## Youth news can be found on page 6-B today



North faces trial By JAMES ROWLEY
Associated Press Writer WASHINGTSN-Former
presidential aide Oliver L.
North goes on trial this week on 12 felony charges that have sur vived months of legal
maneuvering after his indictent in connection with the
Iran-contra affair.
Since his indictment last Since his indictment las
March, North's lawers won 16 counts -including the key
charges arising from the diveron or U.S.-Iran ärms-sale profits to the Nicaraguan rebels.
But the retired Marine lieutenant colonel still faces a host o Oher charges posile sentence of 60
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totaling $\$ 3$ million. His trial is The dismissal earlier this month of charges that North
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adviser John $M$. Poindexter and two arms
dealers to finance the "secret war" in Nicaragua with arms-
sale proceeds basically leaves alle pratoons that he covered up
his activities by lying. his activities by lying.
The former National Council aide is charged with making false statements to con-
gressional committees in 1985 ressional committees in 1985
that were investigating reports he and others were helping the rebels in violation of a ban on
such assistance Three false-statement and
Thstruction charges allege that obstruction charges allege that
North prepared false responses to written queries from congres
sional committees. The ietters denying that North or other NSC taffers were improperly
assisting the Contras were signed by Robert C. McFarlane, McFarlane pleaded guilty to nisdhomeanor charges of withholding information from
Congress and is expected to testify against North as
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North also obstructing an August 1986 inquiry by the House Permanent elligence. He is accused
falsely denying, during meeting with panel members at
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## Some judges: No work, more pay


#### Abstract

By RICHARD CARELLI and MICHAEL J. SNIFFEN and MICHAEL J. SNIFFE Associated Press Writers WASHINGTON $-A$ fifth of all senior federal judges including senior federal judges including former Chief Justice Warren $\mathbf{E}$. Burger stand to collect the largest pay raises in a decade ev though they no longer hande eany court cases, The Associated Pres has learned. This windfall increasing This windfall increasing Burger s salary by $\$ 80,000$ to \$175,000 a year, for oxample stems from a complex retirement hopelessly clogged without the sems from a complex reitrement system that allows federal judges to reduce their caseloads sharply while still qualifying for active. white sail quaiiitying for active- duty pay increases. In stepping down from full-time duty, they accept a title of "senior judge" senior judges do no judicia cept a title of senior judge." work whatsoever. They get the Aside from Burger, the e305 other raises but are as difficult to find on senior judges also stand to see their the bench as the 13 former judges $\qquad$ highest-paid federal officials will receive their largest raises in a decade on decade on Feb. 8 if Congress does not disapprove. Comparatively unnoticed in the Comparatively unnoticed in the political controversy over the 50 percent congressional pay raise percent congressional pay raise are equal increases for federal trial judges and raises nearly as rial judges and raises nearly as enerous for the rest of the Federal district judges would see their salaries rise from $\$ 89,500$ to $\$ 135,000$; appellate judges from $\$ 135,000$; appellate judges from $\$ 95,00$ to $\$ 140,00 ;$ and Sureme Court justices from $\$ 110,000$ to Curt justices from $\$ 110,000$ to $\$ 165,000$. Senior judges get the same salaries. Stephen Gille legal ethics at New, professor of ty, said he saw no ethical probersity, said he saw no ethical problem for the non-working senior judges but "it may be the statute should be salaries rise by about 50 percent who chose full retirement through unless Congress disapproves the packignatione of raises for top federal "It doenn't seem fair," said Rep. officials. Judses rais who retire through nged. It may be unwise or bad management. It's a question whether the public is getting its money's worth." Congress created the senio judge category in 1919. By sen luring older jurists out of their lifetime older jurists out of their lifetime appointments, lawmakers hoped to ease court workloads ease court workloads and open jobs for younger appointees to the In large measure, senior judges pitch in just as Congress intended. pitch in just as Congress intended As a group, they handle betwee 10 and 15 percent of all federa cases. "TThe federal cases. "The" federal judiciary would be mess without the help of senior judges," senior judges," said Frank Coffin, an appeals court. judge from Portland, Maine, who plans to maintain a substantial caseload


## Visitor learns U.S. farm practices

By SARAH LUMA
staff writer

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ritory is mountains," he said. the culture is based on Spanish of $\begin{aligned} & \text { Another difference between U.S } \\ & \text { farming and Honduran farming is } \\ & \text { in export crops Hian roots. }\end{aligned}$ Hondurater "Here, the government is very agricultural exports include interested in trying to put good bananas - the most important ex-
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give, not only collect taxes. They timberton, sugar cane, tobacco, $\begin{array}{ll}\text { collect taxes, but they try to pro- } & \text { timber and beef. } \\ \text { But } \\ \text { most }\end{array}$ Honduran farmers "In Honduras, the campesinos, rice, beanis, some vegetables, and
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han two acres. "They spend most

Moffatt's: Arson not suspected By MICHAEL
Staff Writer Investigators - unsure what
caused a Friday night blaze that destroyed Moffatt Carpet Inc. - do
not currently not currently suspect arson.
"At this time arson is no suspected as the cause of this fire,"
Fire Marshal Burr Lea Settles said this morning. "If at a later date
become aware of information become aware of information, say
through an informant, that leads me to suspect that possibly did oc
cur, I will pursue that angle." It was 18 months ago that Moffatt Carpet at a nearby location was
destroyed by fire. Estimated loss destroyed by fire. Estimated loss
on that blaze was $\$ 255,000$, according to published reports. A Sand Springs man - charged
with arson in connection with the June 21, 1987 fire at Moffatt Carpet, 200 Main St. - was acquitted by a
Howard County jury in January 1988.
Five units of the Big Spring Fire
Department, and an estimated 25 Department, and an estimated 25
firefighters battled the fire firefighters battled the fire for
more than three hours Friday after being notified shortly before 7 p.m.
Fire Chief Frank Anderson said Fire Chief Frank Anderson said
this morning the structure was totally engulfed in flames when firemen arrived only
after receiving the call. "There really wasn't anything
we we could do for that building (Moffatt), so we concentrated on extinguishing the fire and saving
the adjoining structures," Anderson explained.
The blaze was confined to the carpet company and no other
downtown businesses sustained damage, the fire chief said.
After conducting After conducting an initial in-
vestigation Saturday, Settles said he determined the source of the blaze occurred in the northwest, or
rear, of the carpet company He estimated damage at
$\$ 100,000$, but added $\$ 100,000$, but added that figure is subject to revision pending an in-
surance company adjustor's - MOFFATt'S page 3-A

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has," said Reggie Bashur,
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Clements, 7 , is in the last half
of what he says will be his last
term.
First elected in 1978, Clements was ousted in in 1982 by Demecrat
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Bashur said.
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we've been through some difficult weve been through some difficult period of historic transition.
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period in the history of the this is a period in the history of the state in
which the decisions made now
will reflect on the people of Texas which the decisions made now
will reflect on the people of Texas
well into the 21st century." Bashur said the governor likely
would call attention to the economic transition Texas is
undergoing.

Neighbor's tip leads to identities of slain woman and children


DENTON - Damion Medin Gamez, 1 , left, and 14-month-old Silvia Rolas Gamez play together at a foster home. The cousins were
found wandering alone in Denton County a few hours after officials

## Swaggart target of

 second sex accusationNEW ORLEANS (AP), -A strip-
per performed explicit sexual acts
for Jimmy Swaggart while he was involved with abar prostitute, Pen-
thouse magazine says, but the television evangelist's attorney
called the story called the story a fabrication.
Catherine Mary Kampen said Swaggart gained her trust as a
spiritual adviser, then emotionally manipulated her into acting out his
sexual fantasies, the magazine said in its March issue.
Swhe whole thing's made up," $t_{\text {wittman said Sunday }}$.
Wile aitman said Swaggart would file a libel lawsuit, , probably this
week, against the men's magazine "Joimmy Swaggart doesn"t even man. He's never met her, never returning hoid swaggart was from ${ }^{\text {an }}$ atane week crusade in According to Penthouse, Swag-

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Ltike Murphree, the prostitute whose account Penthouse
published in July, Kampen claimed that Swaggart asked her to per-
form explicit sex acts while he watched.
Murphree said Swaggart wanted
her 9 -year-old daughter to her 9 year-old daughter to watch evangelist asked to have sex with
her 13 -yearold daughter. involved with Swaggart from Oc tober 1936 until october 1987,
Kampen claimed she posed for away from him.
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"Jimmy Swaggart Kampen," said Swaggart's attorney Phillip A. Wittman. "He's never met
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Kampen quoted Kampen
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he was shocked the story had been
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denomination's order that he not preach for a year and returneed to
the pulpit three months later.

Newsweek: Fort Worth among most livable cities FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) -
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Department of Public Safety a


Molveston - Dixie cay, a designer for owner of the studio, helps with the head piece. An Morgan studio, tries on one of the creations for estimated 350,000 people are expected to iam the the Grand Night Parade. Danny Morgan

## Judge orders FBI parties to talk

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## First private space

 rocket launch plannedHOUSTON (AP) - It's later than
The tab for lofting 625 pounds
expected, but a local company exexpected, bue to become the first privately
pects to funded firm to launch a commer-
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customer.
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Alabama-Huntsville's Consortium for Materials Development in
Space. The purpose of the March flight
is to deliver six materials process. ing experiments to about seeven
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them. The women's bodies liter. were discovered in the culvert by a workman servicing a gas well.
The Gamez brothers The Gamez brothers sur-
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wanted for questioning. The two wanted for questioning. The two
men told police their wives and
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said authorities searched the said authorities searched the
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The children have been in fost The chilidren have been in foster
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Damion, who turned 1 year old the


## City Bits DEADLINE CB ADS: DEADLLNE CB ADS. <br> JOE \& CRUZ SALAZAR Happy Anniversary!! Love, Larry DANCE To Ben Nix \& The Boys, Wednesday, 8:00-11:00, Eagle Lodge, 7o3 West 3rd. Members \& Guest Welcome. Guest Welcome. <br> $\begin{aligned} & \text { Bargain Box, } 109 \text { S. Main, } \\ & \text { Clothing } 1 / 2\end{aligned}$ pricel $^{\text {Jan. }} 19-31$; Open -Tuesday -Thursday, $10: 00$ -Noon; Saturday 1:00-4:00 p.m. JanUary Specials at Horizon Health Club end January 31st. Body Shapers -15\% off our new lower retes. ank off our new lower rates. - Tanning -buy 1st package at Thet regular price, get 2nd and 3rd at 25\% off! Last sale on tanning til <br> The Big Spring Symphony Association reminds the commusitiation reminds the com- mink the Jan. 31 concert tickets have the incorrect date of Jan. 30. Althooghe printed wrong, the tickets are good for wrong, the tickets are good for the Jan. 31 performance in the

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 Mondays $7: 30$ p..... in Room 414,Scenic Mountain Medical Scenic Mountain Medica
Center. No fees. No weigh-ins. Call $267-8827$ after 5 p.m.
Kentwood Older Adult Center
2305 Lynn Street, will have it 2805 Lynn Street, will have its
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Public is invited to attend. Come enjoy chili, beans, pie, coffee or

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## Can you volunteer four hours a week to help out at the Nor-

 a week to help out at the Northside Community Center? Call Marianne Brown at 263-2673. -
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## Sheriff's log

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## Jaime

| vide beef for export, he pointed and cattlemen in Honduras itical powers, along with the armed forces, landowners, and unions. But far more Honduran farmers are campesinos. <br> Six children and his wife is the describing campesinos as living in simple huts or crude adobe homes or clustered small towns. "He parcels of land in the same manner as his ancestor, using primitive tools and wasteful methods of cultivation. Generally his crops are corn, beans and "He makes his crops by himself | or with his sons, and sometimes a few public services. Normally he is isolated in his own locality, because of his poverty and his tion's inadequate transportation and communication services. <br> Honduran campesino is proud of his past, looking forward to the Some machinery - such as turers - is in use, but most of the campesinos don't use the large, in U.S. farming, he said. <br> However, the cooperative system is very advanced in Hon- duras, with a co-op concentrating on each of the major crops bananas, coffee, citrus, fishing, | rice - and each co-op also serving in the federation of co-ops, or na- tional agricultural organization Lanza said. <br> 'We are very advanced in this way," Lanza said. "The people believe (cooperation) is a good way to put effort together and to help each another. small store, so (the small farmer) can buy fertilizer or food at a lower price than in the bigger villages." The system divides its profits annually, returning a share to keeping some for capital, and us ing another portion for education obeying the seven principles of |
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## Rumors of new Target

 store are unfounded Rumors of a Target store open-
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ing in Big Spring are unfounded,
Target Operationshe was also unaware of any "As far as I know, that's not "Right now I just don't hardly
true," said Neil, manager of the think so," she said. She confirm-
San Angelo Target Store.
 Target plans to open new stores in
Florida, Altanta, Georgia and
Dozens of people have shown up
at the Texas Employment
 Neil said it is possible an open- $\begin{gathered}\text { "Several, people have been } \\ \text { ing could be elanned in the future, } \\ \text { coming in, she said. Gonzales } \\ \text { but said Target does not usually } \\ \text { said she doesn't know how the }\end{gathered}$

Two houses burn on weekend separate house fires in Big Spring was "totally involved" when they
Sunday, according to reports.
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## James Brady retires as

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started the fires has not yet been | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Firemen also extinguished a } \\ \text { blaze at an unoccupied structure in }\end{array}$ |
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## Moffatt's



| Ed Martin, executive director of the Texas Democratic Party, said the task force's effort will be declared GOP gubernatorial candidate as chairman. have good intentions, his motivations are going to be suspect," Martin said. "It's interesting that the secretary of state has in essence said he's running for governor, and now he wants to be you're someone who wants to use this as a way to get publicity. A concern to campaign fund tributors like Jamail will skirt the law by finding other ways to make their big-dollar contribu- |
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| MYERS <br> Funeral Home and Chapel |
| $267-8288$ <br> 301 E. 24th St., Big Spring |

tions, such as funneling the
money through family members
or business associates, or business associates, Martin
said.
Lobbyist and campaign Lrabtegist Gist and campaign Strong of
Houston said limits would come as welcome relief to many con-
tributors who already spend much more than already spend
candidates like on Fred Meyer, chairman of the
Republican Party of Texas, said he'd like to see the task force's
work, at the least, lead to contribution limits in judicial races "We think that something must
be done about the abuses in the
Supreme Court races that gave the appearance juctice is for sale
in Texas," Meyer said.

| Nalley-Pickle \& Welch |
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## Opinions from across the U.S.

Reconsider withdrawal
In the musical "Oliver!" there is a number in which that charming villain, Fagin, sings, "I'm reviewing, the
situation. . " and, after considering the possible consesituation. ." and, after considering the possible consequences
This
This would be a good approach for the Bush administration to take toward the U.S. policy of pressing for Vietnamese withdrawal from Cambodia. An oversimplified foreign policy would call for all
Communist forces to withdraw from countries where Communist forces
they don't belong. .
What we may not have thought through is the new agony which may be imposed on the Cambodians if the Vietnamese withdraw.
Our long war in Vietnam conditioned us to consider that country's Communist regime the worst of all possible alternatives. But a good case can be made for the
proposition that the Cambodians were considerably worse off under the bloody Khmer Rouge regime, 1975-79, than they have since been under Vietnamese occupation
George Bush and his adviser would do well to think it
out again. out again.

## All of us share the blame

Our gun-crazed society has claimed five more victims. Five more innocent lives. Five more children The violent, gut-wrenching, purposeless plot seems always the same: A maniac with a gun goes berserk and Sons fire on unsuspecting and innocent victims. reeway. On (Jan. 17), it happened to take place at a California elementary school during recess.
We all share the blame, some of us more than others - but none of us more than the National Rifle Association. The NRA has consistently and effectively thwarted
or resisted every attempt to enact even the barest or resisted every attempt to e
restraints on gun ownership.
And the NRA, skilted in guerrilla intimidation, has done so by transforming state and federal politicians into
spineless jellyfish while most of the rest of us just stand spineless jellyfish while most of the rest of us just stand by counting victims in massacre stories. our lawmakers and demand that they put an end to this our lawmakers and
senseless violence.
Insist, at the very least, on a seven-day waiting period before guns are sold. Demand tough screening procedures. Require a ban of such killing machines as the AK-47 and other weapons
than to slaughter people.
Like it or not the bloo
of those five innocent children

## Kinder nation not cheap

The phrase "kinder, gentler," endlessly repeated as has already been, is now functio
tion of the Bush administration
Part of (President) Bush's program could cause him rouble. He wants a kinder nation without more spending on domestic programs, and, of course, "no new taxes
Rather, like (Ronald) Reagan, though a bit more plausibly, he lauds the "thousand points of light," the
volunteer groups fighting poverty, homelessness and
hunger.
The trouble is, charity has never fulfilled the role
Reagan, and now Bush, have assigned it. "Relief," as it Reagan, and now Bush, have assigned it. "Relief," as it was called during the Great Depression, gave people a which produced often hopeless conditions of poverty. Only a full scale commitment by government to, yes,
the welfare state, can ever truly be expected to cure the welf
poverty. . . gram ever devised. Beforty. Now fewer than 1 in 10 do. But such solutions aren't cheap: Social Security pays out $\$ 200$ billion in retirement benefits every year, , . Don't expect any such radical move in Bush's first
year. But if he takes his own advice seriously, eventually year. But if he takes his own advice seriousiy, eventuall
he will have to change his mind, and his policies.

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YOU'LL NEVER GET 'EM BACK IN THE CORRAL, BUT IT'S KINDA FUN TO IRRITATE THEM.
I've got a lump in my throat.

By LEWIS GRIIZZARD
I was against Ronald Reagan
when he ran for president in 1980 . Then he ran for president in 1980.
Actually it wasn't so much that I Actually it wasn't so much that I
was against Reagan. It was more Jimmy Carter. In 1976 when Carter was trying to
become the first Georgian to win become the first Georgian to win the presidency, I was being held
prison of war in Chicago. It was
more like being held prisoner to a more like being held prisoner to a homesick cowboy when Carter
emerged as the Democratic frontrunner. runner. I miet Jimmy Carter before: He had invited me to his home when he
was governor of Georgia. I knew little, and cared little, for politics at the time, but getting invited to he governor's mansion put me
solidly behind him in all future solidly behind him in all future
endeavors.
So in 1976 there I was in Chicago nd a guy I knew from back home was running "oot president and he him and for him and he may have even help douse a bit of my homesickness.
I got out of Chicago in 1977 and Jimmy Carter became the first reat nation to invite me to the White House.
Barbecue and cold beer were
erved, and Willie Nelson sang
"Precious Memories" in the

backyard. The governor's mansion was something. else. White House
wearing perfume. Cinderlewis. wearing perfume. Cinderlewis.
Then 1980 came and Carter's Then 1980 came and Carter's
troubles and misfortunes cast him
the election troubles and misfortunes cost him
the election. I was embittered.
"There goes my name right "There goes my name right off
the White House Christmas card list," I growled. But Ronald Reagan - Willie
Nelson in the backyard Nelson in the backyard or no Willie
Nelson in the backyard Nelson in the backyard - grew on
me. me. gte Soh most of the nation.
He ge he didn't grow on who have been writing on those ing of his failures as he leaves of-
fice fice - probably don't like barbecue
and beer and beer either, so we'll simply
dismiss them and go onward.
That old That old man wo was something. He turned it into the nation feeling good about itself for the first time
since the horrors of since the horror
Richard Nixon. I remember a lot of Reagan's
nannerisms. There was the way

## Bush isn't going to support change

By WALTER R. MEARS
AP Special Corresp
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AP Special correspondent
WASHINGTON AP)
seminar season, time for experts and unemployed candidates to
talk about overhauling the talk about overhauling the way
Americans nominate and elect Americans nominate and elec encour
Bush.
Bush, who won once and los once under the current system,
said he will "play by the rules until some better ones come along." time trying to redo it," he said in an interview. Campaigns grow longer and
more costly tial primary elections multiply and for a while after each elec tion, there is taik of change in the name since the Democraten that changing the system nearly 20 years ago. That changed the pro-
cess for Republicans cess for Republicans, too laws enacted by state legislatures usually cover both sides. So far, efforts at change have only made campaigns more complex, more expensive and more
time-consuming. Long before Bush has been in
the White House a year, prospecthe White House a year, prospective challengers will be making cempaign, most of which will
have to do with raising money have to do with raising money
Step one these days is to set up a political action committee, to ankron told, there were 38 presiden-
All tial primary elections in 1988. On a singie night, Super Tuesday, 20
states -a dozen of them in the stauth - chose nominating
South delegates by primary or caucus.
Democratic re-reformers tried to put more political savvy in
their nominating process by


## suaranteeing party elders and of

 guaranteeing party elders and of-ficeholders seats at the
Demoratic National Convention But that was scaled back at last summer's convention under pressure from Jesse Jackson, who got almost no support from hose ex-officio delegates. That was part of a peacemak-
ing package with Gov. Michael Dukakis, the Democratic lustrat against Bush, and it ilreformers can't alter. The nominating system in both parcandidentes to accommodate the candidates who master it to gain power.
Souther Southern Democrats devised
the Super Tuesday the Super Tuesday notion, which
was supposed to give their more conservative constituencies an early and influential voice in the
contest for the 1988 Democratic contest for the 1988 Democratic
nomination. It sent the party no
clear signal - the path was left clear signal - the path was left
open for Dukakis. But it was a open for Dukakis. But it was a
turning point for the Republicans as Buing point for the Republicans as Bush came close to a sweep.
Bush said early this month that 'the regional concept
was...something new this was ...s something new the
time. and it. proved to be ime.. and it proved
tremendous boon for me." He said other regions will st looking at alliances that wout cluster their primaries to in
crease their inflence. "TTh
Western states some day are Western states some day are go-
ing to get together and say, 'Why
should we be left out all the time? should we be left out all the time?
Why shouldn't we get in there and
be up front?",
That's occurred to some other
regions, too. New England made regions, too. New England made
a stab at it, but wound up as an adjunct to Super Tuesday, in part because New Hampshire was not abour to give up its premier
primary to enter into a group. There are other proposals for
restricting primaries to certain dates so there would be a limited number of election days during
the primary season, and by combination of date and region so that candidates wouldn't spend so much time traipsing be
tant campaign states. tant campaign states.
Bush doubts the revisionists will get far. His skepticism is founded on experience. It happens every fourth year. Bush said
$h e$ 'd seen it coming "Everybody's going to go up to Haverybody's going to go up to what's wrong with the system. redesign tit," he said.
And he certainly isn't going to try. "Why should I go out and say lowa's a lousy idea?" he asked. Iowa in '88, Iowa in '80." In 1980, Bush upset an absentee
Ronald Reagan in the Iow precinct caucuses, first event on dar. That vaulted him out of the field and ultimately led to his nomination for vice president. In
1988, Iowa was his most severe setback - Bush ran third. But as
vice president he was able to vice president he
come back quickly.
"You want to "You want to get that broad perspective," he said, looking
back. That perspective comes back. That perspective
most readily to winners.
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25 years.
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Washington
Associated P
he'd shake his head and wrinkle his
brow when asked a toogh question.
His reply might not have had a brow when asked a tough question.
His repply might not have had a
great deal of substance, but it
would normally greuld normally be optimistic, and
I like that in a guy who's running 1 like that in
my country. So he slept a lot. You would need
your rest at his age, too. He's older than some of our states. And so he what he wanted to say. If it weren't for the newspapers, I would occasionally forget which day it is
myself. And Ronald Reagan's got 30-plus years on me. Ronald Reagan got shot while he
was president. A lot of people have probably forgotten that. And he walked into the emergency room to have the bullet removed - cracking jokes. John Wayne couldn't
 "I we were going to elect an actor-
president, why don't president, why don't we go for
somebody like Clint Eastwood?" somebody like Clint Eastwood?"
We elected the right guy. A good man elected ted right guy. A good us forget we're the chosen ones to be living in America. The Great
Communicator took "patriotism" off the bad word list.
And his faults? Tell me about
them later. Right now, I'm busy missing my president, I'm busy issing my president. Coge
ing,
mitte together to build funds Tubb Pocket
Park and stam-
Rogen Park and start the Railroad Pocket;
Roger Staubach coming to town,
mostly mostly to plug Repubing to town,
didates in the fall elendidates in the fall election; Coy Mc-
Cann's downtown mural; the federal prison camp expansion
plan. plan.
Thanks to the people who knew
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Whayne Moore, Joe Wallis, Phil Spears and Rudy Franco. My new job will still send me pro-
wling courthouse hall pestering peace officers for details

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DONG HA, Vietnam - Vietnamese children gather around Vietnam veteran Gene Spanos, Rosemont, III. Spanos led a delegation of six
former Marines returning to the bases where they fought 20 years

## Former enemies give

 vets friendly welcomeTAY NINH, Vietnam (AP) - behind," he said. "It was inlegless comrades on their backs and you're seeing the first trickle and led the blind to welcome of a flood that's going to take place American enemies who returned in in the next few years." They were faceless to each other Four years ago, it was rare to see on the battlefield, each a possible creasing numbers of veterans, on the batuenield, each a possible creasing numbers of veterans,
statistic on the other, casualty
report. Now they morker, at the Tay purgeors return on gicians and
reodwill spoke of pain and sorrow.
The Americans The Americand soorrew. at the Vie
Cong guerrillas they had feared Cong guerrillas they had feared
and hated, who had killed their and hated, who had killed their
buddies. They saw men and womes. in or near middle and age,
learning to live without lost arms learning to live with legs, hands or eyes.
hands wanted to shake people's hands and there weren't peands to
shake," said Kevin shake," said Kevin Bowen of
Boston.
"Vietnam so deeply affected the conscienam so deeply affected the
America, Tahoe, Calif., founder of Vets With a Mise, Caing., founder of Vets With
veterans back brings groups of veterans back to Vietnam.
"It's a place that I don't think
you could ever really leave

They build heath clinics, perThey build heath clinics, per-
form plastic surgery on disfigured children, deliver medical supplies call attention to unexplodeded shells call attention to unexploded shells
and mines that remain deadly 14
years after the war ended. ears after the war ended. "It took the Vietnam veterans
themselves to build the memorial" in Washington, D.C., and "recognize the terrible loss inat oc"recognize the terrible loss that ocassistant public health c
sioner of Massachusetts.
IIt's Vietnam veterans who are taking the leadership to get our loss the Vietnamese have suf-
fered," he said.

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## West Germans remain silent on plans for weapons modernization




JOHN G. TOWER
that West German companies
helped Libya develop a chemical weapons potential.
Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz ac cused Bonn of "benign neglect" in the Libyan scandal and suggested
senior West German officials have senior west German officials have
been lying to cover up their culpability.
On Sunday, the conference focusd on the new and mounting threats
0 alliance unity posed by Gorachev's "charm offensive" in the
NATO Secretary General Manfred Woerner raised the concern
yoiced by many other influential voiced by many other influential
defense strategists that Gorbachev could fail and be replaced by a far nore conservative leader.
"We cafnot entrust our security to one person alone or to inten
tions," Woerner said. "Both can


## World

Amnesty reports on executions

Gorbachev scores high in poll

 are worried, according to a are worried, acc ditions reported inat a poll of
000 Moscow residents indicated .000 Moscow residents indicated negative impact, the Daily News elieve the Soviet war in that Communist Parspaper said Afghanistan was a mistake and are among the most leery of Gorthat former leader Leonid bachev's reforms, fearing job
Brezhnev had been bad for the losses or that the party will lose
U.S. closes embassy in Kabul UAMU, Afthanitan (AP)
 sion in embetlied Kabed toir mis-
departing Soviet troops hay as departing Soviet troops headed
north in what one Moscow envoy said could be the last truck consoy home.
Soviet diplomats in Kabul say
the remaining 15,000 to 20,000 Red Army troops could be gone by the end of the week, about 10 days
before the U.N. deadine of Feb.

The guerrillas are not a party to yewed to overthrow the government of President Najib once the Soviets are gone.
"Today we leave
that is both happy and sad," said the charge d'affaires, Jon $\mathbf{D}$. Glassman, after a flag-lowering ceremony in the em
covered compound.



Diamonds aren't forever if giver proves unfaithful
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Crown of doves

| TOKYO - Two doves perch face-to-face atop | $\begin{array}{l}\text { feeding the birds; she was trying to eat her tunch } \\ \text { ine head of a bespectacled woman beset by a flock } \\ \text { in the sun. }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | the head of a bespectacled woman beset by a flock

of hungry birds Friday. The woman was not


## WJCAC: top JUCO conference

By WENDY E. LANE
AP Sports Writer ODESSA (AP) - Out on the
windsept plains of West Texas
and Eastern New Mexico, there's
not much to do but play basket-
Ball and hit the books.
But that's just the idea behind
the Western Junior College
Athetic Conference, which has
become a reeruiting hotbed for
Nevada-Las Vegas Jerry Tarka-
nian, Oklahoma's Billy Tubbs
and Division I coaches who just
recently discovered junior recently
colleges.
Hawks vs. Midland Dorothy Garrett 8 p.m.

The nine schools that make up he wrac are located is olated towns -
Levelland, Big Spring, Hobbs where oil rigs dot the flat horizon and the wind blows incessantly. But that hasn't stopped some the nation's top players from
starting their college careers at WJCAC schools such as Midland college - whose most famous player was Spud Webb
Western Texas and New Mexic Junior College in hopes of lan ding at a top Division I program. The WJCAC has joined such tradition-rich junior colleges as
 fatl.
Other Chaps are playing at ng and Idaho Stonte. Hall, Wyom "That's pretty good, I think," H.A. Tuck

And Midland was only a third And
place
year. year.
In the past two years, that
school's dominance has been challenged by other league
"I think Midland has had one of the premier junior college pro-
grams for the last

league are always very tough
said $0 C$ coach Dennis H Odessa's program got a Odessa's program got a lift
both from Helms, in his third
year with the Wrang year with the Wranglers, and NJCAA player of the year Larry
Johnson, who's headed to UNLV next season.
"We don't "We don't have a person that
won't get a Division I offer,"
Helms said. Johnson's frontcourt team-
mate, Sammie Freeman, will mate, Sammie Freeman, wil
join two other former Wranglers at Idaho next year. South Plains College in
Levelland is stuck out in the cot Levelland is stuck out in the co
ton fields, but its reputation is rit zy enough for the 13 th-ranked
Texans to don tuxedos media guide photos
"Division I coasches say there
is the possibility of four teams in
in is the possibility of four teams in
our conference winning the our conference winning the na-
tional championship," said tional championship," sai
SPC's Ron Mayberry, the cor ference's 1988 coach of the year WJCAC coaches say the
NCAA's Proposition 48, which set NCAA's Proposition 48, which se
stricter eligibility requiremen on athletes entering four-yea schools, has given juco programs a boost. Another boost is likely to
come from the proposed Proposicome from the proposed Proposi
tion 42, which would deny athletic scholarships to player who don't meet the standards. But Helms said that for junior
colleges with top basketball pro saíd Kerwin. "The league is which after posting its best colleges with top basketball pro
much more balanced now. The
season ever last year at 30-5 is
grams, recruiting is still a battle
undefeated and sitting atop the
more often lost than won $\begin{aligned} & \text { other schols have become so } \\ & \text { much better. } \\ & \text { undefeated-and sitting atop the } \\ & \text { NJAA poll. }\end{aligned}$
more often lost than won.
"We come in second a lot," he

OU vaults into first



 The Sooners, $17-2$, jumped
from fourth to the top spot after from fourth to the top spot anter
victories last week over Color-
da ind dao and Nevada-Las Vegas and
became the third team to be became the third team to be
ranked No. 1 this season.
They ranked No. this season. the 66
They received 32 of the
first-place votes cast first-place votes cast by the na-
tionwide panel of sportswriters tionwide panel of sportswriters
and broadcaasters and finished
with 1,272 points to edge Illinois with 1,272 points to edge Illinois
in the balloting. "We're honored and delighted to be ranked first in the poll," said Sunday night. "I think every team wants to do two -hampioneship and second be
ranked first in the AP poll This ranked first in the AP poll. This
is certainly a milestone for our is certainy a milestone for our
program and our hard work and
persistence have finally paid persistence have finally paid
off
Illinois, which became No. 1 for the first time in 37 years,
held the top spot for just one held the top spot for just one
week as the Fighting Illini lost
to Minnesota 6962 before reto Minnesota 6962 before re-
bounding for a victory over Indiana.
When Illinois lost on Thursday night, it appeared Georgetown
would would move up one place to the
top spot, but the Hoyas were top spot, but the Hoyas were
upset by Louisiana State $82-80$ on upset by Lo
Saturday.

## $\underset{\text { steers, Lady steers play Snyder }}{\text { Sootball anyone? }}$




 ing won 76 Ge .

Swiss skier wins slalom
 American Tammara Mckinney and win the women's combined silalom Sumay at the World Alpine stichampionstips Results of the race - the evering yevent in these champonanhipswill be paires.
 Mckiney finished in $1: 1: 1.70$. Third was Mateja Svet of Yugosilvia
O'Meara wins Pebble Beach
 deephete oneat National ProAm. onverars's finished with an
 Jim carter and Masters champion Sandy Syle. Lyiele had a closing $Q$ QR
Mochrie outduels Daniel

 the cup and falied to fall. The tormer Fruman Univesity students, whos starred a the schol
 sointy Club.

These guys have made a tradition in Coahoma



 is high school giris' basketball, at
which the Bullogettes make the
stite phayoffs most every year and state playoffs most every year and
pack a gymnasium full of pack a gymnasium full of
spectators.
Although it's far less visible another sports tradition exists in Coahoma - Sunday afternoon flag football - but you'll see no packed
houses or sidelines filled with spectators for this one
Despite virtuall
Despite virtually non-existent
crowds at the Coahomma High
School practice football field, the School practice football field, the
intensity rivals that within Coahoma gym when the Buildoget
tes play on Tuesday and Friday nights.
Every weekend, just after noon, field to become Sunday afternoon heroes. Most of the participants are from the Sands Springs and
Coahoma area and any here from six to 20 players show up each Sunday. Two players pick teams. The rules are simple nor rusting offense, three completions over
 scoring and each TD is worth one
point.


## Herschel scores two times;

 Cunningham MVP in victory




 Award in inis firit trip to the losing the two previous Pro Bowls. Alls stara game, wimithout wanting to
 nice, , te peopople are nice, there are nor enativeshere,

 NFC to an ass 43 H dif always hoped selectetways hopered to poro boumb be but
 wininitg ghe MVP Award. a good chancerestobel walker) had a good chance to winit theause he naa two iovernownowi"
 improvingog gisted play, he had the
 It, then fired an 11 -vard completion
СОАНОМА - Jerry Martinez (center) runs for on the play is Andrew Martinez (left) and Tommy extra yardage after catching a pass. Giving chase Arguello. It's not known how long this 40 say they were playing back in don't know how it all started, they
tradition has been underway, but ${ }^{1962 \text {. Both bave retired from this were playing when I came, }}$, Bp the "Coahoma Season" usually last Sundily activity, and both say they said Garcia. as long as the professional season, don't know where it all started. $\begin{gathered}\text { The game didn't start out as flag } \\ \text { from October to January. }\end{gathered}$ "We still like to sit around and talk
football, however. Then it was Adrian Garcia 39 and Paul Cano about those days," said Cano. "! - Football page 2-B

$\qquad$ "As we didn't make the plays,
our enthusiasm waned; as they
the NFC) made the pis. (the NFC ) made the plays, their
enthusiasm increased." "It's very disappointing to me sas city strong ty," said KanCherry of the AFC. "I take a lot of "You have fun during the week
but you have to be ready to play but you have to be ready to play o The NFC defensive unit played very well, logging six quarterback
sacks - two by Reggie White of sacks - two by Reggie White of
Philadelphia - and holding the Philadelpphia -
"Coach Ditkas set the tone in his pre-game talk," safety Ronnie Loid
of the 49ers said. "(Ditka said Play hard, have a good time and
do your best to represent do your
NFC.". Bullets over Cavs
By The Associated Press
Once again, Bernard King was unstoppable and the Cleveland
Cavaliers were the kind of team that blows 20 -point leads. King scored 38 points, his biggest
game since suffering a serious game since suffering a serious as the Washington Bullets rallied
for a $122-117$ win Sunday for a 122-117 win Sunday over
Cleveland, once an NBA doormat
but now the league's winningest team. King, a former scoring champion seasons after injuring his knee, the start of last season.
On Sunday, he scored 10 points in overtime, eight of them from the foul line, including two free throws
with $2: 14$ left to give the Bullets a three-point lead. "In the clutch I like to see the able to put the ball in the hole when we needed to," King said.
The Cavaliers, now 31-9, lost despite a caree
from Mark Price.
Cleveland cent
cle miseland center Brad Daugherty missed the game with a suspen--
sion for his fight with Detroit's Bill Laimbeer on Friday inght. Starting
forward Larry Nance sprained an ankle in the first half, and did not
return. NBA
Roundup
"You didn't really see the best,
team in the league today," Washington coach Wes Unseld said. other games, it was the Los
Ingeles Lakers 118, Dallas 93; Angeles Lakers 118, Dallas 193;
Boston 121, Miami 103; Detroit 122,
Sacramento 97 ;and Seattle 112, Milwaukee 106. Cleveland broke a $22-22$ tie with a 17.6 run in the final $3: 30$ of the first
quarter, with Price scoring seven
 haf. "We were playing good offense," King said, "but we weren't playing
any defense." By halftime, the Bullets had clos-
ed the gap to $60-54$ as King scored ed the gap to $60-54$ as King score
seven points in the last minute. Cleveland rebuilt its advantage
to 14 midway through the third period, but the Bulfets rallied again to cut it to $85-82$ after three
quarters. Washing a three-point play by John changed the lead seven times in the final six minutes of regulation
before Cleveland tied it at 107 -all on before Cleveland tied it at 107 -all on
Price's 3 -point shot with 11 seconds
left.
King then took over in overtime.
"We struggled a little with both Larry and Brad out of the lineup, Cleveland coach Lenny Wilkens
said. "With Larry out we could
never get never get back to the things we did
earlier."
Jeff Malone had 22 points for the
Bullets. Mike Sanders scored Buliets. Nige
Season-high 26 for Cleveland.

## and Ellis gave with $2: 30$ left.

Lendl routs Mecir

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP)
For Ivan Lendl, it's on to
Wimbledon. Wimbledon. Twelve months of hard work paid
off for Lendl on Sunday when he
finally captured finally captured one of the two
Grand Slam tennis titles to elude Grand Slam tennis titles to elude
him. Lendl routed fellow Czech Miloslav Mecir $6-2,6-2,6-2$ to win
the Australian Open title, making the Australian Open title, making
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Lendl was devastated by his loss
to Australian Pat Cash in the to Australian Pat Cash in the
semifinals of the Australian Open
last year last year and vowed to make
amends, said his coach, Australian Tony Roche.
"He really
Hear and was devastated," Roch year and was devastated," Roche
said. "This time Ivan was in peak phyiaced person.
rela "He deserved the title because "He deserved the title because
he worked so hard in his build-up
and served so well for the whole fortnight." Lendl gave former. Wimbledon
doubles champion Roche, his coach doubes champer
for the past five years, much of the
credit for his ivicory.
"Tony knows when I'm tired and "Tony knows when I'm tired and he knows when to push me a little
more," he said. "tt's great to work
with with someone
fit and good."
now has won the U.S. Open three times, the French Oppen three
times and the Australian Open once. He has twice been beaten in the
Wimbledon final and that tourna ment now is his number one priority:
The vic
The victory lifted Lendl to No. 1 in the computer rankings, a spot he
held for three years before Mats
Wilander of Wilander of Sweden dislodged him by winning last year's U.S. Open.
Wilander, who slumped after
becoming No.
three the Bullets will play this
season in Baltimore, where they left following the 1972-73 seaso
Lakers 118, Mavericks 93 The Lakers won outside
Angeles for the first time Angeles for the first time since
Dec. 13, handing Dallas its worst
home A.C. Green scored 25 points and
Magic Johnson added 20 for the Lakers, who were never threatened after outscoring the Maverich
$37-25$ in the second quarter. Los
angeles shot 71 percent Angeles shot 71 percent from the
field in the period to take a $67-43$ halftime lead, and stretched the The Lakers, who beat the Los
Angeles Clippers on Jan. 15, hadn' won another road game since Dec.
13 at Cleveland. 13 at Cleveland.
Dallas' previous worst loss at
home was a $126-102$ defeat by the home was a $126-102$ defeat by the
Lakers in November 1980, its first NBA season.
The Mavericks, who were led by Mark Aguirre with 16 points, cut before the Lakers pulled away
again. Cellice 121, Heat 103
Boston handed Miami its Bostin 21 road games as Kevi McHale led six Celtics in double
figures with 21 points. figures with 21 points.
Robert Parish had 10 of his 14 Robert Parish had 10 of his 14
points and six rebounds in the first
quarter as Boston took to a $31-17$ to 67 .43 at halftime. PParish sat down with four fouls
$31 / 2$ $31 / 2$ minutes into the second half,
but wasn't needed as the Celtics
reached the three-quarter mark ahead $93-70$.
The Heat was led by Rony Seika The Heat was led by Rony Seika-
ly with 22 points and Kevin Ed-
wards with 21 . Pistons 122, Kings 97
Detroit routed Sacrament thanks to a $20-0$ second-quarter
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Vinnie Johnson scored nine of his Vinnie Johnson scored nine of his
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gave Detroit a $55-26$ lead with $4: 07$
left in the first half Six different left in the firrst half. Six different
Pistons scored during the streak Pistons scored during the streak
while Sacramento went scoreless or a span of 6:33.
Dennis Rodman came off the
bench to lead Detroit with a seasonhigh 24 points, including 10 straight
her for his club in the fourth quarter
Rodman also had 16 rebounds Kodman also had 16 rebounds.
Kenny Smith scored 19 of his 21
oints in the second hall for points in

| Sonics 112, Bucks 106 |
| :--- | Seattle won its sixth in a row and

17 th straight at home as Derrick McKey straight at home as Derrick
Mcored 23 points and Dale Ellis 22.
The SuperSonics, who now have
the NBA's third-best record, survived 4-for-13 freeethrow shooting in the forth quarter to hand the games.
McKey scored 14 points in the
third quarter as Se third quarter as Seattle outscored the end of the period.
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Kre second-round here by Ramesh
Krishnan of India. "It's nice to be No. 1, but the title
means so much more," Lendl said. means so much more," Lendl said.
"I didn't come here to be No. 1, , came here to win the tournament."
Mecir, who lost his only previous
Grand Slam final to Lendl at the Grand Slam final to Lendl at the
1986 U.S. Open, said this loss was more disappointing.
"At the U.S. Open, I did what
could and he was just stronger," said Mecir, who double-faulted 10 times and played numerous wayward groundstrokes, often on
critical points. "But today I think I critical points. "But today I think I
might have had a chance if I had served better.'
Mecir still in
Mecir still has to win a Grand
Slam title and his disappointment slam title and his disappointmen
was as obvious as Lend's elation. "If I don't win another match this year, I'm going to be
satisfied," Lend said. "of course three days from now I won't be say-
ing that but right now that's the way I feel.'

 Football

|  |  | Mike Martinez also has two sons |  |
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| kle, played with regulation foot1 rules. The team from the | playing - there's also the "new | playing: | Spring native, has been play two years, and Martinez, |
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## Larry: OC's star shining bright

By WENDY E. LANE
ODESSA (AP)-He was the only
Onior college player invited Junior college player invited to the yearmpic trials, picked as las
yeolege freshman and leads the nation's No. 1 juco team with an average 32 points a game.
So you'd think Odessa College So you'd think Odessa College
coach Dennis Helms wouldn't have coach Dennis Heims wouldn't have
to bench his sophomore star, Larry Johnson, for passing off too, often.
But it's happened before. "He it's sometime too unselfish," said Helms. "and we have to get
after him to do something more in some situations."
Seems like Johnson, 6-foot-7 and
235 pounds, could hardly do more
235 pounds, could hardly do more
than what he's done already: score han what he's done already: score
more than 40 points in four games more than 40 points in four games
his season, dead the nations juco players in sloring, be named 1988's JJCAA player of the year and
shine in the U.S. Olympic trials despite being one of the youngest to try out. "He may be the best player we've ever recruited, player said
Nevada-Las vegas coach Jerry Nevada-Las Vegas coach Jerry
Tarkanian, who signed Johnson in
November. "For what it takes to
ing looking at junior colleges," anyone on the floor. He knows


Newspaper routes are for kids. Wrong! said Johnson, who chose Odessa
over Navarro College and McLen-
nan Community College because
several Dallas friends were there. several Dallar friends were there.
"I think it turned out for the better
because I've been working on my because I've been working on my academics."
He also
says playing under Helms has expanded his shootin
range and given him maturity. Helms says Johnson's presence
has drawn a flood of attention to has drawn a flood of attention to a
school traditionally known for its women's program. "When someone said Odessa College, it meant women's baske
ball," said the Wranglers' thir year coach whose only previous
prodigy was Alvin Robertson prodigy was Alvin Robertson at helped change that.
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Helms Helms, stems from superb physical traits and an attitude that
allows him to capitalize on those and
trats.
"He's
what's going on in every situation out there." weakness may be that
His only Johnson, the Wranglers' team cap-
tain, is too nice a guy, too willing to give credit to others and too reluc-
tant to criticize his team tant to criticize his teammates. Odessa's coaching staff recently
decided they would name a cocaptain, in addition to Johe a cocaptain, in addition to Johnson, to
provide stronger leadership for the Wranglers, 23-0 overall and 80 in
the Western Junior College the Western Jun
Athletic Conference.
In his bid to be likable and hum-
ble, Johnson "just does not feecomfortable in "just does not feel
speaking out to others when they need to get in
gear," says Helms. Johnson has been in hilgh gear this season, shooting about 62 per-
cent from the floor and 84 from the line. He shattered a school scoring record with 51 points against Bling
College and averages 18 rebounds a College
game.
His humility, Johnson says, comes from his high school coach,
J.D. Mayo, who "taught me right
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for the debut of the state's first public university.
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## Academia

## Book selection is lengthy process



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chili and enjoyed the music of Fifth graders designed and made plastic buttons. A contest was held
to select the prettiest and most
original designs. Seventy math, $\star$ science, and
language arts sthdents from Goliad Middle School traveled to Lamesa Saturday to participate in an in-
vitational U.I.L meet. Students from Runnels and Big Spring High
School also attended the meet.
Dixieland $\stackrel{\star}{\star}$ Doggies $\star$ is the theme ed for Goliad students Feb. 2 at 2:30. In addition to dog acts, the
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cts by producers Bob and Dixie 2:30. In ad
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## FORSAN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL A HONOR ROLL

CHICAGO (AP) - It's tough work deciding how to spend 82.7
million on fun, but students Roosevelt University think they're p to the task.
"They should have parties a
nice hotels and get a DJ who knows how to play really good music,
said Beatrice Franklin, a junior.
Marvin Moss, a Hollywood agent
who died in 1986, willed the money who died in 1986, willed the money to his alma mater on condition that "as a city betye school, I never fel
tudents might have."
"We need better food," Daryl McLaurine, a junior
day. "I like food."
The administration has some dif ferent ideas. President Theodore
Gross said the school will use the money to build a gymnasium and About $\$ 400,000$ will be set aside to create a fund
Gross said.
"They should use it to hold cheap big - a reunion of (rock group) Led Zeppelin or something like
that," said Jeff Rosenberg,


