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#### MONDAY November 8, 1999

#### WEATHER



TONIGHT TUESDAY 73°-78° 45°-52°

### **Blood drive set** for Wednesday in Coahoma

Coahoma Lion's Club is sponsoring a blood drive Wednesday from 4-8 p.m. at the Coahoma Community Center.

**United Blood Services from** San Angelo will be handling the drive, and they recommend donors make an appointment. To do so, call 394-4277. Walk-in donors are also welcome.

### WHAT'S UP ...

#### TODAY

□ Big Spring Evening Lions Club, 6:30 p.m., 1607 E. Third.

Big Spring Amateur Radio Club, 7 p.m., Club House.

Big Spring Commandery No. 31, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main (6:30 p.m. dinner).

□ Big Spring Assembly No. 211, Social Order of the Beauceant, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple, 211 1/2 Main (6:30 p.m. dinner).

passerby who stopped and stayed with her after the vehicle she was driving slipped off the roadway and rolled along County Road 2599. "If it weren't for him, I don't think she

HERALD Staff Report

would be alive," said Madonna Dunn, who was visiting her sister, Malinda Salazar, when the accident occurred about 11:15 a.m. Saturday. According to Dunn, her sister, a con-

A Howard County woman is safe at

home today, thanks apparently to a

tract mail carrier, was finishing up her route along CR 2599 about a quarter-mile south of Interstate 20 when a deer ran onto the roadway and she swerved to avoid it. The vehicle went off the road and rolled twice, coming to rest in the ditch. Mrs. Salazar was able to get out of the vehicle but was disoriented.

"This man, Sam Davis of Abilene, saw the cloud of dust from the interstate," said Dunn. "He got off the freeway and came to help her."

According to Dunn, when the man arrived on the scene, her sister was wandering off.

"It's kind of wild out in that area and if he had not come along, she might have just wandered away. She wasn't thinking very clearly," Dunn said.

Davis managed to guide the injured 25year-old woman to his vehicle and used a cell phone to report the accident to authorities and then to call Dunn's residence and tell her husband about the accident.

Big Spring EMS transported Salazar to Scenic Mountain Medical Center where she was treated for pain in her back, cracked ribs and a wrist sprain, according to the Dunn.

"This man was a saint. If he had not seen the accident and stopped, I don't know how long she might have been out there," said Dunn of Davis, who is apparently a country and western singer

"When he left, he pitched a cassette tape of his songs in my brother-in-law's car and said 'Here's something to remember me by,' and then he drove away," said Dunn.

Ironically, Dunn and the sisters' mother had driven here from Austin to visit because the Salazars had been in another accident on Halloween night.

# United Way funds help Rape Crisis/Victim Services

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the 10th in a series of 11 weekly stories on the member agencies of the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County. Next week: American Red Cross.

#### By DEBBIE L. JENSEN

Features Editor

When a woman has been in an abusive relationship for a long time, she may no longer recognize it as harmful. It may seem normal to her.

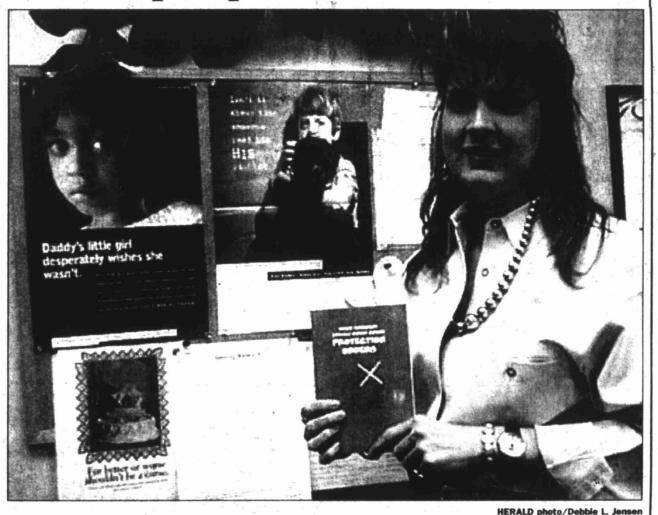
Those are some of the victims Rape Crisis/Victim Services tries hard to reach - the ones who no longer realize they are being victimized.

"When you stay in the

really is,'



explained Shann Thomas, victim service coordinator for the agency. "That's called the cycle of violence. If it is severe enough, they can be killed." Domestic violence is just one



Howard County woman safe at home because of Good Samaritan

Shann Thomas, victim service coordinator with Rape Crisis/Victim Services, stands in front of a client education bulletine board while holding some of the literature used to assist victims. The agency, one of the United Way-supported organizations locally, assists victims of all crimes.

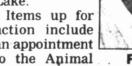
Council **Discussion items** 

may dominate **Tuesday meeting** By BILL McCLELLAN

**News** Editor

Discussion items, rather than items up for action, will likely draw the most interest during Tuesday's meeting of the Big Spring City Council, which will begin the process for getting under way with

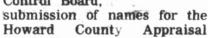
a terminal at the airpark and look over a list of priorities for improvements at Moss Creek Lake.



FUQUA

Review Board, a contract related





action include an appointment to the Animal Control Board,

#### TUESDAY

□ Intermediate line dance classes, 9 a.m. Senior

Citizens Center. Coahoma Senior Citizens luncheon, 11 a.m.,

**Coahoma Community** Center.

□ Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room

Quarterback Club, 7 p.m., Big Spring High School Athletic Training Center.

□ VFW Post No. 2013. VFW Hall, 7 p.m.

□ Big Spring Chapter No. 67, Order of the Eastern Star, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge, 219 Main.

WEDNESDAY Optimist Club, 7 a.m., **Howard College Cactus** 

Room. □ Senior Circle mall walk-

ers meet 9:15 a.m. in front of movie theater box office. Big Spring Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard

College Cactus Room. □ Line dancing, 1 p.m.,

Senior Citizens Center, Industrial Park.

Eagles Lodge Ladies Auxiliary, 7 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 W. Third.

#### THURSDAY-

Gideon's International Big Spring Camp No. 4206, 7 a.m., Hermans.

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#### **INSIDE TODAY...**

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To reach us, please call 263-7331. Office hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you miss your paper, please call 263-7335 before 7 p.m. on weekdays and 11 a.m. on Sunday. of the crimes for which RC/VS serves victims. But it is one of the most common, and one of the most devastating to local families.

Funds from the United Way help RC/VS support those victims in many ways. Say a violent partner broke out the fam-

By MARSHA STURDIVANT

The data room of operational

information for Fina's Big

Spring Refinery in Plano has

closed, and final bids are due to

Monday at the close of the busi-

ness day," said plant manager

The refinery was placed on

the market in June, along with

terminals in Abilene and

Wichita Falls as well as the

Local plant officials have

remained optimistic that the

plant will continue to operate in

Big Spring, regardless of who

"All the bids are due by next

be submitted next Monday.

Staff Writer

Steve Weber.

Amdel Pipeline.

ily car's windshield, or the abused wife and children need a motel room for the night. Perhaps the victim needs prescription medication, or clothing after release from the hospital.

Since United Way funds are can assist her financially. In See UNITED WAY, Page 2

Jeff Morris (Fina vice presi-

dent) and we feel really positive

and believe we will receive a

good number of bids in the

range we expect. Of course, not

all the bids will be in the range

we want, but Fina has the

option to reject any and all bids

that do not meet certain crite-

The bids will be opened and

Weber said strict criteria was

applied to the bidding requests,

and those that are successfully

considered must meet those

At least eight bids are expect-

ed to be received, an estimate

based on the amount of interest

and tours taken at the data cen-

ria," Weber said.

requirements.

evaluated next week.

not as restricted. In cases of domestic violence

victim file a protective order, nowhere to go. relocate to a new home, and

tions requested, he said.

"There are about five bids

not from grants, as most of these cases, just like those of all RC/VS funding is, their use is crimes, there are criteria the victim must follow to qualify. Often, a victim says she cancases, RC/VS staff will help the not leave because she has

Fina employees are under-

standably anxious to learn who

will buy the refinery, he said.

to improvements at the wastewater treatment plant, installation of a stop sign and resale of property. After receiving approval for a grant for a new airport terminal

building from the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) earlier this year, council members will get that project started Tuesday by advertising for an architect.

The TxDOT grant in amount of \$200,000 will be matched by \$200,000 from the city. Officials have said the terminal will cost more than \$500,000 to construct. All of the local funds will come from the airpark fund – which can only be used for projects at the airpark.

Fugua speculated construction could begin by spring.

By that time, council members hope to be through with work planned for Moss Creek Lake. The council voted last month to close the lake for a four- to fivemonth period. In so doing, the city will save some \$10,000 that would have been, paid to a groundskeeper and has pledged another \$10,000 to that to be used on renovations this winter.

"The council wants to see a list of projects to be accomplished at the lake, and we will be presenting them with those suggestions at this meeting," said Fuqua. "They want to make sure that if the lake is closed, definite projects will be scheduled and our citizens and visitors who go there after it is opened again will see some notable improvements.

"Everybody knows the improvements have been needed for some time. It's the same kind of effort we did with the golf course several years ago. And it's needed, there's no doubt about it," he added.

A third discussion item will be a revenue analysis. Fuqua will provide year-end financial figures to the council, along with comparisons to past years.

"It's something to show how we did in completing the year what happened to cause us to go over budget in this area or that." the city manager said. "Revenue was really down last year. Our water sales, sewer sales, sales tax revenue were all down. This helps us to look at what we are doing and what we need to be

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HOG's Seafood Fest to benefit Angel Trees

Big Spring Refinery bids due by next Monday

"I was recently talking with ter in Dallas and bid specifica-

said.

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said.

ALL BURG STONE STORE

#### By DEBBIE L. JENSEN

receives the bid award.

Features Editor

**Big Spring's Harley Owners** Group (HOG) is getting ready for its fourth annual Seafood Fest.

On Saturday, the benevolent bikers will gather at the Harley-Davidson Shop for an afternoon feast of catfish, boiled shrimp, crawfish and oysters with a live band to entertain. For \$15 per person, the community can join them, with proceeds going to the needy for the holiday season. "We've decided to do the same we did last year with the

money," said Barry Barnett, of HOG. Last year, the group used its Seafood Fest proceeds to buy gifts for all the unclaimed "angels" from the Salvation Army Angel Trees.

"We'll be taking care of some angels again this year," Barnett said, adding that last year, the group also had enough money

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to buy "a truckload" of turkeys and chickens for the Salvation Army. . 1 ....

"Christmas is about giving, and we want to give something back to the community," he said, "because it's not about what you take away from a community, it's what you give to it."

Serving in the all-you-can seafood line begins at 1 p.m. For those who would prefer, brisket sandwicher will be for sale as well.

"Last year we fed about 400 people," Barnett said. "We appreciate all those generous people who allowed us to do what we did with the Angel Trees."

Anyone who wants to attend the event, but not to eat, can get in free, Barnett said.

"If they want to give us a donation, we will gladly take it and put it to good use," he said. When we can do something

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Members of the Harley Owner's Group parade down Gregg Street prior to the "Mount the Huey" Seafood Fest a few years ago. This year's feed, set for Saturday, will benefit the Salvation Army's Angel Trees.

evaluated, the two highest bids will be determined. Then negoso people can decide what they tiations and reviews will take want to do. We have some people who are looking at retireplace within the management ment, but they want to see who Weber said estimates are that the successful bid is going to before they make the decision," this process will continue well

into December, but he is hope-Weber said. Weber estimated that once the ful a decision will be made before Christmas. process is complete, the refin-"By early or mid-December ery will be in a transitional phase of changing owners durwe should know who the successful bidders are," Weber ing the spring of 2000.

Depending on who the successexpected from independent energy companies, and three ful purchaser is, Weber said all from financial groups," Weber the employees may remain at the plant, or at least 90 percent Once the bids are opened and of those now employed. "We want the issue resolved

## LOCAL

### OBITUARIES

### **Hazel D. Lawrence**

Hazel D. Lawrence, born April 4, 1910, in Fort Worth. Died Oct. 29, 1999, in Houston. She was the daughter of Arthur and Flora Deffebach of Fort Worth. She graduated from Fort Worth Central High School in 1927 and received a **BA** degree from Southwestern University in Georgetown in 1930. She also attended TCU and SMU. At Southwestern University, she met and married Kelley E. Lawrence of Bartlett in 1930. They lived in Calvert, Bryan, Bastrop and Bartlett before moving to Big Spring in 1940, where Mr. Lawrence accepted a position with Burton Lingo Lumber Company.

In 1942, she began a 33-year career as a schoolteacher in the **Big Spring Independent School** District, retiring in 1975. She helped open Park Hill Elementary in 1952, teaching the third grade there until her retirement. She was active in the Big Spring Chapter of the State **Teacher's** Texas Association and in Republican Party affairs in Big Spring for many years. She was a long time member of St. Mary's Church. Episcopal Mr. Lawrence predeceased her in in 1968. To be near family, she moved to El Paso in 1987, and then to Houston in 1996. Her spiritual influence was felt by many and she will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Survivors include: her three sons and their families, Kelley E. Lawrence II and wife Joyce, of Houston, the Rev. John A. Lawrence and wife, Waynoka, of Kerrville, and Kennard T. Lawrence of Houston. Also, seven grandchildren, Dennis Lawrence of Houston, David Lawrence of Reston, Va., Donald Lawrence of Charlotte, N.C., Karen Bouvier of New Orleans, La., Kelley Adams of Lafayette, La., Kimberly Brooks of Fort Campbell, Ky., and Kevin Lawrence of Houston. Also, by six great-grandchildren and a sister, Dorothy Deffebach White of Beaumont. Requiem Communion in cele-

Scenic Mountain

bration of her life will be on Wednesday, Nov. 10, 1999, at 10:30 a.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, with The Rev. James Liggett and Steve Birdwell officiating. In remembrance the family suggests contributions to the Capital Funds Drive; St. Mary's Episcopal Church; P.O. Box 2949; Big Spring; 79721-2949.

#### Paid obituary

#### **Jake C. Whiteker** Service for Jake C. Whiteker,

74, Coleman, will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1999, at Stevens Funeral Home, Coleman, with the Rev. Jeff Robinett officiating. Burial will follow in the Coleman Cemeterv

Mr. Whiteker died Sunday, Nov. 7, at his residence.

He was born on Sept. 16, 1925. in Walnut Springs. He grew up in Haskell County and attended school in Haskell. He served with the United States Navy Seabees in Okinawa during World War II. On Feb. 16, 147, he married Raynell Godfrey in Throckmorton. He retired from Texas Coca Cola Bottlers. He had also farmed and ranched in Haskell County. He was a member of the United Christian and Presbyterian Church in Coleman.

Survivors include: his wife, Raynell Whiteker of Coleman: one son, Stephen Whiteker of Mertzon; one daughter, Linda Tabor of Big Spring; two sisters, Marceal Reeves of Sweetwater, and Dovie Pittman of Grand Prairie; seven grandchildren; and five nephews and one niece.

The family will be at the funeral home from 5 to 7 tonight.

Memorials may be made to the United Presbyterian Christian Church in Coleman.

Arrangements under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

#### **Ila Ruby Murphy**

Graveside service for Ila Ruby Murphy, 81, Oak Creek Lake, formerly of Big Spring, will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1999, at the Garden City Cemetery with the Rev. Dan Wright, pastor of First Chunch of the Nazarene in Brownwood

tor of First Baptist Church in Garden City officiating.

Mrs. Murphy died Saturday, Nov. 6, at her daughter's home in Brownwood.

She was born on May 19, 1918, in Navasota. She married G.W. Murphy on Sept. 28, 1940, in Ballinger. She was raised in Oklahoma and had lived and farmed in the Luther community from 1953 until moving to Big Spring in 1968. She was a licensed cosmetologist and owned and operated Ila's Beauty Salon until retiring in 1982, at which time she moved to Oak Creek Lake. Mrs. Murphy was a Southern Baptist.

Survivors include: her husband, G.W. Murphy of Oak Creek Lake; four daughters, Mary McBrayer of Santa Fe, N.M., Anita Calverly of Garden City, Jane Hutchings of Brownwood, and Ruby Jones of Marysville, Calif.; one son, Bill Murphy of Garden City; two sisters, Mary Watkins of San Angelo, and Helen Crenshaw of Ballinger; one brother, Ray Morgan of Fort Worth; 12 grandchildren; and 12 greatgrandchildren.

The family suggests memorito: FSH Muscular als Dystrophy Research; No. 3 Westwood Road; Lexington, Md.; 02173, or to the donor's favorite charity.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 to 8 tonight.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

#### **Ruthie Mae** McCarty

and the Rev. Alvie Stiefer, pas- Spring in the mid 1940's and Funeral Home.

Service for Ruthie Mae McCarty, 80, Big Spring, was 1 p.m. today at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Marco Arzate, pastor of Church of the Harvest, officiating. Burial followed at Techla Daily. Trinity Memorial Park.

Mrs. McCarty died Saturday, Nov. 6, 1999, in a local nursing home.

She was born on July 30, 1919, in Kaufman County. She to the Allison Cancer Society married E.W. "Mac" McCarty Look Good and Feel Good Shop; on Sept. 7, 1935, in Kaufman. 1 301 North N.; Midland; 79701. He preceded her in death on Arrangements under the

was a homemaker.

Survivors include: one son, A.W. "Mac" McCarty of Big Spring; one daughter, Patty J. Sides of Big Spring; four sisters, Mary Cunningham of Big Spring, Ruby Arldt of Brownsboro, Sybil Oxford of Kaufman, and Joyce Lepard of Odessa; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

#### **Dorothy Fay Neece** Dorothy Fay Neece, 71, died

Saturday, Nov. 6, 1999, at Midland Memorial Hospital'. Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 9, at Mvers & Smith Chapel

with burial at NEECE Trinity Memorial Park. The Rev. Jack Clinkscales and the Rev. Ken

McMeans will officiate. She was born on Nov. 14, 1927, in Big Spring, to Lydia Hooten Knappe and Alvis Knappe. She was lifetime resident of Big Spring and a member of College Baptist Church. She had worked for Texas Electric for 32 years, retiring July 1, 1987. She married J.W.

(Bill) Neece on Jan. 29, 1949, in Big Spring. He preceded her in death on Aug. 29, 1986. Survivors include: one daugh-

ter, Sandra Gandy of Midland; two brothers, Roy Knappe of Mohave Valley, Ariz., and Carl Knappe of Big Spring; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, Mrs. Neece was preceded in death by three brothers, Albert, Henry and Edward Knappe, and two sisters, Margaret (Peggy) Vaughn and

Pallbearers will be Perry Lee Daily, Carl A. Knappe, Fred Phillips, Jim Huckaby, George Lambert and Wesley Yater.

The family suggest memorials

Sept 15, 1997. She came to Big direction of Myers & Smith

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#### **BIG SPRING HERALD** Monday, November 8, 1999

The pamphlet says a "yes"

answer to just one of the ques-

tions can signify an abusive

Thomas said domestic vio-

dentiality. Victims deal with

who are trained to handle all

She urged victims of domestic

violence, or any crime, no mat-

ter when it occurred, to contact

"We have many, many

resources for our community,'

she said. "We are here to help.'

doing to take all that into con-

The meeting will begin at 5:30

awarding a bid for annual

• resale of property at 1300

installation of a stop sign on

Wright Avenue, east bound at

the intersection of Wright,

contract agreement between

the city and Camp Dresser and

McKee Inc. for engineering ser-

vices related to improvements

to the wastewater treatment

an ordinance approving a

casting votes for the election

of the board of directors of the

Howard County Joint Tax

· executive session for evalua-

tion of the municipal court

WHAT'S UP \_\_

Appraisal Board for 2000-2001,

final plat for Cox Subdivision

Blackmon, 1303 Sycamore and a

one-acre tract on Ash Road,

maintenance on the early warn-

p.m. in council chambers, 307

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**RC/VS** for help.

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plant,

#3,

judge.

## BIG SPRING ROUND THE TOWN

FEST

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like this to help somebody less lence cases, like all those RC/VS handles, are treated with confifortunate, that is what it's all about." staff members or volunteers,

Barnett said HOG has been pleased with the community's response to its fundraising efforts this year.

"The public has been great to us," he said. "The thermal imaging camera campaign went great. This is another opportunity for people to have a good time, and help someone else at the same time.

"And if you leave hungry, it will be your own fault."

### **UNITED WAY**

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"We want them to know that there is a place for them to go, that they do not have to live in that situation," Thomas said. She added that the abuse can be verbal, emotional or physical.

Staff members will use educational materials to help victims, like the Power and Control Diagram, distributed by the Texas Council on Family Violence. It asks, "Is your relationship based on equality? Or is your relationship based on power and control?"

The diagram lists signs of an abusive relationship, such as coercion and threats, intimidation, emotional abuse, isolation, economic abuse and minimizing, denying and blaming. Those are contrasted with qualities of a relationship of equality, such as negotiation and fairness, respect, trust and support. and shared responsibility.

In another pamphlet, a quiz asks questions about the potentially abusive partner.

"Does your partner embarrass you with bad names and putdowns, look at you or act in ways that scare you, stop you Continued from Page 1

from seeing friends or family? Does your partner slap you or Big Spring Senior Citizens hit you, threaten to commit sui-

Center art classes 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. for 55 and older.

#### **BIG SPRING H** Monday, Nov

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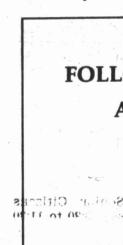
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DALLAS (AP) day's treasure are sorting o crimes that pos threat to preser A Dallas man for American and two of hi faced prosecut

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#### **MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME** & CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

Paul Flores, 45, died Friday. Funeral services will be 3:00 PM, Monday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, with Burial at Mt: Olive Memorial Park.

Dorothy Fay Neece, 71, died Saturday. Services will be 2:00 PM Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel, with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

#### NALLEY-PICKLE & WELCH **Funeral Home**



Burr Lea Settles, 86, died Saturday. Services will be 10:00 AM Tuesday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Ila Ruby Murphy, 81, died Saturday. Graveside services will be at 2:00 PM Tuesday at Garden City Cmemtery.

Hazel D. Lawrence, 89, died Friday, October 29, 1999. Memorial services will be 10:30 AM Wednesday, November 10, 1999 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Interment will follow at Mt. **Olive Memorial Park.** 

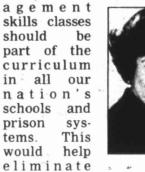
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Learning to manage anger is skill that should be taught mal human emotion when dealt with positively and assertively, not negatively and aggressively can advance mankind.

However, many people don't have the skills to positively deal with anger because they've never been taught the skills. Anger-man-



DEAR some of the ABBY depression. domestic abuse, divorces, alcoholism,

drug addiction, crime and murder in our country. I believe the benefits would far outweigh the costs.

For people who recognize their anger-management problems and want to learn the skills to enable them to deal with those problems positively, our society should make it "politically correct" to seek help through counseling. In

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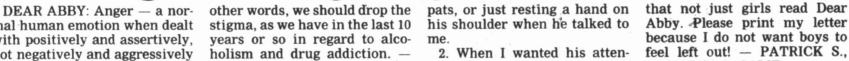
Mr. & Mrs. Roger Winters Grandparents

Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Howell

Mr. & Mrs. Glen Winters

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CARL FOX, HURST, TEXAS DEAR CARL: Although I'm not sure I agree that the "stigma" in regard to alcoholism and drug addiction has been erased, I do agree that anger-management classes in schools could be helpful in lowering levels of violence. A step in the right direction are the peer mediation programs that are being implemented in many schools, which help to defuse problems before they become serious. DEAR ABBY: You goofed when you advised "Tony's Mom" to buy earplugs if counseling couldn't keep her husband from yelling at their 10-year-old son. All that yelling will only harden the child, and when he reaches his teens, it could become explosive.

I, too, was a "yeller" and found my teen-ager becoming increasingly angry, hateful and disrespectful. Instead of trying to force him to change, I decided to change myself. I focused daily on adhering to the following goals:

1. I showed my love for my son by touching him gently at least 10 times a day with hugs,

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his shoulder when he talked to me

2. When I wanted his attention I went to him, touching him gently and speaking very softly, looking him in the eye. 3. I listened attentively to his stories, remarks, comments,

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etc., without judgment or criti-

4. I stayed in control of my emotions and stopped yelling, which eliminated the power struggles.

This calmer, nicer approach reduced the arguments and resistance to what I asked. It was amazing how quickly I got my sweet, loving son back. -WISER IN NORTH TEXAS

DEAR WISER: Your suggestions are certainly worth trying – and in many cases could go a long way toward establishing a more loving family atmosphere. However, I recommended family counseling because it can provide insight into how these disruptive patterns began, as well as methods for eliminating them and improving the level of communication between all parties.

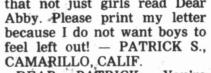
DEAR ABBY: I am a 15-yearold boy who likes to read Dear Abby. I would just like to say

**ALLAN'S** 

**Big Spring**, Texas

PH. 267-6278

Dan Wilkins



cide, threaten to kill you?"

DEAR PATRICK: You're right. My readership includes all ages and both sexes.

Good advice for everyone teens to seniors - is in "The

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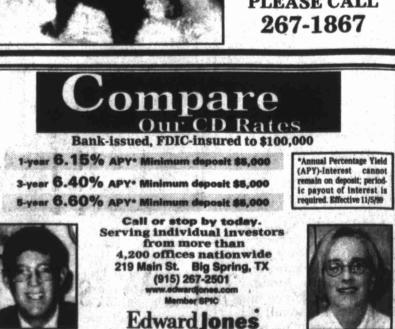


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### **GENERAL NEWS**

# Second giant robot brought in to help probe EgyptAir crash site

NEWPORT, R.I. (AP) - As to six feet high, families of victims of EgyptAir Flight 990, began heading home; the Navy called in a second tives worldwide, many of whom high-tech robot to aid in the search for the plane's elusive black boxes that first seemed so near, but now seem more like Help me! Help me!" shrieked needles in a haystack.

of the Atlantic Ocean, somewhere under wreckage piled up

The crash claimed 217 lives. leaving behind grieving rela-

gathered Sunday for an emotional memorial vigil at the sea. "Please get my baby. Help me!

one woman, her arms out-More than a week after the stretched, palms up, as she plane plunged from 33,000 feet, faced the ocean - her cries the cockpit voice and flight data answered only by the steady recorders remain at the bottom lapping of the waves against the soft sand.

Sometime today, seas were Grapple's deck.

supposed to calm at the site where the Navy already lowered the undersea robot Deep Drone from the USS Grapple twice without snaring the black boxes.

Previously, each time claws of the Deep Drone moved a piece of wreckage to try and get closer to the black boxes' distinct chirping sound, clouds of silt blurred the robot's video cameras — frustrating technicians controlling it from the

He estimated the items taken

from Pat Mayse to be 700 to

1,300 years old. They included

weapon and tool projectile

points and parts of ceremonial

clay pipes, indicating possible

The University of Texas at

Tim Perttula, an Austin

Austin will get the artifacts as a

burials at the site.

donation.

The Grapple returned to shore noon at a state park overlooking Deputy Prime Minister Herb Sunday to refuel and restock amidst seas too rough to get work done.

When the search resumes, the Navy plans to employ a second underwater robot, the Magnum

ROV. The robot is the Navy's latest, most sophisticated machine of its kind, able to maneuver and operate even in rough seas, said James Hall, chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board. It was being carried aboard the civilian ship Carolyn Chouest.

Hall had seemed optimistic Friday when Deep Drone was first deployed into the ocean because it had detected loud pinging sounds from the black boxes - an indication that the devices were nearby.

Rough seas stalled the search through the weekend. On Sunday, family members

gathered on a clear, cold after-

the ocean.

Leaders of the Jewish, Christian and Islamic faiths offered readings, chants and prayers in three languages.

Relatives then were led to the water through a corridor formed by military personnel and caregivers including workers from the Red Cross, the NTSB and the Salvation Army. Some wept and wiped their faces with handkerchiefs as they dropped flowers into the sea, while others left their flowers in a wicker basket. One woman was so overcome she had to be helped to the beach.

A military honor guard carried the wicker basket to a Coast Guard helicopter, which hovered overhead briefly before slowly departing. The Coast Guard said the helicopter would drop the flowers at the crash site Tuesday.

Dignitaries included Canada's

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Gray, Egyptian Ambassador Nabil Fahmy, U.S. Transportation Secretary **Rodney Slater and Federal** Aviation Administration Administrator Jane Garvey, along with Rhode Island Gov. Lincoln Almond and other leaders.

Before leaving, some relatives scooped up sand and pebbles and took with them vials of water from the ocean as remembrances.

After the ceremony, many left immediately for airports to return to their homes in Egypt, the United States and other points.

"It's very difficult for me to return without a body," said Abdulla el-Mahrouky, an airline attendant who lost his sister, Maha el-Mahrouky.

"I want to know what happened," he said. "I don't know anything."

## **Illegal collecting of American Indian** artifacts more common, officers say

DALLAS (AP) - Amid yester- or federal lands. day's treasures, investigators are sorting out present-day crimes that pose an increasing threat to preservation.

A Dallas man with a penchant for American Indian artifacts and two of his friends have from lake-bottom mud in Northeast Texas.

"People are stunned to find out that this kind of activity is criminal," lawyer Ron Wright fine. said.

Gary Priesing and his friends, Alvis Don Rattan and Wayne Shults, were arrested Aug. 14 while trying to remove about 100 Caddo Indian artifacts from federally owned Pat Mayse Lake in Lamar County.

The trio pleaded guilty in October to misdemeanor charges in Sherman, acknowledging violations of a law forbidding excavation and removal of archaeological resources at of these things, you get a lot least 100 years old from Indian more people willing to take a rying them off."

Wright said his client, Shults, "had no intention of selling the objects" and did not understand the implications of his actions.

Priesing, 33, along with the 44year-old Rattan of Bedford and Shults, 40, of Keller could have faced prosecution for taking been charged with felonies arrowheads and pottery shards under the 20-year-old law that permits collection of artifacts found on the surface of land. Each now faces up to a year's imprisonment and a \$100,000

> Archaeologists say areas of historic and prehistoric occupation face renewed threats from collecting for private or financial gain.

"The economy's good. There's money in people's pocket," said Louis Voegele, an archaeologist with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in Tulsa, Okla., who helped investigate the Pat Mayse case. "And a lot more is being paid for it. With the value

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archaeologist and Caddo Tribe consultant, said the lake site was exposed during the summer drought. He said other prime targets have been Caddo and other tribal burial sites. Caddo sites — including about 400 known for burials - have been looted since the early 1900s

"That's probably a low number, and most have been looted," including four at the corpsmanaged Lake of the Pines, he said. "We're talking hundreds of burials. We're talking people digging up the bodies and car-

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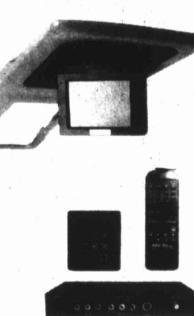
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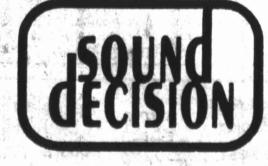
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### OUR VIEWS

# Organ donors become life's unsung heroes

t's one of those situations none of us thinks we'll ever face — being terminally ill, in need of an organ transplant and desperately hoping a donor match can be found.

We were all reminded there's a shortage of transplantable organs last week with the death of football great Walter Payton.

Nicknamed "Sweetness," first by his teammates and later by fans, Payton earned a spot in the National Football League Hall of Fame by playing 14 years for the Chicago Bears and retiring as the NFL's all-time career rushing leader.

His life ended a week ago today, a victim of bile duct cancer after having spent a year waiting for a liver transplant — a donor match never being found.

Sadly, the same scenario is played out somewhere on an almost daily basis.

Payton's death clearly illustrates that that the ability to pay medical costs is not the primary reason patients die while waiting for transplants. They die because there is a shortage of transplantable organs. In fact, if money were the determining factor, Payton would still be among us ne of a tom lot a tom W bevai

# Covering the Courts: Case of the Golden Platter

he law, like politics, makes strange bedfellows. The Bennis case of 1996 involved an 11year-old Pontiac sedan worth maybe \$100. The Steinhardt

case of 1999 involves a golden platter dating from 450 B.C. The artifact has cost its owner \$1.2 million so far. Forfeiture is the issue. Twice in the past three **IAMES** years the

Supreme **Court has** KILPATRICK split 5-4 in

such cases. Lower federal courts are similarly divided

Two questions have developed: (1) Are forfeitures subject to review as "excessive" fines under the Eighth Amendment? (2) Are innocent owners subject to punishment for the

wrongdoing of someone else? The pending case of Michael Steinhardt v. United States presents both questions. These are the facts: At some point prior to 1980, an Italian utility company was laying cable in Sicily. Workers dug up a golden platter, about the size of a pie plate, known to antiquarians as a phiale. A private antique collector acquired the piece and verified its authenticity. The collector sold the phiale to a Sicilian coin dealer, who in turn sold it in 1991 to William Veres, an art dealer in

OPINION

Zurich, Switzerland. Veres knew a good thing when he saw it. He got in touch with Robert Haber, an American dealer who special-izes in ancient art. Haber was interested. He had a client, Michael H. Steinhardt, who might be a buyer. Steinhardt was indeed a hot prospect. In December 1991 he agreed to pay approximately \$1.2 million for the object. The

Metropolitan Museum of Art confirmed that the piece was a twin of a phiale in its own col-lection. The deal was struck, the price was paid, and for three years Steinhardt pos-sessed the platter and displayed it in his home.

Then the story took an unpleasant turn. In 1995 the Italian government advised U.S. authorities that it would seek to have the phiale confiscated and returned to Italy. A magistrate ruled that the U.S. Customs Service had shown probable cause to believe that the artifact was subject to civil forfeiture.

Customs agents descended upon Steinhardt's home in New York City and carted the platter away.

What was the problem? When Haber imported the platter in December 1991, he filled out the usual customs forms. He listed the phiale's country of origin as Switzerland, and he placed its value at \$250,000, even though the platter had just sold for more than a million dollars.

The U.S. government filed a civil action asking that the platter be forfeited because of material false representations.

Steinhardt responded with a motion for summary judgment. He contended that Haber's misstatements were not material, that as an innocent owner he's should not be punished, and that forfeiture of a \$1.2 million artifact amounted to a grossly excessive fine in violation of the Eighth Amendment. The District Court rejected all his arguments, and the 2nd U.S. Court of Appeals affirmed. Steinhardt has asked the Supreme Court to accept the case for review.

This chronology takes us to the embarrassing case of Tina Bennis of Detroit, co-owner of the aging Pontiac sedan. Instead of driving their car home from work one day, her husband detoured through the red-light district. He took a passenger aboard. The cops virtuously objected. The next thing Bennis knew, as Chief Justice William Rehnquist would explain, the car had been forfeited under "a long line of cases holding that an owner's interest in property may be forfeited by reason of the use to which the property is put."

The case law is indeed impressive. Courts have approved forfeiture of automobiles, airplanes, real estate and cash. A 1926 case involved a Kansas automobile dealer who rented a car unknowingly to a bootlegger.

The bootlegger got off, but the forfeiture stuck. The court was philosophical: "It is not unknown or indeed uncommon for the law to visit upon the owner of property the unpleasant consequences of the unauthorized action of one to whom he has entrusted it."

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The most recent forfeiture case in the high court involved one Hosep Bajakajian. In 1994, as he was about to fly with his family from Los Angeles to Italy, customs inspectors asked how much cash he was carrying. He lied. He said \$15,000. This would have been \$5,000 over the legal limit, but on inspecting his luggage the agents found \$357,000. The money had been legally earned, and the owner had plausible

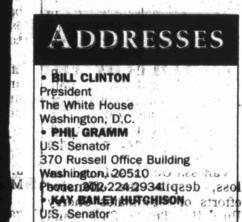
reasons for carrying it abroad. Bajakajian pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to declare the currency. The trial court fined him \$5,000, but refused to approve forfeiture of the entire sum. The Supreme Court agreed that such a forfeiture would amount to a grossly excessive "fine" under the Eighth Amendment, It was the first time in the court's history that a forfeiture had been so regarded. Four dissenters found this disposition of the case "disturbing," but it doesn't disturb me much. This was not drug money. The only offense was failure to declare hard-earned cash.

The drastic punishment of total forfeiture, as I see it, should be reserved for serious cases of smuggling

Someone probably should be fined in the case of the golden platter, but the government has no moral right to take the object away from its apparently innocent owner.

And if I had been a judge in the case of Tina Bennis, I would have given the car back to its discomfited owner.

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He'd made millions of dollars playing professional football and had been shrewd in his investment of those millions. Payton was, in fact, fabulously wealthy.

Still, a devoted husband and father of two – a man who was reportedly cherished by all who knew him died at the age of 45 because a transplantable liver could not be found.

If we are honest, we realize that if Walter Payton could die waiting for a transplant, so could any of us. And if we found ourselves needing a transplant, wouldn't we be wishing that everyone was willing to be a donor?

Indeed, we'd find ourselves publicly imploring everyone we met to make sure their family members and physician knew they wanted to donate their organs after death.

But how many of us have done that ourselves?

Wouldn't today be a good day to make sure we've done what we'd pray others would do?

Perhaps the message is best expressed on an Internet donor site.

That message reads simply: "Don't take your organs to heaven, heaven knows they're needed here."

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### Social, political problems linked by evasions shipped overseas to take advan-" nity whether they fit some ideotage of cheaper labor. The result

is that today a majority of mardeveloping the kind of economy Rather that face the original that provides a useful place where everyone can find work problem (money losing its value, jobs fleeing to sweatsuitable to their abilities and labor countries), the politicians that will provide them with a create subsidized day care, and

there is a huge clamor for daycare services. Another evasion, tated by multinational corporaof course, which permeates the welfare-state thinking is the tions of encouraging manufacturing and assembly jobs to question of why is it moral to move offshore is evil. It has tax one citizen to subsidize the deprived millions of Americans baby-sitting services of another of the opportunity to work at jobs which pay a living wage.

We will never achieve social into a very-rich elite, an upperwhy should some able-bodied people be taxed to subsidize other able-bodied people? That question is evaded by silence. a great mass of people condemned to struggle in low-pay, no-future, service jobs.

my that will allow a single breadwinner to provide for the family, then all the problems with people being unequal in their IQ, their energy level, their size and weight, skin color attendant to children will never. be solved.

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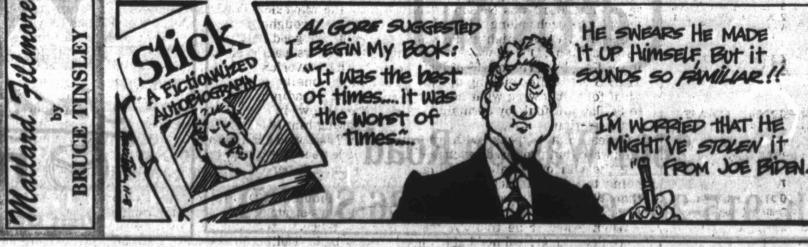
If you define sanity as being in touch with reality, this is a form of insanity. Another example is the use of double standards. Women are equal, ideology says, so they must be admit-

But, oops, women can't compete physically with the men. So a double standard goes into effect one for men and one for women, which, ironically, puts you right back where you started: facing the fact that women and men are not indeed interchangeable human beings with only minor anatomical differences Feminists, for another exam-

n one sense, America's ted to the service academies.

ple, argue that government boards should be equally divided between men and women. But what has female genitalia got to do with qualifications for anything other than to have babies? Why should a woman who knows nothing about farming be on an agricultural board? Or a woman who knows nothing about education be on an educational board? To appoint people just because of their sex is, of course, sexist, and that's what feminists are - sexists.

The American working family faces two problems. One, the money system is continuously being inflated (actually the currency is being devalued), and two, an increasing number of value-added jobs have been



logical mold or not.

We should also work toward living wage.

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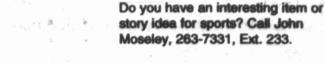
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#### **Crossroads Area teams** playoff games now set

Four high school football teams from the Crossroads Area will enter the playoffs this weekend in three classifications.

**Big Spring's Steers will take** on Brownwood's Lions in a **Class 4A**, Division I bi-district game at 1 p.m. Saturday at San Angelo Stadium.

Advance tickets are priced at \$3 for students and \$6 for adults. All tickets at the gate will be \$7.

The area's first playoff game will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday when Sands' Mustangs face Wellman's Wildcats at Klondike High School. Tickets for that game will be \$3 for adults, \$2 for students.

On Friday, Stanton's **Buffaloes will face Farwell's** Steers at 7:30 p.m. in Levelland, while Borden County's Coyotes will play Meadow's Mustangs at 7:30 in Klondike.

No ticket information was available on the Stanton and Borden County games as the Herald went to press Monday.

#### Teams continue play In UGSA fall schedule

**Big Spring's Division IV** Blue took a hard-fought 10-9 win over Big Spring's Red team Thursday in United **Girls Softball Association fall** play.

Jessica Canales chalked up the pitching win for the Blue in relief of starter Nicole Chesworth.

Canales led the way offensively for the Blue, as well, going 3-for-3 at the plate with a home run and three RBIs, while Teri Denton added a 2for-3 showing that included a home run.

Vanessa Ochoa suffered the oss, despite the offensive efforts of teaminates Sherry Burdette, Trista Casey and

#### ABILENE - Big Spring's Steers and Lady Steers both finished in the middle of the pack Saturday at the Abilene ISD

By HERALD Staff Report

Swimming and Diving Invitational. While the Lady Steers scored 165 points to finish seventh in a field of 18 teams and the Steers finished ninth in a 16-team field with 46 points, Big Spring coach Harlan Smith was pleased with his squads' performances.

"We swam well ... both teams finished just about where they should have,' Smith said after watching San Angelo Central's Lady Bobcats pile up 451 points to finish with a 148-point margin of victory over Abilene's Lady Eagles and Lubbock High grab the boys' crown with 508 points, edging Central's Bobcats by

"We didn't have the depth to be up there with the top three or four teams, plus we had one of our top boys out with an injury and lost another to grades,' Smith added. "But I was pleased with the times our kids swam - particularly Vanessa Yanez' 6:40.54 in the 500 freestyle. That was a drop of 25 seconds from her time a week ago ... a tremendous improvement."

Yanez's 6:40.54 clocking was good enough to finish seventh in the 500 freestyle. She added a ninth-place finish in the 200 freestyle, her 2:29.13 just a little slower than the seventh-place 2:26.02 turned in by teammate Tz Marsch.

Marsch would add an eighth-place finish in the 100 backstroke.

The Lady Steers' first points came in

**BSHS swimmers meet expectations at Abilene Invitational** the 200 medley relay where Heidi then closed the meet with a third-place Robinson, Marsch, Nadia Torres and Melissa Sheedy combined for an eighthplace clocking of 2:21.13.

> Sheedy had the Big Spring girls' best finishes, taking third place in the 200 individual medley with a 2:33.57 and third in the 100 butterfly (1:13.91).

Robinson also produced points individually, finishing ninth in the 50 freestyle with a 29.09 clocking and 10th in the 100 freestyle with a 1:05.49 time.

Torres contributed 10th place in the 200 individual medley with a time of 2:55.93 and then finished eighth in the 100 breaststroke, clocked at 1:25.90.

Maranda Clark closed out the Lady Steers' individual production with a 16th-place finish in the 100 butterfly. Robinson, Yanez, Marsch and Sheedy

finish in the 400 freestyle relay with a time of 4:23.07.

With Doug Willberg nursing an injured shoulder and Wolfgang Robinson unavailable to swim, the Steers' best showing came from Cody Clark, who finished seventh in the 100 breaststroke with a 1:21.41 clocking and was 11th in the 100 butterfly with a 1:11.25.

Clark also joined Seth Kirn, Josh Pike and Mike Carrasco in posting a time of 2:33.40 that earned 14th-place points in the 200 medley relay.

Pike added an 11th-place clockings of 2:38.60 in the 200 individual medley and 1:14.92 in the 100 backstroke.

Carrasco was 13th in the 100 freestyle with a time of 58.77 seconds, closing out the Steers' point production.

# Vikes' depth has them ready for Cowboys

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - If not for Jeff George and Leroy Hoard, the Minnesota Vikings might find themselves in the same/ hole as their fellow conference championship game participants from last season.

The Denver Broncos lost John Elway, Terrell Davis and Shannon Sharpe. The New York Jets lost Vinny Testaverde, and the Atlanta Falcons lost Jamal Anderson.

All are wallowing far under .500.

The Vikings (4-4), who face the Dallas Cowboys (4-3) tonight at the Metrodome, lost running back Robert Smith to a double hernia and benched quarterback Randall Cunningham just 5» games into his \$28 million contract.

But they've won two straight after a 2-4 start behind George and Hoard, two 10-year veteran understudies who have found new life in Minnesota after stormy stops elsewhere.

The Cowboys also are hurting. Michael Irvin (spine) is out, along with receiver James McKnight "It's just the nature of the

game right now with the salary



# Dolphins stop Titans; Lions deal St. Louis a second straight loss

#### The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Miami won an AFC showdown in convincing fashion. while Detroit won the NFC's marquee game with a lastminute touchdown.

Damon Huard threw two touchdown passes and Sam Madison intercepted Steve McNair three times as the Dolphins beat the Tennessee Titans 17-0 Sunday night in Miami.

The Dolphins, off to their best start since 1990, joined Jacksonville atop the AFC at 7-1. Tennessee fell to 6-2.

"There was no statement," Miami coach Jimmy Johnson said. "The only statement we're making right now is we're better than seven teams we've played. We've got a lot more to

Green Bay 13; Jacksonville 30, Atlanta 7; Indianapolis 25. Kansas City 17; Carolina 33, Philadelphia 7; Pittsburgh 27, San Francisco 6; Tampa Bay 31, New Orleans 16; Seattle 37, Cincinnati 20; and Denver 33, San Diego 17.

#### Ravens 41, Browns 9

Errict Rhett rushed for 117 yards and two touchdowns as Art Modell's team returned to Cleveland, the city he abandoned in 1995.

Baltimore's defense rattled rookie quarterback Tim Couch, who passed for only 57 yards and was sacked four times before being replaced by Ty Detmer at the start of the fourth quarter. The Ravens (3-5) snapped a three-game losing streak, while the Browns fell to

Kimberly Jumper.

In Division II play, the Flamezz took a 10-7 win over Big Spring's Blue behind the combined pitching of Courtney Rodriguez and Becky Murphree.

Morgan Reinhart's grand slam home run was the big blow for the Blue squad. Rodriguez added another home run off the Blue squad's Krista Chesworth.

#### Coahoma booster club slates meeting tonight

The Coahoma Athletic Booster Club will meet at 7 tonight in the Coahoma Elementary School cafeteria. Members will conduct a short business meeting before viewing highlights of the Bulldogs' game with Plains.



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cap. Teams aren't as deep as they once were," said Troy Aikman, himself bothered by headaches from a helmet-to-helmet hit last week.

"It's just kind of who's going to be able to stay in there and battle and be standing at the end of the season."

The Vikings have more depth than most.

Both Hoard and George became starters during a loss at Detroit three weeks ago.

Since then, Hoard has rushed 48 times for 234 yards - nearly a 5-yard average — and two touchdowns. George has completed 42 of 69 passes for 682 yards with seven touchdowns with just two interceptions.

Neither likes to see himself as the catalyst in the team's turnaround.

"I think everybody said, 'No more! We're going to play better, we're going to do everything better, we're going to work harder," Hoard said. "I think me and Jeff were just Johnny on the spot. It wasn't just us, it was the whole team." George is making the most of his last chance to salvage his

career after getting run out of Indianapolis, Atlanta and Oakland.

"I am not really doing anything different," George said. "I feel I am the same person, the same player that I have always

AP file photo Dallas running back Emmitt Smith, pictured here scoring a touch-

down against Washington in 1993, leads the Cowboys into a showdown with Minnesota tonight. The Vikings, while missing running back Robert Smith, have gotten plenty of help from Leroy Hoard in maintaining a running game.

been." But George has never had this kind of arsenal around him.

"It is really unbelievable," he said. "I've got three Pro Bowl r eivers, four Pro Bowl linemen. It's a quarterback's dream.

And the Vikings are actually better off with Hoard, a shortyardage specialist, than they were with Smith, who's been hurting all season and lacked his signature burst.

"We're still doing the same things that we would be doing with Robert back there," George said. "I think the thing we're doing more over the last two or

three weeks is we're spreading the ball out and we're not seeing a lot of fronts that we did." Defenses have to respect George's quick release and decision-making skills more so than they did Cunningham and his deliberate windup that led to sacks and interceptions.

quickly and he has a quick release," Cowboys coach Chan Gailey said. "He can get it out so fast.'

And Hoard has benefited from defenses stacked against the pass. He had a career-long 53yard run against Denver — on third-and-37, no less.

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Huard improved to 3-0 as a starter since Dan Marino was sidelined Oct. 17 by a pinched nerve in his neck. But the Dolphins' defense was the real star, handing the Titans their first shutout since 1989, when the franchise was in Houston.

"It's the first time I've been shut out," Tennessee coach Jeff Fisher said. "I'm going to make sure this doesn't happen again."

At Pontiac, Mich., backup quarterback Gus Frerotte threw a 12-yard TD pass to Johnnie Morton with 28 seconds left to give Detroit a 31-27 win over St. Louis.

The Lions (6-2) won their fourth straight game to tie the Rams for best record in the NFC.

Frerotte, who completed 12-of-16 passes for 209 passes and two touchdowns, played the second half after starter Charlie Batch sprained a finger on his throwing hand. St. Louis quarterback Kurt Warner was 24-for-41 for 307 yards and three touchdowns.

"We knew it was going to be a battle," Warner said. "We knew it was going to be a great game, and it was.

In other NFL games, it was Baltimore 41, Cleveland 9; New York Jets 12, Arizona 7; Buffalo 34, Washington 17; Chicago 14,

Jets 12, Cardinals 7 Keyshawn Johnson caught a

43-yard scoring pass from Rick Mirer with 5:29 left to give the Jets their first home win this season.

Curtis Martin rushed for more than 100 yards for the third straight game, gaining 131 on 38 carries. The Jets (2-6), who lost their previous four home games, sacked Dave Brown six times. Arizona fell to 2-6

#### **Bills 34, Redskins 17**

Buffalo (6-3) scored on five of its first six possessions and Doug Flutie scrambled for a first down on four of them.

Flutie rushed for 40 yards, and completed 16-of-22 passes for 211 yards and two touchdowns. Antowain Smith ran for two TDs as the Bills had their highest point total of the season. The Redskins fell to 5-3.

#### **Jaguars 30, Falcons 7**

Mark Brunell passed for three touchdowns, Fred Taylor ran for 124 yards and the top-rated Jacksonville defense stifled the Falcons.

Jacksonville (7-1) set a team record by sacking Atlanta quarterbacks nine times. The Falcons (2-7) managed only four first downs and 58 yards in the second half.

# Lakers knock off Mavericks; Spurs suffer first loss of season

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Shaquille O'Neal's pitiful percentage from the foul line prompted Dallas Mavericks coach Don Nelson to give him a bunch of opportunities in crunch time.

The strategy didn't work, but the way Nelson used it might be tried again. And again.

O'Neal had 30 points and 20 rebounds Sunday night as the Lakers continued their dominance of the Mavericks with a 105-97 victory. But the subject of conversation afterward was Nelson's "Hack-a-Shaq" approach, along with what happened the previous night in Portland.

In that game, O'Neal was ejected early in the fourth quarter of a 97-82 loss to the Trail Blazers after picking up two technical fouls following what he perceived to be flagrant fouls by Jermaine O'Neal - no relation.

O'Neal didn't speak with reporters afterward, but promised revenge follow-ing the win over Dallas, saying, "I'm going to get him back, I promise you that. Whatever I've got to do, I'm going to get him back."

When asked if he thought the fouls were flagrant, O'Neal nodded his head.

Before the game against Dallas, Lakers That's OK." coach Phil Jackson said he thought O'Neal was fouled flagrantly three times at Portland. Jackson criticized the officials following that game, saying among other things, "I thought they were awful."

In other games Sunday night it was: Toronto 109, Charlotte 99; New Jersey 112, Washington 87; and Phoenix 77, San Antonio 74.

There certainly were no flagrant fouls by the Mavericks, and O'Neal kept his poise throughout before leaving the game for good with 3:16 remaining and the Laker's leading 99-88.

The Mavericks began fouling O'Neal intentionally with 7:02 left and the Lakers leading 88-75. He attempted 14 free throws in a span of 3:36, and hit six, making him 10-for-23 in the game.

O'Neal, who entered the season having made nearly 58 percent of his foul shots, is under 40 percent this season, going 20for-51.

"I thought it was bull," he said of Nelson's strategy of fouling him, including twice in the backcourt away from the ball. "Nellie always does that stuff,

Nelson smiled when asked about his late-game strategy. "The guy shoots 57 (percent) from the

field, 35 from the line," he said. "Being the competitor that he is, he made me pay a few times. We exchanged glances a few times, it was fun."

Nelson said O'Neal once played for him in the World Championships.

"I'm very fond of him, I love him to death," Nelson said. "The only weakness in his game is free-throw shooting, that's the only one I've found. I don't want to beat him up, I do want him to know he's going to shoot a lot of free throws against us."

Jackson said Nelson made the game "fun and interesting" with his strategy.

"You can count on Nellie to screw a game up, you know that? This guy's on the rules committee, and he finds more ways of bending the rules than Richard Nixon did as president," Jackson said. Shaq got plenty of attempts to practice his free throws.

Dominating inside throughout, O'Neal scored his team's first points on a thunderous dunk, and had six points in the

first three minutes as the Lakers went ahead for good.

"Shaquille is big, he's strong, he's good, and it presents challenges for anyone," said 7-foot-6 Dallas center Shawn Bradley, five inches taller than O'Neal but about 50 pounds lighter. "Sometimes you just have to concede him a certain number of points."

#### Suns 77, Spurs 74

Jason Kidd scored six of his 23 points in the final minute to lead the Suns. His jumper from the top of the key with 57 seconds remaining gave Phoenix its first lead of the game, and he hit another jumper 14 seconds later to make it 71-67. Terry Porter's 3-pointer with 5.1 seconds left brought the visiting Spurs within 75-74, but Kidd closed it with two free throws.

**Rodney Rogers had 12 of his 18 points** in the fourth quarter for Phoenix, while Penny Hardaway had 11 points and 10 rebounds.

Tim Duncan had 15 points and 17 rebounds for the Spurs, while David Robinson had 12 points and 10 rebounds in 22 foul-plagued minutes.

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#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR TUESDAY, NOV. 9:**

Your earning capacities and your desire for security change and develop in a positive new direction this year. Your intuition remains strong and directed. Your ability to verbalize also makes a substantial difference. Grow with opportunities. Be willing to take risks and venture in a new direction. If you are single, use caution with emotional ties. You are likely to meet someone who is not capable of giving on the level you want or need. The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-

Difficult **ARIES** (March 21-April 19) \*\*\*\*\*Early-morning dreams and thoughts give you direction. A friend might be instrumental in making what you want happen. By looking at life through a telescope, you gain healing insight. As a result, your point of view transforms. Discussions with associates give you a whole new point of view. Tonight: Browse through a bookstore.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

\*\*\*\*\* People are important to you. Emphasis is presently on the quality of your relationships and getting back to basics. You might discover that others are far more ready to share than usual. Be willing to work through a problem and dream up solutions together. You inspire those around you, especially at work. Tonight: Togetherness counts.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) \*\*\*\*\*Popularity builds. You have a distinct vision of what could happen in a special relationship. Don't settle for less than you think you are capable of. Be a dreamer; step up to the plate and dare to create more of what you want. Associates are full of news. Tonight: Out and about.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

\*\*\*\* Focus on improving your professional life. Share your ideas with bosses and those you work with. Though you are focused on your career, don't forget to schedule an overdue doctor or dentist appointment. You might also opt to change your diet and health patterns before the holidays hit. Tonight: Yes, exercise time.

changes substantially. Trust builds. Tonight: Be playful.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

\*\*\*\* Your determination helps you change a domestic situation and grow. Don't let yourself be stuck. Move with creativity. Ideas you receive in a dream or in the early morning are worthwhile. Check out a real estate investment. Tonight: Happy at home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

\*\*\*\*\*Discussions bring out another point of view. You feel happier because of understandings you gain in conversation. Reach out for others. You'll gain if you stay flexible. Release a rigid position. Flow and grow. Tonight: Visit with a pal.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

\*\*\*\*Your expenses need evaluation before you go off and spend more than you can afford. Someone really doesn't see eye to eye with you, but through discussion you can make a solid decision. Another might not be able to grasp what you visualize. Tonight: Your treat!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

\*\*\*\*\*You surprise yourself, sometimes, with your creativity and ability to transform yourself and situations. Many messages come to you through your dreams. What seems like intuition has already been worked through! Tonight: Extend yourself to another.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

**\*\*\***You are processing a lot in your intuitive mind. Not everyone understands the way you think. Your goals, friends and immediate circle are changing. Be aware that this is a reflection of you. Take extra time for reflection. Tonight: A friend needs your ear.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) \*\*\*\*\*Follow your goals; make time to do needed work. Right now isn't the time to get bogged down in details. Maintain an overview. A boss has some great ideas for you. Listen. Discuss long-term needs. Someone at a distance really cares. Tonight: Where your

friends are.

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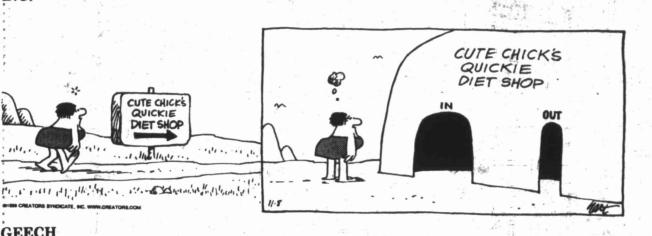




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Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 8, 1923, Adolf Hitler launched his first attempt to seize power, a failed coup in Munich, Germany, that became known as the "Beer-Hall Putsch." On this date:

In 1889, Montana became the

41st state

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In 1932, New York Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt defeated incumbent Herbert Hoover for the presidency.

In 1933, President Roosevelt created the Civil Works Administration, designed to create jobs for more than 4 million unemployed.

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In 1950, during the Korean conflict, the first jet-plane battle took place as U.S. Air Force Lt. Russell J. Brown shot down a North Korean MiG-15.

In 1960, Massachusetts Sen. John F. Kennedy defeated Vice President Richard M. Nixon for the presidency.

In 1966, Ronald Reagan was elected governor of California.

In 1987, 11 people were killed when an Irish Republican Army bomb exploded as crowds gathered in Enniskillen, Northern Ireland, for a ceremony honoring Britain's war dead.

In 1988, Vice President George Bush won the presidential election, defeating Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis.

Ten years ago: In an attempt to strengthen his 3-week-old leadership, East German Communist Party chief Egon Krenz ousted the old guard of the ruling Politt ro, replacing them with reformers.

Five years ago: In midterm elections, Republicans won a majority in the Senate, gained control of the House for the first time in 40 years. California voters approved Proposition 187, designed to bar illegal aliens from education, social services and non-emergency health care.

One year ago: Rep. Bob Livingston, R-La., predicted he would succeed Newt Gingrich as House Speaker. He was elected to the post but resigned before taking office after admitting to marital infidelities.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Norman Lloyd is 85. Actress June Havoc is 83. Heart surgeon Dr. Christiaan Barnard is 77. Jazz singer Chris Conner is 72. Singer Patti Page is 72. CBS newsman Morley Safer is 68. Singer Bonnie Bramlett is 55. Singer Bonnie Raitt is 50. TV personality Mary Hart is 48. Playboy Enterprises chairman and chief executive Christie Hefner is 47

Thought for Today: "Happiness is not a station you arrive at, but a manner of traveling." - Margaret Lee Runbeck, American author (1905-1956).