home of Gary Phipps

\* Hustlin' Hereford,

# 87th Year, No. 150, Deaf Smith County, Hereford, Tx.

# Reagan jilted on Contra aid

WASHINGTON (AP) - House rejection of President Reagan's request for \$36.2 million in new aid to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels left the president's bitterly debated Central America policy in shambles today.

Despite a lobbying blitz by Reagan, the House rejected further military support for the insurgents by a 219-211 vote Wednesday night. In doing so, it dismissed the president's argument that only the Contras could stronghold in Central America.

House Democrats who handed Reagan the stinging defeat said they humanitarian aid for the Contras but would no longer finance warfare in a region that is now seeking peace.

As Contra leader Adolfo Calero looked down glumly from the crowded visitors' gallery. Democrats leaped to their feet and burst into cheers when their victory was assured

The Senate planned to decide later today whether to take up a similar Reagan aid request, but the House action was legally sufficient to cut off any further assistance past Feb. 29 for the Contra forces seeking to overment in Managua.

The White House expressed disappointment that the House "did not vote to keep pressure on the Sandinistas during the peace process" and said it would begin consultations about the future of the resistance.

Calero said his forces have enough arms to last about two months and enough food for a month. "We will press on with our last breath," he

However, he added that the Conprevent creation of a communist tras still "look forward to getting aid" from the United States.

Democratic leaders were jubilant. Today's vote is the end of a would support alternative chapter," said House Majority Whip Tony Coelho, D-Calif. "The Contra policy is the past.

Toward the end of 11 hours of emotional floor debate, Speaker Jim Wright of Texas appealed for a "no" vote on Contra aid in favor of support for diplomatic efforts by Central American leaders to arrange their own peace settlement.

"Mr. Reagan did not come to Washington to preside over Central America," Wright said.

House Minority Leader Robert Michel, R-Ill., drew cheers from outgunned conservative GOP parthrow the leftist Sandinista govern-tisans when he declared that "the

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# Mayors begin task force

By ANDREA LAMB

Staff Writer Hereford Mayor Wes Fisher and mayors from four other Panhandle communities have formed a task force in an effort to give West Texas, the South Plains and the Panhandle areas more attention in the state legislature.

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104-county area of

North and West

Texas has 41 per-

cent of the state's

counties, but only

18 percent of the

representation in

the state house

and senate. The

task force will try

to strengthen the

representation of

the area in Austin.

Fisher, task force chairman, said the task force was created at a mayors' meeting before the scheduled Texas Municipal League meeting Jan. 21 in Amarillo.

"We feel like this is an area that has been overlooked (in the state legislature)," said Fisher. "We would like to see more money used for community development, highways and this sort of thing." The task force wants to hire a

lobbyist to represent the 104-county area which includes El Paso, Abilene, San Angelo, Lubbock and Amarillo, as well as hundreds of small communities. According to Texas Municipal

League (TML), this 104-county area represents 41 percent of the counties in Texas, yet it only represents 18 percent of the state House of Representatives and 19 percent of the state Senate.

Spearman Mayor Ralph Blodgett, another task force member, is a former TML president, and he said hiring a lobbyist for the area could be very effec-

"If you have a good lobbyist that understands the art of compromise and has good credibility. he can do a lot of good," said Blodgett. "We need someone who understands (the difference between) a frivolous request and something that really matters."

The something that really matters, according to Blodgett, is a seat on the governor's horse racing committee.

"Most of the members will be from east and south Texas, so we've got to get someone from this area on the board," said

The dollar amount required to hire a qualified lobbyist may be

steep-up to \$300,000 a year, said Blodgett-but Fisher said the money shouldn't be a factor since the lobbyist would represent the many municipalities in this area that would contribute to his salary.

But Blodgett said a lobbyist isn't the sole answer to the problem.

'We hurt ourselves by not having any continuity in the Senate in Austin," said Blodgett. "We have to have a long-term senator who can gain some credibility for this area-someone who knows the legislators and the governor and someone who can get some things done."



**WES FISHER** 

# Hereford Bull

By SPEEDY NIEMAN



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says getting old is merely a matter of feeling your corns rather than feeling your oats.

Science has been producing so many substitutes lately that it's hard to remember what it was we needed in the first place.

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The Deaf Smith County Chamber

of Commerce banquet, tentatively scheduled Feb. 18, is hoping to have Henry Cisneros, mayor of San Antonio, as the featured speaker. Cisneros has been offered several

pearance here.

The current U.S. sugar program is coming under criticism in the media. and most of the information for the articles and editorials is coming from a half-dozen sugar-using companies.

dates in an attempt to secure his ap-

An editorial in last Saturday's Amarillo Globe-News is typical of the one-sided attacks on the domestic sugar industry, claiming the "cozy arrangement" enacted by Congress causes American consumers to pay \$3 billion more for their annual food bill, and also is costly to the "impoverished countries of the Caribbean Basin that rely on sugar exports.

There are at least two sides to the issue, points out the U.S. Beet Sugar Association, which claims the big sugar-using companies have initiated an all-out campaign to destroy the U.S. beet sugar industry. Chief lobbyists against the current government sugar program are large users of sugar such as the makers of Coke, Hershey's and Jello-O, according to Dave Carter, president of beet sugar association.

"Users claim the differential price between U.S. and the world price amounts to a 'cost' to American consumers of \$3 billion annually," says Carter. "Using these phony numbers, the folks who would simply pocket any savings on the price they pay for sugar-if history is a guidehave misled the media into reporting that the \$3 billion translates into about \$100 annually for a family of four." Carter adds that the association's mathematics reflect that American consumers have "saved" a billion dollars over the past year.

The government program creates no surpluses, provides the product to the consumers at a reasonable price, requires minimal government outlays and allows for sugar imports at the same rate paid to domstic growers, said Carter.

According to the Sugar Informa-

tion Bureau in Washington, D.C., sugar prices without a government program fluctuated from 65 cents per pound for raw sugar in 1974. down to less than 10 cents in 1976-78 and up to 42 cents in 1980.

Thirty-nine sugarcane mills and fire. sugarbeet processing plants closed during that period and there has been little incentive for capital investment in the industry since, SIB stated. The current government program was introduced in 1981 and extended five years in 1985. The Sugar Act was mandated in 1986 to operate at no cost to the American taxpayer, except for clerical fees, and the minimum loan rate for the commodity was set at 18 cents per pound.

However, sugar is a foreign relations tool and U.S. policy guarantees a percentage of sugar imports be purchased from developing nations such as the Philippines, the Dominican Republic and Haiti. Critics of the sugar program say the economies of these countries are determined by the amount of sugar the U.S. purchases.

But Carter said U.S. foreign relations shouldn't rest on the backs of American beet and cane growers. He adds that world-wide oversupply of the commodity has led to a policy in almost every sugar-producing country of protecting consumers and producers-so there is no free, supply-demand oriented trade.

Some of the editorials against the sugar program use broad generalities, announcing that U.S. sugar prices are three times that of the rest of the world. Actually, says Carter, the U.S. support price is about 21 cents per pound and world prices were above 10 cents last week, not counting freight and other costs

to get world sugar to a refinery. The large sugar users "parade in the guise of consumers," but their connection with household sugar consumers parallels a newspaper's kinship with a local school penmanship class due to the fact they both buy ink, states Carter.

Most of the 60 pounds of sugar consumer per capita in the U.S. is in the form of prepared food and drink, according to the SIB. But the price of those products doesn't reflect a downward movement in sugar

Bill Cleavinger, Texas Sugar Beet Growers Association president from Deaf Smith County, says the Texas Panhandle beet industry contributes at least \$30 million to the local economy, but that the industry would be in trouble without the sugar pro-

WASHINGTON (AP) - Anthony term and in the years ahead. issues confronting the sharply divided justices.

The 51-year-old federal appeals court judge, unanimously confirmed by the Senate on Wednesday, will not have to wait long for his baptismal

He is scheduled to be sworn in Feb. 18 at the court building. Five days later he will participate with the other eight justices in hearing arguments on a highly controversial subject - whether private clubs may be forced to admit women and racial

Kennedy, criticized during his Senate confirmation hearings for his own past membership in such clubs, has not tipped his hand on how he views the case or such frequently recurring issues as abortion regulation, affirmative action and churchstate relations.

But there is little doubt that his vote often will prove decisive this

Powell, a moderate conservative and often a swing vote in closely watched

A 12-county southeastern

corridor is the most

populated and best represented area of the

The absence of a ninth justice for more than half of the court's 1987-88 terms has caused important deadlocks.

For example, the court split 4-4 in December on whether a state may require some teen-agers seeking abortions to wait 24 hours after telling their parents or a judge about their decision before having the operations. By the same vote last month, the

justices divided over an affirmative action plan designed to promote more blacks and Hispanics in New York City's police department. Also, court sources say the justices

have delayed action on at least a dozen cases until the vacancy is fill-

For example, the justices have yet

to act on an appeal involving man-

M. Kennedy will join the Supreme Kennedy will fill a vacancy employees, a case they first discuss- by the Senate. Reagan's second Court in two weeks and is likely to created seven months ago by the ed in private before the term began choice, Douglas H. Ginsburg, play a pivotal role in deciding crucial retirement of Justice Lewis F. in October. withdrew after admitting he smoked

Union leaders are challenging the

power of the U.S. Customs Service to require urine samples for those seeking drug enforcement jobs. If the court agrees to hear their appeal, it would set the stage for a major ruling on drug testing for public employees. In a case involving church-state

relations, the court announced in December it will consider killing a lawsuit that seeks to strip the Roman Catholic Church of its tax-exempt status because of the church's antiabortion lobbying.

Kennedy will take his seat on the court in time to hear arguments in that case and participate in a ruling expected to be announced by July.

Kennedy's confirmation by a 97-0 vote in the Senate climaxed a bitter struggle that began when President Reagan named Robert H. Bork last July to succeed Powell.

Opponents branded Bork a right-

datory drug testing for some federal wing extremist and he was rejected marijuana while a law school pro-

Reagan unquestionably has placed his imprint on the high court. Besides Kennedy, he has appointed Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Antonin Scalia and promoted William H. Rehnquist to chief justice.

But the question remains whether the president will succeed in forging a conservative consensus on crucial issues that Bork's nomination was intended to guarantee.

Kennedy's 12-year record as a federal judge is extensive. But as the nominee himself testified, he is not guided by an overarching ideology.

He has been reluctant to expand legal protections for women, racial minorities and homosexuals. But his tone has been moderate and there is ample evidence of a man willing to approach difficult issues with an open mind.

# echam closer to ouster

governor closer to impeachment, a former aide. legislative leader says.

mittee, contended that committee whether to impeach Mecham. Chairman Jim Skelly was Mecham has obstructed justice.

"I don't think I've broken any law" have said the truth today. Every scheduled. word I have said has been true."

The panel is investigating a were enough votes to impeach

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) - Gov. \$350,000 campaign loan, and allega-Evan Mecham's admission that he tions that Mecham diverted \$80,000 may have told an official not to in state funds to his auto dealership. cooperate in an investigation of an and tried to block investigation of an alleged death threat moves the alleged death threat against a

Skelly, a Republican, said he con-The Republican governor, who sidered Mecham's testimony "very spent 512 hours testifying Wednesday damaging," and the House could before a House impeachment com- decide by the end of the week

The first-term governor also faces "reaching" in questioning whether a May 17 recall election and a March 9 criminal trial on felony charges of concealing the \$350,000 loan. He was or obstructed justice, Mecham said. expected to conclude his testimony "Mr. Skelly, your case is weak. ... I today. No other witnesses are

Skelly said he did not know if there

Mecham but added, "I suspect if there's no great refutation of the testimony we've gotten thus far, that the votes are there.'

It takes 31 votes to impeach in the 60-member House and 20 votes to convict in the 30-member Senate. "I think the votes are here,"

Republican Rep. Jim Hartdegen said after hearing Mecham testify. 'Thirty-five plus."

Other lawmakers' predictions ranged from 33 to 50 votes, and some said much would depend on whether the Legislature formed a single impeachment resolution or broke it down into individual issues.

A three-part approach would allow lawmakers from districts where voters are divided to split their votes and say they sided with the governor on some issues while opposing him on others.

'A lot of us would like to be able to split our votes, and I'm one of them," said Rep. Bill English, a Republican. "Politically, you're wrong whatever you do, so politically, you might as well vote your conscience."

Wednesday morning, Mecham denied the testimony of Public Safety Director Ralph Milstead, who said the governor told him not to cooperate with Attorney General Bob Corbin's investigation of an alleged death threat by a state official against Donna Carlson, a former legislative liaison.

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# Local Roundup

## Two arrested Wednesday

A 21-year-old man was arrested Wednesday for his second offense of driving without liability insurance and no driver's license. Another man, 29, was arrested for driving while his license was suspended.

Police also reported that a man stole \$14.44 worth of gasoline from Taylor Food Mart at 401 E. First St. He has not been located. A woman at 101 Hieback St. reported that at 7:05 p.m. Wednesday two men were snooping around her vehicles. The men have not been

A man at 710 Stanton St. was told to move his vehicle off the

Fire Marshal Jay Spain reported one fire call at 304 Ave. D in which a vehicle fire was extinguished upon the firefighters' arrival. No accidents were reported.

## Polar bear weather

Tongith will be cloudy with a 30 percent chance of up to an inch of

snow. The low will be 15, with east wind 10 to 15 mph.

Friday will be mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance for another inch of snow. The high will be 25 with southeast wind 10 to 20 mph. The extended forecast is for continued cold weather, and a slight

chance for precipitation, through the weekend. This morning's low at KPAN was 24 after a high Wednesday of 54.

# Conservatives upset networks ignored plea

WASHINGTON (AP) - Live television or no live television, President Reagan's power to make a speech and bring pressure on Congress isn't what it used to be.

White House conservatives are furious with the three major television networks for not carrying live the president's last-minute plea this week for new aid to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels.

But even if ABC, NBC and CBS had joined Cable News Network in setting aside time for the Oval Office broadcast Tuesday night, would it have made a difference?

Many think not.

"Presidents have to realize they can only use that weapon as a reinforcing tool when they have a great deal of momentum going," said Joe Foote, chairman of the Radio-Television Department of Southern Illinois University, who is writing a book on the subject.

"Clearly on an issue where the American people are divided at best and probably antagonistic toward him, it will accomplish nothing," Foote said in an interview.

Effective or not, addresses to the nation have long been a major weapon in the arsenal of presidents.

When J. William Fulbright was in the Senate, he unsuccessfully sought legislation to give Congress a right of reply, saying the televised presidential address was the equivalent of a constitutional amendment in terms of presidential power.

He still thinks so.

"The efforts of the Congress and so on to rejoin, they don't get the attention; they don't have the audience and only a few professionals pay any attention to them," Fulbright said in an interview Wednesday.

A study by Foote, however, shows

WASHINGTON (AP) -

Religious broadcasters soon will

a Good Housekeeping Seal of Ap-

proval in a bid to restore credibili-

ty to an industry shaken by the

The National Religious Broad-

casters voted 324-6 on Wednesday

to make compliance with a new

financial and fund-raising code of

ethics a requirement for member-

ship in the group and use of its

The plan is in large part a

response to the PTL scandal,

which forced Jim Bakker to

resign as head of the ministry that

supported an extravagant

lifestyle for him and his wife,

Ben Armstrong, executive

director of the religious broad-

casters' group, said the ethics

code is intended to reassure

donors who support broadcast

"We feel this will cause people

to realize that we have nothing to

hide and that we are fully disclos-

ing finances and eliminating

possible family control of boards

and showing to the public we have

open books and open policy,"

The association has 1,350

members that produce about

three-qurters of all religious pro-

To be certified, members will

have to submit independent

audits each year disclosing all

sources of income and every ex-

penditure. The requirements are

less stringent for smaller

Mechami

gramming in the United States.

PTL scandal.

seal of accreditation.

Tammy Fae.

ministries.

Armstrong said.

TV ministries get

stamp of credibility

the advantage may be declining. Throughout the Reagan presidency, Foote found, the share of the television audience that tunes in to the president has been declining steadily, largely because cable television has made more channels available to many viewers.

Aside from the impact of cable television and the decision of networks on some occasions not to carry the speeches, there is considerable evidence that the impact of Reagan's addresses to the nation is weakening.

Foote was working as an aide on Capitol Hill in August 1981 when Reagan made a speech on behalf of his economic policies, which had run into temporary setbacks in Congress.

"I can personally vouch for staying four hours that night doing nothing but answer the telephone from irate constituents," he said. 'He had touched a nerve and they were calling in, and it was a magical moment for him."

In contrast, Reagan appealed to the public last July 15 for changes in the budget process, saying, "Believe me, if Congress won't see the light, I know you can make them feel the heat.'

Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., told The New York Times that his office received two telephone calls, both from people who disagreed with the president. Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., got one, to his Milwaukee office, from a constituent also opposed to the president. Speaker of the House Jim Wright of Texas said his Fort Worth office received two calls, both from people opposed to Reagan, and his Capitol office logged 10, six in favor of the president and four opposed.

"We saw no light and got no heat," said Lautenberg.

The ministries also must make

all the information, except for

Members also must have a

board with at least five directors.

the majority of whom are not

related to the ministry's ex-

ecutives and not on the ministry

staff. Smaller ministries are ex-

empt from the requirement, Arm-

The code requires members to

keep fund-raising materials for a

year and submit samples upon re-

quest to the association's Ethics

and Financial Integrity Commis-

sion, which administers policy on

ethics and financial responsibili-

The commission will draft

guidelines that will be used to

evaluate ministries for accredita-

tion, including reasonable salary

levels, said NRB spokeswoman

Audrey Langdon. The basis of the

guidelines will be the Internal

Revenue Service's requirements

for tax exemption and the tradi-

tional practices of most

The NRB's board of directors

adopted the code last September.

but compliance has been volun-

Armstrong said some members

opposed making the code man-

datory because they feared the

costs of complying with its re-

quirements, including the finan-

cial audits, would be too burden-

some for some ministries.

ministries, she said.

tary.

strong said.

salaries, available to the public.



#### **Decathlon winners**

Seven Hereford High School students comdined to win first place in the Academic Decathlon small-school division in Amarillo. The team included (back, from left) Adrain Castillo, Brian Thomas and

Shaun Moore; (front, from left) Bruce Williams, Delia Gonzales and Jo Ann Tohm. Not pictured is Rebecca San

dispute.

# Surrogacy centers not worried ruling will discontinue business

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) -Operators of surrogacy centers say the state Supreme Court's landmark ruling in the Baby M case won't put them out of business, but opponents hailed it as a major blow to the practice of paying women to bear children.

Politicians, legal scholars and an attorney in the case said Wednesday's decision, which equated surrogacy for profit with illegal baby-selling, shows that state statutes don't apply to the practice.

"It puts the burden back to the legislatures" to regulate it, said Lori Andrews, a researcher with the American Bar Association. "In the meantime, it continues to leave hundreds of people participating in these arrangements in a legal vacuum.

"If I were running a surrogatemother agency, I'd find something else to do in a hurry," said Angela R. Holder, a professor of pediatrics law at the Yale University Medical School.

Steven C. Litz, director of Surrogate Mothers Inc. in Indiana. said, "I've always told and still tell my clients that the contracts are probably unenforceable, and the New Jersey Supreme Court's decision confirms that.

"But whether the contracts are enforceable or not just isn't that important because first of all, in

NEW YORK (AP) - After years of

searching for the perfect opening

line, social science, in the person of a

University of Alaska psychologist,

has settled on the best conversa-

tional gambit with a stranger of the

In a poll of 650 men and 831 women,

that simple yet effective greeting

trounced the likes of "Come here

often?" "Is that really your hair?"

and "Didn't we meet in a previous

Dr. Chris Kleinke of the University

of Alaska asked his subjects, most of

them members of the university

community in Anchorage, to rate 200

opposite sex:

'Hi' best line says expert

ing excellent.

99 percent of the cases everything works fine," he said.

However, Ms. Holder said that if other state courts follow the lead of the New Jersey court, the first state supreme court to rule on a broken surrogacy contract, lawyers who arrange such contracts would be unable to obtain malpractice insurance.

The court's 7-0 decision overruled all but the custody decision of a lower court judge in invalidating the \$10,000 contract between Mary Beth Whitehead-Gould and William Stern and his wife, Elizabeth.

This is the sale of a child, or, at the very least, the sale of a mother's right to her child, the only mitigating factor being that one of the purchasers is the father." Chief Justice Robert N. Wilentz wrote in the decision.

The court said the contract creates, it is based upon, principles that are directly contrary to the objectives of our laws."

It guarantees the separation of a child from its mother; it looks to adoption regardless of suitability; it totally ignores the child; it takes the child from the mother regardless of her wishes and her maternal fitness; and it does all of this, it accomplishes all of its goals, through the use of money,"

said the court. The judges did not, however,

opening lines on a scale of 1 to 7, 1 be-

highest median rating - slightly

above 5 - with more elaborate

openers such as "I feel a little em-

barrassed about this, but I'd like to

meet you" and "I don't have

anybody to introduce me, but I'd

Despite all the anguish that has

been put into the conjuring up of

clever opening lines, Kleinke found

that some of the best are the

simplest, including, "That's a very

pretty (fill in the blank)" and "You

really like to get to know you."

have really nice hair."

The buoyant "Hi!" shared the

rule out voluntary surrogacy. . Because the Baby M surrogacy contract is invalid, the court said, the case boiled down to a custody

The judges upheld Superior Court Judge Harvey R. Sorkow in awarding custody of the girl known in court papers as Baby M to Stern, noting the "doubtful" stability of the Whitehead home during last year's trial.

But they said Mrs. Whitehead-Gould is entitled to see her daughter, and directed a lowercourt judge to set guidelines within three months. They also voided the adoption of the baby by Mrs. Stern.

The Sterns' attorney, Gary N. Skoloff, said the couple was surprised by the decision. He also said the ruling tells the New Jersey Legislature, "Now it's your job.'

Jeremy Rifkin, a spokesman for The National Coalition Against Surrogacy, said the court has "acknowledged that women's bodies and wombs cannot be commercially rented or leased for nine months.

But Noel Keane, a Dearborn, Mich., attorney who operates the Infertility Center of New York, which arranged the surrogate contract in the case, said, "Unless surrogacy is banned nationwide, there may always be an avenue to do surrogate parenting."

## **Prisoners** microfilming unauthorized documents

AUSTIN (AP) - The practice of using prison inmates to microfilm records of former prisoners has stopped, but prisoners continue to copy other records, including those of juvenile offenders and probationers.

Agency officials say they will review whether any personal or sensitive information is being compromised by the microfilming, The Austin American-Statesman reported today.

The director of the Harris County adult probation office began an inquiry this week into whether its use of the Texas Department of Corrections microfilming center violates a federal court order prohibiting inmates from having access to sensitive information on other inmates.

Lawrence Coleman said he would take the matter to the committee of judges that oversees the office.

The office has a contract with the corrections department to microfilm the files of all offenders discharged from probation, about 20,000 people a

Coleman said having prisoners copy the files of revoked probationers who are serving prison terms might violate the court order

This is an area we'll definitely look into," Coleman said. "We'll have to do a total review.

Several hundred inmates at four prison units work on various microfilming and data-entry projects. Prison officials said they have more than 40 contracts with state agencies and city and county govern-

The microfilming industry at the prisons is thought to be one of the largest in the nation.

Ron Jackson, director of the Texas Youth Commission, said he will ask the agency's board to review the practice of having all files on discharged youths copied by in-

About 2,000 juveniles are committed to the Youth Commission each year, and about the same number are discharged. But, Jackson said, many end up in adult prisons in a few years. The files contain social histories, psychological information and school records.

Those inmates are capable of doing anything," Jackson said. "Some of them are pretty smart. I assume inmates are smart enough to isolate a particular name and reuse it."

The criminal records of juveniles are confidential by law, and "in essence, we're losing confidentiality with inmates having access to them," Jackson said.

Brackenridge Hospital has sent the medical records of about 12,000 former patients to the prison system for microfilming in the past six months, said spokeswoman Marsha

CARLA RAE ANNE CAPERTON February 3, 1988

Carla Rae Anne Caperton, 19-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Caperton of Hereford, died Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, 1988, in Northwest Texas Hospital following a brief illness.

Services are pending through Rix

## **New Arrivals**

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smock are the parents of a boy, Bradley Jay born February 3, 1988.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Perez are the parents of a girl, Alexandra Sonia born February 3, 1988.

She was born July 3, 1986, in Hereford. She was a member of St.

Anthony's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her parents, Doug and Nancy Caperton of Hereford; a brother, Ryan and three sisters, Camille, Monica, and Abigial, all of the home; grandparents, Mr. C.R. Caperton and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Banner, all of Hereford.

The family will be at 118 Bradley

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Northwest Texsa Hospital Children's Health Foundation of the Pediatric Care Unit, P.O. Box 1259, Amarillo, Tx. 79106.

#### "I didn't say that," Mecham said grand jury witness regarding the Wednesday morning. "I'm not going and I'm not going to help him,' and I not know it was a death threat or that very well could have said, 'You it could be construed as tampering

to tell Ralph Milstead what he can do and what he can't." But in the afternoon, Mecham

said: "I think I am justified in saying to him (Milstead), 'The attorney

general I believe is out to hang me shouldn't help him either.' I think that would be very understandable."

Mecham testified that he was aware Ms. Carlson had been threatened, but he said that he did with a grand jury witness.

\$350,000 loan, in conversation with an aide. Watkins has denied the allegation. Ms. Carlson resigned as Former state prison construction Mecham's legislative liaison a few chief Lee Watkins is accused of weeks before the alleged threat was threatening the life of Ms. Carlson, a made.

In a bid to win support of wavering House members, Reagan agreed to give Congress a role in deciding

whether to release combat aid to the

Contras.

House Democratic leaders have promised to submit their alternate plan before month's end. They say it will provide strictly humanitarian assistance to the Contras, followed by economic development aid for Central-American countries that abide by a regional peace accord.

# Hospital

Irene Aguilar, Girl Aguilar, George Alonso, Clay Angelo, Eileen Behunin, Anna Bustamante, Isabel Cabrera, Javier Calderon, Jr., Kathy Carthel, Girl Carthel, Maria Chavez, Boy Chavez.

Hilda DeLeon, Timothy Dran, Debbie Gaitan, Twin girls Gaitan, Aurora Guerrero, Joe Hamilton, Mary Hendrickson, Maria Madero, Girl Madero.

Herman Marquez, Jimmy Maynard, Virgil Maxwell, Ramiro Medeles, Troy Moore, Doris Parker, Lisa Perez, Girl Perez, Erika Ramirez.

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## Contra

issue of Nicaragua and Central America will not go away."

"If you vote this package down, you better be prepared to bear the consequences, and who among you is smart enough to predict the path (Nicaraguan President) Daniel Ortega will take you?"

On the final vote, a dozen Republicans joined 207 Democrats in voting against Contra aid, while 164 Republicans and 47 Democrats backed Reagan's request.

The crucial swing votes were cast

by moderate Southern Democrats such as Rep. Dan Mica of Florida, who cast his first direct vote against Contra aid after seven years of backing the rebel cause

"It's time to put the Sandinistas to the test once and for all," Mica said. "Daniel Ortega now is about to be put to the test. If he fails, this Congress will support military aid. I'd

say he has maybe two months." Reagan said his request for \$36.2 million through June was mostly for humanitarian aid to the Contras, including food, clothing and medical supplies. Some critics, however, said that was misleading because the socalled humanitarian portion also included money for helicopters, jeeps and military communications equip-Of the total, \$3.6 million was

specifically for lethal military aid mostly ammunition - which would have been held in escrow until March 31 pending cease-fire negotiations between the Sandinistas and the Con-

# Do not wash eggs at home

Consumers who wash eggs at home done at fewer and larger locations, before using them are likely to do more harm than good.

Today, eggs in supermarkets have already been cleaned properly and need no further washing, says Dr. Dave Mellor with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Improper detergents and improper temperatures coupled with inadequate monitoring of detergent or sanitizer levels have caused a lot of problems in the past, says Mellor, a poultry marketing specialist. Most problems occurred when eggs were washed by many people with small flocks and inadequate equipment. As the industry changed, washing was shipped to the supermarket.

and techniques and equipment for washing eggs were improved.

Dirt or stains on egg shells can damage interior contents, notes Mellor. So commercial egg producers use all the proper techniques and equipment to put top quality eggs in grocery cases. For instance, they use water at least 20 degrees F. warmer than egg contents to prevent any possible contamination of the egg's interior.

Poor washing practices can easily contaminate eggs. Thus Mellor advises consumers to avoid washing eggs before use and to rely on others to do the job properly before eggs are

#### DEAR ANN LANDERS:

I am sending on a stress diet that a friend dropped in my mailbox last week. It really lifted my spirits. I hope you will share it with your readers, Ann.-Kitty L., Principal of S.S.E. School in Decatur, Ill.

DEAR KITTY: Thanks for a purrrrfectly delightful bit of foolishness. It is sure to be the laugh of the day for a great many readers.

STRESS DIET

BREAKFAST 12 grapefruit

I slice whole-wheat bread 8 oz. skim milk

LUNCH

4 oz. broiled chicken breast

I cup steamed zucchini 1 Oreo cookie

cup herb tea

#### **Abundant Life**

#### PATIENT ENDURANCE By Bob Wear

The Human Experience presents a constant challenge, or a series of challenges. This process is relentless, and may seem too much for us; but we must not let it be too much for us. We must face this reality with both the spirit and the action of 'patient endurance'-the spirit of never giving up. "Perpetual pushing and assurance put a difficulty out of countenance, and make a seeming impossibility give way."-J. Cillier. Of course, we know, that, now and then, there may be an impossibility; however, all things essential to our

well-being are possible. As long as we are trying, in the light of the knowledge available to us, we are living. When, and if we do stop trying, we stop living. In our ongoing efforts we will experience a setback, now and then, but we must not be discouraged. To prevent this discouragement, we must maintain the very best sense of values, obtain all of the available help, and continue our very best efforts. We soon learn that trying and failing are essentials in meaningful endeavor. We actually discover what will work, many times, by learning what will not work. Much of what we do will be 'trial and error', and so we learn and

Edison gave the world the incandescent light, but his success came after many failures. One of his associates is reported to have said that it seemed a shame that they had wasted so much time and effort before succeeding. Mr. Edison replied that their time and effort had not been wasted, because each failure brought them one step nearer success. This is the spirit of 'patient endurance.

we accomplish.

If we refuse to try because of the possibility of failing or making a mistake, we have made the most hurtful mistake of all. Let us remember that "mistakes are made, we can't deny but only made by the folks who try.

Success in all we try is not necessary, but it is necessary that we keep trying. 'Patient endurance' is

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Pitcher of beer Three candy bars

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DIET TIPS

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2. If you drink a diet soda with a candy bar they will cancel each other

3. Calories don't count if you eat with someone and you both eat the same amount.

4. Food taken for medicinal purposes does not count. This includes hot chocolate, brandy, toast, Sara Lee chocolate cake

5. If you fatten up everyone around you, you'll look thinner.

6. Snacks consumed in a movie do not count as they are part of the entertainment. For example: Milk Duds, popcorn with butter, red licorice and M&Ms.

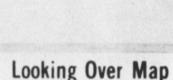
7. Pieces of cookies contain no calories. The process of breaking causes a calorie leakage.

8. Late-night snacks have no calories. The refrigerator light is not strong enough for the calories to see their way into the calorie counter.

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Address for information on Weight Watchers: Consumer Affairs News, Sudan, Texas, Feb. 20, 1969. Department, 500 N. Broadway, Jeriocho, N.Y. 11753-2196.

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Toujours Amis Study Club members, Donna Tidmore, at left, and Tricia Workman, study a city map in preparation for the American Heart Association's Heart Sunday, Feb. 7. Study club members as well as the Hereford High School Key Club and Keywanettes will be walking door-to-door Sunday afternoon in efforts to acquire donations for the local chapter of AHA. The workers will also be distributing information packets. Anyone who would like to make a donation but will be out of town Sunday should send a contribution after Feb. 7 in care of Jeff Brown at the Hereford State Bank. This year's goal is \$5,000.

Marine Master Gunnery Sgt. Encarnacion C. Hernandez, whose wife, Amanda, is the daughter of Pablo and Amalia Mendiaz of 521 Avenue H. Hereford, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at 12th \* Marine Corps District, San Fran-

An atheist is like the fellow who builds a house with no windows and Overeaters Anonymous: Box 92870, then blames God because he has to live in the dark

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> -Boyd Pierce, Sudan Beacon-News, Sudan, Texas, April 3, 1969.

A 1963 graduate of Pettit High School, Pettit, he joined the Marine

Corps in February 1966.



Each eye of a duck has three eyelids

# Snoring can be risky

Should you ignore your snore? Ac- James S. Spector, all of Austin. cording to the January issue of Texas Medicine, more than 43 million adults in the United States have a problem with snoring.

Snoring is more than an annoying noise, it can signal sleep apnea syndrome. Sleep apnea occurs as deep sleep begins, when tissues around the throat obstruct the airway and make normal breathing difficult. This causes a loud snore, which worsens until the air flow stops. Unable to get enough oxygen, the sufferer falls into a more shallow sleep or wakes up.

According to the official journal of the Texas Medical Association, this cycle may be repeated hundreds of times, causing a restless, sleepless night.

According to the authors, more than 70 percent of all snorers have some type of sleep apnea. Sleep apnea sufferers can be identified by a number of common symptoms including obesity, hypertension, and excessive daytime sleepiness.

Those affected have erratic personality changes including irritability, mood swings, compulsiveness, and depression, all closely related to lack of sleep. These symptoms contribute to a high rate of household, occupational, and automobile accidents, according to Dr. John R. McFarlane, Sr., Dr. Vernon Eugene Grove, Jr., Dr. John D. King, and

To combat this disorder, many sufferers turn to sedatives and alcohol to ease the snoring. These depressants only aggravate the disorder and make breathing more difficult. The combination of the disorder and drugs may even result in death.

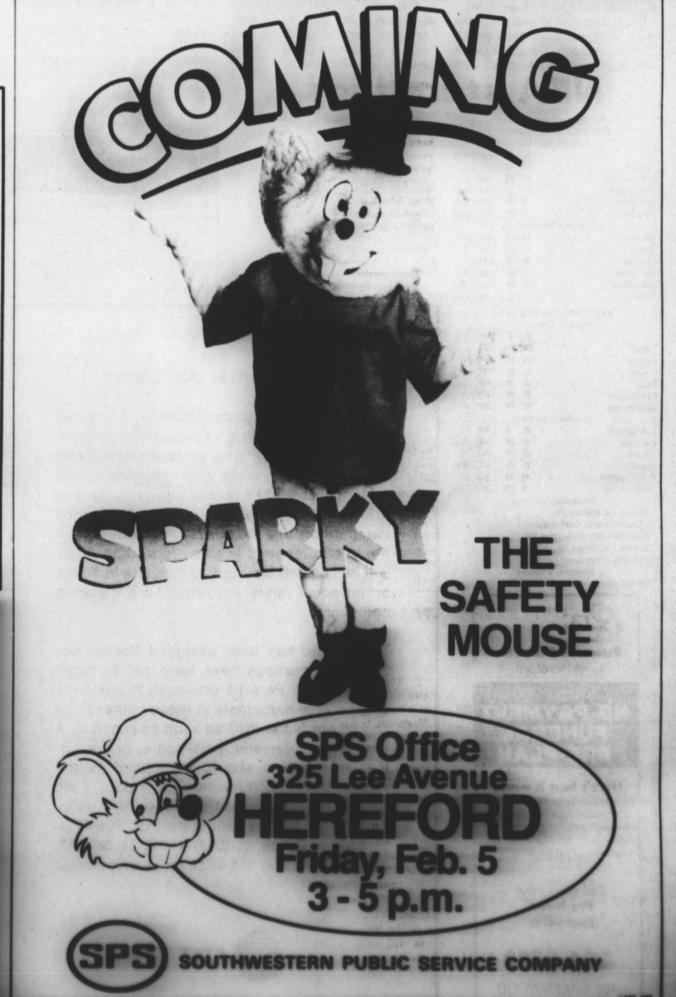
However, many sleep apnea sufferers have found relief through tracheostomy, a surgical procedure in which a device is inserted into the airway to ease breathing. Another procedure, in which the airway is enlarged, has helped 90 percent of the patients to snore less and experience less daytime sleepiness. But, 40 percent of the patients may continue to suffer after the sugery.

The authors write that sleep apnea syndrome can be harmful to a person's health, both physically and emotionally. If snoring causes you to lose sleep, the Texas Medical Association suggests see your physi-

People believe if you hold the hair of a horse in your hand, nothing can













## Junior Varsity Boys' Basketball Team

Members of the 1987-88 Hereford High School junior varsity boys' basketball team are: front row from left, Carl DeLozier, Jason Scott, Kyle Andrews, Adolfo Martinez, Keith Brown, and Nick Kendall; back row

from left, Todd Schroeder, Jim Allen, Scott Devers, Paul Kuper, Roger McCracken, Stuart Mitts, and Darren Nikkel. The junior varsity boys are coached by Brent Roye.

game.

left for Sunday

stand up on.'

## After San Francisco was upset by Minnesota

# 49ers' Montana takes season in stride

By KEN PETERS **AP Sports Writer** 

HONOLULU (AP) - It was an unlikely end to the San Francisco 49ers' season, being upset by the Minnesota Vikings while quarterback Joe Montana finished the game on the bench.

Montana, however, seems to have taken it all in stride.

"A lot of strange things happen in football," the 49ers' Pro Bowl quarterback said. "They say that's why the football's shaped that way.

The 49ers had the NFL's best regular-season record, 13-2, and appeared destined for the Super Bowl.

But in their first playoff game, the 49ers were ambushed 36-24 by the Vikings, and San Francisco Coach Bill Walsh replaced Montana with selection for the Pro Bowl.

Steve Young in the third quarter.

However, Montana, in Hawaii to make his fifth Pro Bowl appearance Sunday, said he's not concerned with any possible quarterback controversy next season

"I'm not even going to think about it," he said. "That's something for other people to worry about."

There has even been speculation that Montana, 31, might consider retiring, but he emphasized that he plans to return next year.

Some of his 49ers teammates said "It takes some real funny there's no doubt Montana is still the club's starting quarterback despite winding up the 1987 campaign on the sidelines

> "They (the Vikings) were teeing off on Joe pretty good," said San Francisco running back Roger Craig, a second-time NFL All-Star

"We put Steve in to try to spark some things. But Joe's still going to be the No. 1 quarterback.

"It was just one of those games. Minnesota played very well.

"Still, we had the best regularseason record," Craig added, "so we've got nothing to be ashamed of. We can come back."

Record-setting wide receiver Jerry Rice, the only player to receive a unanimous vote from his peers around the league for the Pro Bowl this year, said he thinks the 49ers will come back strong.

After making a league-record 23 touchdown receptions and leading the NFL in scoring with 138 points, Rice was checked by the Vikings in the playoff loss.

"I think I just worked too hard the week before the game," Rice said. "I burned myself out during practice and didn't have anything left for the

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# **Elks Hoop Shoot** scheduled Saturday

The 16th annual Elks Hoop Shoot, a national free throw shooting contest for youth ages eight through 13, begins with local competition this Saturday at the Hereford High School gym.

The foul shot contest starts at 9 a.m., R.D. Holmes and Ray Reddinger of the Hereford Lodge No. 2269 announced.

More than three million boys and girls throughout the nation entered last year's Elk Hoop Shoot. Age divisions in the competition are eight to nine; 10 to 11; and 12 to 13.

Each contestant shoots 25 free throws. The boy and girl in each age group with the most free throws made advance through four rounds of competition to qualify for the national finals in Indianapolis, Ind.

The district competition is scheduled on Saturday, Feb. 13 in Hereford. Names of the national winners will be inscribed on the Elks national Hoop Shoot plaque, which is on permanent display in the Naismith Memorial Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass.

For more information on the Elks Hoop Shoot competition for Hereford, contact Holmes at 364-7140 or Reddinger at 364-4968.

# Pankovits reaches contract agreement with Astros

HOUSTON (AP) - The Houston Astros reached a contract settlement with utility man Jim Pankovits, leaving only right fielder Kevin Bass unsigned.

Pankovits, who filed for arbitration and was seeking \$150,000 for the 1988 season, agreed to a split contract, in which he will be paid \$150,000 if he remains with the Astros and \$75,000 if he plays with the minor leagues, Astros General Manager Bill Wood said Wednesday.

The Astros had submitted a counter offer to Pankovits of \$135,000. He earned \$100,000 in 1987, when he batted .230 in only 61 majorleague at bats with one home run.

The Pankovits signing leaves Bass as the club's only player still

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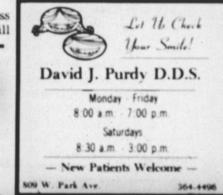
scheduled for salary arbitration later this month.

Bass, who could be eligible for free agency at the end of the upcoming season, has requested a salary of \$930,000 for 1988. The Astros have countered with a salary offer of \$730,000.

An arbitration hearing is set for Feb. 15 in New York, if an agreement is not reached by then.

Wood and Bass' agent have been negotiating a multi-year contract.

Bass, a 1986 All-Star, hit .284 last season and was second behind first baseman Glenn Davis with 19 home runs and 85 RBI. He also has 21 steals.



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By The Associated Press EASTERN CONFERENCE **Atlantic Division** 

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The 49ers at the Pro Bowl, like

most of the other players, certainly

don't intend to burn themselves out

"I'm headed down to the beach

during practice for Sunday's game.

later to get one of those long boards,

those huge surfboards," Montana

said. "Those are the only kind I can











## **NOTICE TO AT&T CUSTOMERS**

The Public Utility Commission of Texas has initiated a proceeding to consider the following: whether any long distance telephone company that does not provide local telephone service has the ability to control prices in Texas; the status of long distance competition; and the effect of competition on the public interest. In this proceeding AT&T will be seeking the right to compete in Texas on an equal basis with other long distance companies.

This matter has been assigned Docket No. 7790 and hearings have been set to begin May 31, 1988. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the PUC as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757, or by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 for teletypewriter for the deaf.





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## Junior Varsity Girls' Basketball Team

Members of the 1987-88 Hereford High School junior varsity girls' basketball team are: front row from left, Susan Gage, Belinda Britten, Brienna Townsend, Nikki Self, and Ruthie Aguilar; back row from left,

head Coach Frank Belcher, Chandra Brown, Jessica Dearing, Teresa Brown, Libby Kosub, Krystal Sims, Poppy Richardson, Jill West, and junior varsity team

Coach Donnie O'Rand.

## Now in Orioles' front office

# Robinson accustomed to leading way

By RONALD BLUM Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - Frank Robinson is accustomed to leading the

He is the only player to win Most Valuable Player awards in both leagues.

He was the first black manager in baseball history.

He moved into the Baltimore Orioles' front office this winter, joining Hank Aaron as the only blacks to hold major executive jobs in baseball.

Now that Robinson is there, he wants others to follow.

the game of baseball," Robinson said Wednesday. "I'm in a position nobody has been in before. The opportunity is there.

Only one black, Bill Lucas, has been general manager of a majorleague team. Lucas held that post with the Atlanta Braves for three years before dying of a heart attack

## Spinks-Tyson fight could gross \$70 million

NEW YORK (AP) - Mike Tyson and Michael Spinks figure to gross as much as \$70 million when Tyson defends his undisputed heavyweight title in June, Spinks' adviser says.

Butch Lewis made that estimate Wednesday after negiotations were completed. He called the bout "the only fight in boxing ... the one everyone wanted to see.

Lewis figured the fight would make a net profit of nearly \$40 million.

We've agreed verbally," Lewis said, ending months of often-bitter negotiations. "We're now having the contract reduced to writing" and a signing is expected early next week.

The bout between the unbeaten fighters will be shown on closedcircuit television, but no site or date has been chosen, Lewis said.

Atlantic City and Las Vegas, Nev., were thought to be the leading contenders as the site.

We're very interested in the fight," said Jack Burkam, vice president of marketing at the Las Vegas Hilton. "We've hosted most of Tyson's championship fights and we've hosted Spinks fights in the past. They were very successful for

Donald Trump, the New York real estate magnate and a hotel-casino owner in Atlantic City, has been involved some recent King promotions, most recently the Tyson-Holmes fight, held in the Atlantic City Convention Center, next to Trump Plaza.

Caesars Palace in Las Vegas was another potential site.

development for the Braves and San Francisco Giants. Robinson began this week as a special assistant to Orioles owner. Edward Bennett Williams, the only major black appointment among baseball player personnel jobs this

"There's a lot of jobs that have opened up and I thought baseball was ready to hire a black manager or general manager," Robinson said. "It hasn't happened in 40 years; it hasn't happened overnight.

Robinson, who was in New York for a promotional appearance, is one of a group of black former players "I'm trying to get them back into called the Baseball Network that is attempting to get more black players into baseball jobs. The group, which includes Willie Stargell and Curt Flood, has met with Commissioner Peter Ueberroth, hired an executive director and opened an office in Houston.

We have a lot of communication. We exchange information," Robinson said of the discussions with Ueberroth. "He may call up the Baseball Network and say that there's a job that's available, let's say with the Cleveland Indians, and ask us for a list of names that we think are qualified and we'll pass it

Baseball's examination of its minority hiring practices began after Al Campanis, then the general manager of the Los Angeles Dodgers, said last April that blacks 'lacked the necessities" to hold front office positions.

Since the Campanis statement, it's opened up all the doors in baseball," Robinson said.

Yet, except for Robinson, no blacks have been named to highprofile positions.

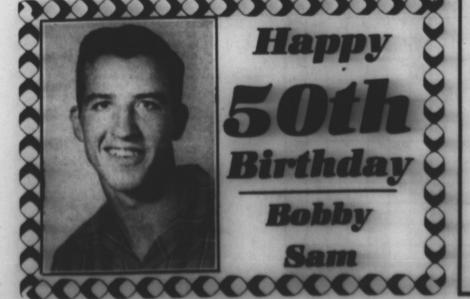
'He has the knowledge. He knows the game," New York Yankees General Manager Lou Piniella said of Robinson. "He knows the players. He's been on the field."

And with experience off the field, Robinson hopes he one day will run a

"This will prepare me if a general manager's job opens up," Robinson said. "I could be considered for it."

But part of him still wants to eturn to the field, where he once

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in 1979. Aaron is director of player managed the Cleveland Indians and

managing a ballclub, if it was a situation I was comfortable with, I 'Certainly if a position came along would go for it."

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# Carroll adjusts to new roles with Houston Rockets

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ **AP Sports Writer** 

HOUSTON (AP) - It's been a season of adjustment for the Houston Rockets' Joe Barry Carroll.

Carroll started the first 14 games of the NBA season with the Golden State Warriors, where he was booed and carried the uncomplimentary nickname of "Joe Barely Cares."

Since coming to the Rockets Dec. 12 with Sleepy Floyd in exchange for Ralph Sampson, Carroll has shown that his stoic demeanor on the court doesn't reflect his desire.

Carroll's latest gem was Tuesday night when he scored 21 points, grabbed 12 rebounds and blocked five shots in Houston's 109-99 victory over Phoenix.

Carroll has had to adjust to his new role as a bench player and as a Rocket, and he must face the basket more in relief of Jim Petersen.

When I came in (to Houston) I had to accept that I would be facing the basket more and playing against smaller guys," Carroll said. "It takes me out of my offense a little more because I have to shoot from different places."

But Carroll is learning.

He scored 16 points and got six rebounds in Friday's 108-92 victory

over Midwest division-leading Dallas. His high for the year was 25 points and 13 rebounds against Detroit on Dec. 29.

"The past month has been like training camp for me," Carroll said. "I've had to get in a different kind of condition and coming off the bench has compounded the adjustment."

Carroll is slowly uncrating his jump shot. "The adjustment is ongoing but we're getting better," he said. "I got

in a few good jumpers from outside and I was passing the ball good." Carroll hit seven straight points late in the fourth quarter after the

Suns had pulled within one point of the Rockets. "He did a great job on the offensive boards and got some good defensive

rebounds," Houston Coach Bill Fitch said. "He played hard tonight. I'm glad he's on our team."

The Rockets host New Jersey today as Houston tries to gain ground on the Mavericks.



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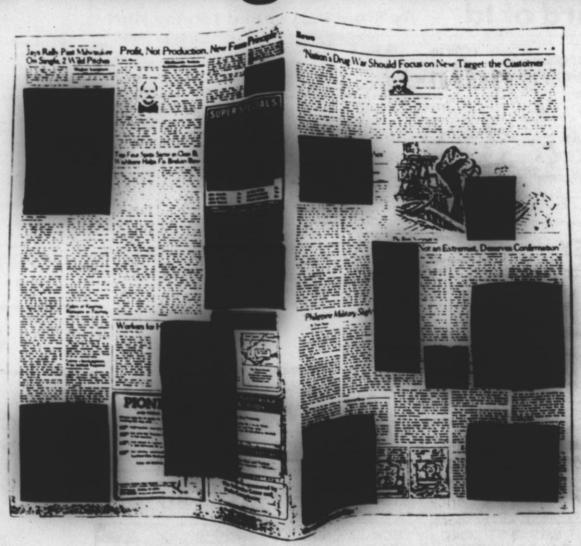
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# enator Bill Sarpalius Reports

AUSTIN - Judicial reform at times seems like one of those ideas unique to regular sessions of the Legislature. Lawmakers come to town talking about the need to reform the judiciary, the media appropriately treats it as a "hot" topic, bills are filed, hearings conducted and then, ever so quietly, the issue dies only to be resurrected two years down the

Why no resolution to date? Well, for one thing, the issue has failed until recently to spark widespread interest outside the Capitol and legal community. People simply have considered other issues more pressing.

That's left the fighting largely up to the pro and anti-reform groups. The battle between these groups is plenty spirited, and that makes the issue controversial, at least within the walls of the Capitol. Without a public mandate directing the Legislature, though, the issue has gotten no farther than the hearing stage.

Really, the debate over the issue has left only one thing clear, and that is that the majority of people in this state do not want to give up their right to elect judges in some form or fashion. So, to this point, the battle has been among three groups. There are those, of course, who see no reason for any change in the judicial selection process. For them, electing judges at all levels by the traditional two-party process

works just fine. A second group would like to do away with the partisan aspect of the elections. Those supporting

"Don't mistake your own shortcomings for government defects." -E.V. White, Clarendon News, Clarendon, Texas, Sept. 17, 1936.

the non-partisan concept point to the 1980 and 1984 general elections when qualified Democratic judges were swept from office in the Reagan landslides and to the 1982 election when qualified Republican judges lost office in the Democratic landslide in Texas. The third, and perhaps most vocal, group would like to see what they call merit selection of judges. Under this system, a bipartisan committee of attorneys, legislators and public members would submit five names to the governor each time a judicial post comes open. The governor then would nominate one of the five to fill the vacant post, and the Senate would confirm or

reject the nominee. Appointed judges, according to the merit selection plan, would serve a predetermined length of time before seeking another term in a "retention" election. Such an election would have voters cast ballots only on whether the judge should have another term. Any time a judge is rejected by the voters, the merit selection process would begin again. At this point, proponents of merit selection call for the plan to apply only to appellate-level judges.

Each of the camps has its reasons for supporting its respective plan, but the public never seemed that interested in the various arguments. Beyond taking the traditional stance in favor of being allowed some type of ballot in judicial selections, the issue really hasn't appeared to be all that important to Texans.

Until now. Suddenly, the Texas judiciary is under fire around the nation, and people are beginning to question our judicial system a little more closely. At the heart of the controversy is

the \$11 billion award granted

suit against Texaco. The award has been upheld by both the Court of Appeals and the Texas Supreme Court.

Texaco charges that Penzoil - legally - bought the award. Texaco attorneys note that Penzoil's counsel made generous campaign contributions to the trial judge, the appeals judges and many members of the Supreme Court. To be fair, it should be noted that during the trial Texaco declined to offer any evidence to rebut Penzoil's claim that \$11 billion was a fair award.

Still, the heavy compaign contributions to most of the judges involved with the case taints Penzoil's award, even if it was fair. The judiciary's image further has been tainted by official reprimands against two Supreme Court justices and charges that special interests virtually control the Supreme Court.

The ethical questions that surround the state judiciary have been duly noted by the national media. In particular, "60 Minutes," the CBS newsmagazine, did a story that was highly critical of our judiciary.

What all this means, is that the stakes have increased in the judicial reform battle and that the general public is likely to be more concerned about the issue when the Legislature reconvenes next January. At least one of the candidates seeking a seat on the Supreme Court this year already has said he will limit his contributions to \$5,000 per contributor.

It doesn't look like judicial reform will stay on the back burner much longer.

If you have any questions about judicial reform, or other issues, please write us at P.O. Box 12068. Austin, Texas, 78711.

#### **THURSDAY**

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  - (B) Wildlife Chronicles
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- 6:05 Andy Griffith
- 6:30 M'A'S'H Michigan Outdoors Wheel of Fortune D
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- World of Survival
- 6:35 Sanford and Son 7:00 The Best of Walt Disney Presents
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- O Hell Town
- MOVIE: The Bride D Be My Valentine, Charlie Brown
- Simon and Simon
- (B) Riptide
- Cagney and Lacey
- Make Room for Daddy
- 1975)
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- Nashville Now
   American Diary
   All Creatures Great and Small
   Camp Meeting USA
   Quinceanera Adela Noriega. Jorge
- 7:05 MOVIE: Bataan \*\*\*
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  S Bugs Bunny Valentine Special 
  Mr. Ed 7:30 A Different World
- 8:00 MOVIE: Toby McTeague Conflicts arise between a widower and his rebellious teenage son after the boy
- accidentally wounds one of their prize racing dogs. Yannick Bisson. Winston Rekart (1986) NR
- Cheers
- Simon and Simon
  College Basketball MOVIE: St. Ives \*\*\* Ex crime
- reporter turned author becomes in volved with the efforts of a wealthy highly idiosyncratic crook. Charles Bron John Houseman (1976) PG
- My Three Sons © College Basketball

  MOVIE: The Oklahoma City Dolls
- (HBO) MOVIE: Enemy Mine \*\*1/2
- (MAX) Stripper \*\*\* Janette Boyd.
- ra Costa (1985) R Nudity, Mature
- D Living Tomorrow
  The Phoenix Dance Company
- @ Pastor's Study
- 1 La Indomable Arturo Peniche, Leticia
- 8:30 C Late Night with David Letterman: 6th
- Anniversary

  Donna Reed MOVIE: Friday the 13th, Part VI: Jason Lives 1/2

**FRIDAY** 

7.05 MOVIE: The Mummy \*\*\*

7:30 Prehistoric World (1986) NR

Mr. Belvedere

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8 30 ( War Chronicles

E New Country

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@ PTL Club

9:30 () Last Frontier

O Straight Talk

Falcon Crest D (D Laugh In

Crook and Chase

(D) Noticiero Univision

9:05 Black History Special

@ Changed Lives

9:00 O Unsolved Mysteries

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Off the Record

The Thorns

(D) Top Rank Boxing

My Three Sons

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8:00 @ MOVIE: The Cat from Outer Space

Professional Golf
 MOVIE: Thompson's Last Run

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@ (MAX) MOVIE: Hunk \*\* A nobody

wants a new body. He makes a devil of a deal and now there's hell to pay, John

8:45 (1) Comedy Club Network (1987) NR

den Nelson, Deborah Shelton (1987) PG

O There's Always Sun Shining

D It's Garry Shandling's Show Garry

@ Wonder of Western Australia

- New Country
  No Guts , No Glory Way of the Winne
- 9:00 The West of the Imagination
  - (1986)

    Straight Talk
  - News

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  - E Laugh In
    Crook and Chase
    Wild Canada
- Vladimir Ashkenazy
  PTL Club Noticiero Univision
- 9:05 @ MOVIE: Flying Leathernecks \* \* \*
- 9:30 @ Great American Outdoors Car 54 Where Are You?

  (MAX) MOVIE: The Fly \*\*1/2
- Videocountry

- 9:35 Animals in Action
- 10:00 The Missing Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
  - Good Neighbors Remington Steele
  - O Soap
- College Basketball WKRP in Cincinnati
- Monkees
- B Airwolf Ernest Borgnine Jan Michael
- MOVIE: Radio Days \*\*\* An affect
- tionate, nostalgic look back at a time of innocence and hope. An ordinary
- American family relies on fantasies to
- escape its ordinary life. Mia Farrow. Dianna. Wiest (1987) PG
- (HBO) Inside the NFL: '87 Wrap
- 1 You Can Be a Star
- @ Portraits of Power @ Good Time Cafe @ Capitol Christian Center

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- @ (HBO) Inside the NFL '87 Wrap
- ② You Can Be a Star ED Survive
- Creativity 60 PTL Club 1 Rosa Salvaje Veronica Castro Manuel
- 6:05 Andy Griffith 6:30 O M'A'S'H
  - O Detriot Week in Review
  - Wheel of Fortune D O Barney Miller
- D Love Connection (II) Speedweek
- (E) Webster Double Dare ED Fandango
- World of Survival
- 6:35 O Sanford and Son 7:00 Main Event Special
- ODC Week Ryw D
- Pull House [] O Paper Chase
- MOVIE Bronco Billy ...
- Beauty and the Beast All American Pulling Series (I) Simon and Simon
- Make Room for Daddy (B) Otherworld
- m MOVIE Clue \*\*15 @ (HBO) MOVIE Aliens \*\*\*\*
- (MAX) MOVIE: Mannequin 1/2

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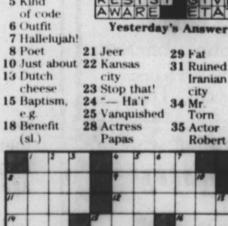
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@ (HBO) MOVIE. The Kindred \* \* 1/4 Art evil scientist hides his vicious brother in his cellar. The brother is a fishike monster who sprays toxic slime! Risc Steiger, Kim Huster (1987) R Profamity @ USO Celebrity Tour

D Journey into the Himalayas MOVIE Benjamin Argumedo Era un hombre honesto y valiente, pero des-truyeron lo que mas queria y se convirtio

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- 10:30 MOVIE Betrayed . . In WWIL a
- Dutch underground officer searches for a spy giving information to the Germans Clark Gable Lata Tomer (1954)
- Tonight Show

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- Magnum, P.I. D Love Connection
- @ SportsCenter @ Late Show @ Susie @ MOVIE: Mannequin to The life of a
- changed when one of his beautiful mannequins comes to vibrant, sexy Me. Andrew McCarthy, Kim Caltrair (1987) PG.
- (MAX) Private Practice: Story of a Sex Surrogate (1985) NF

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- Today in Bible Prophecy 11:00 @ Entertainment Tonight O Burns and Allen
- CBS Late Night Top of the Pops College Basketball Make Room for Daddy Flamingo Road
  Animals of the Great Northwest MOVIE: After Pilkington Childhood sweethearts are reunited in an ad-
- chaeologist that turns out to have deadly consequences. Miranti Richard son Bop Prex (1986) Signs of the Times 11:05 Night Tracks: Part I
- @ (HBO) MOVIE: Hardbodies 2 to The fun loving Hardbodies gang returns when a cast and crew of Hollywood professionals travel to Greece to film a low budget feature. Brad Zutaut (1986) R. Profanity. Nudity. Adult Situation.
- 11:30 C Late Night with David Letterman Profiles of Nature
  Nightline 
  Jack Benny MOVIE: Damien: Omen II \*\*1/2 13 year old Damien feels perfectly normal until he is informed of his demonic

destiny, William Holden, Lee Grant (1978) R Profanity, Violence, Adult Themes.

Friday the 13th

Mr. Ed Orphans of the Wild Jimmy Swaggart
 El Mundo del Espectaculo 11:50 (D (MAX) MOVIE: Liz She's bold beautiful and lives to top her most exotic fantasies. She's a woman all her own with a lust for life that few women can

match Flora Glenn Ulf Brunnberg R Nudity Adult Situation. 12:00 G Golden Years of Television
Barnaby Jones
Best of Groucho

CBS Late Night 2 Night Stalker Donna Reed Way Off Broadway MOVIE: The Joy of Flying in beautiful Monte Carlo and Bavaria, a gorgeous woman works hard to get rid of her two major hangups, sex and the fear of flying. Corinne Cartier, Olivia Pascai (1982) B

Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation,

 Breakthroughs
 Success-N-Life 12:05 Night Tracks: Part II

New Country

Being too old, they send their sons
Cornel Wilde Maureen 0 Hara (1952) NR

Friday Night Videos

Laurel and Hardy

# 12:30 MOVIE: At Sword's Point \*\*1/9 Threatened by intrigue, a French queen sends for the famous Musketeers.

## Sparks 4th quarter run

# **Adams leads Denver** over Dallas 115-105

By BILL BARNARD **AP Basketball Writer** 

Michael Adams, whose 3-pointers Denver that secured the Nuggets' 115-105 win over Dallas, says he broke loose because the Mavericks were focusing on his teammates.

"They know I can shoot it, but I think they were concentrating on Wednesday night's victory, which those turnovers," he said. brought the Nuggets to within three Midwest Division.

"Tonight I made some 3s (3-point at home. shots) at times when we really needed it," Adams said. "Obviously anyone in this league can feel it when they get on a roll, but anytime I'm to be hard to catch the rest of the open I feel I can make it."

Adams had 21 points and attracted the attention of Dallas coach John MacLeod.

'Last time we played here Adams did the same thing - he made a lot of 3s," Dallas coach John MacLeod

The Mavericks, who did not lead after the end of the first quarter, were within 87-84 in the final period when Adams connected on a 3-point shot with seven minutes, 59 seconds

Alex English, Denver's leading scorer with 26 points, scored 12 seconds later. After Mark Aguirre scored for Dallas, Adams' 3-point basket at the 6:34 mark built a 95-86 lead for the Nuggets that Dallas never challenged.

Only seven Nuggets scored, but six had double figures. Jay Vincent, who keyed Denver in the first half, had 20 points, Fat Lever had 16, and Bill Hanzlik had 13.

Aguirre was the game's high scorer with 27. Roy Tartley added 21, Sam Perkins 18, and Derek Harper 16 for Dallas.

Denver coach Doug Moe also said he appreciated Adams' play.

'He's got the confidence and the freedom to shoot it and he doesn't take very many bad ones," Moe said. He got our pace going tonight and we were able to get a lot of points off the fast break

Adams played 41 minutes, was 5-for-7 on 3-point shots and had nine assists

## **Brewers' Molitor** receives baseball 94-67 lead into the final quarter. **Hutch Award**

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) - Paul Molitor, whose 39-game hitting streak during the 1987 season was the fourth longest in American League history, has been named the winner of baseball's Hutch Award.

Molitor led the American League in 1987 with 114 runs scored and 41 doubles and set a club record with 45 stolen bases. He hit .353, second in the league to Wade Boggs of Boston. in 118 games. He also had five triples, 16 home runs and 75 runs batted in.

The Milwaukee Brewers' standout was voted the award by a panel of major-league broadcasters and

The award goes to a player who overcomes adversity. He "best exemplifies the character, dedication and competitive spirit of Fred Hut-

Forward passes were not officially permitted in college football until the 1906 season.

The forward progress of the ball rule in college football was not instituted until 1916.

MacLeod said the Mavericks had too many turnovers - 20 to Denver's 11 - and said Vincent's play in the sparked a fourth-quarter run for first half, when he came off the bench and hit 14 points, really hurt Dallas, too.

"Denver's playing very well at home and they're rested," he said.

"We just turned the ball over too often. We did some of that ourselves stopping some of the other guys on but you also have to credit the our team," Adams said after Denver defense for a large part of

Moe also appreciated Denver's regames of Dallas in the NBA's cent wins over the Los Angeles Lakers, Milwaukee and Atlanta - all

> "Beating Dallas certainly is nice and we've had a terrific home stand," he said. "But Dallas is going

> Elsewhere, it was Boston 118, Indiana 103; Philadelphia 96, Golden State 84: Cleveland 107, Washington 106, and Utah 123, Sacramento 91. Celtics 118, Pacers 103

Boston beat Indiana for the 23rd consecutive time at Boston Garden and won its 66th straight regularseason game at home against Eastern Conference opponents.

Kevin McHale scored 27 points and Larry Bird and Danny Ainge 21 apiece for the Celtics.

The Pacers, down 66-58 at the half after trailing by as many as 15 points, closed the deficit to 78-74 with less than four minutes to go in the third quarter. Ainge then triggered a 9-0 run with an 18-foot jumper and a 3-pointer, and Boston led by at least seven points the rest of the way.

The Pacers were led by Vern Fleming with 18 points. Jazz 123, Kings 91

Utah won its third straight game for the first time this season as Rickey Green scored 16 of his 18 points in the first half and Karl Malone finished with 25 points and 10 rebounds against Sacramento, which is 2-16 on the road.

Thurl Bailey added 22 points for the Jazz, while Reggie Theus led the Kings with 21

Green came off the bench in the second period and hit his first eight shots, including five in the second quarter, as the Jazz pulled away to a 56-45 halftime lead.

Bailey scored 12 points and John Stockton added seven points and five assists as Utah outscored Sacramento 38-22 in the third period and took a

## Cavaliers 107, Bullets 106

Cleveland won its fifth straight when Mark Price, hitting 90 percent of his free throws, missed his first attempt from the line with five seconds left, then made the second, lifting the Cavaliers over Washington.

After Price broke the tie, Tyrone Bogues took the Bullets' inbounds pass and raced the length of the court, but had his shot blocked by Craig Ehlo.

Elho's block was a team-record 16th by the Cavaliers, including nine by Hot Rod Williams, who also led the Cavaliers with 23 points.

Jeff Malone had 27 points to lead the Bullets.

## 76ers 96, Warriors 84

Philadelphia handed Golden State its 21st road loss in 22 games as Charles Barkley scored 17 of his 21 points in the second half.

Barkley, returning after missing two games with a sprained ankle, helped the 76ers win for only the second time in the last eight games.

Mike Giminski had 15 points and 13 rebounds for the 76ers, while Maurice Cheeks added 14 points and 11 assists. Ralph Sampson's 16 points led the Warriors, who shot only eight free throws in the game.

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February is Canned Food Month. And what better time to learn about new ways to use canned foods!

"Canned foods make an important nutritional contribution to many people's diets," says Betty Peterkin, associate administrator of the Human Nutrition Information Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

'Canned foods are almost always more convenient than fresh and frozen foods," she says, "although I don't believe that fresh foods should be eliminated entirely.'

Nutrition studies by the National Food Processors Association and the Institute of Food Technologists say canned foods are comparable nutritionally to fresh-cooked foods when prepared for the table.

'Many people don't realize that when a food is processed, whether it's in the home or by commercial organizations, a certain amount of nutrient loss is inevitable," said Dr. Richard Greenberg, director of the Institute's Office of Scientific Public Affairs.

An IFT Expert Panel on Food, Safety and Nutrition reviewed research comparing nutrient retention in foods. According to their report: "As a result of the large vitamin losses that occur during cooking in the home, the actual vitamin content of table-ready foods is frequently about the same, regardless of the type of processing, or lack of processing, the food has undergone.'

Susan Florsheim, partner of Ferre-Florsheim Catering in Chicago, says her firm uses canned foods frequently.

'We have at least 50 feet of shelf space filled with cans," Florsheim says. "Certain products are seasonal and are not always available fresh, therefore, we rely heavily on canned foods such as white asparagus spears, artichoke hearts, salsa, soups and tomato products."

Marilyn Taylor, partner and chef at Paradise Catering Co. in Los Angeles, says low-sodium and lightsugar canned foods are good options for health and diet-conscious people.

Taylor says one of her firm's most popular recipes is shrimp in pineapple-coconut sauce. "We use canned coconut milk to prepare this dish."

One secret of cooking with canned

foods is not to overcook them. Heat processing "cooks" canned foods while preserving them, so canned foods need only to be warmed gently before serving. To prepare, open the can, drain the

liquid into a saucepan, and bring to a boil. Add the contents of the can, heat through (about 2 minutes) and serve. When using a microwave, canned

foods can be heated in the microwave-safe serving dishes and taken straight to the dinner table. In addition, many canned foods can be served chilled or at room temperature directly from the can.

use canned foods? - The heat sterilization of the canning process preserves food without additives or preservatives. The can protects its contents from con-

What are some of the reasons to

tamination. Canned foods are shelf-stable and economical. Experts say canned foods retain their high quality and nutrition for months, and many foods can be stored up to two years without refrigeration.

- Canned fruits and vegetables contain fiber similar to fresh and frozen foods. High-fiber canned foods include all varieties of bean, especially baked beans, dried beans, kidney beans and garbanzos. Other high-fiber canned foods: carrots, corn, peas and berries.

 Nutritional and sodium labeling is found on many canned foods including juices, fruits, vegetables, meats, soups and specialty products. More than 60 percent of canned products now feature sodium information on labels.

- Dozens of canned foods are available in low-sodium, reducedsugar and no-salt-added varieties. Single-serving cans of

vegetables, fruits, main dishe sandwich items like canned chicken, tuna and ham are available. Canned meats, seafood and

poultry items are perfect for making salads and sandwiches. About 1,500 varieties of food -

from abalone and artichoke hearts to zucchini - are available in cans. More than 130 vegetable products, 75 kinds of juices, 40 varieties of beans and 100 kinds of soups and stews offer unlimited possibilities for creative cooking.

Some foods are grown mainly for canning purposes. Almost 90 percent of tomatoes and 95 percent of all beets harvested in the United States are made into canned products. More than 70 percent of the apricots and cranberries, about 55 percent of the pears and more than 50 percent of the peaches harvested in the United States are canned.

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# low You're Cooking

BY GAYE B. REILY **Staff Writer** 

When it comes to cooking with wild mushrooms, Kay Lynn Caviness knows a great deal about the subject. "I went to a cooking school in Red River, N.M., a few years ago that focused entirely on wild mushrooms," she said. "The fiveday school featured an Italian chef that taught us to identify and use various kinds of wild mushrooms. He took us out into the forest for mushroom identification and then prepared them for us. It was quite an experience."

The Italian chef, who has a restaurant in Taos, N.M., instilled in Caviness an appreciation of fine cuisine. "He showed us how using fresh herbs can really make a difference in food. He made a wild cream of mushroom soup using fresh

ingredients and it is a taste that cannot be imitated."

When she is not in search of special ingredients, Caviness enjoys painting, tennis, snow skiing, and is proficient in the flute and piano. She is a member of L'Allegra Study Club and Hereford Music Study Club.

Born in Littlefield, Caviness and her family moved here in 1966 when she was an eighth grader. A 1970 graduate of Hereford High School, she went on to Texas Tech University where she got a degree in English and Latin in secondary education. "Everyone told me there would be a big demand for Latin teachers, but I soon found out it wasn't so," she said. In 1972, she married her high school sweetheart, Brent, who is now manager of Caviness Packing Company. They are the parents of Lauren, age eight, and Spencer, age six, and they are members of First United Methodist Church. The active family also finds time to participate in their favorite sport: polo.

"Brent got interested in playing polo recently and we have made it a family event," she said. "We often went to Midland, Roswell, N.M., or San Patricio, N.M. to play, and attended the finals in Palm Springs, Calif., in October." Kay Lynn had to overcome her fear of horses as she took a riding and jumping class at West Texas State University.

But polo is not the only love the family shares. According to Caviness, taking pleasure in good food is a family affair. "We like spicy food like Italian and Mexican food. I enjoy trying new recipes and going to new restaurants and Brent is a good cook in his own right. He makes terrific Caesar salads, lobster, chicken fried steak, and cooks steaks outside on the grill."

Some of Kay Lynn's favorite recipes follow:

EASY CHICKEN DIVAN

2 - 10 oz. pkgs broccoli, frozen (or can use fresh)

2 c. sliced cooked chicken 2 cans condensed cream of chicken

1 c. mayonnaise 1 tsp. lemon juice 1/2 tsp. curry powder 1/2 c. shredded sharp cheese 1/2 c. soft bread crumbs 1 Tbsp. butter, melted

pimento strips Cook broccoli, drain. Arrange in greased baking dish. Place chicken on top.

Combine soup, mayonnaise, lemon juice and curry; pour over chicken. Sprinkle with cheese. Combine crumbs and butter; sprinkle over all. Bake at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes. Trim with pimento strips.

> SALSA DI BOLOGNESE (Spaghetti Meat Sauce)

112 lb. ground beef 1 onion 1 carrot 1 stalk celery 12 oz. dried mushrooms 12 glass of red wine 1 tsp. tomato puree

1 Tbsp. flour 1 pint of water or stock (beef base, as with a cube of Swiss Knorr Beef Base)

fresh herbs: rosemary and sage

oil, stir and cook until golden brown, 5-10 minutes. Add ground beef and cook until brown. Add tomato paste and fresh herbs to taste (if unavailable, used dried).

Pour in red wine, bring to boil and cook until wine has evaporated. Add enough water/stock to cover the meat in the pan. Bring to a boil and simmer until cooked.

More tomato may be added according to taste. Serve over spaghetti

**CLAM CHOWDER** 

8 slices bacon, diced 3 large onions, sliced 4 potatoes, diced 3 8-oz. cans minced clams About 2 qts. milk Worcestershire sauce

salt & pepper to taste

Fry bacon and onions in saucepan until onions are soft but not brown. Add potatoes and clams; cover with milk. Add Worcestershire sauce, butter, salt, and pepper. Cover and simmer for two hours.

CARAMEL CHEESE CAKE

114 c. crushed graham crackers 14 c. granulated sugar <sup>1</sup>4 c. chopped pecans, toasted

4 c. butter, melted Place chopped vegetables into hot 3-8 oz. pkgs cream cheese, softened

1 c. packed brown sugar 5 1/3 oz. can (2/3 c.) evaporated milk 2 Tbsp. all-purpose flour 11/2 tsp. vanilla

3 eggs 1 c. pecan halves, toasted

In a small mixing bowl combine cracker crumbs, sugar, and chopped pecans. Stir in the melted butter. Press mixture over the bottom and 112" up sides of a 9" springform pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes.

Beat together cream cheese, 1 c. brown sugar, evaporated milk, flour, 112 tsp. vanilla. Add eggs; beat until just blended. Pour into baked crust. Bake in oven 350 degrees for 50-55 minutes. Cool in pan 30 minutes, loosen sides and remove rim from pan. Cool completely

Add nuts on top and top with caramel topping, which follows:

CARAMEL TOPPING

1 c. dark corn syrup

4 c. cornstarch 2 Tbsp. brown sugar

1 tsp. vanilla

Combine corn syrup, cornstarch and brown sugar in saucepan. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly. Remove from heat. Stir in vanilla. Cool slightly. Spoon some of warm sauce over the nuts on cheesecake. Makes 12-16 servings.



KAY LYNN CAVINESS ...Demonstrates easy way to chop an onion

# Cholesterol education program to be offered

The American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate, launched a major cholesterol education program recently which will assist physicians in lowering their patients' cholesterol levels, thereby reducing one of the primary risk factors of coronary heart disease (CHD).

"The program is targeted to primary care physicians because of the importance of prevention and early detection of atherosclerosis," said Michael H. Crawford, M.D., president of the Texas Affiliate. "Of course, any physician who is concerned about the elevated level of serum cholesterol in Texas will be interested in the AHA's new program."

Crawford said that the American Heart Association has established target values for adult serum cholesterol levels that may indicate an individual's risk of h ving a heart attack. He added that serum cholesterol levels above 200 milligrams per deciliter were considered as being in a zone of accelerated risk.

The affiliate kicked off its program with this physician cholesterol education conference, designed to address concerns about the diagnosis and treatment of high serum cholesterol levels. The conference was held on Friday, January 22, 1988, in Austin at the Airport Marriott

names, or surnames, about 2852 BC.

from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Topics included: current recommendations regarding the relationship of cholesterol to CHD; how to measure serum cholesterol levels; and how to treat patients with elevated cholesterol levels through diet and drug therapy.

"Participants received materials to assist them in implementing the recommendation and guidelines addrssed in the conference," Crawford noted. "The new definition of elevated serum cholesterol level as being above 200 milligrams per deciliter, and the availability of highrisk patients more feasible for routine inclusion in a physician's practice," Crawford said.

He also pointed out that physicians need training in measuring and evaluating cholesterol measurements because results require expert interpretation. "A physician must also take into consideration the patient's other risk factors and any existing diseases," Crawford said. For example, smoking and heredity can further increase the risk of heart disease in a person with a high serum cholesterol level.

"The goal of the AHA is to get everyone's serum cholesterol down to 200 milligrams per deciliter," Crawford said. "One of the best ways we can do this is through physician education."





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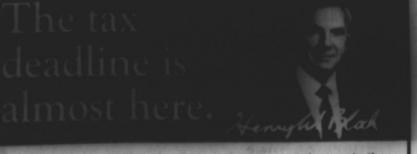
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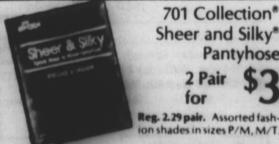
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