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Hand puppets bring out animated talk

Brittany Dominguez and Katey Howell talk to each other using hand puppets as the two were playing at the Westside Day Care Center Tuesday afternoon.



Skates a little dance

Laura Rutherford holds her hands in the air and spins around as she does the "Hokey Pokey" dance while spending her Christmas vacation skating at Skateland Tuesday afternoon.

Building renovation
Riley Faulker with Lee George Construction sets a brick into place at the Dora Roberts Community Center, as workers swarm over the building during interior renovations.



Yearround angels

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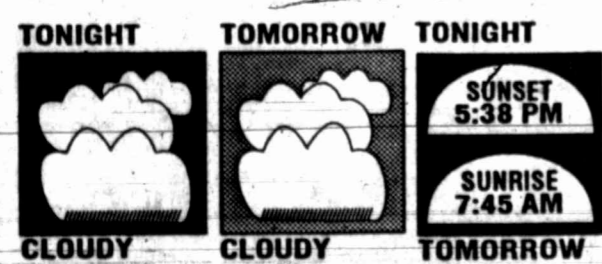
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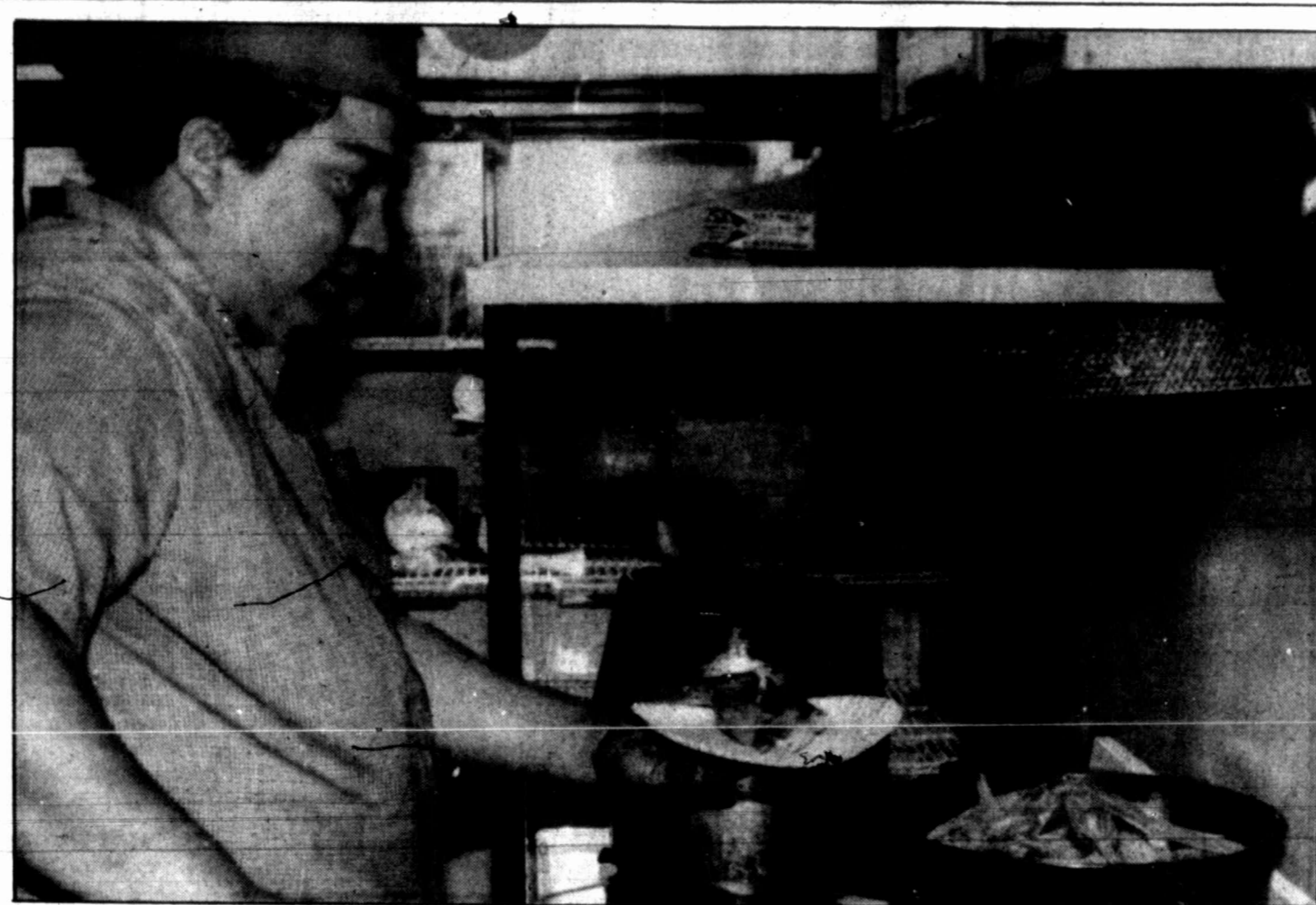
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Top tamales

BoxCar Cafe manager Tony Aguilar removes several tamales from a pot and carries them away to be judged during the first Big Spring Tamale Contest Tuesday evening. Aguilar was the only entrant in the contest, therefore earning his California-style tamales the title "Best tamales in Big Spring." See News Editor John A. Moseley's related column on page 4.

Three UCRA directors take aim on manager

By TIM JONES
Staff Writer

SAN ANGELO — Three directors appointed to the Upper Colorado River Authority by Gov. Ann Richards are concerned about recent inconsistencies in the authority's handling of several issues involving General Manager Robert H. Huckabee.

UCRA Vice chairman Patricia Ivey of Robert Lee and directors Sara T. Ortiz of Colorado City and Ruby Gutierrez of San Angelo expressed their concern and want to make the public aware of recent actions taken by the authority's board.

The three directors discussed the issues before the start of Tuesday night's regular meeting of the UCRA board.

Huckabee verbally resigned by walking out of the authority's meeting on Oct. 25. The three directors charge that Huckabee had divorced his wife before that time, "but had not reported that change to the insurance company."

Huckabee replied that he walked out because he was "upset because his compensation was being reduced and the authority chose to no longer insure his family."

Another source of irritation for the three directors is what they believe is a misrepresentation in the resume Huckabee gave the authority.

The resume represents Huckabee as completing computer courses and graduating from Sweetwater's Texas State Technical Institute. However, a Nov. 4 letter from Linda Graham, director of admissions and records at TSTI, indicated there was "no record of him completing a major program at TSTI."

The directors said that Huckabee admitted his resume was incorrectly worded, that he did not graduate, nor was he enrolled in a degree plan at TSTI.

Huckabee responded after the meeting saying, "That was careless. Two incomplete sentences got put together in the preparation of (the resume)."

When asked why he's still the general manager, he said, "Why I am, I don't know." He made no other comments.

The three discontented directors noted that the Lower Colorado River Authority in Austin has a policy calling for the immediate dismissal of employees who lie on their resume.

They also contend the board disregarded the Texas Open Meetings Act recently.

Under the Open Meeting Act's criminal provisions, page 49, subscript "h" reads: "No individual, corporation, or partnership shall, without lawful authority, knowingly make public the certified agenda or tape recording of a meeting or that portion of a meeting that was closed under authority of this act."

After Huckabee resigned Oct. 25, the authority called a special Nov. 15 meeting to discuss ramifications of his resignation. The three women directors abstained from approving those minutes during Tuesday's meeting.

Gutierrez, citing her reason for abstaining, said, "The minutes are tainted by the commingling of the closed executive session with regular session material which was then distributed by mail." She strongly requested an outside investigation.

Gutierrez added, "A Nov. 30 hand delivered Please see UCRA, page 6

Law enforcement agencies plan full New Year's patrol

By JANET AUSBURY
Staff Writer

New Year's Eve is nearly here, and with it comes the threat of drunken partygoers behind the wheel. However, local and area law enforcement agencies are preparing to handle any increase in drunken driving during the holiday.

Lt. Judy Altom in the Midland office of the Texas Department of Public Safety's Highway Patrol division said extra personnel will be put on patrol for New Year's Eve. "We take people from other services, such as driver's license, license and weights or safety education, and put them on patrol," she explained.

"Any time you have a holiday, you have an increased probability of incidents, and that's why we will have extra people out."

Sheriff A.N. Standard said his office does not have the resources to put extra deputies on patrol to control drunk-driving incidents. "Of course, we will have our regular crew on duty," he said.

Standard said drunk driving is expected to increase somewhat during the holidays, but several factors determine how large the problem becomes.

"Weather is always a factor. And we don't have the number of entertainment spots that we used to," explained Standard.

"I'm sure the Highway Patrol will have extra people out New Year's Eve, covering the highways and byways."

Lt. Roger Sweatt said the Big Spring Police Department also will make sure a full staff is available New Year's Eve, although it cannot put extra officers on patrol.

"We've suspended vacation time and anything like that so all shifts will be fully staffed. That way, if anything comes up, we'll be fully prepared," said Sweatt.

He added that it is difficult to determine how large a problem drunk driving will be on New Year's Eve and other holidays.

"Sometimes it can be crazy and other years it's quiet," he said. "It's kind of a hit-and-miss deal. I don't really know what affects it."

"The weather might have a little bit to do with it sometimes, if it's icy and people decide they don't want to go out, but hard-core partiers will get drunk no matter what."

Sweatt said the lack of clubs in Big Spring may also reduce drunk-driving incidents at times. He also credited the "tipsy wrecker" and "tipsy taxi" services offered by Mitchem and Sons Wrecker Service for helping residents avoid driving while drunk.

"It gives more options," said Sweatt of the taxi and wrecker services. "There's no way to predict how many people it prevents from driving." Please see PATROLS, page 6

City urges residents to recycle

By JANET AUSBURY
Staff Writer

Christmas trees that have outlived their holiday usefulness can be recycled for use as compost, according to city Utilities Manager Thomas DeCell.

Instead of tossing trees in the garbage bin, Big Spring residents can take their trees to two locations for disposal and composting.

Those who live on the west side of town may find it convenient to take their trees to the composting center on Perimeter Road, near the southeast side of McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark.

The center's hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Trees can be left outside the entrance gates to the composting center.

Residents on the east side of town may find it more convenient to take their trees to the landfill at the Signal Mount Baler. The trees will then be picked up by the city to be composted.

The baler's hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. Sunday. Please see RECYCLING, page 6



A burned couch and a partially-melted Christmas tree sit near the front door of a home in Forsan that was gutted by fire during the Christmas weekend.

Community effort planned for family hit by holiday fire

By TIM JONES
Staff Writer

FORSAN — Local residents can be of help to a Forsan family recovering from the damages to their home, household goods and clothing during a recent holiday fire.

The parents and three boys need food to restock the pantry, small appliances, dishes, bedding, bathroom accessories and living room furniture, as they lost almost everything in the fire.

Donations of cash and any of these items can be taken to the T&P Federal Credit Union at 101

main, whose telephone number is 263-1631.

Forsan residents trying to organize help for the family are Sherry Roman, Becky Sherman and Kathy Slayton.

The man wears size 10 shoes, medium men's shirts and size 30-32 pants. The two older boys wear size 16 men's shirts, size 9 men's shoes, pants 29-32 and 28-32 respectively. The young boy wears 9 slim pants, size 9 boys' shirts and boys' size 2 shoes. Mom wears size 5 women's shoes.

A recovery shower for the family took place last night in the Forsan High School cafeteria.

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Judge orders indictments amended

The Associated Press

AUSTIN — Defenders of U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison say a judge's ruling against most of her ethics indictments shows that the charges are unfair.

But prosecutors said the actions by visiting Judge John Onion will not hinder their case.

During a pre-trial hearing Tuesday, Onion accepted Mrs. Hutchison's motion to quash four charges, saying they were too vague. He let stand the most severe indictment of felony official misconduct, and will allow prosecutors to amend the other indictments.

He said he would consider the amended indictments Jan. 7 and then rule on Mrs. Hutchison's motion to move the trial to another city.

Judge Onion's ruling is further confirmation of what we've said all along; once Sen. Hutchison gets a fair hearing in a fair and impartial setting, it becomes clear the charges against her are ridiculously vague and just not credible," said Texas GOP chairman Fred Meyer.

Steve McCleery, first assistant district attorney, described Onion's rulings as routine and not connected to the merits of the evidence.

"The judge granted some of their motions; he denied some of them. None of this was unexpected," he said.

In earlier pre-trial motions, Onion rejected efforts by Mrs. Hutchison to dismiss the charges on other grounds, including arguments that the indictments were politically motivated.

Meyer said McCleery's assertion that the judge's decision "is somehow routine or expected is laughable."

Mrs. Hutchison was indicted Dec. 8 on charges that she used her former office of state treasurer for political and personal purposes, and then destroyed records as part of a cover-up.



U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and her husband, Ray, arrive at the Travis County Courthouse as her pre-trial hearing continued Tuesday in Austin. Most of the ethics charges against Hutchison were dismissed by Judge John Onion who said they were too vague.

Mrs. Hutchison, a Republican, has denied any wrongdoing and says the allegations against her are part of a Democratic plot to hurt her 1994 reelection bid.

Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle, a Democrat whose office is in charge of the prosecution, has said politics is not involved in the case.

Mrs. Hutchison defeated appointed Democratic Sen. Bob Krueger in a June 5 special election to become the first woman senator in Texas history. She had been elected treasurer in 1990.

A Travis County grand jury in September indicted Mrs. Hutchison and two aides, but the charges were dis-

missed when her attorneys discovered that one of the grand jurors was ineligible to serve because of a pending theft charge.

In December, a second grand jury re-indicted Mrs. Hutchison and the aides, Mike Barron and David Criss. Under the indictments, Mrs. Hutchison faced a maximum of 51 years in prison.

On Tuesday, Onion told prosecutors to rewrite three felony charges — tampering with physical evidence, tampering with governmental records and official misconduct — and one misdemeanor charge of official misconduct. The three felony charges carry a maximum punishment of 10 years in prison. The mis-

demeanor charge has a maximum penalty of one year.

He let stand another felony official misconduct indictment that DeGuerin described as the centerpiece of the prosecution's case.

That indictment charges Mrs. Hutchison with misapplying the use of workers and state equipment when she was state treasurer. It is a second degree felony punishable by a maximum 20 years in prison.

Another attorney for Mrs. Hutchison, Lewis Dickson, argued that the allegations in the indictments were so vague attorneys couldn't plan a defense. "It's groping around in the darkness for light without more specificity," Dickson said.

husband, Woody, 63.

No trial date has been set. "It's a single-family lot. It's supposed to be where you live. It's not supposed to be a zoo," Mrs. Baker said in her deposition Nov. 22.

But Mrs. Erskine, who treated more than 600 birds and 100 mammals in 1992, said her operation is harmless. She said the city has made a special exemption for her five acres, which includes a large backyard cage.

In a deposition Dec. 13, city code enforcement officer Roberta Allison said her supervisors in the late 1980s did not enforce codes on the Erskines, even though the fire marshal's office considered the thick brush a fire hazard.

Mrs. Erskine, however, said the Bakers are the only neighbors who ever complained.

Neighbors taking on wildlife rehabilitator



Associated Press photo

Midge Erskine, nicknamed the "Bird Lady," poses at her Midland home. A wildlife rehabilitator, Midge and her husband are being sued by a neighbor who claims the 50-acre preserve is unsightly, smelly and a health hazard.

The Associated Press

MIDLAND — Midge Erskine earned her nickname, "Bird Lady," by tending wounded and orphaned wildlife for 23 years at her home on Golf Course Road.

But one couple next door has had enough.

Mrs. Erskine's tall weeds harbor rats and snakes, her crippled vulture leaps across the property line and accumulated bird poop stinks up the neighborhood, according to a lawsuit filed by Dennis and Vanessa Baker.

The Bakers, who have never lived in the house they own east of Mrs. Erskine, say her wildlife rehabilitation operation threatens their health and violates city codes.

Their December 1992 lawsuit seeks unspecified damages and an order shutting down the wildlife work of Mrs. Erskine, 59, and her

Briefs

Dallas police stepping up protection of councilman

DALLAS (AP) — Police in Dallas have stepped up efforts to protect a Dallas city councilman after gunshots were fired near his home and the squad car guarding it.

Police were unsure whether the shots were meant for Councilman Domingo Garcia or just random. Garcia has been under guard since he began trying to get rival gang members to work out their differences, according to the Dallas Morning News.

The officer outside Garcia's Oak Cliff area home radioed for help after three or four shots rang out shortly before 11 p.m. Monday. The shots apparently were fired from a park less than 500 feet from the councilman's house, police said.

Despite an account by Garcia's wife, who was home at the time, that a window had been damaged and a bullet had lodged in a door, police were still investigating Tuesday if the house or the officer's car actually had been damaged.

"The fact that shots were fired near the house with an officer sitting there is cause enough for alarm," said Executive Assistant Chief Robert Jackson. "We're concerned enough about what happened out there that we're going to change some things in our protection and enhance our presence."

Judge asked to forbid cult term during trial

FORT WORTH (AP) — The judge who will preside over a Jan. 10 murder trial of surviving members of the Branch Davidians has been asked to bar prosecutors and witnesses from using the words "cult" in the jury's presence.

Attorney Mike DeGuerin of Houston filed the motion on behalf of Paul Gordon Fatta, one of 11 followers of David Koresh who were charged

with murder and conspiracy to murder in the Feb. 28 deaths of four agents of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

Six Branch Davidians are believed to have also perished in the agents' assault that day on the compound about 10 miles east of Waco.

Koresh and more than 80 Branch Davidians died more than seven weeks later, on April 19, when fire ravaged their compound as federal agents were assaulting it with tear gas.

According to court documents, DeGuerin filed the motion on Dec. 21 with U.S. District Judge Walter Smith Jr. of Waco, who will preside over the trial, scheduled for next month in San Antonio.

Study: Fatherless families don't get needed support

AUSTIN (AP) — Two University of Texas sociologists have produced a book that discusses the increased emotional and behavioral problems of children from fatherless families as opposed to children raised in homes with two parents.

"Evidence clearly demonstrates that both single mothers and their children are at high risk of emotional and behavioral problems as a result of the conflict surrounding family disruption, unassisted parenthood, inadequate adult supervision and poverty," write Ronald and Jacqueline Angel.

The findings are contained in the Angels' book, "Painful Inheritance: Health and the New Generation of Fatherless Families," published last week by the University of Wisconsin Press.

Ronald Angel said the book is the culmination of about six years of research and writing.

"Being a single parent is not necessarily detrimental to anyone's health," he said. But single parenthood combined with low income, low education and few job opportunities "has dangerous health consequences," Angel said.

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American reprisals at Philippines

The Associated Press

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Snow, cold freezes homeless, stuns many

The Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — The snow and frigid air that have sent homeless people running for cover in much of the country meant cold feet for Mary Jo Copeland.

Copeland, who runs the Sharing & Caring Hands day shelter in Minneapolis, soaked more numb digits than she could count as the mercury fell to 15 below zero Tuesday.

"I just got a family in with six kids and none of them had socks on their feet. They were really cold," she said. "It's hard to be poor, especially when you're poor in the cold."

The nation's deep freeze continued today, with temperatures hovering around zero from the Midwest to the East and snowstorms threatening much of the area. Temperatures early today were 4 in Albany, 2 in

Buffalo, 7 in Detroit, 3 in Cleveland, 3 in Portland, Maine, and 10 in Indianapolis.

At least eight weather-related deaths have been reported since the weekend as the wintry weather moved from the Ohio Valley to the East Coast.

Federal employees in Washington were sent home early because of snow, and National Airport shut down for a short time.

Three deaths in the Washington area included two homeless men, one found near a trash container and another in a car that had been his home, and a woman who died in a traffic accident in Bethesda, Md.

The other dead included two people in Indiana; a 64-year-old homeless man found frozen in an alley in Toledo, Ohio; and a woman in Baltimore. In New York City, a man was

found frozen on a bench. Two homeless men also died in New York but the cause of death hadn't been determined.

In New York City, every available shelter bed — 5,234 for single men and 1,014 for single women — was taken Tuesday night, according to Mary Brosnahan, executive director of the Coalition for the Homeless.

Shelters also were crowded in New England, where temperatures dipped into the single digits this morning, and in New Jersey and Philadelphia, where authorities took some homeless people off the streets and put them in shelters.

Tony Williams said he would continue panhandling instead to raise \$7 so he could stay in a Philadelphia boarding house. "I don't go to city-owned shelters," he said. "They treat you like animals. I am a human being."

Virginia's first storm of the winter made roads impassable in spots.

Greg Singletary of Chesterfield County spent 3 hours Tuesday getting to work. The 18-mile journey to Richmond usually takes 25 minutes.

In North Dakota, Netty Knopp and Brad Berger didn't let the cold stop their outdoor wedding. She carried a hand muffler instead of a bouquet Tuesday evening as more than 50 guests endured a wind chill of 17 below in a park near Knopp's Fargo home.

"We live in North Dakota — which some people say we're crazy for anyway — and we already knew it was going to be pretty cold," Knopp said.

The cold had a different effect on a burglary suspect caught by police near Rochester, N.Y., after a four-mile chase through fields.



A black streamer is displayed outside the main entrance of San Pedro Church in Davao City Wednesday, commemorating the grenade-throwing incident last Sunday during a Christmas mass killing seven worshippers and injuring 130 others. The church is closed indefinitely and round-the-clock security is posted following a series of blasts which also targeted two Muslim mosques.

American kidnapped, reprisals continuing at Philippine mosque

The Associated Press

DAVAO CITY, Philippines — An American was kidnapped and suspected Christian militants fired grenades at two mosques Tuesday as violence again shook the southeast city of Davao.

One senator warned of a possible reignition of the Muslim-Christian conflict of the 1970s in which more than 50,000 people were killed here.

Scott Monroe Nelson, 55, of Houston was strolling along a Davao street with a Filipino woman Tuesday evening when a car pulled up beside them and forced the American inside, the Philippine National Police said Wednesday. The woman was allowed to go free, the statement said.

Julio Mandella, a clerk at the Men Seng Hotel in Davao, said by telephone that Nelson, who lives in Cebu, checked into the hotel with his companion a week ago.

It was not known if the kidnapping was related to the city's religious troubles. Nelson is a longtime resident of the Philippines, and police said the abduction could have been

related to a personal grudge.

Five people were injured in the attacks on the mosques Tuesday, which were apparently made in reprisal for a bombing that killed seven Sunday at the Roman Catholic San Pedro Cathedral.

The latest attacks occurred almost simultaneously at two mosques in this mixed Christian-Muslim city 600 miles southeast of Manila on Mindanao Island.

Five people were hurt when a grenade struck the roof of a mosque in the city's Bangkerohan district. There were no injuries in the other attack that took place a few miles away.

No arrests have been made in any of the attacks. Police said they were looking for two men and a woman in the cathedral incident that also injured 140 people.

Mayor Rodrigo Duterte blamed Muslim extremists for igniting the religious conflict and warned: "If they want violence, I will give them violence."

But Muslim and Christian leaders in this city of 850,000 appealed for restraint.

Clinton returns to his home

The Associated Press

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. — For 20 years, Bill Clinton nurtured his relationship with the Arkansas Everyman — the scrappy voters who buy their guns and clothes from Wal-Mart, shoot straight and expect their politicians to do the same.

Now, sensing strained relations with America's working class, President Clinton is trying to shore up his image in the heartland.

The appeal — a hunting trip, a bowling outing and a night rooting for the local basketball team.

Never known as a hunter, the president got up before dawn Monday to shoot ducks in Maryland with his new camouflage suit, new earplugs, new duck call, new hunting permit — and a borrowed gun. He ended the day at a bowling ally in Hot Springs, Ark., sporting a clumsy, tippytoe form and size 12 rental shoes and racking up a feeble 126 score.

He flew here Tuesday evening to watch the No. 1-ranked University of Arkansas basketball team, nicknamed the Razorbacks or "The Hogs."

Clinton arrived to an enthusiastic ovation from the crowd and sat in the skybox of chicken magnate Don Tyson, although Tyson wasn't there. Following halftime he worked the



President Clinton talks with a group of children outside a candy store Tuesday in Little Rock, Ark. Clinton is vacationing in Arkansas and used the time at home to visit his dentist and then make a trek to the candy store.

crowd a bit, shaking hands on his way down to another seat near the scorer's table.

One fan shouted "Thata boy, Bill. Bring it to the people. Spend your time with Tyson later."

Clinton long has been an Arkansas basketball fan, but political pundits here don't remember Clinton hunting much — if at all — as governor, and Clinton said he had not bowled in years. So why the revived interest now?

The cynical view is that it can't hurt his standing with Americans who are leery of his evolving gun control stance, his fascination with Hollywood and the infamous \$200 haircut. It also reaffirms Clinton's image as an un-by-the-hootstrans common man.

As a kid growing up in Hot Springs, he bowled at the same Oaklawn Lanes his friends took him to Monday night. The outings may have simply been a respite for a man longing for quieter days in Arkansas.

But the hunting trip was a blatant mix of politics and pleasure.

He squeezed the outing into an already tight holiday schedule to keep a longstanding promise to Rep. Bill Brewster, D-Okla., a board member of the National Rifle Association.

The men capped their bonding over breakfast at the Fruit Hill Farm hunting lodge, complete with mounds

of ham, bacon, eggs, biscuits and gravy. Noting first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton's low-fat dietary edicts, a Clinton aide said, "I'm sure he doesn't get that kind of breakfast back at the residence in Washington."

Another aide said Clinton wanted a day of relaxation outdoors, "but he's not ignorant of the political advantages."

Clinton bucked the powerful NRA by supporting restrictions on gun and ammunition purchases. He said the hunt — which yielded one duck — would shore up support for his gun

control policies among hunters.

"It makes the point I've been making all along — that it doesn't have anything to do with hunting," Clinton said of his support for gun control. "My policies don't have anything to do with hunting."

Presidents have long used staged events to make public statements, sometimes with unintended consequences.

President Bush was trying to boost consumer confidence in the economy just after Thanksgiving 1991 when he went to a J.C. Penney store and bought socks.

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John M. Harlan, Supreme Court justice, 1971

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Big Spring's best tamales do come from California?

The best tamales in Big Spring come from California. What?!!

Never mind going back over it, you read it right the first time ... Big Spring's "best" tamales are those prepared by Tony Aguilar at the Box Car Cafe. And Aguilar is from East L.A.

"East L.A.? California tamales? What on earth are you talking about, Big John? We thought you were a dyed-in-the-wool Texan."

Believe me, Texas brethren, there's nothing much more sacred to me than our beloved Tex-Mex food. Aguilar knows this, and it's one of the reasons he called me a couple of months back and asked if I'd judge the first Big Spring Box Car Cafe Tamale Contest.

Aguilar, you see, opened his cafe a couple of months ago and was preparing his giant-sized California tamales, and quite rightly taking great pride in the product of his kitchen.

Several patrons, however, took a taste of his tamales — some of them filled with chicken, others with choice cuts of pork — and promptly opined that they were not the genuine bonafide article they were purported to be.

Somewhat injured by their barbs, Aguilar deemed it necessary to tell his Texas neighbors to "put up or shut up," so to speak.

"I had friends telling me my tamales couldn't stand up against Texas competition," he explained, admitting such criticism had stung him. "It injured my pride a little, I guess. So, I decided to have this contest."

Determined to take on all comers, Aguilar went to all the local Mexican food restaurants and threw down the gauntlet, placed fliers at local supermarkets and even took out a newspaper advertisement.

"To be honest, I was a little apprehensive about all this," he admitted. "I knew there was a chance I wouldn't win, but I didn't want to get embarrassed."

Well, speaking as the judge to said contest, the only embarrassment meted out during Tuesday night's contest belonged to my fellow Texans.

That's right, we were collectively embarrassed when nobody showed up to provide any competition.

So as to inflame public opinion, the round one selected Aguilar's chick-

Remembering those who helped over the past year

In this time of end-of-the-year pushing and doing, I would like to take the opportunity to say my thanks for many things and to many people.

I know that I would like to say a great big thank you to Pat Morgan for giving me the chance to be the NIE Coordinator. If he had not, I would never have guessed the fun I could have at writing. And Kim Halfmann gets a portion of that thanks for encouraging me to apply for the job.

I should thank Gary Shanks for deciding to go on to another job so that I was given a chance to try my hand at regional reporting. That has given me the opportunity to meet new people and make new friends.

I am thankful for a family that supports me in this effort as it is the first time I have had a regular job and driven to town for work. That requires a lot of them. Cody and Zane are learning to be more independent as a result, and I think that's good. Someday, someone will be glad that they can cook, wash and iron. Their dad is already thankful for that.

Then I need to thank the schools that participate in the NIE program. They have been so helpful and



John A. Moseley

en-filled variety as the contest's top hot tamale, with his pork creation a close runner-up.

The contest also featured a "sweet tamale" division, as well, and Aguilar provided a couple of tasty entries there. His pineapple-raisin tamale was, in my esteemed opinion, just a shade better than his chocolate chip-cherry entry.

While I'll admit Aguilar's hot tamales were unlike those I grew up eating, he at least was willing to pit them against anyone willing to pay the contest's \$1 entry fee.

Yours truly had a little egg on his face when no Tex-Mex competition surfaced, because I'd told him at the outset that tamales was something we Texans take almost as seriously as our chili.

Aguilar simply smiled at me and quipped, "Well, at least I've got bragging rights now."

He didn't have to say "nobody had the guts to challenge me."

If, after reading all this, your state pride is a bit bruised, so bit it. Mine is, too!

Don't misunderstand. Aguilar's tamales are awfully good, even if they're not what I grew up eating. And it would take a pretty good challenger to beat them.

But the fact that we Texans sat by and let him take the title in a walkover is kind of tough to handle.

A graceful winner, Aguilar tried to provide a little balm for my scuffed pride, saying, "Maybe next year somebody will be willing to take me on."

Next year!

In departing, I couldn't help but warn Aguilar that he just might hear a few challenges of his own after this column appears in the paper.

A Texan's pride, you see, isn't easily vanquished.

Come on, Texas! Break out the masal

John A. Moseley is news editor of the Herald. His column appears on Wednesdays and Fridays.



Glenda Cummings

understanding in all my dealings with them. They have bent over backwards to help me and to be cooperative in every way.

In this long list, I have to thank my mother for writing with me, to me and for me when I was growing up. She was a writer and taught me never to be afraid to put my thoughts on paper. I learned that it is sometimes easier to see and think if they are visible, not just floating in my head.

She read to me and helped me to read. Then she encouraged me to write. When I was a teenager, she and I wrote and illustrated books for the wedding showers of couples at our church.

She wrote her memories for us and encouraged my grandparents to do the same. That kind of legacy is hard to beat.

If some of the things I am writing now serve to help and encourage even one student or parent, I will think I owe a great thanks to many people who have encouraged me and helped me to get where I am now.

I hope each of you have a great holiday and I'll talk to you next week!

Glenda Cummings is the Newspaper in Education coordinator for the Herald.



Lewis Grizzard

The giving, receiving, disappointing

Lewis Grizzard has experienced health problems this holiday season, but he sends Happy Holiday wishes to all his readers. This column originally ran in 1991.

It is my Christmas wish that my readers find what they want under their trees Christmas morning and receive much appreciation for what they have given.

But you never know.

I remember the Christmas I wanted an air rifle. What I got was a set of Lincoln Logs and a pair of roller skates.

I was never very good at doing anything with my hands like building a stupid play-log cabin, and we lived on a dirt road.

I went outside and pouted. You would figure a 35-year-old man wouldn't be so hard to please, but I really wanted that air rifle.

The same thing could happen to you this Christmas, God and Santa forbid. What you really want is a new Rolex, but your wife gives you a subscription to Sports Illustrated instead.

"And look, honey," she says, after you've opened your present, "you also get this neat sneaker phone with your subscription."

You hate sports. When your mother was carrying you, she was frightened by a hockey puck.

A sneaker-phone? Do you wear it or make a call to Imelda Marcos?

And you thought your husband was going to give you that diamond bracelet this year. You thought you were going to get it last Christmas, but he gave you a Peppel Pocket Fisherman instead.

So you open the gift from your husband this year, but it still isn't a diamond bracelet. It's a set of Ginsu knives and a Mr. Microphone. Your husband watches too much television. Next year, give him a Roger Whitaker album.

Of course, giving a gift can lead to some hurtful feelings, too.

You gave your teen-age daughter a birth control device last year. What she wanted was a trip to Cozumel for her and her boyfriend, who wears a safety pin in his ear.

She was so disappointed she ran away with What's-his-name and got pregnant, and they named your grandson after some rock singer.

And you could have gotten discount tickets to Cozumel if you would have thought to buy them a month before Christmas.

You gave your son an air rifle. He wanted a bazooka.

"Big gang fight coming up, Dad," he told you.

He was so disappointed he didn't get the bazooka, he joined a group of mercenaries hired to overthrow a Third World government and is using the money he made to study to be a hairdresser.

And you could have gotten the bazooka free by giving your son a membership in the National Rifle Association.

Once I gave a young lady a necklace for Christmas. She opened it, and I could tell she wasn't pleased. I know nothing of jewelry so I said to her, "Take it back and swap it for something else if you'd like."

"I just don't have anything to wear it with," she said.

I wasn't hurt. Until she took back the necklace, which cost \$500, and swapped it for something that cost \$300 and then called me and asked for a check for the other \$200.

I gave her the refund in the form of a bus ticket. Merry Christmas, Sweets, wherever you are.

So if things don't work out exactly as you planned this Christmas 1991, look at the bright side:

Groundhog Day is right around the corner, and unless you have some sort of relationship with a groundhog, you won't have to give or receive a damn thing. Which is why Groundhog Day may be my favorite holiday of them all.

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NFL plan to save local economies

Talk about "out of the mouths of babes."

In awarding a franchise to Jacksonville, Fla., the National Football League may have inadvertently suggested the solution to a pressing national problem.

The NFL owners picked Jacksonville, perhaps best known until now for the local custom of shooting at cars on I-95, for no apparent reason. At least now, whenever the Jaguars play at home, tourists will be able to get through town without air cover.

As a TV market, Jacksonville ranks between Charleston, W.Va., and Fresno, Calif., and if there was an aching gridiron void between Brunswick, Ga., and Marineland, Fla., it was undetectable.

Basically, there was a real rich guy there who thought a team would be good for him and good for his community and that was good enough for the NFL.

The owners, and seekers of, professional sports franchises have fat volumes of studies and surveys that show the copious economic benefits a team brings to a city.

(Although the biggest benefit may be to the garment industry. Long before the Colorado Rockies played their maiden game at Mile High Stadium, there was a complete line of Rockies' clothes and hats. Indeed, the Mighty Ducks and the San Jose Sharks may only exist as a line of designer sportswear.)



Dale McFeatters

And that brings us to the national problem for which the NFL has devised a solution: Give every town that loses a major military base a professional sports franchise of its choice.

The loss of a base is devastating to the local economy and civic morale, the very problems — we taxpayers are assured, especially when we're being hit up to pay for a bond issue — that a pro football, baseball, hockey or basketball team will remedy.

And if Jacksonville can have a pro football team, why not Caribou, Maine, ("How about them 'Bous?") which probably needs one more since it's losing Loring Air Force Base.

Where, you ask, would a town like Caribou pop 10,000 get \$140 million to buy a football franchise. Don't worry. The money would come. It always does. Every busted town where nothing works always seems to be able to come up with \$200 million for a domed stadium.

Baltimore, which perennially panhandles the rest of Maryland for money to run its many faltering

institutions, like the schools, spent \$107 million on a new baseball stadium two years ago and is prepared to spend half again as much to house a football team.

The Pentagon base-closing list ran to 31 major bases. Another 130 or so bases are scheduled for mergers or substantial cuts.

Giving a sports franchise to these towns would rectify old wrongs: Oakland, Calif., would get back a football team it had always supported and putting a franchise in Blytheville, Ark., would effectively give Memphis the team it deserves.

Philadelphia, which lost two big naval bases, is already blessed with a full complement of sports franchises. The city could take a franchise and then turn around and sell it, football to St. Louis in return for a brewery or baseball to Washington, D.C., in return for favorable tax treatment.

Most interesting of all may be what the jilted ex-military towns choose to name their new teams.

Alexandria, La., may want to call its team the Thunderbolts, after the A-10s that used to be based at England AFB, or it may be so angry at the Pentagon that it calls the team the Peaceniks and chants at opposing quarterbacks: "Hey, hey, geek! Blessed are the meek!"

Dale McFeatters writes this column weekly for Scripps Howard News Service.

Less posturing, more action on crime

WASHINGTON — It was easy to spot President Clinton during debate and final passage of the Brady gun control bill to require a five-day waiting period for handgun purchases.

President Clinton was the fellow taking credit at the end, summoning Sarah and Jim Brady to the White House for pictures and handshakes before resuming his my-oh-my stand that crime and violence are bad for the country.

To his credit, the president's role as an applauding bystander is at least not so cynical as some of the "get tough" malarkey from Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., Sen. Ted Kennedy, D-Mass., and other posers who also trade in the political popularity of crime control.

In the wealth of foolishness in "anti-crime" legislation still pending when Congress quit for the year were — for only two examples — Dole's masterpiece for making "street gang" membership a federal offense with a mandatory 10-year sentence and Kennedy's sop for pro-choice advocates to create a federal crime to be used against anti-abortion zealots.

The newly conceived Dole and Kennedy crimes and a raft of other odd-ball congressional anti-crime legislation would — presumably — be policed and subject to enforcement, conviction and imprisonment within a federal framework of law enforcement personnel and federal courts that is already worked to its limits.

Other of the nonsensical "anti-crime" bills awaiting congressional attention next year are proposals for wholesale increases in death penalty crimes — an additional 50 capital



Leonard Larsen

offenses — and another wholesale jump in the number of crimes to be punished by mandatory prison sentences.

It's easy to laugh off these chesty congressional displays of criminal crackdowns since they wouldn't apply in the vast majority of crimes in America — certainly not crime in urban America — and would find implementation only rarely where federal jurisdiction on federal property applies.

That's the central point about much of the "anti-crime" plans and proposals now popular among elected politicians: They are mainly hogwash and political propaganda, next to impossible to enforce and prosecute.

The likeliest prospect for the Dole, Kennedy and most of the other "get tough" measures is that they would be placed alongside other such anti-crime legislation that is unfunded and fallow, living only in the lawbooks.

President Clinton's notable contribution to the Washington anti-crime charade came in the photo session after passage of the Brady bill.

There, as usual, the president was full of tut-tut and my-oh-my but short on specifics from the Oval Office, offering nothing that could be seen as a presidential program.

In his weekend radio address

days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Dec. 29, 1890, the Wounded Knee massacre took place in South Dakota. Some 300 Sioux Indians were killed by U.S. troops sent to disarm them. About 30 of the soldiers were slain.

On this date: In 1170, Archbishop Thomas Becket was murdered in Canterbury Cathedral in England.

In 1808, the 17th president of the United States, Andrew Johnson, was

born in Raleigh, N.C.

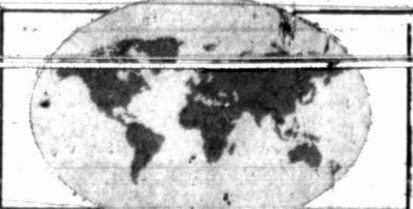
In 1813, the British burned Buffalo, N.Y., during the War of 1812.

In 1837, Canadian militiamen destroyed the Caroline, a U.S. steamboat docked at Buffalo.

In 1845, Texas was admitted as the 28th state.

In 1851, the first American Young Men's Christian Association was organized in Boston.

In 1913, the first movie serial, "The Adventures of Kathlyn," premiered in Chicago.



This date in history

The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Dec. 29, the 363rd day of 1993. There are two



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The Associated

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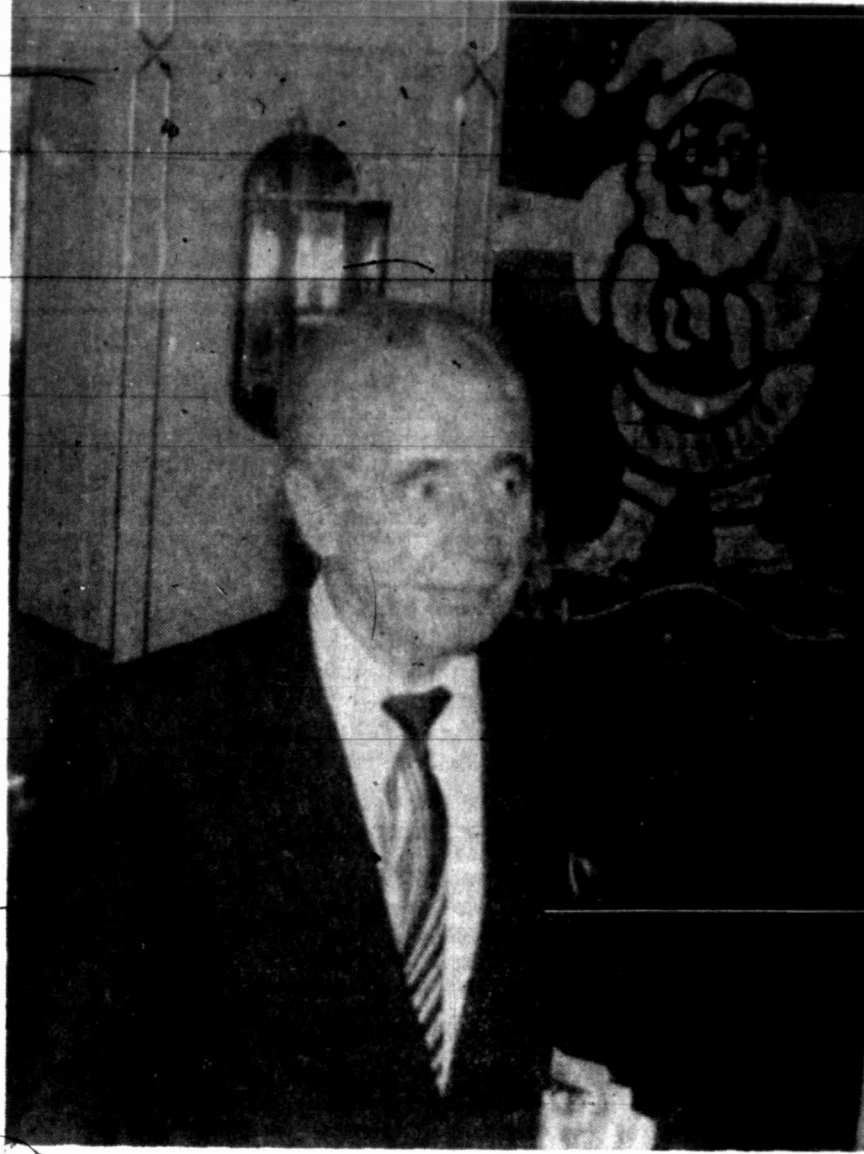
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Associated Press photo
Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres passes by a Christmas decoration after breakfast in his Cairo hotel Wednesday. PLO-Israeli talks entered a third day in the Egyptian capital amid reports they were close to an agreement on issues blocking implementation of their peace accord.

PLO, Israelis disclose new negotiations

The Associated Press

CAIRO, Egypt — Israeli and PLO negotiators said today they have agreed on a framework to resolve issues blocking their peace accord.

Details still remain to be worked out, the two sides said.

The two delegations have reached a meeting of the minds, Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres told a news conference after a joint meeting with Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak.

He added that "there were issues that we couldn't achieve" that will be referred to other negotiating teams for more discussion.

One Israeli official who insisted on anonymity said it could take another 10 days to iron out details.

Egyptian Foreign Minister Amr Moussa, who also attended the meeting, said the basic understandings reached by the negotiators still needed approval by the Israeli government and Palestine Liberation Organization leadership.

"The two parties are going to discuss with their leaderships," Moussa said. "There is agreement that the two parties will continue the talks. ... Everything is on the table now."

The chief PLO negotiator, Mahmoud Abbas, also sounded upbeat.

"I think that this round of talks was constructive," he said. "We will continue the consultations and the discussions. We hope that we will reach comprehensive agreement about the disputed points."

But despite suggestions of progress in Cairo, the PLO leadership in Tunis, Tunisia, expressed strong reservations about the deal.

A statement by the PLO's Executive Committee, issued after an urgent meeting with PLO leader Yasser Arafat, accused Israel of delaying implementation of the Israel-PLO accord calling for self-rule for Palestinians in the Gaza Strip and West Bank town of Jericho.

"The Israeli side has returned to its position of controlling and supervising the crossing points to Gaza and Jericho where the Israeli army is supposed to withdraw from, according to the declaration of principles," said the statement, carried by the Palestinians' Wafa news agency.

Committee members said Israeli control of the crossings would make the expected withdrawal a hollow promise that would amount only to a redeployment.

Under the PLO-Israeli accord signed Sept. 13 at the White House, Israel was to start withdrawing its troops from the Gaza Strip and West

Bank town of Jericho Dec. 13.

But the deadline was missed when Israel and PLO teams could not resolve the sticking points.

They include control of crossing points from the territories to Jordan and Egypt, the size of the Jericho area to be ceded by Israel and security for Jewish settlers who remain in the territories.

Peres said the delegations "have reached a meeting of the minds on the three or four major issues, which are the passage on the bridge, the Jericho area, and some items concerning the Gaza Strip."

He said it was now up to the Israeli and PLO leaderships "to approve or reject this paper," but that a negotiating subcommittee would resume work immediately on still-disputed issues "so we shall not waste time."

Peres and Abbas both said the subcommittee probably would meet in the Egyptian resort of Taba, where earlier PLO-Israeli discussions were held.

Peres said he did not expect a meeting between Arafat and Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin "while the negotiations are going on."

Earlier today, Israel's army radio said a compromise emerging on the border crossings indicated both Israelis and Palestinians would have monitoring posts, with the Israelis' positions closest to the frontiers. The Israeli daily Yedioth Ahronoth said Israel would retain the power to refuse entry to anyone.



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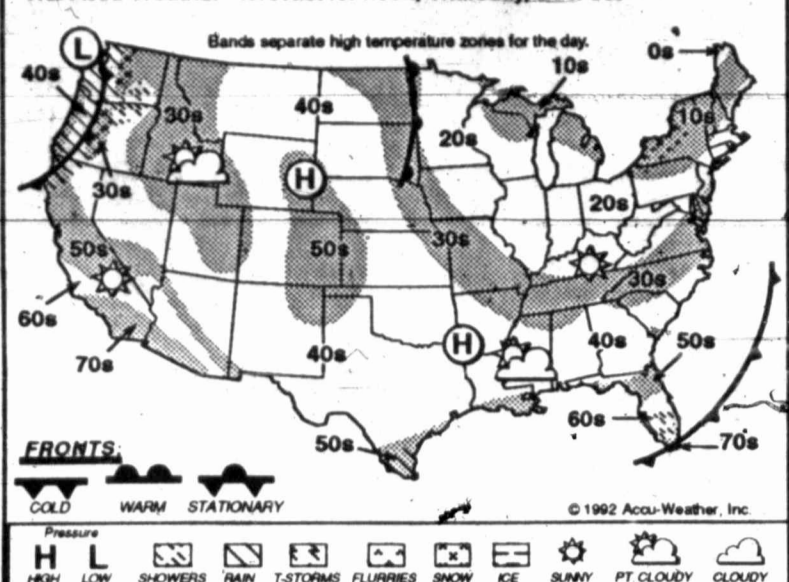
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The Accu-Weather forecast for noon, Thursday, Dec. 30.



Permian Basin Weather

Thursday: Mostly cloudy. High 45-50. Wind becoming south 5-15 mph. Low in the lower 30s. Friday: Fair. High in the upper 50s. Low in the lower 30s. Saturday: Fair. High in the lower 60s. Low in the mid 30s.

Oil/Markets

Table listing oil and commodity prices. Includes items like February crude oil, March cotton futures, and various oil products with their current and change in price.

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Table listing stock market prices for various companies including Ford Motors, Halliburton, IBM, and others.

Police

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents: Fred Rubio, 28, was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. Assault was reported in the 1000 block of East 16th. Burglary of a habitation was reported in the 2300 block of Morrison.

broken and a radar detector valued at \$15, a wallet valued at \$11 and a \$10 bill were taken. Theft was reported in the 1900 block of Wason. Jewelry valued at \$609 was taken. Criminal mischief was reported in the 1100 block of East 12th.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents: Katherine Delores Scaggs, 22, was transferred from Mitchell County to TDCJ to serve eight years for forgery by passing. A 17-year-old boy was transferred by the police department.

Wednesday,

Spring

To submit an item put it in writing and to us one week to: Springboard, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, TX 79409. ATTENTION: Call Bingo listings at Springboard.

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Deaths

Ella Mae Woodson

Services for Ella Mae Woodson, 77, Big Spring, will be Friday, Dec. 31, 1993 at Myers & Smith Chapel. Larry Hambrick, minister of w. 80 Church of Christ, and the Rev. E.C. Wilson, pastor of Mount Bethel Baptist Church officiating. Interment will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel.

She died Sunday, Dec. 26th at her home after a short illness.

She was born May 13, 1916 at Marlin. Mrs. Woodson had been a resident of Big Spring since 1941 and was a homemaker. She married Willie Woodson on April 20, 1946 in Big Spring. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Survivors include one daughter: Richie Mae Smith, Big Spring; two grandchildren: Willie Myles and Jerline Myles, both of Big Spring; two great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Robert Q. Waddill

Robert Q. Waddill, 68, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1993, at Mountain View Lodge, following a long illness. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Harry McKinney

Harry J. McKinney, 71, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1993 at a Stanton nursing home. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch

Funeral Home.

Alpha Bishop

Services for Mrs. Rollin (Alpha) Bishop, 94, Waco, will be 4 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 30, 1993, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Gary Groves, pastor of First Christian Church, officiating, and under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She died Tuesday, Dec. 21st at a Waco Nursing Home.

Mrs. Bishop was born Oct. 10, 1899 in Jewett, and married Rollin Bishop. He preceded her in death. She and her late husband owned and operated Bishop Hardware Company in the 1940-50. After their hardware store was destroyed during the Waco tornado, they owned and operated a real estate development company. She taught school at Brock Avenue Elementary for over 15 years, then retired.

Survivors include three nieces: Linda Embry of Waco, Shirley Green of California and Carol Watson of Houston; five nephews: Jerry Worthy of Big Spring, Bob Worthy of Houston, Tom Worthy of North Carolina, Robert Allen Needham of Dallas and Don Mack Needham of Washington, D.C.

Arthur Millsap

Services for Arthur Harrison Millsap, 75, Colorado City, will be 10 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 30, 1993 at Military Graveside with Dr. Travis Monday officiating. Burial will be in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Mr. Millsap died Dec. 26th at Midland Memorial Hospital.

He was born Dec. 25, 1918 in Rushsprings, Okla. He married Alma Maxine McAnely on Aug. 22, 1975 in San Angelo. Mr. Millsap was retired from the Cosden Refinery. He was a

veteran of the US Marine Corp during WWII. He was a member of the Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna Millsap.

Survivors include his wife: Alma Maxine Millsap, Colorado City; five sons: Perry Millsap, Corona, Calif., Don Fite, Big Spring; Bob Fite, Anaheim, Calif., Douglas Fite, Ms., and Rusty Melton, Snder; one daughter: Janice Deshazer, Midland; 27 grandchildren, and 26 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sons, James Fite and Bill Fite, and one daughter, Emily Hill.

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Continued from page 1 letter to directors written by Huckabee specifically addressed those exact issues from the closed session, and that's unsettling to me.

The three directors also claim notice of board meetings and personnel committee meetings have not been properly posted.

Other directors are Chairman Harry B. Elam of San Angelo, Secretary-Treasurer Victor W. Choate of San Angelo, Jim Clendennen of Silver, Ray Alderman of Winters, C. Skeete Foster of Sterling City and Sidney J. Long of Robert Lee.

Patrols

Continued from page 1 ving drunk, but it helps. I just hope people will remember to use it. We'd just as soon people get home safely than us have to take them to jail.

David Mitchem, owner of Mitchem and Sons Wrecker Service, said he has verified with the police department and sheriff's office there were no alcohol-related accidents or DWI arrests last New Year's Eve. Sweatt hopes this year will be the same.

"If we can get through the holidays without any injuries or fatalities, we'd be tickled," said Sweatt.

Weather Records

Table showing weather records for Tuesday, including temperature, average high/low, record high/low, and rainfall.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL. 24th & Johnson 267-8288. Ella Mae Woodson, 77, died Sunday. Services will be 2:30 P.M., Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel, with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Rosewood Chapel. 906 GREGG BIG SPRING. Mrs. Rollin (Alpha) Bishop, 94, died Tuesday, December 21, 1993. Graveside services will be 4:00 P.M. Thursday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Weather Records. Tuesday's temp... Tuesday's low temp... Average high... Average low... Record high... Record low... Rainfall Monday... Month to date... Month's normal... Year to date... Normal for year... **Statistics not available.

Recycling

Continued from page 1 The city composts trees every year and residents can drop off their trees whenever they are finished with them after the holidays.

"People can take their trees after New Year's or even next Christmas. We do this all the time," said DeCell.

Lotto. AUSTIN (AP) — Here are results of Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery, in this order: 9-5-4

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ATTENTION CALENDAR USERS: Bingo listings appear on Sunday Springboard.

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

•Big Spring Senior Citizen Center offers art classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited. And bingo from 12:45-1:45 p.m.

•There will be a Country/Western music & singing at the Kentwood Center, 2805 Lynn, at 7 p.m. Public invited.

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

Friday
•Tonight games of Dominoes, forty two, bridge, and chicken track from 5:00-8:00 p.m. 2805 Lynn, Kentwood Center. Public invited.

•7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Spring City Sr. Center will have a country/western dance. Public invited.

•The Spring City Senior Center will have free fashion painting classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

Saturday
•Spring City Senior Center will have a Country/Western Dance from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Area seniors invited.

•Big Spring Squares will dance 8 p.m. in the Square on Chapparral Rd. For information call 393-5693 or 267-7043.

Monday
•There will be gospel singing at the Kentwood Center on Lynn Drive at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome. For information call 393-5709.

•Women's Aglow will have their monthly meeting 7:15 p.m. at Days Inn. Optional Buffet 6:30 p.m. For information call Kay Bancroft.

•Howard County Youth Horseman meeting 7 p.m. at Howard County Youth Horseman Arena Clubhouse. For information call Paula Perry 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.

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

•VFW Post #2013 will meet 7 p.m. at VFW Hall.

•Coahoma Senior Center Project group meeting 11 a.m., Coahoma Community Center, 306 North Ave. Visitors welcome. For information call 394-4439.

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

Wednesday
•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.

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•The Genealogical Society of Big Spring will meet 7:15 p.m. in the Howard County Library conference room. Visitors welcome. Enter through west entrance. Doors must be locked after meeting begins.

•L.U.L.A.C. of Big Spring Chapter #4375 will meet 1 p.m. at the Howard County Courthouse. For more information call Mina at 267-2740.

•Masonic Lodge #1340 will meet 7:30 p.m. at 2101 Lancaster.

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•Big Spring Model Aircraft Association will have their monthly meeting 7 p.m. in the Bridge Room at Days Inn. For information call 263-6148 after 5 p.m.

Saturday
•Spring City Senior Center will have a Country/Western Dance from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Area seniors invited.

Remembering April's angels

Rathburn says good spirits act throughout year, not just at holidays

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Features Editor

Angels seem to be everywhere during the holidays.

Their figures decorate wreaths, cards and the tops of Christmas trees. In the form of ordinary people, police officers and grocery store employees, they deliver food to the hungry and collect coats for the needy.

But Canterbury South resident Janice Rathburn believes angels are around all the time. She says they have come to her aid on more than one occasion.

"As far as I'm concerned, God knows when even the littlest sparrow falls," said Rathburn, 55, adding with a smile at the black Persian who is her only constant companion, "and even cats have guardian angels."

But she knows many people doubt the existence of "good spirits" around to help those in trouble.

"Maybe they should be alerted that they do exist," she said. "Everybody's been in the Christmas spirit, the season of angels. Why not angels in April?"

It was in April of this year that Rathburn was most recently touched by what she believes was a heavenly helper. She had taken her 18-month-old grandson and her cat to Pueblo, Colo., to see a son living there.

Along the way, the travelers encountered a huge storm with rain, wind and lightning. Rathburn's Subaru Brat ended up upside down in a ditch.

"I got the baby," she explained. "I found him as soon as I got out of the car, heard him crying. The cat had to be second, and I lost her."

Within minutes, a car pulled up alongside them on the deserted road.

"A young man in the car said he

had just been meeting us (on the road), when he saw my lights go off the side," Rathburn said. "But I hadn't seen anybody coming toward me."

The kind man took Rathburn and her grandson to a convenience store in a nearby town, and they contacted their relatives. Both were in good shape - Rathburn, who had survived several heart attacks and numerous hospital stays in the last few years, was virtually unscathed.

Her grandson would hardly leave Rathburn's arms for the remainder of the trip.

"The next day, my son went back to look for the cat," she recalled. "He couldn't find her anywhere, and we gave up."

The cat, Jessie Mae, who had been Rathburn's companion for five years, seemed to be gone for good.

Financial problems had forced Rathburn to travel. When she returned to West Texas, she found help and got a place to live for a few months. Folks at Midland's Red Lobster restaurant took up a collection for Rathburn, her daughter and grandson as they got back on their feet.

Meanwhile, about six weeks after the accident, a couple in rural New Mexico had found a hungry, dehydrated black Persian cat in their barn. They contacted a veterinarian and nursed it back to health.

The local newspaper wrote a story about the found pet with the rabies vaccination tag that identified Big Spring, and Rathburn's son knew it was Jessie Mae.

Soon the black Persian was back in her master's arms, sharing Rathburn's new home at Canterbury.

In her apartment, there is little more than a hospital-type bed, a few



Janice Rathburn, shown with her cat, Jessie Mae, says more people should be aware of the existence of angels. She remembers an experience last spring when she got some unexpected help that she credits to heavenly intervention.

chairs and a television set. A small Christmas tree decorates her desk, with a flower kept from her most recent hospital stay.

Under Rathburn's bed is a plaid pet bed with a fluffy pillow inside it,

although the cat is not likely to leave her master's side these days.

"She wasn't a real cuddly cat before the accident," Rathburn explained, as Jessie Mae nuzzled her. "But she's changed."

Road kill anyone?

No laughs spared at this Maine restaurant

By The Associated Press

GREENVILLE, Maine — On the way to Maine's North Woods, where every few minutes a rumbling logging truck hits critters that don't move fast enough, there's a little restaurant that makes no bones about cooking what gets left behind.

Instead of a grilled chicken sandwich, the Roadkill Cafe in Greenville serves up Chicken That Didn't Make it Across the Road. A basic Bye-Bye Bamoi Burger comes with tomato, onion, mayo and "what appears to be either a pickle or a very old tadpole."

Don't take the menu literally. The cafe's vittles aren't scraped off the local highway.

It's basic restaurant fare — including hamburgers, chicken sandwiches and salads — dished up with a sprinkle of black humor to give patrons what owners Mariette Sinclair and Leigh Turner like to call "a memorable dining experience."

For a sample of what they mean by "memorable," ask for some cream in your coffee and the waiter might toss a few plastic containers of half a half into your cup.

Or wonder aloud if the venison is real. "As opposed to the fake wax stuff they sell in most restaurants?" says Greydon Turner, a waiter.

Backtalking waiters and waitresses, an irreverent menu, kitchen dramas and decor chock-full of road memorabilia are the ingredients that have made the Roadkill Cafe a top tourist attraction in this town with a population of only about 1,400.

Thousands of visitors drop by the Roadkill Cafe every year. One man flew in from Dallas on a private jet for lunch — and then flew home again.

The restaurant on the shore of Moosehead Lake is accessible by boat, plane, train or car. Outdoor



Waitress Robin Mank jokes with customer John Drake at the Roadkill Cafe in Greenville, Maine recently. The cafe is known for its irreverent menu, which includes items like Chicken That Didn't Make it Across the Road, and for the antics of its staff.

dining is available for those wanting to sit on the patio — or for those who would rather sit on the shore with a beer and fish.

Inside, a winding gray strip of highway is painted on the floor, construction lights hang from the ceiling, chairs are made out of old school bus seats, and hubcaps and license plates adorn the walls.

At the Roadkill, everyone on the staff gets into the act. When orders are ready, someone in the kitchen might ring a cowbell or blow a horn that sounds like a goose, a moose or a crow. Each server is assigned a different noise.

A cook named Freddy is fond of yelling "down boy, down boy" as he pounds on chicken breasts before grilling them. When he's done, he might throw handfuls of feathers out the kitchen door.

Management encourages as much creativity as possible.

"What we tell servers who come to work for us is you may do anything you like in the service of your guests

quantified only by two restrictions — you can't offend anybody and we want to hear laughter coming out of your tables," says Leigh Turner. "We try very hard to lampoon the pretensions of fine dining."

One waiter specializes in impressions. Waitress Robin Mank is an unashamed flirt. "I personally love single men on vacation," she says.

Greydon Turner's technique is "abuse." He holds nothing back when the thousandth customer offers to go back and bring in that raccoon he just drove by.

"We say, 'That's very damn funny. We're sick of that joke,'" he says. "And it makes you feel a little better."

And then there are the Roadkill performances that are a team effort.

Mayhem broke out one night when a party of 20 people got so rowdy that the waiter handed out straws and napkins and offered a dollar to anyone who could hit another server from behind with a spitball.

"The place erupted with spitball

fights. ... They ended up putting him down on the floor and spraying shaving cream all over his head after he attacked them with whipped cream," says Leigh Turner. "The place just went crazy."

Often, the staff seems to have more fun than the guests.

"We're amazed when we get vegetarians. We say in a loud voice, 'Why are you here? Didn't you read the sign?'" Leigh Turner says.

On a recent evening, someone called the Roadkill Cafe to make reservations for 13 people who planned to drop in for dinner after a funeral. The first thing the waitress wanted to know was this: How far could she go?

"This is a killer. These people ... come to the Roadkill after a funeral," Mank says. "I'd really like to play with this, you know, but I just don't know how sensitive they are."

Just in case, she's ready.

She quickly rehearses a couple of deadpan lines: "Well, it's been dead today. ... Sorry it's so dead tonight."

The expected "tree shock" didn't happen.

Also, starfruit trees are planted in other areas untouched by Andrew.

Briefs

Scripps Howard News Service

For those who are fans of coffee-flavored liqueurs, a free recipe booklet from Kamora — a Mexican coffee liqueur that blends coffee, vanilla, caramel, brown sugar and spices — offers ideas for unique drinks, appetizers, main dishes and desserts.

Among recipes included in the booklet: Kamora Hot Cherry Cider, Creamy Mexican Dip, Mocha Berry Tart.

Write for "Kamora's Recipe

Riches" to Kamora Culinary Club, Box 11172, Chicago, Ill., 60611-9772. By sending your name and address, however, expect to receive company prospectus in the form of a quarterly newsletter thereafter.

Here's a quick sweet-sour sauce for baked fish filets from a 1994 calendar by the National Fisheries Institute:

In a saucepan, mix 1/2 cup ketchup, 1/3 cup orange marmalade, 3 tablespoons red-wine vinegar, 1 tablespoon soy sauce, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 2 teaspoons dry mustard, 1 teaspoon horseradish and 1/4 teaspoon curry powder. Heat until bubbly. Makes 1 cup. Serve fish and

sauce with rice and a medley of broccoli florets and pearl onions.

After Hurricane Andrew devastated Homestead, Fla., J. R. Brooks & Sons tropical produce specialists feared losing many crops. But there has been a remarkable comeback; the produce specialists are surprised to be distributing 65 percent of usual their carambola (starfruit) crops and nearly 75 percent or more of limes and avocados.

Marketing experts at Brooks say many trees, though uprooted, were stood back up and quickly resumed fruit production. Part of the credit is due to great growing weather since: lots of rain, cool nights, warm days.

With Judith Blahnik, Leader has compiled recipes and written of his Old-World bread philosophy in an excellent new cookbook, "Bread Alone" (William Morrow, \$25 hardcover). Any bread-baking hobbyist will covet a copy.



Sue Haugh

Peas for 1994

Three ways to try New Year's tradition

It's that time again! All those Christmas goodies and plentiful, decadent foods have been consumed and will soon be visibly evident as excess baggage around our middle and backside. Bah Humbug!

So — no problem. Most of us will do what we have done throughout the years and make those New Year's Resolutions to cut back, eat less, diet, etc. Every year I promise myself I will never again indulge in Aunt Jane's gift of a five pound box of chocolate-covered cherries (at least not the entire contents). And we all know how those promises work.

Having said that, let us throw caution to the wind and try the following recipes.

Black-eyed peas (cowpeas), the traditional Southern symbol of prosperity and good luck are, of course, a must on New Year's Day. Whether you eat them because you are superstitious or just because you like them you are sure to enjoy one of the following:

SOUTH OF THE BORDER BLACKEYED PEAS

- 1 pound bulk pork sausage (I use "hot")
 - 1 medium onion, chopped
 - 1 clove garlic, minced
 - 1 (16-oz.) pkg. frozen blackeyed peas
 - 1 can Mexican-style stewed tomatoes
 - 1 can water
 - 1 Tbsp. chili powder
 - 1 tsp. cumin
 - 1/4 tsp. black pepper
- Cook sausage in 12-inch skillet until done. Drain well. Add onion and garlic and saute five minutes. Stir in remaining ingredients, cover and simmer for one hour, stirring occasionally. If it looks too soupy and you want a thicker soup, remove the cover for last 20 minutes of cooking time to reduce and thicken the liquid.

HOPPIN' GOOD PEAS

- 2 cups dried blackeyed peas
 - 1/2 pound lean ham
 - 2 quarts water
 - 1 cup uncooked regular rice
 - 1 medium onion, chopped
 - 1 cup celery, chopped
 - 1 tsp. Creole seasoning
 - 2 tsp. salt
 - 1/4 tsp. black pepper
- Sort and wash peas; place in a heavy saucepan. Cover with water, bring to boil; cook 2 minutes. Remove from heat. Cover and let soak 1 hour; drain.

Combine ham and 2 quarts water in a large Dutch oven. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 15 minutes. Add peas; bring to boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 45 minutes. Add remaining ingredients; bring to boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 30 minutes or until peas are done.

Remove ham, cut into small pieces. Stir ham into pea mixture. Serves 8-10.

TEXAS CAVIAR SALAD

- 1 (10-oz.) pkg. frozen blackeyed peas
 - 2 cups cooked rice
 - 2 cups seeded, coarsely chopped tomato
 - 1/4 cup chopped celery
 - 2 Tbsp. chopped fresh parsley
 - 3 Tbsp. rice wine vinegar
 - 2 tsp. canola oil
 - 2 tsp. water
 - 1/2 tsp. curry powder
 - 1/2 tsp. chili powder
 - 1/4 tsp. salt
 - 1/4 tsp. pepper
 - 1/4 tsp. hot sauce
 - 1/4 tsp. ground cumin
- Cook blackeyed peas according to package directions. Drain; rinse under cold water and drain. Combine peas, rice, tomato, celery and parsley in a large bowl.
- Combine vinegar and remaining ingredients in a small bowl and stir with a wire whisk until blended. Pour over vegetable mixture, toss gently. Cover and chill at least 2 hours. Serve.

Food for thought: All the wonders you seek are within yourself.

Sue Haugh's food and recipe columns appear Wednesdays.

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Carter tops among top-fuel crew chiefs



Steve Reagan

The Cowboys need to win, it's that simple

Thank the dear Lord for simplicity.

In a day and age where you have to be a MIT grad to figure out how your team can qualify for the playoffs, the Dallas Cowboys and New York Giants are going to decide who wins the NFC East the old-fashioned way:

The winner wins the division. The loser doesn't.

There won't be any of this "Well, Dallas will win the division if it beats New York, coupled with losses by Philadelphia, San Diego, Florida State and Notre Dame, OR if it loses to New York, Minnesota wins and Aquarius is aligned with Mars. On a Tuesday," stuff.

I realize that there has to be some kind of quantitative method for determining playoff teams, but the NFL way of doing things does sound kind of bizarre at times.

Oh well, it could be worse. At least they don't determine slots by penetrations or ULL rulings.

Where were we?

Oh yeah, the Cowboys.

It does seem, at least to this writer's slightly cross-eyed view, that America's Team is getting back into form just in time for a post-season rush.

But, golly gee whizzikers, so are the Giants.

I'm sure CBS is going to hype their Sunday game no end, describing it in tones usually reserved for wars, disasters or Democratic victories in presidential elections.

Yes, the world will end Sunday - or at the very least stop for a few hours, while the Cowboys and Giants go mano y mano on the carpet at Giants Stadium.

Gives you sweaty palms just thinking about it, right?

The funny thing, however, is this game just might live up to the hype.

That's right, folks, we just might have a hum-dinger of a game on our hands Sunday.

Reason number one for my enthusiasm is that both teams are playing their best football now. Forget the Giants' loss to Phoenix Sunday. It didn't mean diddly, and the New York players treated the game accordingly.

The Giants are a good, solid team. Granted, they are the flashiest group of players around, but they are very tough to beat - which may be why they haven't lost very many games.

Deductive little son-of-a-gun, aren't I?

But Dallas ... ah, the Cowboys. This is still the same team that won the Super Bowl last year, and they're playing like they can't wait to get back.

Despite a ton of injuries (Troy Aikman, Emmitt Smith, Charles Haley, Russell Maryland, Mark Stepnoski, Kenneth Gant, etc.) Dallas is playing its best at the best time of the year to do so - right before the playoffs start.

But forget my Pat Summerall imitation. To heck with learned, intuitive analysis. I'll leave that to the talking heads. Besides, they play that game better than I do.

But take this to the bank: The Cowboys will win.

Why?

'Cause, that's why.

You heard it here first.

By The Associated Press

Seattle's SuperSonics are way ahead - way ahead - after beating Tuesday night's opponent, the highest age in the NBA the Rockets, the Sonics about the playoffs.

Seattle would like to finish with regular-season record of the home-through post-season.

"I wouldn't want an eighth game of Conference Finals Seattle's Ricky Pierce points in helping the season record and age.

The Rockets, winners of their last four 23-4 and 852.

"We're both aiming in the league," says who also scored 25 now 13-1 at home saying we hadn't Now we've won a right there with the

In other game: New Jersey tipped San Antonio trip Atlanta ripped Cleveland beat Chicago 85 and Philadelphia Golden State 107-5

The Rockets, pl game in six days, reserve Scott Bro with the flu. The excuses, though.

"It was frustrating responded in Houston's Hakeem 'In a game like this plays the smartest

The Sonics led 1 times in the second Rockets battled 84-81 with 10:26 rest on an 11-0 run

Olayton scored Rockets, who are road this season shots from the rebounds and block

Nets 97, Knicks Derrick Coleman Anderson scored a late 10-0 run Jersey snap its eigh streak.

The Knicks, winning streak at Garden ended, a four-point deficit 1 onds. But Patrick I throw line with the 0.2 seconds left, w his first attempt, l second try intention

Coleman, who l 13 rebounds, had two free throws, scored four point five 10-0 spurt the deficit into a 9 Anderson finished 12 assists.

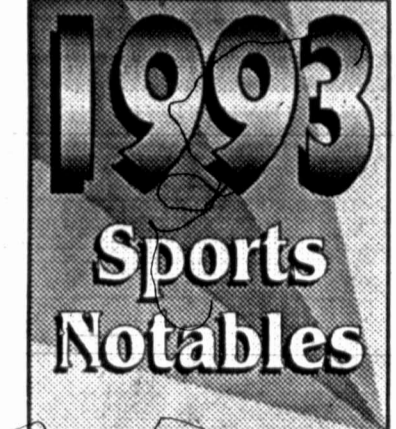
FOOTBALL

Pro Bowl

Roosters for the Pro Bowl Sunday, Feb. 6 in Honolulu. Tuesday (8-starters; 16-injury replacements):

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Kansas City; Warren Moon
RB - a-Thurman Thomas
Allen, Kansas City; Barry
FB - Keith Byars, Miami
WR - a-Tim Brown, L
Slaughter, Houston; a-An
Andre Reed, Buffalo; r-
TE - a-Shannon Sharpe
Jackson, Miami
T - a-Richmond Webb
Ballerud, Buffalo; John Alt
G - a-Steve Wambach
Munchak, Houston; Keith
C - a-Bruce Matthews
Dawson, Pittsburgh
Defense
DE - a-Bruce Smith, I
Kansas City; Leslie O'Ne
DL - a-Cortez Kennedy
Childress, Houston; Mich
Cleveland
OLB - a-Derrick Thor
Lloyd, Pittsburgh; Cornell
ILB - a-Junior Seau, I
McClendon, Denver
CB - a-Rod Woodson
Odomes, Buffalo; Terry H
S - a-Dennis Smith, I
Denver; Eugene Robinson
Specialists
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PK - a-Gary Anderson, I
KB - a-Eric Metcalfe, I
ST - a-Stevie Tasker, I

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By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

It's a Hollywood story, but it's based right here in Big Spring.

A boy goes into his father's garage and starts tinkering with the insides of cars. He learns his way around under the hood. Years later, what do you know? He's signing autographs, making speeches and appearing on trading cards and Pennzoil commercials.



HILL

That's the extremely brief version of the life of Big Spring's Fuzzy Carter.

Carter, 35, is the crew chief for Eddie "The Thrill" Hill, the longtime drag racing star who blazed to the 1993 National Hot Rod Association Top Fuel World Championship, his first world title on asphalt. Hill, 57, won the World Series of Drag Boat Racing in 1984, and yes, Carter was with him then, too.

"Fuzz was obviously invaluable this year, but then he is every year," said Hill, who in 1988 became the first drag racer in history to cover the quarter-mile in less than 5 seconds. "He has total responsibility for the condition of the car and the transportation of the car, and he and



"Fuzzy" Carter, right, and his wife, Jana.

the crew have my complete trust. He gets it to run with the best of them - sometimes better. He relieves all of my worries about that. I never worry about the car being prepared."

That's Carter goal, and he been coming through for Hill since 1982.

Carter was driving trucks for Midland businessman Gary Martin, who was a sponsor of Hill's, when he and Hill met. Carter started as Hill's transporter truck driver but rose to full-time crew chief in 1987.

Carter's record is astonishing. Races are divided between qualifying runs and the finals, or elimination runs. In the 11 years Carter has been on Hill's crew, Carter said Hill has missed only one elimination call. Also, one of Hill's cars lasted five years (1988-1993) and 542 runs - figures unheard of in drag racing.

"That's my worst nightmare, not

having a car on the line," Carter said. "It's an embarrassment to me, to Eddie and to our sponsors, too, that we couldn't make it."

Carter, a 1977 graduate of Big Spring High School whose given name is Terence, avoids that negative type of embarrassment but likely feels the positive form - the embarrassment that comes when people make a fuss over you. For the first time, Car Craft Magazine named Carter the Crew Chief of the Year (Hill was Driver of the Year), and in 1993 Carter was the Craftsman Crew Chief of the Race four times. He was Craftsman Top Fuel Crew Chief of the Year in 1992.

This seems impressive enough, but consider what Carter and the crew must do. Hill's car must be taken apart and rebuilt after each run, and that means rotating the pistons and

rods, changing the valves, replacing the clutch and numerous other adjustments. On race day, Hill will run four times, and there's just 90 minutes between each run.

This scenario, of course, assumes that nothing goes wrong - Carter recalled a day in 1988 in Houston when Hill blew out four engines. It's also Carter's job to order enough parts, including spare engines, to keep the team going for a full week-end of racing.

Carter said, "I've got to feel comfortable with myself to send Eddie onto the track. He's trusting me, and I have to make the decisions. Luckily, I haven't made any call that's gotten him hurt."

That certainly isn't lost on Hill, who suffered a devastating drag boat accident in October 1984 that

pushed him out of racing for a year. Carter makes the decisions, but he gets a lot of help from a strong crew. Three of the crew members are Carter's wife, Jana; Hill's wife, Ernie; and Big Spring's Gary Prater. Jana, a 1975 graduate of Forsan, has been married to Fuzzy for 17 years in February. She's the team's bookkeeper, and she works with spark plugs, fuel nozzles and other equipment, but her most important duty may be packing the parachutes on Hill's car.

"We've never had a parachute open before it was supposed to," Hill said. "And she helps keep Fuzzy in a good mood just by being there."

The Carters and the Hills make up what Hill calls the "Frantic Four" - the three people plus himself that have been together since Hill's return to the asphalt. The team is a family, and that's part of the success.

"Him and his wife, and me and Fuzz, we've been together 11 years. We call Ernie 'Mom' and Eddie 'Dad,' and it's a very close crew," Jana Carter said. "About the only bad part is living out of a suitcase, but you get used to that. When we're here at home for two or three weeks, we get bored."

Carter puts in tremendous hours and travel, but he's wanted it that way from the start, even before the awards started coming. Carter can't help but smile about the future - the world championship has landed Hill's team additional sponsors, and Pennzoil recently agreed to a three-year extension of its sponsorship, Carter said. For the first time, the team is free of financial bind, Carter said, which should make Hill and his crew stronger than ever.

"Eddie will race until he dies, and this is all I want to do," Carter said. "One of these days I'd like to have my own racing team based here in Big Spring. If Eddie ever does retire, or I decide to go on to something else, he'd support me in whatever it is I want to do."

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Cowboys land NFL best 11 in Pro Bowl

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The Dallas Cowboys truly are America's team — as the Pro Bowl, released on Tuesday, demonstrated.

Eleven members of the Super Bowl champions, an NFC record for one team, were voted to play in the NFL's Feb. 6 all-star game in Honolulu in the first Pro Bowl balloting in which fans participated.

That's the most for the NFC and one fewer than the record of 12 from the 1973 Miami Dolphins — the year after the Dolphins went 17-0, the only perfect record in NFL history. The 1973 team also was a Super Bowl winner.

"I think having 11 guys selected shows you the kind of respect we have around the league," said wide receiver Michael Irvin, one of the Cowboys selected as a starter.

The Buffalo Bills, with seven, had the most players named to the AFC team.

Seven San Francisco 49ers also were placed on the team, three in tie-breakers, which were decided by fan voting.

The Pro Bowl lineup included perhaps the oldest group of quarterbacks ever named — Joe Montana, 37, of Kansas City and Warren Moon, 38, of Houston were

the AFC backups, and Phil Simms, 38, of the New York Giants was a backup for the NFC.

The starting quarterbacks were Troy Aikman of Dallas in the NFC and John Elway of Denver for the AFC. San Francisco's Steve Young joined Aikman and Simms as NFC quarterbacks.

In addition to having the fans join coaches and players in voting, there were several changes in the format for this year's team.

Defenses were switched from 3-4 to 4-3, meaning an extra defensive lineman was selected and one less inside linebacker.

A fullback also was selected to go with three running backs, adding the Cowboys' Daryl Johnston to teammate Emmitt Smith, Detroit's Barry Sanders and Los Angeles Rams rookie Jerome Bettis in the NFC. The AFC fullback was Keith Byars of Miami, joining Buffalo's Thurman Thomas, Kansas City's Marcus Allen, and Pittsburgh's Barry Foster.

Aikman was the top vote-getter among the fans, who made NFC players their top five choices. He got 216,782 votes to 205,106 for Young, 190,073 for Emmitt Smith, 184,104 for Rice and 174,254 for Barry Sanders.

Hoosiers slide past Western Kentucky

By The Associated Press

A ranked opponent slipped into the field of the Hoosier Classic and No. 13 Indiana took it in stride.

The Hoosiers won their own post-Christmas tournament for the 12th consecutive year Tuesday night, beating No. 25 Western Kentucky 65-55 behind seniors Damon Bailey and Pat Graham.

The rare high quality of the championship-game opponent in Indianapolis became an even bigger factor as the Hoosiers (7-2), who dressed just 10 players at the start, lost Todd Leary and Brian Evans to injuries during the game.

"Coach (Bob Knight) just said we're not going to be able to play with Brian or Todd," Graham said. "That doesn't mean we can't win. We had to overcome the little things and take our lumps and huddle together."

Leary sprained his right knee in the first half and Evans dislocated his right shoulder in the second half.

The seriousness of either injury isn't known because Knight decided not to talk to the media and didn't send a member of his staff to be interviewed.

Western Kentucky (4-3) has also lost to then-No. 1 North Carolina and at Louisville in overtime. The Hilltoppers trailed 48-31 early in the second half and closed within 45-43 with 11:40 to play.

Bailey, the tournament's MVP for the second straight year, had 24 points and Graham finished with 20.

The two combined to score the Hoosiers' last 18 points of the game.

"When they cut it to two, that's when we spread it out, were patient and got some easy baskets," said Graham, who had 10 of his 20 points in the decisive 14-3 spurt which ended with his 3-pointer.

In other games involving ranked teams Tuesday night it was: No. 1 Arkansas 129, Texas Southern 63; No. 5 Kentucky 110, San Francisco 83; No. 7 Michigan 102, Auburn 81; No. 8 UCLA 81, North Carolina State 75; No. 9 Massachusetts 91, Hartford 62; No. 11 Louisville 76, Cal Santa Barbara 53; No. 12 Arizona 111, Fordham 84; No. 14 Connecticut 112, Texas-Arlington 72, Virginia 62, No. 16 Minnesota 57; No. 18 Cincinnati 84, Robert Morris 59; Florida 74, No. 20 Oklahoma State 69; New Orleans 63, No. 21 George Washington 60; and No. 24 Marquette 73, Northern Illinois 58.

Knight told Indiana at halftime that Western Kentucky wasn't done.

"Coach said at halftime this team wasn't going to quit. Their coach was not going to let them quit," Graham said.

Coach Ralph Willard was proud of the comeback, but he knew it would probably come up short.

"We were forcing turnovers and playing better basketball," he said. "When we have to go to the bench against a good basketball team like Indiana, we have a dramatic slippage."

Chris Robinson led Western

Kentucky with 16 points before fouling out with 7:24 to play.

Arkansas 129, Texas So. 63
With President Clinton in attendance, the Razorbacks (8-0) cruised to a 59-22 halftime lead and had it to 74-24 two minutes after intermission. Davor Rimac led Arkansas, which made a school-record 20 3-pointers in 36 attempts, with 18 points. Anthony Jones, Theon Dotson and Kevin Granger each had 13 points for the visiting Tigers (3-7). No. 5 Kentucky 110, San Francisco 83

Travis Ford had 27 points to lead the Wildcats (8-1) to their 27th straight victory in Rupp Arena. The Dons (7-2), who had won seven straight, were within 71-68 with 9:07 left when Kentucky went on a 12-3 spurt and to leads as big as 30 points. Orlando Smart led San Francisco with 22 points.

UCLA 81, N.C. St. 75
In a game at Greensboro (N.C.) Coliseum to mark the 20th anniversary of an NCAA semifinal there between these schools, the Bruins (7-0) had their closest game of the season. Entering the game with an average margin of victory of 32 points, UCLA opened a 67-52 lead with 8:49 left only to see the Wolfpack (4-5) get within 75-71 with 1:23 to play. Ed O'Bannon matched his season-high with 24 for the Bruins, while Lewis Sims topped the Wolfpack with 14 points.

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FOOTBALL

Pro Bowl

Roosters for the Pro Bowl Sunday, Feb. 6 in Honolulu. Tuesday (8-starters; 16-injury replacements):

AFC
Offense
QB - a-John Elway, I
Kansas City; Warren Moon
RB - a-Thurman Thomas
Allen, Kansas City; Barry
FB - Keith Byars, Miami
WR - a-Tim Brown, L
Slaughter, Houston; a-An
Andre Reed, Buffalo; r-
TE - a-Shannon Sharpe
Jackson, Miami
T - a-Richmond Webb
Ballerud, Buffalo; John Alt
G - a-Steve Wambach
Munchak, Houston; Keith
C - a-Bruce Matthews
Dawson, Pittsburgh
Defense
DE - a-Bruce Smith, I
Kansas City; Leslie O'Ne
DL - a-Cortez Kennedy
Childress, Houston; Mich
Cleveland
OLB - a-Derrick Thor
Lloyd, Pittsburgh; Cornell
ILB - a-Junior Seau, I
McClendon, Denver
CB - a-Rod Woodson
Odomes, Buffalo; Terry H
S - a-Dennis Smith, I
Denver; Eugene Robinson
Specialists
P - a-Greg Mortenson
PK - a-Gary Anderson, I
KB - a-Eric Metcalfe, I
ST - a-Stevie Tasker, I

NFC
Offense
QB - a-Troy Aikman,
San Francisco; Phil Simm
RB - a-Emmitt Smith, I
Detroit; Jerome Bettis, L
FB - Daryl Johnson, I
WR - a-Jerry Rice, S
Irvin, Dallas; Sterling S
Rison, Atlanta
TE - a-Jay Novacek, I
Francisco
T - a-Erik Williams, I
San Francisco; John Elk
G - a-Nate Newton, I
McDaniel, Minnesota; G
Francisco

Sonics thinking playoffs after defeating Houston

By The Associated Press

Seattle's SuperSonics are thinking ahead — way ahead.

After beating Houston 112-97 Tuesday night to take the honor of owning the highest winning percentage in the NBA this season from the Rockets, the Sonics were thinking about the playoffs that begin in April.

Seattle would like nothing better than to finish with the league's best regular-season record, thus assuring itself of the home-court advantage all through postseason play.

"I wouldn't want to play the seventh game of the Western Conference finals in Houston," said Seattle's Ricky Pierce, who scored 25 points in helping the Sonics to a 21-3 season record and an .875 percentage.

The Rockets, who have lost three of their last four games, slipped to 23-4 and .852.

"We're both among the elite teams in the league," said Gary Payton, who also scored 25 points for Seattle, now 13-1 at home. "People were saying we hadn't won a big game. Now we've won a big game. We're right there with the Rockets."

In other games Tuesday night, New Jersey tipped New York 97-95, San Antonio tripped Miami 84-76, Atlanta ripped Detroit 119-101, Cleveland beat Charlotte 127-115 in overtime, Denver dumped Dallas 97-85 and Philadelphia romped past Golden State 107-90.

The Rockets, playing their fourth game in six days, were without key reserve Scott Brooks, who was out with the flu. The Rockets made no excuses, though.

"It was frustrating because we responded in the beginning," Houston's Hakeem Olajuwon said. "In a game like this, whichever team plays the smartest is going to win."

The Sonics led by 30 points three times in the second quarter, but the Rockets battled back to get within 84-81 with 10:26 left before Seattle went on an 11-0 run.

Olajuwon scored 34 points for the Rockets, who are now 13-3 on the road this season. He hit 16 of 21 shots from the floor, had 10 rebounds and blocked four shots.

Nets 97, Knicks 95

Derrick Coleman and Kenny Anderson scored nine points during a late 10-0 run that helped New Jersey snap its eight-game road losing streak.

The Knicks, whose six-game winning streak at Madison Square Garden ended, nearly overcame a four-point deficit in the final 11 seconds. But Patrick Ewing, on the free-throw line with the score 97-95 and 0.2 seconds left, was off the mark on his first attempt before missing his second try intentionally.

Coleman, who had 30 points and 13 rebounds, had a 3-pointer and two free throws, while Anderson scored four points during the decisive 10-0 spurt that turned a 92-86 deficit into a 96-92 Nets lead. Anderson finished with 21 points and 12 assists.



Associated Press photo

Hakeem Olajuwon (34) of the Houston Rockets blocks an attempted shot by Seattle's Detlef Schrempf (11) during the opening minutes of their Tuesday night NBA game in Seattle.

Rolando Blackman, who played a season-high 24 minutes because of injuries to guards Doc Rivers and Hubert Davis, scored a season-high 17 points, including a 3-pointer with 5.4 seconds left that pulled New York to 96-95. Kevin Edwards then missed the second of two free throws for New Jersey and Ewing was fouled just before the final buzzer.

Ferrell and Blaylock, who also had 12 assists, were among six Atlanta players in double figures as the Hawks got their 11th win in 12 home games this year and 17th of their last 20 overall.

Cavaliers 127, Hornets 115

Gerald Wilkins scored 29 points, including a key 3-pointer in overtime, as Cleveland beat Charlotte for its fifth straight win.

The Hornets, without Larry Johnson, out for the game with a strained back, also lost Alonzo Mourning to fouls late in the fourth quarter. Cleveland then dominated the extra period 16-4 as Charlotte remained winless in 12 trips to the Richfield Coliseum.

Nuggets 97, Mavericks 85

Bryant Stith scored 21 points, including all 15 of his free throw attempts, as Denver downed Dallas, extending the worst home start in NBA history to 13 straight losses.

76ers 107, Warriors 90

Clarence Weatherspoon scored 16 of his 22 points as Philadelphia jumped out to a 20-point halftime lead, sparking the 76ers in the romp over Golden State.

Hawks 119, Pistons 101

Mookie Blaylock scored 19 points and Duane Ferrell, playing in place of the injured Dominique Wilkins, scored 18 as Atlanta bounced back from two straight losses with the win over Detroit.

Spurs 84, Heat 76

Sleepy Floyd woke up the lethargic San Antonio offense with 15 fourth-quarter points as the Spurs beat Miami.

Floyd, who totaled 19 points, scored nine during the Spurs' 11-4 run that opened the fourth quarter, giving them a 66-60 lead at the 9:01 mark. The Heat was never able to get closer than four points the rest of the way.

Despite sitting out a warmup earlier in the day with the flu, David Robinson led San Antonio with 20 points and 16 rebounds. Dennis Rodman had 15 rebounds. Steve Smith had 21 points to pace the Heat.

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Tuesday, Dec. 28
Liberty Bowl
At Memphis, Tenn.
Louisville 18, Michigan State 7

Wednesday, Dec. 29
Copper Bowl
At Tucson, Ariz.
Wyoming (8-3) vs. Kansas State (8-2-1), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday, Dec. 30
Holiday Bowl
At San Diego
Brigham Young (6-5) vs. Ohio State (9-1-1), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Freedom Bowl
At Anaheim, Calif.
Southern Cal (7-5) vs. Utah (7-5), 9 p.m. (Regcom)

Friday, Dec. 31
Independence Bowl
At Shreveport, La.
Virginia Tech (8-3) vs. Indiana (8-3), 12:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
Clemson (8-3) vs. Kentucky (6-5), 6 p.m. (ESPN)

Gator Bowl
At Jacksonville, Fla.
Alabama (8-3-1) vs. North Carolina (10-2), 7 p.m. (TBS)

Alamo Bowl
At San Antonio
Michigan (7-4) vs. North Carolina State (7-4), 11 a.m. (ESPN)

Iowa (6-5) vs. California (6-4), 8:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Jan. 1
Hall of Fame Bowl
At Tampa, Fla.
Michigan (7-4) vs. North Carolina State (7-4), 11 a.m. (ESPN)

Citrus Bowl
At Orlando, Fla.
Penn State (9-2) vs. Tennessee (9-1-1), 1 p.m. (NBC)

Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
Miami (9-2) vs. Arizona (9-2), 1 p.m. (NBC)

Carquest Bowl
At Miami
Boston College (8-3) vs. Virginia (7-4), 1:30 p.m. (CBS)

Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
Texas A&M (10-1) vs. Notre Dame (10-1), 4:30 p.m. (NBC)

Rose Bowl
At Pasadena, Calif.
UCLA (9-3) vs. Wisconsin (8-1-1), 4:30 p.m. (ABC)

Heritage Bowl
At Atlanta
Southern U. (8-1) vs. South Carolina State (8-3), 4:30 p.m.

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FOOTBALL

Pro Bowl roster

Rosters for the Pro Bowl, to be played on Sunday, Feb. 6 in Honolulu, as announced Tuesday (a star is injured, will not play; i-injury replacement):

AFC
Offense
QB — s-John Elway, Denver; Joe Montana, Kansas City; Warren Moon, Houston

RB — s-Thurman Thomas, Buffalo; s-Marcus Allen, Kansas City; Barry Foster, Pittsburgh
FB — Keith Byars, Miami
WR — s-Tim Brown, L.A. Raiders; s-Webster Slaughter, Houston; s-Anthony Miller, San Diego; Andre Reed, Buffalo; s-Irving Fryar, Miami

TE — s-Shannon Sharpe, Denver; Keith Jackson, Miami
T — s-Richmond Webb, Miami; s-Howard Bellard, Buffalo; John All, Kansas City
G — s-Steve Wraniewski, L.A. Raiders; s-Mike Munchak, Houston; Keith Sims, Miami
C — s-Bruce Matthews, Houston; Dermontti Dawson, Pittsburgh

Defense
DE — s-Bruce Smith, Buffalo; s-Nell Smith, Kansas City; Leslie O'Neal, San Diego
DL — s-Cortez Kennedy, Seattle; s-Ray Childress, Houston; Michael Dean Perry, Cleveland
OLB — s-Derrick Thomas, Kansas City; s-Greg Lloyd, Pittsburgh; Cornelius Bennett, Buffalo
ILB — s-Junior Seau, San Diego; Karl Mecklenburg, Denver

CB — s-Rod Woodson, Pittsburgh; s-Nate Odomea, Buffalo; Terry McDaniel, L.A. Raiders
S — s-Dennis Smith, Denver; s-Steve Atwater, Denver; Eugene Robinson, Seattle

Specialists
P — Greg Montgomery, Houston
PK — Gary Anderson, Pittsburgh
HG — Eric Metcalfe, Cleveland

ST — Steve Tasker, Buffalo

NFC
Offense
QB — s-Troy Aikman, Dallas; Steve Young, San Francisco; Phil Simms, N.Y. Giants
RB — s-Ernie Smith, Dallas; s-Barry Sanders, Detroit; Jerome Bettis, L.A. Rams
FB — Daryl Johnston, Dallas
WR — s-Jerry Rice, San Francisco; s-Michael Irvin, Dallas; Sterling Sharpe, Green Bay; Andre Rison, Atlanta

TE — s-Jay Novacek, Dallas; Brent Jones, San Francisco
T — s-Eric Williams, Dallas; s-Harris Barton, San Francisco; John Elliott, N.Y. Giants
G — s-Nate Newton, Dallas; s-Randal McDaniel, Minnesota; Guy McIntyre, San Francisco

Defense
DE — s-Rolando Blackman, Houston; s-Dwight Gooden, Dallas; s-Dwight Gooden, Dallas; s-Dwight Gooden, Dallas

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ON THE AIR

Football
Welsch Lock Copper Bowl: Kansas State vs. Wyoming, 7 p.m., ESPN (ch 30).

Basketball
Atlanta Hawks at Orlando Magic, 6:30 p.m., WTBS (ch. 11).

Hockey
Toronto Maple Leafs at Dallas Stars, 7:30 p.m., HSE (ch. 29).

C — s-Mark Stepanki, Dallas; s-Jesse Sepul, San Francisco; s-Bart Oates, N.Y. Giants

Defense
DE — s-Raggio White, Green Bay; s-Richard Dent, Chicago; Chris Coleman, Minnesota
DL — s-Steen Gilbert, L.A. Rams; s-John Randle, Minnesota; Russell Maryland, Dallas
OLB — s-Rickey Jackson, New Orleans; s-Renaldo Turnbull, New Orleans; Pat Swilling, Detroit
ILB — s-Hardy Nickerson, Tampa Bay; Ken Norton, Dallas
CB — s-Delon Sanders, Atlanta; s-Eric Allen, Philadelphia; Donnell Woodford, Chicago
S — s-Tim McDonald, San Francisco; s-Mark Carrier, Chicago; Thomas Everett, Dallas

Specialists
P — Rich Camarillo, Phoenix
PK — Norm Johnson, Atlanta
KR — Tyrone Hughes, New Orleans
ST — Elbert Shelley, Atlanta

Bowl schedule

All Times EST
Friday, Dec. 17
Las Vegas Bowl
At Las Vegas
Utah State 42, Ball State 33

Friday, Dec. 24
John Hancock Bowl
At El Paso, Texas
Oklahoma 41, Texas Tech 10

Saturday, Dec. 25
Blue-Gray Classic
At Montgomery, Ala.
Ora 7, Blue 10

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Table with 30 columns listing TV channels (KMID, KPEJ, KERA, etc.) and their respective programming schedules for the day.

Jacqueline Bigar - Horoscope

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1993
ARIES (March 21-April 19): You find partners lively and ready to discuss bottom-line issues. Look at what you need to do to enhance your image. Career matters are a major topic of conversation.

Dear Abby - Letters...

Marriage hasn't cured his cheatin' heart

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married for nearly 40 years. We are the same age, 68, and we have grandchildren who think "Popsie" hung the moon. He has been very good to me - except for the times he's been involved with other women.

I am totally against abortion and I don't think I could live with the thought that someone else was raising my child. My father and I don't talk anymore and he hates the idea that I am his daughter and pregnant.

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I HAD TO BREAK IT OPEN TO SEE WHY IT WASN'T FALLING APART."

THE FAMILY CIRCUS



"Billy says I hafta cover my ears 'cause that's HIS radio and HIS music."

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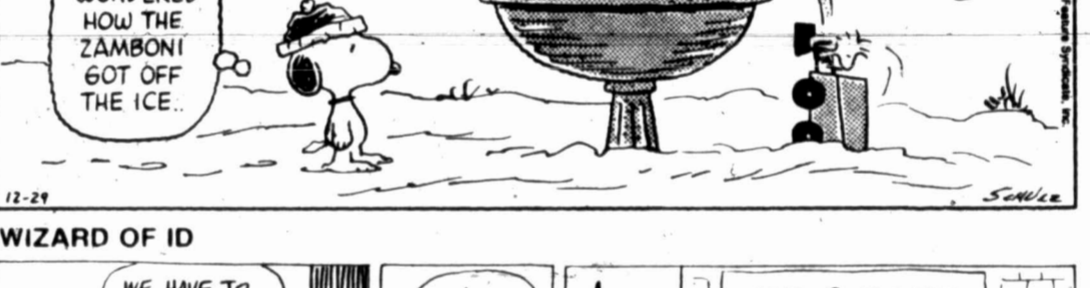
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City Bits MINIMUM CHARGE \$5.51 DEADLINES FOR ADS DAILY - 3 p.m. day prior to publication SUNDAY - 3 p.m. Friday

EAGLES LODGE, 703 W. 3RD. New Years Dance. 8:30pm-THU. Make reservations now. Saturday 9pm-1am. Prowlers Band.

SHIRTS & STUFF by SANDEE. Everything is 1/2 Price thru January 7th. See at Bogies. 604 E. 3rd.

D-FY-IT 263-1532

City Bits Whether it's a birthday, anniversary, special event, thank you note or just a chance to say you care...this is the perfect place to do it!

Verma, Thank you for being the best wife a man could ask for...Pat Ryan, Congratulations on making the honor roll! Mom and Dad.

YOUR AD COULD BE ON THIS PAGE EACH DAY! TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE CALL OUR ADVERTISING DEPT. 263-7331

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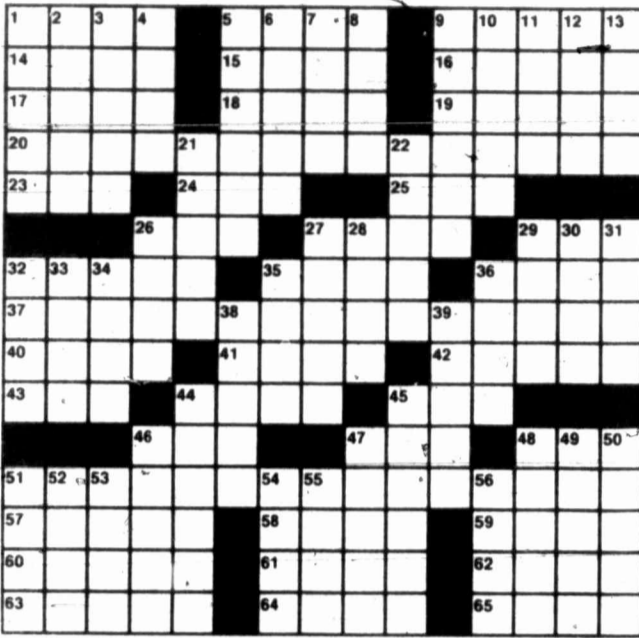
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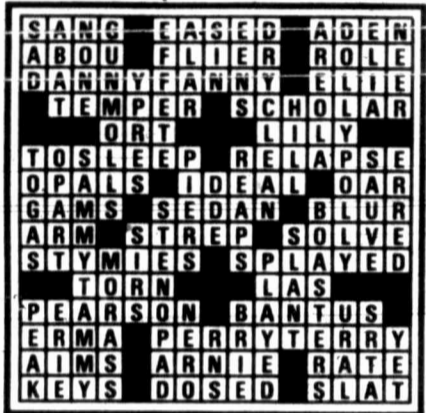
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



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RATES

WORD ADS (1-15 WORDS)

1-3 days	\$10.00
4 days	\$11.25
5 days	\$13.00
6 days	\$14.00
2 weeks	\$26.00
1 month	\$44.00

PREPAYMENT

Cash, check, money order, or mastercard. Billing available for preestablished accounts.

DEADLINES

Line ads...Monday-Friday Editions
12:00 Noon of previous day
Sunday...12:00 Noon Friday

LATE ADS

Same day advertising published in the "Too Late to Classify" space call by 6:00 a.m.
For Sunday "Too Late to Classify" Call by Friday 5:00 pm.

GARAGE SALES

List your garage sale early! 3 days for the price of one at only \$11.45. (15 words or less)

PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

15 words
30 times
\$48.00 for 1 month or \$86.40 for 2 months
Display ads also available

CITY BITS

Say "Happy Birthday", "I Love You", etc. in the City Bits. 3 lines for \$5.51. Additional lines \$1.70

3 for 5
3 days \$5.40
No business ads, only private individuals. One item per ad priced at less than \$100. Price must be listed in ad.

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7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. - Noon Saturday

Deadlines for Classified Ads:
Mon. - Fri. 12 noon day before publication
Too late 8 a.m. Mon. - Fri. and 11:30 a.m. Saturday for Sunday Publication

CALL (915) 263-7331 TO PLACE YOUR AD

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"life!"
find out who, what, where, when & why in the BIG SPRING HERALD daily

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DIRECTORY

AFFORDABLE APPLIANCES AFFORDABLE APPLIANCOMPANY Has cook stoves, refrigerators, freezers, washers & dryers for sale on easy terms with a warranty. We buy non-working appliances. 1811 Scurry St. 264-0510	AUTOMOBILE SERVICE C & M Garage 3301 W. HWY 80 263-0021 Foreign & Domestic Automobiles Tuneups to major overhauls & complete engine analysis	CERAMIC TILE Shower Pans, Counter tops, Regrout, Tile Patch ins. Complete bathroom or kitchen remodeling with color coordinated fixtures and tile. Complete plumbing provided. Call Bob Gibbs 263-8285 or Mobil 728-3333. Hours 267-2124. FREE ESTIMATES	BLIND CLEANING ULTRA-SONIC CLEANING SERVICE Residential or Commercial Blind Cleaning. Eliminate Dust, Dirt, Smoke, Bacteria 684-5351 Leave Message	CARPET CLEANING RAINBOW INTERNATIONAL CARPET DYEING * Water Damage * Fire Restorations * Carpet Repair Cleaning and Dyeing * Deep/Blind Extractions. We also do furniture, cars, & RV's. Residential / Commercial We honor factory warranty on cleaning and Scotch Guard. 267-9700	COLLISION REPAIR KELLY'S PAINT SHOP & COLLISION REPAIR PAINT JOB SPECIAL BASECOAT CLEARCOAT \$995.00 PLUS TAX. SOME VEHICLES EXCLUDED. 610 WAREHOUSE RD. 263-4424
AIR COMPRESSORS AIR COMPRESSOR Repairs, sales, service & rentals. For hard to find air compressor parts call Allbright & Associates, Odessa, Texas (915) 366-8990	BATHTUB RESURFACING WEST TEXAS RESURFACING WE CAN MAKE YOUR old bathtubs, sinks, ceramic tile, counter tops and appliances look like new for much less than replacement cost. Call FOR A free estimate. 1-800-774-9898(Midland)	CHILD CARE PROFFITT DAY CARE Ages 18 months and up! OPEN 6 A.M. - 6 P.M. 1600 WASSON RD. Dan & Lynda Proffitt, owners	BUILDERS SPAS, BUILDINGS, ALL TYPES MORGAN BUILDER'S AND SPAS 1/4 Mile East of Waterwonderland T-563-1807	NOBODY ASKS FOR IT Help STOP Sexual Assaults Call 263-3312 Rape Crisis Services/Big Spring	COSTUMES CHUBBY'S PARTY Santa Costume Rentals. Accessories and full line of Theatrical make up for sale. Call us for your Holiday needs. 201 San Jacinto Odessa, Texas 362-8573
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AUTOS OTTO MEYER'S Big Spring Chrysler • Plymouth • Dodge • Jeep • Eagle, Inc. "The Miracle Mile" 500 E. I. M 700 264-6886	"YOU CAN PLACE YOUR AD HERE FOR AS LITTLE AS \$1.43 PER DAY!!!"	QUALITY CLEANERS 1711 SCURRY "FULL SERVICE CLEANERS" HOURS: 7:30 A.M. - 6 P.M. MONDAY - FRIDAY 263-7541	CARPENTRY QUALITY WORK BY LOCAL CARPENTER 25 YEARS EXPERIENCE CALL 264-7731	CARWASH, DETAIL SHOP, OASIS HAIRCUTS DOWNTOWN CARWASH 24 Kt. Gold Plating 1301 E. 4TH 263-0844	ENTERTAINMENT "THE BREWERY" 1602 E. FM 700 Wide Screen TV, Lights & Football Information. Karaoke Night on Weekends Dart & Pool Tournaments
AUTO SALES Jackie Gass I will Meet or Beat Any Deal Anywhere Anytime Guaranteed! Pollard Chevrolet Buick Day 267-7421 Night 399-4711 New Used or Program	BINGO LION'S CLUB. Open 7 Days a Week Big Spring Evening Lion's Club Playtimes are Monday & Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday at 1:00 p.m. Lic. # 12372890748 HARC Bingo playtimes are Friday & Saturday at 6:40 p.m. Lic.#3000804854 Christmas in April playtime is Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Lic.# 17821070011	COIN SHOPS The Vault 1600 E. 8th St. Odessa, Texas Buy Sell & Trade Rare Coins, Diamonds, Rolex, Gold, Silver, & Platinum 333-4653	CARPET Dee's Carpet All Major Brands at Discount Prices. See Me Before You Buy Lots of Samples To Show You Call & Make An Appointment Leave Message Or Call After 4:30 P.M. 267-7707	CELLULAR PHONE Sales, Service & Installation of Cellular Phones, 2 way radios, controls, & alarm systems. PERMCO 204 Donley 263-3757	CERAMICS SMACKDABBERS CERAMIC SUPPLIES, BISQUE, GREENWARE, AND CUSTOM FIRING. 2000-A W. 4TH 267-2210
SAVE THOUSANDS Buy A Used Vehicle With Confidence at Howell Auto Sales Warranty Available on Most Vehicles Financing Available with Approved Credit Ask Your Salesperson About It! 605 W. 4th 263-0747	City Bits tell that special person hello, happy birthday, etc.	COMPUTERS DATA BASED FOUNDATIONS 207 W. 10TH CALL 888 8:30 P.M. - 6:30 A.M. SEE LARRY MARSHALL FOR CUSTOM PROGRAMMING, SOFTWARE TRAINING & SUPPORT, NETWORKING, NOVELL, LANTASTIC	H & H GENERAL SUPPLY 310 BENTON "QUALITY" (FOR LESS) CARPET, LINOLEUM, MINI BLINDS, VERTICALS AND MUCH MORE!	BIG SPRING SENIOR CENTER. Everyone 55 or older are welcomed to join us for lunch and activities Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Line Dance Lessons Wednesday after lunch. POOL - DOMINOES - ART - BINGO - AND MORE! COUNTRY & WESTERN BAND FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS 8:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M.	

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Too Late To Classify 001

1984 MAXIMA \$2500.00. 12/12 drive train warranty. See at Lester Automotive. 267-7811.

APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED for 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath, fenced yard. 1605 Kentucky Way. \$325 per month, \$200 deposit. 263-3689 after 6:00pm.

DRIVER ROAD: 3-bedroom, 2-bath, double wide mobile home. Unbelievable quality. 2-water wells. Owner finance. 263-1223.

CHILDCARE available. New Years Eve. Christian mother of two with lots of fun and activities. Overnights welcomed. Call 264-9907.

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LOST IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD of 350 and Sherrod Road (Oasis Addition and 669): 2 year old Rhododend Ridgeback. Light brown in color with white chest. Reward is being offered. 263-2456.

MOVING SALE. Thursday & Friday. December 30th & 31st. 8am-1pm. All must go. 3708 Cahwin.

BIG SPRING GUN & KNIFE SHOW
January 15th & 16th
Dorothy Garrett Coliseum
For Tables Call Don or Kim at 210-257-5844

DRY SEASON MESQUITE firewood. \$100.00 a cord. Delivered. Call before 9am or after 6pm. 267-3732.

Autos for Sale 016

1977 OLDSMOBILE DELTA 88. New engine with 2000 miles. 4-door, all power. \$1500.00. 267-8007 or come by 3300 W. Hwy. 80.

1978 BUICK CENTURY. 4-door. New tires. Great shape. Good family car. \$1350.00. 267-7702.

1981 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL MARK VII. With 1989 engine, with 30,000 miles. All power, 4 door. \$3,000. 3300 W. Hwy 80. 267-8007.

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1987 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN. Loaded. 2-tone paint, luggage rack, fuel injection. 350. \$6,500. Excellent condition. 915-353-4472.

1992 HONDA ACCORD LX. Excellent condition. Under warranty. Low miles. Loaded. Call 457-2256.

'89 BMW 325i. Black and beautiful. 68,000 miles. \$10,000. 267-1512 or 267-6504.

FOR SALE 1992 NISSAN MAXIMA GXE, like new with all the extras, sunroof and leather interior. Will sell for \$17,900 firm. Listed new for \$25,000.00. Call 263-5145.

VERY NICE 1970 2-DOOR Coupe Deville. 1 owner. \$2500.00. Can see at 2701 Central or call 263-6802.

Personal 039

UNITY INVITES YOU TO PROMOTE PEACE WITH US, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31ST, 6AM-7AM AT 307 UNION. 264-7473.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted 085

ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE needed at KBST/KBST 95. Training, commission, draw, car allowance. Sales experience preferred. Must be 100% enthusiastic, honest and hard working. Only serious sales oriented people should apply. Minorities encouraged. Equal Opportunity Employer. Pick up applications December 27th thru January 7th. 608 Johnson.

Help Wanted 085

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY with some bookkeeping skills, 40 wpm. Apply in person at the Big Spring Country Club, Tuesday-Friday 9:00-4:00.

MOTOR ROUTE DRIVERS needed. Make \$350-\$600 a month delivering papers on a route for the Big Spring Herald. Must have reliable transportation and be reliable and available everyday. How long has it been since you made \$6.00-\$10.00 an hour for 1-4 hours of work each day? Come in today! 710 Scurry. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS for: LVN's - full time Filled in person 3200 Parkway.

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS for Cook and Cook Filled in person 3200 Parkway.

Jobs Wanted 090

RESPONSIBLE CHRISTIAN Mother of nine wants to keep your children in her home. 263-6741.

WANTED SITTING JOB with elderly in the home or in the hospital can sit any shift. Certified Nurses Aide. Call 267-6557.

WILL MOW lawns for reasonable rates. Call 263-4645 after 5:30pm.

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SELLS LATE MODEL GUARANTEED RECONDITIONED CARS & PICKUPS

'93 GEO METRO LSI CONV. \$5950
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'92 LEMANS. \$4500
'89 CHEVY CHEYENNE EXT CAB. \$7250
'89 MERCEDES TRUCK. \$8250
'89 FORD F150. \$5750
'89 GRAND PRIX. \$4750
'86 OLDS DELTA 88. \$2500

SNYDER HWY 263-5000

HOLIDAY SPECIALS

LOOK BETTER FEEL BETTER HAVE MORE ENERGY DON'T BE SKEPTICAL! CALL TODAY! FOR FORMULA I 263-2710 ask for Jason

Home of No Haggle Pricing!

92 Geo Metro - Auto/air, great gas \$5995

92 Pontiac Grand Am - Tilt, cruise, cassette \$8995

92 Chevy Corsica - V-6, plenty of options \$7995

93 Cadillac Sedan Deville - leather in & out, nice \$21,995

87 Mitsubishi Galant - Extra clean, only \$3995

93 Chevy Astro - CS, loaded, nice (below wholesale) \$14,995

FLEET CLEARANCE CENTER
209 Pilot Rd.
Midland Int'l Airport
915-5-13-4412
1 Blk W. of TV Channel 2 Tower

Jeeps 023

PRICE REDUCED. 1983 Jeep Wagoneer, clean and very low mileage. 267-5221 after 5:00.

Motorcycles 024

1982 YAMAHA VIRAGO black & pretty, 28,000 miles. \$1650.00. 1985 Suzuki Madura-700cc. Runs; needs minor work \$1,000.00 both. V twins. 267-7702.

Pickups 027

1989 F150 XL4 4X4, only 66,000 miles. 263-4916.

1991 GMC EXTENDED CAB 4x4 PU. 58,000 miles, local one owner, must sell, blue and white. Asking \$15,950. 264-7302.

'88 CHEVROLET SCOTTSDALE 1/2 ton. Two tone blue, loaded, LBW, 67,000, one owner. 267-1512 or 267-6504.

Trucks 031

8X32 STEEL GROCERY van on wheels. Good condition. Cheap storage. Birdwell Trucking, North Highway 87. Call 267-6781.

Vans 032

'88 DODGE FIAM CONVERSION. 80,000 miles, VCR, TV. Like new. Call 267-6806.

Now Hiring Apply in Person

Restaurant
(No Phone Calls) 1710 E. 3rd

A-RATED INSURANCE CO.

Needs 2 Health Insurance Agents to work captive market - no prospecting, leads furnished. Excellent commissions. Phone John Shows 214-296-2304.

COMANCHE TRAIL NURSING CENTER is now accepting applications for the following position: **FILLED** We would like to have you! We would like to top quality care and TL "arkway. Big Spring, Texas.

EASY WORK! EXCELLENT PAY! Assemble products at home. Call toll free. 1-800-467-5566 EXT. 8289.

HELP WANTED: Pressroom Foreman, Big Spring Herald, Big Spring, Texas. Major Responsibilities: Provide products of the highest quality, supervise camera, plate, and press department, press maintenance a must, scheduling, resource and inventory control. Minimum of five years hands on experience with Gross Community offset or related presses. Aggressive, deadline and quality-minded. Ability to work well with other departments and be a team member. Competitive salary commensurate with experience together with group benefit plans and 401(k). Call (915)263-7331, Patrick Morgan for interview or send resume to: Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

RN, DON NEEDED

- Would you like to work for a really nice boss?
- Would you like to choose your own hours?
- Would you like to work with a super staff?

For Information Call 806-872-8351
Lamesa Nursing Center
1818 N. 7th

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS until January 28, 1994 for full time police officer's positions. Minimum requirement: TCLEOSE basic certification, prefer 2 year experience. For further information contact Colorado City Police Department, (915)298-5294.

NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS for a 30 unit apartment manager. Provide apartment, utility, and salary. Call 263-5000 for appointment.

OPENING for a RN for a growing home health agency. Salary negotiable with experience. (806)872-5540.

RESTAURANT WORKER - 2 years experience required. Apply in person between 8:30am-10:00am and 1:00pm-4:00pm. A/R Bar-B-Q, 1810 S. Gregg.

R & H WELL SERVICE need operators, derick man, & floor hands. Apply in person Tuesday-Thursday only. 1300 E. Hwy 350.

THE BIG SPRING HERALD is looking for a substitute carriers. Must be available on short notice. Call Steve or Dana. 263-7331.

THE BIG SPRING HERALD is taking applications for persons to walk newspaper routes. Profit starts at approximately \$150.00 and the 1 hour a day maximum time. Contact Steve or Dana. 263-7331.

FARMER'S COLUMN

Farm Building 100

14x24 RED BARN. One only. Ordered wrong. Heavy duty floor, double doors. Must sell. Save. Terms and delivery. 1-563-1866.

Livestock For Sale 270

TAKING ORDERS on Emu and Ostrich chicks for '94. Emu chicks, \$8,000 pair. Ostrich chicks, \$6,500 pair. 1/2 deposit required. 505-394-3042.

MISCELLANEOUS

Appliances 299

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