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WEATHER

Tonight:



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MHMR slates forum in library

West Texas Centers for Mental Health Mental Retardation will be holding a forum on mental health at 6:30 p.m. today in the Howard County Library community room.

The purpose of the meeting is to gather input on current mental health services and local unmet needs. Further information can be obtained from Lisa Brooks, director of community relations for WTC for MHMR at 263-0007, ext. 258.

Library to note 'Read America'

The Howard County Library will celebrate "Read Across America" on Thursday with storytime, music and a puppet show.

The national event, promoted by the National Education Association (NEA), is in honor of the birthday of children's author Dr. Seuss, who died in 1991. Libraries and schools are observing the day with programs to encourage children to take up reading.

Locally, children of all ages and their parents are invited to go to the library at 4:30 p.m. for the special program.

WHAT'S UP...

TODAY
□ Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, 7 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 W. Third.

THURSDAY
□ Gideons International, Big Spring Camp No. U42060, Hermans, 7 a.m.
□ Big Spring Senior Citizens Center Art Classes, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. for 55 and older.
□ Kiwanis Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.

□ Genealogical Society of Big Spring, 7:15 p.m., Howard County Library.
□ Masonic Lodge No. 1340, 7:30 p.m., 2101 Lancaster.

FRIDAY
□ The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club, noon, Howard College Cactus Room.
□ AMBUCS, noon, Brandin' Iron Restaurant.
□ Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. All seniors invited.

SATURDAY
□ Dance, 8:30 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 W. Third.

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Rain possible over Howard County tonight

By **BILL McCLELLAN**
News Editor

An upper-level storm system could combine with low-level moisture to produce rain over Howard County tonight and early Thursday morning, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

"The conditions are more favorable than they have been

in some time," said meteorologist Alec Lyster. "It looks like we're calling for Big Spring to have a 50 percent chance of rain tonight and a 30 percent chance tomorrow morning."

According to Lyster, a strong upper-level storm system is moving through Arizona today and will be moving through New Mexico tonight and Thursday.

"It's a pretty strong system.

And we also have something we have been lacking of late, and that is moisture. There is low-level moisture over southern and eastern Texas.

"Winds ahead of the approaching system should turn to a favorable southeast direction. That will draw the moisture to the northwest, into our neck of the woods," said Lyster. "The key thing is how far west it will go. We expect a better chance of rain

for Big Spring than us (Midland)."

While holding the possibility of rain, the storms could also be severe, Lyster said.

"The main threat would be hail and damaging winds from rotating thunderstorms. If more moisture moves into the area than what we are expecting, we could have some isolated tornadoes also."

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1,044 ballots cast in mayor's election

Some 1,044 ballots were cast during the early voting period of the Big Spring mayor's race.

Early voting concluded Tuesday at city hall.

Seeking the mayor's position are city councilmen Greg Biddison and Oscar Garcia and former councilman Russ McEwen.

Election Day is Saturday. Polls, located at council chambers, will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Graduates

Howard College adjusting curriculum to make transfers easier for graduating students

By **GINA GARZA**
Staff Writer

Howard College is trying to make it easier for its graduates to transfer to 4-year schools.

"What we are trying to do is to integrate core and graduation requirements," said Linda Conway, vice president for instruction.

In the state of Texas, community colleges can have a core curriculum which will allow students to automatically transfer to universities.

"The community colleges and universities get together and come up with these curriculums. We have revised ours to include more options for our students to choose from," said Conway.

Howard College has a 46-hour core curriculum instead of 42,

like most universities.

"We have added four hours of science to our graduation requirements which makes a total of eight hours of science instead of four," she said.

Other changes the college made in graduation requirements were no longer requiring students to have so many sophomore courses, as well as having a 2.0 overall grade point average (GPA).

"Eventually, there will no longer be freshman and sophomore classifications. It'll be all just one," Conway said.

She also said the degree requirement used to require a 2.0 GPA on work towards a degree.

"We decided to check out other universities to see what they were doing and go with the majority," she said.

Conway also said these changes would allow students more flexibility in planning their degrees.

The changes will be effective in the fall.



Connie Jackson donates blood to the United Blood Service drive at Scenic Mountain Medical Center today. UBS will have another drive Thursday at the VA Medical Center from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Call the VA at 264-4824, ext. 7136, to make an appointment.

HERALD photo/Gina Garza

Citizens Police Academy open to all; several spots open for upcoming class

By **CARL GRAHAM**
Staff Writer

There is still time and space for a few people to sign up for the 13th Citizens Police Academy.

The class begins next week, said Sgt. Lee Everett.

This will be Everett's fifth academy class to conduct. He says each class make-up have been different.

"We have had all ages from 18 to 65 or 70," he said. "All we stipulate is that they are at least 18 and be physically able to bend, stoop, and crawl and not have any heart condition. Some of the activities we go through could cause your blood pressure

to go up and we certainly don't want anyone stroking out on us."

The 12-week class will run 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. each Thursday night with the first week being for orientation purposes.

"We already have 10 applicants for sure so if someone is interested we need to have them pick up an application as soon as possible and get it returned to the police station. Class size is limited to a maximum of 15, but we try to have at least 12," said Everett.

Each Thursday there will be something different and challenging for the prospective academy class, according to Sgt. Everett.

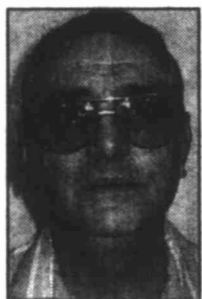
"We will be learning a lot of different rules and regulations about police department procedures and how to file complaints," he said. "We will also learn about traffic problems,

how we detect and handle driving while intoxicated (DWI) cases, talk about our DARE program and what it is all about and we will do a shoot/don't shoot scenario that gives the cadets an idea of what police have to actually encounter at times."

Sgt. Everett said the class will also be shown how to approach a crime scene and how to protect evidence. A search and recovery team (SORT) demonstration will be held as well.

All notebooks, notepads, pens, pencils and everything else needed for the course will be furnished by the police department. Upon graduation, a banquet will hold and certificates of course completion will be handed out. The class will also receive a polo shirt with the CPA logo and their name print.

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EVERETT

It's time to start thinking about Big Spring MS Walk

By **GINA GARZA**
Staff Writer

It's time to think about putting on your walking shoes and getting ready for the third annual Big Spring MS Walk scheduled for April 29.

"We raised over \$12,000 last year and are shooting for \$20,000 this year," said Rick Purser, chairman.

In 1989, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society conducted its first one-day national event, The Super Cities Walk for Multiple Sclerosis. This event raised \$4.9 million. It expanded to nearly 100 markets nationwide in 1990.

Purser said the local group is really promoting team efforts.

"We are trying to get businesses to get teams together and

challenge each other. We are also asking for businesses to promote incentives internally so people will want to walk," he said.

Purser said there is one rest stop sponsorship open for \$500.

"The rest stops are sponsored by business and will provide drinks, fruit and medical assistance for the walkers," he said.

According to Purser, businesses that sponsored \$300 or less towards a rest stop get a T-shirt with their company's name on it, and those who sponsored \$500 or more get their company's name and logo on the shirts.

"We really need people to walk and more volunteers," said Purser.

He also said all schools in the area are receiving flyers about the event in hopes to encourage young people to participate.

"There are some kids from Elbow Elementary calling themselves the 'Backstep Boys' planning to walk," said Purser.

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Most Howard County residents have paid their property taxes; others are facing stiff penalties

By **CARL GRAHAM**
Staff Writer

Howard County residents who haven't gotten around to paying their property taxes had better get busy to avoid paying a stiff penalty.

According to Sondra Bloom, deputy clerk for the Howard County Tax Collectors Office, 93 percent of Howard County taxpayers have paid their property tax. For those who haven't, the interest and penalty keeps getting stiffer the longer they wait. Tax bills were due the end of January.

"If we receive your property tax with a postmark of February, we will only charge

a 7 percent late fee; however anything postmarked after that will be charged a late fee of 9 percent," said Bloom. "It steadily goes up each month that it goes unpaid."

Bloom said the rate will increase to 11 percent in April, 13 percent in May, and 15 percent late fee if not paid until June.

There is also an additional 17 percent tacked on for attorney fees on tax bills not collected by June 30. "A person can avoid all the penalties and interest that is assessed if they only get the taxes paid now," said Bloom. "It really gets messy when a person doesn't pay them and we have to turn it over to an attorney."



Stacy and Stanley Pendleton stand beside a tree in their backyard that was knocked down by strong winds Monday. The brothers, who live at 1104 Blackman, said their utilities were knocked out until Tuesday morning.

HERALD photo/Carl Graham

OBITUARIES

R.B. Webb

Graveside service for R.B. Webb, 76, Ackerly, will be 10 a.m. Thursday, March 2, 2000, with the Rev. Derrick Looney, pastor of Ackerly First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Ackerly Cemetery.

Mr. Webb died on Tuesday, Feb. 29, at the Lamesa Health Care Center.

He was born on Dec. 6, 1923, in Stephens County, Okla. He was a farmer and a Baptist.

Survivors include: one sister, Pearl Foster of Lamesa, and several nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity in lieu of flowers.

Arrangements under the direction of Branon Funeral Home, Lamesa.

Edward L. Loveless

Edward L. Loveless, 78, of Big Spring, went home to be with our Lord on Monday, Feb. 28, 2000. Funeral service will be 4 p.m. Thursday, March 2, 2000, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Dr. Randy Cotton, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.



He was born on July 12, 1921, in Paris, Texas. In 1940, he was transferred to the Big Spring Bombardier School while in the United States Army Air Corps. Mr. Loveless worked as a dispatcher for the U.S. Postal Service for 19 years until he retired. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church.

Mr. Loveless married Bessie Lena Bell in 1942 in Big Spring, and she preceded him in death in 1951. He later married Leossie May Shreve on Feb. 11, 1953, in Big Spring, and she preceded him in death on Feb. 26, 1986. He then married June Kirkland in August of 1989, in Big Spring.

Survivors include his wife, June Loveless of Big Spring; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Edward L. Jr. and Mary Loveless, David and Cindy Loveless, and Robert Loveless, all of Big Spring; two daughters and one son-in-law, Cheryl Beddingfield of Phoenix, Ariz., and Linda and K.C. Robertson of Houston; one stepson and his wife, Gary and Suzanne Kirkland of Big Spring; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and an uncle and his wife, Lewis and Louise Clement of Paris.

The family suggests memorials be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund; 810 E. 11th Place; Big Spring, Texas;

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Bob L. Custer, 68, died Wednesday. Services are pending.

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Kathleen Conley Wilson, 49, died Sunday. Services will be 2:00 PM Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

Edward Loveless, 78, died Monday. Services will be 4:00 PM Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

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Kathleen Conley Wilson

Kathleen Conley Wilson, 49, of Abilene, died on Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000, at her residence. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 2, 2000, at the First Presbyterian Church in Big Spring with Dr. Bruce Lampert, Chaplain at Hendricks Medical Center, Abilene, and the Rev. Diane Brown, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. Ronnie White, pastor of Beulah Baptist Church, Mineral Wells, officiating.

She was born on Jan. 29, 1951, in Clovis, N.M., and married Stanley Wilson on Sept. 16, 1989, in San Angelo.

She graduated from Big Spring High School, Howard College, Texas Tech University, and the University of Texas El Paso. She worked as a registered nurse at Abilene Regional Medical Center.

Mrs. Wilson was a Baptist. She had served in the United States Air Force and was serving as Chairman of the Board for Abilene Adult Day Care Center at the time of her death.

Survivors include: her husband, Chaplain Stanley Wilson of Abilene; one daughter, Joanna Conley of Abilene; one step-daughter, Cindy Koon of Dripping Springs; one step-son, Cliff Wilson of Amarillo; her mother, Betty Conley of Big Spring; two brothers, Dr. Jerry Michael Conley of Bozeman, Mont. and Dick Conley of Big Spring; one sister, Judy Conley of El Paso; two grandchildren, Brittany Koon and Amy Koon both of Dripping Springs; three nephews, Leif Foged of El Paso, and Will and Kyle Conley both of Big Spring; and one niece, Emily Conley of El Paso.

Pallbearers will be Russ McEwen, John Grant, Scott McLaughlin, Evans Rutledge, Ernie Koon, and Chaplain Stanley Wilson.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Abilene Adult Day Care Center; 3518 S. 7th; Abilene, Texas; 79605

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

Paid obituary

Bob L. Custer

Service for Bob L. Custer, 68, Big Spring, is pending with Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Mr. Custer died Wednesday, March 1, 2000, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Man arrested for assault was on parole for murder

Terrence Cross, 29 was arrested Monday around 1 p.m. after the Big Spring Police Department received a call regarding an assault.

According to Sgt. Roger Sweatt of the Big Spring Police Department, Cross was visiting relatives in Big Spring when an argument broke out. Cross apparently hit his brother-in-law with a baseball bat, according to Sweatt.

After police arrested Cross on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, a routine background check revealed he was on parole for a murder conviction in Illinois and had permission to visit here.

Cross is in the Howard County jail while awaiting extradition back to Cook County, Ill.

ACADEMY

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ed on it.

Sgt Everett said that any business wishing to donate items to

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the class "orientation bag" which is made up of pens, pencils and other materials can do so by calling him at 264-2564. The first class is March 9.

MS WALK

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He said this team is planning to walk backwards during the entire event.

Multiple sclerosis is a disease that randomly attacks the nervous system. Symptoms range from numbness to paralysis and blindness. Most people who are diagnosed with the disease are between the ages of 20 and 40.

All monies raised from the walk will go to help fund research to find a cure for MS.

"I didn't realize how many people in Howard County have this disease until I got involved with MS. It's just amazing to me," added Purser.

The Big Spring Housing Authority won first place last year and received a plaque.

"We at the housing authority challenge anyone or any team to take away the plaque we received last year," he said.

For more information or to volunteer, call Purser at 263-4094.

Registration forms for the walk will be available in Sunday's Herald.

RAIN

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he said.

"Everybody wants the rain and nobody wants bad weather but there is a downside to this as well," Lyster noted. "After the storms leave tomorrow, they'll be followed by stronger winds. We're predicting 20 to 30 miles per hour and gusty. So depending on who gets rain and where, be ready for more blowing dust."

Another system coming in from the East Coast also means a slight chance of showers Saturday and Sunday, Lyster said.

Big Spring has received just .63 of an inch of rainfall so far this year.

BRIEFS

WATER LINE WORK IS planned Thursday in south Big Spring, expected to cause low or no water pressure for customers in the following areas:

South Service Rd. FM-700 from Cowboys Restaurant to Golden China; all of Oak Glenn Drive; McAuslan Street from Oak Glenn to Scott Street; North side of Scott Street from Golial to Stonehaven Drive.

Repairs are planned to begin at 9 a.m. and continue until completed. For information, call Jim Piper. 264-2594.

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LITERACY Program is seeking tutors to teach adults how to read.

The program requires a commitment of one to three hours each week, with long-term involvement with each student recommended.

Material and training are provided each tutor, as well as support. Scheduling flexibility is available.

To volunteer call Loraine Redman, Howard Country librarian, at 264-2260.

VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE is available each Monday through March 27, 9 a.m.-noon at the Spring City Senior Citizens Center, 1901 Simler Drive.

All citizens are eligible to receive this free assistance.

Interested persons should bring their tax booklet, all W-2 and 1099 forms, as well as anything else received showing 1999 income and their 1998 tax return. Please call Dorothy Kennemur, 398-5522, or the center, 267-1628, for more information.

SPRING TABERNACLE CHURCH, 1209 Wright, has free food for the area needy from 10 a.m. to noon every Thursday.

SUPPORT GROUPS

WEDNESDAY

•Gamblers Anonymous, 7 p.m., St. Stephen's Catholic Church, room 1, 4601 Neeley, Midland. Call 263-8920.

MARKETS

March cotton 58.15, up 155 points; April crude 30.92, up 49 points; cash hogs \$1 lower steady at 49 even; slaughter steers steady at 69 even; April lean hog futures 58.05, down 2 points; April live cattle futures 71.60, down 42 points.

courtesy: Delta Corporation.

Noon quotes provided by Edward Jones & Co.

ATT	48 1/4 - 3/4
Atlantic Richfield	71 + 1/4
Atmos Energy	16 1/2 - 1/4
BP Amoco	47 1/4 + 1/4
Chevron	73 1/2 - 1/2
CIFRA	23 1/2 - 24
Compaq Computer	25 1/2 + 1/4
Cornell Correc.	8 nc
Dell	41 1/4 + 1/4
DuPont	50 - 1/2
Exxon	73 1/2 - 1/4
Halliburton	38 - 3/4
IBM	12 1/2 nc
Intel Corp	115 1/2 + 2 1/4
Mid Amer Energy	34 1/2 + 1/4
NUV	8 nc
Palex Inc.	10 1/2 + 1/4
Patterson Ener	22 1/2 - 1/4

TEXAS LOTTERY

Pick 3: 7,2,9

Cash 5: 32,30,37,7,5

Lottery numbers are unofficial until confirmed by the state lottery commission.

Pepsi Cola	32 1/4 - 1/4
Phillips Petroleum	37 1/4 - 1
SBC Com.	41 1/4 + 3 1/4
Sears	27 1/2 + 1/4
Texaco	47 1/2 - 1/4
Texas Instruments	165 1/2 - 1/2
Texas Utils. Co	32 1/4 - 1/4
Total Fina SA	66 1/2 - 3/4
Unocal Corp	26 1/2 nc
Wal-Mart	47 1/2 - 1/4
Amcap	19.00-20.16
Europacific	43.65-46.31
Prime Rate	8.75%
Gold	292.50-294.90
Silver	5.05-5.12

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activities from 8 a.m. Tuesday through 8 a.m. today:

• **ALFRED HAMILTON**, 27, was arrested on a charge of assault/family violence.

• **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported in the 2500 block of Ann.

• **CLASS C ASSAULT** was reported in the 1800 block of Alabama and in the 400 block of E. 4th.

• **ASSAULT/FAMILY VIOLENCE** was reported in the 2500 block of Langley.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 500 block of Aylsford, in

700 block of E. 4th, and in the 900 block of W. 5th.

• **ASSAULT** was reported in the 800 block of Wyoming and in the 1600 block of Settles.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 800 block of Bell and in the 300 block of Gregg.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activities from 8 a.m. Tuesday through 8 a.m. today:

• **CHRISTY MORGAN RAINS**, 22, was arrested on a charge of theft/forgery. (HCSO)

• **VICKY CASTRO**, 41, was arrested on a charge of two counts of forgery and theft of service. (HCSO)

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FIRE/EMS

Following is a summary of Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reports:

TUESDAY

10:26 a.m. — 2000 West Fourth, medical call, patient refused service.

10:46 a.m. — 1600 block Lancaster, trauma call, patient was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

11:27 a.m. — SMMC, patient transferred to Midland.

1:18 p.m. — County Road 415, trauma, patient transported to SMMC.

3:40 p.m. — SMMC, patient transferred to Lubbock.

4:46 p.m. — MM 184 I-20, traffic accident, patient refused service.

7:31 p.m. — 6200 block Walter Rd., medical call, patient transported to SMMC.

11:43 p.m. — 1000 Block North Main, medical call, patient refused service.

RECORDS

Tuesday's high 74

Tuesday's low 45

Average low 66

Average high 36

Record high 91 in 1940

Record low 18 in 1960

Precip. Tuesday 0.00

Month to date 0.63

Month's normal 0.59

Year to date 1.05

Normal for the year 1.17

Sunrise Thursday 7:12 a.m.

Sunset Thursday 6:45 p.m.

**Statistics not available

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Bush, Gore win preliminaries to Super Tuesday

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Gov. George W. Bush and Sen. John McCain turned their Republican hostilities toward the main event — Super Tuesday — after the Texas governor won a three-state parlay to recapture the lead in the struggle for the GOP presidential nomination.

They traded accusations of divisive, low-road campaigning, and posted rival victory forecasts for the climactic tests ahead.

Saying he's "not going to rest" yet, Bush told ABC's "Good Morning America" that candidates like McCain who use name-calling and accusations "get hurt at the polls."

Vice President Al Gore

rebuffed Bill Bradley's last-chance bid for headway in his faltering challenge before Democratic contests in 15 states next Tuesday that could decide who wins that nomination. Gore won overwhelmingly in Washington state's primary, gaining no delegates but denying his rival any basis on which to claim a boost in the next round.

"This is really a sweet, sweet victory," Gore said in a conference call to his Washington supporters. "We climbed another mountain tonight."

Bush outdistanced McCain in Virginia's Republican primary and captured the North Dakota caucuses by a landslide.

He won the Republican primary in Washington state, where

McCain gained his only success by leading separate balloting among voters affiliated with neither political party.

— In Virginia, with all of the precincts reporting, Bush had 350,185 votes, or 53 percent, and McCain had 290,779, or 44 percent. Alan Keyes had 20,294 votes, or 3 percent.

Virginia's was an open-to-all primary, but Republicans cast two-thirds of the vote and rallied overwhelmingly to Bush, as they have in earlier contests, an exit poll showed.

— In North Dakota, with all districts reporting, Bush had 6,865 votes, or 76 percent, and McCain had 1,717 votes, or 19 percent. Keyes had 481 votes, or 5 percent.

— In Washington state, with

98 percent of precincts reporting, Bush had 214,611 votes, or 58 percent, and McCain had 141,151 votes, or 38 percent. Keyes had 8,955 votes, or 2 percent.

The column that counts is delegate strength, and Bush regained the lead McCain held briefly. Bush won all 56 delegates in Virginia, and 14 in North Dakota, where McCain got four and Keyes one. He led for seven of the 12 at stake in Washington, McCain for 5. The state's other 25 delegates there will be chosen by caucus next week, as will all the Democratic delegates.

A candidate needs 1,034 delegate votes to win the GOP nomination. Bush now has 170 delegates, McCain 105, and Keyes 5.

Lagging ticket sales expected to result in reduced jackpots

DALLAS (AP) — Lotto Texas is losing its luster, with high guaranteed jackpots for the twice-weekly game on the endangered list.

Weak ticket sales are a money-losing proposition for the state, which probably will lower the minimum jackpot for each drawing to \$3 million within weeks, administrators say.

The state's other alternative is to join in one of the multi-state, high-stakes games such as Powerball.

"I'm sad to say we've reached the limit ... with trying to hold out on our minimum jackpot at \$4 million," Executive Director Linda Cloud told lottery commissioners on Tuesday.

"It is going to be necessary to make an announcement to our players in the next couple of weeks that we are going to have to reduce the minimum jackpot," she said.

Texas is now fourth in overall sales behind New York, Massachusetts and California.

Harriet Miers of Dallas, Texas Lottery Commission chairwoman, agreed that changes are needed and that players are sending that message by lack of participation.

"The people of Texas are voting with their money, and it's

a pretty convincing vote so far," she said.

Part of the problem, operators say, is that for the first time ever time a jackpot winner has surfaced in each of the last five drawings. Too many people are beating the game's 15.8 million-to-one odds.

That meant the prize money that usually carries over to the next drawing hasn't been available to increase the jackpot and the total has been too low to attract more players.

"It's just a string of bad luck" for the state, said Larry King, director of Texas operations for Gtech Corp., the lottery operator.

The minimum Lotto Texas jackpot was set at \$2 million in November 1992, when the online game started. The lottery's guaranteed minimum was raised to \$3 million in January 1994 and to \$4 million the following year. The payout could be higher, depending on ticket sales.

But Cloud said jackpots this fiscal year have averaged \$7 million, compared with \$11.4 million last year and \$12.2 million in 1998.

"The only solution to this situation is to introduce larger jackpots for Texas players," she said.

Lawmakers call for governor to apologize for slavery

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP) — Maryland lawmakers are calling on Gov. Parris Glendening to apologize for the state's history of slavery.

"No one has ever said to me that the 240 years of brutality, of inhumanity, of the worst kind of denial was wrong and we apologize for it," said Delegate Emmett C. Burns Jr., a black pastor from Baltimore who introduced the resolution. "To say 'I'm sorry' begins the healing process."

The call for an apology for slavery is a new one in the nation's oldest working statehouse. A search of bills introduced over the past few years found no other states calling for a similar apology.

President Clinton has avoided apologizing on behalf of the nation, fearing that it might prompt the descendants of slaves to demand government compensation.

The president's advisers on race also have said that an apology would be to narrow, in light of past discrimination against blacks.

In Maryland, the resolution has the support of more than 30 delegates — black and white, Democrat and Republican.

The resolution calls for an apology "on behalf of the citizens of Maryland for the state's history of slavery, its long-held silence in the face of slavery and the atrocities committed under slavery in the state." It seeks an apology from

Glendening, the state's 59th governor, on Sept. 22 — the anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation.

Governor's spokesman Mike Morrill said Glendening has yet to see the resolution.

"I think the governor's been very clear about his belief that shameful things were done in the state in the past," Morrill said. "There are many things left to do to completely eliminate this legacy in our society."

Boy who killed classmate lived in 'flop house'

MOUNT MORRIS TOWNSHIP, Mich. (AP) — The 6-year-old boy who fatally shot a fellow first-grader lived in a "flop house" and used a stolen handgun he found in a bedroom there, the prosecutor said today.

Genesee County Prosecutor Arthur Busch said the home was frequented by strangers.

"This boy comes from a very troubled home," Busch said on NBC's "Today" show. "He is really a victim of a drug culture and a house that's really in chaos."

Kayla Rolland, also 6, died a half-hour after she was shot in the neck at Buell Elementary School on Tuesday morning. Busch said there may have been "some sort of scuffle or quarrel on the playground" between the two a day earlier in which one child slapped the other.

The boy pulled the .32-caliber handgun from his pants, aimed it at another classmate and then turned it on the little girl, Busch said. "His actions were naughty, in his mindset," he said. "What he understood he did is another matter."

The boy, who has not been identified by authorities, was questioned and released. Police said he would be put in state custody.

A census first: Option of answering surveys over the Internet

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Census Bureau is launching a new cyberspace option this year, trying to get more Americans to respond to their questionnaires by letting anybody who wishes to answer them over the Internet.

Instead of the traditional method of filling out forms by hand and dropping them in the mailbox, which progressively fewer people have done over the last three surveys, respondents will be able to log onto the Census Bureau's Web site and answer the government's questions with the click of a mouse.

It's unclear whether allowing forms to be returned via the Internet for the first time will get more people to respond. The same worries over privacy and confidentiality that deter some people from mailing back forms also exist in cyberspace.

And that's especially true in light of recent hacker attacks against sites like Yahoo! and eBay, said former Census Bureau director Martha Farnsworth Riche, who helped develop the Internet-response system.

"My one concern is people's concerns about privacy, and

people are particularly concerned about the broad use of the census information," she said. Census officials stress that all information is kept confidential and not shared with other government agencies.

In addition, mail response rates have declined from 78 percent of households in 1970, to 70 percent in 1980, to 65 percent in 1990. Officials estimate the rate will dip to 61 percent this year.

Census Day is April 1, meaning all the information requested by the government concerns the people living in the home that day.

The data are critical for the reapportionment of congressional seats as well as distribution of federal and state funds. In general, the more people a city or town has, the more money it gets.

"This will be a first, determining the individuals who use the mail and people who use the Internet," said John Thompson, director of census operations.

Thompson hopes the bureau's first-ever paid advertising campaign, which costs \$167 million, as well as the new Internet option boosts the response rates. At the least, it could help

reduce the expense of sending census-takers to homes that do not respond at all. A General Accounting Office report estimated that every 1 percent increase in workload could add at least \$34 million to the survey's budget.

Thompson said they expect 7 million of the nation's 115 million households to answer their questionnaires on the Internet; the system can handle up to 800,000 users per hour.

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OUR VIEWS

Let's support Howard College cagers at region

Howard College's Hawks and Lady Hawks are again preparing to make what has become for them an annual trip to the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Region V men's and women's basketball tournaments.

While neither Howard team is a stranger to the post-season, there will be something new about this year's Region V tournament — a new host city, Lubbock, will be staging the event in Texas Tech University's brand new United Spirit Center.

The Hawks will open tournament play first, taking on Southwest Christian College of Terrell at 5 p.m. Thursday, while the Lady Hawks will play their first game at 12:30 p.m. Friday when they square off against McLennan Community College's Highladies.

Both games promise to be exciting. Thursday's game will pit Howard, the No. 3-ranked defense in the nation and top seed from the Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJAC), against Southwest Christian, which despite being the No. 4 seed from the Northern Texas Junior College Athletic Conference (NTJAC), possesses the country's fourth best junior college offense.

The Lady Hawks, the No. 2 women's seed from the WJAC behind Midland, figure to have their hands full in their Friday game against McLennan, the No. 3 NTJAC seed, a team Howard coach Ron Mayberry says is very similar to Odessa College's Lady Wranglers, one of three WJAC teams that managed splits against the Lady Hawks this season.

The tournament field also included nationally-ranked men's teams from Weatherford and Midland, as well as Top 25 women's teams from Midland, Grayson and Weatherford.

And if Lubbock Sports Authority officials are to be believed, the tournament — after years of being treated as an afterthought by host cities — will be a showcase event.

With Texas Tech teams in Kansas City playing in the Big 12 tournament and Lubbock Christian University squads playing in the Sooner Conference tournament in Oklahoma City, Lubbock officials are planning to treat the Region V event for exactly what it is — the only college championship tournament being played this weekend in the state.

In fact, plans call for events that are not only designed for the participating teams and school officials, but for members of those institution's general student bodies.

A "Great Lubbock Road Trip" party for students is set for Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the "Liquid 2000" Club — a chance to enjoy music, dancing and soft drinks for four hours. Free admission to the party will come only with a student all-tournament pass.

We want to encourage all Howard College fans, not only their student following, to make the trip to Lubbock this weekend to support the Hawks and Lady Hawks.

Not only will you play a part in representing our community, and lend support to a couple of teams that so richly deserve that backing, but you'll see probably the best basketball that will be played in the Lone Star State this weekend.

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Diallo family deserves voluntary settlement

From the beginning, some people tried to turn the tragic death of Amadou Diallo last year into a racial killing. Four white cops gun down an innocent, unarmed black immigrant in a hail of 41 bullets in the doorway of his own apartment building — this was the nearly universal description of what took place in a Bronx neighborhood one year ago.

Actors, Democratic politicians and civil-rights leaders led angry protests against the police for months. New York Senate candidate Hillary Clinton called it "murder," (a statement she retracted weeks later when her campaign decided it might seem unlawfully for her to be thus characterizing actions by defendants who had yet to be convicted of any crime.) Presidential candidates Bill Bradley and Al Gore cited Diallo's death as an example of

"racial profiling," a practice each man accused the other of being insufficiently opposed to.

Yet, last week, a jury made of four blacks — including the jury forewoman — and eight whites acquitted the four police officers of any criminal wrongdoing in Diallo's death. The jurors unanimously concluded the death wasn't a case of murder or even criminal negligence by the police officers.

What's more, the jurors came to their decision without ever discussing race during their 21 hours of deliberation. Was the jury's conclusion a terrible miscarriage of justice, an example of the most extreme form of racial insensitivity, as critics have proclaimed in the days since the verdict? Or was it a rebuff to all who would turn a tragic — indeed lethal — mistake into a race crime?

If Amadou Diallo had been white, or if the policemen who shot him had been black or Latino, this case would never have become the cause celebre of racial demagogues like Al Sharpton, but the facts would still cry out for some redress. The victim, after all, was standing outside his own home (albeit, late at night) when a

group of men jumped out of a car and approached him aggressively. They identified themselves as police — one held his badge out in front of him — and told him to keep his hands in sight. In what was Diallo's fatal mistake, he reached instead into his pocket, pulled out a dark object, and stretched out his arm toward the four men facing him.

One of the policemen shouted "Gun!" while another tripped backward, and all four began shooting. In a matter of seconds, Diallo lay dead with 19 bullet wounds to his body and a black wallet clutched in his hand.

The jury didn't buy the argument that the accused officers should be treated, in the words of the chief prosecutor in the case, "like any other individual who would have rolled up in front of a building, pulled out a gun, and commenced to fire at another individual with the intent to cause their death." This was no drive-by shooting, but one by police officers on duty in a dangerous neighborhood. In 1997, there were 27 homicides in the precinct in which Diallo lived. In 1998, the number had dropped to 13, largely attributed to the pres-

ence of the very street-crime unit to which the four officers belonged.

The jury clearly believed the policemen had every reason to fear for their lives when a man they wanted to question refused their orders to keep his hands in sight and went for his pocket instead. And so the jury acquitted the men — as it should have. But their acquittal does not absolve the officers of their horrible mistake.

Nor does the acquittal of these four men mean the New York Police Department itself should not shoulder some responsibility for the consequences of their mistake. When a police officer makes an error in judgment that results in the death of an innocent party, is it too much to expect that the police department will compensate the dead man's family?

Nothing the New York Police Department can do will ever bring Amadou Diallo back to life — nor appease the racial demagogues who have seized on his death to attack crime-fighting police practices that have saved literally thousands of lives in the last few years. But a voluntary settlement with Diallo's family would bring some measure of justice to this tragedy.



LINDA CHAVEZ



An olive drab fund-raiser at Baylor

While a student at Baylor University during the fifties, I had the privilege of taking some drama courses from Paul Baker, a genius whose creativity has influenced theaters around the world.

His Baylor Theater had stages surrounding the audience, which was seated in swivel chairs.

He tore up copies of Thomas Wolfe's 800-page novel "Of Time and the River" and handed out segments to small groups of students and told them to "put this on stage."

When he directed Hamlet he had three actors playing the major roles.

A film was made of that play and it won the Cinematography Award at the Brussels World Fair in 1958. I'm proud to say I played one-third of Horatio in the production.



TUMBLEWEED SMITH

His course called "The Integration of Abilities" was the most lively course on campus at the time. Students from every field of study took it and learned how to realize their potential as a creative person.

Recently The Southwestern Writers Collection at Southwest Texas State in San Marcos was the recipient of some of his papers, videos and audio tapes. Many of Baker's former students and colleagues were on hand for the presentation.

Gene McKinney, who taught play writing, told about an event which occurred shortly after World War II, when McKinney started teaching at Baylor. He called Baker "Prof."

"Prof stopped me in the lobby. I noticed that his neck was bowed, his head was jutting forward and his chin was out. I recognized immediately that this was his going into battle mode, as though he was going to use his head as a battering ram, possibly on me."

"He stared at me and asked curtly, 'do you think I look poor and need money?'"

"I had never viewed Prof as a natty dresser, but on this day

he looked awful. Ancient sport coat and tie, baggy pants too short, exposing his GI olive drab socks from his Army days. But it was his shirt that distressed me. Frayed collar, faded color, but even worse, one sleeve cuff was held together by a large paper clip.

"I decided evasion was the best way to answer his question. I replied, 'why do you ask?'"

"He said, 'I'm on my way to battle the administration about next year's budget. The drama department needs a lot more money. I thought I might help our cause if I went over looking as poor as our department.' "I told him he certainly looked like he needed some money."

"He lunged through the front door, his head jutting forward. When he came back from the meeting, his head had returned to its normal position and he was semi-triumphant. I asked him how he did.

"He said 'Not great, but better than last year. I think it was because this year I added the GI socks and the paper clip.'"

Paul Baker usually gets what he asks for.

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The first Vice President nominated specifically for that office was George Clinton who served with Thomas Jefferson in 1804. He was also, later, the first Vice President to die while in office.

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Do you have a story idea for the *life!* section? Call 263-7331, Ext. 236.

A woman's diet: Matter of choices

Calcium: Put the brakes on bone breaks by ensuring that you eat plenty of calcium rich foods, perform weight-bearing exercises and avoid the bone-robbing such as smoking, drinking alcohol and too many caffeine-containing drinks just to mention a few.

For women concerned about osteoporosis, foods rich in calcium are important in the daily meal plan. Dairy foods, considered a primary calcium source, contribute nearly three-quarters of the calcium in the food supply. Other foods with calcium include dark leafy greens such as collards (drained and cooked) or broccoli, tofu processed with calcium sulfate, dried beans and almonds.

Tips for easy ways to add more dairy foods to the diet are:

- Make soups and hot cereals with milk instead of water.
- Spread bagels with ricotta cheese.
- Add Parmesan, or Romano cheese to salads and pasta.
- Add cheese to casseroles and

omelettes.

- Substitute yogurt or butter-milk for mayonnaise when making salad dressings.
- Snack on string cheese for a quick on-the-go treat.
- Add blended cottage cheese or plain yogurt to a baked potato.
- Fix a cup of hot chocolate with steamed milk.

Cutting fat: One of the biggest women's nutrition issues for losing weight and reducing blood cholesterol levels is to cut down on fat in the diet.

Select food wisely so that you obtain all recommended nutrients. Use the USDA Food Guide Pyramid which can help you make the right low fat choices, thus meeting these require-



DANA TARTER

ments.

Select more complex carbohydrates from the breads, cereals, rice and pasta group. Eat more vegetables and fruits while selecting lower fat dairy products within the milk, yogurt and cheese groups. Choose leaner cuts of meat (leg and loin cuts), poultry, and fish while removing the excess fat prior to cooking. Eating healthful meals with less fat is the best way to lower calories in the diet, since fat contributes more than twice as many calories as either carbohydrates or protein.

Balance food choices. Discover that the most healthful menu choices can be yours. What women need to do is stay active and balance their food choices throughout the day.

They really don't have to totally change their lifestyle. They can still enjoy their favorite foods, but must learn to make some more healthful food choices when buying, preparing and eating food. It is never too late to begin

making these lifestyle changes. The USDA Food Guide Pyramid is a food resource to help get you started.

If you would like to find out more about the Food Guide Pyramid, you can attend the Walk Across Texas Health Break 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the County Library Community Room.

Michelle Werner, Registered Dietitian, will present an educational program on proper nutrition and fitness. If you are interested in learning more about women's nutrition issues, you can contact the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Howard County at 264-2236.

Consider scheduling a program for your club, group or organization on the subject. Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Dana Tarter is the Howard County Extension Agent-family and consumer science.

READERS' CORNER

"Memory - With A Question Mark"

Memory. What exactly it is, and why do some of us have more of it than others?

Lately, I've made a rather detailed study of this, and it takes me back in memory to early childhood. My mother would be sewing, and suddenly I'd hear her say, "What did you do with my scissors?" I'd look at her blankly, and she'd say, "I know you had them, because I put them right here, and they aren't here."

I got the name of "talking back" to my mother all because the scissors weren't there.

My husband did likewise. He would be working with various tools, and if I just happened to make an entrance in his workshop, at a convenient time for him, I'd hear, "What did you do with this or that?" I'd say, "I don't know anything about this or that." I won't relate what would follow, but I suppose I got the name of "talking back" to my husband.

Anyway, after my departure, this or that usually showed up.

I am amazed that I can put this or that down, and the next minute it has walked away to some remote place I'd never dream of looking. Once, I lost a set of keys, and after I finally convinced myself that they had just wandered off, and would likely be gone for awhile, I borrowed by husband's keys and had some made.

I really felt proud of myself, when about a year later, I was cleaning house and there in one of those remote places, where no one could possibly find them, I did. How's that for memory?

I've decided how I can do this, so I won't have to blame myself. I just lay anything down until someone is conveniently there so I can say, "What did you do with my pencil?" It seems that half of my time is spent with a pencil in my hand, and the other half of my time is looking for it.

I'm excused somewhat, because of the age factor, but what excuse is to be found for my son, now 50-ish, and my grandson, 20-ish, who are also coping with this memory loss?

Some time ago I was talking to a friend about this. We had both forgotten something we were going to do, but I finally had a comforting thought. Although we had forgotten what we were going to do, at least we remembered that we'd forgotten.

My solution to this? I ask my God, in whom I live, move, and have my being, to protect my mind and memory, that I may praise and glorify His name, and to always remember to "be still-and know that He is God."

by Dorothy McCauley

"A Man"

He's a man who stands up for what he believes in and prays for the wrongs he sees.

He's a man who was proud to stand up and fight for his country. He felt no fear for he knew God was watching over him.

He's a man with a kind, caring and loving heart. He stands up for others who have been treated unfair for no reason other than they couldn't stand up for themselves.

He's a man that reaches out to others and in his kind, caring way he tries to brighten their lives with loving treats or kind words spoken right from his heart.

He's a man that I'm proud to call friend.

by Lana F. Anguiano
Written in honor of my friend,
Lt. Col. Bowden Hampton

"Exchange"

I'm visiting in my home town And, oh, how strange to see! The people here are much the same

The difference is in me.

I once was such a part of this Assumed I'd always be But He to whom my life belongs Had other plans for me

Last night while musing with my Lord

I asked about these things "I took away your roots," said He.

"So I could give you wings."

by J. Theda Kyle

"Was The Harvest What You Wanted?"

Was the harvest what you wanted

When the crops come in? Were there tares and thorns Where love and joy should have been?

Now is the time to plan For the harvest once again. The seeds that you are sowing You must harvest in the end.

Check your heart for certain Searching deep within-- The intent with which you sow Determines how you'll fare, my friend.

Are the words that you are sowing Peaceful, true and kind? For you will reap the crop Of your words come harvest time.

Are the deeds that you are doing Done with joy and loving care? For they surely will produce Their kind is what they'll bear.

Now is the time to plan What you'll plant along life's way.

Your store house will be filled With what you plant today.
by Martha Anderson Peugh

Asparagus is vitamin-packed delicacy

On a recent trip to Germany, I had the pleasure of dining on fresh "spargel" or white asparagus, which is harvested for a six-week period from early May to mid-June. I was served as an entree (usually a one-pound portion) with small boiled parsley potatoes, and a choice of browned butter or hollandaise sauce.

Eating the delicacy requires, in most restaurants, that one call a day prior to your reservation, as it is harvested fresh from the field. The particular Gasthaus Inn we chose was out in the country and surrounded by the asparagus field. The wiener schnitzel (breaded veal escalope) was also a treat to the tastebuds.

Asparagus is a member of the lily-of-the-valley family and gets its name from a Greek word meaning "stalk" or "shoot." It grows wild in Asia and Mediterranean lands.

The Romans grew asparagus as far back as 200 B.C. Our early settlers brought asparagus roots from Europe. When pioneers traveled west, they took the "sparrow grass" with them. At Monticello, Thomas Jefferson grew asparagus in his greenhouses.

The Europeans consider asparagus a luxurious vegetable fit for a king (or queen), and love eating it raw. This aristocratic-looking perennial vegetable reigns supreme when spring arrives. It is a welcome contrast to the hardy winter vegetables.

There is green asparagus and white asparagus — the white having a milder, more delicate flavor. Green asparagus is the most nutritious. Because it contains chlorophyll, it is a good blood builder. Asparagus is also a good source of vitamin A with some amounts of vitamins B and C. There are only 90 calories in one pound of asparagus.

Brian's Lemon Peppared Asparagus
1 pound fresh asparagus
1 cup water
2 lemons, divided use
Olive oil, salt and pepper
Lemon pepper seasoning.

Wash asparagus thoroughly, trim off tough ends. Place asparagus spears in 12" skillet. Add 1 cup water and juice of one lemon. Bring to boil, cover and cook until fork tender, approximately 6-8 minutes depending on size of spears. Drain.

Place in serving dish and brush lightly with olive oil. Sprinkle generously with lemon pepper seasoning. Slice remaining lemon thinly and place on top of asparagus for presentation. Serves four.

A great light side dish.

Asparagus Casserole

1 cup crushed Ritz crackers
2 cans cut green asparagus, drained
1 cup grated sharp cheese
1/4 cup butter, diced
1 cup blanched almonds, toasted and finely ground
1 cup milk

Line a 2-quart casserole with a few cracker crumbs. Alternate layers of asparagus, cheese, cracker crumbs, butter and almonds. Pour the milk in one side of the dish. Cover and refrigerate. Prepare the night before or at least 2 hours in advance.

Uncover and bake in preheated 350 degree oven for 1 hour. Serves six.

Asparagus Delight

1 can asparagus, drained
1 can bean sprouts, drained
1 can carrots, drained
1 can onion rings
2 cans cream of mushroom soup
1 tbsp. soy sauce
1/3 cup slivered almonds
Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
In a buttered casserole, alternate layers of asparagus, bean sprouts, carrots and onion rings, ending with onion rings.
Mix soup and soy sauce together; pour over vegetables. Sprinkle lightly with slivered almonds. Bake for 30 minutes.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Wouldn't it be nice if two weeks on vacation seemed to last as long as two weeks on a diet?



SUE HAUGH

Couple says arranged marriage can work, with commitment

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Love, with the proper stranger, can work out.

Elizabeth and David Weinlick offer themselves up as proof.

Just like the couple on "Who Wants to Marry a Multimillionaire?" they met and married people they barely knew in elaborately planned media events.

But while the TV couple's marriage is headed for annulment, the Weinlicks have enjoyed wedded bliss since June 13, 1998 — the day David Weinlick asked friends and family to choose a bride for him from a crop of candidates.

They were married on the spot at the Mall of America in Bloomington, Minn., drawing a crowd of 2,000 people and worldwide media attention.

On a smaller scale, it was a lot like the attention given the Fox network's television special that aired Feb. 15 and drew more than 22 million viewers.

With all of the controversy

Theirs was no made-for-TV stunt, but a union of two people who were serious about a committed, long-term relationship

arising from that show, the Weinlicks are again the subjects of media attention — and they're quick to defend their own get-married-quick union.

Mrs. Weinlick watched the show and taped it for her husband, who "got his fill of it in a few minutes," fast-forwarding through most of the two-hour special.

The Weinlicks said the series of multiple-choice questions and beauty-pageant atmosphere weren't conducive to a good match, a sober commitment, or a lasting choice.

"There were probably lots of women there (who) weren't serious about it," Weinlick said.

"That's what we were doing during the 5-1/2 hours of interviewing candidates — finding

out who was really ready to do this."

Candidates to be Weinlick's bride, from around the country, began arriving at the Mall of America's rotunda at 10 a.m. on the day of the wedding. By 3:30 p.m., most of Dave's friends were locked in on Elizabeth.

She had spoken briefly with Weinlick while dropping off her application, and decided upon her first impression that she was prepared to take the unusual arrangement all the way to death-do-us-part.

They insist that it was their attitude coming in that has allowed them to succeed. "Theirs was no made-for-TV stunt, but a union of two people who were serious about a committed, long-term relationship — and trusting of Dave's exten-

sive network of friends and family to choose his bride wisely.

Since the Fox-TV wedding, groom Rick Rockwell has defended himself against a claim that he threatened an ex-girlfriend. And bride Darva Conger said on "Good Morning America" Wednesday that she never wanted to marry Rockwell.

John Singh, a licensed marriage counselor from the area, said the success of the Weinlicks' marriage is unusual, but not impossible.

The Weinlicks say they've been lucky to have a successful marriage, but have also worked hard at it.

The Weinlicks have heard of other couples hoping to repeat their success, but so far they know of none that have done it.

"People have to examine why they want to do it," Mrs. Weinlick said. "Do it because you think it's a good way to build a healthy relationship."



Dancing at the Stampede recently, just like the big guys and gals, were Trenton Crenshaw, son of Shannon Crenshaw and Jennifer Crenshaw; and Kylee Borchardt, daughter of Keith and Brandi Fontana. Observers said the little couple danced the night away.

Courtesy photo

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Tommy Lee and wife Pamela Anderson Lee are headed back to court — this time over their pet Rottweiler.

A woman is suing the couple, claiming she was bitten by the dog during a visit to the couple's hilltop home near Malibu in 1997.

"This dog had a vicious nature, disposition and propensity, which was known or should have been known to the defendants," the lawsuit said.

The woman, Doreen Cott, filed suit in 1998. A hearing is scheduled for April 5.

MOUNT ROSSER, Jamaica (AP) — Singing "We welcome you, Prince of Wales!" schoolchildren invited a smiling Prince Charles to inspect their gardens and plant a tree Monday.

The visit to Mount Rosser Primary School was part of the prince's three-nation Caribbean tour. He visited Trinidad and Guyana last week.

Children showed the prince their gardens of string beans and avocado trees in the courtyard, then beamed as he commended their compost heap. He planted a Lignum Tree — the national tree of Jamaica — outside the school, which specializes in teaching conservation to children.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

WATER LINE REPAIRS ARE planned Thursday in south Big Spring, expected to cause low or no water pressure for customers in the following areas:

South Service Rd. FM-700 from Cowboys Restaurant to Golden China; all of Oak Glenn Drive; McAuslan Street from Oak Glenn to Scott Street; North side of Scott Street from Goliad to Stonehaven Drive.

Repairs are planned to begin at 9 a.m. and continue until completed. For information, call Jim Piper, 264-2594.

THE LAST WORD

If opportunity doesn't knock, build a door.
Anonymous

Give me a stock clerk with a goal, and I will give you a man who will make history. Give me a man without a goal, and I will give you a stock clerk.
J.C. Penney

It takes less time to do a thing right than it does to explain why you did it wrong.
Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

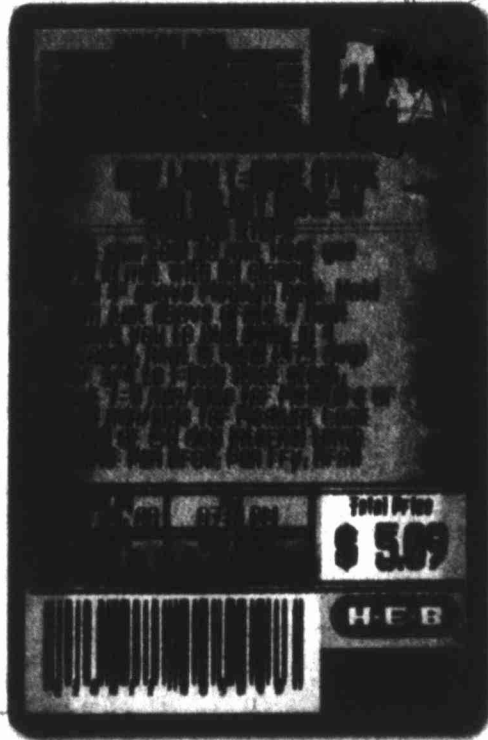


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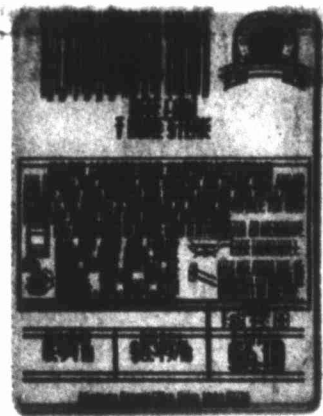
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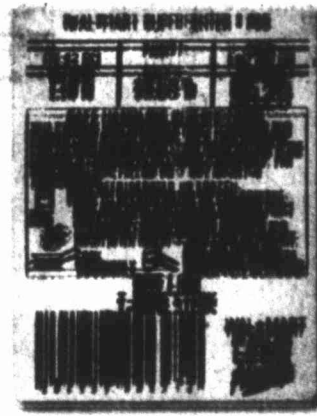
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Heat non-stick or heavy skillet 2 minutes over Medium heat. This is a non-fat method; do not add oil. (Non-stick spray may be used in regular skillets). Season steak as desired (or after cooking if herb/spices will burn). Cook 1 to 1 1/2 min/side. Do not overcook. Remove steaks. Prepare sauce in same skillet if desired.

RECIPE SUGGESTIONS: Pan Fry, Bread & Fry or Bake

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GREAT FOR PAN-BROIL 6 MIN

PORK CENTER LOIN CHOPS BONELESS

-----Cooking Steps-----

Heat non-stick or heavy skillet 2 minutes over Medium heat. This is a non-fat method; do not add oil. (Non-stick spray may be used in regular skillets). Season chops as desired (or after cooking if herb/spices will burn). Cook 3 minutes per side. Remove chops. Prepare sauce or gravy in same skillet if desired.

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Wednesday, March 1, 2000**IN BRIEF****Tahoka heads for regional
after topping Reagan Co.**

Tahoka's Bulldogs advanced to the Region I, Class 2A basketball tournament in Abilene this weekend after taking a 72-66 win Tuesday night over Reagan County's Owls at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The Bulldogs got 26 game-high points from senior Brad Pebsworth, while Sedrick Williams scored 17 and Jordan Sarchet chipped in 10 more.

Reagan County was paced by Matt Gully's 18 points, while Justin Lozano had 11. Chris Levario and Jeremy Kohutek each added 10 points for the Owls.

**Softball boosters set
meeting for Thursday**

The Big Spring Lady Steers Softball Booster Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at the Big Spring High School Athletic Training Center.

All parents of BSHS softball players, as well as others interested in the program, are encouraged to attend.

**Coahoma Little League
schedules registration**

Coahoma Little League and Junior League will conduct registration Thursday and Friday for youngsters planning to play this season.

Registration will be held at the Coahoma ballpark from 6 to 9 both nights.

**UGSA schedules sign-ups
for Saturdays this month**

Big Spring's United Girls Softball Association has scheduled registration for each Saturday in March at the Big Spring Mall.

Registration will be conducted from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. beginning Saturday, March 25 will be the final day for girls to sign up.

The fee will be \$30 per player and applicants must have a copy of their birth certificate.

For more information, call 267-7466, 267-2208 or 267-4947.

**Three-on-three touney
scheduled for March 11**

A 3-on-3 basketball tournament to benefit the American Cancer Society has been scheduled for Saturday, March 11, at Forsan High School.

Entry fees are \$50 per four-person team and the deadline for registering is 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 8.

For more information, call Ernie Strickland at 263-4659.

**Lady Steers' Simmons
wins tournament title**

Big Spring's Ashlie Simmons posted rounds of 75 and 82 for a 157 total over the weekend to win medalist honors at the Fort Stockton Invitational golf tournament.

Simmons also won the closest to the hole contest.

Other scores turned in by Big Spring players on the Pecos County Municipal Golf Course included: Sarah Anthony 106-110, 216; Heather Gibbs, 110-108, 118; and Brittany Griffith 111-118, 229.

The Lady Steers return to action Friday when they open play in the Andrews Invitational.

**Steers golfers compete
with strong Midland field**

Big Spring's Steers linksters managed an eighth-place team finish Saturday at the Tall City Invitational Golf Tournament in Midland.

Jerrold Simmons and Zac Hall led the Steers with two-day totals of 175, while Isaac Williams finished at 176, Richard Gaitan added a 178 and Will Conley posted a 181.

ON THE AIR**Television
COLLEGE BASKETBALL**

Men

6 p.m. — Duke at Clemson, ESPN, Ch. 30.

8 p.m. — Syracuse at Notre Dame, ESPN, Ch. 30.

Women

7:30 p.m. — Iowa State at Texas, FXS, Ch. 29.

Sparky Anderson elected to Baseball Hall of Fame

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — To Sparky Anderson, there could be no more perfect place for a Reds reunion.

The only manager to win World Series championships in both leagues is off to Cooperstown, having been elected Tuesday to the Hall of Fame by the Veterans Committee.

On July 23, Anderson will join former Big Red Machine first baseman Tony Perez and longtime Cincinnati broadcaster Marty Brennaman in the upstate New York village.

"In a way, I broke in Marty," Anderson said. "Marty came in '74 and we did a lot of visiting and a lot of talking and became such good friends.

"In all honesty, I think I can say for Tony and myself both that we have great

respect for each other. I think it means so much to have a player going in with you that you're fond of."

Anderson has seen the baseball shrine, but has never stepped inside.

"I didn't ever want to go into the most precious place in the world unless I belonged there," he said.

Along with Anderson, the Vets elected 19th century infielder Bid McPhee, who played his entire career in Cincinnati, and Negro leagues outfielder Turkey Stearnes.

But for the first time since 1993, Ted Williams, Stan Musial and the 14-man Vets panel failed to select any former major leaguer. Bill Mazerowski came close, yet missed, and Gil Hodges, Mel Harder and Dom DiMaggio also fell

short. "We hoped someone would be there, we really did," first-time member Hank Aaron said. "It just got too hard. Maybe next year."

Anderson faced the difficult — but enviable — task of picking a hat for his plaque, and chose the Reds over Detroit.

"It was so hard," he said. "I spent nine years in Cincinnati and 17 in Detroit, and they treated me like a king in both places."

In the end, he decided to thank former Reds general manager Bob Howsam.

"He hired a 35-year-old nobody knew, and he had the courage and fortitude to do that," Anderson said. "Had he not done that, I doubt very much in all honesty that I would have managed in the

major leagues. And I owe that to him."

Anderson, who turned 66 last week, was elected in his first of eligibility, easily outdistancing former manager Whitey Herzog.

Third on baseball's career victory list, Anderson is the only manager to post 100-win seasons in both leagues.

"I never wore a World Series ring, but I will wear this one every day until I die," he said from his home in Thousand Oaks, Calif. "That, to me, is how much difference there is between the World Series and Hall of Fame."

Anderson was 863-586 with the Reds from 1970-78 and led them to Series titles in 1975-76. He was 1,331-1,248 with the Tigers from 1979-95 and guided them to the 1984 championship.

Hawks facing dangerous foe

JOHN A. MOSELEY

Managing Editor

Now, it's showtime.

Howard College's Hawks will open the National Junior College Athletic Conference (NJCAA) Region V men's basketball tournament at 5 p.m. Thursday, taking on Southwest Christian College of Terrell at the United Spirit Center on the campus of Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

For a second straight year, the Hawks head into this weekend's regional as the No. 1 seed from the Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJCAC).

Southwest Christian, on the other hand, will be the No. 4 seed from the Northern Texas Junior College Athletic Conference (NTJAC).

But don't expect Hawks head coach Tommy Collins to be ecstatic about facing the supposed fourth-best team from the NTJAC. In fact, he'll quickly tell anyone who'll listen that he'd rather be facing virtually anyone of the other six teams in the eight-team Region V men's field.

"They're not the ones to play ... not during the first round," Collins said of Southwest Christian, which enters the tournament as the nation's fourth-best offense averaging more than 96 points per game.

"They're explosive, can score a bunch of points and they have a bunch of great athletes," he added. "It's going to be a tremendous challenge for us."

Of course, the Hawks head into the regional with pretty lofty credentials, themselves.

In addition to owning a 20-8 record and being the only WJCAC team to defeat No. 14-ranked Midland College this season, the Hawks have limited their opponents 66.3 points per game this season are the nation's No. 3-ranked defensive squad.

While Southwest Christian has an impressive lineup of talented athletes, Collins admits the Hawks roster is full of talent, as well.

"We've got great athletes, but we're not as quick as they are ... we're bigger, though," he explained.

"There's just no way of telling how we'll really match up against one another," Collins added. "They haven't played anybody that plays defense like we do, but we've got to get back down the floor and be ready to play defense against them. Boy, they come blowing out of there."

Collins' biggest worry centers around facing a team so dissimilar to his own in the first round.

"The first round is where the upsets usually happen in postseason tournaments," he noted. "There are just too many unknowns ... you especially don't know how your freshmen are going to respond in that first game. Teams usually settle down and play more to their potential in the second and third games. What you can count on, though, is that everyone is going to be coming after you."

It's the regional tournament's exciting nature, Collins said, that promises to make Southwest Christian even more dangerous than normal.

"The excitement isn't going to be a problem for them," he explained. "They're a



Howard College's Donald "Yogi" Caesar pulls up and hits a jumper from the baseline during an early season win over Lee College. Caesar and fellow Hawks sophomores Derrick Franklin, Darryl Martin and Justin Rhodes will lead teammates into regional tournament play Thursday in Lubbock.

very loose team, so all that hoopla is going to work to their advantage. They've got nothing to lose."

As a result, the key to how much trouble the Hawks' first-round opponent can create will depend primarily on whether or not they're shooting well.

"The whole thing is whether they hot or not," Collins said, noting that Southwest Christian isn't noted for its defensive play. "When they're hot, they're very, very good. If they're not, they don't do other things well enough to win."

But the Hawks have to enter Thursday's opener with the mindset that Southwest Christian will be at its hottest.

"It's going to be a real challenge for our guards ... they're going to have to play extremely well," the Hawks boss noted. "because we've got to contain their guards. We've got to put a lot of defensive pressure and not give them a lot of good looks at the basket. Our people inside are going to have to really get on the boards and shoot well, take advantage of the spots on the floor where we have an edge."

A win in the regional opener doesn't mean things will get any easier for the

Hawks. The winner of Thursday's game will play the winner of a first-round showdown between Odessa College's Wranglers and Hill Junior College's Rebels.

"Neither one of them will be easy to beat if we are fortunate enough to beat Southwest Christian," Collins noted. "It's never easy to beat a team three times in a season and we've already knocked off Odessa twice, and Hill is an extremely good team. In fact, at the start of the season, I thought Hill was going to be a real power. They've been kind of up and down this year, but they've been playing awfully well lately."

Of course, what the Hawks have in mind is not only a second-round game, but a Region V championship and trip to the NJCAA national tournament in Hutchinson, Kan.

Howard reached the regional title game a year ago, but was robbed of a trip to the national tournament when Weatherford came from behind and took an overtime win.

A second shot at Weatherford, the

See **HAWKS**, page 3B

**Clayton will hit leadoff
for Rangers**

PORT CHARLOTTE, Fla. (AP) — Not a lot has been resolved after one week of spring training, but one fact is immutable: Royce Clayton will bat leadoff for the Texas Rangers this year.

"I'm willing to step up. I know how to get in scoring position," the shortstop said. "It's definitely a challenge I'm looking forward to."

Texas manager Johnny Oates said he approached Clayton about the possibility of being first in the batting order earlier this year.

"He had that rough start last year because of that rib-cage injury, but the last four months were as good as any shortstop we've had," Oates said. "He'll be our leadoff hitter."

Clayton posted career highs in most of his offensive categories last season while batting at the top and bottom of the Rangers' lineup. Mark McLemore was Texas' main leadoff hitter last year, but he's now in Seattle.

After playing just 27 games during the first two months of the season, Clayton found his stroke in June. He improved his batting average in each of the remaining four months to finish with a .288 average and 14 homers, both career bests.

"I started off in a really bad funk," Clayton said. "A lot of that can be contributed to me not being comfortable with my rib-cage injury. Even I got comfortable I was once hitting homers."

His .346 on-base percentage is the best among the Rangers' "speed" players, but his eight stolen bases was the worst mark of his career.

"You didn't get a chance to run very much with the guys we had in the lineup last year," Clayton said. "This year's a little different. Our offense will start from running, getting on base, and doing hit and run."

"I'm not telling Johnny how to run the team, but this team's got a National League feel to it. It's more my style."

Known more for his fielding skills while playing for St. Louis and San Francisco, Texas insisted on Clayton being a part of the Fernando Tatis trade with the Cardinals during the stretch drive of 1998.

Oates said the Rangers were struggling to find a solid replacement for the rapidly declining Kevin Elster.

Once Clayton was plugged in, the Rangers manager had peace of mind.

Hale Center's size, quickness too much for Buffs to handle

HERALD Staff Reports

AREA ROUNDUP

LAMESA — Some things you just can't coach.

That was the case for Stanton head coach Doug Gordon and his Buffaloes in their 65-45 regional quarterfinals loss to Hale Center's Owls at the Lamesa Middle School gymnasium.

As a result, the Buffs missed out on an opportunity to make their third straight Region I, Class 2A tournament appearance in Abilene this weekend.

Simply put, Hale Center was bigger, stronger and faster, and genetics is something a coach just can't do anything about.

"You can't coach being taller or being faster," Gordon admitted after seeing his Buffs close their season with a 21-7 record. "We're a team built on speed, and we just met a team that was just as fast and a whole lot bigger."

The Buffs, runners-up to Tahoka in

District 3-2A play, were considered somewhat of a surprise to virtually everyone this season except Gordon and Stanton faithful.

That's because Stanton excelled at what Gordon could coach.

And for the most part, they did that again Tuesday night. Unfortunately, Hale Center did them one better at every turn.

For Hale Center, 6-foot-5 post Jared Horsford and 6-foot-2 and lightning-quick guard Glen Ford did most of the damage, combining for 44 of the Owls' 65 points.

Horsford dominated inside the paint and scored 21 points, but Ford did a little more damage — hitting 6-of-7 from three-point range en route to a game-high 23 points.

The Buffs, not possessed of one or two

star players, got scoring from 10 different players, but none of them managed to reach double figures. Clay White had nine to lead Stanton, while Brady Cook had eight and David White scored seven.

With the win, Hale Center improves to 25-6.

**Lady Steers roll over
Lubbock Monterey**

LUBBOCK — Big Spring's Lady Steers needed just six innings to improve their record to 11-3 on the season Tuesday, as they rolled to an easy 12-1 win over Lubbock Monterey's Lady Plainsmen in non-district softball action.

Freshman pitcher Christina Gwyn went the distance in recording the win, allowing the one earned Monterey run on four hits and a walk, while striking out nine batters.

What's more, she and five of her teammates managed a pair of hits against

Monterey pitching. All told, the Lady Steers pounded out 13 hits.

Trista Casey and Leticia Hernandez led the way offensively with 2-for-3 showings at the plate, while Gwyn, Nicci Vizcaino, Bridget Cain and Vanesa Rodriguez all finished the day 2-for-4.

"We played very well, both offensively and defensively," Lady Steers head coach Dan Arista noted. "We had a couple of errors, but we cut our mistakes down and really pounded the ball. As long as we limit the errors like we did today, we're going to have a chance against just about anyone we come up against."

Next up, the Lady Steers will play host to Grape Creek's Lady Eagles in a 2 p.m. Saturday doubleheader at the Big Spring ISD Softball Complex.

In junior varsity action Tuesday, Big Spring made it a sweep with a 14-4 drub-

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SPORTS EXTRA

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With 37 points, and Jerry Stackhouse added 32, but they get little help from their teammates.
Daves sat out with a pulled hamstring and Harrington had a bruised calf muscle. Rik Smits had 18 points and 13 rebounds, and Mark Jackson added 13 points and 13 assists for the Pacers.

Showdown game goes to Lakers with 90-87 victory over Portland

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
For the first time in NBA history, two teams with 11-game winning streaks played each other.

The Los Angeles Lakers, not the Portland Trail Blazers, came away with a 12-game streak.
Shaquille O'Neal had 23 points and Kobe Bryant scored 22 Tuesday night in a thrilling battle between the NBA's two best teams.

"This was a good game for our confidence, knowing we can come in here and win," the Lakers' Glen Rice said after Los Angeles also snapped Portland's 16-game home winning streak.

The Lakers led by as many as 11 early in the fourth quarter, but a 3-pointer by Greg Anthony tied it at 80 with 4:46 to play, and Scottie Pippen's 3-pointer from 27 feet away gave the Blazers the lead with 3:07 left.

Both teams sputtered for the next few minutes, but the Lakers inched ahead on two free throws by Bryant and another by Ron Harper put the Lakers ahead 87-85 with 34.3 seconds left.

After Damon Stoudamire missed an 18-footer, O'Neal was fouled and made one of two for an 88-85 lead. Pippen rushed another long 3-pointer, and Steve Smith's shot off a long offensive rebound was nowhere close.

In other NBA games, Indiana defeated Detroit 115-105, San Antonio crushed Miami 93-69, Charlotte beat Minnesota 92-87, Philadelphia topped Dallas 106-87, Toronto downed Chicago 87-80, Orlando defeated Seattle 103-94, Phoenix beat Cleveland 100-93 and Sacramento topped Vancouver 112-87.

The Lakers improved to 46-11, one game ahead of the Blazers in the Pacific Division. Los Angeles also tied the season series 2-2, preventing the Blazers from clinching the head-to-head tiebreaker should the teams finish the regular season tied.

Lakers coach Phil Jackson said whoever won this game would probably go on to win the division. Asked whether the Lakers could win it, O'Neal said, "If we don't have any more slippage, like we had after our 16-game streak was broken, then I believe we will win it."

Pacers 115, Pistons 105
Reggie Miller scored 24 points and Jalen Rose had 20 as Indiana overcame the absence of Dale Davis and Al Harrington to extend its home winning streak to 23 games. Grant Hill led the Pistons

TOP 25 - MEN
The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' men's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses and records through Feb. 27:

Record
1. Stanford (70) 24-1
2. Cincinnati 26-2
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4. Duke 22-4
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18. St. John's 20-6
19. Auburn 21-6
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21. Oklahoma 22-5
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24. Connecticut 21-7
25. Illinois 18-8

TOP 25 - WOMEN
The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses and records through Feb. 27:

Record
1. Connecticut (35) 26-1
2. Georgia (7) 28-2
3. Tennessee (2) 25-3
4. Louisiana Tech 23-3
5. Penn St. 24-3
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24. Marquette 22-5
25. Stanford 18-6

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Tuesday's Games
Ottawa 5, Boston 3
Toronto 4, Atlanta 0
St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2
New Jersey 2, Nashville 1
Edmonton 3, Colorado 1
Vancouver 1, Los Angeles 1, tie
Anaheim 4, San Jose 2

Cowboys looking to replace Sanders
IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys are focusing on the cornerback position this week, interviewing a couple of free agents in advance of All-Pro Deion Sanders' departure.

Free agent cornerback Ryan McNeil, who led the National Football League with nine interceptions in 1997, was interviewed Tuesday. Phillippi Sparks, another free agent cornerback, gets his turn today.
"I would hope that we can make a decision and get something worked out," Cowboys owner Jerry Jones said.
McNeil of Miami, who appears to be the Cowboys' top choice, was persuaded by the team to remain in Dallas Tuesday night instead of returning home. He spent Tuesday discussing his role and how he fits into the Cowboys' defensive scheme with Jones, vice president Stephen Jones, coach Dave Campo and defensive coordinator Mike Zimmer. The Cowboys were expected to offer McNeil a contract today. The six-year veteran started for the Cleveland Browns last season. Sparks, an eight-year veteran and full-time starter with the NFL East rival New York Giants, arrived in Dallas at 5 p.m. Tuesday.

He was scheduled to meet with Cowboys' management and coaches today.
Jones said other cornerbacks could be invited to the team's Valley Ranch headquarters along with "three or four" quarterbacks from which one will be signed to replace Jason Garrett as Troy Aikman's backup.

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Strawberry's teammates unsure about his future, but remain supportive

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Over and over, New York Yankees players wondered out loud: Is this it for Darryl Strawberry, the end of his baseball career?

"Reality is hitting pretty hard," David Cone said Tuesday, one day after Strawberry was suspended for one year because he tested positive for cocaine.

"I'm extremely depressed," said Cone, perhaps the Yankee closest to Strawberry. "It's tough watching close friends stumble again. Because he's suspended and won't be a Yankee this year doesn't affect our friendship. I'm sure everybody in here feels the same."

Commissioner Bud Selig imposed the ban and did not make any provision for the troubled star to return early for good behavior. It is the third cocaine-related penalty of Strawberry's career.

"First and foremost, he's got to get his life on track and get his addiction under control," Cone said. "What we can do as his friends is to try and convince him there are things to look forward to."

While they hope he can come back next year, Strawberry's teammates know there's a chance his baseball career is over.

"I just don't know at his age," first baseman Tino Martinez said. "I think this was going to be his last year anyway. I think it would be hard to miss the whole year and come back."

Martinez said he thought Strawberry would be "intrigued" by a future opportunity to work with one of the Yankees' two minor league teams based in Tampa.

Strawberry, an eight-time

All-Star, had been expected to be the primary designated hitter for the two-time World Series champions this season at a salary of \$750,000.

"I think we have a designated hitter in camp, even if it's a number of people doing one job," Yankees manager Joe Torre said. "We just go on. We're going to miss him, no question, but you don't have him and you can't do anything about it."

Instead, Strawberry's third drug suspension since 1995 left his future in doubt. Family friends who spoke with Strawberry on Tuesday said he was depressed.

"A baseball career means nothing at this point," shortstop Derek Jeter said. "You have to take it one step at a time. He has to do it himself. He has to want to do it, and I feel he wants to do it."

Strawberry is a career .259 hitter with 335 home runs and 1,000 RBIs, and a legacy of tape-measure shots. The NL Rookie of the Year with the New York Mets in 1983, he seemed headed toward greatness.

By the end of the 1991 season, at the age of only 29, he already had 280 home runs and 832 RBIs.

But legal trouble slowed him while drug and alcohol problems almost stopped him. He had stays in the Smithers Center and the Betty Ford Center. Then, during the 1998 playoffs, he was diagnosed with colon cancer.

"I think his major concern is taking care of his illness before he thinks about doing anything," outfielder Tim Lincecum said. "He's been having a tough time."

St. Joseph's pulls off upset of Temple, 62-59

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

A week after defeating the nation's top-ranked team, Temple got similar treatment from unranked city rival St. Joseph's.

The fifth-ranked Owls, the best in a city crazy for college basketball, lost 62-59 to the Hawks on Tuesday night.

Tim Brown's 3-pointer with just under two minutes left gave the Hawks a 60-57 lead, and Na'im Crenshaw added two free throws with 16 seconds left to seal their first win in the rivalry since 1995.

Temple (22-5, 13-2 Atlantic 10) had a chance to tie, but Mark Karcher missed a 3-pointer with two seconds left — a shot that Hawks coach Phil Martelli said took forever to hit the rim.

"It seemed like it was in slow motion," said Martelli, who finally beat the Owls after 10 straight losses in his five seasons at St. Joseph's. "That was a great Philadelphia series game."

"We got the shot we wanted," Owls coach John Chaney said of the final 3-point attempt. "It was probably the only pattern we tried that worked well tonight."

Marvin O'Connor scored 20 points and Crenshaw and Damian Reid each had 10 for St. Joseph's (12-14, 7-8), which had lost four in a row. St. Joseph's hadn't beaten such a highly ranked team since downing No. 2 DePaul in 1984.

"We've lost a lot of close games. It's about time we won one, and against the No. 5 team makes it even better," O'Connor said.

Karcher scored 16 points and Lynn Greer added 11 for Temple, which saw its 13-game winning streak come to an end. That streak included a 77-69 win Feb. 21 over then-No. 1 Cincinnati.

In other games involving ranked teams Tuesday, it was No. 14 Indiana 79, No. 20 Purdue

65; No. 18 St. John's 66, Seton Hall 60; and No. 22 Kentucky 73, Mississippi State 61.

Down 35-30 at halftime, Temple pressed full court before falling back into its trademark match-up zone to increase pressure on the Hawks, who made 11 3-pointers in the game.

"I've seen their zone before, and sometimes you can get shots from the perimeter. They want you to shoot the 3," O'Connor said.

Temple trailed most of the game until drawing even twice in the final eight minutes.

The Hawks took their biggest lead at 47-34 on Bill Phillips' 3-pointer with 13:48 remaining.

Karcher, who was 6-of-18 from the field, hit a 3-pointer with 10:30 left to spark a 9-0 run. Greer also added four free throws to tie it at 49 with 8:26 remaining.

O'Connor hit a 3-pointer to put the Hawks ahead 57-51 with 5:40 left.

Temple responded with six straight points to tie it at 57 with 3:42 remaining.

Brown's 3-pointer broke the tie and Karcher's basket with 1:35 left pulled Temple within a point.

"We've had two or three games that we shot extremely well. This one we had to win with our heads. You can't depend on shooting to get out of trouble," Chaney said.

"We have a very talented team, but I don't know if we are smart enough yet."

Temple uncharacteristically committed 11 turnovers, including three by point guard Pepe Sanchez, against the Hawks' aggressive man-to-man defense.

The Owls have beaten the Hawks in 15 of 16 games dating to Feb. 19, 1993, and lead the series 72-49 since the city rivals began playing each other in 1931.

No. 14 Indiana 79, No. 20 Purdue 65
A.J. Guyton scored 17 points

in his final home game as the Hoosiers (20-6, 10-5) jumped to a 17-2 lead, knocked the Boilermakers out of first place in the Big Ten and likely cost them a shot at the conference championship. Mike Robinson had 23 points for Purdue (21-8, 12-4).

straight win despite not having leading scorer Erick Barkley, who was ruled ineligible earlier Tuesday for breaking NCAA rules.

It was the sophomore guard's second suspension by the NCAA this season — the other was for two games for exchanging cars with a family friend. The victory at Madison Square Garden completed an 8-0 month for St. John's, its first perfect February since going 7-0 in 1973-74.

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bing of the Lady Plainsmen JV in just four innings.

Nicole Chesworth went the distance in chalking up the win, allowing three hits and walking four. She struck out eight batters.

Lindsay Shaffer led the way for the Lady Steers JV offensively, pounding out two doubles and a single. Courtney Brock added a double and a single. Candace Cerda also had a double.

The Lady Steers JV will return to Lubbock this weekend to take part in the Prairie Dog Classic tournament.

Steers fall victim to Frenship, 13-3

WOLFFORTH — A lack of effective pitching and limited hitting spelled doom for Big Spring's Steers, as they suffered a 13-3 loss to Frenship's Tigers in non-district schoolboy baseball action Tuesday.

The loss, Big Spring's first of the young season, leaves the Steers with a 3-1 record going into this weekend's Frenship Invitational tournament.

Big Spring will try to rebound from Tuesday's frustrations when they open first-round tournament play against Borger at 10:30 a.m. Thursday.

"We didn't swing the bat very well and we didn't pitch very well," Steers head coach Pat Loter said following the loss. "We just weren't ready to play. We drove up there, got off the bus and then simply didn't get the job done. The only way we're going to get well is to come out and play good baseball on Thursday."

While the Steers committed just one error, Big Spring pitching gave up nine hits and issued too many free passes to Tiger batters.

"We walked a lot of people ... just couldn't get people out," Loter said, after having used four different pitchers in the game. "You're not going to beat

many people doing that."

Senior Ricky Solis took the loss after working just two innings.

Offensively the Steers got their lead from sophomore second baseman Willis Morrison, who finished the day with a couple of doubles. Third baseman Jay Kuykendall also had a pair of hits.

In junior varsity action, Frenship made it a sweep, as the young Tigers rolled to a 12-2 win.

Forsan linksters second at Ozona Invitational

OZONA — Forsan's Buffaloes turned in a 348 total Monday afternoon on the Ozona Country Club layout to finish second in the team standings of this year's Ozona Invitational golf tournament.

The Buffs, paced by William Osburn's round of 82, finished 10 strokes off the pace set by Menard, while Ozona's host squad finished third at 364.

Coahoma's Bulldogs were ninth with a 380 total.

Osburn won a four-hole playoff with Reagan County's Ryan Parker and Rhett Vestal to take runner-up medalist honors behind individual tournament champion Monzo Saucedo of Menard, who posted a 79.

In addition to Osburn's 82, Logan Stanley posted an 85, Dustin Morgan carded an 88 and both Michael Rowden and Darren Schaffer both had rounds of 93.

Coahoma was paced by rounds of 93 turned in by Chase Ward and Matthew Marlar, while Jay Chadwell added a 94. Travis Hipp carded a 100, while Blane Wright rounded out the Bulldogs scores with a 103.

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NTJCAC's two-time champion, can only come if both teams make it to Sunday's 2 p.m. championship game.

"That's where we want to be," Collins admitted. "We most definitely would like another shot at Weatherford. After all, our real goal is to get to the national tournament, and you have to believe that anyone who gets there is going to have to go through the defending regional champion to get there."

Other first-round men's games on Thursday include a noon game pitting WJCAC co-champion Midland taking on Temple Junior College; Odessa squaring off against Hill at 2 p.m.; and Weatherford facing Frank Phillips at 7 p.m.

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 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)

**** Snap your fingers and help turn a friend's aspirations into realities. Brainstorm to find different ways of financing a project. Sometimes we all place obstacles in our own paths; avoid this pattern. Talk about dreams. Listen to your inner voice. To night: Where your friends are.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
 **** Assume responsibility and take charge of a project. Your focus, direction and long-term planning help others succeed. A boss trusts your work and ideas. Don't push too hard for clarity while another is in a "creative place." Tonight: Take your bows.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
 **** Reach out for another. Follow a hunch. Use break time

to search the Web for a CD, or hop out to the music store during your lunch break. Relax your mind. Don't be so hard or critical about your workplace or boss. You might be overly tired. Tonight: Think vacation.
CANCER (June 21-July 22)
 ***** A partner clearly supports you by lending ideas, and in any other way possible. Aim for what you want. Network. Be careful with a friend or loved one who could feel threatened by your reaching out for others. Be open to work changes. Tonight: Relax with a pal.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
 **** Let others express their reluctance about a key money partnership. You might not always be comfortable with their ideas. You could be overwhelmed by news. You are inspired. Don't push a child or loved one so hard. Tonight: Observe a power struggle, but don't play.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
 **** Get into work. Be willing to explore alternatives with others. Sometimes you have a hard time letting go of the tried and true. Creativity comes out when you're doing what you love. Make an appointment for a checkup. Tonight: Easy does it.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
 **** Allow more mirth and fun into your life, even if an associate or partner is difficult or hard on you. Trying to be logical and nurturing another might not work. Let your imagination have freer reign. Do reality checks with a child or loved one. Tonight: Kick up your heels.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
 **** You are coming from a

logical place. Tension builds in dealings with others. A tendency to mix personal and business matters could confuse another. You are full of wild ideas, even though you might not actually want to play them out. Tonight: Home.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
 **** Reach out for others. Listen to your imagination, stay open and do a good job of listening. Doors open; new opportunities greet you. Your work drags you down. Eliminate what is unnecessary. Work on efficiency. Pressure builds at home. You can't be everywhere at once. Tonight: Talk up a storm.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
 ** No one can create a budget the way you can. Right now is a great time to eliminate excess spending and cut back on risks. You might not be totally comfortable with what is going on, but stay with it. Don't get discouraged. Tonight: Review finances one more time.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
 **** Beam in more of what you want. Charisma and personality work for you. You

might not be sure of a personal matter; let it go for now. A friend proves to be challenging; he or she has a different idea about what constitutes fun. Tonight: Slow down some.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
 *** Step back, especially if you are unsure of what to say or how to express yourself. Discomfort is normal, but pressure at work adds to the confusion. Do little, while thinking a lot. The answers will be forthcoming. Tonight: Get a good night's sleep.

BORN TODAY

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All hands in hospitals should be kept clean

DEAR ABBY: When my father was in the hospital for cancer treatment (surgery and chemotherapy), a doctor examined my father's surgical wound without first washing his hands. When I asked the doctor to please wash his hands, he appeared angry. After that incident, my mother was afraid to ask anyone to wash his or her hands before attending to my father, because she wanted them to be nice to him. We were at their mercy.

I have seen doctors, nurses, technicians and other hospital personnel come into a patient's room and either not wash their hands, or simply run water over their hands before attending to a patient. I have also seen some people come into a patient's room with a cold.

In an article in the Annals of Internal Medicine (Jan. 19, 1999), a study showed that not only do health-care workers wash their hands less frequently than they should, but they do not wash them for even 10 seconds — even though most protocols require 30 seconds of hand-washing. Studies have shown that washing hands for less than 10 to 15 seconds has limited effectiveness. Hands must be washed before putting on gloves, for just putting on gloves does not protect patients well enough.

An article in The New York Times (Nov. 9, 1999) reported that a study at Duke University found that only 17 percent of physicians treating patients in intensive care units washed their hands appropriately. The Times went on to report that, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 5 percent of the people admitted to hospitals, about 1.8 million patients a year, will pick up an infection there, and 20,000 of them will die as a direct result. By contrast, 17,171 Americans died of AIDS in 1998. Hospital-acquired infections will contribute to the deaths of 70,000 more people.

Abby, this is a serious problem. Please help patients and their families speak up when they see a health-care worker failing to wash his or her hands properly. Also, please urge doctors, nurses and other health-care workers to do the right thing and wash their hands with soap for 30 seconds before touching a patient. — DAUGHTER OF A PATIENT

DEAR DAUGHTER: Your letter is shocking, and I'm pleased to help spread the message. The Mayo Clinic, the world-renowned medical mecca in Minnesota, has sponsored "Infection Awareness Week" programs. Perhaps it's time other hospitals followed suit. Part of the campaign included prominently displaying posters along the corridors of the Mayo hospital complex that depicted a pair of hands under the terse message: "THE 10 MOST COM-

MON CAUSES OF INFECTION.

Doctors, nurses and other employees of the Mayo Clinic were reminded to wash their hands frequently by other posters bearing a catchy slogan: "A milligram of hand-washing is worth a kilogram of antibiotics."

I urge anyone who encounters a medical professional who fails to adhere to recommended hygiene practices to speak up about it and to report it to the hospital administrator in writing. I am told that instead of hand-washing, some institutions use alcohol-based hand rises and gels containing softeners that remove bacteria and are less irritating or drying to the hands.

Proper hygienic practices are an essential part of high-quality medical care. No one should settle for less.

DEAR ABBY: You advised a reader who signed herself "Stacking the Odds in Oregon" to contact Al-Anon and inquire about an intervention program for her mother. I have been an Al-Anon member for more than eight years and would like to set the record straight because Al-Anon has changed my life.

Al-Anon is NOT a referral program. Please do NOT call if you are looking for a rehabilitation center, intervention program or therapist. Al-Anon is not allied with any sect, denomination, political entity, organization or institution. Al-Anon does not engage in any controversy, and neither endorses nor opposes any cause. There are no dues for membership; Al-Anon is self-supporting through its own voluntary contributions.

Al-Anon is a fellowship of relatives and friends of alcoholics who share their experience, strength and hope in order to solve their common problems. Al-Anon has but one purpose: to help families of alcoholics. Because of Al-Anon, my life is filled with joy, friendship, hope and love, where once there was only sadness, loneliness, despair and anger. Please, Abby, let your readers know that if they are affected by another person's drinking, Al-Anon may help. We're in the phone book. — AL-ANONYMOUS IN TARZANA, CALIF.

DEAR ANONYMOUS: Thank you for writing to remind me that if people need intervention for someone with an alcohol or drug problem, it must be arranged with the institution in which the patient will be detoxed or rehabilitated — NOT Al-Anon! I needed the reminder, and I want only to steer my readers in the right direction.

Good advice for everyone — teens to seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, IL 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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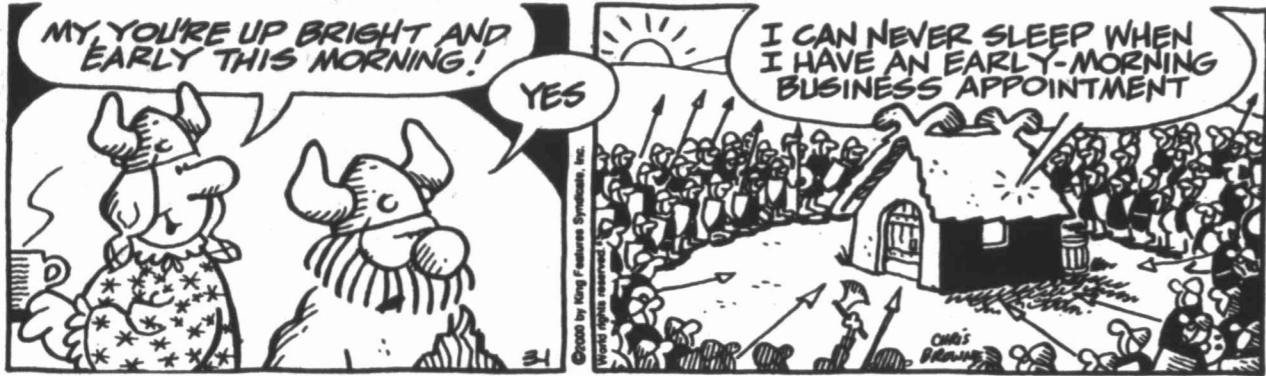
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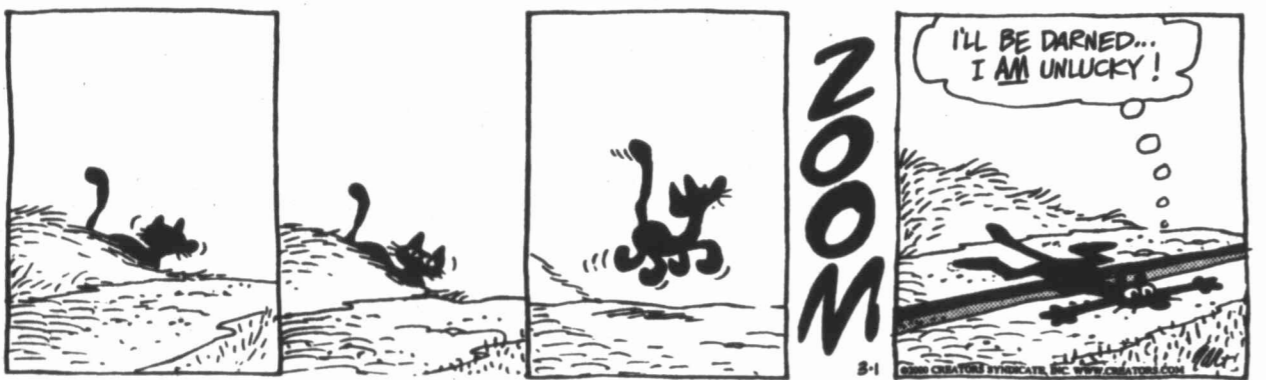
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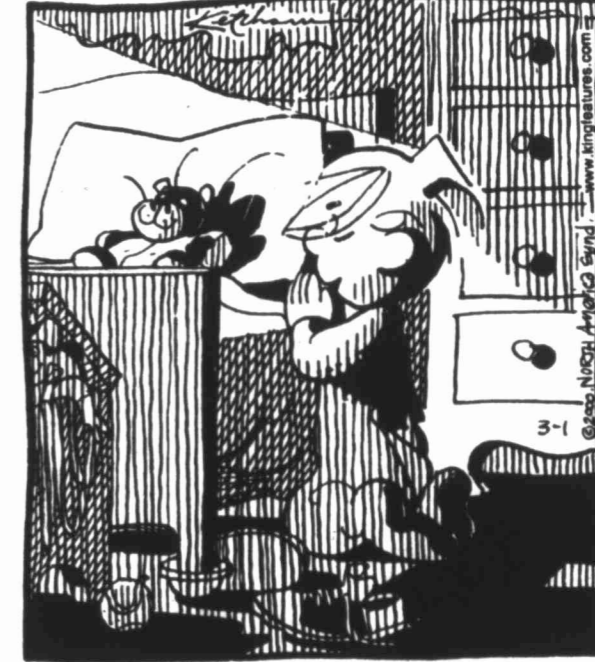
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the following May.) On this date: In 1781, the Continental Congress adopted the Articles of Confederation. In 1790, Congress authorized the first U.S. Census. In 1845, President Tyler signed a congressional resolution to annex the Republic of Texas.

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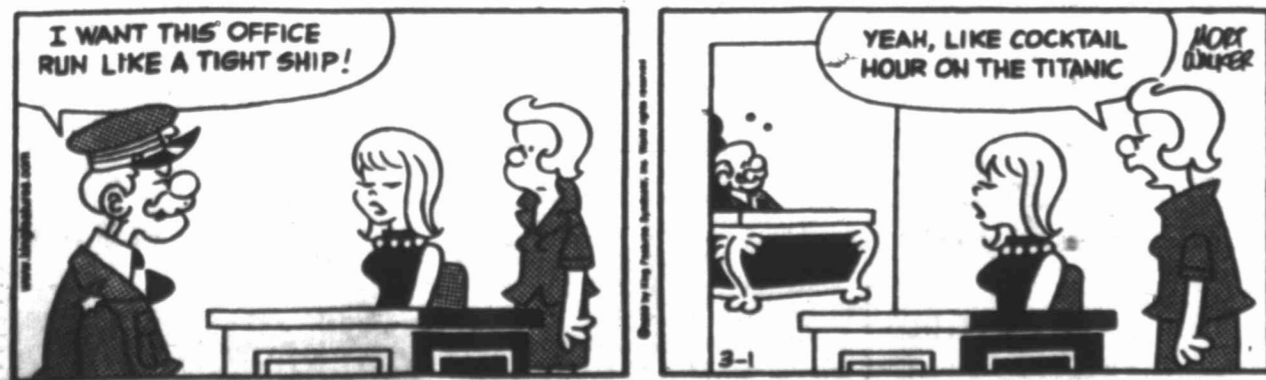
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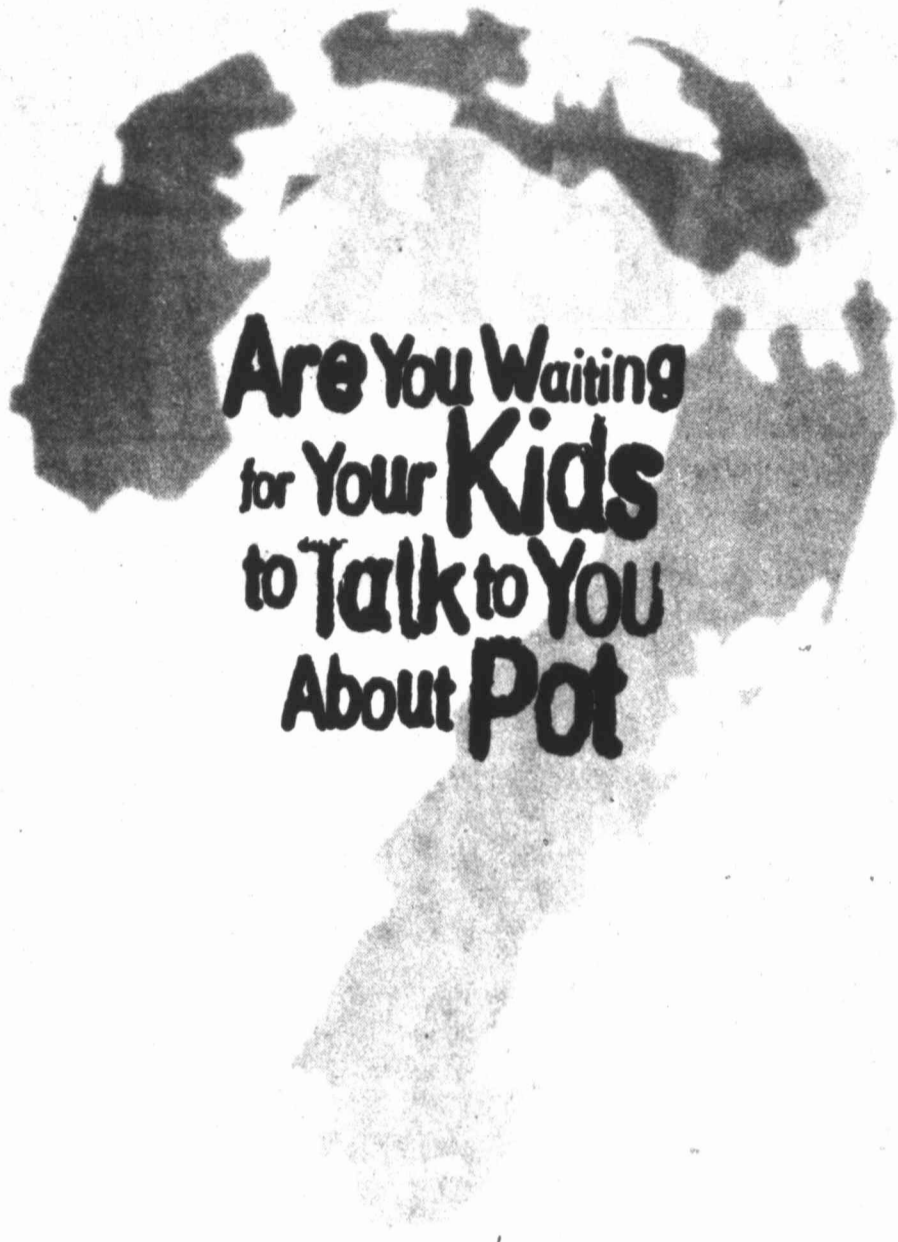
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