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WEATHER

Tonight:



PARTLY CLOUDY

TONIGHT 30°-32° SATURDAY 34°-36°

County court jury canceled

Citizens who were required to appear for jury duty in Howard County court on Monday will not need to appear as scheduled.

Spelling bee books are ready to be picked up

Practice books for the Howard County Spelling Bee have now arrived and can be picked up at the *Big Spring Herald*.

The Howard County Spelling Bee has been scheduled for 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 27, in the Big Spring Junior High School cafeteria.

The Howard County winner will advance to the regional spelling bee in Lubbock in hopes of advancing through eliminations to the Scrips Howard National Spelling Bee set for May 30-31 in Washington, D.C.

WEEKEND TICKET

TODAY

□ Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. All seniors invited.

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

SATURDAY

□ Howard County Scottish Rite Club, 8 a.m., Masonic Lodge, 21st & Lancaster.

□ The Heritage Museum, 510 Scurry, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

□ The Potton House, 200 Gregg, a restored historic home, is open from 1 to 5 p.m. A one-time admission fee of \$2 for adults and \$1 for children and senior citizens are encouraged.

Reception for Syble Pope, retiring manager, 1-4 p.m., Walls Outlet Store. Refreshments will be served.

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

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Bombardier School graduate to speak at museum event

By **LYNDEL MOODY**
Staff Writer

Hangar 25 Air Museum officials will unveil a new exhibit and a local resident and former Big Spring Bombardier School student will speak at the annual membership meeting on Tuesday.



CROOKER

"We will unveil a Norden Bomb Sight," said Susan Lewis, Hangar 25 coordinator. "It is a piece of equipment used during World War II that was critical for the accuracy in dropping bombs."

Bill Crooker, Howard County commissioner and former Big Spring Bombardier School student, will speak on the history, use and effectiveness of the Norden Bomb Sight during World War II.

"Strategic bombing on manufacturing facilities

and the loss of those manufacturing abilities and infrastructure helped shorten the war," Crooker said.

Crooker, who graduated in the bombardier class of 1948, had practical hands on use of the Norden Bomb Sight equipment during the war.

According to Lewis, Norden Bomb Sight equipment is difficult to find and the exhibit was purchased from the museum's grant money.

Members can see the exhibit when the museum

kicks off its second annual membership drive with a chili supper beginning at 5:30.

Special entertainment will be provided by local musician Vince Hatfield, who will sing "George Bush for our USA," the same song he sang for George W. Bush's last stop in Midland before he was sworn in as the nation's 43rd president, Lewis said.

Although only members can attend the meeting, Lewis said the museum will accept new members that

night.

Membership fees for Hangar 25 are \$30 for individuals, \$60 for family, \$100 for sustaining membership, \$250 for supporting member, \$500 for patron, and \$1,000 for founding members.

Membership includes discounts on all museum store items and special invitations to the museum's private parties.

"The museum operates on memberships, grants and donations making this

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Man and Woman of the Year named

Jennings, Lewis are humbled by annual award

By **BILL McCLELLAN**
News Editor

Carrol Jennings and Susan Zack Lewis were named Man and Woman of the Year at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce banquet, held Thursday.

The award was a special surprise for Lewis, whose family made an unexpected visit to Big Spring to congratulate her as the announcement was made.

"I am just overwhelmed," she said between accepting congratulatory hugs after the banquet. "I don't really deserve this, I was not expecting this. Oh, but this is wonderful."

Lewis is coordinator for the Hangar 25 Air Museum and she and her husband, Bob, are owners of Multi-Media Advertising. She is involved in numerous organizations and projects throughout Big Spring, including the Heritage Museum, Big Spring Symphony, American Cancer Society, Hyperion Club and Rotary.



HERALD photo/Bill McClellan

Carrol Jennings and Susan Zack Lewis were honored as Man and Woman of the Year during the annual Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night.

She has spent many hours working with the American Cancer Society, helping to

make the local Relay For Life one of the most successful in the country.

Her presentation, "Let

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Teach your children well, speaker implores

By **BILL McCLELLAN**
News Editor

Our children are what we teach them to be, Mac Bledsoe, keynote speaker for the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce banquet, told his audience Thursday. And he encouraged those in attendance to teach their children respect, values and the American system of government.

Bledsoe is a former English teacher and coach who resigned from his job at Eisenhower High School in Yakima, Wash., to establish the Drew Bledsoe Foundation in 1996. The foundation is named for his son, Drew, quarterback of the National Football League's New England Patriots.

Bledsoe, who calls himself a "devout capitalist," said his father taught him that freedom carries a huge responsibility. It is that responsibility, he said, that we must instill in our children.

"It is true," he said, "they learn more by what we do than what we say."

He said he is sometimes shocked by what he finds among young people as he travels across the United States.

"Hard work, they haven't seem much of it, and not many of them plan on doing much of it," he told the crowd. "We're not doing a very good job of telling them what it is we believe in, and why we believe in it."

"A lot of them are doing a great job but a lot have



HERALD photo/Bill McClellan

Banquet speaker Mac Bledsoe, left, speaks with Richard Steel and chamber past president Jim Purcell Thursday.

ideas in their heads that are not going to bode very well for our future."

A teacher for 27 years, he

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Colder temperatures, possible snow forecast

HERALD Staff Report

Fog today, snow tomorrow? It's possible.

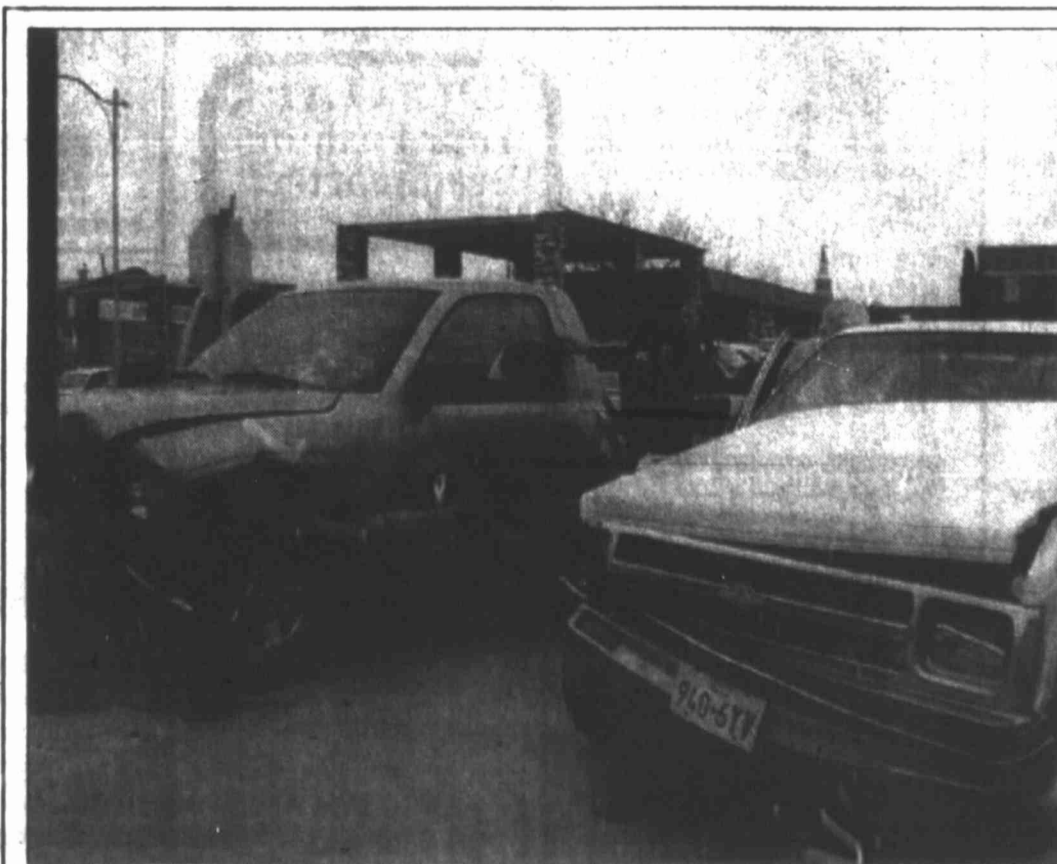
According to the National Weather Service in Midland, Saturday's forecast calls for colder temperatures and a 50 percent chance of precipitation.

A meteorologist with the weather service said rain is likely, but it could be mixed with sleet or snow. A 10- to 20-mile-per-hour wind will put wind chills in the high teens to mid 20s as the forecast calls for a high temperature of only about 35 degrees.

A chance of precipitation continues through Saturday evening, with the temperature expected to dip below freezing before midnight.

The possibility of rain will continue Sunday, but warmer skies will return. The high Sunday is forecast between 55 and 60 degrees, with the low around 38.

A long range forecast calls for highs in the 50s at least through Wednesday.



Big Spring police officer Curtis Dees investigates a two-vehicle auto accident that occurred on Gregg Street Thursday afternoon. Ambulances were called, but those involved refused treatment at the scene.

HERALD photo/Lyndel Moody

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OBITUARIES

Homer Dee Sherrod

Homer Dee Sherrod, 79, of Big Spring, died on Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2001, in a local nursing home. Graveside funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 27, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born on Sept. 27, 1921, in Breckenridge and married Jessie Tolar on Oct. 26, 1946, in Long Beach, Calif. She preceded him in death on Jan. 28, 1968.

Mr. Sherrod had lived in Big Spring for over 50 years. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and a member of the United Association of Plumbers and Pipefitters for 53 years.

Survivors include: one son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Cheryl Sherrod of Fort Worth; two daughters, Bodi Hardin of Fort Worth and Lori Sherrod of Arlington; one grandson, Matthew Sherrod of Fort Worth; one daughter-in-law, Brenda Sherrod of Fort Worth and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death also by one son, Gregory Sherrod, in 1994.

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

Larry A. Parker

No funeral service is planned for Larry A. Parker, 50, of Big Spring.

Mr. Parker died Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2001, at his residence.

He was born on Dec. 16, 1950, in Atmore, Ala. He had lived in Big Spring for the past five years and was a mechanic.

Survivors include: one son, Cimaron Parker of Big Spring; three daughters, Shelby Parker of Lubbock, Lillie Parker and Brenda Swan, both of Alabama; two sisters, Lucy McElreath of Big Spring and Minnie Chantez of Alabama.

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

Margaret Ruth Smith

Funeral service for Margaret Ruth Smith, 85, of Big Spring, is pending at this time with Nalley Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith died Thursday, Jan. 25, 2001, at her residence.

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Mary Shaw, 86, died Friday. Services are pending.

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www.npwelch.com

Homer Dee Sherrod, 79, died Wednesday. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM, Saturday at Trinity Memorial Park.
Margaret Ruth Smith, 85, died Thursday. Services are pending.

BANDS

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Salazar, Katherine Smith, Kelsey Torres and alternate Meredith Fillingim.

For the oboe section, Kelly Wingert; for the cornet section, Brandon Burchett, Joel Flores, Shannon Higgins, Mark Lozano, J.J. Moskoe, A.J. Riddle, Jason Vela and Ryan Yeats; for the french horn section, Kyle Conley and Gentry Lunsford.

For the tuba section, Allan Sheedy, Johnathan Volker and alternate Johnathan Williams; for the clarinet section, Malerie Aguilar, Vanessa Bustamante, Julie Cadenhead, Jennifer Garcia, Jennifer Hernandez, Maleah McGee, Rochelle McMeans, Cynthia Padron, Heather Policky, Elida Rodriguez, Vanessa Sanchez, Stefani Scott and Crystal Sturm.

For the bass clarinet section, Jessica Bravo, Maureen Carrillo and Chrissie Walters; for the trombone section, Ginger Fugate, Adam Heinis, Neisha Heines, Josh Islas, Mitchell Lowery, Mitchell Moore, Jacob Nichols, Kayla Odele, Raegan Ritchey and Alex Watkins.

For the alto saxophone, Billy Daves, Oscar Natividad and Spencer Roberts; the baritone saxophone section, Bryce Payne, Austin Tarleton and alternate Manoj Thangam.

BLEDSOE

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toled of students in the classroom who refused to recite the pledge of allegiance, who would keep their hats on, and turn their backs to the flag. He told of how, during a moving tribute to a hometown war hero, some of the kids yelled catcalls and threw pennies on to the gym floor to disrupt the ceremonies.

Angered by their response, he said he paced back and forth, thinking of what to say to them. And then the answer came.

"Respect for a great America is not something that is genetic. Inappropriate behavior is not something that is genetic. Respect for the flag and what it stands for is not genetic. It is a learned behavior," he said. "And I realized that these kids hadn't learned these values from anyone. And I realized I was one of those they hadn't learned them from."

So he told them of the story of his father, who had joined the Navy Air Corps immediately after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. His father and father's best friend were fighter pilots. One day, while engaging the enemy, there was a tremendous dog-fight, Bledsoe said. His father's friend, who was also the squadron leader, told his father to take his plane into a steep dive, because a Japanese plane was approaching from the rear.

Bledsoe said his father accomplished the maneuver, but when he pulled out of the dive, his saw his friend's plane bursting into flames. He was relieved for a fleeting moment when he saw his friend bail out. But then he watched in horror, he said, as his friend's parachute would not open.

He said he circled his friend as he fell, and as he flew close by, his friend touched the flag that was sewn on his uniform, and gave him the "thumbs up" signal.

"To my dad, he was saying some things are worth fighting for, and even dying for," Bledsoe said.

He said the flag represents the freedom to worship where we want, the oppor-

tunity to play whatever kind of music we want, to dress the way we want, to be able to live where we want to live and whether we want to be rich or poor.

"After they heard that story, I never had another student sit down during the pledge of allegiance," he told those gathered in the coliseum.

"One of our major goals should be to educate the next generation about our system, our economic system, or system of government. They are what we teach them to be," he said.

For the last 25 years, Bledsoe and his wife, Barbara, have been presenting a seminar they developed titled, "Parenting with Dignity."

HONORED

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There Be Peace," about the experience of the Chinese students in Tienneman Square, won the George Washington Honor Medal of the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge. She has written three volumes of poetry and one novel and has a degree in interior design from LaSalle University.

She has designed playbills for the symphony and year-book covers for various civic groups, delivers Valentine flowers for Big Spring State Hospital, is a gourmet cook and a speaker on Texas wines, wildflowers, China and freedom.

Jennings was equally humbled by being named Man of the Year.

"There are so many people who are deserving of this," he said. "This is wonderful, something I will treasure always."

Jennings is retiring as the executive director of United Way of Big Spring and Howard County — an organization which has surpassed its goal for the past five years under his direction.

He is involved in Rotary, the Big Spring Symphony, Hangar 25 Air Museum and many other organizations. An avid hockey fan, he is also president of the Odessa Jackalopes Booster Club.

His involvement in the July 4th Foundation was called a major factor in the success of the Pops in the Park event.

Several hundred people attended the banquet, which recognized the chamber's past president Jim Purcell and welcomed new president John Freeman as well as board members and staff.

MUSEUM

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annual effort vital to the successful continuation of the museum," Lewis said.

Plans to add new display cases, restore the stained glass window in the old Webb Air Force Base chapel and landscaping around the museum are in place for the coming year, Lewis said.

For more information about Hangar 25 membership, call Lewis or Nelda Reagan at 264-1999.

BRIEFS

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31 from 9 a.m. til 2 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Senior. This class is taught by certified instructors. Those who participate in the classes must attend both days. There will be a \$10 fee. To preregister please call 267-1628.

COMPUTER CLASSES FOR SENIOR citizens will be offered Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the Spring City Senior Citizens Center. Cost is \$5 per participant for the classes, which take place from 3-4 p.m. and cover a variety of subjects including the basics of computing and surfing the Internet.

All senior citizens are welcome. Call the center at 267-1628 for more information.

THE HOWARD COUNTY LIBRARY BOOK CLUB will meet at 7 p.m., Feb. 5, in the Howard County Library. The book to be discussed will be "A Gracious Plenty."

BEGINNING LINE DANCE CLASS 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., starting Feb. 6, at the Dance Gallery. Free to beginners. Call Margarita Durand-Hollis at 267-3977 for more information.

BIG SPRING SENIOR CIRCLE will be having a Valentine's Day lunch at noon, Feb. 14, in the SMMC Classroom. For more information call Pam Stephens at 268-4721.

THE HANGER 25 AIR MUSEUM, located at the McMahon Wrinkle Airpark, will be open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Sunday 1:30 to 4 p.m. The museum will be closed on all city holidays.

SUPPORT GROUPS

TODAY •Turning Point A.A., 8:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•AA, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. Big Book Study.

•NA 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.).

SATURDAY •Family support group for current and former patients and their families, 1 p.m. weekly, Reflections Unit of Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Call Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

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

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Men Of Honor (R)
Daily: 7:10 & 9:30 Sat. & Sun. 1:50 & 4:20

Dude, Where's My Car? (PG-13)
Daily: 7:30 & 9:30 Sat & Sun 1:40 & 4:30

CINEMA 4
The Wedding Planner (PG-13)
Daily: 6:50 & 7:10 P.M. & Sat. 8:30 Sat. & Sun. 2:20

Sugar & Spice (PG-13)
Daily: 6:50 & 7:30 P.M. & Sat. 8:30 Sat. & Sun. 2:30

All The Pretty Horses (PG-13)
Daily: 6:50 & 7:30 P.M. & Sat. 8:30 Sat. & Sun. 2:30

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TEXAS LOTTERY

Pick 3: 2,6,9

Cash 5: 6,13,22,32,39

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

SUNDAY

•AA, 615 Settles, 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting.

•NA 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.).

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POLICE

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

•TONY GARCIA, 43, of 1806 Laurie, was arrested on a charge of violation of a protective order.

•DAVID WHITE, 39, of 2613 Neal Rd., was arrested on a local warrant.

•JAMES SMITH, 50, of 1403 Lincoln, was arrested on Lubbock County warrants.

•LITTLE LAWRENCE, 24, of San Angelo, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated, driving while license invalid and no liability insurance.

•DISTURBANCE/FIGHT was reported in the 600 block of E. 6th.

•DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in the 700 block of Goliad and in the 4100 block of Parkway.

SHERIFF

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

•LITTLE BUSTER LAWRENCE, 24, of San Angelo, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated, 3rd or more and driving while license invalid. (BSPD)

•VIRGIL DAVID JAMES, 43, of 3810 Rice, was arrested on a charge of assault/family violence. (HCSO)

•WESLEY ALLEN HARRIS, 48, of Minco, Ok., was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated. (DPS)

FIRE/EMS

The following is a summary of the Big Spring Fire Department and EMS:

9:06 a.m. — Scenic Mountain Medical Center, medical call, one patient transported to Lubbock

10:01 a.m. — 2300 block of Gregg, medical call, one patient transported to the VA Medical Center.

11:16 a.m. — 2000 Virginia, trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

11:36 a.m. — 3200 block of Avenue C, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

12:20 p.m. — 200 block of Gregg, trauma call, service refused.

3:47 p.m. — SMMC, medical call, one patient transported to residence.

8:51 p.m. — 1200 block of Harding, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

10:46 p.m. — 1200 block of Wright, trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

RECORDS

Thursday's high 54
Thursday's low 39
Precip. Thursday 0.00

Record high ***
Record low ***
Average high ***
Average low ***

Month to date 0.43
Year to date 0.43
Sunrise Saturday 7:43 a.m.
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Sunrise Sunday 7:42 a.m.
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Bill would start students at higher high school curriculum level

AUSTIN (AP) — High school students automatically would be signed up to take foreign language courses, an extra science class and more rigorous math courses than they must now under a bill filed Thursday.

The bill by Senate Education Chairman Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo, would automatically enroll students in what is called the recommended high school program, the middle of three levels of high school curriculum.

Students would be able to change to the lower level if they have permission from their parents, high school

counselor and a school administrator.

In most school districts now, students automatically are signed up for the minimum high school plan, but have the chance to move into the other curriculum plans.

The recommended high school program better prepares students for college and the workforce, Bivins said.

"The goal is understanding that increasingly, students are going to have to have post-secondary education to function in 21st century Texas," Bivins said. "That's not to say that

everybody has to have a college degree or even an associate's degree, but some type of post-secondary education."

If approved, schools would have until the 2004-2005 school year to make the recommended high school curriculum the default curriculum.

The plan is ambitious when the state already has a teacher shortage of 46,000, most in the areas of science, math and foreign language. An additional 4,000 teachers in those areas would be needed to implement the recommended curriculum, said Pamela Tackett, execu-

tive director of the State Board of Educator Certification.

Texas Education Commissioner Jim Nelson told members of the House Appropriations Committee on Thursday that he supports the enhanced high school curriculum. He said the effort would help students do better in college and improve SAT and other college entrance exam scores, but warned about teacher shortages.

Bivins said he understands the teacher shortage dilemma, the reason he set the implementation date for 2004-2005.

Senator says he's found way to pay for teacher insurance

AUSTIN (AP) — A lawmaker on Thursday said he's found a way to pay for a state-funded health insurance for Texas' teachers and other public school employees.

Sen. Eliot Shapleigh, D-El Paso, filed a bill that would use money from various sources, including using stock gains from the Permanent School Fund, to pay for the plan that would cost \$3 billion a year to fund.

We need to decide just how much we value education. If we want our kids to be first, we need to keep our best teachers in the classroom," Shapleigh said.

Shapleigh's proposal is among several this legislative session aimed at helping solve the state's teacher shortage.

Eighty-eight percent of the state's 250,000 teachers pay at least \$1,200 a year for health coverage.

Teacher accused of sending pornography at school

ARLINGTON — A computer teacher who police said was involved in child pornography on the Internet has been fired after school district leaders learned he had used school computer equipment to send and receive illicit materials.

Earnest Leon Voyles, a Barnett Junior High School teacher, was arrested Thursday at his Arlington home on suspicion of possession and distribution of child pornography. Voyles had been with the district

since 1981.

Bail for the man, who had no prior criminal record, was set at \$100,000. He was in the Arlington City Jail Thursday. Charges were expected to be filed Friday.

Police said they found thousands of photographs, including more than 20 of children under 15, on the teacher's home and school computer hard drives. Also seized were numerous computer disks, a disposable camera, a computer scanner and scraps of paper with

names.

According to police reports, the teacher had been e-mailing last summer with someone in England who claimed to be a 15-year-old English girl. She was actually a 38-year-old woman, police said.

The man went to England to meet the girl, and the woman recognized him from pictures he had sent. She did not meet him but instead contacted The Arlington Star-Telegram and asked the newspaper to

investigate. The newspaper subsequently contacted Tarrant County authorities.

In December, Arlington investigators contacted the teacher, posing online as another 15-year-old girl. An e-mail exchange ensued and the man soon began sending pornographic pictures and describing sexual acts.

On Jan. 19, police seized the man's computer equipment at work and at home. The teacher had been on paid leave since the seizures.

Thousands come to fairgrounds for vaccinations

CONROE (AP) — Traffic backed up as thousands of people descended on the Montgomery County Fairgrounds for a mass vaccination designed to stem an outbreak of bacterial meningitis.

Health officials expected to vaccinate as many as 6,000 people by the time they were finished late Thursday with the first day of the mass vaccination in Conroe, about 35 miles north of Houston.

"I'm not panicked, but it's better to be cautious than not," said Monica Brawner an insurance executive who came with her husband and 5-year-old son.

A traffic jam developed as people arrived early to be vaccinated against meningococcal meningitis, which has infected five peo-

ple in Conroe since Oct. 1.

The state Health Department has confirmed 34 cases in the six-county Houston area since Oct. 1, but only in Montgomery County and Humble has the illness rate approached the recommended rate for vaccinations.

Twelve people have fallen victim to the disease in Montgomery County.

Three people have died from the disease this month. Two Montgomery County youngsters — a 14-year-old New Caney girl and a 13-year-old boy from Magnolia died from the disease. A 56-year-old woman from Humble, in Harris County just northeast of Houston, also succumbed to the disease.

Bacterial meningitis sent an eighth-grade New Caney

boy student to the hospital Wednesday. The boy, who is at Northeast Medical Center in Humble, has not been confirmed with meningitis, but diagnosis is "probable," said New Caney school district spokeswoman Cindee Reynolds. The boy was immunized during mass vaccinations Saturday in New Caney, but the incubation period for the disease can be up to 10 days, Reynolds said.

A Willis girl was sent to Texas Children's Hospital Wednesday with possible signs of meningitis, but her case will probably turn out to be viral instead of bacterial, a hospital spokesman said. Viral meningitis is not deadly, and the majority of people who have it recover without any problems, according to Conroe

Regional Medical Center Medical Director Jay Kovar.

Meanwhile, a 16-year-old boy has the first confirmed case of meningococcal meningitis in Chambers County. Michael Broadrick, a sophomore at Barbers Hill High School, was listed in fair condition at Memorial Hermann Hospital.

Family killed in murder-suicide had fallen on hard times

LUFKIN (AP) — When Lucio Franco Sr. and his family fell on hard times because his work as a roofer was sporadic, neighbor Pedro Sanchez tried to help his friend anyway possible.

Sanchez snaked a white electrical extension cord to the Francos, two trailers down, after their power was cut off in December. Sanchez let them bathe in his trailer when their gas service was cut. The Francos often baby-sat the Sanchezes' four children while Franco and his wife worked.

Sanchez and his daughter discovered the bodies of Franco, his wife and their four children Wednesday

night. Police said Franco's financial and marital problems proved too much as he shot his wife and four children to death while they lay in bed and then killed himself Tuesday morning.

"This is something you just can't comprehend," Sanchez said, fighting back tears. "We talked about problems with paying bills, just like everyone. But he never showed signs the problems weighed him down."

Angelina County Chief Deputy Sheriff Jim Casper said Franco, 24, shot his wife, 21-year-old Maria, and their four children with a shotgun before shooting himself in the head in their

mobile home in a rural area about 10 miles east of Lufkin.

The children were identified as 5-year-old Lucio Franco Jr., 4-year-old Diana; 2-year-old Juana; and 10-month-old Isaac.

Casper said interviews indicate the couple had marital and financial problems that may have been a motive for the shootings.

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Sanchez said he never saw any problems between Franco and his wife.

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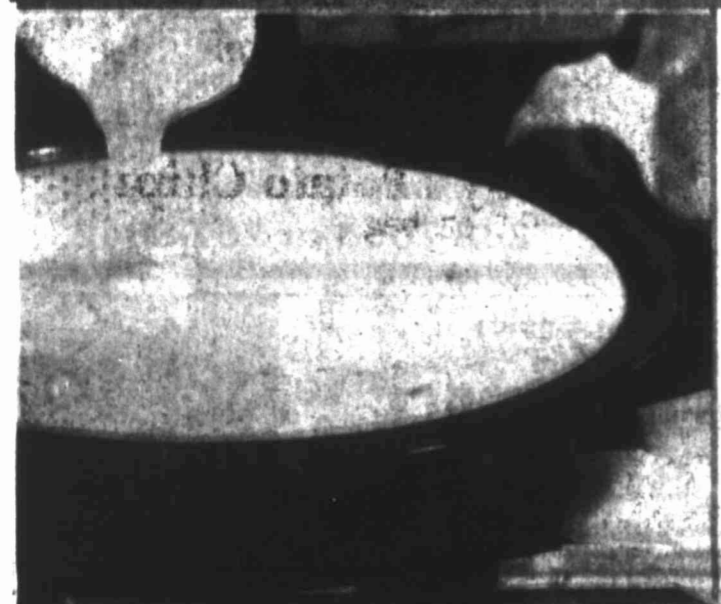
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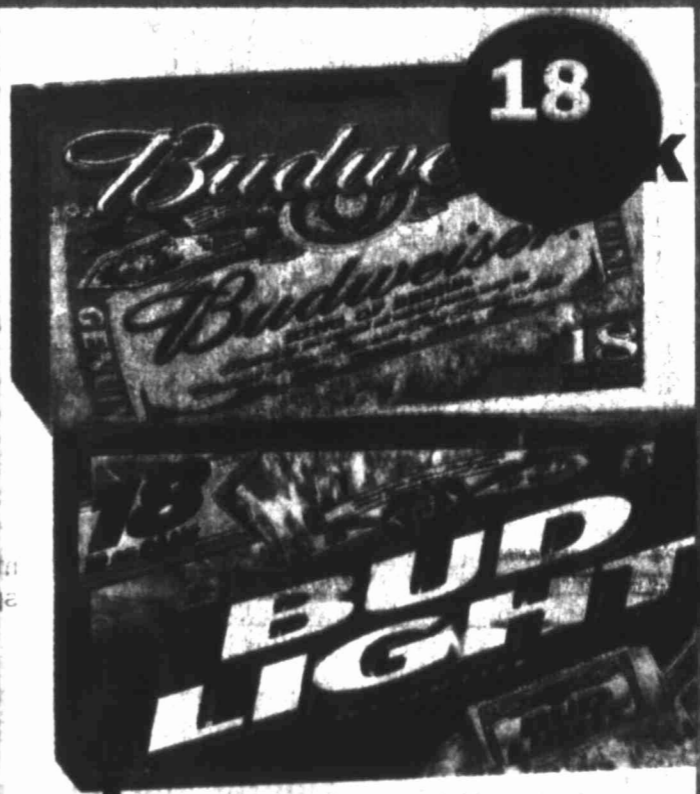
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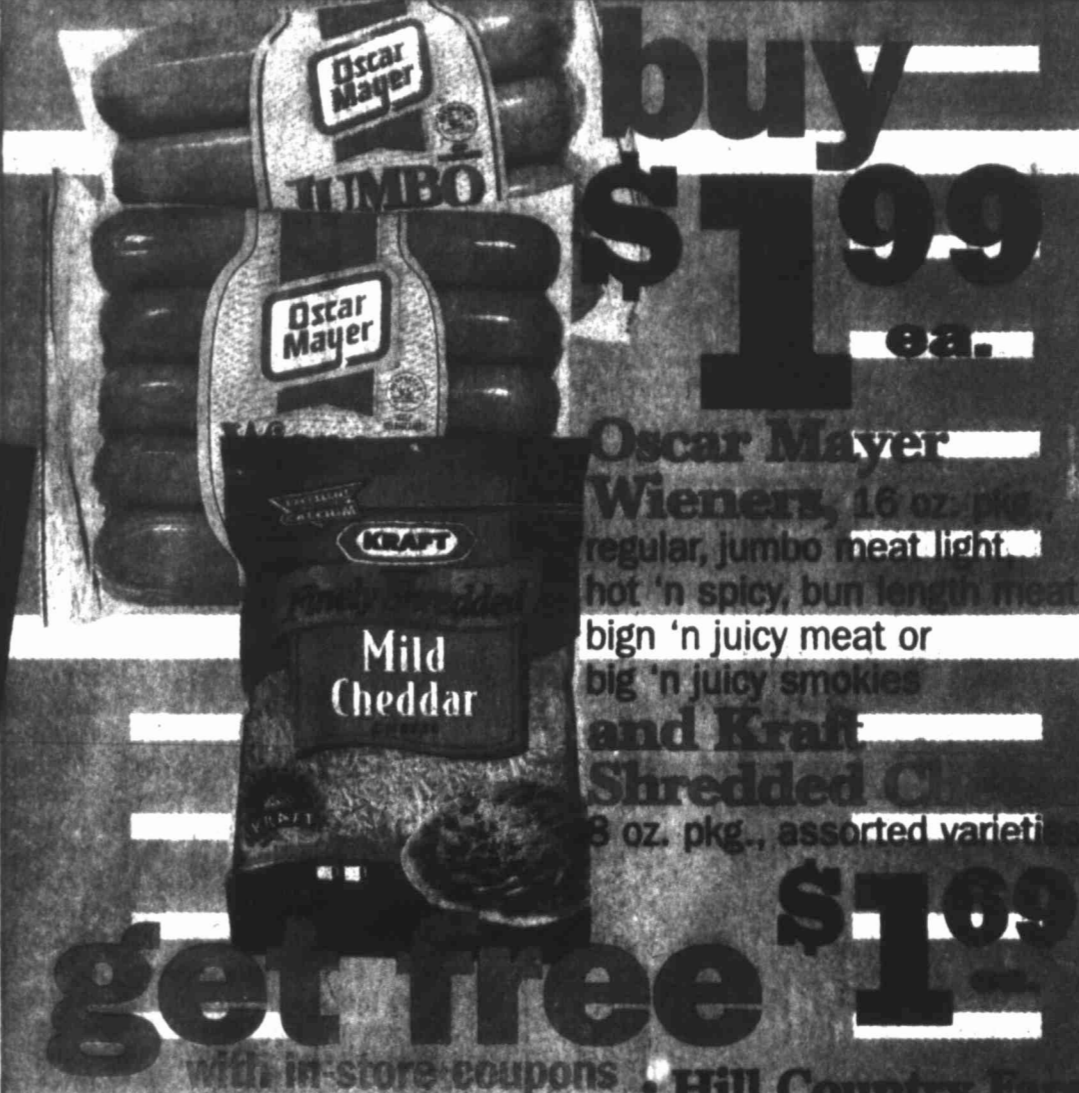
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OUR VIEWS

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Each week, the *Herald* salutes individuals and groups from our community and area who have been recognized for special achievements or accomplishments.

We recognize these special people for working to help make our region a better place to live, work and play.

This week we salute:

- **EVERETT BLACKBURN**, head athletic trainer at Howard College whose work with students was honored Thursday by the establishment of a scholarship that will bear his name.

- **HOWARD COLLEGE**, which received the news this week that enrollment has increased over this time last year, and announced the continued expansion of its vocational programs.

- **THE BIG SPRING AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**, which conducted another successful banquet Thursday, marking the beginning of a new year of programs and services.

- **MATT LOVELADY**, Big Spring High School journalism student who shared with us some of his photographs taken during President George W. Bush's visit to Midland last week.

- **THE SIGNAL MOUNTAIN QUILTING GUILD**, which donated 12 quilts to the Big Spring Fire/EMS Department to comfort them in emergency situations.

Is there an individual or organization in our community that you feel should be saluted? If so, please send us their name and why you think they should be recognized. We must have your name and telephone number and you must provide it in writing.

YOUR VIEWS

TO THE EDITOR:

I was born in Big Spring and have lots of family and friends there. I have really enjoyed being able to go online and read about all the happenings there.

You guys are doing a wonderful job. My family and friends were just amazed to read everything about the Vietnam Memorial and it made me very proud to be from a place that cares so much about the history of that area. Thank you for doing such a good job.

SHERRI DANIELS
VIA THE INTERNET

TO THE EDITOR:

The representative of the gas company's defense of their tripling of gas prices over a three year period is disingenuous to say the least. The price of the gas

itself is only a small percentage of the cost to the customer.

The line that carries gas from Big Spring to Coahoma was laid in 1932 or 1933. I don't know when it first arrived in Big Spring. I bought the house I live in in 1957. As far as I know I have the same meter I had when I moved in. What the gentleman is telling us is that someone is robbing your neighbor so that makes it all right for us to rob you.

We all worry about inflation and rightly so, but there is nothing as inflationary as a huge jump in the price of utilities. The utility companies should start to worry right now about their ability to collect bills from bankrupt people and businesses.

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Could American citizenship be for sale?

In his inaugural address, President George W. Bush issued a call to rein-vigorate citizenship: "We are bound by ideals that move us beyond our back-grounds, lift us above our interests, and teach us what it means to be citizens. Every child must be taught these principles. Every citizen must uphold them."



MICHELLE MALKIN

Bush can do his part by eliminating one of the greatest abuses of American citizenship: the Immigrant Investor Visa program. It has spawned a niche market in skirting laws, scratching backs, and selling out.

This fraud-ridden scheme was created under an obscure section of the 1990 Immigration Act, signed by Bush's father. Known as the EB-5 law, it allows wealthy foreigners to purchase green cards by investing between \$500,000 and \$1 million into new commercial enterprises or troubled businesses. After two years, foreign investors, their spouses and children all receive permanent resident status — which allows them to con-

tribute to U.S. political campaigns and provides a speedy gateway to citizenship.

Making political access and the privilege of citizenship available to the highest foreign bidder offends the very ideals Bush wants to promote. Arkansas Senator Dale Bumpers, a longtime critic of the program, noted: "All you need is green. You do not have to know anything about the poor and huddled masses that Emma Lazarus wrote about ... How crassly we demean this precious blessing we call citizenship."

Supporters of the program claimed it would attract substantial overseas investment to aid struggling American businesses. But the benefits of this economic development plan have gone mostly to former Immigration and Naturalization Service officials, who formed lucrative limited partnerships to cash in on their access.

Here's how the racket worked: Immigrant investors paid token fees to these partnerships. The partnerships secured promissory notes for the remainder of the foreign investments, which were forgiven after investors received their permanent green cards. Former INS employees, working for these partnerships, aggressively lobbied their old colleagues to accept such

bogus financial arrangements. As a result, according to an internal U.S. Justice Department investigative report, "allens were paying \$125K" instead of the required \$500,000 to \$1 million minimum, and "almost all of the monies went to the General Partners and the companies who set up the limited partners."

A Baltimore Sun investigation last year found "only a tiny fraction of the money ever made it to the companies seeking assistance." Many of the distressed U.S. firms that the program intended to help have closed because they never received promised funding.

Steven Perlman, a New York City immigration lawyer who sued the government to disclose parts of the internal investigative report, told me last week that the EB-5 program became a "moneymaking machine." That wouldn't have been possible, Perlman notes, without political protection. One INS document indicates that officials worried about keeping "promises to the Hill." When the agency finally moved to end fraud, "influential members of Congress protested," according to the Times.

Key supporters of the Immigrant Investor Visa program included Democrat Sens. Paul Simon and Ted

Kennedy. Republicans embraced it, too. Prescott Bush, W.'s uncle, was on the board of American Immigration Services, one of the leading visa vendors. So was former President Bush's INS commissioner, Gene McNeary. And leading GOP Sen. Mitch McConnell worked closely with the woman who was instrumental in drafting the EB-5 law: Maria Hsia, a McConnell donor who later laundered more than \$100,000 in illegal donations to the Democratic National Committee through a California Buddhist temple.

At the time Hsia was working for McConnell and others on the immigration bill, she also worked for a campaign fund-raising group called the Pacific Leadership Council. Hsia co-founded the PLC with Lippo Bank officials John Huang and James Riady, the chief figures in the Clinton-Gore Donorgate scandal convicted of campaign-finance crimes. At least six Lippo Bank officials have reportedly benefited from the EB-5 law.

Was this visas-for-sale program established to launder foreign money into our political system? We may never know for sure, but President Bush should shut down this suspicious pipeline now and stop the shameless pimping of Lady Liberty.



We don't need mindless mantra

Paul O'Neill, Pres. George W. Bush's new Treasury secretary, could prove to be an economically disastrous appointment, yet he breezed through the confirmation process on personality and mantra. First the personality: He is called and accepts the label of "maverick," a tag he honed as president of Alcoa and confirmed when he came across to senators as soft on the president's proposed tax-cut plan.



JACK ANDERSON

And this brings us to the mantra: We do not want to pass federal deficits and debts on to our children. Or as it is often put: We do not want to spend on the backs of children. It has a nice ring. Like most mantras, truth seems contained in simplicity. But what is the truth? What does history tell us?

Clearly, no generation of Americans has denounced a prior generation for passing on a burdensome debt when the purpose of the liability was clear. World War II and the Cold War come to mind. Both were

enormously expensive, and both required the massive use of budget deficits. Such borrowing and spending seem to be rational, reasonable and necessary, so virtually no one complains.

But there is an underlying truth that is often missed and is currently being missed by Mr. O'Neill. Deficit spending is as important an economic tool as debt reduction. The idea is to reduce the national debt in good times and resort to deficit spending to pull us out of bad times.

That is why we need to look back further than World War II — to the Great Depression of the 1930s. The Depression was not caused by the stock market crash of 1929, but by the fiscal policies of Pres. Herbert Hoover. As the economy retracted after the crash, Hoover, not wanting to pass a large national debt on to the next generation, chose exactly the wrong medicine. He cut the budget to keep it in balance with lower tax revenues. In addition to lowering federal spending, he exacerbated the situation by raising tariffs, which caused foreign retaliation and resulted in a drop in foreign demand for American-made goods. Mr. Hoover passed on to his and the next generation

something far worse than budget deficits. He turned a stock market crash into a depression.

Today, there is talk of a recession because the business cycle has not been eliminated. And if there is a recession, what will Secretary O'Neill recommend to President Bush? If he adheres to his congressional testimony, we may expect to see a lessening of federal spending and a scrapping of federal tax relief because as personal incomes fall, the taxes paid will fall. O'Neill, like Hoover, values a balanced budget above all other economic situations. So he will continue to lower the budget as tax revenues continue to fall, creating a downward spiral to disaster.

O'Neill's economic philosophy has been discredited by history, but the mantra lives on. Because the economy is softening, now is the time for a tax cut; it should be a tax cut that is retroactive to Jan. 1, and its primary beneficiaries should be middle-income earners. It is also the time for additional interest rate cuts, and the Federal Reserve Board Chairman is on the right track there. It is not the time for balanced budgets, Hoover-like economics and O'Neill's mindless mantra.

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Greenspan lends support to tax cut

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush, in office less than a week, has scored an early triumph in his campaign for a \$1.6 trillion tax cut, winning Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan's support for tax relief.

Greenspan, who until recently was insisting that the best use of the projected surpluses was to pay off the national debt, said Thursday that the surplus estimates have gotten so large that he now believes there will be enough money to pay off the debt and cut taxes too.

In testimony before the Senate Budget Committee, Greenspan said that if the surplus projections come true — \$5 trillion over the next 10 years — the government will be able to eliminate the \$3.4 trillion in debt held by the public and have enough left over to reduce taxes.

The president and other Republicans were quick to praise Greenspan's comments. Bush told reporters

at the White House that he believed Greenspan had gotten it "just right. He recognizes that we need good monetary policy and sound fiscal policy to make sure that the economy grows."

House Speaker Dennis Hastert, R-Ill., said Greenspan's testimony "confirmed that the path advocated by President Bush and the Republican Congress is the right one. Fiscal discipline combined with tax relief will keep our economy growing."

In addition to dropping his previous reservations about using the surplus for tax cuts, Greenspan also voiced support for another element of a tax cut program that Bush is considering — speeding up the relief so that it can provide support for an economy that has suddenly lost altitude.

In fact, Greenspan used some of the starkest language he has ever employed to describe current economic conditions, saying the dramatic slowdown that began in the fourth quarter

has probably pushed economic growth "very close to zero" in the current quarter.

He said he still believed the country could avoid a full-blown recession as long as consumer confidence did not tank.

"He was very open about his views about how dramatically the economy has slowed," said David Jones, chief economist at Aubrey G. Lanston & Co. in New York.

Some private analysts saw Greenspan's change of views on tax cuts as an example of how the Fed chairman, who has served under four presidents, can change his positions to match changing views in the White House.

"Prior to today, Greenspan said don't count your surplus chickens until the eggs are hatched. But now ... Dr. Greenspan suddenly is a believer in budget projections," said Paul Kasriel, chief economist at Northern Trust Co. in Chicago.

Ashcroft's confirmation battles continues

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supporters of attorney general nominee John Ashcroft say they'll challenge anyone trying to discredit his testimony before a Senate confirmation hearing.

"We will not allow one false allegation to go unanswered," David Israelite, political director for the Republican National Committee, said Thursday after two new accusers claimed Ashcroft was lying when he told a Senate confirmation hearing he never had discriminated against gays.

After four days of hearings on Ashcroft last week, and after Senate Democrats forced a delay in his Senate Judiciary Committee vote this week, the opposition is "in a throw-it-up-against-the-wall-and-see-what-sticks mode," said Mindy Tucker, a spokeswoman for President Bush.

"They tried to destroy his reputation by misrepresenting his record, and he went before the committee and presented the facts and made clear what his positions are and how he would conduct himself as attorney general," Tucker said.

On Thursday, a former ambassador and an erstwhile job applicant appeared at separate news conferences arranged by liberal groups opposing Ashcroft, from the AFL-CIO to civil liberties, women's rights, human rights, Hispanic and Asian American organizations.

One accuser, Paul Offner, said Ashcroft had asked about his sexual orientation during a 1985 job interview. Offner was applying to be in then-Gov. Ashcroft's Cabinet.

"He said, 'My first question, Mr. Offner, is do you have the same sexual preferences as most men?' I was

blown away," Offner, now at Georgetown University, told reporters. Offner is a Democrat who served in the Wisconsin state senate and later worked for former Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y.

As Offner spoke, Ashcroft supporters were handing out a memo from the Republican National Committee that included Federal Election Commission records of contributions the accuser had made to Democratic candidates and causes.

Meanwhile, the Bush team provided the names of two former Ashcroft aides who would refute Offner's claims, saying they had been in on Offner's interview 16 years ago.

"John Ashcroft did not ask that question of him or any other candidate we spoke to," said Carl Koppal, who headed Ashcroft's gubernatorial transition team. Duncan Kincheloe, the team's director of executive recruitment, echoed the claim.

And at the same time, Ashcroft backers were responding to allegations made earlier in the day on the same subject. James Hormel, who served as ambassador to Luxembourg, asserted during a news conference that then-Sen. Ashcroft opposed his confirmation "solely because I am a gay man."

Hormel won the ambassador post in 1999, when former President Clinton used a procedure to bypass the Senate when the chamber was out of session. Ashcroft last week told senators his opposition was unrelated to Hormel's homosexuality. But Sen. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., and other critics cited a 1998 news account quoting Ashcroft as objecting on

those grounds. Despite the campaign against Ashcroft, his opponents know his confirmation is likely.

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He has lighted the path of life for us

By RAYFORD HARRISON
Columnist

What is Christianity? By its very name, it is the system of truth, the body of doctrine, the course of life, as taught by Jesus Christ. Jesus of Nazareth, whose prophetic title, the Christ, indicates a divine commission, fulfilled that commission by bringing the gospel, Christian-ity, to the world.

A Christian must possess the absolute knowledge that Jesus came on earth to teach truth, live the truth and die, all for the good of man, in fulfillment of an eternal plan. Without such a conviction of knowledge, faith in Christian doctrine is slight and weak.

The full, convincing truth of the personal claims and the universal message of Jesus the Christ, may be known by every sincere seeker of the truth. The seeker must desire truth and pray to God for assistance in finding the truth. Prayer must be continued throughout the search. Then there must be a sincere and careful examination of the doctrine taught by the Christ — unbiased and unprejudiced study.

Finally, the doctrine must be practiced in daily life; that is, put to the test. Such a quest — prayerful, studious and practical — will never fail to reveal to the soul of the searcher that Jesus of Nazareth is the Son of God, the Redeemer and Savior of mankind.

Jesus, the Son of God, has watched over the generations of men from the beginning of the earth. He has taught and taught again the gospel message to a world hard of hearing and weak of will. He has suffered the pains of the world and died that men might again possess their bodies, purified and imperishable. He has, by His example, showed us the beauty and necessity of love and sacrifice. He still leads, guides and blesses us

Through the ages, Jesus has sought to teach His children the path of conduct that will lead them back into God's presence.

daily. And on the last great day will be our judge, our defender, our advocate with the Father and He will bring us into eternal life. He is our redeemer, our Savior, our example.

Jesus gave His life, His earthly life, that all mankind might be resurrected and eternally enjoy the association of body and spirit. This was the atone-ment of Jesus the Christ.

The mystery of the process may be beyond our understanding, but the certainty of the resurrection remains.

Jesus did more than atone for the transgressions of mankind. He brought to the earth principles of the gospel of truth that, lived fully, would assure man's happiness on earth and in heaven. These truths were taught to Adam; they were restated at various times as men fell away from the gospel.

When Jesus came upon the earth, He taught the gospel in its simplicity to the people of His day. In these days it is taught again. Through the ages, Jesus, has sought to teach His children the path of conduct that will lead them back into God's presence. And there they will forever taste the joy of unending, continuous progress.

He has lighted the path of life for every willing traveler. Christianity, the gospel of Jesus Christ, will return truth seekers to His presence.

Rayford Harrison is with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.



Ninety-one year old Elina Byrd, who lives at Canterbury North, got her birthday wish Saturday when she got a ride on the back of this motorcycle driven by Jimmy "Babe" Ruth. Eight other members of the Cossacks motorcycle club accompanied her on the ride through town.

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CHURCH NEWS

First Presbyterian

"Procedures manual for churches: When all else fails" is the Rev. Dianne Brown's sermon title for Sunday 11 am worship service. Sunday school for all ages 9:45 allowed at 10:40 by Take Ten refreshment time.

Join us at Eighth and Rannels for all of our church activities or call 263-4211 for more information.

First Methodist

"A Light in the Darkness" (John 3:1-21) is the title for Dr. Ed Williamson's message on Sunday, Jan. 21, 2001, at the First United Methodist Church. Join us in church at 8:30 and 10:50 a.m. Hear us on the radio at KBST (65.9 FM) at 10:50 a.m. each Sunday and at 8:07 a.m. each weekday morning after Paul Harvey's Comments and News.

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a Soup-Bowl canned goods drive to help those less fortunate. A box will be in the narthex

this Sunday to receive donations of non-perishable items.

The Kingdom Class, taught by Shelley Smith, is a Sunday School class and a club for adults with special needs. Anyone else that would like to visit or join the class are welcome. The members of this class vote on local charities and read out loud in turns from the bible. Tea, coffee, Kool-aid and donuts are provided as refreshments. Wednesday Noon Bible Study Luncheon meets in Garrett Hall.

The youth have a busy schedule at FUMC Mid High Youth meet each Sunday at 5 p.m. with Senior high meeting 6 p.m. Senior high bible study meets on Wednesday's, at 6:30 p.m. at One Courtney Place Apt 707. The youth will be having a Super Bowl party on Sunday, Jan. 28, in the Partee Building. All youth are invited to come at 4:30 p.m. to watch the game, eat pizza and play games. Please bring \$2 to cover the cost of the pizza. Feb. 2-4 there will be a Mid High Retreat at CETA Canyon. Feb. 8-11 the youth will be going on a ski trip to

Ruidoso.

The Chancel Choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The youth handbell choir meets on Sunday at 4 p.m. in the choir room. Youth choir meets on Sunday at 6 p.m. in the choir room.

The church will be sponsoring an estate sale for the late Bee Zinn on Saturday in the Partee Building (Gregg Street entrance). Robert Pruitt is the auctioneer.

You can preview the items from 8-10 a.m. on the day of the sale. The sale will begin at 10 a.m. Food and drinks will be available.

The First United Methodist Church is located at 400 Scurry and all visitors and new residents of Big Spring are welcome. Please call the church office, 267-6394, for more information.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Annual Parish Meeting is 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 28, in the Parish Hall. We will not have the 8 a.m. service this Sunday.

The Inquirer's Class meets at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday,

Jan. 31, in the Parish Hall.

Immaculate Heart of Mary

The parish council met on Jan. 22, with newly appointed and elected officials in attendance; Alonzo Landin (president), Brian Policky (vice president), Richard Light (secretary), Lisa Brooks, Kevin Ritz, Tarey Tarleton, Junior Landin, Nora Landin and Joe Lujan.

Father Regan reported to the council that he is actively recruiting parishioners to fill various positions crucial to our church ministry. We need many parishioners to step forward. There will be three classes during February that will prepare you for the ministry of Lector, the reading of Scripture. If you would like to proclaim the word, please join us on Feb. 5, at 7 p.m., in the church.

For those who prefer reading along with scripture as it is proclaimed, new bilingual missalettes are "United in Christ" ("Unides en Cristo") available and are located at the entrance of

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Caution urged with shrine that sits at center of peace talks and prophecy

JERUSALEM (AP) — Negotiations over a disputed Jerusalem holy site are failing to take into account its central role in the end-times prophecies of Judaism, Christianity and Islam alike — or to calm those who want to see the prophecies played out, an Israeli author warns.

"People's beliefs are a strategic fact when you're dealing with Jerusalem, the Holy Land, and the Temple Mount," said Gershom Gorenberg, an expert on apocalyptic beliefs.

Backed by senior Israeli security officials, Gorenberg wants the U.S. government to insist on cede the sacred hilltop, known to Jews as Temple Mount and to Muslims as the Haram as-Sharif, could spur extremists to desperate action.

The holy site at the center of peace talks and prophecy lies in a corner of Jerusalem's Old City, 36 years after the nearly 2,000-year-old Temple was destroyed by the Romans.

...For Christian and Jewish end-timers, Israel's proposed concession of the Temple Mount to the Palestinians threatens to rewrite the ending to what they see as a divine script.

Judaism's two biblical Temples. It's Islam's third-most holy site; Judaism's first.

It's also the single stage on which three different plays unfold — the final-days beliefs of the world's major monotheistic faiths, Gorenberg writes in a new book, "The End of Days."

And for Christian and Jewish end-timers, Israel's proposed concession of the Temple Mount to the Palestinians threatens to

rewrite the ending to what they see as a divine script:

— For Jews, the day a third Temple rises on the site of the old is inextricably linked to the coming of the Messiah.

— In Christian doomsday theology, Jews' construction of the third Temple would be another ordained step toward the Antichrist, the Apocalypse and the Second Coming — as was the founding of the state of Israel itself.

— In some Muslim beliefs, meanwhile, Jerusalem will be the field for the final battle between good and evil, Gorenberg says.

Two former Israeli security officials recently warned Prime Minister Ehud Barak of the possible danger in negotiations over the site's fate.

Assaf Hefetz, former national police commissioner, and Carmi Gilon, ex-chief of the security agency Shin Bet, said in a letter to

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CLUB NEWS

DAR

The Captain Elisha Mack Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR), met Jan. 13 at the Big Spring Country Club.

Regent Lola Kelley welcomed members and our guest, Ginny Cooke. Carol Scott is our newest member.

Kelley announced that our nomination of local veteran Elton "Buck" Turner (a former POW) has been selected "Outstanding Veteran Patient" at the state level. His nomination will be forwarded to regional competition.

The Texas State DAR will hold its 102 convention in Houston next Mar. 16. Regent Lola Kelley and Sue Ann Damron will be voting representatives and Mary Schuelke and Carole Lawson are alternates. Anne Witherspoon will serve as a page.

Members are submitting names of men and women who served in World War II,

so they can be honored in the NSDAR World War II Book of Remembrance. For more information, please contact Regent Lola Kelley.

The next meeting will be Feb. 10, at the Big Spring Country Club at noon. The meeting will include a film celebrating the 100th birthday of the DAR.

Woman's Club

Big Spring Womans Club met Monday, Jan. 15, in the home of Peggy Keeton. The program was presented by Jacob Brewer, MPT on getting fit. He gave a very informative program on designing a personal program for yourself. This was also a membership meeting and we had one guest. Our next meeting will be Feb. 19, at Spanky's.

Mighty Oaks

The Mighty Oaks Club met in regularly meeting on Jan. 16, in the fellowship hall of East Fourth Baptist Church. Eleven members and one guest, Ellen Barefoot, attended. Church staff members joined the club for lunch.

Following the business

meeting, Barefoot present a program of plano gospel music.

President Pa Wyrick called the meeting to order and mentioned the following names of those in need of prayer: Coy McCann, Doris Higgenbotham, Velma Roman and Mable Wilson. Also remember in prayer the family of Lockie Schooling, a club member who died on Jan. 10. We will miss her.

Vera Hipp expressed her appreciation of the attention and help the club gave her during her illness. Ola Lee McMullan, club member, expressed appreciation for the surprise 90th birthday party given to her on her birthday.

A motion was approved that the club to donate a gift to East Fourth Baptist Church towards kitchen equipment in memory of Lockie Schooling.

The next meeting will be Feb. 20. Mighty Oaks is a nondenominational club and welcomes visitors and new members.

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SLICE

RELIGION IN THE NEWS

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP) — Church can be exciting and fun, concludes a study that found excellence that focuses on 600 congregations around the nation, including some that are far from traditional.

One church profiled was Warehouse 242 in Charlotte, where a Friday night service in a downtown auditorium attracted casually dressed young people, who got a cup of coffee at the door and a travel mug to take home. Rock music and preaching shared the stage.

Paul Wilkes, a professor at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington, conducted the two-year study. He said the idea for the study came after he visited a Catholic church in Upper Saddle River, N.J., about two years ago.

"I had been to a place where religion was fun," he said. "Religion felt right. It wasn't stodgy, yet it was respectful."

The study, funded by a \$190,000 grant from the Lilly Endowment, identified 600 congregations and 300 Catholic congregations. The churches included Lutheran congregations in Lone Wolf, Okla., and large

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

COMPUTER CLASSES FOR SENIOR citizens will be offered Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the Spring City Senior Citizens Center. Cost is \$5 per participant for the classes, which take place from 3-4 p.m. and cover a variety of subjects including the basics of computing and surfing the Internet.

All senior citizens are welcome. Call the center at 267-1628 for more information.

WELL SAID

Every man is the architect of his own fortune.

Applius Claudius

Pick battles big enough to matter, small enough to win.

Jonathan Kozel

SHRINE

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Barak that an extremist attack on the hilltop's mosques would likely "lead to all-out war and unleash destructive forces that would imperil Israel's existence."

"A single fanatic can bring horrible things on us," warned Rabbi Shmuel Rabinovitz, overseer of the Temple Mount's adjacent Western Wall.

A recent TV panel discussion on the subject with some of Israel's leading rabbis opened with a clip from a 1999 apocalyptic movie, "The Omega Code," showing a terrorist blasting away the hilltop's gilded Dome of the Rock.

One of the panelists, Yehuda Etzion, said he believed one day the mosques would be razed, but stopped short of saying he and his followers would do it themselves. "There will come a day when the mount will be purified," said Etzion

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Mary Jane Club

Mary Jane Club met in December at the beautifully decorated home of Sue Tindol for its annual Christmas luncheon and gift exchange. Marie Ethridge and Nan McKinney co-hosted the event. President Marie Ethridge conducted a short business meeting. The new seniors program at Howard College was explained with brochures available to those interested. The entertaining "Chinese-style" gift exchange was followed by a salad luncheon.

The club gathered for its January meeting in the home of Patricia Barr with Bonnie Cushing as co-hostess. There were 14 members and guests present. In the business meeting, it was decided to attend the musical "Hello Dolly" at Midland Community Theatre in February.

The program was given by Kari Coleman, Case Manager for CASA of West Texas. She informed the group of the work CASA does and opportunities for volunteer involvement.

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the church.

Parish council regretfully accepted the resignation of Delia Graves. Delia has formally suspended her many volunteer duties at IHM due to family concerns and illness. We would like to wish her well and thank her for her many years of service.

East Side Baptist Church

East Side Baptist Church invites everyone to come and worship with us starting Sunday mornings at 10:15 a.m. We have Sunday School classes for everyone starting at 5:30 p.m. Sunday evenings.

Every Wednesday starting at 7 p.m., we have Toddling Through the Bible, Bible Club and Life Changing Classes. What will you do for Jesus in 2001? Get involved in His work.

Midway Baptist

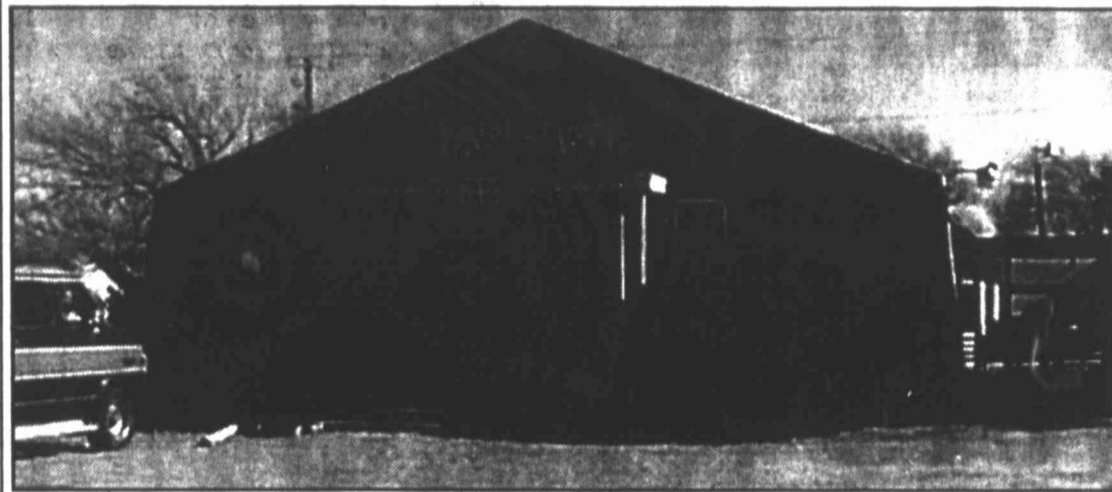
Midway Baptist Church, located at 6200 South Service road (east of the refinery on I-20) would like to invite you to our services this Sunday.

We have Sunday morning Bible study at 9:45 a.m., followed by our morning worship service at 11 a.m.

We will have a guest speaker this Sunday who will be preaching both in the morning service and the evening service at 7 p.m. There's a place for you at Midway!

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CHURCH AND CLUB NEWS ARE DUE TODAY AT NOON.



Ninety-one year old Ellna Byrd, who lives at Canterbury North, got her birthday wish Saturday when she got a ride on the back of this motorcycle driven by Jimmy "Babe" Ruth. Eight other members of the Cossacks motorcycle club accompanied her on the ride through town.

HERALD photo/Carl Graham

He has lighted the path of life for us

By RAYFORD HARRISON
Columnist

What is Christianity? By its very name, it is the system of truth, the body of doctrine, the course of life, as taught by Jesus Christ. Jesus of Nazareth, whose prophetic title, the Christ, indicates a divine commission, fulfilled that commission by bringing the gospel, Christian-ity, to the world.

A Christian must possess the absolute knowledge that Jesus came on earth to teach truth, live the truth and die, all for the good of man, in fulfillment of an eternal plan. Without such a conviction of knowledge, faith in Christian doctrine is slight and weak.

The full, convincing truth of the personal claims and the universal message of Jesus the Christ, may be known by every sincere seeker of the truth. The seeker must desire truth and pray to God for assistance in finding the truth. Prayer must be continued throughout the search. Then there must be a sincere and careful examination of the doctrine taught by the Christ — unbiased and unprejudiced study.

Finally, the doctrine must be practiced in daily life; that is, put to the test. Such a quest — prayerful, studious and practical — will never fail to reveal to the soul of the searcher that Jesus of Nazareth is the Son of God, the Redeemer and Savior of mankind.

Jesus, the Son of God, has watched over the generations of men from the beginning of the earth. He has taught and taught again the gospel message to a world hard of hearing and weak of will. He has suffered the pains of the world and died that men might again possess their bodies, purified and imperishable. He has, by His example, showed us the beauty and necessity of love and sacrifice. He still leads, guides and blesses us

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daily. And on the last great day will be our judge, our defender, our advocate with the Father and He will bring us into eternal life. He is our redeemer, our Savior, our example.

Jesus gave His life, His earthly life, that all mankind might be resurrected and eternally enjoy the association of body and spirit. This was the atonement of Jesus the Christ. The mystery of the process may be beyond our understanding, but the certainty of the resurrection remains.

Jesus did more than atone for the transgressions of mankind. He brought to the earth principles of the gospel of truth that, lived fully, would assure man's happiness on earth and in heaven. These truths were taught to Adam; they were restated at various times as men fell away from the gospel.

When Jesus came upon the earth, He taught the gospel in its simplicity to the people of His day. In these days it is taught again. Through the ages, Jesus, has sought to teach His children the path of conduct that will lead them back into God's presence. And there they will forever taste the joy of unending, continuous progress.

He has lighted the path of life for every willing traveler. Christianity, the gospel of Jesus Christ, will return truth seekers to His presence.

Rayford Harrison is with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

CHURCH NEWS

First Presbyterian

"Procedures manual for churches: When all else fails" is the Rev. Dianne Brown's sermon title for Sunday, Jan. 21, 10:30 a.m. Worship service. Sunday school for all ages 10:45-11:45 a.m. followed at 10:40 by Take Ten refreshment time.

Join us at Eighth and Rannels for all of our church activities or call 263-4211 for more information.

First Methodist

"A Light in the Darkness" (John 3:1-21) is the title for Dr. Ed Williamson's message on Sunday, Jan. 21, 2001, at the First United Methodist Church. Join us in church at 8:30 and 10:50 a.m. Hear us on the radio at KBST (95.9 FM) at 10:50 a.m. each Sunday and at 8:07 a.m. each weekday morning after Paul Harvey's Comments and News.

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a Soup-er Bowl canned goods drive to help those less fortunate. A box will be in the narthex

this Sunday to receive donations of non-perishable items.

The Kingdom Class, taught by Shelley Smith, is a Sunday School class and a club for adults with special needs. Anyone else that would like to visit or join the class are welcome. The members of this class vote on local charities and read out loud in turns from the bible. Tea, coffee, Kool-aid and donuts are provided as refreshments. Wednesday Noon Bible Study Luncheon meets in Garrett Hall.

The youth have a busy schedule at FUMC Mid High Youth meet each Sunday at 5 p.m. with Senior high meeting 6 p.m. Senior high bible study meets on Wednesday's, at 6:30 p.m. at One Courtney Place Apt 707. The youth will be having a Super Bowl party on Sunday, Jan. 28, in the Partee Building. All youth are invited to come at 4:30 p.m. to watch the game, eat pizza and play games. Please bring \$7 to cover the cost of the pizza. Feb. 24 there will be a Mid High Retreat at CETA Canyon. Feb. 8-11 the youth will be going on a ski trip to

Ruidoso.

The Chancel Choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The youth handbell choir meets on Sunday at 4 p.m. in the choir room. Youth choir meets on Sunday at 6 p.m. in the choir room.

The church will be sponsoring an estate sale for the late Bee Zinn on Saturday in the Partee Building (Gregg Street entrance). Robert Pruitt is the auctioneer.

You can preview the items from 8-10 a.m. on the day of the sale. The sale will begin at 10 a.m. Food and drinks will be available.

The First United Methodist Church is located at 400 Scurry and all visitors and new residents of Big Spring are welcome. Please call the church office, 267-6394, for more information.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Annual Parish Meeting is 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 28, in the Parish Hall. We will not have the 8 a.m. service this Sunday.

The Inquirer's Class meets at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday,

Jan. 31, in the Parish Hall.

Immaculate Heart of Mary

The parish council met on Jan. 22, with newly appointed and elected officials in attendance; Alonzo Landin (president), Brian Policky (vice president), Richard Light (secretary), Lisa Brooks, Kevin Ritz, Tarey Tarleton, Junior Landin, Nora Landin and Joe Lujan.

Father Regan reported to the council that he is actively recruiting parishioners to fill various positions crucial to our church ministry. We need many parishioners to step forward. There will be three classes during February that will prepare you for the ministry of Lector, the reading of Scripture. If you would like to proclaim the word, please join us on Feb. 5, at 7 p.m., in the church.

For those who prefer reading along with scripture as it is proclaimed, new bilingual missalettes are "United in Christ" ("Unides en Cristo") available and are located at the entrance of

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Caution urged with shrine that sits at center of peace talks and prophecy

JERUSALEM (AP) — Negotiations over a disputed Jerusalem holy site are failing to take into account its central role in the end-times prophecies of Judaism, Christianity and Islam alike — or to calm those who want to see the prophecies played out, an Israeli author warns.

"People's beliefs are a strategic fact when you're dealing with Jerusalem, the Holy Land, and the Temple Mount," said Gershon Gorenberg, an expert on apocalyptic beliefs.

Backed by senior Israeli security officials, Gorenberg warns the U.S. proposal for Israel to cede the sacred hilltop, known to Jews as Temple Mount and to Muslims as the Haram as-Sharif, could spur extremists to desperate action.

The holy site at the center of peace talks and prophecy lies in a cluster of Jerusalem's Old City, 36 walls from the city's early Islamic period. It is the site of the Dome of the Rock and the Temple Mount.

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Judaism's two biblical Temples. It's Islam's third-most holy site; Judaism's first.

It's also the single stage on which three different plays unfold — the final-days beliefs of the world's major monotheistic faiths, Gorenberg writes in a new book, "The End of Days."

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For Jews, the day a third Temple rises on the site of the old is inextricably linked to the coming of the Messiah.

In Christian doomsday theology, Jews' construction of the third Temple would be another ordained step toward the Antichrist, the Apocalypse and the Second Coming — as was the founding of the state of Israel itself.

In some Muslim beliefs, meanwhile, Jerusalem will be the field for the final battle between good and evil, Gorenberg says.

Two former Israeli security officials recently warned Prime Minister Ehud Barak of the possible danger in negotiations over the site's fate.

Assaf Hefetz, former national police commissioner, and Carmi Gilon, ex-chief of the security agency Shin Bet, said in a letter to

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CLUB NEWS

DAR

The Captain Elisha Mack Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR), met Jan. 13 at the Big Spring Country Club.

Regent Lola Kelley welcomed members and our guest, Ginny Cooke. Carol Scott is our newest member.

Kelley announced that our nomination of local veteran Elton "Buck" Turner (a former POW) has been selected "Outstanding Veteran Patient" at the state level. His nomination will be forwarded to regional competition.

The Texas State DAR will hold its 102 convention in Houston next Mar. 16. Regent Lola Kelley and Sue Ann Damron will be voting representatives and Mary Schuelke and Carole Lawson are alternates. Anne Witherspoon will serve as a page.

Members are submitting names of men and women who served in World War II,

so they can be honored in the NSDAR World War II Book of Remembrance. For more information, please contact Regent Lola Kelley.

The next meeting will be Feb. 10, at the Big Spring Country Club at noon. The meeting will include a film celebrating the 100th birthday of the DAR.

Woman's Club

Big Spring Women's Club met Monday, Jan. 15, in the home of Peggy Keeton. The program was presented by Jacob Brewer, MPT on getting fit. He gave a very informative program on designing a personal program for yourself. This was also a membership meeting and we had one guest. Our next meeting will be Feb. 19, at Spanky's.

Mighty Oaks

The Mighty Oaks Club met in regularly meeting on Jan. 16, in the fellowship hall of East Fourth Baptist Church. Eleven members and one guest, Ellen Barefoot, attended. Church staff members joined the club for lunch.

Following the business

meeting, Barefoot present a program of piano gospel music.

President Pat Wyrick called the meeting to order and mentioned the following names of those in need of prayer: Coy McCann, Doris Higgenbotham, Velma Roman and Mable Wilson. Also remember in prayer the family of Lockie Schooling, a club member who died on Jan. 10. We will miss her.

Vera Hipp expressed her appreciation of the attention and help the club gave her during her illness. Ola Lee McMullan, club member, expressed appreciation for the surprise 90th birthday party given to her on her birthday.

A motion was approved that the club to donate a gift to East Fourth Baptist Church towards kitchen equipment in memory of Lockie Schooling.

The next meeting will be Feb. 20. Mighty Oaks is a nondenominational club and welcomes visitors and new members.

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Every Wednes ing at 7 p.m., Toddling Thro Bible, Bible Club Changing Class will you do for 2001? Get involv work.

Midway Baptist Church

Midway Bapti located at 62 Service road (e refinery on I-20) to invite you to ou this Sunday.

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CHURCH CLUB NEWS ARE DA AT NOC

RELIGION IN THE NEWS

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP) — Church can be exciting and fun, concludes a study on excellence that focuses on 600 congregations around the nation, including some that are far from traditional.

One church profiled was Warehouse 242 in Charlotte, where a Friday night service at a downtown auditorium attracted casually dressed young people, who got a cup of coffee at the door and a travel mug to take home. Rock music and preaching shared the stage.

Paul Wilkes, a professor at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington, conducted the two-year study. He said the idea for the study came after he visited a Catholic church in Upper Saddle River, N.J., about two years ago.

"I had been to a place where religion was fun," he said. "Religion felt right. It wasn't stodgy, yet it was respectful."

The study, funded by a \$190,000 grant from the Lilly Endowment, identified 600 congregations and 300 Catholic congregations. The churches included a Lutheran congregation in Lone Wolf, Okla., and large

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

COMPUTER CLASSES FOR SENIOR citizens will be offered Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the Spring City Senior Citizens Center. Cost is \$5 per participant for the classes, which take place from 3-4 p.m. and cover a variety of subjects including the basics of computing and surfing the Internet.

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WELL SAID

Every man is the architect of his own fortune.

Appius Claudius

Pick battles big enough to matter, small enough to win.

Jonathan Kozel

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Mary Jane Club

Mary Jane Club met in December at the beautifully decorated home of Sue Tindol for its annual Christmas luncheon and gift exchange. Marie Ethridge and Nan McKinney co-hosted the event. president Marie Ethridge conducted a short business meeting. The new seniors program at Howard College was explained with brochures available to those interested. The entertaining "Chinese-style" gift exchange was followed by a salad luncheon.

The club gathered for its January meeting in the home of Patricia Barr with Bonnie Cushing as co-hostess. There were 14 members and guests present. In the business meeting, it was decided to attend the musical "Hello Dolly" at Midland Community Theatre in February.

The program was given by Kari Coleman, Case Manager for CASA of West Texas. She informed the group of the work CASA does and opportunities for volunteer involvement.

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the church.

Parish council regrettably accepted the resignation of Delia Graves. Della has formally suspended her many volunteer duties at IHM due to family concerns and illness. We would like to wish her well and thank her for her many years of service.

East Side Baptist Church

East Side Baptist Church invites everyone to come and worship with us starting Sunday mornings at 10:15 a.m. We have Sunday School classes for everyone starting at 5:30 p.m. Sunday evenings.

Every Wednesday starting at 7 p.m., we have Toddling Through the Bible, Bible Club and Life Changing Classes. What will you do for Jesus in 2001? Get involved in His work.

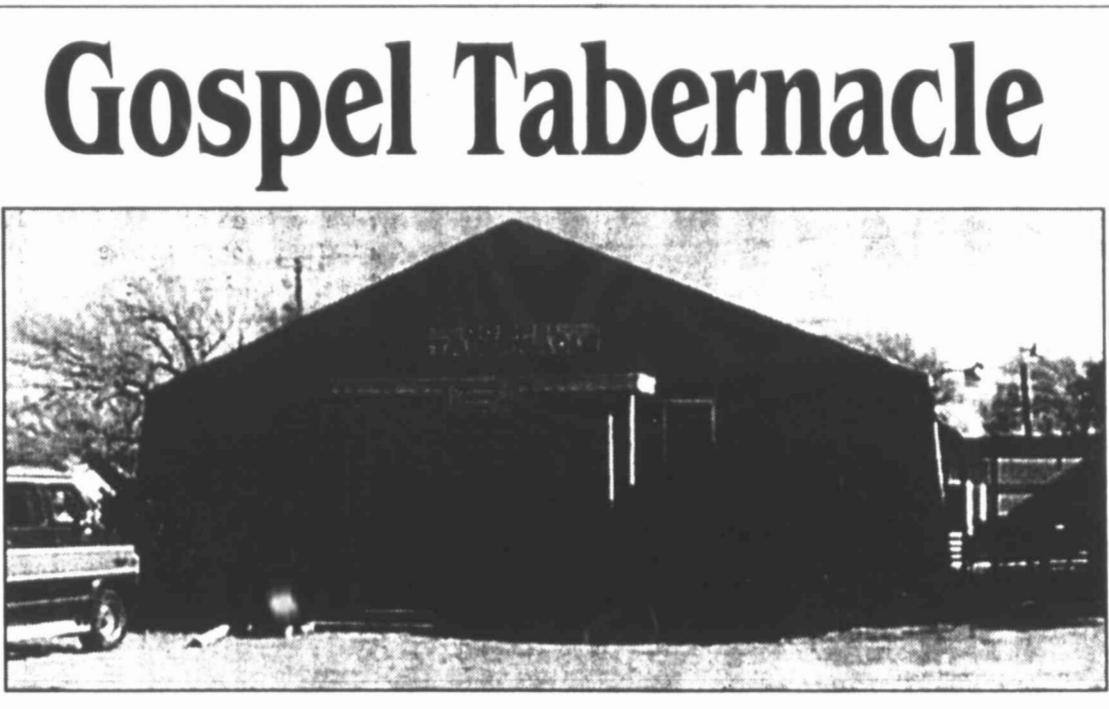
Midway Baptist

Midway Baptist Church, located at 6200 South Service road (east of the refinery on I-20) would like to invite you to our services this Sunday.

We have Sunday morning Bible study at 9:45 a.m., followed by our morning worship service at 11 a.m.

We will have a guest speaker this Sunday who will be preaching both in the morning service and the evening service at 7 p.m. There's a place for you at Midway!

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IN BRIEF

Baseball boosters to meet Tuesday

The Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Athletic Training Center.

Please bring any completed program and sign ads.

We will begin making plans for the hot dog cook-out which is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 17.

If you have any questions please call Jim after 6 p.m. at 267-1069.

Lady Hawk softballers set to meet boosters

The Howard College Lady Hawks softball team has scheduled its meeting to gather with boosters for 1 p.m. Saturday in the Student Union Building's Cactus Room.

Meals will be \$5.25 each and those planning to attend should call Betty Reed at 264-5040.

Lady Steers softball parents set work day

Parents of Big Spring Lady Steers softball players will have a work day starting at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Big Spring ISD Softball Complex.

The parents of all Big Spring softball players are urged to attend.

Sign-up for adult volleyball league

An organizational meeting will be held on Monday at the YMCA for adults interested in registering a team to play volleyball.

Two leagues are being formed — Co-Rec & Ladies Power.

Registration forms are available at the YMCA.

The fee is \$100 per team. For more information call the YMCA at 267-8234.

Laker Girls scheduled to appear at OC game

Odessa College officials have provided Howard College Hawks fans with added incentive to follow the Hawks and Lady Hawks on the road when they take on the Wranglers and Lady Wranglers on Thursday, Feb. 22.

The Los Angeles Lakers cheerleaders will perform during the games.

The Herald will be giving away 50 general admission tickets for the Feb. 22 games on a first-come, first-served basis.

Area coaches asked to transmit schedules

The Herald is asking all Crossroads area basketball coaches who have not provided copies of their varsity schedules and rosters for the 2000-2001 season to do so as quickly as possible.

Rosters and schedules can be faxed to the attention of Kamillah Ward at 264-7205.

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TODAY H.S. BASKETBALL

- 6 p.m.
 - Andrews at Big Spring
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- GOLF**
 - 3 p.m. — LPGA, The Office Depot, second round, ESPN, Ch. 30.
 - 3 p.m. — PGA, Phoenix Open, second round, USA.
- TENNIS**
 - 8:30 p.m. — Australian Open, women's championship match, ESPN, Ch. 30.

BSHS swimmers playing host to District 3-4A meet

By JOHN A. MOSELEY
Managing Editor

After more than a month's layoff from competition, Big Spring's Steers and Lady Steers swim teams returned to action today by playing host to the field for the District 3-4A swimming and diving meet at the Big Spring YMCA pool.

This weekend's meet marks the first time Big Spring has hosted the district championships. Swimming event preliminary heats were scheduled to begin at noon today. Diving competition will begin at 10:30 a.m. Saturday with swimming finals set for 2:30 Saturday afternoon.

Going into the meet, Big Spring

coach Harlan Smith make it clear he didn't believe either of his teams were in a position to contend for 3-4A team championships.

"We not nearly strong enough in our girls' team to challenge the favorites," Smith said, noting that he expected Abilene Wylie's Lady Bulldogs to be a slight favorite for the girls' team title.

"Wylie's probably got the best girls team, but Pecos is capable of making a run at it, too," Smith added just minutes prior to a coaches' meeting this morning.

Virtually nobody doubts the favorite for the 3-4A boys' crown is Pecos' Eagles, who've won almost every meet they've entered this season.

However, Smith says he hopes the Steers will be able to be competitive.

"With the boys we will try to push Pecos, but they just have so much more depth than we do," Smith noted. "What I'm really hoping for is to finish second, but Andrews is capable of battling us for that."

Smith would be pleased with the kind of showing the Steers made during their last meet when they posted 87 points to finish second in the boys' team standings at the Seminole Aqua-Tribe Invitational in early December.

Pecos easily ran away with the championship, piling up 163 points, the Steers finished 10 points ahead of Carlsbad (N.M.) in the team

standings that weekend.

Senior Doug Willberg led the way for the Steers in Seminole, winning the 100 freestyle with a 58.48-second clocking and adding a second-place finish in the 200 freestyle.

He also teamed with Will Liggett, Josh Pike and Michael Carrasco for a second-place finish in the 400 freestyle relay. In addition, Willberg, Pike and Carrasco joined Mark Sheedy in swimming to a fifth-place finish in the 200 freestyle relay.

The Steers also finished sixth in the 200 medley relay.

Pike, Carrasco, Sheedy and Liggett also earned important points in individual efforts, as did Cody Clark and Chris Stokes.

Howard squads sweep NMJC

By KAMILAH WARD
Sports Writer

HOBBS, N.M. — Howard College's Hawks and Lady Hawks returned home from Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJAC) play with a pair of road wins after sweeping New Mexico Junior College's Thunderbirds and Lady Thunderbirds Thursday night.

The Lady Hawks improved to 2-1 in WJAC after posting a big 89-70 win over the Lady Thunderbirds.

Howard's women began the contest slow before settling into their 12-point lead by the fifteen-minute mark in the first half.

From that point on, New Mexico would spend the remainder of the game playing catch up.

In the first half, the Lady Hawks went on an 18-3 run to take a commanding 24-11 lead midway through the half.

The Lady Thunderbirds would cut into the lead and get within seven points after a pair of free throws by Shalonda Scott at the 8:14 mark.

But seven points would be the closest New Mexico would ever get, as the Lady Hawks completed back-to-back fast breaks, converting off a pair of the Lady Thunderbirds' 28 turnovers.

As the scoring poured in, so did the trips to the charity stripe. The Lady Hawks completed 18-of-27 at the line. They also managed to grab 45 rebounds during the contest.

The Lady Thunderbirds' fortune didn't change much in the second half. They managed 50 percent shooting from the free throw line (8-of-16) but their turnovers doubled.

Lady Hawks interim head coach Joey Wells credits the win to Howard's defense.

"We came off of a win on Monday at Frank Phillips and we continued to play well," Wells said. "We are still playing unselfishly, as well as hustling on defense. Offensively, we are making better decisions and that was reflected in our win."

There were three Lady Hawks in double figures — Shamka Buckley leading the way with 17 points. Grace Gantt added 13 points, while Karmica Freney chipped in 12.

Buckley was the player to watch as she grabbed 12 of the team's 45 boards and pounded the ball inside for most of her scoring.

In the nightcap, the Hawks managed a 98-86 victory over the Thunderbirds to improve their record to 3-1 in conference.

Although the Hawks controlled the lead for the most part of the second half, the game's exciting moments occurred early in the contest with alley-oop passes and long range 3-pointers.

The Hawks scoring pattern in the first few minutes of the game somewhat mirrored the Lady Hawks. The scoring went back and forth between the two teams before the Hawks went



Howard's Tashean Thomas plays head-to-head defense against Midland's Lena Samlinton in their conference opener on Jan. 18. Thomas and her Lady Hawks teammates used the same defensive pressure Thursday night posted a 89-70 win over New Mexico Junior College's Lady Thunderbirds.

on an 18-6 run to take a 35-21 lead in the final six minutes of the first half.

Throughout the run there was a mixture of high-flying maneuvers to the basket starring Darius Mattear. During a number of sequences he made acrobatic moves to the basket missing the first couple of dunks before coming up with a pair of 3-point plays.

Although the Hawks dominated much of the night, there were still concerns for coach Tommy Collins.

"There were a series of errors by both teams, fortunately we made less," said Collins. "We have to get past going through the motions in order to get better play overall."

Just going through the motions almost caught up with the Hawks at one point when the Thunderbirds were able to cut into 14-point lead and trailed by four closing the half at 40-36.

The Hawks would return in the second half with a more solid offensive showing, turning the ball over just two times in the final 20 minutes.

Derrick Tarver, one of three Hawks in double figures, led the way with 27 points.

Free throw shooting also played a big role in the closing minutes of the

game as the Hawks managed to complete 65 percent from the charity stripe, including Tarvers' 12-of-14 in the second half.

The Howard squads return to action Monday when they host the Odessa College Wranglers and Lady Wranglers Monday at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Action begins with a 6 p.m. tip for the women's game.

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Woods a stroke back at Phoenix; Magee makes historic ace

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — On a day when everything else seemed a little out of kilter, Tiger Woods stayed on course.

Woods was one shot out of the lead starting Friday's second round of the Phoenix Open — no deficit at all for the game's greatest finisher — and in good humor even though he missed a potential birdie putt after a spectator threw an orange onto the green.

"It's three days, and you just need to go out there and play solid golf and hit a lot of fairways and hopefully put the ball in position to make putts," Woods said Thursday. "The greens are running nice and true."

Sidelights to Woods' reappearance after a year away from one of the Tour's most popular stops included a magical double-eagle by Andrew Magee — believed to be the first ace on a par-4 during a PGA event — a water pipe that burst in the media

room and threatened to short-circuit a scoreboard, and a 10-minute frost delay that delayed completion of the first round for nine competitors.

Woods fired a 6-under-par 65 that left him one stroke behind defending champion Tom Lehman, Brad Elder and Scott Verplank.

He might have made it a four-some, but two-putted from 20 feet after the citrus scare. Woods was lining up the putt when a 15-year-old boy — acting on a dare from friends — threw the orange about 30 feet away from him.

Fan misbehavior has been a touchy issue with tournament officials since 1999, when a pistol-packing fan was arrested for taunting Woods, but chairman John Perkinson said not even the new zero-tolerance policy could have prevented the latest incident.

"The kid was completely behaved all the way through," Perkinson

said. "He wasn't a mouthy kid. We had other incidents where there were people being removed for being vocal and rude, and we did it real early and nobody even knew about it."

Elder matched the best on tour this year with five straight birdies for his 64 and had the solo lead until Lehman and Verplank finished late. Woods was tied with five others at 65.

Magee's shot resembled a redirected hockey goal, glancing off Tom Byrum's putter into the cup on the 333-yard 17th hole. Tour officials couldn't recall another hole-in-one on a par-4 in tournament play.

Magee watched as the ball glanced off the putter about 8 feet away into the hole, but wasn't sure what happened.

"I'm still in shock. I'm going to bask in the glow of this for a while," said Magee, who finished with a 66. Rusty Uresti, the caddie for his

brother, Omar, when Woods aced the 16th hole at the Phoenix four years ago, was carrying Gary Nicklaus' bag this time. He said Magee's drive was 6 feet off the cup and would have ended up on the back of the green had it not struck Byrum's putter.

He found Woods' shot more impressive.

"You expect it from Tiger, and he didn't need an assist," Uresti said.

Woods drove the green himself on the 17th hole, barely missing an eagle putt, en route to his 52nd straight round of par or better before a huge, appreciative gallery. Most of the estimated crowd of 72,650 — a record for the first round — tried to catch a glimpse of Woods, who didn't commit to play until the Dec. 19 deadline.

"Thanks for coming, Tiger," a fan shouted on the 16th hole.

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TOP 25 - MEN

Table with 2 columns: Rank, Team. Lists top 25 men's college basketball teams.

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Jackman from Utah of the IHL. MONTREAL CANADIENS—Assigned C Xavier Desjais to Quebec of the AHL.

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COLLEGE SCORES

Men's Games EAST Delaware 88, New Hampshire 74. Georgetown 79, UNLV 62. Iowa 59, Loyola, Md. 41.

Clement beats Grosjean, advances to Australian Open final with Agassi

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Arnaud Clement fought off two match points in the third set and reached the Australian Open final with a 5-7, 2-6, 7-6 (4), 7-5, 6-2 victory Friday over fellow Frenchman Sebastien Grosjean.

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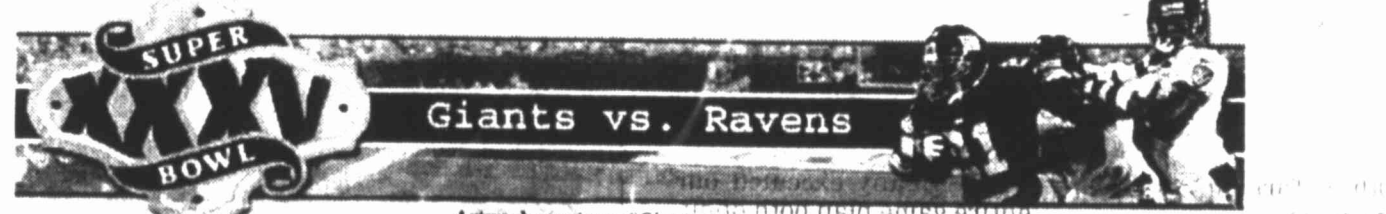
Continued from page 1B seemed sullen and distant. "I felt like I was a leader of all the team, not just the defense, and I had the right to speak up," he explained this week.

with him and try to ride it out and see what happens. We gave it a shot and it worked out." Strahan believes the players' stamp of approval means a lot in football, a game of teams within teams...

PHOENIX

Continued from page 1B Lehman played the back nine first and struggled early before having a talk with himself about his putting. He recovered to shoot a 5-under 30 on his

back nine, finishing with a 25-footer for birdie. "The first four holes I made terrible strokes and decided, hey, forget about your stroke and just putt it," Lehman said.



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Big Spring Herald Friday, January 26, 2001 Van E The ASSOCIATE The scorebo Delta Center lo Denver's timeou for the Nuggets, Van Exel. John Stocktor technical foul sh seconds left Nuggets called they did not h the Utah Jazz a win Thursday ni In an ending of the 1993 NC onship game Michigan's Ch mistakenly to against North C Nuggets cost th chance to win. "I thought we out, but I guess Van Exel said. In other ga Antonio beat Sac 91, Portland stop Tarka follow The ASSOCIATE Fresno State's tory had co Tarkanian on the Tarkanian was ing the 2 Bulldogs' margin over Texas-El Thursday nigh Tarkanian fo Fresno's defen: against the na enth-best offense victory in a sh WAC powers. "This was a 15- we beat, not Joh High," Tarka "This was one defensive gam here." Melvin Ely points and Tit added 16 as Fr won its 13th matching the scl for consecutive lished during t season. The victory w 750th of Tarka ing career. Tarkanian be eighth coach in tory to win 750 veteran of 30 Long Beach St and Fresno Tarkanian pas Allen earlier th sole possession place on the c list. Dean Sn coached North fro 1962-97, is 879. In other game Top 25 teams, No beat Washington Illinois topped M 51; No. 10 M stopped UNVL 7 Iowa defeated B and No. 25 California beat 74. Fresno State's victory came a Texas-El Paso te averaging 85.5 Bulldogs (17-2 WAC) were co Computer An "Essentia Skills" class sented in Big Friday, Feb. Cowan of Learning Cente "This three ho ers computer everyone need Cowan. "For r to understand computer use ing the latest developed by handle routi as download the internet, o and organizi into folders an That's what w a whole lot mo Accelerate Center has t sands of comp in over two o "We offer a tion, money- tee. We prov training of im that few stu elsewhere." "Computer c so simple," C "It all boils d standing ab easy to learn t

Van Exel picks bad time to call a timeout, Denver loses to Utah

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

The scoreboard at the Delta Center lost track of Denver's timeouts. Too bad for the Nuggets, so did Nick Van Exel.

John Stockton made two technical foul shots with 1.3 seconds left after the Nuggets called a timeout they did not have, giving the Utah Jazz a weird 98-96 win Thursday night.

In an ending reminiscent of the 1993 NCAA championship game, when Michigan's Chris Webber mistakenly took time against North Carolina, the Nuggets cost themselves a chance to win.

"I thought we had a timeout, but I guess we didn't," Van Exel said.

In other games, San Antonio beat Sacramento 97-91, Portland stopped Indiana

92-82, Minnesota downed Orlando 109-100 and Dallas defeated Vancouver 120-83.

With the score tied in the closing seconds at Utah, Stockton missed a layup and Van Exel got the rebound.

Van Exel called a timeout, but referee Dick Bavetta looked away. Referee Tony Brothers then called time after Utah's Bryon Russell pointed out Van Exel's signal.

The officials huddled for several minutes to sort out the confusion and then called a technical foul, and Stockton made the free throw. When Van Exel was given a technical for arguing, Stockton made another foul shot.

"Fortunately, I was oblivious to everything else," Stockton said. "You shoot a lot of practice free throws in your life. You just step up

there and relax. Sometimes, it goes in."

Assistant coach John Lucas, who ran the Nuggets while Dan Issel was out of town for his uncle's funeral, took the blame.

"It was bad on my part that we didn't have that timeout," Lucas said. "They had one for us on the scoreboard, but I can't sleep at night without telling you that we knew there wasn't a timeout. What happened with Nick also happened with me."

Spurs 97,

Kings 91
Tim Duncan scored a season-high 36 points and had 21 rebounds as San Antonio handed Sacramento a rare loss at Arco Arena.

The Kings have the NBA's best home record at 18-4, with their three previous

defeats coming in overtime to Philadelphia, Indiana and the Los Angeles Lakers.

Derek Anderson scored 20 points for the Spurs in the rugged matchup. Chris Webber had 23 points for the Kings and played the second half with his left eye half-swollen shut after being accidentally poked by David Robinson.

Mavericks 120,

Grizzlies 83
Steve Nash scored 21 points, Michael Finley had 20 and Dallas avenged an earlier loss to Vancouver.

In their previous trip to Reunion Arena, the Grizzlies gave Dallas its most-lopsided loss of the

season, 101-74 on Nov. 8.

The Mavericks took a 71-43 halftime and coasted in their highest-scoring game of the season, and their most one-sided victory.

Dirk Nowitzki had 19 points and 10 rebounds and Hubert Davis added 19 points off the bench for the Mavericks.

Vancouver lost its sixth in a row and dropped its 11th straight on the road.

Timberwolves 109,

Magic 100
Reserve LaPhonso Ellis scored 24 points and Wally Szczerbiak had 22 as Minnesota beat Orlando for its fifth straight victory.

The Timberwolves shot a

season-high 54.7 percent, making 41 of 75 shots. Kevin Garnett came close to his second triple-double of the season, finishing with 16 points, 18 rebounds and eight assists. Tracy McGrady led the Magic with 28 points.

Trail Blazers 92,

Pacers 82
Steve Smith and Rasheed Wallace each scored 22 points as Portland stopped Indiana's four-game winning streak.

The visiting Trail Blazers made 10 of their first 13 points and took an 18-point lead.

Austin Croshere had a season-high 23 points.

Tarkanian goes on defensive following 52-point Fresno win

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Fresno State's 52-point victory had coach Jerry Tarkanian on the defensive. Tarkanian wasn't defending the 22nd-ranked Bulldogs' margin of victory over Texas-El Paso on Thursday night. Instead, Tarkanian focused on Fresno's defensive effort against the nation's seventh-best offense in a 108-56 victory in a showdown of WAC powers.

"This was a 15-2 team that we beat, not Johnny Junior High," Tarkanian said. "This was one of the best defensive games for us here."

Melvin Ely scored 19 points and Tito Maddox added 16 as Fresno State won its 13th straight, matching the school record for consecutive wins established during the 1980-81 season.

The victory was also the 750th of Tarkanian's coaching career.

Tarkanian became the eighth coach in NCAA history to win 750 games. A veteran of 30 seasons at Long Beach State, UNLV and Fresno State, Tarkanian passed Phog Allen earlier this season for sole possession of ninth place on the career wins list. Dean Smith, who coached North Carolina from 1967-97, is first with 879.

In other games involving Top 25 teams, No. 1 Stanford beat Washington 94-63; No. 7 Illinois topped Michigan 55-51; No. 10 Georgetown stopped UNLV 79-62; No. 17 Iowa defeated Baylor 72-51; and No. 25 Southern California beat Oregon 78-74.

Fresno State's resounding victory came against a Texas-El Paso team that was averaging 85.5 points. The Bulldogs (17-2 overall, 6-0 WAC) were convinced a

strong defense fueled the offense.

"Good defense is our offense," Maddox said. "When we play like that on defense, it really sets up our offense."

Fresno State's defense shut down Brandon Wolfram and Eugene Costello. Wolfram, averaging 23.5 points, was held to eight, including two in the second half. Costello, who averages 16.8 points, scored two.

"At times, I had him 1-on-1 and other times I got some help," Ely said of stopping Wolfram. "I could tell he was getting frustrated in the first half, but so was I. Neither of us were making our shots."

Ely found his range in the second half, scoring 12 of his points in the first nine minutes as Fresno State turned a 23-point margin into a 79-33 lead with 11 minutes left.

"We finally executed our entire game plan both offensively and defensively, that was a first for this team," Ely said.

Fresno's game plan exposed Texas-El Paso's shortcomings and pinned the most lopsided loss in school history on UTEP (15-3, 4-2), which had its lowest points total of the season.

"It was very, very humiliating, very, very disappointing and very, very dominating on Fresno State's part," Texas-El Paso coach Jason Rabedeaux said. "After the first few minutes, we got down and just quit competing. Unfortunately, that happened against a Top 25 team."

No. 1 Stanford 94,

Washington 63
Casey Jacobsen scored 16 points and led four players in double figures as host Stanford won its 18th straight, matching the best start in school history.

The Cardinal (6-0 Pac-10), the nation's only unbeaten team, have won seven straight against the Huskies (8-11, 2-5).

The win was the team's 12th of the season by more than 20 points.

No. 7 Illinois 55,

Michigan 51
Frank Williams scored 18 points as visiting Illinois, which trailed for more than 33 minutes, rallied for the win.

Illinois (16-4, 6-1 Big Ten) won its fourth straight game, and seventh of eight. The Illini are off to their best start in the conference since the 1983-84 season.

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& No Reserves**
Food and Drinks
Available
**Robert Pruitt,
Auctioneer
TKS-7759**

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I will sit with your
children or with senior
citizens. References
avail. 393-5331

GARAGE SALES

Moving Sale, 1801
Alabama, Sat. 8AM - 7.
Appliances, furniture,
dishes, kitchen utensils,
toys, clothes, blankets,
books, exercise equip.,
misc.

Multi family Yard
Sale. Lots of goodies,
clothes, antiques,
household items. Sat.
9-7. 607 Linda Lane.

Yard Sale, Sat. 8-12.
713 Craigmont. Small
household items,
clothing, books & misc.

FOUND / LOST

LOST 1 yr. old male
black cat, neutered last
seen in the
Pennsylvania/ 14th St.
area. **R E W A R D.**
Please call 268-1065.

MISCELLANEOUS

For Sale: Parkay
dinette, table & 4 chairs,
seats 10. Camping gear,
ping pong table.
267-7752 after 6pm.

For Sale: two four-
drawer dressers \$50
each; white desk
\$50. Call 264-7442.

WEDDING CAKES!!
Arches, silk bouquets,
catering. Order now to
reserve your date.
The Grishams
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ACREAGE FOR SALE

MARTIN COUNTY
10.351 Acres near West
Stanton on Cr 2300 E.
8.64% interest.
\$117/MO. Owner
Finance Forest America
Group. 800-275-7376

BUILDINGS FOR SALE

909 Johnson, 50x100
metal building, land &
contents. \$8,000.00. Call
267-7330 or 263-4890

BUILDINGS FOR SALE

Steel
Buildings new, must sell
30x40x12 was \$10,200
now \$6,990
40x60x12 was \$16,400
now \$10,971
50x100x16 was \$27,590
now \$19,990
60x200x16 was \$58,760
now \$42,990
1-800-406-5126

BUILDINGS FOR RENT

For lease, small
building on Snyder Hwy,
with overhead door,
\$200/mo + \$100/dep.
Call Westex Auto Parts,
263-5000

Small building w/lot on
4th st. \$150/mn +
deposit.
Call Westex Auto
263-5000

HOUSES FOR SALE

3 mi. N. of B. Sp. 1,680
ft. 3/2 solitaire + 2/1/2
home - both on 4.2 ac. +
3 stall barn. Country
living w/built in income
prop. \$99,900 or will
divide to suit. Call
915-267-5952 or
817-304-3734.

GORONADO HILLS - 4
bedroom, 2 bath, almost
new. \$100's.
COAHOMA SCHOOLS -
4 bedroom, 2 bath
across. Nicely new.
HIGHLAND SOUTH - 4 bedroom, 2
1/2 bath, two story.
\$100's.
REEDER REALTORS
267-8266 - 267-6657

2701 Cactus
3/2/2 on private lot. Lots
of storage and
RV port.
\$85,000

2806 ANN 3/2
with fireplace,
CHA, formal
LR & DR
\$80,000

3305 Cornell
3/1 with CHA,
den & storage
building. Ready.
\$35,000

SEVEN
ACRES on E.
24th. \$15,000

**FINANCING
AVAILABLE**
**BOOSIE
WEAVER
REAL ESTATE**
267-8840

For Sale by Owner: 3
bdr. 2 bth. 2 car garage,
carport, fireplace, &
more. 505 Highland
Drive. Call Joe @
263-3916

FOR SALE OR LEASE
Totally Remodeled
4BR, 2 bath, 2 LA's. Dbl
carport, 2,600 sq.ft. In
city but in Forsan ISD.
\$56,500. 267-7025

Large older home in
good location. 3 bdr. 2
bth. beautiful kit den
comb. formal din room,
liv room detached.
Garage & workshop,
fenced back yd. \$43,900.
\$1,350 down. Call
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3 bedroom 2 bath ready
to move in Call for
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30' RV trailer. Great
shape. A/C, awning,
built in stereo system.
\$5,000. 267-1679

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Homes from \$1000 &
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winter warmth when
GAS HEAT and
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NO EXTRA UTILITY
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residences in town. Large
1, 2, & 3 bedroom
apartments, furnished,
lease or short-term
rental, and
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DESERVE THE BEST."**
Coronado Hills
Apartments, 801 Marcy
Drive, 267-6500.

1408 Donley
Extra nice 1 BR
Furnished.
Water & Gas Paid
\$300/mo. \$100/dep.
Sorry, No Pets.
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Office space for rent. All
utilities paid. For more
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1 BR starting at
\$175.00
2 BR \$275
Central heat & air
\$99 Deposit
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Move In Specials"
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Carports
Appliances
Most Utilities
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Senior Citizens
Discount
1 & 2 Bedroom
Unfurnished
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TERRACE
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800 W. Marcy Drive
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Carports,
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1 or 2 Baths
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APARTMENTS
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267-5444
263-5000

UNFURNISHED HOUSES

1 BR 1 bath, 1102
Sycamore. Call
267-3841 or 270-7309.

207 Jefferson
3BR 2 bath,
CHA, fireplace
Totally remodeled
Near Washington
\$600/mo plus deposit

712 Goliad
2 or 3 BR 1 bath
CHA, w/d conn. Fenced
Near Jr. High
\$350/mo plus dep.

You pay Bills.
No HUD.
267-2296

2405 Alabama, 3 or 4
bdr. 2 bth. stove, ref., &
washer furnished.
C/H/A. \$250/dep.
\$475/mn. 557-5507

2529 Gunter
3 bdr. 2 bath, CHA. Old
airbase area. Call
264-6931 or leave
message.

2BR 1 bath. Great
neighborhood. All new
appliances. 263-1054 or
267-2005

3 1/2 BR, 1 bath,
fireplace & more.
Appliances furnished.
Credit references
required. \$475/mo.
\$200/dep. Call 267-4172
or 267-2224

3 bdr. large den
w/fireplace garage,
C/H/A, storage shed.
1801 Alabama
263-1281.

3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, 4219
Hamilton. Call
267-3841 or 270-7309.

3 BR 1 bath, 2202
Runnels. Call 267-3841
or 270-7309.

3 BR 1 bath 2902
Ch... RENTED
\$1,200/mo. \$100/dep.
267-6667.

3BR, 2 bath, 1900 sq.ft.,
in-law plan \$550/mo.,
\$400 deposit. 425-6601

Abandoned homes:
in Big Spring
Take up
remaining payments.
5 bdr. 2 bth. \$220/mn.
3 bdr. \$200/mn.
264-0510

College Park 3/1/1,
appliances NO Pets.
\$495. Call 267-2070.

Executive 3 bdr. 2 bth
home in Highland.
\$400/dep. \$850/mn. Call
263-4528

For Rent: Nice 3/1,
Central heat/ref. air,
carport, big
backyard/fenced.
\$425/month, \$325
deposit. Call Janet,
agent for Home
Realtors at 267-4147 or
263-1284.

For rent: Unfurnished 3
br. 1 ba. in Coahoma
\$295/mn. 2 br. 1 ba
mobile home on private
lot - water & gas
furnished \$375. 2 br. 1
ba. house in S. S.
\$250/mn. Deposit and
references required.
Call 267-5952

In quiet neighborhood.
604 W. 15th. 3 bdr. 2
bth. C/H/A, landscape
yard. \$595/mn.
263-1281

Nice 2 bdrm, fenced
backyard, \$150/dep.
\$350/mo. 1005 S. Main.
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Unique 2BR 1 bath,
lovely yard. All new
appliances including
washer & dryer. Call
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UNFURNISHED HOUSES

4 Br, 2 full baths, 2
Living Areas. Utility
room w/w & d
connections. Fenced
yard. Completely
carpeted. Fresh & clean.
H U D. N O T
ACCEPTED. No pets
\$475/mo. + dep.
263-3266 or
915-362-6970

412 Edwards
2 story brick home
3 BR, 2 bath, 2 living
areas
Ceramic tile on floors
& counter tops
CHA, fenced yard.
Very nice. Must see
\$575/mo. \$300/dep.
Available 2/1/01
263-1792 or 264-6006

607 Holbert
3BR 1 bath, garage.
Newly remodeled.
\$370/mo. \$260/dep.
263-3689

806 E. 12th
1BR, 1 bath +
\$250/mo. Water paid.
\$100/dep.
263-1792 or 264-6006

908 W. 4th. \$200/mn.
You pay bills. Call
263-7648 or 263-3855.

Moving Sale, Sat.
7:30-11:30am, 620
Tulane. Freezer, VCR,
clothes, lots of misc.

2 BR house, 1804
Nolan. CHA, \$250/mo.
\$150/dep. Call
267-2324.

Clean 1Bdrm. \$200/mo.
Deposit & references
required. Call 263-2382

PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE OF SALE OF
REAL PROPERTY**
By Order of the County Court
of Howard County, Texas,
dated January 25, 2001, in
Cause No. P-12709, styled in
Re: The Estate of Santiago
Paredes, Deceased, certain
real property owned by the
Estate will be sold at public
sale on the 6th day of
February, 2001, at 10:00 a.m.,
at the North door of the
Howard County Courthouse in
Big Spring, Texas, to the
highest bidder for cash. The
property to be sold is described
as follows:
An undivided one-half interest
in and to the following property:
S2 and N2 of Lot 5, Block 99,
Original Town Addition of the
City of Big Spring, Howard
County, Texas
E 44' of Lot 9 and W 6' of Lot
10, Block 101, Original Town
of the City of Big Spring,
Howard County, Texas
SCENIC MOUNTAIN
MEDICAL CENTER,
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
ESTATE OF
SANTIAGA PAREDES,
DECEASED
By: J. WILSON,
BUSINESS OFFICE
DIRECTOR
3054 January 26, 2001

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FRIDAY

JAN. 26

	KMID (2)	KPEJ (3)	KERA (5)	FAM (6)	KOSA (7)	WFAA (8)	KWES (9)	WTBS (11)	UNI (13)	DISN (14)	NASH (15)	TMC (18)	SHOW (20)	HBO (22)	KMLM (24)	A&E (25)	DISC (26)	TNT (28)	TLC (31)
	Midland	Odessa	Dallas		Odessa	Dallas	Midland	Atlanta	Spanish	Premium	Nashville	Premium	Premium	Premium	Odessa	New York	Discovery	Atlanta	Learning Ch.
6	PM 30 News (CC) Fortune	Cozy (CC) Spin City (CC)	Wishbone Zoboomaloo	Early Edition (CC)	News Ent. Tonight	News (CC) Fortune	News Seinfeld (CC)	Fresh Prince Fresh Prince	Looura de Amor	Even Stevens Movie	Marital Law (CC)	(20) Movie	Inside the NFL (CC)	News John Hagee	Law & Order (CC)	Giants: Spiders	Pratender (CC)	Lost Continent	
7	PM 30 Be a Millionaire	Police Videos (CC)	Wash. Week Wall St. Week	Movie: Free Fall (CC)	Fugitive (CC)	Be a Millionaire	Providence (CC)	(05) Movie: Guarding Tess	Abrazame Muy Fuerte	Heavyweights (CC)	To Be Announced	My Blue Heaven (CC)	Movie: Sir of Echoes (CC)	Movie: Any Given Sunday (CC)	Biography (CC)	World's Largest Mall	Movie: Crossfire	High Speed	
8	PM 30 Two Guys-Girl Norm (CC)	Freakylinks (CC)	Antiques Roadshow	..	CSI: Crime Son	Two Guys-Girl Norm (CC)	Dateline (CC)	Tess	Mi Destino Eres Tu	(20) Movie: Smart House (CC)	Monster Jam	Bride (CC)	Stargate SG-1 (45) Stargate	..	Hour of Healing	Casino Diaries After Midnight	Movie: The Shadow	Mysteries of the Future	
9	PM 30 20/20 (CC)	Arrest & Trial Nanny (CC)	Lost Treasures	Early Edition (CC) (DVS)	Nash Bridges (CC)	20/20 (CC)	Law & Order	(20) Movie: Moonstruck	Estamos Unid. Lente Loco	Lizzie McGuire Even Stevens	Marital Law (CC)	Movie: Men Don't Leave (CC)	SG-1 (CC) Beggars	G-String Divas Dennis Miller	News Life in Word	Law & Order (CC)	Justice Files	High Speed	
10	PM 30 News (CC) Nightline	Jerry Springer (CC)	News-Lehrer	700 Club (CC)	News (35) Late	News (CC) Nightline	News (35) Tonight	..	P. Impacto Noticiero Univ.	Lizzie McGuire Even Stevens	Marital Law (CC)	Movie: Men Don't Leave (CC)	SG-1 (CC) Beggars	G-String Divas Dennis Miller	News Life in Word	Law & Order (CC)	Justice Files	High Speed	
11	PM 30 Politically Inc. Cheers	Blind Date Suddenly	Red Green May-Dec.	Who's Boss? Who's Boss?	Show (CC) Phoenix Open	Ent. Tonight Politically Inc.	Show (CC) (37) Late	..	En las Mejores Familias	Zorro (CC) Micky Mouse	To Be Announced	(15) Rude Awakening	Movie: Point of Impact (CC)	Promises, Church, Church	Biography (CC)	World's Largest Mall	Movie: Rudy	Prophecy: Countdown	
12	AM 30 Paid Program Paid Program	Judge-Brown Latino Gen.	Manor Born Neighbors	Paid Program Paid Program	Late Late Show	(12:08) Oprah Winfrey (CC)	Night (CC) Frasier	(11:50) Movie: The Mariner	Walt Disney Presents	Rollerjam: Teams TBA	Movie: Brotherhood of	Red Shoe Movie: The	(CC) Inside	Faith Pleases God	..	Las Vegas Weddings	..	Mysteries of the Future	

DENNIS THE MENACE



"OOPS! WELL, NOW IT'S NOT HALF FULL OR HALF EMPTY."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"As soon as Spring gets here I'm ready with my flower seeds."

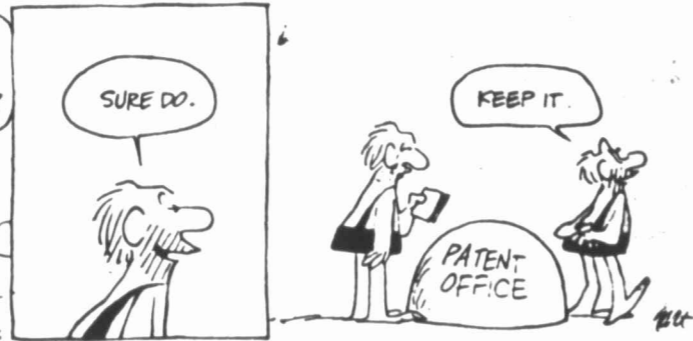
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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

The ASSOCIATED PRESS
Today is Friday, Jan. 26, the 26th day of 2001. There are 339 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History:
On Jan. 26, 1788, the first European settlers in Australia, led by Capt. Arthur Phillip, landed in present-day Sydney.
On this date:
In 1802, Congress passed an act calling for a library to be established within the U.S. Capitol.
In 1887, Michigan became the 26th state.
In 1861, Louisiana seceded from the Union.
In 1870, Virginia rejoined the Union.

In 1911, the Richard Strauss opera "Der Rosenkavalier" premiered in Dresden, Germany.
In 1942, the first American expeditionary force to go to Europe during World War II went ashore in Northern Ireland.
In 1950, India officially proclaimed itself a republic as Rajendra Prasad took the oath of office as president.
In 1962, the United States launched Ranger 3 to land scientific instruments on the moon — but the probe missed its target by some 22,000 miles.
In 1979, former Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller died in New York at age 70.
In 1998, President Clinton forcefully denied having an affair with a White House intern, telling reporters, "I did not have sexual relations with that woman, Miss Lewinsky."
Ten years ago: An estimated 200,000 to 300,000 people across the country demonstrated in support of, or in opposition to, Operation Desert Storm.
Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev granted the KGB and Soviet Interior Ministry sweeping search-and-seizure powers to combat economic crime.
Today's Birthdays:
Actress Anne Jeffreys is 78.
Actor Paul Newman is 76.
Cartoonist Jules Feiffer is 72.
Sportscaster-actor Bob Uecker is 66.
Actor Scott Glenn is 59.
Singer Jean Knight is 58.
Activist Angela Davis is 57.
Actor David Strathairn is 52.
Singer Lucinda Williams is 48.
Rock singer-musician Eddie Van Halen is 44.

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

ACROSS

- Jason's ship
- Norway's capital
- Sound of a wet impact
- Man of the manor
- Foray
- Figure of speech
- West's corn
- Wake
- Wash. neighbor
- Long in the tooth
- Elapsed
- Family cars
- Garden scoop
- Lover's meeting
- Nautical assents
- Painful
- Impels
- Feedbag tidbit
- Vagabond
- Clarinetist Shaw
- On a cruise
- Reverence
- Participates
- Happy starter?
- Vicinity
- Cares for
- For example
- Word of warning
- Native-born Israelis
- Stitched border
- Weekday abbr.
- Liquid part of fat
- Erwin's ragouts
- That is (to say): Lat.
- One side of a leaf
- Different
- Stands up
- Help after a heist
- Recolors

DOWN

- Not quite
- Lion, for example
- Avaricious
- Eye docs
- Spoken examinations
- Pronounced
- Taylor or Claiborne
- Keats opus
- Barn bedding
- Writes without metrical structure
- Costello's W.C.s
- Church section
- Set up for a drive
- Calendar page
- Marshals' bands
- Concerning
- Cobb's cravats
- Eye part
- Sky lights
- Dawn
- Chong
- Letter from Athens
- Indian princes
- Possesses
- Night flyer
- Arthur's drones

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M	A	R	C	H	S	L	A	P	E	A	R	S
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R	O	A	D	L	A	R	A	S	A	B	E	R
I	N	R	E	E	V	E	N	S	T	I	M	E
D	I	D	N	T	E	D	G	Y	A	L	M	A
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