









# Nation

## Federal Express ad top pick

NEW YORK (AP) — A Federal Express commercial featuring an incredibly fast-talking businessman was the best ad of the 1980s, a trade group survey found.

The "Fast Talker" commercial brought activity to a halt in many households every time it aired, said Mike Hughes, a director of The One Club.

The Orwellian "1984" commercial for Apple Computer Inc. — aired only once — and a

series of Rolling Stone magazine print ads noting the differences between some perceptions about its readers and reality also were ranked among the 12 best ads of the decade, the trade group said Wednesday.

Ads for Levis, Nike shoes, the wine coolers Bartles & Jaymes and California Cooler and Miller Lite beer also made the list, as did Wendy's "Where's the Beef" campaign.

## Police dynamite favorite pot field

BRADENTON, Fla. (AP) — What a blast! Sheriff's deputies attacked the drug problem by blowing up mounds of dirt before marijuana could be replanted in them.

There was no pot planted Tuesday when bomb experts rigged 20 charges, one for each hand-rigged mound erected on a swamp about 10 miles east of the city. But Dave Bristow, a spokesman with the Manatee Sheriff's Office, explained on

Wednesday: "We've had an ongoing problem at this location. We'd spot the pot, eradicate it and a few months later we'd go back and the mounds were replanted."

"So we came up with the idea of using explosives to get rid of the mounds to discourage people from replanting. Now they can't."

Bristow said the method was inexpensive, quick and effective.

## Panal backs down on evolution

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — New guidelines on the teaching of evolution in California schools were changed to give some credence to creation theory despite the opposition of scientists.

The Board of Education was to vote on the proposed science textbook guidelines today after they were amended Wednesday by the board's Policy and Planning Commission.

In 1985, California education authorities successfully demanded that publishers devote more space to evolution, and those revised textbooks are now being used in schools across the country.

Eugenie Scott, executive director of the National Center for Science Education, said the policy adopted by the Policy and Planning Commission was "slightly weaker" on evolution than a draft prepared in September by the state Curriculum Committee.

"It's a concession to board

members who are knocking under to right-wing religious pressure," Scott said.

The state superintendent of public instruction, Bill Honig, said the wording of the guidelines was changed from an earlier draft to make them less offensive to those who believe that God created the universe.

Specifically, Honig and Board of Education President Francis Laufenberg struck a sentence that said: "There is no scientific dispute that evolution has occurred and continues to occur; this is why evolution is regarded as a scientific fact."

Several sentences were added, including one that says "some people reject the theory of evolution purely on the basis of religious faith," and that such "personal beliefs should be respected and not demeaned."

But Honig said, "It's very clear in the document that evolution will be taught and creationism will not."



**Boats replace cars**  
**DESTREHAN, La.** — Residents in Destrehan, La., are forced to use boats to get to their flooded homes Wednesday. The greater New Orleans area was hit by heavy rains, forcing flood waters into homes and causing power outages.

## Bush expected to sign compromise wage bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Only President Bush's promised signature is needed for the first minimum wage increase in nearly a decade, following Congress' lopsided approval of a bill raising the rate to \$4.25 by April 1991.

The measure — which includes a subminimum wage for teen-agers new to the job market — cleared the Senate on an 89-8 vote Wednesday, exactly a week after it passed the House by an equally overwhelming vote of 382-37.

Bush, who struck the compromise plan with congressional Democrats last week, is expected to sign the bill before Thanksgiving, perhaps as early as next week.

"The nine-year logjam on the minimum wage is finally broken," Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., said after the Senate vote. "The working poor are about to receive an increase, although it is not as much as they deserve."

Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole, speaking for the Bush administration, said "the 3 million American workers currently on the minimum wage will benefit." But she said skills training was the best way to help the working poor and urged Congress to move ahead with legislation dealing with that issue.

"The minimum wage is not the pulley to pull people out of poverty," she said.

The compromise plan will push the minimum wage, \$3.35 an hour since January 1981, to \$3.80 on April 1 and to \$4.25 a year later. At the same time, it will create a new, lower wage for 16- to 19-year-old workers who are new to the job market.

Democrats and organized labor long have opposed such a subminimum "training wage" but were forced to concede that point to Bush to strike the deal. In return, Bush agreed to have the minimum wage reach \$4.25 nine months earlier than he had proposed and also accepted a far more restrictive training wage than he sought earlier this year.

"America's poorest workers have gone nearly a decade without a raise and this long-overdue step will give them a chance to lift themselves and their families out of poverty," AFL-CIO President Lane Kirkland said.

# World

## Guerrillas eliminate opposition

ANDAJES, Peru (AP) — Although high in the Andes and far from anything else, this village of communal farmers has not escaped a Maoist guerrillas' terror campaign to disrupt nationwide municipal elections Sunday — and in the long run the presidential election next year.

A column of 30 guerrillas of the Sendero Luminoso (Shining Path) movement entered Andajes one stormy night and seized Mayor Heraclio Segundo, four other local officials and a sixth man they accused of cattle rustling. They then dragged them into the village plaza, where they killed them with single gunshots to the back of the neck.

As a result, no candidates are running for office Sunday in Andajes.

The wave of assassinations of mayors and other local officials in Peru has reached levels unprecedented in the Shining Path's 9-year-old insurgency.

So far this year the rebels have slain 45 mayors. They also have killed 73 local judges, clerks, councilmen and municipal candidates.

## Photos of Di sell for \$40,000

HONG KONG (AP) — Perhaps the biggest splash of the royal visit to Hong Kong has been the exclusive photos of Princess Diana swimming at a British naval base pool that fetched \$40,000 in a frenzied Fleet Street bidding war.

The London tabloid *Daily Star* paid about 25,000 British pounds (\$39,750) for the series of pictures, outbidding about nine rivals, Edward Hung, group general manager of the Sing Tao

Newspapers, said today.

A photographer for the local Chinese-language newspaper positioned atop an adjacent hotel had snapped the pictures early Tuesday.

The photographs showed the princess, wearing a red one-piece bathing suit, diving into the pool and swimming backstroke. Another shot showed her walking barefoot outside the pool with a white towel wrapped around her body.

## Deng retires, replaced by protege

BEIJING (AP) — Senior leader Deng Xiaoping today resigned from his last Communist Party post, as head of the powerful military commission, and cleared the way for his chosen successor to assume undisputed power.

Deng, 85, was replaced by the protege, 63-year-old Communist Party chief Jiang Zemin as head of the Central Military Commission. The move was approved by the ruling party's Central Committee in a meeting that ended today.

The committee also issued a communique warning that China must go through at least two more years of economic austerity to overcome current problems of inflation, excessive growth and corruption.

Deng, who has served China's Communist cause for six decades, resigned from the party's ruling Politburo and other



**JIANG ZEMIN**  
 top party posts in 1987 but is still recognized as the ultimate source of power in the country.

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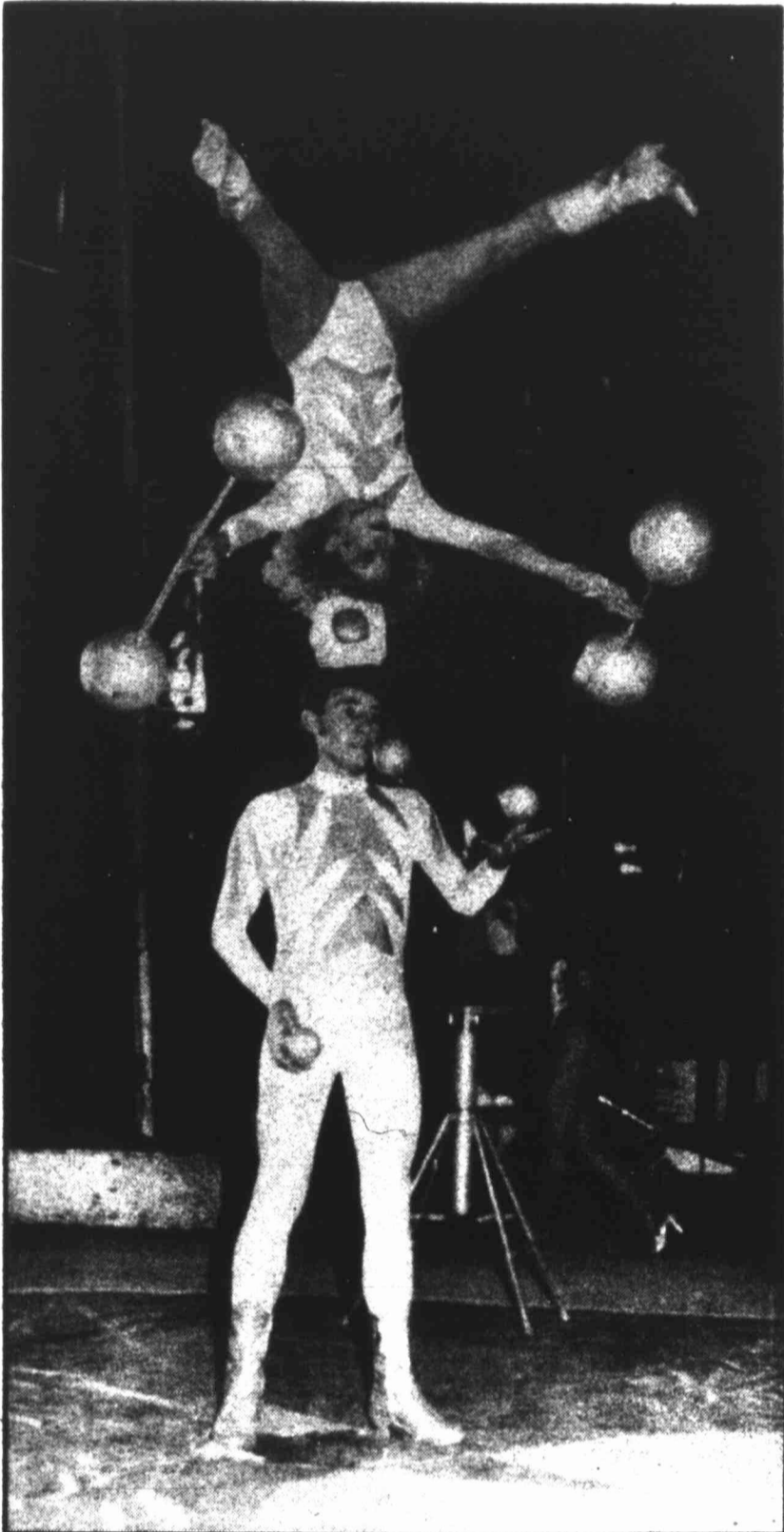
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# Entertainment



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## Circus Vargas to perform in Ector County Coliseum

Circus Vargas, the international celebration, travels to Odessa on Monday, November 13, for a series of performances as part of its 1989, 20th Anniversary nationwide tour.

The all new, 20th Anniversary show features a harrowing high wire act, two rings of thrilling trapeze, mass lionage of Asian and African elephants, lions and tigers, camels, chimpanzees, horses, ponies, llamas, three rings of jugglers, the world-renowned human statues, and much more circus fun.

Founded by Clifford E. Vargas in 1969 when the tradition of the traveling tented circus was quickly dying, Circus Vargas has helped to

preserve a rich heritage for circus lovers everywhere. The Circus Vargas troupe features over 400 performers and animals from throughout the world, playing in over 90 cities nationwide each year.

Circus Vargas will present five shows at the Ector County Coliseum in Odessa November 13-15.

Free children's coupons are available at all Furr's Super Markets.

Tickets for all Odessa shows can be purchased at the Windwood Mall, Rainbow Ticketmaster, or at the circus.

For circus information, contact (915) 363-9368.

## Symphony concert pleased large crowd

By PATRICK TAGGART  
For the Herald

Beethoven and Mendelssohn are alive and well in the oil fields. A concert boasting the return of Big Spring natives Suzzan Craig and Keith Graumann Saturday night brought both large crowds and spirited performances.

Graumann, a professor of music at Livingston University, Livingston, Ala., directed the Big Spring Symphony in performances of the Scherzo from Mendelssohn's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and the Symphony No. 4. With Craig as piano soloist, the orchestra also performed Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 4 in G Major.

Graumann, 36, the son of August and Phyllis Graumann, had his work cut out for him, as circumstances afforded precious little rehearsal time with the mostly out-of-town musicians. (In addition to some local musicians, members of the orchestra were recruited from Midland-Odessa, Abilene and Lubbock.) The performances of the Mendelssohn compositions were warm but technically shaky, and it couldn't be denied that everyone would

have benefitted from additional rehearsal time.

Even with only one rehearsal session with pianist Craig, the level of musicianship displayed in Municipal Auditorium lifted several levels with the performance of Beethoven's great G Major concerto.

Often considered the little brother of Beethoven's more popular "Emperor" Concerto, his fifth and final work in the form, the G Major is perhaps even more introspective and profound. It is not a work for an inexperienced musician, and Craig, who has studied and taught for the last several years in New York, proved eminently prepared.

Her performance was both strong and sensitive — so much so that the musicians of the orchestra seemed to respond in kind. Somewhat tentative in the first half, the instrumental players dug into their parts for the Beethoven, and the result was a performance whose spirit and vigor transcended the relatively insignificant technical deficiencies. The standing ovation that greeted the performance was both spontaneous and entirely proper.

## 'Nutcracker' scheduled

The Abilene Ballet Theatre, under the Artistic Direction of Nancy Gore, presents the second annual production of the traditional holiday ballet classic, "The Nutcracker," at the Paramount Theater on Saturday November 11th at 2:30 p.m., and 8:00 p.m., and Sunday, November 12th at 2:30 p.m. A Saturday matinee has been added to the schedule of performances this year for the first time.

Tickets are available at the Paramount Theater from 1-5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and will be available at the box office before performances. Seats are not reserved. Ticket prices are \$7.00 (Adults), \$5.00 (Senior Citizens, Students, Military), and \$4.00 (Children 10 years and under). Group prices are available by calling Mrs. Paul Doty, 676-2887 or Ballet Abilene, 691-0155.

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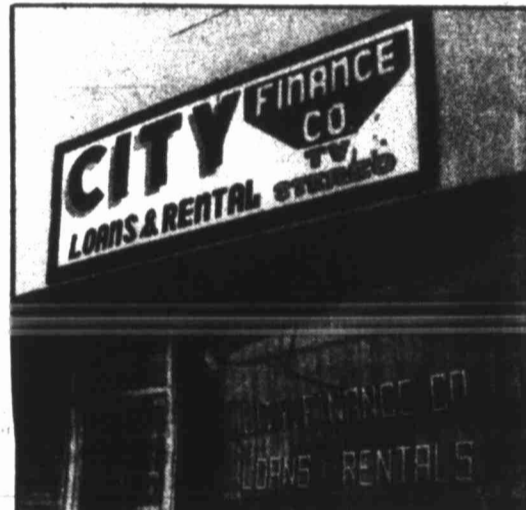
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Sands Mustangs getting closer to Top 10 ranking

By STEVE BELVIN Sports Editor The Sands Mustangs football team is slowly edging its way into the six-man Top 10.

In the 4A state stats, Big Spring's Neal Mayfield is ninth in scoring with 92 points. The Steers rank 10th in total offense, averaging 365 yards per game.

Keeping a tab on former Steer football players... Jay Pirkle is having a good season with the Eastern New Mexico University Greyhounds.

Pirkle, a 6-2, 215-pound middle linebacker, has played a big role in ENMU's defense. Going into the season finale this week, Pirkle has made 20 unassisted and 30 assisted tackles.

The Greyhounds are having a good year, they are currently 6-3 overall and 4-2 in the always tough Lone Star Conference. Their conference losses have come to Abilene Christian University, and No. 1 Texas A&I.

At Greenville College, Ill., former Steers gridders Danny Williams and Shawn Shellman are having very good seasons.

Williams is a starting halfback on a high-powered Wishbone attack. He is the team's second leading rusher, with 719 yards in 106 carries.

Greenville leads the NAIA Div. II schools in rushing, averaging 416 yards per game. The Panthers rank ninth in the nation in total offense, averaging 462 yards per game.

Shellman is a starting cornerback for the Panthers. According to head coach Max Bowman, Shellman "is the best defensive back we have.

Greenville will conclude its season Saturday when it goes to Lakeland College, Wisc. Bowman says there is a chance his team will get invited to the NAIA Div. II playoffs.

This is for all of you who didn't see the final District 4-4A volleyball standings. Pecos (14-0, 26-1); Sweetwater (11-3, 19-4); Andrews (8-6, 21-10); Snyder (7-7, 15-10); Big Spring (6-8, 11-14); Fort Stockton (6-8, 10-10); Monahans (4-10, 6-14); San Angelo Lake View (1-13, 2-20).

Sweetwater was defeated by Dumas in the first round of the playoffs, finishing their season at 19-5. Pecos, won 28-1, plays Dumas in the quarterfinals Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Lubbock Coronado Gym.

The Area 18 Special Olympics Bowling Tournament was Saturday at Highland Lanes, and several local bowlers won first place. Here are the first place winners:

The Third Annual West Texas Basketball Shootout will be Friday and Saturday at Howard College. Entry fee is \$110 per team, limited to the first 16 teams.

A youth Tae Kwon-Do class is being taught at the Big Spring YMCA. The instructor is Tamra Garza, who has a black belt in Tae Kwon-Do.

Lubbock will be the site of the First Annual South Plains Indoor Soccer Tournament at the Indoor Soccer Stadium.

Odessa will be the site of the Second Annual Friendship Volleyball Tournament Saturday at the University of Texas-Permian Basin gym.

Giants will leave town

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - San Francisco mayor Art Agnos painted a dark picture in looking to the immediate Bay area future of the city's baseball team.

Steers wary of Tigers

By STEVE BELVIN Sports Editor BIG SPRING - The term "hard-luck" fits the Snyder Tigers perfectly.

Snyder is hoping that hard-luck will end Friday when they host the state-playoff bound Big Spring Steers.

In the loss to Levelland, the Steers scored in the waning seconds of the game, pulling to within 14-13.

In the loss to Sweetwater, Snyder led 13-12 with no time left on the clock.

Cubs OF Rookie of the Year

CHICAGO (AP) - Near-unanimous selection as the National League Rookie of the Year didn't make for a complete first major-league season for the Chicago Cubs' Jerome Walton.



Jerome Walton saw him vault from Class AA to major-league star in one year.

Walton was named first on 22 of the 24 ballots cast by members of the Baseball Writers' Association



Big Spring Steers quarterback Rance Thompson (16), shown here in this file photo, will be trying to lead the Steers to their sixth consecutive district win when the Steers play the Snyder Tigers Friday.

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(ankle) are all questionable. "We didn't muster up much intensity against Pecos," said Baugh.

Pacers romp over world champions

By The Associated Press The NBA champion Detroit Pistons played like an expansion team and the expansion Orlando Magic played like champions.

The Pistons shot only 23 percent in the first half, making just 11 of 47 shots, and trailed 48-25.

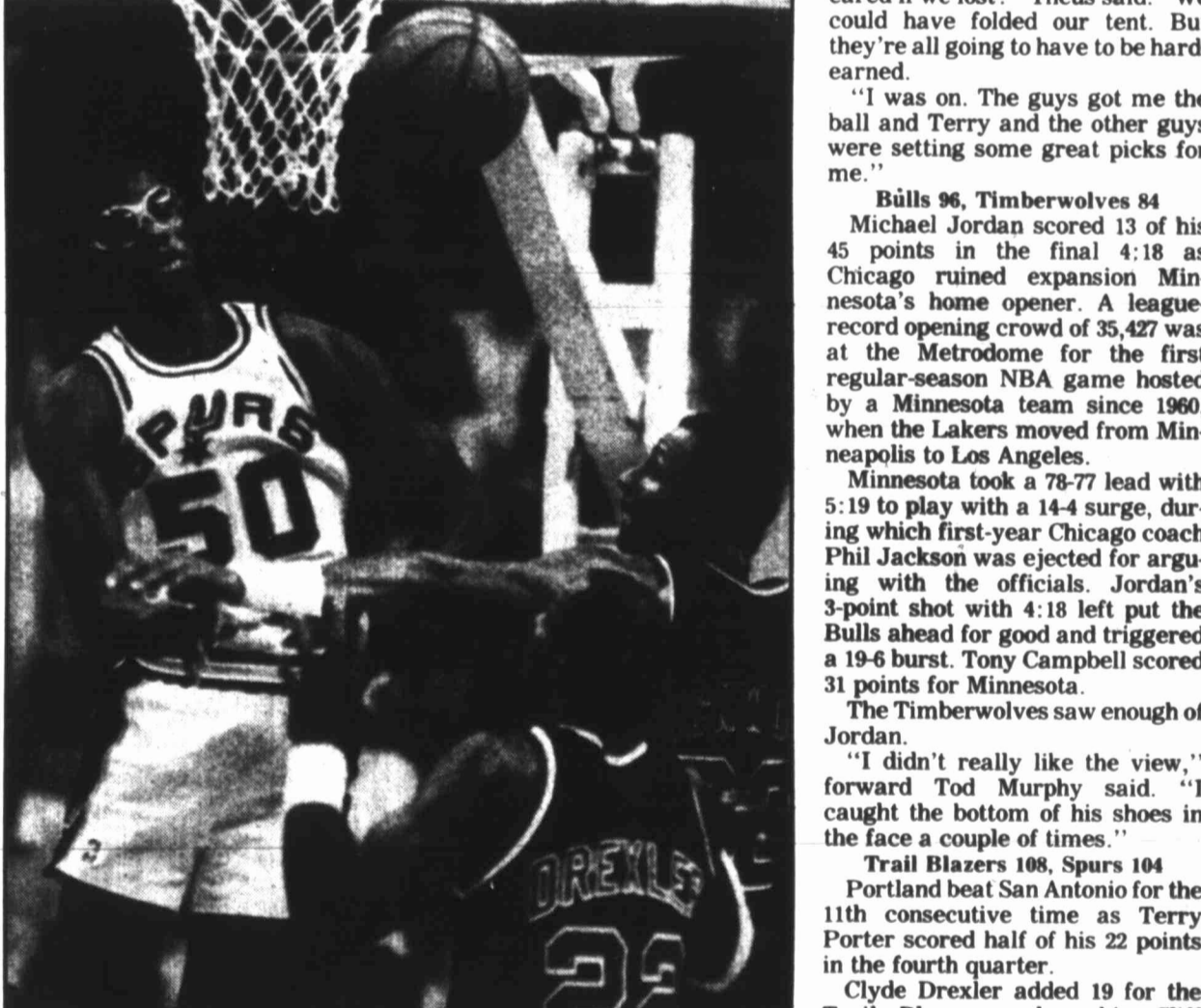
Coach Chuck Daly said the Pistons "were never really in the game" against Indiana.

Although the season is less than a week old, the Pacers lead the Central Division for the first time in their history.

Sam Vincent and Reggie Theus scored six points apiece in overtime for Orlando, which beat the New York Knicks on Saturday night.

Orlando played most of the game without starting center Dave Corzine, who injured a knee in the first quarter.

John Williams made one of two



SAN ANTONIO - David Robinson of the San Antonio Spurs (50) fights for control of the ball against Portland Trail Blazers Clyde Drexler (27) and Kevin Duckworth.

free throws to give the Cavaliers a one-point lead early in the overtime but Vincent's layup with 4:15 to go put the Magic ahead for good.

lead midway through the second quarter, Theus scored 12 of his 28 points in the third quarter to help Orlando take a five-point lead.

Clayton Drexler added 19 for the Trail Blazers and rookie Cliff Robinson had 17. San Antonio, which had beaten the Los Angeles Lakers in their opener, was led by Terry Cummings' 21 points and 19 by rookie David Robinson, who also had 18 rebounds and eight blocked shots.

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Fishing Report

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Names in the news

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Anne Murray has sold 20 million albums worldwide, but the folks back in Springhill, Nova Scotia, don't seem impressed.



"It's funny, they see me on TV and all, but it doesn't click," she said. "To them, it's just Anne."

Murray, who now lives in Toronto, also recalled an acquaintance from her old hometown, a small mining community, who expressed surprise at hearing Murray's records on the radio during a trip to faraway Florida.

When the Anne Murray Centre opened last summer in Springhill, hundreds of people went through

MURRAY the museum, Murray said during a recent interview here. "It was so funny because they see this center — and I think they underestimate the impact that I've had or the people that I've reached," the singer said. Murray, whose music has spanned

ed both popular and country music charts, had her first hit nearly 20 years ago with "Snowbird." Her current single, "If I Ever Fall in Love Again," is a duet with Kenny Rogers.

CRETE, Neb. (AP) — Visiting the site of attempts to ban his book "Being There," novelist Jerzy Kosinski said censorship threatens students' ability to question the world.

Last spring, a group of Crete parents objected to descriptions of sexual acts in "Being There" and tried to keep the novel out of an 11th-grade English class.

DENNIS THE MENACE



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Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Richard Burton, painter William Hogarth, Reformation leader Martin Luther, actor Roy Scheider.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A friend could act erratically. A message must be clarified. Someone who brings bad news could be misinformed. Refuse to panic. The true situation will be revealed.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Save your energy for important matters. An influential business associate will back your pet project. A newcomer displays interest in your ideas. Try not to dominate group conversations.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Tackle important tasks during early-morning hours. Creative endeavors enjoy favorable influences. Conserve money by letting others pay their fair share. A personal relationship takes on deeper meaning.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Get

an early start today to beat out the competition. Gather the materials you will need for important business appointments. You would be wise to spend more time with offspring.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Co-workers turn to you for answers. Avoid making any drastic changes in your routine lest they upset the applecart. Romance may pose a slight problem where your social calendar is concerned.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You continue to move forward at a steady pace, finding delight in variety. Contact a friend about business matters and you will get quick results. Romance can be promising if you face reality.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Greater self-discipline is necessary to complete complex projects. Teamwork shortens your working hours and boosts profits. Playing a new role will bring financial gains. Compromise with your mate.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Caution is required to prevent a loss of financial security. Consult tax ex-

perts. A close friend may appear overly curious about your personal affairs. Be direct. Catch up on correspondence.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Study research materials before making new proposals. You may have been misinformed. Maintain a low profile around a fault-finding co-worker. Premature disclosure could harm a pet project.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Loved one helps you solve an old mystery. Certain revelations make course of action clear. Consult your mate before issuing or accepting social invitations. Nurture romance.

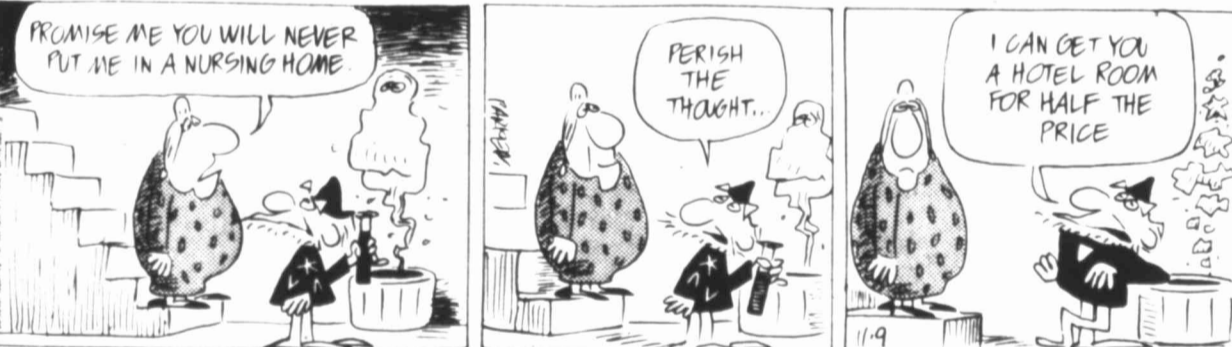
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be more aggressive about drumming up new business. A constructive conversation with an associate bolsters your spirits. You develop a new strategy for solving an old problem.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Good luck prevails where business and property matters are concerned. A hunch pays off. Your lively personality will dazzle an attractive new acquaintance. Consolidate recent financial gains.

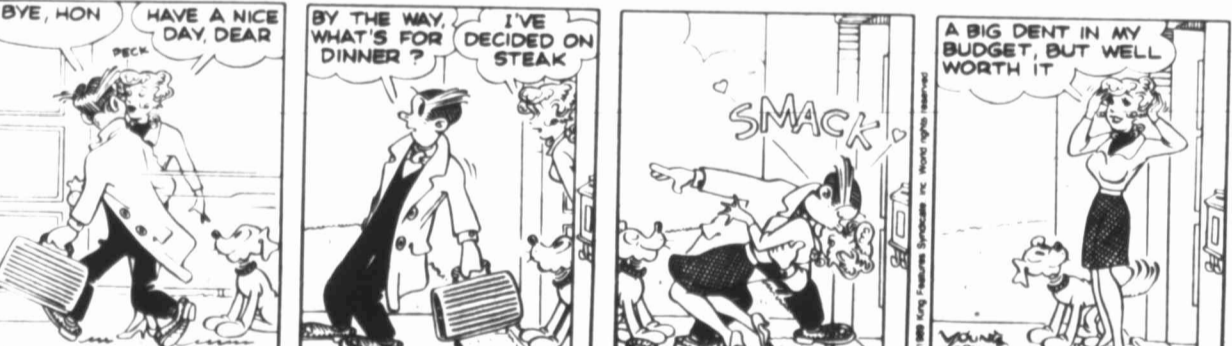
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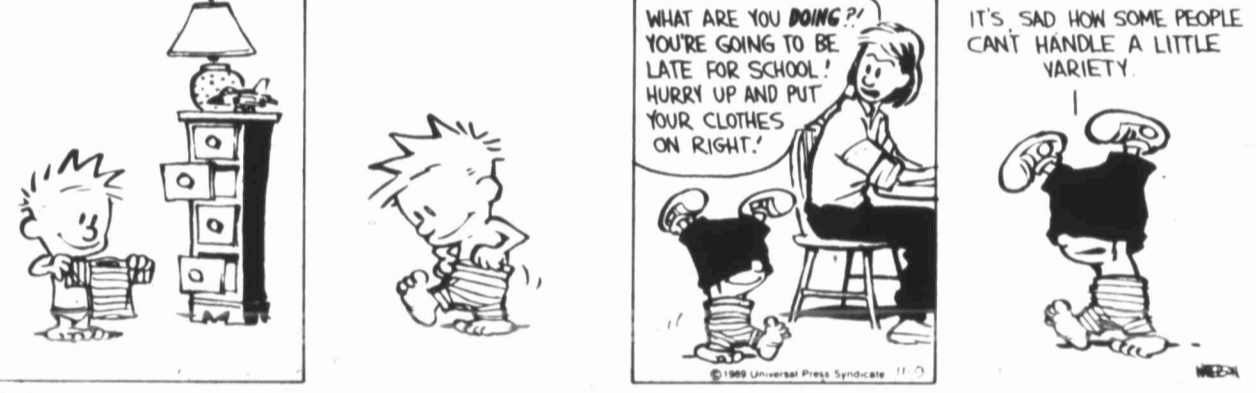
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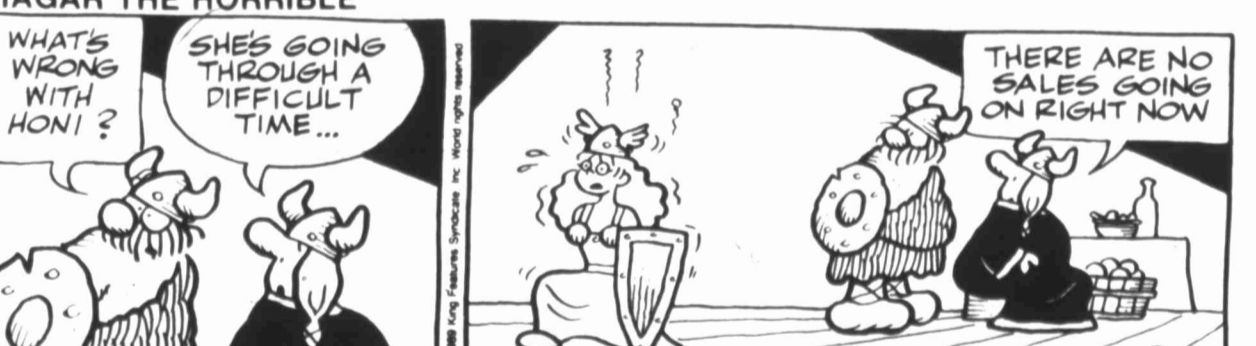
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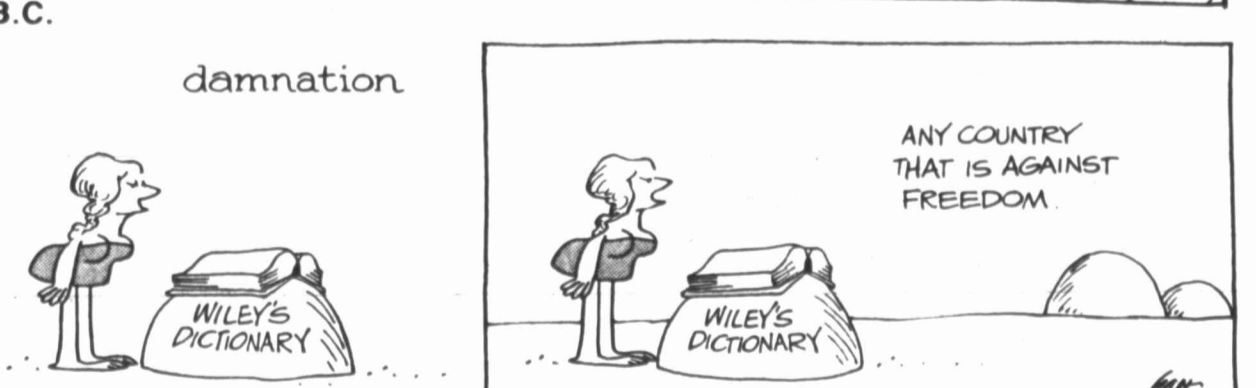
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MR. AND MRS. GEORGE PHILLIPS

### Phillips celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips will be celebrating their golden wedding anniversary on Saturday, Nov. 18, 1989 with a reception from 2 to 4 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Phillips, 108 East 1st St., Stanton.

They were married in Stanton by J.P. Lynn White in 1939 and have lived in and around the area since that time.

They have three children, Carl Phillips, Wisten, Okla., J.D. Phillips and Charles Phillips, Stanton. There are four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

All of their friends and neighbors are invited to help them celebrate this occasion.

## Couple spurred to preserve history

By JOHN McMILLAN  
Staff Writer

STANTON — There are a number of ways to honor history. Wayne Mitchell does it by collecting spurs to cowboy boots.

"I feel like I'm a little bit a student of history, and I'd like to preserve as much of our past and our heritage as possible," said Mitchell, who is superintendent of Stanton schools. "By collecting these things, I think I can save some of that heritage."

The pastime is something of a family tradition for Mitchell. His father, Lloyd, began collecting spurs at the age of 7, and Wayne Mitchell's wife, Natha, wrote a book on the subject in 1986; "Spur Marks," is dedicated to Lloyd Mitchell.

Wayne Mitchell has followed in the cowboy boot-steps of his father. He began collecting spurs in his childhood, and has pursued the hobby in earnest for about 10 years. Mitchell, who now owns more than 100 pairs of spurs, is vice president of the National Bit-Spur and Saddle Collector's Association.

Wayne and Natha Mitchell attend four western shows a year, where they trade or buy spurs. The shows are in Abilene, Amarillo, and Loveland, Colo. The cost of a pair of spurs generally runs from \$185 to \$225, but the Mitchells have seen pairs of spurs sell for as much as \$3,500.

Although the couple has not ridden horses regularly in years, they say they're horse lovers and hope to resume horseback riding eventually.

Spurs have been used since before the birth of Christ, the Mitchells say. Not only do the spurs serve the practical purpose of

guiding the horse, but they also offer a status symbol for their owners.

Mitchell, who displays some of his spurs in his office, said he owns one pair dating from early Spanish

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— Wayne Mitchell

colonial times. He declines to call any of his spurs his favorite, but he regards the makers of spurs as artists. Most of the spurs are made by individuals, rather than manufacturing companies.

Designs vary from spur to spur. Mitchell showed one pair of spurs with a sketch of a woman's leg. That design was popular in the 1920s and 1930s, and remains popular today, he said. "Everybody liked to get a gal-leg spur," Mitchell said.

Natha said she also appreciates the gal-leg spurs. "I think they're unique, because I look to see if the leg looks like a leg or if it doesn't," she said.

Mitchell also owns a spur inspired by the novel "Lonesome Dove." That spur shows a dove, outlines of the states of Texas and Montana, a ranger and pigs. The spur was designed by Randy Butters of Homer, Mich.

The spur collection has given the Mitchells quite a topic of conversation at their home. "Everybody's interested in these things and a lot of people come by to see (them)," he said.

Actually, not everyone is intrigued by the subject. "We talk about the weather if they're not interested in spurs," Natha said.



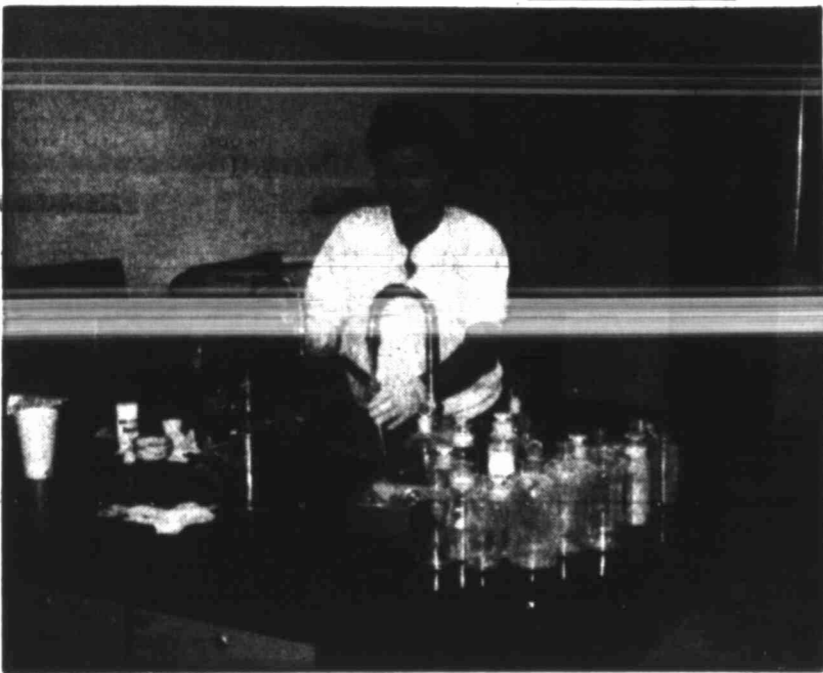
TONYA LINSCOMB AND DEREK DOWDEN

### Linscomb - Dowden to wed

Tonya Linscomb and Derek Ivan Dowden will be married December 29th at the First Baptist Church in Stanton, with Buddy Chisholm, minister of the Belvue Church of Christ in Stanton officiating.

The bride to be is the daughter of Mrs. Carl Shipley of Stanton, and Mr. Ron Linscomb of Orange, Tex. Parents of the future groom are Mr. and Mrs. George Vance Dowden of Stanton. Miss Linscomb graduated from Stanton High School in 1988 and is attending Midland College where she is a member of Phi Theta Kappa. She is majoring in English and is employed at Midland College. Her fiancé graduated from Stanton High School in 1985 and is now employed with K & C Utility Construction in Midland.

### VIPS clips



Charlene Long is one of the volunteers in the VIPS program at Stanton schools.

By ANN PROUGH  
VIPS Coordinator

The Stanton Independent School would like to show off one more of their excellent volunteers.

Charlene Long has been in the program since it started March, 1989 assigned to Mrs. Leatrice Brown. Charlene was so efficient that Mrs. Brown requested her again for this year. She is always willing to help in whatever area is needed. She is shown above assisting Mrs. Ted Gates in prepar-

ing the Science Lab for this year's classes. Charlene has two children Stacy and Nathan.

The requirements needed to be a volunteer is the desire to help others, trustworthy, reliable and considerate. We have a lot of volunteers who have these special qualities. Come and be part of the program you will meet some very special people. For more information call Brenda Kendall, 756-2797, Ann Prough, 756-3853 or Morris Williamson, Special program Director, 756-2583.

### Health

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to overcome health problems such as high cholesterol and obesity.

Among the program's recommendations on nutrition are to reduce fat, salt and sugar intake in the diet while increasing fiber, fruits and vegetables. The seven-week program will also feature posters at the workplace with messages such as "Drinking and Work Doesn't Mix" and "Take an Exercise Break."

Burch said she has not surveyed employers in the county to learn how many of them plan to participate in the program. But "I think they would be interested, for the simple fact that the healthier the employees are, the more work they're able to produce... and insurance claims should be smaller."

Burch said she plans to give the program to Martin County employees before offering it to other employers. County Judge Bob Deavenport approved the county's participation, she said. There are about 60 county employees.

Burch said she is hoping for 100 percent participation from employees of companies involved in the program. "This would be a good program for people on busy schedules, because they have very little time and this will fit into their schedule," she said.

Burch said she has not conducted a survey of health problems in Martin County. But she said more than 60 percent of the people tested at the Martin County Health Fair, held October 21, had cholesterol rates of more than 200 milligrams per deciliter of blood. Cholesterol is considered high if it exceeds 200 milligrams per deciliter.

At the end of the "Wellness at the Workside" program, participants will be asked if they need additional offerings on health education, and an attempt will be made

to schedule them, Burch said.

The "Wellness at the Workside" program is not the first health education offering in Martin County designed for employees. In the spring of this year, Midland Memorial Hospital gave a stop-smoking program to 11 employees of Cap Rock Electric Coop in Stanton.

### Stork Club

10-27-89 — A girl, Mercedes Gale Wade born to Patty LaVerne Wade of Big Spring, Texas at 2:38 p.m. weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz. and 20 inches long.

11-2-89 — A girl, Ashley Breanna Phelps born to Sherry Lynn Phelps of Midland, Texas at 12:53 a.m. weighing 7 lbs. 13 ozs. and 20 inches long.

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- BREAKFAST**
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  - MONDAY — French toast; syrup; juice and milk.
  - TUESDAY — Muffin; juice; milk and fruit.
  - WEDNESDAY — Sausage & gravy; biscuit; juice and milk.
  - THURSDAY — Cinnamon roll; juice; milk and fruit.
  - FRIDAY — Oven fried fish; tarter sauce; macaroni & cheese; English peas; pineapple pudding; hot roll and milk.
  - MONDAY — Hamburger steak w/brown gravy; cream potatoes; green beans; fruit; hot roll and milk.
  - TUESDAY — Beef & cheese enchiladas; pinto beans; vegetable salad; hot gingerbread; cornbread and milk.
  - WEDNESDAY — Burrito; buttered broccoli; oven fried potatoes; cookies and milk.
  - THURSDAY — Chicken pot pie; cauliflower au gratin; tossed salad; bread pudding; cornbread and milk.

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By SALLY CARROLL Herald Correspondent Fiji and Finley Rhodes have had some company over the past few weeks. Finley's niece Ruth Surrett, was here from Dallas. She also visited with Fay Rhodes while she was here.

Nov. 14. We will leave the center at 12:30. If you are interested in going with us, please call or come by the center. We will have a lot of fun and you can get started on your Christmas shopping.

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By HEATHER MADISON Grady Correspondent The Grady UIL Speech and Debate team members will be competing at a Speech/Debate Tournament to be held at Andrews High School. The tournament will be held Saturday, Nov. 11.

Heather's Headlines last scheduled high school football game will be held Friday. Grady will be hosting the Dawson Dragons. Kickoff time is 7:30 p.m.

