennie Waggoner and Anna Johnson; (back row, I-r) are coaches Terry Garner, Jay Johnson and manager Monte Covalt.

Groom, Wheeler continue district action

WHEELER — Groom tipped with a 51-39 victory.

off the District 3-1A season on a successful note while Wheeler ing with 15 points while Brandon will be looking to make up for a Crump added 13. loss tonight.

Wheeler hosts Shamrock while halftime, stretched the lead to Conrad added 11 points. Groom welcomes Booker in more 16 going into the fourth quardistrict activity tonight. ter.

Wheeler and Groom met Travis Stevens and Jason Wheeler in scoring. Tuesday to open the district sea- Porton had 12 points each to lead son with the Tigers coming away Wheeler.

Groom has a 12-8 record for the Justin Ritter led Groom in scor- season while Wheeler is 4-15.

Groom won the girls' game with Kay Case pouring in 27 Groom, ahead by 9 (27-18) at points for the Tigerettes. Sandie

Jeseka Wallace had 9 points and Kasey McCasland 8 to lead Groom is 17-4 overall while

Wheeler is 8-12.

Middleton also started at offensive guard for the Harvesters, who won the district championship and advanced to the regional playoffs.

BRYAN, Texas (AP) - The Texas Sports Writers Association's Class 4A allstate football team

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

Linemen — Reagan Franks, Corsicana, 6-4, 280, Sr.; Ellis Cotton, Sherman, 6-5, 300, Sr.; J.J. Barton, Stephenville, 6-4, 245, Sr.; and Wyatt Padgett, Sweetwater, 6-2, 225, Sr. Center - Colby Pack, Stephenville, 6-3, 215, Sr. Tight end — Nathan Towry, Uvalde, 6-2. 205. Sr Split ends - Ricky Boehle, New

Braunfels Canyon, 6-3, 170, Sr. and Dewal Wilson, Lampasas, 5-9, 160,

Quarterback - Eric Anderson, West Orange-Stark, 5-9, 175, Sr. Running backs — Ketric Sanford, Corsicana, 5-10, 190, Sr.; Wes Danaher, Calallen, 6-0, 205, Sr.; and Derrick Foster, La Marque, 5-11, 175,

Place-kicker - Russell Bynum, La Marque, 5-11, 175, Sr. Kick-returner - Clint Robertson, Dallas Hillcrest, 6-1, 190, Sr DEFENSE

Linemen — Damione Lewis, Sulphur Springs, 6-4, 265, Sr.; Roylin Bradley, La Marque, 6-2, 225, Jr.; Edward Jones, Stephenville, 6-0, 200, Sr.; and Bradley Duckett, Stephenville, 5-10, 225, Sr

Linebackers — Kwaesi Palmer, Sulphur Springs, 6-3, 235, Sr.; James Burnett, La Marque, 5-11, 225, Sr. and Justin Cooper, Stephenville, 5-10, 210. Sr.

Secondary -Jamarcus Powers, La Marque, 5-10, 165, Sr.; Malik Ledbetter, Corsicana, 5-11, 175, Sr. DeShaun Richard, Clear Brook, 6-0, 170, Sr.; and Darwin Scott, Jasper, 5-11, 195, Sr. Punter - Matt Parker, Snyder, 6-1,

175, Sr. Offensive player of the year -Danaher, Calallen

Defensive player of the year -Burnett, La Marque Coach of the year - Alan Weddell. La

Marque

295, Middleton, Donnie Pampa, 5-10, 230, Sr.; T.J. Light Lumberton, 6-2, 248, Sr.; and T.J. Locks, West Orange-Stark, 5-7, 165,

Linebackers — Wayne Rogers, Waco University, 6-3, 230, Jr.; Anthony Thomas, West Orange-Stark, 6-0, 185. Sr.; and John Paul Visosky. CC Flour Bluff, 6-0, 196, Jr. Secondary — Danny Black Greenville, 5-10, 165, Jr.; Toby Foreman, West Orange-Stark. 5-10, 175, Sr.; Bryant Forward, West Orange-Stark, 5-10, 175, Sr. and Ronnie Nicks, Kilgore, 6-2, 215, Sr. Punter — Jackie Warren, Waco Midway, 5-11, 180, Sr.

> THIRD TEAM OFFENSE

- Ryan Gerke, Navasota, 6-Linemen 4, 290, Sr.; Corey Neal, Corsicana, 6-4, 250, Sr.; Michael Escobedo, Houston Waltrip, 6-2, 215, Sr.; and Eric Reidinger, Boerne, 5-10, 217, Sr. Center - Larry Smith, Livingston, 6-0, 195. Sr.

Tight end - Kyle Dempsey, Stephenville, 6-3, 215, Jr. Split ends — Terrence Harris, Brenham, 5-9, 175, Sr. and Troy Smith, Bay City, 5-10, 170, Jr. Quarterback - Ryan Engibous, McKinney, 6-0, 180, Sr. Running backs — Torio Kelly. Sulphur Springs, 5-10, 170, Sr.; Orlando Guerrero, Uvalde, 5-8, 195, Jr.; and

Leroy Childs, Pleasanton, 6-1, 215, Sr. Place-kicker - Chris Meadows. Boerne, 5-10, 175, Sr. Kick returner - Toby Foreman, West Orange-Stark, 5-10, 175, Sr.

DEFENSE

Linemen — Byron Edwårds, Sulphur Springs, 6-1, 230, Sr.; Adam Guthrie. Austin Reagan, 6-2, 250, Sr.; Jimmy Cleaver, Uvalde, 6-1, 210, Jr.; and De'Nard Whitfield, Denison, 6-4, 212.

Linebackers - Brandon Cooper, Henderson, 6-1, 190, Sr.; Jarrett Erwin, Calallen, 6-2, 220, Jr.; and (tie) Grady Brooks, Dallas Lincoln, 6-2. 220, Sr. and Brock Addicks, Brenham, -11, 215, Sr.

Secondary — Brandon Saxon, Stephenville, 6-0, 180, Sr.; Chris Baston, Corsicana, 5-11, 175, Jr.; Roland Ramirez, Uvalde, 5-8, 160, Jr., and Darren Wood, Arlington Heights, 6-0, 180° Sr.

Punter - Russell Bynum, La Marque, 5-11, 175, Sr.

Texas tries to grab share of SWC lead against Texas Tech

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ AP Sports Writer

It may be Super Bowl Sunday everywhere else but it will be Southwest Conference showdown 4-1) plays at Baylor (6-10, 1-3) and No. 2 for No. 22 ranked Texas Tech on Sunday.

The Red Raiders (5-0, 15-1) beat back the challenge of the Houston Cougars last week and at noon Sunday they'll host the Texas Longhorns (11-4, 4-1), trying to grab a share of the SWC lead that the Raiders have held all season. The Raiders defeated Southern

Longhorns.

In Saturday games, Houston (9-7, Texas Christian (10-9, 1-3) plays at Southern Methodist (5-11, 1-4).

But those games will just be a prelude to Sunday's noon tip off at Municipal Coliseum where the Red Raiders have a 25-game home winning streak, the third longest in the nation behind Coppin State (35) and

Memphis (27).

get ready for the invading 10 players (from last year) we lost six of seven.

"They are playing awfully well out there and playing like a top 20 team. We are capable of beating or losing to anybody."

Tech's 15-1 start is the best in school history and the best in the SWC since Texas started the 1933 season 16-0. The Raiders' sudden prominence is certainly drawing attention.

"I'm sure that (home streak) becomes a target along with being "Tech is definitely the heavy in picked to win the league and being

Methodist 72-60 on Tuesday night the league," Texas coach Tom ranked in the top 25," Texas Tech would be sidelined several days but and have had the rest of the week to Penders said. "They lost two of their coach James Dickey said. "All that he scored 29 points and played 40 comes with the territory.

that and focus on the next opponent whether it's home or on the road." Balance has made the Red

Raiders consistent all season.

do it consistently," Dickey said.

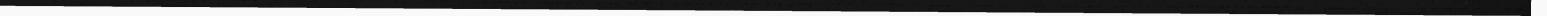
The Longhorns (11-4, 4-1) got a Reggie Freeman refused to stay out A high school kid might sprain an of the lineup because of a shoulder ankle and be out a week but he 'injury. Trainers thought Freeman showed you can play hurt.'

minutes in a 90-81 victory over "We try not to think about any of Southern Methodist.

It was a good performance for a young team to see.

"He really lifted the team," Penders said. "Everybody plays us "That's something that's been our like it's their holy war. Baylor shot goal, to be a top 25 program and to 58 percent (10-of-17 3-pointers) and we really needed him.

"Our kids saw what a dedicated surprise at on Wednesday when guy who wants to play could do.



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Scoreboard

Rockets-Bullets, Box Score

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McCann 5-6 3-9 13, Legler 5-9 2-2 16, Butler 5-5 1-2 11. Totals 44-77 20-34 120.

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Horry 0-2, Breaux 0-2, Smith 0-3), Washington 12-22 (B.Price 6-10, Legler 4-6, Cheaney 2-6). Foulded out—None. Rebounds—Houston 47 (Drexler, Chilcutt 7), Washington 64 (Wallace 14). Assists— Houston 13 (Recasner, Cassell, Smith 3), Machinetto 20 (D ping 0) Total (with

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NEW YORK METS—Acquired Terrell Horry 0-4 6-6 6, Brown 2-3 0-0 4, Olajuwon 10-23 2-2 22, Drexler 3-10 2-2 9, Lowery, outfielder, from the Texas Rangers for Damon Buford, outfielder. Recasner 1-8 0-0 2, Cassell 3-10 7-8 13, ST. LOUIS CARDINALS-Signed Tony Bryant 2-3 3-4 7, Chilcutt 2-6 0-1 5, James Fossas and Mike Busby, pitchers; Mike Gulan and Keith Johns, infielders; and 3-5 3-3 10, Breaux 1-7 2-2 4, Smith 1-7 1-2 3, Jones 0-0 0-2 0. Totals 28-86 26-32 Eliser Marrero, catcher.

FOOTBALL

NFL-Fined the Pittsburgh Steelers conference on Wednesday. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS-Signed Tony Kimbrough, wide receiver. NÉW ORLEANS SAINTS-Named Jeff Davidson and John Pagano assistant coaches

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES-Re-signed Gary Anderson, kicker, to a two-year contract.

LPGA—Announced that Joanne Carner

HOCKEY

National Hockey League BUFFALO SABRES—Received Andrei Rochester of the AHL EDMONTON OILERS—Claimed Glenn for Kevin Stevens, left wing. NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Assigned the AHL OTTAWA SENATORS-Acquired Janne Colorado Avalanche for Brad Larsen, left wing

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TRANSACTIONS

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL

American League SEATTLE MARINERS—Signed Todd Pratt, catcher, to a minor-league con tract. Named Greg Hunter assistant to e director of player development. National League

CHICAGO CUBS—Agreed to terms with Rey Sanchez, infielder, on a oneyear contract

FLORIDA MARLINS-Named Ron Colangelo assistant director of media

National Football League

\$25,000 for not making players and coaches available for a mandatory news

GOLF

has stepped down as captain of U.S. Solheim Cup team.

frefilov, goaltender, on loan from Anderson, right wing, off waivers from the Vancouver Canucks. LOS ANGELES KINGS—Traded Rick Tocchet, right wing, to the Boston Bruins Corey Schwab, goaltender, to Albany of Laukkanen, defenseman, from the

Georgia Southern 70, E. Tennessee St. CLEVELAND CRUNCH—Signed Bruce Miller, coach, to a three-year contract extension. COLLEGE

NCAA-Named Dr. Edward R. Bilik, Springfield director of athletics, secretary-rules editor of the basketball rules committee

OHIO VALLEY CONFERENCE-Suspended Eastern Kentucky coach Mike Calhoun and sophomore forward Aaron Cecil, and Austin Peay assistant coach Tony Collins one game each for inappropriate behavior after a game

NORTHEAST CONFERENCE—Added

Central Connecticut State University as an associate member in women's soc-PURDUE—Named Barb Willis women's assistant volleyball coach Announced the resignation of Lama

Boutwell, women's assistant basketbal coach

NIT finalists have subpar games

By The Associated Press

Virginia Tech and Marquette, the two teams that played for last season's NIT championship, picked the same time to have subpar games.

The eighth-ranked Hokies dropped a 64-47 Atlantic 10 Conference game at George Washington and the 24th-ranked Golden Eagles lost 79-69 at North Carolina-Charlotte in a Conference USA game Thursday night.

In other Top 25 games, No. 4 Connecticut beat Pittsburgh 69-63, No. 5 Cincinnati got past DePaul 71-61, No. 10 Utah defeated Texas-El Paso 68-54, No. 13 Arizona edged Oregon State 66-59 and No. 25 Conn. California downed Washington State 87-79.

Virginia Tech (12-2, 5-1), ranked all season long, struggled all night with its shooting. The Hokies hit just 37 percent (18-for-49) from the field and only 58 percent (11-for-19) from the free-throw line.

George Washington (10-4, 4-1) scored the final basket of the first half to lead 29-25, then began the second half with a 10-2 run, the lead reaching 39-27 on a 3-pointer by Kwame Evans with 17:17 to play.

The Hokies never came closer than nine points after that, and fell behind by as many as 16 in the final four minutes.

"I'm not taking anything away from them, because they played well and they played hard, but I'm not so sure it was as much their defense as it was our inability to run our offense," Virginia Tech coach Bill Foster said.

Marquette (12-4, 3-2), which broke into the Top 25 this week, had its own shooting problems against UNC-Charlotte. The Golden Eagles scored only 18 points in the first half and got no closer than eight in the second half.

"There is no excuse for shooting 16 percent (in the first half)," Marquette coach Mike Deane said. "We didn't make anything. We did a decent enough job defensively. We just didn't execute on offense.'

DeMarco Johnson scored 22 points and Shanderic Downs 18 for the

49ers (10-6, 4-1), who led by as many 7:25 DePaul (7-10, 0-6) lost its seventh as 24 points and made 16 of their final 18 free throws. straight. No. 10 Utah 68, UTEP 54 No. 4 Connecticut 69, Pitt 63

Ray Allen, Doron Sheffer and Travis Knight had off nights, but to win one for their hospitalized Rudy Johnson and Kirk King didn't coach. in the Huskies' Big East victory at Pittsburgh. Utah (15-3, 7-1 Western Athletic

Johnson scored 16 points, King had 11 rebounds and Connecticut tied a Conference)*to its sixth straight school record with its 17th consecu- win. tive win. The Huskies (18-1, 8-0), who haven't lost since Nov. 24 against Iowa, tied a school record set a heart attack Saturday. The 35by the 1952-53 and 1953-54 teams. year coaching veteran is not They will try to break that mark expected back on the sidelines Sunday against Virginia in Hartford, this season.

"The guy who killed us --absolutely, unequivocally killed us was Rudy Johnson," Pitt coach Ralph Willard said of the Connecticut senior who has 40 points in his last two games.

Garrick Thomas had 16 points for Pitt (8-7, 3-4), which lost its fourth straight.

No. 5 Cincinnati 71, De Paul 61 At Cincinnati, the Bearcats (13-1, 4-1 Conference USA) struggled for two free throws with 11.2 seconds most of the game before Danny Fortson took over at the end, leading a decisive spurt in the closing minutes.

Fortson had a three-point play, another free throw and two putbacks in a 16-6 run that put Cincinnati in front 66-57 with 3:19 left. He finished his season debut for the Golden with 17 points, 10 of them in the final Bears (11-4, 641 Pac 10).

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Pac-10) held on for a surprisingly tough victory over the outmanned Beavers (3-12, 1-5). Arizona led by as many as 20 points early in the second half, but Oregon State rallied to get within five with 2:19 remaining. The game wasn't decided until Davis sank No. 25 California 87, Washington

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At Pullman, Wash., freshman Shareef Abdur-Rahim had 32 points and 18 rebounds and Tremaine Fowlkes had 12 points in

It was the first game for UTEP since coach Don Haskins suffered No. 13 Arizona 66, Oregon State 59 At Corvallis, Ore., Ben Davis scored 18 points and Joe McLean

At El Paso, the Miners weren't able

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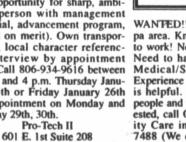
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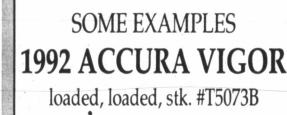
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Spying charges create crisis in Poland

Solidarity opposition asked the could fight to clear his name. The president today to form a announcement came hours after with leaders of the two parties national unity government to the Warsaw military prosecutor's that make up the current governsettle a political crisis triggered office opened an investigation ment, Oleksy's Democratic Left by spy charges that forced the into the spying allegations against prime minister to resign.

The president asked for real possibilities of forming such a Communist, has two weeks to government and said he will be in touch with the Freedom Union and will consult with it," President Aleksander Kwasnjewski's spokesman, Antoni Stvrczula, told The Associated Press today. The Freedom Union is a Solidarity-based party.

Styrczula also confirmed that Prime Minister Jozef Oleksy had submitted his resignation today. Kwasniewski accepted it, but asked Oleksy to remain as interim prime minister until a new government is formed.

An ally of former President Lech Walesa, the Solidarity hero, accused Oleksy last month of spying for Moscow from 1982 to 1995. Oleksy, 49, announced on

WARSAW, Poland (AP) - The that he would step down so he current leftist government. Oleksy, a former Communist.

name a new prime minister.

The Freedom Union party suggested that former Foreign Minister Wladyslaw Bartoszewski should head a new, nonpartisan government. Kwasniewski agreed to discuss the proposal with the leftist parties that now form Oleksy's coalition.

dent, was Poland's foreign minister until last month. Appointed by Walesa to the Cabinet, he resigned after Walesa lost his presidential re-election bid to Kwasniewski.

There was no immediate explanation for Kwasniewski's willingness to consider a nonpartisan The minister resigned after makgovernment. In the past he has ing the allegations in Parlianational television Wednesday expressed a desire to preserve the ment.

On Thursday, he consulted Alliance of former communists, and the Peasants Party. Several Kwasniewski, another former possible replacements for Oleksy were proposed, but the sides failed to agree on a successor.

Oleksy has said a desire for political revenge motivated Walesa's supporters to spread the allegations against him.

Walesa's Nov. 19 election loss to Kwasniewski dealt a severe blow to the political heirs of Solidarity, which guided Poland Bartoszewski, an indepen- to a peaceful democratic revolution in the 1980s. Poland's communist regime fell in 1989.

The charges that Oleksy passed classified documents and other information to Moscow were first made last month by the interior minister Walesa appointed to Oleksy's Cabinet.

World briefs

Report: Some infants can shake off HIV virus

LONDON (AP) — Some infants who acquire the HIV virus from their mothers at birth apparently are able to rid themselves of the infection or neutralize it before it causes AIDS, according to a study released today.

European researchers studied 264 young children who tested nine of them later seemed to have intruded into its waters. freed themselves of the virus.

In two of these children, the HIV virus later turned up again, even though normal antibody tests for the HIV virus had been negative. That suggests the two children may have developed an ability to "tolerate" the virus, the researchers wrote in Saturday's issue of The Lancet, a weekly medical journal.

The other seven children appear to have shaken the HIV virus, or possibly "sequestered the virus, perhaps in lymph nodes."

If scientists can determine how virus, it might help the search for side," the ministry said.

a cure for the virus. AIDS kills Panel recommends date people by destroying their immune systems and thus their ability to fight off other diseases.

Phillipines navy boat in battle with ships MANILA, Philippines (AP) -

The Philippines confirmed today. that a naval patrol boat engaged in a heavy gun battle this week positive for HIV and found that with two foreign ships that stocks, which exist only in the

> Defense Secretary Renato de Villa described the vessels as pirate ships that target boats between China and Subic Bay, a former U.S. naval base in the Philippines.

> Initial unconfirmed reports said the clash involved ships flying Chinese flags, but Rodolfo Severino, a foreign ministry undersecretary, said "there were no signs" the ships were from China.

In Beijing, China's Foreign Ministry also denied Chinese involvement.

"As we have learned, that has the children processed the HIV nothing to do with the Chinese

to destroy smallpox virus

GENEVA (AP) - A key U.N. panel has recommended destroying the world's last laboratory stocks of smallpox - a virus declared eradicated in the wild in 1980.

For years, health experts who have worried the virus could escape have urged eliminating the United States and Russia. But fears that this might undermine future research delayed the decision.

Researchers now say they no longer need the stocks, the World Health Organization said Thursday. Scientists have produced harmless clones of DNA fragments of the virus and are satisfied they have the full genetic blueprint for further tests, WHO officials said.

WHO's governing board agreed late Wednesday to set June 30, 1999 as the destruction date, pending approval by the 190-nation World Health Assembly, WHO spokesman Philippe Stroot said Thursday.



