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Frosting reapplied to trees

These trees in Dameron Park and others across the region received their second icy coating in less than a week on Wednesday night. A cold front, accompanied by fog and drizzle left an icy frosting on trees, poles, wires and other above-the-ground items.



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says those who are ashamed of the past and afraid of the future don't find the present too good either.

Put a little sunshine in your neighbor's life to dispense the clouds on your own horizon.

Another new year is underway and a lot of resolutions were made this week by people who plan to make their lives (and others) better in 1991.

Because of the ages and lifestyles of the people involved, our New Year's Eve celebration was a little different than many across the country, too.

As we move into the new year, let's forget for the moment all those big problems in the world which we can't do anything about.

If we remember the little things and take care of them, then we will be in a better frame of mind to think constructively about what part we might play in helping solve the bigger problems of the day.

Let's talk about the good times—when something made us happy, and the times we feel healthy and well. Let's talk about how fortunate we are and have a smile for everyone we

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Congress back to deal with war, recession, deficit

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congress revives today from a brief winter hibernation to face a perilous year, from the crisis in the Persian Gulf to a worsening national economy and an intractable budget deficit.

Over it all hangs a cloud of uncertainty. Congress' Democratic leaders have listed a few legislative priorities such as addressing health care needs and reversing President Bush's veto of a civil rights bill, but have yet to put forth a comprehensive plan for the year.

And on the dominant issue facing lawmakers, the crisis in the Middle East, leaders on Capitol Hill are reluctant to plunge into a debate until they see how Bush's diplomatic efforts play out.

In the House, the new members include 25 Democrats, 18 Republicans and one independent, socialist Bernard Sanders of Vermont. The new Senate class includes three GOP members and one Democrat.

November's elections gave Democrats an eight-seat improvement in their House majority, to 266-168-1, and one additional seat in the Senate, to 56-44.

But instead of adjourning until the State of the Union speech later in the

month, Congress plans to stay in a non-legislative pro-forma session so lawmakers will be available on short notice if needed to debate the Persian Gulf issue.

"I believe the Senate and the House should debate the Persian Gulf situation and our policy there," said Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine.

One new member of the Senate, Paul Wellstone, D-Minn., made a plea against a gulf war during an appearance at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. "This is not the time to rush to war," he said Wednesday.

So far, leaders have not decided what shape the debate on the gulf situation should take. Supporters of Bush's policy would like a simple endorsement of the threat of military force, while opponents are seeking an assertion that Bush cannot go to war without prior approval from Congress.

On the domestic front, things are just as murky.

With the economy well into a recession, Congress' instinct is to pump federal dollars into programs that could soften the blow.

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Bush offers 'one last attempt' for solution

By BRIAN MURPHY Associated Press Writer

The White House today made "one last attempt" to hold direct U.S.-Iraqi talks, proposing a meeting next week between Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Iraq's foreign minister aimed at preventing a war.

Britain, meanwhile, expelled eight members of the Iraqi Embassy staff in London and deported 67 other Iraqis, citing threats by Iraq to attack Western targets if war breaks out in the Persian Gulf.

The move raised the immediate possibility of retaliation against the six British diplomats remaining in Baghdad.

President Bush's offer came a dozen days before the Jan. 15 U.N. deadline for Iraq to pull out of Kuwait or face a possible attack. Bush had previously said a top-level, U.S.-Iraq meeting on the crisis should occur by today to give Iraq time to withdraw from Kuwait by the U.N. deadline.

"He is ready to make one last attempt to go the extra mile," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said of the new offer for a Baker meeting with Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz. But Fitzwater said the meeting would underscore U.S. resolve to end the crisis with a complete Iraqi withdrawal.

"No negotiations, no compromise, no attempts at face saving and no rewards for aggression," he said.

Fitzwater said the Bush administration offered the meeting in Switzerland from Monday to Wednesday, but that Saddam Hussein had not yet responded. Iraq's ambassador to the United States said earlier today that Baghdad was open to talks. "We are very flexible," Ambassador Mohamed Al-Mashat said on the CBS program "This Morning."

The U.S. offer came amid a series of diplomatic efforts, including a meeting today in Baghdad between U.S. Charge d'Affaires Joseph C. Wilson IV and Iraqi Foreign Ministry officials about the possibility of Baker talks, sources in Baghdad said on condition of anonymity.

In other diplomatic efforts, Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak reportedly arrived in Libya today to meet with the leaders of Syria, Libya and Sudan.

Officials from Iran, Turkey and Pakistan planned to meet today in Islamabad. The European Community was to discuss the gulf crisis Friday, and Jordan's King Hussein is visiting European leaders in advance of the meeting.

Baker will be traveling abroad next week for a round of meetings with allies in the anti-Iraq coalition before the U.N. deadline.

The Bush administration is backing a peace effort by the 12-nation European Community but has said that any plan by Iraq "must comply in full" with U.N. demands for a complete pullout.

In London, Britain announced it was expelling the diplomats and resident Iraqis. The Foreign Office spokeswoman said it was "clearly prudent to take all precautions" in case of a war in the gulf.

The eight Iraqi Embassy staff members were given 24 hours to leave the country, and their families must go within a week, the Foreign Office said.

Home Secretary Kenneth Baker deported 67 Iraqis resident in Britain, saying he considered their presence "not to be in the public good for reasons of national security." They have until Jan. 10 to leave.

Iraq invaded Kuwait on Aug. 2 in a dispute over oil, land and money. The Baghdad government has resisted the pressure of a militarily enforced U.N. embargo aimed at forcing a withdrawal.

Bush meets with reps

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Bush today proposed a meeting in Switzerland next week between Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz "as one last attempt to go the extra mile for peace."

Bush told U.S. congressional leaders he was making the last-ditch diplomatic overture even though Iraqi President Saddam Hussein spurned an earlier proposal for a Baker-Saddam meeting in Baghdad.

Wishing the lawmakers a happy New Year, Bush told them: "I hope it will be a peaceful one." Earlier, White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said Baker, who will leave on Sunday for a round of consultations with U.S. allies in the gulf, would be prepared to meet with Aziz between Jan. 7 and Jan. 9.

Fitzwater said there had not yet been an Iraqi response to the latest offer.

There was no answer to telephone calls to the Iraqi embassy early this morning. But Iraq's Ambassador to the United States, Mohamed Al-Mashat, said in a TV appearance a few minutes before Fitzwater's announcement that his country still was interested in talking.

"We are very flexible. We would like to have this meeting taking place. We would like to have a negotiated settlement," Mashat said on the CBS-TV program "This Morning."

Mashat, however, claimed the United States has not followed normal diplomatic procedures in trying to set up a discussion.

The U.S. offer was announced on the final of 15 days Bush had suggested for a possible meeting between Baker and Saddam and came less than an hour before Bush was to meet with top House and Senate leaders.

Bush, referring to that proposed meeting and his companion offer to meet with Aziz himself in Washington, told congressional leaders:

"Since January 3 has come and gone and our proposal for (meetings in Washington and Baghdad) with Iraqi officials is finished, I have decided to take one extra step."

He said he was making the final offer after "close consultations" with Baker and Defense Secretary Dick Cheney.

Bush made the remarks to lawmakers at a picture-taking session at the beginning of the session. He refused to take questions from reporters, who were then ushered out of the room.

Before meeting with Bush, Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, said he would tell the president that economic sanctions and diplomatic pressure on Iraq should be continued.

"We will encourage the president to stay the course that he himself set out," Mitchell said. "The president has told us several times that he has not yet made the decision to use force."

Earlier, the White House denounced a suggestion by House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt that Congress might cut off funds for

the military if Bush orders a military strike without congressional approval.

Gephardt, D-Mo., said in a television interview last Saturday that Bush would "contravene a very important part of our Constitution" if he ordered military action on his own.

"If he chooses to do that, and I earnestly hope he does not, then I think the Congress has to reach to the only tool left to it, which is to cut off the funding for the war, for the effort," Gephardt told Cable Network News.

"We think that it's a very dangerous proposition to propose that they would cut off funding for American troops in Saudi Arabia," Fitzwater said. "No way we'd know what was in his mind when he said that."

Gephardt spokesman David Dreyer said what his boss "was saying is that there is a clear way to avoid this situation and that is for President Bush to follow the clear meaning of the Constitution and to seek and then to receive an authorization from Congress in the event we have to go to war."

Dreyer added that Gephardt believed Congress would only move to cut off funds with great reluctance - and that there was no question of Bush's right to order military action if provoked.

Bush, in a television interview broadcast Wednesday night, said he wanted congressional support for his policies.

ARCO paying record fine for blast

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ARCO agreed to pay the full amount rather than trying to settle for less. It sets a new record for the largest amount ever collected by OSHA, topping last month's agreement by USX Corp. to pay \$3.25 million for violations at two steel plants in Pennsylvania.

Seventeen chemical workers were killed and five others were injured last July 5 at an ARCO plant in Channelview, Texas, a Houston suburb, when a wastewater tank exploded in a fireball.

OSHA said the explosion occurred as workers were re-installing a vent compressor on the side of a 40-foot-tall tank containing caustic

wastewater, including hydrocarbons.

The explosion, which could be heard 20 miles away, leveled an area the size of a city block as the 48,000-pound lid blew off the tank and landed in a parking lot 200 yards away, OSHA said.

OSHA said ARCO failed to monitor the buildup of an explosive atmosphere in the 900,000-gallon tank and failed to control ignition sources in the presence of flammable vapors.

In addition, ARCO failed to maintain an inert atmosphere, allowed the accumulation of excessive hydrocarbons and inadequately controlled and prevented human

error, OSHA said.

ARCO also failed to give workers adequate hazardous-waste training and failed to address personnel roles, lines of authority and communication in emergency response plans, the agency said.

OSHA said ARCO was guilty of 347 "willful" violations, or cases in which it intentionally disregarded or showed indifference to federal safety laws.

Besides paying the penalty, ARCO has agreed to correct conditions that could lead to similar incidents at facilities in Bayport, Texas; Pittsburgh, Pa.; and Painesville, Ohio. Employees of several contract

firms were at the Channelview plant at the time of last July's explosion, but OSHA said it held ARCO responsible because it maintained total control of the site and dictated working conditions.

The explosion was the second major loss of life at a Houston-area petrochemical plant within a year. In October 1989, a Phillips Petroleum Co. plastics plant in Pasadena, Texas, was hit by a series of explosions that killed 23 workers and injured 130.

Phillips is appealing part of the \$5.7 million in fines OSHA proposed in April for violations relating to the 1989 blast.

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Local Roundup

Police field several reports

Hereford police were kept busy with several reports Wednesday, including criminal mischief in the 200 block of Whittier, 300 block of Union and 200 block of Ave. H; disorderly conduct on E. Park; a lost or stolen ring and bicycle; burglary of a motor vehicle; a gun taken from a residence; a pickup was illegally taken from a residence, but was found later by police; a car was taken without authorization by a man's brother-in-law; and hub caps were taken from a vehicle in the 800 block of E. First.

Police issued three citations Wednesday.

Slight rain chance continues

Tonight, cloudy with a low in the mid teens. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph.

Friday, mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of light rain. High in the mid 30s. South wind 10 to 15 mph.

The extended forecast for Saturday through Monday is for a slight chance of rain. Highs near 50 Saturday and Monday, near 40 Sunday. Lows in the lower 20s.

This morning's low at KPAN was 16 after a high Wednesday of 54. KPAN recorded a trace of rain overnight.

News Digest

World, National

WASHINGTON - President Bush is meeting with congressional leaders to discuss Persian Gulf strategy as he weighs sending Secretary of State James A. Baker III to the region even without an invitation from Saddam Hussein.

WASHINGTON - The former chief of Army intelligence says the Pentagon appears to lack adequate stockpiles of bombs and tanks for the "large, costly and bloody campaign" that must be anticipated if President Bush goes to war against Iraq.

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NORTH KINGSTOWN, R.I. - Before he opened his small grocery store for business the other day, Pat Marandola stuck a message on the cash register telling customers he wouldn't accept any check from any credit union.

WASHINGTON - A home-heating aid program for the poor would be cut by two-thirds and would serve only nine Northeastern states, under a proposal by Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan.

NAIROBI, Kenya - The president of Somalia seeks an immediate truce with rebels rampaging in the capital city of Mogadishu, and his prime minister meets regional chiefs on how "to stop the bloodbath," Radio Mogadishu reports.

TEL AVIV, Israel - A banner at the gathering asks: "Is there still a chance of Israeli-Palestinian dialogue?" The answer, after a discussion between Palestinians and Jews, seems to be a definite yes. But the dialogue is held under siege, guarded by metal detectors and bodyguards as right-wingers demonstrate outside.

TEXAS

DALLAS - For American Airlines, sorry seems to be the hardest word. AUSTIN - Kay Bailey Hutchison was sworn in as state treasurer on Wednesday, becoming the first Republican woman elected to statewide office in Texas history.

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AUSTIN - A lawyer who accompanied Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis on a Mexican resort vacation boasted that the trip helped kill legislation harmful to the law firm's business, said a source with ties to the firm.

SAN ANTONIO - Two people died and two were critically injured in a house fire that Fire Capt. Jesse Sanchez terms a "terrible example" of widespread disregard for widely ignored and minimally enforced San Antonio building code regarding the use of burglar bars.

WASHINGTON - Deep under the ground in Texas are the country's biggest oil and natural gas reserves, according to a government report that says the untapped fossil fuels account for one-fourth of the national total.

NEW ORLEANS - A federal appeals court agreed Wednesday that the Delta Air Lines flight crew was to blame for a 1985 crash that killed 137 people during a landing in foul weather at the Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

LUBBOCK - Genetic blood tests to determine who allegedly raped and impregnated a profoundly retarded resident of the Lubbock State School will likely be inconclusive, an attorney representing the retarded woman said.

Republican woman made Texas history

AUSTIN (AP) - Kay Bailey Hutchison was sworn in as state treasurer on Wednesday, becoming the first Republican woman elected to statewide office in Texas history.

The oath of office was administered to Ms. Hutchison before about 300 supporters in the Texas Senate chamber by U.S. District Judge Ricardo Hinojosa of McAllen.

Gov. Bill Clements and his wife, Rita, George W. Bush and state GOP chairman Fred Meyer attended the ceremony. Ms. Hutchison was introduced by former National Republican Committee co-chair Anne Armstrong.

In private ceremonies Wednesday, Democrat Dan Morales was sworn in as Attorney General and Republican Rick Perry took the oath of office as Agriculture Commissioner. Both planned public ceremonies later.

Ms. Hutchison had two black eyes and a bruise on her nose, which she said her husband, Ray, attributed to rough Texas politics. "Ray told me to say that I had my first meeting with the legislative delegation."

Actually, she said, the injuries were the result of a recent skiing accident. "I ran into a snowplow a couple of days ago in Colorado," she said.

As treasurer, Ms. Hutchison said her top priorities will be better enforcement of cigarette tax collection, which she said could increase state revenue by \$100 million a year, and the enactment of debt management measures.

"I want to lead for the long term," she said. "I want to work with the

Legislature to put systems in place to keep the state from going into debt over our heads."

Ms. Hutchison, of Dallas, said she also intended to avoid partisanship and work with other top state officials, most of whom are Democrats.

In another history-making ceremony, Judge Morris Overstreet of Amarillo was sworn in to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals. In November, he became the first black elected to statewide office in modern Texas.

"I was not running for the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals because I wanted to be the first African-American elected to statewide office," Overstreet said.

"I was running on some very basic principals," he said. "Those principals are that no man or woman is above the law, and no man or woman is below the law in Texas, that there should be justice for every citizen and not just the precious few."

Also sworn in to the Criminal Appeals Court for their first term were Charles Baird of Gilmer and Frank Malone of Austin. Sam Houston Clinton was sworn to his third term, and Bill White to his second.

U.S. Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia administered the oath of office to new Texas Supreme Court Justices John Cornyn of San Antonio and Robert Gammage of Houston, and Tom Phillips, who was re-elected to Chief Justice.



Retirees recognized

Helen and Jack Nunley were recognized for their years of service to Deaf Smith County at their recent retirement party. County Commissioner Troy Don Moore presents a plaque of appreciation to Helen for 17 years at the appraisal district and Jack for 16 years

Tests may be inconclusive

LUBBOCK (AP) - Genetic blood tests to determine who allegedly raped and impregnated a profoundly retarded resident of the Lubbock State School will likely be inconclusive, an attorney representing the retarded woman said.

Debra Lynn Thomas, who was allegedly raped while under the care of the Lubbock State School, gave birth to David Lynn Thomas, a 7-pound, 3(ounce) baby boy Tuesday.

Ms. Thomas, 33, has the IQ of a 2-year-old and does not even know she gave birth.

"It seems the Lubbock State School had an open-door policy. So the perpetrator could have been anyone who came in contact with Debra Lynn Thomas at the time she became pregnant," David Ferleger, an attorney representing Ms. Thomas, said Wednesday.

"It could have been any number of staff employees. It could have been another client at the school. To get a conclusive answer we would have to give everyone who came in contact with Debra Lynn Thomas a blood test."

Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Commissioner Denny Jones said the DNA genetic fingerprinting blood tests taken immediately after the baby was born will be compared to blood samples given by 11 suspects in the case.

The blood taken after the baby's birth will be analyzed in a genetics screening lab at the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine in Fort Worth.

The tests are to be completed within two to three weeks, Jones said.

Ten of the suspects are employees of the Lubbock State School. Jimmy Wooten, the husband of Ms. Thomas' sister and legal guardian, Dori Wooten, is also a suspect in the case.

Jones said during a news conference Wednesday that the MHMR is continuing to work with Lubbock police in their investigation of Ms. Thomas' case and two other alleged rapes at the Lubbock State School since 1988.

Jones said of the 13 state schools in Texas there have been six reported pregnancies in the last 10 years and five have been at the Lubbock State School.

"That would seem to tell you there has been a history of oversight," Ferleger said. "Who knows what else has gone on through the years."

When Jones was asked if the MHMR would accept responsibility for the alleged rape and pregnancy of Ms. Thomas, he replied: "It's a question that can not be answered in any absolute sense. Do we care? Absolutely. Are we outraged? Absolutely. Could this have been prevented? I guess that is a judgment call that each of us will have to answer individually."

State officials have denied Ferleger's frequent charges that the state school tried to cover up continuing abuse and neglect of clients on the campus.

The state contends that Ms. Thomas may have been abused during weekend visits to the Wootens.

The MHMR announced last week that it has changed its policies on reporting and investigating sexual assaults in state institutions. The

changes were prompted by the failure of Lubbock State School to investigate the sexual abuse of Ms. Thomas, officials said.

Jones, Jaylon Fincannon, deputy health commissioner for mental retardation, and MHMR board chairwoman Patti Lou Dawkins also announced they had the locks changed at the Lubbock State School.

"All this is done after the fact," said Mrs. Wooten. "Why didn't they do anything before all this happened? I would like to see them all fired and thrown in jail. They are criminals for what they have allowed to happen to my sister."

The Wootens, who have two teen-age children, want to adopt the baby, but the Texas Department of Human Services is expected to obtain temporary custody of the child.

"It's not automatic that the guardian of the mother is eligible to take the baby," said Fincannon. "That's a DHS decision."

Ferleger said he will fight the state's plan to place the baby in a home supervised by the DHS following the baby's dismissal from the University Medical Center in Lubbock.

"We don't want to make a federal case out of the location of the baby," he said. "But if we are denied the placement of the child, it will be an even tougher fight."

Dr. Selman Welt, who delivered Ms. Thomas' baby, said the boy appears to be healthy. He said it would take up to two years to determine if the boy suffered any birth defects from anti-seizure medication prescribed to his mother.

Lawyer boasts Lewis trip killed legislation

AUSTIN (AP) - A lawyer who accompanied Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis on a Mexican resort vacation boasted that the trip helped kill legislation harmful to the law firm's business, The Dallas Morning News reported today.

Heard Goggan Blair & Williams of San Antonio took Lewis on the April 1987 trip. An investigation of the trip has resulted in an indictment being returned that accuses Lewis of two misdemeanor violations.

Lewis and his spokesmen have denied any wrongdoing.

Bill Wilms of Austin, an attorney for Lewis, said, "There has never been any allegation that the law firm did anything for Gib Lewis in order to affect any legislation."

In a copyright story, the newspaper reported today that a source told the newspaper and Travis County investigators that some law firm members were "real worried" about bills in the 1987 legislative session that would have cut the firm's tax-collection business.

The source told the newspaper the proposals were "like a matter of life and death" for the firm.

But after the trip to the Las Hadas resort in Mexico with Lewis, the source said a Heard Goggan lawyer said: "We don't need to worry about the legislation any more. It's been taken care of."

Oliver Heard, a partner and spokesman for Heard Goggan, said Wednesday that the Mexico trip was

not an attempt to influence Lewis. "There certainly was no deliberate effort by this law firm to set up that trip for the purpose of influencing the speaker," he said. "As to what somebody boasted, I don't know. Nobody said that to me that I can recall."

Heard Goggan has built up a lucrative business collecting delinquent taxes for public entities such as school boards and county commissioners courts.

A bill that died in the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee would have allowed cities and counties to add a 15 percent surcharge on delinquent taxes, giving them a financial incentive to go into the collection business.

In another development Wednesday, Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle said he fears the Legislature may retaliate by cutting his budget.

"For every action, there is usually an opposite and equal reaction - and that would probably involve the state funding for the Public Integrity Unit," said Earle.

"But that's not going to affect the investigation. It will continue," Earle said.

Lewis, D-Fort Worth, Monday surrendered to authorities after being indicted on two misdemeanor charges by a grand jury that is investigating lawmakers and lobbyists.

Lewis, who says he expects to be re-elected to an unprecedented fifth

term as speaker when the Legislature convenes next week, has said he will plead innocent.

The indictments allege that Lewis accepted a gift from the law firm, failed to report it and failed to disclose his financial interest in a business on which the law firm may have paid some property taxes.

Since beginning the probe, Earle has said it is widening to include other legislators and lobbyists.

The Austin American-Statesman reported Wednesday that some House members apparently plan to question Earle's use of state money for the investigation after the Legislature convenes Tuesday for its 1991 session.

The Travis County district attorney's Public Integrity Unit handles investigations of state officials. It was appropriated a total of \$2.7 million by the Legislature two years ago.

The funding was increased over previous years specifically to pursue motor fuel tax and insurance fraud cases, said several lawmakers who spoke to the Austin newspaper only on the condition they not be named.

"If he (Earle) is using that money for something else, like this ethics investigation, then he needs to be called on the carpet. Just like he's dragging us on the carpet for ethics. This show is going to play both ways," one lawmaker said.

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meet. Let's appreciate our friends by letting them know how important we think they are. Let's hope for their success and be as enthusiastic about their good fortune as we are about our own.

Let's close the door on mistakes of the past and be concerned with making ourselves better. Let's direct criticism toward our own faults, rather than waste it on those who may not need it and certainly don't want it.

If we do these things, we will develop a strength of character that does not recognize doubt or fear, that is more of a match for any trouble, that insures the peace of mind which fosters brighter thoughts and nobler deeds. If we open the door on the possibilities in the days ahead, it will be a Happy New Year!

Obituaries

ROBERTO L. HERNANDEZ

Jan. 2, 1991

Roberto L. Hernandez, 80, of Hereford died Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1991, at St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center in Amarillo.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in Rix Chapel with Rev. Wyatt Carpenter of Borger officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Home.

He was born in Guanajuato, Mexico on March 31, 1910. He moved to Hereford from San Antonio in 1945. He married Maria Sanchez Feb. 26, 1928. He was retired from Santa Fe railroad.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Trini Gamez and Lupe Cerda of Hereford, Dolores Lewis of Vallejo, Calif., Carolyn Hernandez of Chicago, Ill., and Rose Valdez of Texas City; three sons, Bob Hernandez of Borger, Johnny Moya of Conroe, and David Moya of Navasota; 21 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

The family suggest memorials to St. Anthony's Hospice wish list, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79176.

VIOLA BOSS GRAY

Jan. 2, 1991

Viola Boss Gray, 98, of Hereford died Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1991.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home with the Rev. Ron Cook, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Gray was born in Crosbyton. She married Herman Gray in 1914 at Crosbyton and they moved to Hereford. He died in 1949. She was a Baptist and a homemaker.

Survivors include a sister, Mode Reed of Crosbyton; and a niece, Edith Frazier of Hereford.

GEORGE HAMILTON

Dec. 29, 1990

Former Hereford resident George Hamilton, 60, of Lake Brownwood, died Saturday, Dec. 29, 1990, after a lengthy illness.

Services were held Monday in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Richard Hetzel officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Davis-Morris Funeral Home.

He was born in Deaf Smith County on Nov. 7, 1930. He had served in the U.S. Army and was produce manager for Sav-On Food. He married Sylvia Steele at Roswell, N.M. on Feb. 23, 1965. He was a member of the Lake Brownwood United Methodist Church and had lived in Brownwood for the past five years, moving there from Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife; one son, George Stephen Hamilton of San Jose, Calif.; one daughter, Jeanie Elliott of San Jose, Calif.; three sisters; four brothers; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

HOSPITAL NOTES

I.S. Isom Ansley, Felipa Avila, Infant Boy Avila, Beania Galvan, Infant Boy Galvan, Infant Girl Galvan, Clifford Gandy, Annie Harder, Infant Boy Holguin, Soyla Ann Holguin, Geroge Jones, Lisa Lopez, Tony Martinez, Thanh Ly Nguyen, Dolores Nichols, Buddy Pickens, Angelina Reyes, Gerda Rouse and Angela Wilson.

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Life!

Reduce your risk for heart disease

America is growing older. Not just politically or socially but physically. According to the American Association of Retired Persons, the number of Americans over the age of 65 increased more than nine times between 1900 and 1986—from 3.1 million to 29.2 million.

And the projection is for an even greater increase in the next 10 years. As Americans grow older, so do their hearts.

But by adopting a healthful lifestyle now, no matter what your age, you can reduce your risk for heart disease as you get older. According to the American Heart Association, your body becomes more susceptible to heart attack, stroke, congestive heart failure and high blood pressure as a result of aging. The AHA suggests that first, you follow your doctor's advice in terms of nutrition, exercise and medication. Second, educate yourself about diseases of the heart and blood vessels.

When people think about getting older, heart attack quickly comes to mind. Nearly one million Americans die each year from disease of the heart and blood vessels. Of those, more than half are from heart attack. In fact, more than four out of five heart attack deaths occur after age 65.

Stroke, which is a sudden and often severe attack caused by an insufficient supply of blood to part of the brain, afflicts an estimated 2.1 million Americans. That includes nearly a half a million new victims each year. Seven out of every eight stroke deaths occur after age 65.

It is estimated that 33 percent of the approximately 30 million

Americans over the age of 65 have high blood pressure. Blood pressure results from the force generated by the heart, which propels blood into the arteries and through the circulatory system. High blood pressure, or hypertension, is a chronic increase in blood pressure above a normal range. Generally, a pressure reading of "140 over 90" or above is considered high. High blood pressure increases the risk of stroke, heart disease and kidney disease.

So what can you do? Plenty. No matter what your age, you can reduce our risk of heart disease by:

- having regular medical checkups,
- following your doctor's advice,
- staying on treatment if you have high blood pressure,
- eating healthful foods,
- quitting smoking,
- exercising regularly,
- taking medication only as directed,
- consulting your doctor before beginning a diet or exercise program.

For more information, contact your local office of the American Heart Association.

Betty Crocker's Cooking Tips

Q. Is there a way to save hollandaise sauce that has curdled? K.H., Lufkin, TX

A. You can restore hollandaise sauce that has curdled by adding a tablespoon of boiling water per 3/4 cup sauce. Beat the mixture vigorously with a hand beater until smooth.

Q. Why do recipes for cookies, cakes and breads always say to "reheat" oven? P.G., Little Rock, AR

A. Most cookies, cakes and breads need to be placed in a heated oven to give leavening the maximum chance to work and allow the product to rise.

Tip of the week: Honey mixes easily with vegetable oil for adding sweetness to dressings in fruit or vegetable salads.

Q. What cherries could be substituted for maraschino cherries in home-canned fruit cocktail. The color in maraschino cherries runs into other fruit. Mrs. G.R., Byron Center, MI

A. Use white cherries in a home-canned fruit mixture. If desired, add maraschino cherries at serving time.

Q. What type of pan is used to bake shepherd's bread? J.O.G., North Bend, Ore.

A. Use an oval or round Dutch oven to bake the bread. It was traditionally cooked by Basque shepherders of Spain in this way, but over a campfire.

Tip of the week: Arrange asparagus spears lengthwise in microwaveable dish with tips in center. Add one to two tablespoons water. Cover tightly and microwave one minute; rotate dish 1/2 turn. Microwave until crisp-tender, 2-2 1/2 minutes longer. Let stand one minute; drain.

Over 68 million Americans have one or more forms of heart or blood vessel disease according to American Heart Association statistics.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Will you please look in the files and find your definition of maturity? It has been at least 16 years since you've printed it. I want my nieces and nephews to read it in the paper. I believe it will be more effective that if I handed them the old clipping. Please don't worry about being repetitive. Every 15 years you have a new audience. Thanks so much. -- Alma Sorenson, Newark, N.J.

DEAR ALMA: I appreciate your encouragement. Here it is:

Maturity

Maturity is the ability to control anger and settle differences without violence or destruction.

Maturity is patience. It is the willingness to pass up immediate pleasure in favor of long-term gain.

Maturity is perseverance, the ability to sweat out a project or a situation in spite of heavy opposition and discouraging setbacks.

Maturity is the capacity to face unpleasantness and frustration, discomfort and defeat, without complaint or collapse.

Maturity is humility. It is being big enough to say, "I was wrong." And, when right, the mature person need not experience the satisfaction of saying, "I told you so."

Maturity is the ability to make a decision and follow through. The immature spend their lives exploring endless possibilities and then do nothing.

Maturing means dependability, keeping one's word and coming through in a crisis. The immature are masters of the alibi. They are conflicted and disorganized. Their lives are a maze of broken promises, former friends, unfinished business and good intentions that never materialize.

Maturity is the art of living in peace with what we cannot change, the courage to change what we know should be changed, and the wisdom to know the difference.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Four years ago, after 11 years of marriage and two children, I learned of my husband's six-month affair with his secretary. She was 26, in her third marriage and had a 2-year-old son.

Since then, I have divorced my husband, been able to support my two children and become engaged to a wonderful, caring man.

The secretary's third husband divorced her. She married my ex-husband and now, my children are with them every other weekend. I despise this home wrecker. She has no morals, no conscience and no sense of decency. Her record proves

that she is a no-good tramp.

So far I have successfully avoided meeting the trollop but I know that eventually my luck will run out and we will come face-to-face. Here's where I need your advice. Should I ignore her when that time comes? I would like to handle the situation tactfully, gracefully and with real dignity. But I can't imagine myself treating her with kindness after what she did to me and my children. Please advise. -- Jacksonville, Fla.

DEAR JACKSONVILLE: Rest assured this woman is less eager to meet you than you are to meet her.

If you really want to handle the situation with class, be a lady. Show no trace of hostility. Do it for the children. They've had enough turmoil and ambivalence in their lives. They don't need any more.

P.S. Cheated-on wives invariably label the other woman "scum." What do they call their husbands?

Drugs are everywhere. They're easy to get, easy to use and even easier to get hooked on. If you have questions about drugs, you need Ann Landers' booklet, "The Lowdown on Dope." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.65 (this includes postage and handling) to: Lowdown, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$4.45.)

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) - Rock 'n' roll pioneer Bo Diddley makes no apologies for plugging a pawn shop in a TV commercial.

"It's not a downgrade," Diddley said Wednesday from his Albuquerque, N.M. home. "It's an upgrade thing for me all the way."

The 62-year-old guitar wizard said the commercial slammed by Richmond radio announcer Rik Maybee as "one of the saddest things on Earth" may expose more people to his music.

In the 30-second ad for Jefferson Loan Office Inc., Diddley played his trademark rectangular guitar, Lucille, and sang a ditty about the pawn shop.

Diddley said some might look down on pawn shops, but he was glad for the exposure, recalling a time when "Lassie got more TV coverage than I did."



From a normal deck of cards, it's possible to deal 2,598,960 different five-card hands.

Take things with a grain of salt

People are often troubled by how they look when they're overweight, but they should be even more troubled by how those extra pounds can affect their health.

The U.S. Surgeon General's office confirms that nutrition and weight play a prominent role in 68 percent of American deaths.

"Diet influences your long-term health prospects more than any other action you take," according to former U.S. Surgeon General, Dr. C. Everett Koop. "Substantial scientific research over the past few decades indicates diet can play an important role in the prevention of such conditions as heart disease, high blood pressure, stroke, cancer and diabetes."

Americans' overall health could be improved by a few specific but fundamental dietary changes:

- Eat a variety of foods.
- Eat foods with adequate starch and fiber.
- Avoid too much sugar.
- If you drink alcoholic beverages,

do so in moderation.

-Maintain desirable weight. If you're 40 pounds or more overweight, you might want to consider a physician-supervised liquid diet.

-Avoid too much fat, saturated fat and cholesterol.

-Avoid too much sodium. Take more things without a grain of salt.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Andre Agassi says he'll play at Wimbledon for the first time next summer, but he isn't promising to tone down completely his colorful tennis togs.

In an interview on ESPN, the flashy tennis star responded to questions that he might never play at Wimbledon because of the tournament's dress code, which requires rather conservative clothing, with white the dominant color.

"This year, I hope they're ready for me," Agassi said Wednesday. Agassi, 20, is ranked No. 4 in the world.

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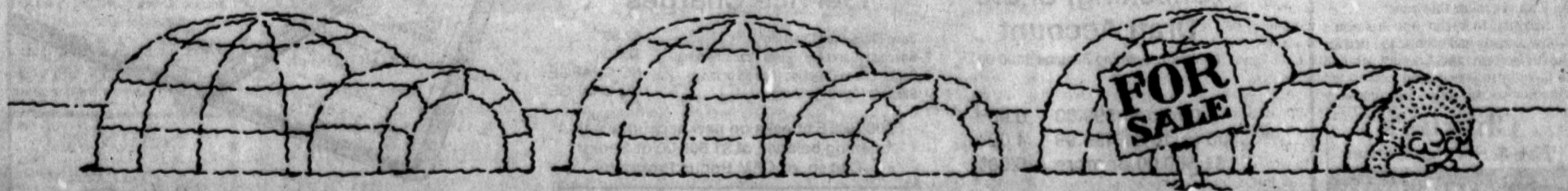
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SPORTS

Girls open district play

By SAM WALLER
Sports Editor

The Hereford Lady Whitefaces will be seeking consistency when they open District 1-4A play against Dumas at 8 p.m. Friday at Whiteface Gymnasium.

The game will be preceded by a junior varsity game at 6:30 p.m.

Lady Whiteface coach Dickie Faught said the district race could turn into a horse race as all six league teams have the talent to reach the playoffs.

"This is the time of year when you try to get everything together and going good," Faught said. "Every team in district probably has a chance. If any one team gets on a roll, they have a chance to get in the playoffs."

Faught said pre-season favorites Canyon Randall and Pampa continue to rank as the best teams in the district while Borger appears to have made the move to contender.

"It looks like Randall is going to be the team to beat," he said. "They're the district favorite just like everybody thought they'd be."

"A little bit of a surprise has Borger. I'm not sure they're not playing better than anybody in the district right now, including Randall. They got in the finals of the Duncanville tournament. They're much better than a lot of people predicted them to be. I'm looking at them as one of the teams to beat now."

"Pampa has a pretty good record, but from looking at the scores they've been a little more like us - a little up and down."

"Those three have to be considered the favorites."

"Dumas and Caprock are kind of in the same boat with us. Inconsistency has hurt them. Both teams have won some big games and both have some talent."

"Dumas is learning a new system under a new coach, and they're going to be pretty good when we play Friday. They've got one of the best guards in the district in Jakayla Janow."

Faught said the Lady Whitefaces' chances for a postseason berth depend

on the team becoming more consistent.

"We've been inconsistent," he said. "I think we definitely have a chance to compete for a playoff spot depending on which team shows up. We're going to have to become much more consistent than we have been in the early games. We've been kind of a hit-and-miss team."

"Not only are we inconsistent from game to game, we've been inconsistent within a game. We'll play pretty good for a quarter then slack up."

"When you look at Borger and Randall they've probably been the most consistent teams so far."

The Lady Whitefaces (11-10) have been outscored by an average score of 46.4-44.1, but have cut into the margin considerably since three early losses of more than 20 points.

Hereford is led by Shantel Cornelius in scoring and rebounding. The junior post is averaging 14.1 points per game and 6.8 rebounds per game.

Senior Donna Grotegut is second in both categories with 9.1 ppg and 5.9 rpg.

Junior guard Jennifer Bullard leads the team assists (1.3 per game), steals (3.8 per game) and three-point shooting (31.7 percent) and is third with 8.4 ppg.

Junior Brek Binder has added 6.9 points and 5.7 rebounds.

One plus for the Lady Whitefaces entering league play is a three-game winning streak, which, Faught said, "beats the heck out of losing three straight."

"We've played some pretty good stretches of basketball over the last four or five games," he said. "We've won most of the games we had a chance to win except for the Friona game."

"We've got some momentum, we just need to get more consistent. If we do that we can be a pretty good basketball team. If we don't do that we can be very, very average or below average."

Hereford teams will get the basketball weekend underway this evening with the opening round of the Hereford Junior Varsity Tournament.



Starting all over again

Shantel Cornelius (40), shown here during an early-season game, and the rest of the Hereford Lady Whitefaces open the District 1-4A season when Dumas visits Whiteface Gymnasium at 8 p.m. Friday. Cornelius leads the team in both scoring and rebounding.

The eight-team field will start off with Tullia meeting Dumas at 6 p.m. in the HJH Gym while Levelland and Borger face off at Whiteface Gym.

Today's 7:30 p.m. games are Canyon Randall vs. Dimmitt in the HJH Gym and Hereford vs. Canyon High at Whiteface Gym.

Friday's first two games will be played at 5 p.m. at HJH and Whiteface Gyms with the late games being played

at the HHS Gym to avoid conflicting with the Lady Whiteface game.

A four-team sophomore tournament will be played in the HJH Gym Saturday starting with Dumas vs. Borger at 9 a.m. with Levelland meeting Hereford at 10:30 a.m. The consolation game is set for 3:30 p.m. and the championship for 5 p.m.

The Herd varsity will wrap things up with an 8 p.m. Saturday game against Levelland at Whiteface Gym.

Wyche still getting donations for fine

CINCINNATI (AP) - Sam Wyche says an outpouring of unsolicited donations shows the public supports his crusade to change NFL policy on women reporters in the locker room.

Wyche on Wednesday said he's received \$28,000 in donations since he was fined \$27,941 by commissioner Paul Tagliabue for barring a woman reporter from the Cincinnati Bengals locker room.

"I got a check for \$10 today from a lady in Oakland, Calif., that put us over \$28,000, saying that the fine was baloney," Wyche said. "That's what the letter said. Of course, I can't say that because that would be a finable offense."

"Thank you, America, for knowing what's right."

Wyche said the money and notes of support have come from 37 states and 12 countries and will be donated to a local charity to help the homeless. Wyche had to pay the fine out of his pocket.

An unrepentant Wyche repeated a joke that he would have received a smaller fine had he exposed himself.

"The most interesting comment of all came from someone in the league office, whose name I can't mention because they said they might get into real trouble," Wyche said. "They wrote me a little note on a Christmas card that said, 'Sam, you know Zeke Mowatt got fined \$12,000 for exposing himself and you got fined \$30,000 for trying to make sure it wouldn't happen again. You could have saved \$18,000 by exposing yourself.'"

Mowatt is one of the New England Patriots fined for sexually harassing Boston Herald sportswriter Lisa Olson.

Wyche was fined for defying league rules and barring USA Today sportswriter Denise Tom from the Bengals' locker room after an Oct. 1 loss in Seattle. It was his second offense - Wyche was fined \$3,000 for

barring all reporters from the locker room following a loss to Seattle at Riverfront Stadium in 1988.

Wyche said he's received letters of support from players, wives of owners, general managers, referees and wives of players. He said the wife of a famous NFL player, whom he wouldn't identify, sent a photo of their three children.

"The little boy is sitting there crying buck naked - he's only 18 months old - he's crying and the two little girls that are 3 and 4 are sitting there like female reporters taking pictures and taking notes," Wyche said. "And the wife says in the caption, 'Something in this picture needs to be changed, and it isn't a diaper. Hang in there, you're my hero.'"

The Bengals now hang a curtain midway through the locker room after games, giving players an area to change. Women reporters have been allowed in without incident.

But Wyche hasn't backed off his position that the NFL's policy of equal access for women and men reporters is flawed.

"I still believe what I believe. Nobody is going to fine anybody any amount of money and have them change what they know common sense and community standards in this country go by," Wyche said.

"And that is, that men and women don't operate half-dressed and undressed in mixed company in any business, whether it be professional football or not."

"So my stance hasn't changed. It won't change."

Greg Aiello, the NFL's director of communications, said Wyche was free to express his opinion.

"There's no gag order on Sam," Aiello said. "He's free to express his opinions, which he will on a variety of subjects. As far as the incident that led to the fine, that incident is over as far as this office is concerned."

YMCA youth hoop signup extended

Registration for YMCA youth basketball has been extended through Jan. 11 with entries being accepted after that date only to fill team rosters.

Registration is in first through sixth grades. All participants must be YMCA members.

For more information, contact the YMCA at 364-6990.

Aikman fine after surgery

DALLAS (AP) - Considering how rotten the holidays were for the Dallas Cowboys, quarterback Troy Aikman's successful surgery is a relatively good way to start to new year.

Aikman underwent double surgery Wednesday to remove bone chips in his right elbow and repair his separated right shoulder.

The team said the surgeries were successful and that Aikman would begin rehabilitation Friday when he is released from Mary Shiel's Hospital in Dallas. He is expected to begin throwing the first week in March.

During the hour-long shoulder operation, the AC, or acromio-clavicular joint, was realigned. A 1½-hour arthroscopy was performed on the right elbow to remove several bone chips in the joint.

Aikman had led the Cowboys from a 1-15 disaster last year to a 7-7 record and a chance at reaching the playoffs for the first time in five years. But it all came crashing down in the first quarter of the Cowboys 17-3 loss to Philadelphia Dec. 23.

Aikman suffered a third-degree tear of the ligaments in his shoulder when he slammed into the turf after a hard hit by Eagles defensive end Clyde Simmons. Aikman was the sixth quarterback injured by the Eagles this season.

The Cowboys faltered under backup quarterback Babe Laufenberg, losing their season finale Dec. 30 to the Atlanta Falcons 26-7. They missed out on the final NFC wild-card spot when New Orleans beat the Los Angeles Rams 20-17 on New Year's Eve. The Saints are led by quarterback Steve Walsh, traded by Dallas earlier this year.

Surgery to clean out Aikman's elbow already had been scheduled for the off-season, and Aikman decided to have both procedures performed together to minimize his recovery

time. Dr. James Andrews of Birmingham, Ala., and Dallas Cowboys team physician Robert Vandermeer performed the operations.

"Both procedures went very smoothly," Cowboys trainer Kevin O'Neill said. "There were no surprises, either in the shoulder or the elbow."

Arm specialist Dr. Frank Jobe of Los Angeles was scheduled to operate

on Aikman, but he was out of the country and Aikman said he didn't want to wait three or four weeks until Jobe would be able to do the surgery.

"I want to get this over with, so I can begin rehab," Aikman said.

Aikman became concerned about his elbow in training camp in August and visited Jobe, who diagnosed the problem.

He told Aikman he could play the rest of the season without further

damage, but recommended surgery at the end of the year.

O'Neill said Aikman would be in a sling for several weeks and will have to restrict his activity.

"We're going to keep a good eye on him," O'Neill said. "He can do no upper body strength work, we'll be working on range of motion. The shoulder is going to take some time to mend. We need to be very cautious."

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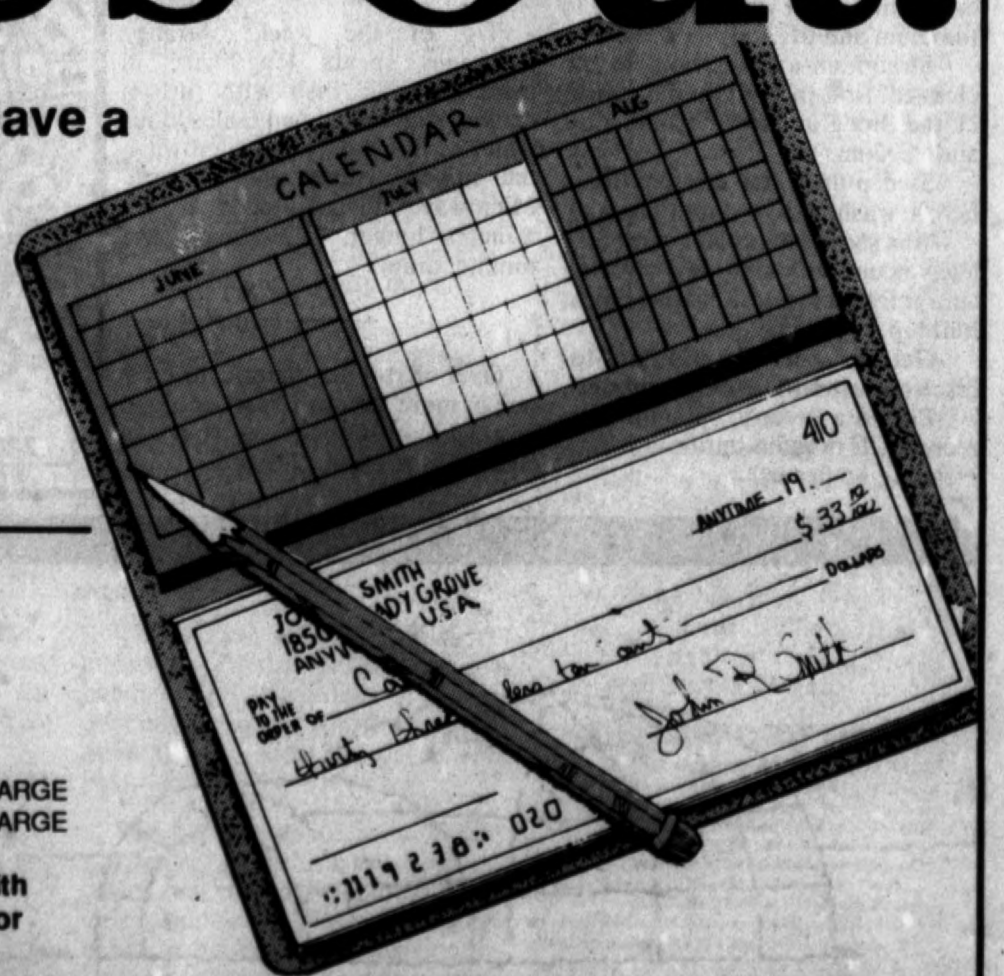
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Hogs romp past Rice

HOUSTON (AP) - If the Arkansas Razorbacks are feeling the weight of high expectations, they aren't showing it.

The No. 2 ranked Razorbacks polished off the Rice Owls 86-62 Wednesday night, beginning their final run through the Southwest Conference before becoming a member of the Southeastern Conference next season.

In other conference games Wednesday night, Texas whipped Texas A&M, 93-67; Texas Tech edged Southern Methodist, 56-54, and Houston slipped past Baylor, 87-85. In a non-conference game, Texas Christian edged Western Kentucky, 86-80, in overtime.

The Razorbacks have won two straight SWC titles and they are expected to win a third and return to the Final Four.

And they feel they can do it. "We can go undefeated in the conference but sooner or later somebody may sneak up on us on the road," guard Lee Mayberry said. "Everybody expects us to go to the Final Four. I don't feel any pressure because it's nothing we don't expect to do."

The Razorbacks (12-1) practiced the road routine they'd like to make a habit of against the Owls. They scored 13 straight points early in the game and never allowed the Owls to get in the game.

It was enough to bring high praise from Rice coach Scott Thompson, whose Owls lost to Georgetown 53-47 Dec. 8.

"Georgetown isn't even close to these guys," Thompson said. "They don't have the experience on the perimeter that Arkansas does."

The Razorbacks didn't match their season average of 101 points per game against the Owls but the game got them started toward their immediate goal.

"There is some pressure but you can't worry about the Final Four this early in the season," center Oliver Miller said. "Our goal now is to go undefeated in the conference."

"We have a lot of confidence and when we're on the road we have confidence that if we can get an early lead, we can take the fans out of the game like we did tonight."

The Hogs got an early knockout because of their defense, and that pleased Coach Nolan Richardson.

"The key to our whole game is defense," Richardson said. "We knew their guards were suspect and when you feel a team has suspect guards, you get after them."

Richardson emptied his bench in the second half, and Roosevelt Wallace put on a late scoring show with 13 points and 7 rebounds in 22 minutes of playing time.

"Wallace can come in and score 30 points for you," Richardson said. "I hope this is the start of us playing

better. Maybe it will take us to the next level."

What about catching No. 1 ranked Nevada-Las Vegas?

"We don't think about Vegas, they should be in the NBA, they should be playing the Detroit Pistons," Richardson said.

Senior guard Joey Wright scored 24 points as Texas rolled to a 93-67 victory over Texas A&M.

The Longhorns were playing without coach Tom Penders, who was on a one-game suspension for criticizing officials last season.

The Longhorns improved to 6-4, while the Aggies dropped to 4-7 in front of 11,347 fans, with most of them wearing Tom Penders masks provided by a local fast food restaurant.

Although he was not allowed to coach his team, Penders listened to the game from the team's dressing room in the Erwin Center.

It was new Aggie coach Kermit Davis' first conference game after taking over the Aggie program this season.

Wright, the SWC's leading scorer with a 19.6 average, hit on 4-of-7 shots from the 3-point arc in the second half.

Rashone Lewis paced the Aggies with 19.

"This coaching stuff is fun," said Longhorn assistant Jamie Ciampaglio, who was subbing for Penders.

Steve Miles' tip-in with six seconds left broke Texas Tech's lengthy conference losing streak as the Red Raiders took a 56-54 victory over Southern Methodist.

With the score tied at 54, Bryant Moore drove the right baseline and missed a shot. But Miles was alone on the left side of the lane to tip it in.

The Red Raiders (4-9), who broke a six-game losing streak, claimed their first SWC victory since March 1989 and their first road victory since Feb. 22, 1989.

Byron Smith scored 21 points, including four crucial free throws in the final minute, to lead the Houston Cougars to an 87-85 victory over the Baylor Bears.

Houston improves to 9-2, while Baylor drops to 7-3.

Reserve Kelvin Crawford fired in 17 second-half points to propel Texas Christian to an 86-80 overtime victory over Western Kentucky.

The Horned Frogs (8-2) trailed 35-28 at the intermission and were down 42-36 when Crawford entered the contest at the 16:22 mark of the second half.

The contest went into overtime after the Hilltoppers' Joe Lightfoot rubbed out a 74-71 TCU advantage at 0:14 with a 3-point shot from the corner.

Reggie Smith finished with a team high 23 points, and the Horned Frogs shot 69 percent from the field.

Lightfoot led the Hilltoppers (3-7) with 24 points.

Rodman pumps Pistons past Denver

By The Associated Press

The Denver Nuggets sacrifice defense to score points. Dennis Rodman sacrifices offense to excel on defense.

When the two opposing forces met on Wednesday night, the result was unusual, indeed.

Rodman, averaging 5.8 points, had a season-high of 12 and only two games in double figures before the Detroit Pistons played host to the Nuggets at the Palace of Auburn Hills. But Rodman finished with career highs of 34 points and 23 rebounds as the Pistons defeated the Nuggets 118-107.

"Who thought I would ever score 34 points?" Rodman said. "I don't shoot that much, but right now I need to be more offensive-minded."

Rodman, shooting barely 50 percent from the field despite staying close to the basket, was 15-for-21 from the field against the Nuggets.

"This is the type of game I like to play," he said. "I got some easy baskets and a lot of rebounds. I knew I could get a lot of rebounds but I didn't think I was going to get 34 points."

His previous career-highs of 32 points and 21 rebounds also came in the same game - Feb. 18, 1989, at Golden State.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was Atlanta 120, the Los Angeles Clippers 107; Milwaukee 106, Charlotte 91; Phoenix 105, Cleveland 83; Indiana 121, San Antonio 109; Boston 113, New York 86; Minnesota 115, Dallas

95; Utah 112, Miami 104; and Seattle 127, Philadelphia 99.

Walter Davis scored 23 points and Chris Jackson 20 for Denver. Detroit didn't take control until the third quarter.

William Bedford came off the bench to score 13 of his career-high 20 points as Detroit went on an 18-5 run and outscored the Nuggets 29-16 in the final 8:25 of the period to take an 86-72 lead into the fourth quarter.

Denver never got closer than seven in the fourth quarter, when Rodman scored 15 points.

Celtics 113, Knicks 86
Boston turned the game into a rout when Kevin McHale scored 10 of his 20 points during a 27-7 second-quarter run.

Boston's decisive spurt covered the final 8:13 of the first half and gave the Celtics a 65-36 halftime lead.

Patrick Ewing led the Knicks with 19 points.

Jazz 112, Heat 104
Karl Malone scored 40 points and Utah outscored Miami 9-0 in the final 2:52.

Utah didn't take the lead for good until a jump hook by Malone, who had 13 points in the fourth quarter, made it 105-104 with 2:40 left.

SuperSonics 127, 76ers 99
Seattle outscored Philadelphia 64-47 in the second and third quarters and got 24 points from Derrick McKey.

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Orangemen top Redmen

By The Associated Press

The Beasts of the East are at it again.

This time, the Big East got rolling with a meeting of unbeaten powers at Syracuse. The hosts, ranked third, edged No. 9 St. John's 92-86 in overtime Wednesday night in a classic game. The victory made Jim Boheim the winningest coach in Orange history with 356 in his 15-year career at Syracuse.

"If we had to play games like this in December," said Boheim, "I'd be out of coaching 10 years early. We can't play these type of games all year long. You play 30 of these and you have no team left at the end of the year. No players, no coaches, and the referees are gone, too, because they can't take these games."

Syracuse took the game as Billy Owens scored 28 points and made his biggest contribution with two lob passes to Dave Johnson for a pair of easy layins in overtime. Johnson, who left immediately after the game for his grandfather's funeral, scored six of his 22 points in overtime as Syracuse (12-0) won for the sixth straight time against the Redmen (9-1) in the Carrier Dome.

"Life's been easy up to now. Now we have to start earning wins," Owens said.

The other Big East parties were at Pittsburgh, where the Panthers beat Villanova 87-76; Boston, where Connecticut had little trouble with Boston College 96-70; and the New Jersey Meadowlands, where Seton Hall took Providence 97-92.

Georgetown had some fun in a non-conference game at Landover, Md., beating Jackson State 78-54.

In other games among ranked teams, it was No. 1 UNLV 89, James Madison 65; No. 2 Arkansas over Rice 86-62; No. 5 Indiana beating Illinois 109-74; No. 8 Duke over Boston University 109-55; No. 10 UCLA taking Southern California 98-81; No. 14 Louisiana State defeating Vanderbilt 87-70; No. 16 Kentucky edging Georgia 81-80; No. 18 Virginia beating Marquette 94-88; 19th-rated Nebraska downing Wisconsin-Green Bay 70-63; No. 20 South Carolina beating Mercer 103-67; and No. 24 Georgia Tech over Howard 84-77.

No. 3 Syracuse 92, No. 9 St. John's 86, OT
Jason Buchanan, who had a career-high 28 points, sank a free throw with 26.4 seconds left to tie the game 80-80.

In OT, baskets by Owens and Adrian Autry, who had 18 points, put Syracuse up 84-83, then Johnson dunked off an alley-oop pass from Owens. Thirty seconds later, the pair combined again to clinch it.

No. 11 Pittsburgh 87, Villanova 76

Reserve Chris McNeal scored 17 points in his first Big East game as Pittsburgh blew a 17-point second-half lead, then used the foul line to beat Villanova, which tied a league record with 38 fouls.

A 24-4 run by Villanova, keyed by four of Greg Woodard's 3-pointers, gave the Wildcats a 55-52 lead. Pitt, which had two seven-minute stretches in which it didn't make a field goal, rallied with eight successive points.

No. 12 Connecticut 96, Boston College 70

Scott Burrell and John Gwynn scored 21 points each for Connecticut.

The Huskies broke for a 33-33 tie at the close of the first half with a 15-1 run.

Seton Hall 97, Providence 92

Terry Dehere scored a career-high 37 points and his crucial 3-pointer with 1:32 to go held off Providence. Dehere had five second-half 3-pointers and seven overall. Eric Murdock had another sensational game for Providence with 40 points, including 17-for-17 from the free-throw line.

No. 15 Georgetown 78, Jackson State 54

Dikembe Mutombo scored a career-high 34 points, 24 in the first half. Georgetown hit 59 percent of its first-half shots, led by Mutombo's nine baskets in 10 attempts. The 7-2, 250-pound Mutombo also had 10 rebounds and six blocks. The Hoyas' other Twin Tower, Alonzo Mourning, sat out his fifth game in six with a strained left arch.

No. 1 UNLV 89, James Madison 65

The defending champion Runnin'

Rebels remained unbeaten, winning their seventh in a row as Larry Johnson scored 21 points and Stacey Augmon had 20.

UNLV led 42-26 at halftime and started the second half with a 10-0 run.

Steve Hood led the Dukes with 32 points.

No. 5 Indiana 109, Illinois 74

The Hoosiers moved ahead early and never were challenged.

The Hoosiers scored 13 straight points to open the game, and Calbert Cheaney had 13 of Indiana's first 17 points. Cheaney finished with 30.

No. 8 Duke 109, Boston U. 55

Duke used superior height to advantage, with 6-11 center Christian Laettner getting 26 points. The tallest starter for BU is 6-7.

The Blue Devils moved to a 10-0 lead and also had a 13-0 run to start the second half.

No. 10 UCLA 98, Southern California 81

Led by Tracy Murray's 29 points and Don MacLean's 25, UCLA beat its crosstown rival in a Pac-10 opener.

No. 14 LSU 87, Vanderbilt 70

Shaquille O'Neal had 34 points and Mike Hansen added 24 for the Tigers. O'Neal, the 7-1 center averaging 28.8 points a game, also had 11 rebounds. Hansen got half of his 24 points from 3-point range.

No. 16 Kentucky 81, Georgia 80

Kentucky staged a 6-point rally in the last minute to beat Georgia. Jamal Mashburn sank a layup and two free

throws and Reggie Hanson also had a pair of foul shots.

No. 18 Virginia 94, Marquette 88

Kenny Turner scored 18 of his 26 points in the second half to rally Virginia. Turner hit four free throws in the final 24 seconds.

No. 19 Nebraska 70, Wisconsin-Green Bay 63

Tony Farmer's layup with 40 seconds left put Nebraska ahead 63-62, then Scott LeMoine threw the ball back to the Green Bay baseline, apparently for a teammate to pass inbounds. Instead, the ball struck a Nebraska player and the referee called a technical foul.

Jose Ramos made two technical free throws and four more free throws in the final 20 seconds.

No. 20 South Carolina 103, Mercer 67

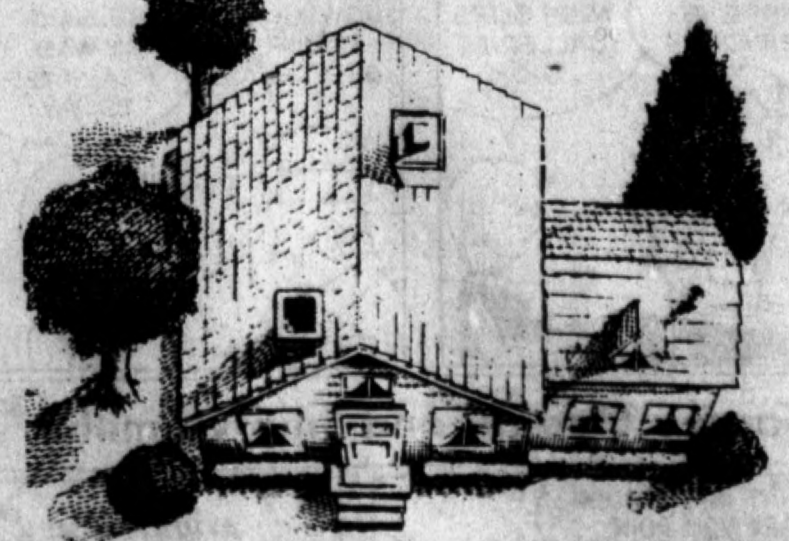
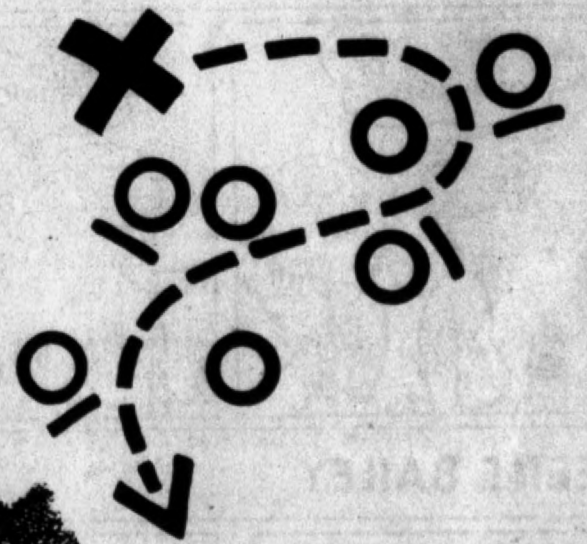
Jo Jo English scored a career-high 28 points, hitting five 3-pointers, four in the first half. The Gamecocks finished the game with nine 3-pointers, one short of the school record.

No. 24 Georgia Tech 84, Howard 77

Kenny Anderson continued his hot play despite having a cold, scoring 26 of his 42 points in the first half. It was the fourth time in the last five games he's scored more than 40, averaging 38.4 points in those five games.

With his 42 points, Anderson became only the third Tech sophomore to reach 1,000 career points. He has 1,041.

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THURSDAY JANUARY 3

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
(15) Stank	Man's	Movie: Born Free *** V. MacKenna, B. Travers	Category 18: 16 Days of Glory (Pt 2 of 2)	Smalls						
News	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Blossoms	Cheers	Wings	L.A. Law	News	Tonight Show		
MacNeil/Lehrer	NewsHour	Bill Moyers	Perspective	Mystery!		Legacy of War	Comp.	MacNeil/Lehrer	NewsHour	
Happy Days	Jeffersons	Movie: Big Red One *** L. Marvin, M. Harrell	(15) Force 10 From Navarone * R. Shaw, H. Ford 1978 (PG)	PrimeTime Live		News	(35) Cheers	(95) Ent.		
News	Wheel	Father Dowling Mysteries	Gabriel's Fire	700 Club		Scarecrow and Mrs. King	1 More			
Jeannie	Night Court	Bulls Eye	NBA Basketball: Bulls at Rockets (L)	News		Night Court	Ghost Story			
Golden Girls	Night Court	Top Cops	Flash	Doctor	Knots Landing	News	(35) G	(95) Love		
SportsCenter	College Basketball: DePaul at Dayton (L)			College Basketball: Alabama at Auburn (L)		SportsCenter	College			
Newhart	Mama's	Singsons	Babes	Beverly Hills, 90210	Gunsnake	My Talk	Movie: Between Brothers			
Insp. Gadget	Looney	Mr. Ed	Bewitched	Green Acres	Donna Reed	Best of SNL	America	Hitchcock	Patty Duke	My 3 Sons
MacGyver		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: Porky's Revenge * D. Mohahan, W. Knight		Miami Vice		Equalizer		
Movie: Cocoon: The Return *** J. Tandy 1986 (PG)		Movie: Predator *** A. Schwarzenegger 1987 (R)		Movie: Predator *** A. Schwarzenegger 1987 (R)		Comedy	Movie: Dad *** 1989 (PG)			
(Cont)	Movie: Young Einstein *** Y. Sorous			Movie: Predator *** A. Schwarzenegger 1987 (R)		Inside the NFL				
Movie: Singin' in the Rain *** G. Kelly 1952 (G)		Movie: Banker * R. Forster 1989 (R)		Movie: Take Two *** G. Goodlove, R. Matson 1988						
(4:00) VideoPM	On Stage	Music Shop	Nashville Now	Crook, Chase	On Stage	Music Shop	Nashville			
Rendezvous	Whd.	Strange Par.	Terra X	Boyz 2000	Adventurers	Dive to Vietnam	Timewatch			
Survival Wld	World War I	World Action	Challenge	Movie: Blume in Love *** G. Segal, S. Winters 1973 (R)		Improv	World Action			
E.N.G.	L.A. Law			Movie: Red Spider *** J. Farentino, J. O'Neill		T. Ullman	Molly Dood	Spenser: For		
TBA	Money Hole	College Basketball: Florida State at Tulane (L)		Winter World	College Basketball: Arizona at Washington (R)					
(5:30) Bugs Bunny	Movie: Foreign Correspondent *** J. McCrea, L. Day 1940			(35) Magnificent Obsession *** J. Wyman						
M. Hickey	Victory	Take It Back	R. Roberts	God's News	Success-N-Life		Paid Programming			
A. Sabater	De Mujeres	Pobre Diabla	De Nadie	MI Soledad	Fortuna	Noliciere	Movie: La Reina del Chantecker 1962			

FRIDAY JANUARY 4

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
(Cont)	Danger Bay	Pound Puppy	Raccoons	Care Bears	Donald Duck	Win, Lose	Kids, Inc.	Mickey	Rail Dragon	Reluctant
(Cont)	Another World		Santa Barbara		Oprah Winfrey		In Edition	Curr. Affair	Who's Boss?	NBC News
Body Elect.	Mystery!		Wilson	Gift/Paint'g	Read	Mr. Rogers	Square One	Sesame Street		Asia Now
(12:05) Return to Macan	(30) T & J		(35) Flint	(95) Brady	(95) Levern	(35) Gd	(35) Holly	(35) Andy		
Hard Copy	One Life to Live		General Hospital		Sally Jessy Raphael		Family Feud	Jeopardy!	ABC News	
(12:00) Island of the Blue Dolphins			Father Knows	Father Knows	Bobman	C.O.P.S.	Popoys	Popoys	Rin Tin Tin	New Zorro
(Cont)	Andy Griffith	D. Van Dyke	Honeydoover	Beaver	Inch High	DuckTales	Chip 'n Dale	Mack	Chas. Charge	Bud & Lou
Beautiful	As the World Turns		Gulding Light		Highway to Heaven		Trump Card	People's Cl.	News	CBS News
Thoroughbred	Hydroplane Racing		Road Race	Super Bowl	PGA Golf	Tournament of Champions, 2nd rd (L)			Motoworld	Up Close
Pet Talk	Movie: Phantom Kid M. Tough, S. Steacy 1983		Flintstones	Chip 'n Dale	Ninja Turtle	Peter Pan	Webster	Family Ties		
Maya the	Today's Spc.	Lessie	Flapper	Looney	Health!!!	Yogi	Outta Here	Hey Dude	Can't on TV	Make Grade
Name Tune	Wipout	Win, Lose	Hollywood Sq	Pyramid	Press Luck	High Rollers	Ten of Us	Dance Party	Cartoon Express	
(11:00) Rage of Angels *** J. Smith 1983			Rip Van W.		Nightly Moose B. Cruz		Movie: Under Cover Gang **		Kids-TV	
Remember When	Movie: Dissident *** M. Morales (PG)		Don't Die	Movie: BMX Bandits * D. Argue 1983		Movie: Star Trek II ***				
(Cont)	Movie: Pendulum *** G. Peppard, J. Seberg 1969		Movie: Yankee Doodle Dandy *** J. Cagney	(15) Lady in Cement						
Music Shop	Country Standard Time	American	Top Card	Crook, Chase	On Stage	VideoPM				
Great Escape	Pulse	Your Health!	World	Passquale	Do It Sell	Sq. Garden	M. Nature	Wildlife	Beyond 2000	
(Cont)	Living Dangerously		Movie: Rage at Dawn ** R. Scott, F. Tucker 1955	Fugitive					Avengers	
Sister Kate	Moonlighting	Alibates	Movie: Spenser: For Hire R. Ulrich, B. Stock 1985						Supermarket	E.R.
(Cont)	College Basketball: Arizona at Washington (R)		Rugby: Grand Final (R)						Pro Football Playoffs	
(Cont)	Movie: Each Dawn I Die *** J. Cagney 1939		Movie: Cross of Lorraine *** J. Aurnort 1943						Gilligan	Bugs Bunny
M. Hickey	Success-N-Life	L. Sumral	Zola Levitt	Paid Programming	100 Huntley Street	Larry Lea	Pd Prg			
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7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Donald Duck	Push Corner	Tree	Dumbo	Freeze Frame	Wuzzles	Lunch Box	Music Box	Best of		
Today	W.	Fishing	Sesame Street	Mr. Rogers	Square One	321 Contact	Mech. Univ.	George Wallace		
(95) Gilling	(35) B'witch	(95) Little House		(95) Adventures of the Queen * R. Stock 1975		(95) Perry Mason		(95) Return		
Good Mornin' America				Donahue	Regis & Kathie Lee	Home				
Disinosaurs	Lillies	Big Valley		700 Club	Shells Walsh	Paid Programming	Amer. Baby	Island		
Banana	Bozo		Bewitched	Magnum, P.I.	Joan Rivers	Gerardo				
(6:00) CBS This	Joker's Wild	TicTac	Family Feud	Wheel	Price is Right	Young and the Restless	News			
(Cont)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	Year in Sport	Getting Fit	Workout	Body Motion	BodyShaping	Body by		
DuckTales	Thy Toon	Muppet Baby	Larry Len	700 Club	Success-N-Life	Simon and Simon	News			
Insp. Gadget	Health!!!	Lessie	Maya the	Eureka's Castle	Elephant	Fred Penner	David, Gome	Little Koala	Chooches	
(6:00) Cartoon Express				New Mike Hammer	Divorce Ct.	Divorce Ct.	Judge	Judge	Noah's Arc	
(5:00) In Harm's Way	Mighty Moose B. Cruz			Movie: Goodbye, Mr. Chips *** R. Donat 1939		Movie: Rage of Angels *** J. Smith		Movie: Star Trek II ***		
Movie: Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan *** 1982				Movie: Anderson Tapes *** S. Conroy 1972 (PG)		Movie: Time Flies When You're Alive				
(6:05) Aloha Summer **	Movie: Big Picture ** K. Bacon 1989 (G)	(45) In-Laws *** A. Arkin, P. Falk 1979 (PG)		Movie: Desperate **						
	VideoMating			Assignment Discovery	Pulse	Your Health!	World	Passquale	Do It Sell	Sq. Garden
Rendezvous	Whd.	Wild Things		Survival Wld	World War I	Living Dangerously	Fugitive	Avengers	Movie: Second Woman ** R. Young	
Health!!!	Baby Knows	Born Famous	Alibates	Gourmet	Spenser: For Hire	E.R.	Supermarket			
(5:00) Program Guide				Body, Janis	Scuba World	College Basketball				
(6:30) Popeye	Fraggle Rock	Muggs	Movie: Convicts Four *** B. Gazzara 1962	(15) We Who Are About to Die **						
Victory	Pyphcy	W.V. Grant	J. Robinson	L. Sumral	Take It Back	Bev	Pd Prg	Larry Lea		
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Colorado edges Ga. Tech for No. 1

MIAMI (AP) - Georgia Tech finally lost, but it wasn't on the field.

The unbeaten Yellow Jackets finished second in Wednesday's final Associated Press college football poll, 34 points behind national champion Colorado.

"It's very disappointing to finish second," Tech safety Ken Swilling said. "There's no way we should be No. 2 when we're the only undefeated team in the country."

Colorado (11-1-1) held onto its No. 1 ranking by beating Notre Dame 10-9 in the Orange Bowl. Georgia Tech (11-0-1) remained second after downing Nebraska 45-21 in the Citrus Bowl.

Colorado received 39 first-place votes and 1,475 points, while Tech got 20 first-place votes and 1,441 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. It was the fifth-closest vote since The AP went to a permanent postseason poll in 1968.

"Right up until I got the results, I was sweating it out," Colorado coach Bill McCartney said. "We didn't have any guarantees."

The result was reversed in the UPI coaches' poll, with Georgia Tech edging Colorado by one point. It is the first time since 1978 that the wire service polls have crowned different champions. That year, Alabama won the AP championship and Southern Cal captured the UPI title.

McCartney admitted that Georgia Tech made a "strong case" for the No. 1 ranking. But he said his team deserved to win the national championship despite the close call against Notre Dame.

"We played the most difficult schedule in Division I-A and Notre Dame played the second toughest schedule," he said. "No one should have expected us to beat them decisively. They're just too good. But we won, and that's what counts."

Georgia Tech quarterback Shawn Jones said he wasn't surprised by the AP vote.

"I wasn't really expecting to get a shot in the AP poll," he said. "They didn't give us much respect all year."

Georgia Tech was not ranked in the preseason poll and didn't break into the Top 25 until the fifth week, placing 23rd. Five weeks later, the Yellow Jackets broke into the Top 10 after handing then-No. 1 Virginia its first loss. Tech continued to climb in the poll until it reached No. 2 the next-to-last week of the season.

The last time the only unbeaten team didn't win the national title was 1982. Southern Methodist went 11-0-1 that season, but finished second behind 11-1 Penn State.

"I'm disappointed we aren't No. 1," Georgia Tech coach Bobby Ross said from Williamsburg, Va., where he was visiting his ailing mother. "I'm not waving a flag or criticizing anybody. It's just that the closer I got to it, the more disappointed I got."

It's the second time an undefeated Tech team has ended up No. 2. The Yellow Jackets were runners-up to Michigan State in 1952 when both schools had perfect records.

Miami, which demolished Texas 46-3 in the Cotton Bowl, rose from fourth to third with one first-place vote and 1,388 points. The Hurricanes (10-2) fell just short of becoming the first team in college football history to finish first or second for five consecutive seasons.

Florida State (10-2) jumped from sixth to fourth after beating Penn State 24-17 in the Blockbuster Bowl and Washington (10-2) climbed from eighth to fifth following a 46-34 victory over Iowa in the Rose Bowl.

Notre Dame (9-3) fell from fifth to sixth. Rounding out the Top 10 were Michigan (9-3), Tennessee (9-2-2), Clemson (10-2) and Houston (10-1).

Penn State was 11th, followed by Texas, Florida, Louisville, Texas A&M, Michigan State, Oklahoma, Iowa, Auburn, Southern California, Mississippi, Brigham Young, Virginia, Nebraska and Illinois.

Colorado is only the second team to win the national championship with a loss and a tie since the AP started its poll in 1936. Alabama won the title after the 1965 season with a 9-1-1 record. No team has been voted national champion with two losses.

Erickson pleased with Miami's finish

DALLAS (AP) - Miami coach Dennis Erickson said Wednesday he was proud his defending national champion Hurricanes finished third in the final Associated Press poll, adding that early losses to Brigham Young and Notre Dame were too much to overcome for a repeat.

Miami, which ripped Texas 46-3 in the most lopsided Cotton Bowl on record, was hoping to jump to second so it could become the first school to finish either No. 1 or No. 2 for five consecutive seasons.

"I'm satisfied to be among the top three teams in the country," Erickson said. "We made our bed and had to sleep in it with those two early losses."

"Georgia Tech and Colorado took care of business. A lot of fans in Miami aren't happy about the way the season ended, but I'm happy with the way it ended up."

Colorado, which defeated Notre Dame 10-9 in the Orange Bowl, won

the national title with Florida Citrus Bowl champion Georgia Tech second in the voting by writers and broadcasters.

"We gave it our best shot," Erickson said. "We played our best game of the year against Texas."

Although they were hit with a Cotton Bowl record 202 yards in penalties the Hurricanes dominated the Longhorns behind Craig Erickson's four touchdown passes, a record for the 55-year-old bowl.

"We played both Colorado and Miami and I think Miami had the best team," said Texas coach David McWilliams.

"Miami had a better team overall because of the speed. Miami dominated us. Colorado had to come from behind to beat us."

Erickson, who had said after the victory over Texas he would politic for a playoff, backed down somewhat on Wednesday.

NBA ROUNDUP

The Sonics led 65-53 early in the third quarter and took command with a 15-5 run for an 80-58 lead the 76ers never threatened.

Hawks 120, Clippers 107
Dominique Wilkins had 35 points and 16 rebounds and Doc Rivers scored 14 of his 21 points in the fourth quarter for Atlanta against Los Angeles.

After leading by as many as 26 points, the Hawks went into the final period ahead only 86-78, and the Clippers closed within six on three occasions.

Bucks 106, Hornets 91
Jack Sikma scored 22 points, including three 3-pointers, as Milwaukee handed Charlotte its 12th loss in 13 games.

The Bucks led 83-77 with 8:13 left before a 17-3 run put them ahead 100-80 with 2:37 remaining. Sikma made two 3-pointers during the run and Frank Brickowski scored six straight points to break the game open.

Pacers 121, Spurs 109
Reggie Miller scored 18 of his 36 points in Indiana's 45-point first period against San Antonio.

Miller hit 13 of 19 shots from the field and all eight of his free throws. David Robinson topped the Spurs with 22 points.

Timberwolves 115, Mavericks 95
Minnesota beat Dallas for the fourth consecutive time behind Pooh Richardson's career-high 31 points and Tony Campbell's 32.

Tyrone Corbin had 13 rebounds, 10 assists and 10 points for the Timberwolves, the first triple-double in franchise history.

Suns 105, Cavaliers 83
Kevin Johnson scored 29 points and Phoenix didn't allow a field goal for nearly nine minutes in the fourth quarter against Cleveland.

The Suns won their fourth straight and 11th in the last 13 games despite the absence of Tom Chambers, who strained his right hamstring Saturday against Miami.

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Earthtone Lane Action Recliner, rectangle coffee table, 3 matching end tables, dining table & 4 chairs, matching china cabinet. All nice. Call after 6:00 p.m. 289-5317. 16203

Tandy 1000A Computer, 684K, Clock/Calendar, 2 Disk Drives, Color Monitor, with Tandy DMP 130 Printer and Joy Stick. 364-0939 days, 364-0146 evenings. 16205

ATTENTION ARTISTS
Factory Outlet prices

Quality Frames & Art Supplies will be in Hereford January 4 at Plains Motel. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Tandy 20MB Hard Card; 128K-384K Tandy Memory Expansion Board; C. Itoh C315XP Wide Carriage Printer. 364-0939 days, 364-0146 evenings. 16206

To give away: 7 weeks old part Chow puppies. Call 289-5927. 16208

Jenn-Aire Microwave Oven. 364-6254. 16209

2-Farm Equipment

Want to buy used tubgrinders. Can use PTO or self powered. Call 806-385-5229. 16202

For sale: 1976 Ford 750 Tandem Grain Trk. New 391 engine, less than 500 miles. \$12,500.00. Call 806-944-5401 after 8 p.m. 16207

3-Cars For Sale

1986 Isuzu pickup, diesel, automatic transmission, 31,960 miles, like new, \$5500. Call Gayland Ward, 364-2946 or 364-5251. See at 1500 W. Park. 16114

For sale: 1979 Freightliner Cabover, 290 Cummins Engine, f3 Speed Transmission. 364-1964. 16180

Sale or Trade - '77 Newport Chrysler, very clean, or trade for later model smaller car. 364-1846. 339 Centre. 16201

4-Real Estate

FOR SALE
PARK PLACE APARTMENTS
4 Units, Double Car Garage,
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Two houses and two separate corner lots near San Jose Church, one house at 237 Catalpa, 1/2 block, 140x300, that has been cleared on corner of Gracey & Sampson. Call 364-8842. 5470

For sale-3 story home, over 3400 sq. ft., swimming pool, guest house, 1/2% assumable VA loan, non-qualifying, reasonable equity, call Realtor, 364-7792. 15938

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5-Homes For Rent

1,2,3 and 4 bedroom apartments available. Low income housing. Stove and refrigerator furnished. Blue Water Garden Apts. Bills paid. Call 364-6661. 770

Move-in special now. No deposit. One and two bedroom apartments. All bills paid, except electricity. Reduced Rate-By Week or By month. Eldorado Arms, 364-4332. 820

Best deal in town, furnished 1 bedroom efficiency apartments. \$175.00 per month bills paid, red brick apartments 300 block West 2nd Street. 364-3566. 920

Nice, large, unfurnished apartments. Refrigerated air, two bedrooms. You pay only electric-we pay the rest. \$275.00 month. 364-8421. 1320

Self-lock storage. 364-8448. 1360

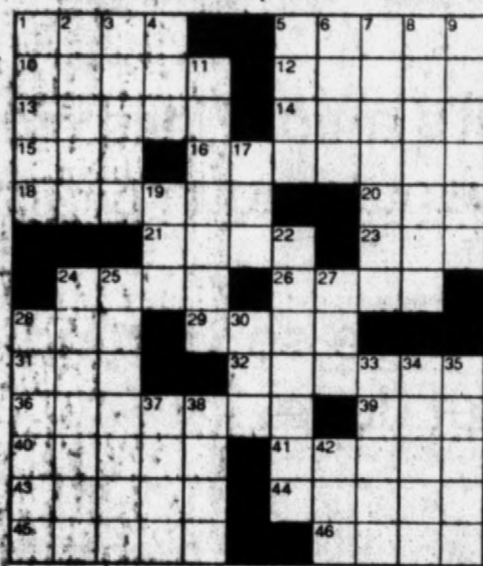
Paloma Lane Apts. 2 bedroom available, clean, well cared for, reasonably, \$170 deposit, no pets, EHO. 364-1255. 6060

CROSSWORD
by THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Glen
 - 5 Hair styles
 - 10 Lessen
 - 12 '60s guru
 - 13 Paint ingredient
 - 14 The King
 - 15 Diamonds
 - 16 "The Waste Land" writer
 - 18 Moolah
 - 20 "Butter-milk Sky"
 - 21 Writer
 - 23 Lunar buggy
 - 24 Painter
 - 26 WWII enemy
 - 28 Pronoun type (abbr.)
 - 29 Dialer's sound
 - 31 Old high note
 - 32 Small mechanical device
 - 30 "House at Pooh Corner" writer
 - 39 Fruit drink
 - 40 \$100 bill
 - 41 "Alice" star
 - 43 Sea motions
 - 44 Undoer
- DOWN**
- 1 Licit
 - 2 Old calculators
 - 3 Grow toward
 - 4 Hot time in Paris
 - 5 Away from the wind
 - 6 Chop down
 - 7 Trattoria dish
 - 8 Memorial Stadium team
 - 9 Gambler's scheme to stimuli
 - 11 Book selection
 - 17 Bart, to Homer
 - 19 Go awry
 - 22 Inouye and Day-Lewis
 - 24 Actress Griffith
 - 25 Pie order
 - 27 Cancelled
 - 28 Responds
 - 30 Possess
 - 33 Judge's rapper
 - 34 Does newspaper work
 - 35 Under stress
 - 37 Article
 - 38 Not as much
 - 42 Had a bite

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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AID	IDA
FREEDOM	BOWL
AMUSE	PALED
RAMPS	SHEDS



8-Help Wanted

Town & Country is accepting applications for part-time employment. Applications may be turned in anytime. Personal interviews will be conducted Tuesday Jan. 8--5 p.m.-7 p.m. 100 S. 25 Mile Ave. 16155

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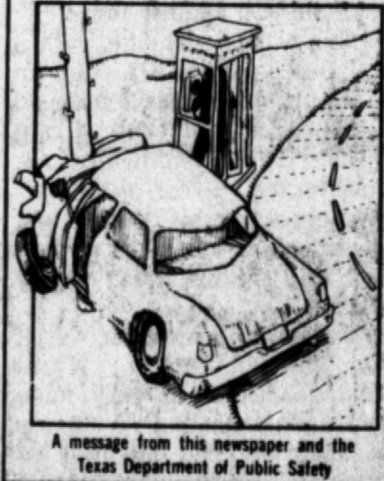
Position available immediately, computer-word processor skills required. Send resume to Box 673xyz.

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Parmer County Community Hospital, Friona, has part-time positions open for RN's & LVNs on all shifts. Call for information, Sue Smith, DON at 806-247-2754 or 247-2814

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*Paid holidays
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Openings for children in my home. Drop-ins welcome. Will sit Friday nights & week-ends. Ten years experience. Call Bonnie Cole, 364-6664. 15314

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DEAR DR. LAMB: My husband is a very embarrassing to him. He has darling in every way but misses out been to two doctors and all they on so many functions, particularly prescribed was antacid, but that does when there are many people. His not help. Perhaps you might know of problem is "wind," if you know what I some foods that cause this problem. mean, and he cannot control it. It is He is only in his 40s and is a lawyer

and must be in court many times, and does his face get red. It is really a shame.

DEAR READER: Tell your husband that at least 10 percent of people have a problem with excess gas formation and that accounts for about half of the visits to a gastroenterologist. It is one of the most frequent problems that people write to me about.

Antacids are basically useless for this problem, and if anything can make matters worse. That is because the gas is formed in the colon, long after the acid contents of the stomach have been neutralized by other digestive juices from the pancreas and small intestine. The gas is usually formed by bacterial fermentation of food that was not digested in the small intestine. Digestion does not occur in the colon, but bacterial action does. The breakdown, mostly of carbohydrates, in the colon releases the gas. The trick is to avoid foods that are not digested, and that is often difficult. First you have to find out which foods those are for the particular individual.

AXYDLBAAXR
is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

CRYPTOQUOTE

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K V K R X Q P X J R Y O G K W Z
X S X R R K W Z R V X V H C U
T K W Y V B X V P H T X F H
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T X G A H Q S G C O R V

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: GOOD RESOLUTIONS ARE SIMPLY CHECKS THAT MEN DRAW ON A BANK WHERE THEY HAVE NO ACCOUNT. — OSCAR WILDE

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Defensive Driving Course is now being offered nights and Saturdays. Will include ticket dismissal and insurance discount. For more information, call 364-6578. 700

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CATTLE FUTURES		GRAIN FUTURES		METAL FUTURES	
<p>CATTLE FEEDER (CME) 40,000 lbs., cents per lb.</p> <p>Jan 87.40 89.10 88.75 89.10 - 10 89.62 76.50 3.633 Mar 86.65 88.85 88.05 88.27 - 17 87.00 80.90 3.578 Apr 84.95 86.95 86.45 86.85 - 21 83.50 81.20 3.628 May 82.67 84.67 83.25 83.80 - 12 84.25 80.20 2.481 Aug 81.30 83.30 82.15 82.17 - 27 83.85 80.20 854 Est vol 895; vol Tues 315; open int 12,123 - 55</p> <p>CATTLE LIVE (CME) 40,000 lbs., cents per lb.</p> <p>Feb 77.20 77.60 76.90 77.07 - 12 77.60 72.50 29,574 Apr 76.55 76.82 75.95 76.10 - 37 78.05 74.80 18,780 June 74.80 74.80 74.25 74.42 - 40 75.45 72.15 14,808 Aug 72.00 72.10 72.85 72.95 - 15 72.85 70.35 4,586 Oct 72.80 72.10 72.85 72.85 - 15 73.40 70.10 2,274 Dec 72.50 72.50 72.25 72.25 - 25 74.20 71.75 1,153 Est vol 9,097; vol Tues 4,139; open int 71,418 - 57</p> <p>HOGS (CME) 20,000 lbs., cents per lb.</p> <p>Feb 48.65 48.85 48.80 48.87 - 80 53.15 46.20 13,126 Apr 48.65 48.65 48.15 - 77 49.80 43.80 6,026 June 51.37 51.37 50.80 50.87 - 50 53.75 47.70 2,420 Aug 51.70 51.70 50.80 51.00 - 30 53.65 48.20 802 Oct 49.32 49.32 49.10 49.25 - 47 51.75 46.90 402 Est vol 5,710; vol Tues 1,535; open int 22,900 - 560</p>		<p>CORN (CBOT) 5,000 bu., cents per bu.</p> <p>Mar 231 231 230 231 - 307 227 89,113 May 229 229 228 229 - 1 204 225 37,385 July 240 240 240 240 - 1 204 241 51,405 Sept 248 248 248 247 - 1 207 240 6,819 Nov 249 249 248 248 - 1 215 247 19,565 Mar 251 251 250 251 - 1 202 249 1,277 Est vol 31,307; vol Tues 15,466; open int 700,526 - 1746</p> <p>SOYBEANS (CBOT) 5,000 bu., cents per bu.</p> <p>Jan 539 539 540 533 - 6 892 549 10,776 Mar 572 572 567 567 - 7 750 567 40,810 May 588 588 578 581 - 7 711 578 22,172 July 601 602 594 601 - 8 718 592 20,712 Aug 603 603 596 598 - 6 695 586 3,633 Sept 602 602 597 599 - 3 670 597 2,975 Nov 605 606 601 602 - 3 674 601 8,987 Jan 617 617 613 615 - 4 642 613 347 Mar 608 608 605 605 - 3 654 605 108 Est vol 45,000; vol Mon 25,183; open int 116,525 - 1,681</p> <p>WHEAT (CBOT) 5,000 bu., cents per bu.</p> <p>Mar 200 200 200 202 - 3 207 206 24,561 May 206 206 202 202 - 3 215 207 9,260 July 210 210 207 212 - 2 255 207 11,599 Sept 217 217 214 214 - 1 226 214 1,089 Dec 208 208 206 207 - 4 218 206 473 Est vol 12,000; vol Mon 4,537; open int 46,972 - 258</p>		<p>GOLD (COM) 100 Troy ounces; dollars per Troy ounce</p> <p>Strike Calls - Last Puts - Last Price Feb-C Mar-C Apr-C Feb-D Mar-D Apr-D 270 21.00 20.90 20.90 20 2.60 4.90 340 12.20 19.10 22.00 1.20 4.90 7.80 360 3.70 13.00 16.20 4.40 8.60 11.90 400 2.10 8.30 11.70 11.00 14.00 17.20 410 .80 5.40 8.40 19.60 20.70 23.80 420 4.0 3.20 6.20 20.20 26.40 31.20 Est vol 12,000; Mon vol 2,823 calls, 1,131 puts Open interest Mon 58,297 calls, 76,154 puts</p> <p>SILVER (COM) 5,000 Troy ounces; cents per Troy ounce</p> <p>Strike Calls - Last Puts - Last Price Mar-C Mar-C Jiv-C Mar-D May-D Jiv-D 375 26.7 27.8 45.0 4.0 15.5 18.0 400 44.0 56.3 61.0 2.3 9.0 10.0 425 13.0 24.0 31.0 21.3 26.7 29.0 450 6.7 15.0 22.1 28.5 42.3 45.5 475 3.3 10.5 16.3 41.6 43.4 42.5 500 2.4 6.5 11.0 60.7 84.0 81.5 Est vol 4,400; Mon vol 1,385 calls, 2,399 puts</p>	
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Here's An Idea That Can Strengthen Your Family

Tonight at the dinner table, read something out loud to your family. Tomorrow night, let another member read something. A news story. A Bible verse. A Robert Frost poem. A cereal box panel. History. Humor. Anything. Each night a different family member can read a selection. Imagine the wide range of subjects your family will read in 365 days. What a stimulating way to have your children develop good reading habits. We have 23 million illiterate adults in America. We wouldn't have one, if each of them had been served reading as part of their nightly diet. It's non-fattening, but enriching. And it doesn't cost a dime.

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The Sunday Brand Entertainment guide will feature big television listing grids, an alphabetical listing of the movies on your television for the entire week, a look at what's hot in video cassettes, and other goodies to watch for.

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Entertainment

THIS WEEK'S TV LISTINGS MOVIES VIDEOS INSIGHTS

Treating high blood pressure a problem

Many Americans know that high blood pressure is a symptomless but dangerous disease that usually can be controlled with medicine. But they might be surprised to learn that about half of all people treated for high blood pressure stop taking their medication within the first year.

Failure to follow medical advice, or noncompliance, can have serious health consequences. High blood pressure (also called hypertension) is a lifelong illness, and it can lead to heart attack, stroke, kidney failure or other dangerous conditions if it is not controlled.

Healthcare providers and researchers who have studied non-compliance have found that family, friends, and other social support systems play an important role in helping patients to follow such medical advice as quitting smoking, exercising more regularly, losing weight and taking blood pressure medicine. Their conclusion: If a friend or loved one isn't doing everything possible to control blood pressure, get involved!

Help the patient cut down on salt in the diet by identifying foods with a high sodium (salt) content, such as bacon, potato chips and green olives. Remind the patient to check product

labels; items such as canned soups and frozen foods often contain high amounts of salt.

Encourage pill-taking by combining it with an activity that's done every day at the same time, such as taking medication with orange juice in the morning and before or after brushing teeth at night. Suggest a system to monitor the number of pills taken, such as a check-off sheet by the medicine cabinet or a plan to count the number of pills left at the end of each month.

It is also a good idea to discuss side effects with those patients undergoing treatment. You might want to ask if the medication makes the patient feel sick. Unpleasant side effects that affect quality of life are a problem with a symptomless disease like high blood pressure, because patients feel better without taking the drug. Encourage the patient to talk to the doctor about this problem. With more than 80 medications available to lower high blood pressure, the doctor can alter dosing or prescribe a different drug that is better tolerated.

Encouraging friends or loved ones to follow medical advice will contribute to high blood pressure control and help enable patients to live longer, better and healthier lives.

Test smoke detector

If a fire were to start in your home tonight while you're asleep, do you think the smoke would wake you up?

Wrong. In fact, toxic gases and smoke from a fire lull you into a deeper sleep, eventually killing you. Most fire victims don't die as a result of burns. They're usually found in their beds by firemen, dead and undisturbed-killed by the lethal smoke.

Clearly, having one or more working smoke detectors can be the only thing that separates you and your family from disaster. In fact, your chances of dying in a home fire are cut in half by the presence of a working smoke detector, according to the United States Fire Administration (USFA).

You probably have a smoke detector in your home already. About 85 percent of Americans do. But how do you know if your smoke detector is working? The answer: Test it on a monthly basis, if AC-powered, and weekly, if battery-powered.

But many people do not test their smoke detectors regularly, as indicated by a recent nationwide study commissioned by First Alert, the world's largest manufacturer of smoke detectors. According to the study, 76 percent of the AC-powered smoke detector owners surveyed do not test their units at least once a month as recommended by the National Fire Prevention Association (NFPA). More disturbing, 95 percent of the battery-powered smoke detector owners do not test their units weekly, as recommended.

When homeowners surveyed were specifically asked to test their smoke detectors, it was found that nearly one in 10 were inoperable. That means millions of American families are greatly increasing their risk of death and injury due to a home fire.

But why wouldn't your smoke detector work?

In the case of an AC-powered detector, which runs on a home's electrical system, there may be a loose wire connecting it to the system, rendering it inoperable. With a battery-operated unit, the battery may simply be dead or missing. Dust or certain environmental conditions may also affect a smoke detector.

What's also important to note is that smoke detectors work continuously and, like anything that works all the time, a smoke detector may eventually wear out. But you really don't know if a unit is working unless you test it.

Testing a smoke detector is easy. Contrary to popular belief, a detector should not be tested with a lighted match or by blowing smoke into the unit. Smoke detectors made after Dec. 1, 1979, have test buttons, which when pressed, simulate the effect of smoke in the detector. The entire unit is tested not just the power supply or battery. The unit's horn sounds to let you know the detector is operational.

In addition to the test button, some detectors even have a patented feature which enables you to test the unit with an ordinary flashlight while you're standing on the floor. Still others feature a built-in light which is activated when the unit's horn goes off to help safely light your way out of the building.

When a chirping sound is emitted from a battery-operated smoke detector, the battery is wearing out and should be replaced immediately. Don't remove the battery to stop the chirping, since removing it makes the unit inoperable. And remember to put in a fresh battery at least once a

year. According to the USFA, smoke detectors should be cleaned regularly by using an ordinary vacuum cleaner while the cover is closed, following the instructions of the smoke detector manufacturer.

It's important that your children are present when you test your smoke detector so that they are familiar with the sound and know what it means. In addition, families should devise and practice a home escape plan to save valuable time if a fire strikes.

To greatly enhance your chances of escaping from your home in case of a fire, install a smoke detector on every level of your home and in every sleeping area, especially inside a child's bedroom.

Smoke detectors have saved thousands of lives already, but they simply must be tested on a monthly basis if AC-powered and weekly if battery-powered.

For more information on smoke detector testing or placement, contact your local fire department.

Clean air fuel clears the air

The encouraging news from Washington is that steps are being taken to improve the quality of our air.

The recent action by the House of Representatives to approve a package of amendments to the Clean Air Act is a giant step for Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LP-gas) in becoming a governmentally sanctioned clean air fuel. The house bill as well as the senate version (already approved) recognizes that the clean-burning characteristics of LP-gas can help clean our air. The National Propane Gas Association will continue to monitor legislative deliberations as the bills move into a joint House-Senate conference to iron out differences.

What does this mean for the average consumer?

One enacted, federal clean air legislation will affect every consumer, business and government as regulatory agencies move to outlaw or restrict fuels not defined as clean-burning.

New Sales Member

Lupe Chavez

will join the Whiteface Sales team, starting Jan. 1st, after previously serving as a juvenile officer for the past 7 1/2 years.

Lupe invites you to come by and visit with him for all your car needs.

Abundant Life

BY BOB WEAR

We are responsible for self, for the wise management of self and we are responsible to self for our personal well-being. This does not eliminate the sensible or justified care that we have for others because the suggested care of self is not ego-centered selfishness; it is not self-conceit or any other undesirable view toward self.

Much is lost, when we, by carelessness or by deliberate action, are harmful to ourselves. This includes the initial loss but this is not all. We will inevitably hurt someone else who cares about us and this is a personal loss. The best thing we can do for those who may care for us is to take good care of ourselves.

Taking care of self means that we have sensible and reasonable expectations for self, not expecting too much and not expecting too little. All expectations must be in harmony with truth and with reality.

AC offers management class here

The Amarillo College Management Development Program will offer a Thursday evening course in supervisory management from 7 to 9:45 p.m. at Hereford High School beginning the week of Jan. 14.

The supervisory management course will be taught by Bill Harrington and will include the specific functions of a supervisor consistent with modern behavioral theory.

Course work will also include work planning and organization, performance review, counseling and self-development of both employee and supervisor.

On the job training will be available with this course for an additional three semester hours credit.

Harrington holds a bachelor of science degree in math and science education from Northeast Louisiana University and has done graduate studies in business at West Texas State University.

Registration for Amarillo College classes in Hereford will be Monday, Jan. 7. For more information, call the Amarillo Management Group at 371-5260 or 371-5268.

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Demand for tapes of Willie Nelson belting out an anti-war tune he wrote 25 years ago hasn't been overwhelming, but volunteers hope the movement will snowball as the possibility war in the Persian Gulf grows.

Since the offer was made last week, about 100 blank tapes were dubbed with the country singer's peace song "Jimmy's Road" and a 10-minute reading of Mark Twain's "The War Prayer," 17-year-old Kevin Zettner said.

The song was inspired by Zettner's father, David, a former bandmate of Nelson, who wrote it after Zettner was drafted during the Vietnam War.

The teen-ager is a volunteer helping Pedernales Film Co. employee Bob Wishoff distribute the tapes. Anyone who sends a blank tape and self-addressed, stamped envelope receives a copy.

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Fix up fax system

"Watchfulness and industry are natural virtues and recommended to us by the conduct of even brute creatures. If we neglect our own interest, we deserve the calamities which come upon us and have no reason to hope for the compassion of others, when we take no care of ourselves."-Conybeare.

We are taking care of self when we guard diligently the avenues of entrance into the mind. We must open our mind to the good, the true, the decent and the beautiful and to things which are moral. The mind must be closed to the indecent, the immoral, the perverse, to the false, the hatefulness and the feeling of envy and all such things. "From the mind come the issues of life."

We must take care of our physical self, and take care of the material blessings. There must be no dissipation or wastefulness but the wisest acceptance of our stewardship.

Taking care of self is the key to abundant living.

Don't store silver for several hours after washing or polishing. Dampness can cause black spots.

The money you spend on office equipment today can mean great savings--and added profits--for years to come, experts agree. Case in point: Investing in additions to your current fax system can save you both time and money, thanks to new features that mean you can receive your faxes on plain paper--sharp, clear and ready-to-use.

Many offices still receive faxes on thermal paper--which most office workers can't stand. It curls, the image fades out and it's hard to jot notes on. So in most cases, you wind up making a copy of the fax on plain paper. You're wasting time making copies and wasting dollars on extra plain paper.

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