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NEWS DIGEST



The Living Christmas Tree brings Christmas cheer and good wishes to residents. Tickets for the First United Methodist Church's Living Christmas Tree are now available.

Living Christmas Tree Dec. 5-6

First United Methodist Church has tickets available for its annual Living Christmas Tree. Free tickets can be picked up at the church office, 400 Scurry. The musical event is set for Dec. 5-6, 7:30 p.m. at the church. It will feature singers from various area churches. For more information, contact FUMC at 267-6394.

Internship program deadline Jan. 15

Congressman Charles Stenholm is now accepting applications from college students and educators interested in participating in the 1993 Washington D.C. Internship Program. Four interns will be selected to work in the congressman's office for one-month interval in June or July, involved in the daily operations of the office. Applications are available by writing Raymond McDaniel Jr., Chairman of the Omar Burleson Congressional Internship Selection Committee, P.O. Box 543, Abilene, Texas 79604 or by calling Elaine Talley in the Abilene District at 673-7221. The deadline to apply is Jan. 15, 1993.

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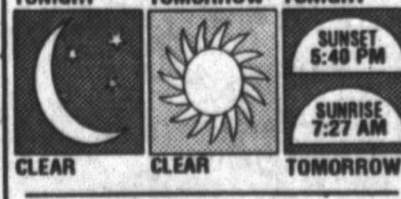
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Weather

Tonight, clear and cold. Low in the lower to mid 20s. North wind 5 to 15 mph. Thanksgiving, sunny but continued cold. High in the upper 40s. North wind 10 to 20 mph. See extended forecast page 8A.



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Airport improvements will help efforts to bring in commercial airline service

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
Staff Writer

Timing of renovations at Big Spring McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark is in sync with efforts to bring a commercial flight through Big Spring. Although the \$788,000 worth of improvements, planned by the city for next year, are typical annual renovations, many of them "coincidentally" will help bring the airpark into federal compliance for commercial flights, said city Public Works Director Tom Decell. "For the airport to be certified for scheduled commercial aircraft with the capacity to seat more than 30 people, a number of the things that we're doing in this project are mandatory in order to get certified," Decell said.

The city could have 50-seat commercial planes with flights to and from Dallas, Santa Fe and Ruidoso as soon as next year, officials with New Mexico-based Resort Air Lines Ltd. announced this week. The non-profit group is still seeking the other half of \$9.5 million for start up costs.

Local contact with Resort Air Lines was initiated two months ago by Linda Roger, executive vice president of the Big Spring Area



Next year's ongoing renovations of Big Spring McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark will "coincidentally" help bring the airport into compliance to handle commercial flights as recent efforts continue to bring a commercial flight in.

Chamber of Commerce. Roger and others have pursued the project since that time.

But the city has been working on next year's renovation plans "a lot

longer than that," Decell said. It's a coincidence that the renovations, part of an airport master plan developed a decade ago, will help.

"It's great that we have this, ob-

viously," he said. "But it's just an ongoing process."

Federal Aviation Administration officials recently surveyed the airpark to determine what needs to be

Improvements

- Rehabilitate the main runway, which runs north-south.
- Rehabilitate Taxi way B that runs length of main runway.
- Reconstruct Taxi way C on north end.
- Rehabilitate asphaltic concrete around T-hangers on the east end.
- Rehabilitate asphaltic concrete around hangars on west end.
- Put fence around airport perimeter, including chain-link in some places and four-strand smooth wire in others, to keep non-aviation traffic out. Electronically operated and manually operated gates will be included.

done to upgrade the license to Type 139. Decell said Tuesday he is still poring over written regulations to determine all the changes needed.

Next year's improvements are scheduled to begin in October after federal funding of \$724,200 and state funding of \$39,900 is received. The city will fund \$39,900. City officials are scheduled to meet with engineers next week to begin working out details.

Holiday closes government offices

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Most city, county, state and federal offices will be closed Thursday and Friday.

Area schools closed Tuesday and will not reopen until Monday, school officials said.

City administration offices will be closed Thursday and Friday. Emergency services will be available on a call-out basis. The landfill will remain open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., but there will be no trash collection.

All county offices will be closed, with the exception of the sheriff's office. Emergencies requiring road crews can be handled through the sheriff's office.

Texas Department of Public Safety highway patrol troopers will be on duty, but the drivers license office will be closed until Monday.

Troopers are asking motorists to drive safely during the holiday season. This includes observing speed limits, wearing seatbelts and not drinking and driving.

The DPS also warns motorists to be aware of changes in weather, affecting driving conditions. And, beware of intoxicated drivers on the roads and highways.

The post office will be closed Thursday for Thanksgiving, but will reopen on Friday.



Making a point

Three inmates from the Big Spring Federal Correctional Institution were at Kentwood Elementary School Tuesday afternoon, talking to the students about drugs as part of a "Just Say No" program. Above, a group of third grade students, one of several groups to attend, sit in the cafeteria and listen to the trio give details about their past. At right, inmates Craig Hanley, left, J.R. Wallin and Art Arredondo talk about their life with drugs and how it landed them in prison.



Herald photos by Tim Appert

Economic growth rate high

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The economy grew at the fastest pace of George Bush's presidency during the July-September quarter, advancing at a brisk 3.9 percent annual rate, the government said today.

The performance was the economy's best since it also grew at a 3.9 percent rate in October-December 1988, when Ronald Reagan was president, the Commerce Department said.

Growth, powered by increased consumer spending, was far stronger than the seasonally adjusted 2.7 percent rate initially reported, which itself was so much better than economists' predictions that some speculated that the Commerce Department must have "cooked the books" to help Bush's re-election effort.

However, today's improved number comes too late to do Bush any good. In advance, economists were expecting a modest upward revision to about a 2.9 percent growth rate.

Before the latest report, the best quarter of Bush's term had come during his first in office, when the January-March 1989 growth rate was 3.2 percent.

In the second quarter of this year, the economy grew at an anemic 1.5 percent annual rate. It advanced at a moderate 2.9 percent rate in the first quarter.

In other economic news today, the National Association of Realtors said sales of existing homes soared 9 percent in October to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 3.6 million. It was the biggest monthly increase in more than six years and the highest level of sales in more than three years.

In a report accompanying the GDP figures, the Commerce Department said damage and insurance losses caused by Hurricane Andrew in Florida and Louisiana and Hurricane Iniki in Hawaii produced a 6 percent slump in after-tax corporate profits to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of \$218.8 billion. It was the biggest drop in 6½ years.

However, without the hurricanes, profits would have risen

NPS feeling budget crunch

Services at federal parks, monuments to be cut

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Evening visits to the Liberty Bell may be out. Seventy miles of Virginia's scenic Skyline Drive could be closed much of next year. And that may be only the beginning.

The federal budget crunch is hitting the National Park Service. The agency is trying to absorb a \$48 million shortfall in its operating budget, and officials said Tuesday that service and staff cuts at federal parks and monuments were being considered nationwide.

Park officials can expect strong local opposition to any shutdowns from businesses that depend on tourism. In fact, the proposal to close parts of Skyline Drive in Shenandoah National Park from Dec. 1 until June drew an immediate protest from Virginia members of Congress.

The shutdown of part of the Shenandoah park "will have a

detrimental impact on thousands of citizens ... (and) represents a major threat to tourism" the Virginia delegation complained in a letter to NPS Director James Ridenour.

As a result, said George Berkclacy, a park service spokesman, Ridenour put the Skyline Drive plan on hold Tuesday. Berkclacy said the proposal was not dead, but that other options, such as shorter opening hours, were being studied. He said that in other parks daily hours are expected to be shortened and staff vacancies could go unfilled.

Last week, Ridenour sent field superintendents their budgets and told them to produce specific cost-cutting plans by next week to meet the shortfall.

Berkclacy said Congress provided the agency with \$904 million in operating money for fiscal 1993, about \$48 million less than what the agency had said it needed to run

the park system. While the new Congress next year may provide more money, the park service is planning cuts in the meantime.

Not all of the possible cuts were known Tuesday because many local park officials have not yet submitted their detailed cost-cutting plans, said Berkclacy.

He said the park service was attempting to spread the impact of the budget reduction across the federal system, which includes 51 national parks and more than 300 other units including national recreational areas, historic sites and battlefield monuments.

"We do not have enough funds for fiscal year 1993 to operate the entire park at the levels of quality and quantity we had hoped for," said Shenandoah's superintendent, J.W. Wade.

Berkclacy said the Shenandoah park along the Skyline Drive expected to save \$200,000 by closing the north and south sections.

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Carjacking ends at parochial school

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SAN ANTONIO — A wild multiple carjacking spree ended when a stolen police car was cornered at a parochial school and the driver was arrested on seven charges of aggravated robbery, police say.

Jimmy Dean Risinger, 37, of Center Point, was charged with seven counts of aggravated robbery with a deadly weapon in connection with the hourlong rampage.

He was transported to Medical Center Hospital where he was treated for injuries suffered in a fall.

He was being held in the Bexar County jail early today in lieu of \$105,000 bond.

The chain of carjackings began at a Windcrest fast food restaurant, where a man held a knife to the abdomen of a pregnant woman, forcing her out of her car before fleeing in the car. He abandoned that car two blocks away and took another car which he drove onto the greens and fairways at Windcrest Golf Club.

Police believe he then took two other cars after forcing the occupants out.

After unsuccessfully trying to rob the manager of a nearby apartment complex of a set of master keys, the man made a number of fruitless carjacking attempts, occasionally claiming to be armed with a gun. Police said no gun ever was found.

"Everything was happening so fast, going in different directions, and we're trying to find what car he is in," Sgt. Doug Kempf said.

The man turned up a few minutes later at another intersection where he attempted to force a woman from her van.

Police said the van was stopped in traffic at the intersection in the inside lane when the carjacker approached and said, "Move over or else."

The man "appeared to be shouting and hitting (the woman) as he crawled on her lap," police said.

A nearby policewoman noticed the struggle and approached the van to arrest the man, who shoved the officer and bolted into his patrol car, which still had the keys in the ignition.

"(He) shoved his body against mine causing me to mistep on the median," Patrolwoman Rosemary Nefford said, adding the carjacker nearly hit a motorcycle officer when he left in her police cruiser.

Another officer gave chase and the man drove his car between some buildings at St. Mary's Hall school.

"We were really fortunate in that there wasn't anybody out of classes at the time," Kempf said, noting that the students were having lunch in a school cafeteria.

After police stopped the stolen cruiser, the man attempted to sprint away but quickly was chased down by Officer Robert Hadley.

"He didn't get a chance to run away," Sgt. Bill Morales said. "He was driving where vehicles shouldn't be."

Shellfish ban continues

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

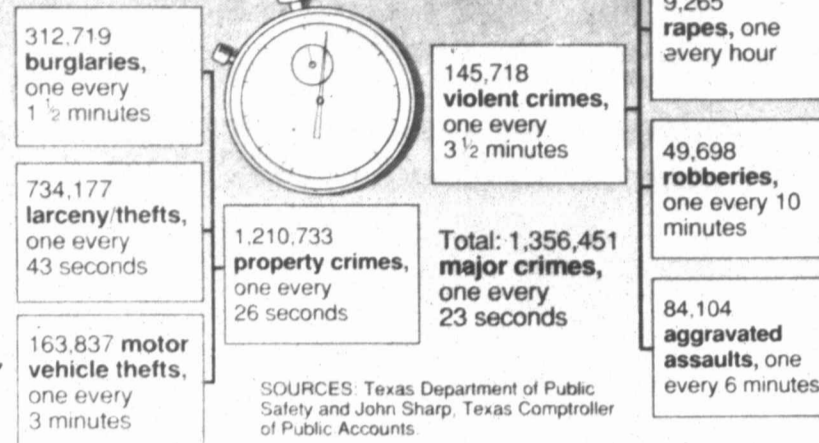
CORPUS CHRISTI — Texas health officials have continued indefinitely a ban on shellfish harvesting in Corpus Christi Bay because of bacteria high levels.

The ban prohibits harvesting of oysters, clams and mussels, said Mike Ordner, spokesman for the Texas Health Department's shellfish sanitation control division.

Keeping an eye on Texas

Crime clock ticking in Texas

Major crime in Texas averaged one every 23 seconds in 1991. The 1.4 million serious crimes included 2,651 murders, 9,265 rapes and 84,104 aggravated assaults for an overall increase of 0.8 percent since 1990.



Teen wounded in what's termed 'street justice'

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SAN ANTONIO — A teenager who was given probation instead of a jail term for his part in a deadly gang-related shooting spree was wounded twice when at least three people fired more than 75 shots and tossed two Molotov cocktails at his home, police say.

Danny Raul Gonzalez, 19, suffered gunshot wounds in his left hand a minor graze wound in the back of his head, police said Tuesday. His cousin, Milton Castillo, 26, was shot in the foot.

Gonzalez had been given 10 years deferred adjudication last week after he pleaded no contest to murder and attempted murder charges in a gang-related shooting two years ago that left two teenagers dead and two others wounded.

By getting deferred adjudication, Gonzalez will have the charges dismissed if he does not violate his probation for 10 years.

Police say the shooting incident was a case of street justice trying to make up for what some saw as a lack of courtroom justice.

"It was not unexpected," said police homicide Lt. Larry Birney. "Drive-by shootings, being as common as they are, the public sometimes has a tendency to take its own course of action."

Defense lawyer Ray Angelini said he had advised Gonzalez to "get out of town" to avoid problems following the sentence.

"I knew they'd shoot up his house," the lawyer added.

State District Judge Terry McDonald noted at the time of sentencing that Gonzalez had cooperated with police, but Angelini said Gonzalez never identified anyone else involved in the 1990 shooting.

"How do you make them stop?" Danny Gonzalez's mother, Margie Gonzalez, asked Tuesday, pointing to holes the size of quarters and half-dollars throughout the four-bedroom home. "We have to move. You know they're going to come back. Once they start, they keep coming back."

The complete plates are placed in microwave ovens before being served, so the meals are hot.

Organizers have been working on the meal for about three weeks and have distributed fliers at truck stops and broadcast details about the effort on citizen's band radios.

"The volunteers come out to work on two-hour shifts so that way they can be a part of this and still have Thanksgiving dinner with their families," Ms. Hernandez said.

"I understand other parts of the country are doing this now. The Lord has us all out there to reach someone else," Ms. Hernandez said.

The high bacteria levels were caused by recent heavy rainfall runoff into the bay.

Although the ban probably won't last long, Ordner said, reopening Corpus Christi Bay is not a high priority because of the low level of commercial or recreational harvesting there.

Shellfish harvesting was banned in Nueces Bay on Nov. 7, but that ban was lifted Friday, Nov. 20, Ordner said Tuesday.

Ghost town

Post office pulls out of Sandy

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SANDY — First went the cotton gin, back in the 1920s, when people looked to greener pastures.

Then, in '36, the Baptist church was torn down, the wood used to help a burned-out neighbor. The congregation began meeting with others in Johnson City.

Six years later, the school closed and the country kids followed the Baptists and learned their lessons along with the kids in Johnson City.

Now after 120 years, Sandy has lost its post office, its general store is expected to follow soon, and like many one-time bustling Texas farm communities, this rural Blanco County crossroads is on a path to becoming a ghost town.

The shutdown is part of postal cost-cutting moves nationwide. Employees were offered retirement incentives, and smaller operations are being consolidated.

"I hate to see it go," said Charles Matus, who owns a nearby ranch. "That's all there is in these communities — the post office and the general store."

"It's a good meeting place," Matus said. "Once they're ever closed, it's gone forever. It's the hub of the community."

On Friday, Sandy lost a spoke. For the last time, Postmaster Victoria Carbury sorted the mail for carrier M.D. Terry and emptied the pigeonholes that have secured the mail since the 1880s.

The Sandy post office was established at the home of J.M. Cotton in July 1872 and has been

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Charles Matus ranch owner

connected to the community's general store since 1883.

The town's heyday was the early 1900s when about 200 people in the surrounding area supported a general store, cotton gin, blacksmith shop, church and schools. Today, there are about 50 residents.

The postal facade that fit in a corner of the current store, past the plungers and the canned goods, is believed to have come out of the first store. The current store was built in the mid-1940s.

"They've been talking about closing this little post office for years," said Mrs. Carbury, who served as assistant to her husband, Raymond, for 15 years before taking over as postmaster after his death in 1970.

"It was an accommodation for the people," Mrs. Carbury said. "This is a big information station."

When the store opened, so did the postal service.

"I'd put the flag up and open the doors," Mrs. Carbury said. "It was automatic."

Mrs. Carbury said the post office provided much of the store's customer traffic and most of her income. Without it, she plans to shut the store in the upcoming months. The majority of customers now will

get their mail on a postal route. Others will get boxes in Johnson City, 10 miles away, or use the services of post offices in Hye, 12 miles away, or Round Mountain, 10 miles away.

But customers will lose Mrs. Carbury's hand delivery and the banter with neighbors as they lingered at the store.

Mrs. Carbury had two dozen to three dozen boxes reserved for customers at any given time in the past few years. "We know everybody," she said. "If grandma's visiting, they tell us."

She shared in the lives of the community from those who anxiously awaited word of relatives at war to others who got orders from the Sears, Roebuck and Co. catalog.

Carbury even cared for chickens dropped off for one of her customers.

Closing country post offices "is really paralleling the whole demographics of Texas — people migrating from the smaller rural areas into the suburbs and big cities," said Mike Barnett, an Austin postal field operations supervisor.

The Sandy service, about 60 miles west of Austin, lost \$10,000 in fiscal 1991, Barnett said.

Metal detectors installed in club district

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SAN ANTONIO — Metal detectors have become de rigueur at a local club district after a recent shooting seriously wounded a teenager.

Beginning this weekend, revelers at St. Mary's Strip will be swept at club entrances by hand-held metal detectors, said Bill Sanchez, president of the St. Mary's Strip Merchants Association.

Seven detectors have been bought so far by the merchant's group.

"We're going to do everything we can to secure St. Mary's Street," Sanchez said. "We're doing everything possible to ensure the safety of everybody."

Last Friday, 18-year-old Mark Flores was shot twice in the abdomen following an argument with another man at Huey's Restaurant.

Two men have been arrested in connection with that shooting.

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Nation/World

U.S. weighs improving ties with Vietnam

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The United States is weighing steps to improve ties with Vietnam following the release by Hanoi of information about missing American servicemen, Bush administration officials say.

But the officials cautioned Tuesday that there was strong sentiment among key officials against relaxing restrictions because Vietnam has offered only limited cooperation in returning the remains of missing servicemen.

There also was disappointment here about the lack of significant progress in resolving the so-called discrepancy cases — U.S. personnel known to have been alive when captured or about to be captured.

The main drawback to keeping a hard-line policy was that authorities in Hanoi could decide in response to withdraw their cooperation in the hope that President-elect Clinton might be more flexible once he takes office, the officials said.

But to grant concessions to Vietnam now could remove any incentive for Hanoi authorities to continue cooperation, the officials said.

Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., chairman of the Senate Select Committee on POW-MIA Affairs, said Monday the United States should reward Vietnam for its more forthcoming attitude on the MIA-POW issue.

Kerry and other committee members, just back from a trip to the region, said Vietnam had extended extraordinary cooperation, including allowing lawmakers access to Vietnam's equivalent of the Pentagon.

The officials said no decisions on Vietnam policy will be made until after President Bush meets with Kerry and other committee members.

The officials, asking not to be identified, said the administration was weighing these options:

—Allowing U.S. companies to sign contracts to do business in

Vietnam once the U.S. embargo, imposed in 1975, is lifted.

—Giving U.S. companies the right to open offices in Vietnam to do feasibility studies for eventual business operations.

—Cooperating with other countries to help Vietnam pay its \$60 million to \$70 million debt to the International Monetary Fund.

Under administration policy, these steps are permitted if there is substantial progress on the MIA-POW issue.

The National League of Families of American Prisoners and Missing in Southeast Asia criticized Kerry's call for relaxation of the embargo as premature.

A League statement said it strongly opposes further concessions until Vietnam has taken steps to resolve discrepancy cases and repatriates remains of deceased servicemen. More than 1,600 Americans are still unaccounted for from the Vietnam War.

A number of U.S. corporations are eager to do business in Vietnam, mindful that Japanese interests are taking advantage of investment opportunities there.

But these U.S. businesses have kept a low profile to avoid antagonizing veterans groups, which generally oppose concessions to the Vietnamese.

The one concession granted so far by the administration has been to permit direct-dial telephone service between the two countries and to allow Vietnam to share the revenues.

Successive U.S. administrations have been able to block Vietnamese efforts to do business with the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund. But Japan and France consider the U.S. policy obsolete and believe Vietnam should be allowed to benefit from the programs of these institutions, the officials said.

They added that the ability of the United States to prevent the IMF and the World Bank from doing business with Vietnam has diminished sharply during the past year.



French farmers upset

A French farmer burns an American flag in Saint-Brieuc, Brittany, Tuesday. About 500 farmers demonstrated in front of a government building to demand the French government

veto the GATT agreement between the U.S. and the European Community, which if passed would cut farm subsidies.

Irish voters end divisive abortion debate

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

DUBLIN, Ireland — The Irish culminated a divisive yearlong debate on abortion today with a vote on easing restrictions against its ban.

Along with choosing a new parliament, the country's 2.5 million eligible voters were being asked to consider amendments to Ireland's abortion laws, the strictest in western Europe.

Opinion polls suggest the country is likely to have another coalition government, and that the administration of Prime Minister Albert Reynolds will be rebuffed on its proposed rewriting of the abortion law.

Lines formed at some capital polling stations as commuters stopped to vote soon after polls opened at 9 a.m. First results were expected Thursday afternoon.

Among the first to vote, at a convent school in his Longford constituency, was Prime Minister Albert

Reynolds. He and other party leaders joined in pleas for a high turnout, but low temperatures, near gale-force winds and heavy rain in parts of the country were expected to deter voters.

Dublin bookmakers offered 6-to-4 odds that Reynolds would retain the premiership, though at the head of a new-look coalition government.

Voters were asked whether to permit women to leave Ireland for abortions, whether to permit the distribution of information about abortion and whether to make abortion available to save the life of the mother.

The Pro-Life Campaign on Monday released a letter from Mother Teresa, once a student in Ireland, calling for the country to reject abortion completely. That would mean a "no" vote on all three ballot issues.

Ireland's Roman Catholic bishops did not take a public stand. The third proposal drew opposi-

tion from both sides of the abortion debate in this overwhelmingly Catholic country, and opinion polls commissioned by Irish newspapers showed it was losing.

But there were strong majorities for the travel and information amendments.

The proposal to allow abortions for mothers whose lives are threatened arose after the Supreme Court ruled in February that a 14-year-old girl who threatened suicide unless she could abort could go abroad for the procedure.

The government proposal would rule out threats of suicide as a reason for abortion.

Some anti-abortion activists consider the proposal too permissive, while some pro-choice advocates say it's too restrictive — that abortion should be allowed to protect a woman's health or in the event of rape.

Storm pounding the Plains

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Holiday travelers were warned to stay off icy roads today as a powerful storm pounded the Plains with heavy snow and strong winds.

Hundreds of miles of highway were closed in several states Tuesday as the storm blew east from the Rockies. Many Thanksgiving travelers who did venture out came to regret it.

"There are crazy people driving all over out there," said Sheriff's Lt. Dan Toneges in Garden City, Kan. "They're out doing things they shouldn't be doing."

In Amarillo, Texas, 200 vehicles were involved in an early-morning pileup Tuesday on snow-covered Interstate 40, police said. No deaths were reported. Three motorists were killed in weather-related traffic accidents Tuesday in Texas and Kansas. An 11-year-old girl died in a Colorado sledding accident.

Heavy rain fell today in the South. Tornadoes since Saturday were blamed for at least 26 deaths in the South and Midwest.

Snow advisories were up today in parts of Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri. The storm was expected to reach Minnesota and Wisconsin by Thanksgiving.

Western Kansas was buried Tuesday under nearly a foot of snow, and wind gusted to 40 mph. Cars littered ditches alongside icy roads, officials said, and dozens of trucks jackknifed or tipped over.

The storm dumped nearly a foot of snow in parts of Colorado and Wyoming before pushing east.

Emergency shelters were set up for stranded motorists. In Meade, Kan., 18 people were put up in the county ambulance barn, and two churches were opened as shelters.

"We're a little town with a big heart," said Lou Richardson of the Meade County Sheriff's Department.

Schools were closed across the region.

Weather-related accidents Tuesday killed two motorists near Vega, Texas, and another near Ingalls, Kan.

Brazil's latest import: Babies

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

CURITIBA, Brazil — For most of her 23 years, Dalva da Silva clung to the hope that she, her mother and three sisters would break the grip of poverty and escape the two-room hovel in a hillside slum outside Curitiba.

An unwanted pregnancy took the hope away. She had no husband, no schooling, no skills. Her life would be a series of low-wage jobs, her home always a slum.

Then Dalva learned that the baby might be her ticket out of poverty.

During a checkup at a maternity hospital, an off-duty nurse told her to turn the child over to an agency that matched infants with rich couples. The nurse said the baby was worth \$1,000, as much as Dalva could earn in 18 months.

One night, Dalva wrapped 28-day-old Felipe in a sweater, slipped out of her house and took a bus to the Sao Carlos Hospital, where four members of a baby-smuggling ring waited in a station wagon.

They were to drive the boy 520 miles north to Rio de Janeiro, collect \$30,000 from an Italian couple and put Felipe on a plane for Rome, but the plan went awry. An anonymous informant called federal police, who arrested Dalva and the baby smugglers. Felipe was taken to a child-care center.

The case attracted national attention to the shadowy network of lawyers, judges, doctors and nurses who sell infants to foreign couples for huge profits.

"It's a stinking business," said Joao Noronha, chief of the anti-kidnapping division of the federal police in Curitiba, capital of Parana, one of the states where baby-trafficking is most common.

Noronha also indicted four other members of the ring involved with Dalva and Felipe, including Arlete Hilu, 47, the gang leader.

Police say Hilu, a Parana lawyer who illegally arranged at least 500 adoptions for Israeli couples, was arrested in 1988 for selling an infant girl to an Israeli couple in Paraguay for \$10,000.

Hilu, released on probation in 1990, set up another baby-smuggling operation in four states of southern Brazil, police said, and sold more than 60 babies before she was arrested again.

Adoptions by foreigners are legal in Brazil, but arranging them for profit is punishable by up to four years in jail.

Each year, thousands of single mothers sell their babies to smugglers. The mother receives up to \$3,000, or sometimes an apartment, a car, stereo equipment, even food.

In 1991, Ceara state police found that Maria Ferreira do Nascimento, 21, had traded her infant

daughter for 6 pounds of rice, 6 pounds of beans and a sack of coffee.

Foreigners generally do not know paying fees to middlemen is illegal, said Jose Batista da Costa, a federal inspector in Curitiba.

Baby traffickers often tell adoptive parents local regulations require an "honorarium" of \$10,000 to \$15,000, when in fact, court fees and interpreters cost no more than \$500 for a legal adoption.

Color is a big factor in the price of a baby. White-skinned, blue-eyed infants can fetch \$50,000, but dark-skinned children never sell for more than \$20,000, da Costa said.

Authorities are even investigating reports that Brazilian babies are sold abroad for their organs. That inquiry began after two Italian judges came to Brazil in 1990 to look into charges that babies were taken to Mexico and killed to supply organs for transplant in Italy.

Parana, Santa Catarina and Rio Grande do Sul states, all in the far south, are "hunting grounds" for baby gangs because of the many German, Russian, Polish and Italian immigrants who settled there, according to da Costa.

Smugglers sometimes send women into slums to pose as social workers seeking children for wealthy local families.

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GENERAL FUND			
REVENUE:	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE)
Local	\$11,255,745	\$11,423,362	\$167,617
Total Revenues	\$11,255,745	\$11,423,362	\$167,617
EXPENDITURE:			
Purchased & Contracted Services	\$4,200	\$3,435	\$765
Supplies and Materials	\$1,500	\$495	\$1,005
Other Operating Expenditures	\$2,300	\$1,838	\$462
Tax Payment to Local Education Agencies	\$11,250,245	\$11,250,245	-
Total Expenditures	\$11,250,245	\$11,256,013	\$2,232
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues over Expenditures	(\$2,500)	\$167,349	\$169,849
Fund Balance - September 1, 1991 (Beginning)	-	-	-
FUND BALANCE - August 31, 1992 (Ending)	(\$2,500)	\$167,349	\$169,849

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OPINION

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it."

Voltaire

What role will Hillary Clinton play?

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Women and the military

The Presidential Commission on the Assignment of Women in the Armed Forces issued a thick report the other day. The silence that has greeted it — in contrast to the din surrounding President-elect Clinton's promise to lift the ban on gays in the military — is understandable, now that its originator is a lame duck.

Committed supporters of opening combat jobs to women, moreover, always regarded the commission as stacked against their side. It is no surprise to them that the members narrowly favored ending the combat-exclusion only on ships (except submarines and amphibious vessels), not planes. No doubt progressives will press the arguments for women combat pilots with the new administration.

Two points about the work of the commission, however, deserve to be underscored before it sinks out of sight. First, the public should appreciate that keeping women out of ground combat units was not at issue. The commissioners voted 10 yes, 0 no with 2 abstentions to retain this basic combat exclusion. The marked differences in men's and women's physical capacity for hand-to-hand fighting, digging, carrying heavy loads and other tasks central to ground combat would be decisive by themselves. Intangible questions of unit cohesion, forced intimacy and deep-seated human values only reinforce the case.

The other is the general agreement (9 yes, 0 no, 1 abstention) that something must be done to minimize separation of young children from their only parent or from both parents due to military deployment. During the Gulf War, about 32,000 children of single-parent households and another 5,000 children of "dual-service" couples saw their parents go off to war, the commission says. Pictures of mothers in fatigues kissing babies good-bye shocked Americans. Just as the military respects family by not sending into battle the brothers of a man killed in combat, it should refrain from sundering vital parent-child ties.

The commissioners did not attempt to prescribe just how this problem should be dealt with but endorsed a smorgasbord of alternative policies. At the very least, it seems to us, the rules should be such that no child under school age is left without either parent because of deployment.

Perhaps the first lady-elect, a longstanding advocate for children, would like to champion this cause, picking up where the commission left off.

Many questions remain about just what part Hillary Clinton will play in her husband's administration.

Or, what he will play in her White House.

We can assume, however, Hillary Clinton will not be your normal Rose Garden variety first lady.

In fact she might even detest such a title.

Today's modern woman can be picky that way. I referred to a trumpet person who played the national anthem at the World Series in Atlanta last year as a "lady," and a feminist wrote to say the cheese had fallen off my politically correct cracker.

I even contacted Ms. magazine in order to obtain more information concerning my insensitivity, and I was told lady was not at all acceptable in the '90s.

I also got mail from other women who said they still enjoyed being called a lady but what did they know? They've all probably even forgotten their maiden names.

So how should we refer to



Lewis Grizzard

Hillary Clinton? First spouse? First equal partner? Her Hillaryness?

During one of her husband's recent press conferences in Little Rock, he was asked if his wife had sat in on a high-level meeting he had with Democratic leaders in Congress.

The president-elect seemed almost offended by the question. He said not only had his wife been present, but she also had had the most to say on many of the issues discussed. Somehow that's not a surprise.

Personally, I think we can look for Hillary Clinton to play a major part in governing the nation for the next four years.

There's the revenge factor for one thing. After firing off a few

early mis-mouths about staying home and baking cookies and country singer Tammy Wynette, somebody in the campaign obviously told her to zip it, at least until after the election.

But now that her husband is safely in the presidency, she might want to make up for the time she missed speaking her mind during the campaign.

And who's to say Hillary wasn't the one who came up with most of the ideas the president-elect espoused (which has nothing to do with an ex-wife) during the campaign anyway?

Say what you want, Hillary is smart. And when the Jennifer Flowers story hit, what did Bill Clinton have to promise his wife to stand next to him quietly and smile while he tried desperately to tip-toe around the issue?

Will she get foreign policy or a seat on the Supreme Court in return?

It's silly to think any man elected to the presidency would not be influenced in some way by his wife. Columnists, house

painters, and used car salesmen aren't immune to spousal influence either.

But how much a president's wife can sway him affects all of us, and Hillary Clinton, no-stay-at-home cookie-baker, a you-can-have-it-all '90s woman, could have more say in her husband's administration than any other president's wife in the history of the country.

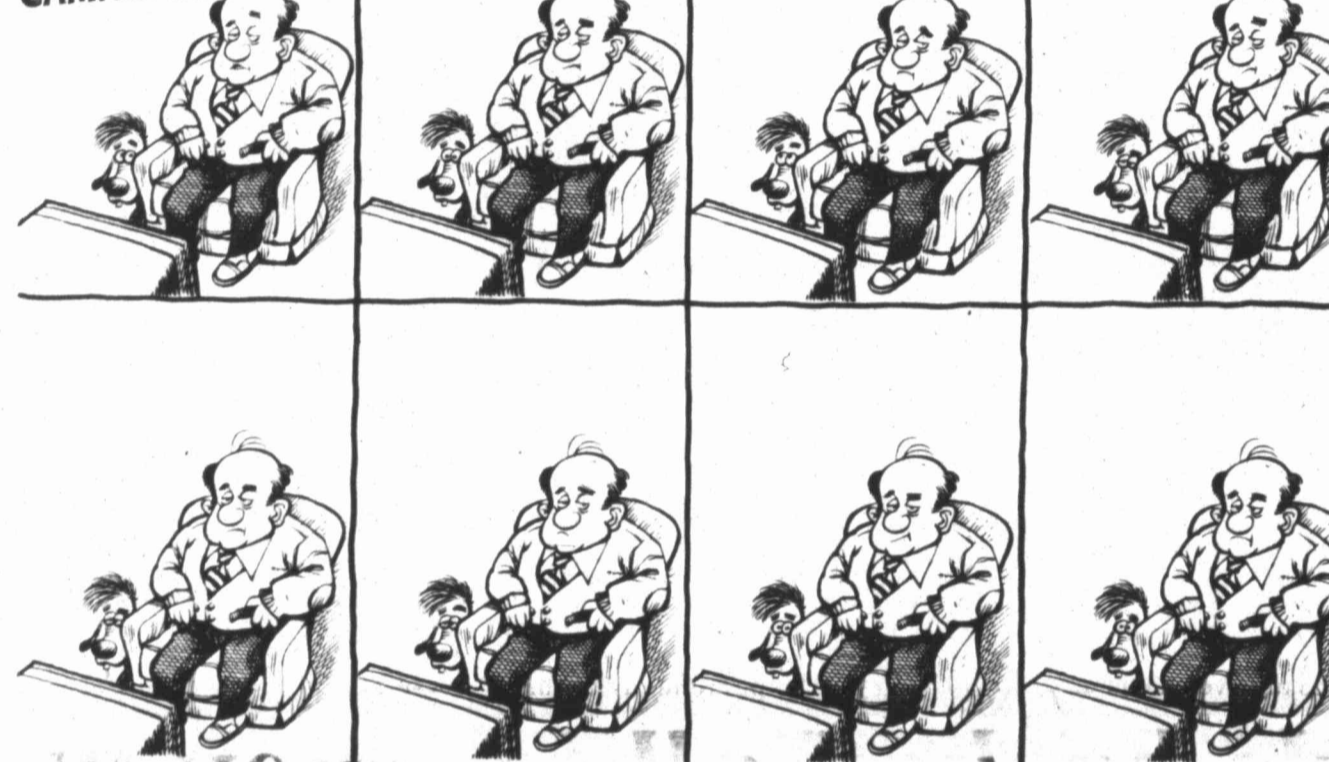
You couldn't say to Hillary Clinton, "Honey, this is man-talk, nothing to worry your pretty little head about."

Hillary Clinton would pull a knife on a man who said something like that to her.

I think it would be prudent for Hillary to stand alongside her husband during press conferences. Ask Bill a question and then see how many times Hillary agrees with him. That way, we might really get to know what the country's in for.

With apologies to Groucho Marx: "Who was that first lady I saw you with last night?" "That wasn't no first lady. That was the co-president."

THERE'S GOT TO BE SOMETHING TO BE SAID FOR THE '92 POLITICAL CAMPAIGN...



Become part of the solution

I was driving back into Big Spring after a trip to the Mexican Consulate in Midland and happened to tune in Rush Limbaugh on the radio.

Limbaugh was wondering where Hillary Clinton had come from all of a sudden, after seemingly disappearing during the presidential race.

Editorial cartoonist Dick Wright of the Providence (R.I.) Journal-Bulletin released a cartoon a few days before the election that showed Bill Clinton talking to a pet carrier... you know, one of the things you carry your pet in on trips.

Leaning over and covering his mouth as if to whisper, he said "Don't worry, Hillary, it's just a few more days."

The implication was clear, of course, that Hillary Clinton was going to have her say and that she was going to draw darts from the opposition every time she opened her mouth. Therefore, lock her away.

Now that her husband is soon to be the former governor of the state of Arkansas, she has reappeared and is voicing her opinion — and even sitting in on strategic planning sessions.

Those scenes have Clinton's many detractors — remember, he got only 43 percent of the popular vote — up in arms.

They have a problem with the co-president statements made during the campaign, and even with the president-elect's wife sitting in on planning sessions.

Why? How could you legitimately have a problem with the wife of the president-elect sitting in on planning meetings? At least it's in



John H. Walker

the open and is public knowledge... not at all like the revelations of the clandestine manner Nancy Reagan manipulated her husband during his terms.

But again, there are those who don't want Hillary Clinton involved because she is anti-family.

Is she anti-family because she is an attorney and a mother or because she is a successful attorney and mother?

I'll draw an analogy here, using the wives of two elected officials I referenced a couple of columns ago.

As I pointed out then, Dan Quayle was raked through the coals because he chose National Guard duty instead of Vietnam.

Except for the fact the Democrats ran Michael Dukakis for president, Quayle's military background could have taken George Bush down.

It has been documented and sort of admitted to by Bill Clinton that he told at least two lies to get out of ROTC and potential service in Vietnam. The truth had little negative impact, if any, on Clinton's bid for the White House.

Now, on to the wives. Both Marilyn Quayle and Hillary Clinton are attorneys. Marilyn, wife of Dan and mother of his children, is considered to be pro-family by those in right of the right wing of the

Republican Party. Hillary, wife of Bill and mother of his child, is considered to be anti-family by those same right-rights.

Why? The most common argument presented to me — which I have discounted — is her support of children's rights... the fact she voiced support of the youngster in Florida who sued to "divorce" his mother this summer.

To me, that's one of those "just because" reasons. One fear I share is that of soon-to-be vice president Albert Gore... the guy who fell into the crowd on election night and had to be pulled back on the platform by a Secret Service agent.

I know we must be concerned about the environment, but we have to balance that concern and practice with the realization we must survive. It is here that I agree — to a degree — with those who fear Gore's stance on the environment.

Still, it is up to the American people — all of us — to work together to see that America works.

The sharp-tongued, back-biting that continues tells me that our people have a long way to go before they grow up — both literally and figuratively.

Drop the inane, thinly veiled threats and work to move forward... remember, if you aren't part of the solution, then you're part of the problem!

John H. Walker is managing editor of the Big Spring Herald. His column appears Sunday and Wednesday. Readers wishing to respond may do so by writing in care of this newspaper.

bal attack on President Reagan's plan to deploy MX nuclear missiles in Wyoming, but also welcomed the president's offer for confidence-building measures to reduce the threat of war.

Five years ago: Harold Washington, the first black mayor of Chicago, died at age 65 after suffering a massive heart attack in his City Hall office.

Today's Birthdays: Baseball Hall of Famer Joe DiMaggio is 78. Actor Ricardo Montalban is 72. Actress Kathryn Crosby is 59. Actor John Larroquette is 45.

Scandals are back in D.C.

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — First there was Brock Adams. Then there was Daniel Inouye. Now there is Bob Packwood. Multiple allegations of sexual harassment have ended one career and cast a shadow over the other two.

The combustible mix of politics, power and sex has kept congressional ethics panels busy investigating conduct that ranges from indiscreet to improper to outright illegal.

Few lawmakers have been hardy enough to weather such storms. But some do.

The latest furor arose this weekend when Republican Packwood was accused of making unwelcome, uninvited, unreciprocated sexual advances against 10 women from 1969 to 1989.

Without going into specifics, he said he was sorry if he had caused any discomfort or embarrassment.

The Senate ethics committee will decide when Congress convenes next year whether to investigate a claim by Inouye's barber that he molested her 17 years ago. A state legislator in the Democrat's home state of Hawaii said she had received calls from nine other women with similar complaints.

Inouye has denied all the allegations. Packwood and Inouye were re-elected this month. Short of an ethics investigation forcing them to step down, they are safe for six years — plenty of time for scandals to fade and voters to temper their judgments.

Adams didn't put his reputation to the test. Several women — including the daughter of a family friend — accused him of fondling or drugging them. The Washington Democrat gave up his plans to run this year for a second Senate term.

Another senator caught in a scandalous web is David Durenberger, R-Minn., the target of a paternity lawsuit. The woman who filed it charges he raped her nearly 30 years ago. Durenberger says any contact was "consensual" and has agreed to take a paternity test.

Durenberger has other problems — he was involved in a messy divorce seven years ago and since then has been denounced by the Senate for financial misconduct. Plus, he's up for re-election sooner rather than later, in 1994.

"He has a pattern of perceived and actual unethical behavior," said James Thurber, a congressional expert at American University. "That adds up to problems. He seems to be vulnerable. A lot of money will go to his opponents."

Another Hill career shadowed by a sexual incident also ended this year. Rep. Gus Savage, D-Ill., wrote a letter of apology to a Peace Corps worker who said he made advances in the back seat of a car while he was in Zaire. Savage had other problems as well — terrible attendance, anti-Semitic and anti-white views — and voters finally kicked him out in a primary this year.

Two gay Democrats from Massachusetts — Reps. Gerry Studds and Barney Frank — have survived sex scandals, and Democratic Rep. Floyd Flake of New York has won two elections since a woman accused him of firing her from their church because their extramarital affair had ended.

More often the scandals are fatal, leading political psychologist Stanley Renshon to wonder: "How do you explain the fact that people who have such high ambitions are willing to take a real flier and risk those ambitions for sex?"

Letters

Let's leave judgment to God

Concerning the columns of Betty Johansen on the election and immorality, I would like to present another viewpoint.

Sin has existed from the beginning of time.

It did not begin with Bill and Hillary Clinton, nor do I attribute it to Ronald Reagan and George Bush.

Morality and family values have been on the decline for a long time.

God created man a free moral agent. He has a choice between right and wrong. We do not have the right to discriminate against nor prohibit the rights of others and we expect the same rights.

The constitution allows every citizen the freedom of religion, speech, and choice.

Let's leave the judgment of im-

morality to God, not Pat Robinson, Hal Linsey or James Dobson. They are capitalizing on religion for their own cause.

As for the criticism of Clinton's programs on education and inheritance taxes, I doubt the veracity of the sources of information.

Before we make a judgment on the elected president, I would suggest the reading of Matthew 23:23 and John 8: 1-11, concerning Phariseism and hypocrisy. Why not promote the christian principles of love, peace, and compassion for our fellow man instead of hatred and slander that characterized this campaign under the disguise of religion, family values and morality.

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Letter policy

The Big Spring Herald recognizes the importance of the "Letters to the Editor" column and letters on issues of general interest are

welcomed. To be considered for publication, letters must adhere to the following guidelines:

• Letters must be signed and must include a street address and daytime phone number for verification, although the address will not be published.

This date:

HERALD STAFF REPORT

Today is Wednesday, Nov. 25, the 330th day of 1992. There are 36 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 25, 1783, the British evacuated New York, their last military position in the United States during the Revolutionary War.

On this date: In 1758, in the French and Indian War, the British captured Fort Duquesne at what is now Pittsburgh.

In 1881, Pope John XXIII was born Angelo Roncalli in a village near Bergamo, Italy.

In 1920, radio station WTAW of College Station, Texas, broadcast the first play-by-play description of a football game, between the University of Texas and Texas A&M.

In 1944, baseball commissioner Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis died at age 78.

In 1957, President Dwight D. Eisenhower suffered a slight stroke.

In 1963, the body of President

John F. Kennedy was laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery, following a requiem Mass in Washington.

In 1973, Greek President George Papadopoulos was ousted in a bloodless military coup.

In 1974, former U.N. Secretary-General U Thant died in New York at age 65.

In 1984, William Schroeder of Jasper, Ind., became the second man to receive a Jarvik-7 artificial heart during a 6½-hour operation at Humana Hospital Audubon in Kentucky. (He lived

620 days on the device.)

In 1986, the Iran-Contra affair erupted as President Ronald Reagan and Attorney General Edwin Meese revealed that profits from secret arms sales to Iran had been diverted to Nicaraguan rebels.

In 1990, Poland held its first popular presidential election. (Solidarity founder Lech Walesa, who received a plurality of votes, won a runoff the following month.)

Ten years ago: The Soviet Union launched a new sharp ver-

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By MIKE BUTT Staff Writer

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Sports

Earnst takes charge with 20 points

Lady Steers stifles Tors

By MIKE BUTTS
Staff Writer

Like any basketball team, the Big Spring Lady Steers will take what the opposition gives them. Tuesday night against the Lamesa Lady Tors at Steer Gym the opposition was giving the inside and the Lady Steers took it with the help of 5-foot-11 junior post Amy Earnst.

Earnst scored a career-high 20 points to lead Big Spring to a convincing 63-48 win. She also blocked six shots in a show of near-dominance at both ends of the court.

"I think the big difference was our people scoring inside," Lady Steer coach Ron Taylor said. "We were able to get it inside (and score) and when they got it inside we were a bit taller and we were able to block shots and intimidate them."

Earnst, scoring mostly from point-blank range, had 14 points at halftime. At one stage of the game she had 20 points to Lamesa's 22.

"She's one that's just getting better every ballgame," Taylor said of the one junior in his otherwise all-senior starting lineup. "She's coming off of junior varsity and just accepting the challenge. Last year I bet she didn't score 20 points all year."

The Lady Steers (3-2) scored the first six points of the game and had a 14-8 first quarter lead with Earnst contributing nine of that total. They stretched their advantage to 20-10 less than three minutes into the second quarter and never trailed.

Guard Leslie Fryar added 11 points to the Big Spring cause, including three three-pointers. Bernice Valles scored 10. But just as important was the Lady Steer guards' ability to get the ball into Earnst and Cassie Underwood, who chipped in six points.

"What helps Amy is her supporting cast. Our kids work real hard at getting the pass into her," Taylor said.



Lamesa head coach Alan Thorpe said.

The Lady Tors only player with varsity experience before this year is Kechia Mason. Mason experience was evident. She led all scorers with 22 points. She hit several jumpers from inside the lane and demonstrated a nice hop-step move. Thorpe said she is averaging about 25 points a game this year.

Big Spring took a 31-19 lead at halftime. They outscored Lamesa by nine in the third quarter to go up 44-24. The Lady Steers biggest lead of the night came with 6:51 left in the fourth period when Fryar's three-pointer put Big Spring up 49-26.

"I'm tickled because our kids got embarrassed by (Lamesa) last year and it was a big game for us," Taylor said. "We felt like we had something to prove."

The Lady Steers will take the rest of the week off before playing Lubbock Estacado Tuesday in Steer Gym.

"We're 3-2 and I'm pretty happy to be at that spot because all the teams we played are pretty much (traditional) basketball schools," Taylor said.

Big Spring's JV lost to Lamesa 30-24. The Lady Tors JV outscored the Lady Steers 9-5 in the final period for the win. The JV is now 2-1. Kristi Birrell and Robbi Hall (6 points) led the scoring for the JV with Kari Blauser adding 4 points.

The Lady Steers freshmen went to 3-0 with a 32-22 win over Lamesa's freshmen at the Goliad Gym. Leslie Elrod and Robin Wise had 10 and nine points for the freshman.

Big Spring (43) — Earnst 8 4 2 0, Fryar 4 0 0 11, Cassie Underwood 3 0 0 6, Valles 3 4 4 10, Kerry Gregg 3 0 0 6, Casey Cook 2 1 2 7, Laura Elrod 1 1 2 2.

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Score by quarters
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Big Spring 14 16 13 19-43

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Big Spring Lady Steers senior forward Cassie Underwood (52) applies defensive pressure against a Killeen Ellison player last week in the Crossroads Tournament. Tuesday night Underwood scored six points and the Lady Steers beat Lamesa 63-48.

press for much of the game, but it was the Lady Tors that had trouble protecting the ball. They committed 23 turnovers to the Lady Steers.

18. "That (turnovers) has plagued us so far (this year) but we're a very inexperienced team."

Fast start carries Lamesa by Steers

LAMESA — The Big Spring Steers couldn't overcome a slow start and fell to the Lamesa Tornados, 63-58 in basketball action Tuesday night.

Big Spring fell behind 19-11 at the end of the first quarter and gradually cut into the lead. "We let them out on us big in a hurry but we came back and played awfully well," said Big Spring coach Gary Tipton. "We didn't start off very good. You can't spot Lamesa points, especially at their place. They did a good job of pressuring the ball."

"We're still not shooting a good percentage from the floor. I'm not as concerned about that, it will come. We're playing good defense, and as long as you do that, it will keep you in the ballgame. We only shot 35 percent from the floor. I'm tickled with the effort and us trying to play defense."

Senior forward Brady Cox paced Big Spring with 17 points. Wes Hughes scored nine points and Derek Smith and Jody Leggett scored eight points each.

The Steers fall to 1-2 for the season while Lamesa goes to 3-0.

In junior varsity action, Big Spring went to 3-0 with a 62-61 win. Dustin Waters paced Big Spring with 22 points and Chris Wollenzien added 18 points.

The Steers will be in their home opener Saturday against Snyder. Junior varsity begins at 6 p.m., followed by varsity play at 7:30.

Big Spring (58) — Wes Hughes 2 4 9; Nick Alvarez 2 1 5; Josh Jones 1 1 3; Derek Smith 4 0 8; Tyrone Banks 1 2 4; Torbin Lancaster 1 2 4; Jody Leggett 4 0 8; Brady Cox 7 3 17; Mike Smith 1 0 2; Totals 23 13 20 58.

LAMESA (63) — Martinez 1 4 6; Kelly 8 1 17; Winfield 2 2 6; Sheppard 3 2 8; Jenkins 2 1 5; Harris 0 1 1; Adams 2 1 5; Brown 0 5 5; Cantu 0 2 2; Garza 2 2 4; Totals 20 21 35 63.

Score by quarters
Big Spring 11 18 13 17-58
Lamesa 19 18 12 14-43

Colorado State releases reasons for firing coach

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

FORT COLLINS, Colo. — Colorado State University officials Tuesday night released an extensive list of allegations aimed at supporting their firing of football coach Earle Bruce, including two alleged NCAA violations.

University counsel Brian Snow and President Dr. Albert Yates said the allegations went beyond the physical and verbal abuse of Bruce's players.

Snow said a university investigation revealed that Bruce violated NCAA rules related to days off for players and off-season coaching of players, as well as several other potential violations, one of which dealt with a conflict between practice time and academic needs.

According to Snow, Bruce

created barriers to academic progress by discouraging players from taking courses in their field of study that might conflict with football practice.

Snow also said he had evidence of allegations of players receiving injections of pain killers before games, a practice that might have caused serious injury.

Snow and Yates said Bruce allegedly punched several players "with a closed fist in unprotected areas of their bodies" out of anger.

They also charged Bruce with being verbally abusive towards certain university employees and of intimidating campus police and other disciplinary officers.

Bruce did not return calls to his home from The Associated Press on Tuesday. He has threatened to take legal action over his dismissal.

Crossroads basketball journey was a good show

As usual, Howard College Athletic Director and Lady Hawks head coach Royce Chadwick and the rest of the Howard College Crossroads Tournament contingent put on a fine women's basketball tournament.

For the basketball junkie, it was a treat. Two tournaments for the price of one. For \$9 you could watch 21 basketball games in three days, about the price refreshments cost you at a movie.

Local teams, the Big Spring Lady Steers and the Lady Hawks, had good tournaments, finishing with a combined record of 5-1. The only blemish was Big Spring's 51-38

loss to Killeen Ellison in the championship finals.

The Lady Hawks played worthy of their No. 19 national ranking. Chadwick said his team needed to play some quality junior college squads, and the Lady Hawks responded by taking victories over Grayson, 81-53; Blinn 75-43 and Cisco 102-86. Howard had to rally from behind in the second half against Cisco, one of the few times the Lady Hawks have trailed all year.

The win over Grayson was especially impressive since Grayson has won the Northern Junior College Athletic Conference



Steve Belvin

for the past three years. It looked more impressive when Grayson defeated Howard's Western Junior College Athletic Conference foe South Plains, 73-71. It was South Plains' first loss of the season. South Plains is picked as one of the front runners in the WJCAC.

The tourney also proved that Western Texas, with new coach Ron Jones, may be a team to be reckoned with in the WJCAC. The Dusters, 11-1 for the season, won all three of their games, including a 76-74 victory over Grayson and a 69-59 win over Cisco.

In the early going the Lady Hawks have exhibited a strong perimeter game with veteran guards LeKisha Wiley and Yumecca White. Howard's freshmen inside personnel of Angel Spinks and Annette Robinson blend in well with sophomore returner Regina Huff.

Western Texas appears to be

well-rounded with its inside and outside personnel. South Plains has a very strong crop of guards, but is hurting inside.

Coach Ron Taylor's Lady Steers put on a good show for the home crowd, making it to the championship game against Killeen Ellison. It was the perfect setting — the home crowd favorite against the Central Texas squad coached by former Coahoma coach Truman Meissner.

The Lady Steers put up a gallant battle against the much taller and quicker Ellison team. Taylor had the perfect game plan — be patient

and don't try to run with them. For a half it worked, Killeen led 22-17 at intermission. But eventually Killeen's superior athletic ability took its toll on the Lady Steers.

Meissner said the biggest difference in coaching at a 5A school and a Class 2A school is numbers. He said he had tryouts for 75 players. He added that there would've been more if he hadn't weeded players out earlier.

Meissner said there's a possibility that Ellison might return next year for the tournament. "Coach Chadwick always puts on a first class tournament," he said.

I second that motion.

Baylor offensive coordinator named head football coach

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WACO — Baylor offensive coordinator Chuck Reedy had been ribbed for weeks that he wouldn't be chosen to replace Grant Teaff, who was retiring after 21 years as head coach.

Most often, the kidding came from David Guinn, a law professor who chairs Baylor's faculty athletic council. And it even continued Tuesday, when Reedy got the job.

"When I talked with him today and found out he wasn't going to be here, he said, 'Chuck, it looks like 98 percent that you got the job,'" Reedy said at a news conference announcing his promotion.

Even Teaff joked of Reedy: "I actually just told him to wear a suit today."

But Teaff, dean of Southwest Conference coaches and Baylor's athletic director, had actually assured a careful transition in his football program.

Baylor president Herbert Reynolds said he, Guinn and other university leaders decided to hire Reedy during a 3½-hour meeting with Teaff on Monday.

"Coach Teaff said without equivocation that he highly recommended (Reedy) as his successor," Reynolds said. "All of us around the table just reached a very strong consensus with regard to his capability and felt we could look across the nation, go again at it, and do no better."

"I'm not trying to replace Coach Teaff. I don't think anyone can do that. Words can never express the feelings I have for him," Chuck Reedy, new Baylor football coach.

was the caliber of man that Baylor University would want so that continuity could continue. It's very, very important," said Teaff, who built a 169-152-8 record.

"I'm not trying to replace Coach Teaff. I don't think anyone can do that," said Reedy, who has been Baylor's offensive coordinator since 1990 and was an assistant at Clemson for 12 years before that.

"Words can never express the feelings I have for him," Reedy said.

Reedy, 43, was given a five-year contract for his first head coaching job, which he said had been a goal of his since his teens.

He said Baylor fans should expect his teams to be in the Top 25 and in bowl games.

"We will expect to contend for the conference championship every year," Reedy said. "And we expect that at some point in the not very distant future to be able to compete for and ultimately to win the national championship."

More trouble for Washington football program

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SEATTLE — For the second time in less than a month, the Rose Bowl-bound Washington Huskies have suffered a major blow to their once-pristine reputation.

Eight people, including four current or former University of Washington athletes, were charged Tuesday with dealing cocaine or marijuana.

The university immediately suspended reserve linebacker Danianke Smith, a senior from Long Beach, Calif., after he was charged with dealing cocaine. He was the only current athlete charged.

Former basketball star Doug Meekins, former hurdler Bernard Ellison and former football player James Goodwin also were charged with dealing cocaine, King County prosecutor Norm Maleng said.

On the heels of the Billy Joe Hobert loan affair, the Smith arrest on five counts had even coach Don James questioning what col-

lege football fans must be thinking. "I really don't know what the public will say," James told a news conference.

"We're absolutely horrified about this," said Washington athletic director Barbara Hedges, who suspended Smith.

James, 59, who is in his 18th season at Washington, started November with a reputation of running one of the cleanest programs in the nation.

"We all recognize if we bring in a player with a shady background, then we're going to have to deal with him for four or five years," James said. "We've tried not to do that."

Maleng said the arrests climaxed a seven-month police undercover investigation. He said some of Smith's cocaine deals were made at the campus' 75-bed crew house, which houses some members of the Huskies' football team.

The charges also indicate Smith

and former Huskies linebacker Goodwin, 22, were involved in attempts at "obtaining and selling assault rifles and machine guns, such as AK-47s and Uzis," Maleng said.

Smith arranged the sale of an assault rifle to a police agent, Maleng said. That case is being turned over to federal authorities for review.

Maleng said Smith told his customers to use his uniform

number — 55 — when they called his pager to indicate they were calling for drugs.

Goodwin, a walk-on from Oakland, Calif., was on the Washington roster last season but did not play.

The drug charges came two weeks after Hedges ruled junior quarterback Hobert ineligible to play in any more football games

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Drexler reaches milestone against Spurs

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

It is a measure of the man that Clyde Drexler, 15,000-point scorer, knows who to credit for reaching that milestone.

Without naming anyone so as not to insult somebody by leaving them out, Drexler praised those who set him up for many of those points. On Tuesday, he scored 24 to soar past 15,000 and lead the unbeaten Portland Trail Blazers to their eighth straight victory, 95-91 over San Antonio.

"A lot of guys had a lot to do with it, especially the ones who have been passing me the ball all these years," said Drexler, whose 12-foot shot at 3:33 of the third period gave him 15,001 points. "Duck (Kevin Duckworth) is going to remind me who passed me the ball on that shot — probably, it will be about 20 times a game."

Drexler became the 62nd player and 14th active player to reach 15,000 points. His coach, Rick Adelman, expects many more.

"It's a great achievement," Adelman said. "He's been so good for so long, to get a milestone like that shows the player that he is and the ability that he has. He's going to be around for a long time. He's still got a lot of basketball left in him."

In other games, it was Chicago 101, Golden State 92; Charlotte 127, Philadelphia 119; Houston 88, the Los Angeles Clippers 83; Seattle 103, New Jersey 97; Indiana 114, Miami 82; Cleveland 109, Milwaukee 105; and New York 98, Washington 88.

Trail Blazers 95, Spurs 91
At Portland, Drexler had 14 of his 24 points in the third quarter, when the Blazers went up 76-65, and were threatened only late in the fourth period.

Antoine Carr had 24 points and 11 rebounds, and David Robinson added 22 points and 14 rebounds for San Antonio. Lloyd Daniels blew a layup off a long feed by Robinson with 18 seconds to go that would have tied it.

"This game I thought was going to overtime," Robinson said. "When I rebounded Buck Williams' shot and threw it downcourt, I just hoped it would clear a defender and get to Lloyd. When he got it, I looked up and saw there were nine seconds left. I figured we had a chance to win."



Portland Trailblazer guard Clyde Drexler (left) reaches past San Antonio Spurs center David Robinson to score during first half action Tuesday night. The Trailblazers beat the struggling Spurs.

"When the ball rolled off, I couldn't believe it, but I hope he doesn't get too down."

Bulls 101, Warriors 92
At Oakland, Calif., Michael Jordan took advantage of the Warriors being undermanned. Continuing his hot scoring, Jordan's 49 points kept the Warriors as the NBA's only winless team at home, 0-4. Many of those points came when he was guarded by assistant coach Paul Pressey.

Pressey played 16 minutes, scoring two points and getting one assist and one rebound. The first-year assistant was activated earlier Tuesday after Keith Jennings was placed on the injured list with torn knee cartilage. A 10-year NBA veteran who played for San Antonio last season, Pressey had been taking a uniform on the road in case of emergency.

"He added a real presence to our game," Warriors coach Don Nelson said. "When the ball rolled off, I couldn't believe it, but I hope he doesn't get too down."

Dell Curry had 22 points for the Hornets and Larry Johnson added 19. Hawkins scored 24 and Horneace 23 for the Sixers.

Rockets 88, Clippers 83
At Houston, the Rockets took their sixth in a row as Hakeem Olajuwon scored 20 points and grabbed 12 rebounds. The winning streak is Houston's longest since a team-record 13-game run in March 1991.

It was the Rockets' 13th straight home victory over the Clippers. "This winning streak is a pleasant surprise," Sleepy Floyd said. "It's especially surprising when you consider we're playing without two of our top starters." Otis Thorpe and Vernon Maxwell, both injured.

Ron Harper led Los Angeles with 19 points.

SuperSonics 103, Nets 97
At Seattle, Gary Payton, the second pick in the 1990 draft behind New Jersey's Derrick Coleman, put on a dazzling show. The 6-foot-4

guard was 10 for 16 from the field, had eight assists, four steals and no turnovers. His 25 points were a career high.

Shawn Kemp also had 25 and Eddie Johnson scored 14 of his 16 points in the final period.

Coleman put in 25 points for the Nets.

Pacers 114, Heats 82
At Indianapolis, the Pacers blew the game open in the second period by outscoring the Heat 18-2 over a six-minute span. The Heat missed 12 of 13 shots in the run.

Reggie Miller scored 20 points and Detlef Schrempf added 13 of his 19 during the key run in the second quarter.

Miami has lost four straight and is winless in eight appearances at Market Square Arena. Kevin Edwards and Grant Long got their first starts of the season. Edwards topped Miami with 16 points, and Long had 13.

Cavaliers 109, Bucks 105
At Richfield, Ohio, Mark Price came through down the stretch with four of his 24 points in the last 10 seconds. He drove around Eric Murdock and ducked under Brad Lohaus to hit a 10-foot runner in the lane with 9.9 seconds left, putting Cleveland ahead for good at 107-105. After Murdock missed a driving shot at the other end, Price sank two clinching free throws.

Gerald Wilkins scored 22 points and John Williams had 19 points and 12 rebounds for the Cavaliers.

Knicks 98, Bullets 88
At New York, Patrick Ewing had 28 points and 18 rebounds as the Knicks moved to 5-0 at home. They scored under 100 points for the sixth consecutive game, but lowered their NBA-leading defensive average to 93.6 points per game.

"We're playing extremely hard on defense, but we still have to get our confidence together offensively," Ewing said.

New York used a 28-11 spurt at the start of the fourth period to take control against the undermanned Bullets. Harvey Grant scored 24 points and Michael Adams 19 for the Bullets, playing without starters Pervis Ellison and Rex Chapman because of injuries.

Rookie Tom Gugliotta, Washington's leading scorer and rebounder going into the game, was scoreless on 0-for-8 shooting and had five rebounds.

Forsan splits with C-City

By DAVID ROMAN
Special to the Herald

COLORADO CITY — Sophomore guard Chris Evans scorched the Colorado City Wolves with 33 points Tuesday night as the Forsan Buffaloes defeated Colorado City 65-48. Evans hit three three-pointers and had a total of 13 points in the third quarter as the Buffs built a 17-point lead after three periods.

Colorado City led early, 4-2. But Forsan went on a 10-2 run and took a 14-6 lead they never relinquished.

The third quarter was a shootout between Daniel Silva of the Wolves and Evans. Silva hit four of five three-pointers, scoring 12 of his team's 14 points. Evans countered with three of five threes. Forsan led by 17 going into the final period and scored the last eight points of the game.

Jason Sims had 14 points and 15 rebounds for the winners. Silva led Colorado City with 17 points.

In the girls game the Lady Wolves overcame a three-point halftime deficit to beat the Forsan Queens 50-46.

The Queens' Jenny Conway led all scorers with 25 points.

COLORADO CITY 50, FORSAN 46
Colorado City — Aguilar 13, Ceballos 2, Turner 5, Lentz 16, Marino 6, Crawford 8, totals 22 4-13 50.
Forsan — Roman 8, Coats 5, Gamble 2, Hillger 2, Treadaway 4, Conway 25, totals 16 13-22 46.
Score by quarters: Colorado City 19 14 15 12—50 Forsan 12 15 10 9—46
Records — Forsan 1-2, Colorado City 3-0

FORSAN 48, COLORADO CITY 48
Colorado City — Silva 17, Lee 2, Conner 3, Castillo 2, Walthall 12, Galey 8, Oden 4, totals 21 0-2 48.
Forsan — Hopper 5, Evans 33, Fields 3, Sims 14, Sanders 8, totals 25 10-16 45.
Score by quarter: Colorado City 10 16 14 8—48 Forsan 20 18 19 8—45
Records — Forsan 2-1, Colorado City 1-2 JV — Colorado City 56, Forsan 35

Brewers trying to keep Molitor

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

MILWAUKEE — Paul Molitor is scheduled to talk contract Wednesday with the Brewers, and Milwaukee general manager Sal Bando said the team is close to resigning Robin Yount.

Yount, who got his 3,000th hit in September, made \$3.2 million in 1992, the final season of a \$9.6 million, three-year deal. He declined to exercise a player option for 1993 at \$3.2 million.

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because he obtained \$50,000 in loans last spring from the father-in-law of a friend.

The Pacific-10 Conference subsequently ruled that Washington, then ranked No. 1 in the nation, didn't have to forfeit any of the eight games that Hobert played in this season.

"It's mindboggling some of the things that are happening," James said.

Cocaine sales ranged from a quarter ounce to 2 ounces, valued at \$500 to \$2,000 each, Maleng said. "Because of the volume of cocaine involved, these defendants cannot be described as small-time

cocaine dealers, and as a result will face serious penalties if convicted," Maleng said.

Dealing cocaine carries a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison. The maximum penalty for selling marijuana is five years.

Those arrested included Meekins, the No. 2 scorer and a 6-foot-6 forward on Washington's 12-17 basketball team last season, and former Huskies track and field competitor Ellison. Meekins, 22, is from Los Angeles and Ellison, 25, is from Vallejo, Calif.

Maleng said \$22,000 worth of cocaine was found in a search of Meekins' residence on Monday. Meekins was taking classes at the time of his arrest. Hedges said

Goodwin and Ellison, who competed in the 110 and 400-meter hurdles events for the Huskies last spring, were not in school.

Ellison is the Washington record-holder in the 400-meter hurdles and had the second-fastest time in the Pac-10 last year.

Last Aug. 28, The Athletics Congress announced Ellison had been suspended from track and field competition for four years after he failed to appear for an out-of-competition drug test.

Three other people — Robert Johnson, Alexandra Sandoval and Daphne Pie — also were charged with dealing cocaine. The eighth person, John Reisig, was charged

with dealing marijuana.

Hedges and James said they felt confident no other Washington football players were involved.

Smith, Ellison, Meekins and Johnson were held at the King County Jail with arraignment scheduled Monday. Reisig also was in custody, scheduled for arraignment next Wednesday. The other three remained at large.

Smith, a 6-foot-2, 230-pounder from Poly High School in Long Beach, was a projected starter as Washington's strongside linebacker going into this season, but lost his job in fall camp.

He started the Huskies' fifth game of the year against California

but suffered a dislocated elbow. He hasn't played since.

Goodwin was kicked off the team last fall for "personal reasons," James said.

James said he suspended Smith, who had 10 tackles this season, in 1990 but would not reveal why.

Smith's arrest capped a stormy month for the Huskies. Ranked No. 1 for five weeks in The Associated Press poll earlier this season, the Huskies lost two of their last three games, including a 42-23 defeat by Washington State in a snowstorm last weekend, and finished the regular season at No. 11. But they still qualified for a third straight Rose Bowl appearance.

High school basketball roundup

GIRLS

ROBERT LEE 36, GARDEN CITY 35
Garden City — Brooke Eoff 15, Jamie Glass 4, Braden 4, C. Carlton 4, M. Machicek 8, totals 15 5-14 35.
Robert Lee — Lori Wink 11, Carlene Bewick 4, Shelby Grim 5, Shelley Burrows 4, Jonie Waggoner 2, Jaclyn Waldrop 10, totals 13 4-9 36.
Score by quarters: Garden City 8 11 6 10—35 Robert Lee 9 4 10 13—36
Records — Garden City 2-3, Robert Lee 4-0
JV — Garden City 28, Robert Lee 24

COLORADO CITY 50, FORSAN 46
Colorado City — Aguilar 13, Ceballos 2, Turner 5, Lentz 16, Marino 6, Crawford 8, totals 22 6-13 50.
Forsan — Roman 8, Coats 5, Gamble 2, Hillger 2, Treadaway 4, Conway 25, totals 16 13-22 46.
Score by quarters: Colorado City 19 14 15 12—50 Forsan 12 15 10 9—46
Records — Forsan 1-2, Colorado City 3-0

O'DONNELL 54, SANDS 53
Sands — Fryar 21, Hodnett 12
O'Donnell — James 14, Stewart 12, Garza 10

Score by quarter:

Sands 17 11 13 12—53
O'Donnell 6 14 15 19—54
Records — Sands 2-1, O'Donnell 1-2
JV — Sands 42, O'Donnell 28

KLONDIKE 58, WELLMAN 44
Klondike — Cope 17, Franklin 16
Wellman — Cornelius 19, Lambert 12

Score by quarters: Klondike 15 16 12 15—58
Wellman 12 11 9 12—44
Records — Klondike 4-0, Wellman 1-2

COAHOMA 46, HIGHLAND 43
Coahoma — Crippen 14, Riley 11
Highland — Cornutt 14, Burke 11
Score by quarters: Coahoma 10 12 8 16—46
Highland 6 9 12 17—43
Record — Coahoma 2-1, Highland 2-1

MONAHANS 55, GREENWOOD 33
Monahans — Ortiz 6, Flores 2, Holland 10, Hiz 6, Moya 3, Jessie 28, totals 21 5-11 55.
Greenwood — Ross 1, Stewart 2, Moody 4, Fowler 4, Pallanz 2, Newman 2, Studdard 10, Alderson 3, Wright 5, totals 12 6-11 33.

Score by quarters: Monahans 14 14 10 17—55
Greenwood 9 7 9 8—33

BOYS

FORSAN 65, COLORADO CITY 48
Colorado City — Silva 17, Lee 2, Conner 3, Castillo 2, Walthall 12, Galey 8, Oden 4, totals 21 0-2 48.
Forsan — Hopper 5, Evans 33, Fields 3, Sims 14, Sanders 8, totals 25 10-16 65.

Score by quarter: Colorado City 10 16 14 8—48
Forsan 20 18 19 8—65
Records — Forsan 2-1, Colorado City 1-2
JV — Colorado City 56, Forsan 35

O'DONNELL 56, SANDS 44
O'Donnell — Ash 13, Cruz 11
Sands — Gooch 13, Cantu 11

Score by quarters: O'Donnell 12 8 15 9—44
Sands 9 14 12 21—56
Records — O'Donnell 2-1, Sands 1-2

WELLMAN 86, KLONDIKE 57
Wellman — Lusk 21, Paul 20, Harlan 21, Neill 11
Klondike — Etheredge 22, Kirkland 12

Score by quarters: Klondike 7 19 19 12—57
Wellman 28 21 24 13—86
Records — Wellman 1-0, Klondike 1-2; JV Wellman 48, Klondike 30

COAHOMA 76, HIGHLAND 69
Coahoma — Mason 17, Sledge 15, Brown 14
Highland — Womack 23, Miller 10, Harbuck 17

Score by quarters: Coahoma 22 11 21 22—76
Highland 15 19 14 21—69
Records — Coahoma 2-1, Highland 2-2; JV Coahoma 83, Highland 33.

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By ANN McFEATHER
Scipps Howard News 1

WASHINGTON — visiting with former Reagan and admiring nia sunset, President Clinton and his wife down to business planning their inauguration.

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Clinton's prepare for inauguration

By ANN McFEATHERS
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WASHINGTON — In between visiting with former President Reagan and admiring the California sunset, President-elect Bill Clinton and his wife Hillary get down to business this weekend planning their inauguration.

They will be staying at the rented home overlooking the Pacific Ocean of their TV producer-friends ("Designing Women," "Evening Shade") Harry Thomason and Linda Bloodworth-Thomason. The couple will be general chairmen of the inauguration for the 42nd president.

Most of the Jan. 20 noon swearing-in itself is set by tradition. Carpenters are already constructing stands and platforms at the west front of the Capitol and along Pennsylvania Avenue for the parade that officials estimate will be watched by 250,000 people.

But each president-elect has to make dozens of decisions that help give a personal flair to the inauguration.

President Carter, for example, not only walked back to the White House to show himself one of the people but eschewed the term "inaugural balls," substituting the less pretentious "parties."

Reagan brought in fur-coated Hollywood friends who created limousine gridlock during their week of hoopla.

President Bush, after promising "the age of the offered hand" in his inaugural address, threw open the White House and personally greeted dozens of eager tourists the day after he was sworn in.

So far Clinton has invited to his inaugural 9-year-old girl he met while walking through a black neighborhood here. But as adept as he is at political symbolism, expect him to do something out of the ordinary to show himself a man of the people. He already has suggested he's intrigued with the idea of Carter-like walk arm in arm with real people (not VIPs).

The first thing that has to be decided is how much to spend. Bush's inaugural, the most expensive in history, cost \$30 million — almost 10 times the cost of Carter's and almost as much as it cost to inaugurate Reagan twice.

Clinton's campaign fund-raiser, Rahim Emanuel, 32, is already raising money for the inauguration, mostly from corporations and fat cats. Also, the price of tickets covers some of the cost. Neither an inaugural ball ticket nor a good seat at the parade is free. A parade seat might cost \$25. A ball ticket — and a chance to shake the famous hand — might cost \$1,000 or more.

So far, no inaugural committee has charged for the religious services that are inevitably part of the celebration (Bush had six), but tickets are required to attend. If there is money left over after an inaugural, it's usually donated to charity.

Clinton must decide soon what kind of entertainment he wants. His fanciest fund-raiser was in Hollywood, hosted by the sought-after Barbra Streisand.

Whether he wants entertainers of that caliber or obscure jazz groups, he has to get cracking because complex schedules have to be arranged. For example, when Frank Sinatra organized the gala for the Reagans, he made the celebrities come early for extra rehearsals.

The Thomasons are a perfect choice for Clinton because they have cachet in Hollywood and, after two decades of friendship, know the personal likes and dislikes of Bill and Hillary Clinton.

One thing is certain — there will



Associated Press photo

During the campaign, Hillary Clinton found herself in the kitchen helping prepare food for homeless people with AIDS in New York. Now, she and President-elect Bill Clinton are preparing for their inauguration.

be an emphasis on music that appeals to those who grew up in the 1960s. No more Sinatra.

It was the Thomasons more than anyone else who presented Clinton at the Democratic convention as a self-made man who grew up with an outhouse and an alcoholic stepfather. They're well aware of the message an inauguration sends.

Clinton, who already has said he wants to model his transition after Reagan's well-oiled takeover, may seek the ex-president's advice on inaugural matters when they sit down together Friday in Los Angeles at Reagan's office.

Mrs. Thomason and Mrs. Clinton are likely to chat about what image the new first lady wants to project inaugural weekend. Even after eight years in the public eye as the vice president's wife, Barbara Bush used the inaugural activities to both appear in costly designer clothes while at the same time endearing herself to millions by making fun of her image as a white-haired grandmother.

Hillary Clinton, said to be searching for an Arkansas designer, is certain not to go as far as Nancy Reagan, whose original ballgown (now in the Smithsonian) allegedly cost somebody \$25,000.

The theme of the Clintons' first inaugural ball when he was elected governor of Arkansas was "Diamonds and Denim" — to highlight the state's diamond mine and informality. The 1993 theme won't be that commercial but will likely aim at sending a signal to business about good times ahead.

The most urgent advice from past managers of inaugurations is to make sure events start and end on time — a colossal undertaking for Clinton, who almost always is late.

Bush, who is always on time, was irritated when his parade was late starting and ended after dark. Clinton, notoriously long-winded, is likely to get many teasing reminders that William Henry Harrison caught a cold delivering a 1-hour-and-45-minute speech and died a month later.

One smart decision Clinton already has made is to appoint outgoing Democratic National Committee chairman Ron Brown as chairman of the inaugural. That means the Thomasons set the theme and make arrangements, but insider Brown has the final say on who gets tickets — and which VIPs get spurned.

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Should she or shouldn't she? Britians object to paying tab for fire

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON — Near the end of what Queen Elizabeth II calls a horrible year, the royal family is talking back to its numerous critics.

The monarchy cannot expect to be free from scrutiny, the queen said in an extraordinary personal speech on Tuesday, just five days after a disastrous fire at Windsor Castle.

"But we are all part of the same fabric of our national society and that scrutiny, by one part of another, can be just as effective if it is made with a touch of gentleness, good humor and understanding."

The queen's address followed objections by newspapers and some opposition politicians that the state was expected to pick up the entire tab — expected to run into the tens of millions — for structural repairs to Windsor Castle.

'She tells us that 1992 has been a horrible year. Well, it's not been too good for us either, Ma'am.'

The Sun
British newspaper

Heritage Secretary Peter Brooke told Parliament on Monday that the government would pay for the repairs and the queen would restore the damaged contents.

The queen's 10-minute speech, marking the 40th anniversary of her reign, contained no offer to absorb any more of the costs of restoring Windsor, her weekend retreat.

Dame Barbara Cartland, the romance novelist who is step-grandmother to Princess Diana, said the queen "missed an opportunity of saying to the people 'I will

give so much money or I will help collect it in a public appeal and the government can make up the rest."

Tony Banks, a Labor lawmaker who has been demanding that the queen contribute to the fire repair bill, was more direct:

"There is no such thing as a bad year for the queen, by definition. Anyone who is so much a part of the 'dependency culture' as she is could at least smile a bit more."

Some did offer sympathy. Sir Patrick McNair Wilson, a Conservative lawmaker, praised

her "personal courage" in a difficult year, and Labor Party leader John Smith said the queen had defended herself "rather wittily and rather charmingly."

Today, the Daily Mail found it "impossible not to be moved" by her speech. But other tabloids were less generous.

"She tells us that 1992 has been a horrible year. Well, it's not been too good for us either, Ma'am," wrote The Sun in an editorial. The Daily Star accused her of "whingeing," British slang for complaining.

Friday's fire at Windsor capped a year in which the queen's daughter Anne was divorced; her second son Andrew separated from his wife Sarah Ferguson, who later was photographed topless with another man; and the marriage of Charles and Diana was the object of constant speculation.

Deaths

George Riethmayer

George W. Riethmayer, 87, Crowell, died Monday, Nov. 23, 1992, at his residence.

Services were 2 p.m. today at Womack-Manard Chapel, Crowell, with the Rev. Norman Patton, pastor of First United Methodist Church officiating, assisted by Leslie Thomas. Burial was in Crowell Cemetery under the direction of Womack-Manard Funeral Home.

He was born Aug. 4, 1905 in Wetumka, Okla. He married Clara Lowke on Dec. 1, 1928 in Quanah.

Survivors include his wife Clara Riethmayer, Crowell; two daughters: Helen Stanfill, Dallas, and Ann Neagle, Big Spring; one son, Freddie Riethmayer, Crowell; two sisters: Emma Lowke and Mary Stever, both of Vernon; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Robert E. Martin Jr.

Robert E. (Bob) Martin Jr., 47, Midland, died Monday, Nov. 23, 1992 at his residence.

Graveside services will be 10 a.m. Friday at Evergreen Cemetery, Stanton, under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

He was born Aug. 29, 1945 in Stanton and moved to Midland in 1951 where he attended school. He was a major household appliance repairman. He served in the US Marine Corps during the Vietnam War and was a member of the American Legion and VFW. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include one son, Jimmy Martin-Sedonia, Ariz.; three sisters: Sandra Willis, Lubbock, and Elizabeth White and Lynda Clark, both of Midland; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Family suggests memorials to the Vietnam War Memorial Fund, Midland.

Deck Coleman

Deck Coleman, 77, Luther, died Monday, Nov. 23, 1992 in a local hospital.

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

He was born Jan. 14, 1915, in Nashville, Ark. He married Dorothy Maxwell on Nov. 29, 1935 in Big Spring. He was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church, Luther.

He worked in the oil fields for many years and was a superintendent for Great Western. They operated Coleman's Country Store in Vincent for 17 years and farmed at Luther, retiring in 1991. He served as deacon at the church and was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Levelland.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Coleman, Luther; one son, Billy Max Coleman, Lancaster, Calif.; two sisters: Hannese Fowler, Big Spring, and Lula Hair, Fallon, Nev.; six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son.

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Family suggests memorials to the West Texas Boys Ranch, PO Box 3568, San Angelo, 76902, and Bethel Baptist Church of Luther.

Henry L. Moates

Henry L. Moates, 72, Luther, died Tuesday, Nov. 24, 1992, at his residence.

Services will be 4 p.m., Friday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Robert Lacey, pastor of Hillcrest Baptist Church, Big Spring and the Rev. Kenneth Coleman, pastor of First Baptist Church, Godley officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He was born Sept. 14, 1920 in Colorado City. He married Dorothy Burleson on April 23, 1941 in Midland. He was a member of the Vincent Baptist Church. He came to Luther as a child and grew up there. He worked as a contract oil field pumper for 41 years. He also farmed in the Luther Community for 52 years and was still working at the time of his death. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and served on the Gay Hill School Board.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Moates, Luther; one son and daughter-in-law: Mike and Sherree Moates, Luther; one sister, Faye Buchanan, Luther; two granddaughters: Kirstie Moates and Lindsay Moates, both of Luther; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one sister and two brothers.

Family suggests memorials to the West Texas Boys Ranch, PO Box 3568, San Angelo, 76902.

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Court Docket

The following cases were decided in area courts:

- Neal Ray Chambers, 27, of Lubbock pleaded guilty to revocation of probation and driving while intoxicated second offense. Chambers was sentenced to 45 days in the county jail and fined \$600.
- Michael Christopher Pence, 17, of Big Spring was found guilty of indecency with a child and sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication probation and fined \$750.
- Elihue Majors, 69, of Big Spring pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated second offense and was sentenced to 15 days in the county jail and forced to pay \$637 in fines and court costs.

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following:

- Jimmie Dean Atkins, 48, 715 Jones, was arrested and charged with unauthorized use of a vehicle.
- \$4,570 worth of guns were taken from the 600 block of Baylor.
- \$50 damage was caused to a vehicle on the 300 block of East 5th.
- \$30 cash was taken from 1800 block of Runnels.
- A \$20 forged check was passed on the 3100 block of Gregg.
- An \$124 tailight was taken at an unknown location.

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strongly after increasing 1.3 percent in the second quarter and 10.8 percent in the first.

The hurricane-related decline in profits did not shake economists' belief that 1992 would be a good year for corporations, which have been cutting costs and payrolls at the expense of their employees and the economy in general.

"Profits are up because businesses have cut costs ruthlessly," said economist Cynthia Latta of DRI-McGraw Hill, a Lexington, Mass., forecasting firm.

The Commerce Department

listed the reasons for its upward revision to the GDP, defined as the total output of goods and services within U.S. borders. In order they were: a bigger advance in exports than first reported, a larger rise in inventories held on shelves and backlots, more government spending, better consumption spending and increased investment by businesses. Partly offsetting that was a larger import total than first thought.

Consumer spending rose at a 3.7 percent annual rate after edging down 0.1 percent the month before.

Rejects

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rights to free trade and navigation.

Many European and Latin American nations also have criticized it as excessive punishment for a country struggling with severe economic hardship now that its Soviet bloc patrons have disappeared.

Under a law enacted last month, subsidiaries of U.S. companies based abroad may now be prosecuted if they do business with Cuba, and ships trading with Cuba are barred from U.S. ports for six months.

The main aim of the Cuban Democracy Act of 1992 is to hasten the end of Fidel Castro's Communist rule now that the Cold War's end has left him increasingly isolated.

President-elect Clinton endorsed the law, which was drawn up by Democrats and passed in

September by two-thirds of the Congress.

The act's congressional sponsor, Rep. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J., discounted the significance of the U.N. vote, noting that more nations abstained than voted against the U.S. policy.

"That is a silent endorsement. They wouldn't take a position against it," Torricelli said today on NBC's "Today" show.

Tuesday's vote, on a Cuban resolution condemning the stricter sanctions, was 59-3 in favor with 71 abstentions. It was the first time the issue of the 31-year-old U.S. embargo on trade with Cuba had come to a vote in the chamber.

Cuba withdrew a similar resolution last year in the face of ferocious U.S. lobbying, which was largely absent this year.

Oil/markets

January crude oil \$20.23, up 1, and December cotton futures 56.95 cents a pound, down 25; cash hog is steady at 42.75; slaughter steers is steady at 77 cents even; December live hog futures 44.70, up 5; December live cattle futures 74.02, up 25 at 10:05 a.m., according to Delta Commodities.

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Bethlehem Steel	15 1/4	+ 1/2
Cabot	44 1/4	- 1/2
Chevron	69	+ 1/4
Chrysler	29	+ 1/4
Coca Cola	40 1/2	+ 1/2
De Beers	11 1/4	+ 1/2
DuPont	42	+ 1/2
El Paso Electric	29 1/2	nc
Exxon	59 1/2	+ 1/4
Fina Inc.	61 1/2	nc
Ford Motors	40 1/2	+ 1/2
GTE	34 1/2	+ 1/2
Haltiburton	29 1/2	- 1/2
IBM	65 1/2	+ 1/2
JC Penney	79 1/2	+ 1/2
Mesa Ltd. Prt. A.	47 1/2	- 1/2
Mobil	60 1/2	+ 1/2
New Atmos Energy	22 1/2	nc
NUV	11 1/4	+ 1/2
Pacific Gas	31 1/2	nc
Pepsi Cola	41 1/2	nc
Phillips Petroleum	23 1/2	+ 1/2
Schlumberger	61	- 1/2
Sears	42 1/2	+ 1/2

Records

Tuesday's high temp.	42
Tuesday's low temp.	28
Average high	61
Average low	36
Record high	82 in 1981
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Thanksgiving good for travel industry

By GREGORY LEWIS
San Francisco Examiner

Linda Jones flew from Detroit to Oakland, Calif., last Thursday for a vacation with an open-ended return ticket.

"My plan was to leave Oakland for Detroit on the following Friday or Saturday (after Thanksgiving) but when I called five days ahead to make the reservation they were all booked up," she lamented.

Welcome to the week that puts smiles on the faces of those in the travel industry and moans and groans in the lexicon of travelers.

The week of Thanksgiving — roughly from Tuesday night to Monday morning — is the busiest travel time of the year. It creates better business than usual for airline companies, travel agents, taxicabs and other forms of ground transportation — and causes headaches for travelers who sometimes get caught in winter weather delays, traffic and the parking lot.

The Air Transport Association, a national airline trade organization, has projected that more than 32 million passengers will take to the air Thanksgiving weekend, an increase of between 3 percent and 4 percent over last Thanksgiving.

"I can already hear the roar in the lobby," said Stephanie Schofield, of Oakland International Airport's terminal services office. "We're not complaining. It's good for the airport and we want it that

way."

Bob and Maggie Korslin, who moved to San Francisco from Chicago two months ago with their two children Jack and Rob, were at the San Francisco Airport Tuesday afternoon trying to beat the rush. They were flying to San Diego to have dinner with a friend from Chicago.

"It's an important holiday to spend with family and friends," Bob Korslin said. "It's a nicer holiday than Christmas because there are no presents to get in the way — just pure family."

Thanksgiving holiday travel entered its peak period Tuesday. Travel is expected to taper off a bit Thursday, Friday and Saturday then return to peak days Sunday and Monday.

Professionals suggest:

- Making reservations as early as possible at off-peak hours, purchasing tickets in advance and obtaining seat assignments.
- Arriving at the airport 60-90 minutes prior to departure time.
- Checking with your airline for updated flight information.
- Carrying necessities such as prescription drugs, glasses, keys, jewelry and other valuables in a carry-on bag in case you are separated from your luggage.
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Calendar

Today

- Bingo offered by the Lions, Elks, and Main Street Club, Monday-Friday, 6:30 p.m., Saturday, 1 p.m., and Sunday, 2 p.m., at the Lions Club, 1607 E. Third.
- The Salvation Army will have a dinner for area needy at 5:30 p.m. at their building, 308 Aylford, Monday through Friday.
- All elderly and shut-ins who need a meal delivered Thursday from the Salvation Army. Call 267-1175 to sign up.
- More delivery drivers are needed at the Salvation Army for its holiday meal Thursday. Call 267-8239.
- People who registered for Thanksgiving assistance from the Northside Community Center need to stop by and pick up their certificates.
- Big Spring Senior Center will have ceramics class from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.
- The Rap Group will meet from 6-7 p.m. at the VA Medical Center, room 212 All veterans of Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama & Persian Gulf invited. Thursday
- Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St., will offer a free meal at 6 p.m. for anyone in the community. It will be followed by a Gospel singing service. The church has food available for the needy at 10 a.m.
- A Thanksgiving meal will be served from 4-6 p.m. at the Salvation Army, 308 Aylford.

Friday

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

Saturday

- Double Session Bingo at 7 p.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1009 Hearn.
- Americah Legion Post #506 will have a shuffle board tournament at 2 p.m. Draw partners, \$2. entry fee. 3203 W. Hwy. 80.
- Big Spring Squares will dance at 8 p.m. in the Squarena on Chapparral Rd. For information call 393-5693 or 267-7043.
- The Eagles Lodge presents the Prowlers Band from 8:30-12 a.m. Guests welcome.
- A Gospel Jamboree will be held at the Highland Mall. For information call 263-1132.

Sunday

- American Legion #355 will meet at 3 p.m. at the Legion hall. For information call 267-1040.
- Eagles Lodge ladies auxiliary will meet from 4-8 p.m. Guest welcome.

Monday

- Christian Home Schoolers will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Barry & Marie Dunnam's for Family Night. For information call 267-7928.
- There will be gospel singing at 7 p.m. at the Kentwood Center on Lynn Dr. Everyone welcome. For information call 393-5709.
- Howard County Youth Horsemen will meet at 7 p.m. at the Arena clubhouse. For information call Paula Perry at 393-5617.

Tuesday

- Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St. has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon.
- Parents — Brown Bag lunch from 11:45-1 p.m. at the PE room (rooms 7/8) at Anderson Kindergarten Center. Bring your own bag, beverages & dessert provided. Topic will be "Helping your child become a more productive thinker."
- Christensen-Tucker VFW Post 2013 will meet at 7 p.m. on Driver Rd. For information call 267-5290.

Home for the holidays

Tips for coping in time of stress

By CONNIE SWINNEY
Staff Writer

Thanksgiving is a time for reuniting families and sometimes that means added stress because of high expectations, a local mental health professional said.

"Sometimes those (family members) are the people we are least courteous too because we expect them to put up with so much," said Shannon Nabors, director for the Howard County Mental Health Center.

Nabors said three major conflicts exist when relatives visit for the holidays.

"The main stress comes from a lot of built up expectations for the holidays — having impatience about how (relatives) should help or shouldn't," she said.

"Another problem is (those hosting the holiday) try to do too much, becoming stressed or worn out," she said.

Some families go into the holidays already feeling animosity.

"Everyone needs to realize the holidays need to be taken in stride. Also, stress can be caused by preexisting conflicts (among family members) that might have not been resolved."

Tips the center offers to ease holiday tensions are: get an adequate amount of sleep, eat in moderation and watch alcohol intake.

"You can do a whole lot better when there's stress if you do things in moderation," she said.

Families should be ready to change their daily activities.

"If someone comes to stay, everyone's routine will be interrupted," she said. "Focus on being together and concentrate on being a family unit, and you can enjoy the holiday better."



Little Thanksgiving feast
Students at Anderson Kindergarten Center enjoyed a Thanksgiving feast Friday. Some dressed like Indians, others like Pilgrims, the kids created their own version of the shared meal that began the holiday.

Nuke Thanksgiving

Try microwaving as alternative to roasted turkey

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Thanksgiving cooks looking for a break with tradition can microwave this Thanksgiving's turkey, suggests the manager of the Agriculture Department's meat and poultry hotline.

Susan Conley lists these safety tips for microwaving a turkey:

—Choose a bird that weighs less than 12 pounds. There must be at least three inches of clearance between the bird and the sides and top of the microwave oven.

If you try to squeeze too large a bird into too small an oven, the turkey will not cook properly.



Some parts may be overcooked, others undercooked.

—Use an oven cooking bag. Specially designed nylon bags promote even cooking, which helps a turkey reach a safe temperature throughout.

—Rotate the bird and dish several times, even in ovens with a turntable.

—Don't microwave a stuffed turkey. The bones and density of the bird may not allow stuffing to reach a safe temperature.

—Microwave the unstuffed bird at 50 percent power for approximately 7 to 10 minutes per pound — less than two hours for an 11-pound turkey. This prevents

overcooking outer areas.

—Always use a meat thermometer to determine doneness. Check the bird in several locations before letting it stand. The turkey should be at least 170 degrees Fahrenheit when taken from the microwave.

—Let the bird stand for 20 minutes after removing it from the microwave. This is critical because food completes cooking during the standing time. Final temperature should be 180 degrees Fahrenheit.

The USDA's national toll-free number for more information on preparing meat and poultry safely is 1-800-535-4555.

Recipes from local 4-H nutrition show competitors

Special to the Herald

Here are more recipes from the local 4-H members who are preparing for the District show in Pecos Dec. 5.

Several recipes ran on last week's page. This is a continuation.

Jennisa Thompson, Howard County, Bread and Cereals Intermediate Division

APPLE BREAD

- 1 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup ground apples
- 2 cups flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 1/2 tablespoons butter/milk
- 1 cup pecans, floured
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- Cream sugar and shortening; add beaten eggs and apples. Mix in dry ingredients, vanilla, butter,

milk, and floured pecans. Pour into loaf pan and sprinkle top of mixture with sugar and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour in greased and floured pan. Yield: one loaf.

Katie Gaskins, Howard County, Main Dish, Intermediate Division

GREAT CHICKEN SALAD

- 8 medium chicken breast — cooked, bone and chopped
- 1 (6.9 oz.) box Chicken Rice-A-Roni — cooked according to package directions
- 1 (6 oz.) jar marinated artichoke hearts, drained and chopped
- 1 (2.25 oz.) can sliced ripe olives, drained
- 1/2 bell pepper, chopped
- 4 green onions with blades, chopped
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- 1/2 cup fat free mayonnaise dressing
- 1/2 cup nonfat yogurt
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon pepper
Mix and chill. 8 servings.

Terra Procter, Howard County, Nutritious Snacks & Desserts, Intermediate Division

BAKE-IN-THE-PUMPKIN PUDDING

- 1 small pie pumpkin
 - 2 eggs, slightly beaten
 - 3/4 cup granulated sugar
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
 - 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
 - 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
 - 1 1/2 cups (12 oz. can) evaporated milk
- First you must hollow the pumpkin by slicing off the top of the pumpkin, and scooping out the seeds and fibers.
- Mix in a large bowl the following ingredients, 2 eggs, slightly beaten, 3/4 cup granulated sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger, 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves, 1 1/2 cups

(12 oz. can) evaporated milk.

Pour mixture into hollowed pumpkin. Add more milk if needed to fill pumpkin.

After the pumpkin is filled replace the top and bake at 350 degrees. Time may vary from 40 minutes to an hour and a half, but check the pumpkin at 40 minutes.

Jennifer Thompson, Howard County, Beef, Intermediate Division

BEEF ROAST AND VEGETABLES

- 3 lb. choice beef roast
- 4 cups water
- 3 tablespoons salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper
- 1 teaspoon garlic
- 1/2 large onion
- 6 medium potatoes
- 5 medium carrots
- Place meat, water, salt, pepper, garlic and onion into a crock pot. Let cook on high for about 3 1/2

hours. Turn to low setting adding the cut potatoes and carrots to the roast.

Cook another 1 1/2 hours. Serves 6-10. Cost \$1.50 per serving.

Dustin Gaskins, Howard County, Nutritious Snacks & Desserts, Senior Division

SPINACH RICE BALLS

- 1 1/2 cups cooked rice
- 1 (10 oz.) frozen chopped spinach, cooked and well drained
- 2 egg whites, slightly beaten
- 2/3 cup fresh bread crumbs
- 1/2 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1 1/2 oz. jar pimentos, drained
- 1 (1.3 oz.) dried onion soup mix
- 2 teaspoons Dijon mustard
- Combine all ingredients. Shape into 1 1/4 inch balls. Place on foil-wrapped hot air oven rack or pizza pan. Bake in a hot air oven at 350 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes. Makes 24.

Great ideas for the days after the big turkey feast



Sue Haugh

Thanksgiving Dinner would not be complete without turkey. When the holiday feast is over, why not stretch your leftover turkey into pleasing family meals.

Benjamin Franklin felt we should have named the turkey, a true American bird, and not the eagle, as our national symbol. Ben said the eagle was a bit shifty and dishonest. Did Ben know the turkey is too dumb to come in out of the rain?

The abundant wild turkey the Pilgrims ate was dry, tough and stringy. The domesticated bird as we know it today is lean, low in fat, high in protein, and delicious.

The smoked turkey salad has been in our family recipe files for as long as I can remember. It's different, but wonderful.

SMOKED TURKEY SALAD

- 1 1/2 cups chopped smoked turkey
- 1/2 cup chopped ripe olives
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- 1/2 cup chopped pecans
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 4 oz. softened cream cheese
- 1 tsp. minced onion
- 1/2 tsp. black pepper
- Place turkey, olives, celery and pecans in large bowl. Beat together mayonnaise, cream cheese, onion and black pepper. Combine with turkey mixture. Chill 1 hour before serving.

E-Z TURKEY DIVAN

- 1 bunch fresh broccoli
- 3 cups chopped cooked turkey (or chicken)
- 1 can cream of chicken soup, undiluted
- 4 tbsp. water
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise

- 1/2 tsp. lemon juice
- 1/2 tsp. curry powder
- 1/4 tsp. black pepper
- 2 tsp. margarine, melted
- 1/2 cup seasoned dry bread crumbs

1/4 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese or grated Parmesan cheese
Wash broccoli and remove leaves and tough part of stalks. Cut stalks lengthwise into quarters. Cook broccoli in boiling salted water in covered pan for 15 minutes or until crisp tender. Drain broccoli and place in 9 x 13 baking dish. Cover with turkey. Combine soup, water, mayonnaise, lemon juice, pepper and curry and pour over turkey. Mix melted margarine, seasoned crumbs and cheese and sprinkle over soup mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes or until mixture is hot and bubbly. Serves 6.

BAKED TURKEY STRATA

- 8 slices day old white bread
- 8 sliced processed cheese or

Sue's recipes

- cheddar cheese
- 2 cups chopped cooked turkey
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1 can (6 oz. sliced mushrooms, drained)
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup toasted, slivered almonds
- 1 cup milk
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1/4 tsp. paprika
- 1/4 tsp. ground black pepper
- Arrange 4 slices bread in 9 x 9 x 2 square pan sprayed with Pam. Top with 4 cheese slices. Combine turkey, mayonnaise, mushrooms and almonds; mix well. Spoon over cheese and top with remaining bread. Beat eggs with milk, salt, paprika and pepper. Pour over bread and top with remaining cheese slices. Bake 1 hour at 350 degrees. Serves 4.

MONTE CRISTO SANDWICH

- 1/4 cup margarine, softened
- 8 slices white or wheat bread
- 8 thin slices cooked turkey
- 4 slices cooked ham
- 4 slices Swiss cheese
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup milk
- Butter bread slices on one side. On the buttered side of four slices bread, place two turkey slices, one ham slice and one slice Swiss cheese. Top with remaining bread and cut sandwiches in half diagonally. Beat together eggs and milk. Dip halves in egg mixture. Place on baking pan sprayed with Pam and broil until golden brown; turn and broil other side. Or pan fry in skillet using 1 tbsp. margarine and 1 tsp. oil. Serves 4.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: We may give without loving, but we cannot love without giving.

Sue Haugh's food and recipe columns appear Wednesdays in the Herald's life! section.

Entertainment

Non-black minorities say they are 'invisible' on TV

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOS ANGELES — Do not adjust your television set. This programming is in black and white.

We're not talking about an exercise in TV nostalgia. It's the nearly complete lack of Hispanic and Asian performers that has rendered the television landscape duotone.

Blacks wince at being played strictly for laughs in sitcom after jivey sitcom, bitterly denouncing stereotyping and their segregation from many dramas. During his induction last month into TV's Hall of Fame, Bill Cosby implored industry leaders to stop the "horrible massacre of images" being put on the screen.

But other minorities don't even get the chance to be insulted. "It's very frustrating to be invisible in your own country," said Esther Renteria, executive director of the National Hispanic Media Coalition.

Name the Hispanic actors with continuing network series roles this season and you'll come up with only a handful, including A Martinez of "L.A. Law" and comedian Cheech Marin of "Golden Palace."

The rest of America's melting pot?

A Chinese food delivery man did live up a recent "Seinfeld" as an accident victim.

Fox's "The Simpsons," downright wallowing in cartoon multiculturalism, offers those crazy "Two Guys from Kabul" restaurateurs and Indian convenience store operators.

On CBS' "Northern Exposure," set in Alaska, Native American cast regulars are called on for more than local color in such atypical Indian roles as a sweet would-be film auteur.

And, through the years, a few series with non-black minorities as the leads have popped up.

ABC's "A.K.A. Pablo," about a young Hispanic comedian and his extended family, ran for less than two months. "Trial and Error," a CBS comedy about two buddies from the East Los Angeles barrio, was a blip on the screen in March 1988. Most successful was NBC's "Chico and the Man," which ran four seasons.

The Screen Actors Guild offers the following numbers: In 1984, in both television shows and feature films, Hispanics represented 3 percent of performers, and Asians, 2 percent.

In 1991, Hispanics performers held steady at 3 percent, with

Asians slipping to 1 percent.

The latest U.S. Census figures show that 9 percent of the population is Hispanic, with Asian or Pacific islanders at about 3 percent.

But it's not just a numbers game. More is not enough; better is the goal, say minority actors and activists. Diversity is the key.

In TV land, Hispanics are gang members, drug dealers, maids. Asians are, well, Chinese food delivery men.

"You're the shadow in the background serving coffee," laments veteran actress Carmen Zapata. Her frustration with such roles, she says, drove her out of Hollywood and into founding a Los Angeles community theater.

"The studios, networks, producers are 30 years behind the time. They're not really aware of where we are in the country," said Miss Zapata. "We are an upwardly mobile community... and we're not being represented that way."

It's not just minorities who end up being cheated.

"The importance of having visibility is this: My children need the self-esteem of seeing themselves on TV," said Ms. Renteria.

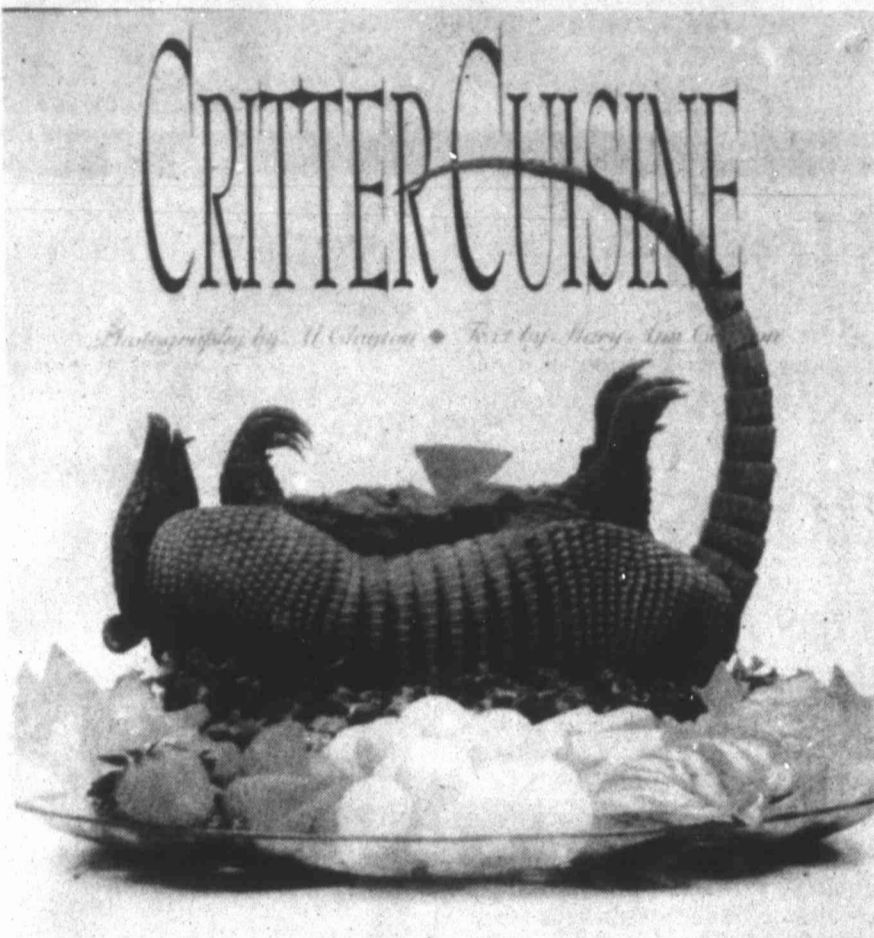


Woody interviewed

Woody Allen, interviewed by Steve Kroff of CBS' 60 Minutes Sunday, said he thinks he'll never get his good name back. Allen has been involved in a

messy breakup and custody battle with longtime lover Mia Farrow that included child molestation allegations.

Associated Press photo



This spoof of traditional exotic taste food books includes such bizarre dishes as Armadillo Asado Ahumar, shown on the cover.

Critters make strange cuisine for new book

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — What happens when good food photographers go strange?

Mixed Lizards Demi-Chaud Froid. Festive Possum. Beak and Claw Surprise. Tadpole Consomme. Toad in the Whole. Armadillo Asado Ahumar. Batburgers. Snake and Eggs in the Grass.

Get the picture? You can, along with text on each of these frightening faux meals, in "Critter Cuisine," which turns the oh-so-perfect world of gourmet food photography on its ear... and snout... and armored shell.

The husband-and-wife team of Al and Mary Ann Clayton collaborated on the spoof of high-gloss gastronomic publications after too many hours of Harvard MBAs picking over the arrangement of a burger and fries, explained Al, whose photographs have appeared in Look, Time and Newsweek.

"This is a route to insanity — folks that can see the fall of the Western world in a stack of french fries. So we went a little ape," he said.

The couple spent about three years assembling their bizarre collection, carefully arranging and lovingly shooting the "meals" in between legitimate food-shooting assignments in their Georgia studio.

"We'd have one set up, and art directors would come through socializing. They'd walk through

and go, 'Geez, that's just beautiful. ... Oh my God, WHAT IS THAT THING?!'" Al recalled.

The book had a second, less humorous purpose.

"It has to do with food prejudices, people getting the ickies about people eating different things," Al said. "Mountain folks eat a possum without blinking twice, but if you suggest snails or raw fish, they think you're out of your mind."

If you tried some of this stuff, you'd really be out of your mind. Like Batburgers — served open-faced with salted home fries, lettuce, tomato and cheese. Or Dilly Quesadillas — that Mexican favorite — served with fresh armadillo. Or Great Balls of Fire, a delicacy prepared from ... Nah, you REALLY don't want to know.

"For the cook who's cooked it all — new and wondrous dishes based on the creatures that crawl in our yards at night, swim in our drainage ditches and flap around in vacant houses," reads the jacket blurb on the book (Longstreet Press, \$15.95). Mary Ann, in addition to helping arrange photos, wrote the text.

A typical selection is served in a gold-banded soup dish, with handmade linen napkins and bright orange flowers. What's in the bowl? Tadpole Consomme — "a light vegetable consomme with vermicelli... seasoned with flat-leaf parsley, chives and a bit of lemon grass." Check, please.

Poll names top travel spots

By MIMI SWARTZ
Scripps Howard News Service

What will the hot travel spots be for 1993?

Europe, the United States, the Pacific Rim, the Caribbean and Mexico are expected to be the top destinations next year, according to 250 travel agents and tour operators polled by the American Society of Travel Agents.

Of those polled, 69 percent identified Europe as the top destination, specifically England, France and Germany.

The United States was second, with 56 percent ranking it as popular, and favoring Hawaii, Florida and Alaska.

The Pacific Rim ranked third with 34 percent, specifically Australia, China (including Hong Kong) and New Zealand, while the Caribbean followed closely with 33 percent for fourth spot, specifically Jamaica, St. Lucia and the Bahamas.

Mexico ranked fifth at 30 percent, with Cancun named the country's most popular city to visit.

Other places cited were the Middle East, with Israel the leading country, Eastern Europe, Cuba, South Africa and Vietnam.

In another survey conducted among 400 U.S. travel professionals, ASTA found that bookings to the Middle East are up since the Persian Gulf War ended and will continue to increase during the next five years.

"The outlook for tourism to the Middle East is tremendously positive," said Philip Davidoff, ASTA president. "The quick and dramatic rebound in travel to this region signals growth for the industry worldwide as travelers prove they have an insatiable appetite for these fascinating destinations."

And, despite lows in "consumer confidence," more than three of four leisure travelers plan to spend as much or more on travel this year as last, according to another survey conducted by ASTA and Money magazine. The survey was a random telephone poll of 402 adults, 200 of them Money subscribers.

Among the findings: — Travel ranked high on respondents' list of priorities. Some 46 percent said they would more likely spend discretionary income on travel than on big-ticket purchases such as home electronics, jewelry and home furnishings.

— More than half (54 percent) said they would be willing to pay travel agents to ensure better service.

— More than half (59 percent) rated agents' follow-through after trips "fair" or "poor."

Calendar!

Big Spring

- Nov. 27 — Santa Claus at the Big Spring Mall, 11 a.m.
- Nov. 27-29 — Open house at the West Texas Center for the Arts, 125 E. 3rd St.
- Dec. 15 — Community Christmas Parade in downtown Big Spring, call 263-7331.

Permian Basin

- Nov-Dec. 13 — Quilt exhibit at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin in Odessa. Call 550-3811.
- Dec. 10-13 — Ice Capades presents Dorothy Hamill at the Ector County Coliseum.
- Dec. 6-Jan. 14 — 10th Annual Members Show at Gallery 1114 in Midland. Call 685-9944.
- Dec. 3-Jan. 3 — Childrens Christmas Exhibit at the Art Institute for the Permian Basin in

Odessa. Call 368-7222.

• Dec. 16, 22, 23 — Musical adaptation of "A Christmas Carol," at Midland Community Theatre. Call 682-2544.

• Dec. 5 — Lighted Christmas Parade in Post. Begins at 6 p.m.

Lubbock, San Angelo, Abilene

- Nov-Jan. 10 — "Towers for the Eyes: Architectural Motifs in Contemporary Sculpture," exhibit at Museums of Abilene. Call 673-4587.
- Dec. 4-6 — Christmas at Old Fort Concho in San Angelo. Call 657-4444.

Texas

- Nov. 28 — Christmas in Olde Ballinger, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Nov. 27 — Sawyer Brown concert at Billy Bob's Texas in Fort Worth, call (817) 624-7117.
- Nov. 28 — Joe Diffie concert at Billy Bob's Texas, call (817) 624-7117.

Rabbitt tired of 'poison' music

By JERRY SHARPE
Scripps Howard News Service

Eddie Rabbitt can change from comedy to intensity just as smoothly as he can change guitar chords while singing a country hit.

On stage, he's witty and charming. Off stage, he's witty, too. Until he turns into a father who's downright mad at MTV and other TV shows he thinks are poisoning kids' minds. He's not too happy either about some of the words in rap.

"One reason people are turning to country music is because of that non-music called rap. People are going to finally get fed up with dirty songs and rap that encourages violence."

A glaring example of the wrong

thing, he said, was "Cop Killer," from the Warner Bros. album "Body Count." Ice-T sang lyrics about "dusting some cops off."

Police and citizens groups around the country claimed the song encouraged violence against cops. Ice-T said the song depicted a fictional character who personified the frustration many young black men feel about police brutality. Through over 1,000 record outlets nationwide refused to carry the album, Time-Warner said it would not stop distributing the record, because that would abridge the artist's free speech. Finally Ice-T himself pulled the song.

"They didn't care about free speech," says Rabbitt. "All they cared about was making money no matter who they hurt."

Roy Rogers: 'We made our pictures for the family'

By LUAINE LEE
Scripps Howard News Service

HOLLYWOOD — He had a bit of a squint and rosy cheeks and he'd often pause in the middle of the action to warble a tune. Though many of the real cowpunchers made fun of him, Roy Rogers was the undisputed King of the Cowboys.

It was a gentler time, says the veteran actor, now 81. A visit to the local movie house cost 11 cents and a child could stay all Saturday afternoon rapt in a world where the good guys were triumphant and the evildoer always paid his dues.

"They don't have any particular pictures that children can relate to today, outside of the little cartoons," says Rogers, looking little changed since his days in the saddle on his famous palomino Trigger.

"We made our pictures for the family, and we tried to be honest with the kids about right from wrong. I think kids see more than their little bodies and their minds can absorb and they get confused, a lot of them. And they don't get the attention from mom and dad that they used to. (There are) a jillion more people than there were. You say 'hi' and it goes clear around the world."

Little did Rogers know when he was churning out 87 musical westerns for the old Republic Studios that he was saying 'hi' to

generations of fans.

To celebrate both his work and his life, AMC cable television will present a special Roy Rogers weekend beginning Dec. 3 at 9 p.m. (ET) with a special "Roy Rogers: King of the Cowboys" followed by five of his classic films with co-star and wife Dale Evans.

Rogers, the son of a shoe factory worker from Cincinnati, made more than 200 movies. Retiring is difficult, he says; he keeps getting sidetracked.

"Whatever years I got left, I don't want to have it happen in front of a camera or working something I shouldn't be doing," he says. "And (I want to) be thankful for what the good Lord has already given me all these 81 years and so whatever's left I want to just enjoy the family and be there if they need me."

Last May his wife of 44 years suffered a heart attack. Rogers says that unearthing some of the family's artifacts helped her recovery.

Family has always been important to Rogers. He and Dale each had two children by previous marriages when they wed. A little girl with Down's Syndrome, who died at 2, is the only child they had together. They adopted five others.

When Rogers' long-time manager died, Rogers' son, Dusty, took over. "We opened our film vaults," explains the younger

Rogers. "When I was a kid, even before I was a twinkle in his eye, Dad carried a 16mm camera with him every place he went. And he documented a tremendous amount of things that most people don't see, especially home-movie type things."

Many of those segments will be included in the AMC show. But they served an even more important function, says the Singing Cowboy.

"And one thing — if you never found anything else — you found a roll of film of our little baby that Dale and I had," says Rogers. "And I had a lot of pictures of her when she was from that big (he stretches his hands about 16 inches apart) to when she was 2 years old. ... I took that home while Dale was sick this last couple of months. ... It just really brought her back alive."

When Rogers and his family came to California in 1930 to visit a

sister, he had no idea about being in show business, though he'd sung in the church choir as a kid and was a natural at yodeling.

But Rogers got what he calls "the California bite." He accompanied his parents back to Cincinnati, but then hitched his way back.

It was the middle of the Depression and Rogers remembers, "You couldn't hardly beg, borrow or steal any kind of a job and that's how I got into the picture business," he says.

"I couldn't find any job but my sister talked me into going onto a little radio station out in Inglewood, Calif. I was scared to death. And I couldn't get out of there quick enough and to this day I don't know what songs I sang, I was so scared."

He helped form a singing group, which became the Sons of the Pioneers.

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React

DEAR READ! Thanksgiving. So moment today a note of all those I we can be thank

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Reaching out to others cause for Thanksgiving

Jacqueline Bigar

DEAR READERS: Tomorrow is Thanksgiving. So let us pause for a moment today and make a mental note of all those blessings for which we can be thankful.

How is your health? You have a few minor complaints? Well, thank God they're not major. If you're reading this you're still here. You can probably think of at least one person who isn't around this year. (I know I can.)

If you awakened this morning and were able to hear the birds sing, use your vocal cords to utter human sounds, read the newspaper with two good eyes (or even one) - praise the Lord! A lot of people couldn't. (Say a prayer for those who have perished - from natural causes, fire, flood, earthquake or war.)

How's your pocketbook? Think?



Dear Abby

You're not alone. But many people in much of the world are a lot poorer and have far less hope than we have in America.

Are you lonely? Well, the way to have a friend is to reach out to someone and try to be a friend. If nobody calls you, call someone. Go out of your way today to do something nice for another person. It's a sure cure for the blues.

Are you concerned about your country's future? Hooray! Our

system has been saved by such concern - concern for fair treatment under the law. Our country may not be a rose garden, but it is far from a patch of weeds.

Freedom rings! Look and listen. You can worship in the church of your choice (or not worship at all if that's your choice), cast a secret ballot, and even criticize our government without fear of retribution. And for the first time, we are living in a unipolar world free from the threat of impending nuclear disaster.

As a final thought, I'll repeat my Thanksgiving prayer. Perhaps you will want to use it at your table tomorrow - let one of the children read it:

"O, heavenly father, we thank thee for food and remember the

hungry.

"We thank thee for health and remember the sick.

"We thank thee for friends and remember the friendless.

"We thank thee for freedom and remember the enslaved.

"May these remembrances stir us to service,

"That thy gifts to us may be used for others. Amen."

May the spirit of Thanksgiving be shared by one and all! Have a wonderful Thanksgiving, and may God bless you and yours. - Love, Abby

P.S. Why not invite a friend who lives alone to share a Thanksgiving meal, or better yet, call and say, "I'm coming to get you, and I'll see that you get home." Try it, and let me know how your day was.

FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1992

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You gain another's respect with your ability to understand and read between the lines. Take the lead in today's festivities and be the chief turkey carver. Your playful attitude makes a big difference in everyone's day. Tonight: Stay in the spotlight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Get into the holiday spirit and make the most of the moment. Put in some long-distance calls to relatives and friends and catch up on all the news. You feel more tuned in to a loved one than you have in a long time. Tonight: Watch that overindulging.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Go for a better connection between you and a loved one. Use the holiday to establish a better rapport with your family as well. Be willing to take a risk and delve into another's feelings. You discover how compatible the two of you really are. Tonight: Make time for a favorite person.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Popularity peaks and you have a unique opportunity to move in new directions. You get an unexpected declaration of feelings from a friend or relative. Don't go to extremes. You might be overestimating your vitality. Tonight: Continue the high spirits.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Please notice that you can socialize and still be chief cook and bottle washer. Your ability to work and have fun makes this a very special day for everyone involved. Be willing to take action and clear up a misunderstanding. Tonight: Don't be overwhelmed by your choices.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Let another take the initiative and make the first move. Romance adds a special tone to the holiday. Work with the unexpected and maintain a positive outlook. Be careful, because spending might be getting out of control. Tonight: Be more flirtatious.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): The unexpected occurs today, and you get to see matters in a dynamic, new manner. You feel cherished and adored as you bring loved ones together with your positive manner and happy approach. Don't let a minor mishap cause a problem. Tonight: Be more carefree.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You are on center stage today, whether others are asking you to carve the turkey or give your opinion of a situation. You are your most upbeat self, and others take their cue from you. Be careful not to exaggerate a hurt or slight. Tonight: Initiate a conversation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You might be on overload today. Be more selective in your choices, as you have so many different invitations and offers from which to choose. Be sensible when indulging a loved one. Discuss your goals and ask for feedback. Tonight: Indulge another.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A sudden insight opens you up to new possibilities. You might surprise yourself and do something quite uncharacteristic. Be careful about how much of your feelings you reveal. Don't overburden yourself by taking on too much. Tonight: Get a good night's rest.

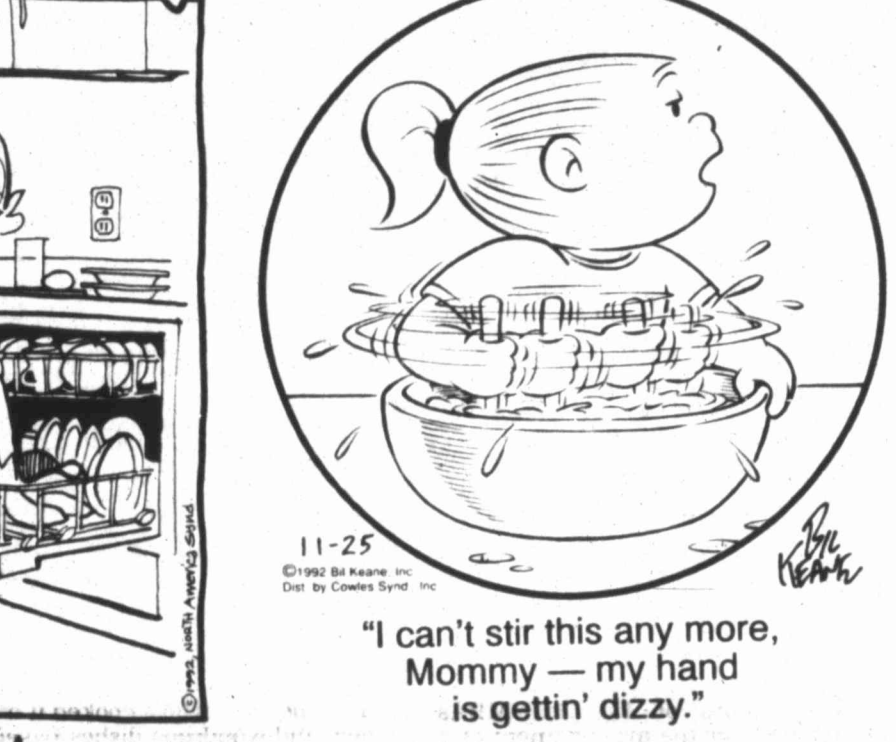
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You get surprising and unexpected news today. You have reason for celebration and happiness. You feel more upbeat and positive than you have in a long while. Tonight: Go for what you want.

DENNIS THE MENACE



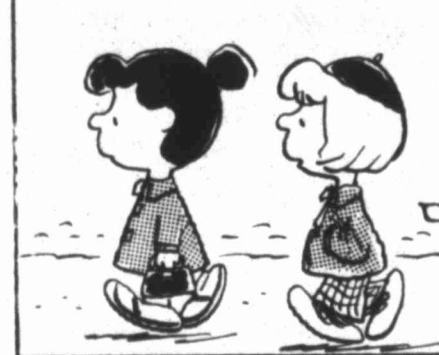
WELL THEN, WHY DON'T WE GET A DISHWASHER THAT WILL DO CLOTHES, TOO?"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"I can't stir this any more, Mommy - my hand is gettin' dizzy."

PEANUTS



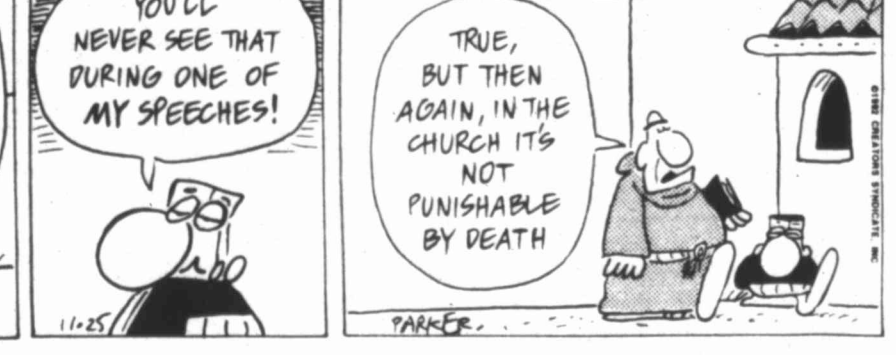
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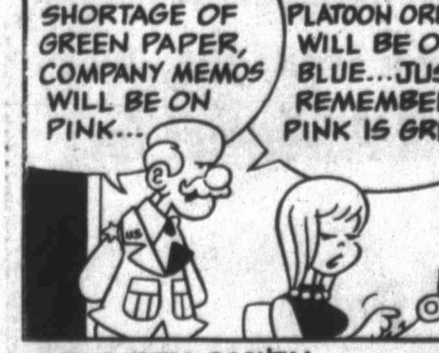
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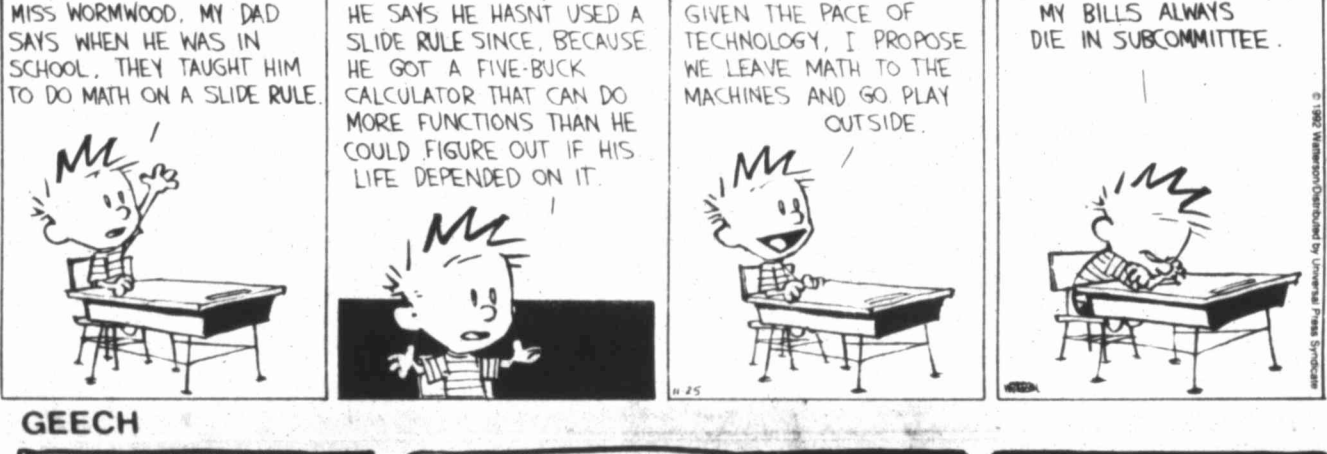


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MY BILLS ALWAYS DIE IN SUBCOMMITTEE.



WASN'T HE A CUTE BABY? LOOK WHAT CUTE BABIES YOU TWINS WERE, TOO!



LOOK AT CHIP! HA HA!



WASN'T SHE TINY?



I WAS A CUTE BABY, TOO!



HELGA SAID I WAS OVER THE HILL AND I SAID, I'M NOT OVER THE HILL!



MAYBE SHE THINKS I'M OVER THE HILL, BUT I'M NOT OVER THE HILL!



SHUT UP!



MA, DO TURKEYS HAVE A TAIL THAT FANS OUT IN THE BACK?

DO THEY STRUT A LOT?

DO THEY COME IN BRILLIANT BLUE AND GREEN HUES?

HEAVENS NO.

OH, OH... THE OLD MAN'S PLUCKING A PEACOCK!

LORETTA! GOT PLANS FOR THANKSGIVING?

Aye, Mr. Carkey! I'm stayin' aboard the flop house 'n warmin' up some chili!

Wont you join us for dinner? Pudge will be there!

Aye, aye, Sir!

Corky! Uh...my antitoxin just flared up! I wont be able to make it!

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710 Scurry Box 1431 Big Spring, Texas 79720 Monday-Friday 7:30-5:30 FAX: 915-264-7205

THE FAR SIDE By GARY LARSON

"Confession time, Mona: I've led you astray."

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Tell'em you saw it in the Big Spring Herald Your "Total Information Service"

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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

11/25/92

Adoption 011

ADOPTION
Happily married couple longs to give your baby the love and opportunity you would if you could. Beautiful home, big fenced yard, playground, swings and stream trickling through the garden. Weekends in mountains. Loving extended family. All this plus love and laughter awaits your child. Expenses paid. Call Mike & Candy Toll free at 1-800-697-1953.

Lodges 025

STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge #1340, AF & AM, 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2101 Lancaster, Chuck Condray, W.M., Carl Condray, Sec.

STATED MEETING Staked Plains Lodge No. 598 every 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:30, 219 Main, Larry Williams, W.M., T.R. Morris, Sec.

Personal 030

ATTENTION
Be sure to check your ad the first day it runs for any errors. The Big Spring Herald will be responsible for ONLY THE FIRST DAY the ad runs incorrectly. We will correct the error and run the ad ONE ADDITIONAL DAY, but it is your responsibility to check the ad the first day it runs, and notify us if it runs incorrectly. 263-7331.

BUS. OPPORTUNITIES

Business Opp. 050

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Instruction 060

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EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted 085

ADDRESSERS WANTED immediately! No experience necessary. Process FHA mortgage refunds. Work at home. Call Free: 1-800-283-8722.

BEST HOME CARE is accepting applications for RN, LVN, and Home Health Aide. Day shift with some weekend and night call. Pension plan, life & health insurance. Apply in person at 1710 Marcy Drive.

BIG SPRING CARE CENTER is accepting applications for the following positions: LVN, 10:6 shift, LVN, 6:2 shift, and CNA's 6:2 shift. Apply at 901 Golliad, M.F/H. EOE.

LVN or RN Charge Nurse for Medicare unit. Call 1-800-491-2841. Ask for Tom or Freddie. Stanton Care Center. EOE.

NURSES AIDES, STANTON CARE CENTER, 1100 W. Broadway, Stanton, Texas. Excellent Training program. EOE.

RETAIL MANAGEMENT ladies clothing store needs mature professional for full time management position, part time also available. Salary, bonus, commission, paid vacation and more. Call for appointment. 267-6711.

DISHWASHER NEEDED at Big Spring Country Club. Closed on Monday. Call 267-8241.

HELP WANTED: Earn up to \$500.00 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info 504-646-1700 DEPT. TX-2174.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for LVN/Tech in dialysis unit. Excellent benefits. Send resume to West Texas Renal Care Center, 3501 Executive Dr., San Angelo, Tx. or call 1-800-487-0271.

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LUCKY BONUS-Herald classifieds pay big dividends! Read the Herald to find out how you can win \$100.00.

NO EXPERIENCE!
\$500 to \$900 weekly processing FHA mortgage refunds. Work at home. 1-501-646-0503 EXT. 735. 24 hours.

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MED AIDES, LVNS, AND RNAs. Weekend differential pay and bonus plan at Comanche Trail Nursing Center. Call 263-4041. EOE.

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FARMER'S COLUMN

Horses 230

HORSE AND SADDLE Auction, Big Spring Livestock Auction, Saturday, November 28th, 1pm.

MISCELLANEOUS

Antiques 290

ANTIQUES: FINE FURNITURE, over 450 clocks, lamps, and more for you to purchase. We also REPAIR and REFINISH clocks, lamps, and furniture, new and old. We repair old wind up phonograph players. Update old wall telephones, call or bring in. All work guaranteed. House of Antiques, 4008 College, Snyder, (915)573-4422. 9am-6:30pm.

Appliances 299

WE BUY good used clean frost free refrigerators and stoves. Call 267-6421.

Auctions 325

SPRING CITY AUCTION: Robert Pruitt Auctioneer, TXS 079-007759. Call 263-1831/263-0914. We do all types of auctions!

Household Goods 390

EXCELLENT SELECTION of new and used bedding, appliances, and household furniture. Branham Furniture, 2004 W. 4th, 263-1469.

MOVING SALE: Dining room table and chairs, two dressers, and washer. Call 263-2836.

Lost- Pets 394

FOUND: female Bassett Hound mix, white with red spots. Female dog red with black muzzle, mid size, with short tail and large ears. Female puppy, light red with some white. Call Big Spring Humane Society 267-7832.

LOST SMALL female Yorkshire Terrier Friday night on Midway Road. Black with brown face. REWARD! 263-3035.

Miscellaneous 395

CHIMNEY PROBLEMS? M&R ENTERPRISES. Chimney sweep and repair, call 263-7015.

DR. Kilgore accepts medicaid. For appointment call 267-7096.

FABRICS SAMPLES books from 10c. Upholstery fabrics from \$1.50 yard, vinyl-nylon. Curtain rods and supply 1/3 price. At Mickie's Decorating.

PAUL NG will be at Hall-Bennett clinic November 30 December 4th. For acupuncture treatment call 267-7411.

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HUGHES RENTAL & SALES
1611 Gregg 267-6770

Auctions 325

SPRING CITY AUCTION
Thursday, November, 26

NO AUCTION HAPPY THANKSGIVING

SEE YOU DECEMBER 3RD
We are having an Estate Sale being moved to the Auction Building for December 3rd. Lots of quality merchandise.

Robert Pruitt, Auctioneer
TXS-7759
263-1831

Dogs, Pets, Etc 375

BLUE HEELER, cow dog puppies. 398-5438, after 6pm.

FOR SALE: Dalmation puppies. \$100.00. 267-7762.

FOR SALE ROTTWEILER puppies. 6 weeks old. 393-5732.

Garage Sale 380

2610 ALBROOK: Friday and Saturday, toys, clothes, new Avon items, wooden shelves, jewelry and more.

MOVING SALE: Everything goes. Saturday 9am-2pm. North Service Rd. 2 miles east of Cosden. Follow signs.

Miscellaneous 395

IRIS' POODLE Parlor. Grooming, indoor kennels heated and air, supplies, coats, etc. 2112 West 3rd, 263-2409-263-7900.

Pet Grooming 425

FOR SALE, 18 INCH Curtis Mathes T.V. set with stand, like brand new and warranty. Call 263-5822.

Produce 426

SHELLED PECANS, \$5.00 lb. Custom cracking and shelling. 2901 N. Birdwell Lane, 263-1755. Roy Hester.

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Want To Buy 503

WORKING VCR'S, Premium Video, 1915 Gregg, 263-0289 or College Park Shopping Center 263-3823.

REAL ESTATE

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FOUR BEDROOM, three bath in Kentwood. One half acre lot, water well, storage buildings, sprinkler system. Double garage, huge bedrooms, skylights, tinted storm windows, new roof, den with fireplace. Asking \$70,000. Agent 263-8402.

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SEVERAL IBM Selectric I typewriters for sale, nice, clean machines. Warranted. Also service available on IBM Selectric, Wheelwriter and Laser Printers. Reasonable rates. Quick turnaround time. Call 267-9768, LASERTEC.

TELL EVERYBODY HUGHES OPTICAL & Dr. Kilgore have moved next door to 810 Gregg Street. Hughes Optical has a GREAT GIFT idea. Daily clear soft contacts for \$29.00 per pair. Doctors prescription required. Sale ends 12-15-92. 810 Gregg, 263-3667.

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FREE ESTIMATES.
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Business Build
FOR LEASE- SNYDER sq. ft. building with office on 2 acres. \$250./month. 263-5000.
FOR LEASE 1805 W. 3rd \$100.00 deposit. 263-5000.

Furnished Apt
\$99. MOVE IN Plus 6 bedrooms. Electric, if accepted. Some furnished. 263-7811.

BEAUTIFUL COURTY
Swimming Pool - Fire Carports - Built-in Most Utilities Paid
24 hr. on premises! 1 & 2 Bed
Furnished or Unfurnished
PARK HILL APARTMENT
800 Marcy
263-5555

ONE-TWO bedroom a room house. Math 263-6944-263-2341.
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LOVELY NEIGH
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Carports - Swimm utilities paid - Full furnished - Disc Citizens.
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Kentwood Area 1904 East 267-5444

NICE FOR single, lot deposit, No bills 263-2396.
SANDRA GALE Apt 1, 2, & 4 bedrooms. Full. The price is \$1. Call 263-0906.

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Your home is as limit yourself. C value in Big Spring \$200-\$295. furn. or sit. You pay elec. W. Hwy 80. 267

TWO BEDROOM \$75.00 per month. Full utilities paid. 30

Furnished h
FURNISHED NICE room house, with full. NO PETS. before 6pm.

Unfurnished
1&2 BEDROOMS: dep. You pay electric. Call 267-6561.

RENT ON!
All Section Close All B NORTHCR 267-5191

Unfurnished
1604 LARK & 160 HUD accepted. \$2 deposit 267-7449.

FOR RENT- The brick, large rooms house with city water. REM ished. \$300.00 per water bill paid. C HUD ACCEPTED three bedroom house 263-0746.
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GREAT STAR yard. Reduced COUNTRY LI plus many appliances. \$60.00. LARGE 3 BR, furniture. \$279.

RENTALS

Business Buildings 520
FOR LEASE-SNYDER HIGHWAY. 2500 sq. ft. building with offices. Fenced yard on 2 acres. \$250/month, \$100/deposit. 263-5000.

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\$99. MOVE IN Plus deposit. Nice 1,2,3 bedrooms. Electric, water paid. HUD accepted. Some furnished. Limited offer. 263-7811.

BEAUTIFUL GARDEN COURTYARD
Swimming Pool - Private Patios - Carpools - Built-in Appliances - Most Utilities Paid. Senior Citizen Disc.
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1 & 2 Bedrooms
Furnished or Unfurnished
PARK HILL TERRACE APARTMENTS
800 Marcy Drive
263-5555 263-5000

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24 hour on premises Manager

Kentwood Apartments
1904 East 25th
267-5444 263-5000

NICE FOR single, lots of storage, carpet, deposit. No bills paid. \$200/month. 263-2396.

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Your home is our business. Don't limit yourself. Come see the best value in Big Spring. 1&2 bedrooms \$200-\$295. furn. or unfurn. \$100. deposit. You pay elec. Sorry no pets. 3304 W. Hwy 80.
267-6561

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8079 November 25 & December 3, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (TDPRS) invites all interested individuals, private for profit and non-profit agencies, organizations, or government entities to submit proposals to provide In-Home Casework-Case Management Services. All services will be used in the Department's Child Protective Services program. The contractor will receive referrals from local Child Protective Services staff on families where child abuse and/or neglect has been identified and casework services are needed to resolve the problems causing the maltreatment. The contractor will provide families the necessary casework services and case management activities with no on-going involvement from Child Protective Services staff. Interested parties must propose to deliver services in the counties listed below: Andrews, Borden, Crane, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Martin, Midland, Upton. The contract awarded under this RFP will be effective March 1, 1993 through February 29, 1994. Payment for these services will be on a cost reimbursement basis with a maximum expenditure of \$150,700.00 for the contract year. A "Request for Proposal" packet may be obtained beginning November 24, 1992 by contacting: Larry Torres
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New Jersey	4	7	.364 2 1/2
Miami	3	6	.333 2 1/2
Boston	2	8	.200 4

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W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	9	2	.818 -
Milwaukee	4	3	.647 2
Charlotte	4	4	.600 2 1/2
Indiana	5	4	.556 3
Cleveland	5	5	.500 3 1/2
Atlanta	4	5	.444 4
Detroit	2	7	.222 6

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Midwest Division			
W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	6	2	.750 -
Utah	6	3	.667 1/2
Denver	3	6	.333 3 1/2
San Antonio	3	3	.333 3 1/2
Minnesota	2	6	.250 4
Dallas	1	6	.143 4 1/2

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W	L	Pct.	GB
Portland	8	0	1.000 -
Seattle	7	3	.700 2
LA Lakers	5	3	.625 3
Phoenix	5	3	.625 3
LA Clippers	5	5	.500 4
Sacramento	5	5	.500 4
Golden State	4	7	.364 5 1/2

Tuesday's Games
New York vs. Washington 8
Charlotte vs. Philadelphia 119
Cleveland vs. Milwaukee 105
Indiana vs. Miami 82
Portland vs. San Antonio 91
Houston vs. LA Clippers 83
Seattle vs. New Jersey 97
Chicago vs. Golden State 92

Wednesday's Games
Washington vs. Boston, 6:30 p.m.

FOOTBALL

SWC Stats

Atlanta at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.
Indiana at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
New York at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
LA Clippers at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Denver, 8 p.m.
San Antonio at Utah, 8 p.m.
Portland at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.
New Jersey at LA Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games
No games scheduled

Friday's Games
Charlotte at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Minnesota vs. Washington at Baltimore, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Miami, 6:30 p.m.

FOOTBALL

SWC Stats

SEASON STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp. Diff.
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