## sperind HERALD

## SUNDAY

February 13, 2000

## Weather

Today:
PARTLY CLOUDY

Hospitalized vets to be recognized in series of activities Monday begins a full week National Salute to Hospitalized Veterans. Big Spring VA Medical Center is recognizing this
nationwide campaign with entertainment, autograph signing parties and visits from the community First, students from St. deliver Valentine cards and coupon books to veterans at our local hospital. At 2 p.m.
in Room 212 , the hospital will host a party that includes special visitors and autograph signing. The public is invited to join that occasion
or participate in the salute in some other way
The hospital's more than 400 volunteers will also be recognized during he week Individuals or groups that
want to participate in the want to participate in the
week-long celebration in
eome way should call the office
Relations, $264-4824$.

## What'S UP.

MONDAY
Big Spring Evening Third.

- Big Spring C No. 31, 7:30 p.m.. Masonic No. 31, 7:30 p.m., Masonic
Temple, $2111 / 2$ Main. There is a $6: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. dinner Big Spring Assembly No. 21, Social Order of the Beauceant, 7:30 p.m. Main. There is a $6: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. dinner.
TUESDAY
classes, 9 a mate line dance Clisses, 9 a.m. Se
- Big Spring Rotary Club noon. Howard College $\square$ Big Spring Ar Association, 7 p.m., library
annex, 500 Main. annex, 500 Main. Big Spring Chapter no 67, Order of the Eastern
Star, 7 p.m., Masonic Lodge, 219 Main.
WEDNESDAY
ODtimist Club, 7 a.m
Howard College Cactus
Room.
Mall Senior Circle Big Spring Mall walkers meet $9.15 \mathrm{a.mg}$.
in front of movie theater box office.
See whar's UP, Page 3A
INSIDE TODAY...
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Business
Classified
Life
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## Texas

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Toresth we please call 730 am .105 P.m.mondey through Fiday. II youday miss
your paper, please call 263 your paper, please call 263 -
7335 before 7 pam. on week-
days and $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. on Sunday.

West Texans invited to come together for second annual rain rally By CARL GRAHAM

Hoping for a blessing from above, the second West Texas Rain Rally will be of Big Spring. The area-wide rally of music and
prayer will begin at $6: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. and is open to all denominations and ages.
Last year's rally was attended Last year's rally was attended by more
than 800 people representing all types of
faith who gathered to beseech their Lord faith who gathered to beseech their Lord o end the drought and send rain.
With Howard County receiving .37 of an inch of rain so far this year and

| est Texas Rain Rall | d Hanes. -We are once again in a seri. | Local music artist Jods again join our music team along |
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| When: 6:30 p.m. Monday | on the rain for their livelihood and we | accompany the music tea |
| F | must rely on the Lord to supply that | will be on bass guitar." he |
| Spring | (rain Although the ral!y is being organized | first time for Larry to be 1 |
| Who: all denominations, all a | through First Baptist Church. Hanes | lly |
|  |  | "I am thrilled to be able to participa |
| Mye To ask the Lord for raln | tional and that First Baptist was being used as a location on! $y$ | in this years rally." Larry said "When they called and asked |
| unity felt it was time | "We are not concerned about what eir denomination is but about going to | would help out I didn't hesitate |
| $r$ a renewal of prayer. |  |  |
| According to Stan Hanes. minister of | our hour of need.' Hanes said | ${ }^{\text {in }}$-Showers of Blessing |
| usic at First Baptist, this year's rally | This year's rally will again start with a | -I hope that folks from |
| "We are coming expecting the Lord to | music service before movi | See Ralur, Page 2 |

## SWCID diagnostic center will serve entire state

 By MARSHA STURDIVANT

Summer school to run longer, but with shorter days by marsha sturdivant By Maff Writer

changes in the program, based
on our needs assessment. We are changing to a five-hour day for students. said curriculum director Esthela Aguirre.
This summer, students will be Th class from $8.30 \mathrm{a} \cdot \mathrm{m}$. until $1: 30$ p.m. a change from the 8.30 a.m. $4.30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. instructional day
last year. ast yea
The parents and students
Aguirre sais day was too long."
Aguirre said.
And the length of summer
And the length of summer
school has been extended to the school has been extended to the
full month of June. instead of the three week program from
last year.

| program, and our success is also verv good | the program attempts to start with a large number of stu | through Sonora. Del P Eagle Pass down to Lare |
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| We had two-thirds of our stu | dents. and anticipates at least |  |
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| into the the next grade. <br> In summer school 1999. 2 | must be in attendance 90 per- | Knickerbocker Ro |
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|  |  | See TxDOT. Page 3A |

## Trade route

Ports-to-Plains group wants to be represented in San Angelo by bul mcclewan

turn will be applied to the next
selection of trunk s.stems.
said John DeW Trit. TxDOT
director of transportation plan. ning and
San Angelo area

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## West Texas Focd Bank here to help those who are in need

## By CARL GRAHAM

Staft Writer
Elizabeth Wallace, branch
manager of the West Texas
Food Bank of Big Spring, is
wanting to get the word out to
the local community that help
in a time of need is as close as
a phone call.
Wee've ise here for over two
years but we are still not that
well known," said Wallace "My
job is to let the people know
that we are here and we are
here to help."
The West Texas Food Bank is
a non-profit organization which
collects, inspects, stores and
distributes surplus and salvage
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moved to Big Spring in 1932.
She was a member of the Holiness, and was a homemak-
She is survived by two sons,
Larry Peterson of Big Spring and Garry Peterson of Arizona;
four daughters, Doris Lewis four daughters, Doris Lewis,
Mary Threats and Charlene Rushin of Big Spring and Joyce Mollett of Clovis,
grandchildren and
great
several great-grandchildren and great-
great-grandchildren.
Arrangemements under the
direction of Myers \& Smith
Funeral Home.

## ObITUARIES



Clifford Skelton

BRUMLEY

| MYERS \& SMITH funeral home \& Chapel |
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## Lola Myers Lola Myers, 89, of Big Spring.

 died on Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000,in a local hospital. Services will
be at $11: 30$ a.m. Monday, Feb.
14, 2000 , at Nalley-Pickle \&
Welch Rosewood Chapel with
Rev Tim Wwn Rev. Tim Winn, retired Baptist
minister, and Rev Eddi Thel minister, and Rev. Eddie Tubbs,
pastor of First Baptist Church pastor of First Baptist Church,
officiating. Interment will fol-
low at Trinity Memorial Park. low at Trinity Memorial Park.
She was born Aug. 24, , 1910, in
Johnson City, Texas. She marJohnson City, Texas. She mar-
ried Joe Myers on Dec. 11, 1927, in Lamesa, Texas, and he pre-
ceded her in death.
Mrs. Myers was a longtime resident of Knott and move to
Big Spring in 1992. She was a
homemaker Big Spring in
homemaker.
She was a
She was a member of First
Baptist Church.
Survivors include one sister,
Gordean Miller Gordean Miller of Big Lake;
seven grandchildren, Elaine
Reecer of Seattle, Wash.,
Michael Ashley of Fayetteville,

## Ark. Janiece Barnes of Knott, Marie Grifin of Quanah, Carol Grant Mrant of Dallas Leah Franks of Odessa and Richard Myer

 Odessa and Richard Myers ofWichita Falls; 10 great-grandchildren, Daniel Reecere, Jerem Walker, Nanck Ashley, Naomi
Ashley, Bill Barnes, Leslie Griffin, Josh Griffin and Paul grandchildren, Cameron Reecer
and Braylee Walker. and Braylee Walker.
She was also preceded in
death by one son, Sonny Myers death by one son, Sonny Myers;
one daughter, Jo Marie Bibee; her parents, Gordon and Eula
Tunnell; and three brothers, Johnny Tunn three bay Tunnell,
and Sterling Tunnell. and Sterling Tunnell.
The family suggests memori
als to the Knott Church of Christ or the First Baptist
Church of Knott.
The family will receive friends from $7.8 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Sunday at
the funeral home.
Arrangements under the
direction of Nalley-Pickle \&
$\left.\begin{array}{lc}\text { from Big Spring High School in } & \begin{array}{c}\text { Arrangements under the } \\ \text { direction of Nalley-Pickle \& }\end{array} \\ \text { 1944 and attended Texas Tech } \\ \text { University, Howard College and } \\ \text { thelch Funeral Home. } \\ \text { the University of Texas. While obituary }\end{array}\right]$

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## Around the Town

Texas Lottery
Lotto: 3,10,17,36,37,48


## Eddie Tubbs, pastor of First Baptist, at $267-8223$. The church is located at 705 West FM 700. METINGS

## Police

FORSAN ISD
The Big Spring Police
Department reported the fol-
lowing incidents between 8
a.m. Friday and noon
Saturday:
-JOEY VILLARREAL, 2
was arrested on a charge of
public intoxication
public intoxication.

- RICARDO RUIZ,
26,
arrested on a charge of ficti-
tious motor vehicle inspection
- JIMMY AUSTIN, 38, was
tous motor vehicle inspection.
- JMMY AUSTIN, 38 was
while intoxicated.
- LARRY MARTIN, 42, was
arrested on a charge of public
intoxication.
- JOE MORENO, 40 , was
arrested on a charge of public
intoxication
- JOHN WILLIAMS, 32, wa
- JOHN WILLIAMS, 32, was
arrested on a charge of public
intoxication.
- OSCAR PADILLA, 19, was
arrested in a charge of no dri-
ver's license.
$\bullet$
KRISTINA MILLER,
17
was arrested on a charge of
public intoxication.
- RUSSELL MCCUSTION,
37, was arrested on a charge of
- RUSSELL MCCUISTION,
37, was arrested on a charge of
public intoxication.
- DAVID HOOSER, 17, was
with the audiologist to deter-
mine and prescribe "And we'll also work with a Texational counselor from the ssion," Brasel said.
Currently, a TRC counselor
has office space at has office space at is open that
once the center is
office will move there, he said. Job placement and vocational
training will also be a component of the center, working
closely with the programs avail-
able at SWCID for students to seek employment. Aina said. Referrals of potential clients
for the center will come from
the immediate West the immediate West Texa
region at the beginning, bu Aina said he believes the clien
base will eventually come fro base will eventually come fro
throughout Texas and then th "That is one of the big attrac
"ions of our program thit ions of our program, that we
are designed to serve the need Aina, who was hired this
semester as the director of the
center, is a Nigerian native
with a master's of social work
degree from Gallaudet Univer-
degree from Galla ind the Unite
states has nearly 15 years both an adult and a child. The center is expected to
by the fall 2000 semester.


## RALLY

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- JOHNNY ACUFF, 31, was sion of marijuana less than tw
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- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF

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North Main.
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TATION was reported in the 1900 block of 11th Place.
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Items on the agen

- Financial report - Payment of bills - Waiver days for staff devel
- Tentative 2000-2001 calendar - Order trustee election and
appointment of election judges
-Transfer information Liability issues - Tex-Pool investment - Technology administrator COAHOMA ISD 6 p.m. Monday

Items on the agenda include

- Board training: team build ing session, Conflict Management by David Cavitt,
Region 18 ESC STANTON CITY COUNCIL 7 p.m. Monday, council
chambers Items on the a
$-1998-99$ audit - 1998 -99 audit
- ETJ aproval of land development for Reggie Frank lin.
and Scott Dickerson - Consider amending zonimg ordinance by inserting drive--
ins and restaurants in general ins and restaurants in general
commercial district regulation - Home Investment
Partnership Program applica Partnership Program applica-
tion to the Texas Department tion to the Texas Departmen
of Housing and Community of Housing and Community
Affairs. Afairs.
gensider plan ordinange cont - Resolution to except
cling grant from PBRPC
- Energas rate increase
- TXU Electric tariff filing - Calling year t2000 election men in Districts 1,2 and 3
- Consider financing city $\underset{\text { administrator's car at First }}{\text { - Consider financing city }}$

| Scenic Mountain Medical Center 1601 W. 11th Place 263-1211 | BIG SPRING MOVIE HOTLINE <br> For showtimes call 263-2479 |
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| Brewser. | Presidio County had the high.

est poverty rate in 1990 sul:


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Invollace in our program, said
What Wallace
Anyone interested in helping
out can reach Wallace at 1208 out can reach Wallace at 1208
East Third St. or by calling $263-$

## WHAT'S UP

## Big Spring Downtown Lions Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room. Senior Citizens Cent <br> Industrial Park <br> Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie. p p.m., Eagles Lodge, 7

THURSDAY
$\square$ Gideons International, Big Hermans, 7 a m.
Hermans, 7 a.m.

- Big Spring Senior Citizens
Center Art Classes, $9: 30$ to 11:30 Center Art Classes, $9: 30$ to
a.m. for 55 and older.
Kiwanis Club noon, SKiwanis Club, noon,
Howard College Cactus Room.
$\perp$ American Legion Post 506 .
${ }^{\text {P.m. Rackley-Swords Chp. 379, }}$ Vietnam Veterans of Ameri
7 p.m., 124 Jonesboro Road. FRIDAY
$\pm$ The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard
College Cactus Room.
 Iron Restaurant.
Spring City Senior Citizen
country/western country/western dance, 7:30 to SATURDAY
Eagles Lodge Pot Luck sup w per, 7 p.m. ., Eagles Lodge, 70 D Dance. $8: 30$ p.m., Eagles
Lodge. 704 W . Third. Membe SUMMER
SUMMER $\qquad$
thī̀ summer" A guin said At least 20. teachers', a schoo nurse and two part time parent

BSISD trustees approve enerǵy savings contract By MARSHA STURDIVANT

uperintendent of busines Ron Plumlee what the project "This will affect about 40 peo
ple each year and should cos about $\$ 5,000-6,000$ at the most average about $\$ 4,000$ each year,
and we can exit this program The employee physical evalu ang tool will affect new
mployees to the district with n those four departments.
Trustees also approved co tracts for all administrators and principals following a 45
minute closed session, acceptDulin, BSHS tennis coach, and resignation of Marcy
Elementary special education Budget amendments totaling $\$ 1,639$ in revenue were als
approved through truste that 88.98 percent of property
taxes have been collected In a surprise move, trustee
Al Valdes made a motion seconded by Mike Dawson that
120 desks removed from class rooms be given to Cornell
Corrections and the city of Big Administration had set an the transaction, but Valdes said as both entities and the
district are tax supported, he believed the furniture should Fraser voted against the motion, objecting because he
believed it was a not a business decision. All other votes passed unanimously.
Board
president
Larry meeting.
rogram Orthe tor for payroll costs of teachers, nurse and aides, while the
remainder is for materials, remainder is for materials,
operating costs and professional
"Now that the grant request
has been approved. we will begin preparing our students and administration for summer

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WEST TEXAS FOOD BANK
YEAR END REPORT TO THE PUBLIC 1999 - FOOD DISTRIBUTION

The West Texas Food Bank wishes our agencies a very HAPPY VALENTINES DAY. Our agencies in 1999 issued a total of 671,126 pounds of food and other items to help our neighbors. We are extremely proud of their hard work and want to let the community know.
NAME

| A HELPING HAND | TOTAL POUNDS |
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| STANTON - ST. VINCENT DE PAUL | $\mathbf{3 7 1 6 2 . 5}$ |
| ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BIG SPRING | $\mathbf{5 0 0 5 . 0}$ |

The West Texas Food Bank has grown to meet the need of 22 counties with three distributing branches and offers the following report by branch.

| Odessa/Midland (Headquarters) | $3,035405 \mathrm{lbs}$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| El Paso | $1,507293 \mathrm{lbs}$ |
| Alpine | $491,438 \mathrm{lbs}$ |
| Big Spring | $671,126 \mathrm{lbs}$. |

- Big Spring $671,126 \mathrm{lbs}$.

We at West Texas Food Bank would also like to publicly thank our contributors because without YOUR contributions and your volunteer hours none of this would be possible.

WEST TEXAS FOOD BANK PO Box 29051208 E. 3rd
Big Spring, TX
915-263-3111


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| "Congress shall make no law respecting an establish- |
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| ment of religion, or prohibititing the free exercise thereof; |
| or a bridging the freedom of spech, or of the press; or |
| the right of the people peaceaphby to assemble, and to peti- |
| tion the Government for a redress of grievances." |
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| - FIRST AMENDMENT |

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Our Views
Time to ask the Lord's help through prayer here are times we humans must acknowledge
we aren't in control of things as much as we'd like to think....and there's nothing wrong with Ion all the time through prayer.
Monday at $6: 30$ p.m. at First Baptist Church of Big Monday at 6:30 p.m.. at First Baptist Church of Big
Spring, people of all faiths and all levels of belief will have the opportunity to join together at the West tion in this drought that has scorched our land for The service will include songs of the land as well as prayers for the community and for the men and women and children involved in agriculture that have suffered so much from the drought.
Many, if not most of us, were raise
Many, if not most of us, were raised in homes where we went to church on Sunday. Some of us went to the
evening services on the Sabbath, while others went to prayer meetings during the week.
We were raised in a time when the Lord's role in our daily lives was an important part of the things we did and what we
it isn't still.
What it does say is that as more and more demands ways to justify within ourselves the lessening of the dependent on the belief that mankind can solve or our problems and come up with solutions to the dilemmas Not without the Lord's help - and that's how the Rain Rally came about. Yes, we can cause it to rain through the science of
cloud-seeding...but only the Lord can create those clouds and the moisture that falls from them.
It's time again to humble ourselves before the Lord and ask Him to heal our land and break this drought alike. If you haven't prayed in a while, it's time to alike. If you havent pras is a wonderful opportunity for you to begin communicating with the Lord again on a regular basis This isn't one of those "Lord, if You make it rain I
promise" deals. This is about taking the time to talk promise deals. This is about taking the time to talk
to the Lord and asking for his help...because it is only through His goodness and mercy that our land can be
healed and this damnable drought broken.

## Your Views

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| How To Contact Us |  |
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## Letter policies

[^1]The Writer's Art: Who, whom and all that stuff


Examples, the writer wanted
WHOM instead of WHO. Here we are dealing with the direct
objects of prepositions, objects of prepositions, and in
the case of the pawnshop, with trust ". in the objective case: We build around HIM, trust HER,
answer to HIM, talk to THEM:
But pay attention! The choice But pay attention! The choice
lies with WHO when a relative clause raises its pretty head in
search of a subject: the table to be pocketed by
whomever captures whatev
the Reform Party is nowa days." Refm Party is nowa Here the verb "captures" demands a nominative subject: taptures," etc. Instead of "the roots of whom we are," we
want "WHO we are" because the to-be verbs never can take ap object. The same rule know fully WHO they are. Their mothers could tell them
fully who they are. Early in fully who they are. Early in
the morning they're monsters. the morning they're monsters.
You will notice that I am?not having a major fit about the use of who and whom.
In another 20 or 30 years. "In another 20 or 30 years, publick house and ye olde ice cream parior. It will follow the
subjunctive mod into what subjunctive mood into what
used to be called innocuous used to be cal
desuetude.
Let it go!
Most of th
Most of the time it gives more to confusion than to clar-
ity. But until editors, teachers ity. But untirsors of grammar agree that the old rules on who
and whom are defunct we do and whom are defun
well to observe them While we're into pronouns and all that stuff, it may be a
good time to point to some
other familiar boo-boos Durin other familiar boo-boos. During

| decide who you answer to." From a Bell Telephone ad in Cincinnati: "Who do you | Smaien coige wilw who nor |
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Nothing behind the hoopla and hype

the story. There was a story oward the sponsor.

xpensive Super Bowl commer cials were just sensory candy. didn't even understand what
many of them were selling. which perhaps should not be held against the creators. I haven't understood anything in However, if I had to sign the
check for a Super Bowl spot. check for a Super Bowl spot,
I'd want every idiot in Christendom to know what it hawked.
I think I did get the intended point of the Nuveen ad with paralyzed actor Christopher
Reeve virtually walking. It sold

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Lawyers see momentum building for moratorium on capital punishment DALLAS (AP) - The
American Bar Association's call for a national moratorium on moverturned than carried out. capital punishment, made three Since 1976, when the Supreme yearsed destined for a quiet capital punishment, Illinois has death. No more. "There's growing momen- the state has released 13 from, Paul said Saturday at his 400,000-member group's nation-
al convention. "The moratorial convention. "The moratorium issue clearly is alive."
The maj
catalyst The maj catalyst was
Ilinois Gov. George Ryan's
announcement two weeks ago announcement two weeks ago
that no one will be executed in the state has released 13 from
death row after their tions were overturned. Nationwide, according to the
Washington-based Washington-based $\begin{aligned} & \text { Death } \\ & \text { Penalty }\end{aligned}$ Penalty Information Center, 85
death row inmates have been freed since 1973. was really a key," said Jerome and det adequate legal help ater this ABA president before the he will testify penaltyture in favor of a death "We moratorium. mistakes are made that a lot of cannot easily be rectified after someone's execution," he said
Paul Paul, an Oklahoma awyer, emphasized that the ABA does not support or oppose
the death penalty, but is inter
ested in ensuring that defen

Gore opens campaign headquarters in Austin
AUSTIN (AP) - In an effort to
ies gave short speeches endors-
solidify his lead in Texas for the
ing Gore. The Texas primaries soldircratic nomination for president, boosters for Vice
President Al Gore opened his President Al Gore opened his
state campaign headquarters here Saturday. "Come March 14, we are going to win most of the delegates in Texas for Al Gore," said Gary
Mauro, former Mauro, former Land Gore's campaign chairs, in
About 50 people waved signs. clapped and yelled as Maur

Confederate flag banned at livestock show, rodeo
HOUSTON (AP) - The grow-
ing controversy
over the Supreme Court building, who wanted to know ifthe rode ing controversy over the the rodeo grounds.
The Houston Livestock Show
and Rodeo is banning event par and Rodeo is banning event parners because they are a divisive, politicized symbol, a show Chr icle on Friday Houston The Confederate has become a political issue in recent months, punctuated by the NAACP boycott of South over its statehouse.
Gov. George W. Bush believes Texas should post an explanation of why a plaque sporting recently by his office. The National Association for
the Advancement of the Advancement of Colored People wrote Bush on Jan. 14
asking his help in the civil right's groups efforts to have the plaque removed. The Confederate battle flag
has always been a common sight at some of the Houston
rodeo's concerts rodeo's concerts and in the bar Leroy Shafer area al manager, said the organiza tion decided a month ago to enforce a show rule concerning expression of political and reli-
gious views The ban was prompted b
phone calls

## Mother arrested in death of newborn

 of an infant found The mother the door of his parent's Far
North Dallas apartment in December has been arrested for capital murder. into the Collin County Justic Center on Friday and was bein held late Friday in lieu of Kavali told police that someone broke into her apartment and killed her newborn. Investigators spoke with died but could not fully inter

Police marksman kills man who opened fire on residents BEDFORD (AP) - A police
marksman Friday shot dead a
angiture from the build-
ing fired as many as 10 man who opened fire on apart- shots. No one was hit. ment residents from a thirdThe man, who was not imme- shooting began, tactical officers The man, who was not imme-
who were in the area investi-
diately identified, screamed
obscenities and threw clothes "As tactical officers were set fing up, the gunman continued firing," Mason said. "The police
marksman believed that the mankman was about to fire at th officers. That's when the officer
"If it (the flag) causes uneas
ness or offense, we don't want
in our show," Shafer said ".We in our show,", Shafer said. "W pride ourselves as being a cele thnicities.
On Thursday, barbecue cook ing teams were asked to stop
flying the banners outside their fying the banners outside their
tents. Shafer said officials counted 67 Confederate flags a booths of about 11 of the 256 cooking teams and presenters.
Cooking teams may displa Cooking teams may display which is by invitation only One team was allowed to dis play Mississippi's state flag.

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 oncrete walkway outside her husband said.Investigator details about declined to giv arrest but indicated that phys cal evidence did not support the the couple's account. The Kavalis have moved from the North Dallas apartment
where they had lived for about where they had lived for abo The couple's 2 -year-old daugh ter was taken into state custod shortly after her brother' death. She was in
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Lifting Social Security earnings cap next priority for House GOP

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Report: Public choice school movement growing

Nearly 90,000 children were
served by 421 newly opened
charter schools in the last
school year.
A charter school, created by a
group of teachers, community
members or parents, is free of
most state lawa and regulations
but must be approved by a local
chartering authority. A charter
outlines its goals, procedures
and standardst to that authority.
Charters that fail to meet them
are shut down; 27 schools closed
under those circumstances last
year, the report said.
Though charters serve less
than 1 percent of aall public
schoolchildren, the charter
school movement remains popu-
lar. Seven in 10 schools told
department researchers they
have waiting lists.
Yet charters have opponents
who note that they could drain
the most motivated students
and families from traditional
public schools - not to mention
the public money needed to fix
Also, charters schools have
run into trouble for serving spe.
cific populations and about a
quarter of them do just that, the
report said By virtue of being
based in minority communities
where they have been especially
popular or opened with specific
purposes such as helping trou
bled children, some schools
have ended up being predomi
nantly black.
A growing number of parents
are challenging decades-old
desegregation orders to protec
their charter schools.
But the Justice Departmen
has blocked just three charters
roughly 50 more could be affect
ed by court-ordered actions to
end patterns of racial separa
tion in school districts.
Unlike the shools in Lufkin
Texas;
Oktibbeha County
Mis., and Georgetown County

| find an acceptable alternative to the GOP bill. <br> The earnings limit, which ends after a person reaches age 70, is scheduled under current law to rise to $\$ 25,000$ in 2001 and to $\$ 30,000$ in 2002 , where it will | remain unless changes are made. The GOP also is eyeing for action a separate earnings test that reduces Social Security benefits by $\$ 1$ for every $\$ 2$ of income above $\$ 10,080$ for people under age 65. |
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In Brief
Archie Myers named to NJCAA Hall of Fame Former Howard College bas
ketball star Archie Myers has been selected for induction
into the National Junior into the National Junio
College Athletic Conference
Basketball Hall of Fame. Myers, who played Howard from 1970-72, is still
the second all-time leading scorer in NJCAA history with 2,199 points.
averaged 36.5 points per game. NJCAA All-America selection,
as well as all-region and MVP of the Region V tournament.
He went on to play basket bal a a Stephen F . Austin State
University where he was the leading scorer with an aver
age of 22.2 points in 1973-74. Myers is currently head basketball coach at O.D. Wyatt
High School in Fort Worth

## More playoff games

 slated at 'The Dorothy' One more high school bas-ketball playoff game has been scheduled for Dorothy Garrett Coliseum this week. The latest game added to the
schedule is a 6 p.m schedule is a 6 p.m. game
Friday featuring Ozona's Lady Lions and the winner of
Tuesday's Seagraves-Sundown Tuesday's Seagrav
bi-district playoff. Already on the schedule is
Monday's Morden County's No. 4-ranked
Bat Lady Coyotes and Dawson's
Lady Dragons in a Class 1A bi district playoff at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Ira's Bulldogs will
face Reagan County's Owls in race Reagancounts ows in
a boys' practice game at 6; fol
lowed at 8 by a bi-district girls' playoff between Grady's
Lady Wildcats and Klondike's Lady Cougars. header is also set for Tuessay
Feb. 22 . Grady's Wildcats wil
take.on Wellman at 6 . $\quad$ m_and

American Little League to hold meeting Tuesday of Big Spring will hold an open meeting at $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Tuesday at LaContesa Beauty Sor. more information, cal
Fobby Wegner at 267 -1440. National Little League sets Thursday meeting An organizational meeting in Big Spring has been sched
uled for $6: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Thursday at Allan's Furniture. All persons interested in
coaching are asked to attend For more information, call
Allan Johnson at 267.7416 or

Softball umpires training set to begin on March 1 Umpires Association begin training for all slowpitch and fastpitch umpires at
7 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, at 7p.m. Wednesday, March 1, at
the Bill Williams Complex Umpire Building in Midland's Hogan Park.
All prospective and return-
ing umpires need to attend. ing umpires need to attend.
For more information, call
Mack Gipson at (915) $520-5961$.

## ON THE AIR

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Ch. 29 .


Lady Steers swimmers third at regional; Sheedy takes 200 IM win
HERALD Staff Report

## LUBBOCE

Set a meck - Senior Melissa Sheedy 200 indiviđual medley, posting a time of 2:28.55, as she led Big Spring's Lady Steers to a third-place team finish at the
Region I, Class 4 A swimming and divin Region I, Class 4A swimming and diving
championships at the Pete Ragus Aquatic Center. piled up 47 points as a team Lady Steers a trip to the Sheedy guaranteed herself meet set for Feb. 25 at the University of while Pecos' Eagles were the boys' cham.
pions, piling up 119 points Several other Big Spring swimmers Pecos' Lady Eagles managed 67 points Carrasco added fifth-place finishes in Torres and Amanda Chapman to finish

Lady Steers settle for third
$\qquad$ clinched a second-place finish in the Districy night with a $66-57$ win over
Friday night Criday night winh
It was not
After the game was tied at 12-12 at the end of the first quarter, the Buffs caught
fire in the second stanza. David Butler fire in the second stanza. David Butler
score all nine of his points during that
span and Blaine Smith hit score and Blaine Smith hit a pair of
three-point shots en route to a team-high 16 points.
The Stanton lead stretched to as many as 14 at one point in the second half, but the Buffs were forced to survive a bar-
rage of three-point shots from Coahoma's rage of three-point shots from Coahoma's
Brett Bennett, Chase Davis, Tommy
Cruz and Brad Long. Cruz and Brad Long.
Bennetf finished the night, 6 -of-8 from
behind the arch and scored a game-high behind the arch and scored a game-high


Big Spring sends Lake View home, but Snyder No. 2 By JOHN A. MOSELEY

hERALD Staff Reports

## Buffs top Bulldogs, lock up second place in 3-2A chase

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## Lady 'Kats suffer loss

## in warm-up for playoff

GARDEN CITY- Wall's Lady Hawks
delivered a $60-27$ drubbing to Garden City's Lady Bearkats on Friday night, as part in a practice game.
The Lady Hawks, who improved to 24 5 with the win, finished second to state-
power Ozona's Lady Lions in District 2 .
power Ozona's Lady Lions in District 2 -
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Wall literally shut Garden City down,
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## Sports Extra

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Hawks drop two of three to Odessa

## HERALD Staff Report

 ODESSA－Howard College＇sHawks managed to split a dou
bleheader with bleheacer with Odessa College＇s
Wranglers in Western Junior Wranglers in Western Junior
College Athletic Conference
（WJCAC）baseball action （WJCAC）
Saturday．
In the c In the conference openen for
both teams Friday，the defend－
ing league champion ing league champion Wranglers
rallied from a $4-3$ deficit rallied from a 4．3．3 deficiting the
eighth inning to take a $7-6$ win eighth inning to take a $7-6$ win．
The four－run rally was ignited on a parsed ball that should
have ended the inning．Instead， have ended the inning．Instead，
the Wranglers went on a tear and iook a $7-4$ lead．
Hawks sophomore Jay Alsup ripped a two－run homer in the
ninth for the Hawks，but it was－ ninth for the
n＇t enough．
Saturday Saturday＇s twinbill opener
saw the Hawks take an $8-5$ win behind solid pitching by Eric
Huddleston and Frankie Keller Huddleston and Frankie Keller．
While Huddleston gave up 11

## STEERS

| Continued from page 7A |
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| effort ．．．they＇re great kids and I |
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| he＇s been pleased with the progress his team has made this |
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| we＇re $16-16$ now，＂he explained．＂And our junior varsity is $23-5$ |
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| better things to happen next |
| year．We have to patient with |
| the kids and realize that it takes |

Odessa hits，he struck out seven $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Despite a solid pitching per－} \\ \text { while walking just one in five }\end{array}\right)$ formance，Hawks starter Wes while walking just one in five
innings of work．Keller came on in the sixth and worked two
innings for the save，allowing innings for the save，allowing
two hits and a walk，while strik－ two hits and
ing out one．
After jumping out to a $1-0$ lead
in the first inning the Hawks in the first inning，the Hawks added four more in the third
inning．Trey Ensor got things
started with a lead－off home started with a lead－off home run．Then，with one out，out－
fielder Kennard Bibbs singled fielder Kennard Bibbs singled，
Danny McMurtry was hit by a pitch and Alsup pounded a
three－run homer to make it $5-0$ three－run homer to make it $5-0$ ．
Odessa answered with a run in its half of the third，but the Hawks wrapped it up with three
more in the top of the fourth． more in the top of the fourth．
The fourth－inning rally saw The fourth－inning rally saw
Howard capitalize on two Howard capitalize on two
Odessa errors，a walk and two singles．
Saturday＇s finale was a differ－ ent matter．however，as Odessa
rebounded for a 12.3 win． Tunnell，was shelled in 22
innings of innings of work，giving up nine
runs on 10 hits－three of them runs on 10 hits－three of them
home runs－while walking home runs－while walking
one and striking out four． Caris Shannon relieved
Tunnell and went the rest of the Tunnell and went the rest of the
way，giving up three runs on way，giving up three runs on
six hits，including the
Wranglers＇fourth Wranglers＇fourth homer of the
game． game．
The Haw The Hawk＇only lead came in hit his third home runs of the
series Ensor added a sacrifice fly in the second to score Andy Harrington，and Mike McMillan
scored on an RBI rround scored on an RBI ground out by
McMurtry in the fifth． The Hawks，now ${ }^{3=6}$ on the season and $1-2$ in conference play，will host McMurry
University＇s junior varsity at p．m．Wednesday at Jack Barber
Field．




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doing，＂Mickelson said．＂I don＇t
rule out anything with him．＂
Not after what happened six
days ago at Pebble Beach，
where Woods rallied from seven
strokes down with seven holes
to play for his sixth straight vic－
tory．
This time，Woods won＇t be
trying to track down tour rook－
ie Matt Gogel，but a playe with
13 career victories who held off
Woods on his home turf two
years ago to win the Mercedes
Champoonship at La Costa．
Mickelson was at $16-$ under 200
through three rounds at Torrey
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Invitational golf tournament
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Andrews Mustangs were sec-
ond with a 612 total, while
Sweetwater was Sweetwater was third at 617,
edging out Frenship's Tigers at Bi8. Spring's "Black" team finished 10th with a
while the Steers' "Gold" squad
was 19th in the


## Tom Landry succumbs to cancer at age of 75

IRVING (AP) - Tom Landry.
who coached the Dallas
Cowboys to five Super Bowls
and became and became an icon himself
through three decades of pacing
sidelines through three decades of pacing
sidelines wearing a stone face,
business suit and business suit and felt hat, died
Saturday. He was 75 . Saturday. He was 75 .
Landry, who had be going treatment since May for
acute myelogenous leukemia,
died around 6 p.m., according to died around 6p.m., according to
a statement from his family a statement from his family
released by Baylor University released by Bay
Medical Center.
"He went peacefuly sur-
rounded by his loving family,"
the statement said "He will the statement said "He will
also be missed by his many friends and fans, and he will
never be forgotten by all of us never be forgotten by all of us
whose lives he has touched so
deeply" deeply." Landry coached the Cowboys from their inception in 1960
through 1988. Over 29 seasons, through 1988. Over 29 seasons,
his teams won two Super Bowls and 270 games, the most by any NFL coach except Don Shula
and George Halas and George Halas. "We will never be able to measure we complete significance
of coach Landry's contributions
to the Dallas Cowbys, to the Dallas Cowboys,", said
team owner Jerry Jones, who fired Landry the day he bought
the team in February 1989 . "Simply stated, he is the single
most important figure in the history of this franchise
"His legacy and his in however, extend far beyond this
organization. In one ind organization. In one individual,
Tom Landry captured the essence of this sport, the spirit of this state, and all of the
virtues that athletic competivirtues that athletic competi-
tion provide for our society." tion provide for our society.
NFL commissioner Paul Tag liabue remmiseasioner a statement that said Landry "represented the
NFL at its best." NFL at its best."
"He will always
the all-time great coaches and as an architect of one of the
most successul teams in sports most successful teams in sports
history," Tagliabue said. "He history, ragiabue said He
will be remembered for many
special reasons, including his
tions he brought to our game, e
and the personal integrity he
displayed."
Landry considered those inno- in
bations his greatest contribu.
tion. His legacy continued
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duced, including Attanta's Dan
the
Reves and former New Orleans coach Mike Ditka. who both
went to the Super Bowl.
"He shaped my philosophy "He shaped my philosophy on s
everything," Reeves said
Saturday night. "I followed his c shaturday night. "I followed his
philoshy on football and how
he handled himself on and off he field. He was a tremendous
infuence on me.
"He was something unique to the NFL. He was someone who
had tremendous knowledge of had tremendous knowledge of of such integrity. He had a
strong Christian faith that was b unusual at that time. And he be
didn't just talk it. He walked it. too.
Landry's image as a football
genius was built over time. His
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ing garme.
At 29 , he became a player.
"We were totally different." $\begin{array}{lll}\text { coach in charge of the defense. } & \text { Schramm said. "We were never } \\ \text { close socially, but we got along }\end{array}$ He changed the front seven of very well because he had his essentially creating the middle where the lines were. I respect-
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counter it. Both alignments counter it. Both alignments be electrifying. He thrived on
remain standards at all levels of doing things differently Gootball, from Pee Wee to pros.
General Schramm was still trying to get
the NFL to award Dallas a fran $\begin{gathered}\text { He created the "Flex" defense } \\ \text { that placed one tackle }\end{gathered}$ chise when he introduced that placed one tackle a half-
yand behind the other and he coach. Their agreement was wirst gadget plays on offense,
cotaly the quarterback throwhat Schramm would run the back and the halfback pass. business side and Landry would $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { His offensive line also had a } \\ \text { be in charge of football. }\end{gathered} \quad$ immick - players would $\begin{array}{ll}\text { The straight-laced. religious } & \text { gimmick - players would often } \\ \text { crouch down, raise up and then }\end{array}$ Landry and Schramm, a flashy reset in a chorus-line style that

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## Some authors' works are good for a chuckle followed by snores

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warm milk and reading for peo-
ple suffering from insomnia.
They dontt, however, specify
the type of reading.
From experience, I can say
one should avoid a real "page
turner" of a book, one the read-
er cannot bear to put down
until he finds out what hap-
pened at the end.
Instead, it is better to choose
something calm and reflective
in nature - like one of Andy
Rooney's essays. I was reading
one the other night, and
learned that the "Jeep" was so
called because its official desig.
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## "Jeep."

 Jeep."When the Army contract for the original Jeep in 1941, the price was $\$ 738$ each This information is interesting. but not unsettling, unless it puts one in a "Things are not what they used to be ${ }^{-}$mood.
Imagine a jeep costing under thousand dollars!
Russell Baker is another gifted humorist. In one essay, he comments on the enduing popu-
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NOW ALL WE NEED IS A TITLE, by Andre Bernard, is pleasant reading for insomniinformation about such authors as . Scott Fitzgerald, who had
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## F E B


$\underset{\substack{\text { Men } \\ \text { Arine }}}{ }$
o do that. He murdered him." Howell, 43, of Queen Creek Ariz., declined to discuss what he was released Tuesday, but offered an apology to Scott's family. aused them ", he said hurt that Howell's grandfather said it was a case of mercy. "He probably saw him sufferon like that," said Orus Howell They always said, 'Well, if then happens to me, don' ake me suffer.' I expect he hought he was doing the right Scot Scott, 43, had been hospital Memorial Veterans inministration Medical Center since mid-January, and his
family had given doctors a do-


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Diplomas were awarded to approximately 3,500 Texas ing fall commencement ceremonies.
Among those receiving degrees wer Dustin Joe Gaskins, BS in
Agricultural Economics of Knott; Adam Christopher Wallace, BS in Industrial Distribution of Coahoma; and
Van Eric Mayes, Masters in Physics of Big Spring

A pact between friends ends in death and arrest
SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) -
Kim Kevin Howell and James Scott had a long-standing pact: If one friend ever lingered on
life support, the other would life support, ide of the Howell kept his y removing Scomise last week as his friend lay dying of cancer at a San Bernardino
hospit A nutse saw him leave his and found Scott's ventilato ube had been removed from his neck. The par minutes later Now Howell faces the possi He was released from jai Tuesday after being arrested and the district attorney is deciding whether to file Scott's committed murder nnew about their agree heir agreement knew about ntered my mind he would ealy do it," Scott's mother. We had made a decision as a mily to let him go - on our



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Derek J. Tant, son of Roy and
Sheron Tant of Big Spring,
entered active duty in the U.S. Air Force on Jan. 27. Derek is a graduate of Forsan
High School. Upon successfull High School. Upon successfully
completing the Air Force's six week basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San
Antonio, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the security career field
Jose A. Carnero, son of Jesse
and Hilda Carnero of Big
Spring endisted inthe Spring, enlisted in the U.S. Air
Force's Delayed Enlistment Program on Jan. 31.
Jose will graduate from Big Spre will graduate from Big scheduled for enlistment in the
regular Air Force on Aug. 16 . Upon successffilly completing the Air Force's six week basic
military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio he is scheduled to receive tech,
nical training in the security nical training in the security
career field.
The Texas Chapter
LST/Amphibious Association is looking for all amphibious
shipmates for reunions with shipmates for reunions with
old shipmates. The next reunion will be held in
Beaumont at the 11th Street Holiday Inn on April 27-29. For more information contact R.H.
Garner LST 461; HC 52, Box 62; Hemphill; 75948
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Texas-based company targeting customers who shop at discount stores

FORT WORTH (AP) - Pawn
shops have traditionally been foremos company is trying to make its stores a place to shop. Carson Thompson wants cusan alternative to a garage sale: A place to sell goods they no longer need for fast cash.
If that works, "People stop Thinking of it as a pawn shop,"
Thompson told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.
The company's stores try to
attract shoppers with displays of televisions and VCRs, stereand videos, jewelry, sporting
goods, home appliances and tools.
Jewelry accounts both for 40 Jewelry accounts both for 40
percent of retail sales and 40 percent of pawn loans. The Fort Worth-based compa-
ny went public and then ny went public and then
launched an aggressive expam sion campaign in early 1998 by
argeting customers who frequent discount stores such as Wal-Mart. The U.S. pawn store industry more than 12,600 independently owned stores. There are some large chains, including Fort
Worth-based Cash America Worth-based Cash America
International and Austin-based EZ Corp., but together they stil
of all pawn shops.
Thompson hopes to carve out different niche and build
PawnMart from 46 stores in six states to more than 100 by the end of 2002. The chain seeks
locations in busy retail corri locations in busy retail corri
dors. Antonia Ness, a research asso-
iate for the Raymond James nvestment firm in St. Petersburg, Fla., said PawnMart's
strategy "is definitely a depar strategy is definitely a depar-
ture from what pawn stores traditionally do.",
Rick Wessel, president of the Arlington-based First Cash he said his company, which has 05 pawn shops and check-cashing businesses, has no intention of following PawnMart. "We're more of a lender. said.
she retail is a side effect of he lending. PawnMart has seen solid up 32 percent at storeses open more than 12 months for the year that ended Jan. 29 - the ompany has yet to turn a prof Thompson, who spent 40 Bombay Co. unit before he
retired as chief executive in retired as chief executive in
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pletes its rapid expansion.

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Identifying, producing, marketing keys for cattlemen

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a given catwants. An inally - perhaps most impor
tantly - marketing it well Bull selection can be useful, detrimental to this process. is said that a bull contributes
half of the production in a cal crop. This may be true for an average bull, but probably exaggerates contributions from
a poor quality bull and greatly a poor quality bull and greatly
underestimates those from a good bull. A good bull offers
both high fertility and high
> or more economically impor-
tant traits. The impact of fertil-
ity can be substantial Under ity can be substantial. Under
natural service, individual bulls have been known to sire as 80 calves in a single year's calf crop. But in the interest o
brevity, further discussions on brevity, further discussions on
bull fertility are probably best
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So, what about genetics? So, what about genetics?
Effective sire selection can
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sires in the pedigree. sires in the pedigree. Therefore, good breeding pro-
grams are planned endeavors grams are planned endeavors
which necessarily involve a
good deal of attention to bull selection. When selecting bulls specific traits should be kept i mind in order to fit production
environments and marketing environments and marketing
strategies particular to individ ual ranches.
Single trait Single trait selection may be
hazardous as hazardous as well. The infor-
mation below illustrates just how real the genetic side of
sire selection sire selection can be
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quality and yield grade.
What made those animals
worth more? Basically, they
had leaner, more muscular ca casses, but with well marbled
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ibeyes ibeyes. Looking a little more percent of their calves graded USDA Choice or higher, with 47 percent going into a name Furthermore many more calves from the bottom sire group fell into lower USDA Select and 17 percent Standard. Contrast this to only 6 percent Select and 0.2 percent Standard
grades for the top sire group. grades for the top sire group
Looking to the future, the day is probably not far away
when technology will allow animals to be marketed based on actual box beef value - i. ground meat and individual cuts of meat that go into any number of different boxes at a packing plant.
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Aggressive breed associations are aiready developing EPDs to
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Cooperative will hold a nominating meeting for District 2 on Wednesday in Coahoma to
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Rock electric meters in Borden County ISD, Big Spring ISD, Coahoma ISD, Howard County
Junior College District and the Junior College District and the
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| Howard County 4-H | division were Collin McMillan <br> and Trevor Bibb. <br> In the steer division of the |
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| members compete | Fort Worth show, Teryn Bibb |
| Miembers of the Howard placed fifth with her Polled |  |
| Coiunty 4.H Club have just | Hereford steer and Frances |
| returned from junior livestock | Clark placed tenth with her |
| shows in Fort Worth and El | Hereford steer. Kyle Kight |
| Paso. Howard County was very | placed fift with his Angus |
| well represented by all partici | steer. Alsh exhibiting steers |
| pants with Clay Hart placing | were Travis Roberts. Berkley |
| seventh with his York hog and | Iden, Megan Kirght, Morgan |
| Logan Gaskins placing fourth | Kight and Terrell Bibb. |
| with his Chester hog. Other | Megan Kothmann was the |
| participants in the Fort Worth | only 4.H member to place in |
| Junior Livestock Show swine | the goat division of the show . |

but her hard work helped her
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with another at a distance. Make plans to meet halfwey
Tonight: Don't let another upset you; he could be jealous.
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