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## NEWS DIGEST



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### Waiting

Kathy Hop waits in the rain for a bus after the Amtrak train she was riding derailed in Stevensville, Mich., Wednesday. The train, en route from Chicago to Grand Rapids, derailed north of the Indiana-Michigan border. Nine passengers were slightly injured.

### Appreciation dinner set Jan. 8

The annual Agricultural Appreciation Dinner will be Jan. 8. The dinner is sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce. This dinner is free to all farmers and ranchers but tickets must be picked up at the chamber by Jan. 6. For more information call the chamber at 263-7641.

### Toys on display through Jan. 23

Toys of Christmas past are featured in Heritage Museum's holiday exhibit "Marvelous Mechanical Toys." The display of battery and windup toys from the 1940s through the 1960s will be on display through Jan. 23.

### Home subscription rates adjusted

Effective Friday, monthly home delivery rates for the Big Spring Herald will be adjusted to \$8.35 monthly. The adjustment will be effective on all new subscriptions and renewals. Circulation Manager Dale Ferguson said the adjustment of two cents per day is necessary because of an increase in the cost of newsprint and an increase in delivery cost. The Herald is printed on 100 percent recycled newsprint with soy ink. The Herald offers a 10 percent discount to persons 55 years of age or older on three- or six-month subscriptions paid in advance at the newspaper. For more information, contact the Herald Circulation Department at 263-7331.

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## Weather

Tonight, cloudy and cold with a 20 percent chance light freezing rain. Lows in the lower 20s. Northeast to east wind 5-15 mph. See extended forecast page 8A.

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## Big Spring pushed as site of new state prison

Public hearing to gather opinion scheduled Jan. 14

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

Big Spring may yet secure an institution for housing state prisoners as Texas Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, is encouraging an Austin-based company to build a 500-bed prison facility in Howard County.

Recor Inc. of Austin is seeking to finance, design, build and operate the facility, housing prisoners under contract from the state of Texas. Recor has scheduled a public hearing to gather opinions from residents in the Big Spring area.

Big Spring's struggle to secure a state prison in 1992 met with failure.

The meeting is scheduled for Jan. 14, in Building 1106 of the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark, beginning at 7 p.m.

Recor officials approached Montford with the proposal, but did not have a site selected, according to a ranking official with Montford's office. "He (Montford) asked them to give Big Spring every consideration," he said. "We're trying to do everything we can to help Big Spring," he said. If the state awards Recor the contract, construction will begin on a 100,000 square foot structure capable of housing 500 state prisoners.

At the public hearing, Recor officials will discuss topics relating to the prison, including security and its economic impact on the

community. All community groups, elected officials, citizens and those in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice are invited to attend and express their thoughts at the public hearing.

If the state contract is granted, Recor will construct a secured facility, but will require integration with area training institutions, much as the Federal Correctional Institution now does, to provide better rehabilitation for its prisoners.

Recor was created to provide contract housing, rehabilitation and correction to state prisoners. Recor is in the process of building facilities in other parts of the state.

When in operation at full capacity, the contract prison will employ between 175 and 200 people.



Associated Press photo

Sporting the same desert camouflage uniform as American troops, President George Bush smiles as he is greeted at the Mogadishu airport today. The president will tour relief centers and meet with the troops of Operation Restore Hope during his two day visit to the famine-ravaged African nation.

## Bush thanks soldiers for work in Somalia

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

MOGADISHU, Somalia — President Bush offered New Year's thanks today to American troops for working in "A-1 style" far from home as he arrived for a firsthand look at the suffering wrought by Somalia's years of war, famine and disease.

"We are very, very proud of you and very, very grateful to each and every one of you," Bush said to about 1,000 troops and relief officials deployed as part of Operation Restore Hope. "We are very proud of this humanitarian effort."

The president then headed to a refugee center outside the Somali capital whose name translates to "Place of Bones." It is home to an estimated 4,000 refugees, some of them ill, others still dying of starvation.

Bush wore a military camouflage shirt and hat as he stepped off his military jet onto the

hot, sunbaked tarmac following an 18-hour journey from Washington.

It was the 25th — and probably final — overseas journey of Bush's presidency, and the itinerary underscored the dramatic changes in the world that have made the United States the world's sole remaining superpower. From Somalia — where the United States is spearheading an international feeding effort, Bush was flying to Russia to sign an agreement to slash long-range nuclear weapons by two-thirds and push the Col War deeper into history.

The troops gathered in the old U.S. Embassy compound to hear Bush greeted him with robust cheers.

He said the nation was "proud of this humanitarian effort" in Somalia, and noted it represented a different kind of mission for the American military. "You're doing it in A-1 style," he said. "Nobody is ● Please see WORK, Page 8A

## Westbrook overpaid; funds now withheld

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

COLORADO CITY — A small West Texas school district agrees it may have been overpaid in Mitchell County taxes last year, but said it's not fair to even the books by withholding the money this year.

Members of the board of the County Education District, voted 2-1 on Tuesday to withhold \$73,000 of Westbrook's 1992-93 share of CED tax money, according to Don Nimmo, the district's administrator.

Westbrook overstated its student enrollment during the 1991-92 school year, resulting in an overpayment, said Nimmo, who is also superintendent of Colorado City's school district.

"The money was totally spent," Westbrook Superintendent Sonny Hollis said. "We think the authority over this matter is not the CED (but) the commissioner of education or the courts."

Westbrook officials believe Nimmo should have warned them about having to relinquish money, Hollis said. Instead, he added, Westbrook built its budget around the expected level of funding.

"If Westbrook has spent that money, I don't have any control," Nimmo said. "But they owe the CED \$73,000. All we are doing is following TEA guidelines."

Lee George, the chairperson of the Howard County CED, said the administrator of the program, Nimmo, is responsible for anticipating the problems of overpayment.

"It was foolish for Westbrook ● Please see FUNDS, Page 8A

## Czechoslovakia divided

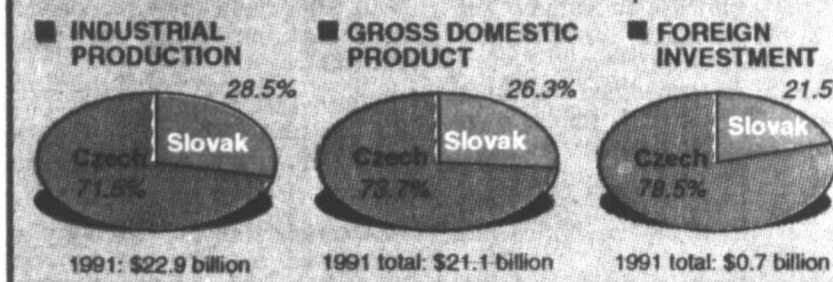
The Czechoslovakian federation formed in 1918 will be divided into two independent states as of 12 a.m. on January 1, 1993.



POPULATION millions	
Czechs	10.5
Slovaks	5.0

UNEMPLOYMENT May 1992	
Czechs	2.9%
Slovaks	11.3%



AP/T. Dean Caple

## Breaking up

# Czechoslovakia to become 2 countries

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia — At the stroke of midnight, this country founded 74 years ago on the ruins of the Austro-Hungarian Empire will cease to exist.

Despite a half year of negotiations to realize the split, some Czechs and Slovaks still can't quite believe they will wake up in separate countries on Friday.

"I know it had to be done, but it's too sad," said Anna Cervenkova, a 36-year-old Czech housewife, summing up the sentiment of many in what will become Slovakia and the Czech Republic.

"A few years ago, I would never have believed we could have a Czecho-Slovak problem, and now they are building customs offices at the border," she said. Opponents of the split demanded a referendum, and opinion polls showed many citizens opposed the break. But no referendum was held — in either republic or across Czechoslovakia.

Now, after six months of sometimes excruciating talks to divide up everything from hockey teams to air force jets, about all that is left are a few formalities.

Diplomats this week exchanged notes proposing to establish formal relations. Czech Foreign Minister Josef Zieleniec announced that his first foreign trip probably would be to — where else? — Slovakia.

Despite their deep differences, Czech and Slovak leaders made good on their vows to avoid the bloodshed that has marked the disintegration of Yugoslavia and the Soviet Union.

Dubbed the Velvet Divorce — after the 1989 Velvet Revolution that ended Communist rule — theirs is the first peaceful breakup of a former Communist country in Europe.

At the root of the breakup were differences over political and economic reforms that arose following the end of Communist rule.

Communism's demise also freed politicians in Slovakia,

Czechoslovakia's smaller eastern third, to vent pent-up aspirations of many Slovaks for autonomy from their richer, more numerous Czech cousins.

The split became inevitable after June general elections. Czechs heartily endorsed the quick transformation to a market-based economy championed by Premier Vaclav Klaus. Slovaks closed ranks behind Vladimir Meciar, a populist and former Communist who preferred slower, less jarring change.

A mostly rural region of 5 million people, Slovakia has been hit hard by Prague's market-oriented reform drive. Unemployment has soared to 12 percent, largely because of closures or cutbacks in outdated Communist-era industries concentrated there.

Slovakia is saddled with many weapons factories. The 10 million people in the wealthier Czech lands have suffered considerably less. They have attracted the vast majority of the country's foreign investment, helping keep unemployment at about 4 percent.

Meciar argued for a loose confederation instead of a total split in an attempt to win political sovereignty while maintaining a lifeline to the stronger Czech economy.

Klaus, anxious to push ahead with his reforms, insisted that any break had to be a clean one.

"I am fully convinced there was no other solution," Klaus said in a recent television debate. "It makes me sad ... but clearly, (a united country) was not meant to be."

The two countries will remain closely linked by economic and political treaties allowing the free flow of goods, capital and labor between them. For the time being, they will share the same currency.

Both are likely to suffer in the short run, and Meciar acknowledges that Slovakia, with its sluggish economy, is in for the roughest time. "We have some catching up to do," he conceded last ● Please see TWO, Page 8A

## Nostalgia Nights, Kelley celebrates 10 years on air

By GARY SHANKS  
Staff Writer

Luther Kelley's Nostalgia Nights has brought the sounds of big-band and other music from the '30s, '40s and '50s to avid listeners for the last decade.

Today marks the 10th anniversary of the KBST-AM 1490 radio program. Kelley began the program the night of New Year's Eve in 1982 and received immediate response from area fans of this bygone era of music. "We had an immediate response — phone calls and letters. And it's been growing ever since then," Kelley said of Nostalgia Nights.

At 72, Kelley still maintains the mellow voice and minimal speech of radio's original disk jockeys, said David Wrinkle, owner and manager of KBST. Kelley plans his music for the four-hour program, taking cuts from his vast collection

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Luther Kelley  
Nostalgia Nights.

of music, spanning the years from the end of the Great Depression, through World War II and into the 1950s.

"I've got a pretty free rein to play whatever I want to play," Kelley said.

Nostalgia Nights was part of a 1982 reform for KBST, which changed from "Top 40" programming to regain its lost market of older Howard County residents. "Within days he was the most hated DJ by high-school kids and people under 30," Wrinkle said.

Before the change, KBST had been losing listeners to KBYG's

country music format, he said. "We had literally rocked this station to death."

The program, the only one of its kind in West Texas, features performers from the era of "good music," Kelley said. Kelley plays all the Big Bands like Glen Miller, Tommy Dorsey and Count Basie — along with vocalists like Frank Sinatra, Perry Como, Bing Crosby, Dina Shore and Nat King Cole.

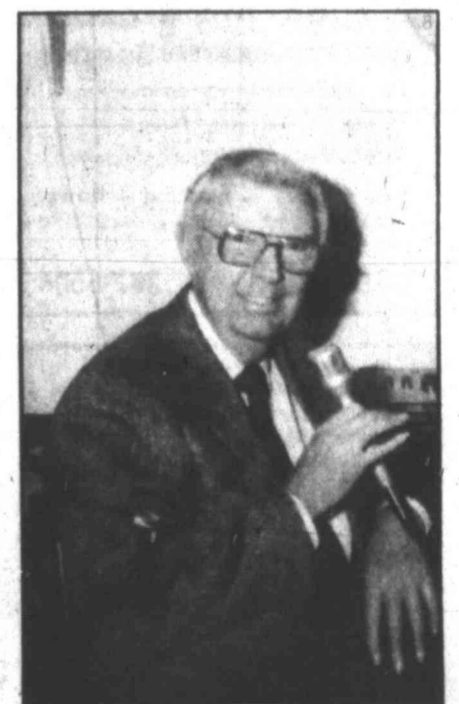
Kelley not only uses his 2,000-plus album collection for the program, but receives musical selections from fans as well. Also, many of the old bands and entertainers' music is being re-released on compact disk.

Because of the success of Nostalgia Nights, Wrinkle made a decision to run the four-hour program without advertisements, he said. "It's kind of a gift to the people of Big Spring."

Kelley tapes a new show every day for air on the evening's AM programming, he said. The show runs from 8 p.m. to midnight and is then repeated from midnight to 4 a.m.

"It's a very rewarding feeling to know that your pleasing a lot of people," Kelley said. Kelley has been approached and asked to syndicate the show for air in other cities, but he declined as this would require full-time commitment. Kelley is enjoying retirement with his wife of 50 years, Florence Kelley.

Kelley has been in radio for most of the years since 1950.



LUTHER KELLEY



# World

## One storm leaves and another is on the way

### Stranded motorists make a break for it

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

NYACK, Calif. — Hundreds of motorists stranded in the snow-bound Sierra Nevada made a break for it overnight, hoping to beat another storm on the way.

The region's worst storm in years has dumped at least 8 feet of snow in higher elevations since Monday and piled drifts up to 12 feet high, stranding thousands of travelers trying to cross between Nevada and Northern California.

"We decided to get out now while we could," said Christel Resetar, who had been stuck near Lake Tahoe and decided to head west on Wednesday.

Gamblers caught by the storm in Nevada have had to sleep on casino floors, and truckers parked their rigs and fretted over lost wages with each passing hour. At Mammoth Lakes, near Yosemite National Park, an avalanche killed a 20-year-old man, but rescuers saved an 11-year boy who had been buried by snow.

Heavy snow also hit parts of Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Wyoming and Colorado on Wednesday.

Seventy miles of Interstate 80 and 50 miles of U.S. 50, the two main highways linking Nevada and California, were closed Monday night and Tuesday at the height of the storm but were reopened Wednesday to limited traffic.

But another storm headed for Northern California and was expected to bring heavy snow to the Sierra Nevada this morning.

"It's going to start all over again," said Ed Clark, a forecaster in Sacramento.

Joe Lifschutz, a psychoanalyst from Berkeley, left his winter home in Tahoe City and headed back to the San Francisco Bay area.

"I had to dig my car out three times in the last three days," he said at a roadside rest on I-80. "I figured I better leave now, or I wouldn't make it."

By late Wednesday, Nevada-bound traffic was backing up near Applegate, causing delays up to eight hours. Motorists encountered delays up to six hours heading the other direction.

"It's getting real old," said Larry Stevens of Goshen, Ind., who had been living since Monday out of his motor home in a casino parking lot near the California-Nevada line. "You can only play so much poker and watch so much TV."

Hotels and motels were booked solid in the Reno-Tahoe area.

"We had some people sleeping on the casino floor and some employees sleeping in offices. It's been pure mayhem," said Jerry Tranchida of the Gold Ranch Casino at Verdi, Nev.

People also waited out the storm at the Donner House restaurant in Truckee. "To be honest, it was a pain in the neck for everyone," said an employee, Sharon Nieblas.

Not everyone was complaining. "I'm doing great," said John Peterson, owner of a restaurant in Cisco Grove, on I-80. "I've been working 18 hours a day and making lots of money. If this lasts one more day, I'm going to close up and go skiing."

Gas stations in Truckee ran out of gasoline, and owners didn't know when they would get more. Grocery stores in the Truckee-Tahoe area were picked clean of produce, and many sold out of snow shovels and other winter gear.

"We can barely keep up with the demand for shovels, boots, gloves, that kind of stuff," said Bob Giennapp, head clerk at a supermarket in South Lake Tahoe.



Associated Press photo

Rescuers search for victims following an avalanche which struck the northeast face of Sherwin Bowl just south of Mammoth Lakes Wednesday. The avalanche resulted in one reported fatality.

## For Russians, 1992 was year marked by pain, reform

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

MOSCOW — A year ago, Sergei Alexandrov was pondering his bleak future as a cook. Today, the 28-year-old entrepreneur runs his own business selling candy and liquor from a sidewalk kiosk.

"Maybe we're not getting rich, but at least there's enough to live on," he said, gazing out at the busy Moscow street from inside his tiny symbol of free enterprise.

One year after President Boris Yeltsin launched Russia toward a free-market economy, life has gotten better for some people, worse for most.

After decades of Kremlin-imposed controls were lifted on Jan. 2, 1992, prices have shot up as much as 20 times. Salaries and pensions have failed to keep pace. Although stores have more goods, many people cannot afford them.

One-third of all Russians live below the poverty line. Many lost jobs once guaranteed by the state. Alexandrov said that a year ago, "We had some optimism. ... But I

think a lot of people now have lost that hope and are just trying to save themselves, to survive."

He talked while seated on a crate in his kiosk, one of thousands that have sprouted in the capital this past year.

Muscovites shuffled across the snow-covered sidewalk to examine his offerings: chocolate bars, bubble gum and liquor.

Shoppers, seeking New Year's champagne were turned off by his price of 1,200 rubles a bottle. At today's exchange rate, that's \$4.30, 10 times last year's price. The average Russian earns about 8,900 rubles a month.

As Russia edges toward hyperinflation, prices are expected to be 2,000 percent higher than last year.

Alexander Ivanov, a construction engineer, muttered, "They're all price gougers, as far as I'm concerned" as he surveyed the kiosks on Sadovaya Koltso, the main street circling downtown Moscow. Ivanov earns 3,500 rubles a month, compared with 400 a year

## Goodbye Ling-Ling

# National Zoo's panda dies

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Ling-Ling died as quietly as the five ill-fated cubs she bore, closing out a two-decade reign as America's only resident female giant panda.

The 23-year-old star attraction of the National Zoo, found dead of unknown causes Wednesday, captured world headlines with her fragile love life and hapless romance with Hsing-Hsing, her sometimes inept mate.

Millions of visitors came to gape at the nation's first and only giant panda couple. On a typical day, the languid, teddy bear-like creatures could be counted on to be sprawled out, fast asleep.

No matter. Zoo officials said they were bona fide celebrities who delivered a subtle yet strong message for wildlife conservation.

"We know that her death will sadden millions of people who saw this popular animal at the National Zoo and learned from her about the plight of giant pandas and other endangered species," said Dr. Benjamin Beck, acting zoo director.

"They didn't do a lot, but (we liked) just to be able to look at them and know they were so rare," said Julia Levinson of Springfield, Va., who visited the zoo Wednesday with her 4-year-old daughter.

Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing were introduced to the American public amid fanfare as gifts from the People's Republic of China in 1972 when then-President Nixon established ties with the Communist nation.



Associated Press photo

Ling-Ling, the giant panda seen in this 1987 file photo, died at the National Zoo in Washington D.C. Wednesday. Ling-Ling, who symbolized the opening of relations between the United States and China, was 23.

The black and white, bamboo-eating mammals have been the zoo's most popular exhibit, attracting about 63 million visitors since their arrival, zoo spokesman Mike Morgan said.

Zoo officials long dreamed of raising little pandas, but Ling-Ling turned out to be indifferent to sex and Hsing-Hsing was a bumbler. Artificial insemination didn't work, and Ling-Ling fought with a would-be suitor brought in from a London zoo.

Finally, Hsing-Hsing caught on and in 1983 they began mating. Each of Ling-Ling's pregnancies

was followed in detail, in hopes she would be the first panda in the United States to raise cubs in captivity.

She bore five full-term cubs, but all died shortly after birth from infections, Morgan said. She had not given birth since 1989.

Over the years, the pandas' love life was romanticized, scrutinized, analyzed, televised, ridiculed. Hundreds of letters, many addressed to the pandas, arrived at the National Zoo, offering advice, consolation and greetings.

Other American zoos have displayed panda couples for short periods on loan from the Chinese government. But Hsing-Hsing and Ling-Ling were the only permanent male-female pair in this country, Morgan said.

He said the zoo would like to acquire a replacement, but such a decision would depend on relations between the Chinese and U.S. governments.

There are believed to be fewer than 1,000 giant pandas living in mountain refuges in China.

Zoo officials said Ling-Ling's death was unexpected, although at 23 she was old for a panda. The 240-pound animal was found dead in the pandas' outdoor enclosure by a keeper assigned to their 3 p.m. feeding, Morgan said.

In 1983, Ling-Ling became seriously ill with a kidney infection but was saved with antibiotics.

Morgan said a zoo pathologist will perform an autopsy, but the exact cause of death may not be known for some time.

ago. But he said his salary is not keeping up with inflation. "It was better when things were cheap," he said as he entered the state-run Smolensky Food Store in search of fish for the New Year meal, but "at least there's something to buy." Smolensky is a microcosm of the changes in Russia. A well-stocked store in decades past, its shelves became dingy and deserted in recent years. Now things look different: A Coca-Cola rack stands where a bare counter once greeted shoppers. Fur coats are sold in a back room. A small liquor department is tucked against a rear wall. Glass cases display expensive smoked sausage, imported Swiss cheese, stacks of eggs. But the long lines are gone now. Most people can't afford what's on sale. Despite the political and economic chaos in Russia this past year, there has been little social unrest and no starvation. Russians have persevered — by changing eating habits, by doing without, adapting any way they could. Yeltsin's opponents have been unable to muster large crowds at anti-reform protests. The hard-liners turned to their numerical advantage in parliament. They made Yeltsin replace the acting prime minister, reformer Yegor Gaidar, with Viktor Chernomyrdin, a Soviet-era technocrat.

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Goodbye '92! Hello to 1993

Another year is over and a new year is about to begin. It's time to look back at what Big Spring's citizens have accomplished over the past year. The year 1992 saw citizens passing two bond issues, by a large majority of the people who turned out to vote, that would improve their streets and improve conditions at Beals Creek. The city of Big Spring hired Lanny Lambert as city manager. In the four months he has been city manager, Lambert has already proved his worth to the city. He looked over the cost to pave the city's streets and found ways to save the city money with the creation of a street-paving crew of city workers. That money will be used to pave more streets than first thought. The improvements at Beals Creek will help avert flooding in that area of the city. The year also saw two neighborhoods — Jones Valley and Banks Addition — decide they were tired of people using their areas as a dumping ground and decided to do something about it. The neighbors banded together along with volunteers from the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce's Clean Committee, the city and others to cleanup and brighten their neighborhoods. The year 1992 also saw Moore Development Inc. adding a new industry to Big Spring's business community in Wright Fibers. And, the possibility of air travel was boosted with Resort Air coming to the McMahon-Wrinkle Airport. Also adding to local business was the opening of H-E-B in October. And, 1992 also saw local citizens working together to save Big Spring State Recreation Area on Scenic Mountain when it was included in a list of 11 parks to be closed or restructured by the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife. More than 11,000 signatures were gathered as citizens fought to keep their park. And that's just a part of the good things happening in Big Spring in 1992. What will happen in 1993? Will all the efforts begun in 1992 be left to drop by the wayside or will citizens see the good they have created and vow to continue it? We would like to see the progress continue through 1993. If we all work together, 1993 can be an even better year for Big Spring than 1992.



This date in history

The ASSOCIATED PRESS Today is Thursday, Dec. 31st, the 366th and final day of 1992. Today's Highlight in History: On Dec. 31, 1946, President Truman officially proclaimed the end of World War II. On this date: In 1775, the British repulsed an attack by Continental Army Gen. Richard Montgomery and Benedict Arnold at Quebec. Montgomery was killed. In 1857, Britain's Queen Victoria decided to make Ottawa the capital of Canada. In 1862, President Lincoln signed an act admitting West Virginia to the Union. In 1879, inventor Thomas Edison first publicly demonstrated his electric incandescent light in Menlo Park, N.J. In 1897, Brooklyn, N.Y., spent its last day as a separate entity before becoming part of New York City. In 1961, the Marshall Plan expired after distributing more than \$12 billion in foreign aid.

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In 1974, private U.S. citizens were allowed to buy and own gold for the first time in more than 40 years. In 1978, Taiwanese diplomats struck their colors for the final time from the embassy flagpole in Washington, marking the end of diplomatic relations with the United States. In 1985, singer Rick Nelson, 45, and six other people were killed when fire broke out aboard a privately owned DC-3 that was taking the group to a New Year's Eve performance in Dallas. Today's Birthdays: Composer Jule Styne is 87. Nazi hunter Simon Wiesenthal is 84. TV producer George Schlatter is 60. Actor Anthony Hopkins is 55. Actress Sarah Miles is 51. Singer John Denver is 49. Actor Ben Kingsley is 49. Fashion designer Diane von Furstenberg is 46. Singer Donna Summer is 44.



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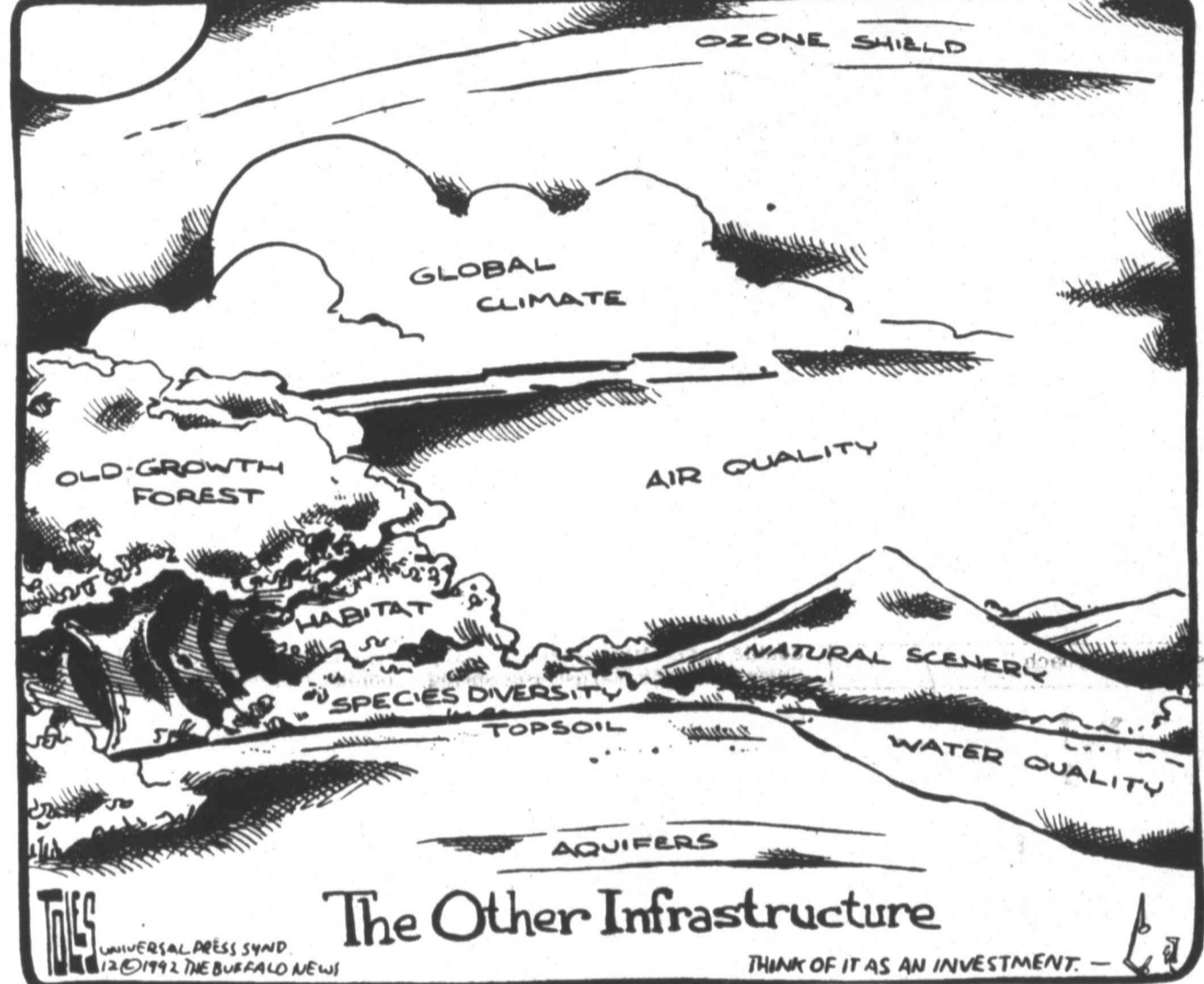
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While browsing through a restaurant directory, I suggested to the blonde that we might try a place that was newly listed. She asked if it was expensive and I said that it had a "prix fixe" dinner. "A what?" she said. I repeated, "Prix fixe." "How is it spelled?" I spelled it aloud and again said: "Prix fixe." "You're not pronouncing it correctly," she said. Why not? I'm pronouncing it exactly the way it is spelled. "No, no. If you say it that way, it sounds, well, it sounds obscene." I said it again: "Prix fixe," the way it is spelled. And she may be right. It did sound like it might be a phrase describing some sort of male surgical procedure. "The proper pronunciation," the blonde said, flaunting her refined upbringing, "is pree feeks." Then why isn't it spelled pree feeks? "Because it is French. And in French, pree feeks is spelled 'prix fixe.'" How stupid of me. I had forgotten that the first rule of the French language is that almost nothing is pronounced the way it's

spelled. When the French invented their language, they rigged it that way just to make the rest of us feel inferior. They also thought that if they had a language that was almost impossible to learn, the Germans might not invade them. "Pree feeks," the blonde said. "It simply means fixed price." I already knew that much. The question is, why do newspaper and magazine restaurant listings in the United States, where most of us speak one form of English or another, insist on using "prix fixe," which is pronounced "pree feeks," and means "fixed price," instead of "fixed price," which means fixed price and is pronounced "fixed price"? My guess is that the vast majority of Americans do not know how to pronounce "prix fixe."

And a great many don't even know what it means. Why, if you went into some restaurants in Arkansas or Tennessee and asked if they had a "prix fixe" dinner — pronouncing it the way it is spelled — it's likely that the waiter would bellow, "Ya lowdown preevert," and hit you with a catfish. My newspaper, I'm sorry to say, is no exception. We have "prix fixes" scattered all through our restaurant listings. I asked a few copy editors, who are experts in such matters, why we don't just say "fixed price." They weren't sure. One of them said he thought we did it when reviewing French restaurants. If so, we're being inconsistent. We may even be discriminating. For example, when we list a German restaurant, we don't say "fester preis," which is German for fixed price. Fester preis. It has a pleasant, homey ring. It sounds like the name of somebody who lives deep in the Ozarks. "Howdy, I'm Fester Preis and this here is my uncle Lester Preis and my uncle Chester Preis." In our listings for Chinese restaurants, we don't write, "Gu

din jia ge," which I was told by a Chinese acquaintance means "fixed price." Of course, he might have been pulling my leg. For all I know, it means: "The person who wrote this column is a geek." But I'll take his word for it. I was going to include the Greek version of "fixed price," but Sam Sianis, who owns Billy Goat's Tavern, said: "Feex price? You crazy? In Greek joints, we no got feex price. We charge what we can get." Another copy editor told me that "prix fixe" is used so widely that it had become the accepted, common meaning for "fixed price." That didn't make sense to me, either. I've never picked up the financial pages and read a story that said: "Three steel companies have been accused by the antitrust division of the Justice Department of prix fixing. The companies engaged in the fixe, sources say, to drive up the prix of steel." Years ago, when Chicago was strictly a meat-and-potatoes town, we didn't have such linguistic problems. I suppose that as we became more sophisticated, this was the prix we paid.



Daniel's story: Ray of hope



Bob Greene

In this season of renewal, when we strive to find hope even among the most grievous news, the story of Daniel Duke and of his young friends is a source of light in the darkness. Daniel's father — Dr. Daniel D. Duke, an ophthalmologist and eye surgeon in San Antonio — is precise and careful when he explains what happened to his son: "One afternoon, our 11-year-old son, bright, apparently well-adjusted and happy, abundantly loved by everyone, located the shotgun my father had given me at the same age, sought out ammunition, loaded the gun, put it to his head and pulled the trigger." No one among Daniel's family or friends had any hint of Daniel's despair, Dr. Duke said. In the newspaper obituary for Daniel, his 5th-grade teacher said that Daniel was so popular that when new seating arrangements were made, all of his classmates wanted to sit near him: "He had an effervescent quality and bubbly enthusiasm which made everyone want to be around him." Yet the youngster loaded the gun and turned it on himself and pulled the trigger. His father, in trying to put into words the family's frailty in the wake of Daniel's death, puts it simply: "I did not think we would survive." Daniel left a suicide note, in boyish handwriting on lined classroom notebook paper. In the note he told his parents: "I love you a lot." He added another sentence, a sentence that, in the context of the note, may be one of the saddest ever written: "Please tell my friends that they were really good to me." Daniel's suicide was more than three years ago. "It was

was to start a Boy Scout troop. Last spring, all 13 of the boys in the troop, which is sponsored by St. David's Episcopal Church, became Eagle Scouts together. It is thought to be one of the highest, if not the highest, number of scouts from the same troop ever to achieve scouting's highest rank at the same time. And the individual Eagle Scout project devised and carried out by one of the boys — James O'Brien, one of Daniel's best friends — was to build a plaza at the boys' elementary school in memory of Daniel. The Daniel Duke Memorial Plaza is in place today, at San Antonio's Cambridge Elementary School. It is meant to be a peaceful area, with shade and benches, where children and their parents can rest. Daniel's father visits the plaza occasionally, always alone, to think about his son. At the dedication of the plaza last spring, Dr. Duke spoke. He said: "As generation after generation of Cambridge students pass by this plaza, the question will undoubtedly be asked time and again, 'Who was Daniel Duke?' ... I hope the answer will be something like this: 'Daniel was a Cambridge student, just like you, loved by his parents, friends and teachers more than he could ever understand.'" Dr. Duke said that people who see the plaque in the plaza in future years may also wonder who James O'Brien was. Those people, Dr. Duke said, should know that "James was also a Cambridge student." "And when he was 13 years old, he took the most important event in the life of a 13-year-old boy — the magnificent accomplishment of becoming an Eagle Scout — and shared it with a friend."



DD Turner

Finding time

It was a gentle winter day without a heavy West Texas wind to whip up the cold. Once again, I was sitting in my office when he walked in. I looked him over. He had a tired face, beaten and worn clothing on. I decided I would give him a few minutes of my time. "So, what's your problem?" I asked. "How do you know I have a problem?" he responded. "Hey, anyone looking me up has to have a problem. These things I know," I said. He prowled around the room for a few minutes, picking up things, putting them back down, generally straightening up my office. "Well, I don't have all day," I said, getting a mite annoyed with the cleaning routine. It reminded me of my mother. "Neither do I anymore. Where did the year go? That's what I want you to find out. Where did it go. It's already Dec. 31 and a new year is beginning but I wonder where did the old one go?" Where does time go, I wondered. I have often pondered that question when the realization hits in that more time has passed than I realize. "I don't know if I can find out where time goes. That place is a well kept secret, not even the FBI, KGB or the CIA knows. That's how well fortified this place is," I told him. "But, I'll take a shot at finding out where time went." I got a few particulars from him and started scouting out the lay of the land. It took some digging but I found out how he used his time. Some of it he spent playing with his children, wife, dogs. Some was spent watching television or reading a book. Some was spent thinking about the future and about what might have been. Other time was spent in wishful thinking and in angry at someone or other. I found that he had gotten a new job which took up a lot of his time. He didn't realize that so much had gotten away. But, that was how he used the time but where did it go? After sitting back and reflecting on everything I had managed to dig up I stumbled upon that secretive place not even the CIA knows about. Where does time go? I found it went to a place called memory — a rest home type where each used minute of time rest up for its next foray into the world. The funny thing is even though that time is gone it can be recalled from memory — all the great, good and bad times. So, I told him time was only taking a break. He could remember what he wanted from the time that had gone and use the new time maybe for something better. He seemed satisfied to know where time was. I was satisfied. I had beaten the CIA and collected a fee. DD Turner is news editor of the Big Spring Herald. Her column appears every Thursday.

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Sports

# Rainbows bring WAC a little respect

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SAN DIEGO — Rack up another one for the WAC.

Hawaii, in a mainland bowl for the first time, gave Illinois a blast of the triple option and the Western Athletic Conference a shot of respect with a 27-17 victory in the Holiday Bowl Wednesday night.

The Rainbow Warriors (11-2) capped the best season in school history 24 hours after WAC-mate Fresno State upset Southern Cal 24-7 in the Freedom Bowl.

"They were talking this 'What's the WAC stuff?'" Hawaii's Travis Sims said after rushing 29 times for 113 yards and two touchdowns. "At the end, we gave it to them. We asked, 'What's this Big Ten stuff?'"

"We showed the Big Ten, we showed everyone. Last night, Fresno State showed what the WAC is all about."

It was another disappointment for the Fighting Illini (6-5-1), who lost their third straight bowl game and fourth in their last five.

Hawaii feels a lack of respect mainly because its home games get over when the rest of the country is asleep.

"People go to bed and give up on us," Sims said. "I don't really care, as long as we don't give up on ourselves."

Sims hammered up the middle for scores of 6 yards and 1 yard. Quarterback Michael Carter, the game's offensive MVP, completed 6 of 16 passes for 115 yards and gained 105 yards on 21 carries.

"They deserve a national ranking," Illinois coach Lou Tepper said. "I was impressed by their offense."

Sims scored at the end of two long, crunching drives.

After Chris Richardson was short on a 52-yard field goal try early in the second quarter, Hawaii moved 65 yards on 11 straight running plays to tie the score at 7, with Sims scoring on a 6-yard blast with 8:09 left before halftime.

Trailing 10-7, the Rainbow Warriors took the second-half kickoff and went 80 yards in 13 plays, all rushing except for a 14-yard pass from Carter to Cy Hirota. Sims scored the go-ahead touchdown from the 1 on a second effort that carried him around two defenders.

That drive consumed 5:31, and Illinois had the ball for only six plays and three minutes in the third quarter.

"I think we played at the pinnacle of our game tonight," Sims said. "You could see it in their eyes — they were very confused. The triple option is very difficult to defend. When you throw in the pass-

ing game, they were surprised. That was our quadruple option."

Tepper said he hoped that as the game progressed, his defenders would become more familiar with Hawaii's attack. But, he said, "As we know from playing Colorado, the option is so much faster in a game setting than practice."

Hawaii increased its lead to 17-10 when Jason Elam kicked a 45-yard field goal with 1:02 left in the third quarter.

Illinois tried a double-lateral play early in the fourth quarter, and quarterback Jason Verduzco dropped the return toss from John Wright. Verduzco thought it was a forward pass and left the ball on the ground, and Hawaii's Daryl Green recovered. A 15-yard fumble recovery by guard Peter Pale was called back because Pale didn't report to the officials, and Elam kicked a 37-yard field goal for a 20-10 lead.

Carter threw a 53-yard touchdown pass to Darrick Branch with 7:11 left in the game. Six plays earlier, Zac Odum intercepted Verduzco at the Hawaii 10 and returned the ball 14 yards. Verduzco threw his second TD pass of the game to Wright, an 18-yarder with 4:42 left.



Hawaii Rainbows running back Travis Sims plows through the Illinois defense as Illini defender Jeff Arneson (43) moves in for the tackle during

Hawaii's 27-17 Holiday Bowl victory Wednesday in San Diego.

Associated Press photo

## Giants fire Handley

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — The man who succeeds Ray Handley as coach of the New York Giants is going to have something that his predecessor never had: a honeymoon.

Handley never had a grace period after taking over when Bill Parcells resigned following the Super Bowl victory over the Buffalo Bills in 1991. He inherited an aging team and everyone expected him to continue to get the Giants to the playoffs.

It never happened. The team went 8-8 in his first year and slipped to 6-10 this past season, a tumultuous year marked by inconsistency, fan dissatisfaction

and bickering between players and coaches.

The combination was enough to convince general manager George Young to fire the 48-year-old Handley on Wednesday with a year still left on his contract. The coach was told of the decision Monday.

"When I came in here, there had been no success for a long period of time," Young said at a press conference where he was the only speaker. "I think we've had so much success since then that the expectations are so much greater. The scrutiny of the public and press is great, and that makes it difficult to follow such a successful coach."

## Sports briefs

### Lady Steers sixth in tourney play

SLATON — Sophomore post Kerry Gregg scored 19 points off the bench to lead the Big Spring Lady Steers to a 59-54 win over Dalhart in the West Texas Girls Invitational basketball tournament here Wednesday. The win put Big Spring in the fifth-place game, which it lost to Perryton 69-45.

The Lady Steers finished the 16-team tournament in sixth place at 2-2. They return to District 3-4A play Saturday against Monahans at 7:30 in Steer Gym.

The six-foot Gregg amassed her career high when Dalhart (6-7) double and triple-teamed Lady Steer post Amy Earnst. Big Spring

scored 20 second-period points to get a 26-16 halftime lead which they never relinquished.

"I put Kerry in so we'd have two big posts, and they were able to get the ball to her and she didn't miss many," Lady Steer coach Ron Taylor said. "(Kerry) didn't even start on the freshmen team last year. So I'd say making 19 points in the Slaton tournament in a big game for us shows that she's getting maturity and getting better."

Dalhart fought back in the third period, cutting the Big Spring lead to 41-40 on a last-second three-pointer. But Casey Cook hit on six of six free throws in the last two minutes of the game to help the Lady Steers (12-5) hang on for the win. Earnst and Cook had 13 and 12 points.

In the fifth-place game, Perryton outscored Big Spring 21-7 in the second period to go up by 17 at the half. Taylor said Perryton's size and depth were too much for his team to manage.

"(The Perryton coach) had about 14 kids she was using," Taylor said. "The shortest girl they started was 5-foot-9 and 1/2. They were big kids and they could play. They just flat wore us down, but that's the type team we needed to play."

Taylor was pleased with his team's effort in the tournament.

Big Spring defeated Clint 77-59 in the consolation final. The Steers outscored Clint 18-6 in the third quarter. Derrick Smith paced Big Spring with 17 points. Torbin Lancaster followed with 15 points and Mike Smith and Hughes scored 10 points each.

The Steers, 9-8 for the season, will play again Jan. 5 against Sweetwater at home.

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### Steers win consolation in Brownwood play

BROWNWOOD — The Big Spring Steers concluded the Holiday Classic with two victories, winning the consolation trophy Wednesday.

The Steers beat Clyde 67-50 in the first game, outscoring Clyde 26-8 in the second quarter. Tyrone Banks led Big Spring with 15 points. Wes Hughes and Derrick Smith scored 10 points each.

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## Thursday Notes

### Fred's Raiders are for real

Here's a tale about the YMCA flag football league champions.

The name of the team is Fred's Raiders and they play flag football pretty well. The *Big Spring Herald* will agree to that fact.

Fred's Raiders, coached by Freddy Moron and assisted by Andrew Martinez, breezed to the YMCA championship with a 10-0 record. So myself and other Herald employees figured they couldn't be that good. I mean, we all considered ourselves good enough athletes to hold our own against the Coahoma-based team. Wrong.

I won't repeat the score, but the Raiders' win must've broken some kind of flag football record for margin of victory.

Anyway the Raiders are still unbeaten, talking about a three-peat YMCA championship and willing to take on all comers in the



Steve Belvin

meantime. Members of the Raiders are Anthony Hernandez, Mike Hernandez, Mike Mendez, Mike Martinez, Pablo Martinez, Tommy Arguello, Mark Arguello and Oscar Perez. Rounding out the squad are Jesse Rios, Milo Solis, Ambros Uranga, Jerry Martinez, Adolf Gutierrez, Bruce Strickland and George Herrera.

The University Interscholastic League office in Austin recently released a report on the most popular high school sports in the United States.

Heading the boys list was basket-

ball, played by 16,469 schools nation-wide. Track and field was next with 14,034 schools participating and football was third with 13,826 schools.

Basketball also heads the girls list of school participating (15,934), followed by track and field (13,782) and volleyball (12,095).

As far as individuals participating in a sport, football leads the boys with 912,845 participants. It's followed by basketball (518,127) and baseball (433,684).

On the girls side, there are 391,612 athletes who played basketball. This was followed by track and field (327,183) and volleyball (293,948).

As far as state participation goes, Texas leads way with 479,750 high school athletes. California is second (461,794) and New York (291,591) third.

There will be a Hunter Education Course Jan. 13-16 at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce office.

All hunters born on or after Sept. 2, 1971 must have successfully completed the course to hunt in Texas. Classes will be from 6 p.m. until 10 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, and from 9 a.m. until 12 noon Saturday. Fee for the class is \$5.

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### SMU changes game plan to defeat Stetson, 87-77

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Southern Methodist University basketball coach John Shumate says it was good for the Mustangs, who like to run and gun, to have to slow their game down a bit.

Shumate made the remark Wednesday night after the Mustangs defeated Stetson, 87-77, in a non-conference game.

### SWC Roundup

In other games involving Southwest Conference teams, Oklahoma defeated Texas, 85-76, Baylor defeated Missouri-Kansas City, 98-87, and Colorado State defeated Rice, 79-75. Houston's

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# No. 2 Kansas falls to No. 6 Michigan

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It was a night of upsets and near-upsets in the Top 25 Wednesday as Arkansas, Syracuse and California lost, and Kentucky, Georgetown and Arizona survived close calls.

No. 2 Kansas also lost, but the 86-74 defeat at the hands of No. 6 Michigan in the final game of the Rainbow Classic hardly qualified as an upset.

The most surprising upset was No. 9 Arkansas' 87-78 loss to Northeast Louisiana, unless you ask coach Nolan Richardson.

"I've said all year we have a bunch of great guys who are hard workers, but our defense has to be excellent and we have to hit our free throws to win," Richardson said. "We've been good at the line, but when we aren't good at the line, we become a very average team."

The Razorbacks, who went from unranked to the Top 10 on the strength of wins over Memphis State, Arizona and Missouri, missed 12 of 26 free throws against Northeast Louisiana.

No. 12 Syracuse lost 94-93 in overtime to Boston College when Howard Easley hit a 23-foot jumper at the buzzer.

No. 19 California lost to Cornell 74-54 with injured freshman sensation Jason Kidd sitting out the game.

No. 1 Duke 102, Boston University 62

At Durham, N.C., Duke (8-0) breezed to a 55-16 halftime lead and left the second half to the subs. Sophomore backup center Erik Meek ended up as the Blue Devils' (8-0) leading scorer with 21 points. Coach Mike Krzyzewski said he wasn't surprised at the play of the reserves. "They run as a unit in practice and they do it against (Bobby) Hurley, (Grant) Hill and (Cherokee) Parks." The Terriers (1-6) could not pull closer than 40 in the second half.

No. 6 Michigan 86, No. 2 Kansas 74

At Honolulu, the Michigan Wolverines (9-1) won the Rainbow Classic with a Hawaiian hat trick — beating ranked opponents Nebraska, North Carolina and Kansas. Jalen Rose, the hero of Tuesday's last-second win over the Tar Heels, finished with 25 points against the Jayhawks (9-1) and keyed a crucial second-half drive that broke the game open. Juwan Howard added 19 points and Chris Webber had 16.

No. 3 Kentucky 86, St. John's 77

In New York City, St. John's nearly caught the Wildcats (8-0) looking ahead to their weekend matchup with Indiana. The Redmen (5-4) trailed 60-58 with 9:24 left, but couldn't get the deficit below five in the final minutes.

No. 5 North Carolina 101, Hawaii 84

The Tar Heels (9-1) used a career-high 28 points from Eric

## SWC

Continued from Page 5-A scheduled game against Nevada-Reno had to be postponed because of a snow storm in Nevada. The Cougars, who did not leave Houston, will play the game on Feb. 8 at Reno.

Stetson's deliberate style prevented SMU from scoring at least 100 points in its third straight game, which would have set a school record. The Mustangs were averaging 99.3 points over their first six games.

"This was a good game for us," Shumate said. "We needed that type of game. They forced us to slow it down quite a bit, but we hung in until we could make something happen."

It was Shumate's 50 victory as SMU head coach. The 5-2 start is SMU's best since the 1987-88 team opened at 6-1.

Mike Wilson and Tim Mason each scored 26 points to lead the Mustangs.

Donnell Grier had 27 points and grabbed 14 rebounds for Stetson, which dropped its 10 straight game over the past two seasons and fell to 0-7.

Bryan Sallier scored 24 points and pulled down 15 rebounds to lead the No. 15 Oklahoma Sooners to an 85-76 victory over the Texas Longhorns in the championship game of the All College Tournament at Oklahoma City.

The Sooners are 9-1 while Texas

## College Hoops

Montross and 19 from George Lynch to dominate inside in the third place game of the Rainbow Classic. Jarinn Akana's 18 points led Hawaii (4-4).

No. 7 Seton Hall 87, James Madison 66

At East Rutherford, N.J., an elbow thrown by Terry Dehere at Kent Culuko provided the most excitement. James Madison (6-3) coach Lefty Dreissell called the incident the dirtiest he's seen in over 35 years of coaching. "In the NBA he would have been fined a couple of thousand dollars and maybe suspended. It was nasty and vicious." Luther Wright, the tournament MVP, had a season-high 16 points and 12 rebounds for the Pirates (11-1).

Northeast Louisiana 87, No. 9 Arkansas 78

At Little Rock, Ark., Isaac Brown made two consecutive 3-pointers to give Northeast Louisiana (6-2) the lead for good and Maurice Stephens provided 22 points and 19 rebounds. Arkansas fell to 8-1.

No. 10 Georgetown 64, California-Irvine 60

At Irvine, Calif., the Hoyas (7-0) were able to keep their lead between two and five points in the final minutes to escape with a win. "We did not play this game to lose. We could have and probably should have won," Irvine (2-4) coach Rod Baker said.

No. 11 UCLA 90, Cal State-Fullerton 82

At Los Angeles, Mitchell Butler's tight defense in the second half cooled off Fullerton's (5-2) Don Leary, who made his first five 3-point shots and scored 16 points early. Ed O'Bannon scored 23 for the Bruins (8-2).

Boston College 94, No. 12 Syracuse 93, OT

At Syracuse, Boston College (6-2) ended a 10-year losing streak at the Carrier Dome on Easley's buzzer-beater. The shot came after Syracuse (8-1) blocked two shots.

No. 16 UNLV 79, Hofstra 41

At Las Vegas, J.R. Rider scored 20 points and Eric Gray added 15 points, 12 rebounds and five blocked shots as the Rebels (5-0) won their 51st straight at home. Hofstra (2-8) was never closer after the Rebels went up 20-10.

No. 17 Michigan State 77, Washington State 61

At East Lansing, Mich., Spartans (7-1) center Mike Peplowski showed off an impressive hook shot and had 24 points and 14 rebounds in the final of the Spartan Classic. Washington State (5-3) could get no closer than 11 in the final seven minutes.

Albert Burditt scored 21 points and grabbed 16 rebounds for the Longhorns.

The Longhorns used a halfcourt defense for most of the game in what coach Tom Penders said was an attempt to slow down the Sooners.

"We like to run and gun, but Oklahoma does it as well or better than we do," he said. "When you go against a team, you have to respect what they do."

Alex Holcombe scored 24 points and pulled down 15 rebounds to lead the Baylor Bears to a 98-87 victory over the University of Missouri-Kansas City Kangaroos.

The Kangaroos were coached by interim coach Joe Proctor, who stepped in for head coach and athletic director Lee Hunt, who underwent quadruple bypass surgery on Tuesday.

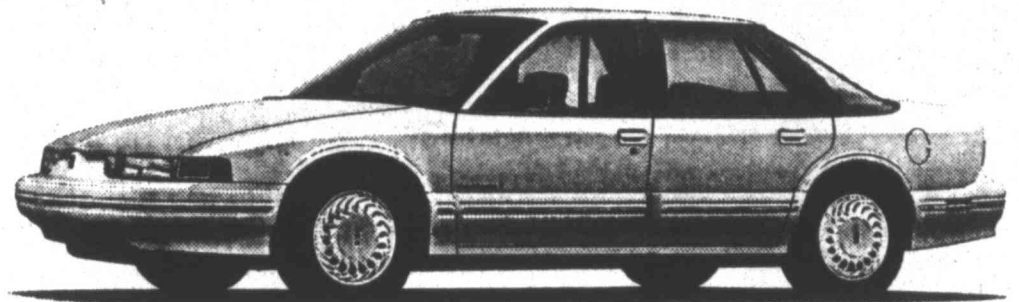
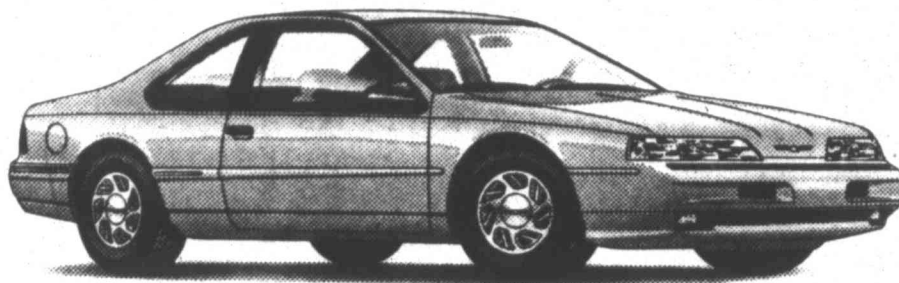
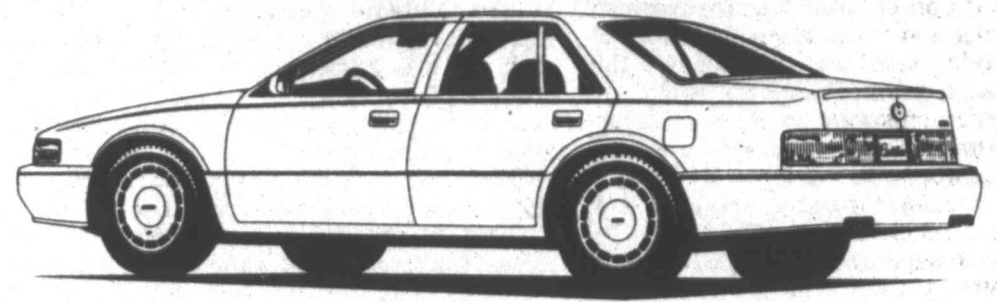
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Tony Dumas scored 32 points for Missouri-Kansas City.

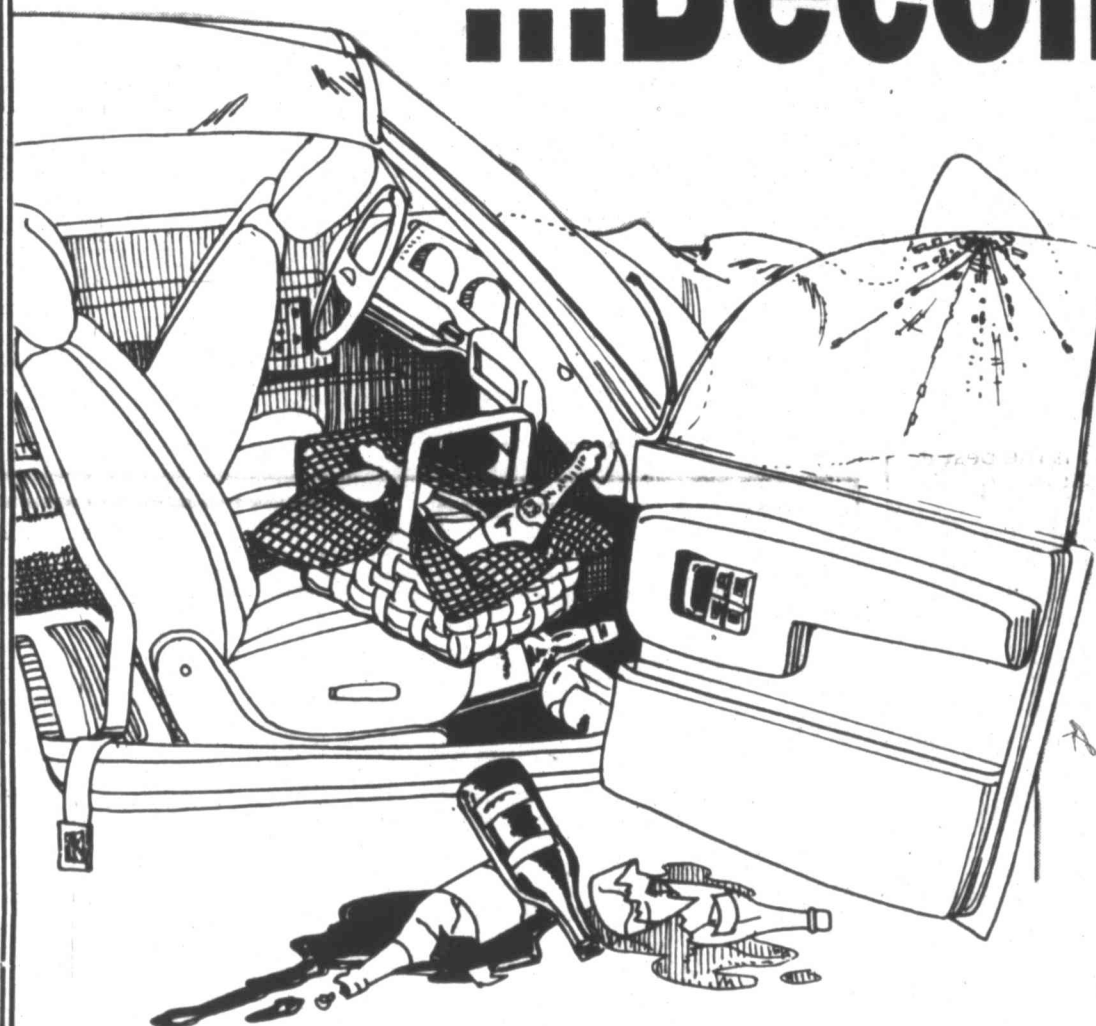
Crucial free throws in the final seconds of the game gave Colorado State a 79-75 victory over the Rice Owls.

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## Wool, mohair producers need to file

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service reminds wool and mohair producers to file their 1992 sales receipts by January 31, 1993, so that the documents can be used in determining the national average market price.

Although the deadline for filing 1992 receipts to qualify for a 1992 price support payment is March 1, 1993, ASCS encourages wool and mohair producers to file in January because USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service needs the data in February to compute wool and mohair market prices.

## Nestor's Notes

"Since national average market prices are the basis for wool and mohair payment rates, producers are urged to submit their sales documents to us at least by the end of January," Nestor Hernandez said.

He reminds producers that "actively engaged in farming" and "person" determinations must be made to be eligible for a payment. "For 1992 and subsequent marketings, the status date for a wool and mohair producer's eligibility determination is the date the first application is submitted but no later than December 1 of the applicable marketing year," Hernandez explained.

"Additionally, the policy regarding payments to no more than three entities under the acreage reduction program applies to wool and mohair producers, as well."

Wool and mohair producers are required to certify that they are in compliance with highly erodible land and wetland conservation provisions.

"We encourage producers to bring in their 1992 sales receipts as soon as possible," the ASCS official said.

## Brief

The Martin County Commissioner's Court met until noon Wednesday to discuss year-end matters for county government.

In the meeting, commissioners reviewed bills, and authorized advertising for bids for a dump truck and for medical insurance.

Each year commissioners have this kind of routine meeting to



## Lone golfer

A lone golfer, silhouetted against the morning sky, prepares to swing his club on the #1 fairway at the Martin County Country Club Tuesday.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

## Care center patient walk-away found six hours later

By MARTHA E. FLORES  
Staff Writer

Two Cap Rock Electric employees became local heroes Sunday when they located Mable Ates, who had been missing for more than six hours.

Cap Rock employees, Terry Shanks and Jimmy Bryan, joined in the effort with several law enforcement agencies to locate the 88-year-old Stanton Care Center patient who suffers from Alzheimer's disease.

Martin County Sheriff's office coordinated the effort bringing in Texas Department of Public Safety in Martin County and Lubbock, Midland County Sheriff's office and Martin County Volunteer Fire Department.

More than 30 people combed the

area southwest of Stanton that was believed to be where Ates was traveling, said Martin County Sheriff Dan Saunders.

"She was found seven miles from town," he said. "It is believed she probably walked more than 10 miles in a zigzag."

Ates was reported missing by center officials at 5:45 p.m. about three hours after it is believed she left the center premises, he said. The search party concentrated on a specific area closing in on her location after hours of work.

"We were determined to find her even if it was going to take us all night," Saunders said.

Ates was found wearing light clothing and house shoes. She was incoherent but in fair condition, he said.



## It's Time For Resolutions

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make sure all year-end business is attended to, said Martin County Judge Bob Deavenport.

Purchases were authorized for three typewriters for offices in the courthouse and for three mobile telephones for the Martin County Sheriff's Office.



Scanning the **New Year** that will soon be upon us, it registers only good things, good times, warm friendships and many, many happy moments.

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## Work

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surprised at that. Operation Desert Storm showed our country once again that we have the finest fighting forces in the entire world," he said in a reference to the Persian Gulf War.

He plunged into the crowd after his brief remarks, bantering, exchanging a few words and joking. Many of the Marines took advantage of a live television transmission of the event to wave to mom and wish those back home a Happy New Year.

Gunfire reverberated in Somalia's capital city hours before

Bush's arrival, and security for visit was as tight as U.S. Marines and the Secret Service could make it in a country bristling with guns, bandits, cutthroats, assassins and common, garden-variety thieves.

Troops dug gun pits, evicted squatters and seized weapons in the hours leading up to his arrival. Razor wire barriers were strung at sites Bush was to visit.

"I doubt any American president has ever visited a nation in such turmoil and such a state of anarchy," said Marine Col. Fred Peck, spokesman for the forces of Operation Restore Hope.

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went.

Many of his fellow Slovaks are even more worried. At least 30,000 of them have applied for Czech citizenship since Dec. 9, when the criteria for application were announced.

There is also a budding minority problem. More than 10 percent of Slovakia's population is ethnic Hungarian.

Czechs are less fearful of the future, but there still is some

uncertainty.

"We Czechs just think we will be much better off than the Slovaks after the split, and we don't realize that the situation here will depend very much on the situation in Slovakia," said Ota Mika, 41, a high school teacher.

"We feel like an abandoned spouse, and we say, 'Serves you right,'" she said. "But we should wish them and ourselves good luck."

## DPS looking out for drunk drivers

Special to the Herald

The Texas Department of Public Safety is looking with anticipation to the upcoming holiday season.

And, to make it a good one for citizens, DPS troopers will be out in force, looking for intoxicated drivers.

Keeping the drunk driver off the road is not just the responsibility of our law enforcement agencies; but the responsibility of all our citizens. The fatality and injury accidents that are a direct result of alcohol is down. However, this is still the number one senseless killer on our highways, stated Dorothy C. Briggs, DPS Safety Education Service.

If you are planning to celebrate this year and alcohol is a must, think about the designated driver

program. The fun is at the party but the real enjoyment is knowing that your friends will get home safely and that you will be able to enjoy their friendship, she stated, adding if you are planning to travel our Texas highways this holiday season, make sure you give yourself plenty of time so that you can make rest stops along the way.

Report drivers that appear to be intoxicated or driving dangerously to the nearest law enforcement agency. If at all possible get to a phone and call 1-800-525-5555. Describe the vehicle, what direction of travel and your location. A little effort from everyone can make a whole lot of difference.

Let us work together and make this the best and the safest New Year's holiday, stated Briggs.

## Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:

- Ponciano Cansino Jr., 26, 2623 Hunter, was arrested for driving without a license.
- William Cochran, 53, Mayo Hotel #12, was arrested for Ector County warrants.
- Big Spring resident reported a 1986 Mazda reported stolen from the Comanche Park Golf Course. The vehicle's value was estimated at \$8,000.
- Richard Renteria, 19, was arrested for public intoxication.

## Funds

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to spend the money because the administrator should have anticipated this," George said. "That's the reason our CED didn't issue all the money until we closed out the fiscal year."

George added local CED program administrators like Ron Plumlee, Big Spring Independent School District business superintendent, anticipated overpayment of state funds and took preventative steps.

"Attendance fluctuates so much that we wouldn't distribute from \$50,000 to \$60,000 until the budget close out," he said. "We didn't want someone to be overpaid, spend the money and have to pay it back."

George added, "It makes me admire our administrators because they were able to foresee such a problem and avoid these pitfalls."

## Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's office reported the following incidents:

- A Howard County resident reported the burglary of a 1990 Chevrolet outside his residence east of Big Spring.
- A Howard County resident reported the theft of a radar detector from his vehicle.
- A Howard County resident reported the theft of a cellular phone from his vehicle.
- A Howard County resident reported the theft of a pair of binoculars from his vehicle.

## Deaths

### David Sullivan

David Scott Sullivan, 33, Houston, formerly of Big Spring, died Wednesday, Dec. 30, 1992 in Houston.

Arrangements are pending. Family will gather at 1609 Runnels.

### "Shorty" Eggleston

Loris "Shorty" Eggleston, 79, Big Spring, died Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1992 in a local hospital.

Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Ralph Caffey, retired Baptist Minister and the Rev. Monroe Teeters, pastor of Berea Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

He was born Aug. 29, 1913 in Denton County. He was a member of Berea Baptist Church. He had lived in Big Spring since 1919. He had worked as a chef at the Settles Hotel and Coker's Restaurant, and the Scarborough Hotel in Midland.

Survivors include four sisters: Willie Ringener and Faye Walker, both of Big Spring, Beatrice Hightower, Odessa, and Helen Cowan, San Antonio; three brothers: Larence Eggleston, Ardmore, Okla., Dee Eggleston, Fort Worth, and Billie Eggleston, Midland; and several nieces and nephews.

Family suggests memorials to one's favorite charity.

Walraven on June 28, 1967 in Big Spring. He came to Forsan as a child with his family and graduated from Forsan High School. He had worked part time for Cosden Pipeline while still in school and after graduation he worked as a district gauger in Denver City until he entered the U.S. Coast Guard during World War II. After the war he returned to Forsan and resumed his job as a district gauger with Cosden Pipeline, retiring on March 1, 1982 after 44 years.

Mr. Liles was a member of the Cosden 25 year Club and had served as president for one year. He was a member of the American Legion Post #506 and a member of the International Union of Operating Engineers Local #826.

He is survived by his wife, Norma Liles of Big Spring; three daughters: Sherry (Kloss) Keisling of Lubbock, Kay Scroggins of San Antonio, and Christie Barnes of Garland, one brother, Tal Liles of San Diego, Calif. and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Tom Keisling, son-in-law, Danny Scroggins, son-in-law, Rick Greenfield, grandson, Boyce Hale, Lloyd Thomas and Stubby Oppgaard.

The family requests memorials

to American Legion Post #506, 3203 West Highway 80, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

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### Edd Bingham

Edd Bingham, 67, Big Spring, died Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1992 in an Albuquerque, N.M. hospital.

Services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Elvis Barrington, pastor of Primitive Baptist Church, Midland officiating.

He was born Nov. 24, 1925 in Crosbyton. He married Sue Oaks on Dec. 17, 1981 in Big Spring. He moved to Big Spring in 1965 and was self employed in sales and service in the oilfield.

Survivors include his wife, Sue Bingham, Big Spring; one son, Jimmy D. Smith, Bremerton, Wash.; three daughters: Mary Ann Kestermeier and Linda Sue Edkins, both of Milwaukee, Wis., and Jennifer Smith, Big Spring; three sisters: Stella Brints, Crosbyton, Marie Bass, Muleshoe, and Getleta Harvey, Lubbock; one brother, Wilborn Bingham, Big Spring; three grandchildren, three great-

grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Family suggests memorials to American Cancer Society, c/o Mrs. Wayne Bonner, Box 2121, Big Spring, 79721.

### Roslin Moreland

Roslin V. Moreland, 71, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Dec. 30, 1992 in a local nursing home.

Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

### John Russell

John Odell Russell, 71, Big Spring, died Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1992 at his residence.

He was born Nov. 10, 1921 in McAlister, Okla. He had lived in Big Spring for 30 years and had worked in the oilfield as a derrick man.

Survivors include one brother, H.J. Russell, Rockford, Ill. and one aunt, Audie Comis, Arlington.

No services are planned at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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### Rayford Liles

Rayford Liles, 75, of Big Spring, died Wednesday in a local hospital.

Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 2, 1993 at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mr. Liles was born on May 6, 1917 in Oklahoma. He married Norma

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Thursday, Dec. 31, 1992

# Spring board

To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring 79720; or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry. ATTENTION CALENDAR USERS: Support groups will be listed regularly in Tuesday's paper on page 2-B.

## 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.

• Toys of Christmas Past are featured at the Heritage Museum's holiday exhibit. Toys from the 1940s-60s will be on display through Jan. 23.

• Howard County Library will be closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

• The Texas Country Western Dance Association, Big Spring Chapter, would like to invited everyone to their New Year's Eve party at the Elk's Lodge, 601 E. Marcy, from 8 p.m. to midnight. For more information call Debby Johnson at 267-7937.

• Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright St. has free bread and whatever else is available for area needy from 10 a.m. to noon. They will also have a happy hour from 8 p.m. to midnight. Food, fun, fellowship and singing.

• Maximum payout Bingo at 7:30 p.m., St. Thomas Catholic Church, 605 N. Main.

• Big Spring Alliance for the mentally ill will meet at 7 p.m. at the Howard County Mental Health Center, 4th & Rannels. For information call 267-7380.

• Spring City Senior Center will have a New Year's Eve Dance beginning at 8:30 p.m. Public invited.

• Eagles Lodge will have a New Year dance. Music by Solid Country, 8:30 p.m. - till? Make your reservations. Friday

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

• Maximum payout Bingo at 6:30 p.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1009 Hearn.

• American Legion Post #506 will have a shuffle board tournament at 2 p.m. Draw partners. 3203 W. Hwy. 80.

### Monday

• 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 Youth Horsemen 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.

• Christensen-Tucker VFW Post 2013 will meet at 7 p.m. on Driver Rd. For information call 267-5290.

• Coahoma Senior Center Project Group will meet at 11 a.m. at the Coahoma Community Center, 306 North Ave. Visitors welcome. For information call 394-4439.

• AARP will meet at 10 a.m. at the Kentwood Center. For information call 267-7046.

### Wednesday

• Big Spring Senior Center will have ceramics class from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

• West Texas Legal Service offers legal help on civil matters at the Northside Community Center for those unable to afford their own attorney. For information call 1-686-0647.

# life!

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Section B

By CONNIE SWINNEY Staff Writer

Tonight local residents, like most Americans, will resolve to better themselves, toast to friends, sing Auld Lang Syne and eat black-eyed peas.

These traditional ways to mark the beginning of a new year have a long history, and many are adapted from customs around the world. People in almost every country celebrate the first day of their calendar years as a holiday, according to historical sources.

Marked by a baby to signify a new beginning, it is a time for paying debts and looking forward to new beginnings, said Sharon Cade, in her book titled "Special Days." "In prehistoric times, New Year's was a celebration of the new harvests and a removal of the old taboos," Cade said.

In 153 B.C., the Romans were the first to use Jan. 1 as a year's beginning, historical sources state. They gave each other gifts of branches from sacred trees and later gold-covered nuts or coins imprinted with pictures of Janus, the god of gates, doors or beginnings.

Through the ages, different

receiving presents of gold and jewels from their subjects.

Old New Year's customs among the earliest Americans included firing guns into the air, visiting taverns and houses to ask for drinks, attending church services, feeding the needy and choosing Bible passages at random to apply to the new year.

More modern traditions in the United States lean toward revels and resolutions.

"Two major traditions — drinking and celebrating come from the past," Cade said in her book. "Drunkenness derives from a religious rite — the reenactment of the chaos in the world before God created the world's order; and noise was used to drive away evil spirits" — later introducing noise makers, cap guns, sirens, whistles and firecrackers.

The tradition of clinking glasses during holiday toasts also originated an effort to drive away evil with the sound of bells, according to Paul Dickson's book titled "Toasts."

Moreover, New Year's celebrants must raise their glasses with the right hand, with the glass held straight out from the shoulder showing they carry no concealed sword or dagger.

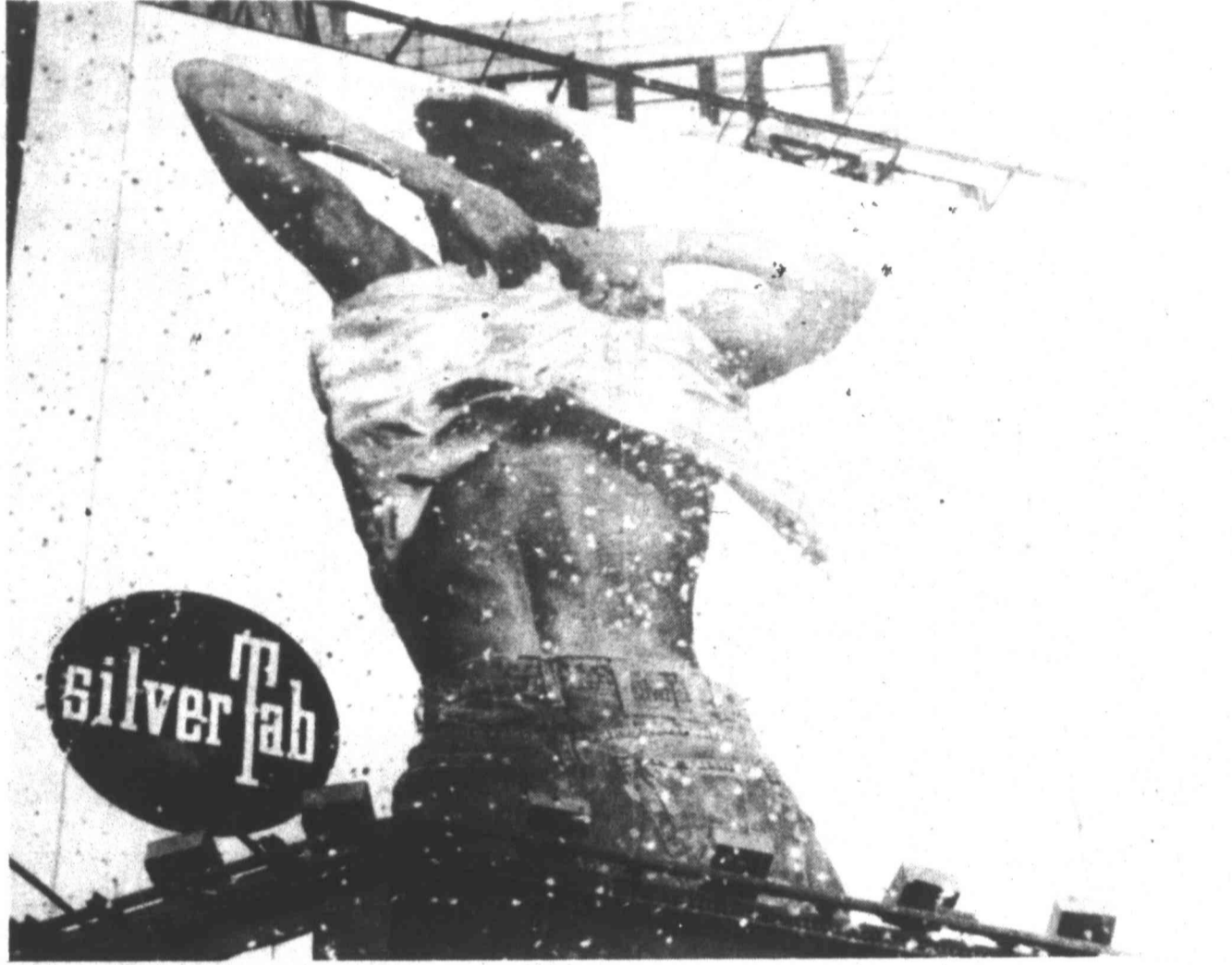
Today, the most common celebrations to ring in the new year include New Year's Eve parties at Times Square in New York City and State Street in Chicago — along with numerous private parties.

Along with an abundance of food and drink, current staples at New Year's Eve parties are black-eyed peas, and in the South, cornbread to go along with the peas.

Eating the peas is largely a southern custom. People eat black-eyed peas (symbolizing pennies) in hopes of ensuring their fortune in the upcoming year, according to book titled "Celebrations" cited in a 1982 Big Spring Herald article.

Greens (symbolizing dollars) are also eaten for more fortune, the book stated.

People resolve to improve aspects of their life, in the hopes to begin the new year with positive habits.



A brief barrage of confetti appears to cause an itch in the character on this billboard on Times Square Tuesday. Workers were conducting a run of the traditional New Year's Eve festivities there.

## 'Old Long Since' and why we sing it

By CONNIE SWINNEY Staff Writer

The most traditional tune sung at the dawn of the new year in the United States is Auld Lang Syne.

Believed to have been written by Robert Burns in the late 1700s, the song keeps some of its regional dialect. The title is Scottish for "old long since," according to Variety Music Cavalcade's Musical Historical Review (1620-1669).

Following are the lyrics, as printed in Paul Dickson's book, "Toasts."

Should auld acquaintance be

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And never brought to min',  
Should auld acquaintance be  
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And days of auld lang syne,  
For auld lang syne, my dear,  
For auld lang syne,  
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

And here's a hand, my trusty  
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And gie's a hand o' thine,  
And we'll tak' a right guid willie-  
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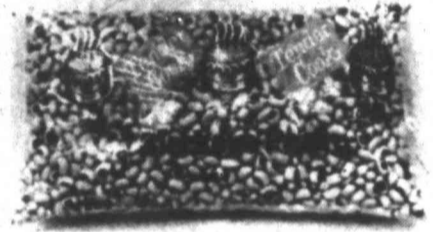
For auld lang syne,  
For auld lang syne, my dear,

For auld lang syne,  
We'll take a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

And surely ye'll be your pint  
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And surely I'll be mine\*  
And we'll tak' a cup of kindness  
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For auld lang syne,  
For auld lang syne, my dear,  
For auld lang syne,  
We'll take a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

\*Scottish tradition was to drink  
drop the mug and stomp it to break  
it.



Black-eyed peas, often eaten for good luck in the new year, symbolize pennies.

cultures seized New Year's traditions and the celebrations evolved, but there was always the theme of beginning one's life anew.

The ancient Persians gave New Year's gifts of eggs, which symbolized productivity, according to the World Book. Celtic priests of what is now England gave people branches of mistletoe, which was considered sacred.

By the 1200s, English rulers revered New Year's as a time of

## Superstitions

# Why we believe

By JUDY ANDERSON Thomson News Service

Ring in the new year has just about as many traditions as Christmas, but with a different twist.

Kissing someone at midnight New Year's Eve and eating black-eyed peas Jan. 1 are thought to bring good luck through the whole year, while setting out cookies on Christmas Eve is just supposed to bring Santa Claus.

Terence Sandbek, a psychologist in Sacramento, Calif., thinks these superstitions have withstood the test of time partly because of information overload.

"There is so much information in the world that people find it hard to keep up — especially in areas of science, math and psychology," Sandbek said. "Sometimes it is easier to believe than not to."

Stuart A. Vyse, an associate professor of psychology at Connecticut College in New London, Conn., said that people who believe in superstitions are allowing themselves a certain amount of control over circumstances of uncertainty.

"It was very surprising to me in the research that I found that people who believe in superstitions are slightly better adjusted," said Vyse, who is writing a book on superstitions.

Superstitions originate when people try to find an explanation for a significant event in their lives. People will look for things they have done differently to find a connection to the source of good or bad luck.

"Coincidence is clearly the source of superstitions," Vyse said. "If you understand the probabilities of different events occurring in your life, they are not as unlikely as most people think."

People who have grown up with family members who believe in superstitions usually carry those beliefs into adulthood.



Just as Father Time and the new year baby are traditional symbols of the holiday, there are many traditional superstitions as well. Even those who don't normally believe in such things may indulge for this special holiday.

## Traditional superstitions

Thomson News Service

Traditions that bring good luck:  
-Receiving a letter containing good news New Year's Day is a sign of good news coming all the year.

-Rise early New Year's morning to bring good luck.

-Turn your pillow at midnight Dec. 31, and you will dream of the one you are to marry.

-Burn all the greeting cards you received through the year.

-Cook cabbage New Year's Day.

-Eating peas for dinner New Year's Day will bring money all year.

-Place a piece of money on the window New Year's Eve to bring good luck.

-Place a plum tree branch over the door because it is beautiful and fruitful and will bring you good luck.

-The Chinese put on new or clean

garments so they enter the new year purely.

-It is an old Dutch superstition that, if you want to marry the girl you love, your voice must be the first one she hears, and your face the first one she sees, New Year's morning.

-If your first visitor New Year's Day is a male you will have good luck and many friends.

-A quiet and clear New Year's night indicates a prosperous year.

-If you receive money New Year's Day it means you will receive money all year long.

Traditions that bring bad luck:

-Clothes hanging on the line when the New Year is born.

-Eating apples New Year's Day will produce abscesses.

-Refusing a beggar New Year's Day.

-Having the fire go out New Year's Day.

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

TAMPA, Fla. — All babies born in 1993 will have free circus tickets waiting for them.

It's a one-time-only offer, good for a lifetime.

"Every child should have the opportunity to see 'The Greatest Show on Earth,'" said Kenneth Feld, president and producer of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus.

The free admission is his way of celebrating 200 years of the circus in America.

"I'm also a businessman. I want to sell tickets to the circus," he said Tuesday. Each child is likely to be

accompanied by an adult or two and maybe some siblings. Also, Feld is banking on repeat business as that child grows up.

Feld figures the circus could end up giving away 1.3 million tickets.

Parents just have to mail their name, address, newborn's name and date of birth to Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus, P.O. Box 5265, Clifton, N.J. 07015.

They will receive a certificate good for one ticket to any circus performance during the child's lifetime.

There are no safeguards to weed out pretenders.

"I have faith in humanity," Feld said.



Associated Press photo

## Seeing Beast

David Sullivan, 10, of Drexel Hill, Pa., uses his hands to feel the face of the Beast from Walt Disney's World on Ice production of "Beauty and the Beast" Tuesday. Characters from the show invited students from St. Lucy's School for the Visually Impaired to meet them.

Especially for kids and their families

# The Mini Page

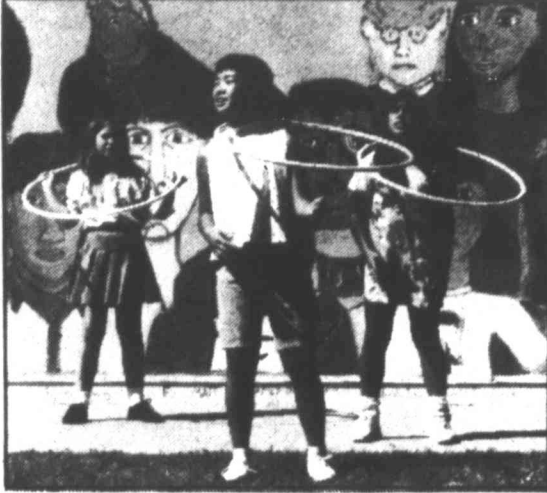
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By BETTY DEBNAM

Hey, Hey, Hey . . . What Do You Say, L.A.?

## The Kids of 1992

Here are a few of the fads. Put a check if these are "in" where you are at!



Hula hoops

What's up with the kids of 1992? To find out, The Mini Page surveyed six classes at Balboa Boulevard Magnet School in Northridge, Calif. Northridge is in the San Fernando Valley in the Los Angeles area.

We thank these teachers at the Balboa Boulevard Magnet School and their principal, Sheila Newman: Robert Allen Sachs, Paul Wilkins, Kathy Thorlakson, Angela Bronson, Margaret Friedman and Rich Dewey.



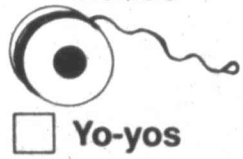
Let us know if this report describes you. Write us at: Kids Today Survey, Box 70567, Washington, D.C. 20024. We are sorry we cannot answer your letters, but we do want to hear from you!



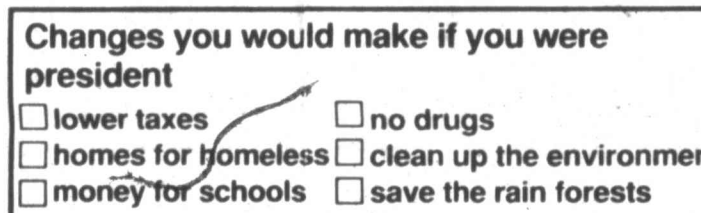
Caps on backward



Roller-blades



Leggings



Troll collecting

Changes you would make if you were president

- lower taxes
- homes for homeless
- money for schools
- no drugs
- clean up the environment
- save the rain forests



Baggy pants



Baggy shirts

Favorite words

- "cool"
- "duh"
- "psych"
- "dude"
- "awesome"
- "rad"
- "yessss"
- "yo"

Favorite foods

- pizza
- ice cream
- ham-burgers
- spaghetti
- tacos
- hot dogs
- french fries

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### Faces of 1992

Political Sports

Can you identify these famous faces?



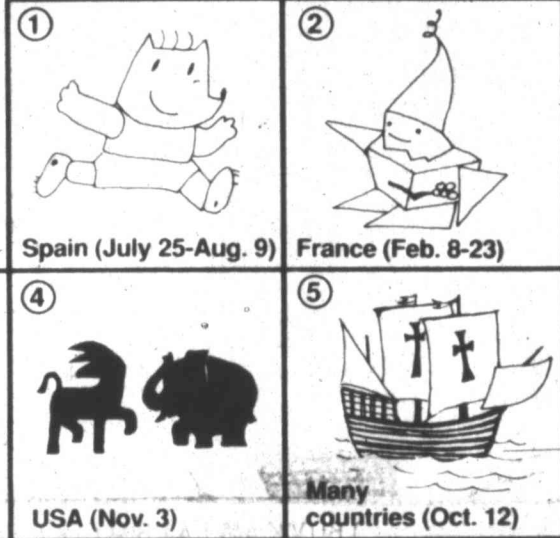
Music TV



1. Bill Clinton, 2. George Bush, 3. Ross Perot, 4. Kristi Yamaguchi, 5. Troy Aikman, 6. Amy Grant, 7. Hammer, 8. Candace Cameron, 9. Janet White.

### Events of 1992

Can you look at these pictures and name the 1992 event?



1. Summer Olympics (masses), 2. Winter Olympics (masses), 3. Hurricane Andrew, 4. Presidential election, 5. 50th anniversary of Columbus voyage.

## Rookie Cookie's Recipe Mexican Dip Pie

- You'll need:
- 1 10 1/2-ounce can bean dip
  - 1 1/2 cups corn chips
  - 1 cup grated cheese
  - 1 tablespoon onion, grated
  - 1/2 cup salsa
- What to do:
1. Spread bean dip evenly in a 9-inch pie pan.
  2. Place corn chips evenly on top.
  3. Sprinkle cheese evenly on top.
  4. Bake in a preheated, 350-degree oven for 10 minutes.
  5. Sprinkle onion evenly on top.
  6. Spread salsa evenly on top. Serves 6.



## Here are more favorite things from around L.A. Do you agree?



Girls and boys wear baseball caps backward and play hand-held games.



Girls often wear scrunch wraps in their hair.

### Good things about growing up in '92



- Nintendo games
- TV shows
- computers
- cars
- video games
- technology

### Musical stars

- Kris Kross
- Hammer
- Michael Jackson
- Paula Abdul
- Boys II Men
- Color Me Badd
- En Vogue

### TV shows

- "Full House"
- "I Love Lucy"
- "Metrose Place"
- "Simpsons"
- "Saved by the Bell"
- "Batman"
- Bill Cosby
- Luke Perry
- Julia Roberts
- Michael J. Fox
- Jenfhe Garth
- Kevin Costner

### Sports stars

- Magic Johnson
- Larry Bird
- Wayne Gretzky
- Charles Barkley
- Michael Jordan
- Joe Montana
- Bo Jackson

### Authors

- Beverly Cleary
- Judy Blume
- Roald Dahl
- E.B. White
- Ann Martin
- Scott O'Dell
- Carolyn Keene
- Francine Pascal

### Hobbies

- reading
- swimming
- bike riding
- drawing



collecting stickers



collecting baseball cards



collecting buttons

### Most important subjects

- math
- science
- reading
- spelling
- language



## 1992 TRY 'N FIND

Words that remind us of the kids of 1992 are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward. See if you can find: SOCCER, DR. SEUSS, MICHAEL JORDAN, PERMS, ROALD DAHL, FULL HOUSE, SPAGHETTI, FAMILY MATTERS, VANILLA ICE, NINTENDO, BO JACKSON, READING, E.B. WHITE, MUSIC, SHELLS.

LET THE MINI PAGE KNOW WHAT'S IN WHERE!

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## Mini Spy . . .

Casey Count is giving a double hula hoop demonstration to his friends. See if you can find:



- rabbit
- tooth
- peanut
- frog
- letter Y
- pig's face
- two bells
- snake
- letter A
- lima bean
- number 3
- butterfly

• word MINI • two number 7's

Attention, teachers: Would you like to take a 1993 survey for the Mini Page? Write: The Mini Page 1993 Survey, Box 70567, Washington, D.C. 20024.

## Hey, hey, hey! What do you say across the USA?

Wilson Elementary School, Harlingen, Texas (Teacher: Diana Walker, fourth grade).

- Favorite TV shows
- "Fresh Prince of Bel Air"
  - "Tiny Toons"
  - "Full House"
  - "Beverly Hills 90210"
  - "Rescue Rangers"

Second District School, Meadville, Pa. (Teacher: Ruth Dimerling, fourth grade).

- Favorite TV shows
- "Fresh Prince of Bel Air"
  - "Tiny Toons"
  - "Full House"
  - "Beverly Hills 90210"
  - "Rescue Rangers"

Webster Elementary, Colorado Springs, Colo. (Teacher: Kay Bard Gray, second grade).

- Fads
- rat tails
  - slap bracelets
  - tennies with no laces
  - Velcro tennies
  - mismatched shoes

Rio Vista Elementary School, Canyon Country, Calif. (Teacher: Dolores Morphis, first grade).

- Sports stars
- Bo Jackson
  - Eddie Murray
  - Wayne Gretzky
  - Darryl Strawberry
  - Michael Jordan

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# 1992 filled with highs, lows, hellos, goodbyes

**DEAR READERS:** What a year this has been! George and Barbara are out, and Bill and Hillary are in; First Dog Millie will be replaced by First Cat Socks.

Folksy billionaire Ross Perot made a run at the presidency. (Actually, he made two runs, but who's counting?)

1992 was a royal pain in the throne for Queen Elizabeth. Prince Charles and Princess Diana are living apart in His and Her castles; Prince Andrew and "Fergie" have also parted. Princess Anne, 42, ended her marriage to Capt. Mark Phillips to marry 37-year-old Timothy Laurence, who once served as her mother's equerry (Mummy says she's delighted!).

Meanwhile, a wing of Windsor Castle caught fire (no insurance? no kidding!).



Dear Abby

Speaking of flames, there was a race riot in Los Angeles; and floods, earthquakes, tornadoes, volcanic eruptions and famine struck around the globe.

Sen. Bob Packwood of Oregon may be sent packing due to sexual harassment charges. Annette Bening snagged perennial bachelor Warren Beatty after presenting him with a daughter; actor Richard Gere was bagged by supermodel Cindy Crawford; and

Madonna launched a much-hyped, overpriced book titled "Sex," which was banned in Ireland.

Johnny Carson retired after 30 years. Enter Jay Leno. Good luck in his slot opposite the popular Arsenio Hall. Candice Bergen won an Emmy for "Murphy Brown" after Veep Dan Quayle criticized her for shamelessly portraying an unwed mother.

"Roseanne" is still No. 1, but hubby Tom Arnold's new series, "The Jackie Thomas Show," took a critical drubbing. (Dear Lord, please save my favorite, "Homefront.")

The revival of "Guys and Dolls" is a smash on Broadway. Tammy Faye Bakker tearfully announced her divorce from TV evangelist Jim Bakker, who was caught with

his duke in the tambourine and could spend his next 28 years behind bars.

Country and western star Garth Brooks became a father. Whitney Houston married Bobby Brown (both Grammy winners). Pop singer Paula Abdul wed actor Emilio Estevez. Sen. Ted Kennedy married attorney Victoria Reggie; his ex, Joan, published a book on how to enjoy classical music. Former Beatle Paul McCartney turned 50.

Death claimed: Dame Judith Anderson; Alex Haley, author of "Roots"; S.I. Hayakawa, professor and former GOP senator from California; British comedian Benny Hill; Wal-Mart's Sam Walton, listed in Forbes as the richest man in America; child psychologist Dr. Lee Salk; California's senator and former song and dance man George Murphy; the legendary Marlene Dietrich; TV star Chuck Connors ("The Rifleman"); German Chancellor Willy Brandt; Paul Henreid, who played one of the leads in "Casablanca"; Eric Sevareid, journalist-broadcaster.

# Jacqueline Bigar

**FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1993**

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Extremes punctuate the day, and many of you will have a hard time recuperating from all the celebrations. You might be surprised by a parent's point of view. Adjust to changing perspectives and be your happy-go-lucky self. Tonight: Do something good for you. Taurus (April 20-May 20): You might be confused as to which path to take. Realize how much your image counts to you. You might be expending a lot of energy over nothing. Update plans according to your mood. Tonight: Take a night off.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Be more positive about a partnership with a wayward individual. Float with the hills and valleys of a relationship and worry less about the changes going on. Focus on friendship and a long-term desire. Tonight: Continue the party.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22): Call your own shots today and head in a direction that feels comfortable to you. You might find associates a bit cantankerous. A long-time friend supports you in an important money or emotional decision. Tonight: Once more in the limelight.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Let your happier side come out. Get a perspective on an emotional situation that means much to you. Tune in to your energy and stress levels before making plans. Your batteries may need recharging. Tonight: Do something that takes no effort.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You might need to be more sensitive to a child or loved one. Touch base with a partner who helps you gain a clearer understanding. Get down to the basics in a talk. Tonight: Opt for a duo.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Move past domestic turbulence and listen to a dear friend who has deeper insight than you. You gain emotionally from a different perspective. Take a long-overdue risk that involves a love relationship. Tonight: Go along with another's whims.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You might need time to wind down before you clear up a misunderstanding. A loved one really does care, but you might need to consider all your options. Touch base with a family member who means a lot to you. Tonight: Rest up.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Get into your more-playful side. You might be one of the few who really is enjoying the holiday goings-on. Experiment with cheaper ways of having fun. Keep your joyousness in moderation. Tonight: Take a ride on the carousel of fun.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Spend time with your family and express your caring. Agree your money situation and decide what you want. You might startle a friend or relative who hasn't seen you for a while. Tonight: Drop anchor.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Don't take another's comments personally. You might be overly sensitive today. Hook up with friends and get into the party circuit. You really enjoy yourself when you worry less and just let yourself go with the flow. Tonight: Hang out.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): You might find yourself re-evaluating recent changes in your finances today. You might feel as if you have obliterated any possibility of achieving a long-term goal. Take some time and see if this is what you really want. Tonight: Take a long, hard look at your budget.

THE ASTERISKS (\*) SHOW THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-Soso; 1-Difficult.

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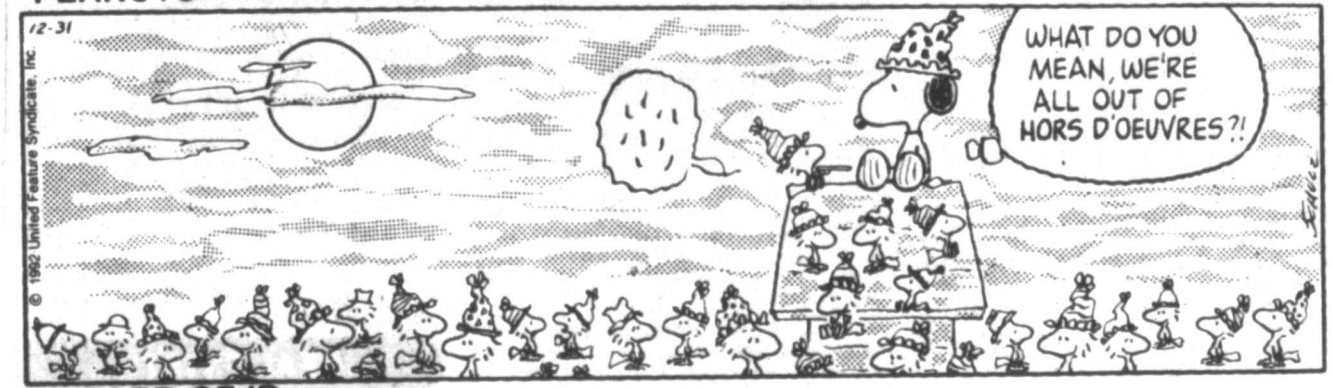
"WHAT KIND OF AN OLD BLOCK AM I A CHIP OFF OF?"

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"It's cold and cloudy. I think the snowman's coming."

## PEANUTS



WHAT DO YOU MEAN, WE'RE ALL OUT OF HORS D'OEUVRES?!

## WIZARD OF ID



I'M PUTTING A PERELICT IN CHARGE OF THE CHARITY DRIVE

## BLONDIE



I HAVE A RESERVATION... THE NAME IS BUMSTEAD

## BEETLE BAILEY



MY HAIR USED TO BE WITH IT, NOW IT'S OLD-FASHIONED

## CALVIN AND HOBBS



PEOPLE ALWAYS SEEM SO CRABBY AND ANIMALS ALWAYS SEEM SO CONTENT. I WONDER WHY THAT IS.

## GEECH



WELL, ANOTHER YEAR DOWN THE DRAIN.

## HI & LOIS



HAPPY NEW YEAR

## HAGAR THE HORRIBLE



LUCKY EDDIE, UP ANCHOR! I'M GONNA TAKE 'ER OUT OF PORT!

## B.C.



OK, CHILDREN, ... WHO SAID, "DON'T FIRE UNTIL YOU SEE THE WHITES OF THEIR EYES"?

## GASOLINE ALLEY



What's going on in here? Just a family New Year's Eve celebration!

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### THE FAR SIDE

By GARY LARSON

Ichabod Crane vs. the Headless Horseman in The People's Court.

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**NO BODY ASKS FOR IT**  
Help STOP Sexual Assaults  
call 263-3312  
Rape Crisis Services/Big Spring

### THE Daily Crossword

by James Barrick

ACROSS  
1 Zoo animals  
5 Height  
9 Surrounded by  
13 Mil acronym  
14 Waterless  
15 Zola work  
16 Computer work  
19 One of the Muses  
20 Poster word  
21 — Aviv  
22 Abbr. in bus.  
24 Puts up  
28 Whitney  
29 Plant bristle  
31 Certain votes  
32 Algonquian chief  
35 Allowance  
36 Ceremonial marches  
38 Hoodwink  
39 Fabled racer  
40 River in France  
41 Room for relaxation  
42 High hill  
43 What's to do  
45 Certain amt.  
46 Depot: abbr.  
49 Spill  
52 Consumed  
54 Modern-day typing  
57 —dieu (prayer desk)  
58 First father  
59 Wild plum  
60 Basics  
61 Becomes solid  
62 Region: abbr.

DOWN  
1 Student in uniform  
2 Attentive  
3 Kind of recall  
4 Louver  
5 Swiss river  
6 Press  
7 Transparent mineral  
8 English PM  
9 Goose genus  
10 Delicate fern  
11 Hotel

12 Hammarskjold of the UN  
17 Bluefish  
18 British gun  
23 Prison sentence  
25 Embers  
26 Short and to the point  
27 Direction letters  
28 Selfish  
29 Fiery felony  
30 Dam in a stream  
32 Shoot  
33 Come to be  
34 Bone: pref.  
35 Gets some shut-eye  
37 Palindromic name  
38 — fault (excessively)  
41 Moist  
44 Fellows  
45 Decorative transfer  
46 Set of steps over a fence

47 Character  
48 Make cross  
50 Vault  
51 Rich deposit

53 Helper: abbr.  
54 Depression org.  
55 Ball  
56 Letters

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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:  
WHIT ERGO GRATIA  
EACH COED NALAW  
AREA HAINO ASTRA  
REDWOOD REDPONY  
ZEST RIV  
BALLAD ANAS CPA  
EMER DRAIT SHIN  
REDSKYATMORNING  
INGE IDEA AIDES  
ADE TEAS ATTEST  
SOIL TIME  
REDTIDE REDCENT  
ENROLL ABEN NADR  
STALE RANI ISLE  
TOWED SHEA PIER

**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.

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**EMPLOYMENT**  
**Help Wanted 085**  
ADDRESS and PROCESS envelopes part time at home. Make \$200. day. Enclose self address stamped #10 envelopes. To Dept 2, P.O. Box 7153, Richmond, Virginia 23221.  
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.  
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Seek, safe, dependable tractor tank-trailer driver with oil field experience to work out of Garden City for major oil company. Earn \$500 + per week. Guaranteed long term job with excellent hospitalization and benefits. Paid vacation/holidays.  
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CONTACT: Ricky Kinsey/Pro Source  
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Up to "20" Pounds/month  
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NEED A RESPONSIBLE person to keep 4 year old child. Monday thru Friday, 8:30-5:30pm. Call 263-7331, after 6pm call 263-3907.  
**NEED MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR**  
Responsible for maintenance, house-keeping and laundry personnel and services in a new 119 bed LTC nursing home. Required work skills include Heating/Air Conditioning, carpentry, electrical, and plumbing, and R/O system maintenance. Own tools necessary. Mail resume to: Comanche Trail Nursing Center, 3200 Parkway, Big Spring, Texas, 79720 or call (915) 263-4041 for appointment.  
NEED MATURE LADY to work part-time in laundromat. Must be in good health, have own car. On Social Security, ok. Call 267-3014 after 5:00pm.  
\*\*\*NURSING FACILITY JOBS\*\*\*  
LVNS, MED AIDES, AND CNAS, Weekend differential pay and bonus plan at Comanche Trail Nursing Center. Call 263-4041. EOE.

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**Jobs Wanted 090**  
HOUSE AND BUSINESS cleaning. Honest and dependable, reasonable rates, references. Call Mary Ann 398-5234, own transportation.  
**MISCELLANEOUS 325**  
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Next auction will be January 7th, 1993 at 7:00pm. NO MINIMUM NO RESERVE  
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**Want To Buy 503**  
WORKING VCR'S: Premiere Video, 1915 Gregg, 263-0289 or College Park Shopping Center 263-3823.  
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**Acreage for Sale 504**  
LAST ONE! Country living. State owned repo land, Howard County 4% interest. \$98/mo. 20 acre homestead, Big Spring, on Hwy. 176. Mon.-Fri. 9-5. 1-800-275-REPO(Agent).  
SMALL SCENIC acreage, good location, Forsan schools. Good water available. Call 267-1216.  
BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE! 4.2 acres located in Camperston Est. has. Priced to sell. Call Vicki at Home Real Estate, 263-1284 or 263-0602.

**Business Property 508**  
FOR RENT OR SALE  
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**Houses for Sale 513**  
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 OWNER MUST sell by 1-31-93. 3-2-Fp. Washington area, \$29,000.00. Sun Country Realtors, Katie Grimes, 267-3613.  
 \$595 BUYS: 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, Cabrio Mobile Home. Won't last long. Call 915-561-5850 or 1-800-456-8944, ask for DeWayne Click.  
 \$4,500.00 BUYS 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. Homes of America-Odessa, 1-800-725-0881, 915-363-0881.  
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 37 HUD FORECLOSURES. 14 wides, 16 wides, and double wide. Call Nationwide, 1-800-456-8944.

**NEW 93**  
 3 BEDROOM-\$340.00 monthly. 1680 sq. ft. double wide mobile home. Includes 4 ton central air and heat. Upgrade carpet. Free delivery and set at your location. 10% down, 10.50 APR, 300 months. Call 31-541-5850, or 1-800-456-8944.

**NEW HOMES** Coronado Hills. Built to suit. 7 1/2% interest. FHA/VA. Key Homes, Inc. 1-520-9848.

**RENT-TO-OWN** a four bedroom, two bath, carpet with extra one bedroom back house. Also a two bedroom. 264-0510.  
 \$238.88 PER MONTH buys new 16 wide, 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home. Homes of America-Odessa. 1-800-725-0881, 915-363-0881, 10% down. 12.00 APR 240 months.

**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.

**Furnished Apts. 521**  
 \$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 - Carports - Built-in Appliances - Most Utilities Paid. Senior Citizen Disc.  
 24 hr. on premises Manager  
 1 & 2 Bedrooms  
 Furnished or Unfurnished  
**PARK HILL TERRACE APARTMENTS**  
 800 Marcy Drive  
 263-5555 263-5000

**LOVELY NEIGHBORHOOD COMPLEX**  
 Carports - Swimming Pool - Most utilities paid - Furnished or Unfurnished - Discount to Senior Citizens.  
 1-2 Bdrs & 1 or 2 Bths  
 24 hour on premises Manager  
**Kentwood Apartments**  
 1904 East 25th  
 267-5444 263-5000

**SANDRA GALE Apartments.** Nice, clean 1, 2, & 4 bedrooms. Furnished and unfurnished. The price is still the best in town. Call 263-0906.

**Furnished Apts. 521**  
 CLEAN 1 BEDROOM apartment. Adults preferred. No bills paid, no pets. \$125.00 monthly, \$50.00 deposit. 505 Nolan, 267-8191.  
 ONE-TWO bedroom apartments, houses, or mobile homes. Mature adults only, no pets 263-6944-263-2341.

**HOUSES/APARTMENTS/Duplexes.** 1-2-3 and 4 bedroom. Furnished, unfurnished. Call Ventura Company, 267-2655.

**TWIN TOWERS**  
 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

**Furnished Houses 522**  
 FOR RENT. Partially furnished 1 bedroom, \$125.00/month with a \$50.00 deposit. 263-8289.  
 FURNISHED NICE & CLEAN one bedroom house. with tub, shower. Adults preferred. NO PETS. Inquire at 802 Andre before 6pm.

**Housing Wanted 523**  
 WE ARE looking for a 3 or 4 bedroom house in the country. Must have out buildings for 4H projects. Must be within a 10 minute drive into Big Spring. Will do repairs if necessary. Monday thru Friday, 8-5 weekdays, 263-9431. Nights & weekends 264-0405, or call collect 817-755-6259.

**Unfurnished Apts. 532**  
 1&2 BEDROOMS: From \$200-\$265. \$100. dep. You pay electric. Stove/ref. furnished. Call 267-6561.  
 ONE BEDROOM duplex. Stove and refrigerator. \$175.00 plus bills. Deposit, references required. Call 267-3271, 263-2562.

**RENT BASED ON INCOME**  
 All 100%  
 Section 8 Assisted  
 Close to schools  
 All Bills Paid  
**NORTHCREST VILLAGE**  
 267-5191 1002 N. Main

**Unfurnished Houses 533**  
 CLEAN, 2 small bedroom house, fenced yard, washer and dryer connections, \$250.00, \$100.00 deposit. 405 E.11th St. 263-4642.

**GAIL ROAD** two bedroom mobile home completely furnished with washer and dryer. Well water. No Pets. \$75.00 deposit, \$250.00 month. 267-2889.

**HUD ACCEPTED.** All bills paid. Two and three bedroom homes for rent. Call Glenda 263-0746.

**NICE CLEAN 2 BEDROOM,** good location, washer and dryer connections, no bills paid. Deposit, and references. Call 267-4923 after 7pm, weekends anytime.

**SUNDANCE: ENJOY your own yard,** patio, spacious home and carport with all the conveniences of apartment living. Two and three bedrooms from \$305.00 and up. Call 263-2703.

**TWO BEDROOM,** stove and refrigerator furnished. Fenced yard. 263-4932.

**TWO BEDROOM,** one bath, two living areas, washer and dryer furnished. In the 1100th block of Sycamore. Call 267-1244 for more information.

**What's your beef? West Texas beef of course!**

**"Apartment Homes" All bills paid**  
 8338 1 bedroom  
 398 2 bedrooms  
 478 3 bedrooms  
 Refrigerated air, Laundromat  
 Adjacent to Marcy Elementary  
**Park Village**  
 1905 Wason, 267-6421/M-F 9-5  
 Professionally managed by MSMC

**VEHICLES**

**Auto Parts/Sup. 534**  
 FOUR FIRESTONE P195/14 and rims. Fits Chevy 5-10, \$100.00. 267-5328.

**Boats 537**  
 FUN! FUN! FUN! 1990 Kawasaki Jet Aate 8 ft. boat, 52 horse power inboard. Seats 3 or 2 and pull a tub or skier. Call Pat Morgan 263-5145 evenings or 263-7331 days. \$4,000 firm. includes custom trailer.

**Cars for Sale 539**  
 1988 Mustang, 2 door, clean, \$3,500.00, 263-7982.  
 76 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL. New upholstery covering and top. Good motor. Will finance. Call 263-8284.  
 FOR SALE: 1974 Porche 911 good condition, new tires, runs good, silver/black. Call 263-4627.

**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.

1988 CHEVY S10 club cab pickup. \$5200.00. Call 263-4514.  
 1988 Mustang, 2 door, clean, \$3,500.00, 263-7982.  
 76 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL. New upholstery covering and top. Good motor. Will finance. Call 263-8284.

**WESTEX AUTO PARTS Sells Late Model Guaranteed Recondition Cars & Pickups**  
 '85 Honda Prelude.....\$2,450  
 '85 Bronco II.....\$3,450  
 '85 Ranger.....\$2,450  
 Snyder Hwy 263-5000

**Pickups 601**  
 1988 GMC pickup, 46,000 miles, loaded, \$8,500. Call 263-2401.

**Recreational Veh. 602**  
 MUST SELL 34 FOOT MOTOR home. Low mileage. Loaded. 263-7271.

**Money-Saving Coupons every Wednesday Big Spring Herald**

**TOO LATES**

**Too Late To Classify 900**  
 1989 REDMAN 28X56 double wide. 3/2/2. Many extras. Low equity, qualifying assumable. 1-915-686-7053.

3619 HAMILTON, clean three bedroom, new carpet, mini-blinds and fenced yard. Central heat. 263-3350.  
 5 PIECE sectional sofa for sale, has 2 recliners, fold out sleeper, dark brown and in good condition. Call 263-6533.

**ALL POSITIONS, all shifts.** Apply in person Coahoma Dairy Queen.

**MAKE A WISH-ADOPTION**  
 Athletic, young, married several years, and unable to have children. We wish to share our lives which includes many relatives and friends, a dog, a home and abundance of love with a cherished newborn. If this sounds like a home for your baby, please call Marie and Jay, 1-800-452-1115.

**MUST SELL!!!** All items, dresser, chairs, card table, twin bed, book shelves, and much more. Call 264-6300 and leave message.

**93 MAZDA B-2200 4x2**



6 to choose from, 5 sp., 2.2L OHC, 1400lb. payload, carpet, dbl. wall bed, rear wheel anti-lock brakes, 60 mos., \$499 down + tax (cash or trade), 9.5% apr, sale price \$8125 after \$1000 rebate, wac, stock 35023M.

MSRP \$9125  
 Mazda Reb. \$1000  
**\$159** per month

**SEWELL MAZDA**  
 2481 E. 2nd St. Odessa  
 332-0282 563-2201

**Too Late To Classify 900**  
**ATTENTION CLASSIFIED CUSTOMERS**

Deadline for ads to run in Friday's paper is 10:00am, Thursday, December 30th. \*There will be no too lates on Friday\*. Deadline for ads to run in Sunday's paper will be at 12:00pm Thursday, December 30th. Too late deadline for Sunday will be 5:00pm Thursday, December 30th.

**WE WISH YOU A SAFE AND HAPPY NEW YEAR'S**

**THE CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT.**  
 BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE! 4.21 acres located in Campeste Estates. Priced to sell. Call Vicki at Home Real Estate, 263-1284 or 263-0602.

**SATURDAY 9-4,** furniture, clothes, toys, washer, typewriter, microwave, drafting table, Christmas tree. 2505 Dow.

**RN AND LVN** looking for a positive supportive working atmosphere. Top wages, hours and benefits available. Contact Big Spring Care Center, Linda Halliday, DON, 901 Gollad, MF&H.

**Too Late To Classify 900**  
 NEED A RESPONSIBLE person to keep 4 year old child. Monday thru Friday, 8:30-5:30pm. Call 263-7331, after 6pm call 263-2907.

**OWNER MUST sell by 1-31-93.** 3-2-Fp. Washington area, \$29,000.00. Sun Country Realtors, Katie Grimes, 267-3613.

**YARD SALE,** 709 San Antonio St. Burritos, clothes toys. Saturday, Jan. 2, 1993, 9-2pm only.

**FOR SALE:** 1991 Dodge Stealth! Low miles, excellent condition. Must see to appreciate! 267-6664.

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**Little Things Do A BIG JOB**  
 Big Spring Herald  
 Classified Dept. 263-7331

**January 1st**  
 Is Tax Time — We Must Reduce Our Inventory ONLY 1 DAY LEFT!!



1993.5 Nissan 4x2 Regular Cab Truck  
 Stk. #1858  
**1993 NISSAN PU**  
 NOW \$7,996.00



1993 FESTIVA L 2-DR.  
 MSRP ..... \$7,548.00  
 Bob Brock Discount ..... -213.00  
 Less Rebate ..... -500.00  
**NOW \$6,835.00**

**Over 50 F-250 — F-250 — F-350 Regular Cabs — Super Cabs — Crew Cabs — MUST GO —**



1992 EXPLORER XLT 4-DR.  
 MSRP ..... \$21,271.00  
 Ford Discount ..... -510.00  
 Bob Brock Discount ..... -2,651.00  
**NOW \$18,110.00**



1993 F-150 117" WB P.U.  
 MSRP ..... \$15,258.00  
 Ford Discount ..... -1,507.00  
 Bob Brock Discount ..... -1,356.00  
 Less Rebate ..... -300.00  
**NOW \$12,095.00**

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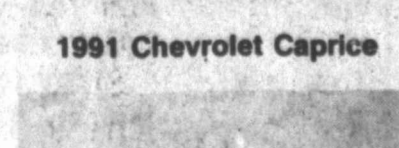
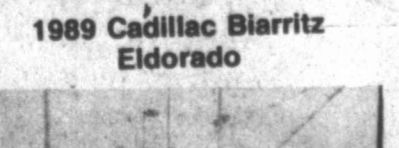
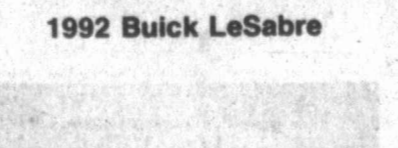
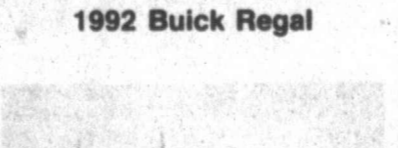
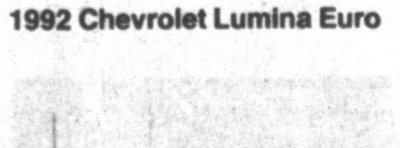
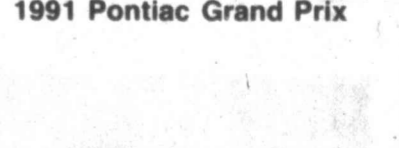


**1st week: You pay full price — if car doesn't sell...**  
**2nd week: You get 25% off — if car doesn't sell...**  
**3rd week: You get 50% off — if car STILL doesn't sell...**  
**4th-7th week: Run your car ad FREE!**

Call the Big Spring Herald today & ask for Debra or Rose, 263-7331

**POLLARD CHEVROLET-BUICK-CADILLAC-GEO**

**Year-End Close-Out Sale!**

<p><b>1992 Buick Century</b></p>  <p>Stk. #5B-281                  Loaded, ice blue.                  List ..... \$17,667                  Rebate ..... -750                  Discount ..... -3,200  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$13,712</b></p>	<p><b>1992 Geo Metro 5-Dr.</b></p>  <p>Stk. #6G-288                  Auto. trans., tape, air, bright red                  List ..... \$10,565                  Discount ..... -915  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$9,650</b></p>	<p><b>1992 Chev. APV Van</b></p>  <p>Stk. #1T-145                  Loaded with all Chevy options, plus dual air                  List ..... \$19,990                  Rebate ..... -500                  Discount ..... -3,500  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$16,990</b></p>	<p><b>1992 Chev. Camaro</b></p>  <p>Stk. #9C-394                  Loaded plus Heritage Appearance Package                  List ..... \$15,094                  Discount ..... -1,500  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$13,594</b></p>	<p><b>1992 Chev. 1/2 Ton Conversion</b></p>  <p>Stk. #7T-351                  Teal green with all the extras.                  List ..... \$20,499                  Rebate ..... -300                  Discount ..... -4,300  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$15,899</b></p>	<p><b>1992 Buick Regal</b></p>  <p>Stk. #9EB-399                  Loaded, solid white, red leather interior                  List ..... \$22,015                  Rebate ..... -1,000                  Discount ..... -3,120  <b>CLOSE-OUT PRICE</b>  <b>\$17,895</b></p>
<p><b>CHRISTMAS SALE</b></p> <p><b>1991 Chevrolet Caprice</b></p>  <p>White/Blue Cloth Interior                  Power Windows &amp; Door Locks                  Tile/Cruise/Tape                  Local 1 Owner                  We Sold New                  20,000 Miles.</p>	<p><b>1989 Cadillac Biarritz Eldorado</b></p>  <p>Diamond White/Red                  Leather Interior                  All The Luxuries                  Bose Sound System                  Local 1 Owner                  We Sold New                  35,000 Miles</p>	<p><b>1992 Buick LeSabre</b></p>  <p>GM Program Car                  Blue/Blue Cloth                  Power Windows &amp; Door Locks                  Tilt/Cruise/Tape                  Power Seats                  16,000 Miles.</p>	<p><b>1992 Buick Regal</b></p>  <p>White/Red Cloth Interior                  Power Windows &amp; Door Locks                  Tilt/Cruise/Tape                  V-6 Power                  14,000 Miles.</p>	<p><b>1992 Chevrolet Lumina Euro</b></p>  <p>Maroon/Maroon Cloth                  V-6, Automatic                  Power Windows &amp; Door Locks                  Tilt/Cruise/Tape                  Aluminum Wheels                  Rear Trunk Spoiler                  16,000 Miles</p>	<p><b>CHRISTMAS SALE</b></p> <p><b>1991 Pontiac Grand Prix</b></p>  <p>Grey With Grey Interior                  Power Windows &amp; Power Locks                  Tilt/Cruise/Tape                  19,000 Miles</p>

1501 E. 4th 31 Years Of Continuous Service 267-7421

DECEMBER 31 1992

# SportsExtra

## BASKETBALL

### NBA Standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	18	9	.667	—
New Jersey	16	12	.571	2 1/2
Orlando	13	11	.542	3 1/2
Boston	12	17	.414	7
Philadelphia	8	17	.320	9
Miami	8	18	.308	9 1/2
Washington	8	20	.286	10 1/2

Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phoenix	21	4	.840	—
Seattle	18	8	.692	3 1/2
Portland	17	8	.680	4
LA Lakers	15	11	.577	6 1/2
LA Clippers	15	12	.556	7
Golden State	15	13	.536	7 1/2
Sacramento	10	16	.385	11 1/2

Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	14	11	.560	3 1/2
Cleveland	14	12	.538	4
Golden State	13	19	.269	11
Minnesota	5	19	.208	12
Dallas	2	22	.083	15

Southwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	18	8	.692	—
San Antonio	14	12	.538	4
Denver	7	19	.269	11
Minnesota	5	19	.208	12
Dallas	2	22	.083	15

### PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE OF CAP ROCK ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.**

Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc., on the 22nd day of October, 1992, and pursuant to Sections 16, 17, 37, and 43 of the Public Utility Act (Article 1486, V.A.C.S.) filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) and all cities exercising original jurisdiction over its rates and tariffs, a request to implement a new, experimental cotton gin rate. It was assigned Docket No. 11548 by the PUC.

Copies of the proposed revised tariffs may be inspected at the Office of Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Box 700, West Highway 80, Stanton, Texas 79782, Telephone (915) 756-3381 and at the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757.

The proposed change is not intended to either increase or decrease Cap Rock Electric's total revenues. Cotton gin customers have been billed under the Cooperative's industrial service rate class. As a result of the new, experimental rate for cotton gins, individual cotton gins that sign up for the rate may see their bills increase or decrease but the overall revenues recovered from cotton gin customers as a class will not increase or decrease based upon historic usage.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify Cap Rock Electric immediately at the above listed address and telephone number or the Commission. The request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission, Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

Inquiries concerning this notice should be directed to Mr. Lester Baker at Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc. at the address and telephone number listed above.

8121 December 17, 24, 31, 1992  
& January 7, 1993

### College Hoops

TUESDAY'S GAMES	
Chicago 114, Charlotte 103	Golden State 132, Houston 112
Seattle 111, Boston 87	Sacramento 139, Dallas 81
LA Lakers at Orlando 93	Chicago 105, Miami 100
Detroit 118, Washington 110	New York 94, Indiana 90
New Jersey 118, Minnesota 92	San Antonio 114, Denver 94
Utah 119, Philadelphia 110	Phoenix 133, Houston 110
Portland 111, Dallas 92	LA Lakers at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
LA Lakers at Atlanta, 8 p.m.	Dallas at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Indiana at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.	Utah at Portland, 10 p.m.
Denver at Seattle, 10 p.m.	Houston at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.	

### Women's Hoops

EAST	
Lafayette 62, Hofstra 47	Manhattan 58, Dartmouth 57
Marquette 90, Canisius 68	William & Mary 73, Colgate 56
LSU 76, SW Texas 51, 63	Mount Mercy 75, North Florida 46
N.C. Wilmington 83, Coastal Carolina 53	North Carolina 87, Loyola, Md. 51
North Michigan 104, Barry 63	Southern Meth. 71, SE Louisiana 60
Tampa 84, Mich.-Dearborn 53	

### Transactions

**NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION**

**DETROIT PISTONS**—Placed Odeen Polynice, center, on the injured list. Signed Jeff Rutland, center.

**PHOENIX SUNS**—Activated Oliver Miller, center, from the injured list. Placed Tim Kempton, center, on the injured list.

**PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS**—Placed Clyde Drexler, guard, on the injured list.

**CONTINENTAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION**

**CBA**—Announced that Steve Burt, guard, has been activated to play.

**OKLAHOMA CITY CAVALRY**—Traded the rights to David Harris, center, to Rochester for a 1993 fifth round draft choice and future considerations.

**SIoux FALLS SKYFORCE**—Signed Jimmy Oliver, guard-forward.

**FOOTBALL**

**NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE**

**NFL PROPERTIES**—Named Brian Hughes vice president, corporate sponsorships.

**DETROIT LIONS**—Announced that Robert Widenhofer, defensive coordinator, will not return next season.

**MINNESOTA VIKINGS**—Activated Chris Carter, wide receiver, from injured reserve.

**NEW YORK GIANTS**—Fired Ray Handley, head coach.

**HOCKEY**

**NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE**

**HARTFORD WHALERS**—Recalled Jge Day, left wing, from Springfield of the American Hockey League.

**TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING**—Recalled Bob Beers, defenseman, and J.C. Bergeron, goalie, from Atlanta of the International Hockey League.

### On the air

**BASKETBALL**

ECAC Festival, 11 a.m., HSE (79).

Rainbow Classic Championship, 1 p.m., HSE (29).

**FOOTBALL**

Oregon vs. Wake Forest, Independence Bowl, noon, ESPN (30).

Baylor vs. Arizona, John Hancock Bowl, 2:30, CBS (7).

North Carolina vs. Florida, Gator Bowl, 6 p.m., WTBS (11).

Air Force vs. Mississippi, Liberty Bowl, 7 p.m., ESPN (30).

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2 Bedroom — 2 Bath  
2 Bedroom — 1 Bath  
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**ATTORNEYS**

Uncontested DIVORCE \$275.00 plus filing fee

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Midland, Tx.  
1-697-4023

Not board certified certification not necessary

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**DEEN'S**

"Hair Your Way"

HAS openings for hair dressers. Call Deen Mitzner, 263-6970

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CASH ALL CHECKS! Payroll, personal, AFDG, Tax, Insurance, Com. At West T. GO, 1800 Gregg, 263-0332.

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CHIMNEY PROBLEMS? M&R Enterprises. Chimney sweep and repair. Call 263-7015.

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1003 State, 7am-6pm weekdays, 9am-1pm on Saturdays. Shirt laundry, felt hats, & alterations. FREE PICK UP AND DELIVERY! 267-2312.

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DICK'S FIREWOOD  
Mesquite, \$110.00. Oak, Pecan, & Cedar, \$135.00. Serving Big Spring and surrounding communities for the last 4 years. We deliver. 1-453-2151.

**FIREWOOD FOR SALE**

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**FLORISTS**

Christmas Open-House  
November 15, 1-5 p.m. All invited for refreshments, door prizes. New holiday items just arrived! Jane's Flowers, 1101 11th Place, 263-8323

**FURRS FLORAL**

#1 College Park. Fresh flowers, Plants, Balloons, Baskets, and Gifts. We Deliver!!! 263-0601.

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