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# Too much to drink? Mitchem & Sons offer holiday help again WEDNESDAY

#### By CARL GRAMAM December 20, 2000 Staff Writer

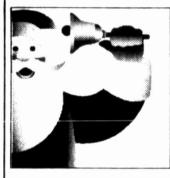
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**HELPING OTHERS:** Each day through the holiday season, the Herald will publish locations where you might help others less fortunate. If your organization has an established program to help others and would like to be included in this list, call Lyndel Moody at 263-7331, ext. 234.



Salvation Army **Kettles:** 

- Big Spring Post Office
- Wal-Mart
- · Big Spring Mall

**Giving Tree** Wells Fargo David Mitchem has been

doing some public service work on Christmas Eve and New Years eve for 16 years now

Mitchem, the owner of Mitchem & Son's Inc., provides a free ride home and a free tow for your automobile if you are out drinking on either of those two holidays. There is one a stipulation involved however.

"If they wait until they

police officer for drinking while driving, they have waited too long," said Mitchem. "I will still tow their automobile if it is our turn to go out on the run but it will cost them. We need them to call us before they get behind the wheel and say 'I have had too much to drink, can I get a ride home?'

Mitchem said if would-be motorists abide by that stipulation, there won't be any problem. Citizens needing help should call, give their See MITCHEM, Page 2

have been pulled over by a location and the driver will come and drop them off at their house.

> "Our drivers will not take you from one bar to another," said Mitchem. "The only place they will take you is where you plan on spending the night, whether it be your house, motel, friend or whatever. According to Mitchem,

the drivers do this on a volunteer basis.

"None of the volunteer drivers for this program

# Big Spring police to be out in force on New Year's Eve By CARL GRAHAM Staff Writer

New Year's Eve is typically a time for celebrating the end of one year and the beginning of a brand new one but unfortunately it also means drinking while driving for some revelers. According to Lt. Terry

Chamness, safety officer for the Big Spring Police Department, extra police officers will be out in force looking for those who wish to drink while driving.

'Because we believe Christmas is a time to be with family we don't put on extra officers during

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# HOG, Scenic Mountain adopt last angels

## By LYNDEL MOODY Staff Writer

Medical personal and some HOGs wearing leather swarmed a local retailer Monday night on a mission to find toys and clothes so some area families will have Christmas.

**Owners** The Harley Group (HOGs) and Scenic Mountain Medical Center adopted the last Salvation Army angels and went on a shopping spree.

"Loren Chandler, the CEO, called the Salvation Army and asked how many were left," said Sheila Chandler of Scenic Mountain Medical Center. "He adopted 25 of them and a group of us went shopping on Monday.

The HOGs adopted the remaining 35 angels.

"We do this as a HOG event every yea,r adopting the remaining angels to make sure everybody has a good Christmas," said Ruel Metcalf, director of the Harley Owners Group.

Both groups enjoyed their shopping spree and turned a few heads as their group



Amy Sanchez, left, Frances Lafler and Yvonne Qualls, all of the Salvation Army, help sort and package thousands of toys to be given to needy children for Christmas.

gains. One of us found sweaters on sale."

The gifts bought by both Scenic Mountain Medical

Salvation Army workers spent much of Tuesday "We had five full carts Center and the HOGs added helping to sort through lined up in a row." to the food, clothing and donated items and place



Don't allow thieves to have the Christmas you planned, police caution By CARL GRAHAM

Staff Writer

It's just a few days until Christmas and every place seems to be packed with

last minute shoppers. One of the things shoppers must keep in mind though, is be aware their sur roundings According

to Big Spring SWEATT Police Sgt Roger Sweatt, this is the type atmosphere that

thieves prey on. "Let's face it, thieves plan on having a Christmas too,



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#### Coats For Kids

- Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce
- Big Spring Herald
- Comet Cleaners on
- FM 700
- Klassic Kleaners on
- Gregg Street

## **American Cancer Society Memorial** Tree:

• Merle Norman, Big Spring Mall For more information, call (915) 683-6374.

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5 shopping days 'til Christmas

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searched for bargains and the right gifts for their angels.

"We were there Monday night wearing leather jackets and some were wearing chaps. We had a fun time doing it," Metcalf said. "We would be looking for bar-

The United Blood Services

blood mobile will be in Big

Spring Thursday for a com-

munity blood drive being

held for a Coahoma resi

The bloodmobile will be

located in the Wal-Mart

parking lot from 4:30 to 8:30

p.m. The drive will aid

Chase Bennett, who is cur-

rently a patient at Covenant

By LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

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Chandler said. "We had a toys Salvation Army offifew people make comments like you are going to do a

lot of wrapping. "If was fun," Chandler continued. "It felt very rewarding knowing kids would have something for Christmas Day.

Hospital In Lubbock

30 days.

at 267-3363.

Donors must be at least 17

years old, weigh more than

110 pounds, be in good

health, carry proof of identi-

fication and know the

names of any medication

they have taken in the past

Those wishing to make an

appointment to give blood

can contact Wilda Langford

In order to supply the 12

Blood drive planned Thursday at Wal-Mart

area hospitals, United Blood tal needs if a disaster does

Services must collect more occur they may need

cials gave to more than 300 families today.

"We are serving 302 families with gifts of clothing, toys and food," said Maj. Jo Alexander. "We expect to serve more than 1,000 kids this year.'

week. Blood products have a

Blood donations are short

from last year by close to

1.300 pints, said Kyle Carter

UBS community relations

have enough blood to meet

the need for our area hospi-

Although they have

enough blood to meet hospi-

Basically right now we

representative.

tals," he said

shelf life of five to 42 days.

them in family units.

than 300 units of blood each request blood from outside

said.

said.

According to Alexander, the response from the community for the Angel Tree project was "wonderful" with all kinds of toys donated, from dolls to skate boards and bikes.

the service area, Carter

Carter said the holiday

season is an difficult time

for blood donations due to

the busy schedules of the

public and the potential

"People are very busy so

they can not donate blood

yet the opportunity for an

emergency situation arises

with the holiday because of

the heavy traffic," Carter

need for blood.

said Sweatt. "And we harp on it each year, trying to warn shoppers to not place packages or other valuable items in plain view of passers-by. I don't know if they just don't listen or what, because we still are having these problems.

Sweatt said that it's best to put packages and other items in the trunk of the car. If that's not possible, shoppers should try to put them under a seat or cover them up with something.

"Like I have said before, thieves are going to be out in full force this time of the year," said Sweatt. "What we need to do to protect ourselves is make it hard as possible for them to get at what is ours. The majority of reports we get at the police station of burglary to a vehicle, we find out that the car was unlocked. That

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# Charitable project collects more than 700 coats so far

By LYNDEL MOODY Staff Writer

Officials from the Coats for Kids project announced they have collected more 700 than this coats season to give to area children. "What is especially gratifying this about last group is the fact that PRATHER

most of the coats were donated by school-age youths in Big Spring," said Mel Prather, this year's project organizer. "By stopping to think of others less fortunate, it also gives them a better appreciation of their own situations."

The project began in November. Its purpose is to acquire coats from those who no longer need them and distribute them to those that do. Last week, more than 200

coats were donated to the project. They were cleaned by local cleaners at half price and delivered to Isaiah 58 for distribution, Prather said.

"I have seen kids going down the street without coats," he said. "There are people who have coats they don't use. I wanted to bring the two together.'

The project's goal is to deliver more than 1,000 coats to the Isaiah 58 for distribution to those in need. Prather expects to match up close to 700 coats to new owners.

He said they set a goal of 1.000 because the donated coats come in various sizes and some people may not be able to find one that fits them

According to Prather, the project will continue collecting coats through the winter months.

"No one should have to go through a winter without a coat when there are so many of us with unwanted coats in our closets," he said. "By bringing the two



HERALD photo/Lyndel Mood

Mel Prather, Coat for Kids project organizer, gives Isalah 58 volunteers Erma Dunne and Barbara Ervin, right, close to 200 coats for them to distribute to the community. The project has collected more than 700 coats since November.

together, we not only create a little mor room in our someone else along the Spring Area Chamber of

way.' Coates can be brought to own closets, but also help the Big Spring Herald, Big

Comet Commerce Cleaners, Klassic Kleaners, Malone and Hogan Clinic or StarTek

# **O**BITUARIES

# Florence Vivian Seav

Funeral service for Florence Vivian Seay, 89, of Big Spring was 11 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 20, 2000, at Sunset Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Johnny Dickerson officiating. Burial was at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Seav died Monday Dec. 18, at her residence. She was born Nov. 2, 1911 in Sweetwater and had been a driver's education teacher in Odessa.

Survivors include: her husband, Roscoe Seay of Big Spring; one daughter, Loraine Redman of Big Spring; one brother Marvin Smith of San Angelo; one sister, Leona McClellan of Odessa; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

# **Onita Bernell** Ward Pigott

Onita Bernell Ward Pigott, 59, of Colorado City, went home Monday, Dec. 18, 2000, to be with her Lord.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at College Park Church of God, followed by graveside services at Colorado City Cemetery in Colorado City, conducted by Brother F.M. Small and Brother Jeff Eason.

Onita "Bernell" Pigott was born on May 17, 1941. in Menard, to James and Mary Ward. She was a lifelong resident of Howard County, until moving to Colorado City in August. She had been employed at Cowboy's Steakhouse until her illness a year ago, and had also worked at the Warehouse Cafe.

Bernell is survived by one son, Larry Don Towery of the home; her mother, Mary Ward; three sisters, Debbie Harbuck Coahoma, Della Riffe of Andrews, Mary Smother of Colorado City; three brothers, James Ward of Big Spring, Joe Ward of Colorado City, and Freddy Ward of Safford, Ariz.; two grandchildren, Emily of Big Spring, and Justin of Colorado City; numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, , nieces and nephews; and a loving mother in-law, Bea Newsome

Delmas Ward. Honorary pallbearers are Larry Joe Ward, Christopher Ward and Michael Feaster.

The family will be at 2001 S. Monticello.

Arrangements are under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Paid obituary

# Hosea Banks

Funeral service for Hosea Banks, 86, Big Spring, will be 2 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 23, 2000, at Mount Bethel Baptist

Church with Bishop W.H. Watson officiating. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park Mr. Banks



died Sunday, Dec. 17, in University Medical Center in Lubbock following a long

illness He was born on Dec. 26, 1913. He married Pauline Clemons on Feb. 13, 1936, in San Antonio. He had lived in Big Spring for 58 years. He had worked as a barrel hauler for 35 years and had been a pastor for 62 years, preaching at Shiloh Church of God in Christ. He was also in C.C.A. and the chairman board of the

He is survived by: his wife, Pauline of the home; two sons, Joe Lewis Banks of Dallas and Holston Banks of Big Spring; one daughter, Christine Banks Bolden of San Diego, Calif; one sister, Thelma Money of Big Spring; two brothers, John A. Banks of Tucson, Ariz., and David Banks of Corpus Christi; 25 grandchldren; and 60 great-grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends. Arrangements are under

the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

# Lucille Long

Funeral service for Lucille Long, 85, Garland, formerly of Big Spring, is Dec. 19, in Garland

# LOCAL

their purse unattended while shopping. "It only takes a few seconds for someone passing by an unattended shopping cart with a purse in it to grab it and be gone," said Sweatt. "We have been getting a lot of reports of this happening lately. If the need arises to leave the cart in another aisle, take the purse with you. Or, if you are with someone, let them hold it until you return. This time of the year, the stores are full of people and most are not paying a lot of attention to what is going on around them. Their mind is on what to get for Aunt Jane or the person at the office," Sweatt said.

"Like I keep saying, thieves will have a Christmas, don't let it be at million packages that UPS your expense.



Continued from Page 1 **Prison Fellowship** 

Angel Tree Providing Christmas presents for children of inmates Police

investigate Church Of God In Christ. vandalism

at Vietnam Memorial **HERALD Staff Report** struck at the Vietnam Memorial, according to Big Spring Police Sgt. Roger Sweatt. ken out on one of the tanks at the site of the Vietnam

pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Ms. Long died on Tuesday,

A ROUND THE TOWN assigned to help prevent **TEXAS LOTTERY** parcels from getting mashed as they speed

**B**IG SPRING

through the dizzying 65mile network of conveyor pelts. A fleet of 3,800 trucks ferried parcels in and out of the plant, while next to snowy railway tracks 200

yards away, workers loaded one of a dozen trains full of UPS goods that were due to depart by day's end. One in every 10 of the 325 anticipates delivering

worldwide between Thanksgiving and Christmas will come through this little suburb, which Atlanta-based UPS chose as its main shipping point because of Chicago's transportation hub and

large labor pool. The facility -- the world's biggest and busiest package distribution facility, according to UPS - is as long as three aircraft carriers and • Cookie Elliot, 263-3326 twice as wide.

> Nearly 45 million Americans are expected to do holiday shopping online this year. As a result, shippers are having a banner year

A FedEx spokeswoman said the overnight delivery company shipped 6.5 million packages on Monday, its busiest day, up 5 percent from last year's holiday peak. The Postal Service estimates it will handle 191 million packages during the and the fate of some eretailers may ride on whether the company delivers their Christmas orders on time

With six days to go and overtime pay opportunities flowing, employees were in a holiday mood Tuesday despite the din of conveyor belt rollers, clanging warning bells and motorized carts.

"It can get hectic because we have so much volume.' Ashana said. "But being part of an important

**BIG SPRING HERALD** Wednesday, December 20, 2000

# Pick 3:1,7,3

# Cash 5: 2,15,19,31,34

Archer-Daniels

**Atmos Energy** 

Chevron Corp

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Intel Corp

**IFCO Systems** 

Patterson Ener

**Phillips** Petro

Sears Roebuck

Texas Instrument 45 - 3

Wal-Mart/Mexico 21 - 211/2

RECORDS

Tuesday's high 57

Tuesday's low 21

Average high 56

Record high 78 in 1981

Record low 8 in 1973

Precip. Tuesday \*\*

Month to date 2.11

Month Normal 0.92

Normal for the year 18.02

Sunset Thursday 5:45 p.m.

Sunrise Thursday 7:43 a.m.

Year to date 17.71

POLICE

Average low 28

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Lottery numbers are unofficial until confirmed by the state lottery commission

AT&T

# BRIEFS

SENIOR CITIZENS WHO HAVE witnessed the effects of childhood diseases are needed to staff a new volunteer program that will promote immunizations.

Volunteers 55 and older are sought for the effort, to be known as the Seniors for Childhood Immunization Program. **RSVP** volunteers will visit new mothers at Scenic Mountain Medical Center and remind them of the importance of the immunizations.

To find out more about the program or to volunteer, call 264-2397.

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

SUPPORT GROUPS

#### TODAY

TOPS Club (take off pounds sensibly), weigh-in 5 p.m. and meeting at 6 p.m., College Heights Christian Church, 21st and Goliad

Project Freedom, Christian support group for survivors of physical/emotional/sexual and/or spiritual abuse. Call 263-5140 or 263-2241 for dates/times of upcoming groups.

Encourager's support group (for widows and widowers) will meet Monday, Dec. 18, at 6 p.m. First Presbyterian Church, Seventh and Runnels (enter through the north door). We will have a Christmas

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She was preceded in death by her father. James-Ward and one brother. Donald Ward.

Pallbearers are Stevie Ward, Robert Riffe, Shannon Feaster, Marvin Ward, Allen Ward and



pending.

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

#### 24th & Johnson 267-8288

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# MITCHEM

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will be getting paid," said Mitchem. "They can howeyer accept tips if the party so inclines to do so but of course it is not required."

Mitchem said the program is much more involved than the Tipsy Taxi Service alone was.

'The Tipsy Taxi service was just a taxi ride home.' said Mitchem. "With this program, you can not only get a ride home but you are able to get the car towed home as well and not have to leave it parked somewhere and risk having it vandalized.

To call for a ride on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve, call 267-3747 anytime between 8 p.m. and 2 a.m

# POLICE

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Christmas," said Chamness. "However, you can bet we will be out in full force with extra officers assigned on New Year's Eve looking for those who will be putting the safety of others in jeopardy."

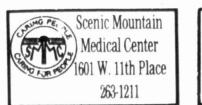
Chamness said the extra officers would be specifically looking for individuals who are drinking and driving but during any routine stop, seatbelt usage will be checked for compliance.

# CRIME

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just makes it too easy for someone to take things.

Sweatt also would like to warn women shoppers in particular about leaving



place there, it is difficult to get good photographs because of the darkness at night

Vandals have once again

"We had some lights bro-

Memorial," said Sweatt. "It

apparently happened some-

time between late Saturday

night through the early

hours of Monday morning

but was roported to us on

Sweatt said though sur-

veillance cameras are in

Monday.

"We feel like it was kids out having a good time,' said Sweatt. "I would like to believe that older adults have more respect for the Vietnam Memorial but that's just an assumption on my part."

Sweatt said that with school letting out for the holidays, patrols will probably be stepped up in an effort to cut down on potential vandalism.

The incident is still under investigation, he said.

# UPS copes with year's busiest day

HODGKINS, Ill. (AP) Not counting Santa's workshop, or maybe Macy's on Christmas Eve, it would be tough to find a busier place during the holidays than UPS's mammoth packageprocessing plant outside Chicago.

If the slowing economy has put a chill or holiday shopping, no such evidence was visible at the frenzied facility Tuesday on "Peak Day," the busiest shipping day of the year.

Nearly 11,000 workers scrambled against next Monday's unmissable deadline, processing more than 1.7 million packages and documents. Worldwide, United Parcel Service estimated it would ship 19 million packages Tuesday as momentum from the online shopping boom carries it and its competitors to another record-breaking holiday season.

"It's really intense. Everything is on the go, on the go," said Brandon Ashana, 20, a ''jam-breaker''

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process and helping to make sure everybody gets their presents on time and in one piece, that makes me feel good.'

holidays, also a 5 percent increase from 1999.

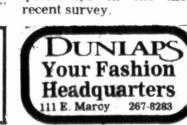
# Education supplants crime as top concern for Texans

HUNTSVILLE (AP) Education has overtaken crime as the most pressing concern facing Texans, an annual crime survey taken by Sam Houston State University has found.

This year's survey, the 23rd annual conducted by the Huntsville school's Criminal Justice Center, also shows a continued strong but somewhat softened support for the death penalty in Texas, where the 40 executions this year set a record and where high-profile capital punishment cases focused national and international attention on the state as the nation's busiest for executions.

The survey results focused on comparisons and shifts in attitudes since a similar survey six years ago when Republican George W. Bush ousted Democratic incumbent Ann Richards as governor.

Overall, only 8 percent of the respondents in the 2000 Texas Crime Poll cited crime as the most important problem facing the state. Education, one of the chief topics cited by Bush in his successful White House campaign, was the single most prevalent issue mentioned by 23 percent of those questioned in the most



party. The meat will be furnished. If you wish to bring a covered dish, bring cranberries, salads, vegetables, sweet potatoes, rolls, desserts, etc. Bring a wrapped gift (not to exceed \$10) for a fun gift exchange. For more information call 398-5522.

#### TUESDAY

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

 Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. 12 and 12 study

· HOME HOSPICE and Canterbury are sponsoring a new grief support group. It will meet the second Wednesday of each month at 3 p.m. in the community room at Canterbury South, 1700, Lancaster. Call Home Hospice at 264-7599 or come by 600 South Gregg for further details.

# MARKETS

March cotton 64.88 down 88 points; January crude 27.08, down 88 points; cash hogs \$1 lower 88 even; slaughter steers \$1 higher at 76 even; February lean hog futures 56.10, up 60 points; February live cattle futures 77.02 up 40 points.

courtesy: Delta Corporation. Noon quotes provided by Edward Jones & Co.

8 a.m. Tuesday through 8 a.n. today:

The Big Spring Police

Department reported the

following activities between

• LUIS RAMOS, 36, of 2911 W. Hwy 80, was arrested on a local warrant.

• MISTY BRYAN, 20, of 604 E. 23rd, was arrested on a charge of display of fictitious inspection sticker. RICHARD

CHAMBERS, 47, of Snyder, was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct/language

• BRANDON JONES, 17, of 1109 Ridge Road, was arrested on a charge of minor in consumption.

 CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the 400 block of Lancaster.

• CRIMINAL MISCHIEF TO A VEHICLE was reported in the 1300 block of Mobile and in the 1500 block of Sycamore.

• THEFT was reported in the 1800 block of Gregg, in the 1100 block of Settles, in the 300 block of Owens and in the 1400 block of Johnson.

# Sheriff

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

 JESSICA RAMIREZ RANGEL, 18, of 600 Johnson, was arrested on charges of driving while license suspended and failure to identify as a fugitive. (BSPD)



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# TEXAS

# Democrats say Wentworth, Brown strong contenders for Perry's post

AUSTIN (AP) - A key Senate Democrat said Tuesday his party will likely throw its support behind a moderate Republican candidate to replace Lt. Gov. Rick Perry and that Jeff Wentworth of San Antonio and Buster Brown of Lake Jackson are strong candidates.

Both are considered candidates that can get along with lawmakers from the two parties in a chamber that is nearly evenly divided.

Both face challenges from more conservative lawmakers in their own party.

Senate majority and most of the candidates to replace Perry are Republicans.

"There's general agreement that not many of the 'R's' would vote for a Democrat, so it appears that Wentworth or Brown are strong contenders," said Gonzalo Barrientos of Austin, chairman of the Senate Democratic Caucus.

Asked why Brown and Wentworth could get Democratic support, Barrientos said: "I think the members are discussing issues that have to do with fairness, committee assign-

The GOP holds a 16-15 ments, committee chairmanships, a bipartisan approach to redistricting."

Besides Wentworth and Brown, other Republican frontrunners in the lieutenant governor's race include Teel Bivins of Amarillo, Bill Ratliff of Mount Pleasant and David Sibley of Waco.

Ken Armbrister Victoria was the only Democrat mentioned as a leading contender for the post. Armbrister was a Bush ally during the presidential campaign.

Perry will become governor once President-elect

Bush resigns his state job. The Senate will then choose one of its own to perform the duties of lieutenant governor.

The Senate Democratic Caucus met privately for almost two hours to discuss strategy and rules they want to see used in the selection process.

The entire Senate was to meet in a closed-door session Wednesday to decide on the rules that will be used. The Senate Democrats were to meet again afterward to interview candidates.

Perry and state officials

have been waiting for Bush's resignation, which could happen any day

Bush has not yet publicly indicated when he will resign. Perry's swearing in will take place "within a matter of hours of that resignation," his spokeswoman, Kathy Walt, said Tuesday

"As of this time there is no firm time for Lieutenant Governor Perry's swearingin ceremony," she said. "It is President-elect Bush's prerogative to announce when he will resign.

Once Perry is sworn in, the Senate has 30 days to

choose his replacement. The legislative session begins Jan. 9 some senators say they are concerned about the time crunch..

"I think it needs to happen soon," Barrientos said. 'Let's get down to business.'

Barrientos also said Democrats support electing Perry's replacement in a private vote "for the reason of getting along." That rule is set to be worked out during Wednesday's meeting.

The Republican Caucus had not scheduled such a meeting by Tuesday after noon.

# Texas drought prompts disaster declaration

WASHINGTON (AP) -**U.S. Agriculture Secretary** Dan Glickman declared Texas a disaster area Tuesday, making emergency farm loans available to growers who suffered losses from drought and other problems this year.

Agriculture Texas Commissioner Susan Combs called the announcement a nice Christmas present for hard-hit producers.

"Texas has been really hammered, year after year,' Combs said. "And this year sort of topped it off... It's a rare thing to have this state be that beaten up."

But some growers questioned whether the declaration can do much for the state's devastated farmers. Rick Clem, a New Home

cotton farmer, said

Glickman's action was good, but it's far from enough to keep struggling cotton farmers afloat without better conditions and a higher price for cotton.

"If there's nobody here to farm it, what good is it,' Clem said. "We've got all the loans we need and we can't pay back the ones we already have. You don't understand how bad this thing is."

Lorenzo cotton farmer Tommy Fondren echoed Clem.

"We need a way to make some money," he said. "It's not working. The scary part of it is that there is no way the lenders are going to be able to loan this money for the 2001 crop."

"The excessive heat and drought made a devastating

year for farmers in Texas and all over the South." Glickman said in a statehelp farmers in Texas and other states during these difficult times."

Several contiguous counties in nearby states also are eligible for the assistance.

This year's drought was the third in four years and is believed to have wrought \$1.1 billion damage on the state's economy, with West Texas cotton being hit especially hard. Only 54 percent of the Texas summer cotton crop and 48 percent of the summer peanut crop survived, the Texas Agriculture Department reported.

Zane Reese, a cotton and peanut farmer in Lubbock County, said West Texas farmers need the help

"Sounds good to me," he said Tuesday. "I'm glad he acknowledged what we ment. "USDA is working to already knew. It will help everybody we owe. We've had two pretty bad years in a row. Everything has just stacked up against us.

Some areas of the state received as much as 15 inches of precipitation at the beginning of November, but by that time the state's reservoirs had dipped to 66 percent of full capacity – the lowest recorded reading in 23 years and the fifth-low est of all time.

The disaster declaration makes family-sized farm operators in Texas and the contiguous counties eligible for low-interest emergency loans. Such operators have eight months to apply for the loans

AUSTIN (AP) Dismissing a Texas Panhandle prison inmate's lawsuit against Penthouse magazine, a federal judge used a holiday theme in his poetic response. The \$500,000 lawsuit by

Amarillo inmate David Joyner, who identified himself in court papers as 'minister of law'' with the Mandingo Warriors prison gang, was dismissed by U.S. District Judge Sam Sparks with a 12-line poem and a \$250 fine.

Joyner had contended he had been mentally scarred by false and deceptive advertising in the men's magazine relating to what he described as a disappointing December issue. So he sued in Austin's federal courthouse – naming

publisher Bob Guccione and President Clinton's foe Paula Jones as defendants.

Juge pens poetic response

"Life has its disappointments. Some come out of the blue, but that doesn't mean a prisoner should sue," Sparks wrote.

'Twas the night before Christmas and all through the prison, inmates were planning their new porno While mission. the December issue of Penthouse was hitting the stands, the Minister of the Mandingo Warriors was warming his hands.

"For you see, the publishers had promised a pleasurable view of the woman who sued the President, too," the judge wrote

Sparks has penned other legal poetry

# State agency releases information on hospital treatment in Texas

DALLAS (AP) - A state agency on Tuesday released information about the treatment of 1.2 million hospital patients in what is probably the first step toward a widespread statistical comparison of quality among hospitals.

The eventual implications of the data could be huge, influencing employer decisions on health insurance and state policy on health programs, officials said.

information for the first half of 1999 was, by design, more modest.

The Legislature barred the Texas Health Care Information Council from issuing hospital-by-hospital reports until it has at least one year's worth of information - sometime next year. Among highlights from Tuesday's findings: For girls through age 17, child-

But Tuesday's release of common reason for hospitalization. More girls – about 9,100 -went to the hospital to have babies than to be treated for asthma and bronchitis.

> For all patients, the most common reasons for hospitalization were neonatal problems, regular childbirth. pneumonia, Caesarean delivery and heart failure.

not compare hospitals, about 30 hospitals and other groups have bought computer discs containing the raw data, which could be manipulated to compare patient care," Foxhall said. outcomes at individual hospitals, council officials said. "In the short term, this will increase the ability of (hospitals) to compare themselves to each other," said Dr. Lewis Foxhall, associate

Center and chairman of the health information council. "If one group is doing better, you can find out why, and they'll try to improve

Foxhall said the council wants to refine the data to consider the illness of patients before it begins issuing hospital-by-hospital reports to the public.

Jim Loya, executive direc-Although the information vice president of Houston's tor of the health information both was the second-most council's public report did M.D. Anderson Cancer tion council, said the infor-

mation could be used to pinpoint health problems in specific age or geographic groups. That, he said, could help legislators better target public-health programs.

For example, Loyd said he was struck that the leading causes of hospitalization for children under 18, not including newborns and obstetrics visits, were asthma and bronchitis, pneumonia, electrolyte disorders and abdominal pain.

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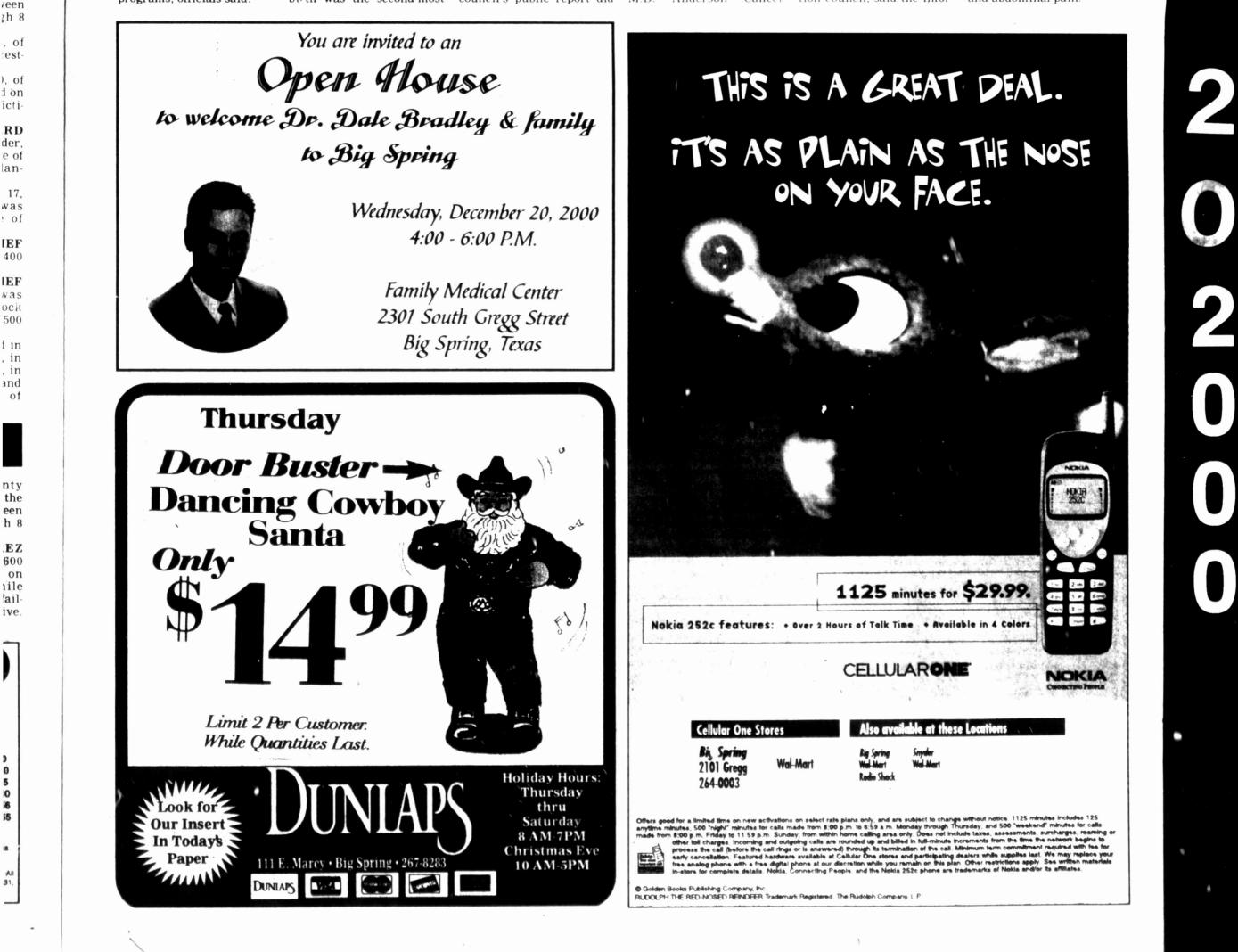
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# OPINION

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# Editorial

"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

-FIRST AMENDMENT

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OUR VIEWS

Churches

fill the air

with song

Many of us can remember bundling up during the Christmas season and going

door to door to nursing homes, hospitals and

the like and singing carols. Most often it was as

a church group. It was a great time of fun and

fellowship for both the carolers and those who

were entertained. Afterward, we'd all gather at

the fellowship hall for hot chocolate and cook-

ies. While not as prevalent as it once was, some

churches continue to go out among the public

This year, Baker's Chapel AME has decided to

take that age-old tradition back to the streets.

Joined by members from Mount Bethel Baptist

and Northside Baptist, they will be caroling at

locations in Big Spring on Friday night. To add

to the gaiety of the occasion, they plan to climb

aboard a decorated flatbed trailer which will

and spread the joy of the season in song.

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ceries, much less presents. Then I had to contend

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shop for gro-

with a series of other holidays, celebrations and scheduling conflicts in the week leading up to Christmas: my granddaughter's first birthday, my youngest son's college graduation, my middle son's birthday, several nights of

Hanukkah - which happens to overlap with Christmas this year for my mixed-faith family. And if this weren't enough, my mother is making her annual visit, arriving from Albuquerque, N.M., at pre-

cisely the same moment I land on a return flight from a business trip to San Francisco.

Trying to make those gift-giving decisions

Now when, exactly, am I supposed to pick out charming gifts for the dozens of people in my life who expect individual attention?

I've done the best I could with catalogues and TV infomercials, ordering delectable treats and gadgets that are overpriced and always look better in two dimensions than three. I hope my friend Andy, who lives alone and rarely entertains, will find some use for 32 ounces of duck and goose liver pate. And I can't imagine when

Aunt Elste will ever eat 24 individual slices of multiflavored cheesecake. As for my husband, Chris, he's always complaining that his feet are cold, so now we'll find out if batteryoperated, heated socks really work.

The kids are much harder. When they were little, they always had specific requests, which they made months in advance. One year it was He-Man action figures, another year it was a Hot Wheels car set or a Nintendo video game. I remember spending

hours driving from one toy mega-store to another, racing up and down the aisles in search of exactly the right model, knowing, if I failed in my quest, substitutes would bring crestfallen faces on Christmas morning.

But it's even more difficult to buy for my grown children. Do I buy a family gift for my married sons, which usually means something for the house? Or do I buy both sons and wives separate gifts, tools for the boys, jewelry for the wives? And do I buy identical gifts for each couple, or do I try to guess their individual tastes? My youngest son is the most difficult to buy for, so he usually ends up with cash or gift certificates.

But somehow, it never feels quite right, so this year, he'll get a gift — like it or not.

And then there are the grandchildren. Kids have so many toys these days, it takes some of the fun out of giving. I remember as a child that I would get one or two gif s on holidays, a game, a doll, a special outfit. My own mother recalls that she would usually get something useful, an apron,

some new socks, a pair of gloves. But kids today get tons of toys, so many they can barely remember who gave them what. I've rebelled, insisting on buying modest presents for most occasions and making contributions to a college fund instead. Anyway, at their age, they don't notice the difference between a \$10-dollar toy and one that costs many times more.

Like many people, I wish there were a way to stop this ever-escalating gift-giving. Most of us have everything we really need in life. Yet, Madison Avenue will spend millions of dollars trying to convince us that we need more stuff - diamonds for our fingers, ears and wrists; home entertainment centers to amuse us; mini-computers to organize our lives; communications devices to connect us with our friends, family and stockbrokers. And because we have to work harder every year to buy all these things, we have less time to enjoy what we already own. I, for one, would welcome

a respite. Maybe by Valentine's Day, I'll have figured out what to buy everyone. But by that time my choices will probably already be obsolete.

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(AP) - A ju\$3.5 billion Exxon Mot Tuesday, find ny defraude royalties fro wells in state The verdict court jury Alabama's p of \$581 mill damages case The jury's ed Alabama \$ compensatory \$3.42 billion damages. The jury a punitive c tripling Ex annual prodi natural gas v Alabama coa



take them from place to place. By 6 p.m., the group expects to be arriving at Marcy House. Over the next two hours, the carolers will visit Comanche Trail Nursing Center, Big Spring Care Center and Mountain View Lodge. From there, they will make their way to the HEB parking lot about 8, to Wal-Mart at 8:30 and conclude the activity at 9 at the Big Spring Mall. The group will meet at 5:15 tonight at Baker's Chapel to decorate the flatbed. On Thursday same time and place, they'll gather to practice The Rev. Michael King, pastor of Baker's Chapel, is inviting all other church groups and individual citizens to participate if they'd like. Rev. King h )pes it will be an annual event. We share his enthusiasm.

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We can think of no better tradition than to spread joy and cheer, the message of peace and sharing — and the story of the birth of Jesus at this most wonderful time of the year.

# **OTHER VIEWS**

Forensic technology has changed the criminal justice system, but access to the wonders of science remains a major problem for some

Take the case of Anthony Todd Robinson, 39, convicted in 1986 of the sexual assault of a University of Houston student.

After serving 10 years of a 27-year sentence, he was paroled. Then, only after he saved \$1,800 to pay for a DNA test, was Robinson able finally to prove his innocence. Last week, Robinson

received a pardon from Gov. George W. Bush.

He has filed for the \$25,000 the state offers those wrongfully imprisoned. That is pitiful com pensation for the loss of 10 years of freedom Unfortunately,

Robinson's case is not unique.

Many criminal defendants have ended up in prison without the benefit of DNA testing that might have proved their Innocence because it would have cost too much or the wait for the evidence was too long. Crime laboratories in some states are so woe fully underfunded and understaffed that it is

taking them up to two years to complete DNA and other forensic test ing. Two measures

approved by Congress last week should help reduce some of the backlog in crime labs across the nation. They will provide \$512 million in funding during the next six years.

Bexar County residents are more fortunate. The wait for forensic testing here has gone from 18 months to two months during the last four years, thanks to increased lab funding by **Bexar** County Commissioners Court, according to Tim Fallon, crime lab manager

Test conducted at the various Texas **Department of Public** Safety crime labs generally are done in about a month, but the DPS occasion ly experiences a two- to four-month back log, DPS officials said.

Conducting forensic tests in a timely manner is important. Making sure everyone has access to the labs is vital to the integrity of the legal system

> SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS-NEWS



He knows when you are sleeping, knows when you're awake, knows when you've been bad or good...

# Comments on the Fourth Estate

e have a new president. George W

Bush won. In the days after the election, the national

news media devoted more coverage to the loser than to the winner. The news

media seem to be more democratic TUMBLEWEED than republi-SMIT.I can. That

ries me. Not because I'm a strong party man. I'm not. I think blind party loyalty is dangerous

really wor

I'm worried because I grew up thinking the news media was supposed to report things fairly, without bias. I don't think that happened in the election coverage, especially during the post election process. I wasn't worried about

the fact that there was a recount of the vote and protests on both sides and lawyers trudging back and forth to the court room. That is America.

The three national network anchor people and several of the political analysts practically were in tears after Al Gore's concession speech. There was no question about who they wanted to win the election. It certainly wasn't the man who won. They hardly mentioned his name.

CNN and its offshoots were also guilty of touting Gore over Bush. Our country has just had

a test of our true strength. In other countries, this delay in naming a presi dent would probably have led to civil war and anarchy. As far as we know, not one life was lost because of disagreements and demonstrations about who would be the leader of our country

And besides all that, we got to hear first-hand justices of the Supreme Court debating the issue with attorneys and representatives from both parties. That was a rare occurrence.

Now that we are headed toward George W. Bush's inauguration we can concentrate on increasing our country's strength.

Differences and strong opinions will not disappear They are facts of life, things that come with being alive. But the media needs to be fair and impartial.

In the past, when our country has been threatened from outside, the differences are put aside and we all fight together. We have this time been threatened from inside and we need to once again put aside those differences and work together to build a greater nation.

It should be a significant moment in American history when the man who escorted George Bush from the White House will now escort George Bush's son into the same edifice. The love of country is strong. I felt extremely patriotic when I was a soldier in Europe and felt that I had the best look at America by being away from it. When I returned I entered the most American field of endeavors: journalism.

Shame on you, anchors...for letting your opinions show.

America passed the test. But journalism failed.

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# Bush to nominate Pa. exec O'Neill for treasury, sources say

WASHINGTON (AP) -President-elect Bush was nominating Pennsylvania business executive and former Ford administration budget expert Paul O'Neill as treasury secretary today, The Associated Press learned. Three other Cabinet positions were to be filled by day's end.

His transition truncated by the 36-day election standoff, Bush also planned to nominate longtime friend Don Evans as commerce secretary, former Cuban refugee Mel Martinez as housing secretary and Californian Ann Veneman as agriculture secretary.

Two GOP sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Bush decided to name O'Neill during a two-day visit to Washington that ended Tuesday night.

He was making the announcements in two separate news conferences at the University of Texas. The events were sandwiched between meeting with leaders of charitable organizations to discuss ways to faith-based encourage groups to provide social services for the poor.

O'Neill, 65, has been chairman of Alcoa Inc. since 1987. He was deputy budget director under

n.

President-elect Dick Cheney was President Ford's chief of staff. O'Neill and Cheney now serve as directors of American Enterprise Institute, a conservative think tank in Washington. Cheney is head of Bush's transition team, and has left his fingerprints on several Cabinet selections, including the yet-to-be-determined

defense secretary. The Senate, divided 50-50 between Republicans and Democrats, must confirm Bush's nominees.

Evans, 54, is chief executive of Tom Brown Inc., a Denver-based oil and gas company with an office in Midland. He was instrumental in helping Bush raise a record \$100 million for his presidential race, then helped guide the campaign to a narrow victory over Vice President Al Gore.

Martinez, chairman of Orange County, Fla. which encompasses Orlando

co-chaired Bush's campaign in Florida and is a close ally of his brother Jeb, the state's Republican governor. Martinez, 54, fled Cuba to the United States in 1962 when he was 15 years old and played a starring role in the Elian Gonzalez saga earlier this year.

Veneman, 51, served as President Ford when Vice director of the California general, left Tuesday for a

Food and Agriculture Department from 1996 to 1998. Appointed by former Republican Gov. Pete Wilson, she was the first woman to head the agency. She was also the highestranking woman in the U.S. Department of Agriculture from 1989 to 1991, when she served as deputy secretary for international affairs and commodities programs when Bush's father was president.

Martinez and Veneman made the three-hour flight from Washington to Austin on Bush's plane Tuesday. Also aboard was Stephen Goldsmith, former Indianapolis mayor, who has been considered a potential housing secretary. Goldsmith worked with Bush during his campaign on the faith-based initiative and was traveling to Texas participate to in Wednesday's forum.

Montana Gov. Marc Racicot, a longtime Bush ally, was flying to Texas Tuesday night for a meeting with Bush. He is the top candidate for attorney general, as well as a prospect interior secretary. for Oklahoma Gov. Frank Keating, a favorite of conservatives, some of whom oppose Racicot for attorney

# Don Evans said Bush's best friend AUSTIN (AP) - Don Evans' move to dusty lingering hangover from

Evans was a West Texas roughneck who rose through the ranks to run an oil and gas company. It was his friendship and

loyalty to a future president, however, that has put him on a national stage.

President-elect Bush will nominate Evans today as his secretary of commerce, putting his campaign manager and former drinking buddy in position to promote U.S. business interests abroad and at home.

"I view him as somebody who knows me well, is not afraid to give me his opinion, has my best interest at heart," Bush said of Evans early this year.

born in July 1946. A native of Houston, he received a mechanical engineering degree from the University of Texas in 1969 and a master's in business administration from the school in 1973

four-day trip to Bosnia. Other top candidates

include Wisconsin Gov. Tommy Thompson, the front-runner for secretary of Health and Bush had not finalized his Monday

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royalties and unpaid inter-

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with Exxon Mobil require it

to pay the state royalties on

the dispute.

Midland, where he worked on a drilling rig for Tom to abandon the bottle alto-Brown Inc., the company he leads today, introduced him to Bush and eventually became his path to Washington.

Bush too moved to Midland in the early 1970s, and he and Evans quickly became friends. In those days, bachelor Bush used to hang out with Evans while Evans' wife, Susan, washed Bush's clothes

That relationship blossomed into one of Bush's

Like Bush, Evans is a Methodist. It was Evans who counseled Bush to read the Bible, at one point giving him a Bible divided into 365 readings, one for each day of the year.

Evans partied with Bush the night the presidentelect says he swore off drinking. It was 1986 and both men were celebrating their 40th birthdays. The

Human Services. Bush met with Thompson, 59, on Tuesday, and GOP sources said his nomination could come this week, though

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that night prompted 'Bush gether, he says.

Evans' rise in Denver based Tom Brown Inc. was quick.

His father worked for Shell Oil Co., and Evans went to work for Tom Brown in Midland as a roughneck, determined to learn the industry from the ground up.

Within five years he was company president, and he became chief executive in 1985

According to the company's annual filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, Tom Brown Inc. had an interest in 1,351 oil and gas wells as of Dec 31, 1999.

Its largest operations are in Wyoming, Texas and Colorado

The company had a revenue of \$214.9 million in 1999 with profits of \$5 million.

decision.

Former Sen. Dan Coats, R-Ind., the leading defense secretary candidate. Bush huddled with Coats on

Exxon Mobil ordered to pay \$3.5 billion to Alabama in offshore gas case

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) - A jury returned a \$3.5 billion verdict against Exxon Mobil Corp. on Tuesday, finding the company defrauded Alabama on royalties from natural gas wells in state waters.

The verdict by the circuit court jury was six times Alabama's previous record of \$581 million in a civil damages case.

The jury's verdict awarded Alabama \$87.7 million in compensatory damages and \$3.42 billion in punitive damages.

The jury arrived at the punitive damages by tripling Exxon Mobil's

before returning the verdict. Exxon Mobil spokesman Tom Cirigliano said the Irving, Texas-based company would appeal the verdict, adding, "We have always endeavored to comply with the requirements of our leases.'

Bob State attorney Cunningham told jurors internal company documents showed the oil company labeled Alabama officials "inexperienced" in the natural gas business and deliberately decided to underpay the state.

foreman Shae Fillingin of 1995 over how much the Alabama coast. The jury factor, adding that the com- well drilled in state waters paying royalties

deliberated two hours pany "pretty much knew along the coast. Alabama they were doing something wrong.'

> But Exxon Mobil's lawyers argued that the company has tried to follow the state's contradictory leases for natural gas wells in coastal waters and the simple contract dispute with the state didn't warrant a huge punitive damage verdict.

"The numbers of Exxon are right. They make it something it's not," defense attorney Joe Espy said in closing arguments Monday. Exxon and state officials

After the verdict, jury have been arguing since

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# **OTHER RECENT LARGE VERDICTS**

- July 14, 2000: A Miami jury awards \$145 billion in punitive damages to some 500,000 smokers and relatives of people who died of smoking-related illnesses against Brown & Williamson and four other tobacco companies. The award is separate from the \$246 billion settlement between cigarette companies and state attorneys general

- July 9, 1999: Jurors award \$4.9 billion in punitive damages against General Motors Corp. over the explosion of a Chevrolet Malibu gas tank. A judge later cuts more than \$3 billion from the judgment to six people severely burned in the crash.

Sept. 8, 1997: A jury awards nearly \$3.5 billion to thou sands injured in a 1987 Louisiana railway fire, finding against the CSX Corp. and other transportation companies.

- Sept. 16, 1994: A federal jury awards \$5 billion in punitive damages to 34,000 fishermen and other Alaskans who said they had been harmed by the Exxon Valdez oil spill in Alaska's Prince William Sound in 1989. Exxon continues to appeal.

- Nov. 19, 1985: A jury awards \$10.5 billion to Pennzoil in a contract dispute against Texaco Corp. The case is later settled for \$3rbillion.11

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# Ohio to require new teachers to get professional license

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) Ohio education officials say the state has become the first to require all new teachers to pass a classroom performance test to get their professional licenses.

Beginning in 2002, new teachers in kindergarten through 12th grade must pass the Praxis III test. It

Man may have

his neighbors

GREAT FALLS, Mont.

(AP) - Prosecutors charged a man Tuesday with killing

a 10-year-old boy in 1996 and

said evidence suggests he butchered the child and fed

the remains to his neigh-

Nathaniel Bar-Jonah, 43,

was charged in the death of

Zachary Ramsay, who disappeared while walking to school. His body has not

Bar-Jonah is already in jail, awaiting trial on separate charges that he sexual-

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Teachers must get 38 out approved the required score will be given during a of 57 possible points to pass

last week. "dishes" made from the

body of a small child. Acquaintances of Bar-Jonah also said he gave

them prepared dishes which tasted peculiar, the affidavit said

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Most colleges require education majors to pass Praxis I, a written exam covering basic subjects, Currently, Ohio teachers before they can enroll in education courses.

> And most states require students to pass Praxis II to get a provisional license. Several other, states have pilot Praxis III programs

but have not implemented them because of the costs

psychiatric evaluation of Bar-Jonah said that he had fantasies about "dissection and cannibalism

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#### CHRISTMAS TO ME

by Da'e Pittman Christmas to me is a special time to pause and reflect of the goodness of His Love!

Christmas to me is a simple reminder of His gift so freely given to me!

Christmas to me is a time with family and friends God has blessed me with!

Wishing you and yours a glorious and beautiful Holiday Season!

CHRISTMAS TIME

by Martha Anderson Peugh He was a man of sorrows When He looked upon

mankind. He gave up all His Glory

and Left Heaven far behind,

To be Clothed upon with

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Like any other man. He chose to come to earth

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To fulfill His Father's Plan.

YORK (AP)

'Dear Santa: Please bring

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Well, that's one way to

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No more flops!

An infant in a manger Lay the King of Kings. He was shown no favor Nor given kingly things. All the years He valked on earth With no place to lay His

head. He rested in God's bosom Though He never owned a

He took our place and paid our debt For now and all Eternity

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That Baby in a manger Was our Savior on the

tree He's the reason we celebrate.

He's both yours and mine. When we set our hearts on

Jesus Everyday is Christmas Time

ONLY THE WISE SEEK by J. Theda Kyle Still were Judean Hills on that sweet night When lowly shepherds kept their flocks, all unaware

# **READERS' CORNER**

That angel's voice would soon announce tremendous news And all around them

would be heavenly light. And then a host of heaven's angels would the wonders share

Until such great glad tidings they could never lose.

Low was their station, yet to them it came

The announcement of the prophesied event And they with joy received, believed the words the angels said. How many there would be

in coming years who'd do the same! Glad were their hearts as

to Jerusalem they went So light their hearts it seemed their footsteps sped.

And noble ones came also seeking Him

By faith pressed on because they'd seen His star Came from the East and asked where He might be. And now faith lives in hearts where hope was dim;

Nor poverty, nor wealth, nor anything can bar From Him who said, "All you who labor, heavy-laden, come to me."

Wise are the hearts who seek Him yet today

Quiet are the hearts that ever trust in Him. Beautiful the feet of those

who spread His word Wayfaring ones can know

a sure, safe way Filled now with sight the eyes that once were dim FOR E'N TODAY WISE ONES STILL SEEK

AND FIND THE LORD!

THE BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT by Lana F. Anguiano

One year right before Christmas a dear little boy gave me one of the best gifts that I have or will ever receive.

I watched as his little hands drew a picture of what I thought was an angel. I asked him if the picture he had drawn for me

was a picture of an angel. No, he shook his little head and said "It's a picture of you."

I guess I must have looked puzzled for he said "I gave you angel wings so you don't have to walk anymore.'

My eyes filled with tears for this little boy knew that I had a bad foot that caused me much pain when I walked, and in his own loving way he "fixed" my problem by giving me angel wings so I wouldn't have to walk.

I kept those wings until I met a dear lady who needed the angel wings more than I did.

Written in honor of Ryan for he was the little boy who gave me a gift that was priceless yet it did not cost a cent. The gift he gave me was the gift of kindness and caring... Merry Christmas to all and Happy Birthday Jesus and Thank You for the best gift I ever got.

Do you have an interesting item or story idea for life!? Call Debbie L. Jensen, 263-7331, Ext. 236.

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# Don't be tempted to spend too much

Four more shopping days 'til Christmas. As we count down, it becomes more difficult for some of us to avoid the temptation of overspending on gifts or food items,

especially as we begin

to

much



something costs? But when the bills start rolling in, the fun we had is

replaced with worries about how to pay them. Our goal should be to

enjoy the time with family and friends without wrecking the family budget, according to Sue Lynn Sasser, extension family economics specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Advertisers, children and others can be very persuasive this time of year, Sasser said. "So, we need to know what triggers our temptation to overspend."

Sasser provides the following tips to help combat these temptations:

· Find things to do that don't involve shopping or spending a lot of money Take a walk with your

children or spouse or visit a local park with family and friends.

· Make a list before you go shopping. Buy only those

A 'Dear Santa' list for TV execs could be harnessed by TV programmers? What if Greenspan could rescue "Freakylinks"?

> Recently he signaled that the Fed stands ready to cut interest rates if the economy seems headed into a recession. Hmmm Buried in that message, for those who can decrypt it. might be sound advice on raising the viewer interest for "Gideon's rate Crossing" or "Bette.

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# Woman's photo ornaments feature leathernecks

PALESTINE (AP) - Fromthe halls of Okinawa to the Palestine, shores of Charlotte Floyd has trimmed her Christmas tree with United States Marines. Sing those lines to the tune of the Marine Corps Hymn, and you have some idea of the patriotic spirit that led Charlotte Floyd to create a remarkable tribute to 209 (and still counting) leathernecks stationed around the globe.

"My son, James Matthew Floyd, is in Okinawa, Japan, and cannot come home for Christmas, so, I wanted to do something that would honor him and others who are serving our country and can't be with their families for the holidays, said Floyd, who is married to a former Marine.

# Decking the halls...with Marines

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to so much trouble, and jokes that I have more contacts in the Marines than he does.

Floyd even had a surprise birthday cake delivered to her son Sept. 23 by a Marine mom who lives on the island of Okinawa and whom she contacted online. "I have received hundreds

Marines' moms, both in digital and regular form, and am thrilled that this caught on, because we all want to support both those who are serving and each other during this time of year when family means so much." Floyd said.

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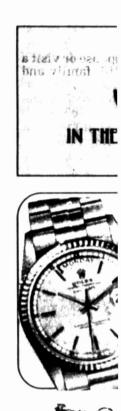
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Semper Fi (the Marine Corps motto, meaning 'Always Faithful'). And the photos of the other 208 Marines almost fill up the rest of the tree," Floyd said

"He's amazed I have gone

of photos from other

After three months, a familiar question takes on new urgency: Who let these dogs out?

pegged as a can't-miss

Why did the Fox highfinance soap "The \$treet" go bust? What was the big idea with NBC's crass comedy "Tucker" and dead-onarrival drama "Deadline"? How could anyone squander a huge star like John Goodman, who Fox squandered in a big way on its iust-canceled "Normal. Ohio''?

Despite the networks' wish list, they got a lot of coal and switches on the schedule. But even if there's no Santa for TV execs, all is not lost. Here are a few breakthrough tricks of the trade for avoiding flops, identifying hits and assembling a winning lineup.

What Does Alan Greenspan Think?

Sure, his wife is NBC News correspondent Andrea Mitchell. But that's no guarantee the busy Federal Reserve chief watches a lot of TV or that, even if he does, he would have much to say about market corrections ing's front door, where the "Girlfriends" for or 'Nikki.''

But what if his insight into the financial world, and his vast impact on it, See FLOPS, Page 7A

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It would have been beyond even the powers of Blaine, an illusionist famous for his sleight of hand and levitations, to trick the TV audience into watching a fiasco like ABC's "The Trouble With Normal," or to levitate that sitcom's ratings out of the hole.

But Blaine's latest stunt. aired last month on an ABC special, found him spending 62 hours encased in a 6-ton block of ice. TV bosses might well follow his lead.

The benefits are obvious a cooling-off period from email, phones and screenings; a chance to chill before you do something stupid like put "DAG" on your schedule.

Just ask Garth Ancier, dism used this week as entertainment president of NBC: Getting frozen would have sure beat getting iced. How About Feng Shui? You've heard of feng shui, the ancient Chinese system of managing good fortune by putting the manmade world in alignment with nature. From a build-"chi," or life force, enters, to the toilet, where "chi" drains away, feng shui

So she turned to the Marine Moms Online Club and put the word out that she wanted photos of their sons and daughters for her special Marine Christmas tree.

In return, she would make a copy of the photo and an additional ornament and mail it back to them for their tree.

ATLANTA (AP) - The American waist-

And a growing number of Americans are

not just overweight, but obese, the Centers

More than a third of adults, 35 percent,

are slightly or moderately overweight, up

from 33 percent in the last survey, which

More than a quarter of Americans, 26

percent, are considered obese, or grossly

overweight, compared with 23 percent in

Examination Survey, which measured the

height and weight of 1,615 people over age

20. Those figures are used to calculate

person's weight divided by his or her

body mass index, a formula involving a

The findings are part of the 1999

National Health and Nutrition

for Disease Control and Prevention said.

line continues to expand, with 61 percent

of adults now considered overweight, the

government reported Thursday.

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height squared.

While waiting for responses, she readied a 6-foot blue spruce by stringing red, white, and blue lights throughout its branches, adding silver tinsel and enlisting the aid of her godson, 2-year-old Jake Neil, to

**Charlotte Floyd** 

help hang other ornaments and the few Marine photos she'd already turned into ornaments, including one of her own son.

"Matt's photo ornament is hanging near the top of the

American waistline still growing

higher

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rate to 15 percent by 2010.

Floyd hopes to hear from as many mothers as possible before Christmas. She can be reached online at caf1225-texyahoo.com, snail mail at Rt. 1, Box 1862, Palestine, TX 75801, or by phone at 903-729-2746.

A body-mass index of 25 to 29.9 is consid-

People are getting heavier from a combi-

nation of too many calories and too little

spokesman for the CDC's National Center

for Health Statistics. He said an estimated

"Over the last few years, we've seen that

40 percent of Americans are physically

people's fat intake was dropping, but

they're eating more calories," Lancashire

said. "So while people are turning to the

diet foods, they're eating twice as much.'

The first such survey, which covered

1960 to 1962, found that only 43 percent of

the population was overweight. Beginning

in the 1980s, the survey and others like it

began showing that Americans were gain-

The government hopes to cut the obesity

exercise, said Jeff Lancashire, a

ered overweight, while obesity is 30 or

things on that list or less expensive substitutes.

 Avoid grocery shopping when you are hungry. al

 Replace "recreat shopping" with other forms of exercise or games at home

• Visit your local library where books and videos can be checked out free of charge.

· Read to your children instead of buying them expensive toys.

 Shop for toys, clothing and other items at garage sales.

· Use cash instead of credit cards when shopping.

· Avoid shopping when you are rushed or stressed.

 Be firm with children or other family members when they want toys or other budget-busters.

 Take time for yourself. A relaxing bath, a quiet walk or a good book will reenergize your spirits and help you resist those temptations.

Most of all remember to take time to enjoy the holidays with family and friends. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Dana Tarter is Howard County Extension agent ... family and consumer science.

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St. Mary's Episcopal Church will continue its annual Advent Offerings concert series Thursday beginning at 12:05 p.m.

**COMMUNITY NEWS** 

Special guest artists for the concert will be the Lone Star Brass Quin - Di he Midland-Odessa Symphon /. There is no admission charge for the concert, which is plan d in the sanctuary at 10th and Goliad. Everyone, is invited to bring a sack lunch for a time of ferowship in the Parish Hall ir mediately following; St. Mary's will provide tea, coffee and cookies.

The pogram performed by the Lone Star Brass will be based on both early Christmas concertos and modern music, made up of bright and festive arrangements for bras. instruments. There will be both variations of traditional music and contemporary, an eclectic mix.

# LETTERS FROM HOME

EDITOR'S NOTE: Each week, the Herald will print the addresses of service men and women or college students from the Crossroads area so that they can receive 'letters from home.' Send the address of any local man or woman attending an out-of-area college or university or serving in the military to: Letters From Home, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring; or bring ti. m to the office, 710 Scurry; or e-mail to. bsherald@xroadstx.com. Addresses should be submitted in writing.

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# Road preservation can make for a bumpy ride

says that nothing should be left to chance.

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So why not put feng shui to work in TV decision-making?

For instance, before NBC moved "Titans" to Monday, where the steamy soap faltered just like it did in its Wednesday slot, the network could have tried to align this enterprise with the natural flow of the Universal Life Force.

A feng shui practitioner might have discouraged shifting the show, yet urged shifting a vase in Yasmine Bleeth's boudoir as a way to let the energy resonate with NBC's highest ideals (the ratings).

On the other hand, ABC's 'Madigan Men'' was probably a lost cause from the beginning. Listless and unfunny, that sitcom, like its life force, started, not just ended, in the loo.

- The Mir, The Merrier? NBC had high hopes for an out-of-this-world reality series, with contestants vying for a chance to blast off for the Russian space station Mir. But Russia's Cabinet decided to send the deteriorating Mir hurtling into the Pacific Ocean in February.

Still, NBC is exploring ways to salvage the project, dubbed "Destination Mir."

Here's how, and at the same time triumphantly dispose of one of NBC's biggest, costliest duds: Launch the entire cast of "The Michael Richards Show" into space, headed for Mir or its general vicinity (and don't forget the writers).

Then, when they get there, let the chips, along with everything else, fall where they may. And pray it all happens on camera, during February sweeps.

AMARILLO (AP) - It's a bumpyride along more than 16 miles of red brick roads in this Panhandle city, where complaints have led to a Public Works Department report on how to smooth things over

While the thought of paving over the 70-year old brick roads has preservationists peeved, fixing the roads brick-by-brick could cost more than \$24 million.

Paving over the bricks would cost about \$4 million.

"There's no question, red bricks make a very strong, long lasting pavement," Public Works Director Mike Kennedy said. "The issue is by today's standards, you can't build a brick street for the cost you could back in the 30s. It's an issue of how much money do you want to spend, and what do want to spend it on.

Red brick roads have been a prominent feature in downtowns throughout West Texas and the Clarendon did some highway work Panhandle. The downtown districts of Lubbock, Abilene, San Angelo, Pampa and Dalhart are among the West Texas cities set apart by the distinct red brick.

"The first thing tourists ask us is where is the red brick from and how long have they been there," curator of the White Deer Land Co. Museum in Pampa, Anne Davidson, said. "They are quaint. They call for a lot of conversation.'

The bricks also invoke a great deal of emotion from Davidson and others in the region.

"If our city fathers ever decided to cover over them, I am going to have to go lay out there over them and they are going to have to blacktop over me," Davidson said.

Pampa, about 45 minutes northeast of Amarillo, has become intent on protecting its red brick roads. When the nearby city of

and found red bricks underneath, Pampa city officials bought the red bricks to replace bricks destroyed during construction projects.

"We love them," Davidson said. "We never have a weed come through them and they are really some of the smoother streets we have in town.'

Amarillo's brick roads have become worn out as the city's population and traffic increased over the years, said Wes Reeves, the president of Center City, a group of Amarillo businesses who want to revitalize the downtown.

"We'd like to help the city, rather than fight them, to come up with solutions to repave with brick,' Reeves said. "Brick streets really don't need that much maintenance. It would be unwise to pave over them when in fact we could just patch over them that way you don't

have to go back in every ten years and do maintenance.

'Preservation is not always the most expensive alternative.

But it's too expensive for the likes of Amarillo resident Edmund Johnston, who has lived on a partially brick street for more than 25 years

"There is a \$20 million difference between having paved streets and bricked streets," he said. "That's just too much of a difference for taxpayers to have to foot the bill. It's not fair to tax the whole community when we don't have that many brick streets to begin with.

Johnston said one possible compromise would be for the city to pay for the cost of paving. Those interested in maintaining the brick streets would pay the difference.

"Those who are going to benefit the most should foot the bill," he said.

# Santa in stars, stripes: Historic suits for Saint Nick

FREDERICK, Md. (AP) – This Santa Claus wears stars and stripes, that one a Confederate uniform. It's the Civil War, Christmasstyle, in a border state where the North-South conflict seems as eternal as Old Saint Nick.

Robert W. Parker, proud descendant of a Confederate veteran, created his rebel Santa suit after seeing another Civil War history buff, Kevin Rawlings, in a costume with a distinctively Union cut several years ago.

Parker stitched together a bright red version of a Confederate lieutenant general's coat and started spreading a Southern version of the Santa Claus legend.

"We were brothers separated at birth. He was taken north and I was taken south and that's how we can do the whole world in one night,' Parker, of Brandywine, Md., tells curious children.

explaining, though, in an area where battle re-enactments are as routine as county fairs and passions still simmer over Maryland's deep wartime division.

A slave state situated below the Mason-Dixon line, Maryland stayed in the Union with some reluctance as federal troops occupied Annapolis, the state capital. Had Maryland seceded, Washington would have been surrounded by Confederate territory.

Given that history, splitting up Santa Claus seems only natural to some.

"It's kind of appropriate for this area. You couldn't get much closer to an area where the division actually took place," Michael Graves said as his daughters Michelle, 11, and Megan, 5, visited with Parker at the National Museum of Civil War Medicine.

Rawlings has played the museum in some of his 11 His outfit hardly needs years as a Civil War Santa.

'Santa is Santa. and Santa loves children, so that part is not political. per se. But the way he was drawn by Thomas Nast, giving toys and food to the Union troops there were two different Santas.

#### Robert W. Parker, **Confederate descendant**

He and Parker, who both sport chest-length beards, occasionally bump into each other during the Christmas season.

We "We're friendly. haven't decided to go into the cage of death and duel," said Rawlings, 44, a Sharpsburg resident and author of a Civil War histobook, "We Were rv

Day.

He quibbles with Parker's costume, though. Rawlings modeled his own star-spangled blue coat and red-andwhite striped pants after a Santa Claus drawn by Thomas Nast for the Christmas 1862 issue of Harper's Weekly magazine. He contends Parker's outfit lacks authenticity.

"I have done my homework and there is no documentation for a Confederate Santa Claus," he said.

The Nast illustration shows Santa dangling a strangled puppet of Confederate President Jefferson Davis before Union troops. It is a clearly partisan image; Parker said Rawlings' outfit is, too.

"In Richmond in 1860, he would not have been very popular," said Parker, 54, a safety inspector.

He bases his schtick in part on a Louise Clack children's story, "General Lee and Santa Claus," published

Marching on Christmas in 1867, two years after the war. The story, aimed at appeasing deprived Southern children, has Lee ordering Santa to sell Christmas toys and buy medical supplies and food for wounded Confederate soldiers.

"Santa is Santa, and Santa loves children, so that part is not political, per se,' Parker said, "but the way he was drawn by Thomas Nast, giving toys and food to the Union troops, there were two different Santas.'

Rawlings, who has worn both blue and gray in battle re-enactments, said he is only interested in historical accuracy. Ultimately, though, he said the costume is less important than the generous spirit of Santa Claus, whose image has been evolving for centuries.

"When kids ask me how old I am, I say, 'I'm 1,500 years old, and this is what I happened to pull out of my closet today,"' Rawlings said





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IN BRIEF

Bulldogettes stumble

in loss to Sweetwater

Coahoma's Bulldogettes

simply never recovered

from a slow start in the

first quarter Tuesday and

suffered a 48-43 loss to

Mustangs in a non-dis-

Kortney Kemper led the

way for the Bulldogettes

with 14 points, while

Wolves roll to 60-40

Colorado City's Wolves

improved their record to

9-3 on the season Tuesday

night with a 60-40 win

over Crane in non-district

Marquise Lenard led the

way for the Wolves, scor-

ing a game-high 19 points,

while Chase Phariss

added 14 and Adam Spear

contributed 11 more.

Sign-ups continuing

for YMCA basketball

Registration is now

under way for the youth

basketball program at the

Big Spring Family YMCA.

Boys and girls between

the ages of 5 and 12 are

eligible to play. Fees are

\$20 for non-members and

The deadline to register

Practices begin the

week of Jan. 2 and games

will be on Saturdays

For more information

call the YMCA at 267-8234

Area coaches asked

to transmit schedules

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Crossroads area basket

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## Cowboys, Aikman facing major decisions in postseason IRVING (AP) son finale Monday night against Sometime next he's on the roster March 8.

week, Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones and quarterback Troy Aikman will meet to discuss the topic they've been avoiding all season: The future.

The first thing on the agenda will be whether Aikman can safely continue his career after suffering two concussions this season, four in his past 20 starts and 10 in his career.

If he thinks he can, and doctors agree, then Jones will have to decide whether he wants to keep the quarterback who brought him three Super Bowl titles and at what price. Aikman is due \$7 million if

The money might put the decision back on Aikman. How much is it worth to keep risking his health? And, if Dallas won't meet that price, would he consider going to another team that would?

With so many things to think through, neither side will be in a hurry to come to any conclusions.

"I don't want to speculate on when a final decision will be made," Jones said. "My chief concern is his well-being.

Aikman's 12th season officially ended Tuesday when it was announced he won't play in the seaTennessee.

"We as an organization and our trainers, in conjunction with doctors, felt the risks of playing the last game outweighed the rewards," coach Dave Campo said. "Troy agreed with that."

The 34-year-old Aikman suffered his first concussion of the season in the opener and missed two games. He played four more then missed a game with a back problem.

With Dallas (5-10) realistically out of the playoffs at the time, Aikman could've been shut down for the season to play it safe. However, the

quarterback wanted to play and the team needed to see how his body held up because of the pending \$7 million decision.

Aikman was hurt again in his fifth game back on a flying jolt from Washington's LaVar Arrington. Although Aikman was crunched, he suffered the concussion without being hit directly on his head.

"The last concussion concerned me because one of the things I wanted to see in the later part of the season was whether our offense could protect him," Jones said.

See AIKMAN, page 9

# Snyder chalks up sweep over Steers, Lady Steers

#### By VALERIE AVERY Herald Correspondent

Big Spring's inability to find the hole and handle the ball led to the Lady Steers' first District 4-4A loss Tuesday at Steer Gym, a 49-37 setback at the hands of Snyder's Lady Tigers.

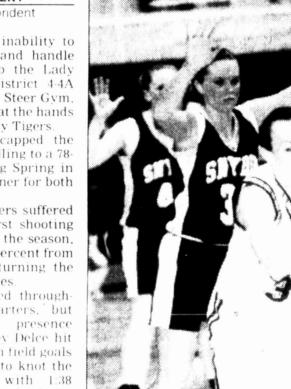
The Tigers capped the girls win by rolling to a 78-63 win over Big Spring in the district opener for both boys' teams.

The Lady Steers suffered from their worst shooting performance of the season, hitting just 24 percent from the field and turning the ball over 20 times.

Big Spring led throughout three quarters, but Snyder's big presence inside Ashley Delce hit one of her seven field goals of the evening to knot the score at 28 with 1:38 remaining in the third.

Delce finished out the quarter hitting two free throws and another bucket off of a Big Spring turnover to end the period ahead 32-

While Smyder was making its surge, the Lady Steers went 5:00 without coring before senior Melissa Forth fed Leina Braxton with 6:31 left in the contest to trail 34-30. But that was the closest Big Spring would get. Snyder's T'Leah Eicke was 6-for-6 from the charity stripe during that 1:00 period, and later would hit four more free throws to close out the contest a perfect 10for-10 in the fourth. The Lady Steers' shots would not fall, and they turned the ball over during multiple trips down the floor. Snyder went to the charity stripe 20 times in the final period and connected on 15 of those attempts. Big Spring made a surge at 3:27 when Melissa Flenniken took control making a basket and Forth hit two free throws to trim the score to 42-34. Flenniken, who lead the Lady Steers with seven rebounds, drained two free throws to cut the lead to 42-36. But Snyder made six free throws and Forth made one for the final score. "Snyder did a better job at passing, dribbling and shooting the ball," Lady Steers head coach Jimmy Avery said following the loss. "Another big difference in the game was the free throw shooting. They were 25-for-40 and we were 13-for-18. But I was pleased that our defense kept us in



# Buffs' White named APSE honor squad's top defensive player

#### From staff and wire reports

Stanton linebacker Clay White, a senior who was credited with 197 stops, shared the highest honors available with Mart quarterback Quan Cosby when the the Class 2A Texas allstateteam chosen by Associated Press Sports Editors was released Tuesday.

White was one of three Stanton players who earned first-team accolades, but surprisingly, Jeremy Hull the Buffs' 2,500-yard rusher who score 28 touchdowns was not one of the m.

Joining White on the firstteam were senior offensive lineman Ace Keele and senior defensive tackle Jon Cotton.

Hull was selected to the second-team on both offense and defense

Cosby was the only player named first-team offense and' first-team defense on the Class 2A Texas all-state team chosen by Associated Press Sports Editors.

Cosby, the 2A first-team





KEELE HULL Bohacek, Refugio senior Trace Claybrook, Henrietta junior Francisco Mesa and Hemphill senior

Wilkerson. Sonora junior James Elliott and Olney senior Chase Pratt were the allstate receivers. Lockney junior Mo Collins (1,608 yards and 20 TDs) and Corrigan-Camden senior Gerald Lacy (1,899 yards

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# ACS now offering Texas Golf Pass

The American Cane Society is again offering the Texas Golf Pass that entitles holders to more than 680 rounds of golf at 289 courses throughout the state.

The passes are \$35 each nd proceeds from the program benefit the Cancer Society's research. education programs and patient services efforts.

Both the Big Spring Country Club and Comanche Trail Golf Course are participating in the program and order forms are available at the two courses.

For more information. call 1-800-ACS-2345 or check the society's web site at www.acs-tx.org

# Fastpitch softball umpires needed

Umpires are needed to work high school softball games throughout West Texas, according to Permian Basin Softball Umpires Association officials.

Those interested will be working games in a number of West Texas communities

# ON THE AIR

#### Television COLLEGE BASKETBALL Men

9:30 p.m. - LSU at Arizona, FXS, Ch. 29. NBA

7 p.m. Utah Jazz at Philadelphia 76ers. TNT, Ch. 28.

7 p.m. - Portland Trail Blazers at Dallas Mavericks, FXS. Ch. 29.

9:30 p.m. - Minnesota Timberwolves at Los Angeles Clippers, TNT, Ch. 29

### HOCKEY

7 p.m. - Dallas Stars at New Jersey Devils, ESPN, Ch. 30.

#### Big Spring's LaTrisha Rollins (34) runs down a loose ball during the second quarter of Tuesday night's Lady Steers loss to Snyder.

that, it could have been a lot vorse. We didn't let them get that many field goals.

The Lady Steers made 23 steals - seven by freshman Kim Wrightsil but turned the ball over 20, times.

"That third quarter just about killed us," Avery noted. "We made one field goal in the third period, and they made five. We just made too many bad passes and bad decisions. But it will get better.

"We were very intense on defense, and I like that. We'll take this break and rest up and be ready to play the rest of our district schedule.

Forth paced the Lady Steers with nine points. Christina Gwyn had seven, and LaTrisha Rollins made six points in the losing effort.

Big Spring takes the Christmas holidays off before heading to the Austin Westlake Invitational Dec. 28-30.

In the late game, the Steers gave Snyder a 27-8 advantage in the first period and never could cut the lead to less than 12. Brandon Greathouse made a short jumper with 3:01 remaining to trail 72-60.

Snyder answered with See STEERS, page 9

the game. If it wasn't for four more points before Arthur Belvin hit a bucket and Mic Fleming made a free throw with :28 left. Jamal Wofford, who had 18 points finished out the scoring with another field

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goal before time ran out. "You just can't give a team 20 points in the first quarter," Steers head coach Brian Ellington said. "We battled the rest of the game.

Snyder came out roaring in the first quarter, scoring at will and piling up 27 points. The best Big Spring could muster was four points from Clarence Wilkins and a trey by Mic Fleming. Mike Smith hit a free throw to give the Steers eight points at the end of one period.

But Big Spring matched Snyder's 17 points in the second quarter after making a defensive adjustment

"That helped," Ellington said. "They had a rhythm going early, and we threw them out of it a little bit.

"We tied them or outscored them the rest of the game. I knew the kids would play hard and they did. Those last three quarters were one of the better quarters of the year.

Fleming led all scorers with 16 points. Wilkins had

quarterback for the second year in a row, also was selected as the 2A offensive player of the year. A firstteam defensive back, the senior finished just one point behind White for the defensive player of the year award.

Cosby has passed for 1,325 vards and 13 touchdowns, rushed for 1,350 yards and 27 touchdowns. He has also returned five punts and one kickoff for touchdowns. He has scored 227 total points. the latest on a game-winning 2-point conversion with just over two minutes left in last weekend's state semifinal playoff game against Refugio, which Mart won 21-20 after trailing 20-0.

On defense, Cosby has 151 tackles, five interceptions and five sacks. He returned an interception for a touchdown and also had a fumble recovery for a TD.

Also earning first-team honors was Quan Cosby's twin brother, junior running back Quincy Cosby. Quincy has rushed for 1,764 yards and 26 touchdowns.

The Cosby twins, who turn 18 on Saturday and would like to celebrate with another state title, have combined to score 428 of Mart's 622 points this season.

Adrian Blasingame, a 6foot-4, 230-pound, senior, was a first-team pick on the offensive line, along with Brazos junior Russell

and 25 TDs) joined the Cosby twins in the offensive backfield.

Coleman senior Wes Jones was the all-state kick-

White, the defensive play er of the year, had 135 tackles, five sacks, five interceptions and five fumble recov-

eries. The other first-teamers on defense were lineman Artie Cook of Lone Oak, Brian Tiemann of Goldthwaite and Alex Williams of Arp; linebackers Capp Culver of Canadian, Clay Evans of Celina and Matt McKinney of Refugio; and defensive backs Alex Boyd of Refugio, Quan Cosby, Darrell Gander of East Bernard and Jared May of Hamlin.

Hutto junior Jared Scruggs, the only nonsenior on the all-state defense, is the all-state punter.

Stanton lineman Matthew Tollison, Coahoma running back Cory Hill and Coahoma linebacker Travis McMillian earned honorable mention.

... The Class 2A Ali-State high school football team, released Tuesday, as voted on by The Associated Press Sports Editors based on regu-lar-season performancé. Players are listed in alphabetical order at each position: FIRST TEAM OFFENSE: UNEMER (6 due to the for Sth eart):

LINEMEN (6 due to the for 5th spot): — ADRIAN BLASINGAME, Mart, Sr. 6-4, 230. Top blocker on team that averaged 458 total

yards a game RUSSELL BOHACEK, Brazos, Jr. 6-1, 315 64 knockdowns, 14 pancakes. Graded 84

cent. --- TRACE CLAYBROOK, Refugio, Sr. 6-4, 225. 17 pancakes. Average grade 85 percen

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Yet new TCU head coach Gary Patterson, elevated from defensive coordinator earlier this month, doesn't necessarily expect a defen-

Dennis Franchione went to Alabama. "Usually it gets a little bit wilder." Southern Mississippi coach Jeff Bowers also wants his players to beware of quarterback Casey

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Payout: \$750.000 Texas Christian

ESPN2 Thursday, Dec. 21 Las Vegas Boy UNLV (7.5) vs Arkansa

7 p.m. (ESPN2) Sunday, Dec. 24 Oahu Bowl Payout: \$750,000 Virginia (6-5) vs. Georg 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

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Printers has j 1,584 yards and 260, accounting fo downs.

"We know the playing a team don't see any we Bowers said. "I outstanding foot



# TCU putting top-ranked defense's reputation on line tonight

MOBILE, Ala. (AP) - It's No. 1 defense in the country after that. versus No. 2, winner take all. Only it's not the national title at stake in Wednesday's Mobile

Alabama Bowl, but defensive bragging rights. No. 13 Texas Christian (10-1) leads the nation in scoring and total

defense while Southern Mississippi (7-4) has the second stingiest unit in yards allowed. The defenders from both teams are well aware of the neck-and-neck standing.

"They didn't just give us No. 1 in the country, we earned it," TCU linebacker Shannon Brazzell said. "We showed people we could play. And we've got one more game left to play, and we plan to be the No. 1

"It's a pride thing.

The game also pits TCU tailback LaDanian Tomlinson, the nation's leading rusher the past two seasons, against a defense that has allowed only two 100-yard rushers this year.

and 22 TDs, the fourth highest season total in I-A history, and won the Doak Walker Award as the nation's top running back.

Southern Miss safety Leo Barnes said you could make an argument either way on which is the best defense. Barnes figures that how Tomlinson fares on Wednesday could answer that question.

"They're the No. 1 defense in the

nation," said Barnes, an all-Conference USA performer. "We had a tougher schedule. If we can stop him from getting 100 yards, people will know who the better

judgment on whether this the Southern Miss defense is the best his team has faced.

'You're going to have to ask me after the game," said Tomlinson, who nearly doubled the Golden Eagles' 1,129 rushing yards. "I think they will be good."

Combined, the two teams are giving up 513 yards and a hair over 26 points a game, a middling afternoon for, say, Florida State.

Tomlinson rushed for 2,158 yards

defense is." Tomlinson, for one, is reserving

sive standoff. He thinks the extra preparation time gives the offenses an advantage.

"You should always be careful any time you give somebody three or four weeks to prepare," said Patterson, who got the job after

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Washington at Vancouver, 9 p.m.

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Boston at New York, 7 p.m. L.A. Lakers at Houston, 7:30 p.m.

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Los Angeles at Colorado, 8 p.m.

COLLEGE SCORES

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Virginia 107, Tennessee 89 SOUTH

MEN'S GAMES

N.Y. Islanders 2, Carolina 1 Calgary 3, Colorado 0 Atlanta 7, Los Angeles 6, OT

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# AIKMAN

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"The fact he got another concussion gives rise to concern.'

Aikman has barely spoken with reporters since his latest injury. Jones and Campo said that Aikman agreed Monday with the decision to keep him out of the Tennessee game.

"In no way would I intimate he feels this is it," Campo said. Considering the battering

Aikman has taken, the three Super Bowls he's won and the checks he's cashed, many have suggested the

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a tournament in Lamesa. Courtney Brock paced the

points in the third quarter as Big Spring began to make its move. His free throw to close out the quarter closed the gap to 65-48.

from the charity stripe to get it within 15. But the two teams began trading baskets and Big Spring could get no

big kid (Shante Taylor, 6-7, 250) didn't hurt us,' Ellington said. "We put (Smith) on him, and that

# ALL-STATE

ACE KEELE, Stanton, Sr, 64, 210. 42
 knockdowns. Average grade 94 percent.
 FRANCISCO MESA, Hennetta, Jr. 61, 258.

37 pancakes, 43 linebacker blocks, allowed 0

LINEMEN

- YANCEY BOATNER, Hamilton, Jr. 6-5, 310. BO EATON, Corrigan-Camden, So. 6-2.
- RODNEY LOMUS: Rogers, So. 6.4, 280. MASON REEVES, Italy, Sr. 6.2, 240. THOMAS, SCHENKEL, Sonora, Sr. 5.10.

#### ENDS/RECEIVERS:

MICHAEL JOHNSON, Abernathy, Sr. 5-8. 155 STUART TUDOR, Celina, Sr. 6-0, 170

QUARTERBACK: — STEVEN HINSON, Olney, Sr. 5-8, 160 RUNNING BACKS:

- JEREMY HULL, Stanton, Sr. 6-0, 175. JARROD MANOY, Frankston, Sr 511 231

T.J. WALKER, Hull Daisetta, Sr. 5-7, 170

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BRANDON HONS, Seymour, Sr. 511, 230

Miles Coob, Rio Vista, Daniel Franklin East Chambers, Brian Goodman, Union Grove; Russell Mann, Lone Oak, Dustin Parker, Shelbville, Tory Raines, Famersville; Mike Schneider, Rogers; Edgar Tabullo, Johnson City; Josh Whittington, Anahuac

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BOWL SCHEDULE

(ESPN2)

Thursday, Dec. 21 Las Vegas Bowl

UNLV (7-5) + 7 p.m. (ESPN2)

day, Dec. 24

Monday, Dec. 25 Blue Gray Classic

Payout: \$750,000

Wednesday, Dec. Motor City Bowi At Pontiac, Mich.

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frustrated him." The Steers will resume

quarterback call it a career

and avoid any further dam-

age to his health and repu-

Aikman, however, has

always maintained he'd like

to play as long as he enjoy

the game and isn't risking

His desire remains high,

leaving his health as the

main concern. Last offsea-

son, his fears were eased by

tests that showed no perma-

nent damage from his previ-

time is concern over a her-

niated disc in his back.

Aikman has had the prob-

An added wrinkle this

ous eight concussions.

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Leina Braxton 2 0-0 5: Meghan Pudliner 0 2-2 Melissa Flenniken 1 2-2 4: Totals: 10 13-18 37 play after the holidays with

score by Quarters: SNVDER 6 13 13 17 - 49 BIG SPRING 9 13 6 9 - 37 Three-point goals: Snyder 0: Big Spring 4 (Bryant, Gwyn, Rollins, Braxton), Total fouls: Snyder 24, Big Spring 30. Fouled out: Wrightsil, Forth. Technical fouls: None. Records: Snyder 122, 30. Big Spring 113, 21. JV Score: Big Spring 55. Snyder 28.

lem since '93, but this sea-

son he needed two rounds of

shots to relieve the pain.

Another big hit by

Brackens triggered trouble

When Aikman played, he

He threw for the fewest

touchdowns (seven) and

fewest yards (1,632) of his

career, plus had the worst

QB rating in the NFC.

Despite throwing his fewest

passes in a season, he had

14 interceptions, including a

career-worst five in one

game. Dallas was 3-5 in his

eight full games.

in a back joint as well.

was far from his best.

Jacksonville's

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#### SNYDER 78. **STEERS 63**

STEERS 63 SNYDER — Shante Taylor 2 0.0 4; Brandon McGuire 1 0.0 2; Chns McLeod 4 0.1 8; Jamal Wofford 7 2.3 18. Tate Thompson 0.0 0.0; Cotter Bedell 0.0 0.0; Rik Dorsett 0.0 1.0; Heath Pinkerton 12 0.0 24; Nick Landes 1 0.0 2; Jamali Prutt 0 1.5 1; Jared Thomhill 6 7:14 19; Totals: 33 10.24 78

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Lady Steers' junior varsity

"I was pleased that their

closer than 12.

Continued from page 8 13 and Gary Harris contributed 12. Harris made eight of those

Michael Martinez hit two

# 69-49.

#### SNYDER 49 LADY STEERS 37

squad with 12 points. Jessica Woodward and Tejal Patel had 10 apiece in a 55-28 stomping over Snyder. Big Spring's junior varsity boys team fell to Snyder

# SNYDER – Hayley Putnam 0.0-0.0, Cameron Mackey 0.0.1.0; Rina Gieger 0.4-8 4; Charlyn Robinson 0.0-0, Tieah Eicke 1.10-10.12; Kristin Murray 0.2-4.2; Ashley Delce 7.4-8.18; Afton Schwertner 0.0-0, Kameron Kallemyn 4 59.13; Amber Russell 0.0-0.0 Totals; 12.25-40 49

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49. BIG SPRING — Brittany Bryant 1 0-0 3; Chelsea Churchweil 0 0-0 0; Krystle Long 0 0-0 0; Kim Wrightsil 0 1-2 1; Melissa Forth 1 7-8 9; Christina Gwyn 3 0-0 7; LaTinsha Rollins 2 1-4 6;

sacks. Graded 91 percent. — BEN WILKERSON, Hemphill, Sr. 6.5, 280

103 pancakes. ENDS/RECEIVERS: JAMES ELLIOTT, Sonora, Jr. 6-3, 185. 36

– JAMES ELLIOTI, Sonora, Jr. 6 J. 185, 36
 catches for 836 yards and 9 touch.owns
 – CHASE PRATT, Olney, Sr. 510, 165, 24
 catches for 714 yards and 11 touchdowns. Nine rushes for 161 yards (17.9 yards per carry) with three TDs. Returned 12 kicks for 27.4 average and 2 Tbe

QUARTERBACK:

QUAN COSBY, Mart, Sr. 190. 2.558 all-put pose yards. Completed 60 percent of passes for 970 yards, ran for 1.061 yards. Also had 470 ards in return yardage

RUNNING BACKS: — MO COLLINS, Lockney, Jr. 5-11, 190-224 rushes for 1.608 vards (7.2 vards per carry) and 20 touchdowns before breaking pelvis in eighth

QUINCY COSBY, Mart, Jr. 510, 185
 Rushed for 1,217 yards and 20 touchdowns.
 Had 10 receptions for 150 yards. Scored 151
 brail points.

with points
 GERALD LACY, Corrigan Camden, St. 511.
 200. 212 rushes for 1.899 yards (9 0 Vards per carry) and 25 touchdowns
 KICKER:

recovenes, 7 interceptions (2 returned for touch-PUNTER: — JARED SCRUGGS, Hutto, Jr. 6-1, 165–35 punts for a 40.8-yard average DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Clay White, Stanton

## SECOND TEAM OFFENSE:

Silicon Valley Classi At San Jose, Calif. Payout: \$1.2 million lay, Dec. 20 Mobile Alabama Bowl Payout: \$750,000 Texas Christian (10-1) vs. Southern Mississippi (7-4), 7 p.m. Fresho State (7-4) vs Air Force (8-3), 6 p.m. (FOXSN) At Shreveport, La. Payout: \$1.1 m Texas (74) A&M Mississippi State (7.4), 7 pm At Les Veges Payout: \$800,000 UNLV (7:5) vs. Arkansas (6-5). (ESPN) ... Monday, Jan. 1 Outback Bowl At Tampa, Fla Payout: \$2 million Ohio State (8-3) vs. Sou Carolina (7-4), 10 a.m. (ESPN) Payout: \$750,000 Virginia (6-5) vs. Georgia (7-4), 7.30 p.m. (ESPN) **Cotton Bow** Payout: \$2.5 million At Dallas Kansas State (10.3) v Tennessee (8-3), 10 a.m. (FOX) Gator Bowl Montgomery, Ala. Blue vs. Gray, 11 a.m. (ABC) At Jacksonville, Fla. Payout: \$1.4 million: Virginia Tech (10-1) vs Clemson (9-2), 11:30 a.m. (NBC) VS. Citrus Bowi At Orlando, Fla. Payout: \$4 million Boston College (6-5) vs. Arizona State (6-5), 2:30 p.m. (ABC) Michigan (8.3) vs. Aubum (9.3). Noon (ABC) Rose Bowl ay, Dec. 27 At Pasadena, Calif Payout: \$750,000 Marshall (7-5) vs. Cincinnati (7 4), 3 p.m. (ESPN) Payout: \$13.5 million Purdue (8.3) vs. Washington (10-1), 3:30 p.m. (ABC) Flesta Bowl wre.com Bowl Payout: \$750,000 Texas Tech (7-5) vs. East Caroline (7-4), 7 p.m. (ESPN2) At Tempe Ariz. Payout: \$13.5 million Oregon Stat: (10-1) vs. Notre Dame (9-2), 7 pm. (ABC)

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Northwestern (8.3), 7 p.m. (ESPN) Championship (10-4), 5-30 p.m. Saturday, Waci ISD Stadium. TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL American League ANAHEIM ANGELS Named Todd Blyleven, Bobby Dellard travet Chris McAlpin scouts BALTIMORE ORIOLES - Agreed to terms with RHP Pat Hentge a two-year contract and with RHP Jason Johnson on a one year ion MINNESOTA TWINS Agreed to terms with RHP Darins Mota, RHP Juan, Rincon, and LHP, Johan Santana on one year contracts and with C. Tom, Prince, and JNF, Edwir Diaz on minor league contracts SEATTLE MARINERS Agreed to terms with LHP Norm Charitor on a minor league contract National League ATLANTA BRAVES - Agreed terms with RHP John Burketting one-year contract CHICAGO CUBS Agreed to terms with 1B Matt Stars on a one-year contract FLORIDA MARLINS—Agreed to terms with LHP Vic Darensbeing on a three year contract HOUSTON ASTROS Agreed terms with 1B Jeff Bagwell on a five-year contract extension through 2006. PITTSBURGH PIRATES- Agreed to terms with INF Enrique Wilson on a one-year contract SAN\_DIEGO\_PADRES\_Agreed to terms with OF Ruben Rivera on

Auburn 93. Georgia Southern 79 Flonda 106. Bethune Cookman/64 MIDWEST Cleveland St. 87, Florida St. 85 lowa 72 Centenary 52 Notre Dame 99, Canisius 71 Ohio 79 West Virginia €7 Old Dominion 81 Daytori 76 SOUTHWEST Baylor 91. Grambling St. 82 Creighton 86. Tulsa 76 Oklahoma St. 70. Arkansas LR 60 TCU 115. UT Arlington 84 FAR WEST rtland 64 Duke 97, Portland 64 Oregon St. 58, E. Washington 50 Utah 69, Pepperdine 56 Wyoming 92, Delaware St. 64 TOURNAMENTS Stanford Invitational Championship Stanford 80, Georgia Tech 66 Third Place 95 Sacred Heart 50 Trend Homes Classic First Round Fresho St. 88, Toledo 72 La Lafayette 76, Samford 66 NOMEN'S GAMES EAST

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 107 tackles (28 solo), 4 sacks, 2 interceptions returned for touchdowns
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caused fumble. 1 recovered fumble. – ALEX WILLIAMS, Arp. Sr. 6-1, 215-72 tack

les. 28 for loss. 8 caused fumbles, 6 fumble recoveries, 7 sacks. LINEBACKERS (4 due to tie for 3rd spot):

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es, 6 pass breakups, 3 caused fumbles

ALEX BOYD: Refugio, Sr; 511, 160–45;
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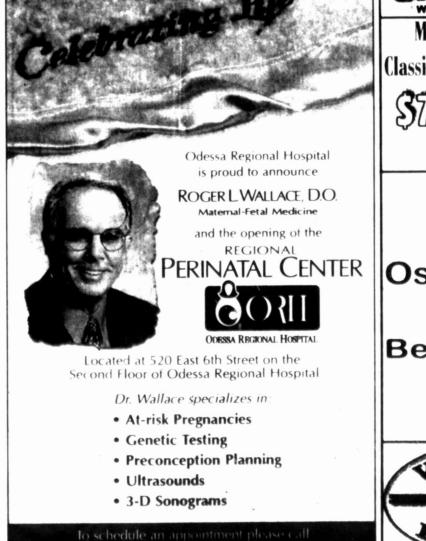
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The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult **ARIES** (March 21-April 19)

\*\*\*\*\* You might not agree with others, but you do make strong decisions. You manage to show your caring side while acting responsibly. Stay on top of work. Parents make unusual demands. The unexpected occurs with friends. Tonight: Togetherness works

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

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\*\*\*\* Listen to another. Defer to someone and let him express what is necessary. Creativity springs from the workplace and from brainstorming with others. The topic might not be work-related, either. Reach out for those at a distance. Extremes mark your day. Tonight: Go along with another's ideas.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) \*\*\*\* Pace yourself carefully. You have a lot of ground to cover. The unexpected occurs one more time. Use your unusual flexibility and creativity. Work with associates and friends. Demonstrate your ability to be a team player. Ask more questions. Tonight:

Togetherness counts. **CANCER** (June 21-July

22) \*\*\*\*Your creativity emerges when dealing with others. Listen to someone's opinions. You come out on top if vou follow through. Your drive centers on work and on getting the job done. Somehow, you might not understand a partner's

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action. This person comes from a caring place. Tonight: Get into the holiday spirit.

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**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)

\*\*\* Take care of family Deal with others carefully. You find that a loved one or a dear friend is highly emotional and unpredictable. Be indulgent, because this person means well. Tension runs high. You see events in a different light if you walk in this person's shoes. Tonight: Stay close to home

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) \*\*\*\* Keep someone talking. You need to understand where another comes from. Listen carefully to someone. By conversing with and coming to a decision with another, compassion and understanding build. Your caring warms another. Shortly, love knocks on your door. Tonight: Talk up a storm

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) \*\*\*\*Continue to monitor your finances. You need to do something very special for a family member. Pay attention to a loved one. Do not turn your back on a child or loved one. You might be seeing only what you want to see. You could ultimately hurt yourself. Tonight: Treat another well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. \*\*\*\*\* Your personality draws others out. Keep conversations going during the next few weeks. You learn a lot about another — but also about yourself through your reactions. You might indulge someone way too much, giving this person permission to act out. Unexpected developments come forth. Tonight: Draw in what you want.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 Dec. 21) \*\* Continue to be careful about making decisions. You are more off kilter than you are aware of. If you

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ing this an early day. You are particularly vulnerable on the financial front. Double-check your change and checkbook balance. Tonight: Early to bed.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

\*\*\*\*\* Aim for what you want. Think about your objectives for the next few weeks. You gain momentum and power. Extremes punctuate spending. You could easily make an error. Join friends and get together with others. Tonight: Where your friends are.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

\*\*\*\* You are in the driver's seat. Others respond to your energy. Bring family and friends together. Your sense of humor comes out with others. You demonstrate the quirkiness your sign is well-known for. Be generous with another. Think before acting. Tonight: You're the lead player

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

\*\*\*\* Listen to your sixth sense with someone at a distance. You might understand what he isn't saying, even more than he does. Be understanding and use your insights to help both of you. Get together with your friends. Good times rock and roll. Tonight: Follow the holiday music. **BORN TODAY** 

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from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control ection, Oil and Gas Division Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-7138) 3027 December 20, 2000

"Charlotte's' lifestyle is extravagant. She has an annual income of \$500,000, plus "perks" She is in her 40s, divorced for 10 years, and lives in a Park Avenue condo with her live-in boyfriend. Everything

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ves a top-of-the-line car, has plenty of nice clothes, and we enjoy sailing on our small boat. I have never denied her anything. Several times last year,

my wife visited Charlotte in New York. While visiting, my wife charged things we can't afford. I suspect she's trying to keep up with Charlotte's lifestyle, which is impossible. When I point out to her that we can't afford all the expensive things she purchases, she becomes cool and annoyed with me.

Trying to keep up with her sister's lifestyle is causing a rift in our once happy marriage. We are moving apart, and I don't know what to do. I love my wife, and it hurts. - HURT HUS-**BAND IN FLORIDA** 

DEAR HURT: If your wife's visits to her sister make her feel deprived to the point where she routinely busts the budget, you are overdue for a frank talk you feel - and give her this message from me: If you don't appreciate what you've got, you'll lose it. Perhaps it will wake her up to reality.

DEAR ABBY: Please remind your readers it is extremely important that whenever a patient has a laboratory test, the physician or his or her office communicate the results directly to the patient

test is positive or negative. It is possible for the lab test to come back with a significant life-threatening or health-threatening finding for the patient and be accidentally misplaced or filed in a chart without the physician seeing it and the patient never learning anything until it's too late.

As recently as last week, I had a patient tell me that her family doctor told her, 'No news is good news.' This is absolutely the dumbest advice that can ever be given. Almost all physicians know of individuals who have died from cancer because the findings had not been communicated to the patient years earlier (at a preventative stage), or diabetic findings or dangerously high cholesterol, etc., had never been communicated to patients.

Please, Abby, urge all individuals who have lab tests to expect a call within a week or two. If they hear nothing, they MUST call the doctor's office to inquire about the results. This could save one's life HAROLD J. GOLDFARB. M.D., ALLENTOWN, PA.

DEAR DR. GOLDFARB This subject has been addressed in my column before, and I'm sorry it is still an ongoing problem.

Readers, "No news" ISN'T good news. No news is simply that - no news. Always make a point of obtaining medical test results if you don't receive them from your physician. That precaution could save your life

DEAR ABBY: I would like to respond to your "Confidential" to "Wants to Get Rich Quick in Nevada." about it. Tell her how hurt # I agree that "the quickest way to double your money is to fold it in half and put it back in your pocket"; however, may I also suggest that Ireland is a good place to invest it? I have it on reliable authority that the capital there is always Dublin! - RAY PLOETZ. MAPLE GROVE, MINN.

DEAR RAY: You may sug gest it, but I suspect your "reliable authority" is full of Blarney

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Today's Highlight in History

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In 1803, the Louisiana Purchase was completed as ownership of the territory was formally transferred from France to the United States during ceremonies in

forces evacuated Savannah, Ga., as Union Gen. William T. Sherman continued his "Marcn to the Sea.

In 1879, Thomas A. Edison privately demon-In 1945, the Office of Price Administration announced the end of tire rationing.

effective Jan, 1, 1946. In 1968, author John Steinbeck died in New York

at age 66. In 1976, Chicago Mayor Richard J. Daley died at age 74

In 1980, the government of the Soviet Union confirmed that former, Premier Alexei N. Kosygin had died two days earlier at the age of 76. In 1987, more than 3,000 people were killed when the Dona Paz, a Philippine passenger ship, collided with the tanker Vector off American clergyman and In 1864, Confederate Mindoro island. author (1844-1914).

In 1989, the United States launched Operation Just Panama to topple the gov-Noriega.

78. Rock musician Peter Criss (Kiss) is 55. Actor John Spencer is 54. Actress Jenny Agutter is 48. Actor Michael Badalucco is 46. Actress Blanche Baker is 44. Rock singer Billy Bragg is 43. Country singer Kris Tyler is 36.

Thought for Today: "There are two days in the week about which and upon which I never worry. Two carefree days, kept sacredly free from fear and apprehension. One of these days is Yesterday .... And the other ... is Tomorrow." Robert Jones Burdette.

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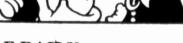


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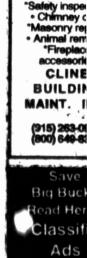
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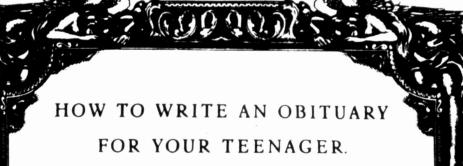
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- 1/2 cup honey
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder 1/4 cup brown sugar
  - 1 teaspoon baking soda • 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 banana, mashed
- 1/2 cup peanut butter

#### What to do:

1. In a large bowl, combine first five ingredients. Mix well. 2. In a medium bowl, combine remaining ingredients. Mix well.

- 3. Stir dry mixture into mixture in large bowl. Mix well.
- 4. Place by teaspoonfuls several inches apart on a greased
- cookie sheet.

5. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven for 10 to 12 minutes. Makes about 4 dozen.



celebrations, December 24, Mexicans go to a special church service at midnight called "Misa de Gallo" where the birth of Jesus is celebrated. Then they come back home to continue the celebration, which lasts all night.

On January 5, many kids from the country as well as from the cities write letters asking the three Wise Men for toys. They put the letters inside one of their shoes and place it inside or outside the door. In another variation of this tradition, some country kids put a shoebox filled with straw outside their doors or in their balconies. The straw is

for the camels of the Three Wise Men who brought gifts to Baby Jesus. Although Mexican children get their gifts from their parents on Christmas Day, on January 6 they receive additional presents from the Three

Wise Men.

## Nacimiento

(nah-see-MYEN-toh)

A nacimiento is a group of figures that make up a manger scene. It can be very simple, with just Jesus, Mary and Joseph. Or it can include wise men, shepherds, farmers and town people.

These are placed on a very decorated altar in most homes. In some towns the figures are large so as to be placed outside the homes.

### Pastorela

(pahs-toh-REH-LAH) Many neighborhoods put on a Christmas play called a pastorela. Pastorelas are about the Christmas shepherds.

In a play, the Devil and his helpers try to keep the shepherds from getting to Bethlehem. Angels and a hermit help the shepherds finally reach the Christ child.

Most pastorelas have different lines and songs because they are not written down. The costumes and scenery are homemade. Audiences get involved by cheering.

Next week The Mini Page features a 2001 calendar.

Look through your newspaper for signs of Christmas. For translations, The Mini Page thanks the Graduate School, USDA,

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de las posadas, el 24 de diciembre, los mexicanos van a una misa especial que se llama "La Misa de Gallo" en donde el nacimiento de Jesús es celebrado. Luego ellos regresan a sus casas y continuan con la celebración, que dura toda la noche.

El 5 de enero, muchos niños del interior y de las ciudades escriben cartas pidiendo juguetes a los Tres Reyes Magos. Las cartas las ponen dentro de sus zapatos los que colocan adentro o afuera de la puerta. En otra variante de esta tradición, algunos niños del interior ponen paja en una

caja de zapatos y la dejan fuera de la puerta de sus casas o en los balcones. La paja es para los camellos de los Reyes Magos que llevaron regalos al Niño Jesús. Aunque los niños

mexicanos reciben regalos de sus padres el día de Navidad, el día 6 de enero ellos reciben más regalos, pero esta vez son de los Tres Reyes Magos.

#### Nacimiento

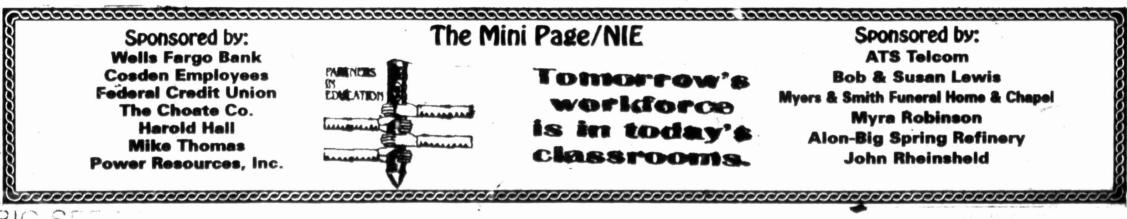
Un nacimiento es un conjunto de figuras que forman un pesebre. El nacimiento puede ser muy sencillo, solo con el Niño Jesús, La Virgen María, y San José. Pero tambien puede incluir los Tres Reyes Magos, pastores, agricultores, y gente del pueblo.

Estos nacimientos se ponen en altares muy decorados dentro de las casas. En algunos pueblos las figuras son de tamaño grande que se colocan afuera de las casas.

#### Pastorela

En muchos vecindarios se presenta una obra de Navidad que se llama pastorela. Las pastorelas tratan sobre los pastores en la Navidad. En la obra, el Diablo y sus ayudantes tratan de impedir que los pastores lleguen a Belén. Los ángeles y un hermitaño ayudan a los pastores a que lleguen hacia el Niño Jesús.

La mayoria de las pastorelas tienen diferentes tramas y cantos, ya que no están escritas. El vestuario y la escenografía se hacen en las casas. El público participa con aplausos.



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