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School board revises policy guide, gives Wise big send-off



Dan Wise, center, talks to friends during a reception in his honor at the Big Spring school district board room Monday afternoon. Wise resigned Monday after a 13-year school board tenure.

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

The Big Spring Independent School District policy guidebook dropped a few pounds Monday

Trustees rescinded several outdated policies during a meeting that saw the end of Dan Wise's 13-year career with the board. Wise resigned to spend more time with his business ventures.

The axed policies covered a variety of topics including guidelines on summer school, award of credit, grading, correspondence courses and examination credit. The reason the policies were rescinded is simple: The trustees had no choice.

"New state policies supersede these old policies." so we must rescind them," assistant superintendent Murray Murphy said.

Because the state gives local districts a certain amount of leeway in establishing policies in these affected areas, BSISD officials must now write replacement policies and have them in place by the end of the school year

Murphy told trustees to expect the new policies by the end of March.

A reception before the meeting and a sentimental presentation near its end marked the end of Wise's board career.

Wise, the only Big Spring High School graduate to ever serve as BSISD board president, summed up his career in a few words: "It's been a fun

Current board president Glynna Mouton was a bit more effusive on the subject

Think about all the changes we've had since (Wise started on the board)," Mouton said. "We've had House Bill 72 — the no pass, no play rule and an incredible amount of change with Senate Bill 1 ... There's never been a dull moment, and Dan was there through it all. At times, he was a lightening rod for this board ... We are going to miss him.

In other business, trustees

• Adopted a tax rate of \$1.493 per \$100 valuation for this school year

The rate, 7.1 cents more than the previous rate was adopted one week after a public hearing in which nobody spoke in favor or against the rate

The reason for the tax hike is to finance inter est and debt service from the recent sale of school bonds. Proceeds from the bonds, OKed by voters Sept. 15, will be used to construct a new junior high school and air condition five BSISD cam

 Approved the hiring of Melissa Kindel as a special education instructor at Washington Elementary

Approved the Textbook Selection Committee

for 1996-97 · Agreed to donate outdated audio-visual equip-

ment to Amigos Internacionales for use in Third World countries

Approved various budget amendments

Counts counters McLaughlin's Aspermont plans

Managing Editor

If there's going to be a debate between the candidates for the District 70 Texas House seat in Asperment, somebody forgot to tell the incumbent.

"My first knowledge of this debate was an announcement I heard on a radio station while traveling through the district," explained incumbent David Counts (D-Knox City) in a press release today, who added that neither he nor his office has been contacted inviting him to participate in the debate a week from today.

Counts' challenger, Big Spring businessman Scott McLaughlin, notified press outlets in the district on Monday that he had challenged Counts to the Aspermont debate in a certified letter mailed late last

It was the second debate challenge issued by McLaughlin. Earlier, the two men had agreed to participate in an Oct. 22 debate in Sweetwater hosted by the Sweetwater Chamber of

In the release, Counts said a conflict of interest will prevent him from participating in the Aspermont debate. He also said he felt the debate call was an "attempt to try and garner publicity for a lagging campaign by my opponent."

He added that, "I am not opposed to debating but it would be helpful if I were invited to participate. Folks can look at my record and understand why I am supported by every major education organization in the district ...

Monday afternoon, Counts, in a telephone interview from his

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St. Mary's administrator won't rest on laurels

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

Excuse Bebe McCasland for feeling greedy - she wants St. Mary's Episcopal School to grow at an even faster pace than it has enjoyed the past 30

 The local private school has grown from 15 kindergarten students, a teacher and a bus to a bustling elementary school that features classes for grades K-5, as well as prekindergarten and 3-year-old instruction and 138 total students.

The school has expanded from one room at the episcopal church to its current site, the former Park Hill Elementary building. A chapel and music room have been added, modern technology purchased and new programs introduced.

Growth has clearly been the school's watchword since its inception in 1960.

But as the school celebrates Association of National Schools Week, Episcopal McCasland, who has been the school's administrator for the past 15 years, admits she doesn't want the school to stand on its laurels.

The debate between sending children to public and private schools has been around for years. One of the biggest advantages St. Mary's has to offer, McCasland said, is its emphasis on instruction under a Christian environment.

"Teachers are free to give lessons from the Bible, and we can celebrate Christmas and Easter and explain the religious significance of each holiday," McCasland said. "I think



Physical education instructor Robbie Lewis, center, talks to first-grade students during P.E. break at St. Mary's Episcopal School Monday.

tnere's always been a desire from parents to have their children in this kind of environ-

McCasland also points to small teacher-student ratios (the school averages a teacher for every 15 students) as an advantage in attending St.

Mary's. McCasland, who has been with the school for 31 years, said it has experienced rapid growth in its history.

"When this school started, it had 15 children in kindergarten and one bus," she said.

"We've grown to two classes of 3-year-olds, three classes of prekindergarten, two classes of kindergarten and one class each of first through fifth grades."

New at the school is its Extended Day of Enrichment, a program that provides afterschool supervision for children whose parents must work late.

As for the school's future McCasland hopes it continues

"I'm never satisfied," said McCasland. "One of my dreams would be to have a gymnasium, and, yes, we'd like to have more classrooms. We're introducing more technology, like computers, but there will be an even bigger demand for that in the future. I hope we never stop

Lawmen scour Coahoma for 3 auto theft suspects

HERALD Staff Report

COAHOMA - Law enforcement personnel were conducting a manhunt today for three individuals in Coahoma this morning.

Units from the Department of Public Safety, Howard County Sheriff's Office and Big Spring Police Department were in Coahoma this morning, searching for three men suspected of stealing a pickup truck in Brownwood and possibly cutting the phone lines of a Coahoma resident.

A sheriff's office spokesman said today that three white males approached a Coahoma resident today and asked to use her telephone because their truck had overturned. She refused to let them inside the residence, but when she tried to use the phone herself, she discovered the line was dead. The resident then went to a

neighbor placed a 9-1-1 call to the sheriff's office. Deputies later found the truck. A license plate check determined that the truck had

neighbor's house, and the

been reported stolen from Brownwood. The suspects are described as: a white male, 18-20 years old, with short blond hair, no shirt and jeans; a white male, 18-20 years old, with short dark hair,

striped T-shirt and jeans; and

white male, unknown age, Please see SEARCH, page 2

Police department will use grant funds to improve booking

HERALD Staff Report

The Big Spring Police Department will receive a \$29,990 block grant from the Department of Justice to purchase law enforcement equipment and technology.

U.S. Congressman Charles Stenholm (D-Stamford) Friday. BSPD Lt. Terry Chamness

said the grant money has been earmarked to upgrade the department's suspect booking process. Once the upgrade is complete, the local department will be able to share booking information - including suspects' photos - over computer lines with other law enforcement agencies.

"The Midland and Odessa police departments are already doing this," Chamness said. "At will receive the funds. The this time, we are not compatible with them in sharing information."

Any money left after that will be used to upgrade communication equipment, Chamness said.

Big Spring will have to contribute about \$2,000 as its share of the grant, and it is unknown exactly when the department

department must aksi get Justice Department approval on how the money will be spent.

Overall, 1996 block grant funding for local and state law enforcement jurisdictions in Texas totalled \$26.1 million, just more than 5 percent of the \$503 million appropriated by Congress.

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Today: Partly cloudy. High in the lower 80s. Tonight, clear with a low around 50.

Extended outlook: Wednesday, sunny. High in the lower 80s. Wednesday night, low mid 40s to lower 50s. Thursday, fair. Highs in the 80s. Friday and Saturday, fair. Lows upper 40s to mid 50s. Highs mid 80s to lower 90s.

Tax rebates show increase in county's gross sales

HERALD Staff Report

Gross sales for the first quar-ter of 1996 were up more than 13 percent over the same period in 1995 in Howard County, according to the most recent sales and use tax analysis report released by the state comptroller's office.

The Sept. 20 report revealed that despite a decline of 73 reporting outlets, gross sales for all industries in the county totaled \$140,660,218 for the first quarter of 1996 compared to

\$\$124,413,378 in 1995. While retail sales were flatter,

data collected by the retail trade division showed first quarter 1996 receipts at \$59,844,894, or 6 percent stronger than the same

period a year ago.

Retail sales receipts for the first quarter of 1995 totaled \$56,475,259. Total retail outlets were down 42, to 417, for the

1996 reporting period.

Results from area counties were mixed, with Borden and Glasscock counties reporting increases in gross sales for all industries during the first quarter and Martin and Mitchell counties reporting declines.

Despite losing almost half of its reporting outlets, from 11 to six, Borden County showed an increase of more than \$65,000, or 60.7 percent, over the same period in 1995.

It was then that receipts for 11 outlets totaled \$107,388 while the receipts from six outlets during the first quarter of 1996 totaled \$172,549.

Glasscock County also reported a healthy increase of 20.2 percent - from \$1,149,255 in 1995 to \$1,381,083 in 1996. Glasscock

County reported a decline of one retail outlet, from 25 to 24, for the reporting period.

Mitchell County's decline of 1.2 percent was almost negligible, from \$13,347,727 in 1995 to \$13,192,029 in 1996. Mitchell County lost 18 reporting outlets, to 201 in 1996.

sales for all industries was the most pronounced in the area at 30.6 percent.

Martin County's drop in gross

Total sales during the first quarter of 1996 were \$28,523,283

Ellen Dickson

Ellen Dickson, 75, of Big Spring died Tuesday, Oct. 8, 1996 at her residence. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home

Meeting for business owners to network

HERALD Staff Report

The Small and Minority Business Gathering is slated for Wednesday morning at Herman's Restaurant. The meeting begins at 7:30 a.m. and is an excellent chance for business owners to network with others and with purchasing agents from local companies and government agencies, according to Delia Barraza, **Business Development Center** coordinator at Howard College.

The breakfast meeting will also include a brief discussion on what to consider when you purchase or upgrade a computer for your business.

The gatherings, organized in 1992, are for owners of small and minority businesses. Barraza said, "Many small businesses earned contracts with local companies and government agencies because of these meetings. Barraza and Shirley Shroyer,

of Instructional Development at the college, help organize the events. The gathering is a chance to learn the answers to frequently asked questions such as "How can I do more business with local companies and government agencies?," "How can my business participate in the bidding process?," "What needs to be considered when purchasing or upgrading a computer for the business?" "How much memory do I need for the business computer?," "Is service available for the computer and if so, where?," and "What type of security system does the computer need?"

To RSVP for the gathering or for more information, call the college's business development center at 264-5164.

■ Records

Monday's high 85 Monday's low 54 Average high 86 Average low 54 Record high 99 in 1931 Record low 33 in 1976 Rainfall Monday 0.08 Month to date 0.08 Month's normal .44 Year to date 15.45 Normal for the year 16.66 **Statistics not available

In Brief

SPRING STATE HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER Service Council is having an appreciation open house at the

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Luther Pruitt, 85, died Monday. Services are pending.

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Ellen Darnell (Nell) Dickson,75, Tuesday October 8, 1996. Services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

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home of Pat Rutledge, 2101 E. 25th St., Thursday from 4 to 7 p.m. J. Wilde of San Angelo will display fashions and home furnishings. Community volunteer and BSSH employees are encouraged to join the fun. Contact the community relations office, 268-7533, for more information.

FLU SHOTS WILL BE OFFERED by American Pharmacy Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road. The cost is \$2. To schedule shots call 268-9041. Reservation needed as shots are limited.

THE HOWARD COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER is presenting its Annual Community Forum on Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center as part of National Mental Illness Awareness Week. Dr. Kimberly Sherill will speak on Mental Illness: The Myth and the Stigma. Refreshments provided by Rivercrest Hospital and there is no admission charge. Call 263-0027 for more informa-

THE BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING Chili and Stew Supper sponsored by the band boosters is Friday from 5-7 p.m. at the high school cafeteria.

Cost is \$5 per plate for adults, \$3 for children ages six and under and includes a drink and dessert. Music will be provided by the junior high bands. This is a major fund raiser for the boosters who support the band program for grades six through

Come out and enjoy delicious chili or stew before the homecoming game against Pecos. For ticket information, call Marlon Hale at 267-6863

THE BIG SPRING STATE PARK IS HOSTING its annual Pumpkin Hunt for children on Saturday, Oct. 19 at 2:15 p.m. Storytelling times are scheduled for 2:30 and 4 p.m. and hayrides at 3 and 4:30 p.m. The event gets underway at the park's upper pavilion and pic-

Visitors can enjoy hay rides around the mountain and youngsters of all ages can participate in the pumpkin hunts, searching for dozens of the gourds hidden among bales of hay. Ron Alton, park manager, and Angie Way, Heritage Museum curator, will be in charge of the hay rides and storytelling.

Admission is \$1 per person and children 12 years of age and under are free. Call the park at 263-4931 for more infor-

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH officials invite youngsters and their parents to attend a class on "Sex Respect" for youth in grades six through 12. The class is at the church fellowship hall and taught by Gary Phillips, youth director of Hillcrest Baptist Church.

Classes begin 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 13 and continue every other Sunday until the course material is covered, usually about 10 sessions.

There is no charge to attend but contact the church office at 267-8876 to let them know of your interest to participate. The course emphasizes abstinence and the importance of not having sex until you are married.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL WILL BE SELLING PUMPKINS, chili ristas and other fall items Friday at St. Mary's School from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Big Spring Mall.

AMERICA'S NATIONAL TEENAGER SCHOLARSHIP is seeking nominations for its program to help fund teenage girls' college educations. It is open to girls ages 13 to 18 years of age and it is not a beauty

pageant. The West Texas Scholarship Finals are hosted by Wayland Baptist University in Plainview March 22, 1997. More than \$400,000 in scholarships will be awarded on stage during the final program.

Students are judged on their scholastic achievement, communication and leadership skills, and overall poise and personality. There is no swimsuit or physical fitness compe-

College-bound girls wishing to enter should send a postcard with their name, address, telephone number, age, grade level and grade point average to: America's National Teenager; 2557 Meadowlake; Abilene;

THE SITE FOR THE TEXAS TECH DNA SAMPLING of Alzheimer's disease has changed. The site is now at Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road. It is scheduled for Nov. 5 from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and packets can be picked up at Comanche Trail Nursing Center or at Marcy House after Oct. 7. This is being sponsored by the Permian Basin Alzheimer's Association.

SPRINGBOARD

IF YOU HAVE ANY **CHANGES IN A SPRING-BOARD ITEM OR FOR** MORE INFORMATION, CON-TACT GINA GARZA, 263-7331 ext. 238, BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 2 P.M.

All Springboard items must be submitted in writing. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, Texas 79720; bring it by the office at 710 Scurry; or fax it to 264-7205.

TODAY •Comanche Lake Duplicate, 1 p.m., Dora Roberts Civic Center.

·Most Excellent Way, a chemical dependency support group, 7 p.m., Living Water Church, 1008 Birdwell Lane. Call 267-1424 after 5 p.m. or 263-3168 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. •Al-Anon, 8 to 9 p.m., 615

Settles. •Narcotics Anonymous, 6:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal

Church Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at the VA Medical

Center on fourth floor. •MS group, 6:30 p.m., Canterbury South. Call Diane at 263-0148.

·Howard County Mental Center Annual Community Forum, 7 p.m., Dora Roberts Community Center. This is part of National Mental Illness Awareness Week

WEDNESDAY ·Line dance lessons, 2 p.m.,

Senior Citizens Center in the Industrial Park

 Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. 12&12 Study.

·American Pharmacy will be offering flu shots from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road. The cost is \$2. Please call 268-9041 for reservations

THURSDAY •Good Shepherd Fellowship Church, 610 Abrams, has services 7 p.m. Everyone is wel-

come to attend. Spring Tabernacle Church, 1209 Wright, has free food for area needy, 10 a.m. to noon.

 Big Spring Senior Citizens Center art classed, 9:30 to 11:30

a.m., 55 and older. Group for Support Depression, 7 p.m., Dora Roberts Rehab Center, Third

and Lancaster. •Al-Anon, 8 to 9 p.m., Scenic Mountain Medical Center small

 Alcoholics Anonymous, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting, 615 Settles. 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at Scenic Mountain Medical Center cafeteria.

 American Legion Auxiliary Post 506, 7 p.m. Call

·Christmas in April, noon, 1607 E. Third. Call Theresa Hodnett, 263-0147.

·West Texas Republican Women's Club, noon, Big

Spring Country Club. ·Masonic Lodge #598, 7:30

p.m., 219 Main. ·West Texans Living with Chronic Fatigue/Fibromyalgia 7:30 Syndromes, HealthSouth, Midland. Call

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FRIDAY

 Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by CW & Co. Area seniors invited.

 Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. Big Book Study. ·Signal Mountain Quilting

Guild, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 267-1037 or 267-7281. Bring a

·Big Spring High School Homecoming Chili and Stew Supper sponsored by Band Boosters, 5-7 p.m. at BSHS cafeteria. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children six and under.

·Forsan High School Band homecoming meal/dessert smorgasbord, 6 to 7:30 p.m in the FHS cafeteria. The cost is \$5 per adult, \$4 per student and \$4 per pre-schooler. Big Spring Gospel Opry, 7

Auditorium. SATURDAY

p.m.,

Howard College

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open meetings at noon, 8 p.m. and 10 p.m.

•Howard County Scottish Rite Club, 7:30 a.m., Masoic Lodge, 21st & Lancaster. Breakfast served (\$4). All Scottish Rite Masons welcome.

·Alzheimers Support Group, 10 a.m., Carriage Inn Retirement Center, 501 W. 17th

SUNDAY •Good Shepherd Fellowship Counts Church, 610 Abrams, has services 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

 Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting. MONDAY •Big Spring Evening Lion's

Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third. Call Jan Noyes, 267-5811. ·Project Freedom, Christian support group, 7 p.m. Call 263-

5140 or 263-2241. •TOPS Clubs (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 5:30 to 6 p.m. weigh in and 6 p.m. meeting,

263-1340 or 263-8633. Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open scheduled for 7 p.m. next meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. at the Tuesday at the Asperment

VA Medical Center on fourth •Big Spring Commandery No. 31, stated meeting, 7:30 p.m., serve district residents in the

6:30 p.m. dinner. ·Big Spring Assembly No. 211, Social Order of the Beauceant state meeting, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2

Main. 6:30 p.m. dinner. ·Howard County NAACP, 7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce conference room. Call Clarance

Hartfield, 267-1806. TUESDAY

•Comanche Lake Duplicate, 1 p.m., Dora Roberts Civic Center.

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Settles, noon to 1 p.m. open meeting and 8 to 9 p.m. closed meeting at the VA Medical Center on fourth floor.

life! Sunday deadlines All Sunday items (wed-

dings, anniversaries, engagements, birth announcements, Who's Who, military) are due to the Herald office by Wednesday at noor

Wedding, engagement, anniversary and birth announcement forms are available in the editorial

department.
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no later than 30 days after publication or they will be discarded.

TEXAS LOTTERY

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down from \$41,095,542 the previous year. The number of reporting outlets also declined, from 123 to 97.

Percentage-wise, Glasscock County showed the most growth in retail sales from first quarter to first quarter. In 1995, 13 outlets reported retail sales of \$475,560 — up 22.5

percent from the \$388,331 reported a year ago by that same number of outlets. Mitchell County showed an increase of 6.9 percent, from \$8,728,980 in 1995 to \$9,331,690 in 1996. The number of retail out-

from 139 to 124. Borden County's retail sales dropped 4.4 percent from 1995 to 1996 as the county's reporting outlets dropped from nine to

lets in Mitchell County declined

In 1995, \$43,655 in retail sales were reported in the first quarter compared to \$41,748 in 1996.

Martin County's retail sales also declined for the period, from \$8,194,050 in 1995 to \$7,994,641 during the first quarter of 1996. The declined represented a 2.4 percent drop in sales while retail outlets declined 17, from 72 to 55.

Continued from page 1 Knox City office, said that he hoped the Sweetwater debate would be well-received by the voters.

"I really don't know what he stands for or does," he said. "I'm not running his campaign . just mine.

Counts added that he "really hadn't thought about the issues I guess we'll see when we get to it (the debate). McLaughlin said Monday that

he would be in Asperment Carriage Inn, 501 W. 17th. Call whether or not Counts accepted the second debate challenge. The Asperment event is

Community Center. McLaughlin said he felt the Aspermont site would best Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main. northeastern part of the district and was hopeful Counts would participate so that voters in the area could hear both candidates

respond to the same questions.

Continued from page 1 wearing a jacket possibly mili-

tary in origin. It is unknown if the suspects are armed, the spokesman said.

Law enforcement personnel which included a DPS helicopter - and private citizens were concentrating their search in the eastern part of Coahoma between Culp Street and the railroad tracks, the spokesman

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents Monday:

 THEFT was reported on the 2000 block of Gregg Street, the 1700 block of Lancaster Street and the 600 block of Ridglea

· CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported on the 1800 block of Donley Street

 BURGLARY OF A HABI-TATION was reported on the 500 block of Westover Street. BURGLARY OF A VEHI-CLE was reported on the 1500

block of Bluebird Street.

 JOHN ARRIOLA VIERA, 47, no address given, was arrested on local warrants. DOMESTIC DISTUR-

BANCE was reported on the 800 block of Marcy Drive. · DAVID AYERS, 42, HC 61 Box 97, was arrested on a

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charge of driving while license invalid.

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 HASSONA OVERTON, 40, HC 61 Box 97, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

· HOWARD FOSTER, 20. 1002 N. Main St. No. 16, was arrested on local warrants.

 TAMMY L. LANG, 18, 506 1/2 Nolan St., was arrested on a charge of no insurance and no driver's license.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents Monday:

· CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported on Jonesboro Road.

 SEAN ALLAN MASSINGILL, no age or address given, pleaded guilty to revocation of probation on a theft by appropriation conviction. He was sentenced to 60 days in county jail and ordered to pay fines and court costs.

 LOOSE LIVESTOCK were reported on FM 820.

MARKETS

Oct. cotton futures 77.65 cents a pound, no change; Nov. crude oil 25.20, down 4 points; Cash hog steady at 59 cents even, up 1: slaughter steers steady at 72 cents even; Oct. live hog futures 59.85, up 82 points; Oct. live cattle futures 72.15, down 5 points. Courtesy: Delta Corporation

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Suicides outnumber other adult firearms-related deaths

DALLAS (AP) — Far more gun deaths among the middleaged and elderly are suicides rather than accidents or homicides, especially among those over age 65, according to federal data cited by a group of handgun-control advocates.

The Center to Prevent Handgun Violence used the statistics as it launched a publicservice advertising campaign urging all gun owners to keep their weapons unloaded and under lock and key.

The statistics were compiled

from data released by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, said Alicia Horton, the group's associate education director.

"The suicide risk is five times higher in homes with firearms," Ms. Horton said at a Monday news conference.

Suicides accounted for about 83 percent of the gun deaths among Texans over 65 during the period 1986-92, according to statistics provided Monday by the Washington, D.C.-based

The fraction dropped to 63 percent for Texans between ages 45 and 64, Ms. Horton said.

Nationally, 88 percent of those over 65 who died of a gunshot wound were suicides. Of those killed by gunfire between ages 45 and 64, 69 percent were sui-

Earlier this year, the CDC said that 19 percent of the 384,262 U.S. suicides from 1980 to 1992 were committed by people age 65 or older. Guns were the most common method, used by 74 percent of men and 31 per-

"The reason for their success (at suicide) is they have a greater motivation to do it,' said Joan Gibala, a senior program specialist for the American Association of Retired Persons in Washington,

"The general causative factors are depression, alcoholism, general losses — such as loss of loved ones, financial losses. health losses, loss of independence - and general ageism," Ms. Gibala said

more gunshot fatalities as ages the next-preferred method at 20 increase, they still account for almost one in five shooting deaths among Texans age 14 or younger, Ms. Horton said.

Seventeen percent of the under-18 gunshot deaths in Texas during the 7-year period were suicides, compared to 19 percent nationally, the group

The CDC has said that gunshots account for 66 percent of all suicides committed in 1992 by those age 19 and younger. By

Although suicides account for comparison, strangulation was percent

> However, of all the methods used in suicide attempts, firearms are the most certain of success, said Dr. Kathleen Seikel, pediatric emergency physician at Children's Medical Center of Dallas.

> Only 0.4 percent of adolescents who attempt suicide by drug overdose are successful, compared to almost 80 percent who intentionally shoot themselves, Dr. Seikel said.

TEXAS BRIEFS

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Republican ticket has not made appearance in Texas

AUSTIN — Despite polls showing that President Clinton and Republican nominee Bob Dole are running a close race in Texas, Dole and running mate Jack Kemp have not been to Texas since the GOP national convention.

According to a published report, that's caused some Republicans to wonder if Dole is doing what's needed to carry the state and its 32 electoral votes that are crucial to a GOP win "I can't figure this one out," a prominent Texas Republican told The Austin American-Statesman. "It just seems like it

changes from day to day. The GOP ticket can carry Texas, but it will take some effort said Gov. George W. Bush, state chairman for Dole-Kemp. He said he understands the demands for Dole's time, but would like to see him in Texas.

"Is there a race? You bet there's a race," Bush said.

Warship named for Texas Hispanic to be commissioned

INGLESIDE — A newly built, \$1 billion destroyer will become the nation's only active warship named for a Hispanic when it is commissioned Saturday at Naval Station Ingleside.

The USS Gonzalez is named after Marine Sgt. Alfredo Gonzalez of Edinburg. He was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor for his heroic actions at Hue City, Vietnam, during the start of the infamous Tet Offensive.

Gonzalez, 22, was one of 37 Hispanic soldiers, sailors and Marines to have received the nation's highest award for valor. The guided missile destroyer arrived at Ingleside late Monday after being delayed because of Tropical Storm Josephine in the

Agent: Accused drug kingpin lucid during interrogation

HOUSTON — Juan Garcia Abrego appeared coherent and almost cocky a day after his arrest when he waived his right to an attorney and told agents he had given up drug trafficking completely in 1989, a federal agent contends.

"He was very lucid. He gave intelligent, well thought-out answers," DEA agent Joseph Dubois testified Monday in the Garcia Abrego's trial on 22 counts of trafficking and money laundering. "He seemed to be enjoying the attention."

Dubois, who interviewed Garcia Abrego after his Jan. 14 arrest, said he saw no signs that the suspect had been beaten by Mexican police or drugged by Mexican doctors, as defense attorneys claim and witnesses have testified.

Bush meets with governor of Mexican state

AUSTIN — Meeting for the second time, Gov. George W. Bush and the governor of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, discussed the possibility of building bridges. In particular, one that will connect the United States with Mexico just west of Laredo. "The bridge will help NAFTA and the economy of our country

and of our state," said Gov. Benjamin Clarion of Nuevo Leon on Currently, three bridges connect Texas and Mexico around the

Laredo-Nuevo Leon border. About 4,000 trucks a day cross those bridges, said Jorge

Haynes, a senior vice president at the International Bank of Commerce in Laredo. But within two years, between 8,000 and 10,000 trucks are

expected to be crossing them because of increased trade from the North American Free Trade Agreement.

Supreme Court shields judges from federal taxes

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Supreme Court, saving its hands were tied by potential conflicts of interest, shielded some federal judges Monday from having to pay certain imposed on most Americans

Four justices who might have a financial stake disqualified themselves from considering the case. Their action kept the court from gaining a quorum of six jurists to take the case, and thereby sealed the outcome in a way that could benefit them financially.

Monday's action, although not a precedent setting decision, had the effect of upholding a lower court's ruling that said it was illegal to begin requiring federal judges to pay Medicare and Social Security taxes in 1983 and 1984.

The order, one of more than diminished their salaries and

1,500 issued as the court began thereby threatened judicial its 1996-97 term, was extraordinary. Court officials could not immediately find the last time the justices had been so stymied.

The result is a victory for 16 federal judges who sued the government in 1989 over tax-law amendments enacted earlier in the decade.

Those amendments for the first time extended Social Security and Medicare taxation to the president, vice president, members of Congress and the president's Cabinet, federal judges and all new employees of the federal government's execu-

tive and legislative branches. The 16 federal judges, all already appointed to their lifetime jobs when the tax laws were changed in 1983, contended that new taxes unlawfully

independence.

The impact of Monday's order may not be limited to those 16 judges. Justice Department lawyers, who had urged the Supreme Court to tackle the case, argued that the lower court's rationale might prohibit Congress "from applying any increase in the rate of any tax, including the income tax, to sit-

ting judges' salaries.'

In other action, the court: -Rejected the appeal of Theodore Kaczynski, who contended that his prosecution on Unabomber attacks has been so tainted by news leaks that the government should forfeit its right to make him stand trial.

Let a New York public school district continue to make charitable community service a graduation requirement.

-Passed up a chance to

decide, in a Texas case involv ing allegedly outrageous behavior by junior high school boys, whether educators violate federal law when they fail to stop students from sexually harassing other students.

Rejected a challenge by five Wisconsin anti-abortion protesters to a federal law that protecto access to abortion clinics.

-Turned down the bid of for mer Arkansas Gov. Jim Guy Tucker and two others to quash charges brought by Whitewater prosecutor Kenneth Starr that they plotted to hide profits from a multimillion-dollar cable television deal.

-Heard arguments in a dispute over a federal law that requires cable television systems to carry local broadcast stations. Cable operators told the justices the law violates their free-speech rights.

Josephine blamed for coastal flooding, collapses, closings When Michelle and Steven Engineers in February 1997 will ing in Calhoun County.

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Flooding, evacuations, closed beaches and parks — even house collapses - are blamed on Tropical Storm Josephine, which started drenching South Texas last week when it was only a low-pressure system hugging the Mexican coast.

A coastal flood warning was posted through today along the Texas coast from Brownsville to High Island even as Josephine. pounds the Florida coast hundreds of miles away,

Pavement on the John F. Kennedy Causeway was weakened as well as parts of Bob Hall Pier in what officials said Monday was the worst damage since Hurricane Allen in 1980.

High waves destroyed the paved beach road and parking lot at Padre Balli Park near the pier, said Jerry Boucher, Nueces County chief constable for Precinct 8.

Two beach homes, undercut by the rising surf, collapsed Sunday along the Bolivar Peninsula in southeast Texas, and many parks on barrier islands remain closed

Tipps "couldn't get to school down a flooded street in Sargent on Monday morning, Roy Tipps took his children in his shrimp boat to meet the school bus.

Tipps, who also owns a bait shop, said about 5 inches of sea water was in his trailer house Monday from the storm's tidal

Two teen-agers died in weekend flooding. Forty to 50 people Brownsville homes following more than 10 inches of rain in South Texas through Sunday. -- Matagorda

Commissioner

Deshotels said many roads in his precinct remained under water. They included Marina Drive, where the Tipps live. The Texas General Land Office planned earlier this year

George

to use sand-filled bags to shore up fragile bluffs around Caplen where the two houses fell to the Gulf of Mexico's pounding. But Caryn Cosper, the office's

deputy commissioner, said the plan failed because there was no money. The U.S. Army Corps of

deposit sand dredged from the Intracoastal Waterway on eroded portions of Caplen near Rollover Pass.

The homes that collapsed Sunday were west of the intended re-sanding area. The National Weather Service warned that beach erosion would continue from pounding surf along the Texas coast.

Small craft were urged to stay were evacuated from their in port. Tides along Galveston and Corpus Christi were two to four feet above normal, with sea heights beyond the 50 mile coastal limits at eight to 14 feet. High tides also caused flood-

Storm swells also closed parks and roads on South Padre Island and pushed the red tide to the lower Texas coast.

The algae bloom that kills fish and can make humans ill was first spotted near Port Aransas last month. It is now along the Town of South Padre Island beach and on Boca Chica Beach. Although 10 inches of rain

flooded Jeff Loop's soybean fields this weekend, the Brownsville farmer said almost none fell near the region's badly depleted reservoirs, which store water for Rio Grande Valley crops

Doctors remove pope's appendix

ROME (AP) — Doctors today removed Pope John Paul II's inflamed appendix, which the Vatican has blamed for the pontiff's recent health problems. They declared the surgery a success, and ruled out any return of the benign tumor removed from the pope's colon four years ago.

The appendectomy — John Paul's sixth operation since he was shot in the stomach by a would-be assassin in 1981 came after months of rumors that the pope was far more ill than the Vatican has admitted.

The 50-minute operation went smoothly, and the pope's vital signs remained strong throughout, Crucitti said. "He regained consciousness almost immediately," he said, and on awakening, greeted and thanked every-

Doctors would not say when the pope would be released, although they said hospitals usually release patients on the seventh day after surgery. The pope's surgeon suggested John Paul could be in the hospital longer, however, because of his

"Let's not forget we have a 76year-old man here," Crucitti

Dr. Corrado Colagrande, a consulting radiologist on the pope's medical team, was asked if the operation was a success.

"The doctors were happy. They are very fond of this pope," he said, adding that the operation "was made a little more difficult" by scar tissue from the Pope's 1992 bowel surgery and emergency surgery after he was shot in 1981. He said the surgeons removed the scar tissue so they could reach the appendix.



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Quote of the Day

"Double — no, triple — our troubles and we'd still be better off than any other people on earth."

-Ronlad Reagan

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OUR VIEWS

4-H program deserves its national observance

This week's observance of National 4-H Week gives time to pause and consider the program's impact during the past 88 years in Texas.

Dating back to the first "boy's corn club" organized in Jack County by the late T.M. Marks in 1908, the 4-H program can trace its start to the failure of the county's adults to stage a corn show the previous year. Marks, who held the position that then corresponded

to today's county agent, had been told "you can't teach an old dog new tricks." His reply had been, "Then I will start with the pups."

The result was a youth corn show in the fall of 1908, proving Marks' point that farm youth could put better methods of production into use.

4-H has certainly come a long way from its humble beginnings — essentially a tomato canning and beef cattle club in the early 1900s — but it continues to be an enjoyable and educational program for young people.

Most importantly, 4-H has adapted over the years, diversifying it's program to meet the needs and interests of youngsters from both rural and urban homes.

Its activities now relate not only to agriculture, but to the environment, career opportunities, food and nutrition, consumer buying, horticulture, gardening, clothing, public speaking and numerous recreational programs.

Locally, Howard County's 4-H program provides a wide range of traditional programs, but in recent months has earned additional notoriety with its shooting sports team and mulemanship competitors.

Perhaps more important than it's educational and recreational activities afforded to youngsters, however, is its encouragement that the program be a family affair.

Parents are encouraged to support their children in club work, and many take part as 4-H leaders, lending expertise that enhances offerings from the county's agents can provide.

As a result, youngsters taking part in 4-H not only enjoy recreational experiences, but entire families have opportunities to grow in their understanding of the democratic process, self-expression, self-esteem and group cooperation.

For that, the entire community should display its gratitude as well as its support.

OTHER VIEWS

else?

Girls don't win nearly as many National Merit
Scholarships as boys, but instead of figuring out ways to make the girls more competitive, women's groups have prodded the College Board to alter the tests. Guess what?
The College Board has obliged.

Girls, who do almost as well as boys on the verbal portion of the Preliminary Scholastic Assessment Test, score several points lower on the math portion on average. Having already agreed to count the verbal scores twice and the math score once, the College Board has now also agreed to add a multiple-choice verbal test. The point is to help girls win more of the roughly 7,000 prestigious college scholarships awarded annually to the nation's top high school stu-

Even this legerdemain doesn't satisfy such groups as the American Civil Liberties Union Women's Rights Project and Fairtest, which are afraid that 60 percent of the scholarships will continue to go to boys. It's their contention that the tests discriminate against

girls, which is silly. Up until these changes that are clearly meant to put boys at a disadvantage, the tests discriminated on the basis of academic gifts, not gender, and it's absolutely sensible and fair to take academic talent into account when giving academic scholarships. Should the scholarships be based on something

Critics of the National Merit

process might have an argument when they say more weight should be given to actual classroom performance than is now the case, but they are feeding an ugly monster when they promote jiggering with the test. If someone can't live up to certain standards. you don't then lower the standards. If someone can't succeed with certain principles intact, you don't then dismiss the principles. Some interesting experiments are now going on to help girls do better in math. That's the most productive, honest and socially constructive way to proceed.

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Separating the private Clinton from the public president

By BILL MAXWELL
St. Petersburg Times

what a difference four years has made in the metamorphosis of Bill Clinton. During the first two years of the Clinton administration, pundits tried to account for the antipathy so many Americans voiced for their new president. Some writers believed that the intensity of the Clintonphobia was disproportionate to the seriousness of the man's alleged sins and character flaws.

Today, few people are asking why Clinton is hated. The question now is how has he survived four years of attacks against his character and managed to gain such widespread popularity?

Consider a recent
Washington Post-ABC poll
showing that 56 percent of votlers do not believe that Crinton
has "high percent moral and"
ethical standards! and that 52
percent do not believe that he
is "honest and trustworthy."
Paradoxically, the same survey
gave the president a 14-point
lead over Republican challenger Bob Dole and found that
many more voters believe that
Clinton understands their
plights better than Dole and
that he is "attuned to modern
problems."

No group is more dumbfounded than GOP operatives. The comments of Marlin Fitzwater, press secretary in the Reagan and Bush administrations, are typical: "Clinton's Teflon surpasses any logical explanation. There isn't a voter who hasn't heard of Gennifer Flowers, Paula Jones, Whitewater, the FBI files and all the rest. There is no president in 100 years who could have weathered this. It defies political analysis."

Even so, a few credible observations are worth noting. In a Sept. 9 interview with National Public Radio, host Bob Edwards, Washington Post reporter John Harris offered an excellent explanation by distinguishing between private and public character.

The vast majority of

Americans, Harris said, believe that Clinton's private life — his private character — is messy, that he lacks discipline, that he is, or used to be, promiscuous. By itself, Clinton's private character is nobody's business. On the other side, the president has a public character, which is his ability to govern and manage the problems of the nation, problems such as the economy, the environment, foreign

affairs on which hat, and too 'Where Chinton's character has become a problem," Harris săid, "is when the traits of his personal character ... begin to assert themselves on the public stage with respect to issues. Is he being decisive with respect to Haiti or the balanced budget and so forth? When there's an intersection, personal character really does matter. Right now, there's not much of an intersection. Clinton's public decisions have shown a fair amount of discipline over the

past two years."
Another reason that Clinton survives, even thrives, is that many Americans seem to be adopting the Europeans' blase attitude toward the peccadilloes of their leaders and public figures. All around, from the world of entertainment, sports, business and politics, we see

heroes and leaders who are no better, or worse than, Clinton. Have we become desensitized

to certain kinds of bad behavior? Probably. Harris said, however, that Americans "are not so much disillusioned as they are without illusions. They have come to their own peace with what they acknowledge are Clinton's flaws as a person and as a politician. And they see no contradiction between their distaste for some aspects of Clinton with often ebullient support for other aspects."

William Bennett, former education secretary in the Reagan administration, drug czar for President Bush and selfdescribed guru of virtues, cannot understand the public's current lack of concern for character. "Should character matter in this campaign?" he asked rhetorically at a recent Dole rally, "It is an indication of the difficulties this country is in that people ask the question ... What is more important than the character of our president? Bill Clinton is one of the most unprincipled major public figures of recent history.

Sam Gaines, a Virginia psychologist, said that people such as Bennett and other Clinton-bashers have caused many voters to overdose on character: "I believe one part of the problem is that people are sick of the messenger." Gaines might be right. Many pollsters believe that Clinton, the "comeback kid," benefits from the broadsides. In fact, some people, including feminists who despise him, find Clinton more appealing when he is under siege.

Clinton haters also fail to understand that many voters

do not seriously hold any one person — not even the president — responsible for the nation's moral frailties.

nation's moral frailties.
On a cynical note, a sociology professor suggested that "character has slowly been bred out of many Americans, especially baby boomers and their children." He argues that decades of pampering, organized activities and feel-good approaches, in which participants do not have to take personal responsibility, have made character almost passe.

But the most compelling explanations for Clinton's resilience also are the simplest.

First, he spends much time in public doting over Chelsea. He tells the nation that, as a father, he worries that "his little girl" is going away to college next year. Such ordinariness makes the president human, just another dadagram

Second, and perhaps most important, Clinton truly connects with people. Moreover, he likes people. And they like him in return. He is a charmer. He remembers people's faces and their names years later. The president talks to people face-to-face.

Ironically, one of the best acknowledgments of Clinton's appeal comes from Republican pollster Frank Luntz: "Words matter. The way you communicate and what you say does matter, and Clinton is a man who knows how to communicate, to touch you and get inside your soul."

(Bill Maxwell is an editorial writer and columnist for the St. Petersburg Times. He can be reached on internet at maxwell(AT)sptimes.com.)

A friendship where they mostly talk about everything, nothing

By SHARON RANDALL
Scripps Howard News Service

It began 40 years ago with an honest mistake and a broken

honest mistake and a broken nose. My mistake. Her nose. That first day in second grade. I was choking on new-

grade, I was choking on newness. I had new shoes, a new school, a new stepfather, and serious new reason to doubt my mother's sanity.

I picked a desk at the back of the room, hoping no one would notice me, and started numbering a page, 1-100.

"I'm Jane" she said sitting

"I'm Jane," she said, sitting down on my paper, "what are you doing?"

"I was writing numbers," I said, stressing "was."
"Is that all you can do?" sh

"Is that all you can do?" she snickered.
"No," I said, getting up to

"No," I said, getting up to sharpen my pencil, "I can do all sorts of things." And with that, the desk

flipped, Jane broke her nose,

and we became best friends.

Who knows how a friendship begins, or what exactly binds it together? We had seemingly nothing, and yet everything in common, or so it seemed then. And so it seems, even now.

By the time the swelling left

her nose, I knew Jane's house, and her family, about as well as I knew my own.

We played together after school several times a week, as often as our mothers would allow. First, we had to do our homework. Jane's mother saw to that. She'd been a teacher before she and her husband, in their 40s, adopted Jane and her sister. Homework, she said, came before play.

But after our lessons were done, we were free to do as we pleased. We'd sit on her bed and play with her dolls. Or go to the pasture and try to catch her horse. Or walk to the drug store to get a Coke.

But mostly, we just talked.

We talked whenever we were together — at school, on the playground, even in church (during worship, of course, we just whispered) — and when we weren't together, we spent hours talking on the phone.

My mother never understood it. "What on earth do you two talk about?" she would ask. "Nothing," I'd say. "Nothing and everything."

Through grade school and high school, even in college, Jane and I talked about nothing and everything, everything and nothing, until finally, we talked ourselves into growing up.

After college, we took separate paths. I moved to California, married and had children. She stayed home, became a social worker and "adopted" several children of her own. In our new lives, we seldom found time to talk. But recently, after nearly 30

But recently, after nearly 30 years apart, Jane finally came

to see me in California.
"What are you doing?" she asked, the first morning.

pouring cornflakes.
"Is that all you can do?" she snickered.

"Making breakfast," I said,

"Yes," I said, "it is."
We ate out a lot while she
was here. Covered every inch
of the county from beaches to
valleys, shopping malls to grocery stores, Fisherman's Wharf
to the Big Sur Coast.

We even squeezed into a photo booth and came away with pictures of two middle-aged women, clowning and laughing just like little girls.

We packed those two weeks tighter than her coffin-size suitcase popping at the seams. But mostly, we just talked.

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Tomezak's hot hand chills Kansas City, 17-7, in Monday night contest Tomczak took over at quarterback throw." Carter said. "There were a lot with 1:10 left in the game.

Pittsburgh Steelers just where it wanted them: third and long.

The Chiefs, however, did not count on Mike Tomczak's hot hand.

The Pittsburgh Steelers converted eight of 14 third-down situations Monday night to defeat Kansas City 17-7, handing the Chiefs their second straight loss and their first at home in 12 regular season games.

"A lot of people say this guy can't do it," Chiefs tackle Joe Phillips said. "He sure showed tonight that he can do it in this league. He did it agains: us, and I feel we're a good defense.

offensive running game of the Steelers Mike Tomczak was incredible. He and put them in third and long, and then have them convert.

"You have to give credit to Tomczak, to defense the pass."

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The he's the one who sat back there and Kansas City defense had the executed. His offensive line gave him

Tomczak completed 20 of 32 passes for 338 yards. Jerome Bettis rushed 27 times for 103 yards, and Charles Johnson caught six passes for 125

It was the first time since October 1992 that Pittsburgh had a rusher and a receiver each gain 100 yards.

'What a difference an offensive line makes," said Bettis. "You can't do anything without an offensive line in this league. If they don't do their job, vou can't do vour job.

"We just wanted to keep doing our "It's very frustrating to limit an thing. We just wanted to run the ball. made some things happen. He really showed people they are going to have

for the Steelers after Neil O'Donnell signed a \$25 million free-agent contract with the New York Jets

"The bottom line is when you win on the road, it's very sweet," Tomczak said. "The offensive line gave me tremendous time to throw the ball. Charles Johnson — I believe in him and he believes in me. We're just doing a great job of throwing the ball right now. It's a great win. I'm elat-

Indeed, the Chiefs put virtually no pressure on Tomczak, giving him time to make highly accurate throws. A 45yard pass to Johnson that set up the Steelers only touchdown was a perfectly thrown ball that defeated Kansas City cornerback Dale Carter's tight

"It was a great catch and a great

of those. You can't defense that. You just have to go back to the huddle and try not to think about it. It was his night. Guys were catching balls that looked like they were overthrown, but guys were leaping and catching them.

Tomczak followed up the pass to Johnson with completions of 9 yards to Bettis and 12 yards to Andre Hastings on the seven-play drive that led to a 5-yard run by Bettis for a 12-7 Pittsburgh lead late in the third quarter. He then hit a wide-open Mark Bruener for a 2 point conversion.

Norm Johnson kicked field goals of 21 and 32 yards after Marcus Allen had given the Chiefs a 7-0 lead with 7:38 left in the first half on a 6-yard

Johnson added a 43-yard field goal

Kansas City obviously had hoped to run the ball on the Steelers, and Allen gained 69 yards on 18 carries. But Kansas City's passing game was ineffective as Steve Bono completed 18 of 29 attempts for just 170 yards.

The 436 yards in total offense given up by the Chiefs was the most they have allowed since Miami got 483 on Oct. 31, 1993, and Tomczak's passing yards were the most given up by Kansas City since that Miami game.

"Our offensive line did a great job," Steelers coach Bill Cowher said. "We were able to spread '1 em out a little bit. Mike made some good throws. The thing was, he made some very good decisions. When it wasn't there, he threw the ball away. We were able to run the ball some, so that they had to

Exchange student a bright spot on local gridiron AP prep poll remains

By CLIFF NEWELL

Sports Editor

It was his big break, a chance to play in a Big Spring Steer football game for the first time, and Andreas Scheuren of Germany was ready.

Jayvee coach Tommy Gibson sent him in with a play, Scheuren rushed in, broke from the huddle — and lined up 5 yards

"He was in front of the other guy and the other guy was behind him," Gibson said. "The whole process was inverted."

Since then, Scheuren has tempered his enthusiasm, but he has still been a bright addition to Big Spring football. No, he hasn't come in and performed a

bunch of heroics. Coming fresh out of Germany with absolutely no football-background, that would be impossible. But Andreas has been a good young man

to have around, with his attitude and desire to play the American game. "He's a lot of fun," said Big Spring head

coach Dwight Butler. "He's at practice every day. He loves to be around the game. "If more American kids attacked the

game with the same exuberance as Andreas has, there would be a lot more good football players around.' "You can't keep him out of drills,"

Gibson said. "You look up and there he is in the huddle. He's always ready to go.

"He's not a griper, he's not a complainer, he understands his role. He doesn't bring anybody down on anything, on or off the field."

Why did Scheuren choose to go out for football when he arrived in Big Spring as a foreign exchange student?

"I wanted to do an American sport." Scheuren said. "I figured, 'Why not football?' A lot of my friends play football. I thought it was great.'

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Of course, he was far behind from the start. Almost all of Big Spring's players have been playing since the seventh grade, and Gibson said that even a gap of one year of not playing football leaves a player far behind.

Gibson said, "Andreas hasn't done things that with every other player you take for granted. He had never even played catch with a football before.

But now he is learning to catch the football, and on defense he is picking up the aggressiveness needed in tackling.

"I think what he really likes is wearing all the gear," Gibson said. "He really likes suiting up. It has to be a different thing

for him.' Scheuren has also fit in quite well with his teammates

"They have great rapport," Gibson said. "He tells all the players stories from Germany, and he's starting to pick up American customs.'

Andreas admits the difficulties of learning to catch a football for the first time. and he finds the Big Spring heat hard to get used to after growing up in Duesseldorf.

But he says, "Playing football is fun. I'd like to continue playing.'

"Over in Germany, you have to be invited to play on a sports team," Butler noted. "I think his experience here speaks well of our sports system. You can come in and work hard and be a part of a team.'

Scheuren, a 5-9, 170-pound senior, plans to graduate from Big Spring High School next spring, then return to Germany to complete his education. But when he does go back, Andreas just might have a football tucked under his arm.



virtually unchanged

DALLAS (AP) — Teague hasn't made the Class 3A playoffs since 1976. East Bernard went 2-8 last season in 2A. And 1A Wortham has a lineman so incredible he's being hotly pursued by Division I-A coaches.

That's just a little insight into the three teams that broke into The Associated Press high school football poll Monday.

Each moved into the rankings at No. 10 in their class following a weekend featuring victories by all ranked teams in 5A and 4A, nine in 2A and eight in 1A. All five No. 1 teams won to hold their spots.

Class 3A, however, was scrambled following losses by four ranked teams, including three of the top four. Yet, Ballinger, which had been ninth, was the only squad to fall out.

In its place came Teague. which at 5-0 already has more wins than last season's 4-6

Whe Lions have not been ranked in nearly two decades and have not defeated district rivals Mexia, Fairfield or Groesbeck since 1986.

East Bernard truly earned its way into the poll by knocking off last week's No. 9 Industrial 24-0. The loss kicked Industrial

out of the rankings, making way for East Bernard.

The shutout was the second of the year for East Bernard, which has outscored opponents

The Brahmas were quarterfinalists in 1994 behind quarterback Shane Lechler, who also made all-state as a punter. But once he graduated and went to Texas A&M, the team plummeted to 2-8.

Speaking of the Aggies, their coach R.C. Slocum was in the stands last weekend to watch Wortham play Dawson. It was the first weekend coaches could watch prospects in person and Slocum couldn't wait to see Leonard Davis, a 6-foot-5, 300pound behemoth whom A&M could probably use this season.

Instead, Davis is anchoring the lines for the Bulldegs, helping them get off to a 5-0 start. They replaced Granger, which fell out from No. 5 following its second loss of the year.

The only change in 5A saw Aldine and Houston Yates flop spots, with Aldine moving up to fourth and Yates dipping to fifth. A similar minor move came in 4A with Henderson going up one to No. 7 and Clear Brook dropping back to No. 8.

AP PREP POLL

Pettitte gets nod against Orioles in AL opener

NEW YORK (AP) - Andy Pettitte treated being named the Yankees' Game 1 starter with some of the same qualities that made him a 21-game winner this season — confidence

and control. Pettitte said he was surprised when New York manager Joe Torre told the left-hander he had picked him over David Cone to start the AL championship series opener tonight against the Baltimore Orioles.

"I feel like I've pitched in a lot of big games, games where I felt more pressure than this one," Pettitte said. "I stopped a lot of losing streaks. Heck, this is an easy one. It's just the first of a seven-game series.

"It's amazing, I guess, but it really doesn't matter to me. I don't think there will be as much pressure on this start here as others I've made."

Doesn't sound like a 24-year-

pitch like one either.

Pettitte demonstrated the composure of a seasoned veteran all season for the Yankees. He compiled a 21-8 record with a 3.87 ERA, and went 13-3 in starts following Yankees' losses. It's those numbers that have made him the likely Cy Young

Torre said his decision to start Pettitte in the opener against Baltimore's Scott Erickson was based in part on Cone's limited starts since returning from surgery, and No. 4 starter Kenny Rogers' inconsistency.

Cone will start Wednesday's Game 2 against Mike Mussina with Jimmy Key pitching Game 3 against David Wells. Torre said he may use a threeman rotation, meaning Pettitte would start Games 1, 4 and 7, if necessary.

"I'd rather have Andy (in old, does he? Well, he doesn't Game 1) in case we have to

come back on short rest," Torre you can," Torre said said. "He's probably the best physically right now as far as thinking three days rest.' He's also left-handed.

The Orioles set a record this season by hitting 257 regularseason home runs. They hit eight more in the opening round as they eliminated the defending AL champion Cleveland Indians in four

Of those 257 homers, 50 came from left-handed hitting leadoff man Brady Anderson. Torre knows that with Pettitte on the mound, he's at least making it tougher on Anderson, Rafael Palmeiro and some of the other free-swinging lefties in the

Orioles' lineup. "That's why I think I'm going in Game 1, because I'm lefthanded," said Pettitte, 3-0 against Baltimore this season.

"You'd rather pitch left-handers against Baltimore when Tonight's matchup will be

Game 14 between the teams this season. New York won the season series 10-3, but six of the Yankees' wins came by two runs or less. This time, though, there's not a division title on the line, but a trip to the World Series.

After being unable to catch the Yankees in the AL East this season, the Orioles are happy to get another crack at them.

"I think it was fate," Orioles manager Davey Johnson said. This was meant to be. There has always been a great rivalry between the Yankees and Orioles. I know that when I was a player, the Yankees were a team that we had to beat if we wanted to win the American League, and we did. I think it's only fitting that we go head-tohead to see who has the best team in the American League.'

DALLAS (AP) - The Associated Press high school football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses. Total points are based on 10 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 10th-place vote, and previous week's ranking. Voting is by a panel of 20 sports writers and broadcasters.

RECORD CLASS 5A 1. NorthMesquite(19)5-0-0199 1 2. ConverseJudson(1)5-0-0 157 2 3. TylerJohnTyler5-0-0 4. Aldine 5-0-0 1325 5. Houston Yates 5-0-0 129 4 6. Marshall 5-0-0 7. OdessaPermian4-1-0 65 7 8. AustinWestlake5-0-0 548 9. MidlandLee5-0-0 449 10. GalenaParkN.Shore5-0-0 22 10

Also receiving votes: Duncanville 9, Richardson Lake Highlands 9, Lewisville 7, Beaumont West Brook 3, Edinburg North 3, Copperas Cove 2, Lufkin 2, Arlington Lamar 1, Garland 1, Harlingen 1, SA MacArthur 1, SA Madison 1.

CLASS 4A	
1. Grapevine(12)5-0-0	188 1
2. Waxahachie(2)5-0-0	165 2
3. CCCalallen(3)5-0-0	160 3
4. LaMarque(3)4-1-0	140 4
5. Sweetwater5-0-0	122
6. WacoUniversity5-0-0	766
7. Henderson5-0-0	54 8
8. ClearBrook 4-1-0	46.7
9. Jasper 4-1-0 39	9
10. Alice 4-0-1 28	10

Also receiving votes: Terrell 19, Navasota 18, Texas City 12, Denison 7, Brownwood 4, Saginaw Boswell 4, Azle 3, Brazosport 3, West Mesquite 3, Friendswood 2, Carthage 1, Hays Consolidated 1, Highland Park 1, Kilgore 1, Los Fresnos 1, Port Neches-Groves 1, Sherman 1.

Class 3A 1, Vernon(16)5-0-0 2. Columbus(1)3-0-1

4. Mexia(1) 5-0-0	109	7
5. Coldspring 3-	1-0	102 2
6. Rusk4-1-0	84	8
7. Daingerfield(1)4-0-1	69 10
8. Crockett4-1-0	65	3
9. Atlanta3-2-0	63	4
10. Teague5-0-0	39	x

Also receiving votes: Elgin 16, Medina Valley (1) 16, Kennedale 14, Monahans 14, Ballinger 13, Hitchcock 9, La Grange 6, Ingleside 5, Jourdanton 4, Liberty 4, Abilene Wylie 3, Breckenridge 3, Bridgeport 3, Colorado City 3, Pittsburg 3, Hooks 2, La Vega 2, Newton 1, Robinson 1

CLASS 2A 1. Alto(19)5-0-0 199 2. Celina(1)5-0-0 167 3. Groveton5-0-0 154 4. Schulenburg5-0-0 131 5. Italy5-0-0 6. Iraan5-0-0 7. Rosebud-Lott5-0-0 77 8. Refugio4-1-0 62 9. Mart4-1-0 10 10. EastBernard5-0-0 13 x

Also receiving votes: East Chambers 7, Kerens 6, Spearman 4, Ganado 3, Whitewright 3, Bangs 2, Charlotte 2, Hico 2, Roscoe 2, DeLeon 1, Grand Saline 1, Industrial 1, New Diana 1. Panhandle 1. Tidehaven 1. Weimar 1.

CLASS A 1. Windthorst(13)5-0-0 2. Springlake-Earth(5)5-0-0 176 2 3. Celeste(1)5-0-0 157 4. Munday(1)5-0-0 1424 5. Burkeville4-1-0 827 6. Runge5-0-0 7. Kress5-0-0 10 8. Bartlett4-0-1 9. Bremond3-2-0 57 10. Wortham5-0-0

Also receiving votes: Granger 25, Bryson 6, Tenaha 6, Muenster 5, Cross Plains 3, Meridian 3, Nueces Canyon 3, Wink 3, Overton 2, Sudan 2, Agua Dulce 1. Alvord 1. Bronte 1.

Indications are that Braves should have easy time "I feel good about our

ATLANTA (AP) - From all indications, the Atlanta Braves should have an easy time of it in the National League championship series against the St. Louis Cardinals.

To a man, though, the Braves all agree: Don't believe it. "It's a different game come playoff time," third baseman Chipper Jones said Monday

steady rain. Although both clubs are coming off three-game sweeps in the opening round of the NL playoffs - the Braves over the Los Angeles Dodgers and the Cardinals defeating the San Diego Padres - Atlanta is favored because of its 9-4 edge

before a workout curtailed by a

in the regular season.

The defending World Series champions have also been in three of the last four World Series, have won 14 of their last 17 postseason games and won seven straight at home.

In addition, the Braves have their Big Three of John Smoltz, Greg Maddux and Tom Glavine ready and well rested. That trio gave up only two earned runs in the sweep of the Dodgers, holding the Los Angeles batters to a

Other advantages by Atlanta in the regular season: The Braves outhit St. Louis ,241 to .227, outhomered them 22-9 and outscored them 67-47. Atlanta's pitchers had a 3.10 ERA, St.

"It's all wiped away. It all starts over on Wednesday," said Braves manager Bobby Cox.

The best-of-7 series opens Wednesday night with the first of two games in Atlanta before moving to St. Louis for three games, beginning on Saturday. If necessary, the final two games will be played in Atlanta.

Smoltz, who scattered four hits in Atlanta's 2-1 opening game victory over Los Angeles. will start for the Braves in the opener. He was 24-8 during the regular season, 1-1 against the Cardinals, Andy Benes, who was 18-10 during the season, 1-1 against Atlanta, will start for St. chances, but again, this is a different game come playoff time." said Jones, who hit .340 with 3 homers and 9 RBIs during the regular season against St. Louis. Others who had success

against the Cards this year include Javy Lopez, who hit .343 with 4 homers and 11 RBIs; Fred McGriff, who hit .321 with 3 homers and a team-high 12 RBIs, and Marquis Grissom, who hit only .232 but had 6 of his 23 home runs against St. Louis and drove in 10 runs.

"I didn't even know," said Grissom. "I don't keep up with stats. I can't tell you why I had success against any team. I can't explain it."

BOWLING

V.A. COUPLES

(WEEK No. 2)
RESULTS - Team Four over Team Five, 6-2, Team Two over Team Six, 8-0; Team Twelve over Team Three, 8-0; Team Eleven over Team Nine 8-0; Team One over Team Seven, 6-2; Team Ten tied Team Eight, 4-4; hi sc. team game and series Team Two, 699 and 2038; hi sc. game and series (men) Junior Barber, 232 and 577; hi sc. game (women) Karen Albano, 202; hi sc. series (women) Carolyn Coatney, 531; hi hdcp team game and series Team Eleven,843 and 2451; hi hdcp game and series (men) Byron Abshier, 249 and 651; hi hdcp game (women) Joyce Wood. 238 hi hdcp series (women) Carolyn Coatney, 624.

STANDINGS - Team Two, 142: Team Twelve, 14-2, Team Eight, 12 4, Team Eleven, 10 6, Team One, 8-8; Team Four, 8-8; Team Three, 6-10; Team Six, 6-10; Team Nine, 6-10, Team Ten, 6-10, Team Five, 4-12. Team Seven, 2-14

MEN'S MAJOR (WEEK No. 2)

RESULTS - Fina Engineers over Trio Fuels, 880; Team Fifteen over Mason Rofing, 80 Hull's Ranches over Bob Brock ford, 6-2; Hagen TV Repair over B.B.B.S., 6-2, Fred's Contracting over B.S.I., 8-80, Walker L.P. Gas over Rocky's, 8-0; Parks Agency tied Parks, C.C., 44; hi sc. game and series Terry Davis, 256 and 680; hi sc. team game and series Walker L.P. Gas, 987 and 2795, hi hdcp game and series Terry Davis, 288 and 776; hi hdcp team game Parks C.C., 1196; hi hdcp team series Fred's Contracting,

STANDINGS - Walker L.P. Gas., 14-2; HagenT V Repair, 12-4, Hull's Ranches, 23-4; Parks C.C 10-6; Bob Brock Ford, 10-6; Fina Engineers, 10-6; Fred's Contracting, 8-8; B.S.I., 8-8; B.B.S., 8-8; Team Fifteen, 8-0; Parks Agency, 6:10, Mason Roofing, 2:14, Rocky's, 2:14, O'Daniel Trucking, 2-6; Trio Fuels, 0-16; Team Sixteen, 0-0

GUYS & DOLLS RESULTS - Fifth Wheels over Federal Oil, 80; Big Spring State

Park over A Bye. 8-0.; Jim's Again over Hester's Mechanical, 8-80; Head Hunters Beauty Salon over Lucky's Braves, 6-2; hi sc. game and series (men) Ace Carter, 222 and 541; hi hdcp game (men) Ace Carter, 249; hi hdcp series (men) Jim Reese, 675; hi sc game (women) Ursula Gomez, 186; hi sc. series (women) Kathrine Smith, 995; hi hdep game and series (women) Ursula Gomez, 246 and 2438; hi sc. team game and series Jim's Again, 649

series Fifth Wheels, 826 and 2438. STANDINGS Jini's Again, 40 8; Head Hunters Beauty Salon, 34-14: Fifth Wheels, 30-18; Big Spring State Par, 28-20, Lucky's Braves, 20-28, Hester's Mechanical, 18-30, Federal Oil, 18-30

and 1874; hi hdcp team game and

MENS MAJOR

(WEEK No. 5) RESULTS - Bob Brock Ford tied B.B.B.S., 4.4. Trio Fuels over Walker L.P.Gas, 6-2; O'Daniel Trucking over Fina Engineers, 8-Parks C.C. over Team Sixteen, 8-0; Parks Agencyover Team fif teen, 8-0; Hull's Ranches over Mason Roofing, 6-2; Fred's Contracting over Hagen TV Repair, 6-2, Rocky's over B.S.I., 6-2. hi sc. game Lee Everett 256; hi sc series Tommy Scott, 654; hi sc. team game Walker L.P. Gas, 1054; hi sc. team series O'Daniel Trucking, 2875; hi hcp game Lee Everett, 300; hi hdcp series Tommy Scott, 780; hi hdcp team game and series O'Daniel Trucking, 1215 and 3457.

STANDINGS - Parks C.C., 34-6; Parks Agency, 28-12; O'Daniel Trucking, 28-12; Team Fifteen, 26-14; Rocky's, 24-16; Walker L.P. Gas, 22-18, Hull's Ranches, 22-18, B.B.S., 22 18, Fina Engineers, 20-20; Fred's Contracting, 20-20; Hagen TV Repair, 18-22; Bob Brock Ford, 16-24; B.S.I., 16-24; Trio Fuels, 12-28; Mason Roofing, 10-30; Team Sixteen, 0-40

VA COUPLES (WEEK No. 5)

RESULTS - Team Eleven over Team Eight, 6-2; Team Seven over Team Nine.8-0; Team Six tied Team Three, 4-4; hi sc. team game, Team Twelve, 675; hi sc. team series Team Three, 1865; hi sc. game and series (men) Abe Yanez, 232 and 616; hi sc. game and series (women) Karen Albano, 207 and 500; hi hdcp team game and series Team Seven, 843 and 2436; hi hdcp game and series (men) Abe Yanez, 261 and 703; hi hdcp game and series (women)

MaryGordon,232 and 619. STANDINGS . Team Eleven. 30-10; Team Twelve, 24-16; Team Eight, 24-16; Team Four, 23-17. Team Two, 22 18; Team Three, 20 20; Team Six, 20-20; Team One. 20-12; Team Seven, 18-22; Team Ten. 15-25; Team Nine, 12-28; Team

WEDNESDAY NITE TRIO

RESULTS - Team 6 over TEP.6-2; Slow Starters split with Saunders Company, 4-4; Conoco over Loan Stars 6-2: Fifth Wheels split with Team 13, 4-4; Bowling Stones split with Arrow Refrigeration, 4-4, A Timeless Design over Snyder ESP,80; Security State Bank over Walmart Fun Bowlers, 8-0: Golden Corral over Powder Pistols, 6-2: Big Spring Music over Western Aut. 6-2. Charlotte's Raiders (unopposed). 8-0; hi sc. game (man) Gerald Burgess, 267, hi sc. series (man) Tony Shankles, 644, h ihdcp game (man) Jerald Burgess, 306; hi hdcp series (man) Tony shankles, 767; hi sc. game and series (woman) Sadie Wallace, 201 and 540; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Sadie Wallace, 270 and 747, hi sc. team game and series Charlotte's Raiders, 640 and 1671 ht hdcp team game and series Charlotte's Raiders, 787 and 2112.

STANDINGS - Golden Corral, 32-8; Conoco, 30-10; Big Spring Music, 28-12; A Timeless Design, 28-12; Powder Pistolss, 28-12; Charlotte's Raiders, 26-14; Team 6, 24-16; Bowling Stones, 24-16; Arrow Refrigeration, 20-18; Loan Stars, 20-20; TEP, 18-22; Security State Bank, 18-22; Western Auto, 18-18; Fifth Wheels, 16-24; Slow Starters, 14-26; Snyder ESP, 14-26; Walmart Fun Bowlers, 14-26; Saunders Company, 14-26; Team

WEDNESDAY STRIKERS

RESULTS - Budweiser over Joe's Crew, 8-0; Team Six over Magic Painting, 6-2, Team four over A & J, 6-2; hi sc. game Sam Gonzales, 245; hi sc. series J.M. Ringener, 651; hi sc. team game Team Six, 948; hi sc. team series, Budweiser, 2731; hi hdcp game

Sam Gonzales, 293; hi hdcp series J.M. Ringener, 702 and Sam Gonzales, 702; hi hdcp team game Team Six, 1102; hi hdcp team

series Budweiser, 3181. STANDINGS - A & J, 28-12, Team four, 22-18, Magic Painting, 20-20; Budweiser, 18-22; Joe's Crew, 14-18; Team Six, 10-22.

RESULTS - Head Hunters Beauty Salon postponed; Jim's Again bowled unopposed, no decision: Federal Oil over A Bye. 6-2: Hester's Mechanical over Lucky's Braves, 6-2; Fifth Wheels over Big Spring State Park, 6-2; hi sc. game (men) Pat Albano, 224: hi series (men) Ken Beeler, 537; hi hdcp game (men) Ken Beeler, 250; hi hdcp series Jim Reese, 666; hi sc. game and series (women) Velma Campbell, 188 and 488; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Anne Sigmoin, 222 and 605; hi sc team game and series Jim's Again, 677 and 1837, hi hdcp team game and series Jim's Again, 862

STANDINGS - Jim's Again, 26-6: Headhunters Beauty Salon, 26 6; Fifth Wheels, 22-18; Big Spring State Par, 20-20; Hester's Mechanical, 18-22; Lucky's Braves, 18-22: Federal Oil, 18-22.

WEDNESDAY STRIKERS

(WEEK No. 4) RESULTS - A & J over Team Six, 8-0; Team Four over Budweiser, 6-2; Magic Painting over Joe's Crew, 6-2; hi sc. game Jackie Lecroy, 226; hi sc. series James Rawls, 576; hi sc. team game and series A & J, 951 and 2560; hi hdcp game Allan Johnson, 253; hi hdcp series David Perez, 661; hi hdcp team game and series. A & J. 1099 and

PINPOPPERS RESULTS - A & B over Dixie Chicks, 2-0; Federal Oil over Kuykendall, 6-2; Guy's Restaurant tied Team 7, 4-4; Petty Farms over Casual Shoppe, 8-0; 10 over Team 6-2; hi sc. game Pauline Fulesday, 202; hi sc. series Rosie Posey, 504; hi hdcp game Shawn McCutchan, 267; hi hdcp series Rosie Posey, 600; hi hdcp team game and series Team 7, 832 and 2337; hi sc. team game and series

Team 7, 648 and 1785

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MENS MAJOR (WEEK No. 4)
RESULTS - Parks Agency over

Fred's Contracting, 6-2; O'Daniel Trucking over Hagen TV Repair, 8-0; Parks C. C. over B.S.I., 8-0; Team Fifteen over Walker L.P. Gas, 8-0; Fina Engineers over Hull's Ranches, 6-2, B.B.B.S. over Team Sixteen, 8-0; Rockys over Mason Roofing, 8-0; Trio Fuels over Bob Brock Ford, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Phillip Ringener, 289 and 782; hi sc. team game and series Parks Agency, 1023 and 2886; hi hdcp game and series Phillip Ringener, 289 and 782; hi hdcp team game Bob Brock Ford, 1187; hi hdcp team series Trioi Fuels, 3382.

STANDINGS - Parks C. C. 26-6; Team Fifteen, 26-6; Walker L.P. Gas, 20-12; Parks Agency, 20-12; O'Daniel Trucking, 20-12; Fina Engineers, 20-12; Rocky's, 18-14; B.B.B.S., 18-14; Hagen TV Repair. 16-16; Hull's Ranches, 16-16; Fred's Contracting 14-18; B.S.I., 14-18; Bob Brock Ford, 12-20; Mason Roofing, 8-24, Trio Fuels, 6-26; Team Sixteen, 0-32.

VA COUPLES

RESULTS - Team Seveno ver Team Twelve, 8-0; Team Eight over Team Five, 8-0; Team Nine over Team Two, 6-2; Team Four over Team Ten, 7-1; Team Eleven over Team Six, 6.2; Team One over Team Three, 6-2; hi sc. team game and series Team Eight, 684 and 2003; hi sc. game (men) Don Ewing, 267; hi sc. series (men) Manuel Gutierrez, 588; hi sc game (women) Leslie Johns, 193; hi sc. series (women) Dee Carpenter, 522; hi hdcp team game and series Team Eight, 859 and 2528; hi hdcp game (men) Don Ewing, 270; hi hdcp series (men) Ave Yanez, 660; hi hdcp game and series (women) Belia Wilson, 253 and 639.

STANDINGS - Team Eleven, 24-8; Team Two, 22-10; Team Twelve, 22-10; Team Eight, 22-10; Team One. 20-12; Team Three, 16-16; Team Six, 16-16; Team Four. 15-17; Team Nine, 12-20; Team Seven, 10-22; Team Ten, 9-23; Team Five, 4-28.

LADIES MAJOR BOWLING RESULTS - Team 5, 2-6; Mitchell Co. F.C.U., 6-2; E. P.Driver Insurance, 44; Team 2,

4-4; Cline Contruction, 0-8; Team 8, 8-0; Neighbors Auto Sales, 8-0; Day & Day Builders, 0-8; Toy's, 2-6; Big Spring Music, 62; Pin Blasters, 8-0; Federal Oil, 0-8, 4 Amigos, 2-6; Campbell Cement Construction, 6-2; Pack-N-Senders, 6-2; K.C. Kids, 2-6; The

Strikers, 0-0; Rocky's, 0-0 STANDINGS - Mitchell Co. F.C.U., 20-12; Team 5, 20-12; Toy's. 20-12; Team 8, 20-12; Pin Blasters. 18-14; E.P. Driver Insurance, 18 14, Pack-N-Senders, 18-14; Team 2, 18-14; Adventures By Gail, 18-14: Campbell Cement Cons, 18-14; Barber Glass & Mirror, 18-14: Green House Photogra, 18-14: Neighbors Auto Sales, 16-16; Max-L Tires, 16-16; Federal Oil, 16-16 Rocky's, 16-8; K.C. Kids, 14-18; Norwest Bank Team, 14-18; The Strikers, 14-10; 4 Amigos, 12-20; Big Spring Music, 12-20; Cline

Construction, 8-24; Day & Day

Builders, 8-24; Unearned points, 6-

PINPOPPERS (WEEK No. 5)

RESULTS - 10 over Team 7, 8-0: Casual Shoppe over Team 2, 6-2; Petty Farms over Kuykendall, 6-2. Guy's Restaurant over Dixie Chicks, 6-2; Federal Oil over A & B Farms, 6-2; hi sc. game and series Arlene McMurtrey, 193 and 527; hi sc. team game and series. Casual Shoppe, 647 and 1906; hi hdcp game Jack Glaze, 241; hi hdcp series Arlene McMurtrey. 662; hi hdcp team game and series Casual Shoppe, 832 and

STANDINGS - 10-10 32-8; Petty Farms, 24-16; Federal Oil, 24-16: Casual Shoppe, 23-17; Team 7, 22-18; Guy's Restaurant, 20-20; A & B Restaurant, 20-20; Dixie Chicks, 15-25; Team 2, 14-26; Kuykendall,

LADIES MAJOR BOWLING **RESULTS** - Neighbors Auto Sales, 44; Team No. 8, 4-4; Cline Construction, 4-4; Day & Day Builders, 4-4; E.P. Driver Insurance,6-2; Michell Co. F.C.U., 2-6; TEam 5, 6-2; Team 2, 2-6; Pack N Senders, 0-8; Campbell Cement Construction, 8-0; 4 Amigos, 2-6; K.C. Kids, 6-2; Team 15, 4-4; Big Spring Music, 4-4; Toy's, 2-6; Federal Oil, 6-2; Barber Glass & Mirror, 8-0; Unearned Points, 0-8; Max L Tires, 6-2; Adventures by Gail, 2-6; Rocky's,

6.2; The Strikers, 2-6; Green

House Photography, 6-2. STANDINGS - Toy's, 18-6. Team 5, 18-6; Adventures by Gail, 16-8: Rocky's, 16-8: Barber Glass & Mirror, 16-8; Federal Oil, 16-8; Mitchell Co. F.C.U., 14-10; Team 2 14-10; E.P. Driver Insurance, 14 10; The Strikers, 14-10; K.C. Kids, 12-12; Pack-N-Senders, 12-12; Campbell Cement, 12-12; Green House Photo., 12-12; Team 8, 12-12; Team 15, 10-14; 4 Amigos, 10-14; Max-L Tires, 10-14; Cline Construction, 8-16; Day & Day Builders, 8-16; Neighbors Auto Sales, 8-16; Big Spring Music, 6-18; Unearned points, 2-22; hi sc. team game and series Big Spring Music, 679 and 1936; hi hdcp tema game and series Mitchell Co. .C.U., 912 and 2664; hi sc. game Michela Hull, 221; hi sc. series Mavis Greer, 571; hi hdcp game Michela Hull, 278; hi hdcp series

*EDNESDAY NITE TRIO RESULTS - Saunders Company

split with Snyder ESP, 4-4; TEP over Security State Bank, 6-2; A Timeless Design over Charlotte's Raiders. 6-2: Powder Pistols over Loan Stars, 6-2, Team 6 over Team 13, 8-0; Big Spring Music over Slow Starters, 8-0; Bowling Stones over Western Auto, 6-2; Conoco over Fifth Wheels, 8-0; Golden Corral over Walmart Fun Bowlers, 8-0; Arrow Refrigration (unopposed), 6-0; hi sc. game (man) David Campbell, 225; hi sc series man) Jackie Lecroy, 649; hi hdcp game and series (men) David Campbell, 261 and 731; hi sc. game and series (woan) Joycee Davis, 237 and 623; hi hdcp game and series (woman) Peggy Huckabee, 271 and 732; hi sc. team game and series Big Spring Music, 612 and 1721; hi hdcp team game and series TEP 721 and 2044.

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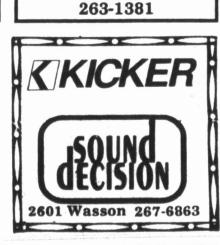
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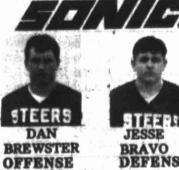
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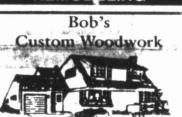
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secures Code, as amended, and the Sta yles of the Oil and Gas Division of the R ommission of Texas. Requests for a public om persons who can show they are adversely

HOROSCOPE

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) cass is instrumental to bosses. Lay a new foundation with finances. A partner who has been difficult is settling down now. It is time for a heart-to-heart talk. Discuss efficiency, and streamline work. Emphasize the longterm. Tonight: Be wild. *****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Observe what is happening with matters at a distance. The unforeseen occurs concerning another. Creative brainstorming opens doors. Excellent communications mark a familial tie. A loved one explains his recent stubbornness. Tonight: Be homeward bound. ****

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Determination is important. Be stalwart with partners, money and interactions. Remain targeted on priorities. The manner in which you convey a message has a lot to do with how it is received. Check out a joint investment thoroughly. Tonight: Flow with changes.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) One thing is certain: You cannot predict a partner's choices. You feel as if you are on a roller coaster. You are. Stay secure. and build confidence about yourself. Finances play a role in your decision-making process. Tonight: Dance to a new tune. ***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Work frazzles your nerves. Accent harmony in the midst of change. Your positive side emerges with a loved one, who needs your feedback. Keep a firm grasp on your funds. Great vibes are possible if you stay open. Tonight: Take your bows. ****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) The answer lies within. You surprise yourself with your resourcefulness. A loved one acts unpredictably. Stay in touch with bottom-line needs. A door opens up, if you can let go of having things your way. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep. ***

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

Hold on tight. The unexpected marks the next few days. A slow, easy attitude works better than an ultimatum. Understand your limits. Intuition is correct with someone close to you. You still may not have the control you want. Eye the future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Take responsibility at work. though you might have your hands full. A steady approach brings stability where there appears to be none. You hear shocking news. Count on a friend, who often has pearls of wisdom and good ideas. Tonight: Go with spontaneity

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) There is more than one way to view a money problem. Seek out different opinions and is as you perceive it. Trying to change the inevitable won't work; making resolutions for positive change will. Tonight: Try a new restaurant. ****

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) and spontaneous than in the idea encourages a new course. wants to work with you. Tonight: Chat over dinner.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Put a flash of insight to use. Your change in attitude has much to do with what happens. Others seek you out for a different view. Discussions need to revolve around joint holdings and greater financial stability. Tonight: Try a new approach. ***

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DEAR ABBY: Because you have devoted so many columns to domestic violence, I thought you might like to know about the Address Confidential

Program in Washington state. Established by Legislature in 1991, this innovative victims' assistance program is administered by the office of the secretary of state. The goal is to assist domestic violence victims who have permanently relocated to avoid further victimization by keeping their actual locations confidential.

Clients are referred to the program by police departments, community-based victims' assistance programs, and the Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Most of these victims are fleeing for their lives; if found, they may be killed. The program helps victims re-establish their lives by providing a substitute address that is accepted by state and local agencies. Participants use the substitute addresses for driver's licenses, marriage licenses and voter registration forms. There is a mail-forwarding service that enables them to keep their

actual addresses confidential. The Address Confidentiality Program is now in its fifth year of operation. Help is offered to men, women and children but women involved in the program far outnumber men. Of the 1,061 participants enrolled, 469 are women, 9 are men and the remainder are children. Of the nine men enrolled in the program, eight reside with women who are victims of domestic violence. — RALPH MUNRO, SECRETARY OF STATE, STATE OF WASHING-

DEAR MR. MUNRO: Thank you not only for sharing the news that such a compassionate program is available to the citizens of Washington state, but also for providing some figures on the ratio of women to men who are victims of domestic violence. Other states could learn from your farsighted legislators

ABBY: My husband, "Van." and I run a business with responsibilities that take him out of his office and leave me working in our

DEAR



Abigail Van Buren Columnist

h o m e office. My problem: A few times each year, Van calls me from his car to tell me about some poor hitchhiker he has just picked up. Today it was a 19year-old temporary laborer wearing a hard hat, on his way

home to a nearby city. Although I realize Van is proud of his ability to help someone, it never fails to terrify me. Unfortunately, my husband thinks my reaction indicates a distrust in his ability to judge a person's character. He insists that he can spot a phony a mile away and he won't budge on this issue.

Abby, my husband has a cellular phone in his car in case he has an emergency or needs to report an accident. But I maintain that Van has a greater responsibility to preserve his safety for his family's sake — and he shouldn't pick up strangers. We read your column daily. Please help me convince my Good Samaritan he is playing Russian roulette. -WORRIED

DEAR WORRIED: Your husband may be well-intentioned, but he shouldn't bet his life and the welfare of his family on his ability to judge the intentions of a hitchhiker at 65 miles an hour. Granted, many may be on the up-and-up, but that one in a thousand could be a killer. • 1996 UNIVERSAL PRESS

TAKE TIME OUT FOR YOURSELF READ THE BIG SPRING HERALD

SYNDICATE

Florida teams annually in national title running

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Try to figure out the last time a team from the state of Florida wasn't in the running for the national championship.

Florida, Florida State, and Miami, usually ranked No. 1 at some point during the last 14 seasons, are at it again. The Gators are No. 1, the Seminoles No. 3 and the Hurricanes No. 6.

The trio have been involved in seven of the past 10 games that decided the national championship, setting a standard for excellence unmatched by any other state.

It used to be the Midwest, storied teams like Notre Dame and Michigan and Minnesota. Then came the superpowers at Oklahoma, Texas, Alabama, Nebraska and Southern California.

That's not the case anymore. Since 1983, Miami has four national titles and Florida State one, while Florida lost its chance in last year's Fiesta Bowl. Miami and Florida State each have to No. 2 finishes in that span.

"The college elite are in Florida," said Jacksonville Jaguars tackle Leon Searcy, who passed up Notre Dame and Michigan for Miami and left with two titles, "Just look at the polls - Florida schools have got three in the top 10. That speaks for itself."

Searcy is just one of many reasons the three Florida schools have reached a level of success unmatched by any other state. Top prep players like Searcy used to leave home for places like South Bend, Okla., Norman, Tuscaloosa, Ala. Now, many of those players are staying home, knowing a national title could be just around the corner.

The state produces prep players like Emmitt Smith, Michael Irvin, Cortez Kennedy and Deion Sanders, kids who go in search of a winner and don't have to look very far to find college football at its finest.

games for Miami are not always the ones for a national title, why the Gators can win the tough Southeastern Conference every year and still be second-best in their own

record 11 straight bowl victo-"If you want to know how you did, see how you come out

what determines whether you meet your goal." It all starts again Saturday in Miami when No. 3 Florida State plays the sixth-ranked Hurricanes. And if the Seminoles can make it out of

end Nov. 30 against No. 1

Florida.

All three schools — the only Division I teams in the state until Central Florida moved up this season — have finished in the top 20 every year since

bation and a bevy of off-field problems last year. The Hurricanes still won their last seven games and ended the year No. 20, their worst showing in the final poll since 1982.

Florida, which had its first shot at a national championship last year, only to be blown out by Nebraska in the Fiesta Bowl, has finished no lower than 13th this decade. That was in 1990, Steve Spurrier's first year as head coach.

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That's why Bobby Bowden doesn't measure success at Florida State by how high it finishes in the polls or its

Bowden said. "That's usually

in the state of Florida,'

Miami stumbled through pro-

And Florida State, which won its first national championship in 1993, has finished no lower than No. 4 since 1987.

This year is no exception. "I don't know what it takes to get somebody outside the state of Florida to be No. 1," Penn State coach Joe Paterno said.

It is a trend that doesn't figure to end soon. As long as the teams keep winning, they will continue to get the best prep players from the fertile state of Florida. And as long as they keep getting those players, they likely will continue to win. "I had a kid two years ago

He could have gone anywhere he wanted, but there was some family ties up there," said Corky Rogers, a high school coach in Jacksonville the past 25 years. 'But you take that same kind of a kid who had no other ties,

and it would shock me if he

who wound up at Notre Dame.

didn't choose a state school. The list of Sunshine State players who starred at Florida schools is long — Irvin, Bennie and Brian Blades, Russel' Maryland and the late Jerom : Brown at Miami; Sanders, Derrick Brooks, Marvin Jones, LeRoy Butler and Edgar Bennett at Florida State; Smith, Wilbur Marshall, Louis Oliver, Neal Anderson and Kevin

Carter at Florida. 'It just goes to show the caliber of athletes in the state of Florida," Searcy said. "That's why you see so many other schools outside the state try to come in and steal the great athletes away from Florida. And the leftovers — if you can call them that - are pretty damn good themselves.

Southridge High School in Miami — Troy Davis is now on pace to become the first running back to rush for over 2,000 yards in two straight seasons. Still, all three Florida schools

do a remarkably good job of

keeping the local talent. And

Iowa State found one at

there obviously is enough to go around. On Miami's roster, 65 percent of the players are from Florida Miami, their regular season Seventy percent of the players

on Florida State's roster are ...

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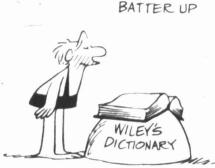
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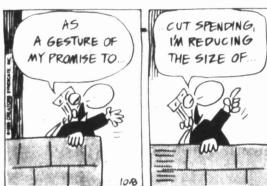
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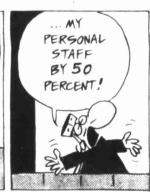
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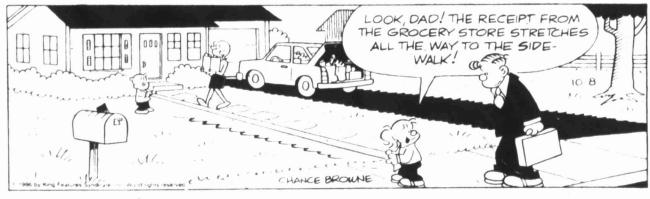
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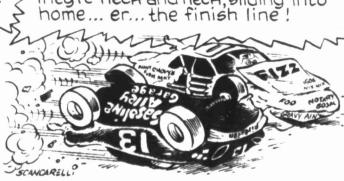
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killed 25 German soldiers and

captured 132 in the Argonne

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was indicted for murder in the

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In 1956, Don Larsen pitched

the only perfect game in a

World Series to date as the New

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In 1970, Soviet author

Alexander Solzhenitsyn was

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In 1981, at the White House,

President Reagan greeted for-

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and Nixon, who were preparing

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THE Daily Crossword by Diane C. Baldwin

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