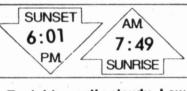
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"Reflecting a proud community" will appear just under Big Spring *Herald* on top of the newspaper's front page and will be used in conjunction with Herald promotions and advertising

More than a slogan, "Reflecting a proud community" is symbolic of the responsibility we feel your newspaper meets on a daily basis.

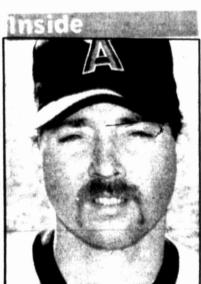
The slogan was submitted by Herald staff writer Marsha Sturdivant and was selected from nearly 50 entries in a contest held among newspaper employees.

#### Friday last day to file

Friday is the last day to file for local and statewide offices up for election this year.

Campaign treasurer designations must be filed with county clerks for local races and the Secretary of State's office for state races by 5 p.m. Friday.

Filing with respective county party chairman for a place on the ballot in local races and with state party chairman for state races must be done by 6 p.m. Friday.



Bryan Harvey of the California Angels is now the highestpaid relief pitcher in history; see page 5-A for more details.

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# Amendment campaign heats up

By GARY SHANKS **Staff Writer** 

Battle lines are being drawn in the charter amendment election scheduled for Jan. 18.

Advertisements have been appearing in the local media, and window advertisements are beginning to appear.

Members of the Fraternal Order of Police will be campaigning in favor of the amendment, while op-

is growing around a group of Big Spring residents called Citizens Against Charter Amendment (CACA)

Mayor Max Green and City Manager Hal Boyd said no plans the city's existing policy manual that restricts city employees from campaigning.

FOP members, however have

position to the charter amendment been hearing that this is a possibiliand heavy," Parker said. ty, said Sergeant Stan Parker of the Big Spring Police Department. "We were told that if we did

anything, that we'd be punished." first reading an ordinance amenhave been made as yet to enforce ding the policy manual to allow political freedom to city employees, FOP members plan to continue the campaign. "We're go-

Green and City Attorney. Mike Thomas have said the election, if passed, could be challenged on the basis of its constitutionality, main-Since the city council passed on taining that only one item can be placed on one charter amendment ballot. This ballot, however, addresses a mandated number of police officers, a city jail, and limits on disciplining or tering to be hitting the streets hard minating the chief of police and his

FOP attorney Dayid Twedell said the state constitution does not have such restrictions, that they are misreading a state statute. "All this is nonsense," Twedell said. "I'm sorry to talk so harshly about these people, but if you look back over the last few months, they've tried firing the chief,

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# UP program aims at awareness

**HERALD STAFF REPORT** 

Union Pacific Railroad employees are working to help educate the public in regards to railroad safety as part of the Operation Lifesaver program.

**UP conductor Tommy Newsome** and engineer Dub Johnson spend much of their free time visiting schools and civic groups, informing them of ways highway-rail grade crossings can be avoided.

"Most people don't realize that most train-vehicle accidents occur when the speed of the train is below 30 miles per hour and 90 percent occur when the vision of the vehicle driver is unobscured," Johnson

Both men said they had had numerous close calls and Johnson has been involved in one fatal accident

"There's nothing we can do if someone pulls in front of us at a grade crossing," Newsome said. Johnson explained that it takes a 6,000-ton train about 3,000 feet to reach a full stop from 30 miles per

"At 55 (mph), it takes a little A train approaches the railroad crossing at North over a mile," Johnson said.

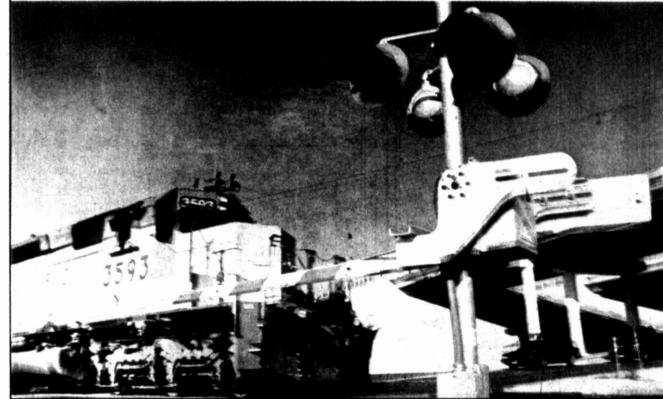
Both railroaders said a day seldom passes that they don't have a close call. "The scary thing about it,"

Johnson said, "is that most people simply don't see you. They have the windows rolled up on their vehicle, they have their radio so loud they can't hear the (train) horn, and they just don't pay attention. Statistically, the number of per-

sons killed at grade crossings in Texas is on the rise.

In 1988 there were 57 persons killed in 589 accidents while in 1989, 90 persons perished in 634 accidents.

"We're just trying to make people aware of the dangers," stop in time . . . it's that simple."



During the first five months of tracks 1991 there were nine fatalities on lines over which Union Pacific operates in Texas. Statistics provided by the railroad show that nearly 70 percent of the 66 crossing accidents occurred when the speed of the train was less than 30 miles per hour and nearly 38 percent

Birdwell Lane recently. Union Pacific officials

have begun Operation Lifesaver to make the

than 10 miles per hour. "That's the thing that's so strange," Johnson said. "Most people think of high-speed accidents, but most of them are slow. Johnson said he felt there was such Newsome said. "If you drive up on a high number of slow-speed acthe tracks in front of us, we can't cidents because people felt they could beat the train across the

when the train's speed was less

Another factor in grade-crossing accidents are motorists who stopon the tracks. "Not long ago," Newsome said,

railroad crossings.

"we were at a crossing in Midland and this young woman was sitting there, putting on her makeup with her car right on top of the tracks. "When she finally realized we

were coming, she got this look on her face, put her car in reverse and burned rubber all the way until she was out of the way.

But grade-crossing accidents aren't limited to so-called non-

"It's amazing, just amazing," Johnson said, "at the number of time worth risking your life"

gasoline tank trucks and gravel trucks that try to beat us across the

And while all accidents are serious, those are the ones that scare railroaders

"You hit a tanker and you burn to death," Newsome said matter-offactly. "You hit a load of gravel and you get crushed.'

Both men said a little more patience on the part of drivers would make life easier.

"It only takes from about a halfminute to three minutes for a train to pass through a crossing. Johnson said. "Is saving that much

# Redraw splits Sims, Dickson

By PATRICK DRISCOLL Staff Writer

The state Senate redistricting plan passed by the Legislature Wednesday will again put Senators Bill Sims, D-San Angelo and Temple Dickson, D-Sweetwater, in seperate districts.

Two House plans, for 1992 and 1994, passed by the Legislature Wednesday, do not change a district that pairs representatives Troy Fraser, R-Big Spring, and David Counts, D-Knox City

The Legislature also approved extending the March 10 primary to April 11 and, if neccessary, to a later date if the plans do not meet court approval by Jan. 17.

A federal court in Austin last month implemented interim plans for 1992 following lack of state court and U.S. Department of Justice approval of other plans. A majority of legislators hope the legislative Senate plan will be upheld over the federal court's Senate plan. The 1992 legislative House blueprint is identical to the court's House plan.

Sims, who dislikes the Senate proposal because it stretches his district into urban areas of Bexar and Travis counties, said he believes the federal court plan will probably prevail.

"We're wasting our time," said Sims, who joined a majority of Republicans to oppose the

REDRAW page 8-A

# Speaker hopefuls surface

on among House members who want to be the next speaker

"Oh Lord. the list is endless and I think they're just beginning to surface. Speaker Pro Tem Wilhelmina Delco, D-

Austin, said LEWIS

shortly after Gib Lewis announced plans to retire after a record five terms as House leader

Lewis, D-Fort Worth, said he would remain neutral in the 1993

"The candidates that are runand time again they know the process and know how the process works," he said.

"I hate to say this, but I assure you there will not be a big void when I leave. These people will do as good of a job as I've done,'' he said.

Among those who said they will run or were cited as possible candidates were Reps. Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield, who chairs the budget-writing House Appropriations Committee; Pete Laney, D-Hale Center, State Affairs Committee chairman. Tom Uher, D-Bay City, head of the Redistricting Committee and Bruce Gibson, D-Godley Government Organization Com mittee chairman

Also, James Hury, D Galveston, head of the taxwriting Ways and Means Committee; David Cain, D-Dallas. who heads the Transportation Committee, and Billy Clemons. D-Pollok, the only announced challenger against Lewis before the speaker made his announce ment. Clemons serves on the Calendars Committee, which schedules bills for House debate, and the Appropriations Committee

Uher predicted a front-runner probably would emerge by the end of November, after the general election. Lawmakers next meet in regular session in January 1993.

Ms. Delco said she wasn't ruling out a speaker's race herself. although she said she has "no idea" whether the House would be ready to elect a black woman as its leader

"I never say impossible," she said.

Rep. Tom Craddick of Midland, head of the House Republican Caucus, said he did not expect a GOP speaker can didate "at this point." Republicans hold 57 of the 150 House seats.

Rep. Alan Schoolcraft, R. Universal City, said the Republicans would try to vote as a bloc. "We've been divided and conquered for years," he said Rep. Rene Oliveira, D

Brownsville, said he would urge the Mexican American Legislative Caucus to vote as a

Some said a new speaker could mean reform in the House, where some lawmakers have complained that rules should be changed to allow a more open process or urged term limits for speakers.



Herald photo by Marsha Sturdivan Howard College students, from left, Danny Es- Earl Burnett discuss financial aid and registraquivel, Peeler Hollaway, David Esquivel and tion problems at the college Monday.

students before they enter college.

Earl Burnett, 23, an automotive

repair major, said high school did

college life. Burnett is involved

with the drama department at

the only time a person will stay up

# Lack of money worries freshmen

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Staff Writer

marks the top of a returning sociology major. freshman's worries, said four the flurry of spring registation.

high school did not prepare them said high school did not prepare for the expense, the freedom and him for the realities of college. the course requirements of higher education.

"I wish I had known (the cost)

ahead of time. This is like leaving

middle class, (paying for college)

the baby on the front steps. For the

is hard. What do we qualify for? It management and study habits to keeps away the middle class peo-Lack of money to pay for college ple," said Danny Esquivel, 20, a

Peeler Hollaway, 21, traveled not prepare him for the freedom of Howard College students caught in from Tatum N.M., to Big Spring to enroll in Howard College's And these same students said agricultural business program. He Howard College as well as his

"High school should teach us how to use money wiser," Hollaway said. He graduated from Tatum High School in 1990.

Hollaway suggested high

regular studies. 'The class breaks are longer and there's not a lot of steady pressure like in high school. But the exams are harder. College is

schools teach budgeting, money • FRESHMEN page 8-A

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## **Texas**

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#### Lawmakers urge release of records

AUSTIN (AP) - State lawmakers approved a resolution urging Congress to either make public files on the assassination of President Kennedy or explain why it refuses to do so.

The resolution was passed by voice votes in the House and Senate as lawmakers sought to wrap up a special session on redistricting.

Rep. Steve Wolens, D-Dallas, said he sponsored the resolu-

tion after seeing the movie "JFK." "I saw the movie, and when I left the movie was very, very

mad," said Wolens. "JFK," by filmmaker Oliver Stone, has been praised by some but criticized by others, who say it presents a misleading picture and factual errors about the Nov. 22, 1963

#### Cocaine bricks found in truck

assassination in Dallas

DEL RIO (AP) — A man was being held without bond Wednesday after U.S. Border Patrol agents stopped his pickup truck and seized 161 pounds of cocaine, authorities

Omar Guadiana-Salazar, 48, of Del Rio was arrested Wednesday morning in Kinney County on FM 334, north of Bracketville, officials said Border Patrol agents said

they received consent to search his 1987 Ford pickup and discovered bricks of cocaine in its gas tank and door panels, said a complaint filed in federal court.

Guadiana-Salazar was charged with unlawfully and intentionally possessing cocaine with intent to distribute, the complaint said.

U.S. Magistrate Durwood Edwards ordered him held without bond in Val Verde County Jail pending a preliminary hearing Friday.

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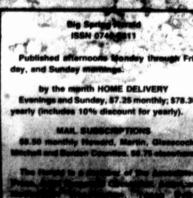
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# Special session ends on partisan note

AUSTIN (AP) — State lawmakers wrapped up their special session on legislative redistricting, but whether those measures will stand up remains to

"I'm hoping that we can move on, and that what we passed here in the last few days will certainly be satisfactory to the Justice Department and we can hold elections on the 10th of March," House Speaker Gib Lewis said Wednesday after the Legislature adjourned.

 Speaker Lewis resigns; page 1-A.

The state House and Senate

redistricting plans must be submit-ted to the Justice Department for approval, and action there could spawn more lawsuits on an issue that has and is being contested in several courts

The March 10 primaries also remain in doubt. Under a bill passed by the Legislature, if the redistricting plans don't win court approval by Jan. 17, then the primaries will be postponed until April 11.

The primary election bill and redistricting measures were sent to Gov. Ann Richards for her consideration.

Richards called lawmakers into

jected earlier attempts by the who successfully sued the state to Legislature to re-draw boundaries for the 150-member House and 31-member Senate.

The Legislature is required to draw House and Senate district lines after each 10-year federal

Democrats said the Senate plan would increase the chance of minorities to get elected in proportion to their population, but Republicans said the district lines were drawn in a way to protect Democratic incumbents.

The GOP also claimed the plan was illegal because it represented their third special session after a settlement between a group of federal and state courts had re- Democrats and minority plaintiffs

re-draw districts to increase minority representation.

Democrats, however, saw the plan as a way to supplant a federa! three-judge panel's decision to impose its own district maps. The judge's district maps would hurt minorities and protect Republicans, the Democrats

Under the House plan, districts agreed to by minority plaintiffs and a majority of the representatives would go into effect in 1994. For 1992, the House plan would reflect the districts drawn by the three judges, all of whom are Republican appointees.

In the waning moments of debate Wednesday, the bitterness of the session came to a head between Republicans and Democrats on the Senate floor.

Two Democrats brought up the fact that a paid consultant of Sen. David Sibley, R-Waco, is the brother of one of the federal judges who voted to impose the redistricting plan opposed by Democrats.

Sibley, angered over the insinuation that his dealings with Jack Smith, the brother of Republican U.S. District Judge Walter Smith of Waco, had any influence over the redistricting decision, said, "I deeply resent the way that this has

#### Names in the news

HAILEY, Idaho (AP) — A conservation group accused Bruce Willis of stealing river water to fill ponds on his property.

So the "Die Hard" actor obtained a permit that will allow him yearround access to water from the Big Wood River, said his lawyer, Ed

Officials had shut down Willis' river water supply after protests from Friends of the Big Wood.

"We're concerned about keeping water in the river for the fish," said group spokesman Nick Cox. But Simon said the water is being

used to maintain existing ponds. "They were originally created by beaver dams," he said. NEW YORK (AP) - "Super-

man" star Christopher Reeve may not know where he'll be on June 30, but he knows what he'll be doing: getting married. 'The 39-year-old actor will wed Dana Morosini, a 30-year-old

singer and actress, five years to the day they met, said publicist Wendy Morris. "They will be married wherever they are at that time," Morris said. "It's not like they're only going to

do it if they're both in New York." TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — George McFarland can still call himself "Spanky" but does not hold the rights to the image of the chubby, beanie-clad smart aleck he played in the "Little Rascals" and "Our

U.S. District Judge Clarkson Fisher tossed out McFarland's lawsuit against Joseph Miller, an Ocean Township, N.J., The books being recommended businessman whose tavern, for adoption by Meno are published Spanky McFarland's, was lined by Holt, Rinehart and Winston; with "Little Rascals" photographs. Houghton Mifflin Co.; Prentice-

Gang" series, a judge ruled.

Fisher ruled Monday that the 64-year-old McFarland relinquished rights to the Spanky name and image in a contract his parents signed with Hal Roach Studios in

McFarland "retained merely the right to use the nickname 'Spanky,' not the right to license the name and image of 'Spanky' to others," Fisher wrote. "Hal Roach Studios Inc. retained those rights."

McFarland did not immediately return calls to his Fort Worth, Texas, home Wednesday.

Fisher's decision runs counter to that of a federal judge in Minnesota, who ruled that a bar using a Spanky logo had violated McFarland's right to publicity.

Other businesses, including the Justin Boot Co., pay McFarland for the right to use his name and childhood face.

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NEW YORK (AP) — A former executive in hotel queen Leona Helmsley' empire charged in a lawsuit that she ordered him fired after learning he had cancer.

Peter Herren, a former vice president of the New York Helmsley Hotel, is seeking more than \$1 million. The 64-year-old Herren said in

court papers Wednesday that he was fired in October, two days after telling a Helmsley deputy that he had thyroid cancer. Helmsley spokesman Howard Rubenstein said Herren was fired

"for business reasons." "She had absolutely no information that he was ill," he said.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Stacy Keach, best known as TV's toughguy private investigator Mike Hammer, has won rave reviews in a completely different role, as a Howard Hughes-like reclusive billionaire.

"There's such an effort on everyone's part to cubbyhole people," he said. "The great vice in being a versatile performer is no one can quite identify you.

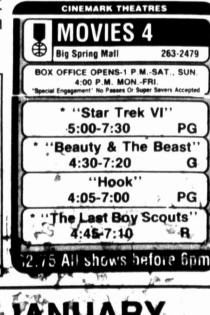
ST. LOUIS (AP) - Katherine Dunham, who won the National Medal of Arts for her innovative work in African and Caribbean dance, donated costumes and other memorabilia to the Missouri Historical Society.

"After touring for about 50 of my 83 years, I have found that it's no good keeping things shut up in trunks and baskets and that sort of thing," she said Tuesday.

Society president Robert R. Ar-

chibald said the gift includes about 300 costumes and 400 boxes of documents and other artifacts.

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The Glencoe Division of

Macmillan-McGraw-Hill School

Publishing chose not to meet the

Dec. 16 deadline for filing a new list

of errors and certificate of

book. This is the first edition of it ...

We just didn't have the time to do

the job properly," said Jack

Witmer, Glencoe Division chief ex-

He said the company told the

state it could provide an error-free

text before books were sent out to

Textbooks approved by the State

Board of Education are provided

free to school districts. Districts

that want to buy other books must

'This is a big book, and it's a new

These people report to work at the Pilgrim's Pride plant in Mount Pleasant Wednesday afternoon. At least 21 people were taken to the

hospital after a fire broke out at the chicken processing plant.

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# Board to consider history textbooks

AUSTIN (AP) - A State Board of Education member is urging a one-year delay in the adoption of new U.S. history textbooks for Texas schools, saying they still contain more than 160 errors despite publishers' editing efforts.

"Close to accurate is simply not acceptable when it comes to the education of our children," board member Jane Nelson of Lewisville said Wednesday.

Education Board members were scheduled to take a preliminary vote Thursday on the books, with final action set for Friday.

The board initially had been scheduled to act on the approximately \$20.3 million worth history books last November, for use beginning in the 1992-93 school year. They include books for eighth grade and high school.

Action was delayed until this month after more than 200 errors were discovered, including a statement that the United States settled the Korean conflict by "using the bomb.

Four of the five history-book publishers subsequently filed with the Education Agency, by Dec. 16, lists of errors to be corrected, along with signed "cartificates of accuracy." A fifth publisher said the time pured provided by the state was too short for the company to feel able to cartify its text as arms. Free

Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno proposed that textbooks by the four publishers that net the state's Dec. I deadline be adopted — if identified acrors are corrected and publishers are

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penalized for mistakes, according proved for classroom use. to a recommendation released by the Texas Education Agency.

Ms. Nelson said the books contain mistakes that had not been identified by publishers, although she would not give a specific list.

She said that among the additional errors - identified mainly by conservative textbook critics Mel and Norma Gabler of **Longview** — are inaccurate dates when several presidents served and when the Declaration of Independence was signed.

Joey Lozano, spokesman for the Texas Education Agency, said Ms. Nelson had not brought her complaint to the agency by Wednesday. "We don't have any information that there are still errors in those

books," he said. Ms. Nelson said if adoption of the books is not delayed, she wants the publishers to pay cash fines for errors. Meno's recommendation was that penalties be paid in textbooks.

Joe Bill Watkins, an Austin lawyer representing the Association of American Publishers, said it is "disappointing" if the books still contain errors. But he said that any mistakes could be corrected before the books are used in the classroom.

What is to be accomplished by delaying adoption?" Watkins ask-ed. "One thing that is accomplished ed is that children will have tektbooks that are very, very old, and not nearly as good as these. State texthook committee

members had said in November that the proposed hintery blacks are better than the ones currently ap-

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# Quayle pr

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have a planet last July

PSR1257+12 from Earth

# Nation/World

#### Wilder drops out of presidential race

WASHINGTON (AP) — Virginia Gov. L. Douglas Wilder dropped out of the Democratic presidential campaign before the first primary votes were cast, and the five remaining contenders immediately began competing for the ...ck voters who had figured to form the

core of his support. Wilder, short on funds and lagging in the polls, said the "rigors of running a state government" suffering the effects of a recession

took precedence over his presidential ambitions.

No sooner had he uttered his withdrawal than the jockeying

Jesse Jackson, who ran in 1984 and 1988, said Wilder's departure "leaves a void we must now address." But he said he wouldn't enter the campaign.

Former Massachusetts Sen. Paul Tsongas, vowed an aggressive campaign for black support.

#### CNN almost reported Bush had died

Headline News came within versions of CNN reports. seconds of reporting that President realized it was a hoax.

A caller identifying himself as Bush's doctor had telephoned CNN on Wednesday and said the president was dead

CNN Headline News anchorman Don Harrison started to read the report on the air at 9:45 a.m. EST during coverage of Bush's collapse at a dinner in Japan, when he was

alerted by another staffer. Headline News is a sister station reported resting comfortably.'

ATLANTA (AP) — CNN of CNN and features condensed

"This just in to CNN Headline Bush had died before an editor News," Harrison said. "And we say right off the bat, we have not confirmed this through any other source.

> At that point a voice off camera said, "No. Stop."

"We are now getting a correction," Harrison said. "We will not give you that story. It was regarding some rather tragic news involving President Bush. But updating that story, President Bush is

#### Quayle promises vigorous campaign

LITTLETON, N.H. (AP) — Vice President Dan Quayle began a campaign trek through small towns in mountainous northern New Hampshire today after saying that President Bush is feeling well and joking about his brief illness.

" 'Have I got my name in the papers back there?' " Quayle said Bush asked him during a telephone conversation Wednesday night. The vice president spoke during a live interview on NBC's "Today."

Quayle has promised he and President Bush will wage a 'vigorous campaign' in New primary challenge of commentator



## Repairing roof



Citizens of Vinkovci, Croatia, take advantage of the fifteenth cease-fire Wednesday to repair the roofs of their houses. Yugoslavia replaced its defense chief Wednesday with a vehement Serbian nationalist whose appointment alarmed Croatians, and hopes for ending Yugoslavia's civil war appeared

#### Aristide will accept prime minister

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) -Deposed Haitian President Jean-Bertrand Aristide has agreed to accept one of his harshest critics as prime minister, but even that may not be enough to return him to

The announcement that Aristide would accept Communist leader Rene Theodore as prime minister came Wednesday, but hours later several Haitian legislators suggested the choice had been rejected by the military, which toppled Aristide on Sept. 30.

Theodore "is not the correct choice for these times . . . because he is a Communist," said Sen. Thomas Eddy Dupiton. "He is an honest man, politically speaking, but his ideology will meet strong opposition.'

'Many political sectors do not accept him," the Senate president, Dejean Belizaire, told The Associated Press. "We tried to convince President Aristide of this, but he was adamant.'

Aristide could not be reached for

#### Islamic leaders opposing concert

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Pop superstar Michael Jackson of has accepted a government invitation to perform in Islamic Pakistan, an official said today, but opposition by religious leaders could cancel the concert.

Sheikh Rashid Ahmed, minister of culture and sports, said the concert had been tentatively set for April 14 in the eastern city of Lahore, the country's cultural center

But he said threats by religious leaders to close airports and organize street protests could force Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif to rescind the offer.

"The final decision is the prime minister's," Ahmed said. "But I Pakistan's image.

don't know what they are so afraid

"If Noor Jehan, a famous Pakistani classical singer, can go to the United States why can't Michael Jackson come here?'

Ahmed extended invitations last year to Jackson and Madonna, hoping their appearances would help portray this predominantly Muslim country of 120 million as a modern state tolerant of other cultures, customs and ideas

But Jamaat-e-Islami, or Party of Islam, a small but powerful religious party that is a crucial component in the governing Islamic Democratic Alliance, says there's nothing wrong with

# Automakers disappointed with agreement

TOKYO (AP) — President Bush trade frictions that have called the spokesman Taizo Watanabe told an secured a loose agreement from relationship into question. Japanese officials today for more U.S. auto purchases, but American work to do," Bush said as he automakers traveling with him neared the end of a four-nation trip didn't conceal their through Asia. "In conclusion, this disappointment.

After four days of talks, Bush and his summit partner, Prime playing field. Minister Kiichi Miyazawa, reaffirmed the importance of their inevitable... But as the presialliance. But the visit was dent said, it was a fruitful dominated by efforts to defuse summit."

'We really need much more pro- billion. gress if we are to solve this serious

"No doubt we have much more

visit has been a success" that has

Miyazawa said "some friction is

Motor Co. chairman Harold A. Poling said, "You're pretty close."

'Americans see only Japanese goods in the American market and Japanese," Foreign Ministry Akihito to visit the United States.

interviewer on Japan's public the invitation in May, according to television network.

The final sticking points of marathon working-level talks described by both sides as "severe" came when Washington "advanced our goal of leveling the demanded that Japanese automakers buy \$20 billion of parts ly on strategic issues, ending two in fiscal 1994, more than doubling previous purchases.

after setting a target of \$19.1

The agreements, nevertheless, problem," John Reilly, president are expected to barely dent of Tenneco Automotive, Japan's \$41 billion trade deficit Asked if the pledges by Japanese U.S. side blames on closed Milky Way galaxy, scientists the National Radio Astronomy gravity of orbiting planets, resear- of U.S.-made autos and auto parts contend the Bush administration is concrete figures (for increased imwere embarrassingly low, Ford making Japan a scapegoat for America's inability to cure its own economic ills.

A Foreign Ministry official, speaking anonymously, said today they feel they are losing out to the that Bush invited Miyazawa and

Miyazawa said he might accept the official. The government will decide whether Akihito, whose constitutional role is symbol of the nation, would accept the invitation.

Today's final 30-minute meeting between the leaders focused maindays of talks that seemed to represent an economic role reversal for Japan refused to budge further leaders of the world's two largest economies.

Japan, long accused of protecting its markets, accused the U.S. side of violating free trade principles by demanding sales targets with the United States, which the for U.S. products in ailing industries such as autos.

"If we're asked to come up with ports), isn't that the same thing as managed trade? They don't seem to be able to understand that, no matter what we say," Noboru Hatakeyama, Japan's top negotiator, complained before the agreement.

#### Hampshire and take seriously the QUAYLE CAMPAIGNS Patrick Buchanan. Planets found outside solar system

planets more massive than Earth at the Arecibo Observatory in toward Earth and then away from appear to be orbiting a dense star Puerto Rico, and Dale A. Frail at it, being pulled to and fro by the automakers for increased imports markets. Japanese negotiators said today. If confirmed, the planets would be the first known outside the solar system.

Several prior studies had claimed to find such planets, but some of those studies have been refuted and none are widely accepted.

David Black, director of the Lunar and Planetary Institute in Houston, called the new report, published in today's issue of the journal Nature, the strongest evidence so far of a planet-like system outside the solar system.

"It's a credible story they're telling. Time will tell if it holds up," he said.

The new study was presented by Alexander Wolszczan (pronounced VOLE-shtchon), a senior research associate with the National

Planets of

another star

Scientists say they have discovered

planets orbiting a pulsar 1,300 lightyears from us in the Milky Way.

Pulsar system to scale

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distance

Mercury's distance

Inner planet Distance from pulsar: 33.5 million miles Mass: 3.4 times Earth

Outer planet

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The pulsar, identified as

PSR1257+12,

is a tiny, dense

star that pulses

energy. Another

pulsar named

PSR1829-10,

have a planet

last July

was reported to

Year: 66.6 Earth days

Mass: 2.8 times Earth Year: 98.2 Earth days

Distance from pulsar: 43.7

NEW YORK (AP) — At least two Astronomy and Ionosphere Center pulsar was repeatedly edging complained. Observatory in Socorro, N.M.

They concluded that at least two planets were orbiting a pulsar, an in the direction of the constellation Virgo. A light-year is the distance light travels in one year, or about 5.9 trillion miles.

The planets may have a density and composition like Earth's, although there is little evidence on that point, Wolszczan said.

But "life as we know it most certainly does not exist" on them because the pulsar bombards them with "a really vicious mix of gammoving near the speed of light, he

A pulsar sends pulses of energy toward Earth. Normally a pulsar's brown dwarfs. bursts are extremely regular. But the study found that radio-wave pulses from the studied pulsar, which arrive about 161 times a se-

extremely dense star, that lies Earth, appeared to orbit the pulsar about 1,300 light-years from Earth every 98.2 days at about half the distance between the Earth and

sun. The other planet, with at least 3.4 times Earth's mass, appeared to orbit every 66.6 days at just over one-third the distance between the Earth and sun. Results also suggested the possibility of a third planet that orbits about once a year, Wolszczan

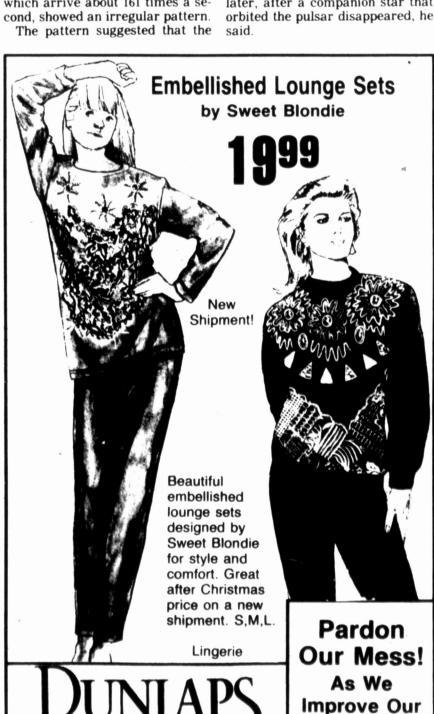
One apparent planet, containing

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Wolszczan said these objects can be called planets because they or ma rays and X-rays" and particles bit a more massive central object and their own mass is too small for them to qualify as stars or an intermediate category known as

> The pulsar formed about 1 billion years or longer ago, he said. The planets probably formed much later, after a companion star that orbited the pulsar disappeared, he

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# Views of other Texas papers

#### Free trade: Pivotal issue

The proposed North American free trade agreement is shaping up as a pivotal issue in next year's presidential campaign. By stating unequivocally that his administration will move forward in negotiations, President Bush has staked out a position that contrasts sharply with the protectionist posture embraced by several other White House contenders of both parties.

On the Democratic side, Sen. Tom Harkin of Iowa and Gov. Douglas Wilder of Virginia strongly oppose U.S.-Mexican free trade. On the Republican side, protectionist candidate Patrick Buchanan and former Ku Klux Klansman David Duke are equally bitter in their denunciations of the concept.

Although the protectionist siren song certainly appeals to some voters who feel their jobs are threatened by foreign competition, the mainstream of the American electorate still supports the concept of free trade as an engine of economic growth. And it is to this broad body of Americans that Mr. Bush must make his appeal. .

President Bush has demonstrated his political fiber by taking on the protectionists and moving forward with the North American accord. Now comes the hard part of promoting free trade as a net gain for U.S. workers, but it is a goal the president must attain. The dangers of the neoisolationism . . . are very real.

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Longview News-Journal

## Free press is no accident

Freedom of the press is still little more than a dream in much of the world, where governments often confuse the messenger for the message.

Unfortunately, many countries choose to shackle the press, thereby shackling individual freedom. It makes running their countries easier.

A French press organization, Reporters sans Frontieres . . . said it found that 108 journalists were in jail around the world by year's end, 26 of them in China, nine in Israel and eight each in Iraq, Syria and the Maldives.

It named Saudi Arabia, Libya, Syria, Iran, Burma, China, North Korea, Cuba and Djibouti as the countries with the most severe press restrictions. Kuwait has violated its promise to relax censorship, despite promises to do so, the press group said.

America's Founding Fathers knew that a free and independent press was the fourth leg of a democracy, just as important as any of the three branches of government. The framers knew what they were doing when they wrote the First Amendment forbidding any laws being made to limit freedom of speech or the press. It was no accident.

This is another reason why Americans should be thankful. Most people in the world wish they had a First Amendment.

**Houston Chronicle** 

## More deregulation needed

Airlines in America continue to crash. Pan Am is out of business. America West and Continental Airlines both have filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy.

Much of the industry's problems have been caused by the ongoing recession and the sharp drop in air travel during the Persian Gulf war . . . However, the last thing we should do is to blame the industry's woes on the deregulation of 1978. Since that year, the number of passengers carried has risen 80 percent; prices have dropped 20 percent on average; and safety has increased, with the accident rate dropping 26 percent over the

We should also remember that only one-third of the industry was deregulated — the price- and route-fixing system. The other two-thirds - airports and air traffic control system - remain government-run entities almost entirely. No wonder airports are crowded and airlines sometimes have trouble meeting market demands.

The solution: more deregulation accompanied by

privatization. . . .

The (McAllen) Monitor



# Faultless forecast for 1992

Random thoughts while mourn ing the death of Cowboy hysteria

Another year has bit the dust, and it's time for what is fast becoming a time-honored tradition (well, maybe time-honored is a bit much) around these parts.

That's right, faithful readers **Uncle Stevie's Faultless Forecast** for 1992 has arrived. 1991 was a real fun year, what

with the Persian Gulf War, the Keating Five, the recession and all the rest, but '92 promises to be just as entertaining. A look into my slightly cracked

crystal ball reveals the following January - President Bush, fresh from another drubbing in the public opinion polls, announces he will not seek reelection in November. Instead, he will become a lounge singer in Las Vegas. "The pay's better, and the worst they can do is fire me," explains Bush.

Also in January, the Washington Redskins defeat the Buffalo Bills, 14-13, in the Super Bowl, prompting mass suicides among Dallas Cowboy fans.

February — To commemorate the anniversary of the Persian Gulf War victory, Bush declares war on Aruba. The president asks Norman Schwartzkopf to come out of retirement to lead the invasion, but Schwartzkopf begs off. citing a previous speaking engagement. In his place, Bush names Patrick Buchanan to lead the troops

Later in the month, Oliver Stone announces plans to make a movie based on the life of Harry Truman. Heads turn when Stone says he will portray Truman as a closet homosexual who was soft on Communism. "Facts confuse me," Stone says in defense of his movie

March - After two weeks of stalemate in the Aruban War, Gen. Buchanan decides to take

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matters into his own hands, personally leading an assault on an enemy stronghold. The plan backfires, however, and Buchanan is captured by the Arubans

"Too bad, ha-ha," Bush says when learning the news. Intense negotiations follow, with the Arubans stating that if the

Americans don't pay them \$5 billion, they will release Buchanan. Bush pays, saying, "I usually don't negotiate with terrorists, but this is different.'

News from baseball spring training is highlighted by an announcement that the players will donate 10 percent of their pay to the government, retiring the national debt in the process.

April — Nolan Ryan starts the Texas Rangers' first game of the season, striking out 26 and pitching a no-hitter as Texas beats Cleveland, 8-0. President Bush, who is in attendance, is hit with a foul ball, and in a fit of wooziness. orders a mission to rescue Gen. Buchanan

May — Gen. Buchanan, the self proclaimed "Hero of Aruba," earns only 1 percent of the vote in the Texas Primary and drops out of the race for president. Says Buchanan, "What the heck, I can have more fun baiting liberals on 'Cross Fire.

Jerry Brown becomes the front runner for the Democratic nominations. Supporters of Brown say they'd rather be confused than broke

June — A near-riot erupts on the set of "Harry Truman: Closet Commie," as protestors hurl tomatoes at Oliver Stone. "People confuse me," he says, wiping tomato juice from his face.

July — President Bush changes positions and decides he will, after all, seek re-election. Republicans, relieved at having an alternative to David Duke, unanimously nominate Bush at the Republican convention.

Duke responds by saying he will run against the Cowardly Lion for the title of King of the Forest.

Later in the month, Oliver Stone appeases protestors by dumping Madonna from the lead role of "Harry Truman: Closet Commie.'

August — On the second anniversary of his invasion of Kuwait, Iraqi dictator Saddam Hussein says the entire episode which cost thousands of lives and billions of dollars — was just a big misunderstanding.

"I was just joking," Hussein says. "You Americans are sooooo touchy.

September — Democratic nominee Jerry Brown says he has a plan to balance the budget, but can't release details "until the moon is full and dogs howl at their masters. Asked what Brown means, an

aide goes, "I think it means Jerry has been working too hard October — In their only televis-

ed debate of the election, Brown and Bush take turn confusing just about everybody within earshot.

November — Bush resoundingly wins re-election, sweeping all 50 states. Final vote totals: Bush, 46.7 million; Brown, 18.6 million; Nolan Ryan, 23.8 million: "Hero of Aruba," 1

December — After Santa Claus stuns millions by saying he is going on strike, Kevin Costner saves the day by organizing a massive Christmas drive. A movie

"Dances With Rudolph" - is made of the episode

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# Where to

When I was watching the final dissolution of the Soviet Union on television recently, I thanked God that Sen. Joseph McCarthy wasn't

While the U.S.S.R. may have had more Communists than any other country, the United States had more Commie baiters. Sen. McCarthy may not have been the first one, but he certainly was the mother of the Anti-Communist Hall of Fame.

You had to have been there in the golden age of Red-baiting to appreciate how strong the anti-Communist fever was in the United States. All you needed to do was paint someone with the Communist label and that person never worked again.

I recall being in Waco, Texas, which at that time had six or seven organizations to fight communism. The only problem was that Waco did not have any Communists.

They sent recruiters as far away as Chicago to attract a few, but no self-respecting Red wanted to live in Waco.

The mayor, whose job was to find Commies to justify the existence of so many anti-Communist groups, told me, "I'm afraid that we may have to use the taxpayers' money to pay some Reds to move here and be a threat.

"I've never heard of a Commie being paid by the anti-Commie people before.

"Times are changing. The real card-holders are in short supply and every town wants one. I don't like paying a party member any more than the next person, but if we're going to get the big givers to donate money we have to produce a pinko so they can throw garbage on his lawn.

I said, "Have you asked the FBI

to send you someone? "Old J. Edgar talks a big game when it comes to how many Commies are in this country, but he's lacking as well and he isn't about to give up the few he's got.'

All this means that the U.S right-wingers, who have been bashing Commies for 50 years, will have to come up with a new scare tactic if they hope to raise

I know that Joe McCarthy would have thought of something He was a man who could call you a philanthropist at a Senate hearing and make it sound like a dirty

I have friends in the media, including conservative columnists, who are worried about living in a world where the Communist Party has no more value than a Robert Maxwell credit card.

The only one who was hopeful said to me, "We won't be out of business forever. As long as Lenin remains in his tomb, there will be a Communist under every American bed. If there is going to be any

serious Red-baiting in the world I think that it will be in the Russian commonwealth. There's not one leader in the new order who doesn't blame the Soviet Party apparatus for all the troubles that the people now face.

For this reason, most Communist Party members are taking the Fifth Amendment. Russian Reds are as scarce in the new commonwealth today as they used to be in Waco, Texas

What's sad is that the innocent are being fingered as Commies. for no other reason than that the stoolies want their apartments. Copyright 1992, Los Angeles Times

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Two local boxers will compete in the State Championship Fights in El Paso this

Representing Big Spring will be Juan Villareal and Rene Villa. They will be competing on the West Texas team that features boxers from Hereford, Amarillo, Odessa, Lubbock and Fort Stockton. The boxers qualified by winning the West Texas Championship in Lubbock

The 20-year-old Villa will box in the 156-pound division. Villa boxes for the Spring City Rattlers. The 21-year-old Villareal will box in the 119-pound division. Villareal boxes unattached, but trains with the Spring City Rattlers.

Also on the West Texas team is former Big Springer Martin Baldwin, now of Odessa, in the 165-pound division

The Rattlers will be competing in the Wichita Falls tournament Jan. 17-19.

#### **Boxing club hosting** tourney Saturday

The Big Spring Boxing Club will be hosting a Smokers Boxing Tournament Saturday at the Howard County Fair Barn. For more information call

Zeke Valles at 263-6023

#### Four area athletes make Super Team

**Four Crossroads Country** football players were recently selected to the Super Team comprised by the San Angelo Standard-Times.

The team is composed of all of the top football players in West Texas, regardless of

Named to the offensive team were receivers Jim Bob Scott of Garden City and Pat Chavarria of Big Spring. Also making the offensive team was Big Spring center Jon Downey. All three are seniors.

Named to the defensive squad was Big Spring senior safety Nick Roberson.

#### **Atlanta Braves** conducting tryout

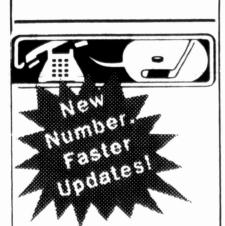
The Atlanta Braves, the defending 1991 National League Champions, will conduct an open tryout camp Jan. 19 at the University of Houston baseball field starting at 9 a.m.

The camp is open to players between the ages of 18 and 23, who have completed their high school eligibility. Current high school or college players can't participate. Players must bring their own equipment and uniforms

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# Angels have highest paid reliever

Harvey became one of baseball's premier relief pitchers last season. He has been rewarded with a contract that makes him the highest paid reliever ever

Harvey, who had a team-record 46 saves in 1991, agreed Wednesday to a \$15.5 million, four-year deal with the California Angels.

Harvey, who made \$1,115,000 last year, was eligible for salary arbitration. Angels general manager Whitey Herzog was intent on signdeal. Herzog signed starter Chuck Finley to an \$18.5 million, four-year contract last month.

"Bryan had two years left before he could take free agency, so I was very happy to get him signed," Herzog said. "I was very lucky as a manager, having been able to manage Bruce Sutter, Todd Worrell and Lee Smith (in St. Louis). And I don't think I've ever seen anyone better than Bryan Harvey.

ing the right-hander to a long-term time and continues to stay healthy, because if he does, I know the Angels won't have to worry about their bullpen.'

> Harvey, 28, gets a \$1.5 million signing bonus, \$2.75 million this season, \$3.75 million in 1993, \$3 million in 1994 and \$4.5 million in

The average annual value of \$3,875,000 is tied for 14th overall and seventh among pitchers. The top-paid reliever had been Mark Davis of Kansas City at an average

of \$3.25 million per season.

and 25 saves

Harvey made his big-league debut with the Angels in 1987, appearing in three games without a decision or a save. In 1988, he was 7-5 with a 2.13 earned run average and 17 saves. In 1989, he was 3-3 with a 3.44 ERA and 25 saves. And in 1990, he was 4-4 with a 3.22 ERA

Harvey, the Angels' career saves

chances. His record was 2-4 and he had a career-high 101 strikeouts and only 17 walks in 78 2-3 innings.

The Angels have had a tough offseason. They were frustrated in their attempts to sign free agents Danny Tartabull, Bobby Bonilla and Otis Nixon, and saw Wally Joyner and Kirk McCaskill leave

after becoming free agents. "There have been a few things leader with 113, had a career-best—that have happened this winter that 1.60 ERA in 67 appearances last weren't planned, but that's the way year and blew just six save things are," Harvey said.

# Knox reunited with old team 14 seasons later

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) - Chuck Knox, who took his first NFL head coaching job with the Los Angeles Rams 19 years ago, is back where he started in what he foresees as his last head coaching

Knox returned to the Rams on Wednesday, 14 years after the par ties went their separate ways.

"I would certainly hope so," Knox said with a smile when asked at a news conference if this would be his final position in the NFL "Age is just a number. I feel just about like I felt 19 years ago.

"I've grown as a football coach. I like to think I've profited from the mistakes I made, recognized them.'

Knox, 59, resigned as the Seattle Seahawks' coach on Dec. 27. The **Seahawks** were 7-9 this season and 80-63 during Knox's nine years as

Knox's appointment was an nounced by Rams owner and president Georgia Frontiere, whose late husband, Carroll Rosenbloom, let

Knox go after the 1977 season despite the fact the Rams had won five NFC West championships in as the commitment I've received many years.

At the time, Rosenbloom complained that the Rams' offense was

"I would hope we would be able to win five division titles in a row (now) and I would take the kind of criticism I was taking," Knox said. They used to call me Ground Chuck. Then it was Air Knox.

"It depends upon the kind of personnel we have. We'll do what the talent can do best.

As the successor to John Robinson, Knox became the 14th head coach in Rams history. He is the sixth-winningest coach in NFL history with a 171-114-1 record. Knox, who inherits a team that

went 8-24 the last two years, will have a say-so as far as his talent is concerned. That's because he was given additional duties as a club hasn't made any decisions yet. vice president, and as part of his the college draft and player said

"I'm extremely excited about from Georgia to do what has to be done," he said. "We're not going to rush into anything and make any snap decisions. Acquisition of talent is the name of the game. I certainly think there is some talent

"I still have a burning desire to get the job done. The only job I really wanted was this job. I just hope we can come here and get things turned around very quickly. I just feel this is the right place to

The last game Robinson coached was on Dec. 22 when the Rams lost 23-9 to Knox's Seahawks

"I didn't notice any lack of heart. I thought the Rams played hard, Knox said.

Knox said he has the authority to choose his coaching staff, but

"I want to interview all the new job he will be responsible for coaches on the (Rams) staff," he

## Getting ready



Coach Ed Garza watches as Big Spring Boxing Club members Chris Rodriguez (left) and Brian Garza spar in a workout Wednesday. The

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# Hawks hoop tonight



Howard College Hawks' Chuckie Robinson drives against team mate Will Macon in a practice action at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Tonight the Hawks play New Mexico Junior College at 8 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. The Lady Hawks play at 6.

## Tyson jury will be confined

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - For at downtown hotel and allowed no least two weeks, and perhaps longer, the 12 jurors and four alternates chosen for boxer Mike Tyson's rape trial will be confined to hotel rooms during off-duty hours with few links to the outside

Marion Superior Court Judge Patricia J. Gifford, who will preside at Tyson's trial scheduled to begin Jan. 27, said Wednesday she will soon issue an order calling

for the jury to be sequestered. The panel will be housed in a sequester

contact with anyone other than court bailiffs. Jurors may not talk on the phone to family members or see them except for short Sunday gatherings among all jurors and their families. Letters home first will be read by bailiffs®

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## **Sidelines**

#### Frosh nipped in consolation finals

ANDREWS - The Big Steers freshmen were edged in the consolation finals of the Andrews basketball tournament last weekend.

Big Spring was defeated by Monahans 69-68. Trey Terrazas scored 23 points to lead the Steers. Dustin Waters and Chris Wollenzien scored 13 points each.

In the opening game of the tournament Big Spring lost to Seminole 63-55. Terrazas scored 22 points and Tim Rigdon added 18. Big Spring won the next game over Pecos, 72-45. Rigdon scored 23 points and Terrazas added 16. Wollenzien followed with 13.

In earlier action, the freshmen B team ran its record to 2-1 by drumming Snyder 47-11. David Foresyth scored 14 and Billy Shubert added 13.

Snyder won the A game 48-39. Terrazas scored 18 for Big Spring. The freshmen A team is 3-5 for the season.

#### Runnels girls splits with C-City

Monday the Runnels girls basketball teams split wins with Colorado City.

The Runnels A team downed Colorado City 24-21. Amanda Taylor led Runnels with 10 points. Molly Smith scored five and Leslie Elrod added four points. Runnels A is 2-3.

Colorado City edged the Runnels B team 21-18. Playing well for Runnels were Jennifer Reinert, Charlene Bargainer, Kathy Green and Stephanie

Runnels plays Lamesa Monday in Lamesa. Game times are 5 and 6 p.m.

#### Magic Ump to visit VA

Ed Montague, a 15-year umpire veteran will visit the Big Spring VA hospital Jan. 15 at 10

Montague is also a amateur magician and country singer and spends his spare time visiting hospitalized veterans as part of the Disabled Americans Veterans voluntary service efforts.

#### America's Cup or demolition derby?

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Practice for the America's Cup is turning into a real demolition derby.

Ville de Paris, the secondnewest French yacht, rearended Spirit of Australia during a practice fleet race Wednesday, putting both sloops into the repair yard for at least two

The two are only the latest America's Cup yachts to suffer damage. Jayhawk, one of two boats owned by defense syndicate America 3, demasted Friday. On Sunday, the fifth Italian boat broke its rudder in stormy seas and nearly sank at

the mouth of San Diego Bay. Wednesday's collision occurred as several closely bunched yachts rounded the leeward mark at the end of the second leg of the America's Cup course on the Pacific Ocean.

#### Steve.

263-5655.

• Continued from page 5-A site of the West Texas Shootout Jan. 17-18 at the old gym.

the first 12 teams The first four finishers will receive team trophies, and the first two teams will also

Entry fee is \$110, limited to

receive individual trophies. There will also be awards for MVP and all-tournament. For more information call Roy Green at 264-5108 or

#### Frosh boys tourney starts Friday

Big Spring will be hosting of freshmen boys basketball tournament this Friday and Saturday.

Friday's games will be played in the Goliad gym. The first round has Sweetwater against San Angelo Lake View at 3:30 p.m.; Coahoma versus Big Spring at 5; Andrews versus Lamesa at 6:30 and Snyder

against Greenwood at 8 Saturday's games will be played at Steer Gym. The con-solation finals is at 3 p.m., followed by the third place game at 4:30 and the chamionship contest at 6.

# Magic snaps streak

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Count the ways that the Orlando Magic snapped a 17-game losing

 Missing their leading scorer and No. 1 point guard and having only eight players in uniform because of injuries, the Magic got a career-high 35 points from Sam Vincent and 30 from Catledge in Wednesday night's 104-103 victory at Seattle.

Ranked 24th in the NBA in free-throw shooting, Orlando went 32-for-33 from the line, including 17-for-18 by Vincent, whose last two foul shots came with 0.6 seconds

Ranked 25th in rebounding, the Magic fought the SuperSonics, the top rebounding team, to a 37-37 draw on the boards

Trailing 101-94, Orlando outscored Seattle 10-2 in the last 3:02, with Vincent scoring six points on free throws and Nick Anderson hitting two baskets to finish with 22 points.

The Magic's losing streak stopped three losses short of the NBA single-season record of 20 by the 1973 Philadelphia 76ers. "Nobody else in this building

thought we could win but us, Anderson said. "Then we went out and showed them. Vincent hit six free throws and

Anderson scored four points in a 10-2 run in the final 3:02, overcoming a 101-94 deficit.

**NBA** Roundup

3-point line for several seconds before striding quickly to the line to shoot his game-winning free

Benoit Benjamin led the Sonics with 24 points and Ricky Pierce

Celtics 99, Knicks 95

Boston won its 23rd consecutive regular-season home game against New York behind Reggie Lewis' 33

Patrick Ewing scored 28 points for the Knicks, who fell into a virtual tie with the Celtics for first place in the Atlantic Division despite the absence of Boston forwards Larry Bird and Kevin McHale.

76ers 114, Rockets 104

Hersey Hawkins scored 24 points and Charles Barkley grabbed 19 rebounds for the 76ers, who took their first lead at 63-61 and didn't trail

Hakeem Olajuwon scored 28 points and Otis Thorpe 26 for the

**Bulls 108, Heat 106** Michael Jordan scored 40 points and escaped injury despite a frightening out-of-bounds tumble

as Chicago won at Miami. g a 101-94 deficit. Chasing a loose ball with four man had 23 rebounds, Vincent waited beyond the minutes left, Jordan went flying Detroit over Sacramento.

over a row of cheerleaders seated under the Bulls' basket. He landed awkwardly and was helped off the court, but returned to the game before play resumed. Bucks 99, Jazz 98

At Milwaukee, Moses Malone scored 22 points and Dale Ellis hit the go-ahead layup with 28 seconds left as the Bucks beat Utah for

their fourth straight win. The Jazz, whose five-game winning streak ended, trailed by 11 with five minutes left, but a 15-4 run tred the score.

Suns 135, Nuggets 114 Jeff Hornacek scored 24 points and Tom Chambers and Kevin Johnson had 14 each in the first quarter as Phoenix rolled to a 37-18 lead at home against Denver.

Spurs 103, Lakers 87 David Robinson had 22 points, 11 rebounds and seven blocked shots as San Antonio won easily at home against Los Angeles.

The Spurs used an 8-2 thirdquarter run to turn a 63-55 lead into a 14-point advantage with 3:04 left in the period.

Sedale Threatt scored 17 points for Los Angeles, which made just 39.5 percent of its shots. Rod Strickland had a season-high 15 assists for the Spurs

Pistons 114, Kings 95 At Auburn Hills, Mich., Orlando

#### Woolridge scored 23 points on 9-for-11 shooting and Dennis Rodman had 23 rebounds, leading

# Panthers stop Orangemen

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

For four straight seasons, Syracuse has started out with at least 10 straight victories. And for the second time, the streak has been stopped by Pittsburgh.

Sean Miller scored all 11 of his points in the last 4:08 and the Panthers stung the No. 20 Orangemen 83-74 Wednesday night.

Syracuse (10-1, 2-1 Big East) led by seven points in the second half before Pitt came back to win at home. Darren Morningstar added 21 points for the Panthers.

In other games, No. 1 Duke beat Maryland 83-66, No. 4 Kansas downed Wichita State 81-51, Memphis State upset No. 12 Missouri 89-78, No. 16 Alabama defeated No. 13 Arkansas 65-63, No. 14 Georgia Tech beat North Carolina State 80-63, Virginia upended No. 19 Wake Forest 58-53, No. 22 North Carolina-Charlotte defeated Virginia Tech 62-53 and West Virginia held off No. 25 Massachusetts 76-75.

David Johnson scored 24 points and made four of Syracuse's eight 3-pointers. Freshman Lawrence Moten added 17 points.

No. 1 Duke 83, Maryland 66 Thomas Hill scored 25 points and Duke pulled away to beat Maryland for the ninth straight

The Blue Devils (9-0, 3-0 Atlantic Coast Conference) led by 13 points

Ruland's debut

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Jeff

Ruland was so nervous that his

wife threw him out of the house.

The 6-foot-11 center had something

A few hours hours later, Ruland

would start an incredible com-

eback attempt with the

Five years after he retired with a

left knee so damaged that it pained

him to walk, Ruland returned to

the NBA and had nine points and

three rebounds in 18 minutes, help-

ing the 76ers defeat the Houston

Ruland scored nine points on 4-for-7 shooting from the field.

1-of-2 from the foul line. He grabb-

ed three rebounds, had a steal and

turned the ball over twice, picking

up five fouls in the 18 minutes he

"I was pacing around the kitchen at 4 o'clock," Ruland said. "My

wife told me to get out of the

He didn't appear nervous when

he made his first appearance with

5:05 left in the first period and

Houston leading 22-14. In fact,

Ruland helped ignite a 7-0 run that

finished with 15 points, 19 rebounds

and seven assists, sank a free

throw. Ruland blocked a shot and

scored on a layup. He went on to score seven points in the period.

The Spectrum Crowd, for a

Until Wednesday night, he had

never been a fan favorite in

Philadelphia. The 76ers obtained

Ruland in 1986 in a trade for Moses

Malone in one of the most con-

troversial deals in the history of the

franchise. He played in only five games before the knee injury caus-

ed him to retire. The 76ers haven't

On Wednesday, Hersey Hawkins,

Johnny Dawkins and Barkley did

most of the scoring. But it was

Ruland who stole the hearts of the

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After Charles Barkley, who

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It was a success.

#### College Roundup

at halftime and scored the first 10 points of the second half for a 51-28

No. 4 Kansas 81, Wichita State 51 Adonis Jordan had 20 points as Kansas won easily at Wichita State to stay unbeaten.

The Jayhawks (11-0) used their fast break for a 48-30 lead at halftime and added the first 10 points of the second half.

Memphis State 89, No. 12 Missouri Missouri's streak of 17 straight regular-season victories ended when Anfernee Hardaway scored 26 points to lead Memphis State.

No. 16 Alabama 65, No. 13 Arkansas 63 Latrell Sprewell made two key defensive plays in the last seven seconds and Alabama held on to

win its eighth straight game. Alabama (13-1) led 64-63 when Todd Day, who led all scorers with 21 points, made a layup that apparently put Arkansas ahead with seven seconds left. But Day was called for charging into Sprewell and the basket was disallowed.

No. 14 Georgia Tech 80, North Carolina State 63

Malcolm Mackey had 24 points and 12 rebounds as Georgia Tech won its first ACC road game of the

Mackey made his first seven shots and finished 10-for-13. Tech (12-2) forced 11 turnovers in the first half and led 42-28 at the break.

Tom Gugliotta scored 21 points for North Carolina State (6-5). The Wolfpack played without freshman guard Lakista McCuller, who was suspended before the game for undisclosed reasons.

Virginia 58, No. 19 Wake Forest 53 Bryant Stith scored 24 points, including seven of Virginia's last nine, as the Cavaliers won at home. Rodney Rogers scored 20 points

for the Demon Deacons, who had won four in a row. No. 22 North Carolina-Charlotte 62.

Virginia Tech 53 Henry Williams scored 22 points and North Carolina-Charlotte rallied to win for the second time in three days. West Virginia 76, No. 25

Massachusetts 75 West Virginia held off a lastminute rally and won at Massachusetts.

The Minutemen, who got into the rankings this week after Saturday's victory over then-No. 14 Oklahoma, trailed 76-70 with 21 seconds left. Tony Barbee's 3-pointer with two seconds remaining left Massachusetts just short.

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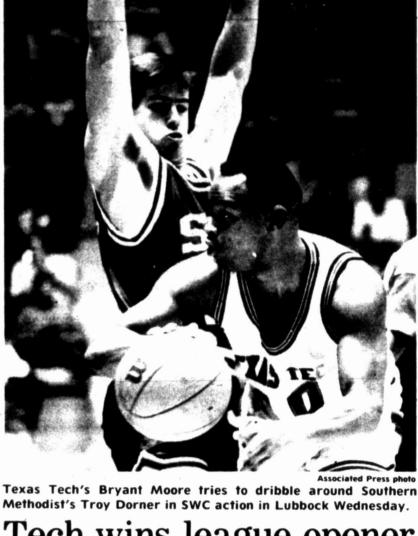
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# Tech wins league opener

LUBBOCK (AP) — As a 6-foot-7 center, Texas Tech's Will Flemons is used to being outsized in the middle. But Flemons' 225 pounds usually make him a tough, physical match inside.

But against SMU's 6-foot-11, 260-pound center Greg Kinzer, Flemons had to resort to speed.

Flemons used his quick feet to score 18 of his 23 points in the second half and help lead Texas Tech to an 80-69 victory against the Mustangs in both teams' Southwest Conference opener Wednesday night.

Kinzer leaned on Flemons and drew help from teammates in double teams to hold Tech's leading scorer to only five points in the first half.

"I knew (Kinzer) was strong. but he was extremely strong. And that's why I realized I needed to move around more," said Flemons, who is averaging 18 points a game this season. "That enabled me to get more shots and victory came in a 79-66 decision I was able to hit them."

The victory was James Dickey's first conference triumph Gerald Myers, who resigned grabbed nine rebounds.

under pressure last year after 20 seasons Tech's coach.

"We're obviously pleased to get a win in our first Southwest Conference game. That's what we've been preparing for is the conference race," Dickey said. "I thought we played well, especially defensively.

The Red Raiders (7-4) held the Mustangs (5-6) to 21 of 55 (38 percent) from the field. SMU hurt themselves by hitting only 23 of 38 free throws. "Our basketball team has to

find a way to be consistent,' Shumate said. "We haven't put it all together in a game this season. Shumate said Flemons was too

potent inside. "They went to (Flemons) in the

second half and he delivered.' The victory snapped a fivegame conference losing streak for the Red Raiders dating back to last season. Tech's last SWC against Baylor on Feb. 9, 1991.

Tech's Damon Ashley was 4-of-5 from the 3-point line and as head coach of the Red Raiders. finished with 15 points. Lamont Dickey took over this year for Dale also added 15 points and

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# Firing sparks 'political correctness' debate in France

government immigration chief for community. attacking Islam has provoked a criticized.

Most Muslims in this predominantly Roman Catholic be permitted to criticize all subcountry of 56 million people are immigrants from north Africa.

Immigration is the most volatile responsibility. issue of domestic politics. The governing Socialists are drafting new plans to curb illegal entry, yet they also excoriate the far right for advocating mass deportations and generally try to handle the issues of Islam and immigration with delicacy.

Thus Jean-Claude Barreau, an ex-priest and former presidential aide, put fellow Socialists in a bind by describing Islam as the world's most intolerant and undemocratic

His book, "On Islam In General and on the Modern World in Particular," became a best seller after publication in September. On Nov. 12. the Social Affairs Ministry fired Barreau as head of the immigration office, saying it wanted to dissociate itself from his personal

Outraged supporters of Barreau accused the government of violating his freedom of speech and compromising its own professed 

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PARIS (AP) — Dismissal of the in order to court the Muslim

For Barreau, the firing il-"political correctness" debate lustrated one of his points: that about whether the second-largest many intellectuals dare not religion in France should be criticize Islam for fear of repercussions.

'European intellectuals should jects," he wrote. "Not only can they, they must - it's their

'But they do not allow themselves to criticize Islam. Even the most fervent anti-clerical thinkers bow respectfully before the prophet Mohammed. What extraordinary inhibition!"

The Catholic Church also asks whether Islam gets preferential treatment.

Veronique Neiertz, a Socialist legislator, accused French bishops of "mobilizing against women" and claimed Pope John Paul II insulted women and Jews during a visit to his native Poland in June.

In her view, the pope equated abortion and the Holocaust as attacks on human life.

Jean-Michel di Falco, spokesman for the bishops, said he deplored the fact that an elected official could attack the pope "with impunity" while Barreau was fired for criticizing Islam.

"Did the government really want to dissociate itself from Barreau's views, or rather, in France, is



An Islamic soothsayer points as he gives advice to a group of North African bystanders in an open market in a highly immigrant area of Paris last month. The firing of the government immigration

chief for attacking Islam has provoked a "political correctness" debate about whether the second-largest religion in France should be ty isn't?" he said in an interview with the newspaper Le Figaro.

Socialist unease with Islam was demonstrated in 1989 when Education Minister Lionel Jospin, citing separation of church and state, expelled two Muslim girls from a high school for refusing to remove traditional headscarves.

After huge demonstrations, Jospin backed down. The girls were readmitted and allowed to wear the scarves around their

Mustapha Dogan, president of the National Federation of Muslims in France, applauded Barreau's dismissal, declaring that freedom of speech should not be abused to incite hatred and spread lies.

"Barreau is so full of typical Western prejudices, he cannot understand Islam," Dogan said in a telephone interview. "He's like so many French intellectuals who cite the slogan 'Liberty, equality and fraternity' in order to minimize the social and cultural contributions Muslims make in France.'

Dogan accused the French of intolerance toward Muslims

"Why can't headscarves be worn in public?" he asked. "Why can't a person express his faith? Why do we constantly face local authorities who are reluctant to help establish Muslim private schools, like ones for Jews and Catholics?'

# Peruvian paramilitary squads add to violence

LIMA, Peru (AP) - The massacre of 15 people at a barbecue in downtown Lima has aroused fear that paramilitary squads have decided to fight an 11-year-old leftist insurgency their own way.

It was one of several attacks in recent months by armed men apparently frustrated by the govern-

ment's lack of success against the Shining Path, a Maoist guerrilla movement. Many Peruvians believe the squads are made up of

soldiers, but MASKED SOLDIER the government and military deny

"It's obvious there's a paramilitary group formed by the army that has links to high-ranking officials in order to be able to get away with something like the . . . barbecue massacre," said Fernando Rospigliosi, a columnist for news magazine Caretas.

In Oiga, another news magazine, editor Francisco Igartua wrote: "It is no longer possible to deny the obvious. Military and paramilitary men, angered by the deaths of their colleagues and demoralized by the absence of an effective counterinsurgency policy, have openly launched a dirty war.

The massacre Nov. 3 occurred after a letter bomb killed a young journalist working for Cambio, a weekly newspaper sympathetic to the pro-Cuban Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement, a smaller and less violent guerrilla

In October, letter bombs were sent to a leftist congressman and a human rights group. Both were deactivated.

No arrests were made in any of

Both the government and armed forces claim the Shining Path raided the barbecue in keeping with its tactic of killing or intimidating

Survivors reported, however, that the gunmen had close-cropped military haircuts and used machine guns equipped with with silencers, which the guerrillas do not use.

The Shining Path denied killing the 15 men and women, most of whom were poor migrants from the guerrilla heartland in the Andes. The insurgents normally take responsibility for their attacks, however bloody.

El Diario, a clandestine biweekly that supports the Shining Path, blamed President Alberto Fujimori's government. It described the massacre as "the beginning of the spread of worse genocide in Lima and other cities around the

More than 24,000 people have been killed since the Shining Path began fighting in 1980, most of them Andean peasants.

Some analysts say paramilitary violence poses as great a threat as the rebels.

"This is the classic style of violence that swept Colombia, but we don't have their safety net of a relatively flourishing economy,' said Gustavo Gorriti, author of a book on the guerrilla war.

"If it grows, it could have drastic effects on democracy in Peru.



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# Police helping keep drinkers off streets

By GARY SHANKS Staff Writer

The Big Spring Police Department is making good on its commitment to reduce the number of intoxicated drivers on Big Spring's streets

Numerous arrests for driving while intoxicated have been made in the two weekends in which the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program has been in effect.

The STEP program is funded by the Texas Department of Highways and provides money for overtime pay for two extra police officers and the mileage for their vehicles. These officers do nothing but patrol for people suspected of driving under the influence of alcohol, said Lieutenant Terry Chamness who coordinates the program.

The officers work Friday and Saturday nights from about 10:30 p.m. to 2:30-3 a.m. The times can be adjusted slightly to compensate for the needs of a particular night, Chamness said.

Surprisingly, no one was arrested for DWI on New Year's Eve, Chamness said. One man was arrested at a local bar before he could get behind the wheel of his vehicle, but could not be cited for

A full compliment of police were on the street New Year's Eve. Chamness said. He would not

speculate as to whether the absence of DWI arrests showed a greater public awareness of the dangers of driving drunk, or if it was due to chance alone.

Although not a factor on New Year's Eve, budget cuts have forced the police department to cut back on their coverage of the city on some days, Chamness said. "We try to have a sergeant and three patrol units at all times, but we don't always have that many. . . . We just don't have the money.

Big Spring was chosen by the state to receive the \$15,000 grant because of the number of alcohol related traffic accidents that occur here, Chamness said. Officials at the Department of Public Safety's Statistical Office said the city ranks high in its percentage of alcohol related traffic fatalities.

The program will continue throughout the rest of the fiscal year, which ends October 1. At that time the state will reassess the effectiveness of the program and, if the need is still present, could refund the program for an additional year, he said.

The minimum goal for the program is to reduce by at least 10 percent, the number of alcohol related traffic accidents in the city, Chamness said. "That's what it's all about — is reducing these alcohol related accidents.

# Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following:

 An 18-year-old man was arrested and charged with ag-

gravated assault with a deadly weapon in connection with a stabbing incident over the weekend. He was released on a \$5,000 bond.

# BROKERAGE

and construction have risen Marianne Moller, vice president of The Brokerage House Inc., in Jackson, Mich., is shown outside one of their offerings Wednesday. Jackson was ranked the most affordable housing market among the nation's metropolitan areas.

> Little Rock, Ark., in the South; and Aurora-Elgin, Ill., in the Midwest.

Housing costs surveyed

The builders said the lowest mortgage rates in nearly 20 years helped boost the typical family's home buying power by 13 percent in the last year. "Households earning the na-

tional median income were able

to afford to buy 33.9 percent of the homes offered for sale nationwide, up from 30 percent for the same period last year," said president Mark Ellis Tipton.

"The huge jump in affordability was primarily due to the combination of falling interest rates and extremely competitive home prices," he said.

Weather Preview

Jury awards \$5 billion

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - A jury awarded \$5 billion to a woman whose son was sexually tortured and cut to pieces by a serial killer a verdict that will ensure the murderer will never profit from his crimes, the woman's lawyer says.

The verdict Wednesday is believed to be the largest ever in a 2 wrongful-death case, said Martin Meyer, an attorney for Betty Ann Haste.

Haste had sued Robert Berdella . in 1989 after he admitted capturing 🗳 and killing her son, Todd Stoops, and five others.

Berdella, 42, is serving a life sentence. He told authorities Stoops died in 1986 after being tied to Berdella's bed for nearly two weeks, injected with powerful sedatives, given electric shocks and repeatedly sexually assaulted.

Meyer said there is no hope of Haste collecting anything close to \$5 billion from Berdella, but the verdict will enable her to go after \$55,000 he has in a trust fund and lay claim to any money he might someday make.

Berdella has talked about writing a book or selling the movie rights to his story, the lawyer said. Haste's lawyers had asked the

jury for at least \$1 billion. Instead, after less than two hours of deliberation, it awarded \$2.5 billion each for wrongful death and punitive damages.

"We made the argument that they ought to award a verdict in the billion-dollar range so there was absolutely no way there would be a profit from anything he did," Meyer said.

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Survivors include his wife, Ana Rush, Laguna Hills, Calif.; two daughters: Mary Jo Schmidt, New Orleans, La., and Barbara Rush, Kenner, La; two step-daughters:

Freshmen

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until 3 a.m. studying," Burnett said. He graduated from Hobbs. N.M. in 1987

David Esquivel, 22, is a sophomore majoring in criminal justice and Danny's brother. He said he had tried to join the military to finance his college education, but was not selected. He is worried over financing this

Esquivel said a high school diploma is expected from employers and he is concerned

legislative Senate plan. "They're

trying to convince somebody that

because they've passed this plan

The federal court plan, submit-

ted by Republican legislators,

pairs Sims and Dickson in a

district, but, Sims says, it is more

compact and remains in West

Texas. "It does keep a semblance

of a district for Central-West

Texas." The district would have in-

cluded Mitchell County and

Dickson said he supports the

legislative Senate plan, which is

Redraw

that (it is fair).

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that a college degree will not guarantee his future. He said obtaining a college degree is much harder than graduating from high

"I should have taken it more seriously, I should have really studied. Now I regret it. Teachers never asked me what was I going to do when I got out of high school," he said.

David and Danny said high school teachers influenced their decision to attend college positively and negatively. The brothers graduated from high school in

the same plan drawn as an earlier

out-of-court settlement between

Hispanic groups and the state and

informally approved by a majority

of senators. The settlement plan

was rejected by the Texas

Supreme Court, which ruled the

district judge who accepted the

Dickson said he opposed the loss

of Bell and Burnet counties under

the federal court plan. Also,

Dickson said, "The federal judges

tried to impose a plan on the voters

of Texas which should have been

drawn by their elected

The three federal judges are all

representatives.

plan overstepped his authority.

Eldorado in 1988 and 1990, respectively.

Midwest clearly is becoming the place to buy a house if you're on?

Twenty-one of the country's 25

most affordable housing markets

were in the Midwest as summe

ended, a new survey shows, in-

Jackson was joined by five

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Top 25 in the third-quarter Hous-

ing Opportunity Index, released

Wednesday by the National

Illinois had four metropolitan

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The index is designed to

measure the ability of a typical

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included 459,476 home sales in 191

Market trends varied little

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California had 17 of the 25 least-

affordable markets, including the

most expensive — San Francisco.

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Nashua, N.H., in the Northeast,

The least affordable markets,

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David remembered a high school counselor who encouraged his interest in law enforcement. And he said a high school civic teacher discouraged him from college. "He said some of us wouldn't make it in college. Danny remembers an

agricultural teacher who encouraged him to continue his education. "He said, 'Do something with your life. Go to school,' '' Danny said.

The students said peer pressure

Meanwhile, Fraser, who opposed

both legislative House plans, warn-

ed that the 1994 plan still faces ger-

rymandering charges in a suit filed

by Republicans and predicted that

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"I think in '94 the judge will draw

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posal is identical to another out-of-

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is strong in both educational settings. "There's peer pressure to drink," Danny Esquivel said. Hollaway said, "It depends on

who you hang out with. There's always something to do. The students agreed that school

cafeteria food has remained the same. And they agreed that in spite of the obstacles, they intend to continue their education. "You have to find where you

stand in life, whether you'll get a good job or be a bum on the streets. You can determine your own status," Burnett said.

proved by a majority of representatives

In drawing the interim plan, federal judges adjusted the settlement plan by changing districts in Bexar and El Paso counties. Republicans contend that lines in other parts of the plan were drawn to protect five Democratic imcumbents. A trial is scheduled for

Counts, who approved both legislative House plans, said he is anxious to get on with the election. "I'm just kind of glad to put it to rest so we can get on with campaigning.

Family will receive friends from

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restricting officer's First Amendment rights and other gimmicks — Now they have this new gimmick."

Citizens Against Charter Amendment say this election is not about personalities. Rather it is about principle, said member John Taylor. "What we've come up with here is a highly emotional issue. People are viewing this as contest between the city council and the police force, and are voting their emotions.

The principle is whether or not elected officials should be allowed to govern the city, Taylor said, ad-

**Police beat** 

The Big Spring Police Depart-

ment reported the following

ding that he does not agree with many of the current council's actions, "If we don't agree with the way it's done, we have an election in May. But when you put in a charter amendment, especially a restrictive charter amendment, you're tying the hands of your elected officials — they can't do the job if they haven't got the leeway to make decisions.

Early voting has been light in the election thus far, said City Secretary Tom Ferguson. Only about 50 people have cast ballots as of yet. Early voting will continue until Jan. 14, Ferguson said.

## Deaths

#### **Zudora Peterson**

Zudora M. Peterson, 76, Big Spring, died Monday, Jan. 6, 1992, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Rosary will be 7 p.m., today, at Myers & Smith Funeral Chapel. Funeral mass will be 10 a.m., Friday, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Bernard Gully of San Angelo officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

She was born March 23, 1915, in Big Spring. She lived most of her life in Big Spring. She married Robert Hans Peterson on Jan. 8, 1946, in Spokane, Wash. He preceded her in death in April, 1946. She had been a hair dresser and had worked for Cosden for a number of years. She also worked for the Big • A vehicle window worth \$150 Spring State Hospital from 1958 unwas reported damaged in the 2600 til 1978 when she retired. She was a member of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

Survivors include one sister, Willie Lee Butler, Big Spring; one aunt, Bessie Haines, Odessa; and a number of cousins including Bill Sneed and Polly Settles, both of Big

Pallbearers will be Gary Phillips, Forrest Wayne Johnson, Grover Griffice Jr., Rev. George Von Hassell, Bob Lindsey and Bill Batchelor.

# **MYERS & SMITH**

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**FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL** 

Zudora M. Peterson, 76, died Wednesday. Rosary will be 7:00 p.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Services will be 10:00 a.m. Friday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

& Smith Funeral Home.

Rosa Munoz

Rosa E. Munoz, 70, Big Spring. died today at her home.

Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral

#### **Ida Brooks**

Ida Adeline Brooks, 67, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1992, in a local hospital.

Services will be 2 p.m., Friday, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Herb McPherson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral

She was born Sept. 16, 1924, in Merkel. She married Don S. Brooks on May 5, 1951, in Abilene. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist

## Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel

Ida Adeline Brooks, 67, Memorial Parks

Welch Funeral Home

1953 with her husband. She was a homemaker Survivors include her husband,

Church. She moved to Big Spring in

Don S. Brooks, Big Spring; one daughter, Mrs. David "Donna M." Mead, Lubbock; two brothers: J.D. Hughes, Merkel, and Herbert Hughes, Rogue River, Ore.; two sisters: Marie Hughes, Sweetwater, and Elva Forrest, Gold Hill,

Pallbearers will be Don Karns, Sam Anderson, J.V. Anderson, Buck Turner, Bill Hipp and Pat

#### **Horace Rush**

Horace Wayne Rush, 60, Laguna Hills, Calif. died Monday, Jan. 6, 1992, in Newport Beach, Calif. Services were 9 a.m., today, at

Lilia Medell, Laguna Hills, Calif., and Jazmin Medell, El Toro, Calif.; three step-sons: Viaente Medell and Daniel Medell, Laguna Hills, Calif., and Wilfred Medell, El Toro, Calif.; one sister, Loreta Yates, Concord, Calif.; two brothers: Eugene and Thomas Rush, both of Big Spring, and four grandchildren.

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# Nalley-Pickle & Welch

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Rosa E. Munoz, 70, died Thursday. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle &

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By MARTHA E. FL

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Live

television coverage of courtroom

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generated by the Florida rape trial

of William Kennedy Smith, experts

They also say the just-concluded

trial offers more proof that the

presence of cameras doesn't

change the judicial process or the

quality of justice it renders. But at

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# Program shows minors dangers of alcohol

By MARTHA E. FLORES Staff Writer

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An alcohol awareness program in Big Spring will soon be in effect for minors charged with minors in possession of alcohol in Big Spring.

The program was set in motion by the the Texas Legislature mandating attendance at an alcohol awareness course in lieu of a \$100-500 fine for first time offenders. The legislation went into effect Sept. 9, 1991. The course should be approved by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse or a similiar course approved by the court.

Doug Carson, a six year substance abuse counselor in the adolscence unit at the Big Spring

State Hospital, along with Mary Maines, municipal court clerk attended an alcohol awareness certification program at Texas A & M in

College Station last year. They anticipate the first class of the West Texas Alcohol Education Program in late January

"The class will be a six hour class for minors charged with possession of alcohol, but it will also be available to other minors as a deterrent," Carsòn said. "Others that may be enrolled into the class are individuals charged with public intoxication if the judge orders it with the fine.

"The class will be divided into seven sections with a Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory at the beginn-

ing followed by

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social values. alcohol and advertising. alcohol and young people, alcohol

making. Attendants will receive a workbook for the class, and the course will include a written exam.

"We would like to see this class provided not only in the Big Spring area, but also with the Dawson and Martin county courts as well as other counties," Carson said.

Maines said, "Working in the in, sometimes more than once."

Municipal court averages four to and accidents, alcohol and the law, six minors in possession charges son may be contacted at 353-4272 drinking patterns and decision per week, she said. Minor in after 5 p.m.

anymore.

"Kids need to know going into the class that it is not just a way to get out of the charge, but it is a

Carson and Maines are finalizing court system, I work with the the logistics of the class. A location minors everyday. I see them come and equipment have not been acquired

For more information Doug Car-

further tabloidization of TV" and possession charge is a class C its effect on how Americans view misdemeanor. It will stay on a pertheir courts. son's record if he is 17-years-old or court has been helped enormously

"As a result of the coverage, people could understand in a much better way how the criminal justice process works and why the jury reached the verdict it did," Dyk

said in an interview last week. "The coverage did not change the

TV trial coverage popular

Eunice Choate assists Big Spring High School benefits of staying in school. Eunice Choate and

juniors Jim Cantu and Amie Castillo at a recent Sherry Wegner taught this recent class on the

class at the Personalized Achievement Center. subject of advertising and the consumer. At the

Through a Junior Achievement program classes close of the session students were asked to write,

are held to help encourage students in an alter- direct and perform their own TV commercials,

native school setting. Members of the communi- which were video taped and critiqued by other

Smith was acquitted in a trial that was carried live by the Cable News Network and the Court Television Network

'Some people watched it for entertainment, but everyone who watched it learned about courtroom procedure," Dyk said.

Media and Public Affairs said the coverage in specific cases. least one critic worries about "the live coverage "apparently didn't affect the verdict" but had a broadcast coverage of Florida

"The move toward cameras in who watched. "It sells advertising for CNN, in the Smith trial," said Timothy lets lawyers show off and criticize disrupt the judicial process or Dyk, a Washington lawyer who has each other, but it also further distort the proceedings. represented news organizations in debases our culture," Lichter said. "TV coverage of this kind of trial unsuccessful efforts to televise argument sessions by the Supreme

> radio and still-photographic courtroom stories. coverage of courtroom pro-

among the most liberal in allowing television access

Federal courts generally ban such coverage but recently embarked on a three-year experiment allowing broadcast and photographic access on a limited and controlled basis.

Coverage will be allowed in noncriminal cases only, and federal judges will have broad discretion Robert Lichter of the Center for to reject news media requests for

In a recently published study of residual negative effect on those trials, University of Florida Professor S.L. Alexander said cameras in the courtroom do not

But he recommended that "broadcasters recognize the potentraffics in titillation rather than tial dangers of incomplete coverage and make every effort to Almost all the states allow TV, increase the length of coverage of

Live coverage of a trial, especial ceedings, either at the trial or ap- ly if it is gavel-to-gavel, would pellate level. Florida has been meet that recommendation.

# Grammy nominations announced

Streisand and Natalie Cole, two singers on the comeback trail, were nominated today for Grammy awards for best traditional pop performance.

Streisand was nominated for "Warm all Over" and Cole for "Unforgettable," in which she covers songs recorded by her father, Nat King Cole. Other nominees in the category were Harry Connick Jr. for his album "Blue Light, Red Light" and Johnny Mathis' "In a Sentimental Mood: Mathis Sings Ellington.'

Bryan Adams, George Michael, Marc Cohn, Michael Bolton, Seal and Aaron Neville were nominated for best male pop vocal. Adams' recording of "I Do It for You," the theme song from the movie "Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves," was one

NEW YORK (AP) — Barbra of the year's most popular singles. Seal was nominated for the recording of "Crazy," Michael for "Freedom 90," Cohn for "Walking

in Memphis," Neville for "Warm Your Heart" and Bolton for "When a Man Loves a Woman. In the category for best female pop vocal, the nominees included Whitney Houston for "All the Man I Need," Amy Grant for "Baby

Baby," Mariah Carey for "Emo-

tions," Bonnie Raitt for

"Something to Talk About," and Oleta Adams for "Get Here. Nominees in the category of jazz instrumental solo were Phil Woods for "All Bird's Children," David Sanborn for "Another Hand," Toots Thielmanns for "Bluesette," Dave Grusin for "How Long Has This Been Going On" and Stan Getz for "I Remember You."

Best jazz instrumental group nominees included Chick Corea and his Akoustic band "Live," David Sanborn for "Another Hand," Grusin for "The Gershwin Connection," Lionel Hampton and The Golden Men of Jazz for "Live at the Blue Note" and the Oscar Peterson Trio for "Saturday Night at the Blue Note.

Best jazz vocal performance nominees were: Mel Torme for "Ellington Medley," Take 6 for "He Is Christmas," Natalie Cole for "Long Bout Midnight," Shirley Horn for "You Won't Forget Me" and Manhattan Transfer for "The Offbeat of Avenues.

Nominees for record of the year were Grant's "Baby Baby," Adams' "I Do it For You, R.E.M.'s "Losing My Religion, Raitt's "Something to Talk About" and Cole's "Unforgettable.

Song of the year nominees were "Baby Baby," "I Do it for You," "Losing My Religion," "Unforget

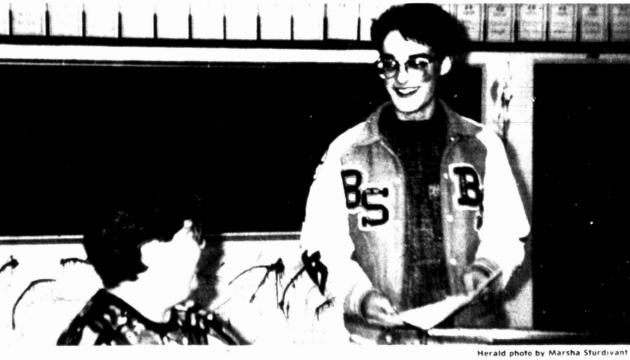
table" and "Walking in Memphis." Album of the year nominees were Grant for "Heart in Motion," Raitt for "Luck of the Draw," R.E.M. for "Out of Time," Paul Simon for "The Rhythm of the Saints" and Cole for "Unforgettable."

Best new artist nominees were Boyz II Men, C & C Music Factory, Marc Kohn, Color Me Badd and Seal.

The nominees, in a record 80 categories, were announced at the Apollo Theater in Harlem. They were culled from more than 8,600

Two of music's biggest names U2 and Michael Jackson, both of whom have top-selling albums, were not among this year's nominees.

U2's, "Achtung, Baby" is in fourth place on the current Billboard album chart, and Jackson's "Dangerous" is in fifth, but both were released after the Sept. 30 deadline for awards consideration.



student discuss his upcoming trip. Heckler was February.

Kristy Hayes, left, choir director for Big Spring recently named to the 280-member All State High School and Bradley Heckler, a senior choir Choir. He will perform in San Antonio in

# **Spring** board

#### How's that?

Q. What defensive back for the Houston Oilers set a career NFL record of nine touchdowns scored on interception?

A. According to Texas Trivia, it was Ken Houston.

#### Calendar

#### TODAY

• Al-Anon will meet 8 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center, room 414.

• Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to

 Recovery Solutions, Inc., Teen Esteem Group, will meet 6:30- 8 p.m., 307 Union. For information call 264-7028.

 Adolescent Support Group will meet 4-5 p.m., Howard

#### County Mental Health Center. Anyone interested must call first- John McGuffy or Dawn Garrett, 267-8216 ext. 287.

Rackley-Swords Chapter

379 Vietnam Veterans of

America will have its regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m., Veterans Center, (VFW Hall) on Driver Road. American Legion Auxiliary

will meet 6 p.m, followed by the American Legion meeting at 7 • There will be Country

Western music and singing at the Kentwood Center, 7 p.m., 2805 Lynn Dr. Public invited. Masonic Lodge #598 will

meet 7:30 p.m., 219 Main.

SUNDAY

FRIDAY Friday night games of Dominoes, Forty-two, Bridge and Chickentrack from 5-8 p.m., 2805 Lynn Dr., Kentwood Center. Public invited.

 Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Training classes will be held Monday - Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 8th and Runnels. For information call Dorothy Keenemur,

#### Heckler chosen to advance By MARSHA STURDIVANT Staff Writer

Dedication and hard work paid performance. off for Big Spring High School senior Bradley Heckler, 17, when Heckler said. he was named to All State Choir recently.

first student we've had in All ty Hayes, choir director at the high school.

February from more than 10,000 something," he said students statewide. He sings in the bass two section.

the same music (for contest)," Heckler said. Along with the Meistersingers and choir, the son of F.K. and

Patty Heckler, is also involved in a bunch of time," he said. D-FY-IT and the National Honor Society. He's ranked second in his class of more than 200 seniors.

He said he began singing at his church, College Park Church of tience that he's not sure he has.

God, when he was 5 or 6 years old. He still gets nervous before a

"I was in Rhapsody last year,"

This year he's taking advanced science courses as well as "I'm really excited. This is the microcomputers, French, economics and honors English. State Choir since 1988," said Kris- He enjoys science, he said, and hopes to go into the medical field.

"I don't want to be just a Heckler said he was chosen to registered nurse. I want to go into sing in the 280-student choir in the health field and specialize in

He hopes to enroll in an associates degree program at "The music was selected for us Angelo State University after he last summer. Every body sings graduates. After that he may decide to continue and obtain a bachelor's degree

"If I do two years and then find out I don't like it, I haven't wasted

Heckler is also interested in teaching, and has expressed an interest in teaching music. But he realizes teaching requires pa-

He has worked part time for nearly two years. He saved and bought his own car, and maintains his own insurance, he said.

"There's really not a whole lot of time for me to do stuff. I try to watch myself and not get into too much. I'd like to be in more,

there's just not time," he said. Heckler said his parents helped him by establishing early goals and making him earn his own

way. And they are proud of him. "My parents expect a lot of me There were always certain things they expected us to do," said Heckler about himself and his two

younger brothers. He will perform in concert in

San Antonio Feb. 6-9. Haves said Heckler was been selected for All State competition during his freshman year of high school, but his changing voice prevented him from advancing in the contest

Heckler has been named to All Region Choir for the past four years, she said.

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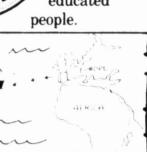
By BETTY DEBNAM

**500 Years After Columbus** 

# A World of Change



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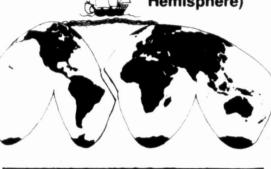


What he didn't realize was that North and South America existed and had blocked his way. We know now that he had visited the Americas.

This issue is based on the exhibit "The Seeds of Change" at the National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution. The exhibit will be on display until April 1, 1993.

#### Columbus' voyages linked two Old Worlds

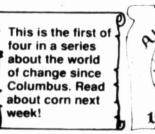
Europe, Africa and The Asia (the Eastern Americas 45 Hemisphere)





One artist's idea of the Columbus landing in the Americas.

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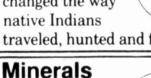
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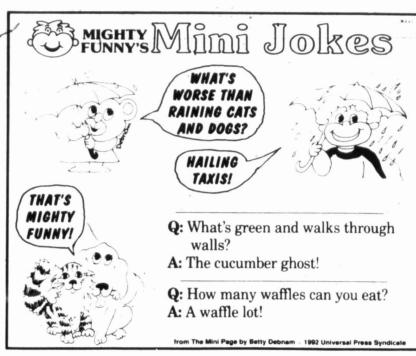
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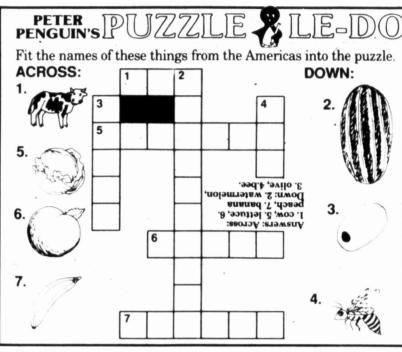
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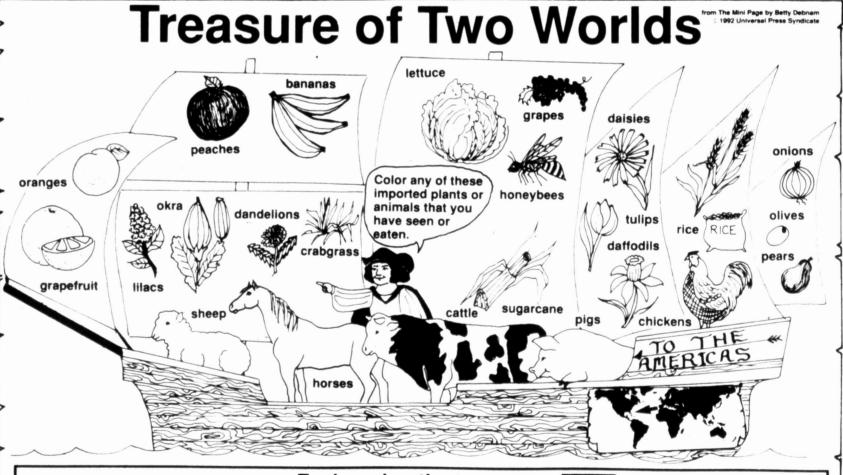
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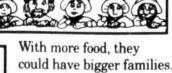


Here are just a few of the animals and plants that were brought to and from the

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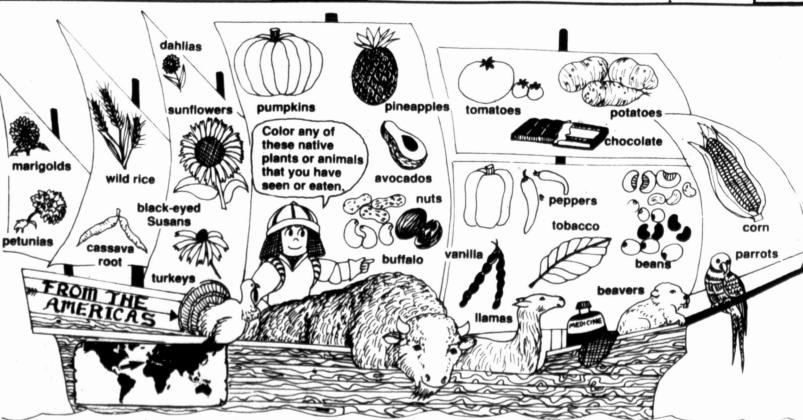
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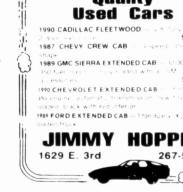
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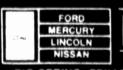
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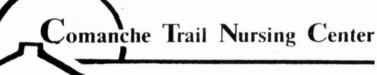
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**PUBLIC NOTICE** 

NO. 11,502
IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES DANIEL
McDONALD, DECEASED IN THE COUNTY
COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JAMES DANIEL McDONALD, Deceased, were issued on December 23, 1991, in Docket No. 11,502, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to
JIMMY DALE McDONALD. The residence of the Independent Executor is in Orange County, Texas, and the post office address

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

3000 McArthur, Apt. 141
Orange, TX 77630
All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the Independent Executor at the above address within the time and in

he manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 6 day of January, 1992.

BANCROFT, MOUTON & WOLF A Professional Corporation P.O. Box 1030 Big Spring, TX 79721 Telephone No. (915) 267-2505 Telecopier No. (915) 263-6782 By: G. BEN BANCROFT State Bar No. 01668000 ATTORNEYS FOR THE ESTATE 7611 January 9, 1992

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Then publicly read. Then publicly read.

The contract for this work will not be awarded to any contractor or firm which is currently debarred from bidding on Texas Department of Transportation projects. No currently debarred contractors will be permitted to perform subcontract work on this project.

ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS ARE ENCOUNTED TO ATTEND THE PER BIDDERS.

COURAGED TO ATTEND THE PRE-BIDDERS' CONFERENCE WHICH WILL BE HELD AT THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPOR TATION'S DISTRICT OFFICE AT: 4250 N. CLACK ABILENE, TEXAS

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TELEPHONE: (915) 676-6851
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BASEBALL

American League CALIFORNIA ANGELS-Agreed to terms with Bryan Harvey, pitcher, on a four-year contract and Dave Johnson, pitcher, on a one-year contract.

National League ATLANTA BRAVES-Agreed to terms with Steve Lyons, infielder, on a one-year CHICAGO CUBS-Agreed to terms with Jamie Moyer, pitcher, on a minor-league

contract. COLORADO ROCKIES—Named Rick Matthews pitching coach for their rookie

**HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms** with Rafael Ramirez, shortstop, on a minor-league contract,

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES-Agreed to terms with Rick Schu, third baseman, on a minor league contract. Acquired Darrin Chapin, pitcher, from the New York Yankees for a player to be named later. SAN DIEGO PADRES—Agreed to terms with Tim Teufel, infielder, on a two-year

contract. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Agreed to terms with Mike Felder, outfielder, on a one-year contract.

BASKETBALL **Continental Basketball Association** BIRMINGHAM BANDITS-Activated Michael Antley, forward. Waived Larry

SIQUX FALLS SKYFORCE—Traded Kurk Lee, guard, to the Oklahoma City Cavalry for a 1992 fourth-round draft pick and future considerations. Traded Matt Roe, guard, to the Rapid City Thrillers for a 1992 fourth-round draft pick.

forward, on the suspended list.

National Football League LOS ANGELES RAMS—Named Chuck SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Named Larry

FOOTBALL

Kennan offensive coordinator. Canadian Football League Professional Spring Football League PSFL-Named Kris Crenwelge public

relations director. ARKANSAS MINERS-Named Curt

drew Brandt general manager TAMPA BAY OUTLAWS—Named Boyd Dowler head coach. UTAH PIONEERS—Named John D'Ot

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Reed public relations manage

relations director HOCKEY National Hockey League TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS-Recalled Kevin McClelland, forward, from St.

tazio head coach and Bill Kreifeldt public

John's of the American Hockey League. COLLEGE NORTHWESTERN-Named Craig

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# What if God set up a picket line?

DEAR ABBY: Many years ago, I copied this poem out of your column in the Indiana (Pa.) Gazette. Since there are so many strikes now. I thought it might be a good time to print it again. - MRS. AR-THUR STEELE, INDIANA, PA. IF GOD SHOULD GO ON

STRIKE by Walt Huntley How good it is

that God above has never gone on strike. Because He was not treated fair in things He didn't like. If only

once, He'd given up and said, "That's it, I'm through! "I've had enough of those on Earth, so this is what I'll do: "I'll give

my orders to the sun cut off the heat supply! "And to \_ God, and yet he carries on,



the moon — give no more light, and run the oceans dry. "Then just to make things really tough and put the pressure on, "Turn

off the vital oxygen till every breath is gone!" You know He would be justified,

if fairness was the game, For no one has been more abused or met with more disdain Than

supplying you and me With all the favors of His grace. and everything for free. Men say

they want a better deal. and so on strike they go, But what a deal we've given God to whom all things we owe. We don't care whom we hurt

to gain the things we like; But what a mess we'd all be in, If God should go on strike.

DEAR ABBY: I am living proof that a person is never too old to learn. I have had a fingernailchewing habit since I was a young boy. I tried everything I ever heard of to break the habit. Nothing worked — until I read about a "cure" in, of all places, your column! You

suggested wearing a rubber band around the wrist, and whenever the nail-biter picks up his or her hand to chew a fingernail, snap the rubber band instead.

Here I am, an 80-year-old man who finally found a cure for a habit I have hated nearly all my life. The rubber band I wear on my right wrist at all times is an eighth of an inch wide, and it's loose and comfortable.

I am signing my name, which you have my permission to use if you wish. Thank you, Dear Abby. WILLIAM (BILL) ISAKSON, HOLIDAY, FLA.

DEAR MR. ISAKSON: I am delighted to have been of help. I'd give you a snappier answer, but it might be stretching things a bit. So, congratulations, and all good wishes to you.

Worth clipping (from "Forbes Magazine"): "Love is what happens to a man and a woman who don't know each other." Somerset

Readers can write to: Dear Abby at P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069.

Jeane Dixon FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1992 HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Someone you can admire and learn from enters the picture

success you enjoy this spring. New ideas abound; the trick is to find practical applications for them, spend more time with those closest to your heart. Children who are taught to be self-reliant will go far. Investigate new travel opportunities in late fall and early winter.
CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE:

early this year. Your attitude toward authority will determine how much career

singer Pat Benatar, baseball great Willie McCovey, singer Johnnie Ray, rock star Rod Stewart

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Do not be afraid to toot your own horn. Nobody knows better the good work you have done. Share your knowledge and cash with devoted family members. Your generosity influences

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A new business deal could pave the way to public acclaim. People at a distance help shape your destiny. Turn to spiritual teachings for inspiration. Romance is rewarding.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Be careful not to isolate yourself at work or slack off; farreaching developments are taking place. Get all the facts. An office announcement could be deceiving. Listen to the grapevine. CANCER (June 21-July 22): The work you

do or the company you keep today could have valuable business repercussions Thank your lucky stars for happy romance! Update your image. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A gossipy co-

worker could make something sound worse

than it really is. Keep a low profile and tend to your duties. By tonight, your spirits will soar sky-high. Someone compliments your

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Use tact with sensitive people and you will gain new allies. Do not be upset if an old problem resurfaces A solution will come from an unexpected source. Romance heats up.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): New challenges keep you on your toes. Start looking for a solution at the first sign of a problem. Life must go on -- it is time to emerge from your

self-imposed exile.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your best friend can be your adviser in personal matters. When it comes to business affairs, consult the experts. Choose a partner with a

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your dignity and talent will carry you far. Take recent scientific advances into consideration when making career plans. A young person will flourish under your protective

authority are watching your job performance now. Ignore outside distractions. Go over bills carefully. Resist the temptation to gloat in front of your loved ones. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Outrageous

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Those in

good fortune will be yours if you follow your instincts. Clear up paperwork before star ting a big project. New responsibilities give you a chance to shine.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You will ac complish more if you can work on your own today. Higher-ups may agree to a schedule change if approached at the right moment. Let romantic partner see you are sincere.

#### DENNIS THE MENACE



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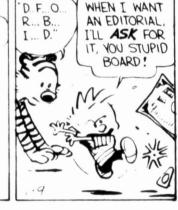


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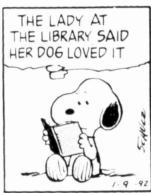




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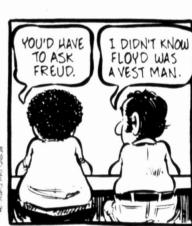
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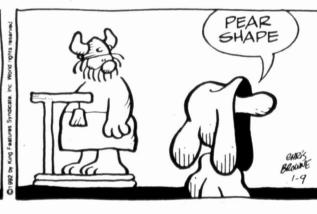




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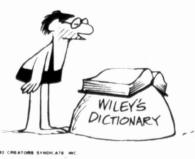
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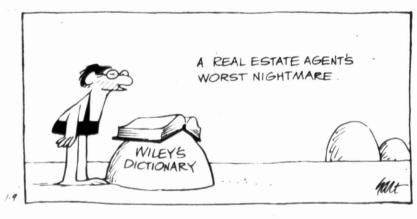






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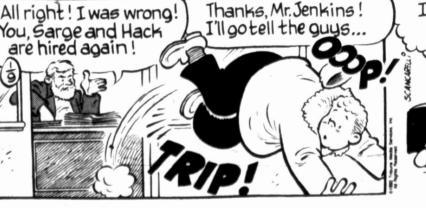
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Writing around



#### Let the pros do it

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

Recently, I was faced with a big problem at home — a leak in our bathtub. Being the smart individual I thought I was, I decided to do the job myself.

So, I set out to fix the leaky faucet and save our family the big bucks, I would have otherwise spent by calling the right

The first thing I tried to do was to buy pipe connections and outside faucets and temporary the problem temporarily, and fix it later.

After spending less than \$20, for the plumbing items I needed, I said, man this will not only be easy, but cheap.

After trying to get the old faucet fixed with some southern engineering, the old object began to spray me in the face from another part of broken contraption.

I found myself in a situation where I would have to pull out the old stupid thing without having to break through the ceramic tile.

Beginning to get fustrated, I got my 16 ounce hammer (framing hammer) and broke all the tile I needed to get rid of, for easy access, I thought.

What an easy job, I began to say to myself. All I had to do now is get some copper connections and solder them together

The first part of the task was easy as pie, sand the copper together to begin bonding the copper tubing.

Being a person without any patience, I said to myself this is enough sanding, so I continued with step two — time to get the torch out and begin the melting

experience. I did began to notice that the small job was beginning to get a little expensive.

Within an hour, my savings had been squandered by my stupidity.

My spending had gone from \$20 to \$125 and, I still needed to buy the faucet itself — another

Meanwhile, I was still on step two. The on-the-job-training, of learning how to solder.

I reread the instructions and began with step one, again, and I followed the directions to each

I tried step two again, but the solder would just keep burning

After four hours of cussing and discussing the situation with the pipes, I decided to bite my tongue and call the "Angel of Help. - that's right, Eugene Bryd, (The Birdman).

I said to myself, he never lets me down.

I proceeded to call my saviour, but he was busy at the time, but he did assure me he would be there as soon as possible.

Meanwhile, my wife and kids were not too happy with their family plumber.

They had been unable to use our precious water for anything. And like it always happens, my wife wanted to wash clothes, she wanted to wash the dishes. I couldn't imagine how anyone could think about cleaning up, while I was in the dire need of assistance.

Both my kids wanted to take a bath. I couldn't understand what the problem was. We were only out of water for 12 hours, surely they could wait another 12, I

It was not like they were the only ones without water. I was not only out of water, but out of patience and money

To make the long story short, I did learn a lesson. I don't care how much it costs to fix anything, I'm going to take it to a professional.

You don't know how much it hurts to find out your not the jack-of-all-trades, like I thought

I just thank God for people like Eugene, who can pull you out of the hole you dug for yourself.

#### Greenwood students help for Christmas

By KAY KOLB Greenwood Correspondent

Students of Greenwood High School and Junior High rallied together to help some needy families in their community last month during the Christmas season.

The community service project was organized by the GHS Student Council and cheerleaders.

Students brought canned food, tukeys, fruit, and donated to a general fund to purchase clothing and toys.

More than \$700 was donated to the project by students who were able to view a film during the last day of school before the holidays for a \$1 donation.

The money was then used to buy coats, jeans, sweaters and toys for children of the four families who were recipients of the project.

The students' response to the food drive was especially generous, according to GHS cheerleader sponsor Melinda Alford.

"They brought 1,042 canned goods and we had so much food left over, we gave what was left after making the baskets to the food bank," Alford said.

The canned goods were brought by the general student body, while student council members brought fruit and the cheerleaders furnished turkeys. The student council sponsor is Susan Grimes.

Members of the student council and cheerleaders met after school was dismissed on Dec 20 to wrap the presents with Christmas paper and packaging that they donated for the project.

Alford said, she is looking forward to repeating the project in the coming year and feels the students did an excellent job of working together to help someone in their community

#### 1991 year in review

**HERALD STAFF REPORT** 

Editors note — This is the final part of a two-part series on the lives and times of Martin County in July

The International Yankees, comprised of mostly Martin County youngsters won the Big Spring City Little League Championship over the Indians 7-5.

Members of the team included Gilbert Morales, Brad Cox, Cody Peugh, Nicky Sanchez, P.J. Rodriquez, Brady Peugh, Bryan Tubb, Michael Madison, Aaron Gibson, Greg Gibson, Jonathan Robles, and Cody Wells

Jeremy Stallings won the TAC track meet in South Plains in both the 800 and 1,500 meter runs. August

The Stanton High School Band won fourth runner-up honors in the Class 2A Texas Music Educators Association in San Antonio.

The Stanton Super Shooters youth trap and skeet team earned 14 top three finishes at the Lubbock Trap and Skeet Meet. The shooters included Ryan Webb, Kyle Kendall, David White, Shane Louder, Robby Wilson, Chad Smith, Jim Bob Haggerton, and Jody Louder.

Former Junior Miss Mona Sanchez was crowned Miss Martin County and Shauna Butler captured the Junior Miss crown.

Jeremy Stallings set a senior division state record in the 800-meter run at the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation Pepsi Games in Carrollton.

The Martin County Super Shooters competed in the 4-H State Trap and Skeet Shootout with Jason Hopper taking the states high-overall average in the International Trap and Skeet.

The team of Hopper and Jim Bob Haggerton took the crown in the two-man sub-junior division American Trap. Hopper and Haggerton received the Texas All-State Traveling Trophy and David White and Robby Wilson won the senior division.

St. Joseph Catholic Church bid farewell to Father Frank Colaciccio good-bye with a farewell Mass in his honor. He had been in Martin

## Stenholm stresses ag, health care and the economy

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Stamford made a stop Tuesday in Stanton, to collect information from voters around the local area on issues that concern them most.

He joined more than 60 Stanton Noon Lions and their guests for a luncheon at the Martin County Community Center.

Stenholm informed the audience about the unusual situations concerning communism around the world including the former Soviet Union, now known as the Commonwealth of Independent States.

"Recently, I was visited by the Economic Minister of the Ukraine. He was looking for ways to help to his country's government work like ours. He wasn't looking for a handout, but ideas and direction his people could go to enjoy the success we've had for the past 200 years," he said.

But, he also mentioned the rough road our country was facing now, with the recession as a major factor, hurting our well-being.

"We are faced with problems from the feel good 80's. That was the time when we were lead to believe that good things were happening. But, you and I know financially, we cannot live on borrowed money forever," Stenholm said.

He said, long-term planning made good sense, but spending spending and reduce our budget. In caps would have to be set. "Right our office of the 17th district, we



Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez our local area. Stenholm told the audience that he

U.S. Representative Charles Stenholm attended the weekly Stanton Noon Lions meeting at the Martin County Community Center, Tuesday. He raised about the problems facing the nation and

benefit everyone. now," he said, "We live for the next managed to cutdown spending from \$1.86 last year, to \$1.36 per

'We must proceed with one foot on the spending brake and cut done," he said. On other budget-cutting efforts, where we can. We should begin Stenholm applauded Congress with the operation in the executive five-year deficit-reduction deal last and legislative branches of year, saying it has helped slow the "We must do something to cut growing deficit

constituent this year. It can be

"It may have been a small step, but it is headed in the right direc- • STENHOLM page 6

likes to visit community organizations to receive information from voters and find ideas that will

tion," he said.

"On tax cuts we should aim at investments involving tools of production. The capital gains tax cuts being pushed by the President need to be better defined, so that is more prospective, than retroactive.

"We need to also keep our interest rates down, so that a person

# Stanton duo gaining recognition

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ Staff Writer

Two Stanton FFA members have taken the Northen Panhandle by storm, capturing 18 topten swine jackpot individual awards, including five-first place finishes

Wesley Hardin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hardin, of 1005 St. Mary Street placed first at the "1992 Preview Swine Jackpot," in Plainview, Dec. 8.

Hardin faced 396 entries in the senior division and finished at the top with his Berk Breed

A day earlier, in Hereford, at the "High Five Prospect Show," Hardin's Berk took second place, after facing 430 animals. Meanwhile, fellow FFA

member Cory Harbison was col-

lecting more awards in the junior division. Harbison, son of John and Claudia Harbison of 506 cluding the Spot, Cross and Chester respectively, at the Hereford show He also captured a first place

quarterly balance.

government

Plainview show Harbison and Hardin have faced competition from Texas, Louisana and Oklahoma areas.

finish in the OPB class at the

"These kids have really worked hard and they have had to learn on the job training. Not only are they showing an animal, but they must ready to show the exactly what the judge is looking for, at the right time," Activity Sponsor John Harbison

said. According to the elder Harbison, the animals are from the highly respected pig farm called the "Metcalf Farms," in

'We're hoping and making plans to go to the Houston and

Beckman placed first, fifth and San Antonio Livestock Show this summer and compete there. Both (Wesley and Cory) feel they can come home with top finishes. That's where the big money is and their chance to gain experience.

> "They work hard to keep the animals in shape for a show and they must also tend to the animal as well. But, when they come back with a win, it makes the work worthwhile," Harbison said.

"Its hard work, but its also a lot of fun." Hardin echoed. when asked about managing with this prize animal.

At the "Top of Texas Show, in Pampa, Harbison competed and placed first in the Spot Class; third in the Chester Class; fifth and sixth place in the Cross Class

He also showed for Grand Champion and Showmanship. There were 296 entries at the

Pampa show.

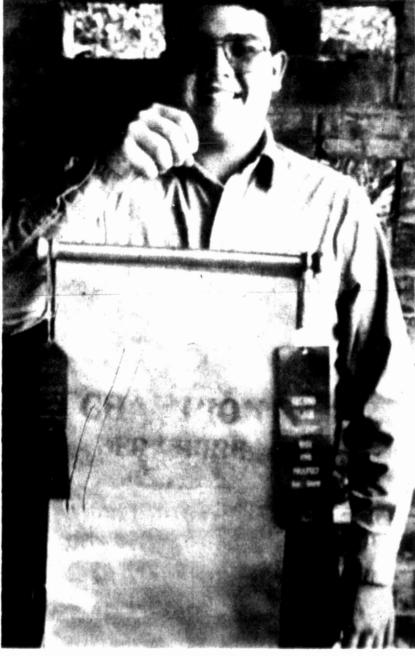
The following day, at the Southwest Plains Jackpot Hardin placed fifth in the Berk Class and Harbison finished first, third and fourth in the junior division. Both were selected to show for

the Junior Showmanship and Senior Showmanship Awards, respectively. There were more than 320 animals registered at the show. Recently, the duo travelled to

Dimmitt to participate in the "Dimmitt Jackpot" and again the pair placed in the top ten. Hardin's Berk finished second

in his class, while Harbison placed second in the Duroc Class; third in the Overall Spot Class, seventh in the Cross Class and tenth in the Lightweight Class

Both Hardin and Harbison competed from a field of 270 ammals aat the Dimmitt show.



Left photo: Stanton High School School sophomore Wesley Hardin proudly displays his ribbons and banner he's collected throughout the panhandle of Texas. He placed four times in the top five classes and the Senior Showmanship Award. Right



photo: Stanton Junior High School eighth grader Cory Harbison shows his ribbons, banner and belt buckle he's won placing 13 times in the top ten.

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# Senior profile

By A.L. (BUD) LINDSEY For the Herald

The Donelson family came in two wagons, a boxcar, and auto westwald along the T & P railroad.

Roads were not much in 1924, by today's standards, just a plain dirt road that was dusty when dry, and muddy when wet. The roads would improve in later years but the automobile was not that evident in West Texas at the time.

The two wagons, driven by Aaron and two of his brothers, contained the small hogs in crates and hanging on the back, were other crates housing the chickens.

Mr. R.L. Donelson rode in a boxcar with most of the household goods in one end of the car and the milk cows in the other end.

Mrs. Donelson and the balance of the seven children followed in the family auto. The wagons were pulled by working stock of horses and mules that would be set to work on the section of land at Lenorah purchased by the elder Donelson.

The trip from Westbook, in Mitchell County, took two days with the first night being spent at Neal's wagon yard in Big Spring.

Born in a one-room log cabin in Leon County, near the Navasota river bottom, November of 1904, Aaron had moved with the family to Mitchell County when he was about one-year-old.

Poor crop conditions and

short of work forced the family to move in a covered wagon temporarily from Mitchell County to Collin County, near McKinney, in 1918, to pick cotton, according to Donelson.

"It took us two weeks at 20 to 25 miles a day. Late in the afternoons we would find us a good place to camp along the side of the road, cook an evening meal, and stay the night," Donelson said.

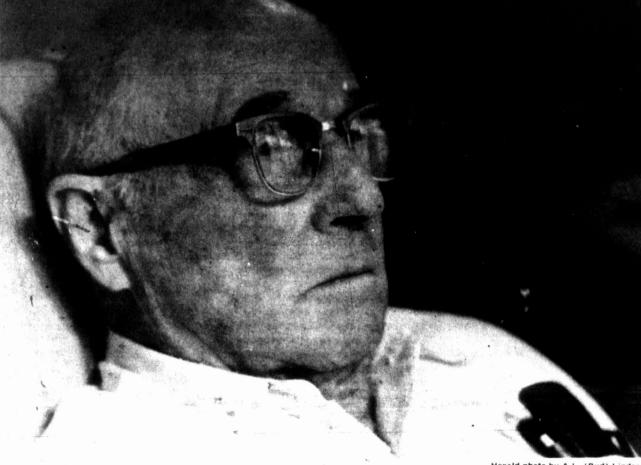
He added, "We'd eat leftovers at noon." All of the family worked at cotton picking and Aaron, being a lad of about 15 then, could pick 200 to 225 pounds of cotton a day or pull 500 to 600 pounds

The elder Donelson purchased a section of land-at Lenorah for \$21 per acre and in 1925, donated part of the land as a location for a cotton gin.

Prior to the establishment of the gin at Lenorah, cotton had to be hauled into Stanton for ginning. Hard times were not a stranger to the Donelson family as they lost the land at Lenorah due to drought conditions in the early thirties.

"We had only 127 pounds of cotton in 1933," Donelson said. He worked at a cotton gin in Tahoka from 1926 until 1933. The Donelson's were not affected by the depression as much as a family that did not raise their own food.

"We never had any money anyway, but we milked six to eight cows and separated the cream from the milk and sold it here and sometimes shipped it.



**AARON DONELSON** 

"We had plenty of eggs and sold them for 15 cents a dozen. We bought groceries and the price of the eggs would be taken off the grocery bill," he said.

He added, "In the wintertime, we would butcher hogs or a yearling. We'd wrap that (yearling) in an old bedsheet and pull it up under the northeast corner of the shelf on the windmill

"Of course, meat was available only in cold weather.

The pork was salted down or sugar cured. Cooking was by a "coal oil" or kerosene cookstove," Donelson added.

In 1935, they moved to a place south of Stanton, where they grubbed out about 300 acres.

"I saw the sun come up many times with a grubbing hoe in hand. The mesquites were smaller then, but all was done with a shovel and grubbing hoe. According to Donelson it was so cold during 1933 that he saw a train freeze up.

"A train froze up on the track at Germania on the fourth day of February in 1933. It was about ten below," he said.

"We had a model A truck with a short bed. We went to the gin to get a load of burrs. We put the burrs in with the hogs and they buried up in them to keep warm. Then, we made another trip and done the same for the cattle. We didn't lose any (livestock), but it was really cold that year.

Aaron married Addie Turner. from Glasscock county, in 1935. They had two sons, Delbert, born in 1939 and Norman, born in 1942.

Delbert lives in Big Spring and is associated with the State National Bank. Norman works for the State of Texas in Austin. Donelson lost Addie in January of 1983.

Donelson lives on the place that he acquired in 1953, located on the old Lamesa highway at the end of College street. He enjoys going on bus tours that have been arranged by his daughterin-law in Austin.

He will leave his car at the Midland airport, fly to Austin, take a tour, then fly back. Most of the tours are for one day, but he has taken some overnight trips with the group.

Recently, he went to Grandbury for an overnight trip. Another longer trip was to Jefferson, where they toured historic homes and stopped by Rush and rode the Texas Parks and Wildlife train to Palestine (Texas)

Donelson is also a regular diner for lunch at the Depot. He recently celebrated his 87th birthday, but you'll see him, weather permitting, taking long, brisk walks in the northwest part of Stanton almost

His fashionable hat will be planted squarely on his head, his walking stick held firmly and his strides long. The walking stick is not to aid in his mobility, but to ward off a possible unfriendly cannine.

Give Donelson a big Stantontype of wave when you see him on his walk. He's sure to respond by raising his hat, walking stick, or both.

# Cap Rock Connection

By PEGGY LUXTON

Communications Advisor Cap Rock Electric, Inc.

High school and college students have been for several of the past few years served as temporary or part-time employees at Cap Rock Electric. At the present time, three such students are employed by the

Kevin Barnes is employed in the Personnel Department under the supervision of Nancy Broadway, Personnel Adminstrator In this employee insurance.

Barnes, son of Richard Barnes of registered nurse Stanton and Carolys Barnes of Big Spring is a second Par student at Work experience during their hours Midland College.

Jennifer Riddle works part-time prepares the students for eventual in the Communications Depart- full-time employment in their ment. She works with Peggy Lux- chosen fields, as well as lending ton, Communications Advisor. She them financial assistance while assists with filing, copy work and they pursue their educations.

in the photograph files.

Riddle, daughter of Alvin and Elaine Riddle and is a senior student at Stanton High School. She plans to attend Tarleton College after her SHS graduation.

Lori Pardue works part-time in the Management section of the Coop, as assistant to Sharon Hoelscher, Executive Secretary. In this position, she does filing, PC work and copy work.

Pardue, daughter of Glen and Gail Pardue is a freshman student position, he works primarily in at Midland College, pursing a nursing career. She plans to become a

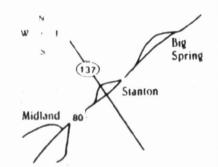
of part-time employment. It



Cap Rock Electric has implemented a program, hiring high school and college students to help them financially and prepare them for their chosen field. Students participating in the program are Kevin Barnes, left, Jennifer Riddle and Lori Pardue.

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## Depot news By A.L. (BUD) LINDSEY

For the Herald

The Old Sorehead Band will leave the Depot at 1 p.m., Saturday for Trinity Towers, Midland, to play for the 90th birthday of Mollie

• A group from the Depot had an exciting adventure on this last Saturday night. The plan was to go to Midland to Manor Park, stop by the birthday celebration given for Crystal Webb, to eat, then attend the Odessa Globe theater's version of the "Grand Ole Opera."

All went well as seventeen headed west. It seemed like most of Stanton was present for Webb's birthday party. After eating out, the group, then went to the Globe Theater on the campus of Odessa College.

Our reliable source for the Theater's activities assured the group that the "Opera" was held the first Saturday of each month.

As it turned out, the date of the January performance had been changed, but it was a nice evening

The Depot bunch would like to express our appreciation to the citizens of Stanton and the surrounding area for supporting the "Blackeyed Pea Lunch" held at the Depot on New Year's day.

It was truly great, with about 200 dishes of peas, cole slaw and cobbler being served. It was touch and go for a while as supplies of cornbread and peas were in short supply.

The crisis sent several of the bunch scurrying to all parts of Stanton to bake more cornbread and to rob their private hoard of blackeyed peas. It was almost like having a com-

munity reunion as some of the diners were home for the holidays. Carletta Roberts, daughter of Charles and LaRue Pierce and granddaughter of Jess and Obera Angel, were present. She is presently living in Guatemala involved in missionary work.

Also partaking of the lucky peas were some friends from Big Spring. The granddaughter of Claude Nowlin, Shirley and Caludine, were also at the Depot for lunch. Other visitors included the Stroud girls, Madge and Marianna.

Aaron Donelson spent some of the Christmas holidays with his son Norman, in Austin. Norman took his father on a tour of the high water country.

Donelson said that they went to the dam on the lake and felt the vibration of the structure as the Colorado river thundered through five flood gates, all wide open.

Leona Hightower spent a couple of weeks at the home of her son, Don, and his wife at Mansfield. On the same plane to DFW was Mrs. Clarice Martin, Flossie Burnam spent Christmas with her son, H.C., in Iraan.

Lorena Flowers went to Seminole, Oklahoma, with her sister from Midland Juanita Hull had her daughter, Loveta Pope visit from Pampa.

The monthly council meeting for the MC senior citizens is scheduled for Thursday, Jan. 16, at 12:15 p.m.

Menu for the week of Jan. 13. Monday — Beef and cheese piz-



Top photo: The Martin County Seniors Citizens celebrated 1992 with a New Year's eve Blackeyed Pea Dinner at the Martin County Community Center. Members of the center serve Tincy Ory, left, with a couple of carry-out plate of the good luck bean. They are Eddie Crow, right, Tuck Williams, Louis Roten, Dewitt Davis and Gene Clements. Bottom photo: JP Nolan Parker gets ready to eat at the famous Blackeyed Pea dinner.

za, buttered corn, english peas, pineapple pudding and milk. Tuesday — Tuna casserole, but-

tered carrots, green beans, onehalf orange, hot rolls and milk. Wednesday — Beef tacos with sauce, pinto beans, salad, cornbread, sopapillas, honey and

 Thursday — Barbecue-on-a-bun, french fries, ranch-style beans, muffins and milk.

 Friday — Oven fried fish with tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, pork-n-beans, banana pudding, hot rolls and milk.

Activities for week of Jan. 13. Monday — Quilting, 1 p.m. • Tuesday - Singing, 10:30 a.m., and 7 p.m.

 Wednesday — Bingo, 10 a.m. • Thursday — Band at nursing home, 10 a.m.; council meeting, 12:15 p.m. and games at 6 p.m. • Friday - Center opened, but no scheduled activities.

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Left photo: Three pot-bellied pigs enjoy their leisure time around the Epley home. Right photo: Ronnie Epley offers a snack to one of her pets, while watching television. According to Ronnie, the pigs are ideal

# Vietnamese pot-bellies make an ideal pet

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By KAY KOLB **Greenwood Correspondent** 

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On a nice quiet evening at home, Ronnie Epley settles down in her comfortable chair for a peaceful evening of televi-

Three of the family pets snuggle up to Epley, after just a bit of wiggling around to find their

Ronnie and the rest of the Epley family, Jim and Courtney, have chosen unusual pets. Tui (rhymes with chewy), Scooter, Rascal are Vietmanese Pot-Bellied Pigs and the breed is quite a novelty for pet lovers. We had read about the pigs

and seen them on television and thought they looked like enjoyable pets," Epley said about their decision to get the unusal animals

The family bought two momma pigs, Mamie and Marie, and later decided to raise some to

After traveling to Brownwood for breeding purposes, each momma pig had a litter. The first litter of nine piglets was born in July. The other litter of six came in September.

Epley said, the pigs make good house pets with some training and are no more difficult to take care of than a dog.

"I like these animals for pets because they are low maintenance, they are smart and fun. And they don't make the house smell. The pigs require a yearly vaccination like a

company they offer. Each one has a distinctive

personality. One of the Epley pigs is leash trained and they all are litter-

box trained. Tui, a female, has I like these animals for pets because they are low maintenance, they are smart and fun. And they

Ronnie Epley

out in public. The pigs have a fairly simple diet. As would be expected, they

her ears pierced and gets to

wear dressy bows when she goes

eat commercial pig food.

"They have a low-fat diet, because they tend to get fat. We supplement their diet with fruit, vegetables and hay. The most essential thing for them is water so we keep plenty of fresh water

Caring for pigs is like taking care of any family pet. During the winter they need a shelter from the cold, and in the summer they need a place to get out of the sun as they sunburn easily.

At birth the pigs average weight is 5 to 7 ounces, about the size of a mouse. Epley's pigs

now weigh about 20 pounds. "We don't have a lot of time to teach them tricks, but they are very smart animals," Epley said.

She added, "In the beginning, they do take a little more time than dogs to get trained to the litter box. But once they are house trained, they are good

Epley still has a few pigs from the summer litters she is willing

"If you are not really a pet lover, you would be better off buying a stuffed pig," she

"But they make excellent pets and you can really get attatched to them.

# **Nestors** notes

COLLEGE STATION — Jerry D. Harris, a cotton and grain sorghum producer in Dawson and Gaines counties, has been appointed to a seventh term as Chairman of the Texas State Committee of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service according to U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm.

Secretary of Agriculture Ed Madigan named Mrs. Hope Huffman of McGregor, to a third term on the Committee and reappointed veteran Texas State ASC Commit tee members Dale Hunt of Gar wood and D.V. Guerra, Jr. of Edin-

Joining the Committee for the first time will be Scott McGarraugh of Perryton.

"These leaders bring a wealth of farming and ranching experience to ASCS. Harris has established an impressive record, combining years of experience as both a family farmer and a federal program administrator

Huffman, Hunt and Guerra all have done splendid work on behalf of Texas farmers and ranchers," Sen. Gramm said.

Harris is a member of the National Cotton Council, the Lamesa Cotton Growers, the Texas Food and Fiber Protein Commission and the Texas Cotton Ginners

He is active in cotton ginning, warehousing and marketing, as well as operating a 7,000 acre family farm and serving on the Board of Trustees of Lubbock Christian University.

McGarraugh operates 11,000 acres spread over Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hansford, Gray and Roberts Counties in Texas as well

Good luck dinner

as Texas and Beaver counties in Oklahoma

He is active in the Texas Wheat Producers Association, the Texas Wheat Producers Board and the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association

Huffman raises row crops, grain and cattle in McLennan and Coryell Counties. She is an active member in the McLennan County Farm Bureau and the Waco Chamber of Commerce's Agricultural Committee.

Hunt is a recognized leader in the rice industry and has served as president of the Texas Rice Research Foundation.

Guerra is active in soil and water conservation. He served on the Governor's Task Force on Rural Development and was named "Man of the Year in Agriculture," by the Texas County Agricultual Agents Association.

The State ASC Committee oversees farm program activities of the ASCS throughout Texas. ASCS employs a staff of 1,400 in Texas and supervises the distribution of more than \$1.5 billion in federal farm program benefits to the farmers and ranchers of Texas.

ASCS announces payment program

The ASCS will administer a crop disaster assistance program to compensate eligible producers for crop losses caused by drought, flood and other natural disasters in either 1990 or 1991.

"To be eligible, producers with crop insurance must have had losses greater than 35 percent. Producers without crop insurance from the local ASCS office.

must have had losses greater than 40 percent," ASCS official Jerry Harris said.

Program applications filed from Feb. 3 through March 13

The 1990-91 crop disaster program provides cash payments for production losses on participating program crops of wheat, feed grains, upland cotton, extra long staple cotton and rice; nonparticipating program crops are maia Ophtalmics' National Educapeanuts, soybeans, sunflowers, tion meeting held in Las Colinas. sugar beets, sugarcane, tobacco and all commercial non-program

Harris said, producers who intend to file should begin to assemble their records now, so they will be ready when the program opens.

He said that farmers will receive a special mailing with specific information on the program this

"If a producer does not receive the disaster program information in the mail by Feb. 3, he or she should call the county ASCS office." Harris said.

Harris explained that a producer may not file on one crop on a farm for one year and a different crop on the same farm for the other.

"However, the producer may request benefits for 1990 on one farm and for 1991 on another farm," he

The ASCS official said disaster payment would be computed according to the 1990 Farm Bill and expects to begin issuing payments to farmers by April 16.

Further details of the disaster payment program may be obtained

# New technology recognized

out for them.

**HERALD STAFF REPORT** 

Nalin Tolia, M.D., Odessa ophthalmologist, was honored by Kabi Ophthalmics in recognition for his assistance in advancing the technology of intraocular lens implants

Dr. Tolia received a plaque of appreiciation presented by Paul Lopez, vice-president of Sales and Marketing, North America and Randy Bailey, National Sales Manager, during the Ksbi Phar-

assisted in core study work on the of his surgical technique to be used corporation's new disc lens that is as teaching tools for other Midland and Odessa and Dr. Tolia used in small incision cataract surgeons, residents and members and his family reside in Odessa.

An intraocular lens (IOL) is a said. man-made focusing device that permanently implanted after a cataract has been removed.

The technology of small incision intraocular lenses has enabled cataract patients enjoy the benefits of a smaller incision, fewer, restrictions after surgery and in some cases, less post-operative astigmatism.

According to Lopez, Dr. Tolia study work, but by donating videos Medical Society.

of our own corporation," Lopez

Dr. Tolia specializes in No-Stitch and small incision cataract surgery, glaucoma treatment and laser surgery

He has practiced in the Midland-Odessa area since 1974 and has been in solo practice for approximately five years.

He received a gubernatorial appointment to the Board of Directors of the Texas State School for 'Dr. Tolia has made a con- the Blind and Visually Impaired, a siderable contribution to position he still holds, and is Past technology not through the core President of the Ector County

He maintains offices in both



Dr. Nalin Tolia was presented with a plaque for his outstanding work in the advancement of Ophthalmology. They are left to right: Kamal

Tolia, M.D.; Nalin Tolia, M.D., Kakan Edstrom, Karl Braun, and Paul Lopez.

Don't plan your evening without checking Big Spring Herald's 'Calendar



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#### **Births**

Born to Justin and Mary Caylor of Graham, a son Dylan Kyle, Dec. 20, 1991

He was born at Graham General Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 5 ounces and 20 inches

Maternal grandparents are Bill and Marilynn Wheeler of Stanton.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Caylor of Pagosa Springs, CO, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grosshans of Lindenworld, NJ

Paternal great-grandmother is Bessie Bell Caylor of Brady.



Laura Beth Graves and her son, Michael Craig attended the MC Senior Citizens "Blackeved Pea Dinner." According to the

Herald photo by A.L. (Bud) Lindsey seniors, the blackeyed pea dinner represents a good start to a new year

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Epley ag supply, located in Greenwood stocks its store with many extras for individuals. They carry ag and domestic animal supbeen operating the supply center since May 1990.

# Epley Ag — more than its name

By KAY KOLB **Greenwood Correspondent** 

Supplies for agricultural and domestic animals are available to area residents at Epley Ag in Greenwood.

operated by Jim Epley of Stanton and his store has a good stock of food for animals of all kinds.

Epley Ag is owned and

He stocks a multitude of other items.

"We sell a lot of animal food to people around here, some with one or two animals and some with heards," Epley said.

Epley has lawn and garden supplies such as work gloves, fertilizers and seeds. He carries some medicines for animals and some tack.

For the person looking for something different, an interesting - say for a gift or a conversation piece — Epley has a supply of hand-made walking sticks.

"These were made by Charlie Green of Midland," Epley said. He added, "We have sold quite a few of them.

Like most truly community minded businesses, Epleys has a portion of wall set aside for local announcements, advertising and business cards.

Customers can learn what is available from dog grooming to saddle repair.

Epley has operated Epley Ag since May, 1990. He has one fulltime employee, Damasio Gomez and several partime employees.

The store is open from 7:30 a.m. until 6 p.m., Monday through Friday and 7:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday.

Delivery service is available, according to Epley



Courtney and her dad Jim Epley display their inventory at their local store. The ag supply store is opened for business Monday through Saturday for their clients convience.

### TOM—SIMS

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus C. Tom of Stanton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Charlesa Tom to Heath Sims. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

J.B. Sims of Waxahachie. The nuptials are planned for Feb. 1, 1992, at 2:30 p.m., at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Midland.

The bride-elect is a 1984 graduate of Stanton High School. She graduated from Tarleton State University with a bachelor of Business Administration degree in 1988.

She is employed at Aetna Insurance Company in Richardson, Texas.

The maternal grandparents of Miss Tom is Garnet Shain and the late Vera Shain and the late Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Tom.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1984 graduate of Waxahachie High School. He graduated from Tarleton State University in the spring of 1991 with a bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture Science. He is employed with the Itasca Independent School District

The grandparents of Sims are Louise Kirk and the late J.D. Kirk and the late Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Sims.



## A preview into the past of Martin County

By KAY KOLB For the Herald

Editors Note — We at the Stanton Herald will be taking a look back at our history as far back as gathered through the Martin County Historical Museum.

The series will be printed on a monthly basis. We would like to hear your comments or your insight towards this time in Martin County history

Forty years ago

"The first contributor in the March of Dimes drive which got underway in Martin County was O.B. Bryan who donated the \$10 cash prize he won in the

MC sheriff candidate

Christmas lighting contest in Stanton.'' (from Stanton Reporter Jan., 1952)

'Construction started on 24 new homes in the Carl Clardy addition, at the northwest section of Stanton. The new section brought the total number of homes under construction or completed to 48 by the Martin County Construction Company, developers of a sixty house tract in that area." (from Stanton Reporter Jan., 1952)

With more than 135 students absent, Stanton's schools closed for the remainder of the week because of an influenza

Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

City of Stanton Police Chief Mike Adams has announced his bid

for the office of Martin County Sheriff being vacated by MC

Sheriff Dan Saunders. Adams is the fourth candidate to file for

sheriff.

epidemic. There are 619 students enrolled." (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1952)

 Twenty-five years ago "Mrs. Lillie Graham was honored on her 90th birthday with an open house at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. I.C Graham. (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1967) Twenty years ago "Mike Black was chosen as temporary chairman of the new

Jaycee Chapter organized." (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1972) Calvin Leroy Scoggins of Stanton departed from Big Spring January 24, to be enlisted in the Navel Service in El Paso. Scoggins will report to San Diego, California and will enter the electronics field." (Stanton

Reporter Jan., 1972). "Farmers and Ranchers in a 12-county area borowed more than \$6.5 million from Western Production Credit Association in 1971 according to David Workman, the association's president. The amount represents loans to 153 stockholders he said." (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1972).

Ten years ago

"Almost 100 concerned residents of the Greenwood area met Monday night to discuss present and future water problems, fire protection and possible incorporation" (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1982)

Kyle Kendall, second vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, presented the Outstanding Man of the Year Award to Gene Byrd at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The Outstanding Woman of the Year award went to Mary Prudie Brown." (Stanton Reporter Jan., 1982).

• Five years ago

"Martin County Jaycees have raised over \$4,000, since they announced two weeks ago that they agreed to buy Stanton's Historic convent from New Mexico entrepeneur Pete Pelleetier." (Martin County News Jan., 1987).

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When summer's heat has taken flight, The frost descending in the night Will paint the trees with colors bright, That morning will unfold: And coming with the cooler days, In keeping with this yearly phase, The sight of branches all ablaze

Is awesome to behold. On countryside or in the town,

Those leaves that later fade to brown Proclaim, as they come drifting down, The year is growing old. Our House of Worship's lessons show The love of God, that we should know From autumn's beauty, all aglow With shades of red and gold.

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#### **Poems wanted** for contest and anthology

Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., is offering a grand prize of \$500 in its new "Awards of Poetic Excellence" poetry contest.

**Sidelines** 

It is difficult to find words to

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The Family of Donald

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Words of thanks

Thirty-four other cash awards are also being offered. The contest is free to enter. Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any

subject, in any style. Contest closes March 31, 1992, but poets are encouraged to submit their work as soon as possible, since poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in "Poetic Voices of America," a

hardcover anthology Prizes will be awarded by May 31, 1992.

"We are looking for sincerity and originality in a wide variety of styles and themes. You do not have to be an experienced poet to enter or win, Publisher Jerome P. Welch

About the contest sponsor: Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum sponsors six free poetry contests and publishes six hardcover poetry anthologies each

"We are dedicated to encouraging and rewarding the many undiscovered poets across America," Welch added

Poems should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum Inc., Dept. C, 203 Diamond Street, Sistersville, West Virginia, 26175.

#### Low-income households may be eligible

Some low-income Texans may be eligible for help in paying heating bills this winter through the Home Energy Assistance Program, according to Texas Department of **Human Services Interim Com**missioner Burton F. Raiford.

Raiford said the one-time payment is available to many low-income households. Applications for energy assistance were mailed to households that received food stamps, Aid to families with Dependent Children, or Supplement

Security Income in December. Other low-income individuals may request an application by calling the toll-free number 1-800-252-8060 during the enrollment period of Jan. 15 through Feb. 28, 1992.

Eligibility is determined by gross income and resources. Aid is available for a oneperson household having less than \$662.49 gross income per

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month. The gross income limits are \$876.49 for households of two persons; \$1,090.49 for three; \$1,304.49, for four; \$1,518.49, for

five, and \$1,732.49 for six. Households are eligible if the cost for heating is included in the rent payment or if the

houshold pays part of its home energy costs.

Energy assistance checks are sent directly to the people who are eligible for assistance. However, the checks are made payable to the energy provider. Someone receiving an energy assistance check should mail it or take it in person to the energy provider business office

with their regular energy bill. The check can be cashed only by the energy provider. If the check is more than the energy bill, the additional amount wil be credited to the person's account for the next

month's bill. If the energy bill is higher than the check, the person is responsible for paying the difference.

#### Singles group to meet

A meeting to organize a single's support group is set for Thursday, Jan. 9, at the Greenwood Methodist Church, star-

ting at 7 p.m. Anyone interested is urged to attend the meeting.

For more information contact, Stanley Reid at 683-8561 or Mary Bradford at 687-4925.

## **Buffs** take district opener

HERALD STAFF REPORT

The McCamey Badgers came into Buffalo gymnasium with every intention of upsetting the host team, the Stanton Buffalos, but couldn't hang on, as the Buff came away with a 63-59 win.

The Badgers quickly opened the gap with 1:53 left in the opening quarter and a 15-8 lead.

Leading the way for McCamey was Eric Tate as he scored two quick three-point shots. He was the games' leading scorer with 20

The visitors increased its lead to a 19-10 score as Andy Patteson scored three consecutive baskets as he seemed to find a crack in the the Buffalo defense. The three baskets added to the Badgers lead and the biggest lead of the night.

The Badger's lead did not hold up as Stanton broke the ice and scored in the second quarter with a 10-2 run. With 4:41 left before halftime, the Buffs regained the lead 23-22, led by Kenny McCalister and John Eric Wyckoff with four points each.

With less than a minute gone by, the Buffalo lead increased by seven as McCalister, Wyckoff and Grant Woodfin began to find the seam in the Badger defense.

Stanton wasted no time in wrestling the lead as the pounded Mc-Camey 26-10 in the second quarter, which proved to be the difference in the ballgame.

The Badgers kept the contest close by countering every Buffalo score with a bucket of their own. On offense, the Badgers began to manuever through the Buff defense in the fourth quarter and almost

came away with the district opener

The Badgers outscored the home team 19-9, in the final eight minutes, with 11 of the visitors points coming on a 13-3 run with ess than 1:59, left in regulation

McCamey came within five points of the lead and less than one minute to play, but it was not to be as the foul-ridden Buffs tucked the game away at the foul line to win the district opener.

Leading the way for the Buffs was McCalister with 19 points and Grant Woodfin added 15 more.

"We played very spotty tonight. Some spots we played real good and others not so good. Everytime we got a comfortable lead, we'd let them make a run on us and it paid off for them," Stanton Coach Doug Gordon said.

He added, "We'd kept giving them a chance to get back in the ballgame. We are now in the district race and every game is important. In order for us to get ready we'll have to control our emotions.

"I noticed everytime we'd get a turnover, it would bother us and would counter by running at us. I think this was our first gut-check of the year and we'll have plenty more," he said.

STANTON(63): Wyckoff — 4 6-3 11; Stallings — 4 3-2 10; Miller 0 0 0; Woodfin -49-715; Castro -02-11: McCalister — 5 (1) 12-6 19; Kelly -02-11; Dahl -000; Louder -16-2 4. TOTALS — 19 (1) 40-22 63.

McCAMEY(59): Tate -4(2)10-6 20; Seilhart — 0 6-3 3; Galbardo - 0 2-2 2; Salinas - 5 2-1 11;



Stanton Lady Buffs Sonja Hopper (22) and Cissie McCamey Lady Badger, Tuesday night. The Lady Hobbs (42) attempt to take a rebound away from a Badgers went on to win the district opener, 52-43.

6; Martinez -0.00; Patteson -52-1 11. TOTALS — 19 (2) 24-15 59.

In the girls varsity action, the Lady Badgers were behind all thoughout the contest, until the five minute mark in the final quarter.

They captured the lead and it proved costly to the Lady Buffs as they suffered their first district loss of the season.

The Buffs had a 20-17 lead at halftime, but couldn't hang on as

Venegas -30-06; Stinson -22-2 the Lady Badgers kept cutting at long night. the lead.

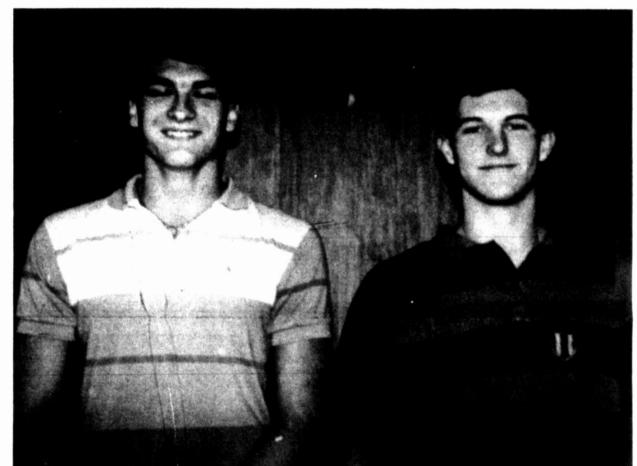
> 'We made some improvements the past two weeks. Our offense played better, our ballhandling was more consistent, but were missing to many easy shots that we normally make. We cannot afford to give up points from the free throw line, too, Stanton Girls Coach Frank Riney said.

He added, "Our next opponent will be Wall, there. We will have to be ready to play some tough ball in their home court. Or, it could be a 37-21 win over McCamey.

In earlier action, the boys junior varsity beat the McCamey jv's 37-25. Leading the way for the JV **Buffs was Michael Paul Martinez** with 11 points, followed by teammates Billy Joe Marquez with ten and J.J. Ortiz with eight points. Ramon Ramos also scored eight points for the Buffs.

The Stanton JV girls collected their 14 win of the season with a

### All-West Texas players



Herald photo by Marcellino Chavez

Two Greenwood Rangers were named to the All-West Texas football team by the San Angelo Standard Times. Jason Swopes, a senior, was selected as one of the best punters in the area. Doring the 1991 season, he averaged 38.2 yards per punt. Eric Clutter, also a senior, was selected as a wide receiver. He had 29 catches for 432 yards.

#### **Buffalos final stats**

**HERALD STAFF REPORT** 

Editor's Note — Here are the final stats for the Stanton Buffalos offense. They were complied by Stanton Statistician Selan Canada.

Rushing touchdowns — Jim Bob Kelly (4); Allen Prough (2); Ricky Lucas (3) and John Wyckoff (1). Receiving touchdowns — Prough

(1); McCalister (2) and Sherman Bryand (1).

PAT's — Hector Jimenez (8) and Chris Dahl (1). Two-point conversions - Wyckoff (1) and Rick Posey (1).

Field goals — Jimenez (1). Kickoff return — Kelly (1).

Total points scored — Kelly (30); Prough (18); Lucas (18); Mc-Calister (12); Jimenez (11); Wyckoff (8); Bryand (6); Posey (2) and Dahl (1).

Total offense - (10) touchdowns; (4) rushing touchdowns; (9) PAT's; (2) Twopoint conversion; (1) field goal; (1)

points scored. Rushing

Kelly - (176) carries; (836) yards; (4.75) average per carry. Prough — (57) carries; (351) yards; (6.15) average per carry. Lucas — (37) carries; (189) yards; (5.10) average per carry.

Also, Posey — (50) carries; (171) yards; (3.42) per carry. Wyckoff — (41) carries; (63) yards (1.53) per carry. Brad Barnhill — (3) carries; (18) yards; (6.0) per carry.

Also, Bryand — (3) carries; (16) yards; (5.3) per carry. McCalister — (2) carries; (3) yards; (1.5) per carry. Ortiz — (1) carry; (1) yard; (1) per carry. Huckaby — (5) carries; (-1) yards; (-.26) per carry.

Total rushing — (375) carries;

(1,647) yards and (4.39) per carry.

 Receiving McCalister — (13) receptions; (268) yards; (21) yards per catch, Jimenez — (11) receptions; (127) yards; (11.54) per catch. Bryand —

kickoff return (1) and (106) total (7) receptions; (103) yards; (14.71)

per catch. Also, Prough — (6) receptions; (32) yards; (5.33) per catch. Posey (3) receptions; (23) yards; (7.66) per catch. Lorenzo Marquez — (3) receptions; (21) yards; (7.0) per catch.

Also, Kelly — (2) receptions; (19) yards (9.5) per catch. Huckaby - (2) receptions; (12) yards; (6.0) per catch. Totals (47) receptions; (605) yards; (12.87) per catch and (4) touchdowns.

Passing

Wyckoff - (99) attempted passes; (38) completions; (451) yards (8) interceptions and (3) touchdown passes. Huckaby — (18) attempts; (8) completed passes; (151) yards; (1) int. and (1) touchdown. Marquez - (3) attempts. Totals - (120) attempts; (46) completed passes; (602) yards; (9) interceptions and (4) touchdown passes.

# SJH loses to Coahoma

HERALD STAFF REPORT

The Stanton Junior High Buffs lost to the visiting Coahoma Bulldogs in seventh and eighth

The seventh grade "A" team lost 20-12. Leading the way for the Buffs was Mark Carrillo with four points and teammate Mark Moore added another four

"We got beat because we couldn't handle the press. We had too many turnovers and when you do that against a team like Coahoma your going to lose because they're the taller team," SJH Coach Albert Chavez said.

In the seventh grade "B" team, Coahoma squeaked past the home team 20-18 in overtime. Leading the way for the Buffs was Jake reid

with ten points. 'We played a good game, but we got beat in overtime. We could have had a break here or there and it would have gone our way, but it didn't. We played a good game and we've could have won the

"I'm extremely proud of our kids. They played real hard, to lose, but we did The last time we played them we lost by a wide margin, but this time we kept them close and almost pulled it out,' Chavez said

The A team drops to 1-4, while the B team has yet to win a game.

Eighth grade Both the Stanton eighth grade "A" and the "B" teams lost to

while the A team lost 26-11

"We had fantastic defensive play by David Cazares. He controlled Coahoma's leading scorer to a mere two points. I am real proud how these guys played. They ran the offense well and maintained their composure throughout the ballgame.

"This was by far the best ballgame we've played all year," SJH Coach Tom Posey said.

Leading scorers for the Buffs was Ramon Cazzares with 12 points, followed by teammate Stacy Cole with eight.

In the final game, the Coahoma team beat the Stanton A team

"We could never find a way to score. And to top it off, we were playing a team that is undefeated. But our problem is scoring. We can't seem to find the handle on the bucket. We tried different things by penetrating, but they have a good balanced team. They're a hard team to breakdown and score on,"

Posey said. He added, "In the second half, we did some adjusting, but we coun't score. We went throughout the ballgame without a turnover, we'll have to play defense in order to win. If we can't get our offense to score, were going to be in trouble

the rest of the season. The Buffs were led by Jason Hopper with four points, followed by

Taylor Looney with three. The eighth grade boys and girls will travel to Iraan to play in the Iraan Invitational. The girls will begin at 5:30 p.m. and if we win, Coahoma. The B team lost 29-21, we'll go back on Saturday, Posey



Stanton's Taylor Looney steps in front of a Coahoma Bulldog during Monday's junior high action. The Bulldogs went on to win, 26-11.

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# Grady fares well in tourney

By BRADLEY GIBSON For the Herald

The Grady Junior High Basketball teams showed signs of contention for the district title in both the

boys and girls divisions They both finished second in the Grady Invitational Tournament held Saturday, Jan. 4.

Both Wildcat teams opened tournament play with impressive wins over the Loop Longhors 45-25, and Lady Longhorns, 32-27.

Both teams lost to Klondike in the second game of the tournament, but came back the following day to beat the boys and girls team from Dawson.

The boys won 36-25, while the girls slaughtered the Dawson Lady Dragons 31-11

Grady school news

ed that some of our students need a little extra help in reading, we want to provide that help.

That help will be provided through reading tutorials each Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon from 3:15 until 4 p.m., in the Social Studies room

No money is needed — only the desire to read better. Transportation home will be provided for indistrict residents. If you are interested, please con-

home, (459-2445 or 756-2119). The Booster club is asking for volunteers from the community to help with the concession stand at home basketball games.

The club helps all of the students

tact Mrs. Workman at school or at

at Grady school, and would ap-• Program read — Having realiz- preciate any and all help from community volunteers. For more information, please

> call Pat Romine at 459-2445. • The third six-weeks grade reporting period ends, Friday Jan. 10. Third six-weeks report cards are scheduled for distribution, Wednes-

day, Jan. 15. • On Saturday, Jan. 11, will be teacher work-day from 8 a.m. until 3:15 p.m. Grade reporting rosters are due prior to departure. Employee luncheon at noon in the

cafeteria • Friday night, Basketball game, both boys and girls, Jan. 10, here, starting at 6:30 p.m.

• Saturday, Boys seventh grade tournament at Sands, starting at

#### review

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County for the past eight years. The Martin County Fair was considered a complete success by fair officials, a smaller crowd showed

up, but it was a strong. SHS band students received a Division II at the state UIL band contest in Austin. They include Louis Dimase, Trey Hinojosa, Stacy Tollison, Reagan Koonce, Tara Brooks, Dustin Brantley, Innet Brown, Joy Adams, Ashley Miller, Melissa Rios, Sherry Johnson, Moa Sanchez, Melanie Payne, Eve Crisman, and Edward Armendarez..

September

The Stanton Booster Club reorganized its club and held a show of support for the Stanton Buffalos football team. More than 600 local residents attended the community pep rally.

Stanton National Bank again sponsors first bale program to farmer who brings in the first bale of the county's cotton.

SISD board of trustees voted 6-1 to keep the tax rate at \$.4945 added to the CED tax rate for a \$1.202 total taxing value. Voting against the measure, Bobby Holland.

The Stanton ISD, like many other districts will have to find ways to allocate educational aid, thanks to the creation of the CEDs. The district is left looking for \$250,000 to fill the void caused by decreased state aid, school officials said.

**Insects causing** concern to area cotton farmers. Unusual weather creates a perfect environment for destructable insects.

Roger Scoggins, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Calvin Scoggins of 801 East St. Anna, was awarded the Golden Poet Award.

Stanton Middle School instructor Katherine Kohls was presented the Exemplary Golden Apple Award for excellence in her life management class.

October

Martin County Commissioners approves \$2.53 million budget for 1991-92, increasing the tax rate from .307 to .309 per \$100 valuation. The SISD board begans review-

ing single member districts. Martin County voters go to the polls to vote on 13 proposed state amendments.

Stallings takes the boys 3.1 mile cross country course with a 15:34 time for the individual gold medal November

The first bonfire since 1967 was celebrated for the week of the Stanton Homecoming. SHS Christie Hirt was crowned homecoming queen. Mrs. Sandy Chandler was

crowned coming-home queen. Grady school Science teacher Don Kuenstler and members of the gifted and talented class Rawley Mims and Allison Cooper begin a convent dig at the historic grounds.

Martin County officials requested to Gov. Ann Richards to designate the county as a disaster area because of damage from the early cold spell, heavy rains, record low temperatures, high winds and hail.

The storms hit within a three, day period. Area cotton experts estimated that at least 75 percent of the crop will be affected.

4-H club placed first to advance to vow to win the court battle

the district food show in Kermit. They were Clayton Baker, Tarah Schuelke, Jeffery Burch, Courtney Steele, Sherra Wells, Shanna Wells, Dusty Deatherage, Jessica Holloway and Cory Flanagan.

Stanton High School junior Jeremy Stallings just barely missed his third consecutive 2-A state title with a second place finish in Georgetown

Stallings finished the state cross country meet with a 16:54 mark, just 16 seconds of the winning time. December

The Martin County Chamber of Commerce sponsored a "Shop Stanton First" message hoping to attract local spending in area

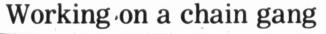
Local resident Viola Parker was honored as a descendent of Bailey Jackson Anderson, by the Frances Cooke Van Zandt Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, for its family patriotism.

A fatal accident on Interstate 20 claimed the life of a Midland man in a fiery crash. According to DPS officials, this was one of the worst accidents in a long time.

The Martin County Historical Museum appointed a new curator for the museum. Helen Thrailkill, a longtime resident was named the curator, Dec. 7.

Cap Rock Electric, Inc., filed a Texas District Court challenge in its dispute with TU Electric, the largest utility in Texas and fifth largest in the country, with over five million customers.

Cap Rock officials consider it a Members of the Martin County fight like David vs. Goliath. They





Stanton Elementary students recently participated in a reading program, which for every book read, a chain link would be made. Mrs. Linda Denton's class recorded more

bulb for 20 hours.

than 800 books read. The students working on the chain are Jason Hernandez, left, Joey Holguin, Jacob Klein and Laurie Gonzales.

• Recycling five glass bottles saves enough energy to light a 100-watt light

#### Tough team



The Stanton Junior Varsity girls have accomplished an impressive 14-2 record in this young season. Members of the team

include Traci Moore, left, Brittany Brown, Kindra Woodfin, Lupe Chapa, Sande Bundas, Laura Herm and JV coach Sam Eoff.

## **Greenwood splits**

HERALD STAFF REPORT

The Greenwood Rangers claimed a 67-45 boys basketball win over the Seagraves Eagles, here Friday night. Jason Swopes and Eric Clutter each scored 16 points to pace Greenwood to an easy win. Swopes popped in four three-pointers to help his team defeather the visitors.

Greenwood got off to a fast start by scoring 20-9 first quarter points. The Rangers increased its lead before halftime scoring seven unanswered points and taking a 39-21 halftime lead.

The Rangers outscored the

Eagles in the third period with the help of Jeff Dunn, Swopes and Clutter. They proved the difference in the ballgame.

In the final stanza, Seagraves managed to score at will after the Rangers put the contest out of reach.

SEAGRAVES(45): Cavazos -10-03; T. Cavazos -30-06; Anderson — 1 0-0 2; Sumner 1 0-0 2; Ingle — 4 0-2 8; Moore — 4 1-2 9; Thomas -6 1-2 13; Gonzales - 1 0-0 2. TOTALS - 21 2-6 45. GREENWOOD(67): Doug Alderson - 0 0 0; Manny Vegil - 1 0-0 3; Eric Clutter - 8 0-1 16; T.C. Adams — 1 0-0 2; Jeff Dunn

-60-014; Jason Swopes -60-0

16; John Shaw — 0 0 0; Michael Smith -2 1-2 5. TOTALS -24

Three-points — Seagraves (1) Cavazos. Greenwood (7) = Vegil (1); Dunn (2); Swopes (4),★ ★ ★

The Greenwood Rangerettes dropped a 68-54 decision to Lubbock Cooper here Friday night in girls basketball action. The lose drops the Greenwood squad to (7-9), before district play begins.

Christina Edwards scored 35 points for Cooper, while Brandy Fowler paced the Rangerettes

Heather Haun also scored in doubl figures with 12 points in a

losing cause. The jv squad defeated the

Cooper jy 42-27. LUBBOCK COOPER(68)

Steibley -0.1-2.1; Self -0.2-3.2; McCaslind — 5 4-4 14; Smith — 1 0-12: Chavez — 30-26; Edwards - 16 3-5 35; Hobbs — 3 2-4 8. TOTALS - 28 12-21 68.

GREENWOOD(54): Trisha Ross -20-24; Misti Evans -11-2 3; Jessica Stewart -10-02; Carrie Myers -21-25; Heather Donnell — 3 0-2 6; Brandy Fowler — 6 2-2 14; Megan Honea -10-22; Patrice Studdard -30-2 6; Heather Haun - 6 0-1 12. TOTALS - 25 4-11 54.

Three-pointers — none.

## Stenholm

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with a family can afford to buy a home. Everytime the interest rate goes down, it brings down our deficit by 36 billion dollars," he

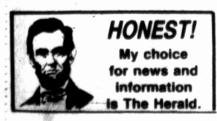
In other matters, Stenholm told the crowd that he was glad the President got off the lais-sez-faire attitude on trade against the rest of the world.

"Our fair trade should be the same rules applying to the rest of the world. In Japan, they have a system of partnerships between the people and its government.

• On health care, Stenholm told the group that another crisis facing our nation's well-being was the rural health care costs.

"Our system is broken down. Today we are paying 12 percent of our GNP. By the year 2030, our percentage will climb to 37 percent at the

rate its going now. "On Jan. 14, we will have a Town Hall Meeting in Abilene to come together and share ideas that wil benefit us all. I invite everyone to attend this meeting," Stenholm



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