Second rabies clinic attracts 200 pet owners

By CARLTON JOHNSON

More than 200 animals were vaccinated at a second rables clinic at the north barn at the Howard County Fairgrounds Saturday.

Because of the recent statewide rabies quarantine imposed in Texas, pet owners are still being encouraged to have their animals vaccinated against the disease as soon as possible.

The quarantine is being enforced in Howard County by the Animal Control Department and the Animal Control Advisory Committee. If an animal is picked up and its owner is unable to show proof the animal has been vaccinated, it will not be released.

That statement has several people confused about what will happen to unvaccinated animals

Animals will not be released without proof of vaccination, but the Animal Control Department has said that its department will take an animal to a vet to be vaccinated if an owner proves ownership of the animal.

According to Lt. Terry Chamness of Big Spring's Animal Control Department, the department has to have some kind of history on animals they pick up and the "no adoption" policy during the statewide quarantine is a precautionary measure to keep the disease, a virus, from spreading to domestic animals.

At a recent seminar Jeff Sanders, zoonosis control specialist for Public Health Regions 9 and 10 out of San Angelo, told local animal control officials and pet owners an animal can be exposed to rabies but not develop the disease for 12 to 18 months after being exposed.

Chamness said 12 to 18 months is probably closer to the maximum incubation period for the disease, but nine months is about the average time it takes signs of rabies to show up. He added usually signs show up in three to four months. but that itself is not a set guarantee.

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Locally, two rabid foxes have been discovered Big Spring veterinarian Dr. Scott Burt gives a gabies shot to a cat while daughin Howard County and a rabid cow discovered in ter Callie Burt gives a helping hand during Saturday's ra Howard County Fairbarns. This was the second week the clinic was conducted to give pet owners a chance to have pets vaccinated.

Security expo offers auto theft protection program

By KELLIE JONES Staff Writer

Auto thefts were down in Big Spring last year compared to 1993 but law enforcement officials are wanting to reduce the numbers even more.

Help End Auto Theft (HEAT) is a program started by the Department of Public Safety and its popularity is spreading across the state.

Local residents will have a chance to register their vehicles in the program Feb. 11 at the for four years. It is first come, Big Spring Mall as part of a security expo sponsored by the mall, Big Spring Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association, LeClair and Associates, Optimist Club, Cellular One and the Big Spring Police Department.

When a person registers their vehicle in the HEAT program, a sticker is placed either on the

front windshield or back bumper. The stickers allow law enforcement officials to stop a vehicle to check and see if it is

One sticker allows an officer to stop the vehicle if it is occupied on streets anywhere in Texas between 1 a.m. and 5 p.m. The other sticker allows an officer to stop the vehicle whenever it crosses or is about to cross the border into Mexico directly from Texas 24 hours a day.

The cost to register a vehicle is \$2 per sticker and is in effect first serve to register your car because there are only 100 stick ers available. Once the money is collected and sent to Austin. more stickers will be available and another registration day will be set up.

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Donations accepted to help fund Troy Hogue memorial

By KELLIE JONES

Staff Writer

The Big Spring Police Administration Building will soon have a new name in honor of slain DPS Trooper Troy Hogue.

in a unanimous vote by city council on Jan. 24, a motion was approved to rename the building "Troy M. Hogue Memorial Law Enforcement Center."

A fund has been established for citizens to help pay for a bust of Hogue and for plaques honoring other fallen officers in the city's history.

Local artisan Coy McCann has been commissioned to create a

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Clinton budget 'chops' programs

dent Clinton sent Congress a which Clinton leaves virtually \$1.61 trillion budget today, offering voters a modest middle-class tax cut financed by chopping hundreds of the programs of "yesterday's government."

Acknowledging that Republicans, now in the majority, will work their will on his plans, Clinton said he was proposing "real discipline and honest numbers" and challenged those in control of Congress to do the

"Anyone can offer a tax cut, the hard part of course is paying for it," the president said.

At a briefing, Clinton was dwarfed by two huge charts listing more than 400 programs he said were either being eliminated or consolidated to pay for the tax cuts he proposes. Clinton's drive to make gov-

ernment smaller and more efficient would save \$144 billion over five years. He would apply \$63 billion of that amount to providing tax relief and the other \$81 billion would be used to reduce the deficit.

The budget, for the 1996 fiscal year that begins Oct. 1, proposes to spend \$1.612 trillion. Despite the savings he proposed, federal spending would rise by 4.5 percent over the current fiscal year, largely because

untouched.

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Bill Clinton

Clinton bragged that he had not touched popular middleclass benefit programs such as Social Security and Medicare.

Republicans attacked the budget as a pale imitation of their own "Contract With America" which promises far greater tax cuts of \$200 billion and enough deficit cuts to bring the budget into balance by the year 2002. By some estimates, that will require \$1.2 trillion in budget

Clinton's \$81 billion in deficit reduction would make only a modest dent in the flood of red ink expected in coming years, a point that Republicans were quick to note.

Senate Budget Committee Chairman Pete Domenici, R-

WASHINGTON (AP) - Presi- of rapid-growing health costs, N.M., said that the president's plan "raises the white flag of surrender at the red ink of government spending."

"The Clinton administration seems to have gone A.W.O.L. in the war on the deficit," said Rep. John Boehner of Ohio, the chairman of the Republican caucus.

House Budget Committee Chairman John Kasich, R-Ohio, complained that Clinton had shown "no interest in doing the heavy lifting needed to eliminate all budget deficits. ... This budget lacks courage. It takes no action to control the growth of entitlement spending, which must be done if we are to reach a balanced budget by the year

The budget projects that the deficit will decline to \$192.5 billion this year, a third straight decrease which Clinton boasted about. It's projected to rise again, climbing to \$196.7 billion in 1996 and hovering close to \$200 billion for the rest of the

"We are not cutting government blindly," Clinton said. "We are clearing away yesterday's government to make room for the solutions to the problems we face" in the future.

CAN CRUSHER



With a stack of old newspapers behind her ready for recycling. Melissa Kennemur kneels down while removing the bottom of an aluminum can at the monthly Howard County Coalition for the Environment recycling drive Saturday.

United Way 'progressing' toward 1995

By CARLTON JOHNSON Staff Writer

The Big Spring/Howard County chapter of the United Way made its 1994-95 allocations to

member agencies at its recent

Annual Report Luncheon. But just as important to United Way directors, officers, and volunteers in 1994 was the new direction of the local chapter.

Past president John Toone, in his report to directors, volunteers and members, said the year began with the implementation of plans to move the United Way into a new era by: 1) being more proactive on current issues facing United Way chapters across the country, 2) improving office procedures and becoming more cost effective, and 3) improving the United Way's image with donors.

The United Way faced a major task last April when it learned it had to find a new executive director.

Toone said, "Major change does not come easy and many

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WORLD/NATION

World: Jammed into battered buses, cars and canvas-covered trucks, thousands of Chechen families are fleeing their war-ravaged republic amid reports of heavy new shelling in the capital. See page 5.

Nation: child-care centers, especially those that care for infants and toddlers, do not meet children's needs for health, safety, learning and warm relationshir ? ee page 5.



STATE

Focused

At a recent staff meeting, it was suggested that Gov. George W. Bush might want to toss something "new" into Tuesday's state of the state address. See page 3.

State jails to ease backlog

The 18 state jails being built in Texas were touted as places to house and rehabilitate criminals convicted of offenses such as burglary of a building, theft and forgery. See page 3.

Wants fire range fenced

A Nueces County family wants the county to enclose a firing range used by sheriff's deputies See page 3.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight

Tuesday

Increasing clouds Tonight, increasing clouds, low mid 30s, light winds.

Permian Basin Forecast Tuesday: Mostly cloudy, turning

colder, high near 60, east-northeast winds 10 to 15 mph; mostly cloudy nigh, low upper 20s.

Wednesday: Mostly cloudy, turning colder, high near 60, eastnortheast winds 10 to 15 mph; mostly cloudy nigh, low upper 20s. POLICE

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on outstanding local warrants.

Monday:

William Vasseur

William M. "Bill" Vasseur, 66 of Big Spring, died Sunday at a local hospital following a sudden illness. Rosary will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel.

A service will be held 10 a.m. Friday at Epithany Catholic Church in Coon Rapids, Minn., with military burial at Ft. Snelling National Cemetery in Minneapolis, Minn. Local services will be under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home & Chapel.

Mr. Vasseur was born March 22, 1928, in Elk River, Minn. He served in the U.S. Army and Air Force from 1952 to 1957 and was stationed at Webb Air Force Base. He had lived in Big Spring since the early 1950s. He was also a self-employed auto mechanic.

He is survived by his father, Mitchell Vasseur, of Mora, Minn.; two brothers, Reginald Vasseur, Lakeville, Minn., and Lowell Vasseur of Ramsey, Minn.; seven sisters, Allene Stern, Mavis Moher, Muriel Gatten, Carol Nelson, Lorraine Vasseur-Sandy and Deanie Fearrell, all of Minneapolis, and Judy Baumgartner of Monticello, Minn.

Mr. Vasseur is also survived by several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his mother, Loraine; three brothers, Leslie, Dewight and Duane; and a sister, Audrey.

Dennis Yager

Dennis Wayne Yager, 43 of Big Spring, died Sunday at his residence. Memorial services were 3 p.m. today at First Church of the Nazarene with John Doll officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mr. Yager was born Jan. 22, 1952, in Big Spring. He had lived in Big Spring since April 1994. Prior to that he lived in the Dallas/Fort Worth area. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two daughters, Jennifer and Tonya Yager. Lubbock; his mother and stepfather. LaWanda and Charles Hamm, Big Spring; a sister, Deborah Perkins, Lubbock; a stepsister, Karen Griffith of Lubbock; two stepbrothers, Charles Hamm Jr., Accokeek, Md., and Steven Hamm, Big Spring; one grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two brothers. Donald Keith Yager and Ronald Goforth; and two sisters, Tawanna Bailey and Sharon Goforth.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of the Southwest, P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, Texas 79768-4710, or to the American Cancer Society, c/o Mrs. Wayne Bonner, P.O. Box 2121, Big Spring, Texas 79721-2121.

Richard Smith

Richard Smith, 63 of Big Spring, died today in a local hospital. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home, Big Spring.

Neta Thompson

Neta Thompson, 63 of Big Spring, died Sunday in a Midland nursing home. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home, Big Spring. The family will receive friends 6-7 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Nalley-Pickle & Welch **Funeral Home** and Rosewood Chapel 906 GREGG **BIG SPRING**

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Rabies

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Midland County. These numbers are low com-pared to other counties around the state, but Chamness said because Howard County had not reported an cases until recently, there is reason to be concerned.

He said, "We have about a 10 percent increase in rables spread. People need to understand that it costs about \$1,100 to \$1,300 to undergo the series of rabies shots and what we're trying to do it prevent the disease from spreading to domestic animals. What we're doing is taking preventative measures."

The state of Texas will be under the current rabies quarantine until April 13, but according to Chamness that is

not a guarantee for all areas. He said, "When we get to April 13 we will have to see where we are. If we don't have any more rabies, we could go back to adopting animals."

Chamness added the animal control department has not changed any of its procedures, its just trying to be safe.

By city ordinance and state law the department must hold a stray a minimum of 72 hours after it is picked up and if no one comes forward to claim the

animal it can be euthanized, especially if an animal is diseased or in terrible pain.

Chamness said, "We have a bulletin board in the animal shelter for people who report lost animals. We ask people to put tags on their animals for easier identification. We're not just going out and killing dogs."

"Our job, by law, is to control stray animals and we try to encourage people to be responsible pet owners."

According to Chamness, people especially need to watch out for foxes, bobcats and coyotes because they have a large area to roam around in.

He added foxes, especially, carry a very aggressive strain of the disease.

"We're coming up with more and more cases of rabies. We should have the results from two more cases today and we sent three more cases off this past weekend."

Chamness said everything that is being done during this quarantine period is to protect the population of people and domestic animals. He added if rabies spreads to domestic animals then you will really see a

Memorial

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bronze bust of Hogue to be placed in the building. Cast bronze portraits of other fallen officers will be produced through YES! Business Ser-

City Councilman John Paul Anderson, one of several involved in the project, says the initial response of the citizenry has been promising.

He adds, "we have received good support so far but we are still a ways from getting all of the money we will need. Because the funding for the memorials will come from donations only, we will continue to solicit and receive money until we have everything we need.

"We have always thought the money should come from many people rather than a few and we encourage any donations regardless of size, regardless of source. In fact, there have been several anonymous donations,"

Anderson said.

He continued, "it is with sorrow such a memorial is necessary but honor requires it. We have always thought this would be a way for anyone who had an interest in honoring, in memorial, those who have served and protected us. I also think it acts as a tribute to those men and women who serve in law enforcement today that we are thinking about them and we appreciate their efforts."

Fund accounts have been established at Coahoma State Bank and at T&P Federal Credit Union. If you wish to donate, make your check out to: Troy Hogue Memorial Fund.

You can send your check to either financial institution. Coahoma State Bank's address is P.O. Box 3819; Big Spring, Texas; 79721. T&P's address is: P.O. Drawer 3430; Big Spring, Texas: 79721.

Continued from page 1 obstacles had to be overcome."

He added several board members worked many long hours to help achieve United Way's transformation and to find an innovative and knowledgeable person to serve as the organization's new executive director.

Toone said, "Looking back on where we started this year versus where we are today, our United Way had made more positive progress than I could have imagined."

As of Jan. 19, the United Way accounting records showed in 1994 revenues totaled \$195,847.42 and total expenses of \$202,635.31, but officials pointed out this data was from internal accounting records and not

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The hours of the HEAT pro-

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from an audited statement.

David Keith, who served as United Way president in 1994 and will serve as past president in 1995, said good things are in store for the United Way in the coming year.

He credits reorganization, accountability and changes in administrative procedures for United Way's positive outlook.

He said, "The next step, which will be taken in the coming year, is to determine the most demanding and prevalent human service needs in Big Spring and Howard County."

mobile.

Volunteers help prepare tax returns

He added some of the need are obvious, but the United Way will continue to study those

areas and will get the job done.

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SHERIFF

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THE RUN

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents during a time period from 1 p.m. Saturday to 8 •JERRY DON WATKINS, 21 a.m. Monday:

•GERALD ROBERT BLACK. 51 of San Angelo, was released for time served. He had been arrested for criminal trespass-

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FIRE

 RICHARD WAYNE RAINS, The Big Spring Fire Depart-28 of Coahoma, was arrested on ment reported the following incidents during a time period ISIDRO GONZALES, 32 of from 8 a.m. Friday to 8 a.m. 1613 Young, was arrested on Monday:

•CAR FIRE in the 600 block of Scurry.

•GRASS FIRE in the 2600 block of Chanute.

•ANTIFREEZE LEAK in the 600 block of Gregg. Firefighters were called to the scene of an accident to clean up an antifreeze spill. •FENCE FIRE in the 1500

block of Kentucky Way. •GRASS FIRE in the 1700 block of East Marcy.

IN BRIEF

Ethics class for kids offered Saturday

Ethical Culture of Texas, Colorado School of Self Defense and Rig Spring School of Self Defense will present a free workshop, "How to Teach Ethics to Kids," 3-4:45 p.m., Saturday, at the Howard County

Participant book is available for \$15. Early registration advised. Write P.O. Box 93604, Lubbock, Texas 79493-3604.

Minority business gathering Wednesday

Big Spring's Minority and Small Business Gathering will be Wednesday at El Nopal, 1703 Gregg, from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

This is an opportunity for people to gain knowledge on how to start and operate a small business. Information on how to

make contacts with major purchasers in the area will be available and attendees can learn how to get work that is set aside for minority contractors.

Coffee is provided and there is no charge for attending except for the cost of your meal if you choose to eat.

For more information, contact Delia Barraza at 264-5164.

Business workship offered Friday

"Starting Your Own Business" is a workshop being offered Friday at the Howard College Business Development Center. The cost to attend is \$20. The hours are 8:30 a.m. to noon. Some topics of the workshop include:

 Getting started •Developing a business plan

Financing

Resources

 Tax requirements Labor and management

 Legal and risk management To register, contact the Howard College Business Devel-

opment Center at 264-5164. The workshop is sponsored by Howard College, Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, University of Texas of the Permian Basin Small Business Development Center, Midland Chamber of Commerce, Odessa Chamber of Commerce, Midland College and Odessa Col-

CORRECTION

In the Herald's Sunday article about Kenneth Randall being named the new Administrator at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, his past experience in Big Spring was inadvertently stated as 12 years with Malone and Hogan Clinic.

Mr. Randall spent 12 years in Big Spring (1973 to 1985) at Malone and Hogan Hospital.

MARKETS

March cotton futures 91.30 cents per pound down 84 points; March crude oil 18.70, down 8 points; cash hog 38.50 down 1.00; slaughter steers steady at 73.50; Feb. live hog futures 38.87, up 17 points; Feb. live cattle futures 73.40; down 22 points; according to Delta Commodities.

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To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail LeClair and Associates along to: Springboard, Big Spring with Cellular One will have Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big information on safety and secu-Spring, 79720; or bring it by rity for yourself, home and autothe office, 710 Scurry. The Optimist Club is having a

TODAY •"Single-Minded," unmarried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868.

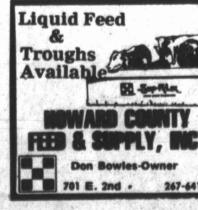
Tops Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6:30 p.m. Weigh-in, 6 p.m., Canterbury South, 1700 Lancaster. Call 263-1340 or 263-

•Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241.

·Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center. Call 267-6764. •Al-A-Teen, 7:30 p.m., 615 Settles.

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers. Alcoholics Anonymous noon

open meeting, 615 Settles.



·Howard County Youth Horseman, 7 p.m., Howard County Youth Horseman Arena Clubhouse. Call Paula Perry, 393-5617. **TUESDAY**

 Big Spring Squares square dancing lessons, 7 p.m., Big Spring Squares dance hall in Silver Heels. Contact Howard **College Continuing Education** Department, 264-5131.

·Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food for area needy, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. ·Al-Anon, 8 p.m., 615 Settles. Voices support group, 3:45

p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312. Spring City Senior Citizen Center, ceramics classes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older

invited. ·Pastoral counseling by Samaritan Counseling Center, First Christian Church, 10th and Goliad. For appointment call 1-800-329-4144.

·Seniors' diabetic support group, 2 p.m., Canterbury South. Call 263-1265.



 Most Excellent Way chemical dependency support group, 7 p.m., Cornerstone Bookstore. Call 267-1424 after 5 p.m., or 263-3168 before 8 p.m.

 Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting, 615 Settles. •VFW Post #2013, 7 p.m., VFW Hall.

WEDNESDAY •Gamblers Anonymous,7

p.m., St. Stephens Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920. ·Survivors,10 to 11:30 a.m.

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CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - A black pilot has filed a complaint alleging he was forced out of a training program at Naval Air Station Kingsville in retaliation for his protest of racist remarks. When Lt. j.g. Gary Commock,

30, "washed out" of the advanced jet training program, he was just seven formal flights away from obtaining his gold wings as an aviator.

Commock was suspended from advanced jet training at Kingsville on June 28, 1994, for substandard performance, officials have said. He claims it was because he reported racist incidents involving his superiors.

He has been ordered to appear Thursday at a hearing on military charges of larceny, making false official statements, and conduct unbecoming an officer relating to an allegedly unwarranted housing allowance.

Border businesses excited about bailout

McALLEN (AP) - President Clinton found favor among South Texas business leaders circumvented Congress and put \$20 billion into an international loan package to help restore Mexico's faltering economy.

William Caldwell, investment adviser for the city of McAllen, said "a meltdown" in emerging markets and other parts of the global economy could have resulted if the president had not acted to help Mexico.

And since U.S. cities along the Mexican border rely heavily on the health of the peso, Clinton's action was crucial to their prosperity, border business leaders

Retailers on the U.S. side of the border have reported sharp declines in sales since the peso began losing its value in December. The peso has dropped by almost 40 percent in recent march cotton .utures 31.30

Independent schools seek more funding

HOUSTON (AP) - Independent Texas colleges and universities say they need at least another \$10 million in aid for needy students, particularly for minorities.

The Legislature created the **Tuition Equalization Grant pro**gram in 1971 to provide financial aid to needy students who want to attend private universi-

College administrators and lobbyists say program funding should be increased by \$10 million, to about \$35.2 million a year. The fund was created in part to help ease overcrowding at state schools.

Fugitive policy upsets officials

DALLAS (AP) — The long arm of the law apparently isn't long enough to reach Mexico, some Texas law enforcement authori-

hibits extradition of its citizens to stand trial in other countries year and the 90th since Texas is frustrating some law enforcement officials in Texas who would like to see suspects tried in a U.S. courtroom.

NO GROWTH HORMONES



Paul Uchtman of Mesquite holds a sign protesting the use of the Bovine Growth Hormone in dairy products near a grocery store in Dallas Saturday. Uchtman and other members of the food activist group, The Pure Food Campaign, were protesting the FDA's approval of the genetically engineered bovine growth hormone.

Bush wants to stay focused on campaign agenda

staff meeting, it was suggested that Gov. George W. Bush might want to toss something "new" into Tuesday's state of the state

According to aides, his response was to remind them of the virtues of "focus and discipline."

Translation: Bush's speech to a joint session of the Legislature will showcase the same four topics he touted throughout his campaign - tort reform, welfare reform, juvenile justice reform and decontrol of educa-

"I will focus on systemic changes in juvenile justice, decontrol of schools, changing the tort laws of the state of Texas, and changing aspects of the welfare system," the governor said when asked for a preview of his speech.

"I believe that if the Legislature passes substantive change in those four areas, Texas will be a better place."

Since declaring for the Republican nomination in November 1993, Bush has pounded on

AUSTIN (AP) - At a recent those issues. They were featured in every major speech: announcing his candidacy, addressing the GOP state convention, taking the oath of office.

"I believe that's why I got elected," he explains simply.

The state of the state address, which Bush promises "will not be longer than President Clinton's" 81-minute state of the union speech, comes three weeks into his term and four weeks into the 1995 legislative

Democrats say it's time for Bush to give specifics.

"Legislators are already working hard on detailed public policy matters, so if the governor has specific suggestions to offer in the spirit of bipartisanship. now is the time to do it, not later in an attempt to take credit after someone else has done all the heavy lifting," said Bob Slagle, state Democratic chair-

Slagle said that was reflected in the cool response Bush received after a speech to education leaders.

Stray bullet from firing range injures teen-ager

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - A Nueces County family wants the county to enclose a firing range used by sheriff's deputies after a teen-age family member said he was wounded slightly by a stray bullet from the facility.

Trey Youngblood, 17, said he was wounded in the side about 4 p.m. Saturday while walking along the fence on his family's property, about 200 yards downrange from the firing range.

The Calallen High School senior was treated and released from Spohn Hospital, a spokeswoman said.

The Nueces County Sheriff's Department said it will investigate the incident.

"We're concerned because we had firing going on at our range," said Maj. William Edge. "We're starting an investigation to see if the bullet came from

one of our weapons.'

About 10 deputies had been taking a required marksmanship test, Edge said. Behind the targets is a large dirt mound to absorb bullets and block stray shots, he said.

"They had been shooting out there all day," Youngblood said. "We had inquired about it before. It sounded before like the bullets were going over the range and ricocheting over the house.

Edge declined to comment on the demand, but he said theirs is the first complaint from the area about stray bullets. Suzy Youngblood, the boy's

mother, said the family had no serious objection to the firing range previously.

State prisons to be used to ease backlog of prisoners in county jails

DALLAS (AP) — The 18 state jails being built in Texas were touted as places to house and rehabilitate criminals convicted of offenses such as burglary of a building, theft and forgery.

But the facilities are being built faster than there are the nonviolent felons to fill them.

Rather then have the lockups sit empty, state officials say they will use them to hold 20,000 convicted felons - including murderers and rapists — now backlogged in county jails and awaiting transfer to the penitentiary system.

The plan has angered some state and community leaders, who say they and the public were misled.

Former Dallas City Council member Mattie Nash, who successfully helped fight a plan to place a state jail in a West Dallas neighborhood, said one reason she opposed it was because she suspected something like this might happen.

"I felt from day one they would not discriminate about who was going to go into that prison," Ms. Nash said.

State Sen. Florence Shapiro, R-Plano, filed a bill two weeks ago that would change the law to prohibit state jails from being used for anything other than their original purpose.

"They were built specifically for nonviolent offenders," she said. "I am concerned that, even temporarily, that they are not suitable to hold violent felons." Andy Collins, executive direc-

tor of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, acknowledged that state jails might be housing sex offenders and others convicted of violent crimes.

But he said communities should not worry about their safety.

State jails probably will be used as transfer facilities for hard-core inmates only for six months to a year.

POSTER BOY



James Garrison, 1, offers his bottle to a friend as he waits for unveiling ceremonies to end recently in Dallas. James was the model for the 12-story-high mural titled "Mass Transit." The mural shows a toddler pulling a wagon full of

Convicted killer sees case in 'big trouble' for stay

Pasadena man sees little chance he can avoid the death chamber early Tuesday for the abduction and slaying of a 30-year-old woman in 1984. Jeffrey Dean Motley would be

A Mexican policy that pro- the fifth condemned killer put to death in Texas already this resumed carrying out capital punishment in 1982. The totals are the highest in the nation. Motley, in an interview last

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A week, characterized his case as: "Big trouble." 'There's nothing I can do about it," he added. "If they get

me, they get me.' The U.S. Supreme Court

refused Sunday to hear Motley's attorneys' appeal for a stay of execution. Motley is set for lethal injec-

tion for the death of Maria Adilia Duran. Ms. Duran was last seen alive July 22, 1984, when she left her Houston-area apart-

ment to go swimming with a friend. She never arrived at the friend's home. Her body was found 10 days

later, decomposing in a field in La Porte. She had been fatally shot with a shotgun. Dental records had to be used to identi-During an autopsy, authori-

ties said she apparently had sexually assaulted, although the state of decomposition was so severe they could

not be certain.

Motley was arrested July 29 driving Ms. Duran's car, which had been reported stolen. He also was carrying the missing woman's credit cards and was identified on a bank videotape as accompanying the victim as she made withdrawals totaling \$300 from an ATM.

At his arrest, Motley told officers that Ms. Duran had led a double life, supplying him with

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Quote of the Day

"The media represent a tremendous opportunity for unpaid publicity."

Roland rust, marketing professor, 1994

Keep HEAT on auto theft

lthough auto thefts declined in Big Spring in 1994 as compared to 1993, residents need to keep the HEAT on.

Help End Auto Theft (HEAT) is a Department of Public Safety program in which participants pay \$2 to register their vehicles and receive a sticker allowing law enforcement officials to stop the vehicle and check to see if it has been stolen.

There are two forms of the sticker: One allows an officer to stop the vehicle if it is occupied on streets anywhere in Texas between 1 a.m. and 5 p.m. The other allows an officer to stop the vehicle whenever it crosses or is about to cross the border into Mexico directly from Texas 24 hours a day. Each sticker Opinions expressed on this page are those of the Editorial Board of the Big Spring Herald unless otherwise

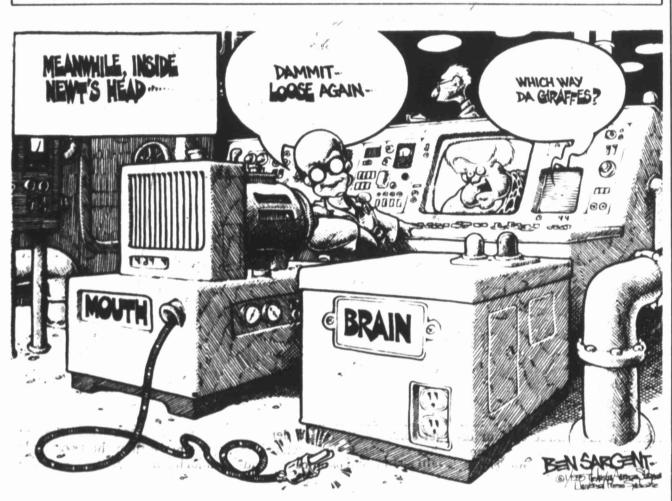
Charles C. Williams **Publisher**

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Residents will be offered an opportunity this Saturday to register their vehicles as part of a Security Expo at Big Spring Mall.

Crime, no matter if it is violent or nonviolent, hurts us all. Car theft is costly, both to the owner and to all of us who have to pay higher insurance rates.

There are only 100 stickers available this Saturday, so be one of the 100 and keep the HEAT on by registering your



Hands in your pockets

Before Leonard Roberts became president of Radio Shack, he earned a degree in

criminal justice at the University of Illinois. In the

marketplace, he soon became acutely aware of the loss factor that adds to the price

of everything we buy. There is the value of the merchandise stolen, but then there is the time lost by employees who are crime victims. Beyond shoplifting in retail stores, there is theft and burglary in factories, warehouses and delivery vehi-Businesses, because of crime,

Paul

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Columnist

have to pay for higher insurance premiums, private guards, security systems and liability lawsuits brought on by customers and employees injured during a crime.

Roberts estimates that American businesses are spending just on security measures — \$65 billion a year!

But, Roberts has also determined that there are more subtle costs of crime and has dis-

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covered that Americans are presently "taxed" billions of dollars to support criminals: Customers are afraid to shop at night and in certain areas. There is the cost for the business when there is a higher turnover of frightened employees, the cost to communities when businesses dare not stay open after dark, and the cost to communities in which businesses refuse to relocate.

And then Roberts cites what he considers the most tragic cost of crime. It cannot be measured in dollars — it is of infinitely greater value than dollars. He refers to the "diminished quality of our lives."

American taxpayers dutifully pave streets, construct parks and provide public transportation, only to have these streets. parks and buses all too often taken over by violent criminals while Americans who obey laws are forced, with barred windows and dead bolts, to lock themselves in!

Now, as president of one of the country's largest retail chains and a director of the National Crime Prevention Council, Roberts has united Radio Shack with the NCPC and the National Sheriffs' Association "to do something about it."

Radio Shack, the NCPC and the NSA have pooled their

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BILL CLINTON, President, The White House, Washington, D.C.

resources to launch United Against Crime, a nationwide public education program.

This program is determined to empower every American to take action to reduce the risk of becoming a crime victim.

Roberts and his United Against Crime colleagues propose that all Americans and American businesses join with their local law-enforcement and crime-prevention experts to assess their communities' crime prevention needs, recruit and coordinate volunteers, and direct those willing to give time to reclaim their neighborhoods.

Business leaders must encourage employees to become volunteers by providing them with the time, research departments, copying machines, computers and meeting space.

The Department of Justice computes that it costs 2.2 cents to educate a person about crime and 2.9 cents to motivate individuals to act.

If American businesses "are too busy" competing to cooperate, the future is all downhill.

If they, in concert, will mount an effective counterattack, the land of the brave may yet again be the land of the

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Making space history

■ Shuttle prepares for docking with Mir station

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Discovery neared a historic rendezvous with Russia's 100-ton space station today as NASA and Russian officials were deciding whether a leaky shuttle jet would nix the close encounter they'd planned.

The critical determination hinged on a steering thruster near the shuttle tail that has been spewing fuel since shortly after Friday's launch.

The Russian Space Agency insisted that unless the jet stopped leaking, Discovery must stay at least 400 feet from the Mir station instead of closing within 35 feet to practice for the first shuttle-station docking this June.

Russian officials feared that small chunks of frozen fuel might damage critical optical sensors on a Soyuz capsule attached to the orbiting outpost. Mir's three cosmonauts need the capsule to return to Earth next month.

The jet was still spouting a trail of icy propellant when Discovery's six-member crew awoke early today, about 13 hours and 700 miles from the first convergence of American and Russian spaceships in 20 years.

NASA told the crew it was planning for a 400-foot approach, but put off a final decision until a management



Astronaut Eileen Collins, the first female space shuttle pilot, is shown on board Discovery in this television image. The shuttle is scheduled to rendezvous with the Russian space station Mir today if leaking jet fuel doesn't halt the historic meeting.

meeting about seven hours al control as Discovery passed before the rendezvous.

"Well, good luck, and I hope it turns out favorable for me," said shuttle commander James Wetherbee, who was eager to test the shuttle's handling near the station. "If it doesn't, we're happy ... We're ready to go."

Wetherbee was to take manu-

2,000 feet below Mir, pulling up in front and firing braking jets to slowly close to 400 feet.

The original plan called for Discovery to remain there for about an hour before closing to 35 feet as the two spacecraft orbited at 17,500 mph some 245 miles above the Earth.

One-stop shopping for cops

By MICHAEL SCHNEIDER **Associated Press Writer**

BALTIMORE (AP) — A police officer in The Cop Shop is like a kid in a candy store.

Eyes widen at the sight of guns, boots and belts galore, anti-riot vests with steel plates. pepper mace that can incapacitate person with one spray, even bulletproof vests for dogs.

This one-stop shop just a block from police headquarters covers everything from nightsticks to nighties -Slept With The Greatest Cop Alive," reads one short, black number.

"This is the Kmart of police supply stores,' said owner Sam Walters, a retired 21-year veteran of Baltimore the Police Department.

Walters opened the store 12 years ago when he was still on the force because he couldn't find equipment he wanted at other stores. While most police equipment stores are gun shops that sell

designed store specifically ment officers "They have just about everything there," said

I go."
Walters says civilians make

up about 20 percent of the 3,000 customers he sees annually.

There are rules, however: Only people with gun permits buy bulletproof vests. Nightsticks and handcuffs are

restricted to law enforcement sized handcuffs and bulletproof officers. And Walters is permitted to show to officers, but not sell, illegal items such as a belt buckle that hides a small hand-

vests. Walters said. "A lot of the departments

don't supply bulletproof vests. Or all too often if they do, they buy from the lowest bidder," he

If a special type of bulletproof garment is needed, Walters can order it, including jean jackets, overcoats and a stylish vest that can be worn as part of suit.

"He'll give you an honest opinion of the equipment because he was a former police officer," said Col. Ronald Daniel, chief of the police department's Criminal Investigation Division.

Even though he's not patrolling anymore, Walters recently helped catch a bank robber. The man, a city corrections officer, had bought handcuffs from the store used and them in the robbery. Walnumer's name of such items on

file - helped police trace the handcuffs. The robber eventually was convict-

are from the East Coast, but police officers from as far away as Alaska and Colombia have bought equipment from The Cop Shop. One wall is covered



police items on Sam Walters looks over a handgun at The Cop Shop in Baltithe side, Walters more recently. As Maryland's largest police equipment retailer, his The Cop Shop has become a one-stop shop for area law serial enforcement officers who can get their guns cleaned, buy a new ber and buyfor law enforce nightstick and look over the latest in gadgets.

folds out into a gun.

interview.

Sgt. Ronald Kennedy. "If I need "We like to show the police a specialty item, that's the place officers what's on the streets," Walters said during a recent

> New police officers in Baltimore usually get a uniform, gun and handcuffs. A typical police academy recruit spends about \$150 in the store buying other items, such as different

Most of Walters' customers with police patches from around the world. NEW BRI

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - Doug McClure, who rode his way from teen-age bronco busting to starring roles in such smallscreen westerns as "The Virginian," "The Overland Trail" and "The Men From Shiloh" has died. He was 59.

McClure died of cancer Sunday night at his suburban Sherman Oaks home, said McClure's friend and colleague, Dennis

Survivors include his wife, Diane, children Tane and Valerie McClure; his mother, Clara Clapp, and a brother, Reed. Funeral services were pending.

Nicole's sister returns to stand

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Jurors in the O.J. Simpson trial had the entire weekend to digest Denise Brown's tearful, gripping indictment of the man charged with slashing her sister to death.

She returns to the witness stand today, helping prosecutors lay out a case that Simpson was a violent wife abuser, not the benevolent family man defense attorneys described in their opening statements.

Such emotion-packed testimony can leave a powerful image in the minds of jurors. But don't count the defense out yet, legal experts say.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton was sending Congress today a \$1.61 trillion budget that seeks to appease angry voters by offering modest middle-class tax relief while trimming back hundreds of government programs in the name of efficiency.

will hover close to \$200 billion for the rest of the decade.

Republicans charged that the president ducked making the tough political choices that would have achieved significant deficit reduction.

decision until a management meeting about seven hours before the rendezvous.

Agricultural advances will feed 1 billion people

WASHINGTON (AP) - Super high-yield rice, blight-resistant potatoes, corn bred for the tropics and other agricultural advances will help the world feed a billion more people in 1995 than 20 years ago.

The challenge for the next two decades is to feed twice that many more. In addition, U.N. agencies estimate that 700 million people still are going hun-

It will take more than food aid or the transfer of food from rich countries to poor countries; it will take significant advances in agriculture to feed the world's population in 2015, according to a new U.N. analysis of world agriculture.

The analysis, made in preparation for a Feb. 9-10 agricultural research conference in Lucerne, Switzerland, is critical of non-crisis food aid.

Refugees fleeing Grozny

NAZRAN, Russia (AP) -Jammed into battered buses, cars and canvas-covered trucks, thousands of Chechen families are fleeing their war-ravaged republic amid reports of heavy new shelling in the capital.

The approximately 50,000 people remaining in Grozny — a skeletal fraction of the pre-war population of about 400,000 have no water, heat, or safe way to obtain food, aid workers said Sunday.

Crammed into emergency housing or squeezed into private homes, the Chechen refugees arriving in neighboring Ingushetia at a rate of some 10,000 a week are heavily taxing the already tottering economy.

Nazir Doskiyev, had of the Ingush immigration office, said the refugees had made his republic's population swell by half - from 260,000 to about 400,000.

"Soon there may be a deficit of food, beds and medicine here," he warned Sunday. "If the refugees stay until summer. there may also be an epidemic. These are not reasonable living conditions."

But, Doskiyev said, "We are trying to ensure that no one has to stay on the streets, and no one dies from hunger. So far, it's working."

In Nazran, the Ingush capital, several thousand Chechen refugees occupy railroad cars on sidings, a school and other specially provided housing.

A cow is tied in the yard out-



Two Chechen civilians lay on the ground and one their knees while a Russian OMON officer (special interior ministry troops) checks their documents in Grozny Tuesday. Heavy fighting in and around Grozny continues as Russian forces try to obtain control of the area.

43 people are packed into eight

Each refugee is given free housing, blankets, some food and \$5 by the Russian government — whose army they are

The irony is not lost on the

side one brick building where light sweaters and coats — all they could grab as they fled their besieged homeland.

"I never thought this could be possible — that the Russians would bombard our city and we would be standing here as refugees," said Zaira Kostoyeva, 50, who fled to Nazran with her

Study: Child care centers not meeting children's needs

WASHINGTON (AP) - Most child-care centers, especially those that care for infants and toddlers, do not meet children's needs for health, safety, learning and warm relationships, according to a \$1 million study released today.

The 2-year study, conducted by researchers at four universities, found that most child care is mediocre and "sufficiently poor to interfere with children's emotional and intellectual development."

At one out of every eight centers, the study found, the children's health and safety are threatened. Only one in seven centers provides good quality care that encourages a child's growth.

The study comes as Congress considers welfare reforms that will heighten demand for child care as more single mothers are pushed from the welfare rolls to the work force.

Rep. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., whose hearings last year revealed quality shortcomings in child care, said centers that don't address the learning and developmental needs of children "very often are little more than warehouses."

"The ability to get it right is going to be fundamental to welfare reform," Wyden said.

The study was conducted by researchers from the University of Colorado at Denver, the University of California at Los Angeles, the University of North Carolina, and Yale Uni-

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versity.

The researchers studied 400 day-care centers, evenly divided between for-profit and nonprofit programs, in California, Colorado, Connecticut and North Carolina.

All of the centers were statelicensed. A total of 228 infanttoddler classrooms and 521 preschool classrooms were stud-

Funded by several foundations, the research involved classroom bservation, individual asse ents of 826 children. on-site rviews with center directors, and questionnaires by center staff, directors, teachers and parents.

The study said good quality child care supports a child's positive development. Learning is encouraged in many ways through interesting and fun activities, adults are warming and caring, and the center meets health and safety stan-

The researchers said child care for infants and toddlers is of particular concern.

Of the infant and toddler classrooms observed, only 8 percent were considered good quality.

Race for balanced budget amendment votes goes to the wire

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate enters its second week of But Clinton's budget leaves debate on the balanced budget virtually untouched the govern- amendment with Democrats

needed votes will go down to the

ment's fast growing benefit pro-demanding to know how the necessary to balance the budget grams in his fiscal 1996 budget, budget will be balanced and would devastate programs for which means the budget deficit Republicans saying the race for the elderly, veterans and the

Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., the principal opponent of the constitutional amendment, said Sunday that making the cuts

Byrd said he would not try to budget.

stall action on the amendment, as he did last month on legisla-

tion to end unfunded federal mandates but promised it would take another "three or four or five weeks" to make sure Americans understood the consequences of requiring a balanced

likely to propose changes in the amendment that would exempt Social Security from future bud-Republicans label both as go to the states.

This week, Democrats are diversionary tactics meant to prevent passage of the amend-The House passed the amend-

get considerations and demand ment on Jan. 26 by 300-132, eight that Congress explain what cuts votes more than the two-thirds will be made to balance the bud- amajority needed. If 67 senators

U.S., China working HORSE RACING? to avoid a trade war BEIJING (AP) - China and the United States both want to avoid a damaging trade war, and the question now is whether they will find a way jing said today. out before a deadline in less The last round of talks broke

than three weeks. Although the products that

would double in price under punitive tariffs announced by Washington are only a small part of China's total exports, an escalating trade war could be serious for both sides. The United States is using the

threat of sanctions to try to get China to respect copyrights and other legal protection of music, movies and computer software. The United States said Satur-

day it would impose 100 percent tariffs on \$1.08 billion worth of Chinese products. The amount is roughly equal to what American businesses say they lose because of Chinese piracy.

China immediately said it would retaliate with its own sanctions if the tariffs go into effect as scheduled on Feb. 26.

U.S. and Chinese officials are discussing a date for new talks on protecting intellectual property rights, a U.S. official in Bei-

down on Jan. 28, just before China's weeklong lunar New Year holiday.

China agreed in a memorandum of understanding with the United States in 1992 that it 8 would protect copyrights and intellectual property rights. China argues that it has made huge progress in enforcing new laws to protect those



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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1995

Big Spring at Andrews (G/B, 6/7:30)

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SCOREBOARD

SPORTS IN **BRIEF**

Big Spring track team debuts

It was just for practice, but the Big Spring High School boys' track team won nine of 11 events in a dual meet with Midland High School Friday at Blankenship Field.

Distances were shortened, and some events were cancelled because of time constraints, but BSHS coach Randy Britton was pleased with his team's perfor-

Britton noted several firsttimers on the team did well in their debuts. Jason Roberts won both the shot put and the discus, while Brien Burchett and Dustin Waters both competed in the winning 400-meter and mile

Others winning their events included Joe Franklin in the 800 run and Randy Fari, who won both the 60 and 150 runs.

Big Spring girls 11th at tournament

SAN ANGELO - The Big Spring High School girls' golf team opened its season by finishing in 11th place at Friday and Saturday's San Angelo

Defending state Class 5A champion San Angelo Central won the team title with a twoday score of 672.

Big Spring's two-day score was 398-395 (793). Individual scores included: Kelly Hollar, 190; Stephanie Waggoner, 194; Jennifer Broadrick, 195; Alicia Wood, 220; and Vanessa Billaba,

BSHS tennis team opens in Odessa

The Big Spring High School tennis team had a rough beginaning to the season but quickly made up for it Saturday.

In its first match, BSHS lost 12-1 to Odessa Permian. BSHS had several players competing in USTA tournaments; some of its top players did not go to

Big Spring beat Odessa High 6-1 later in the day. Another highlight for the team was Heidi McIntyre's win at the Lubbock Zone Area tournament. McIntyre will get a United State Tennis Association state ranking - she beat Mandi Moss of Levelland in the semis 4-6, 6-4, 6-3, then beat Crystal Smith of Abilene Cooper 6-2, 6-0 in the finals.

Odessa Permian 12, Big Spring 1

Boys' singles Hsiao-Hsuan Li (B) d. Lance Pickett 6-4, 6-3 Chris Late (P) d. Colby Wegman 6-3, 6-1. Weston Hudson (P) d. Jeff Moss 6-2, 6-1. Wes Wells (P) d. Amador Gonzales 6-0, 6-1 Eric Hansen d. Brad Moore 1-1 Brad Moore I. Erik Hansen 1-

Pickett/Wells (P) d. Li/Wegman 4-6, 6-4, 6-2. Late/Hudson (P) d. Moss/Gonzales 6-0, 6-1

Jenn Robinson (P) d. Maria Villarreal 4-6, 7-6 Melissa Hodges(P) d. Monica Villarreal 6-0, 6-2. Courtney Edwards (P) d. Teresa Lee 6-0, 6-0. Keely McMinn (P) d. Kristina Vera 6-1, 6-0.

Robinson/Hodges (P) d. Villarreal/Villarreal 6-0,

Edwards/Robinson (P) d. Lee/Vera 6-3, 6-4. Big Spring 6, Odessa 1

Boys' singles Li (B) d. Henry Gonzalez 3-6, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4. Wegman (B) d. Robert Stakely 6-1, 6-1. oore (B) d. Josh Sadler 6-3, 0-6, 6-4.

Villarreal/Villareal (B) d. Kelly Blunt/Karen

Setting the standard

Coach has elevated Lady Steer basketball to dominance

By STEVE REAGAN Sportswriter

No one's ever accused Ron Taylor of being perfect, but no one's ever accused him of being a loser, either.

Catch any Big Spring girls' basketball game, and you'll see Taylor, in full bloom, prowling... the Lady Steers' sideline. He is a study in intensity: constantly moving; shouting instructions, encouragement and/or criticism at his players; taking issue with referees.

His vocabis impeccable rarely degenerating beyond an occasional "Dang it" but his volimpressive. No hidden

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microphones are needed to hear what's on Taylor's mind. As assistant girls coach Traci

Pierce said, "He's not real sub-"I take the game very seriously," Taylor said. "I'm real

intense ... and I expect my players to be the same way." Make no, mistake, however: Taylor is no Bobby Knight clone just waiting to explode.

He criticizes his players when they make a mistake, but he is just as quick to praise them when they do something good.

His players know this, and to hear them talk, one gets the impression they'd walk through fire for the man.

Junior Robin Wise perhaps said it best: "There's nothing I don't like about him.'

"He's very determined," senior Laura Elrod said. "He knows what he wants and how to get it out of his players. He's very in control of everything happening on and off the floor, but he can also be a sweet guy,

Taylor's system demands a lot from his point guards, which means BSHS senior Kristi Birrell has been on the receiving end of a few Taylor barbs.

"If you're not doing good, he'll push you to make you better, and he doesn't care if you want to do it or not," Birrell said. "During practices and games, he's so intense, but he really has a sense of humor, too."

Through Friday's win over Monahans, Taylor has amassed a 347-99 won-loss record (a 78 percent winning average) in 16 seasons as a basketball coach. During his career, which has included stops at Forsan, Big Lake and Big Spring, his teams have failed to make the playoffs only once. The funny thing is, he began coaching girls' basketball almost grudgingly.

His first coaching job was at Forsan Junior High in 1975 as head of the boys' football, track and basketball programs. Four years later, he was set to become the head coach of the high school football team when the girls' coaching job became

Taylor said: "I had just taken the head football job at Forsan, and I thought coaching girls on top of that would be too much. But the girls came to me and



Big Spring girls' basketball coach Ron Taylor coaches from the Steer Gym sidelines Friday in the Lady Steers' win over Monahans. Taylor is in his fourth season coaching at BSHS, and during

asked me to reconsider, so I

his tenure the Lady Steers have lost just one district game.

Taylor coached both the football and girls' basketball teams for two years before deciding to concentrate solely on basketball. Four years at Forsan brought four district championships and four trips to the Class A regional tournament.

He left Forsan in 1983 to take the head coaching job at Reagan County High School. The girls' team had never made the playoffs before Taylor's arrival, but

made the postseason every year he was there except one.

In 1991, an opportunity to be closer to his parents (they live in Ackerly) brought Taylor to Big Spring - and another reclamation project. The previous year, the Lady Steers had gone 5-21 and were picked by many to finish last in their district.

That team responded with a 21-8 record and the first of four consecutive district championships under Taylor, who has won 83 of 108 games since coming to Big Spring. Taylor's BSHS teams have lost only one district game.

Coaching is a nomadic lifestyle, and Taylor doesn't rule out moving to another school sometime in the future. He adds, however, that such a move is not in his immediate plans.

"When I get the feeling that it's time, it's time," he said. "But I haven't set a timetable here. When it's time to go, I'll know."

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■ Even the White House isn't helping baseball

WASHINGTON (AP) - Not even the prodding, poking and pushing of President Clinton can produce peace in baseball.

Ordered by Clinton back to the bargaining table for one more try at settling the oftenhostile strike, all that players and owners could do Sunday was bicker.

So today, only 10 days before the scheduled start of spring training, mediator W.J. Usery will present terms of a settlement to Clinton at 5 p.m. EST. Usery's terms could be used

as the basis for special legislation Congress could pass to impose an agreement and get baseball back on the field without replacement players.

The president had set today as a deadline for either significant

End zone

prayer



Labor Secretary Robert Reich, left, and baseball mediator W.J. Usery walk to a meeting in Washington Sunday night. They had just left a meeting with President Clinton. Baseball owners and players failed to settle the strike by Clinton's deadline - today forcing Usery to make his own proposal.

with neither in sight, Clinton asked Usery to make a solution. The sides budged just a few

thousand dollars during last week's talks and remained \$2 billion apart in the seven-year span of the owners' proposed deal

Clinton, who presents his \$1.61 trillion budget to Congress today, still made time to meet with Usery and Labor Secretary Robert Reich for 45 minutes

progress or a settlement. But Sunday in the Oval Office. Told that owners and players were far apart, the president refused to take no for answer. Usery, though, couldn't persuade the sides to even talk together.

Rather, about an hour after the union ended its 45-day signing freeze, owners responded by prohibiting teams from signing players to contracts. It was the kind of back-and-forth barking that has marked the 25-monthlong talks.

Houston St. 63 Haley might not retire after all

DALLAS (AP) - Cowboys chances of signing seven sack leader Charles Haley isn't making any promises, but he has indicated for the first time that he could return for a fourth season, The Dallas Morning News reported in Monday edi-When asked Sunday about his

plan to retire, Haley said, 'Anything can change." He has promised a meeting with coach Barry Switzer and team owner Jerry Jones, possibly this week. He made the comments after

competing for Switzer as the NFC suffered a 41-13 Pro Bowl loss at Aloha Stadium in Honolulu. The statement was his first since he announced his retirement to teammates and media in the locker room after the Cowboys lost the NFC championship game to the San Francisco 49ers. "I need to sit down with Jerry

and Barry and see what's going on. If I feel like I want to play, I'll play," Haley said.

Cowboys vice president Stephen Jones said he thinks Haley announced retirement plans because of speculation the Cowboys might approach him about accepting a pay cut that would improve the team's

starters scheduled to become free agents. But Jones said he is opti-

mistic Haley will return.



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he really wants play. But if he — or anyone else on our football team - came to us and

wanted to talk about an extension, we'd look at it," he said. Jones said the team could pursue a multiyear contract extension for the four-time Pro Bowl performer. The Cowboys could reduce the \$1.7 million impact

their \$35.21 million salary cap. Haley, 31, recorded 12 1/2 sacks last season, his highest total since he was the 1990 NFC Defensive Player of the Year with the 49ers.

Haley is scheduled to have on

Switzer said the Cowboys must determine Haley's status before they can complete their off-season plans.

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SHOT OF THE DAY



Minnesota Vikings wide receiver Cris Carter kneels in the end zone after scoring a touchdown for NFC the Sunday's Pro Bowl. Carter should have prayed more - the AFC won 41-13.

TEXAS SPORTS

Rockets slam Suns

PHOENIX (AP) — The Houston Rockets won 124-100 on Sunday, embarrassing the Phoenix Suns a second straight time before a national audience. New York routed the Suns 107-88 on national TV the previous weekend. Hakeem Olajuwon had 28 points. The Rockets hit 12 of 24 3-pointers.

Tech loses on the diamond

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Arizona State starter Kalpo Spenser pitched a five-hitter and designated hitter Damon Lembi hit a three-run double in the seventh inning to break a 2-2 tie as the Sun Devils defeated Texas Tech 5-2 Sunday. Tech lost two of three in. the weekend series.

NATION/WORLD

Yachting win streak ended

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Young America rallied during the last leg to defeat Stars & Stripes on the America's Cup defender course, ending a five-race victory streak for Dennis Conner's boat.

Americans win in Davis Cup

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) - Todd Martin shifted to a charge-and-volley game Sunday that overpowered Guy Forget and gave the U.S. team the decisive victory in a 4-1 triumph over France.

Martin boomed 20 aces and charged the net 63 times in the 6-3, 7-6 (7-3), 7-6 (7-5) victory over Forget that gave the United States an insurmountable 3-1 lead in the best-of-5-matches format. The U.S. will play Italy in the second round.

ON THE AIR

Basketball

College Pittsburgh at Connecticut, 6:30 p.m., ESPN (ch. 30). Kansas at Oklahoma State, 8:30 p.m., ESPN. Tulsa at New Mexico State, 11 p.m., ESPN.

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I have always been partial to figure skating because it's a sport that combines dance, ballet, acting, interpretation, and athletic ability (like that of a gymnast). Hours of practice are rolled into a four-minute performance that is then left in the hands of several judges. That's where I draw my line with the sport!

The sport is considered the marquee event of the Winter Olympics, and it's one sport where the female athletes are the drawing card and not the

I recently watched a competition of professional skaters that included female skaters Medori Ito, Kristi Yamaguchi, Yuko Sato and Katarina Witt, and male skaters Paul Wylie, Brian Boitano, Scott Hamilton, and Kurt Browning.

You have to follow the sport to recognize some of the names, but all of the skaters have their own style and particular interpretations to rules that determine the scores they receive from judges.

In amateur competitions a skater receives a score on a six-point scale (6.0 being the best), and professional skaters are judged on a 10-point scale.

The bothersome thing is, figure skating is more subjective than most other sports, and contrary to popular belief, at any given competition not every skater can win.

Judges will score a skater based on reputation and what his or her year has been like in terms of success, but what gets me most is judges, as well as commentators, will decide to give a skater a low score to make room for the more reputable skaters who usually draw the later competition

In other words, a lesserknown skater could give the greatest performance of alltime and not be rewarded for it because he or she doesn't have the résumé (world title, national titles or Olympic medals) some of the other skaters have.

If you're the best on a particular day, you should be rewarded for it.

There are several great skaters in the sport, some better than others, but they all should have the opportunity to go for the gusto and not be penalized for lack of a reputa-

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BASKETBALL

NBA Standings

Atlantic Divis	olon	1		
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Orlando	36	10	.783	-
New York	29	15	.659	6
Boston	18	27	.400	17 1/2
New Jersey	18	30	.375	19
Miami	16	29	.356	19 1/2
Philadelphia	14	32	.304	22
Washington				
Central Divis	sion			
Charlotte	30	16	.652	_
Cleveland	27	18	.600	2 1/2
Indiana	26	18	.591	3
Chicago				
Atlanta	20	26	.435	10
Detroit	16	27	.372	12 1/2
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Utah	34	12	.739	-
San Antonio	29	14	.674	3 1/2
Houston	28	15	.651	4 1/2

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Denver	20	24	.455	13
Dallas	18	26	.409	15
Minnesota		35	.222	23 1/2
Pacific Divis				
Phoenix	36	10	.783	-
Seattle	32	11	.744	2 1/2
L.A. Lakers	27	16	.628	7 1/2
Sacramento	25	19	.568	10
Portland	23	20	.535	11 1/2
Golden State	13	30	.302	21 1/2
L.A. Clippers	7	39	.152	29
Saturday's G	ame	8		
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Cleveland 82, Indiana 73 Detroit 84, Atlanta 78 Boston 92, New Jersey 78 Philadelphia 102, Milwaukee 96 as 119, Utah 98 San Antonio 97, Sacram

L.A. Lakers 121, L.A. Clippers 118 Sunday's Games Orlando 103, New York 100, OT Seattle 136, Miami 109 Charlotte 111, Washington 105 Houston 124, Phoenix 100 Boston 115, Minnesota 82 Chicago 97, Golden State 93 Monday's Games

Detroit at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m. Atlanta at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m. Houston at Portland, 10 p.m. Tuesday's Games aukee at New York, 7:30 p.m. Philadelphia at Cleveland, 7:30

Indiana at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m. Washington at Detroit, 7:30 p.m. Golden State at Minnesota, 8 p.m. Phoenix at Dallas, 8:30 p.m. L.A. Lakers at Denver, 9 p.m. San Antonio at Seattle, 10 p.m Utah at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

College Scores

Ark.-Little Rock 70, Texas-Pan Nicholls St. 77, SW Texas St. 65 Stephen F. Austin 66, Sam Texas 88, Rice 56 Texas A&M 80 Baylor 70

Texas Tech 107, Texas Christian Texas-El Paso 65, Utah 61 Texas-San Antonio 96, McNees

Tulsa 70, W. Kentucky 68 **FAR WEST** Arizona 91, Washington 65 Brigham Young 74, New Mexico

Colorado St. 78, Fresno St. 60 Gonzaga 93, Pepperdine 67 Hawaii 65, San Diego St. 58 Idaho 79, Montana St. 70 Idaho St. 78, Boise St. 68 Long Beach St. 62, Utah St. 50 Montana 74, E. Washington 65 New Mexico St. 102, UC Irvine 77 Pacific 73, San Jose St. 56 Portland 71, Loyola Marymount 61 Sacramento St. 74, Cal Poly-SLO

Santa Clara 80, San Francisco 63 St. Mary's, Cal. 72, San Diego 68 Stanford 95, Oregon St. 82 UC Santa Barbara 80, Nevada 68 UNLV 69, Cal St.-Fullerton 53 Weber St. 72, N. Arizona 63 Wyoming 70, Air Force 55

SOUTH Ala.-Birmingham 70, St. Louis 54 American U. 79, East Carolina 65 Austin Peay 73, Tenn.-Martin 59 Bethune-Cookman 95, Florida

Centenary 70, Fla. International 68 Charleston Southern 61, N.C.-Asheville 57

Clemson 51, Duke 44 Coastal Carolina 88, Erskine 64 Coll. of Charleston 68, Samford 66 Coppin St. 79, Howard U. 63 E. Kentucky 78, Murray St. 75 Furman 76, Appalachian St. 60 Georgia 72, Alabama 58 Georgia St. 77, Campbell 66 Georgia Tech 100, Maryland 91

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LSU 56, Tennessee 52 Louisiana Tech 70, Arkansas St.

Louisville 71, Tulane 56 Marshall 76, Citadel 62 Md.-Baltimore County 62, Liberty

Mercer 87, Stetson 82 Miami 67, Georgetown 61 Miss. Valley St. 95, Alcorn St. 91,

Mississippi 77, Auburn 75 Mississippi St. 83, Arkansas 62 Morehead St. 80, SE Missouri 49

N. Carolina A&T 70, Md.-E. Shore N.C.-Wilmington 83, George NE Louisiana 76. North Texas 69

North Carolina 82, N. Carolina St. Radford 76, Towson St. 62 Richmond 66, William & Mary 64 SE Louisiana 91, Cent. Florida 90 SW Louisiana 66, Jacksonville 62

South Carolina 76, Vanderbilt 74 South Florida 72, N.C. Charlotte Southern Miss. 74, Va Commonwealth 66

Southern U. 103, Grambling St. 86 Tennessee Tech 79, Tennessee Texas Southern 78, Alabama St.

Texas-Arlington 75, NW Louisiana Tn.-Chattanooga 87, E. Tennessee St. 76 VMI 84, Georgia Southern 79

Virginia 76, Florida St. 63, OT Virginia Tech 79, Florida Atlantic W. Carolina 69, Davidson 68

Wake Forest 68, Winthrop 54 **MIDWEST** Bowling Green 79, Kent 76 Chicago St. 90, Youngstown St.

E. Michigan 86, Akron 71 Evansville 85, Creighton 54 III.-Chicago 94, Wright St. 83 Illinois St. 83, Wichita St. 82, OT Indiana 88, Northwestern 67 Kansas 91, Iowa St. 71 Miami, Ohio 80, Ohio U. 69 Michigan St. 67, Ohio St. 58 Minnesota 80, Michigan 58 Missouri 77, Kansas St. 60 N. Illinois 89, Wis.-Milwaukee 61 N. Iowa 77, Indiana St. 76 S. Illinois 79, Drake 74 SW Missouri St. 68, Bradley 65 Toledo 82, Ball St. 62 Valparaiso 78, Mo.-Kansas City 57 W. Illinois 85, E. Illinois 69

Wis.-Green Bay 61, Butler 60 Wisconsin 73, Illinois 60 Xavier, Ohio 72, Detroit 65 EAST

W. Michigan 71, Cent. Michigan

Bucknell 77, Army 59 Buffalo 56, NE Illinois 52 Colgate 88, Holy Cross 74 Connecticut 99, St. John's 82 Cornell 71, Harvard 61 Dartmouth 77, Columbia 57 Fordham 76, Lehigh 64 George Washington 78 Massachusetts 75 Hartford 79, Vermont 65 lona 99, Loyola, Md. 80 La Salle 92, Loyola, III. 71 Long Island U. 76, Monmouth, N.J. 5

Marist 65. Fairfield 53 Mount St. Mary's, Md. 81, Robert

Morris 62 Navy 84, Lafayette 70 New Hampshire 83, Maine 70 Northeastern 83, Boston U. 63 Penn 95, Brown 83 Penn St. 74, Iowa 64 Princeton 58, Yale 42 Seton Hall 82, Boston College 75 St. Bonaventure 69, Rhode Island

St. Francis, Pa. 67, Rider 66 St. Joseph's 71, West Virginia 65 Troy St. 100, Cent. Connecticut St.

Villanova 79, Pittsburgh 76, OT Wagner 75, St. Francis, NY 58

Top 25 Scores

How the top 25 teams in The Associated Press' men's college bas-1. Massachusetts (17-2) beat St.

Bonaventure 79-62; beat St. Joseph's 74-62; lost to George Washington 78-2. North Carolina (18-1) beat Duke

102-100, 2OT; beat North Carolina 3. Kansas (17-2) beat Colorado 99-77; beat No. 11 lowa State 91-71

4. Connecticut (17-1) beat Miami 82-57; beat St. John's 99-82. 5. Maryland (17-4) beat No. 15 Virginia 71-62; lost to No. 21 Georgia

6. Kentucky (15-3) beat South Carolina 90-72; beat No. 10 Syracuse 77-71 7. UCLA (14-2) beat Southern

8. Arkansas (17-5) beat LSU 105 81; lost to Mississippi State 83-62. 9. Michigan State (16-2) beat Penn State 82-62; beat Ohio State

10. Syracuse (16-3) beat No. 13 Georgetown 76-75; lost to No. 6

Kentucky 77-71. 11. Iowa State (17-5) lost to No. 18 Missouri 80-71; lost to No. 24 Oklahoma 79-78; lost to No. 3

12. Arizona (17-4) beat Washington State 84-76; beat Washington 91-65.

13. Georgetown (14-5) lost to No 10 Syracuse 76-75; lost to Miami 67-14. Wake Forest (14-4) beat North

Carolina State 69-61; beat Winthrop 15. Virginia (13-6) lost to No. 5 Maryland 71-62; beat Florida State 76-63, OT.

16. Arizona State (16-5) beat Washington 78-73, OT; beat Washington State 87-60. 17. Stanford (15-3) beat No. 22 Oregon 92-87; beat Oregon State 95-

18. Missouri (16-3) beat No. 11 Iowa State 80-71; beat Kansas State 77-60

19. Villanova (15-5) beat St. Johr 's 78-62; beat Pittsburgh 79-76,

20. Alabama (15-5) beat Auburn 65-63; lost to Georgia 72-58. 21. Georgia Tech (15-6) beat Clemson 80-50; beat No. 5 Maryland

Stanford 92-87; beat California 94-86. 23. Cincinnati (15-8) lost to Memphis 74-69, OT; lost to Marguette 59-52 24. Oklahoma (16-5) beat No. 11

22. Oregon (13-5) lost to No. 17

lowa State 79-78, lost to Nebraska 25. Florida (10-7) lost to Mississippi State 70-47.

TABC Boys' Polls

WACO, Texas (AP) - The weekly high school basketball poll as compiled by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches. Records are through Feb. 4.

1. San Antonio East Central 26-0 2. Beaumont West Brook 26-2 3. Duncanville 27-2 4. Converse Judson 23-3 5. Plano 23-4 6. Galena Park North Shore 26-3 7. Arlington Martin 24-4

8. Tyler John Tyler 23-5 9. Lubbock Coronado 25-3 10. Garland South Garland 20-5 Class 4A 1. Port Arthur Lincoln 26-3 2. Austin Anderson 27-1

3. Dallas Lincoln 26-2 4. McKinney 22-5 5. Levelland 25-4 6. Bay City 28-2 7. Austin Reagan 25-6

8. Dallas A. Maceo Smith 21-4 9. Justin Northwest 25-3 10. Pampa 22-6 Class 3A 1. Graham 27-0

2. Madisonville 27-1 3. Clarksville 24-2 4. Daingerfield 23-3 5. Seminole 26-3 6. Shallowater 23-3 7. Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 22-

9. Atlanta 15-2 10. Corpus Christi West Oso 24-5 Class 2A

1. Troup 29-0 2. Wolfe City 24-4 3. Winnie East Chambers 24-4 4. Comfort 25-1 5. Edgewood 24-4

6. Springlake-Earth 21-4 7. Whitewright 21-4 8. Archer City 20-3 9. La Rue La Poyner 22-3 10. Maypearl 24-3

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9. Lipan 25-4 10. Calvert 22-4 **TABC Girls' Polls**

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6. Austin Westlake 29-4 7. Conroe 24-3 8. Longview 29-3 Houston Yates 23-4 10. Mesquite North Mesquite 27-3 Class 4A

1. Canyon 26-1 2. Cleburne 29-2 3. Levelland 27-2 4. Dallas Lincoln 26-2

5. Silsbee 29-1 6. Burkburnett 21-4

7. Carthage 24-4 9. Canyon Randall 22-5

10. Fredericksburg 26-3 Class 3A . Bowie 28-1 2. Farmersville 25-0

3. Lindale 26-3 4. Mont Belvieu Barbers Hill 27-6 5. New Boston 26-1 6. Buna 25-2 7. Llano 24-2

8. Groesbeck 27-3 9. Abilene Wylie 22-5 10. Daingerfield 21-3 Class 2A 1. Panhandle 26-1

2. Cooper 24-3 3. Gunter 26-2 4. Ozona 26-1 5. El Maton Tidehaven 25-4 6. Winters 22-5

7. Godley 25-2 B. Valley Mills 26-3 9. Bloomington 24-8 10. Hart 20-8

Class A Sudan 30-0 2, Lipan 26-3 3. Alvord 25-3 4. Ponder 29-1

6. Celeste 27-2 7. Laneville 24-4 8. Meadow 19-7 9. Whitharral 24-1

5. Port Aransas 25-4

10. Agua Dulce 25-3

HOCKEY

NHL Standings National Hockey League All Times EST

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St. Louis 7, Dallas 4 Calgary 4, Toronto 1 Los Angeles 4, Detroit 3 Sunday's Games Quebec 3, Hartford Chicago 9, Vancouver 4 Buffalo 2, Tampa Bay 1 Pittsburgh 3, New Jersey 3, tie Anaheim 3, Los Angeles 2

Monday's Games Philadelphia at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m. San Jose at Toronto, 7:30 p.m. Winnipeg at Calgary, 9:30 p.m.

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PGA Senior Tour KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. (AP) -

Final scores and money winnings Sunday of the \$850,000 Royal Caribbean Classic on the 6,725-yard par-71 The Links at Key Biscayne course (x-won on first hole of sudden-death playoff): x-J.C.Snead,\$127,50069-75-65-209

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ROCKETS ROLL



Houston's Pete Chilcutt strips a rebound from Phoenix's Charles Barkley Sunday. Houston won 124-100.

At least the AFC can win Pro Bowl

HONOLULU (AP) — Marshall Faulk, at 21 the youngest player and the only rookie in the 1995 Pro Bowl, probably will appear in more of the NFL all-star games over the course of his

And he'll probably never have another game like his first one. Breaking a record by O.J. Simpson that was set one year

before Faulk was born, the nated the NFC on both sides of Indianapolis Colts' star ran for 180 yards on 13 carries — an astounding average of 14.8 yards per carry — Sunday as the AFC overwhelmed the NFC 41-13 in the Pro Bowl.

Earlier in the week, Faulk could hardly believe he was on the same practice field with the all-stars.

"These are guys that I've watched on TV," he said. "Now I get the opportunity to play with them.' He not only played with them,

he was the best of the NFL's

best, earning the Pro Bowl MVP

award for his record-breaking performance against the NFC's finest defenders. In addition to bettering Simpson's long-standing Pro Bowl rushing record of 112 yards, which Simpson accom-

plished on 16 carries, Faulk

caught two passes for 27 yards.

And he first matched Lawrence McCutcheon's 1976 record for longest Pro Bowl run with a 41-yarder early in the final quarter, then rewrote the mark with a 49-yard TD run in the closing minutes of the The AFC, which has taken its

licks in the Super Bowl over the past 11 years, completely domithe ball in winning the Pro Bowl for the third time in five vears. Seattle's Chris Warren also went over Simpson's rushing

mark with 127 yards on 14 car-

ries for the AFC, which rolled up Pro Bowl record of 400 yards rushing and 552 yards of total offense. The AFC defense, with linebacker Junior Seau of San Diego logging seven tackles,

Warren had the rushing record late in the game, but Faulk capped his afternoon when he reeled off his 49-yard TD run off a fake punt in the closing minutes of the game at Aloha Stadium.

gave up just 209 yards of offense

to the NFC, only 41 yards rush-

\$20,000 each for the win and the NFC players got \$10,000 apiece.

The AFC players earned



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PITY THE T-WOLVES



Minnesota's Isaiah Rider (34) and Christian Laettner walk off the court after losing 115-82 at Boston Sunday. The loss dropped the Timberwolves to 10-35.

UIL proposal draws the ire of churches

DALLAS (AP) — A proposal to make it easier to reschedule high school athletic events on Sunday in the event of bad from church leaders.

Baptists have led a protest movement that has succeeded in forcing the University Interscholastic League to take next guy, another look at an amendment that was last approved ular October and needed only rati- ers? fication next week by the State

Education. The UIL, which oversees academic and athletic activities among Texas public high schools, sent letters last week to its 28 legislative members, asking them if they still support the change, which they

Board

approved four months ago. Under UIL rules, no competitions can be scheduled on a Sunday, but can be rescheduled for Sunday if the event is a regional or state tournament

that was postponed because of weather or disaster, provided all schools involved give their consent. The recent amendment weather has run into resistance, would allow tournament directors to reschedule events on Sunday even

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Bill Farney, director of athletics for the UIL. Farney said the UIL has not received any responses to its letter. Church leaders who oppose Sunday competition say

their concern isn't with the costs or missed class time. "I'm for saving money as much as the next guy, but what

about the kids who are regular churchgoers?" said Steve Vogl, minister at the Church of Christ in Gilmer.

Jacobsen ends victory drought at Pebble Beach

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) Peter Jacobsen, beset by injuries last season, ended a five-year victory drought Sunday by making seven birdies to overtake playing partner Kenny Perry and win the AT&T National Pro-Am by two strokes.

Jacobsen's final round of 65 gave him a 17-under 271 for the tournament. David Duval had a 273 and Perry, who held a threestroke lead over Jacobsen heading into Sunday's round, tied with Davis Love III at 275.

Jacobsen broke the tournament record of 273 set by Tom Watson in 1977.

The duo of pro Bruce Vaughan and amateur Masashi Yamada won the team competition with a 37-under 251. The team of pro Scott Simpson and comedian Bill Murray, which attracted the loudest crowds and biggest laughs throughout the weekend, was eight strokes

Jack Nicklaus, who won the tournament in 1967, 1972 and 1973, finished seven strokes back with 278. He and son Steve were third best among the proam teams with a 33-under 255. With a cool mist blowing in

from the Pacific Ocean, homeowners along the Pebble Beach course sipped champagne on their patios while watching the final round.

Jacobsen's victory was his first since early 1990, and the \$252,000 winner's check represents more than his total prize money in any of the last three

Last year Jacobsen missed the start of the season after cutting two fingers on his right hand while playing with his children. Later in the year he was bothered by pulled rib muscles. He finished 88th on the PGA Tour money list.

In his two previous tournaments this year, Jacobsen finished tied for 47th in Hawaii and missed the cut in Phoenix.

Perry's three-stroke overnight lead lasted only a few minutes. He bogeyed the first hole and Jacobsen made three straight birdies to open the round, tak-ing the lead for good at 13-under on the third hole.

HOROSCOPE

FOR TUESDAY, FEB. 7, 1995 ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your expenses may be a bit outrageous; consider your alternatives when dealing with them. Stay on top of a situation and you'll feel good. Listen to instincts and you will be A-OK. Be careful with temper tantrums; they could cause you problems. Tonight: Be reasonable. ***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You need to negotiate and be flexible. Partners may be difficult. Detachment and openmindedness will help you succeed. Opportunities for renewal make you happy. Touch base with another. Stay in sync with your needs. Tonight: Let your personality shine. ****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Kick back and gain information. Communications could be difficult if you make snap judgments. Stay centered, and remain positive about your options. Do not feel limited. Follow through on important matters. A loved one shows care. Tonight: Vanish. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Zero in on goals. A friendship means much, but don't let it cause you to risk financially. Stay on top of the situation, and make sure a demand is reasonable. Partners are there for you, and creative brainstorming with them brings results. Tonight: Hang out with friends.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Take the lead in a key situation, and feel good about what's being offered. Be aware of bottom lines, be happy-go-lucky and listen to your instincts. A change is necessary. Be sensitive to your options. Be positive. Tonight: Make a must appearance. ****

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):You gain insight. You do not need to lose your temper to make a point. Listen carefully to your intuition, and follow through. A loved one shares deep dreams with you; be responsive lose your temper. ****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A what's being offered. RUS anchors you. Understanding comes through choices. ****

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):

Friends are difficult, and you might need to look at priorities. Do not push yourself away. Remember what makes you happy. An opportunity for enlightenment arrives. Communications are intuitive today. Say yes to a partner. Tonight: Don't stand on ceremony. ****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Work hard. You get much accomplished because of your ability to talk things through and stay on top of a problem. Be more creative in how you approach someone who is at a distance. You might not like what you hear, but deal with it. Tonight: Dress up. ****

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You need to deal with a situation differently. Be more understanding of what's happening around you, and give others the benefit of the doubt. Opportunities for understanding are strong. A partner may cause unexpected expenses. Tonight: Be playful. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You want to settle in and handle important domestic chores and conversations. Others appreciate your caring. Be willing to discuss a situation on a more meaningful level. Your understanding makes all the difference. Tonight: Tune in to another's request. ****
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):

Your more expressive side comes out, even if a partner is on the warpath. You need to be clearer abut your expectations to prevent misunderstanding. Approach life in a more positive manner and you'll benefit. Tonight: Go to a favorite hangout. ****

IF FEB. 7 IS YOUR BIRTH-**DAY: Tension often surrounds** you this year. You might need to revamp your approach to difficult situations. Creative options will abound, and as a result, you will be able to proceed on a positive level. Be aware of what others are asking. If you are single, you meet to this energy. Tonight: Don't people through your inner circle or a family member. If attached: Focus needs to be on friend may hurt you by keeping family; avoid fighting at all plans tentative. Stay centered, costs; learn to understand what and know what you need to do. is expected of you; better com-Be more flexible. Listen to munications are critical. TAU-

THE ASTERISKS (*) SHOW your ability to negotiate. THE KIND OF DAY YOU'LL Tonight: Be sensible in your HAVE: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult.

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Abigail Van Buren Columnist

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The Court may reject any or all bids submitted. For more information, contact Alan Dierschke, County Treasurer, 915 354-2415 Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

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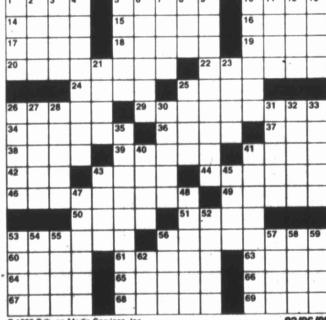
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This date in history

Today is Monday, Feb. 6, the 37th day of 1995. There are 328 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Feb. 6, 1895, baseball legend Babe Ruth was born in Baltimore.

On this date: In 1756, America's third vice president, Aaron Burr, was

born in Newark, N.J. In 1778, the United States won official recognition from France

as the two nations signed a pair of treaties in Paris.

1788. Massachusetts became the sixth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution. In 1815, the state of New Jer-

sey issued the first American railroad charter to John Stevens, who proposed a rail link between Trenton and New Brunswick. (The line, however, was never built.)

In 1899, a peace treaty between the United States and Spain was ratifled by the U.S. Senate.

In 1933, the 20th Amendment to the Constitution — the "lame duck" amendment which moved the start of presidential, vicepresidential and congressional terms from March to January

was declared in effect.

In 1943, a Los Angeles jury acquitted actor Errol Flynn of three counts of statutory rape.

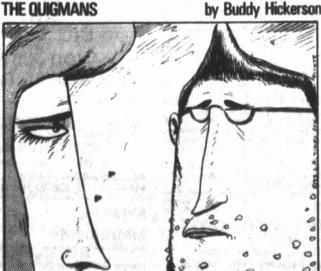
In 1952, Britain's King George VI died; he was succeeded to the throne by his daughter, Elizabeth II.

In 1959, the United States successfully test-fired for the first time a Titan intercontinental ballistic missile from Cape Canaveral.

Today's Birthdays: Former President Ronald Reagan is 84. Actress Zsa Zsa Gabor is 78. Actor Patrick Macnee is 73. Actor Rip Torn is 64. Actress Mamie Van Doren is 62. Actor Mike Farrell is 56. NBC news anchorman Tom Brokaw is 55. Singer Fabian Forte is 52. Actress Gayle Hunnicutt is 52. Singer Natalie Cole is 46.

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